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## Lindsay City Council hears discussion on expansion

by Elaine Schad

It might not be too far into the future before the City of Lindsay begins to think about expanding their wastewater treatment facility following a preliminary report that their plant ran between 95 and 100 percent of capacity over a four-month period, officials said.

The city council has asked representatives with Morris Engineering to pursue a 12-month study of the flow to see if that capacity was unusual or if those levels are reached on a frequent basis.

The city was notified in the spring by the Texas Department of Health that the plant exceeded its flow limit during March, April and May. Some of that was due to the 30 inches of rain the city received during those wet months, said Mayor Pro Tem Don Metzler.

Should a city's treatment plant reach 90 percent capacity on a regular basis, the Texas Water Commission requires that the city begin planning for expansion, officials said.

In other business during their regular December meeting, the council indicated to representatives of WGA Cable that they are still pursuing litigation to release the city from its contract with the cable television company. Please See LINDSAY, Page 2



PAIGE RIGSBY IS DELIGHTED to meet Santa Claus for the first time. Paige is the daughter of Phil and Brenda Rigsby of Muenster. By invitation of the Muenster Jaycees, Santa listened to children's Christmas wishes in the Muenster City Park on Saturday, Dec. 8. The Jaycees were on hand to help Santa distribute treat bags. Janet Felderhoff Photo

## Budget approved finally

by Elaine Schad

The Cooke County Appraisal District's \$622,000 fiscal 1991 budget has been officially approved the second time around, allowing the district a continued flow of funds beginning Jan. 1, officials said this week.

With Cooke County and the Gainesville School District approving the budget on Monday, a total of seven of 11 taxing entities have approved the budget, said Brenda Urretia, interim chief appraiser. Three have rejected the budget, including the Valley View ISD, City of Gainesville and Era ISD, she said. The Sivells Bend ISD was scheduled to take action on the budget this week, she said. A simple majority was needed to pass the budget.

The CCAD's first budget was rejected by nine of the 11 entities, sending the board of directors back to the drawing board. There has been concern by some officials that the appraisal district may have to shut down operations had the budget not been approved on the second try.

The second budget was an \$8,000 reduction from the first one proposed in October, and represents about an 8 percent increase over last year's operation budget. "We tried to get to every meeting to explain the budget this time," said Mrs. Urretia. The three entities that rejected the budget for a second time held their meetings on the same night as the CCAD meeting, so there was no representative present to explain the budget to those governing bodies, a factor that could have influenced their decision, she said.

Cooke County commissioners this week approved the budget on a unanimous vote. "We want them to hold the line on their budget," said Commissioner Kenneth Alexander. "But, when everybody else is going up by about 8 percent, and we went up, then we can't hardly turn them down."

Officials of taxing entities that turned down the budget expressed a desire that the CCAD work to make its operation more efficient. The City of Muenster has com-

plained for two years that there were numerous errors on their city tax rolls that were prepared by the CCAD. Some have indicated there is too large a discrepancy in salaries from the lowest to highest paid employees, while one entity felt some positions could be consolidated to save money.

The appraisal district has weathered some hard times the past year. A case is pending in district court against the CCAD, filed by a group of 47 disgruntled taxpayers who are contending their property has been unfairly appraised and that the district is granting preferential treatment to some people.

The CCAD board fired Chief Appraiser Pat Pickett in September and two employees resigned during that same week.

A final decision concerning the chief appraiser's position is expected to come before January 1, officials said. About a dozen applications have been reviewed to fill Pickett's position. Urretia is among the applicants for the position, officials said.

## Rainard Walterscheid arrives home after being held hostage

"It feels good to be home," simply stated Muenster native Rainard Walterscheid. He was taken captive by Iraqi soldiers while working on an oil rig in the Kuwait desert on August 2, 1990.

"We slept on the sand in the desert on Aug. 2 and on the 3rd we were moved to Basrah, on the 4th we were flown to Bagdad and kept in a hotel for 13 days," said Walterscheid. The hostages were next kept in a chemical plant and finally dispersed to different places. Walterscheid went to a telecommunications center.

They mixed the nationalities and Walterscheid was the only American in his group. "The Iraqi government kept telling us that we were guests," said Walterscheid. "I told them 'not with bars on the windows!'"

The Muenster native said that he never worried too much. He had worked around Arabs 20 some years and knew that there was no use in worrying because he couldn't get out.

Rainard first got to call home on Nov. 9. "After a phone was installed we could call home every day if we wanted to," he commented. In talking to his wife Marjorie in Jacksboro, and his sister Shirley Grewing in Muenster, Walterscheid learned of the many yellow ribbons on display for the hostages and troops and of the daily prayers he was remembered in at Mass in Muenster.

On Wednesday, Dec. 5 after 4½ months in captivity, Rainard finally heard the news he'd been waiting for... Saddam Hussein had agreed to release all of the hostages. "I heard it on the radio

and called my wife to tell her," explained Walterscheid.

Shirley Grewing and her husband Hermie and their daughters Amber and Brandi were at DFW Airport to meet Walterscheid when he arrived at 11:15 p.m. Monday. "He looks tired,

like he's been through the mill," said Mrs. Grewing. "Other than that he seems okay, like his old self, just a little thinner and grayer."

A reception room was provided for the families of the returning hostages. The Grewings, Rainard and Brandi were the first to arrive. Please See RAINARD, Page 2



BRANDI GREWING cuts down the yellow ribbon that has symbolized the Hermie Grewing family's hope for the safe return of their relative, Rainard Walterscheid, from the Middle East. Janie Hartman Photo

## Precautionary landing brings Army visitors to Turtle Hill

by Janet Felderhoff

A UH-60 Blackhawk, the U.S. Army's newest and most modern utility aircraft, made a precautionary landing about eight miles north of Muenster around 2:45 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 5. The pilots CW2 Paul Orndoff and WO1 Brenda Hellerman noticed signs of transmission trouble and began looking for a place to set down. Sgt. James Lockhard was also a member of the crew.

"The temperature was on the high side and the pressure started dropping," said Hellerman. "When this happens it is procedure to land as soon as possible." A helicopter can land almost anywhere, said Orndoff. "We looked for a hole."

The place they decided to set down was on Turtle Hill Ranch. "I was in the barn when I heard them coming," said Turtle Hill employee Jerry Reed. "It was so loud that at first I thought that they were gonna crash into the barn."

Reed went outside in time to watch two large helicopters come down. A third then landed. "It was a weird feeling to see two big helicopters coming down," remarked Reed. He went to investigate and was told that one of the aircraft was having problems.

After phoning for instructions, two of the helicopters continued on their journey, leaving the disabled aircraft to wait for another helicopter that was several hours behind. The fourth helicopter and its crew of three (SPC Sean Henrikson, CW2 Jeff Tope, and CW2 Mike

Payne) arrived at around 6 p.m. Wednesday.

The six officers were assisted by Reed and Turtle Hill owners, Dick and Kim Murphy. The Murphys offered the use of one of their vehicles to give the military group transportation to Muenster where they spent the night in the A-OK Motel.

Helicopters were being moved from Fort Riley, KS to Belmont, TX. When they arrived at Ellington Field, the aircraft were to be loaded on a ship and begin a 14- to 30-day journey to Saudi Arabia. The military personnel returned to Fort Riley where they would be issued weapons and await deployment to the Middle East.

"We were first told to expect deployment around Dec. 15, but now they told us to expect it around Christmas Eve or New Year's Eve," said WO1 Hellerman. "We've been working seven days per week since November in preparation for the deployment," she added.

The delays have been difficult for some members of the unit. "Since rent is high where I live I didn't want to keep an apartment when I wasn't using it," commented Hellerman. "My parents came to Kansas over Thanksgiving and moved all of my furniture, most of my clothes, and my car back home. I feel lost without any belongings and an empty apartment."

Brenda Hellerman is one of two women in her entire brigade. She is the only warrant officer in the brigade and was surprised to learn

that there are only around 80 female warrant officers in the Army.

Being the only female, Brenda takes a lot of flack from the guys and says that she sometimes gets tired of it. The petite pilot celebrated her 22nd birthday on Dec. 8. The age range is from 18 to around 45. Brenda noted that some of the guys are like brothers or fathers, but she really misses female companionship sometimes. "Guys don't understand about some things," she added.

Things can only get tougher for female Army personnel when they reach Saudi Arabia. The political and religious restrictions will be difficult for everyone, especially American women who are accustomed to having the same rights as men. In Saudi Arabia women can't drive, must wear long skirts and high collar blouses, cannot participate in combat, and must not leave the military area alone. They must always have a male escort or be in a convoy.

Americans caught drinking downtown will be tried under Arabic law. There aren't any permanent facilities for the troops who will live in tents. Since the unit from Fort Riley was told to be prepared to stay a year and reports they are hearing from the military already stationed in the Middle East aren't very encouraging, most are not very enthused about going.

The group from Fort Riley heard on the news Thursday morning that the hostages were to be released. They remarked that they would believe it when and if it happened. "We still have to go over even if they are released," they said.

CW2 Paul Orndoff commented that he would be glad to go to free the hostages, but didn't want to see American blood shed just to help Kuwait. He is married and his wife hoped that he would be out of the Army before he had to ship out. "She's not too happy," he offered.

Sgt. James Lockhard has been married for only one month. He doesn't really want to go and isn't yet sure what he thinks about the situation. SPC Sean Henrikson has only one month to go before he would have been discharged and now he will have to stay in. "I don't really want to go. I was planning to go back to school," he said.

CW2 Mike Payne, who said he had been in the military a number of years, made the observation that the United States seems to get involved in some type of military action about every 15 years. This, he feels, is to always have some

## MPS Bands prepare for holiday concert Dec. 17

The Muenster Public School bands will present their Annual Band Christmas Concert on Monday, Dec. 17 in the High School Auditorium. The concert will start at 7:00 p.m.

All of the bands will perform, starting with the Fourth Grade Flutophone Band, Fifth Grade Beginning Band, Sixth Grade Beginning Band, Junior High

Band and closing with the High School Hornet Band.

The annual Christmas concert is the band's way of ushering in the Christmas season. Also, it is a way of saying Thank You to all of the parents, administration and people who help support the band program throughout the year.

Please come and help celebrate the time of year.

## Good News!

Then the wolf shall be a guest of the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; the calf and the young lion shall browse together, with a little child to guide them.

ISAIAH 11:6

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ARMY PERSONNEL spent Wednesday night, Dec. 5, in Muenster while they waited for repairs to be made on their UH-60 Blackhawk helicopter. Their unit will soon be deployed to Saudi Arabia. Pictured are, l to r, Sgt. James Lockhart, SPC Sean Henrikson, CW2 Paul Orndoff, CW2 Jeff Tope, WO1 Brenda Hellerman and CW2 Mike Payne. Janie Hartman Photo



Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Once again, the Red River Region of the American Red Cross has completed a successful blood drive in Muenster. A total of 75 people generously took time out of their hectic holiday schedules to donate blood.

As local sponsors of the blood drive, Beta Kappa would like to recognize the many local businesses, organizations and individuals who contributed to its success.

They are as follows: **The Muenster Enterprise** and North Texas Communications, publicity; Muenster Knights of Columbus, use of KC Hall; Windy Bindel, opening and closing of the hall and helping with set-up; Joan Walterscheid, scheduling medical personnel to work; and Lanie Bartush, Linda Walterscheid and Della Hellman, RNs, and Florence Fisher and Frances Yosten, nursing assistants, for donating services.

Thanks to all who donated blood and helped in any way.

Beta Kappa,  
Jean Walterscheid,  
chairman,  
Janet Felderhoff,  
publicity

To the Editor,

To the friends and patrons of Joe Walter Sheltered Workshop for the handicapped.

The staff and clients would like to take this opportunity to thank the wonderful people of Muenster for their outstanding support in helping our 45 clients this year. Many of you have helped us by having lunch in our "Bluebonnet Room." We do appreciate you! Also, so many of you have given garage sale items to our "Buried Treasures Thrift Store" and you have bought useful items from the workshop. We are grateful for this! Some of you have given memorials in the name of both living and deceased loved ones. This is another loving gesture.

All of us in the workshop are counting on your continued support and help in the new year. We have been successful this year because the people of Muenster have had a big part in our success. We do appreciate everything you have done for our clients. In behalf of all of our 45 clients, we say "THANKS" to the good people of Muenster for sharing and caring to help the handicapped to help themselves. We are an affiliate of Cooke County Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

Sincerely,  
David Forgey  
(Volunteer)  
610 West Broadway Street  
Gainesville, Texas

**Editor's Note:** This communication was received from Dr. Bailey Marshall of the UIL office in Austin, in the interest of improving sportsmanship exhibited by coaches, players and fans during junior high and high school athletic contests. It stated in part:

During the last regular legislative session the State Legislature passed a bill that established an Interscholastic League Advisory Council to study UIL problems and make recommendations to improve our programs.

One of the primary concerns this committee expressed was over the poor sportsmanship exhibited by coaches, players and fans during youth, junior high and high school athletic contests.

It was the belief of the council that some of this misbehavior could be attributed to the behavior of professional and college coaches and athletes. Often youth sport coaches and their players emulate the professional and college coaches and athletes. Therefore, the committee asked that we contact the media to ask your help in seeking ways college and professional athletes and coaches can be better role models for our young people and those who work with them.

We believe the media (and educators) could help with this problem and are seeking their help as well as in trying to curb a problem that could be devastating to junior high and high school athletics unless the trend is reversed.

Please think of ways we can work together in this endeavor. Call (512)471-5883.

Rural health care to receive fed. funding assistance

WASHINGTON, D.C. - An idea developed and pursued by Congressman Charles Stenholm (D-TX) has been approved by the President and will mean extra federal assistance for rural health care. When President Bush signed the National Health Service Corps Reauthorization bill, he okayed Mr. Stenholm's State Offices of Rural Health program.

"The idea is to help rural communities around the country which are trying to ensure that quality health care remains available for their residents," explained Stenholm.

Under the State Offices of Rural Health program, a total of \$10 million dollars could be allotted over the next three years as "seed money." It requires a match by recipient states and is designed so that those states ultimately assume full financial responsibility of the offices. For FY 1991, \$2 million has actually been appropriated.

State Offices of Rural Health will provide technical, hands-on assistance to rural communities concerned about their health care; act as a clearinghouse for information on innovative approaches to rural health care; coordinate and cooperate with other efforts such as those by the agriculture extension service; research cost effective ways of delivering quality rural health care; and meet annually with other State Rural Health Offices to share information.

"Last year 65 hospitals closed around the country and 13 of them were in rural areas of Texas," said Stenholm. "These figures are alarming when you realize that entire counties are without any medical help. Creating State Offices of Rural Health is one way to encourage quality health care for our less populated areas."

During its last legislative session, the Texas Legislature committed funds to establish a state rural health office, named the Center for Rural Health Initiatives. Part of this money can be used to meet the matching fund requirement of the federal law, allowing the state to receive these new federal dollars.

Texas library grant awards announced

WASHINGTON - U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm has announced the award of \$5,035,085 in grants for libraries in Texas by the U.S. Department of Education.

The grant program, administered by the state library administrative agency, provides funding designed to assist local public libraries in expanding and improving services to the public.

The senator, a member of the Senate Literacy Task force, is a former teacher.

The Department of Education's Library program is one of a variety of programs aimed at upgrading education. The department also administers student loans and programs for vocational and adult education and rehabilitative services for the handicapped.

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and his wife Marjorie and their daughter Raina took time to celebrate the homecoming in the reception room before starting for home around 1 a.m.

Rainard arrived Jack in the U.S. in time to celebrate his 53rd birthday on Friday, Dec. 14 with his family. According to Mrs. Grewing the family plans to celebrate the Christmas holidays together.

Walterscheid plans to continue working for Santa Fe Drilling Co. and is willing to go where ever they send him.

LINDSAY

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due to the city's claim of a breach of contract on the part of WGA Cable due to poor service.

George Moreland told the council he was now the local representative for WGA, which has been recently purchased by another company. The city's attorney, Belvin Harris, told Moreland that the city would not respond since they were involved in litigation. A trial date on the suit could be set by late spring, officials said.

The council approved on second reading a request by Earl Koelzer, owner of Phase II, to remain open until 2 a.m. on Friday and Saturday. Council members tabled consideration of revising water and sewer rates, and tabled a decision to purchase a new brush hog until they could see if the old one could be repaired.

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P.S. Merry Christmas to you and your families.

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HOW THE CONGRESS STOLE CHRISTMAS

By Edwin Feulner

One of my favorite holiday stories is the Dr. Seuss classic, "The Grinch That Stole Christmas." For those who don't remember, the fable goes something like this: The dastardly Grinch hates happiness so much that he decides to ruin Christmas for the people of the adjacent valley by dressing up like Santa Claus and stealing their presents. On Christmas morning, however, he has a change of heart and, infused with the holiday spirit, returns the stolen presents to the children.

This year, Congress is playing the part of the Grinch. But unlike Dr. Seuss' villain, the thieves on Capitol Hill are not going to return the toys.

Unwilling to balance the budget by cutting "pork" and capping spending increases at 4 percent, as my colleagues have proposed, Congress and the Bush administration have instead shown their contempt for the American people by enacting the largest tax increase in U.S. history - more than \$170 billion during the next five years. That's an increase of more than \$300 a year for the average American family - a sizeable chunk of the Christmas fund.

To pay the new tax bills next year, a lot of families simply are going to have to eliminate the annual holiday trip to grandma's house. Thanks to new federal taxes on gasoline and airline tickets, the cost of going home for Christmas just went up.

At first, an additional five cents per gallon of gasoline doesn't seem like much, but for commuters, the nickels quickly add up. The Federal Highway Administration reports that New Yorkers can expect to pay an additional \$101.52 annually, while Wyoming drivers - faced with huge distances between towns - will spend nearly \$150 more in gasoline taxes.

Worse, gasoline taxes unfairly punish the working poor. According to the Congressional Budget Office, families earning less than \$5,000 annually pay eight times more of their income in gasoline taxes than those earning \$50,000 or more. For poor families, a hundred dollars can mean the difference between Christmas and no Christmas.

Of course, long distance is the "next best thing to being there." But with new federal taxes on telephone service, the cost of calling grandma to wish her a Merry Christmas is going to take a big jump. New federal "sin" taxes on alcoholic beverages will raise the price of Christmas eggnog and New Year's Eve brew, whether your choice is champagne or a cold Coors.

It'll even cost you more to raise your children. Under the budget deal, the value of personal exemptions, for children and other dependents, will be phased out for taxpayers earning more than \$50,000. The Grinch didn't like children, but only Congress would stoop to taxing them.

So what are you getting for Christmas? Scott Hodge, The Heritage Foundation's Grover M. Hermann fellow in federal budgetary affairs, has compiled an extraordinary list of goodies, including \$3 million for a study of zebra mussels, \$3.8 million for Arkansas' "Poultry Center of Excellence," \$64 million for "intelligent vehicle/highway systems," and \$428 million for a "parking garage revolving fund."

It's enough to depress even the merriest of Santa's elves. Even before the new taxes were approved, the average American paid nearly 40 percent of his income to federal, state, and local governments. Now, it appears Congress, unlike the Grinch, won't be happy until it has taken all the presents from under the tree.

Note: Feulner is president of The Heritage Foundation, a Washington-based public policy research institute.

Desert Shield: The largest overseas mail operation ever!

The interest and support for the soldiers in Operation Desert Shield has created the largest overseas mailing operation in the history of the United States.

Between now and Christmas, the Postal Service expects an additional 30 million pounds of mail for Desert Shield Operation alone. They've seen everything from banana cakes to literally tons of cookies, plus thousands of audio cassettes, sun glasses, comic books, hard candy and American flags.

Mail volume is currently averaging about 300,000 pounds per day which is equivalent to about 1.2 million pieces per day.

To date, over 12 million pounds (over 50 million pieces) have been delivered since early August.

The Postal Service, with its infrastructure of 700,000 employees is making an extraordinary effort to get mail to the troops.

They've rented additional facilities, hired more employees, arranged for additional air transportation and added more distribution points around the nation; for example, Dallas now handles APO mail for 51 Desert Shield locations mailed from the southwest portion of the United States. That mail is separated by zip codes and trucked to Tinker Air Force Base for air-lift to Saudi Arabia. Every effort is being made to separate these volumes from our regular Christmas mail volume, so that service for each runs smoothly and efficiently.

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## Matt Stelzer, 85, dies in Post Dec. 2

Matt Stelzer, 85, of Post, Texas, and a native of Muenster, died Sunday evening, Dec. 2, 1990 at Garza Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Mass of Christian Burial was offered Wednesday at Holy Cross Catholic Church with Father Lawrence Hemp, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery under direction of Hudson Funeral Home.

Matt Stelzer was born in Muenster on April 15, 1905 to August and Mary (Muller) Stelzer.

He married Helen Frances O'Connor on Jan. 8, 1924. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, and Holy Cross Catholic Church was a retired superintendent for Ken Tex Oil Company.

Survivors include his wife, four sons, Gerald Stelzer of Buena Park, Calif.; Andy Stelzer and Julius Stelzer both of Post; and Maurice Stelzer of Hobbs, New Mexico. Also two brothers, Charlie and Patrick, both of Muenster; 14 grandchildren, 13

great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Among local relatives attending were Charlie and Violet Stelzer; Pat and Pauline Stelzer; Arnold and Jake Schilling; Arnold Muller; Juanita Knabe; Eva Walterscheid; Jeanette Hellinger; Bill and Terese Miller; Herb and Dolores Miller; Evelyn Monday; Joan Covington and Margie Krahl all of Muenster; and Leonard Gottlob of Azle; and Stan and Rosabell Yosten and Paul and Bernice Yosten, all of Fort Worth.



**WEBELOS SCOUTS** of Den 1, Muenster Pack 664, erected the Chamber of Commerce Nativity scene south of the First Baptist Church on Saturday and Monday. Den 1 members are, I to r, Lucien Gehrig, Stephen Bartush, Russell Fette, Vince Felderhoff, Tyler Bradley, Duncan Campbell, Eric Fisher, Jesse Luke and Adam Klement. Leaders are Chuck Bartush (left) and Dave Fette. Special thanks go to Hennigan Auto Parts for electrical power and to Hofbauer's Food & Locker for technical assistance.  
Gary Fisher Photo

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## Services held for Calvin Blankenship

Calvin Blankenship, of Elk City, Oklahoma, died on Thursday night, Dec. 6, at the age of 68. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Elk City with Dr. Ed Saucier officiating. Burial in Fairlawn Cemetery was directed by Martin Funeral Directors.

Mr. Blankenship was born in Forestburg on Feb. 23, 1922. He is a graduate of Forestburg High School. He married Johnnie Sutton on Aug. 14, 1943. In 1946, he began his career in the oil field, employed in seven different states and two South American coun-

tries. His last employment was with Loffland Brothers Drilling Contractors for 17 years. In 1984, he retired as a rig superintendent.

A member of First Baptist Church, he was active in The Live Embers and other church functions. He was a member of the Lions Club and Oddfellows Lodge and the Elk City Chapter of AARP.

Survivors include his wife, Johnnie, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Connie Grabel of Elk City and Mrs. Jo Ann Laird of Oklahoma City; three

sons, Ronnie and Thomas Blankenship, both of Lindsey, Oklahoma, and Andy Blankenship of Elk City; one sister, Mrs. Larnell Stark of Del City; and one brother, John C. Blankenship of Lindsey; 14 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild, Calvin Blankenship IV.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Blankenship; one grandson; two sisters; and two brothers.

## Mrs. Andrew Schilling dies

Mozelle Schilling, widow of Muenster native, Andrew (Moc) Schilling, died in Seymour on Dec. 3, 1990. She had been a resident of a rest home since 1982. Her husband died in 1987.

She is survived by one son, John Schilling of Abilene.

Attending the funeral at First Christian Church in Seymour Wednesday and the burial in Masonic Cemetery were Frank and Caroline Schilling, Virgilla Herr and Earl Koelzer, all of Muenster.

## Sales tax rebates show increase over last December

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said last Friday that his office sent checks totaling \$88 million to cities and counties across Texas that collect local sales taxes.

"This month's checks show a nice increase over last December's and that's a good indication of a healthy and growing state economy," Bullock said.

Sales tax rebates to Texas cities this month are up 9 percent over last December's figures and up 8 percent over last year's total payments at this time.

Cooke County cities received a total of \$88,252.36, which is a 2.46 percent decrease from the December 1989 total payments. Muenster's check for \$5,099.44 was a 31.96 percent drop. Gainesville's check also dropped 0.59 percent and was \$76,558.34.

Lindsay's check for \$2,899.77 was a 7.03 percent increase over last year. Other checks were Valley

View \$1,269.85, up 17.28 percent; and Oak Ridge \$2,424.96, up 11.27 percent.

Rebate checks to counties totaled almost \$9 million this month for an increase of 24 percent over last October's payments and a year-to-date increase of 19.5 percent. The sizeable increase is partly due to more counties collecting sales tax this year than did at this time last year, Bullock said. Cooke County received \$46,394.33.

This month's checks reflect taxes collected on October sales and reported in late November by businesses filing monthly returns.

Also included with this month's checks were quarterly payments totaling \$138 million for the state's six metropolitan transit authorities and one city transit department. The payments to MTAs reflect taxes collected in August, September and October.

# The TAX MAN COMETH

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**Rules:**

- You must use only ballots from **The Muenster Enterprise**. They may not be copied in any way.
- Each and every person in the community is eligible to cast their vote.
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# Lifestyle

## Haverkamp granddaughter marries



MRS. MICHAEL JAMES O'CONNOR  
...nee Dana Lynn Wickliffe...

Mr. and Mrs. Michael James O'Connor are at home in St. Louis, Mo. since returning from a wedding trip to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. They were married in a Nuptial Mass in Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church of Irving on Nov. 3. Father Jerry Duesman, pastor, was celebrant of the Mass and officiated for the double ring ceremony at 7:30 p.m.

The bride is the former Dana Lynn Wickliffe, daughter of Travis and Jeanette Wickliffe of Irving, and granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Haverkamp of Muenster and the late Al (Lee) Haverkamp. She is a graduate of Irving High School, attended Stephen F. Austin State University and graduated from the University of Houston. She is employed by Education Consulting Services of Irving.

The groom is the son of Gerald and Judy O'Connor of Arnold, Mo. He is a graduate of Fox Senior High School and the University of Missouri at Rolla. He is a Technical Services Manager, employed by Cupples Products in St. Louis.

Before an altar decorated with white gladioli, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She was wearing a white satin gown with portrait neckline, fitted bodice overlaid with lace, re-embroidered with pearls and sequins; bustle effect at the back waistline with a large satin bow, and a full train applied with lace designs. Her headpiece held a double pouf sprinkled with pearls, and a floor length veil.

She carried a bridal cascade of white Casablanca lilies, white dendrobium orchids, a dozen white roses, baby's breath, ivy and ribbon streamers.

For sentiment, she wore a strand of pearls borrowed from Joan Clary, a friend of the family.

### ATTENDANTS

The bride's sister, Lana Wickliffe of Irving, was her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Annette Bacon of Irving, a friend of the bride; Joan O'Connor of St. Louis, groom's sister; and Rhonda Wickliffe of Arlington, bride's sister. They wore identical dresses designed with black velvet bodice, portrait neckline cut to a deep V in back, iridescent blue taffeta skirt with a bow at the dropped waistline, and a high-low hemline.

The flower girl was Jacquie Bezner, daughter of Barbara and Skipper Bezner of Lindsay, bride's cousin. The ring bearer was Ryan Wickliffe, bride's nephew.

Charles Ruble of Arnold, Mo., a friend of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Wickliffe of Irving, bride's brother, Dave Conway and Steve Niewohner, both of Arnold, Mo., friends of the groom.

Wedding music included "Time In A Bottle," "The Rose," "When I Found You," "The Wedding Song" and "Ave Maria," sung by Heather Martin of Dallas.

Special Readings chosen by the bride and groom were given by Karla Haverkamp of San Antonio, bride's cousin; D'Arryl Wiesman of Tulsa, bride's cousin;

and Teri Thomason of Dallas, a friend of the family. Offertory gifts were presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Haverkamp, godparents of the bride.

### RECEPTION

A reception and catered dinner and dance followed in the Knights of Columbus Hall of Irving for 200 guests, hosted by parents of the bride.

Christine O'Connor, groom's sister, presided at the guest book.

The bride's table was covered with a white lace cloth, surrounded with a white lace skirt. It held gold candelabra and the bride's bouquet.

The traditional tiered wedding cake was made by the bride's great-aunt, Micki Spaeth. The chocolate groom's cake was decorated with yellow roses in the shape of the State of Texas. Cake servers were Brandi and Jennifer Bezner, cousins of the bride, and Jennifer Mercy and Shelly Hamilton, friends of the family.

Decorations in the reception area included blue and white helium-filled balloons with streamers and wedding balls. Tables were decorated with blue streamers and blue candles on white cloths.

Out of town guests came from Muenster, Whitesboro,

Gainesville, Tx., Tulsa, Okla. and Arnold, Mo.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at the Sheraton Hotel on Hwy. 114 for 40 guests. Several showers were given by friends of the bride.

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## Thanksgiving meal is hosted by FHA group

Written by Cindy Culp

The Muenster FHA members held their annual Thanksgiving meal on November 20. The meal took place during the lunch period.

Their menu included turkey and dressing, green bean casserole, fruit salad, tossed salad, relishes, cranberry sauce and rolls. The desserts included cherry cheesecake, pumpkin, apple and pecan pie. Tea and water were the drinks offered.

The tables were decorated with

white tablecloths. Candle turkeys were placed throughout the center of the tables with gold and orange streamers.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the meal. FHA leader, Mrs. Sturm, worked hard to put the fine meal together, along with the help of the homemaking students. She was pleased with the participation of nearly 80 people, which included all the teachers. Everything went great, and the meal was much appreciated.

## Telephone Co. hosts holiday party Dec. 8

Muenster Telephone Corporation treated their employees, spouses and guests to their annual Christmas party Saturday, Dec. 8. It was held in the Corporation's meeting room. The party began at 6 p.m. with a hospitality hour and a crowd-mixing game. The dinner, catered by The Center Restaurant, was served to 42. After the dinner President Alvin Fuhrman gave a short talk on things the company accomplished this year. He also talked on things the company will be doing in the coming year and future. Alvin then presented the following with their service award pins: Maurus Hacker for 20 years of service; John Monday and Jerry Yosten for 15 years of service; Larry Eldridge for 10 years of service; Steve Sandusky, Kyla Henscheid, Susan Flusche and Gary Johnson for 5 years of service. The group then played "Pass the Package" and other games for the rest of the evening.

### New Arrivals

### Woodall

Don and Judie (Felderhoff) Woodall of North Richland Hills, Tx. announced the birth of their first child. A son, Daniel Joseph, was born in North Hills Hospital in North Richland Hills on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 22, 1990, at 3:12 a.m., weighing 7 lbs. 15 1/2 ozs. and measuring 20 inches in length. Also welcoming the new baby are his grandparents Mrs. A.J. (Girle) Felderhoff of Gainesville and Bill and Iris Woodall of North Richland Hills. Great-grandparents are Albert and Catherine Kubis of Lindsay and Edra Sousae of North Richland Hills.

Girle Felderhoff spent several days visiting and helping welcome the new baby.

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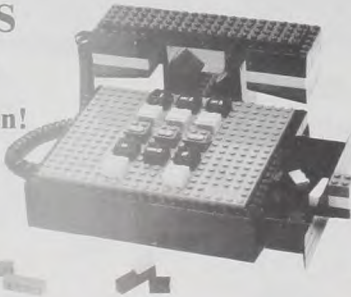
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## Nuptial vows exchanged in St. Mary's on Dec. 1



MRS. DARWIN JOHN SICKING  
...nee Juliane Kay Krahl...

The wedding of Juliane Kay Krahl of Gainesville and Darwin John Sicking of Sulphur, Okla. and formerly of Muenster, was held in St. Mary's Church of Gainesville on Dec. 1. The Nuptial Mass and double ring ceremony were celebrated by Father Nicholas Fuhrmann OSB, pastor, at 5:30 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of George and Virginia Krahl of Gainesville. She is a graduate of Gainesville High School and Cooke County College and is a Customer Service Manager employed by Wal-Mart. The groom is the son of Jerry and Evelyn Sicking of Muenster. He is a graduate of Muenster High School, Cooke County College, and East Texas State University. He is employed as an Assistant Manager at Wal-Mart.

The bride was presented at the altar by her father. For her wedding she chose a formal white satin gown from the Ginza Collection, designed with basque fitted bodice embellished with sequins and pearls, with silk illusion yoke edged with lace and drop pearls. Puffed sleeves of satin with accents of drop pearls were slim and sheer to the wrists, with lace appliques. The skirt was slipper length in front, completely encircled with lace, sweeping into a chapel train.

Her tulle veil, with blusher, was held by a crown of seed pearls.

Her bridal bouquet was a cascade of fresh white roses, feathered carnations and ivy with baby's breath. Her peridot rosary was entwined with her grandmother Lena Fleitman's lace handkerchief and tucked into the cascade.

Her only jewelry was a pair of opal earrings, gift from the groom.

### ATTENDANTS

Mrs. Jim (Susan) Fuller of Gainesville, close friend of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Diane Krahl and Kristy Krahl, both of Gainesville and both sisters of the bride, and Sherilyn Sicking of Muenster, sister of the groom.

Identically gowned, they were attired in tea-length dresses of royal blue satin with bow and peplum at the back waist. Bodices were lace-covered and sleeves were puffed. Their flowers were bouquets of pale yellow rosebuds and

white baby's breath tied with royal blue and yellow ribbon.

Brandi Sicking of Decatur, groom's niece was flower girl, wearing a dress similar to the bridesmaids, and carrying a lace basket of yellow and white rosebuds. Joshua Krahl of Whitesboro, bride's nephew, was ring bearer.

Michael Sicking of Decatur, groom's brother, was best man. Groomsmen were Patrick Krahl of Gainesville, bride's brother, Phillip Flusche of Decatur, groom's cousin, and Malcome Branch, friend of the groom. Ushers were Roger Krahl of Whitesboro, bride's brother, and Jimmy Oliver of Fairfield, bride's brother-in-law. The Mass server was Humberto Garcia-Gonzales.

The special wedding liturgy included Prayers of the Faithful by Kristy Krahl; First and Second Readings by Susan Fuller and Michael Sicking; presentation at the altar of Offertory gifts by the bride's sisters, Virginia Oliver of Fairfield and Susan Ramsey of Longview. Eucharistic Ministers were the groom's parents, Jerry and Evelyn Sicking, the bride's mother, Virginia Krahl and godparents of the bride, Elmo and Vicky Self.

The church altars were decorated with arrangements of pale yellow carnations and white gladioli, and lighted candles. White bows marked family pews.

The Unity candle, made by the bride, was decorated with pearls, satin bows and doves.

Wedding music included the traditional wedding marches and "The Rose," "Only A Shadow," and "Ave Maria" (at Mary's altar), by Mrs. Patsy Henry, organist and vocalist.

### RECEPTION

Parents of the couple hosted a reception immediately following, in St. Mary's Parish Hall, with dinner catered by the Hermes Sisters and dance music presented by Doug Martin's Band.

Presiding at the guest book were Karen Krahl, bride's sister-in-law, and Carla Sicking, groom's sister-in-law.

The bride's table was covered with lace over white, and held crystal candleholders and two white silk rose arrangements in crystal containers.

The four tiered all white wed-

ding cake, topped with ceramic figurines of a bridal couple, was made and cut by Mrs. Henry Spaeth. The double layer chocolate groom's cake was topped with a cluster of chocolate roses and double hearts made by the bride, and cut by Debra Krahl, bride's sister-in-law. A lighted candelabra belonging to the groom's mother graced the cake table. Cakes were served by nieces and nephews of the couple, namely David Oliver, Jennifer Krahl, Ann Oliver, Chris Ramsey, Robert Sicking, and Michael Krahl. Kelly Lamkin and Harriet Scoggins tended the snack table.

The registration table, covered with white lace over pale yellow, held an arrangement of blue, white and yellow flowers. The bridal portrait was placed on an easel and a framed counted cross stitch of a Marriage Prayer, made by the bride, was displayed.

Tables throughout held lighted candles and royal blue flowers tied with royal blues.

An after-dinner toast was offered by Michael Sicking, groom's brother.

Special guests attending were grandmothers of the couple Mrs. Lena Fleitman of Lindsay, Mrs. Elizabeth Krahl of St. Richard's Villa, Mrs. Regina Flusche of Decatur and Mrs. Eleanore Sicking of Myra. Numerous other guests from the area were registered along with friends and relatives from Longview, Saint Jo, Decatur, Windthorst, Jacksboro, Dallas, Fairfield, Leonard and Commerce, Texas and Lawton, Oklahoma.

The rehearsal dinner was held at The Center Restaurant in Muenster, hosted by the groom's parents for members of the bridal party and families. Gifts were presented to attendants. A miscellaneous shower was given by the bridesmaids at the home of Diane Krahl. Guests were close friends and relatives.

The couple will reside in Sulphur, Oklahoma.

## Families continue St. Nicholas observance

About 50 members of the Joseph Dangelmayr Sr. and Tony Felderhoff families observed the annual feast of St. Nicholas, on Dec. 10 in the home of Most Rev. Augustine Dangelmayr, continuing an unbroken tradition established by the pioneer Dangelmayrs: Joseph and Theresa.

Niece and great-niece, Ruth Felderhoff and Christy Hesse led appropriate music. The group sang familiar Christmas carols, some in German. Christy sang "Hail Mary" for the group.

Birthday greetings were sung to Bishop Dangelmayr in observance of his 92nd birthday on Dec. 11; also the Dec. 5 birthday of his sister, Bertha Fleitman. One of the special guests was Joe Dangelmayr, brother of the Bishop.

When St. Nick arrived, he presented a beautiful birthday cake to the Bishop. The decoration featured a picture of St. Nicholas.

He also read the children's Christmas letters and presented

everyone with a large bag of goodies. Family pictures with St. Nicholas were taken.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served to all present including Bishop Dangelmayr; Joe Dangelmayr; Bertha Fleitman; Sara, Don and Donna Lester of Gainesville; Mrs. A.J. Felderhoff of Gainesville; Mary, John and Joseph Fiala of Dallas; Steve, Donna, Brad, Kerri and Kelli Felderhoff of The Colony; Jessica and Kristin Zimmerman of Gainesville; Joan and Alvin Hartman; Monica and Jon LeBrasseur; Bobby, Sharlene, Shannon and Dainah Hartman; Kenny, Rhonda, Holly, Courtney and Nolan Hartman; Joe and Ruth Felderhoff; Christy, Bert and infant Joseph Leo Hesse; Anne

Felderhoff of Austin; Neil and David Hesse; Theresa Mae, Sylvan and Danny Walterscheid; Greg, Julie and Eric Walterscheid of Lewisville; Charles, Mary and Celia Felderhoff of Waco; and Eric Gray of Muenster.

## Deann celebrates tenth



DEANN FELDERHOFF

theme birthday cake designed by the Farmer's Kitchen. It depicted some of Deann's favorite pastimes such as listening to music, talking on the phone, and riding horses.

Attending the party were classmates Janet Fetsch, Amanda Mollenkopf, Debra Voth, Carrie Coker, Alison Bayer, Courtney Grewing, Amy Truebenbach; cousin Kayla Felderhoff; and a friend Stephanie Hess of Bridgeport.

Deann celebrated with her parents Ross and Janet Felderhoff and brother Jody on her actual birthday, Nov. 27.

On Nov. 29 she shared honors with her classmate Stephen Bartush, whose birthday is Nov. 3. Stephen's mother June Bartush and Deann's mother brought refreshments of cupcakes and punch to share with their fourth grade classmates at Sacred Heart School and their teacher Anna Hermes. The class sang "Happy Birthday."

## Red Cross Bloodmobile visits Muenster Dec. 6

A blood drive was sponsored in Muenster on Thursday, Dec. 6 by the American Red Cross - Red River Region. A total of 75 people signed up to donate, but two were deferred and 70 pints were usable.

Carol Grewing and Herbie Fisher were recognized as gallon donors and Butch Fisher completed his fifth gallon donation, according to Jean Walterscheid, blood drive chairman. There were seven first time donors.

Assisting Red Cross workers were Lanie Bartush, Della Hellman, and Linda Walterscheid, R.N.s and Florence Fisher and Frances Yosten, nursing assistants.

Other volunteers included Jean Walterscheid, Aileen Knabe, Connie Grewing, Sharon Felderhoff, Pam Dangelmayr, Janet Felderhoff, Frances Bayer, Dolores Miller, Ramona Felderhoff, Olivia Forgey, Brenda Rigby, Lisa Walterscheid, and Laurie Rohmer. Beta Kappa members supplied the orange juice and cookies.

The Red Cross was especially

pleased with the number of pints collected since the holidays bring an increase in accidents and a higher than normal demand for blood.

## Scouts learn tool safety

Den 4 Cub Scouts opened their meeting Monday, Dec. 3, with the Pledge of Allegiance. They reviewed the Cub Scout Promise, Law of the Pack, motto, salute, sign and handshake, all trying to assist Wade Van Hoozen in earning his Bobcat badge.

The boys named and showed how to use correctly several different hand tools. Safety precautions to follow when using power tools were explained and then each boy was given the opportunity to use the Dremel saw to cut out four Christmas ornaments.

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Bezner

## Baptism

Nicholas Andrew Bezner, infant son of Andy and Susie Bezner, was baptized in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay by Father Bart Landwermeyer, OSB, following the Sunday Mass on Dec. 2, 1990.

Baptismal sponsors are an aunt, Becky Felderhoff of Muenster, and an uncle, Dan Bezner of Lindsay. Nicholas wore a special hand-knitted white christening gown made by his maternal grand-

mother, Barbara Felderhoff. Under his gown, he wore the baptismal slip worn by his father at his baptism. Also worn by the infant was a special silver Immaculate Mary - Guardian Angel baby pin, gift from the maternal grandparents, Thomas and Barbara Felderhoff.

A christening dinner followed in the home of the paternal grandparents, Weldon and Rose Bezner. Attending with the hosts, grandparents, parents and godparents were the infant's big sister, Jessica; their great-grandmother, Augusta Walterscheid, as well as aunts, uncles and cousins including Tom, Becky, Emily, Danny and Diana Felderhoff; Billy, Kathy, Keri, Bradley, Chelsea and Jenna Felderhoff; John, Rose, Jaclynn and Darell Henschel; Darell, Sandra, Aaron and Kevin Walterscheid; Bruce and Jillian Bezner; Dan Bezner; Pat, Tammy and Sabrina Bezner.

Unable to attend was Theo Miller, great-grandfather.

## —Personal—

Jerry and Evelyn Sicking were the hosts for a rehearsal dinner held in honor of their son, Darwin John, and Juliane Krahl on Friday night, Nov. 30 at The Center Restaurant. There were 29 present for the dinner. Gifts were presented by the couple to their wedding attendants at this party.

Darwin and Juliane were married on Saturday, Dec. 1 in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Gainesville.

## County youth earn Gold Star Award

by Cassie Bullock  
Clifford Lutkenhaus and Sherilyn Sicking received the 4-H Gold Star Award at a banquet held in Fort Worth recently

The Gold Star Award is the highest county award in 4-H and may be awarded only one time to a recipient. To earn the award, 4-H'ers must demonstrate total

presented certificates to the award Co., was the banquet's guest speaker. The banquet was held at the Fort Worth Club.



SHERILYN SICKING



CLIFFORD LUTKENHAUS

honoring recipients in the North Central Texas District.


Representing Cooke County, Clifford Lutkenhaus was honored for 4-H work in beef, foods and nutrition, clothing and leadership; while Sherilyn Sicking received recognition for activities in leadership, recreation, foods and nutrition, and shooting sports.

Clifford is the son of Dennis and Carolyn Lutkenhaus and is a member of the Lindsay 4-H Club. Sherilyn is the daughter of Jerry and Evelyn Sicking of Muenster. Sherilyn is a member of the Muenster 4-H Club.

achievements, including leadership skills and contributions to county 4-H programs. Also, it is the only award given to 4-H'ers by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Four-H, the youth development phase of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, has almost 65,000 members in 700 clubs in the 18 counties of North Central Texas. In addition, more than 5,000 adult leaders and volunteers provide guidance in the district 4-H program.

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Fri. - NO SCHOOL!

### FORESTBURG MENU

December 17-20

Mon. - LUNCH: Fish, creamed potatoes, English peas, prunes, pickles, bread, chocolate cake, milk. BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.

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Wed. - LUNCH: Chili Pie, blackeyed peas, corn, applesauce, banana pudding, bread, milk. BREAKFAST: Pancakes, juice, milk.

Thur. - LUNCH: Sandwiches, pork and beans, baked apples, milk. BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk.

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JAM will meet Sunday, Dec. 16 at 4 p.m. in the home of Debbie and Clinton Endres.

JAM (Jesus Alive in Muenster) will celebrate the birthday of Jesus with a hayride, caroling and food! JAM will meet at the home at 4:00, then go caroling and meet again at the Endres home for hot dogs and snacks. Food and drinks will be provided, but everyone is asked to bring a dessert to share!

All high school and college students are invited, and encouraged to attend.

## Schedule of Meetings

### Diabetic Support Group

The Cooke County Diabetic Support Group will meet Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Conference Room. Dr. Les Schachar, Optometrist in Gainesville, will present the program.



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## Sacrament of Confirmation conferred on 36

by Barbara Fuhrmann D.R.E.  
Thirty-six young men and women received the sacrament of Confirmation at a special Mass at 7 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 9 at Sacred Heart Church. Those fully initiated into the Catholic Church, and their sponsors were: **Bernice Bartel** and sponsor Lorene Dudley; **Vickie Bayer** and sponsor Amy Bayer; **Kristi Bierschenk** and sponsor Betty Henscheid; **Amy Dankesreiter** and sponsor Dana Walterscheid; **Dyan Fisher** and sponsor Brenda Felderhoff; **Steven Fisher** and sponsor Willie Fisher; **Jason Frost** and sponsor Ryan Bayer; **Mark Flusche** and sponsor Linda Flusche; **Jami Flusche** and sponsor Missy Dangelmayr; **Charity Gilbreath** and sponsor Melissa Hinkle; **Mike Gobble** and sponsor Timothy Hellman; **Cheryl Hacker** and sponsor LuElla Fuhrmann; **Douglas Hennigan** with sponsor James Hennigan; **Shirley Henscheid** and sponsor Brenda Richey; **Charles Hermes** and spon-

sor Brian Klement; **Chris Hess**, **Gary Hess** and **Gregg Hess** with sponsor John Nasche as sponsor; **Dana Hess** with sponsor Dorothy Bengfort; **Julie Hess** with sponsor Kim Hess; **Rex Huchton** with sponsor Cecelia Haverkamp; **Leslie Klement** with sponsor Melody Rohmer; **Tina Klement** with sponsor Marilyn Sandmann; **Tonya Knabe** with sponsor Phyllis Dittfurth; **Chris Kubis** with Raymond Stewart; **Jennifer Lippe** with Ginie Fisher; **Ceremie Moser** with Karen Moser; **Cindy Schilling** with sponsor Virgilla Herr; **Lisa Schilling** with Laura Schilling; **Ryan Sicking** with sponsor Jim Endres; **Jennifer Walter** with sponsor Michelle Walter; **Sam Walterscheid** with Kathy Yosten; **Stephanie Wimmer** with sponsor Annette Anderle; **Misty Vogel** with sponsor Louise Fisher; **Mike Vogel** with sponsor Mary Lou Hess; and **Kelley Wimmer** with sponsor Margie Wimmer.

Bishop Joseph P. Delaney of Fort Worth conferred the sacrament and celebrated the Mass. Father Victor and Father Sebastian concelebrated. Singing for the Mass was led by Pam and Dave Fette, Eric Gray and Emily Klement. Ronnie and Tina Weinzapfel accompanied them with trumpets. The First Reading was done by Rex Huchton; the Second by Lisa

Schilling. Father Victor presented the candidates individually to the Bishop, saying that they had prepared by study, prayer, and service under the direction of their catechists Barbara Fuhrmann, Kenneth and Marilyn Bierschenk, Eric Gray, Roy Hartman, and John Nasche. In his homily, Bishop Delaney reminded the confirmandi that they were receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit in order to be witnesses to Jesus Christ by their words and example. After the homily, he led them in renewing their baptismal promises. Then he prayed over them for the gift of the Spirit. Presented individually by their sponsors, each was then anointed by the Bishop. The Mass continued with Jennifer Walter reading the Prayers of the Faithful and the presentation of the Gifts by Stephanie Wimmer, Kelley Wimmer, Leslie Klement, and Mark Flusche. Servers for the Mass included Kelly Bayer, Tommy Joe Dankesreiter, Michael Flusche, Royce Knabe, and Cody Sicking. Eucharistic ministers were Harold Flusche, Tara Walterscheid, Ryan Bayer, Mary and Claude Bayer. Ushers were Maurus Hacker,

Gilbert Kubis, Chris Walter, and Duwayne Schilling. A beautiful Holy Spirit banner was made for the occasion by Patti Bayer. A reception for the newly confirmed was held in the Sacred

Heart Community Center with the help of the social activities commission. The newly confirmed have been preparing since last February for the sacrament by attending

classes, making one day retreats given by NET (National Evangelization Team) and the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ, meeting with sponsors and doing service within the parish.



HEATHER WELLS  
*Heather turns four!*

A party honoring Heather Renee Wells, daughter of Ruth and Cal Wells of Bowie, was held on her birthday, Dec. 1 in the home of her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mildred Walterscheid. A hamburger supper, and a Cinderella cake with ice cream were served. The children enjoyed a pinata.

Helping Heather celebrate were her parents and her sister, Audra; her Grandma Mildred; Sara and Kelly Myers and Russell, Scott and Clay; Damian, Margie and Toby Walterscheid; Rae Ann, Jacob and Rachelle Walterscheid. Sending good wishes were Joe and Mark Walterscheid. Heather's uncle, Tim Walterscheid, called from California to visit with the honoree and the family.

### Steadham completes training

Army National Guard Private Susan A. Steadham has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

She is the daughter of Roger C. Steadham of Rural Route 1, Forestburg, and the granddaughter of Pauline K. Steadham of 3049 Pecos St., Fort Worth. The private is a 1990 graduate of Forestburg High School.



JEANIE HESS  
**Jeanie Hess named Mgr. at Zales**

Jeanie Hess has been named manager at Zales Jewelers in the Shopping Center of Gainesville. The official start of her management began on Nov. 1, 1990. She has been with the company for five years, beginning in 1985, and served as an assistant manager for the past two years.

Prior to her employment with Zales, she worked for an independent jeweler in Gainesville for five years. Zales is the world's largest retail jewelers with some 24,000 stores. The company is based in Irving, and is owned by People's Jewelers of Canada. This month, December, 1990, Zales is opening its first store in Japan.

Jeanie Hess is the wife of Glenn Hess. They have one son, Shawn. She is the daughter of Mickey and Bernard Haverkamp and a graduate of Muenster High School.

She became manager of Zales in Gainesville in November when the former manager was transferred to Sherman.

### Three pledge to Beta Kappa in ceremony

Beta Kappa welcomed three new members after Christy Hesse, Brenda Riggsby and Connie Grewing pledged their intentions at a special candlelight ceremony during the Nov. 12 meeting. President Sharon Felderhoff conducted the pledge ceremony.

Jean Walterscheid, service chairman, announced the date of the next blood drive and assigned workers for the various jobs. A discussion was held on the two proposed dates for next year's drives.

Plans were made for the annual Beta Kappa couples' Christmas party. Pam Fette, social chairman, will host the party in her home. Members who wish to participate in the cookie exchange should bring three dozen cookies. Each member is asked to bring canned goods for a Food Basket donation.

Debbie Hess will obtain a family from the Littlest Angel Program. Brenda Riggsby and Janet Felderhoff volunteered to shop for the adopted angels.

The Educational, given by Jean Walterscheid, was a book entitled **Arbor Day**, by Diane L. Burns.

Lora Hennigan hosted the meeting in her home. The next meeting will be held during the Christmas party.

### Correction noted on John Herr's address

In last week's *Enterprise*, Pfc. John Herr's address was incorrectly printed. The correct mailing address is: Pfc. John R. Herr, 453-25-4069, Aco 3/41 INF 2AD, APO, NY, NY 09371-0010.

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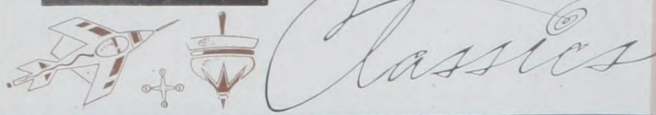
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## Tigers get another win!

Sacred Heart Tigers hosted Wichita Rider tenth grade basketball squad Tuesday night, winning 44-37, to improve their season record to 3-5. Rider is a Class 5A school. "It's good to win again after a winless season last year, every win is fun," said Coach John Nasche.

Jason Beyer led the Tigers with 14 points, with Stevan Nasche adding 12. Dangelmayr, Endres, Bedowitz and Frost also scored for Sacred Heart. The Tigers were ahead by as much as 19 points with Rider closing the gap to 3 several times. "Everyone got to

play a good all-around game," commented Nasche. "I was pleased with our defense, the 2-2-1-press worked real well." Nasche also noted Shawn Dangelmayr and Joe Bedowitz for playing fine defense and saw progress in Jason Frost, Gary Hess and Chris Hess. Nasche believes the Tigers are coming together as a team, but still need improvement from the free throw line and from the bench.

Next action for the Tigers will be Saturday at Valley View. The game was originally scheduled for Friday.

## Tigerettes win over Oakridge in Tiger Den

On Tuesday evening in the Tiger Den the Tigerettes rolled to a 55-42 win over Oakridge. "We can look so good and then a minute later we look so bad," said Coach LeBrasseur. "We have many problems that we must clear up come February or we will be running track early! We are making the same mistakes that we made in the first week of practice."

Sharon Fuhrmann scored 9 first period points and the Tigerettes defense "looked like the old style the Tigerettes are famous for." "We were moving in the first half and we had a great team effort in the first half," said LeBrasseur. "In the second half we showed why we have so many losses."

"Our defensive schemes are based on team concept, and if we play it without a total team commitment we struggle," commented the coach. The Tigerettes were outscored in the second half 25-20 by the Lady Owls of Oakridge. "Good defense is played without fouling and in the second half we were flat. In the next couple of weeks I look forward to the Tigerettes' improvements!"

Sharon Fuhrmann led the Tigerettes with a season high of 19. J.J. Dowd hit for 9, Deann Bayer scored 8, Shirley Henscheid and Vickie Bayer each scored 6, Jennifer Walter added 5 and April Truelsen scored 2.

## SH Tigerettes compete in Prosper Tournament

The past week witnessed both sides of the Tigerettes' basketball season. The Tigerettes played in the Prosper tournament over the weekend and dropped their first game of the tournament to champion, Prosper, 45-54, won their second round game 69-29 over Liberty Christian and dropped the consolation game to First Baptist 39-71.

In tournament action, the Lady Eagles of Prosper came out hot to a tune of 16-6 in the first period. The Tigerettes dropped behind by as many as 16 but could never get closer than eight. J.J. Dowd led the Tigerettes with 24, Sharon Fuhrmann hit for 11, Shirley Henscheid 7, Jennifer Walter 2 and Robin Greathouse 1.

In second round action with Liberty Christian, ten first period points by J.J. Dowd propelled the Tigerettes to an 18-6 first period lead. In the second frame the Tigerettes used a balanced attack for 27 points in the period while holding the Denton squad to 10. With the 45-16 lead at the half the Tigerettes coasted home with the win. Senior's Dowd and Fuhrmann again led the Tigerettes with 22 and 10 respectively. Deann Bayer and Shirley Henscheid each hit for 8, April Truelsen scored 6, Julie Felderhoff 5, Jennifer Walter 4, Angie Hofbauer, Christy Yosten and Mandy Barnhill each scored 2.

In the final tournament game with First Baptist the Tigerettes were ahead 26-16 with 3:00 left in

the half, but a Shirley Henscheid free throw is all the Tigerettes could get while First Baptist ace Jaquita Deaton proved why she is the leading scorer in Dallas, hitting 14 of the Lady Saints' 20 point run. "We just are not hitting on all cylinders yet," said LeBrasseur. In the third period the Tigerettes had chances to get back in the game but misfired on five consecutive one-on-one charity tosses. The Tigerettes scored one field goal in the final half in the biggest loss in years.

Dowd again led the Tigerettes with 10. Truelsen was the lone bright spot for the Tigerettes as she scored 8 and led the Tigerettes in rebounds. Fuhrmann scored 8, with Henscheid, Bayer, Barnhill and Walter each scoring.

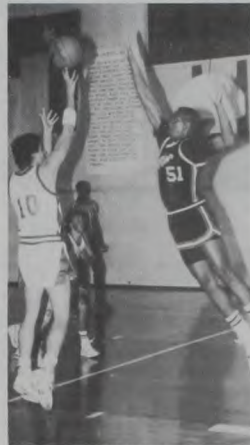
## Game changes

The Sacred Heart-Valley View basketball games have been rescheduled for Saturday at Valley View. The JV boys will tip-off at 2:00 followed by the Tigerettes and Lady Eagles at 3:30 and the Tigers and Eagles at 5:00.

The Sacred Heart-Saint Jo games scheduled for December 21 have been moved to December 20 to accommodate travelers for the holidays. Game times are the JV boys at 5:00 p.m. followed by the Tigerettes and the Tigers.



TIGERS' DEFENSE moves in on a Wichita Falls Rider ball handler, including Jason Endres (14), Stevan Nasche (22) and Jason Beyer (40).



SHAWN DANGELMAYR shoots over a Rider guard for 2 points.



A WF RIDER SHOOTER collides with an unidentified Sacred Heart defender. Ready to rebound is Jason Beyer (40).

## JV Tigerettes get 1st win

The Sacred Heart ninth grade team participated in the Forestburg varsity tournament over the weekend and gained valuable experience. In the first round the Tigerettes dropped a 49-13 game to Saint Jo and in the second round the Poolville squad eliminated the Tigerettes 44-16. "The scores do not indicate the progress the freshmen made," said LeBrasseur. Deanna Hess led the Tigerette scorers as she netted 16 for the two days.

On Tuesday evening in the Tiger Den the Sacred Heart JV scored its first win of the season with a 48-23 blasting of Oakridge. An 18-point second period pushed the Tigerettes into the locker room at intermission with a 27-7 lead. All squad members scored led by Julie Felderhoff's 10, Deanna Hess hit for 9, Mandy Barnhill 8, Kelly Dangelmayr 6, Christy Yosten 5, Erica Schilling 4, Jennie Endres and Donnetta Hess 3 each.

## Cubs come close

Sacred Heart's junior high Cubs traveled to Prairie Valley Monday and were handed a 35-38 loss. "It was disappointing that we lost," said Coach John Nasche. "We were pretty evenly matched, but home court advantage helped our host."

Jason Hess was high scorer with 18 points. "Jason played his best game of the year, he's coming on strong and drew a lot of double coverages," said Nasche.

Trent Truelsen scored 16 points, but got in foul trouble.

"Joseph McCoy came off the bench and did a real fine job taking over for Trent," commented the coach. Jake McCoy also scored 6 points with John Klement adding 5. Nasche also stated on the good game played by Brandon Bayer and Scot Poole. The Cubs shot 13 of 24 from the free throw line. "We're improving on that just great," Nasche concluded.

Sacred Heart will host Terrell next Monday. Junior high action will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Tiger Den.

## Lady Cubs down 'Dogs

Sacred Heart's Lady Cubs upped their season record to 4-1 and moved into solo possession of second place in the NTJHC with an impressive 30-19 win over the Prairie Valley Bulldogs. With the win the Tigerettes move within one game of the Lady Eagles of Montague.

Stephanie Grewing netted 12 points and handled the Bulldog press. Behind six first period points by Grewing and 4 by Kerri Endres and a deuce by Tiffany Fisher the Lady Cubs jumped out to a 12-4 first period lead and never looked back. A 5-2 second period advantage lifted the Lady Cub lead to 17-6 at the intermission.

Things picked up after the half as both teams made adjustments but it was the Lady Cub press that kept the Lady Cubs in the lead after three, 26-13. Kerri Endres keyed the Lady Cub press with numerous steals. "This is by far one of the best performances of a Sacred Heart junior high team in many years," said Coach Jon. "Tonight's effort lifted the expectation level immensely."

Solid play from Jennifer Fuhrmann, Sarina Fuhrmann, Kristen Fleitman, and Nicole Endres kept the Prairie Valley team at bay during the fourth period. Stephanie Grewing led the Lady Cubs with 12; Tiffany Fisher hit

for 9; Kerri Endres 5 and Sarina Fuhrmann 4. They Lady Cubs will host Terrell Monday evening at 6:00 in their last game before the holidays.

## Tigers fall in tourney

Sacred Heart Tigers participated in the Forestburg tournament last weekend, falling to Saint Jo and Poolville.

The Tigers opened their competition with Saint Jo Thursday, playing at the Panthers' gym. "Home court advantage hurt us," said Coach John Nasche, "and 7 of 15 from the free throw line must improve to win in this area." Nasche said that Saint Jo made two more free shots than the Tigers. "That goes to show just how important they really are."

The loss was a tough one for Sacred Heart. The game was tied 44-44 with 14 seconds to go, with the Tigers in possession of the ball. A traveling call gave the ball back to the Panthers, who made a shot right before the buzzer to take a 44-46 win.

Nasche believes the team, as a whole, is improving and sees progress in everyone. Shawn Dangelmayr was leading scorer with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Stevan Nasche added 11 points. "Jason Beyer is improving with each game, no telling how good he can be," said Nasche. "And we got a good performance from Mark Flusche off the bench, scoring 5 points in the final period." Jason Endres and Beyer also scored for Sacred Heart.

Neely led Saint Jo with 11 points.

Friday's tournament game matched the Tigers with Poolville, losing 49-78. The score doesn't reflect the game; Sacred Heart was behind by 8 points at the half. "We didn't slack up," said the Tiger coach, "Their team just played unbelievable." Poolville shot above 80 percent from the field the second half, earning 48 points to the Tigers' 27.

"Everything they threw up went in," commented Nasche.

Three Tigers had 12 points each: Shawn Dangelmayr, Stevan Nasche and Jason Endres. Jason Beyer added 9 points with Joe Bedowitz and Jason Frost also scoring.

The second loss took Sacred Heart out of the tournament.

## Walterscheid plays for SMU

Vicki Walterscheid, Lady Mustang forward playing for Southern Methodist University in Dallas, after spending a year each at Grayson Junior College and Sam Houston State University, holds the post position for the SMU women's basketball team. She is a junior student, and a business major and will decide on studying marketing or management information sciences. Vicki carries 16 hours of college credit per semester; and daily practices take up two and a half hours of actual clock time.

Her coach said: "She is so fast and so mobile that we think she is a great asset to the team." Vicki said she thinks that the Lady Mustangs' strongest point is their team unity. Her teammates say she has set a great example by her hard work, offensively and defensively. In a game last week against UTA in Moody Coliseum Vicki Walterscheid made 22 points, snatched 8 rebounds, and made two blocks.

She is a graduate of Sacred Heart High school and the daughter of Peggy and Raymond Walterscheid.

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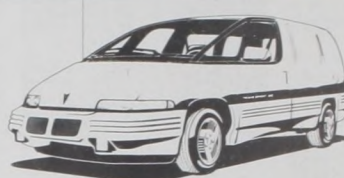
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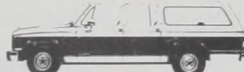
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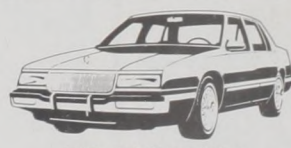
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## Muenster hosts teams

Action in the Hornets Hive Tuesday night started with the Muenster JV girls losing 35-22 to Alvord. "The girls weren't mentally prepared," said Coach Brian Strother. "We dug ourselves a hole too deep to come back from. They played hard the second half. This shows their character to come back."

Tonya Knabe scored 12 points the final quarter in a comeback attempt; she was leading scorer. Others making points included Kim Stewart, Cheryl Hacker, Chelby Schoppa, Joy Tisdale and Julie Hess.

The varsity girls earned their fourth straight victory with a 51-31 win over the Lady Bulldogs. "The girls ran the game plan to perfection, our defense was stingy, our offense was clicking, the press gave them fits, the fast break was excellent and we were hitting our shots," said Strother. Muenster was 13 for 15 from the free throw line.

After an 11-6 and 13-6 score the first quarter, the Lady Hornets went into the second half with a 24-12 lead. Muenster outscored Alvord 23-19 the second half to

clinch the win. Nine of the 11 players scored, led by DaLana Walterscheid with 15. Brandy Debnam added 12. "We just shredded Alvord's defense with team ball in our passing game," concluded the coach.

The Hornets concluded the evening with a 60-44 loss to Chico. "We were not mentally prepared for the game. We dug a deep hole, 23-5," said Hornet Coach Strother. "We fought back hard, but the breaks were not in our favor." Muenster shot 40 percent from the field and had 30 turnovers. Chico took a 29-17 halftime lead, but Muenster came back the second half and cut the lead to 8. "Chico always had an answer back for us; we'll learn from our mistakes," concluded the coach.

Steve Fisher was high scorer with 19 points with Terry Felderhoff leading the rebounding with 9.

Also scoring were Brad McDaniel, Rajko Jelen, Terry Felderhoff, Bryan Reiter, Justin Ramsey, Doug Hennigan and Kody Truebenbach.



## Hornets see first roundball action

Muenster's first varsity boys' basketball game last week Tuesday saw the Hornets fall 72-76 to Forestburg in overtime. "The game was exciting every second," said Hornet Coach Brian Strother. "They played great for only three hours of practice." Muenster shot 53 percent from the field and 45 percent on the charity stripe.

Muenster's many turnovers hurt, starting slow and constantly fouling. They were down 24-12 ending the first period. "We quit fouling the second period, played good defense and outscored them 29-7," said Strother. The Longhorns caught during the third period, finishing with a 55-54 quarter score. "Forestburg is a scrappy team, and fought back," said Strother. "We missed free throws in the clutch and missed a shot at the buzzer to go into overtime."

Turnovers hurt the Hornets, who were outscored 8-4 in extend-

ed play to lose the match 76-72. "The guys played better than expected. We will take care of the ball better and hit our freethrows as the season goes along," concluded the Hornet coach.

Nine Hornets scored with Steven Fisher leading with 14 points. Troy Pagel added 11, Rajko Jelen 9 and Bryan Reiter 7. Brad McDaniel, Kody Truebenbach, Doug Hennigan and Terry Felderhoff scored 6 points each, while Mike Gobble assisted with 5. Felderhoff was leading rebounder with 16.

The Hornets won their game with Forestburg 56-38. "All the girls played well. We started off well and continued good shooting through the half," said Coach Strother. Muenster took 11-4 and 35-16 quarter leads the first half. "We blew the game wide open with our full court press the se-

cond quarter," commented the coach. "It was nice to play at home where we are 3-0." The third quarter was slow, with Muenster playing good defense. Thirteen of the 14 Lady Hornets scored with Kim Anderle leading with 13 points. Melissa Bayer and DaLana Walterscheid added 8 apiece, with Theresa Kubis chipping in 7 points.

Also scoring were Brandy Debnam, Danelle Reiter, Marcia Vogel, Dianne Pagel, Candice Abney, Jami Flusche, Mindy Graham, Leslie Klement and Amy Otto.

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**STEVEN FISHER NABS** a rebound in action with Chico.  
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## Jr. High plays 4 at Saint Jo

Muenster's junior high A and B basketball teams played Saint Jo Monday night with Muenster winning three of four games.

The 'B' teams played two short halves instead of quarters. The Muenster girls won their contest 6-2 with Misty Klement scoring 4 and Carrie Hess 2. The boys outscored the young Panthers 18-6 with Darrell Charles popping in 10 for Muenster. James Klement and Justin Camp added 4 apiece.

The 'A' team young Hornets fell behind 6-4 and 17-7 the first quarters. Muenster came back the third period. Scoring 12 points to Saint Jo's 7, they tied the game 19-19. The final quarter saw Sabrina Truebenbach scoring Muenster's only points, 4 to the

Cubs' 7, to be handed a 26-23 loss.

Truebenbach was high scorer with 9 points. Andrea Schoppa added 5, Jill Reiter 4, Laura Vogel 3, and Ashley Hartman 2 to round out Muenster's score.

The 'A' boys had a come-from-behind win over Saint Jo. After falling behind 10-4 in the first quarter, Muenster closed the gap to 16-12 at intermission. The young Hornets fell again the third period, scoring only 3 points, but came back strong the final quarter, scoring 14 points to Saint Jo's 2, taking a 29-26 victory.

Cory Cain led his team with 11 points, assisted by Cody Sicking with 7, Jeff Walterscheid 6, Jason Huchton 4, and Scot Debnam adding 1.

## MHS Exes benefit basketball game scheduled for Dec. 26

Muenster High School exes will battle Sacred Heart High School exes in three basketball games set for Wednesday, Dec. 26 in the Sacred Heart gym.

The first game, featuring the women exes, will begin at 6:00 p.m. A second game, featuring the men exes 30 years of age and older, will begin at 7:00 p.m. The third game will feature the youngest exes, under 30 years of

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## Excalibur participates in tourney

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The girls won both Saturday games 3-0 and 2-0. They were at a disadvantage Sunday, being outclassed in their first game, and losing 3-0. Miserable weather conditions helped with their second loss, 3-0. Nevertheless, the girls had a blast playing in their first tournament and were very pleased with their third place finish.

Girls playing on the Excalibur team are Tonya Knabe, Tonya Ortega, Misty Knabe, Shannon Waterhouse, Stephanie Grewing, Carla Burks, Tiffany Fisher, Brandi Ortega, Julie Felderhoff, Marie Buckley and Francesca ?.

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**TERRY FELDERHOFF** clears the board with a rebound. Kody Truebenbach is also pictured in Tuesday's game with Chico.



**BRAD MCDANIEL** attempts to block a Chico shot. Also pictured is Doug Hennigan. Janie Hartman Photo

## Hornets looking good

Muenster hosted the Bellevue roundballers last Friday, with the junior varsity boys starting the evening with a 74-48 win. "We fast broke them up and down the court," said Muenster Coach Brian Strother. "The guys played real well together and had a good time." Muenster took 23-9 and 40-21 quarter scores the first half, extending their lead to 58-32 going into the final period.

Ten of the eleven players scored with Mike Hacker and Darren Bindel leading with 16 points apiece. Ryan Haverkamp and Brian Knabe each added 8 with Jay Hennigan and A.J. Knabe scoring 6 each. Harvey Hubbard, Rodney Vogel and Scot Huspeth hit 4 points each with Eric Van Swearingen sinking two.

The Lady Hornets were next, handing the Bellevue girls a 53-44 loss. Muenster started slow with a 12-12 first quarter score and a 5 point halftime lead.

"Brandy (Debnam), Kim (Anderle), and DaLana (Walterscheid) were scoring along with stealing the ball off the press," Strother said. "The bench was ready to play and scored points with the defense all over the court." Muenster took a 10-point lead going into the final quarter.

"Our defense was razor sharp, not allowing a bucket scored for four minutes," commented Strother. The Hornets improved their record 7-3.

The leading scorer was DaLana Walterscheid with 10 points. Melissa Bayer, Amy Otto and Brandy Debnam each added 8 points. Also scoring for Muenster were Dianne Pagel, Danelle Reiter, Kim Anderle, Marcia Vogel and Leslie Klement.

The Hornets improved their 1-2, behind the scoring of Brad McDaniel with 12 points, Troy Pagel 15 and Kody Truebenbach adding 12 off the bench. McDaniel and Pagel had 15 rebounds apiece.

"The Muenster offense is rolling, we started off hot and kept rolling through the game," commented Strother. "We were fast breaking and passing for lay-ups. The bench was deep and came off ready." Muenster took a 22-14 first quarter lead and 34-27 going into the lockerroom at halftime.

"Our bench wore them out," said the coach. "The rust is wearing off fast; we didn't foul, took care of the ball and hit our free throws." All ten team members played and scored.



**MELISSA BAYER** and DaLana Walterscheid struggle for a loose ball in Tuesday's win over Alvord.  
**KIM ANDERLE** and Dianne Pagel put pressure on an Alvord ball carrier. Janie Hartman Photo

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## Lindsay finishes first, second in Forestburg Tournament

Lindsay's Lady Knights took home the championship trophy from the Forestburg Tournament last weekend with wins of Poolville, Saint Jo and Era.

Gretchen Hoenig was awarded the tournament's most valuable player with Kristi Krebs being chosen to the All-Tournament Team.

Action started Thursday evening with a commanding 69-34 win over Poolville. The Knightettes took a 20-11 first quarter lead, outscoring Poolville 16-7 the second quarter for a 36-18 halftime score. Lindsay outscored their opponents 33-15 the second half for their first tournament win.

Gretchen Hoenig was high scorer with 20 points, followed by Cassandra Fuhrmann's 14. Melanie Anderson and Jessica Fuhrmann added 12 and 11 points.

Kristi Krebs, Laura Lutkenhaus and Debbie Fangmann also scored. In second round action, the Knightettes demolished Saint Jo 76-23. After a 32-2 first quarter scoring, Lindsay slowed down to a 40-10 halftime score. The Lady Knights earned 36 points to the Pantherettes' 13 the second half of the tournament win.

Lindsay played every one on the bench with 9 scoring. Kristi Krebs and Gretchen Hoenig led their team with 15 points each. Melanie Anderson shot 13 and Jessica Fuhrmann 12 to add to the final score. Gater, Chappell and Batell each scored 4 points for the Lady Panthers.

In the championship game on Saturday night, Lindsay outscored Era 57-38 for first place. Kristi Krebs was high scorer with 11 points, while Melanie Anderson added 10.

Lindsay took a 4-point lead the first quarter, with a 23-17 score going into the locker at halftime. A scoring spree earned 27 points for the Knightettes the third period, while holding the Lady Hornets to 13. A low scoring final quarter allowed Lindsay to stay in front for a championship victory.

Knabe was high scorer for Era with 11 points, with Baxter and Matthews adding 8 each.

The Knights settled for second place, losing the championship to Era after defeating Poolville and Saint Jo in earlier matches. John Krebs and Scott Hermes earned places on the All-Tournament Team.

Action started Thursday with a 77-59 win over Poolville. Lindsay outscored their opponents 19-8, 25-13 the first half quarters for a 44-21 midway lead. The second half saw the Knights holding on to their lead, scoring 33 points to Poolville's 38.

High scorer for Lindsay was

John Krebs with 25 points. Kenny Fleitman and Scott Hermes added 15 and 14 points.

Friday's game matched the Knights with Saint Jo. Scott Hermes led the team with 26 points, Kenny Fleitman shot 22 and Ronnie Dieter 11.

The Panthers took a 13-12 first quarter lead, but fell to the Knights 35-23 at the half. Lindsay outscored Saint Jo 24-8 and 29-17 the second half to take a commanding 88-49 win.

## Lindsay wins one of three against Ponder

Lindsay lost two of three games to the tough Ponder teams Tuesday night at Lindsay.

Action started with the Junior Varsity boys taking a 50-43 loss from the Ponder team. The Young Knights were behind 11-10 the first quarter, but came out ahead 21-17 at intermission. Lindsay remained ahead going into the final quarter, where their shooting went cold, hitting only 4 points to Ponder's 16 for the loss. "Things didn't work well for us," said Coach George Thomason. "We fouled the fourth and they made the freeshots."

Wylie Harris was high scorer with 16 buckets. John Hoenig, Jeremy Owen, Joe Coke and Jeff Pearsons added 6 points each. The Knightettes were handed their second season loss to Ponder in a close 57-53 game. "We played Ponder earlier in the year with the same margin," said the Lindsay coach. "The girls are starting to play consistently on offense." Gretchen Hoenig led the team, hitting 20 baskets. Kristi Krebs added

15. After a 13-13 tied opening quarter, Ponder pulled out to a 34-28 halftime lead. The visitors kept their lead going into the final period. Lindsay's 15-9 fourth quarter score was a little short to pullout a win.

The Knights finished the night with a 59-58 win. "It went right down to the wire," said Thomason. "We made up for the loss earlier in the year."

Lindsay had a 30-27 halftime lead, gaining a point the third quarter for a 45-41 score entering the final period. Ponder came back, outscoring the Knights 17-14, 2 points short of taking the lead.

Scott Hermes and Kenny Fleitman were lead scorers with 16 and 15 points. Others adding points were Ronnie Dieter, John Krebs, Corey Sandmann and Chris Hanks.

Lindsay will host Slidell Friday, Dec. 14, for "another good game."

## Squires lose to Slidell

Lindsay's Junior High roundballers journeyed to Slidell Monday night and returned winless after two close contests with the Greyhounds.

The Lindsay girls took an early 10-6 lead, but fell behind in the second period 13-2 for a 19-12 halftime score. "We let them have the second quarter," stated Coach George Thomason. "We still have a lot of work, but are getting better."

Lindsay outscored their host 11-8 the second half, but couldn't catch up. High scorers were Alison Walterscheid, Keleigh O'Dell and Stephanie Sandmann.

The Squires, led by Will Thomason's 21 points, fell 39-38

to Slidell. "It was a tough game, we fell behind early," said the Lindsay coach. "They had a big post boy that gave us a tough time." Slidell took the first quarter 14-6, with Lindsay closing in 21-16 at halftime. The young Knights closed its 3 points starting the fourth quarter, taking the lead with 30 seconds remaining in the game. Slidell went ahead 1 point with 10 seconds. Lindsay got fouled with 2 seconds on the clock, in a one-on-one situation, but missed.

Other Lindsay members scoring were George Lutkenhaus, Greg Arendt, Kyle Sandmann and Tanner Diehart.



AIRCRAFT from Fort Hood lands at Turtle Hill with test pilot and mechanics to assist with repairs on UH-60 Blackhawk from Fort Riley, Kansas. Janie Hartman Photo



CW2 JEFF TOPE checks for trouble on the Army helicopter that made a precautionary landing north of town. Janie Hartman Photo



WO1 BRENDA M. HELLERMAN, helicopter co-pilot, helps Sgt. James Lockhart close out flight records. Janie Hartman Photo

## ARMY

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"seasoned soldiers" in the military.

In Saudi Arabia the UH-60 Blackhawk's mission would probably be air assault or to resupply things like ammunition, parts, food, and to sling-load artillery. It can also be used as a medivac instead of the Huey since it is faster with an airspeed of 193 knots (over 200 MPH).

The aircraft can hold 14 passengers with the regular seats of 22 seated on the floor. It can carry 20,250 lbs., has a cargo hook that will hold 8,000 lbs., and a rescue hoist which will hold 600 lbs.

The addition of Triple SE Windpods will equip it with weapons. When fuel pods are added, the aircraft can travel 1,300 miles without refueling. Totally equipped, the UH-60 Blackhawk is valued at around \$6 million dollars.

At 10:40 a.m. Thursday another helicopter arrived from Fort Hood. It carried test pilots and mechanics. The disabled aircraft was repaired and the maintenance craft left Muenster at 3:30 p.m. By 4 p.m., the other two helicopters were on their way again to the coast. This time they were possibly facing another delay because they weren't supposed to fly in the rain and might have to lay over at Carswell Air Force Base.

"I'm glad that they got down safely without crashing," said Jerry Reed. "They are a nice bunch of people...fun to have around. They enjoyed being out in the country. One guy said he'd like to move here. They said they met some real nice people in Muenster and enjoyed the little time they stayed here."

While American citizens are enjoying the holidays and being glad that the hostages are out of Iraqi hands, it would be only right to remember the troops who are in the Middle East and their families whose lives have been disrupted by the uncertainty of the future.



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## Pioneer Valley receives dam supervision

by Elaine Schad

Cooke County commissioners this week signed a quit claim deed on the Pioneer Valley dam in southeastern Cooke County, turning over supervision of the dam to the Pioneer Valley Association.

Ownership of the dam has been disputed for more than a decade, with none of three governmental agencies wanting to accept total authority for the soil conservation dam, built in the 1950s.

The dispute reached a high point last spring when about 100 homes and lots in the Pioneer Valley community were flooded. Residents claimed the flooding was caused by the backup water from Ray Roberts Lake, a federal lake under authority of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

In a precedent-setting move by the federal government, the soil conservation service was given permission in September to decommission and relinquish responsibilities over the Pioneer Valley dam. Both Cooke County, which had an agreement with the conservation service to maintain the dam, and the soil conservation service have agreed to relinquish ownership to the association, officials said.

Now that they own the dam, association members hope to pursue a plan to lower the Pioneer Valley lake's emergency spillway by 8 feet to reduce flooding.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Approved the budget of the Cooke County Appraisal District for fiscal 1991.
- Appointed Dr. James Cole as Cooke County Medical Health Authority.
- Appointed Sheriff John Aston as local rabies health authority.

Valley View law enforcement officials have reported four cases of rabid skunks in that area over the last month.

Appointed Commissioners Danny Knight and Jerry Lewis as speakers for the Leadership Gainesville Program.

-Approved bonds for the constable of Precinct 1, the county clerk, the sheriff's department and for the justice of the peace, precinct 1, place 2.



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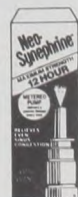
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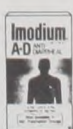
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## Scientists are sniffing out onions to fight cancer

by Kathleen Davis,  
Texas Ag. Extension Service  
Texas scientists in search of ways to prevent cancer are sniffing out onions.

Consumption of the onion and its relatives such as garlic, chives and scallions, have been linked to a lower risk of certain types of cancer, both in studies of human populations and laboratory mice.

So a horticulturist and a medical researcher are joining crop and clinic, pioneering studies that could yield "designer" onion varieties for the health-conscious.

"Onions contain sulphur, which has been shown to inhibit certain types of cancer," said Dr. Leonard Pike, a horticulturist at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in College Station. "Researchers have identified the sulphur compounds in garlic but not in the onion. We believe that since garlic and onion are in the same family, the same compounds will be there."

If so, Pike explained, an onion will be easier to breed for the trait because onions have flowers, the reproductive part of a plant, and garlic does not. Pike hopes that the anti-cancer compound can be bred into the 1015 (ten-fifteen) onion, a sweet, almost tearless variety he developed years ago.

The National Cancer Institute, meanwhile, has documented the connection between onion consumption and reduced incidence of stomach cancer. Investigations in

northeastern China and Italy showed that people who ate more onions, garlic, chives and scallions lowered the risk for stomach cancer.

Among cancer cases in the United States, stomach cancer is one of the least frequently occurring. In fact, reported cases of stomach cancer have been declining since 1930. Nevertheless, the American Cancer Society estimates there will be 13,900 U.S. cases and 8,300 deaths from stomach cancer this year.

The aggravating pungency of onions may hold the clue to some cancer prevention, however. Sulphur is the culprit in onions that cause tears and lingering odors, Pike said. When a pungent onion is sliced or bitten, the sulphur vaporizes and floats up, irritating the eyes.

The study will begin by finding out which sulphur compounds are present and estimates that the sulphur compounds will be identified within six months.

"Once we zero in on the compounds that are giving the benefits, we can analyze which ones need to be incorporated into commercial onion varieties," Pike said.

Although research is moving toward developing common foods for health benefits, Pike said, breeding new varieties usually takes years. He estimated that a new anti-cancer onion might take 10 years to come to commercial production.



**THEY'RE BACK!** After a three-year absence from the Metroplex, Thousands of children in the Dallas/Fort Worth area will have the chance to see all their friends from Sesame Street when **Sesame Street Live**, "Big Bird and the ABC's" comes to the Fair Park Coliseum in Dallas, Friday, Jan. 25, through Sunday, Jan. 27, and to the Tarrant County Convention Center Theater in Fort Worth Thursday, Jan. 31, through Sunday, Feb. 3. Metroplex engagements are presented by KDFW-TV. Tickets are on sale for "Big Bird and the ABC's" at all Rainbow TicketMaster outlets and Ticket Quick machines. Ticket prices are \$9.50 and \$8.50 with a \$1.50 discount for children 2-12. At the Dallas engagement only, VIP seating is available for \$15.00 per ticket (limited discounts apply). Service charges apply to all ticket prices. For more information on ticket prices or group rates, please call Rainbow TicketMaster at 787-2000 (metro) or (214) 787-1500. Opening nights, Friday, Jan. 25, in Dallas and Thursday, Jan. 31, in Fort Worth, are sponsored by KDFW-TV/Channel 4. All patrons will receive a \$3.00 discount. Tickets at the Friday, 10:30 a.m. shows are available at only \$6.00 each.



**THE S.N.A.P. PROGRAM** in Muenster benefited greatly from the combined efforts of local Jaycees and Knights of Columbus, who volunteered and cooperated to raise funds in support of the Senior Center when it faced possible closing last spring. By conducting a raffle offering a TV, a four-wheeler and a shotgun as prizes, adding a \$200 cash donation from the KCs as the fourth prize, the organizations raised a sum adequate to repay a loan needed in June, and to establish a reserve fund for maintenance, repairs and support. Shown presenting and accepting a check are, l to r, Ben Bindel, Grand Knight of the KCs; Mary Alice Bayer, Senior Center Manager; Julia Cunningham, Committee Chairman; and Joe Pagel, Jaycee President.

## Local students named to American Who's Who

A number of students from this area have been included in the 24th Annual Edition of "Who's Who Among American High School Students 1989-90."

"Who's Who," published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, IL, is the largest high school recognition publication in the country.

Final selection is determined on the basis of criteria which include high achievement in academics and leadership in school activities, athletics or community service. Traditionally, 99 percent of "Who's Who" students have a grade point average of "B" or better and 97 percent are college bound.

"Who's Who" students also compete for over \$65,000 in

scholarship awards and participate in the publication's annual opinion poll of teen attitudes. The book is distributed to 15,000 high schools, colleges, universities and public libraries throughout the country.

Local students selected for this year's volumes are: Brady J. Hoberer, John M. Hoenig, **Gainesville**; Steven Bezner, Gretchen Hoenig, Courtney Krebs, Tisha Krebs, Jami Mathis, Melanie Orsburn, Christi Secrest, Leah Walterscheid, Andy Wang, Amy Williams, Keith Zimmerman, **Lindsay**; Bernice Bartel, Kim Cler, Mark Flusche, Sharon Fuhrmann, Julie Hess, Jayna Hofbauer, Kristen Klement, Cheramie Mosler, Stevan Nasche, Lisa Schilling, Johnna Dowd, **Muenster**.



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## Area students named to collegiate Who's Who

A total of eight students from this area are among the 110,000 students included in the 13th Annual Edition of "The National Dean's List" just published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, IL.

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans or registrars and must be in the upper 10 percent of their class, or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$25,000 in scholarship awards funded by the publisher and may also use a referral service for future employment opportunities. More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the

publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

Local students selected include: Forestburg, Jerri Kelley, Gina Wade; Gainesville, Angela Fuhrmann; Lindsay, Sharon Hermes, Diane Sicking.

**The Enterprise has accumulated a number of pictures of brides, engagements, birthdays, etc. during the years. To make space for similar pictures that continue, we urge individuals to come in to pick up photos they have furnished. Please remember the date, month or week when your picture was used.**

## St. Richard's Villa News

by Frances Reiter  
Monday, Dec. 3, Father Joe Weinzapfel had Mass at 9 a.m. for the residents.  
On Tuesday afternoon, we had dominoes, games and Juanita

Bright played the piano and sang. We had our weekly bingo game on Wednesday. Romana Bayer, Beatrice Hess, Betty Yosten and Dorothy Yosten were players. Joe Hoenig had his weekly

piano playing and singing. Thursday night was our monthly birthday party. The honorees were Mrs. Bertha Bewley and Lorraine Hughes. Bertha is 96 and

Lorraine is 93. Sonny Walterscheid and Buddy Yosten entertained with accordion and guitar and singing. Afterwards, we had punch and cake.

Also, on Thursday, we had the old tradition of St. Nicholas and residents all told of their childhood days and St. Nicholas and all residents received a bag of fruit and candy. Elsie Fuhrman sang German songs. Rosie Walterscheid told about playing St. Nicholas for the neighborhood children and Joseph Weinzapfel told of all the happy times he had growing up.

I had the honor of going to the Smokehouse in Lindsay Wednesday night to my daughter, Mary Ann Arendt's, birthday party, arranged by her husband, Andrew Arendt, as surprise party. She just turned 29, she says (Ha!Ha!) All her children and spouses attended, as well as Henry and Frances Zimmerer and myself.

On Friday, we received another new resident, Andrew Fleitman, from Muenster. He is a brother to Anna Jostwerner.

On Dec. 12, the judging will be held to determine which decorated door is the best and prizes will be

awarded. There are three prizes given for the doors. The employees decorated the doors and the residents will judge them.

The resident of the month is Ella Smith and the employee of the month is Della Ferguson.

Father Sebastian had Mass Friday night and gave the Sacrament of Extreme Unction to the sick.

Out-of-town guests were Michel Steward of Forestburg; Alfred Haverkamp of Dallas; Loraine Kelly of Era; Virginia Krahl and Mary Sicking of Gainesville; Shirley and Jake Tischler of Whitesboro; Mary Birden of Denton; Weldon and Sharon Gove and boys of Abilene; Barbie Ames of Plano; Susan McKenzie of Whitesboro; Nancy Palmer, Virginia Fleitman, Agnes Fleitman of Lindsay; Patsy Lutkenhaus of Gainesville.

Sunday, Dec. 23, is Open House from 1 to 5 p.m. Hope to see you all. Come and enjoy Christmas with the residents. Santa will come at 6 p.m.

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 Notice is given that MUESTER WATER DISTRICT P. O. Box 208 Muenster, Texas 76252  
 applicant, seeks an Extension of Time to commence and complete construction of the Dam and Reservoir authorized by Certificate of Adjudication No. 08-2323 pursuant to §11.145, Texas Water Code, and Texas Water Commission Rules 31 TAC §5295.1, et seq.  
 Certificate of Adjudication No. 08-2323, issued to Muenster Water District on July 22, 1993 and based on Water Use Permit No. 3204, authorizes the construction and maintenance of a dam creating a 4700 acre-foot capacity reservoir (Soil Conservation Service Site 19, Elm Fork Trinity River Watershed Project), on Brushy Elm Creek, tributary of Elm Fork Trinity River, tributary of the Trinity River, Trinity River Basin in Cooke County, approximately 15 miles west of Gainesville, Texas and the diversion and use of not to exceed 500 acre-feet of water per annum from the reservoir for municipal purposes. The time priority of the owner's right is May 27, 1975.  
 A Special Condition included in the certificate required that construction of all works authorized by the certificate be commenced by November 17, 1994 and be completed by November 17, 1995. The latest Commission order, dated March 6, 1993, extended the date to November 17, 1990 and November 17, 1991.  
 The applicant is requesting that the time to begin construction of the project authorized under Certificate No. 08-2323 be extended to November 17, 1992 and the time to complete construction of the project be extended to November 17, 1995. The applicant has indicated that this extension request is necessary because the district is still in the process of acquiring the land necessary for construction of the dam and reservoir. The applicant has also indicated that after acquisition of the land the dam will be on, it may be a year before the Soil Conservation Service could start construction of the dam.  
 Application No. 03-2323 was received on October 8, 1990, and accepted for filing on November 8, 1990. The Executive Director has reviewed this application and declares it to be administratively complete.  
 No public hearing will be held on this application unless a person that may be affected requests a public hearing. Any such request must be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address and telephone number of the requester; (2) the application number or other recognizable reference to this application; (3) a brief explanation of how the requester, or persons represented by the requester would be adversely impacted by the granting of this application; and (4) a clear statement of the objections of the requester or represented persons.  
 This application will be presented to the Commission for final decision on January 30, 1991 at 3:00 p.m. in Room 118 of the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas unless a sufficient request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of this notice. If a hearing request is filed, and the Commission determines that the request sets out an issue relevant to the decision on the application, and/or that a public hearing would serve the public interest, the Commission will remand the application for public hearing. If this application is remanded for hearing, no further notice of the hearing or hearing date will be issued other than advising all interested persons of the time and place where the hearing is to convene. Therefore, all individuals who wish to be notified of the setting of a hearing must submit a written request for notification to the Texas Water Commission.  
 Requests for a public hearing or questions concerning procedures should be submitted in writing to Christopher Gee, Assistant Chief Hearings Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P. O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, Telephone (512) 463-7875. For further information concerning technical aspects of the application, please call Terry Slade, Water Use Section, Texas Water Commission, at (512) 371-6386 or write to him at P. O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. Information concerning public participation in hearings may be obtained by contacting the Public Interest Counsel, Cynthia Hayes, Telephone (512) 463-8030.  
 Issued December 6, 1990.  
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# County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

## Farmers examine plots

In 1990 grain sorghum was one of the few bright spots for farmers in Cooke County. Due to an extended wet spring, corn yields throughout the North Texas area were very poor. Corn plots in Cooke county were not harvested due to lack of pollination.

Grain sorghum yields were limited primarily by greenbug resistance among varieties in Cooke County. Those greenbug resistant varieties showed positive yields at other county locations. Producers should be aware of

the greenbug resistance in varieties.

The following chart is grain sorghum yields from six counties through Extension District 4. These were compiled by Extension Agronomist Jim Blalock. His entry system ranks those varieties that were produced at 5 sites, 4 sites, 3 sites, 2 sites, and the 10 highest producers that only occurred once. Additional varieties were produced at the Cooke county locations and this information is available from the County Extension Office. If you have any questions, contact the County Extension Office.

## Lamb and Swine Validation

4-H and FFA members who will exhibit market lambs and market swine projects at the 1991 Cooke County Junior Livestock Show must have these livestock projects validated on Saturday, Dec. 15, 1990. All animals must be validated between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. A schedule of times for various communities to participate in the validation is listed below.

8 a.m. - Valley View, Mountain Springs Area; 9:30 a.m. - Callisburg, Woodbine Area; 11:00 a.m. - Era Area; 12:30 p.m. - Muenster Area; 2:00 p.m. - Lindsay, Sivelis Bend Area; 3:00 p.m. - Gainesville Area.

All validation will take place at the Cooke County Fairgrounds, 4-H and FFA members must enter and have their animal available for tagging and validation. Entries require an official entry card and an eligibility and drug awareness card to be signed by both exhibitor and parent or guardian. Entry fees are due the day of validation.

All other market animal entries which include market rabbits and market broilers, along with breeding animal entries of all species, are due to your local vocational agriculture teacher if you are in FFA or to the County Extension Office if you are a 4-H member on Friday, Dec. 14. Late entries will not be accepted. It is a requirement that you be at validation with your lamb or swine market project. If you have any questions, contact your local vocational agriculture teacher or County Extension Office as soon as possible.

1990 GRAIN SORGHUM VARIETY DEMONSTRATION RESULTS

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DK-37	2981	4108	4274	4999		5269	4326
W-844-E	2787		5930	5169	5480		4842
W-695-E	2968		5931	4335	4646		4520
CHAPPARAL			4301	4252	3642	4561	4189
TR-80-D		4076	2541	4060	2944		3405
7-9573	2889	3372	2025			3448	2934
TOPHAND-2			5043		4150	4332	4508
C-630 CS	3647	4397	4180				4075
NK-2244	3079		4927				4031
P-8452		3395	4127			4147	4023
GS-712			2431	4181	3125		3246
PRONTO		2924	3711			2671	3102
GARST T-5503	4037	6495					5266
CARGILL 847				4980	5238		5109
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NK-KS-710	2995	5416					4206
CARGILL 618Y		3906		2927			3417
NK-1580	3079			3579			3329
P-8313				3046	3262		3154
ET-505		3906		2382			3144
TR-656				6208		5280	6208
OPTIMA						5280	5280
TR-50				4845			4845
TR-74				4842			4842
JARBERS 494						4609	4609
TR-58T				4510			4510
MAXIMA						4390	4390
TR-46				4332			4332

## Farm Bill waiver may be delayed

A waiver regarding emergency loans and crop insurance contained in the recently passed 1990 Farm Bill could be delayed for a month or more - a delay Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Tex.) terms "totally unacceptable."

The waiver insures that producers seeking emergency loan assistance from the Farmers Home Administration will be considered even if they did not purchase crop insurance. Farmers have frequently complained that crop insurance has not served as an effective risk management tool.

The waiver, introduced by Bentsen on the Senate side and by House Agriculture Committee

Chairman Kika de la Garza (D-Tex.) upon the recommendation of Congressman Bill Sarpalis (D-Tex.) in the House, does not take effect until a formal announcement is made by Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yeutter. Bentsen said he has been told that announcement could take a month or more.

The crop insurance waiver is especially important to many Texas farmers, who were hurt by

drought last year and are in the process of making financial arrangements for next year's crops.

In a letter to Yeutter, Bentsen stated, "It has been over a month since you reviewed this issue and decided that the crop insurance waiver would be granted. I urge you to immediately announce that waiver so that Texas farmers may have a chance to benefit from this. A lengthy and unnecessary delay will unfairly deny the benefits of this waiver to some farmers."

## Agreements are not reached on agriculture tariffs, trade

WACO - S.M. True, president of Texas Farm Bureau, said recently the failure of talks in Brussels on the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade was "extremely disappointing."

Failure to reach agreement on trade distorting agricultural subsidies spelled doom for the talks, as the European Economic Community would not budge on the issue of high price supports.

True said, "We feel that no agreement is better than a bad agreement. Agriculture was not sacrificed to salvage the talks. We hope that both parties will continue to talk, and that an agreement can be reached."

He said it is essential that a GATT agreement eventually be worked out. "GATT is the rule book for international trade. Without it, we could wind up in one or more trade wars, and none of us can win in that situation," Truesaid.

In rejecting the latest proposed compromise, the EC received much of the blame for the deadlock. The compromise, called

a "starting point" for negotiations, suggested a 30 percent cut in domestic supports, 30 percent reduction in trade barriers, and 30 percent cuts in export subsidies over a five year period. The U.S. had originally called for cuts of 75 percent, 75 percent and 90 percent in each of those areas over a ten year period.

True said, "Until such time as an agreement can be worked out, it is imperative that the U.S. Congress take all necessary steps to 'level the playing field' by providing additional income and commodity price support for our farm commodities."

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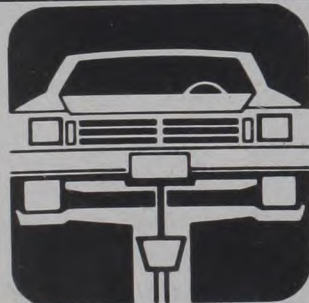
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- Locate a clear, open site for the tree with generous rooting area and good drainage.

- Loosen and blend the soil in the entire planting area 6-10 inches deep. In the center, dig a hole at least as wide, but only as deep as the root ball

- Remove tree from burlap or container and place on solidly packed soil so that the root collar (where the tree's main stem meets the roots) is slightly above the surrounding grade.

- Backfill the hole and lightly pack the soil into place around the tree.

- Spread a two-to-three-inch layer of mulch in the entire area, keeping a six-to-eight-inch distance from the tree trunk.

- Stake the tree so that it can flex in the wind. Attach stake to tree using discarded rubber inner tubes. Remove them after six months.

- Water thoroughly, but do not flood the hole. Water twice a week during dry periods.

For further advice on tree planting, see your local American Association of Nurserymen (AAN) member retail nursery/garden center or landscaping professional.

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**MHS and SHHS CLASS OF 1960** held their 30-year class reunion on Nov. 24. They met at The Center Restaurant for a fun-filled evening of visiting, eating and reminiscing over school days together. Those attending were, 1 to r, first row - Ron Kathman, Lloyd Klement, Herb Cunningham, Regi Bayer, Robert Voth, Donald Hennigan; 2nd row - Jim Schumacher, Roger Fleitman, Ferd Haverkamp, Tim Wimmer, Doug Hellman, Leonard Haverkamp; 3rd row - Carol Ann (Hess) Fitch, Lu Ann (Reiter) Kubis, Shirley (Walterscheid) Grewing, Jane (Hesse) Myrick, Louise (Noggler) Wimmer, Marilyn (Horn) Doughty, Carol (Sicking) Fights; 4th row - Jeanette (Klement) Jones, Theresa (Fisher) Walterscheid, Irma (Vogel) Koezler, Leona (Hacker) Pick, Celine (Trubenbach) Bartel, Helen (Hacker) Muller, Eunice (Knauf) Wimmer. Robert Walterscheid attended, but is not pictured.  
Photo courtesy Jane Myrick

# Country Tidings by Ruth Smith

Word was received of the death of Calvin Blankenship of Elk City, Oklahoma. The funeral was there Monday.

**Announcements**  
The Rosston Baptist Church will have their Christmas tree program Sunday evening, Dec. 16. Everyone is invited to come.

The Forestburg Baptist Church will have their Christmas program Sunday evening, Dec. 16 at 6 p.m. at the church. The little children will present the program. Everyone is welcome.

**Dr. and Mrs. Jerry McKown** and Casey of Valley View had lunch Wednesday with the Jack Berry family.

Johnnie Cook of Marietta spent Saturday with the Jack Berry family.

**Les, Anita and Nathan Lender** of Slidell visited Mrs. Evelyn Brown Saturday.

Mrs. Bobbie Jo Pierce of Fort Worth had lunch Sunday with Mrs. Evelyn Brown.

**Mrs. Josephine Berry** went to Muenster Monday.

Mrs. Josephine Berry attended the American Study Club Christmas party held at the Holiday Inn in Gainesville. They all had lunch together. Rev. Benny Slack of the First Baptist Church brought the message.

**Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian** were in Denton Tuesday.

**Mrs. Gladys Balthrop** and Mrs. Anna Kirk were in Denton Friday.

**Kenda Hutson of Saint Jo** spent the weekend with her grand-

parents Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutson.

**Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde** visited Mrs. Essie Agee Thursday.

Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde went to Trades Day in Bowie Sunday.

**Ted Jackson, Joe Phillips** and Jim Parish attended the Grand Lodge meeting for Masons of Texas in Waco Friday and Saturday. They represented the Forestburg Masonic Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson hosted a Christmas dinner Sunday in their home for their family. Gifts were exchanged. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gage of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Jackson and children of Carrollton; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Bird and girls of Paradise; Vatori Selby and a friend of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dill; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dill and family; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dill and Brady, all of Forestburg.

**Ruth Smith** attended the wedding of Mrs. Elsie Talbot and Dan Moore Sunday at the Whaley United Methodist Church in Gainesville.

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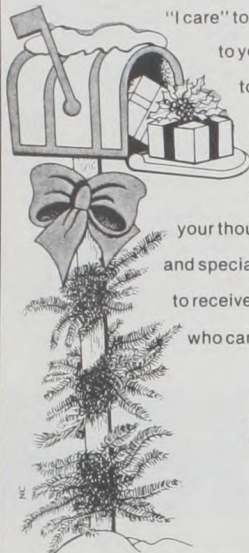
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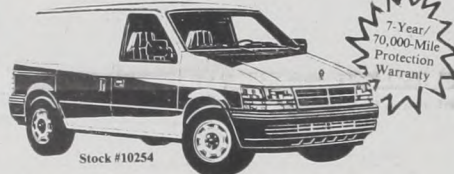
December 15 is the deadline for submitting names and donations to the Muenster VFW Ladies Auxiliary project "In Lieu of Christmas Cards." Profits from this annual event are put into two funds - one for the benefit of local citizens having difficult times and the other helps to fund such projects as Camp Sweeney, Denton State School, Cooke County Development Center, etc.

To add your name to the list contact: Juanita Knabe, Box 474, Muenster; Janet Barnhill, Box 15, Muenster; or Frances Bayer, Rt. 1, Box 1, Muenster.

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## Store hazardous products before holiday visitors arrive

by Sandra Avant, Extension Service

For those making a holiday list and checking it twice, take an inspection tour around the house for hazardous products.

Before visitors arrive for Christmas holidays, make sure potentially dangerous household products are safely out of the reach of children.

Holidays are usually happy occasions, but they can also be "bad times" for young children. Children, infants to 6-year-olds, are most often the victims of accidental poisonings, and the holiday periods are times that require extra vigilance.

During holidays, for example, grandparents and other relatives come to visit with medicine in a suitcase and forget to lock it up. Holidays disrupt normal routines and create situations for kids to get into trouble.

The Dallas Poison Control Center, which covers North Texas, reports that 65 percent of their 65,000 cases in 1989 involved youngsters, and 80 percent of the southwest center's 43,000 cases involved children. Nationally, 65 percent of the more than 1.58 million poisoning cases reported last year involved children.

Dangerous products that are most often overlooked include aspirin, cough and cold medicines, cleaning substances and such oil-based products as furniture polishes.

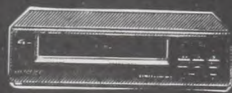
Every day, a person typically uses at least one product that can be dangerous in the hands of a child. The poison control center's checklist of poisonous products includes items that are sometimes kept on bathroom counters - soaps, cosmetics, hand and shaving lotions, perfume, deodorants, rubbing alcohol and room deodorizers.

Some products are more dangerous than others. For example, drugs and pills, drain and toilet bowl cleaners can be deadly to a child. Detergents, bleaches and soaps rarely cause death, but can cause serious discomfort for a toddler.

If someone does swallow a poisonous substance, immediately call the poison control center listed in the telephone directory for instructions.



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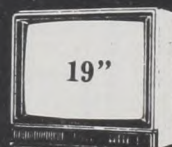
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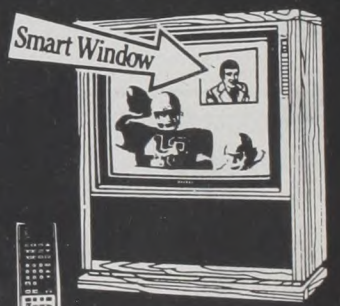
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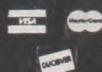
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