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By a pleasing coincidence in this bicentennial year, a Senate bill, numbered 1976, proposes a national institution, to be named the George Washington Peace Academy, to train people in the ways of preserving peace. It is intended to be in the best interest of the country like the Army, Navy and Air Force Academies, but with a different approach. Whereas the service academies teach and train in conducting a war, this one would be concerned with avoiding a war.

The proposal is accepted as a great idea. After all what could be more desirable than improving the ability of the diplomatic personnel who represent us in dealings with other countries, or developing a sharp expertise in the fine points of getting along with the rest of the world? But then someone starts wondering out loud what's to be taught there. Noting that peace is only absence of war, it is regarded as something negative, a rather abstract subject upon which to base a course of study.

Well, that doesn't need to be a problem... simply because peace is a lot more than an abstract and negative concept, more than the mere absence of war. It seems more reasonable and appealing to define peace as something positive, a condition which prevails when people are living in harmony with others.

That definition also suggests the kind of study and training that might be appropriate for the Peace Academy. That is, first of all to get down to basic principles of right and wrong as well as the golden rule. Since certain standards and policies need to be observed, it seems smart to adopt the very best. It's hard to imagine a more certain way of getting along than living up to the commandments of God and doing to others as you would have them do unto you.

While proposing that this principle ought to be number one as a guide in seeking and keeping peace, we need to remember also that it has lost effectiveness with a number of countries, particularly the communists, and emerging nations which are mistakenly using red influence and power to promote their own interests. Hopefully those people will wake up in time to realize that the red intention is to take over rather than help.

So we come back to the brutal fact that the country's first line of attaining and maintaining peace will necessarily remain mostly with the armed services... because of the fact that aggressor nations will keep in line as long as peaceful nations have adequate strength. Just the same, a peace academy seems like a good idea. Perhaps it can promote the principles and skills that enable nations at peace to improve on their relationship with each other.

As the new year arrives we look forward with more hope than confidence to a number of changes we would like to see take place during the coming year. They concern economic and political conditions in this country and in its relations with a number of other countries. Some of the wishes are well expressed by Herb Philbrick of US Press Association in Headlines We'd Like to See in '76. Here are some of them:

"Year ends without having a major war anywhere in the world."

"Inflation plummets following dramatic slash in federal spending."

"Congress takes wraps off energy industry, puts life in energy independence project."

"Senator Church apologizes to CIA for enormous damage to U.S. intelligence gathering, launches investigation of Russia's KGB activities."

"Kremlin blames huge agriculture failure on economic system, vows to adopt U.S. model."

"FBI reports amazing turnaround in crime trend, credits new tough stance by courts as major reason."

"White House admits Dente a bust, launches wide ranging defense effort to keep America No. 1."

Will Rogers on taxes: "The income tax has made more liars out of the American people than golf has. Even when you made (a tax form) out on the level, you don't know when it's through if you are a crook or a martyr."

Tilman Bridges 60 Of Bulcher Dies

Tilman Bridges, 60, a native and lifelong resident of the Bulcher community died Monday at 6:30 p.m. in Muenster Memorial Hospital less than a day after being admitted with a severe case of pneumonia.

Funeral service was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Shiloh Baptist Church with the Reverend H. A. Lamance of Denison officiating, and burial was in Coker Cemetery under direction of Scott Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Sam Sparkman, Jesse Shields, R. D. Morris, Arthur Tuggle, Aubrey Tuggle and Lawrence Siegler.

Bridges was born on April 4, 1915, in Bulcher, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Bridges. He was married to Marie Huggins at Bulcher on August 9, 1942. He operated a livestock farm early in their married life, later joined the work crew of Cooke County Precinct 4. He had been in poor health for many years and retired from the county job about four years ago.

Survivors are his wife, Marie, one daughter, Glenda Siegler of Gainesville; one son, David of Gainesville; four grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Fannie Lee Tuggle of Muenster and Mmes. Leta Mae Reeves, Helena Robinette and Leona Tuggle all of Gainesville; and five brothers, Lester of Gainesville, Ira of Olton, Hubert of Fulton, Junior of Houston and Jay of El Campo.

Entries Invited For February 8 V'Ball Tournament

Plans are under way now for the year's first volleyball tournament sponsored by Sacred Heart Alumni on Sunday, Feb. 8 in the SH gym.

Charles Bayer, chairman said it will be limited to eight teams each of men and ladies and local teams will be given preference in accepting entries. However the entry deadline is February 6. If local teams do not complete the bracket at that time outside teams will be booked.

Bayer said it will be the usual kind of tournament with champ and consolation brackets, and trophies afterward to the champ, runner-up and consolation winner of men's and ladies' divisions.

"Have I told you about my grandchildren?"

"No, and I appreciate it."

Community Has White Christmas Year's Moisture Measures 30.72

A gift to the community this Christmas was moisture in a combination of rain with the first white Christmas on record here.

According to Steve Moster's official weather bureau listings, this is the first White Christmas since the log was started in 1946. A near miss was in 1963 when a half inch was recorded on the 23rd.

As regards the years before, a few old timers seem to have vague memories of Christmas snow but can't remember when. Probably the most definite report is that from a Fort Worth weather man saying this is the third white Christmas in Cowtown history.

The snow's timing was just right. It had the ground well covered a midnight mass and finished falling through the night for a depth of about

Big-un Schmitz in Hospital
L. W. (Big-un) Schmitz of Dallas has been a patient in St. Paul's Hospital, room 136 for two weeks of medical care. According to his sister Mrs. Tony Klement, he hoped to be released by Wednesday of this week. He will recuperate at his home, 2406 Anson Road, Dallas 75235.

Yr.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
'65	2.68	2.54	.99	1.42	7.52	4.10	.18	5.29	6.99	3.03	1.45	1.49	37.68
'66	2.50	4.55	1.83	8.43	2.30	3.57	1.54	6.94	4.58	.67	.63	1.47	37.51
'67	.15	.87	1.46	3.82	7.92	1.52	2.02	1.16	4.25	2.00	.96	1.70	27.82
'68	4.67	1.71	5.36	4.68	5.93	5.20	5.21	.81	2.76	3.31	2.63	1.29	43.56
'69	2.41	2.71	5.35	3.38	6.54	2.42	.75	2.00	5.79	5.10	.80	3.87	40.92
'70	.36	3.43	2.57	4.83	4.05	1.09	1.09	1.13	11.61	1.56	.52	.57	32.21
'71	.41	.97	.36	1.45	3.25	.99	1.86	11.57	4.58	6.69	2.10	4.92	40.22
'72	.37	.45	.36	4.10	3.03	.84	1.12	1.68	4.01	5.04	3.46	.69	25.19
'73	3.38	2.26	3.46	4.57	5.27	5.07	8.91	1.66	4.70	4.00	3.06	.63	46.16
'74	.36	1.68	1.14	4.96	.23	1.58	.92	4.65	8.94	9.28	1.96	1.30	37.00
'75	1.86	3.42	4.94	2.23	5.88	3.18	2.02	1.94	1.80	.82	.91	1.71	30.72

Big Response Is Urged for Jan. 14 Bloodmobile Visit

The quota will be 100 pints when the bloodmobile makes its semi-annual visit to Muenster on January 14, but the community blood debt will be considerably higher.

David Bright, hospital administrator, pointed out that the quota is determined by the average quantity of blood used at the hospital and transferred out of the district, but usage for the past half year went far over the average. Demand was higher than usual at the hospital and more so in transfers, especially in the case of Bernard Haverkamp for transfusions in Dallas.

At the time of Haverkamp's transfusions the local blood bank account was overdrawn by a substantial amount. At the same time a number of friends were willing to give but did not have the opportunity. All of them are asked to remember him on the 14th by donating to the blood bank what was taken out for him.

Bright also pointed out that many pints of blood used in the hospital were for friends and kin of people who were willing to help and are able to do so now by replacing the blood used for the patients. All are urged to do their good turn while the bloodmobile is here.

Purpose of the local Red Cross blood bank is to provide a supply of blood for patients in Muenster Hospital or for residents of the hospital district receiving transfusions elsewhere. There is no charge for the blood, only for collection, packaging, storing, transporting and other services. The net result is that a transfusion using blood from the local bank costs about half as much as when regular commercial blood is used.

Collection will be in the KC hall as usual on the afternoon of January 14. Donors are urged to make appointments in order to level off slack and rush periods. Calls will be accepted at the hospital, 759-2271.

MAP Schedule

January 6 — Lunch in the Cafeteria at 12:30 followed by slides of Christmas party shown by Arthur Endres — usual table games.

January 13 — Birthday cake and coffee at 2 p.m. followed by table games.

January 20 — Film and table games.

January 27 — Table games. Each Thursday, bowlers meet at 2 p.m. for drive to 77 Bowl.

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three inches at daybreak. However it melted fast. Only patches were left at the end of the day.

According to Moster's record it was three inches deep when measured at 7 a.m., however the moisture measure of melted snow was .48 inch, an indication that total snowfall was about 4.8 inches and some melted and packed before the measure.

Christmas eve rainfall preceding the snow was .89. Along with the snow it made 1.37 inch of moisture. That is hardly enough to meet the needs of crops and pastures but enough to give them a lift while waiting for a soaker. Actually a reading of .23 at 7 on the 24th upped to total to 1.60 inch. The balance of the month had .11 in four readings for a total of 1.71 inch. That, along with 29.01 at the end of November accounts for the year's total of 30.72.

That total is about five inches below normal and third driest of the local 10 year record, being beat by '25.19 in 1972 and 27.82 in 1967. However it sets the 10 year record for the second half with a total of only 9.20 inches. Herewith is the moisture record of the past ten years.

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'67	.15	.87	1.46	3.82	7.92	1.52	2.02	1.16	4.25	2.00	.96	1.70	27.82
'68	4.67	1.71	5.36	4.68	5.93	5.20	5.21	.81	2.76	3.31	2.63	1.29	43.56
'69	2.41	2.71	5.35	3.38	6.54	2.42	.75	2.00	5.79	5.10	.80	3.87	40.92
'70	.36	3.43	2.57	4.83	4.05	1.09	1.09	1.13	11.61	1.56	.52	.57	32.21
'71	.41	.97	.36	1.45	3.25	.99	1.86	11.57	4.58	6.69	2.10	4.92	40.22
'72	.37	.45	.36	4.10	3.03	.84	1.12	1.68	4.01	5.04	3.46	.69	25.19
'73	3.38	2.26	3.46	4.57	5.27	5.07	8.91	1.66	4.70	4.00	3.06	.63	46.16
'74	.36	1.68	1.14	4.96	.23	1.58	.92	4.65	8.94	9.28	1.96	1.30	37.00
'75	1.86	3.42	4.94	2.23	5.88	3.18	2.02	1.94	1.80	.82	.91	1.71	30.72

Meeting to Plan For German Week Set Next Monday

The Muenster Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a meeting next Monday night, January 5, at 7:30 in the TP&L Building to continue plans for the community's "German Week" celebration.

Chamber of Commerce directors along with other interested individuals and organizations are urged to be there.

Commissions of SH Parish Have 12 New Members

Twelve new members on the six commissions of Sacred Heart Parish, who were elected on December 14th, in the annual parish election, were named Sunday in the church bulletin. 732 persons had participated in the balloting.

Elected to the Finance Commission are Thomas Dankesreiter and Paul Fetsch. Members with another year to serve are Dan Luke, Alfons Koessler and Andy Klement.

On Building-Maintenance are Joe Sicking and Clyde Walterscheid joining Andy Wimmer, Thomas Hesse and Daniel Bayer.

Liturgical Commission electees are Mrs. Ray Hess and Mrs. Bill Koerschner, and remaining members are Mrs. Al Schmitt, Mrs. Leon Klement and Mrs. Virgil Henscheid. New for SH School commission are Charles Bartush and Sylvan Walterscheid. The carry-over members are Raymond Walterscheid, Gene Hoedebeck and Arthur Bayer.

Butch Fisher and Mrs. Charles Pagel were elected to the CCD commission to join Mrs. Andy Wimmer, Mrs. Jerry Walterscheid and Mrs. Frank Felderhoff.

The new Social Activities members are Mrs. Thomas Dankesreiter and Mrs. Gerald Hess, and serving their second year are Julian Walterscheid, Leo Hesse and Mrs. Tony Hess.

Hospital Notes

The following patients were dismissed during the past week at Muenster Hospital.

Tuesday, Dec. 16: Mrs. Emmet Sicking, Muenster, Mrs. C. T. La Rue, Gainesville.

Wednesday, Dec. 17: Mrs. Vincent Reinart, Muenster; David Bryant, Mabella Travelstead, Charles Clayton, Gainesville.

Thursday, Dec. 18: Preston Honeycutt, Nocona; Charles Scott, Forestburg; Willie Fuhrmann, Mrs. Ray Tempel, Mrs. H. B. Birkes, Mrs. Fred Fisher, Mrs. Emmett Samek, Gainesville.

Friday, Dec. 19: Gene Gieb, Mrs. Dale Hofbauer and baby boy, Muenster; Mrs. Jim Tulos, Eddie Pybas, Gainesville. Sunday, Dec. 21: Charles Stephens, Saint Jo.

Monday, Dec. 22: Mrs. Don Hacker, Saint Jo; Christy Rasmussen and Mrs. David Lloyd and baby boy, Gainesville; Shirley Tamplen, Myra; Norman Flangan, Marietta, Okla.

Tuesday, Dec. 23: Mrs. Jimmy Ice and baby boy, Nocona; J. L. Rains, Gainesville.

Bill Pratt Asks For Re-Election As County Sheriff

Sheriff Bill Pratt announced this week that he is a candidate for re-election, subject to action of the Democratic primary on May 2. He is seeking his fourth term as sheriff of the county.

Mr. Pratt's formal announcement to the county's voters will be published in the Enterprise later in the campaign.

At Muenster High both Hornet teams and the Hornets were back at practice Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with their eyes focused on games Friday and Tuesday nights in the local gym. A & B Boys and A Girls will host Frisco Friday starting at 6, and they will host Era Tuesday starting at 5:45.

'LUV' Will Feature First Program of Dinner Theater

A new adventure in entertainment awaits Muenster people on January 9 and 11 when a dinner theater will feature "LUV", a presentation of SKH Productions starring Mary Lou Kralicke in the leading role.

It will be a three-act comedy with three fifteen minute intermissions.

The program will be held in the Community Center. Doors will be open at 6:00 and dinner will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 after which the play will be presented. Admission cost will be \$7.50 per person.

Reservations are available now by calling Mrs. Charles Bayer at 759-2767.

Tickets are also available at Muenster Enterprise, Tom and Jerry Barber Shop, H and W Meat Company and Sacred Heart School. Also in Gainesville at Firestone Store, 665-0776.

Dr. Juarez Due To Arrive Soon

In spite of continued delay, the report this week is that Dr. Enrique Juarez still intends to join the medical staff of this community.

Christmas greetings from him to Dr. Antonetti and Mayor Bright included a statement that he expects to move to Muenster between January 20 and February 1.

4-H Sessions in Leader Training Set for Jan. 10, 11

A special 4-H leader training session is offered Cooke County leaders at the Texas 4-H Center, January 10-11. Four concurrent training sessions will make the "week-end" special.

4-H Record Book Workshop will be taught by George McArthur, 4-H and Youth Specialist. A representative of Eastman Kodak Company will conduct the Photography Workshop. 4-H Citizenship Seminar will be instructed by Lanny Bullard, 4-H and Youth Specialist. Dr. Kenneth Denmark, Associate State 4-H and Youth Leader will teach Recruiting Volunteer Leaders.

The training is available to all 4-H leaders and junior leaders. Registrations must be in by January 5. Cost of the session is \$13.00. Cooke County leaders are reminded of the travel scholarship available. 4-H Council will pay half of a leaders registration.

For more information on 4-H Leader Training, contact the County Extension Office at 665-4931 by January 5.

Foods and Nutrition Training meetings are scheduled Wednesday, January 7 at 9:30 a.m. and Thursday, January 8 at 7:00 p.m., at Texas Power and Light in Gainesville. The training, designed by the Food Show Committee, is planned to aid mothers and project leaders in helping 4-H'ers prepare for the Food Show.

Topics to be discussed include: County 4-H Food Show, design for discovery project form and optional financial summary, and preparing menus.

Basketball Action Returns This Week To Both Schools

After a few free days for Christmas, basketball teams of both Muenster schools are back in action.

Sacred Heart's varsity and junior varsity boys made their start Monday night meeting Forestburg boys in a double header in the SH gym.

First for the Tigerettes is a practice session Friday afternoon starting at noon. Coach Stock expects both the A and the B teams to be there.

Next action for the boys teams will be Friday night at Prairie Valley.

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There's a new perfume on the market. It's called "Evening in Arabia" and it smells just like gasoline.

\$946,750 Sets New High In City Building Permits

Building permits in the city of Muenster this year add to \$946,750, the largest total since the record was started in 1946. More than two thirds of that amount can be accounted for by the new AMPI milk factory, now almost finished, which will more than triple the storage and production capacity of the present factory. Permit for its construction shows an estimated cost of \$886,000.

Another big project is an addition to the telephone building, which will house equipment for long distance and local dialing. Estimated cost on the building permit is \$100,000. That job also is near complete.

Also there are six other additions in the permit record at an estimated total value of \$14,750. A business addition at Hess Furniture consists of a closed in area south of the store and a freight dock. And while that was under way extensive remodeling was done in one area of the store. Other permits for additions were residential and issued to Tom Hesse, Rufus Henscheid, Don Flusche, Al Horn and Rose Hofbauer.

Permits for residential building were issued to only six persons, reflecting the building slump that applied all over the nation. Persons receiving the permits were Gilbert Knabe, Arlin Naegell, Wayne Grewing, Bill Bedrick and two to National Building

Student Aid Jobs Available at CCC

Cooke County College is experiencing a unique situation which may benefit some Cooke County College students and interested individuals who would like to attend but find they cannot because of limited finances.

Because of changes in guidelines of the College Work Study Program, Cooke County College finds it has more federal dollars to award than it has eligible students to receive such awards. Consequently the College is searching for individuals who can qualify.

Students desiring part-time employment in association with the College should apply for assistance under this program. Students may be employed for a maximum of 20 hours per week each semester and during the summer.

Additional funds are also available under the Mary Josephine Cox Foundation Scholarship Program. Funds may be awarded to students under 21 years of age who are legal residents, or whose parents are legal residents of Cooke County. Eligibility is determined on the basis of demonstrated financial need, academic ability, or special talent.

Persons wishing to apply for either of these programs should apply immediately in the Financial Aid Office, room 108, Cooke County College. All awards on the basis of need require an application which must be processed through an out of state contracting agency. This process takes from ten to twenty-one days.

Any person who has an interest is strongly encouraged to submit an application. The money is available to those who are interested in attending Cooke County College, who are eligible, and who demonstrate financial need.

R. W. Hobbs Runs For Commissioner Of Precinct Three

Robert W. Hobbs Jr. of Era, an employee of Precinct 3, Cooke County, authorized the Enterprise to announce this week that he is a candidate in the May 2 Democratic primary to succeed Earl Taylor as commissioner of the precinct. Taylor has not announced for reelection and the report is that he will retire.

Hobbs will publish his formal statement to precinct voters in a later edition of the Enterprise.

A friend is one who knows all about you but loves you just the same.

Centers. Total of all the permit estimates was \$146,000.

That's all according to the city record but it tells hardly half of the volume of local construction for the year. First consideration is that estimates customarily are conservative. Every job on all the permits

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Forestburg News

By Myrt Denham



FORESTBURG: There was a family gathering of sorts in the Joe Hunt home at New Harp on Saturday, Dec. 13. Present were Mrs. Gladys Moore and granddaughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barnett and children, the Carl Barnetts and Elmer Hunt all of Alvord, Mr. and Mrs. Wood-

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row Wallis of Sunset, the Ed-die McClure family of Decatur, the Ben Mattocks of Fort Worth, David Hunt and the Haskell Perrys of Plainview, Calif., and Buford Greenwood of the Uz Community.

Mrs. Leo Orrell — the former Dolly Scott — graduated from college on Friday, Dec. 19. Dolly received her degree to teach. She is the daughter-in-law of the Willie Orrells. Dolly, Leo and family reside in Texarkana.

Mrs. Barbara Phillips of Wichita Falls visited with Merle and Clifford Hudspeth recently. She is Clifford's sister.

The Kindergarten students thru 6th grade presented a Christmas program in the school gym Thursday nite, Dec. 18. Mrs. Mary Hays is teacher of the Kindergarten thru 2nd grade. Mrs. Vesta Carter is the 3rd and 4th grade teacher and D. J. Rater is 5th and 6th grade teacher. Mrs. Lucille Williams is assistant to Mrs. Hays and Mrs. Carter.

The Forestburg United Methodist Church had its annual Christmas party in the church annex Dec. 17 with festivities starting at 7:30 p.m. Cleo Lanier started the evening off with a game in which all present took part, then there was a gift exchange and

the minister Rev. Rick Ricker was "pounded", then Cleo played several tunes on her French harp after which a salad supper was enjoyed. Approximately 44 people were present.

Mrs. Olita Lanier entertained members of the local Church of Christ and their children with a Christmas party in her home Dec. 17.

On Sunday morning, Dec. 21 the youth of the Forestburg Methodist Church presented the Christmas program. They were led by Rev. Rick Ricker.

Mmes. Marion Sockwell, Millie Reynolds, Betty Reynolds, Grace Scott and Juanita Bailey attended a county-wide Home Demonstration Club party Dec. 19 in the home of Mrs. Imogene Evans. Mrs. Evans and husband Joe live on former Buddy Gibson ranch over Hardy way.

This writer attended the Bowie Home Demonstration Club Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Hubert Roberts.

Well, Merle and Clifford Hudspeth have a wood burning fireplace now. Now who is gonna cut the wood for it? Merle or Cliff? Rest assured they will get two heatings out of all the wood they cut — once while they are cutting it, loading it, and hauling it in — then when it burns in the fireplace. I've had ten years of it and so has the better-half.

For the first time in many years there was no Christmas party at the little Dewey country church. It was called off due to so much illness among its members. However, there will be one next year if all goes according to plans.

The better-half and I had a very pleasant surprise Monday nite, Dec. 22 when Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartman and son of Muenster paid us a visit.

Word was received early Saturday morning, Dec. 20

that Mrs. Lester Petty — the former Bessie Jackson — had passed away in an Amarillo hospital. Mrs. Petty was an aunt to Ted Jackson and Perryman Denham. She is survived by four daughters and one son. She was buried in Borger, Dec. 22.

The Willie Orrells received word Dec. 15 that Harold Chance of Dallas had passed away. He was the husband of the former Willie Joe Kennon, daughter of Glyn Lanier, a sister of Mrs. Willie Orrell.

Jack Carter's father is now out of a Denton hospital and staying with Jack's brother in Denton.

Mrs. Charity Boyd is still in the Bowie rest home and is reported to be doing very well.

The Donald Priests of Ventura, California, and their son Craig of Flagstaff, Arizona, arrived at the Bennett Reynolds' home Dec. 23 to spend the Christmas and New Year's holidays. Mrs. Priest and Betty Reynolds are sisters. The Priests plan to leave here Jan. 2 for El Paso where they will visit with some cousins and from there they will motor to Phoenix, Arizona, to visit some more cousins. From there the Priests will return to Ventura and Craig to Flagstaff.

The best Christmas present everyone in this area received was waking up to a light rain Wednesday morning, Dec. 24 which turned to heavier showers during the day and at about 10 p.m. it started snowing. By Thursday a.m. the ground was covered with about three inches of snow. All in all we had about 1 8/10 inches of moisture at the Denham spread which was badly needed. We've had a long dry spell in these parts.

You folks ought to get acquainted with Ruth Smith over Freemound way. Perryman and I and Mrs. Joe Denham of Bowie were Ruth's guests Christmas day and we sure had a fine meal and a great day.

Mrs. Decie Ellzey spent Christmas in Temple with her daughter and family, the Sam Wrights. She was due home Dec. 27.

The A. G. Barclays were off to Port LaVaca Dec. 26 for a few days visit with their daughter Glenda and family.

Jim Barnett is back in the Bowie hospital. He came home Christmas Eve — was only able to stay about six hours and had to return.

Mrs. Larry Eldridge — the former Mary Jo Reynolds, daughter of K. J. (Wassie) Reynolds — called home from Guam Christmas day to talk to her parents and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reynolds.

Birthday Honors For Laura Grewing

Mrs. Richard Grewing honored her daughter Laura, observing her 11th birthday, on Friday, December 19. Thirteen classmates were guests for a hamburger supper at Rohmers and a slumber party in the Grewing home.

Birthday cake, Christmas popcorn balls and other refreshments were served at home following the hamburger party. The honoree opened and displayed her birthday gifts. There were games and music and the group stayed for breakfast the next morning.

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- Men's Turtle Necks 1/2 price
- Men's Leisure Shirts 1/2 price
- Men's Dress Pants 1/2 price
- Men's Sweaters (All Styles) 1/2 price
- Men's Jackets & Coats 1/2 off
- Boys' Sport Coats 1/2 price
- Boys' Pants (One Group) 1/2 price
- Boys' Knit Shirts 1/2 price
- Boys' Dress Shirts 1/2 price
- Boys' Leisure Shirts 1/2 price
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**Mosmans Observe
38th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. John Mosman observed their 38th wedding anniversary on December 27, with a day long celebration that began with a home Mass offered by their son, Fr. Jerry Mosman at 11 a.m. Brunch for family and close friends followed with the afternoon spent visiting and reminiscing.

During the Mass, readings were given by Tim Mosman and Carol Mosman Hopper. Sylvia Schriber sang for the Mass and accompanied herself on the piano.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Wieler, Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Fleitman, Mrs. Agnes Seyler and Bill Hopper.

Fr. Jerry Mosman of Fort Worth was a guest of his parents from Christmas Day through Saturday; Tim Mosman and Miss Sylvia Schriber, both of Los Angeles arrived Monday, December 22 for the holidays and remained until the following Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopper (Carol) of St. Louis were here for the weekend until Dec. 30. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mosman of San Angelo will spend New Year's Day and the weekend with his parents. Mrs. Marc Edwards (Becky) and her family of Glendale, West Virginia, were unable to attend but phoned and sent flowers for her parents' anniversary.

**Dinner Honors
Miss Theresa Luke
On 91st Birthday**

The 91st birthday of Miss Theresa Luke was observed on Thursday, December 18, when her brother and sister and their spouses were noon dinner guests.

Hostesses were nieces Mrs. Paul Endres, Mrs. Arthur Endres and Mrs. Val Fuhrmann, assisted by Miss Dorothy Hartman. Group pictures were made by Arthur Endres. The birthday cake, was decorated in a Christmas theme, by Betty Rose Walterscheid.

Miss Luke has a sister, Martha, of Lindsay and two brothers Ben of Muenster and Carl of Hereford.

Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Mart Friske of Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Luke.

**Elementary Kids
At SH School Have
Christmas Parties**

Elementary grades at Sacred Heart held Christmas parties in individual classrooms on Thursday from 12:30-2:00. Children exchanged gifts around decorated, lighted trees and room-mothers served refreshments.

A special turkey Christmas dinner was served in the lunchroom on Thursday. Dismissal at 2 p.m. Friday began the Christmas vacation. Classes will resume on Monday, January 5.

In high school, a Christmas party on Wednesday evening included a hayride, caroling, return to school where hot chocolate and doughnuts were served, followed by a skating party at the skating rink in Gainesville.

**Brian Knabe Has
First Birthday**

Brian Knabe's first birthday was observed Sunday, December 21 when his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Chris Cagle entertained with a dinner in their home in Irving for Brian, his parents, the Gilbert Knabes and his brother Ronnie. Other guests were grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hoedebeck and Toni and Fred and his god-parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoedebeck and Jeff. There was a decorated birthday cake and also gifts for the honoree.

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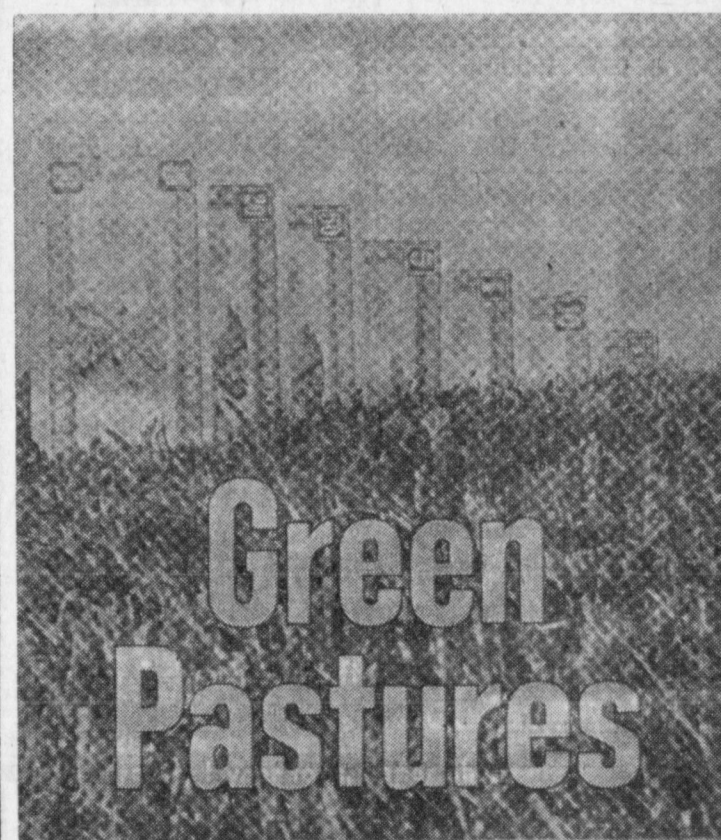
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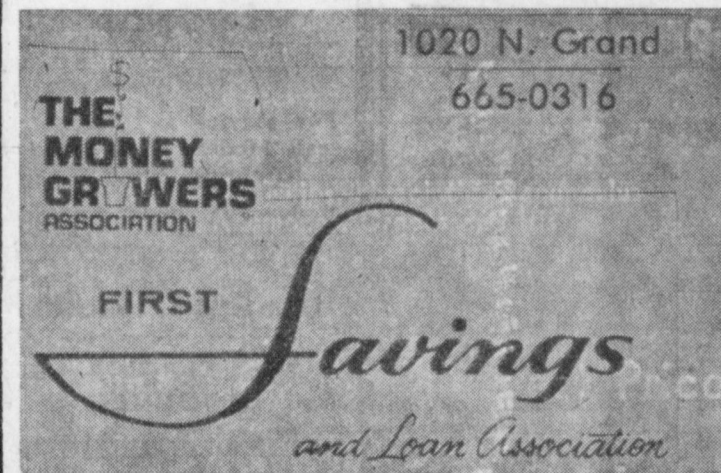
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Hofbauer Baptism

Baptism was held Sunday December 21 in Sacred Heart Church at 6 p.m. for Jason Dale Hofbauer, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hofbauer. Officiating was the baby's great uncle, Fr. Stephen Eckart. Sponsors were grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hofbauer.

Following the services, a supper was held in Rohmer's Restaurant honoring Fr. Stephen on his birthday. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Eckart, Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Koesler, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hesse, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hofbauer and Don and John Eckart.

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IT HAPPENED 35 YEARS AGO

Dec. 20, 1940

Heavy deposit of ice causes slight damage, scattered power lines, telephone lines and tree limbs snap under weight. City urges quiet, safe observance of holiday season. Local plant ships 12 cars of 1940 turkeys, Christmas packing volume sets new record of almost seven cars. Local voters favor soil program . . . overall results are not yet known. Civic League sponsors light contest. Parish ships 200 pounds clothing to needy missions. The Ben Roewes move

to Tioga. Al Kleiss is recovering from appendicitis operation. Hugo Hellman is appointed head of speech department at Marquette University. Mrs. Barney Voth is recovering from surgery. Telephone Company re-elects officers and directors. Leasing activity here gives promise of oil development in two areas — northwest and east of town.

30 YEARS AGO

Dec. 21, 1945

Rev. Thomas Weinzapfel's first solemn Mass will be banner event here Dec. 27. Interest is shown in general hospital meeting and membership applications are being taken. Cold wave runs

thermometers down to 8. Funeral services are held for J. H. Schmitz, former local resident, who died at Valley View of heart attack. The Al Walters announce the birth of Sandra. 1,504 cans of food are donated here in food campaign conducted for war relief . . . especially children in Europe and the Far East. Sugar Stamp 39 to be good Jan. 1 Seabee Pat Hennigan is separated from the service. Louise Schmitz has discharge from service in the WAC. Arthur Felderhoff is enroute home from Europe; Marty Klement and Johnny Rohmer are coming in from the Pacific; Rody Klement is returning from Germany.

25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 22, 1950

Sacred Heart students appear in cantata and Nativity play. Public School pupils present Nativity program. Prairie Valley and Savoy team win basketball tourney. 1950 was dryest and then the wettest of 5 year history here. Mrs. Ray Hess and Mrs. Clem Reiter are recovering from surgery. High school sodality schedules New Year's Eve watch party in Sacred Heart Church. Mrs. J. C. Schmidtkofer is recovering from surgery. Parish Mothers' Society at Lindsay sponsors pantry and kitchen shower for Sisters. Burglars break in Ben Seyler Garage and Jimmy's Service Station. Mr. and Mrs. Jud Boyles announce arrival of a daughter.

20 YEARS AGO

Dec. 23, 1955

More than 600 persons cheer "Christmas Carol" operation presented by Sacred Heart students. Building permits in city total \$311,650 for 1955. Main Cafe building is moved to clear location for new Variety Store. City council announces increase in water and sewer rates. Pre-school count will be included in scholastic census this year. Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lyons celebrate golden wedding anniversary. Floyd Lehnertz with the Navy in the Philippines is at home on holi-

day leave. Christmas parties hold social spotlight . . . and families begin gathering for holiday reunions. New arrivals: boys for Messrs. and Mmes. Meinrad Hesse, Ed King, Al Bengfort and Leonard Walterscheid.

15 YEARS AGO

Dec. 23, 1960

First part of hospital drive raises \$164,643. Charles H. Moster, 23, is victim of oil rig accident. Total of building permits for 1960 is \$149,450. Tigerettes claim consolation prize in Collinsville tournament. Twin boys Kyle and Kirk arrive from Germany for Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham. Local deer hunters give venison barbecue for about 150 friends in VFW Hall. Story of the Christ Child is enacted at Marysville church program. Buster Kubis is back at home, finished with National Guard duty at Fort Knox, Ky. I. A. Zimner, recovering from surgery, is dismissed from Dallas hospital in time to spend his 82nd birthday at home. Peggy Ann Lewis and Burt Hamric plan February 4 wedding.

10 YEARS AGO

Dec. 24, 1965

One of the more active years in residential building is coming to a close in Muenster. Eleven new homes are included in city's \$224,700 total of '65 building permits. Rainfall for year to date is 37.51 in Muenster. Funeral services are held for Mrs. Henry Streng, 74. FHA girls cheer hospital and rest home patients with caroling and candy. Santa distributes gifts to tots at VFW Auxiliary party. Hospital staff has Yule party at Kralicke home. Santa treats children at Jaycee party on Main Street. Marysville has Christmas program in Baptist Church. Bank stockholders receive dividend. Boy Scouts combine honor court and Christmas party. Ray Evans and J. M. Weinzapfel are recovering from major surgery. Lindsay Athletic Association plans awards banquet. Christmas parties hold social spotlight. New arrivals: boys for Messrs. and Mmes. Arthur Lutkenhaus, Jerry Fuhrman and John Louis Hess.

5 YEARS AGO

Dec. 25, 1970

City council okays construction of two slaughter houses; Fisher's Market and H&W Meat Co. City's population is estimated at 1417. Local 4-H'ers win Share-the-Fun contest at Gainesville and advance to district. Msgr. Thomas Weinzapfel observes silver jubilee as priest. Bank stockholders receive dividends. Muenster teams win two trophies at Era basketball tourney. Emily Conrady and Pfc. Andy Klement marry at Windthorst. Jaycees bring Santa to town to treat children. Santa also treats kids at KC party and VFW Auxiliary party. Spec. 4 Pat Hennigan reports being settled in Korea. New arrivals: boys for the David Bayers and Herbert Knabes; a girl for the Ricky Stewarts.

Forestburg Couple Sets Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Willard L. Freeman of Forestburg announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Charlotte to William R. Colwell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Colwell Sr., also of Forestburg. The wedding will take place on Friday, February 6 in the Church of Christ of Forestburg, with Rev. Sonny Cole of Saint Jo, officiating. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Forestburg High and the future groom graduated there in 1974.

Kubicek Baptism

Mary Diann Kubicek, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kubicek of Era was baptized in St. John's Church of Valley View by Fr. Anthony Gajda on Sunday, December 28.

Her baptismal sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Chris Muller. Attending the baptism were her brothers Dave and Steve, her grandparents the Gus Lutkenhaus and John Kubicek, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lutkenhaus and Charles Lutkenhaus.

Return to Subiaco

Fr. Eugene Luke returned to Subiaco Abbey Wednesday morning after a two day visit here with his parents, the Ben Lukes. Accompanying him was Bro. Frank Luke who spent the time with his parents the Tony Lukes. A family gathering in the Tony Luke home Monday evening and a similar party in the Ben Luke home Tuesday evening honored both. They traveled with Fr. Leo Koesler who visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Koesler and other relatives.

Between mowing the lawn, fixing the roof, painting the garage, repairing the front steps, planting rose bushes, and replacing worn washers — I wish they wouldn't call me a homeowner. I think it's the other way around!

Christmas Gatherings

Mrs. Richard Cain

Christmas in the home of Mrs. Richard Cain was the occasion for family reunion with her children and grandchildren present with only one exception. Bill and LaQuita McCollum of Dallas hosted members of his family to honor his mother who was recuperating after illness and hospitalization.

Attending the covered dish dinner here Christmas night were the Dickie Cains of Denton, the Wendell Richeys, the Gene Hartmans of Denton, the Jim Christians of Lewisville, the Wayne Trachtas of Norman, Oklahoma and the Chris Cains. Special guests were Mrs. Gladys Johnson and son Bob of Ardmore and the Willie Walterscheid family.

Raymond Zimmerer

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zimmerer on Christmas Day and during the holidays were their children and families: Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Zimmerer Jr. and sons Matthew and Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zimmerer and sons Tim, David, Anthony and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Le Fan and his mother Mrs. Jackie Le Fan. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Zimmerer were special guests. They all visited by phone with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Zimmerer and Sr. Patricia Ann Zimmerer.

In Valley View

A family reunion and delayed Christmas dinner held in the Parish Hall of St. John's Church, Valley View, on Sunday, December 28, was attended by members of the

family and relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Lutkenhaus. Among relatives there were Messrs. and Mmes. Gus Lutkenhaus, Henry Sandmann and Louis Sicking and their families, Charlie Loeffelholz and Mrs. Edwina Pettit of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Loeffelholz and family of Moore, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harrol and family of Conroe, Texas.

Charles Switzer

Christmas dinner at noon and gift exchange were held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Switzer. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jelfer and Amber and Melissa of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Arispe and Joey and Vanessa of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mullins and Marcy and Darrell, and Florentine, Charlie, Norma, Kevin, Charlene and Larry of the home and Alan Britian of Roston.

A baseball manager sought out his regular third baseman in the locker room. "Joe," he said, putting his arm around the player's shoulders, "it's perfectly O.K. for you to forget all those batting tips I've given you. We just traded you to the Houston Astros."

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Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Endres entertained Thursday night with dinner, gift exchange and family reunion, awaiting the Gene Riggs family of Dallas who drove in during the late afternoon. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fette, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Walterscheid and family and Mrs. Albert Schilling. Mrs. Joe Swingler and Albert Schilling were unable to attend since both were recuperating from recent illness. Therefore, four grandsons, Clinton Endres, Nick and Neil Walterscheid and Steve

Fette arranged plates of dinner, gathered together gifts and delivered both to their Grandmother Swingler and Uncle Albert Schilling.

Ben Haverkamp

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haverkamp entertained twice on Christmas Day, after midnight Mass and again for the evening meal Christmas night.

There were fifteen for breakfast after midnight Mass including Mr. and Mrs. Perry Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Shotwell, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Wilson and Randy, Kenny and Donny all of Gainesville, and Miss Florentine Tempel, Lenny Haverkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Mullins and Marcy and Darrell.

Guests for supper Thursday night were the families of Messrs. and Mmes. Benny Haverkamp, Lenny Haverkamp, Merlin Wilson, Charles Switzer, Phil Mullins and Steve Jefferies; also Mrs. John Grewing, Glenn Hess and Alan Britian. There was a gift exchange for the grandparents. During the evening family pictures were made and table games were enjoyed.

Julia Felderhoff Honored on First

Mr. and Mrs. August Felderhoff entertained at dinner Thursday night, December 11, in their home honoring their daughter Julia Marie on her first birthday.

Guests were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Droll and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Felderhoff; also her baptismal sponsor, Mrs. Thomas Felderhoff and daughters Susie and Rosemary.

There was a decorated birthday cake and the honoree received gifts. Also at the party was Julia Marie's brother, Gussie.

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- Pam Aerosol can, 13 oz. \$1.09
- Dill Pickles Delta Kosher, 32 oz. 69c
- Ocean Spray
- Cranberry Sauce whole, 16 oz. 39c
- Corn Libby's c-s, 17 oz. can 3 for \$1.00
- M & M Candy 6 pack 90c value 49c
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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sicking have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo, to Kelly West, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. West of Gainesville.

The couple has chosen Friday, January 23, for their wedding day in Sacred Heart Church at 6 in the evening. Fr. Placidus Eckart will officiate.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Muenster High School and is employed by Jr. Elite. The future groom graduated at Gainesville High and is employed by National Supply. They plan to reside in Gainesville.

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Christmas Gatherings

Lawrence Vogels
A visit from Santa Claus Christmas afternoon highlighted the family reunion in the Lawrence Vogel home Thursday. Together for dinner at noon were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tischler, Carolyn and Joyce of South May; Sr. Gemma of Little Rock, on a visit with her parents from Sunday, December 21 to Saturday, December 27; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Koelzer, Mr. and Mrs. David Vogel and Dyann, Jr. and Mrs. Larry Vogel, Scott, Marcia and Amber; Carla Vogel and Gene Vogel of the home, also an uncle Al Vogel, and an aunt Miss Lu Vogel.

The grandchildren were delightfully surprised by the "visit from St. Nick" on Christmas afternoon.

Ben Lukes
Christmas was observed wice for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Luke. The holiday began with tendance at Midnight Mass and a family reunion on Christmas Day. On Monday December 29 the celebration continued when a son Father Eugene Luke of Subiaco Abbey and a grandson, Brother Frank Luke, also of Subiaco arrived for a visit. Brother Frank is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Luke.

Attending the Christmas Day covered-dish dinner in the Ben Luke home in the late afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Luke and family of Arlington, Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Luke and sons of Iyving to join the Tony, Bill and Dan Lukes and R. N. Fettes and their families and Miss Theresa Luke. The Tony Lukes had just received an overseas Christmas telephone call from the Philippines from their son Lance Corporal Melvin Luke who was preparing to leave for Hong Kong.

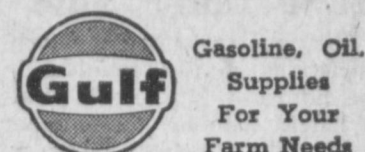
Only family members missing, besides Father Eugene were Mrs. Charles Denny of San Antonio who spent the holidays in McAllen with a daughter and family; the Alfred Kuhns of St. Louis, who were here Thanksgiving; and the Gene Lukes of Holbrook, Arizona, who were with her parents in Port Arthur and had visited earlier in San Antonio with his sister, Mrs. Denny.

The Harold Lukes remained until Saturday evening with his parents and the Bernard Lukes were overnight and Friday guests of the Dan Lukes.

Leo Henscheids
Together in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henscheid were their son and family, their two daughters and families for noon dinner and gift exchange on Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henscheid and three sons of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Damian Hellman and four children of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Lenton McClen-don of Dallas were here for the day.

Paul Fetsch Family
The Paul Fetsch family gathered in the family home on Christmas Eve for dinner and a gift exchange. Only members missing were a son, Robert and his wife of Salisbury, North Carolina. Holiday greetings were exchanged with them by phone on Christmas Day.

Together Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Bonfiglio and Brian of Plano who arrived Monday for a several days visit, Mr. and Mrs. Doug McConnell and Chad of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Noyes and Jennifer and Chris of Richardson. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Zimmerer of Gainesville and Barbara Rader of Sherman. The Noyes family returned to their home Christmas morning.



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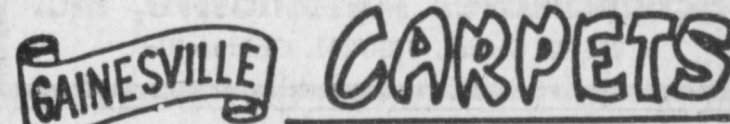
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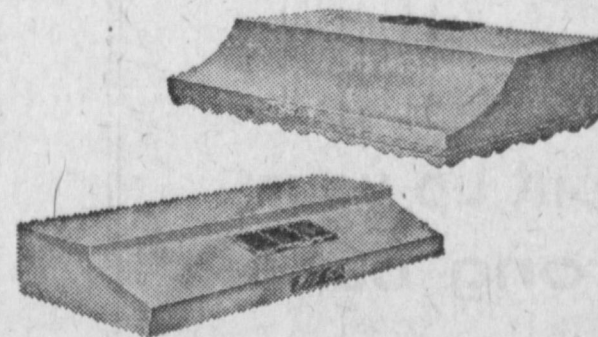
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Sunday night. During the afternoon slides were shown and there was much reminiscing about weddings of family members, Christmas reunions and special events. Mrs. Leo Lawson brought her accordion to lead caroling.

Attending were the Leo Lawsons (Mildred) of Gainesville, the Earl Waltersheids, the Ervin Waltersheids, the Donnie Waltersheids, the James Mollenkops, the Herbie Waltersheids, the Bobby Waltersheids and their families and Tommy Walterscheid. Special guests were Joe and John Kleiss and Lu Vogel. Many of the grandchildren were accompanied by dates.



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L. Wimmers Have Early Christmas

A noon dinner and family reunion on Sunday, December 21 with everyone bringing covered dishes of food, observed an early Christmas in the Lawrence Wimmer home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gressett and Gayle and David of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wimmer and Jenny and Kelly of Keller, Laurie Wimmer and a friend of Dallas, the Tim Wimmers and Jolanda, Brad and Jeff of Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hess and Sondra, Leslie and Gregory of Muenster, the Willie Wimmers and Stephanie and Shane of Muenster. In the afternoon there was a gift exchange.

Extension Service Schedules Meeting On Brucellosis

Texas Livestock producers will begin the new year with their attention focused on brucellosis once again, according to Dr. Tom Woodward, Area Livestock Specialist. Woodward says that producers are wondering "what effect will the quarantine placed on Texas cattle for out-of-state shipment have on the individual producer".

In any instance, the Texas beef producer will face hardship. Producers must face up to requirements necessary to regain the ability to ship cattle across the state line. "Also", Woodward continues, "we need to become familiar with current requirements and the specifics of the quarantine".

The entire brucellosis situation will be discussed in a meeting planned for the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center-Dallas on January 6, 1976. Set to begin at 7:30 p.m. the meeting will feature H. Robert Shay, DVM and P. A. Pickering, DVM, veterinarians from the U.S.D.A.'s division of Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service.

Area livestock producers are encouraged to attend and hear first hand about brucellosis fact and fantasy.

The Texas A&M Research and Extension Center is located 4.2 miles north of LBJ Freeway and Coit Road in northern Dallas County.

KC Kids Treated At Santa Party

Santa Claus spoke to each of over 90 children who attended the Knights of Columbus Christmas party Sunday night in the KC Hall. The large group of children, parents and grandparents sang Christmas carols, enjoyed refreshments and visited. There were bags of goodies and helium filled balloons for the children. Leftover bags of goodies were taken to the MAP meeting Tuesday.

It is not so important to be serious as it is to be serious about the important things. The monkey wears an expression of seriousness which would do credit to any college student, but the monkey is serious because he itches. —Robert M. Hutchins

IT HAPPENED 35 YEARS AGO

Dec. 27, 1940

Refinery ownership passes to group of local stockholders. A new WPA grant to finish sewer installation is expected soon. County pecan crop exceeds million pounds. Cooke, Grayson and Montague County farmers vote 546-87 favoring soil conservation district. Edward Beyer, 25, of Lindsay dies from injuries received when hit by a car in Amarillo. Buster Herr is back in Muenster after an extended visit in Blackfoot, Idaho. County draft quota is 26 men for January.

30 YEARS AGO

Dec. 28, 1945

Huge crowd attends Father Thomas Weinzapfel's first Mass here. Valley View's new church is dedicated. R. W. Morrison, 86, succumbs to brief illness on Christmas Day. Tire rationing will end January 1. Victor Hartman is getting around on crutches since he suffered second degree burns on his right foot in an accident at the cheese plant. Bob Bezner of Lindsay is recovering from an appendicitis operation. In three moves Gertrude Burkhart goes to Fort Worth, the Fred Herts move into that house which he bought, and the Felix Yostens move to the Herr farm.

25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 29, 1950

Muenster Mutual Insurance Company re-elects directors at annual meeting. Margie Eberhart and Eddie Krahl marry. The Joe Swirczynskis have open house on Christmas for relatives and friends. Paul Luke has quit work with the Katy at Denison and is here for a visit before leaving for the army on Jan. 5. Others joining the armed forces that day will be Virgil Stenge, Tommy Felderhoff, Leo Hesse, Alfons Koesler Jr., and Herbie Yosten. The J. S. Hogans get "All's Well" message from son Jerald who was trapped with the First Marine Division in Korea.

20 YEARS AGO

Dec. 30, 1955

Jake Pagel sells store to son Maurice and will retire Jan. 1. Meinrad Stoffels loses family car in Christmas fire. Death ends illness of six-months-old Debra Ann Bayer. Sister Bernarda, former local teacher, dies in Arkansas. Top B teams of the area will compete in holiday tourney. Jeanette-Fisher and Joe Gallaway marry Dec. 26. Pauline Myrick and Pat Stelzer say vows Dec. 27. Rev. Conrad Herda and Tony Fuhrmann were away from Lindsay two days visiting at Subiaco Abbey. 1955 rainfall to date totals 28.94, short 4.26 of ten year average.

15 YEARS AGO

Dec. 30, 1960

Officers arrest two burglars at The Center on Christmas Eve. Muenster State Bank declares annual dividend and reports big year. Christmas display at Andy Hofbauer home wins first prize in lighting

contest sponsored by Civic League and Garden Club. Hospital drive reaches \$169,518. Family reunions highlight holiday social activity here. Louise Barr and Johnny Fisher marry in Houston. The Fred Hennigans and the Pat Hennigans attend the funeral of their nephew and cousin, Leonard Hennigan, 35, in Ardmore. Major and Mrs. Pat Stelzer and children of Maine visit aunt Annie Hellman. The major's first visit back to his home town in many years. New arrivals: a boy for the Leroy Metzlers Dec. 21, a girl for the Charley Hellmans Dec. 23, and a girl for the Lloyd Trubenbachs Dec. 25.

10 YEARS AGO

Dec. 31, 1965

Gifts await first 1966 baby born in Muenster Hospital... the package promoted by Hospital Auxiliary. A review of Muenster Volunteer Fire Department activity the past year shows 19 calls outside the city and ten inside the city limits. Mrs. Joe Rauschuber, 91, formerly of Lindsay dies in San Antonio. Earl Robison is first to announce for political race. New residents: the Walter Bartel and A. V. Grant families. Airman Gary Cler reports safe arrival in Okinawa. Family reunions are highlights of Christmas time. Margie Owen and Maurice Pagel marry. Candace Fette and Gene Riggs announce engagement. Annual Christmas party for Sacred Heart altar boys has about 80 present.

5 YEARS AGO

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J. P. Flusches
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Flusche on Christmas Day for a family reunion with gift exchange and dinner at 6 were children and grandchildren, with only one family missing.

Coming from Garland were the Dave Flusches and family, and from Lindsay were the Julius Hermes and Bill Martin families to join the Don, Tom and Harold Flusche families, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hermes, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Flusche, Bill and Jack and Miss Linda Miller.

A special treat for Christmas morning was an overseas

telephone call from the Flusches to their daughter Sue and family, the Tom Trachtas in Germany. They sent holiday greetings to family and friends and are looking forward to their return to the states in September of 1976.

Tony Felderhoffs
Children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Felderhoff reunited on Christmas Day. There was a dinner at noon followed by a gift exchange, visiting and Christmas carols.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Felderhoff and Cindy, Ronnie, Mary, Cathy, Jeff and the Steve Felderhoffs, Robert Zimmerers, all of Gainesville and the Anthony Felderhoffs Jr. of Denton and Curtis Klement; also Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Felderhoff and daughters and Ruthie's mother, Mrs. Wm. Frazier of Joliet, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Walterscheid and children; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felderhoff and children of Dallas.

Other friends called during the day with holiday greetings.

Ray Owens

Guests for Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owens for dinner at noon and supper before they departed were their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren including the Jim Hermes family of Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Marc Barnes and Jessie of Era, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Inman and Keith of Shreveport, La.; also Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Langford and Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henscheid and sons, Mrs. Lois Wray and

daughters, Mrs. Cheryl Raney and Danny and Bobby Hibbetts all of Irving; also Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Embry and daughters of Gainesville, Mrs. Billy Reiter and family, Maurice Pagel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Russell and Lisa and Henry and Hilda Pautler all of Muenster, for a total of 48.

Clive Gobble

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Gobble entertained Tuesday evening, December 23 with a brother-sister gift exchange party. It was planned to honor especially her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bagwell, recently returned from Kajaki, Afghanistan and enroute to their home in Carmichael, California, near Sacramento; also Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Eddy and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patterson, all of Muenster.

At the Gobble home for Christmas dinner on December 25 were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cathey of Henrietta and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gobble and son Michael.

Mrs. Joe Vogel

Home for Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass and Christmas Day with their mother and grandmother Mrs. Joe Vogel were Mr. and Mrs. Don Vogel and Tracy Lynn of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sherrell and Kenny and Greg of Fort Worth, Weldon Vogel and children Dale, Kari and Michael of Dallas, Leonard Vogel and Christel Monzel of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Otto, Sue and Mike of Gainesville, Mary Jane and Brenda Beyer of Denton, Gary Beyer of Nacogdoches, Mrs. Robert Beyer and Carol of Lindsay.

Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hess, Brian and Sherri, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Walterscheid, all of Muenster. Mr. and Mrs. Don Muller and children Stephen, Matt and Gay Lynn of Amarillo arrived Friday and were house guests of her mother until Sunday afternoon. They divided time with his parents, the Matt Mullers. Illness of their child kept

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hoenig from attending the family reunion and distance prevented the Wayne Keys family of Little Rock from being here, but both families phoned greetings, as did Wilbert Vogel who told his mother about his transfer from Saudi Arabia to Tehran, Iran and about plans for a visit at home in January.

Edd McGannon

Spending Christmas and the weekend with a son-in-law, daughter and grandchildren was a special treat for Edd McGannon who was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lins and Douglas, Karl and Mike of Hurst. On Christmas Day they all enjoyed a telephone visit with his son Charles McGannon of New Orleans, La.

Ed Cler Family

For the first time in thirteen years, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cler had all their family together, when children and grandchildren gathered for a Christmas reunion. First to arrive were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cler and children Keith and Michael of Bothall, Washington, who flew to D-FW on December 15 and will remain until January 3. They were met by his sisters Christie Cler of Arlington, Mrs. Danny Wyatt of Watauga and his brother Jim Cler and were brought to Muenster by Christie and Jim.

They spent the week before Christmas visiting relatives and on Christmas Eve were joined again by Christie Cler, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wyatt and Julie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Youngblood and Tommy, Bobby, Dianne, Billy, Cindy and Steven of Blue Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fuhrmann and Donna, Richard, Jennifer and Sharon of Myra and Jim, Mark, Doug and Tony of the home. Another guest was Denise Hermes of Hood.

They were all together for attendance at Midnight Mass and dinner on Christmas Day in the Ed Cler home.

The Youngbloods stayed through Sunday. The Wyatts and Christie went to their homes Thursday night but returned again for the weekend.

39 Get Together For Hay Ride and Caroling Party

There were thirty nine carolers in a group of parents and children who enjoyed a very special hayride on Monday, December 22. The group met about 6:30 at the Carl Walterscheid home, rode a pickup and trailer into town to visit and serenade at homes of grandparents and friends, viewed Christmas decorations and drove back to the Jerry Walterscheid home for a supper of hamburgers and homemade Christmas cookies.

Included in the group were the families of Larry Hennigan, Billy Don Wolf, Pat Hess, Harold Bindel, Carl Walterscheid and Jerry Walterscheid. Other guests were Deann Walterscheid, Bob Hamric, Dwayne Walterscheid, Mike and Kim Bedrick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bedrick joined the group in the Jerry Walterscheid home.

A friend once offered Mark Twain the chance to make a profitable business deal with a merchant whose gains were mostly ill-gotten.

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WEEKLY Health TIP

from BOB PELS, R. Ph.

Most tooth decay takes place within 30 minutes after eating — and the main contributors are sugary and syrupy foods, such as pastry, candy and cola. If you cannot brush your teeth after every meal or snack, it is better to avoid the sticky, sugary foods — a glass of milk or piece of fruit is preferred.

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More than 128 million motor vehicles are being driven over a trillion miles a year on U.S. highways, reports the Automotive Information Council. The flea can lift 140 times its own weight. If a man could do this, he would be capable of lifting a 10-ton truck.

100 Year Column Is State Feature Of Bicentennial

Whatever was going on in Texas a hundred years ago? "Washington County: The Brenham Opera House is nearly completed, and is indeed a fine structure."

"Fort Worth — For Sale: 80 acres of timber, about five miles from here. Price is \$6 per acre."

"Navarro County — Corsicana shipped from Sept. 1 to Dec. 29, 10,053 bales of cotton, 33,700 pounds of wool, 58,403 hides and 1,383 head of livestock."

It all happened in 1876. Texans will learn more about their state as it was during America's Centennial in a new column to be distributed through the Texas Press Association.

It is called "Tejas 1876," and the material has been compiled from 100-year-old newspaper accounts by the Department of Mass Communications at Texas Tech University, Lubbock.

Sarah J. Stone, now a member of the faculty at West Texas State University, was the principal researcher for the project while she was a graduate student at Texas Tech. She earned the master of arts degree in mass communications last August.

The column takes a week at a time and begins with Jan. 1-7, 1876.

Dr. Billy I. Ross, chairman of the Department of Mass Communications at Tech, said that Mrs. Stone edited news stories for length but did not change wording.

"The style is strictly 1876," he said. "Length had to be cut to allow variety."

Each column contains about 10 items, and the first reports happenings 100 years ago in Fort Worth, Waco, Houston, Galveston, Brenham, Navarro County, and Nacogdoches County. The final item in each column is an advertisement.

"While we are celebrating the national Bicentennial," Dr. Ross said, "we think Texans will enjoy looking back to the American Centennial as seen across their own state."

"I've come to pay that bill I've owed you for so long," said Jones. "That letter you wrote me would get money out of a stone. How did you ever think it up?"

Replied his creditor: "I didn't. I selected the best part from letters my son sends me from college."

A faulty automatic choke wastes gas. If your car continues to idle "fast" after a reasonable warm-up period, have the choke adjusted.

TEJAS 1876

January 1-7, 1876
FORT WORTH — Happy New Year — this is the first day of January, 1876. Quite a number of drunks and downs were reported for Christmas Week, but not a single fight, as far as we have learned. Truly Fort Worth is a peaceable town.

WACO — Marshall & Early's block was burned on New Year's Eve with the entire stock of goods lost. Loss totalled \$20,000; insurance on

block \$6,000; on stock \$5,000. Cause unknown.

HOUSTON — The meeting of the opponents to the new constitution called at Perkin's Theater at noon today was a complete failure. The Houston reporter of the Galveston News, the commercial editor of the Telegraph and one of the publishers of the Age were the only persons present. Two of those favor the instrument and the other is on the fence.

GALVESTON — This week, month and year closed simultaneously upon a dull cotton market.

BRENHAM — There are 14 prisoners in our county jail, and nine of the number are charged with hog stealing. This amusement costs the taxpayers a dear price.

GALVESTON — Two dead bodies have been discovered in a cesspool in the rear of, and on the outside of the City Hospital grounds. Although the bodies were to far decomposed to ascertain their identities, it was obvious from the state of the corpses that they had been used as subjects in the dissecting room. An investigation has been ordered in the "shocking affair."

FORT WORTH — There is something wrong at the Dallas post office. Letters have been received here recently 10 days after they were mailed and postmarked at Dallas.

NAVARRO COUNTY — Corsicana shipped from Sept. 1 to Dec. 29, 10,053 bales of cotton, 33,700 pounds of wool, 58,403 hides and 1,383 head of live stock.

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY The bones of a large mastadon have been discovered near Nacogdoches.

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Winners of Giant Stockings Named

Lee Roy Voth, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Voth, and Donald Hennigan were the lucky winners at drawings just before Christmas for the giant Christmas stockings given by Hamric's and Muenster Butane. Registrations for the big prizes had been conducted at the two stores during December.

Contents of the stockings, valued at more than \$100, consisted mostly of toys, games and goodies.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hofbauer are proud parents of a son, Jason Dale born at Muenster Memorial Hospital on December 17 at 10:03 a.m., weighing 8 lb. 2 1/4 oz. His grandparents are the Clem Hofbauers and the James Eckarts, and he is a new little brother for Jayna and Angela. Mrs. John Eckart of Subiaco, Arkansas, is great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hacker of Saint Jo are parents of a daughter, Jennifer Dawn, born in Muenster Memorial Hospital on December 20 at 11:48 a.m. The paternal grandparents are Edward Hacker of Muenster and Mrs. Odessa Hacker of Saint Jo. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Wanda Bunch of Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ice of Nocona are parents of a son Bradley Ray, born at Muenster Memorial Hospital on December 20 at 7:13 p.m., weighing 6 lb. 7 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gutzler of Saint Jo are parents of a son born on December 22 at 6:19 a.m. in Muenster Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lb. 15 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kubicek of Era proudly announce a daughter, Mary Diann, a baby sister for Dave and Steve. She was born in Muenster Memorial Hospital on December 23 at 12:15 p.m., weighing 6 lb. 9 1/2 oz. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lutkenhaus of Muenster and Mr. and Mrs. John Kubicek of Valley View.

Mr. and Mrs. Matrice Pagel announce with pride the birth of a son, Christopher Michael on Tuesday, December 23 at 9:20 p.m., weighing 7 lb. 13 1/2 oz., in Muenster Memorial Hospital. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owens. Paternal grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pagel.

Application for Jobs Accepted By Civil Service

Congressman Omar Burleson said today that the Civil Service Commission is now receiving applications for the 1976 competitive examination for summer employment with the United States Government. The examination leads to eligibility for appointment to most temporary summer jobs in the clerical field and as aides in engineering and science occupations.

The commission has announced the filing deadlines. Those who file by December 12 will be tested in January. Those who file by January 16 will be tested in February. No test application postmarked after January 16 will be accepted. The Congressman urges students to file early for the test to enhance their chances for employment.

Complete instructions for filing and information on opportunities available are contained in CSC announcement No. 414, Summer Jobs in Federal Agencies, which may be obtained upon request through Congressman Burleson's Washington Office, 2369 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D. C., 20515, or from Federal Job Information Centers, most college placement offices, or from the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. 20415.

The Commission will not automatically send forms to those who qualified in the previous year, and who wish to remain on the lists for consideration in 1976. Those who qualified for summer employment in 1975 must update their applications by submitting a form enclosed in the summer employment announcement by February 27, 1976. They are not required to retake the written test.

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