



Without a doubt the hottest topic in rural Texas today is the report of the Governor's Committee on Public School Education.

This column is inclined to be more optimistic. It expects sweeping changes to result from the report, but far short in many respects from those suggested.

Foremost is the matter of personal rights. It is both unjust and unAmerican to impose on thousands of rural people a system which they do not want.

The more likely outcome is that there will be few if any mandatory mergers but some changes of regulations and standards which will encourage voluntary mergers.

The committee's report emphasized two complaints. One was the inequality of tax, the other the sub standard rating of average rural schools.

We must admit that the first complaint is justified. We can't argue with the figures showing that rural property is taxed lower than urban in relation to actual value, nor that, in the state's system of school financing, the rural child gets more support than the city child.

Corrective measures are practically inevitable on that issue. No matter what is done about the rest of the report, we can expect legislation to establish more equality of the rural and urban tax structure.

Doing that will provide an automatic answer to a big gripe of the committee report. With an increase of local support the rural child will need less state support. Per capita allotments can be equalized.

In a nutshell, the answer to the committee's complaint on finances is simply to require rural areas to bear their share of the cost of education. There really isn't any need to combine it with the proposal of creating huge districts.

Of course we are aware that the proposed purpose of the county wide district is to have a superior school system. But most rural folks are not ready to agree that it is superior. They prefer what they have.

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The Schilling family has expressed thanks to all who gathered at the scene so quickly to help and to those who remained to repair gas and water lines that were broken in the mishap.

1969 Car License Plates Will Glow

Something new has been added to this year's car license plates. They have a reflecting paint which glows at night in the light of another car's lights and makes the numbers stand out more distinctly.

The new plates are on hand at the office of Tax Assessor-Collector Jo Hillis, waiting to go on sale February 1. The special paint job, she said, was purchased by the extra charge of 30 cents on last year's license plates, and the same additional charge on this year's plates will put the reflectorized finish on the 1970 plates.

Plates this year have black numerals on a white background, the reverse color scheme of the 1968 licenses. Number series assigned for passenger cars of this county is SPD-825 through FPS-999.

A slight change of procedure will apply in the issue of these plates, Mrs. Hillis said. Receipts will show the owner's residence address as an added detail for the computerized record of titles and licenses now being set up by the Department of Public Safety.

Because the receipt information will be used in setting up the state computer records, owners are urged to check their receipts carefully as soon as they buy their licenses. Mistakes should be reported immediately to keep them from going into permanent record.

Another change of procedure is due for the 1970 licenses. Owners will receive computer printed registration renewal forms. The county tax collector will validate that form, giving one copy to the owner as a receipt and sending one copy to DPS for use in up dating the owner's registration data.

Muenster car owners will again have an opportunity to buy their car and pickup tags at Tom and Jerry's Barber Shop.

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Christian Unity Service Set in Local Churches

Inter faith religious services intended to help promote harmony among the denominations will be held in the two Muenster churches next week. The first service will be held Wednesday night, the 22nd, in the First Baptist Church under direction of The Reverend John Brooks.

The common worship and prayer was arranged in response to urgings of the Council of Churches and the Catholic hierarchy in order to achieve a better understanding between the faiths.

Local Food Show For 4-H Girls to Be Held Saturday

Muenster 4-H Club girls will test their skills in a local Foods Show Saturday at 2 p.m. in Sacred Heart High School. This is a practice session in preparation for the county contest they will enter at Gainesville on January 25.

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News of the Men in Service

On 30 Day Leave Spec. 4 Larry Sicking is on a 30-day leave with his mother Mrs. Thomas Sicking and family, coming from Vietnam after receiving word of the death of his father, Larry has been in the Army 18 months, four of them in Vietnam.

Due Home Jan. 25 Spec. 4 John Riggs who has been soldiering in Germany the past two years will be out of the Army and back at home in Muenster on Jan. 25 if his schedule works out. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medders.

Back From Vietnam Capt. Don Wilson is back at home, a year of duty in Vietnam finished, and a new assignment at Fort Hood to go to after his 30-day leave. His wife and two small sons have been living here while he was overseas, will move to Fort Hood with him. Don's promotion to Captain came in Vietnam on Jan. 5.

Notify Bruns if Child Was Missed In School Census

The annual scholastic census of the Muenster school district is proceeding normally. According to Superintendent L. B. Bruns, this means that all seems to be in order but he cannot be completely sure his list is complete.

Census blanks for all of the known scholastics have been sent to parents for verification and signature and most of them have been returned. If any parent of a school age child has not received the form he or she is urged to get in touch with Mr. Bruns immediately.

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By Staff Surgeons

Pacemaker Operation Performed at Hospital

A brand new experience and a major advance in the care of heart patients at Muenster Memorial Hospital was last Sunday's operation in which a Pacemaker was installed to correct the faulty heart beats of one of its patients.

Staff doctors of the hospital performed the operation as a cardiologist of Wichita Falls manned the hospital's cardiac machine in monitoring the patient's condition and standing by in case of emergency.

The stand-by machine is the one used three times recently to revive the patient after "death". Each time the heart had stopped and normal action was restored by use of the machine. Each time normal heart action was sustained thereafter by the pacemaker which is a part of the machine.

However, the machine is for use in emergency and not to live with. The patient is immobilized, also endures a constant mild burning feeling from contact of the electrodes.

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machine the average patient returns to normal and is able to get along without it. But not in this case. Two attempts revealed the danger of a fatal attack at any time unless a pacemaker is kept on the job.

The pacemaker can be described as an electrical instrument to compensate when a person's natural electrical impulse fails to control the heart properly. It may be a part of the heart machine with external contact electrodes which can be used in emergency. Or it may be a small instrument with an electrode leading directly to the heart. The small instrument is for constant use and causes no sensation of pain or irritation. It is the unit chosen for the local patient.

The smaller pacemaker consists of a disc shaped instrument weighing about five ounces complete with a small storage battery. Leading from it is an electrode of thin plastic covered platinum wire with the platinum exposed for contact at the tip.

In the operation the instrument is installed in a small pocket made by an incision in the skin of the chest. From there the electrode leads under the skin to the jugular vein at the neck. It is inserted into

Tigers Admitted To Conference of Private Schools

Sacred Heart's Tigers will compete in conference football and basketball next year. They were admitted last Saturday into the Texas Independent School Conference which is made up of seven teams in the Dallas Fort Worth area and here.

Coaches Joe Felderhoff and Joe Wilkinson represented Sacred Heart at the meeting, which was held at Greenhill in Dallas.

Another school admitted is Cistercian Prep of Irving. Prior to then the members were Dallas Christian and Greenhill of Dallas, Fort Worth Christian, Trinity Valley and Fort Worth Day School of Fort Worth.

Felderhoff said the membership requires participation in football and basketball. Participation in track and baseball will be optional. Future plans also include a girls' basketball loop for the co-ed schools.

Felderhoff said that all teams except Trinity Valley are on next year's Sacred Heart football schedule. It could not be included because the teams cannot match open dates. Other games on the Tiger schedule are Saint Jo, Era, Alvord, Anna and Collinsville.

Dedication, Open House Set Sunday For Weber Aircraft's New Factory

Weber Aircraft officials in Gainesville have announced plans for the dedication of the new Weber plant followed by an open house to be held on Sunday afternoon, January 19, 1969, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend the 1:30 dedication ceremony and to tour the plant. Management personnel and guides will be on hand to explain the functions of each department and the plant machinery and equipment. The new Weber plant is located adjacent to the Gainesville Municipal Airport, one fourth mile north of U. S. Highway 82.

Fred Godfrey, president of Weber Aircraft, first announced the selection of the Gainesville location for a new plant in September of 1967, and the company started operations in Gainesville in October, 1967. This was the first venture by the company away from its Burbank, California, location.

For the first year, the firm operated temporarily in several buildings in Gainesville, awaiting completion of the new structure. The 175,000 square foot building was completed in December, 1968, and all production departments and administrative offices have moved into the building.

Weber Aircraft, which is a division of Walter Kidde &

that vein and pushed down until the tip comes in contact with the inside of the heart.

Present indications are that the operation was a complete success. Electrocardiogram tests show a steady strong heartbeat at the rate of 88 per minute as controlled by the frequency of the instrument, and the patient's condition is improving with encouraging prospects of a return to normal life. There are many cases on record of Pacemaker wearers who are living a normal life.

As regards life expectancy of the Pacemaker, the battery is supposed to last five years. Changing it is regarded as a simple operation, after which the instrument is as good as new.

Voter Registration Deadline Is Near

With only two weeks remaining until the deadline for voter registration, County Tax Assessor-Collector Jo Hillis announced this week that less than half of the county's eligible people have their certificates. She also urged people to apply at once to avoid forgetting and also to avoid the late rush.

Application blanks were included with tax statements, she said. People who still have not paid are reminded to fill out the form and submit it along with tax remittance. Those who have no forms can get them at the tax office. As a convenience to Muenster residents, she said, a supply of the blanks was left at Muenster State Bank.

Mrs. Hillis also pointed out that the application should be filled out carefully so that no item of information is overlooked.

Up to Monday the tax office had issued 5200 registration certificates. The county's total last year, a presidential election year, was 10,331.

18 Take College Entrance Tests

Fifteen students from Sacred Heart High and three from Muenster Public High were among students taking tests for entrance into state colleges. The exams were given Saturday from 8 to 12 at Gainesville High School. Other students taking the tests were from Gainesville, Lindsay and Forestburg.

Those from Sacred Heart were Kenneth Schmitt, Melvin Bayer, J. D. Lutmer, Mike Endres, Robert Knauft, Ann Stewart, Beverly Koelzer, Diane Hess, Janice Grewing, Margaret Kralicke, Lynn Reiter, Dolores Pels, Valerie Voth, Cynthia Bindel and Mary Jane Swirczynski.

From Muenster High were Susan Yosten, Kenny Swirczynski and Jan Wilde.

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A feather for a worm seems reasonable to the bird, so the exchange is made. The next day the bird is hungry again. He weighs the inconvenience of searching for food against the expediency of trading with the fisherman and decides in favor of expediency. After a few days, the bird has traded off so many feathers that he cannot fly. He continues to make his daily trip to the fisherman on foot until all of his feathers are gone. At this point, the fisherman picks up the fat, naked bird and cooks him for dinner.

As we enter the New Year, leaving behind a year marked

with crime and violence, we might ask ourselves if the American eagle has a full plumage or is he missing feathers because of our expediency in bartering with criminals.

A persuasive argument can be made that the law-abiding citizen's freedoms diminish in direct proportion to the increase of criminal activity in our country. His risk of becoming the victim of a serious crime increased 15 percent in 1967, and a similar rise is indicated for 1968. In many areas, fear forces the citizen to remain off the streets at night, and anxiety makes him suspicious of strangers. Some merchants are intimidated by thugs who walk away with merchandise. More and more businesses are adopting policies not to accommodate the public but to protect their property and thwart criminals on their assaults on their employees. The list of abuses keeps growing, and society's scope of rights and freedoms keeps shrinking.

Certainly, under the rule of law those who abide by the law should have protection equal to that of those who break the law. Many Americans feel that they do not have equal protection.

As we look to the future, we must bring the matter of crime and the criminal back into balance with the safety and welfare of the public. Concern and pity for the lawbreaker cannot be permitted to deprive the peaceful citizen of his rights and freedoms. Palliative policies and appeasements are producing soaring crime rates and filling our streets with criminals who should be in jail.

In 1969, let us resolve to have fair but vigorous law enforcement, prompt and decisive prosecution, and realistic punishment of criminals. In dealing with crime, expediency is a shortcut to disaster. Let us not trade our freedom for a can of worms.

—J. Edgar Hoover
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SCORPION SCANDAL

President Johnson and his Administration are sitting on the greatest political and global dynamite since Pearl Harbor.

This dynamite is the affair of the U. S. submarine Scorpion and of the Soviet role in sending her and her 99 crewmen to the bottom of the Atlantic on May 25, 1968.

The facts are, briefly, as follows:

When, on May 27, the Scorpion was overdue, officials in the U. S. Navy Department guessed what had happened to this atomic submarine.

Nevertheless, the U.S. Government appealed for assistance not only to the Portuguese and the British who own islands in the vicinity of the spot where Scorpion was lost—and who immediately put all their facilities and naval units in the area at the disposal of the U.S. Navy—the Johnson Administration also appealed to the Soviets to help locate and perhaps rescue the Scorpion and her crew.

Since a Soviet U-boat was known to have been tailing the Scorpion (the last message from the vanished American submarine, which was sent on May 21, 1968, had so reported)—Soviet cooperation was indeed of crucial importance.

If President Johnson and his aids — Clark Clifford, Dean Rusk, etc.—had really entertained illusions about what befell the Scorpion—the Soviet reply must have had the effect of a cold shower, for the Kremlin curtly and bluntly turned down the appeal.

The Reds' rejection of the American appeal in fact was an intimation to Johnson, Clifford, Rusk not to be so silly and not to pretend that they did not know what the score was in regards to the "Badger" and the Scorpion.

The Presidential campaign was already on and the officials of the U. S. Navy who had to do with the search for the Scorpion were enjoined "restraint" in their comments on the matter. Thus it was that when the wreckage of the ill-fated submarine was finally found on October 30, 1968, the Johnson Administration delayed for a few more days — until after the vote had taken place — the release of the essential detail that the Scorpion's wreckage was in many pieces, i.e. that she had been blown into smithereens by enemy action.

This restraint, or news management, still continued. The big idea is to spare the American public the shock of discovering the Soviet treachery until after the U. S. Senate has had the time to ratify the newly-negotiated Soviet-American treaty of Nuclear Non-Proliferation, without the Senators being distracted from their "duty" by the all-too-likely outcry of their constituents.

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the countries threatened by the rebounding Soviet imperialism from arming themselves with the only weapons that would give food for thought to the Kremlin bosses when they come around to repeat their Czechoslovakian tactics against Sweden, Finland, Denmark, Austria, Germany and other civilized countries throughout the world who lie on the path of Soviet expansion and who may have the resources and the courage to build their own "Great Deterrent."

It is evidently the view of the powers that be in Washington that it is so imperative to stop those free nations from conjuring the Soviet threat that a small matter like the sneak attack by a Soviet submarine against U.S.S. Scorpion and the death of the 99 crewmen, who lie in 10,000 feet of water, should not be allowed to interfere with the scheme.

So the "Little Pearl Harbor" is hidden from the American public until it can be educated to accept it equanimously.

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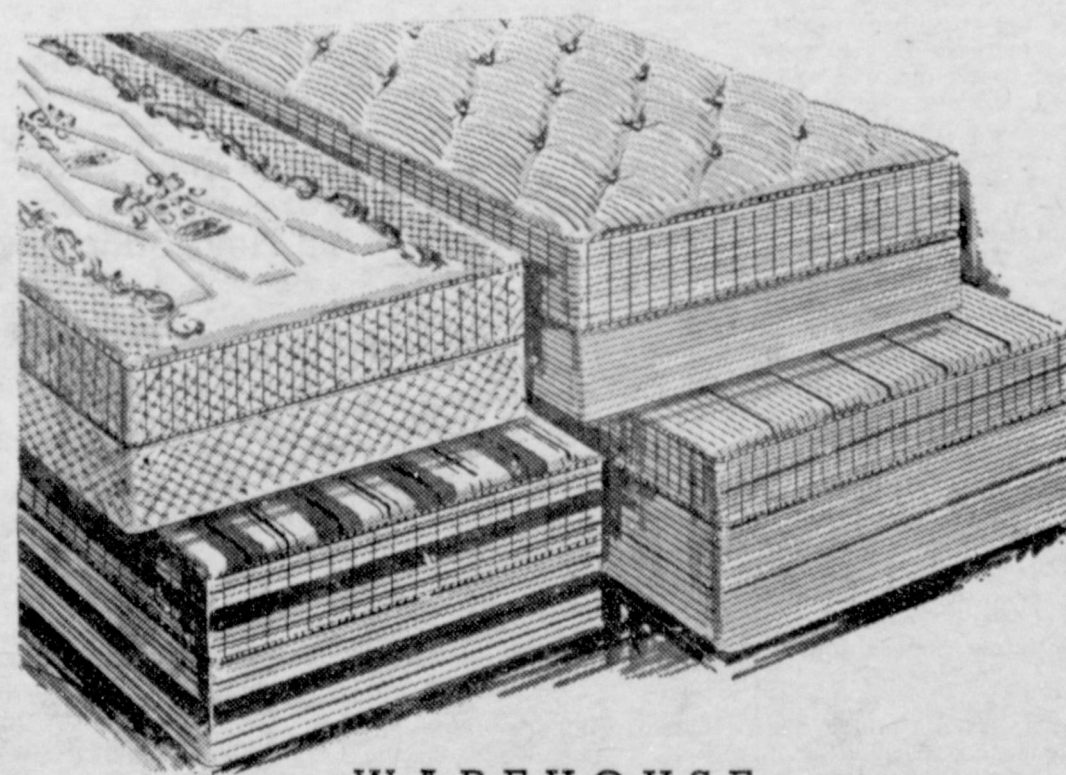
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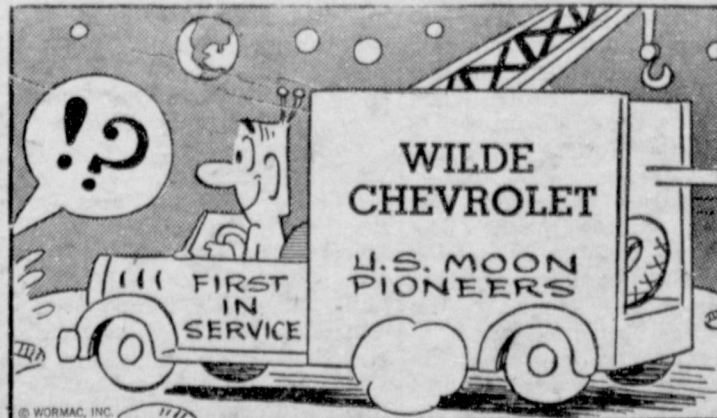
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A feather for a worm seems reasonable to the bird, so the exchange is made. The next day the bird is hungry again. He weighs the inconvenience of searching for food against the expediency of trading with the fisherman and decides in favor of expediency. After a few days, the bird has traded off so many feathers that he cannot fly. He continues to make his daily trip to the fisherman on foot until all of his feathers are gone. At this point, the fisherman picks up the fat, naked bird and cooks him for dinner.

As we enter the New Year, leaving behind a year marked

with crime and violence, we might ask ourselves if the American eagle has a full plumage or is he missing feathers because of our expediency in bartering with criminals.

A persuasive argument can be made that the law-abiding citizen's freedoms diminish in direct proportion to the increase of criminal activity in our country. His risk of becoming the victim of a serious crime increased 15 percent in 1967, and a similar rise is indicated for 1968. In many areas, fear forces the citizen to remain off the streets at night, and anxiety makes him suspicious of strangers. Some merchants are intimidated by thugs who walk away with merchandise. More and more businesses are adopting policies not to accommodate the public but to protect their property and thwart criminals on their assaults on their employees. The list of abuses keeps growing, and society's scope of rights and freedoms keeps shrinking.

Certainly, under the rule of law those who abide by the law should have protection equal to that of those who break the law. Many Americans feel that they do not have equal protection.

As we look to the future, we must bring the matter of crime and the criminal back into balance with the safety and welfare of the public. Concern and pity for the lawbreaker cannot be permitted to deprive the peaceful citizen of his rights and freedoms. Palliative policies and appeasements are producing soaring crime rates and filling our streets with criminals who should be in jail.

In 1969, let us resolve to have fair but vigorous law enforcement, prompt and decisive prosecution, and realistic punishment of criminals. In dealing with crime, expediency is a shortcut to disaster. Let us not trade our freedom for a can of worms.

—J. Edgar Hoover
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SCORPION SCANDAL

President Johnson and his Administration are sitting on the greatest political and global dynamite since Pearl Harbor.

This dynamite is the affair of the U. S. submarine Scorpion and of the Soviet role in sending her and her 99 crewmen to the bottom of the Atlantic on May 25, 1968.

The facts are, briefly, as follows:

When, on May 27, the Scorpion was overdue, officials in the U. S. Navy Department guessed what had happened to this atomic submarine.

Nevertheless, the U.S. Government appealed for assistance not only to the Portuguese and the British who own islands in the vicinity of the spot where Scorpion was lost—and who immediately put all their facilities and naval units in the area at the disposal of the U.S. Navy—the Johnson Administration also appealed to the Soviets to help locate and perhaps rescue the Scorpion and her crew.

Since a Soviet U-boat was known to have been tailing the Scorpion (the last message from the vanished American submarine, which was sent on May 21, 1968, had so reported)—Soviet cooperation was indeed of crucial importance.

If President Johnson and his aids — Clark Clifford, Dean Rusk, etc.—had really entertained illusions about what befell the Scorpion — the Soviet reply must have had the effect of a cold shower, for the Kremlin curtly and bluntly turned down the appeal.

The Reds' rejection of the American appeal in fact was an intimation to Johnson, Clifford, Rusk not to be so silly and not to pretend that they did not know what the score was in regards to the "Badger" and the Scorpion.

The Presidential campaign was already on and the officials of the U. S. Navy who had to do with the search for the Scorpion were enjoined "restraint" in their comments on the matter. Thus it was that when the wreckage of the ill-fated submarine was finally found on October 30, 1968, the Johnson Administration delayed for a few more days — until after the vote had taken place — the release of the essential detail that the Scorpion's wreckage was in many pieces, i.e. that she had been blown into smithereens by enemy action.

This restraint, or news management, still continued. The big idea is to spare the American public the shock of discovering the Soviet treachery until after the U. S. Senate has had the time to ratify the newly-negotiated Soviet-American treaty of Nuclear Non-Proliferation, without the Senators being distracted from their "duty" by the all-too-likely outcry of their constituents.

The big idea is to prevent

the countries threatened by the rebounding Soviet imperialism from arming themselves with the only weapons that would give food for thought to the Kremlin bosses when they come around to repeat their Czechoslovakian tactics against Sweden, Finland, Denmark, Austria, Germany and other civilized countries throughout the world who lie on the path of Soviet expansion and who may have the resources and the courage to build their own "Great Deterrent."

It is evidently the view of the powers that be in Washington that it is so imperative to stop those free nations from conjuring the Soviet threat that a small matter like the sneak attack by a Soviet submarine against U.S.S. Scorpion and the death of the 99 crewmen, who lie in 10,000 feet of water, should not be allowed to interfere with the scheme.

So the "Little Pearl Harbor" is hidden from the American public until it can be educated to accept it equanimously.
 —Washington Observer

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 4,706,806.52
U. S. Government Securities	1,893,783.56
Municipal, Other Securities	1,455,730.74
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	13,500.00
Cash and Due from Banks	1,993,247.30
Furniture and Fixtures	67,380.93
Banking House	400,000.00
Bank Parking Lot	30,000.00
Other Real Estate	47,500.00
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$10,607,949.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 150,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	154,318.35
Reserves	150,000.00
Reserves for Dividend	12,000.00
Deposits	9,841,630.70
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$10,607,949.05

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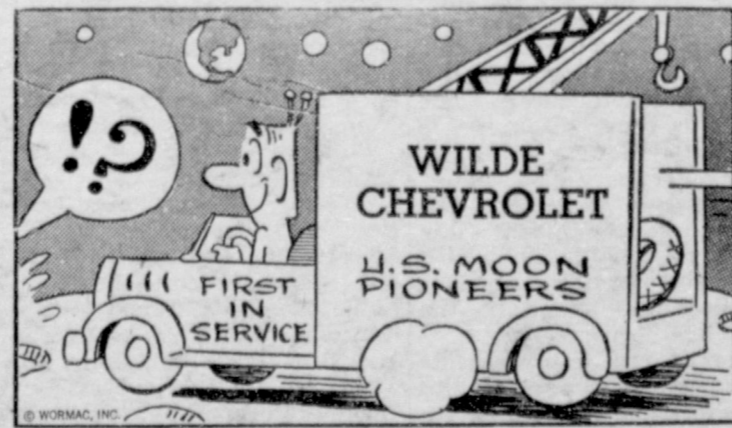
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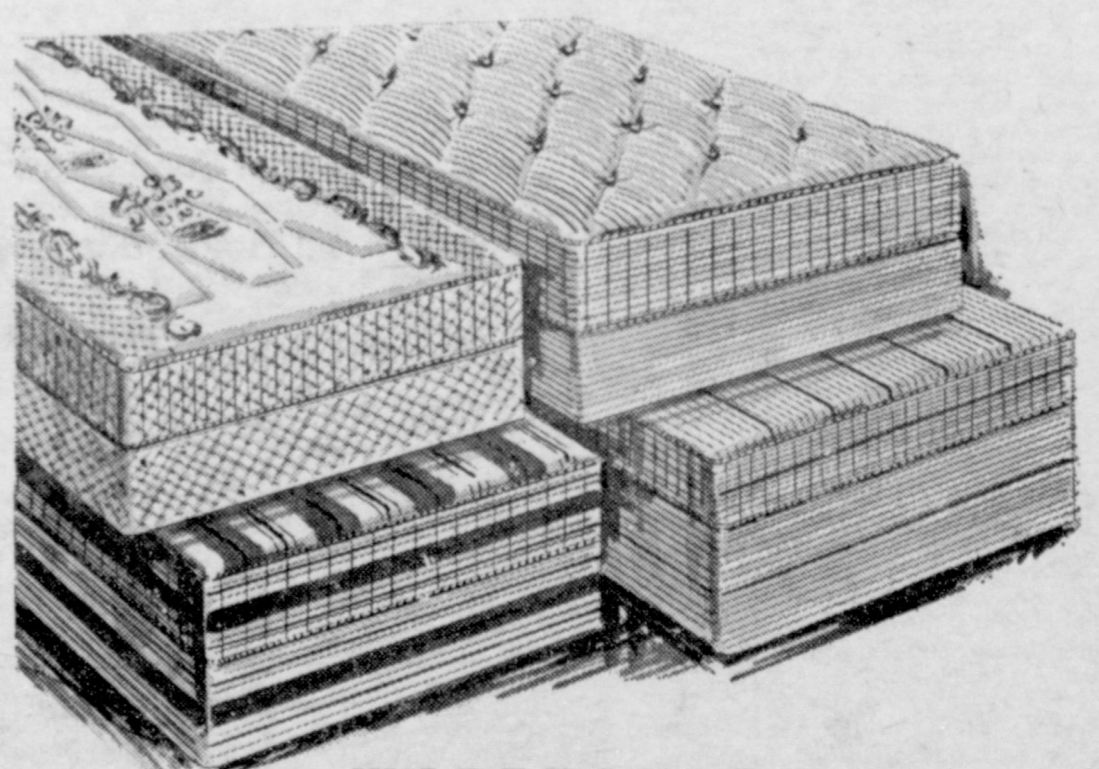
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fore putting shirt in laundry. Iodine stains will come out of a shirt if sponged with household ammonia and then washed.
To remove blood stains, sponge with cold water then powder quickly with starch.

After the starch dries, brush it off. You can also apply ammonia to blood spots before washing with good results.
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Robert Weinzapfel Birthday Honoree

Seventh birthday of Robert Weinzapfel was celebrated Saturday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weinzapfel, hosts in the family home.

Presenting gifts and helping eat birthday cake and ice cream were the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weinzapfel and cousins David, Lola, Joseph, Thomas, Samuel, Julia and James Bright, their parents Mr. and Mrs. David Bright and Robert's brother Ronnie and sister Melissa.

Truck Will Call

The Salvation Army truck is scheduled to be in Muenster next Monday, Jan. 20. A call to 759-4311 will bring the truck to any home or business place in the Muenster area.

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Bill Murch, 10, Is Birthday Honoree

Birthday surprises delighted Bill Murch Friday after school when his mother, Mrs. Don Murch, entertained with a party in the family home north of Muenster.

Bill was ten Saturday and his Cub scout den members helped him celebrate. There are seven boys in the den.

Gifts, games with prizes, and party refreshments made it a gay afternoon for the youngsters.

Also sharing in party activities were Bill's sisters Joyce who's 13 and helped serve, and Donna who is five and had a guest of her own, Traci Sawyer who was observing her fifth birthday Friday. Traci's mother Mrs. Cecil Sawyer helped with party plans.

Bill's guests were Danny Walterscheid, Robert Hartman, Brent Hess, Bernie Fette, Randy Williams and Randy Sawyer.

Pessimist: Man who financed an optimist.



Inge Kieninger And Bill Mayes Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Kieninger announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Inge Kieninger, and Bill Mayes, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Mayes of Gainesville.

No definite date has been set for the wedding. The future bridegroom is serving aboard the USS Puget Sound with Newport, R. I. Naval Base as his home base. He will be separated from the service in August this year. He was graduated from Gainesville High School.

The future bride attended school here and was graduated from Excelsior Springs, Mo., Job Corps Center for Women the past May. She is employed in the dietary department at Muenster Memorial Hospital.

Pre-Nuptial Party Fetes Bride Elect Mary Dittlinger

A miscellaneous gift shower honored Miss Mary Dittlinger of Houston, bride-elect of Charles Felderhoff also of Houston, here Saturday evening in the home of the future bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Felderhoff, giving relatives and friends of the family an opportunity to meet Miss Dittlinger.

Sharing hostess duties were Mrs. A. J. Felderhoff of Gainesville and Mmes. Joe Felderhoff, Sylvan Walterscheid and Alvin Hartman.

Thirty-five guests attended. Decor in the party room included a decorated umbrella with bride and bridesmaid dolls, dressed in bridal white and green, the bride-elect's chosen colors. The refreshment table held a fruit arrangement, the hostess' gift to the honoree.

Refreshments of angel food cake, heavenly hash, lime sherbert punch, nuts and mints were served.

The engaged couple spent the weekend with his parents and returned to Houston early Sunday. They will be married Feb. 1 at 1:30 p.m. in St. Jude's Chapel in Dallas.

HD Club Members Have Mrs. Thurman As Guest Speaker

Muenster Home Demonstration Club members met with Mrs. Rudy Hellman hostess in her home for the January meeting and Mrs. Bernice Thurman, county home demonstration agent, as program leader. The topic was "Family Stability."

An interesting sidelight that tied in with the program was supplied by the hostess in a brief history of the Hellman families which she had traced through six generations during 18 months of work on the family tree.

Mrs. Bill Lutkenhaus, president, presided and with Mrs. Martin Bayer told about their visits to Muenster's senior citizens the past month. They visited three individuals and Golden Years Rest Home residents and took cookies.

Mrs. Henry Pick and Mrs. Albert Dangelmayr volunteered to make visits this month.

The club will sponsor an open meeting on Jan. 29 in the TP&L building at 7:30 for all who are interested in learning about new regulations in Social Security. A representative from the Sherman office will give the explanatory talk.

After adjournment the hostess served refreshments to 15 members and Mrs. Thurman.

CDA Court Plans District Meeting

Principal business at the January meeting of Muenster Court Catholic Daughters of America Thursday night was discussing plans for the district CDA meeting they will host in March. Tentative date is March 23. Mrs. Alvin Fuhrman, grand regent, presided.

A March of Dimes film that was to have been shown following business failed to arrive. Mrs. Don Flusche, president of the VFW Auxiliary, sponsoring group for the March of Dimes in Muenster, said the film will be shown at a later date at an open meeting for the community. She explained the film shows how March of Dimes money is spent.

It was announced that Mrs. Lee Toothaker is acting librarian since Mrs. Joe Luke's illness and hospitalization.

Twenty-nine members were present and Mrs. Herman Dangelmayr's name was drawn for the door prize.



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- Reg. 65c size Breck Shampoo - - - - - 45c
- Reg. 83c size Gleem Toothpaste - - - - - 63c
- Reg. 79c size, all colors Rit Liquid Dye - - - - - 59c

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Receive Honorable Mention in Exams

Beverly Koelzer and J. D. Luttmer have received honorable mention in the University of Dallas competitive scholarship examination they took in November.

Beverly was cited for excellence in history and J. D. for excellence in cultural studies.

A total of 128 students from 52 high schools in 27 cities participated in the 13th annual examination through ten regional testing centers.

Ten students won a tuition scholarship to the University of Dallas, ten more were named alternates and sixty were given honorable mention. Areas for honorable mention were mathematics, history, English, cultural studies, writing and science.

Middle age is when you get less for your money every time you go to the barber.

Garden Club Sees Wildflower Slides

Muenster Civic League and Garden Club members had a program on wildflowers at their meeting Monday night with Miss Bettye Dodds, a member, showing colored slides and providing entertaining commentary.

Miss Dodds has a collection of over 400 wildflower slides she has taken herself and showed 200 at the meeting. Most are native to Texas including those found around Muenster and Decatur, others from the Botanic Gardens in Fort Worth, a collection from West Texas, and some from New Mexico. She supplied the botanical and common names of each.

Mrs. J. W. Fisher was hostess in her home assisted by her daughter, Mrs. John Pangel. They served refreshments as members arrived. Mrs. Ernest Jaska presided for the brief business session.

Betty Fisher and Mike Kleiss Plan Wedding for Feb. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fisher have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Fisher, and Mike Kleiss. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Kleiss of Subiaco, Ark., formerly of Muenster.

The couple will marry on Saturday, Feb. 8, in Sacred Heart Church here, and will make their home in Muenster.

He is employed at Endres Motor Company and she is on the staff at Muenster Hospital in central supply.

Family Joins for 90th Birthday of Mrs. Barney Voth

A family reunion celebrating Mrs. Barney Voth's 90th birthday was held Sunday afternoon in her room at Golden Years Rest Home where she is a resident convalescing from illness.

Most of her 12 children and a number of grandchildren attended the gathering and had party refreshments including a handsome cake topped with 90 candles. Mrs. Joe Voth baked the cake for her mother-in-law.

Others joining in for refreshments were the honoree's brother-in-law Joe Voth and sister-in-law, Mrs. J. S. Horn, both residents of the rest home. Father Placidus was a special guest and Sister Maureen and her girls' choir from Sacred Heart School presented a program.

A son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Mack Lowing and son Bill attended from Wichita Falls and brought a dozen red roses. Mary Kappas attended from Fort Worth.

Mrs. Voth's other children are six sons, Ben, Joe, Ray and Ted of Muenster and Leo and John of Gainesville; and four other daughters, Mrs. Bob Dixon (Rita) of Muenster, Mrs. Andrew Zimmerer of Gainesville, Mrs. Albert Kubis of Lindsay and Sister Agnes of Jonesboro, Ark. Greetings from Sister Agnes came by mail.

Out of Town Kin Attend Rites for Mrs. Derichsweiler

Among out of town relatives and friends at the funeral of Mrs. Bill Derichsweiler in addition to immediate family members were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Derichsweiler Sr. and Willie Derichsweiler of McAlester, Okla.; Mrs. Mary Match of Tulsa; Mrs. Regina Moore, the Leonard Bindels and Mrs. Carol Ann Collinsworth of Carrollton; Mmes Betty and Carol Dunn of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. William Koerner of Pilot Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Derichsweiler, Leonard, Matthew and Eugene Derichsweiler all of Denison, Meb Bowen of Roanoke.

Mrs. Vance Littleton of Euless, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Bowen of Farmers Branch, and the Dale Bowens of Lewisville, Messrs. and Mmes. Fred Steinberger, Gerald Steinberger, Bobby Steinberger and Ed Veitenheim, and Mrs. Richard Schroeder and children of Windthorst; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Livingston of Myra and large numbers from Gainesville and Archer City.

Local News BRIEFS

The Bernard Haverkamp and children Roger and Jeanie moved during the weekend to their new home on North Maple St. It's a three-bedroom brick veneer with central heat and cooling and attached garage.

Blondie Fleitman, a Theatre major at Loretto Heights College, Denver, will appear in the French comedy "The Madwoman of Chaillot" at the college on February 6, 7 and 8. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Fleitman, a graduate of Sacred Heart High.

Visiting here with the J. J. Haverkamp and seeing other Cooke County relatives is Sister Ann Theodore Wiesman of San Antonio. She made the trip to spend time at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Al Fleitman who is a patient at Muenster Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Voth have named their infant son Craig Paul. He was baptized Sunday in Sacred Heart Church by Father Placidus assisted by Craig's big brother and sister, Danny and Valerie Voth as godparents.

Former Muenster resident Mrs. J. A. Sanders of Fort Worth was back for a visit Saturday with her former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linn. She was accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Walter Cooke, also of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Henry Hess of Lindsay visited Monday afternoon with her Aunt Jennie, Mrs. John Schilling.

Miss Debbie Schilling spent last week with her parents and family, the Frank Schillings and has returned to nursing classes at St. Paul's Hospital in Dallas. The vacation followed a course in psychiatry at Austin State Hospital.

Mrs. Harold Walterscheid enjoyed telephone visits with her children Tuesday night. The Jim Harrises called from Las Vegas, Nev., and the Delbert Walterscheids called from Rockwall. They were checking on their mother who had just been dismissed from Muenster Hospital where she underwent varicose vein surgery. She's up and around the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Endres are in Los Angeles January 12 through 16 attending a sales convention of 2300 Anheuser Busch beer distributors. The convention program includes a tour of the Los Angeles Anheuser Busch plant and Busch Gardens featuring 17 acres of lagoons, rare flowers, exotic plants and colorful birds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davidson and daughter Amy were business visitors in Dallas Monday.

Name Omitted
The name of Mrs. Pete Prescher of Gainesville was omitted from the list of survivors of Thomas Sicking as reported in The Enterprise last week. She is a sister.

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Johnson County Man Is President Of Brazos Electric

Mr. Truett W. Bailey, Manager of the Johnson County Electric Cooperative, Cleburne, has been elected president of the Board of Directors of Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., of Waco, Mr. Bailey succeeds the late E. D. H. Farrow of Itasca. Mr. Farrow served as President of the Brazos Board from its beginning in 1941 until his death this past November.

Mr. Bailey began his rural electrification career in 1938 as manager of the Johnson County Electric Cooperative at Cleburne and was one of the original incorporators of Brazos. He also has been a member of the Brazos Board since its inception in 1941. Mr. Bailey has served two terms as president of the Texas Electric Cooperatives and was a member of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association Generation and Transmission Committee. Since 1944 he has been a member of the Southwest Power Advisory Committee and is also presently serving on the Power and Technical Committee of the TEC.

The Interstate Highway System, when completed, will be the longest interconnected super highway network in the world. Construction of the 41,000 mile federal system is now almost two-thirds completed. About 26,000 miles, or 64 percent of the system, are now open to traffic, construction is under way on an additional 6,000 miles.

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4-H Club News

Community Club

Muenster Community 4-H Club members at their January meeting Tuesday had Miss Dona Brewster as program leader demonstrating table setting in preparation for the County Food Show to be held in Gainesville on Jan. 25. The local food show, a practice session, will be held in Sacred Heart High School on Saturday, Jan. 18.

Other coming events announced included the Dress Revue on March 22 and the Fat Stock Show on March 28-29.

Lenora Fleitman presided, Lou Ann Swirczynski recited the pledge and led the group in singing. Carolyn Bayer read the inspiration and Dolly Bayer called the roll. Kathy Luke reported 16 members present. After business and the program Lou Ann Swirczynski led recreation.

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Out of Town Kin At Stelzer Rites

Relatives at the funeral of Bill Stelzer included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebbert, Mr. and Mrs. Don Christian and children Heather, Christopher and Jon, Mrs. Henriette Boyd and son Kerry, James Bradley, Dan Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stelzer, Mr. and Mrs. Leoy Stelzer and Billy Faecke, all of Fort Worth, Matt Stelzer of Post and Tillie Barrier of Gainesville.

Others attending included Mrs. Fred Luebbert, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lehnertz and Ben Otto, all of Gainesville.

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THANKS

Our hearts are full of gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy at the loss of our beloved husband and father. Sincerest thanks for the spiritual bouquets, prayers, flowers, food and help. Thanks also to the Reverend Fathers, to the VFW Post for conducting military rites and to the CDA for preparing the dinner. Every kind deed is appreciated. —Mrs. Thomas Sicking and Children.

Heartfelt thanks to everyone for comforting words and deeds in our recent sorrow. We are grateful for the flowers, food and help, for the prayers, services and every other kindness and consideration. Thanks to Bro. William Craig, Bro. E. C. Stevens, the choir, bearers, Dr. Kralicke, Scott Bros., and to Bro. Aubrey Thetford, pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church, and Mrs. Thetford. —Mrs. Joe Wilcox and Family.

We take this way of saying thanks to Dr. Kralicke, the nurses and staff and to all who remembered us with cards, flowers and prayers while we were patients at Muenster Hospital. —Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doughty.

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Marysville News

By Mrs. John Richey

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 14 — Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Houtch- ens and sons of Dallas spent Saturday afternoon and over Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Houtchens. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Houtchens left Sunday evening for Electra to spend over Monday with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Houtchens. Mrs. Bryan Houtchens was honored at a dinner in ob- servance of her birthday.

Mrs. Ernest Robison is a pa- tient in Gainesville Hospital for treatment of pneumonia. Shut-ins at home on account of illness over the weekend were Sam Sparkman and son Sammy.

Mrs. Sam Sparkman made a business trip to Sherman Friday and stopped in to visit with cousins Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Wyatt and daughter Sherri. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Sparkman visited her aunts, Mrs. Gordon Ramsey and Mrs. Mary Pruitt, both of Gainesville, who were sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Doughty and children of Valley View visited his parents, the Joe Doughtys, Sunday after- noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Whitt enjoyed a telephone visit Sun- day with a niece and family, the T. L. Fergusons of Ar- more, Tenn.

Mrs. Earl Cochran of Gaines- ville spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. John Richey and Mr. Richey and the twin sisters, Irene Richey and Lor- ene Cochran, celebrated their birthdays which are Jan. 13. Saturday evening visitors in the Richey home were Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and children of Hood.

Mrs. B. F. Fanning of Byars, Okla., is visiting her niece Mrs. Joe Wilcox since attending the funeral of Mr. Wilcox last Wednesday. Services were in the Church of Christ at No- cona with Bro. Craig of- ficiating and Scott Bros. in charge of arrangements. Friends attending from Marys- ville included Mrs. Earl Robi- son, Tillman and David Brid- ges, Messrs. and Mmes. John Richey, Grady McElreath, Howard Houtchens, Roy Tate, R. D. Morris, Sam Sparkman, and Raymond Davidson and Mrs. Rafe McElreath.

Billy Owens of Arlington spent last week with his moth- er, Mrs. Joe Wilcox. Sunday visitors with Mrs. Wilcox and her aunt Mrs. B. F. Fanning, a guest from Byars, Okla., were Bro. and Mrs. Aubrey Thetford of Collinsville and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fleitman.

Having dinner with the Grady McElreaths Sunday af- ter church services was Bro. Aubrey Spires of Gainesville.

Mr. Grady McElreath visited Mrs. Gordon Ramsey and Mrs. Pearl Cunningham Monday, cheering them with bedside visits at their homes in Gainesville where they are shutins on account of illness.

State FB Leaders To Meet in Austin

Several leaders from the Cooke County Farm Bureau will attend a statewide joint legislative-membership confer- ence Jan. 22-23 at the Terrace Motor Hotel in Austin. The meeting is being sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau.

The Austin conference kicks off the Farm Bureau's 1969 state and national legislative programs, President J. T. Cole said. It will also serve as a report meeting on the organi- zation's statewide enrollment campaign for new members.

More than 400 county lead- ers from most of the state's 203 organized county Farm Bureaus are expected to at- tend. Purpose of the legislative phase of the meeting is for the county leaders to get a bet- ter understanding of state and national issues affecting agri- culture. They will also discuss most effective ways of imple- menting Farm Bureau policies relating to those issues.

Governor - Elect Preston Smith will address a banquet meeting on the evening of Jan. 22. All high state govern- ment officials and legislators have been invited to this din- ner.

Heading the list of speakers are Roger Fleming of Wash- ington, D.C., secretary-treasur- er of the American Farm Bur- eau, and Sidney Dean of Vic- toria, president of the Texas Farm Bureau.

Following this, the TFB Organization Department will hold a membership report session. Counties that have made outstanding achieve- ments in membership acquisi- tion during the statewide drive will be recognized and hon- ored.

The final activity planned for that afternoon is a tour by county leaders of the State Capitol. The farmers and ranchers attending will con- tact their elected representa- tives at that time.

The final morning session on Jan. 23 includes talks by lead- ers of the Texas House and Senate. Senator William Pat- man of Ganado will discuss "Effective Contacts With Elec- ted Officials". Senator J. P. Word of Meridian will tell how a bill becomes a law. Rep. W. S. Heatly of Paducah will speak on the topic, "The Money Story — Taxes and Appropria- tions".

The bi- annual conference will be adjourned at noon fol- lowing an open discussion peri- od.

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Bananas lb. 10c
 Red Potatoes 10 lb. 59c
 Yellow Onions lb. 7c

**IT HAPPENED
30 YEARS AGO**

Jan. 13, 1939

Decline is noted in oil activity while operators await better weather; formation in townsite tests gets analysis; two wells are being drilled at Voth's. Parish report shows 42 baptisms, 21 weddings and four deaths during 1938. Timely rain helps crops. Elfreda

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25 YEARS AGO

Jan. 14, 1944

Mrs. John B. Herr, 78-year-old pioneer resident, dies of heart ailment; had lived in Muenster over half a century. Muenster Mutual holds its 50th annual meeting, reports 11 cent rate, and re-elects officers and directors. First snow of the winter arrived last Friday with a brisk wind. Mayor J. M. Weinzapfel and L. A.

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Wilkie, Chamber of Commerce manager at Gainesville, are guest speakers at Garden Club meeting. W. T. Richter is named treasurer of Muenster Telephone Company to replace William Hellman. Mary Lou Haverkamp and Sgt. Roman Trachta marry in Fort Worth. Lindsay Mothers Society elects Mrs. John Bezner president.

20 YEARS AGO

Jan. 14, 1949

Thirteen lettermen for Sacred Heart football squad are announced at awards banquet. Bishop Lynch officiates at blessing of temporary church Sunday afternoon. Harvey Schmitt, 7, breaks leg. Joe Knabe is reelected fire chief. Rain and freeze wreck community's telephone and power lines. Rosalee Muller and Cpl. C. D. Richards marry. Lindsay Mothers Society elects Mrs. Matt Fuhrmann president. Leonard Walterscheid begins basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark. Wilbur Block is new president of Lindsay Young Men's Society.

15 YEARS AGO

Jan. 15, 1954

Olivia Stock dies suddenly of heart failure Saturday while on duty as bookkeeper for Wilde Chevrolet Agency. Winter's roughest weather moves in during weekend. Butch Hudspeth's eye, injured by BB shot, is improving slowly. Sacred Heart Parish announces evening Mass for Sundays and holidays. Ralph Magluaghlin quits vocational ag job at public school to work for Soil Conservation Service. Family reunion observes golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmitt. Housewarming party greets the August Walterscheid. Mrs. F. A. Kathman joins office staff at Cooke County Electric Co-op. Mrs. C. J. Kaiser is new bookkeeper at Wilde Garage. Father Patrick Hannon assumes duties as Scoutmaster of local troop.

10 YEARS AGO

Jan. 16, 1959

H. H. Homsley resigns as superintendent of Public School to become sales representative for a book firm. Bank stockholders re-elect directors. Bank ups interest rate on savings from two and a half to three per cent. Paul Tempel dies suddenly after long illness. Lawrence Dankesreiter Jr. and Willard Hartman are graduates at NTSC in Denton. Ben Sickings and H. M. Schmitzes celebrate golden weddings. Elizabeth Herr is recovering from a thyroid operation. Bruno Fleitman is dismissed from hospital after undergoing eye surgery on Jan. 8. Tony Voth of Lindsay is in Baylor Hospital for medical care. Mrs. L. B. Brunns is elected president of Civic League and Garden Club. Jeanette Haverkamp and Loretta Mages complete beauty courses in Dallas.

5 YEARS AGO

Jan. 17, 1964

Muenster Memorial Hospital will be dedicated Sunday ... open house will show building and facilities ... actual opening date is indefinite. Raden dress factory plans expansion. City will start soon on 1964 street paving project. Winter brings six and a half inches of snow and mercury drop to 4 degrees. The Frank Klements observe their golden wedding anniversary. The John Hackers celebrate 25th wedding anniversary. The Matt Stelzers of Post observe 40th wedding anniversary at dinner while visiting here. Mrs. Joe Hoinig is recovering from knee surgery in Dallas. New arrival: a boy for the Alois Sickings.



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For City Sales Tax**

(Dallas, Texas) — Northern Texas taxpayers who do not have a city sales tax in their home town may use the state sales tax table included in the mailed instruction booklet as a guide in preparing their itemized 1968 Federal income tax returns, according to Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue. He pointed out that special tables have been prepared for the four sets of cities that began paying a city sales tax on January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1. These are posted in local Post Offices and are available at IRS offices. The tables are based on

consumer spending patterns and show the average amount of state sales tax (and city sales tax where applicable) paid by Texas residents.

State sales tax on automobiles purchased is not included in the tables. Taxpayers who purchased an automobile may add deductible sales taxes paid on the purchase to the amount shown in the table.

Taxpayers are not required to use the tables, Mr. Campbell pointed out. The tables are furnished as a guide for the convenience of taxpayers who want to deduct a "standard" amount for sales taxes without substantiation.

Taxpayers who prefer to deduct the actual amount of sales taxes paid during the year must have records as proof of payment.

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We worry about the youngsters running in front of cars, then drag them across the

street against the warning of a red light.

We worry about crashing in an airplane, then fall off a ladder painting the house.

We worry about getting the car greased every thousand miles, then never get a medical checkup.

We worry about getting enough exercise, then drive two blocks for a cup of coffee.

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GAINESVILLE, TEXAS

At the Close of Business, December 31, 1968

RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS:	
Real Estate Loans	\$ 578,088.19
All Other Loans	5,310,193.02
Total Loans	\$5,888,281.21
Banking House	62,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	12,000.00
Other Real Estate (for expansion)	7,500.00
AVAILABLE CASH:	
Cash and Due from Banks	\$2,991,810.76
Bonds and Securities	5,924,559.33
Total Available Cash	8,916,370.09
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$14,886,651.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 125,000.00
Surplus Account (Certified)	500,000.00
Undivided Profits	112,497.00
Capital Reserves	275,000.00
Other Reserves (Taxes)	17,148.80
Deposits	13,857,005.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$14,886,651.30

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BEN E. TURBEVILLE	Assistant Vice-President
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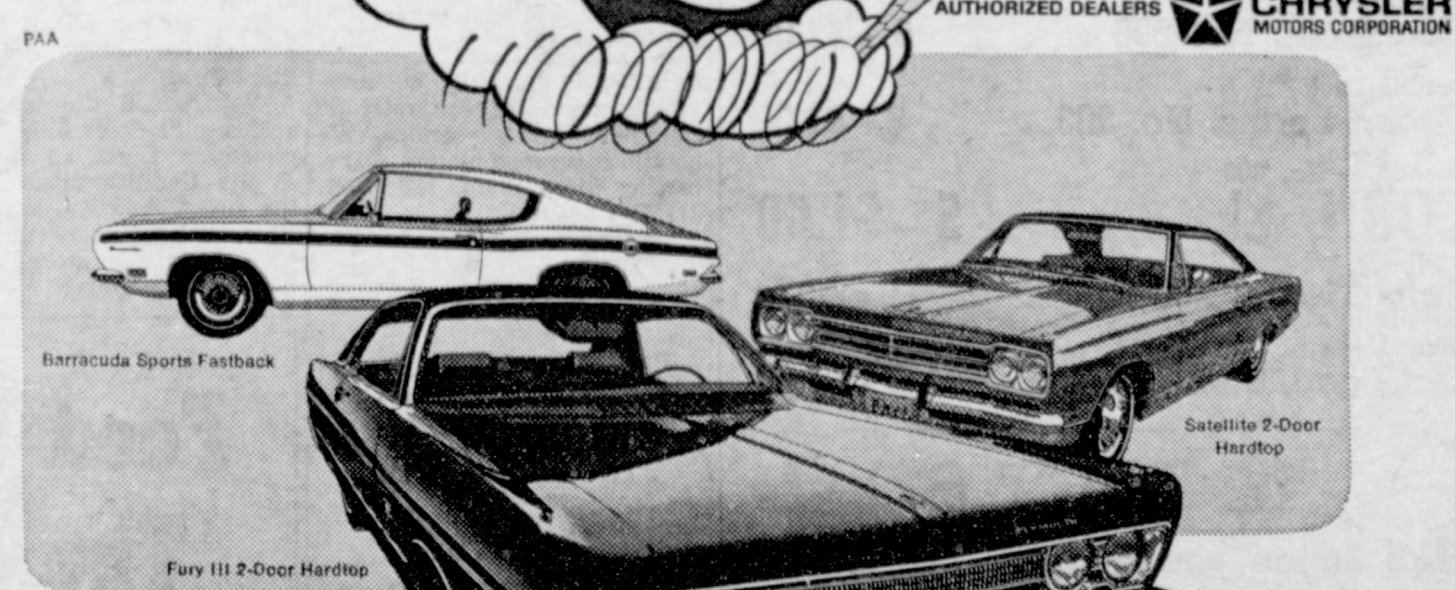
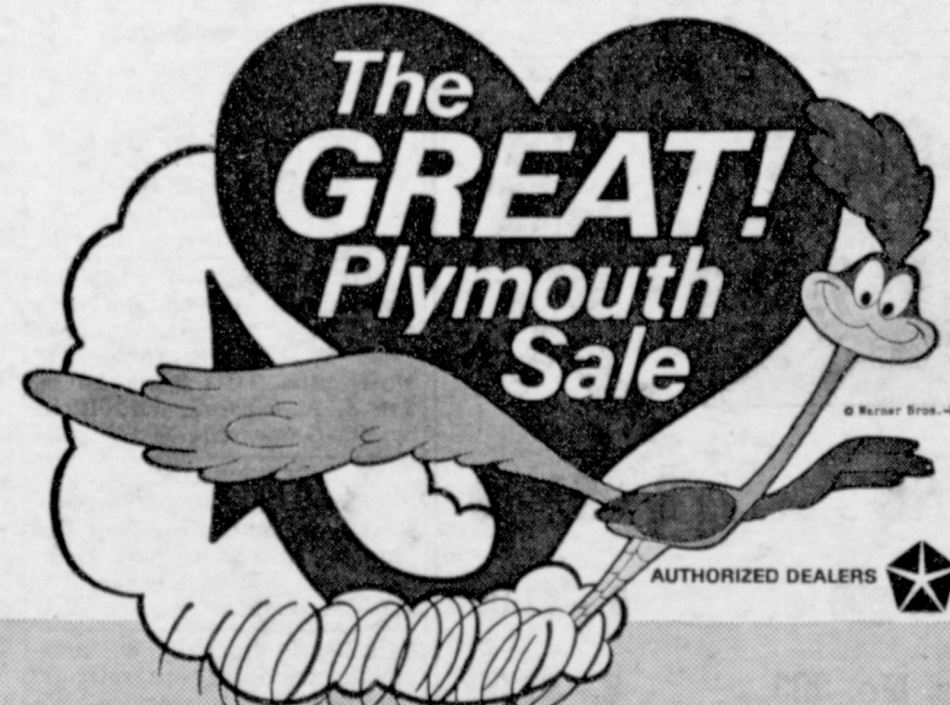
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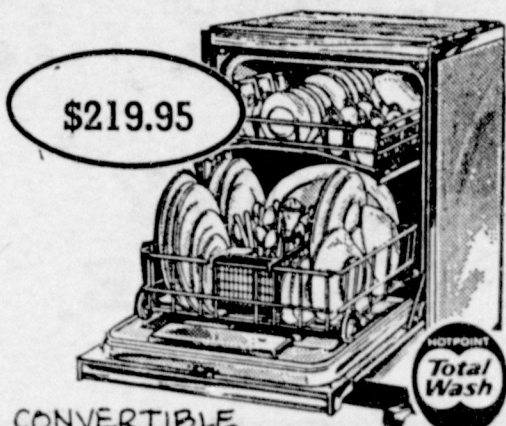
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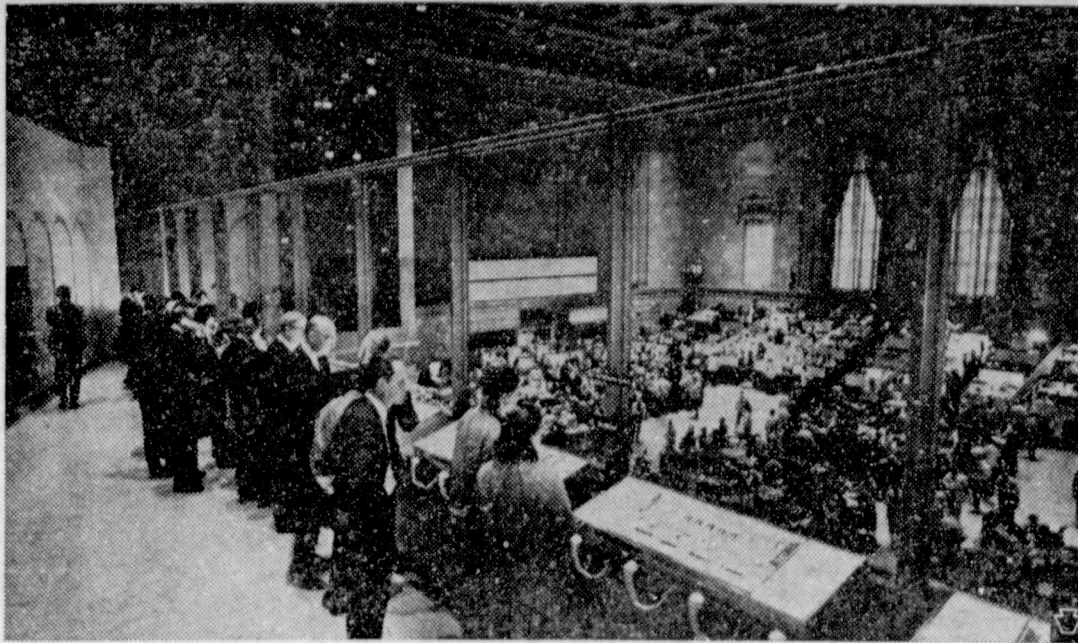


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the Stock Specialist...What's a Share of Stock...the Stock Quotation Table. Exhibits explain how Amex computers and manpower combine to provide an orderly market in the public interest. **Closed-circuit television** shows behind-the-scenes Stock Watch operations and how the Amex supplies market information to news media. There's even an electronic quiz to test your stock market savvy. You may be surprised at how much you've learned! **The American Stock Exchange's Visitors' Gallery**, at 78 Trinity Place, is open from 9:45 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. on business days. Admission is free.

Most of the things that shouldn't happen to a dog, never happens to dogs anyway. One of my friends advised me to "take it easy, things could be worse." I took it easy and sure enough, things got worse. "I'm sorry you don't like your Christmas gift," said the wealthy aunt to her nephew, "but remember, I asked if you preferred a large check or a small one." "That's true," replied the disappointed Hippie, "but I didn't know you were talking about neckties."

4-H Club News
S. H. Senior Girls
Miss Dona Brewster, assistant county home demonstration agent, met with Sacred Heart Senior 4-H Club girls Wednesday. In her discussion she told the group that some members of the 4-H Caravan from Peru will be coming to Cooke County and will be quartered in the homes of Endres, Block, Pybas and Smith families. She also announced the Jan. 25 County Foods Show to be held at 9 p.m. in the Community Center at Gainesville, and the District Show to be held March 29 at Big Town in Dallas. Kathy Rohmer reported 11 members present with Linda Sicking presiding and Gayle Sicking giving the inspiration. Margie Felderhoff called the roll. Yvonne Gehrig reported on the Council meeting and also

that the Share-the-Fun program netted \$113.50 for the county 4-H treasury. **Junior Girls**
Sacred Heart Junior 4-H Club girls had a lesson on how to set a neat table with Miss Dona Brewster giving the demonstration. Marge Hesse presided for business, Beverly Walterscheid led the inspiration and Shirley Becker called roll. Eleven members were present. **Intermediate Boys**
Intermediate Boys' Club discussed finances and it was decided that any member who wanted to could give any amount below 20 cents to help send 4-H'ers to summer camp or 4-H Roundup. Waymon Moore, assistant county agent led the discussion and answered questions on various 4-H subjects afterward. Ricky Walterscheid, president, conducted the business session, Dean Sicking called the roll, Leon Bayer read the poem and Garry Fetsch counted 15 members present.

Local News BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmitt and sons Danny and Mark moved this week to their home on N. Hwy. 373 — the place Ed bought from Clyde Muller. They had been living on E. Hwy. 82 on the Charlie Schmitt farm. The Muller family lives in Bedford now.

When Mrs. Rudy Hellman visited in Waukesha, Wis., during the holidays with her daughter and family, the Richard Seyversons, they went to Wauwatosa to visit Dr. and Mrs. Hugo Hellman whose sons were at home. Mrs. Rudy Hellman got acquainted with her nephew's French bride. Mr. and Mrs. John Hellman who were married in Paris while he studied there live in Boston now and he teaches at Harvard. Bob Hellman is a student at Columbia University.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wieler have as guests their daughter Juanita and children, Mrs. John Broome, Kathy and John Paul of Syracuse, N. Y. They plan to be her through January. Army Major John Broome, in classes at the University of Syracuse, didn't

have time off to travel with his family. Other visitors at the Wieler home Friday were their daughter Jean and family, the Mike Newbills, Marci, Sheri and Carl of Fort Worth. The three little Newbill girls remained to spend the weekend. Their grandparents, Mrs. Broome and children took them back to Fort Worth Monday.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The Muenster State Bank

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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 792,984.48
United States Government obligations	1,091,636.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	600,630.56
Securities of Federal agencies and corporations	200,000.00
Other loans and discounts	1,717,014.24
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	2.00
Other assets	156,821.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,559,088.28
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,405,607.69
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,059,113.03
Deposits of United States Government	17,702.59
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	448,744.26
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	7,344.81
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,938,512.38
Total demand deposits	2,716,584.84
Total time and savings deposits	1,221,927.54
Other liabilities (including \$ none mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate)	154,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,092,512.38
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital:	
Common stock — total par value	100,000.00
No. shares authorized — 1000	
No. shares outstanding — 1000	
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	141,575.90
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	75,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	466,575.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,559,088.28

I, John D. Meurer, Asst. Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

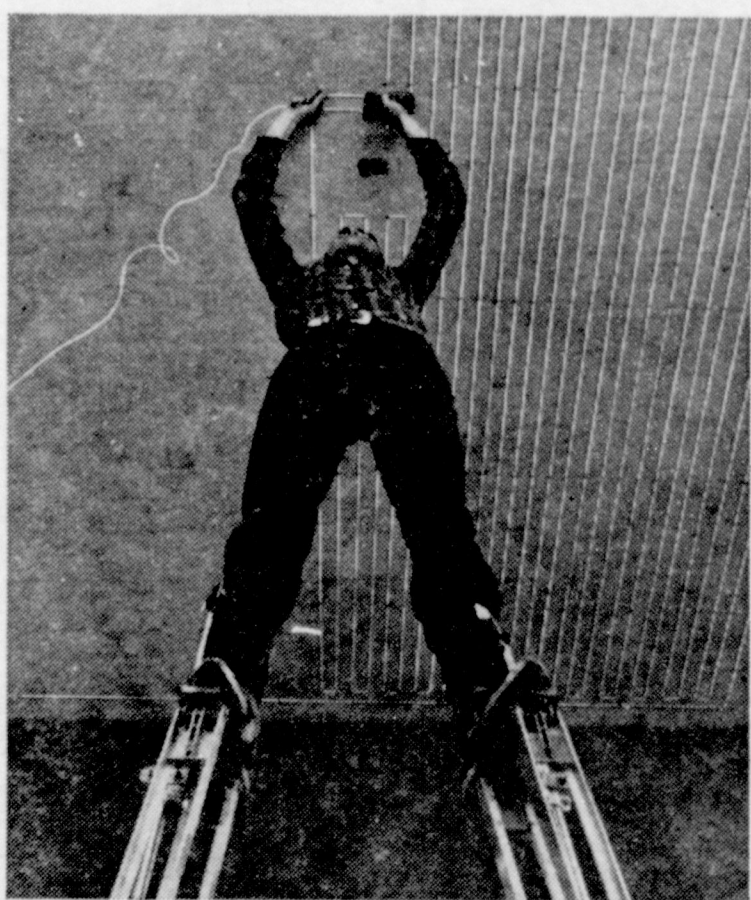
John D. Meurer

CORRECT — ATTEST:
Herbert Meurer
Henry Weinzapfel
Earl J. Fisher
DIRECTORS

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF COOKE)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of January, 1969, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires June, 1969
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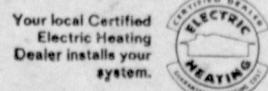
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Lindsay News

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bezner Jr. and daughter Joann, joined by Mrs. Alfred Morisak and daughter Mary of Gainesville spent Sunday in Plano with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morisak.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess and daughter Clara and Mrs. Paul Hess and sons Stacy and Gary spent Sunday in Windthorst with the Gus Berend family, also visited Mrs. E. J. Berend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Zimmerer and daughter Tonia of Grapevine divided a weekend with their families, the Bruno Zimmerers here and Mrs. Bill Neu at Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bezner of Wichita Falls stopped for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Joe Bezner Sr. and the Bruno Zimmerers Sunday evening enroute home after visiting in Sherman with her brother who is a hospital patient.

Lindsay-Gainesville Knights of Columbus will have a chicken supper in the new KC Hall at Gainesville Saturday at 7:30 for member knights and their guests.

January is school census month. Superintendent Glenn Hellman is sending census forms home with students to all families on record. Parents not listed, who will have a beginner for the first time in September, are asked to notify the superintendent.

Mrs. Joe Bezner Sr. is great-grandma again. The newest member of the family is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Blackburn of Dallas who also have two small daughters, Christine and Allison. The little boy arrived Sunday, Jan. 12, to share birthdates with his father and paternal grandfather. Mrs. Leo Cutaia of Dallas is the baby's grandmother. The Blackburn grandparents also live in Dallas.

4-H Families to Host Peruvian Four-H Members

Cooke County 4-H families will be hosts for three weeks for 4-H clubbers from Peru. The foreign young people are members of a caravan touring the United States and 15 of them will live with Texas families. Three have been assigned to this area, two in Cooke County the other in Lewisville. They arrived Thursday this week.

The Paul Endres family will have a girl as their guest for three weeks. She will spend the second three weeks with the Nick Block family at Lindsay.

The David Smith family of Gainesville welcomed a girl Thursday and the Jay Pybas family will entertain a girl in February.

The foreign young people will principally "live along" with the family participating in daily routine and will meet with county 4-Hers to exchange experiences.

DANCE with The Circe

Sacred Heart Gym Saturday, Jan. 18, 8:30

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Basketball Teams Of Sacred Heart Had a Tough Week

It's been a long, hard week for basketball teams of Sacred Heart School — six losses in as many games.

Last Thursday night girls lost 33-20 and the boys lost 39-33 at Era. The following night the boys A team lost 59-23 and the B team 55-17 to Dallas Christian in the SH gym. Tuesday night in the local gym Greenhill girls won 33-17 and Greenhill boys won 46-31.

The Tigers made a good start at Era for a 9-8 first quarter lead but Era gained just a little in each of the three remaining quarters. Scores were 18-16, 25-21 and 39-33. Sacred Heart scorers were Lee Roy Hess 11, Tim Endres and Ken Schmitz 7 each, Ken Stoffels 4, Melvin Schilling 3.

The girls' game was Era's all the way by scores of 11-3, 18-6, 25-12 and 33-20 ending the four quarters. Tigerette scorers were Margaret Kralicke 10, Kaye Klement 9, D. Walterscheid 1.

Dallas Christian clearly out-classed both the Tigers and their reserves in Friday's program. Point makers of the A team were Hess 11, Endres 7, Schmitz 3, Schilling 2.

Greenhill's teams likewise had an easy time winning over Sacred Heart. In the opener the visiting girls had only a 6-4 first quarter lead, but after that it was 17-6, 27-9 and 33-17. Margaret Kralicke hit 11 for the Tigerettes, Kaye Klement 3, Peg Sicking 2 and Dolores Pels 1.

Next game Sacred Heart had the better third quarter record but all the rest was Greenhill's. Counts ending the periods were 11-4, 21-11, 30-21,

46-31. Hess hit 15 points, Schilling 8, Endres 4, Schmitz and Stoffels 2 each.

Next action for the teams will be at Denton State School Friday night and at Dallas Christian, for A and B boys, Tuesday night.

'Solar Groove' in Siding Studied

COLLEGE STATION — A new type of wood siding for homes is being studied by the Forest Products Laboratory of the United States Department of Agriculture. The siding, "solar-groove", consists of a series of V-shaped grooves machined so that in summer the bottom surface faces the sun and in the winter the top surface faces the sun, reports Bonny Lay, Extension housing specialist.

The bottom of the groove is painted with a reflecting coating. The top is painted with an absorbing coating.

In the summer the reflecting surfaces face the sun to reflect the sun and heat, thus cooling the house, say Miss Lay at Texas A&M. In the winter absorbing surfaces facing the sun causes the sun's heat to be absorbed and warm the house, reducing the need for internal heating.

MHS Teams Start Conference Race With Two Losses

Muenster High teams got off to a bad start in the 30-B basketball schedule. Both have a 0-2 standing after encounters with Alvord and Slidell.

Playing at Alvord the Hornets fell short on a big fourth quarter effort and had to settle for a 61-60 loss. A final shot just before the buzzer almost gave them the win, but a near miss was still a miss. Actually they lost it in the first half, which ended 37-24. Next half they did fine, though not enough to overcome the deficit.

Hornet scorers were Sam Sparkman 23, John Monday 21, Dale Cash 7, Tommy Henscheid 5, John Felderhoff 4.

Fate teamed with Slidell's powerhouse to wallop the Hornets 62-35 here Tuesday night. One of the top Hornet performers, Sparkman, was out with flu. Another, Monday, went out on fouls early in the second half. The MHS scorers were Dale Cash 10, Monday 8, Felderhoff 8, Henscheid 3, Mike Hennigan, Mike Cason and Bob Bruns each 2.

Muenster girls held their

own in the first quarter at Alvord but trailed 26-15 after a bad second quarter. In the second half they matched point for point and still trailed by 11. The score 43-32. Point makers were Debbie Cain 17, Sue Flusche 8, Debbie Yosten 6, Joan Monday 1.

Their 46-18 loss to Slidell was mostly a second and third quarter calamity when the sizzling hot visitors outpointed them 26-3. The rest of the game was better, Slidell gaining 2 in the first and 3 in the

fourth. Debbie Cain hit 9, Debbie Yosten and Joan Monday 4 each and Sue Flusche 1.

Next action, here Friday night, matches MHS against another loop favorite, Krum, Next Tuesday's foe, also here, will be Lindsay.

Confetti - - -

big cities will not have their enrollment affected by it. Even many smaller cities will not be affected. Why should they vote for something which doesn't concern them but

hurts thousands of rural people?

On the matter of tax equalization it's easy to see that urban legislators will probably favor some changes. But not on the matter of rural consolidation. More likely prudence will prompt them to let rural folks work out that problem for themselves. Meanwhile a sense of fairness will prompt them to consider the economic and social disaster resulting from the elimination of small districts.

A New Semester Begins January 31

New Students Need Transcripts of Previous Work and a Permit to Register. Students Now Enrolled Need a Permit to Register. Students Expecting to Graduate in June of 1969 Must Make Application and Have Records Checked Before January 29, 1969 In The Office of The Dean of Student Services.

Counselors are on duty from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on school days and from 9 a.m. until 12 noon on Saturdays.

Registration Will Be Held On January 29 and January 30.

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