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Incensed residents appeal to commissioners

by Janet Felderhoff
Cooke County Commissioners
Court was packed Monday, May 8
with residents from Precinct 2 who
were agitated after finally realizing
that they would have their county
road names changed to numbers and
have to once again change their
addresses. Most of them were from
the Lake Ray Roberts area, all were
from Precinct 2 except one from
Precinct 3 and one from Precinct 4.
"Evidently we've had a break
down in communications or some
confusion some way or another
about some facts," said Precinct 2
Commissioner Richard Brown as he
addressed the crowd before they
made their comments on the
situation. "I know there've been a
lot of rumors or a lot of stories
circulating through the community.
Believe me, my phone has been
olotter than a pistol for about a week
now! I've talked to about 40 or 50

David Isbell of Valley View, spokesperson for the citizen's group said, "In 1986, when Lake Ray Roberts was impounded, many of the postal addresses were forced to change in the southeast corner of the county. At that time, at the suggestion of the postmaster, and with the approval of the Commissioners Court, approximately 30-35 roads were assigned names.

"This was approved by the commissioners and the emergency medical service as acceptable for 911 purposes. The Court did not take an official vote, but allowed the process to be done. The agreement, made by then Precinct 2 Commissioner Kenneth Alexander with the consent of the remaining court was that any group of people who desired their road to be named may do so by gathering a petition signed by at least 50 percent of the

residences on the road and if they desired a sign to be installed, they had to purchase the sign themselves and the county would install the signs."

Isbell remarked that many of the roads affected have historical connections and that some of the places' history would be forgotten. The Mountain Springs area was one of the first settled in Cooke County and some of the roads are named after families who settled the area 150 years ago. Hemming Road is named after a town that was destroyed by a tornado in the early 1900's.

Another point pushed by Isbell and other residents was that it would cost them thousands of dollars to change their addresses and that if the Court would allow them to keep road names they would be spared this expense. Commissioner Jerry Lewis countered that this was not true since many of them will still have to change addresses.

Address changes will occur when the post office adopts the county's method of addressing. Eventually addresses will be changed from routes to county road and location numbers. For instance Route 1, Box 9 might become 200 West CR 312.

"This is to synchronize mailing addresses with 911 identification, said Muentster Postmaster Virgil Henscheid of the future changes." A lot of counties have already switched. Cooke is the only county that I know using numbers instead of names." Henscheid also noted that the change will prevent future address changes brought about by the post office changing up its routes. Rural addresses will be similar to street addresses.

Isbell estimated that \$15,000 to \$30,000 would be the cost of changing addresses just for the people assembled. "It's not too late. The maps have not been printed," he said. "We're asking you not to rule over us but to represent us.

Represent the people in this and we are the people. I suggest that all county roads which are currently named, with that name being used by the US Postal Service for maid delivery, remain and be incorporated into the official county map of Cooke County in lieu of road numbers. All roads currently without names at this time shall be numbered."

Another Valley View businessman, Alan Ritchey, objected to having to change addresses again. After expressing his displeasure he said, "I plead with y'all to let the names stay like they are. If the election last November didn't tell y'all something you're pretty blind. I'll sure tell you something when the next election comes 'cause you won't be here.'

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Tangle Control provides

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CAIN, center left, and Jason Huchton, center right, sign letters of intent to play college football. essing the signing were, 1 to r. Jan Cain, Chris Cain, Coach Grady Roller, Neil Huchton and Peachie

LHS wins state UIL academic competition

Lindsay High earned its fourth consecutive State UIL Academic and Literary Meet Championship when students competed in Austin. They accumulated a total of 133 points.

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Three of the Lindsay High teams reaped first place honors. The Current Events team of Greg Arendt, Jennifer Hoberer, and Julie Zimmerer tied for first. Jennifer Hoberer, Christy Zimmerer, and Julie Zimmerer as a Literary Criticism team and Jason Hsu, Dave Brown, and Matthew Murrell as the Science team were first place team winners. Jason Hsu was the top Chemistry competitor.

Individuals who accumulated points for placing at the competition were:

were:
Tanner Neidhardt third in Headline Writing; Allison Walterscheid first and Greg Arendt sixth in Informative Speaking; Greg Arendt second and Jennifer Hoberer sixth in Current Events; Connie Wang second in Spelling; Literary Criticism Jennifer Hoberer third and Christy Zimmerer fourth; Jason Hsu third and Dave Brown fourth in Science.

Good News!

Happy is he who has regard for the lowly and the poor; in the day of misfortune the Lord will deliver him. The Lord will keep and preserve him; he will make him happy on the earth, and not give him over to the will of his enemies. his enemies.
PSALM 41: 2-3



Glenn Polk Ford-Mercury celebrates grand opening May 12

by Dave Fette
Grand opening for Glenn Polk
Ford-Mercury in Gainesville began
in a big way with ribbon-cutting
ceremonies last Friday morning at
4320 North Interstate 35, right
across from the Gainesville better
sheaders and friends attended the
event at 10 a.m. which was covered
by area newspapers, radio and
elevision.

Ford Motor Company officials
praised the beautiful new dealership
and commitment to the community
after Gainesville has been without a
Ford dealer for three
pears.
Representing Ford were Les Brown,
Regional Sales Manager, Jay Davis,
Market Representation Manager,
and Roger Bennett of Ford Public
Affairs.

Outstanding commitment and
investment in Ford and the area.
The new Ford-Mercury
dealership also hosted a reception
and open house Friday evening.
Glenn Polk and his wife, Mary,
have been in the automobile
business for 25 years and continue
in Gainesville.
Glenn and Mary's youngest
children, Amy and Shawn, attend
St. Mary's School and the family
has joined St. Mary's Parish in
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Muenster folks will find a familiar face right away at Glenn Polk as Phil Rigsby has joined the sales staff.

Mike Daley of Ford's Southern Region New Dealer Division said they were impressed with Glenn Polk's investment in product support and qualified people. "His architecture fits in with his Please See GLENN POLK, Pg. 3

Tangle Control provides hair care for the family

by Janet Felderhoff
Kathy Creed is the owner of
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Description of the entire
family. Other services include
shampoo and sets and waxing of
facial hair.

The new business opened
Monday, April 24 at 506 North
Maple in the salon formerly
occupied by Carol's and Jeannie's
Magic Touch, Hours are Monday
through Saturday. Kathy works
from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday,
Wednesday and Thursday and from

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TANGLE CONTROL, Muenster's newest beauty salon, is owned by Kathy Creed, right. Margie Wimmer, left, joins Kathy in providing hair care for the whole family. Margie is assisting Kathy by mixing color for client's hair. This is only one of the many services offered.

To the Editor,
In reality this letter is addressed to people with telephones in the Valley View (726) exchange and the Valley View East (637) exchange.

We are in the process of submitting petitions to the Public Utility Commission of Texas asking for extended local calling (toll free) to: Gainesville, Myra, Muenster, Forestburg, Rosston, Whitesboro, Sanger, Pilot Point, and Denton.

We are in the process of securing petitions. Jane Alexander at the city office is collecting our petitions and will mail them to Austin. In turn, the Public Utility Commission will notify Mr. Alvin Fuhrmann of the Muenster Telephone Corp. who owns and operates the Valley View exchanges and he in turn will mail ballots that we will vote on - yes or no on the issue. At least 70% of the responses must be a yes or

affirmative vote for the proposed change to be considered by the commission.

Muenster Telephone is listed as a Corporation, but is organized as a co-op and is exempt from a mandated extended coverage. It is up to we, the customers, to get him to modify that status. It has been done in some large telephone co-ops in East Texas to the complete satisfaction of both the phone company and its customers. If interested please call (512) 458-0377, the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin.

It will cost each resident phone \$3.50 per month and each business phone \$7.00 per month.

Valley View, Texas 76272

P.S. Aubrey has it, Saint Jo has it and Sanger is in process.

Finnell pushing for 65 mph speed limit on rural roads

The Texas House of Representatives passed a resolution last week by State Rep. Charles Finnell of Holliday urging the 104th U.S. Congress to allow states to increase the speed limits on selected rural highways to 65 mph.

HCR 127 urges the Texas Congressional Delegation to support federal legislation that would permit the state of Texas to increase the maximum speed limit on four-lane divided state highways without losing federal transportation funds. "With 5,391 such state highways miles involved, Texas certainly has more at stake than any other state of the union. I'm glad to see that the U.S. Congress is getting into gear on this issue," Finnell stated. "Both Congressm Combest of Texas and Sen. Nickles of Oklahoma now have legislation pending which would grant states this permission."

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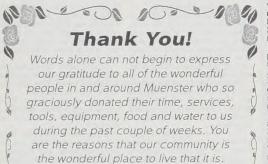
Bullock taps Haywood to preside over Senate

Lt. Governor Bob Bullock today tapped freshman State Senator Tom Haywood, R-Wichita Falls, to serve temporarily as presiding officer of the Senate. "A fella could sure get to like this job," quipped Haywood, to the amusement of his Senate colleagues.

During floor debate on the Senate floor, the Lt. Governor frequently calls on senators to serve in his place when he works with his

staff or visits with other members on legislative matters.

Haywood was particularly polite while serving as President of the Senate, While senators speaking on the floor often quickly thank the presiding officer out of courtesy, Haywood answered Senator Buster Brown of Lake Jackson with a sincere "you're welcome" after passage of Brown's bill.



Thank you all so very much, The Schoppa Family



Should We Tax What We Spend Rather Than What We Earn?

axes may well be, as Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote, the price we pay for a civilized society. But many Americans these days feel they are paying too high a price for too little civility.

Some in Congress believe we should do away with the federal income tax altogether and find an alternative. Senator Richard Lugar, R-Indiana, wants to cancel the income tax, corporate taxes, capital gains taxes, gift taxes and inheritance taxes — and dismantle the Internal Revenue Service: He would impose a national sales tax instead.

The attraction of such a plan is immediately evident — no withholding tax! Americans would keep the money they earn. They wouldn't have to worry about being forced to sell the family farm or firm to meet estate taxes.

With a national sales tax, Americans wouldn't have to account for their income — financial privacy would be re-established. Nor would loopholes tempt them to hide income. The time and money that goes into preparing tax returns would be saved.

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But anyone who spends money would pay a national retail sales tax. The tax rate would be the same for everyone. To generate the same revenue we now raise from income and other taxes, one early estimate is that a 17 percent sales tax rate would be required. It could be more.

In assessing that plan, a key element to remember is that a 17 percent sales tax is applied. With savings and investment no longer discouraged by taxation, higher levels of capital formation and an investment boom could be expected to result. That, in turn, would spur productivity and raise income. With no federal individual or corporate income tax built into the price of American products, base prices will drop and exports increase as a result. (Although the final domestic cost of products would be increased by the amount of the tax). American products should be more competitive in world markets. Under our current system, income and payroll taxes are built into the cost of our exports, but under the GATT, they cannot be adjusted at the border — cannot be imposed on imports or removed from our exports. Substitute a consumption tax, and foreign products sold at retail in the United States would be taxed at the same rate as American products.

Under this plan, the national retail sales tax would be collected in the same way that state sales taxes are now collected. Senator Lugar proposes asking states to make federal collections as well, abolishing the IRS. In my view, the federal government would have to compensate the states for performing this service.

Rewriting our tax laws is the most complex task the 104th Congress will undertake. Our national economic vitality is being sapped by deficit spending — and a tax system that depresses productivity and discourages prudent savings and investment.

I have not yet decided which of the several plans we have before us would be

Sen. Hutchison commends preservation of amendment to freeze endangered listings

U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison said she is pleased that a House-Senate conference committee, in reconciling the Department of Defense Supplemental Appropriations Bill, has preserved her amendment that would effectively impose a moratorium on any additional listings under the Endangered Species Act until the end of the fiscal year.

"This is a sign of significant progress toward improving the way in which the Endangered Species Act is being enforced," Senator Hutchison said. "The conference committee's decision is a clear indication that voters' wishes on this matter have been heeded."

Senator Hutchison attached her amendment to the Defense Supplemental Appropriations bill for fiscal year 1996 on March 16. The amendment rescinds \$1.5 million in funding for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service which had

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A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States has been officially recognized and endorsed by governmental leaders since 1922; and WHEREAS: VFW Buddy Poppies are assembled by disabled veterans, and the proceeds of this worthy fundraising campaign are used exclusively for the benefit of disabled and needy veterans and the widow and orphans of degrees dispersions.

for the benefit of disabled and needy veterans and the widow and orphans of deceased veterans; and WHEREAS: The basic purpose of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars is eloquently reflected in the desire to "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living;" therefore,

I, Henry Weinzapfel, Mayor of the City of Muenster, do hereby urge the clitzens of this community to recognize the merits of this cause by contributing generously to its support through the purchase of Buddy Poppies on the day set aside for the distribution of these symbols of appreciation for the sacrifices of our honored dead.

I urge all patriotic citizens to wear a Buddy Poppy as mute evidence of our gratifude to the men of this country who have risked their lives in defense of the freedom which we continue to enjoy as American citizens.

Comp. Sharp announces abolishment of food stamps in Cooke County

"On June I, the most sweeping attack on bureaucratic bloat and welfare fraud ever in Cooke County will be launched, as the Lone Starcard makes its debut in grocery stores throughout the county," State Comptroller John Sharp said today, announcing the area start-up date of the Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) program that represents a centerpiece of his wide-ranging welfare reform plan now before the Texas Legislature.

"This debit-type security card will hold both bureaucrats and the people who depend on temporary public assistance accountable," Sharp said. "Not only will it save tax dollars and cut down on fraud, but it may also boost food sales for area grocers."

"In the Houston area, where the card has been in use since February I, retailers reported an immediate increase in food sales after the Lone Star card's implementation," Sharp said. "Trom February to March, food sales rose by \$4.5 million, because the benefits can be spent on food and food alone, not on crack cocaine or other illegal activities in the food stamp black market."

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City Secretary

market."
The Lone Star card first proposed by Sharp in his 1991 Breaking the Mold report, is expected to dramatically reduce food stamp fraud in Cooke County and throughout the rest of the North Texas area, including the Metronlex.

March.
"By the end of this year we plan to abolish food stamps in Texas, and return the program to feeding poor kids, instead of feeding a bureaucracy and a black market of fraud," Sharp said.

Gainesville named to "Clean Cities 2000"

The Texas Natural Resource
Conservation commission
(TNRCC) Reed presented a certificate signed
by Governor George Bush and a
reflective city limit sign recognizing
Gainesville as one of the newest
members of CLEAN CITIES
2000 MEMBER" to Mayor Jim
Hatcher at the 1995 Governor's
Awards for Environmental
excellence on May 11 at 6 P.M. at
the Four Seasons Hotel in Austin.

TNRCC Commissioner Pam

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2 WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759 4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY! nday, May 21 Wednesday, May 24 Friday, May 26 nday, May 22 Thursday, May 25 Saturday, May 27 SH 8th Grade Graduation, 6 p.m Religious Ed. Class Registration after all Masses, SH Library MISD Kindergarte Saint Jo Pioneer Days Forestburg Historical Society Pancake Breakfast, 7-11 a.m. Community Center SH Preschool and Kindergarten Graduation Muenster High Graduation 7:30 p.m. Lindsay High Graduation 7 p.m. Last Day of School Summer Vacation Graduation SHHS Gradu 6 p.m. MMH Auxiliary Meetin 7:30 p.m. SHS Dismisses 12:30 Summer Vacation Exercíse Class 10:30 a.m. S.N.A.P. Center Exercise Class 10:30 a.m. S.N.A.P. Center Thursday, June 1 Saturday, June 3 Saint Jo Pioneer Days Muller-Herr Reunion MEMORIAL DAY Flags Fly! GSBL Teal vs. Red Green vs. Navy Exercise Class 10:30 a.m. S.N.A.P. Center Exercise Class 10:30 a.m. S.N.A.P. Center Exercise Class 10:30 a.m. S.N.A.P. Center DISTRIBUTOR FOR RITE-WELD SUPPLY, IN

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neighborhood and Gainesville's
theme. We are honored to have a
dealer like Glenn Polk with a longterm commitment to the
community," Daley said.
"This is my motto," Polk said,
"Long-term customer satisfaction is
our ultimate goal."

GMH will hold Blood

The May 26, from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The mobile unit team will set up for blood donations in the hospital's first floor conference room. The public is invited to participate.

The Texoma Regional Blood Center serves the comprehensive blood needs of the citizens of Cooke, Fannin and Grayson counties. Founded in 1975, its sole purpose is to provide the quantity and quality of blood and blood components needed in this region.

Gainesville Memorial Hospital is a member institution of the blood bank and supports it regularly with blood drives for its employees and the public.

STATE-OF-THE-ART service department at Glenn Polk Ford-Mercury in Gainesville

Information access pages added to phone directory

The new two-toned cover compliments the photo taken of Valley Creek Ranch by MTC employee Steve Sandusky. Typical directory favorites remain, such as calendars on the outside back cover

Toney Burger dies

Toney Burger died in Austin early Tuesday morning. He is remembered for having instituted the Sports program at Muenster High School in 1933.

Services were incomplete when friends in Muenster were notified,

Gainesville hosts Depot Days with events and fun for all

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Tornado safety reminders for your family's information





A WALL CLOUD is shown in the upper left corner of the top photo with a tornado funnel as it begins to touch down. Second photo, tornado on the ground! Sunday, May 7th's, tornado, third photo below, as it slices a path through northwestern Cooke County. At least \$1.5 million worth of damages occurred as the tornado made a half-mile pass through Montague and Cooke counties. Homes were destroyed, one man died, several others were injured, livestock and equipment damaged or destroyed. Bottom photo, Sharlene Schilling took these photos as she and her family watched the tornado west of their home on Copper Switch Road northwest of Muenster.





A Tornado Watch is issued by the Weather Service when conditions are favorable for tornado formation. Continue normal activities during the WATCH, but be aware that there is a possibility of tornadoes and severe thunderstorms. Keep listening to your radio and television. Watch and listen for tornadoes. Take shelter if you see or hear a tornado or threatening conditions approach.

A Tornado Warning means a tornado has been reported or detected by radar. The WARNING will tell you the last known location of the tornado, and, if possible, its speed and direction of movement. If you're close to the tornado, take cover immediately. Those farther away can take cover when a tornado or threatening conditions approach. Tornadoes are not always reported or indicated by radar. Be

prepared to take cover whenever you see or hear a tornado. Tornado Safety Rules If you see or hear a tornado, take

If you see or hear a tornado, take the following safety measures: Seek inside shelter immediately. Protect your head and eyes, lie flat, and make as small a target as possible. If you have a portable radio, take it with you

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IN HOMES: get away from windows, doors, and outside walls. Go to the basement. If you have no basement, go to a first floor bathroom, closet, or room at the center of the house. If possible get under heavy furniture or cover your head with blankets or pillows.

IN SCHOOLS: get to the lowest floor or basement. Go to interior small rooms or hallways. Stay away from windows and large areas such as auditoriums and gymnasiums.

IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS: go immediately to a designated shelter area, or to an interior hallway or small room on the lowest floor, stay away from windows. DO NOT GO TO YOUR PARKED CAR!

IN OPEN COUNTRY: move away from the approaching tornado at right angles, if possible. If there is no time to move or find suitable shelter, leave your car and lie flat in a ditch or depression. Avoid large trees, metal poles and other possible electrical conductors.

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MOBILE HOMES: should be abandoned immediately. If there is no reinforced building or underground shelter nearby, take cover in a ditch or depression.

Do not leave your shelter until the storm threat is past.
Further weather information will be broadcast over this station as soon as it is received.

Morton Museum presents panel exhibit on Mexico

"Mexico: A Work of Art." When this phrase began appearing in American newspapers and magazines in October 1990, it was a powerful reminder of the mystery and appeal of Mexico, with its richly expressive sequence of cultures that dates back more than 3000 years. It was a headline, too, for the most comprehensive exhibition of Mexican art and culture to be presented in the United States in the past thirty years.

Just inside the Zoo's entrance, visitors cross into the exhibit via a short bridge that passes over water onto an island. While on the island, visitors will literally be surrounded with three separate colonies of flaminger.

Make plans to visit these pastel beauties in their new home on your

COUNTY

In other business Commissioners

Court:

•Gave approval to Judge Hesse's request to appoint a special judge during his absence since he must attend two conferences this summer and they will require more than the allotted 15 days.

•Awarded bid for chip material to Dolese of Oklahoma City.

Visit flamingos at

Fort Worth Zoo visitors will "think pink" when they take a stroll through the new Flamingo Bay - a fantastic habitat for more than 50 flamingos!

Opened April 8, Flamingo Bay features birds representing three flamingo species: American flamingos, Chilean flamingos and lesser flamingos. Previously spread throughout the Zoo in multiple, smaller exhibits, these birds will now colonize a single donut-shaped bay.

Just inside the Zoo's entrance, visitors cross into the exhibit via a short bridge that passes over water short bridge that passes over water.

Fort Worth Zoo

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To reach the Zoo from I-30, exit at University Drive. Go south on University one mile. Turn left on Colonial Parkway, and follow signs to the Zoo. For more Zoo information, please call 817/871-7050. 1-800-872-0223

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*Awarded bids for hot mix-cold ay and hot mix-hot lay asphalt to J. R. Thompson, Inc. of Gainesville. *Took no action on appointment of representative and alternate to the Dalhoma Advisory Committee. *Agreed to pay funeral expenses for an indigent, Dorothy A. Bonner. *Approved preliminary plat for Indian Creek Subdivision, Section 1. *Approved final plat for Red Oaks 2 Subdivision in Precinct 2. *Opposed 3-2 a Budget Policy for 1995-96. *Approved minutes, monthly bills and reports from previous meeting.

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SHELLI MONTGOMERY of Pilot Point and David Neal Fleitman of Rt. 4, Gainesville will be married on June 3, 1995. The bride-elect is the daughter of Melvin and Bobbie Koelzer of Rt. 2, Muenster and Bob Montgomery of Gainesville. She is also the granddaughter of Mina Montgomery of Gainesville and Gertrude Koelzer of Muenster. The future-groom is the son of Alvin and Patricia (Dulock) Fleitman of Rt. 4, Gainesville. He is also the grandson of John and Annie Fleitman of Rt. 4, Gainesville. He is also the grandson of John and Annie Fleitman of Rt. 4, Gainesville be to the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Raceland, Louisiana, will be Msgr. Donald Ledet and Rev. Ed Blanchard. The bride-elect is a 1987 graduate of Gainesville High School and an August 1991 graduate of North Texas State University. She is employed as Financial Service Representaitive for Guaranty National Bank at The Colony. Mr. Fleitman is a 1990 graduate of Lindsay ISD, a 1991 graduate of Mita Copier Training and a 1995 graduate of Xerox Training Center. He is a Service Technician employed by Xerox Metro Centre. The couple will reside in Pilot Point.

Natl. Historic Preservation certificates to be presented

In honor of National Historic Preservation Week, the Preservation Week, the Preservation Week Committee of Cooke County will be presenting certificates of merit to individuals and groups who have made significant contributions in the area of preservation in the county. The certificates will be awarded at a ceremony on Saturday, May 20, 1995 at the north end of the Santa Fe Depot at 10:00 a.m. The ceremony is being held in conjunction with Depot Days. Catherine Horsey, executive director of Preservation Dallas, will speak at the event.

Prior to joining Preservation Dallas, Ms. Horsey was assistant executive director of the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation in Atlanta, where she worked for seven years. She came to nonprofit work in historic preservation after

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personally restoring several historic buildings, including a 1799 farmhouse and a 1930 log cabin in central Maine, and a 1905 Queen Anne bungalow and an 1896 vernacular farmhouse in Atlanta.

Ms. Horsey serves on the board of Preservation Action, the national lobbying organization. She is the author of Membership Development for Monprofit Preservation Organizations, written for the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

for the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

Ms. Horsey currently resides in a 1913 Craftsman house in the Munger Place Historic District in Old East Dallas. She is active in her neighborhood association and serves on the board of Shared Housing, Inc.

This event is free and open to the public. For more information, please call 668-8900.

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4-H'ers participate in District Roundup

Cooke County 4-H'ers put their speaking and acting skills to the test at the District IV 4-H Roundup held April 29 at East Texas State University. Senior 4-H'ers who placed first or second in their event, except for only first place in Share-The-Fun, receive the right to represent the district at the State 4-H Roundup held at Texas A&M University on June 5-9.

The 40 4-H'ers representing Cooke County competed in either Public Speaking, Illustrated Talks, Method Demonstrations or Share-The-Fun. The Share-The-Fun contest is a skit competition while the other three events involve public speaking, with or without visual aids. There is a large variety of topics used during the competition. The Senior Share-The-Fun act in Drama placed 2nd. The team members were Stacie Gieb, Robert Lutkenhaus, Jeanie Mosman, Lisa Mosman, Michael Mosman and Amanda Schad.

Juniors participating in other events were: Aaron Lemons, 1st in Open Class; Kevin Lutkenhaus and Mark Lutkenhaus, 1st in Safety and

Accident Prevention; Pamela Lutkenhaus, 4th in Public Speaking; Kristie Lutkenhaus, 5th in Public Speaking; and Bernadette Miller, 4th in Food & Nutrition Educational Activity.

Senior 4-H'ers competing in Method Demonstrations or Public Speaking were: Bonnie Brooks, 2nd in Companion Animals; Rachel Cravens, 1st in Clothing Educational Activity; Emily Felderhoff, 1st in Horticulture Preparation & Use; Yvonne Martin received a participation ribbon in Public Speaking; and Rebecca Miller, 1st in Pork.

The Junior team from Lindeav

The Junior team from Lindsay consisted of Chad Stoffels, Brandon Schroeder, Russell Fleitman and Dominic Fuhrmann. They received 2nd place in High Scoring Teams. Chad earned 4th and Brandon was 5th in High Scoring Individuals. The Senior team for Cooke County consisted of Robert Lutkenhaus, Rebecca Miller and Trey Phillips. They received 4th place and earned the honor of going to State Roundup.

If you have any questions, pleas call the school office at 665-6411.

Notice!

Muenster ISD Superintendent Steve Cooper announced Wednesday that all classes would be dismissed early today Friday, May 19, at 2:30 p.m. for Muenster Independent School District.

Retirement reception set for Supt. Orville Anderle Windthorst, Texas. From there he went to Hobbs, Texas, where he taught math and science until 1972 when he became principal. He came to Sivells Bend as superintendent in 1980. While superintendent, Mr. Anderle oversaw two remodelings and additions to the school building, and the building of a freestanding library. There have been many improvements and advancements in the quality of education under Mr. Anderle's superintendency, not the least of which that Sivells Bend School was awarded a "Recognized" rating in the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills in 1993-94. If you have any questions, please

After 15 years of service to the community of Sivells Bend, Orville Anderle is retiring as school superintendent. The faculty, staff, and school board are honoring him with a reception on Sunday, May 21. The reception will be held in the Sivells Bend School cafeteria, and guests may come and go between 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. The community, former students, former faculty and staff, and friends are invited to attend.

Mr. Anderle holds a B.S. in education—from Midwestern University, a M.Ed. from Texas Tech University, and Administrator's Certification from Sul Ross University.



Vestal earns peace officer certification

On May 1 at 7 p.m. W. Taylor Vestal graduated from the 50th Basic Texoma Regional Police Academy at the Silver Wings Building at Grayson County Airport in Denison. Vestal graduated as salutatorian of his class of 26.

The 50th Basic police Training School requires 560 hours of intense training for potential peace officers. Each student must pass a comprehensive state examination administered by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education (TCLEOSE) in order to graduate.

Grayson County College sponsors the Texoma Regional Police Academy which is certified by TCLEOSE.

W. Taylor Vestal plans to run for the office of constable of Precinct 1 in the 1996 elections. This was his reason for obtaining his peace officer certification.



Reunion



KAREN ELAINE TOMLINSON of Lindsay and Tracy Ray Huchton of Rt. 4, Gainesville have chosen June 17, 1995 for their wedding day. Their engagement and approaching marriage have been announced by her parents, Larry and Nell Tomlinson of Rt. 2, Gainesville, Parents of the future-groom are David and Margie Huchton of Rt. 4, Gainesville, Rev. Eugene Luke, OSB, will officiate the wedding in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay at 5 p.m. The bride-elect is a 1993 graduate of Callisburg High School. She is employed at Levi's Factory Outlet. Mr. Huchton is a 1990 graduate of Lindsay High School and a 1994 graduate of North Central Texas College with an Associate degree of Applied Science in Electronics. The couple will reside in Muenster.

County Extension Office offers parenting series

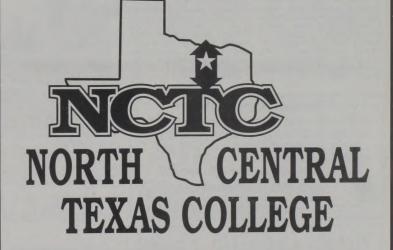
by Evelyn Yeatts,
County Extension Agent-FCS
One of the most exciting changes in a young couple's life is the addition of a new baby to their family. Change, stress and challenge will all be apparent soon.
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- Child guidance
The series is provided by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service-Cooke County. It is free and designed to help young parents as they begin and continue through one of the most rewarding, yet allenging experiences in life.

To receive the letter series, call the County Extension Office at 668-5412. If your new baby is already here and several months old, we will mail earlier months to you now and then continue the series as your baby gets older. A similar letter series is also available in Spanish and is also free.

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SH seniors' accomplishments highlighted

J.E.L.L.Y. reaches out

Monday, May 15, the Sacred Heart School Senior Class, their parents, teachers, and friends gathered at The Center Restaurant for the annual Senior Awards Banquet. Tiffany Fisher welcomed the gathering at 7:30 p.m. followed by an invocation led by Neil Berres. Principal Jack Murdock served as Master of Ceremonies for the evening's presentations.

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The Valedictorian Trophy was awarded to Tiffany Fisher and the Salutatorian Trophy was awarded to Stephanie Grewing. Only twelve one hundredth of one percent separated the two students grades over a four-year period.

Mr. Murdock presented scholarships to Tiffany Fisher from the State of Texas, the Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas, American University in Washington, D.C., the Tandy Award, and the National Honor Society Certificate of Merit. Stephanie Grewing was presented an Independent Colleges and University of Texas Scholarship, a Southern Methodist University Scholarship, a National Honor Society Certificate of Merit and a National Cheerleader Association All American Cheerleader Association All American Cheerleader Award. Loretta Reiter received a scholarship from Our Lady of the Lake University in San Antonio, a National Merit Scholarship Corporation Letter of Commendation and a Tandy Award.

Kathy Bauer presented Alison

Award.

Kathy Bauer presented Alison
Knabe and Tiffany Fisher
scholarships on behalf of the Beta
Kappa Sorority. Frances Bayer
bresented Sarina Fuhrmann,
tennifer Fuhrmann, and Stephanie
Grewing, Voice of Democracy
Awards on behalf of the VFW
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Awards on behalf of the VFW Auxiliary.

Scholarships awarded exceeded \$164,000.
Faculty nominated seniors for their outstanding achievement in academic subjects. Winning awards for academic excellence were: Art IV, Sarina Fuhrmann; Art II, Jacqueline Trammell; Advanced Math, Sarina Fuhrmann; Science, Tammy Fleitman; Economics, Loretta Reiter; Spanish, Tiffany Fisher; Civics, Stephanie Grewing; English, Lorinda Whitecotton; Advanced English, Tiffany Fisher and Stephanie Grewing; Religion, Neil Berres; Computer Science A,

New Arrival

Reiter
Lloyd and Mary Reiter of Decatur joyfully announce the birth of their fourth child, a son. Chisam Patrick Reiter was born on Sunday, May 7, 1995, at 8:25 p.m. in the Denton Community Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs. 14 oz. and measured 20 inches in length. Chisam is welcomed by two brothers, Travis Joseph, age 8, and Austin John, age 3 and 1/2, and a sister, Karissa Michelle, age 6. Grandparents are Wilfred and Polly Reiter of Muenster and Julius and Marcella Metzler of Gainesville, Great grandparents are John J. and Edith Hess of Lindsay.

Lorinda Whitecotton; Computer Science B, Sarina Fuhrmann; Homemaking I, Jason Hess; Homemaking II, Kristin Fleitman; Home and Family, Michael Schilling; Journalism, Jennifer Fuhrmann; Accounting, Jason Hess; and Business Math, Carrie Covington.

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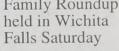
presented to Jennifer Fuhrmann and Neil Berres, Mr. Caserta's annual Password Award was presented to Tiffany Fisher and Stephanie Grewing for first place and David Moster for second place.

Art awards were won by Loretta Reiter for Honorable Mention at the Saint Jo Art Show; Jacqueline Trammell for a first at the Saint Jo Art Show, a fifth and an Honorable Mention at the Texas Association



1995. Following Mr. Murdock's advice to the Seniors, Class President Tiffany Fisher presented an autographed portrait of the Class of 1995 to special guest Mr. Steve Kohler as a token of their affection and respect for the impact he has made on their lives.

Sarina Fuhrmann closed the evening with a prayer.



Art Show.

Seniors received plaques for their leadership of the Sacred Heart Student Council. Tiffany Fisher was President, Stephanie Grewing was Vice President, Jennifer Fuhrmann was Second Vice President, Neil Berres was Senior Class Representative and Sarina Fuhrmann was Senior Class Representative and Sarina Fuhrmann was Senior Class Representative. Officers of the Senior Class Headership. Tiffany Fisher was President, Neil Berres was Vice President, Sarina Fuhrmann was Secretary and Stephanie Grewing was Treasurer.

Mr. and Ms. Sacred Heart is an annual award presented to the two students who are thought to best represent the ideals of Sacred Heart School. They are selected by a vote of the high school faculty. Mr. and Ms. Sacred Heart of 1995 are Neil Berres and Stephanie Grewing.

Following the presentation of awards Principal Jack Murdock gave to the Seniors guidelines for life. They were the same guidelines that Mrs. Murdock had written and given to the Murdocks' children when they left home. "Sacred Heart School is God's school," said Mr. Murdock, "We are all God's children, Sacred Heart School is not just a school, it's a family." The advice given to the Seniors was to place your faith in God; pray; practice self-discipline; learn to make good decisions; learn patience; laugh; set goals; make ach day count for good. The principal expressed his love for the students and asked God's blessing for each member of the class of 1995.



Family members of patients at Wichita Falls State Hospital are invited to attend Family Roundup '95 Saturday, May 20, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Chapel/Auditorium. A day of education, information, fellowship and support is planned. Activities for the day are informal; dress is casual; lunch will be provided.

For information and reservations, call WFSH, 1-800-817-9591 or Community Relations, 817-689-5238.



HOSPICE AUXILIARY OFFICERS, 1 to r, Norma Will Anderson, Denise M. Pearse, Angela Antonetti and Mary Gill.

Home Hospice Auxiliary meets for officer installation

The Cooke County Home Hospice Auxiliary met Thursday, May 11, at the Whaley Methodist Church. The group enjoyed a lunch of sandwiches, chips, dip and fresh vegetables served by President Denise Pearse. The group also enjoyed a big "Thank" cake for their hard work in '94-'95.

Pearse called the meeting to order and read the minutes. Angela Antonetti gave the financial report. Representatives for the '95-'96 year are: Muenster, Angela Antonetti; Valley View, Denise Pearse; Eral, Imogene House and Patsy Barthold; Mountain Springs, TBA; Callisburg, Kim Sewell; Moss Lake, Robert Lewis; Gainesville,

Mary Ellen Gibbs and Linda Lira; Lake Kiowa, Joyce Cargill. County representatives are Dena Anderson and Mary Gill.

The group also finalized plans for their brunch June 1 in Muenster at the home of Chuck and June Bartush.

Mary Gill conducted the officer installation. She introduced each officer and presented a candle, the color symbolic of the job and duty they will perform. Those installed were: President, Norma Williams of Gainesville; Vice-president, Dena Anderson of Era; Secretary, Denise Pearse of Valley View; Treasurer, Angela Antonetti of Muenster.

Former resident receives Comm. Builders Award

Carol Fights, daughter of Leo and Martha Sicking, has received the Masonic Lodge's Community Builders Award, Stanfield Lodge No. 217 of Denton presented the award after a reception-dinner at the Masonic Temple.

In 1974, Mrs. Fights was a founder of the Community Food Center, which gives food, free of charge, to families in emergency situations. She served for 5 years as Treasurer, and 20 years as Treasurer, and 20 years as Secretary of the Board of Directors. Last year the Community Food Center gave 168,437 lbs. of food to 3,719 families.

Other community involvement includes 4 terms on the Church Council of Immaculate Conception

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by Eric Gray
On Saturday, May 13, Eric Gray
and Jeannine Flusche (the
JELLY, folk) went out to Durant,
Oklahoma to conduct a junior high
retreat. Margie and Lyle Klement,
formerly of Muenster, are presently
the junior high volunteer youth
ministers of St. William's Parish
there, and had invited the
JELLY, folk to do a retreat for
their group. This was the first time
that J.E.L.L.Y. folk have done an
outreach retreat, and the response
was superb.

Being a rather small parish,
seven students were on hand for the
retreat, three boys and four girls,
which allowed the retreat to be
much more personal and intimate.
The enthusiasm and participation of
these students were fantastic all the
way through the day, from opening
prayer to games to talks to small
groups to closing prayer.

The hospitality extended to Eric
and Jeannine was tremendous.
They were made to feel at home by
the students and adult volunteers
right away. The schedule of the day
began with lunch (a veritable
banquet!), followed by the retreat,
Mass at 5:30 p.m., and a pizza
dinner to top it off. Acquaintances
and friendships were begun and the
day was enjoyed by all.

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more outreach retreats might be conducted (by invitation of course), by not only J.E.L.L.Y. but by J.A.M. and the whole of S.H.Y.M. as well. Also, the St. William's Parish youth ministry plans to come to Muenster to participate in some of S.H.Y.M.'s activities here on site as well.

By all of this, the unity in the diversity of the Body of Christ has been and continues to be demonstrated. Praise the Lord, God bless Sacred Heart and St. William's Parishes.

Parents of students in grades K through 12 are urged to register for fall religious education classes this weekend, May 20-21, after the weekend Masses, in the Sacred Heart High School Library. Registration fee for each student is \$20 with no more than \$50 for families of three or more. This may be paid later or in installments. Classes are small and most have both a teacher and aide. They will begin after the public schools start in August.

Parents of kindergarten students are especially urged to register early so we have an idea of how many textbooks and teachers are needed.

Enterprise Policy

News items must be submitted to The Enterprise within 30 days of the event, which includes time to be typeset and published before the 30-day deadline. Example: a birthday party held on Jan. 3 would have to be turned in to The Enterprise in time to be published in the Feb. 3 issue. News items submitted later than this deadline will be printed at regular advertising rates.

First Communicants honored

Shannon Grewing
Carrie Grewing
Two cousins, Shannon Leigh
Grewing, daughter of Jim and Diane
Grewing, and Carrie Grewing,
daughter of Glenn and Connie
Grewing, shared the celebration of
their special day together, at the Jim
and Diane Grewing home on
Sunday, May 7.
The noon meal of smoked

Sunday, May 7.

The noon meal of smoked chicken and barbecue brisket was followed by the serving of two cakes. The decorated cake, made by Betty Rose Walterscheid, honored both cousins, along with another cake made by Shannon's Grandma Yosten.

cake made by Shannon's Grandma Yosten.

Pictures were made; there were games for the children and swimming in the new pool.

Guests were Shannon's parents; her brothers, Michael, Randy, Craig and Aaron; grandparents, Spike and Frances Yosten; godmother, Susie Bullion and children Lesley, Chris, Brett and Shane; Aunt Debbie and Uncle Stuart Bradford and children Lauren, Sam and Jack; Great-Aunt Evelyn Koesler; cousins Stephanie. Yosten and Michael Panky; friend Jon Knabe; Carrie and Shannon's grandparents, Steve and Judy Grewing; uncles and aunts and cousins, Steve and Marla Fette and Polly; Amy Fette and Darrell Dangelmayr; Sheila and Cotton Kleinert and Daniel and Kara; Donna and Deuce Charles and Cory; Elaine and Fred Koesler and Evan and Andrew.

Carrie's parents, Glenn and Connie Grewing and Christopher.

Evan and Andrew.

Carrie's parents, Glenn and Connie Grewing, and Christopher and Megan; Carrie's grandmother, Flo Walterscheid; Carrie's uncles, aunts and cousins, Alice Walterscheid and children, Kenneth and Erik; Jeannene and Deano Bayer and Dillon; Rick Walterscheid and Mindy; Gary and Brenda Walterscheid and Mindy; Gary and Brenda Walterscheid and Fandon, Jeremy and Cameron; and Pat Walterscheid.

Shannon was later an honoree at

Walterscheid.

Shannon was later an honoree at another First communion supper gathering held at the home of Bobby and Judy Hobbs in Era. This supper was given for Holly Hobbs, who also made her First Communion along with Shannon. Shannon's veil was given to her by her Grandma Yosten; her dress was borrowed from her cousin, Jessica Koesler.

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Lana Rose Fisher
Gary J.-and Marlene R. Fisher honored their daughter, Lana Rose, with a family gathering, first for noon dinner at The Center Restaurant after the morning Mass in Sacred Heart Church; then, in the afternoon sharing in the birthday celebration with cousin Christi Fisher who turned one year old.

Together for dinner were Gary, Marlene, Lana Rose, Eric and Karl Fisher; grandparents, Ann Herr and Earl and Velma Fisher.

Special for Lana was having her godparents, Pam and David Fette, sing for the First Communion Mass.

Gifts for Lana included a porcelain First Communion Doll from her parents; a cross-engraved heart locket from her brothers, Karl and Eric; a First Communion picture frame and silver angel necklace and "October" birthstone angel from Grandma Ann Herr; a

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musical First Communion book statue from Grandma Velma and Grandpa Earl Fisher; and a First Communion album from godparents Pam and David Fette.

Eric Anthony Endres, son of Jack and Mary Endres was a member of the First Communion class of 38 second graders of Sacred Heart Parish on May 7. He was honored at a family gathering and noon meal hosted by his maternal grandparents J.D. and Miriam Caplinger in their home.

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The First Communion centerpiece cake was decorated with a Precious Moments figurine (a boy kneeling in prayer beside a stained glass window) and a rosary; Eric's baptismal name and date of First Holy communion.

After lunch Eric opened and displayed his gifts; and cake was served. Then all the grandchildren enjoyed a trip to "Grandpa J.D.'s Farm" to see the dogs and cows. Although their shoes were covered with mud, their faces were covered with smiles!

Guests included the paternal grandparents Urban and Jane Endres, the maternal grandparents J.D. and Miriam Caplinger; Eric's parents Jack and Mary Endres and sisters and brother Jennifer, Emily and Scott; and uncles, aunts and cousins Paul, Susan and Cyle Caplinger of Denton and Gary, Diann, Stephen, Natalie, David and Lydia Zimmerer of Ft. Worth.

Dustin Felderhoff

Diann, Stephen, Natalie, David and Lydia Zimmerer of Ft. Worth.

Dustin Felderhoff

Dustin John Felderhoff, son of Ronnie and Sharon Felderhoff, was a member of the First Holy Communion class of Sacred Heart Parish when 38 second graders received First Eucharist on Sunday, May 7, during the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

At noon, Dustin's parents hosted a lasagna dinner in their home in his honor. The table centerpiece was a cake baked and decorated by his mother, with a First Communicant figurine. Guests enjoyed visiting; group photos were made; and Dustin opened and displayed his gifts.

Guests were the maternal grandparents Bud and Helen Metzler; the paternal grandparents Arthur and Evie Felderhoff; Dustin's siblings Chad, Mitch and Annanda; Aunt Kathy Metzler and cousins Melissa, Katie, R.J. and Nathan Metzler, and Fr. Frowin Schoech, Ronnie's first cousin. Dustin's godfather, Jeff Metzler was unable to attend, but phoned his congratulations to the First Communicant.

Tiffany D. Rains

mis congratulations to the First Communicant.

Tiffany D. Rains, daughter of Mitchell and Linda Rains, was honored by her parents on her First Communion Day, May 7, 1995 when they entertained in their home at noon. They prepared and served a fried chicken dinner with all the trimmings. There also was a decorated First Communion cake for the table centerpiece. A planned, anticipated special activity had to be canceled because of the threatening weather conditions.

Guests included Tiffany's brother Chris; Grandma Theresa; Uncle Bill and Aunt Katrina, Ashley and Brooke; Uncle Mark and Rebecca Grewing; Uncle Mike and Aunt Anita, Charlie and Chris.

Gifts, picture taking and home videos added to Tiffany's special day.

Courtney Darwin

Courtney Darwin
Courtney Darwin, daughter of
Hilda and Danny Darwin, was

John Bartush, Agent 1100 E. Division Muenster, Texas Helping You Is What We Do Best. honored with a family gathering held at the home of her Aunt Lisa Guay's home in Lewisville. Courtney shared the day and celebrated with her cousins Stephanie and Michael who also received their First Holy Communion on that day. The dinner party was held at 2:00 p.m. Guests included the grandparents; Sara Gruschow, Jeff Serna, several aunts and uncles and cousins; and several friends.

Please continue to send in your

Please continue to send in your notes about First Communion family gatherings. More will be printed next week as space allows.



MUENSTER ISD 4th gr for their drawings entered in the Cooke County Heritage Week. Awarded ribbons were, I to r, Cindy Tempel, Kami



MUENSTER ISD TEACHER Becky Scott presented UIL certificates to Krystal Hale, Mitch Endres and Kimberly Klement for earning a perfect score during the Academic District Meet. Other elementary students were honored at Monday night's All-Awards Banquet. Janie Hartman Photo



MUENSTER ISD Music Memory winners are, 1 to r, back row - Ami Graham, Megan Hennigan; front - Kacie Garcia, Misty Barnhill.

Muenster ISD Music Memory Team earns perfect score

The UIL Music Memory team of Muenster Jr. High School scored a perfect 100% in the contest held at Saint Jo High School. Therefore, each of the four team members had a perfect test and each individually scored 100%. It is the first time for any UIL Music Memory team at MISD.

grade teacher, Rosemary Dankesreiter.

The team members listened to Renaissance, Baroque, Classical, Romantic and Modern composers. At the test the girls were asked to identify a particular selection from a major work from 16 different

Forestburg Historical Society plans pancake breakfast

The Forestburg Historical Society held their May meeting at the old bank building, after bad weather caused cancellations several times.

orange juice. Prices are \$4.00 for "all you can eat" for adults and \$2.00 for children under 12. Renovation and payment of taxes on the building have depleted their funds; therefore a fund-raising event became necessary.

Attending the meeting were Peggy Cain, Steve Sandusky, Bobbie Wylie, Shirley Harvill, John and Wanda Willis and Veda Brogdon.

Lunch Menus

WEEK OF MAY 22 - 26 LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Chalupa wl'rimmings, pinto beans, Mexican rice, fruit, bread, milk. Tues. - Spaghetti and meat sauce, okra, lettuce salad, fruit, bread,

milk.

Wed. - Manager's Choice!

Thur. - Hamburgers
w/trimmings, French fries, icecream, milk.

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Fri. - NO SCHOOL-GRADUATION-TEACHER
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Breakfast Menu: Oatmeal, cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk.
Wednesday Special: Biscuits, sausage patite and gravy.
Mon. - Chef's Choice! SNACK
BAR: Pizza, corn.
Tues. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, broccoli and cheese sauce, green beans, Texas toast, peaches w/whipped topping, milk. SNACK
BAR: Burrito and pinto beans.
Wed. - Grilled ham and cheese, pickle spears, pear half, ice cream, milk. LAST DAY OF SCHOOL.
MUENSTER ISD
Mon. - BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk. LUNCH: Hot dogs, French fries, baked beans, fruit.

Tues. - BREAKFAST: Grilled ham and cheese on toast, juice, milk. LUNCH: Fried chicken, potatoes and gravy, English peas, rolls.

Wed. - BREAKFAST: Two Pancakes w/ syrup, juice, milk. LUNCH: Frito chili pie, lettuce salad, pinto beans, fruit, bread.

Thur. - BREAKFAST: Cinnamon toast, juice, milk. LUNCH: B.B.Q. Sandwich, potato chips, pickles and onions, cookies, fruit.

chips, pickles and onions, cookies, fruit.

Fri. - BREAKFAST: Scrambled Eggs, biscuits, juice, milk. LUNCH: Sandwiches, cook's

LÜNCH: Sandwiches, cook schoice.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL
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Mon. - Hot dogs, carrots and celery, fruit, milk.
Tues. - Chicken nuggets, potatoes, peas, hot rolls, fruit, milk.
Wed. - Mexican casserole, ranch style beans, salad, fruit, bread, milk.

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Muenster Elementary students honored at banquet

Muenster ISD honored their elementary students, grades 1-5, Monday night at their annual awards banquet. Using the theme, "A Landscape for Learning," the Muenster PTO sponsored the hamburger supper at the Sacred Heart Community Center.

Rose Hudspeth, president of Muenster PTO, served as master of ceremonies. Hudspeth and Peggy Sparkman also presented the PATS awards to all students who made the "A" or "B" Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance. Receiving attendance meddls were "Lst grade Lena" [Ena"]

awards to all students who made the "A" or "B" Honor Roll this school year.

Elementary teachers presented theirs students with medals for "A" and "B" Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance. Receiving attendance medals were: 1st grade, Jena Felderhoff, Jordan Walterscheid, Dustin Wimmer, Megan Dangelmayr and Ryan Fuhrmann; 2nd grade, Lana Fisher, Clint Miller, Jeff Stalder, Whitney Britain, Sean Fuhrmann, Richard Gilliland, Mindy Walterscheid and Whitney Watson; 3rd grade, Deann Dangelmayr, Joseph Dangelmayr, Kirk Hartman, Martha Knabe, Diana Felderhoff, Daniel Russell and Melinda Walterscheid.

In perfect attendance, in the 4th grade were Karl Fisher, Megan Grewing, Crystal Hacker, Tyler Walterscheid, Amanda Felderhoff and Chris Rains; 5th grade, Eric Bayer, Nathan Hess, Ashley Klement, Brad Felderhoff, Krystal Hale, Kevin Hermes, Krystal Knabe, Daniel Rohmer and Chris York.

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NCTC announces summer youth program

reaching age 12-15 by Sept. 1, 1995.

"These courses have been added to the Summer Youth Programs for the teen who wants to gain in-depth understanding and knowledge in the subject of their choices," added Moody.

"Taking Flight will be offered."

Moody.

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Something new this year is Keyboarding - The Herzog System. This course will teach kids the Fast Track Herzog System of Keyboarding. Registration is through June 12. The class will meet June 19-22 and June 26-29. Ages 8-11 will meet from 1 to 2 p.m. and ages 12-14 will meet from 2 to 3 p.m. The cost of the course is 525, T-shirt included.

Tennis camp is for boys and girls ages 10-15. Two sessions are offered - June 5-9 from 8-10 a.m. Registration is through May 30. Session two will be July 10-14 from 8-10 a.m. Registration is through July 3. Cost of each session is \$45, includes T-shirt.

"Just Horsin' Around" is a selection of classes for students interested in learning how to ride horses or enhance their riding skills. Level I Horseback Riding will have six sections to choose from. The first week of classes will meet June 5-9 from 8-10 a.m. or 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The second week of

classes will meet June 19-23 from 8-10 a.m. or 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. The third week of classes ill meet June 26-30 from 8-10 a.m. r 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Level II Horseback Riding requires that all students must have been enrolled in Level I or have completed a beginning horseback riding program. The first section will meet June 5-9 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Section two will meet July 10-14 from 8-10 a.m. and Section three will meet July 17-21 from 8-10 a.m. English Riding is designed to teach fundamental riding skills. The course will also focus on the basics of riding in a hunt saddle. Two sections will be offered - July 10 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. and July 17 from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

For more information on these and other non-credit courses being offered this summer, or to receive a brochure, contact the NCTC Continuing Education Office at 817-668-4272.

Tara wins TU Electric safety poster contest

TU Electric has announced that Tara Swirczynski is a winner in the 1995 Electric Safety Poster Contest. Students in kindergarten through 6th grade from all over the state of Texas submitted entries in March. Entries were scored by a panel of judges for creativity, originality, message and quality of art work. Tara's poster will be printed in TU Electric's 1995-96 Electric Safety Calendar.

Tara is a 2nd grader at Muenster Elementary School. She is the daughter of Jill and Dale Swirczynski.

Cooke County FCE Council plans May tour

The April meeting of Cooke County Family and Community Education Council was held at the Stanford House on April 11, at 1:30 p.m. Nancy Carter, council chairman, called the meeting to order and led the pledge to the American Flag.

The inspiration "Spring Awakens What Autumn Puts To Sleep" by Melen Steiner Rice was read by Marian Baker of the Sivells Bend Club.

Roll call and Presidents' reports.

Club.

Roll call and Presidents' reports were answered by all seven county clubs; and minutes and treasurers' reports were given and accepted.

Old Business: Reports were given and accepted.

Old Business: Reports were given on the District Conference at the Civic Center on April 4.

The by-laws report was given by Barbara Pybas and some changes made to conform to name changes.

The May Tour was discussed and local tour is planned in conjunction with Doug Robison of NCTC. The "People Carrier" will be made available by NCTC by reservations only to FCE members.

The Parent-Child Environmental Camp was reported, with FCE making the money available to buy all the participants T-shirts for their special day on May 6.

New Business: Additions to the May Tour were discussed with a Box Lunch being made available by The Farmers Kitchen in Muenster.

The Cultural Arts Contest was discussed with local judging at the June Council Meeting, on June 13. Winners at the local show will advance to District competition at the TU Electric Educational Center in Trinidad, Texas on August 17-18, 1995.

Other Business: A special thank you to all who made the District Conference a success. A final report on the 1994 Sell-O-Rama. Certificates of Appreciation from Janet Gary, District 4 Cultural Arts extended and seven local clubs.

Revised updates on cultural arts exhibit categories were called to everyone's attention. The 21 categories are clearly defined on the new list and must be strictly enforced for arts and craffs to be eligible. First place winners in the District competition will be in State competition in South Padre Island at the State Convention September 19-21, 1995.

The April meeting closed with the FCE Prayer in unison. Barbara Pybas and Marian Baker of the Sivells Bend Club served refreshments from an Easter decorated table.



Country Tidings

Marvin Maberry Sr. entered the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Sunday for treatment. Mrs. Marvin Maberry Sr. was dismissed Wednesday from the Muenster Memorial Hospital after receiving treatment there.

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Marvin Maberry Jr. of Daingerfield visited his mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Maberry Sr., on Sunday and Monday and has returned home.

Mrs. Winona Russell of Whitesboro and Mrs. Ima King of Bowie had dinner Saturday with Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bewley of Pampa had dinner Sunday with Lois and Clyde. In the afternoon, they all drove to Wilson, Oklahoma and visited the cemetery where their uncle, Virgil Vess, and his wife are buried. They also saw some of the storm damage that was done last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Blankenship of Lindsay, Oklahoma spent the weekend with Mrs. Louise Shults. They attended the Rosston Cemetery Memorial Day at Ross Point Community Center Saturday. Sunday, they all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shults and Wayne Shults at their lake home on Lake Texoma.

Bill and Dorothy Christian

Sybil Smith of Texarkana and Imagadie Balthrop of Gainesville.

Mrs. Ouida Gage of Clarende visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackse from Wednesday to Frida Thursday night, they were joine by Jewel and Carroll Dill, Charl Dill and Keith Dill for visitin Saturday night, Bill and Jo Jackse of Decatur visited Ted and Lau Belle. Sunday after church, Lau Belle and Ted Jackson were treatif for Mother's Day dinner at TI Center Restaurant by Jewel at Carroll Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliffor

Center Restaurant by Jewel an Carroll Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliffor Hudspeth drove to Wichita Falls see their grandson, Charles Barbe play baseball Thursday. Sunday, all of the Hudspeth children and some grandchildre came to honor their mother, Merl for Mother's Day.

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Seventh War Loan Drive to be conducted on "Do It In One Day" Plan, Muenster Horse Show and program will be held in Ball Park next Sunday. Wedding: Rosalie Schmitz, formerly of Lindsay, marries Marine Corporal W. Grant Cox in Dallas.

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Muenster High School sends 10 students to UII. Regional level literary events.

10 YEARS AGO
April 19, 1985

Muenster Enterprise sweeps top honors in its division at annual convention of the North and East Texas Press Association. In Class A, Weekly Newspapers, The Enterprise accumulated 400 points. Muenster High School's top debate team won first place honors at UII. Regional Meet in Kilgore, advancing debaters Jean Pagel and Mikael Fette to State Meet in Austin last week of April. In Muenster, balmy spring weather keeps hanging on, hopefully to and through Germanfest. Volunteers transform old "ugly duckling" vacant lot where tree stumps, weeds and debris had collected into beautiful Elder's Park on Main Street. They hope to have it finished for Germanfest visitors. Five Muenster 4-H'ers win at District in method demonstrations and illustrated talks and will advance to state competition at Texas A&M University. City of Muenster gets check for \$4,869 as rebate for city sales tax, a gain of 4,08%. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schilling honored on 46th wedding anniversary. Mrs golf and tennis teams win Regional and qualify for State. MHS student Keith Klement sweeps distance events at Nocona Indian Relays.

10 YEARS AGO
April 26, 1985
Tenth annual Germanfest is ready. Muenster Enterprise publishes special supplement for 10 YEARS AGO
April 26, 1985
Tenth annual Germanfest is ready. Muenster Enterprise publishes special supplement for Germanfest guide. Germanfest hires its first full-time coordinator - Louis Stephenson. General clean-up readies the town and Muenster sparkles for Germanfest visitors. More than 3-1/2 tons of trash was cleared from the streets of Muenster and perimeter on Saturday in five hours, by about 40 volunteers, mostly Cub Scout Pack 664. Police Chief Helen Tompkins warns, "There is a City Ordinance providing a stiff fine for being caught littering 'glass containers'... and we will enforce the ordinance." Community hopes for festive weather, which was encouraging at midweek, but TV weather forecasts are saying that showers are likely. Weddings: Susan Lynn Winter marries Larry Wayne Tidwell; Katheryn Lynn Metzler marries Keith Joseph Grewing at St. Peter's Church; Claudia Allene Craumer weds Ronald Muller in Amarillo. Obituary: Anna Seyler dies in Denton at age 89; Birney C. Rosson of Myra at age 95.

Sacred Heart High School Class of 1995

Graduation Thursday, May 25, Sacred Heart Church, 6:00 P.M.





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Roll-over convincer may help persuade Texans to buckle up for safety assurance

shown.

With the use of a "roll-over convincer," the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Department of Transportation are demonstrating how people can be tossed about or even thrown from a motor vehicle in a roll-over crash when they are not wearing their safety belts.

when they are not wearing their safety belts.

"In the convincer, which is a pickup cab mounted on a trailer, dummies representing an adult and a young child are placed in the vehicle without seat belts to illustrate what happens to occupants when they are not belted," said Janie Harris, Extension passenger safety specialist. Typically, the dummies factalities still occur because people don't wear their safety belts." Harris noted that surveys show that seat belt use occurs about 70 percent of the time in the urban and suburban areas and 50 percent of less in rural communities.

About 60 percent of the occupants who died in traffic crashes during 1993 were not

again to demonstrate how the occupants are held in position during the roll-over crash."

County Extension agents, law enforcement officers and traffic safety specialists can use the convincer at health fairs, county fairs, automobile shows and other events to demonstrate seat belt safety, she said. The reality of what actually happens to people who do not use their safety belts is made more visible with the roll-over device.

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"Many Texans wear their seat
belts and insist that their children
are belted on every trip," she said.
"However, many injuries and
fatalities still occur because people
don't wear their safety belts." Harris
noted that surveys show that seat
belt use occurs about 70 percent of
the time in the urban and suburban
areas and 50 percent or less in rural
communities.

wearing safety belts, she said. All regular passenger vehicles -- cars, vans, pickups, for example -- are covered by state seat belt and child restraint laws, but others are not -- vehicles for hire, postal vehicles, one-ton pickups, large commercial vans, and others.

Children ages 4 and under are protected by law regardless of the type of vehicle and their location in it.

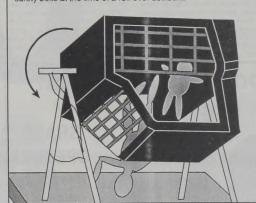
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"Convincing people to buckle up and secure their children in safety seats can save lives and injuries," Harris said. "Child safety seats used correctly are 71 percent effective in preventing fatalities. Safety belts are 45 percent to 55 percent effective. And air bags, combined with safety belts, are up to 65 percent effective."

The economic costs to families, communities and the state from traffic crashes can also be reduced. Unbelted crash victims incur two to seven times the medical costs of buckled victims, according to the National Highway and Traffic Safety Administration.

"That, plus the economic loss due to fatalities, makes this a societal problem, not just an individual problem," Harris said.
"The 1993 economic loss to Texas for 3,037 deaths due to traffic accidents is estimated to be more than \$11.7 billion."

Roll-over convincer shows benefits of safety belts



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CUTTING THE RIBBON for their new facilities at Sher-Den Mall in Sherman are representatives from Texoma Council of Governments. Participants include, 1 to r, Dana Bennett from United Way, Judy Rowton from Congressman Ralph Hall's office, Howe Mayor Ray Bledsoe, TCOG Board President Julie Ellis Starr (also Sherman's Deputy Mayor), TCOG Executive Director Frances Pelley and Hilda Ramsey representing AARP. Hosting the Open House, which was held May 2, were Texoma Council of Governments, United Way of Grayson County, Texoma Council for the Deaf and Senator Tom Haywood.





SH athletes honored



TOM CARSON of KGAF Radio was the guest speaker at the annual Sacred Heart High School Athletic Awards Banquet. Dave Fette Photo

Bartush.

After Alumni President Neil Hesse made his address, Sacred Heart letter jackets were awarded to any athlete that earned seven letters. This included Brandon Bayer, Michael Becker, Karri Endres, Nicole Endres, Jeanna Trammell, Joey Martin, Scott Poole, Scott Frost, Toby Hess, John Klement and Jake McCoy.

The chicken fried steak meal at the Sacred Heart Community Center was enjoyed by students and parents.

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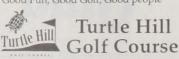
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GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONIES were held last month near Alliance Airport for the Texas Motor Speedway. The race track, which is scheduled to open in the summer of 1996, will feature Indy and Winston Cup race cars. Participating in the festivities are, r to 1, race car drivers Terry LaBonte, Jeff Gordon and Bobby

Gov. Bush urges Texans to set good example during Boating Safety Week

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"Texas ranks among the top states nationwide with year-round access to our state's inland and coastal water resources," Governor Bush said. "I urge all Texans and visitors who use our waterways for recreation to carry and wear life jackets and to make sure those around them do the same."

"This weekend is the typical beginning of the boating season for many Texans, and we appreciate Governor Bush calling attention to the wearing of life jackets as an easy and effective way to make boating and water recreation more enjoyable," said Jim Colborn, president of the Boating Trades Association of Texas (BTAT). The association belongs to the statewide Boater Education Advisory Group coordinated by the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department.

While Texas law requires persons 12 and under to wear life jackets, Colborn pointed out that it's a good idea for everyone.

"Whether you are fishing, skiing, canoeing or just out for a cruise, putting on a life jacket should be as automatic as buckling the seat belt in your car," Colborn said. Besides the wearing of life jackets, Colborn urged boaters to adhere to our state's boating-while-intoxicated law, one of many statutes which places Texas in the top tier of states regarding boating safety.

More than 600,000 boats are registered in Texas, and approximately 5.5 million Texans so boating each year. Numerous voluntary safe boater education classes are available statewide. TPWD operates a toll free information line - 1-800-792-1112-where callers can receive information on course dates and locations in their area.

PRO FISHIN' TIP

One of the biggest myths about topwater fishing is that it is only effective during the early morning and late afternoon. That is not true, even during the summer months.

Topwater enthusiasts should give some special consideration to the enormous amount of sunlight that is commonplace during the summer months. When presenting a topwater plug to a piece of structure, cast facing into the sun—so that the brightness is behind the bass and not hampering the fish's vision.

Also, this positioning will ensure that your shadow doesn't spook the fish.

Feeders for deer provide feast for numerous other critters

Spending big bucks to feed "Big Bucks" may not be the panacea many deer managers think it is.

Over the past decade, many ranchers and hunters have started feeding programs for their deer herds. The idea is to increase deer quality by increasing antler size and body weight. The better the buck, the more he's worth.

Big money is the reason. West Texas is sheep and goat country, and these enterprises have not been too profitable in recent years. To help fill the financial void, many have turned to their wildlife resource. Hunting leases in the area typically bring from \$2-\$5 per acre—not insignificant in an area that measures land by sections rather than acres.

To maintain optimum lease prices, deer must be cared for. At some point most managers contemplate a feeding program and some implement one. But feeding isn't cheap.

Dr. Dale Rollins, wildlife specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in San Angelo, said white-tailed bucks need a 13 percent to 16 percent crude protein diet to develop their genetic potential. With feed costing around \$200-plus per ton, the rancher hopes it's deer that eat all the feed. Sadly, such is not the case.

"While year-around feeding programs are becoming more popular, there is little evidence that the practice is economically effective," Rollins said, "When I ask a rancher or hunter if his

Lindsay hosts basketball camp for 2nd year

Lindsay High School varsity Coach Larry Spruiell will conduct his second summer basketball camp at the Lindsay gym, Camp dates for 6th through 9th graders (next fall) are July 10-14 with morning and afternoon sessions. The week of July 17-21 will be for 3rd through 6th graders in the mornings from 8:30 to 12:00. The camp is opened to any boy or girl entering the 3rd through 9th grade in the fall of 1995.

Tuition will be \$40.00, which

nrough 9th grade in the fall of 1995.
Tuition will be \$40.00, which includes guest lectures, individual instruction, a camp t-shirt, certification of participation, and a self improvement plan for each camper. The camp will offer an opportunity to increase fundamentals of the game, including shooting, passing, ball-handling and defensive skills.

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For more information contact Coach Spruiell at 668-8923, 668-7981 or 458-5137.

west Texas ranch that proved much of the feed is never consumed by deer.

"We wanted to see what actually eats feed from free-choice feeders and how often it's done," said Rollins. "Our data measures 'visitation,' not feed consumed, though one would assume there's a correlation. Obviously, a species such as quait visiting the feeders 15 percent of the time would not eat 15 percent of the feed, but with larger species the loss is significant."

To see who's coming to dinner, Rollins and Edmonson staked out three self-feeders with infrared sensing units. Each system consisted of a transmitter, receiver and 35mm camera. When an animal attempted to feed, an invisible infrared beam was "broken," and the visitor got his picture taken. The system had a 30-minute delay interval so only one photo was shot during each half hour period. Rollins said the delay was an attempt to ensure unbiased data. The date, hour and minute were recorded on each negative.

"There were at least 12 wildlife species using the feeders," said Edmonson. "These included whiteiled deer, wild turkey, raccoon, opossum, porcupine, dove, quail, several species of nongame birds, ravens, ground squirrels and rabbits.

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ravens, ground squirrels and rabbits.

"Our study suggests one of the reasons why supplemental feeding of deer is probably not cost-effective: the deer miss out on much of the chow. The non-target species comprised 50 to 73 percent of the visitations. In such instances, deer use may account for less than 50 percent of the feed consumed."

Raccoons, porcupines and opossums were the most frequent non-target species.

"They liked to just lounge around the feeders, eating at their leisure."

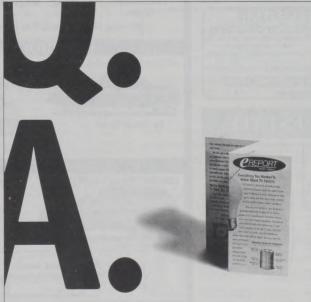
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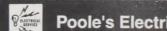
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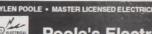
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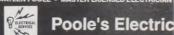
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Texas cattle feeders reported 2.41 million head of cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market on April 1, down 3 percent from last year. The estimate was up 2 percent from the March 1 level. Feeders placed 1.35 million head on feed during the January-March 1995 quarter, 19 percent above the same period a year ago.

Placements in March totaled 550,000 head, up 28 percent from February.

February,
Marketings during the first quarter of 1995 decreased 5 percent from the same period a year ago to 1.28 million head. March marketings, at 495,000 head,

In the 13 states making quarterly estimates, 10.7 million were on feed, virtually unchanged from last year but 1 percent above April 1, 1993.

Placements totaled 5.91 million head, 10 percent above last year and 11 percent below 1993. Marketings were 5.55 million, virtually unchanged.

The 13-state placements number still is the fourth largest first-quarter figure in history, with placements being larger in 1978, 1989 and 1990.

Ag Briefs

Eliminating US farm programs would save \$37.6 billion over the next five years but it also would reduce annual net farm income by 8-20 percent, according to a new study done for the House and Senate farm panels. - KR

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Many activist groups, such as PETA and Greenpeace, have their own web pages on the Internet. You can use the Beef Industry Information System lynx to access these information pages to learn more about the groups' activities, future plans, target audiences and hot issues. - Contact NCA at 303/694-0305 or e-mail at dy@moo.ncanet.org.

A 15-year-old girl whose lamb was named grand champion at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will get to keep her prize and the \$80,000 the animal fetched at auction. Her eligibility to enter the show was questioned because of Texas' no-pass, no-play law. The show's executive committee, upon

A federal appeals court has ruled that the government can't require com-based ethanol as an additive in a cleaner-burning gasoline now sold in 17 states, including Texas. The court said the Environmental Protection Agency had the authority to set a standard for cleaner gasoline, but could not "mandate the manner of compliance or the precise formula" for the fuel. There has been a bitter dispute over what kind of additive should be used - ethanol from com or the petroleum-based methanol derivative MTBE. - AP

The market continues to dominate conversations in the industry. Congressmen and senators - 20 in all-last week signed a letter asking Ag Secretary Dan Glickman to investigate why livestock prices are so low. - NCA

A common sight in Muenster, in the twenties, was a person, usually a housewife, leading the family milk cow out to pasture.

Mrs. Henry Schmitz took her cow each day, to a small pasture just south of the old Klimpt home. Others would lead their animals to graze on the abundant grass that grew on the many vacant lots and unused roadways in the township. There they would tie them, using a long rope or light chain, to a stake driven in the ground, and after giving them ample time to eat their fill, would get them home again to water and shade.

Most of their animals were used to being led, and after feeling a tug on the rope, would follow along, seldom taking up any slack in the rope.

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seldom taking up any slack in the rope.

Quite a number of folks in town had enough space to pasture their cows at home, but even these had to be led, at least once a year, to one of the farms nearby for a romantic meeting with an animal of the opposite sex, to insure their continued ability to produce and reproduce.

One of the cows my folks had in town was a gentle Jersey they had kept for a number of years. In January of '24, our family moved to a farm located just northwest of the Muenster city limits.

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From My Side of the

Muenster city limits.

Everything was moved in one day except old Bess, the Jersey cov. Dad instructed Ray and me to drive Bess out to the farm as we walked home from school that evening.

Well, Bess had her own ideas about leaving the place she had been at home at for a number of years. She would go as far as the north property line, then turn, and regardless of us two boys, would return to the gate and wait for someone to let her in.

Not knowing what to do, we were about to give up when I found a length of old rotten rope in the bar ditch.

The rope was too weak to be of much use, but we took a chance and tied it loosely around Bess' neck. Then, with Ray holding the rope we simply walked to the farm with Bess following dutifully along.

This El Niño has ended

The US Climate Analysis Center has officially declared that the most recent El Nino has ended, says Knight-Ridder.

El Nino occurs when warmer-than-usual temperatures affect the eastern Pacific Ocean while at the same time higher-than-usual surface pressure dominated the equatorial western Pacific.

These changes from the norm tend to alter worldwide weather patterns and result in anomalies such as warmer winters in the north-central United States and wetter winters in the Southeast.

KR Global Weather Services expects a US drying trend to begin later this spring and summer, but no

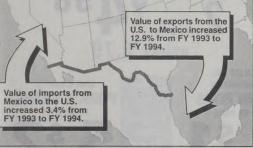
whole-scale drought is anticipated anytime soon except perhaps in the Southeast. A larger percentage of the country will be leaning toward



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Those who look only to the past or the present are certain to miss the future.
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U.S. agriculture trade with Mexico (in thousands of dollars)

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Citrus Products	1,471	530	47,260	77,317
Grains	905,477	1,034,191	59,334	78,798
Sugar	54,952	60,079	26,593	46,063
Livestock & Meat	684,124	590,657	427,514	403,841
Vegetables	184,288	237,347	1,058,122	1,073,161
Other Fruits	99,734	176,349	282,566	308,207
Other	1,561,310	1,823,735	795,160	800,303
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County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

CONTROLLING THE PECAN NUT CASEBEARER

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The pecan nut casebearer is the most common insect pest facing Texas pecan producers. It is found in almost all the pecan growing areas of Texas and can cause serious crop loss nearly every year if left uncontrolled. Casebearer larvae tunnel into nutlets shortly after pollination, often destroying all of the nutlets in a cluster. The most effective and reliable method of control is a well-timed insecticide application(s) made in the spring to kill hatching larvae before they tunnel into the nutlets.

The pecan nut casebearer completes several generations each year. Adults of the overwintering generation emerge in April and May throughout Texas and lay eggs on pecan nutlets soon after pollination. These eggs result in first generation larvae which feed on nutlets and generally cause the most damage. Second generation larvae attack the nuts in midsummer about 6 weeks after nut entry by first generation larvae. Third generation eggs are deposited on nuts from late July to early September. These larvae feed only in the shucks if the pecan shells have hardened.

First generation larvae feeding on nutlets usually have the greatest potential to cause economic loss. For this reason, control is directed primarily at this spring generation.

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Insecticide applications must be accurately timed to control newly hatched casebearer larvae before they enter the nuts. Once inside, larvae are protected from insecticide treatments.

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In the spring, nutlets should be carefully examined for casebearer eggs to determine 1) if egg infestations are great enough to justify treatment and 2) the optimum timing of an insecticide application.

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The period of peak egg lay often occurs during a two week period in late May and early June in North Texas.

One method of predicting egg lay is the use of a computer model developed at Texas A&M which uses heat units or degreedays. Temperature data are compiled from cities throughout Texas and used in the model to predict the date when the first significant nut entry by case-bearer larvae will occur. This date is the predicted optimum spray date. Around June I is the prediction date for Cooke County this year.

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spray date. Around June 1 is the prediction date for Cooke County this year.

Computer predictions are best used to determine when to look for eggs and to plan insecticide applications. Orchard scouting for eggs should begin a week before the predicted spray date as unusual weather conditions near the spray date can accelerate or delay egg laying activity.

Dr. Allen Knutson, Extension Entomologist, offers the following tips for scouting.

Most casebearer eggs are found at the tip of the nutlet, either on the top (stigma) or hidden just

can nut case seepals at the tip of the nutlet. A good hand lens is necessary to identify casebearer eggs and determine their development (hatched, white or pink). Also, look for bud feeding just below the nut cluster to detect the presence of newly hatched larvae.

A good way to sample the orchard is to examine ten nut clusters on each of 30 trees. If 1 to 2 percent (3-6 in 300) of the nut clusters are infested with eggs or newly hatched larvae, an economic infestion is likely to develop and treatment is recommended. Determine eggs color and hatch to time application.

If no or very few eggs are found, scout the orchard again in 2 to 3 days. Rain and cool weather can delay or extend the egg laying period.

Nut clusters with eggs can be tagged with a piece of ribbon and checked each day to dertermine when hatch occurs. The insecticide should be applied 1 to 2 days after the first eggs hatch, or as soon as nut entry by larvae is first observed. By delaying the treatment, the residual activity of the insecticide is maximized. However, the time required to treat the orchard, and possible delays in spraying caused by weather, should be considered so that the insecticide can be applied with caution in backward

nutlets.

Insecticde sprays should be applied with caution in backyard and urban areas because of the great potential for spray drift onto nearby gardens, pets and living areas.

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TX COUNTRY CLEAN UP DAY

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This project, in cooperation with Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC), began as an empty pesticide container recycling day and has turned into a great opportunity for many more folks to be involved. The Clean Up day is set for Thurs., May 25, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, at Massey Gin in Pilot Point (110 East Cooper).

The Clean Up Day will also consist of recycling opportunities for used tires (25 inch rim diameter or less.) There will be pick up of used motor oil and oil filters; batteries (lead acid type - to include auto-motive, tractor and boat); and empty pesticide containers (metal and plastic) - MUST BE HIGH PRESSURE RINSED OR TRIPLE RINSED. Any container with pesticide residue in it WILL NOT BE AC-

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This will be a great opportunity for producers to do their part to clean up the environment around the county. There are no restrictions on who can participate in this recycling event.

Braceros could return

Despite its reputation of legalized servitude among the Catholic Church and labor unions who fought to end it 30 years ago, some politicians and immigrantights advocates say the time is ripe to consider bringing back a version of the US-Mexican "bracero" (a Mexican farm laborer brought into the U.S. temporarily for migrant work in harvesting crops) program, according to Associated Press.

Some farm labor advocates say immigrant bashing and exploitation of the undocumented has reached such proportions that an updated guest worker program might be preferable to the status quo.

It might help reduce illegal immigration by giving temporary legal status to Mexican workers who just want to work here, they say.

Talk of a guest worker program dominated a conference of immigration and labor specialists in Washington, DC, last December. Since then, some researchers have drawn up a memo with suggested guidelines they eventually might bring to Congress.



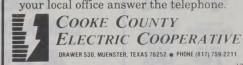




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