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JUNE 19, 1998



Sacred Heart captures TAPPS All-Around title

Presson resigns as Chief Appraiser

Cooke County looks at new phone system for jail

Muenster ISD School Board holds productive meeting

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GOOD NEWS!

We wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.



Tax rebates indicate good local economy

Relay sponsors acknowledge top three money raisers

CCAD takes action to find chief appraiser applicants

Scouts attend Camp Grayson

by Shirley Knabe
During May 31 through June
6, fifteen Boy Scouts and seven
adults enjoyed camping at
beautiful Camp Grayson for a
fun filled and exciting week of
summer camp. While in camp,
the boys enjoyed activities such
as sailing, canoeing,
scoutcrafts, water balloon
volleyball, and many camp
wide competitions.

Each day began with an
opening flag ceremony which
troop 664 did on Friday
morning and the closing
ceremony Friday evening for
family night.

The boys earned a total of 60
merit badges and 4 new scouts
completed several
requirements on their trail to
first class.

Highlights of the week
included the prestigious Ash
ceremony on Monday evening
in which all first time campers
at Camp Grayson receive a
symbolic ash from the first

campfire at Camp Grayson, during the Friday evening family night campfire Shawn Moore was recognized by Jim Russell the shooting sport director as one of the Top Guns in the Rifle Range during the week.

The closing campfire on Friday night highlighted the tap out ceremony conducted by the Order Of The Arrow. Three of Muenster's Scouts Daniel Bartush, Jack Biffle, and Michael Voth were tapped out to join the Order of the Arrow which recognizes elite campers. Several of Troop 664's older scouts have been serving as principal members of the ceremonies teams for Camp Grayson during the month driving back and forth several times. They include Russell Fette, Aaron Klement, Chad Felderhoff, Eric Fisher, Matt York, Keith Felderhoff, and Eric Knabe.



Shawn Moore, left, receives one of the Top Gun awards at Camp Grayson from Field Sports Director Jim Russell.

Photo by Dave Fette

Proposed lake will feature recreation areas

by Steve Broyles

NOTE: This is the third in a series of articles on the bond election.

Last week's article discussed the benefits of building the dam now. This week's article will concentrate on the benefits of building the park and recreation area. The park and recreation area will be built at the same time as the dam since the Natural Resource Conservation Service is also funding half of the expense.

The park and recreation area will consist of a 22-acre area just north of the lake on County Road 316 (Pienic Grounds Road). The park area will chave parking for 70 vehicles and 25 family pienic units, with 10 units having Bar-B-Que grills. There will also be an open play area for children. There will be restrooms and a water fountain available. It will be a park area for people to enjoy pienics and family reunions.

The recreation area will include two fishing piers, a two-lane boat ramp for small craft, and 20 auto-boat parking units. The Texas Parks and Recreation Department will stock the lake with native bass, bluegills, channel catfish, and

rainbow trout. Fishermen will follow Texas rules on fishing and boating. Boating will be limited to small craft, with small motors. Actual size and horsepower has yet to be decided, however, large boats, water skiing, and ski crafts won't be allowed on the lake because of the trees, which will mostly be left in place for fishing holes.

A water well will be dug into the Antlers Formation to a depth around 150 feet. In addition, a 4,700 gallon Septic Tank buried by the restrooms. Sewer lines will be laid to a lagoon with 135 foot square sides and 5 feet deep.

Future recreation plans will depend on funding and grants. These may include playground equipment, a backstop, and hiking and/or biking trails.

The Natural Resource Conservation Services estimates that 11,000 people will visit the lake each year, with a maximum of 500 in one day. The sooner people can enjoy local fishing, boating, and picnicking at a lake.

Next week's article will review the dam and lake size and compare the lake with other lakes.

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Aug. 8 MWD bond election posts office hours, early ballots

by Steve Broyles
Applications for early ballots
to vote by mail in the Muenster
Water District Bond Election
on August 8, 1998 may now be
submitted to City Hall, P.O.
Box 208, Muenster, Texas
76252-0208. Balloting material
for voting by mail will be
mailed to these voters as soon
as possible after the ballots are
printed and after June 24,
1998. The last day to receive an
application to vote by mail is

July 31, 1998. Early stateside voting ballots through the mail must be received by August 8, 1998. The deadline for early international voting ballots from outside the U.S. is August 10, 1998.

The office hours for questions concerning the election are 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and 1:10 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in City Hall, 400 North Main Street, Muenster, Texas, or 759-2236, from June 19, 1998 to September 17, 1998.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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COUNTY

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Judge Duncan to set up the preliminary budget and departmental hearings according around his trial schedules. Monday, June 29 is the tentative starting date for those hearings.

R. D. Cawyer was reappointed as a trustee to MHMR of Texoma.

Commissioner Jerry Lewis agreed to serve another term as the county's representative on the Texoma Council of Governments. He is now serving as president of the organization.

The annual signing of the contract between the City of Muenster and Cooke County was approved 5–0. According to the contract the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department agrees to provide rural fire protection in the north western part of the county.

Public official bonds were approved for Timothy Erwin of the Sheriff's Department.

Judge Duncan read from the Sept. 14, 1876 minutes of the archival Commissioners Court Road Minutes to observe the county's Sesquicentennial Year.

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road Minutes to observe the country's Sesquicentennial Year.
Following the meeting workshop was held to begin to plan for the future jail needed by Cooke County.

REBATES

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Gainesville received
\$289,239.16, a drop of 3.94
percent. To date Gainesville
has received a total of
\$1.322,832.83, 0.65 percent
less than this time last year.
Valley View's May rebate of
\$3,129.78 was down 47.33
percent form May 1997. To
date Valley View received
\$14,513.87 in rebates. That is
4.70 percent less than May
1997.
Cooke County is also slipping

1997. Cooke County is also slipping backwards in rebate money. For this May the rebate check was \$106,046.13, down 0.02 percent from last May. To date the county has received \$497,992.01. Last May the total to date was \$504,615.91. This year was 1.31 percent less than the 1997 payments to date.

SH TROPHY

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points to outdistance second place Allen Academy who scored 58. Abilene Christian finished third at 54.5 and Saint Paul was fourth with 53. "This Paul was fourth with 53. "This honor recognizes the students and the staff of Sacred Heart School," said Athletic Director Jon LeBrasseur. "Our students and staff are dedicated to excellence and this all-around title exemplifies their efforts."

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2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR

To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY! Thursday, June 25

First Day of Summer FATHER'S DAY

JELLY: Life in the Wind & Water, 7 P.M., SH Comm. Ctr.

MHS Mini Cheerleading Camp, 9 A.M.-noon, Muenster City Park

Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center

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esday, June 24 Life Teen! Service Project, 7:30 p.m., SH Comm. Ctr. Muenster 4-H Swim Party, Muenster Park, Swim 5-7 p.m., Pizza 7-8 p.m.

Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center

Thursday, July 2 SHYM Softball Practice, 7 p.m. at the Diamond TDH Free Immunization Clinic, 9-11 a.m., Cooke Co. Elec. Co-op

Kiwanis Family Swim Night, 7-9 P.M. at Muenster Pool

Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center

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Friday, July 3

Saturday, July 4

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Alfred J. Hoedebeck of Irving led in Irving on Friday, June 2, 1998 at the age of 78. He ras born on October 5, 1919 in Junester, the fourteenth child for Frederick and Anna chumacher Hoedebeck. On December 30, 1941, he narried Irene Flusche in Jenison. They became the arents of nine children. He ras an active member of the Luke's Catholic Church. He ras an active member of the Luke's Catholic Church. He ras an externa of the U.S. Army erving in World War II. In ecent years since his strement from the U.S. Postal ervice, he worked tirelessly romoting the various rograms of the Knights of olumbus, particularly Aid for loundation. He had received numerous wards for his work, including he Ray Neuman Sr. Exemplar f Charity Award and the Ieritorious Service Award. He End Awayor of Irving also roclaimed Alfred Hoedebeck lay for the City of Irving But a ward he most valued and reasured was the Irving nights of Columbus of Dallas for many ears and a group was apresented at the rosary and ineral services in his honor. Ie held the office of Grand night and also served as instrict Deputy.

Leslie R. (Ray) Lewis, Jr. 78, of Dallas, husband of the former Regina Fuhrmann, native of Lindsay, died at his nome on June 10, 1998 after an axtended illness. Other survivors are three sons and laughters-in-law Leslie Ray III and Emily Lewis of Dallas; Michael T. and Karin Lewis of Merced, California; Thomas P. and Cathy Schanzer Lewis of Memphis, Tennessee; and six aughters and sons-in-law Mary Nell and Donald Mazoch Lancaster, Texas; Kathleen Ann Fleming of Little Rock, Arkansas; Regina (Gigi) and Leo Hollo of Carthage, Texas; Rosemare and Eddie Saldivar of Corpus Christi; Anne and Craig Henne of Atlanta, Georgia; and Cecilia Lewis of Washington, D.C. Also one sister Mildred Lewis Satrak, and 26 grandchildren and hree great-grandchildren. Preceding him in death were nis parents, L.R. and Nellie Lewis, Sr. and sisters Margaret Lewis Leorwald and Mary Lewis Craig.

First Lt. Leslie R. Lewis, Jr. was a combat veteran of W.W.II; wounded in action; awarded the Purple Heart, the Bronze Star and Silver Star for gallantry in action. He was a member of the Military Order of The Purple Heart, and the U.S. Cavalry Association. He was a member of St. Bernard of Clairvaux Catholic Church since 1951, and served as an usher until 1985; a member of the International Order of Alhambra, Dar Al Ruse Caravan, # 209. Owner of Belmont Garage since 1963, he retired in 1985.

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Albin, Thomas and Charles Hoedebeck of Irving, Harold of Euless, William of Gallup, New Mexico, and daughters Margaret Morris and Marilyn Hoedebeck of Irving. Also brothers Joseph Hoedebeck of San Diego, California, Rev. Paul Hoedebeck of Subiaco, Arkansas, and Eugene Hoedebeck of Muenster; sister, Philomena Howell of Katy, Texas; and eight grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Preceding him in death were his wife Irene, son James and infant daughter Veronica. Also his parents; sisters, Cecilia, Anna, Elizabeth and Frances; and brothers Edward, Louis, Bob, Frank, Norbert, Cletus, Ray, Albert and Leo

Rosary was held at 8 p.m. Sunday at Donnelly Colonial

Leslie Ray Lewis Jr. dies at age 78

Funeral Home in Irving with Fr. Paul officiating. At the rosary service, the family was presented with a gold chalice with Alfred's name engraved on it, which the family could give to any priest or parish they preferred. It was given to Alfred's brother Rev. Paul Hoedebeck He will use it at his parish in Schoal Creek, Arkansas.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Monday, June 15 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Luke's Catholic Church with Rev. J. Douglas Deshotel and Fr. Paul Hoedebeck concelebrating.

Interment followed in Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

Scripture readings were given by daughter-in-law Eddie Hoedebeck and grandson Michael Morris. Offertory gifts were presented by his grandchildren.

Pallbearers were members of the Irving Knights of Columbus and honorary pallbearers were members of the Dallas Council of Fourth Degree Grand Knights.

Attending services from Cooke County were Gene & Elsie Hoedebeck, Mary Ann Arendt, Linda Knabe, Pegg Grewing, Joe Hoedebeck, Mary Hess, Danny and Nancy Hoselbeck and many friends and relatives from the Metroplex.

The family has requested memorials be sent to Subiaco Academy.

Interment was in Calvary Hill Cemetery. The Military Order of the Purple Heart Honor Guard presented full military honors at graveside. Lucie Hollo, a granddaughter played "TAPS"; Lula Mae Walsh sang "Amazing Grace." Grandchildren served as honorary pallbearers. In lieu of usual remembrances, his family suggested contributions to St. Bernard of Clairvaux Catholic Church.

Among relatives who attended the wake and vigil services were Barbara and Don Rohmer, Diane Hermes and Michael and Carol Fuhrmann. Attending the funeral were Val Fuhrmann of Lindsay, Denise Dangelmayr, Phil and Elizabeth Baker of Denton, Monica Fuhrmann of New Braunfels and her daughter Anna Marie Roberts of San Antonio; Sister Mary Helen Fuhrmann of Gainesville; Father Nicholas Fuhrmann OSB and Brother Louis Fuhrmann of Subiaco, Arkansas.



Heritage Society will meet in Austin

The 1998 German-Texas
Heritage Society Annual
Meeting will take place in
Austin, Texas, on September
11-13, 1998. Registration fees
are as follows: Before August
14, \$70; After August 14, \$80;
At the Door \$85.

The registration fee includes
entrance to all speakers, a bus
tour, the Friday evening
reception ("A Night in Old
Vienna") and the Saturday
night banquet ("Lone Star
Cabaret"). Participants may

James Metcalf dies June 13 in Muenster

in Muenster

James Albert "Pete" Metcalf of Myra died at age 67 in Muenster Memorial Hospital on Saturday, June 13, 1998.

He was born in Sherman on Feb. 24, 1931, to James Lewis and Jessie Metcalf. He was a self-employed Utilities Contractor and a member of the Lakeside Baptist Church in Dallas.

Survivors include his mother, Jessie Metcalf of Myra; daughter and son-in-law Sheri and Alan Daniels of Dallas; son Gary Metcalf of Irving; and three grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, June 15, at 10 a.m. in Myra Baptist Church conducted by Clement-Keel Funeral Home. Burial at 2:30 p.m. Monday was in Grove Hill Cemetery of Dallas.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association, 2401 Scott Ave. Fort Worth, Texas.

stay at the Austin Marriott at the Capitol located at 701 East 11th Street. The room rate is \$80, plus tax. Meeting highlights include: a bus tour featuring Austin sights such as the Capitol, Elisabet Ney Museum, State Cemetery, Umlauf Sculpture Garden and old German Free School; live entertainment; sales/exhibitors tables; a

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Edward Jones

Services held for April Rich

The death of April May "June" Rich of Saint Jo occurred on June 14, 1998 at 3:12 p.m. in Wichita Falls. She was born on May 22, 1941 in Fort Worth to Pete and Jessimine Shelton Martinez. On Dec. 18, 1963, she married Tommy Rich in Vernon.

Survivors include her husband Tommy Rich; three daughters Penny Doan of Montague, Candy Clary of Mt.

Mass of Christian Burial was held Saturday, June 13 at St. Bernard of Clairvaux Catholic Church, with Father Nicholas Fuhrmann OSB celebrant. and Fr. Roche Kereszty O. Cist. and Msgr. Michael Heras concelebrants.

Preceding on Friday at 7:30 p.m., Vigil devotions were held at Sparkman/Crane Funeral Chapel.

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Pleasant, and Deborah Abel of Nocona; and one son Olan Rich of Saint Jo. Also ten grandchildren.
Preceding her in death were her parents and one daughter Patricia June Rich.
She was a member of the Baptist Faith; had completed two years of college; and worked as a Nurses Aide for 17 years at Saint Jo Nursing Home.

Home.
Graveside services were held
at Mountain Park Cemetery of
Saint Jo on June 16, at 2:00
p.m. officiated by Rev. Darius
McKay. Burial in Mountain
Park Cemetery was directed by
McCoy Funeral Home of Saint
Jo.



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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

As I mentioned in our telephone conversation today I feel there are two very important "about to happen" events coming up. I will give my information to the best of my knowledge, and if in error on any point would appreciate notification by proper people. I hope to disseminate as fully as possible the information so there can be no misunderstanding.

#1. The opportunity for the subscribers of the local exchange of Muenster Telephone Company to add for extended services to exchange for service both directions to Saint Jo, Texas. Also this will be without any additional costs to any subscribers telephone bill. I have been in communication with the Utility Commission of Texas and have the proper instruction, forms to accomplish this. In the original application the only extended service from the 759 exchange approved was to Gainesville. In the original application Valley View East and Valley View West, and Saint Jo were included in the application, but failed to receive the 70% yes votes. Later Valley East and Valley West, and Saint Jo submitted their own request and approval for extended service to the subscribers that submit the request. They also confirmed that we can make a new request by petition for four additional costs to the subscribers since it is past the eighteen month requirement since the last request. The UC

Dear Editor,
Another petition is being circulated in Muenster to establish toll free calling telephone service to Saint Jo. This service failed several years ago. Extended local calling is a two edged sword and we at the telephone company tend to stay in the background. Being able to call other towns toll free would be a convenience for some people but it could also cause loss of business for local merchants.

The cost of the ballot process their services. Check page 9 of and the loss of revenues to this company must be made up by some other means or a general rate increase becomes necessary. We don't expect that this service would cause a rate increase, but there is no such thing as a free lunch. We had an additional general rate increase several years ago after toll free service to Gainesville and other places became effective.

The request for Saint Jo service was on the ballot several years ago, but was

of Texas rules says the extended service can include up to first five towns for the added \$3.50 per residential line, and \$7.00 per commercial line, charge by the carrier. Any exchanges added over five would be \$1.50 per exchange added. I reviewed with the coordinator for Muenster Telephone Co. for Extended Services, Mr. Alan Rohmer. Mr. Rohmer related to me that the President of Muenster Telephone Corporation of Texas, Mr. Alvin Fuhrmann said that he would approve an additional extension to Saint Jo., Texas if the voters approved. It is a "Win Win" situation. My interest came about because of my analyzing Long Distance Service for many businesses houses in Muenster, The City Hall, The Police Station, and the Muenster Memorial Hospital. In each case each one made considerable number of calls to Saint Jo. So not only will it help the residential users, but very importantly our local business establishments. In my visiting with merchants and people in the St. Jo area, they expressed amazement that Muenster didn't vote for the full five towns that could have obtained for the same cost. Several advised me that they had changed buying to the five neighboring towns that they had free access to whereas previously they had been calling Muenster. Our neighbors on the Muenster Telephone Co. System, Forestburg, Rosston, Valley View East, and Valley View had five exchanges added on their services. Check page 9 of

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the Muenster Telephone Corporation of Texas Local telephone service book for the listings.

#2. We discussed at great length on the coming auction of the local milk plant of AMPI. It only came to my attention because of a one time ad in the Gainesville Register that there would be an auction on June 18. (By the way, that is my birthday, 76) Hopefully some of our local people will attempt to work towards the betterment of Muenster. From some very knowledgeable people in this area, I learned that some Mexico interests seem to want to purchase just the equipment and move to Mexico. It seems most of the equipment had the building built around them. So possibly it would mean losing the building, and be left with just a blank spot. I was hopeful that there was enough dairy interest in the area that could make use of the equipment and go back to producing good old Muenster Cheese in Muenster, Texas. I read where the #2 cheese producer in the U.S. came about because of local interest doing just this sort of thing. I understand three non-dairy manufacturers show interest. For myself, I certainly would regret losing the buildings and production facilities. I enjoyed bragging that we made Muenster Cheese in Muenster. Time marches on and from that there are many changes...

Ray Wilde 1012 Cherry Lane

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Muenster, TX 76252
turned down because people
did not understand that it
would be for the one price of
\$3.50 and \$7.00. The wording
used in the ballots process is
mandated by the Texas Public
Utility Commission. We are
not allowed to change it.

Because Saint Jo was on the
original petition, we have no
objection to another attempt
being made to establish free
calling to Saint Jo.

Alvin Fuhrmann.

Alvin Fuhrmann Muenster Telephone Corporation

Dear Editor,
I happened to read the article on Cherilyn Pollard and felt compelled to write this

note.

It just goes to show how a strong faith in God can conquer the seemly impossible. Thanks for sharing Cherilyn's story as it touched my heart, and I am sure inspired others to keep fighting their battle with cancer.

cancer.

I am proud to know that I am related to this wonderful family. May God's Blessings surround them in all the years to come.

Debbie (Swirczynski) Maddox 11220 West Rd.

Houston, Texas 77065 (Ed and Hazel Swirczynski's daughter)

From My Side of the Fence

Some 12 years ago, Aileen and I and our daughter Chris and husband Gerry, and their daughter Mindy, about 4 at the time, went on a pecan gathering outing.

After a few hours in the brisk autumn air and after gathering a goodly amount of the tasty nuts, we found our way back home, a bit early for dinner but all of us were hungry.

Aileen asked Mindy if she would like a sandwich and she said yes, that she was hungry.

Well, Aileen and I had been eating whole wheat bread for years, so without asking, Aileen fixed Mindy's sandwich first, but when she offered it to our granddaughter she began to cry and said she didn't want it.

"Why Mindy." Aileen asked

"Why Mindy," Aileen asked, "don't you want a sandwich? I thought you said you were hungry!"

hungry!"
"I am," the little one said,
"but I want clean bread!"

Dear Editor:

Nearly all Texans agree that no employee should be forced to join a union or pay union dues just to keep his job.

That's why Texas has a Right to Work law. Even though it makes a lot of union bosses mad, they know the voters will never let them change it.

I'm proud to live in a Right to

bosses mad, they know the voters will never let them change it.

I'm proud to live in a Right to Work state. But, as a food service worker on Sheppard Air Force Base near Wichita Falls. I'm sad to say I'm not protected by our Right to Work law.

Because of one of the loopholes the U.S. Congress has carved into our Right to Work law, other Texas citizens and I are forced to pay hundreds of dollars apiece in so-called "agency fees" every year for union representation we don't want, and never asked for, or else we'll get fired.

Just where I work, there are at least 200 employees who are forced to pay dues to the union, or lose their jobs.

All across the state, there are tens of thousands of us—railroad and airline workers, and workers on federal enclaves like Sheppard Air Force Base—who are forced to pay union dues to stay employed.

The Texas Legislature has no power to protect us. But one of our congressmen from northern Dallas/Fort Worth, GOP Majority Leader Dick Armey, is able to help.

The National Right to Work Act (H.R. 59), which is now before the House, would repeal the sections of federal law that force employees to pay dues to unwanted unions.

Support is so strong in Mr. Armey's own party that 60% of GOP House members are sponsors of this bill.

That's what makes it very hard for me to understand why the majority leader and Speaker Newt Gingrich of Georgia have so far refused to bring H.R. 59 up for a vote.

Especially since 1996, and again this February, Mr. Armey promised National Right to Work Committee members and supporters he would "seek roll-call votes" on a federal Right to work bill.

No matter where we live, no process of the supports forcing employees to join or pay dues to a union.

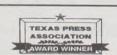
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Letters to the editor must be signed and include an addresss and the writer's phone number. Anonymous letters will not be pub-lished. Letters should be concise and could be subject to editing it printed at the publisher's discretion.

Dear Editor,
In late January of this year, I was asked to consider serving on the Board of Directors of the Muenster Water District (MWD) and was subsequently appointed at its regular meeting on Feb. 2, 1998.

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Please understand that I agreed to serve on this board because I felt its objective was a noble and progressive cause, geared toward sustaining an adequate water supply for the current citizens of Muenster, as well as the future anticipated growth in residents and industry.

On Aug. 8, 1998, the MWD Board of Directors will put before its voters a \$1.75 million dollar bond proposal along with a proposal to authorize permission to levy and collect a maintenance tax to build and maintain the Muenster Lake. The Board has printed and circulated a brochure of statistics and pertinent information which will help voters educate and inform themselves about this election.

1, as a board member as well as a fellow citizen, am concerned that too many people are underestimating the importance of this election. 1, personally, am in favor of building the Muenster Lake because I believe it is a viable alternative to our depleting Trinity Water Source. I have based my decision on several things that directly point out the need for the lake and I would like to share information and discuss pros and cons related to the proposed Muenster Lake.

Of the 254 counties in the State of Texas, our Trinity Aquifer provides water in all or parts of 55 counties. The North Central Texas Region consists of 16 counties including Cooke County. This region contains approximately one-quarter of the State's total population. Future growth is expected to increase more than 92 percent.

Ground water levels in the Trinity Aquifer have been lowered severely in this area due to prolonged usage, and the quality of groundwater has been deteriorating as water level in our city's supply wells is dropping at an average of 2.9 feet per year. Yearly tests on our water indicate a consistent rise in contaminants and salt content which shows a drop off in quality.

The latest engineering studies have indicated that the upper Trinity Aquifer will be left high and dry long before many of our fellow Texans who consume Trinity water.

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symptom without solving the problem at hand.

Some have entertained the idea that the shallower water sand around 150' to 200' depth would supply or supplement the city's water needs. From my experience with the water from this source, it has a sulfur smell, a high mineral content, and it creates a bad corrosion problem on metal products. This would be a costly proposition if it were even a prominent water source. Several wells have been drilled in this formation for use as outdoor water for lawns, trees, etc. Some wells are good producers, but many resulted in poor to useless attempts.

To get a quick read on the success rate on these shallow wells, you will need to look no further than our two local schools. A reputable and seasoned water well contractor drilled a well at both schools to use for outdoor watering. The well at our Catholic school was good. The well at our public school was pretty much useless. I don't see this shallower water source as a practical solution.

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Some of those opposed to building the lake have criticized the MWD Board for applying for state and federal aid to help build this proposed lake. Every board member is aware that local taxpayers help to generate these funds. If Muenster taxpayers do not take advantage of these programs by requesting that some of our tax dollars be returned to us to help defray the cost of building an alternative Municipal water source, will these same funds not be claimed for other people's projects? Should this argument be a reason that the lake is voted down, I see Muenster taxpayers becoming double losers.

Some prospective voters, along with the landowners adversely affected, are having a hard time getting past the implementation or use of "eminent domain." With due compassion and understanding for our fellow citizens who have been subjected to the negative aspects of eminent domain, I hope that we can all, as progressive thinking people, also understand and openly admit that every single one of us has greatly benefited from the use of eminent domain. This "Law of the Land" is the reason that we all have use of public lakes, county and farm to market roads, public utilities, and interstate highway systems. All mankind would live in a very restricted and primitive world without this

use of eminent domain.

A lack of information has caused man citizens to view the proposed lake as mudhole. The MWD Board is not trying this proposed lake as mushed anyone into thinking that it is offering a massive lake for the cost of peanut but it is offering voters and residents securit and peace of mind of having an alternativ water source...not if, but when it becomes necessity.

When voters check out the information if the brochure, they will find that the propose lake dam will be 76 feet high and 4,700 feed long, 580 feet short of being I mile long. The maximum depth of the lake will be 49 fee with an average depth of 15 feet. The body compounded water will cover 188 acress which calculates and impounds 23,210 acre feet of water and proposed. I can't say that I have ever heard Moss Lake scalled a mudhole, but then it covers 1,12 cares and impounds 23,210 acre feet of water at mormal level. Moss Lake is obviously bigge, of that the proposed Muenster Lake, but if yower to compare the total acre feet of water to the current estimated populations that eac lake is intended to serve, you will find that Moss Lake offers each of Gainesville's 15,00 residents 1,54 acre feet of water while our proposed lake would offer each of Muenster 1,500 residents 3,13 acre feet of water. An acre foot of water contains 325,851 gallons of water. This comparison shows that the proposed lake could offer Muenster resident just over twice as much water per person a Moss Lake offers each Gainesville resident Our lake, if built, calculates out to be a very good future water source rather than the mudhole some people had envisioned.

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My intentions are not to point fingers at individuals or to provoke anyone. All I hope to accomplish is to challenge people to educate themselves with the facts and then go out and vote their conscience.

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Water rights are becoming a precious and hard fought for commodity. The MWD Board has fought their battle with Dallas and have won the rights to impound and use, for municipal purposes, rainfall runoff from the Upper Elm Fork watershed. Dallas is watching closely to see if we stumble. If we don't take advantage now and build this lake, we will forfeit those water rights, and I fear that we will never acquire those water rights again.

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To those Muensterites living outside the city, do not be fooled into believing that this growing water depletion stops at the city limits. In time this situation will affect us all, so please consider contributing positive influence when voicing your opinion on the proposed lake project and the upcoming election.

I would like to say that I have never before written a letter to the Editor, but I feel that this issue is of vital importance. I would urge people young and old to get out and vote, young voters especially! This is an issue sure to make a difference in your lifetime and in the future of our community.

Thanks for your time and consideration and thank you Editor for your time and space.

Wayne R. Grewing

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Lifestyle

50th wedding anniversary celebrated by Yostens

Stan and Rosabell Yosten, tives of Muenster and longme residents of Fort Worth, lebrated 60 years of marriage 1 Sunday, June 7, 1998, irrounded with love and ring by their families. The ra blossomed with memories days gone by.

One special memory among any that were shared at the bth anniversary reception, called the wedding day in 338. Muenster had operienced an electrical storm revening of June 5. Sacred eart Church, and no one else ad electricity on the wedding ay. Wedding music that would ave been played on the pipergan came from the human ower hand pump, and theounds of Music went loud or im, according to how fast it as pumped.

The wedding reception was eld at the farm home of osabell's parents Theo and ose Miller, northwest of Iuenster. A tent was raised in ey yard and the party mmenced. Good food, good rink, good music in the ireman tradition went on until ate night. Hogan's Combol layed for the wedding dance the old Parish Hall. The last ong was "Home Sweet Home's was the custom those years, here was no honeymoon for seen evelyweds, as these were epression years. But through never a company of the world, iving in Muenster, San antonio, Fort Worth, Las 'egas and England. Now, 60 years later, the nniversary celebration was eld at the Greg Yosten home t Eagle Mountain Lake, Fort Yorth. It was hosted by their

Three named ionor students it Texas A&M

Texas A&M University has amed its honor students for he 1998 spring semester, ecognizing them for utstanding academic reformance. Those from fuenster, named for honors, aclude Michael Dean Gehrig, a enior student majoring in livil Engineering, named to he Distinguished Students st; Cody W. Sicking, a junior tudent majoring in Computer ingineering, named a istinguished student; and shley Irene Hartman, a junior najoring in psychology, named distinguished student. The esignation recognizes tudents who earned a 3.25 to .75 GPA while carrying 15 ours.

family Greg and Tammy
Yosten, and the daughter
Jenna; Teresa Yosten and her
twin daughters and son-in law
Kelly Yosten and Kristy and
Ron Smiley.

A large tent was erected in
the back yard where good food,
good drink, good laughter and
much love was shared by
relatives and friends. A
Mexican food buffet was
catered by Aurizolias of Lake
Worth.

Preceding this party on
Sunday, Stan and Rose were



Stan and Rosabell Yosten

Stan and Ro honored by their religious family of St. Paul the Apostle Church in River Oaks, Fort Worth on Friday evening, June 5. A reception was held in the Parish Hall. Father Tom Wigginton is their pastor.

The happiest events in their lives came when God blessed them with two wonderful sons, Jim and Greg. Jim was born on April 13, 1950 and Greg was born on August 22, 1957. The saddest event came when God called Jim home in 1990 at 39 years of age, when he succumbed to a heart attack. Jim's wife Teresa and their

Sacred Heart Church on June 7, 1938 by the late Father Frowin Koerdt OSB. For four

years after their marriage they lived in Muenster, and Stan was employed by "Shorty" Herr Motor Co. (where Klement Ford is now located). During W.W.II they lived in San Antonio for one year and both worked in a defense plant. Relative recall that they lovingly nicknamed her "Rosie, the Riveter" when that song was popular. In 1944 they moved to Fort Worth. Stan was employed by General Dynamics

4-H plans summer family swim party

The Muenster 4-H Club will have its Summer Family Swim Party on the evening June 24 in the Muenster Park. There will be swimming from 5:00 - 7:00. From 7:00 - 8:00 pizza will be eaten and a short meeting held. Games will be played from 8:00 - ?

Children and parents interested in 4-H are invited to attend. All planning to attend should call Becky Felderhoff at 759-4884.

4-H offers learning for the control of the

4-H offers learning experiences in a variety of areas, while promoting leadership and fun.

Attendants at the wedding 60 years ago were Leonard (Spike) Yosten and Bernice Miller Yosten. Spike attended the celebration but Bernice was unable to attend due to illness. Her husband, Paul Yosten did attend, and also his son Joel Yosten.

The anniversary cake was displayed.

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The anniversary cake was displayed on a special table with floral arrangements, a gift from granddaughters Kristy and Kelly. The first piece of cake was shared by the couple to signify their pledge to take care of each other, their marriage partner for life. Another cake was baked and decorated by special friends and neighbors C.J. and Dorothy Surey.

A toast was given with these words: "God bless you very richly, on your 60th jubilee, For serving Him throughout the years, Both well and faithfully, God fill your hearts with happiness, And grant you, day by day, His continued love and guidance, As you follow in His way."

Among local relatives

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Among local relatives attending the reception were Leonard (Spike) and Frances Yosten, Buddy (Leroy) and Dorothy Mae Yosten, all of Muenster; and Stan's sister Angie (Yosten) Reiter and her daughter Gladys Gordon of Gainesville. Also Bill Miller, Tom and Barbara Felderhoff, Ervin and Carol Henscheid, all of Muenster; Randy and Marilyn Bayer of Roanoke; and Ted and Cindy Miller of Sherman.

Stan and Rosabell's advice proclaimed to all guests and especially to all newlyweds on the longevity of marriage: "Work Hard and Keep on Dancing!"

MSU names 3 honor students

Midwestern State University had 584 students make the Dean's List and University Honor Roll during the Spring of 1998. Requirement for the Dean's List is no grade lower than an "A". Requirement for the University Honor Roll is maintaining a grade-point average of 3.5. Both categories require a semester schedule of 12 hours. The following honor students are from Muenster: Brandon Bayer on the Dean's List; Cory Cain and Andrea Goodwin, both on the University Honor Roll.

Holland



Amy Fette and Darrell Dangelmayr have chosen July 25, 1998 for their wedding day. Their engagement and approaching marriage have been announced by her parents, Steve and Maria Fette of Muenster. His parents are Paul and Patsy Dangelmayr of Muenster. Father Eugene Luke will officiate for their vows and celebrate the Nuptial Mass at 5:00 P.M. in Sacred Heart Church. Attendants will be Becky Fette, Polly Fette, Kay Grewing, Deann Bayer, Brandi Grewing, Bubba Klement, Mike Dangelmayr, Ron Dangelmayr, and Darrell Charles. The bride-elect is a 1994 graduate of MISD and a graduate of Grayson County College with an Associate Degree of Science. She is employed by Muenster Memorial Hospital as a Registered Nurse in Dr. Edd Advincula's office. Dangelmayr is a 1989 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is co-owner of Dangelmayr Construction and employed by the business. The couple will reside in Muenster.

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Home Hospice offers help to bereaved parents

by Kelly Lamkin

Sponsored by bereaved parents, in conjunction with Home Hospice of Cooke County, a support group meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Home Hospice office, 1001 East Broadway in Gainesville. This group is open to any bereaved parents and grandparents and is free of charge.

Children are the most precious blessings of a parent's life. Therefore, losing a child is probably the most traumatic situation a parent will have to cope with, whether the loss be

Muller-Herr-Stelzer reunion draws 125 relatives June 7

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The Muller, Herr, Stelzer Reunion drew 125 relatives, best attendance ever, to the gathering of the families in the City Park on June 7. Changing future reunion dates from a practice of long-standing, they voted to have all future reunions on the Sunday after Memorial Day weekend. Included in the big event were special celebrations hosted by their husbands and family members honoring two members of the relationship, Yvonne Ambrosse R.N., MSN, FNP, graduate Advanced Practice Nurse and Elaine Schilling D.D.S., specializing in

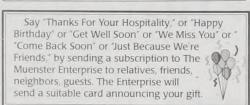




Della Schmitt was the honoree of a surprise birthday party celebrating her 55th birthday. The party was held at the Schmitt farm on Sunday, June 7. Hamburgers, hot dogs with all the trimmings, and desserts were served to all the guests. Everyone enjoyed an afternoon of fun and visiting.

Those attending were: Margaret Hartman; Alvin and Joanie Hartman; Bobby, Sharlene, Shannon and Dainah Hartman; Walter and Georgia Wolf, Jory Wolf, Gene and Judy Hartman; Tim, Jeanna, Lance and Bailey Sutton; Dana, Pam, Kimberly, Trent and Brandon Bloedel; Edna Tompkins; Sharon and Dana Fedor; Christine, Angie and Susanne Tompkins; John and Pat Yosten; Paula Yosten; Melinda Otwell; Dan and Christy Bezner; Jerry, Doris, John and Justin Penny; Jim Otto; Nelda Cooper; Harvey Schmitt; Stephen, Michelle and Timothy Schmitt; Douglas, Vickie, Mikayla, Mikenzie and Michael Fleitman; Debbie and Karli Anderle and Obie Wilson.

Heart Facts ...





The engagement and approaching marriage of Jennifer Ann Kupper and Andrew John (Andy) Popp have been announced by her parents, Billy T. and Lisa Kupper of Rt. 1, Gainesville, Parents of the future-groom are Henry and Jeanette Popp of Rt. 2, Gainesville. The wedding will be held on Saturday, July 11, 1998, at 5:00 P.M. in St. Peter's Catholic Church of Lindsay, officiated by Father Eugene Luke, OSB, pastor of St. Peter's, and by Father Harry Fisher, pastor of St. John's Church in Valley View. Attendants will be Kim Kupper, maid of honor; and Lisa Glenn, Sherry Hess and Laura Jones; and Frank Popp, best man; and Bobby Carpenter, Brian Hermes and Travis Huchton. The bride-elect is a 1994 graduate of Valley View High School, a 1997 graduate of NoTC and is attending TWU in Denton. She is employed by Guaranty National Bank in Sanger. Andy is a 1992 graduate of Lindsay High School. He is employed by Andrew Corporation of Denton. The couple plans to reside in Lindsay.

Home Hospice honors volunteers

Members and guests of the Cooke County Home Hospice Auxiliary gathered on June 4 at the Church Street home of Dr. Roane and Mr. Wayne McLaughlin to attend a volunteer appreciation luncheon.

luncheon.

Among the 176 guests were the Executive Director and Assistant Director of the Cooke County Home Hospice and the Grayson County Home Hospice, Marty Barr and Janice Bryant.

Cooke County Home Hospice Auxiliary was organized to support Home Hospice of Cooke County which assists terminally ill patients and their families regardless of their ability to pay. Luann Shortancy, president of the auxiliary has announced the next meeting will be at 10:00, September 3 at Whaley United Methodist Church at 70:1 Rosedale Drive in Gainesville. Anyone interested is urged to mark the calendar for this meeting.

Please send news of your guests to The Muenster Enterprise, P.O. Box 190, Muenster, Texas 76252. Your guests will appreciate your courtesy and your outof-town friends will be

interested in

Sacred Heart VBS a success

"Celebrate Faith" was an appropriate theme for the Vacation Bible School program held at Sacred Heart Church, June 8 - 12, for preschool through fifth grade. Everyone involved had lots of fun while reading Bible stories, singing songs, doing arts and crafts, listening to storytelling, watching videos, and enjoying snacks. Altogether there were approximately 190 children and 87 adults and young people teaching and helping in the various areas.

Baby items and monetary donations were collected all week and were presented to ABBA after the Closing Celebration. The celebration began at 10:45 Friday morning in Sacred Heart Church with the preschool and kindergarten classes processing in with musical instruments made during crafts. Other classes performed various songs, skits, and pantomimes.

Volunteer teachers were

performed various songs, skits, and pantomimes.

Volunteer teachers were Nancy Nystrom, Karen Davis, Linda Yosten, Yvonne Martin, Elizabeth Fuhrmann, Jenny White, Michelle Hennigan, Tammy Truebenbach, Janie Hennigan, Diana Felderhoff, Melanie Hesse, Janie Fisher, Juanita Bright, Christy Hesse, Jennifer Fuhrmann, Leann Mollenkopf, Tina Weinzapfel, Debra Voth, and John Nasche. Helping in other areas were Lisa Walterscheid, Jean Walterscheid, and Jill Swirczynski, crafts. Highlight of the week was a special presentation by Jackie Zimmerer of Valley View on soap making. For this presentation Jackie wore colonial dress, while explaining how soap is made. She passed around samples of soap for the children to examine. David Nystrom helped in music; Carol Pumphrey, nursery, Jean Walterscheid, Jeanne Greathouse, and Monica LeBrasseur, games; Renate Pagel and Jill Reiter, refreshments; and Bernadette Moritz, storytelling.

Assisting in different stage of Bible School were Josep Davis, Matthew Fleitman Kelly Fetsch, Elizabeth Fett Kristi McAden, Robyn Herme Deann Dangelmayr, Melind Walterscheid, Lill Nasche, Crystal Hess, Alici Cochran, Andy Davis, JoAnn Felderhoff, Courtney Hartman Jeremy Yosten, Lisa Endre Kourtney Dittfurth, Dare Henscheid, Shannon Grewin, Bridgette Klement, Stephan, Henscheid, Justin Wolf, an Clint Miller.

Also Stevie Klement, Jessic Knabe, Chelsea Felderhoff, Katie Co. Jayna Biffle, Lana Fishe Megan Hennigan, Jans Fetsch, Christine Fetsch, Chryork, Paul Bartush, Dian Felderhoff, Keri Felderhoff Tara Swirczynski, Christin Weinzapfel, Lacey Endre Daniel Rohmer, Luke Endre Laura Taylor, Kim Hess Catherine Mabrey, Michel Bayer, Kristen Yoster Jennifer Hoedebeck, Ros Bartush, Brooke Endre Ashley Walterscheid, Katt Flusche, Kim Felderhoff, Man Hess, Joanne Hartman, Monic McCoy, Loretta Felderhoff and countless others who provide snacks and lemonade for the week, and those whose name were inadvertently missed.

Beige T-shirts were given the children with the word "Celebrate Faith II," "Sacre Heart Parish Vacation Bib School 1998" on the fron Grades preschool through 4t stamped various shapes on the back of their t-shirts in variety of colors, while the 5t grade was busy completin rosaries they began o Monday. These t-shirts were worn by all the children att Closing Celebration on Friday Co-directors Barbara 1 Rohmer and Annette Baye send out a sincere thank you all who gave so unselfishly their time, talent and treasur to make this journey in faith wonderful success.

Walls scholarship available

Walls Industries will award \$5,000 college scholarships to two National FFA students in this year's Cash for College Essay Contest.
Walls, a leading manufacturer of outdoor apparel, expanded the 1998 contest to include high school juniors and seniors enrolled in an FFA program.
The contest rules are simple. Students must call 1-800-447-WEAR for an official entry form, write a 250-word ession "Agriculture and the Environment" and submit it Dec. 31, 1998. In addition to the grant prize money, winners wireceive an expense-paid trip be photographed for a Walmagazine ad. The comparalso will award each winner FFA chapter \$2,500. Fift contest finalists also wireceive great-looking Waljackets.



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Students presented in recital June 2

Seventeen piano students of osemary Dankesreiter erformed in a Piano Recital on uesday, June 2, 1998. The cital was held in the First aptist Church in Muenster at

aptist Church in Muenster at p.m.

Chris York played a rocessional march as the tudents entered. Mrs. ank esreiter welcomed arents, grandparents, and troduced each of the 17 tudents and their parents and sted the number of years each tudent had taken lessons. Each student played two solo elections. Brady Howell and ordan Ledbetter played three elections. The students played lassical, folk, pop, traditional, and religious melodies from heir repertoires learned uring the year.

After the performances, Mrs.

Dankesreiter complimented all students on their hard work and accomplishments. She pointed out that not only had the students been learning to play the piano, but they had also been developing skills of self-discipline, cooperation, persistence, time management, eye-hand coordination, agility, and even learning a bit of the Italian language.

piano. The stage also held 2 large arrangements of colorful spring flowers. Atop the piano was a beautiful basket arrangement of multicolor spring flowers which had been sent to Mrs. Dankesreiter by her daughter and son-in-law John and Dana Walterscheid. Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Bill Ledbetter gave the closing prayer after praising the talents of the students and the work accomplished by Mrs. Dankesreiter. Mrs. Dankesreiter thanked all the parents and students for their cooperation throughout the year and invited all to a reception held in the Fellowship Hall where punch and cookies were served after group pictures were taken.

IN PRAISE OF EDUCATORS Shaping the Future

Irene Hartman volunteers to love children

by Kim

"Educating the mind is not enough," proclaimed Irene Hartman, an English and Theater Arts teacher at Muenster High School. "Children are the future of our country, and if we don't start giving them love, their spirits will wither away along with our lives." Mrs. Hartman receives many joys out of helping young people in as many ways as she possibly can. She believes that working with the youth helps her to see the beauty of adolescence that lately has been hidden in the report we get from the media.

In the past, Irene has been a volunteer for various youth activities. She has led a weekly prayer group with her husband, taught religion classes and led Bible Studies for the Sacred Heart Church, hosted the Fellow Christian Athletes, worked three years on the library board for the Muenster Public Library, and volunteered to organize "Words of Wisdom" to her students. Irene currently keeps herself very busy by educating young minds at school, volunteering almost all ofher free time into directing the Theater Arts team with their play, and raising a family. Recently she helped put on a benefit performance for ABBA, an organization that aids and counsels young, single mothers.

"Children have a greater need than ever before," stated Mrs. Hartman. Irene pushes herself to improve helping children every day. Because she is a teacher, she has the opportunity to share her principles and beliefs to others. She does not try to condemn them, but only tries to influence them to succeed. She feels that she has the opportunity to speak for all parents. Mrs. Hartman encourages responsibility, self-

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sufficiency, and productiveness in her students. She does not want them to grow up without the skills needed to make a good living in the very competitive world that we live in.

In church activities as well as at school, she knows that if she teaches the word of the Lord, she must also live by what she says. This helps her to walk the right path. Irene is aware that teens are watching her, and that humbles her not to set bad examples for them. She is tested constantly and this helps her grow in faith. Mrs. Hartman tries to lead a Christian life as much as possible, and admits it when she does make mistakes. She said that she knows that "teens can spot hypocrites", so she has to inspire them well. She believes that if everyone comes to know Jesus as his savior, guidelines will be provided to influence them in the correct way.

Irene knows that there is a great need for help with children. All parents need to take charge with their children. "It's payback time," exclaimed Mrs. Hartman. Current parents need to pay back the love that they got from their parents to their own children. Several months ago, Mrs. Hartman hosted a small party for the local Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She made hamburgers, and had snack foods and drinks for the kids. This gave her great joy to see teens having fun without taking drugs, drinking alcohol, or getting into any other trouble. She loves to see kids spending time with her stable, happy family. Irene hopes that fulfills their need for love and care that they may not get at home. Mrs. Hartman wants all children to know that there is hope, they just have to find it.

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TEACHER OF THE YEAR



Danna Hess and Sharon Ledbetter
Muenster State Bank salutes Danna Hess and Sharon Ledbetter as
Teacher of the Year at their respective campuses at Muenster ISD.
Danna has taught Advanced Math at Muenster High seven years. She
received her degree in Math from Texas Woman's University. Danna
resides on Oak Street with her husband Brian and daughter Erin.
Sharon just completed her third year at Muenster Elementary where
she teaches Kindergarten. She has seven years of experience and graduated
from Southwest Missouri State University. Her husband Bill is minister
at the First Baptist Church in Muenster and they have two children, Jared
and Jordan.

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The Staff of Muenster State Bank is proud to recognize these two outstanding teachers and wishes to extend its thanks to all the teachers in the community for the tremendous job they do.



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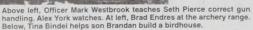
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1998 Cub Scout Day Camp







Robertson receives farewells

What was expected to be a routine post-operative check-up became much more for Rebecca Robertson. Following a report of, "You're doing great!", Rebecca was the guest of honor at a dinner gathering hosted by her medical caregivers in Sherman at the Dragon Seed restaurant June 9.

Rebecca said she now has as one of her most cherished possessions a photo album in which all of the doctors, nurses, lab technicians and therapists wrote notes of encouragement, recounted special events, and expressed their love and God's continued blessings.

In a similar gathering, Sunday, June 14, the Mixed Choral Group of Sacred Heart and their spouses held a carryin dinner for Rebecca in the Community Center.

Following the dinner the group presented Rebecca with a beautiful swag done in burgundy, pink and blue flowers and featuring a golden angel playing a harp.

Many photos, including a group photo, will fill another album for Rebecca.

An angel banner made for Rebecca by Patti Bayer at the onslaught of Rebecca's battle with cancer was signed with well wishes and prayers for continued health and happiness. Rebecca said the banner is very special to her. "It has gone to every hospital, clinic, and care facility with me since the day Patti hung it on my wall. All of my doctors and nurses in those facilities have

signed it. All visitors to my home or medical facility have signed this banner and it is always on my bedroom wall where I can see it, read it, and draw strength and encouragement from it, as well as be reminded of all the loving people God has sent my way. Rebecca said.

This Friday Rebecca will

as be reminded of all the loving Rebecca said.

This Friday, Rebecca will again be the guest of honor at a small gathering of friends and family at the home of Leonard and Christel Vogel in rural Muenster.

By way of a promotion and transfer, Rebecca moves back home to Missouri's Lake of the Ozarks on Saturday. "I'm proud of my company's faith and confidence in me. I'm excited to be going back home to family and old friends but a part of my heart will always be in Muenster and I will always cherish the love God gave to me here. I have some wonderful friends here, lifelong friends. I will miss not seeing them so often, and I will miss Sacred Heart Church. God and I have done an awful lot of talking here," Rebecca said.

But if everyone in Sherman, at Baylor Medical Center and in Muenster comes to vacation and visit like they say they intend to do, I'll be able to keep up on everyone," Rebecca said.

"I'd like to thank everyone for their love, prayers, and support. Without you and God I certainly would not be here. Come and see me at the Lake!" Rebecca said.

MHS camp reminder!

The MHS Varsity Cheerleaders have recently returned from a very exciting and successful week participating in the NCA Cheerleading Camp at Tarleton State University. They will be teaching the new 1998 cheers, chants and dance to area youngsters June 22-26 at the Muenster City Park. To

attend, a participation form must have been turned in to Joni Sturm by June 20. These forms were sent home with MISD students the last week of school. Additional forms may be picked up at the Muenster High School office, Tender Loving Care Day Care, or Ace Hardware/Ben Franklin's in Muenster.



HOW FATHERS MATURE

4 Years: My Daddy can do anything 6 Years: My Daddy knows a whole lot

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25 Years: The Old Man is OK

30 Years: I wonder what Dad's opinion is

about this

35 Years: I want Dad's opinion about this 50 Years: I wish I could get Dad's opinion

New Arrivals

Reeves
Kevin and Sandra Reeves announce with pride and joy the birth of a son, Kason John Reeves in Denton Community Hospital on June 1, 1998, weighing 8 lb. 11 oz. and measuring 20 1/4 inches in length. Kason John joins two sisters at home, Kelsey Reeves and Karleigh Reeves. Their grandparents are Mary Ann Walterscheid of Muenster and the late Norbert Walterscheid, and Joe and Donna Reeves of Saint Jo. The greatgrandmother is Hazel Reed of Saint Jo.

Stoffels
Herman Stoffels proudly announces the birth of his twenty-fifth grandchild, Sophia Alma, daughter of Sally Stoffels. She was born on June 4, 1998 at Arlington Columbia Medical Hospital, weighing 8 lb. 1 oz. and measuring 19 1/2 inches in length. Sophia Alma is named in honor of her late maternal grandmother, Alma Stoffels.

River Valley receives outstanding survey results

River Valley Health and Rehabilitation Center, 1907 Refinery Road, Gainesville, recently completed its annual state survey and were found to have been in substantial compliance

state survey and were found to have been in substantial compliance.

"We are very proud of the efforts of our dedicated staff," said Annie Hall, Administrator of River Valley. "Their hard work and commitment to quality care is evident in the recognition we received from the State of Texas during this last review of our operations.

River Valley Health and Rehabilitation Center is 116-bed skilled nursing and rehabilitation center. The facility offers a full range of comprehensive rehab programs, including physical and occupational therapies and speech/language pathology services.

River Valley's new dementia care unit opens this spring and offers services and programming designed to meet this specialized needs of individuals afflicted with Alzheimer's disease and related dementia disorders.

McGehee
Preston and Kim McGehee of Marietta, Oklahoma announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Katherine McGehee on June 1, 1998 at 9:27 p.m., weighing 8 lb. 6 oz. and measuring 19 1/2 inches in length. She was born in Mercy Memorial Hospital in Ardmore, Oklahoma. Sarah Katherine joins two brothers Alex, age 8 and Colton, age 5. Grandparents are John and Cindy Musgrove of Bixby, Oklahoma and Sharron and Preston McGehee of Marietta, Oklahoma. Kim McGehee teaches High School Special Education at Muenster ISD.

Allen
Elvin H. and Emily Deann
Allen of Sadler are parents of
their first child, a son Dustin
Harvey Allen, born in
Muenster Memorial Hospital
on June 12, 1998, at 2:20 p.m.
weighing 6 lb. and measuring
19 inches long. Grandparents
are Raymond T. and Betty L.
Hawkins of Sadler and Mr. J.
Allen of Woodbine.



Emily Endres, 8, a Muenster Elementary student, is one of many area children participating in North Central Texas College's Summer Youth Program. The program offers area youth the opportunity to have fun and learn. Space is still available in the Aerospace Adventures, Mini-Soccer Camp and Tae Kwon-Do workshops. Hurry, space is limited! For more information, call the NCTC Youth Program at (940) 668-4272. NCTC Photo

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Home Hospice offers grief recovery seminar

Home Hospice will be conducting a Grief Recovery Seminar on July 7, 14, 21, and 28th. The seminar will be held at the Home Hospice office at 1001 E. Broadway, Gainesville, from 6 to 8 p.m.

The sessions will address various topics involved in the grief process. The purpose of the seminar is to assist bereaved persons to deal with their grief and to find positive ways to cope with this painful experience. Topics addressed in the seminar are: "How do I go on from here?" "Dealing with difficult emotions" "Surviving the holidays and other special days and memorializing" and "Bringing closure to your loss."

Home Hospice also offers support groups for ongoing

bereavement care. Bereaver Parents/Grandparents meet the first Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at the Hospice office. The Caring Hearts Luncheon in held the last Wednesday of the Month at 12:00 noon at the Hospice office. The Juncheon i for present caregivers and ou bereaved families. The Eating Meeting Support Group meets the first Thursday at 5:30 p.m. alternating between The Center and Rohmer's Restaurant in Muenster.

Anyone who needs assistance is welcome to attend the Grie Seminar or any of the suppor groups. There is no charge fo any of these services. Pleass call Home Hospice to register for the seminar at 940-665 9891.

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Poison Ivy

POISON IVY

Poison ivy is really an allergic contact dermatitis caused by a substance called uroshiol, found in the sap of poison ivy, poison oak and poison sumac. You may develop a rash without ever coming into contact with poison ivy because the uroshiol is so easily spread, sticky and virtually invisible. It can be carried on the fur of animals, on garden tools, sports equipment or on any objects that have come into contact with a crushed or broken plant.

If you think you have come into contact with poison ivy, poison oak or poison sumac, follow this simple procedure:

Wash all exposed areas with cold running water as soon as possible (i.e. shower, stream, lake, garden hose). If you can do this within five minutes, the water will neutralize or deactivate the uroshiol in the plant's sap and keep it from spreading to other parts of the body.

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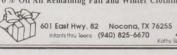
*Wash all clothing outside, with a garden hose, before bringing it into the house, where resin could be transferred to rugs or to furniture. Since uroshiol can remain active for months, it's important to wash all items that may also be carrying the resin (i.e. camping or sports equipment, shoes, watches).

*If you do develop a rash, avoid scratching the blisters. Although the fluid in the blisters will not spread the rash, fingernails may carry germs that could cause an infection.

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Sports

Tax facts for fishermen

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ook.
The rule doesn't affect other pes of fishing lures because ey are non-perishable.
If you purchase a motorboat sailboat - not more than 65 et in length - you'll pay a dles tax on the selling price. he Boat and Boat Motor Sales ax law pertains to any atercraft manufactured for mmercial or non commercial

arposes.
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AY ROBERTS: Water murky; llack bass up to 5 pounds are ood on Carolina-rigged zards, spinners and crank aits fished in the shallows. White bass are fair to good on had. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. No eport for catfish.

EXOMA: Water fairly clear; llack bass to 8 pounds are fair o good on Carolina-rigged lack and blue worms and on rank baits. Striped bass are air to good on live bait. White ass are fair on slabs and poons fished in the river. Latfish are good on trotlines aited with live and cut bait nd on rod and reels baited vith nightcrawlers and repared bait.

watercraft designed to be propelled by a paddle, oar, or pole. Remember, these crafts, though exempt from the Tax law, continue to be taxed under the Limited Sales Tax, 6.25 percent, plus local sales tax.

Fisherman can take along a tax-free lunch, such as bread, mustard, and lunch meat sandwich. But remember the

Sports and Your Child

from the American Academy of Pediatrics

Should bad grades keep a child from sports?

There is no simple answer to this question. A child having trouble in the classroom still needs all the benefits of exercise, competition, and a sense of accomplishment. Sports may be the only avenue of success in a child's life, and it could be harmful to take

accomplishment of the could be harmful to take it away.

Parents should look for other causes of poor classroom performance. Conflicts with a job or other duties might be one problem; too much TV watching might be another cause. In some cases the family and school may decide that the child is not studying enough. In this situation it is reasonable to make sports involvement dependent upon achieving better grades. Ask your child what you can do to help him or her improve at school.

Your pediatrician is the right coach to have on your team when you have concerns about your child and sports. Questions about your child's health and fitness for playing a sport can best be answered by a trained doctor who specializes in children and young people. Make sure your child gets a complete physical exam before starting a sports program. Ask your pediatrician for advise, To ensure that sports are fun for your child, keep them safe.

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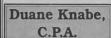
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TPW makes few changes to dove regulations

A shift to a later dove season opener in the South Zone and another push for an extended September teal season were approved here June 4 by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission as part of the 1998-99 Statewide Migratory Game Bird Proclamation.

The dates for dove seasons are Sept. 1 - Oct. 30 in the North Zone; Sept. 1 - Oct. 18, Dec. 26-Jan. 6 in the Central Zone; and Sept. 25 - Nov. 8, Dec. 26 - Jan 9 in the South Zone. They made no change in either the daily bag limit of 15, the season length of 60 days or all-day shooting hours.

The white-winged dove season is Sept. 5, 6, 12, and 13 in the Special White-winged Dove area of South Texas. Bag and possession limits are 10 white-winged, mourning and white-tipped doves in the aggregate, including no more than five mourning doves and two white-tipped doves per day. Shooting hours will be noon to sunset. The Commission also approved a change to eliminate the closed sanctuaries that have alternated from year to year within the special white-winged dove hunting area.



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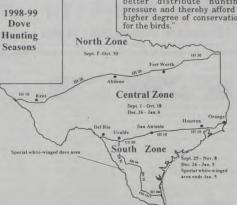
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production doesn't always happen on the closed sanctuaries," explained Vernon Bevill, TPW migratory game bird program director. "We think by eliminating the sanctuaries, we'll be able to better distribute hunting pressure and thereby afford a higher degree of conservation for the birds."





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NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you."

TO DEMETRIUS HARGROVE, Defendant, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Notice of Seizure and Intended Forfeiture at or before ten clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 6th day of July, A.D., 1998, before the Honorable 255th District Court of Cooke County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Gaineaville, Texas Said Plaintiff's Notice was filed in said Court on the 27th day of April, A.D., 1998, in this case, numbered 98-222 on the docket of said Court, and styled, THE STATE OF TEXAS (Plaintiff) vs. ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN DOLLARS (\$1,237.00) IN UNITED STATES CURRENCY (Defendant).

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: THE

is Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: The State of Texas prays that, upon hearing, this Court enter a finding that the said One Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Seven Dollars (\$1,237.00) in United States Currency is contraband, and upon such finding, order the forfeiture of said properly to the State of Texas with the District Attorney's Office acting as agent for the State as is more fully shown by Plaintiff.

Notice of Seizure and Intended Forfeiture on file in this suit.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:
MUENSTER WATER DISTRICT are Plaintiffs and
FRANCIS TIPPITT, GAYLE SMITH, SALLY EHRHART
and MARY A. EDWARDS are Defendants.
A brief statement of the name of the same of

and MARY A. EDWARDS are Defendants. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit. Planutiff seeks to condemn the undivided mineral interest of the defendants in the property being described as: North 20 acres of the South 80 acres being situated in Tract 22 of the Subdivision of the George Ivy Survey, Abstract No. 516, Cooke County, Texas, and South 60 acres of the South 80 acres being situated in Tract 22 of the Subdivision of the George Ivy Survey, Abstract No. 516, Cooke County, Texas, as is more fully shown by Planutiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates thereof, and make due return as the law directs.

COMBINED NOTICE
NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

June 19, 1998 City of Muenster, Texas P.O. Box 208 400 N. Main Muenster, Cooke County, Texas 76252-0208 940/759-2236

TO: ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS, AND PERSONS:
Seventeen (17) days after this publication, the City of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas, intends to request the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) as amended, to be used for the following project:

Project Title or Name:

Contract Number: Purpose or Nature of Project:

Location of Project: Estimated Cost of Project:

Texas Community Development Fund Water System Improvement Project

718841
Construct a new 200,000-gallon elevated water storage tank
Corner of Ninth and Main — City of Muenster
Total cost: \$449,000
(TCDP funds - \$194,606; local funds - \$254,394)

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

It has been determined that such a request of release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the City of Muenster has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190). The reason for such a decision not to prepare such a Statement is based upon the fact that all environmental encoerns could either be minimized or mitigated.

An Environmental Review Record for the proposed project has been made by the City of Muenster which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such a Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file in the Office of the City Secretary at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 NOON and 1 P.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday.

Nonany through rriady:

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON FINDING
All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City of Muenster to the address as set forth above. Such written comments must be received at the address specified within sixteen (16) days after this publication. All such comments so received will be considered and the City of Muenster will not request the release of funds or take administrative action on the project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

Claims may be presented in care of the attorney for the

on the project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

RELEASE OF FUNDS

The City of Muenster will undertake the activities described above with Community Development Block Grant funds under Title I from its Program Year 1998 under grant numbered 71841 from the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. The City of Muenster is certifying to the Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs that the City of Muenster and Henry Weinzapfel, in his official capacity as Mayor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making, and action and that these responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making, and action is that, upon its approval, the City of Muenster may use the Block grant funds and it will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. TDHCA will accept an objection to its approval only on one or more bases and the procedures described in 24 CFR Part 58.75. Objections are to be addressed to the Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs, Texas Community Development Program, P.O. Box 13941, Austin, Texas 7871.3941.

.33941. bjections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be lered by the TDHCA. No objection received later than thirty-three (33) days after this cation will be considered by TDHCA.

Estate addressed as follows: Cindy Stormer, 102 E. Elm, Gainesville, TX 76240. All persons having cliams against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner proscribed by law. DATED the 9th day of June, 1998. NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ROBERTA WHITE WILLIAMS, De-

For Septic Systems ROEBIC K-37 Septic Tank Liquefier

SEALED BID INVITATION
The City of Muenster auctioning off, by silent bid, a inoperative front-end load and a Case 220 riding law mower. These items may itsen at the City Barn, 115 We Second Street, Muenster, Texa-Please submit a had.

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tle Lice: Small - from .06 to .12 les long. Oblong - broad, flattened

Yellow-brown or blue-

k. Usually clustered at base

of tail, shoulders, top and back of the neck, dewlap and backline.

of the neck, backline.

• Eggs may be found glued to the hair shaft, close to body.

Grubs:

• Adult flies resemble honeybee, but usually not seen.

• Cattle stand in water to avoid egg-laying adults.

• Larvae may be felt along the backline in mid-winter.

Stable Fly:

Larvae may be felt along the backline in mid-winter.

Stable Fly:
Resembles housefly.
Piercing mouthparts project from lower part of head.
Lays eggs around legs.
Cattle bunch together to avoid them.

Monthly Report by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service Four steps to

1. Buy machinery to keep up with your neighbor or for tax purposes. Buying to save taxes only works if you need equipment. The government pays a maximum of 43% on a piece of equipment. The other 57% comes from savings or profits. Trade equipment when the projected repairs for the coming year, added to the decrease in value, exceeds the payment for new equipment.

Will new century bring higher crop prices?

The USDA's 10 year projections say to look for higher prices, expanded acreage and increased export demand for corn and soybeans. The commodity projections cover 1997 through 2007.

According to USDA, corn prices should bottom out at \$2.55/bu. in 1999 and then strengthen to \$3.10 by 2007.

The average soybean farm price is expected to rise to \$7.25/bu. by the end of the 10 year period. That's after a low of \$5.65 projected for 1999-2000.

Corn acreage should reach

2000.
Corn acreage should reach 84.5 million by 2007, slightly higher than peak levels during the mid-1970s and early 1980s export boom. Soybean acreage should stay steady at around 70 million through 2007.

What I gave, I have; what I spent, I had; what I kept, I lost.

We are all here on earth to help others; what on earth others are here for I don't know.

A rising foreign demand for soybeans will produce an upward trend in U.S. exports, from the current 980 million bushels to 1.1 billion by 2007-08 year.

Increasingly tight supplies and rising prices will slow the annual growth.

Soybean oil prices should stay flat for the next four years, then climb by 2007.
Meal prices will push down, peaking in 1999-2000, then stay flat because of foreign competition.

Annual corn production is now a little over 9 billion bushels and should surpass 11 billion by 2005. Soybeans will increase from the current 2.7 billion bushels to just over 3 billion. Total corn demand should grow sharply assuming the U.S. stays the major corn supplier, and China becomes a major importer.

Food, seed and industrial corn use should grow by 425 million bushels over the 10 year period.

Sanitation notes when working cattle

Set up a clean table near the chute to lay your supplies. It should be of non-porous materials for washing.
Power wash the chute and work area.
If the work area is dusty, hose it down before you start.
Don't combine two different products in the same syringe.

syringe.
Discard any dirty, bent or

Never go into a bottle with anything but a new needle.
Don't return product from a syringe to a bottle.

Don't dip needles in open containers of disinfectant. If rinsing is necessary at the chute, use a bottle of distilled

water.
• Take apart, wash and disinfect non-disposable syringes when finished.

It's A Stat!

the June 1, Texas grapefruit duction forecast is 4.8 lion boxes for the 1997-98 son. All orange production estimated at 1.53 million es, 1.42 million boxes last es, 1.42 million boxes last r.

The 1997-98 harvest was unally complete by June 1 in Rio Grande Valley. Yields re better than earlier ected.

Jinted States grapefruit duction is forecast at 64.1 llion boxes, orange oduction is forecast at a ord 14.0 million boxes.

The 1998 winter wheat p is forecast at 132 million shels, 11 percent above last ar and up 75 percent from 36.

average 33 bushels per acre, up
4 bushels from last year.
Harvested acreage, at 4 million
acres, is down 2 percent from
1997.
United States winter wheat
production for 1998 is forecast
at 1.74 billion bushels, down 7
percent from last year. Yield is
expected to average 42.9
bushels per acre, down 2.1
bushels from a year ago.

Texas milk production
totaled 527 million pounds
during May, down 1 percent
from last year. revised
production for April, 1998
totaled 534 million pounds.

The number of milk cows
during May averaged 375
thousand head, down 13,000
head from last year.
Production per cow averaged
1,405 pounds during May
compared with 1,370 pounds
last year.

According to June 1 survey aducted by the Texas ricultural Statistics Service, tewide yield is expected to

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spectively, Results of both 5625-8775; medium frame, 5375-8575; medium frame, 5375-8525; Hoticin baby calves, 555-555; other baby calves, 560-5195. Hogs (cents per pound) Barrows & gilte: US-1-2, 202-275, 840-50-41; US-1-3, 202-275, 816-541; US-1-3, 202-275, 816-50-50, 232-327. Boars: US-1-2, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650, 200-650,

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HOW TO MONITOR

Cattle Lice:

• Change in animal behavior
rubbing and scratching hair
on fence. Patchy hair coats.
• Three to 10 lice per square
inch is moderate, greater than
10 is heavy infestation.

Grubs:

10 is heavy intestation.

Grubs:

Cattle running with tails in air or standing in water.

First larvae large enough by late December to be felt by

by incurvature of the country of the country of the country of about 10 animals in a group. Treat if count reaches an average of 10 flies per animal.

exceeds the payment for new equipment.

2. Using your operating line of credit to buy land, equipment, stock, or buildings. All operating loans should be self-liquidating after the sale of that years crops and livestock. Finance equipment, etc., with term loans.

3. Don't make a marketing plan. Market your commodities on the advice of the "experts" rumors at the coffee shop. Market your crop more frequently and you have a good chance of hitting the top 1/3 of price received for the crop year.

1/3 of price received for the crop year.

4. Don't keep and use production records. They require time and money. Successful producers know where they stand technically and financially. Many associations have data forms for tracking production performances. This helps the producers track the technical and financial performance of their operation, while helping interpret the data and give advice.

advice. - Darrell Dunteman, AAC

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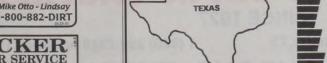
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