

Area residents impacted by criminals

by Janet Felderhoff
What began as a beautiful crisp and pleasant autumn Sunday ended on a terrifying note for Irma and Vincent Forrester of Forestburg. The couple had just returned to their home located off FM 677 after spending the afternoon watching their grandchildren participate in a Play Day at the Forestburg rodeo arena.

Vincent Forrester decided to take a shower and his wife, Irma, was sitting in the kitchen working on a crossword puzzle. "I heard the dogs barking," recalled Irma. "Normally all our friends and acquaintances come to the garage door and knock." She decided to finish her word and then see who would be at the door. She thought it a bit odd that she didn't hear a knock, but just decided they were looking at the scenery.

"Here he (Gerald Gantt) comes through the back door and came around my kitchen counter and had a gun on me," Irma said. "He asked if anyone else was in the house and I told him my husband was in the shower. He grabbed me and told me to take him to him. So we went to the bedroom where the shower is and stood and waited and waited and waited. I asked him what he wanted and what this was about. I told him he could have my car, have money, what ever he wanted, but he never would answer."

At this point Mrs. Forrester had no idea that she had just become another hostage of two Grayson County Jail escapees. She only saw one man and she said he didn't look anything like the photos shown on television. "Those pictures aren't worth a doodle do crap. It didn't even look like him," she stated. "We didn't know there was another one for the longest time."

According to Irma the second man, Bob Leach, never brought a gun into the area they were in, but laid it on the washing machine.

After Vincent Forrester came out of the shower he was ordered by Gantt to lie on the floor. Next as the couple was being taken to another part of the house, the phone rang. It was the Forresters' son who lived near by. He wondered if his mother had any Wesson oil he borrow. "I told him Yeah, I had plenty, but don't come. Don't come. They figured something was wrong but didn't know what."

After being ordered to lie down on the floor, Irma was tied with a calculator cord and Vincent with a cord taken from a pole lamp. He was bound hands and feet, but she only had her hands tied. Irma revealed that after about an hour and a half she was able to work her hands free. When Gantt was near she would tighten the cord again so he wouldn't know she had

freed her hands.

Gantt, the younger of the two men, called his mother. Irma said, "He told her he was going to die tonight. He was tired of running. He was tired of it all. He started crying. He wanted her to take care of his little brother and his little sister. Well, that's great, here he is got a gun on us and he's worried about his little brother and little sister."

The phone rang and

Vincent was allowed to answer it. Irma said he pretended not to know the caller. The caller was a friend of one of their sons and he called their son to see what was going on and then headed for the Forrester residence. "He got down to the end of the road and of course the cops were there and wouldn't let him go any further," said Irma. "About that time the other guy started shooting and

that's the first I knew that there was another man because he never did come in."

When the second man came in she asked if he was shooting her dogs. He told her no, he was shooting at the cops. "When he said that then it made you feel that there's help out there," remarked Irma. "It just immediately calmed you down."

From about 7 p.m. until

10 p.m. the Forresters were made to lie on the floor. At 10 p.m. they were allowed to sit up and take their daily medication. Vincent's shoulder was hurting and so he was told to sit in a chair. During this time Irma said the two escapees were constantly in and out of the house.

Irma said Gantt made himself a bowl of macaroni and cheese and then sat down and fell asleep. Leach woke up Gantt and then left the house. Irma said it seemed like he was gone for over an hour and half.

Irma continued, "Leach told us what he was planning. He told us the SWAT team was coming to rescue us. When you can't see a clock, you have no conception of how much time has passed. I'm guessing around 12:30 a.m. Vincent couldn't sit in the chair any more because his shoulder was bothering him. Leach stood him up and let him lean against the wall." Irma thought standing against the wall looked better than being on the floor and so she joined us husband. After about 15 minutes, Leach motioned for them to follow him into See FORRESTER, pg 4



Irma and Vincent Forrester are safe at home after being held hostage from Sunday evening until after 3 a.m. Monday by two escapees from Grayson County Jail. Janie Hartman photo

Muenster Police Officer, Gary Whitaker, in on fugitive chase

by Janet Felderhoff
Muenster's newest police officer, Gary Whitaker, was one of two officers who spotted two escapees from the Grayson County Jail last Sunday.

Sometime during the night of Thursday, Oct. 11, five male inmates escaped from the Grayson County Jail. In their efforts to keep their freedom, they terrorized people in at least six counties, including Cooke and Montague. By Sunday all but two of the five had been captured and returned to jail. Still on the run were Gerald Lynn Gantt, 20, and Bob Harold Leach, 38.

Leach and Gantt took and released hostages at various times. On Sunday afternoon a woman they had taken hostage in another county escaped and made her way to a residence in Montague County. According to Cooke county Sheriff Mike Compton, the hostage was tied up. The two escapees thought they were being watched and so they left her in the car. She took a chance and escaped.

Muenster Police Chief Bob Stovall reported that Sunday evening Montague Sheriff's Deputy Herman Conway notified Muenster

officer Gary Whitaker that he had information that the two escapees were seen south of Muenster. The two officers met and drove along FM 373 south and west on FM 1630. "The vehicle (occupied by the two escapees) was seen near 1630 from a county road," said Police Chief Stovall. "When they met in the roadway one of the suspects aimed a rifle at the police officers," he said. They followed the vehicle, notified the Montague Sheriff's Department that they'd spotted the vehicle. The vehicle was seen going south on 677 and then it pulled into a driveway.

This was the residence of Vincent and Irma Forrester. The two suspects went into the garage of the residence. Stovall said the police car stopped at the driveway.

According to Chief Stovall, about 25 rounds were fired at the officers by a high-powered rifle. He said that more officers joined the two. This included Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) officer Robert Fuller who reported that hostages had been taken. Stovall said the Grayson County SWAT team was called in to secure the residence to keep the

two from escaping as darkness fell. A DPS helicopter was also fired on, said Stovall.

Sheriff Compton stated that after a thermal imaging device was brought on the scene, he and Trooper Robert Fuller set up in the back of the residence to guard that perimeter. They kept vigil until relieved by the SWAT team.

Compton commended the cooperative efforts of so many officers from a variety of law enforcement agencies noting that they did an excellent job. He also said the hostages were to be admired for the way they handled the situation. He commended the SWAT team and negotiator Tracy Murphree of Denton, a Texas Ranger.

After helping the hostages to escape at about 3:15 a.m., Stovall noted Leach tried to talk Gantt into giving up, but Gantt said he wanted to go out the bad way. Leach eventually shot Gantt and then surrendered to police. The ordeal ended about 4:00 a.m. with both men taken into custody.

"Whitaker and Conway used very much restraint there," said Stovall. "They did not fire back at the two.

They used restraint and good judgment, I believe." He said the house with the hostages would have been in the line of fire had the officers returned gunshots.

Police Chief Stovall said that Whitaker worked his first day for Muenster on Wednesday, Oct. 10. Sunday was his fifth day on the job. He has 14 years of experience as a law officer.

Gantt and Leach had charges filed against them in Montague County on Oct. 15 for the laws they broke there. Montague County Sheriff Chris Hamilton charged each man with the following charges: four counts of aggravated assault on a public servant - first degree felony for firing shots at Muenster Police Officer Gary Whitaker, Montague County Deputy Herman Conway, Montague Reserve Deputy Billy Poyner, and DPS Trooper Robert Fuller; two charges of aggravated kidnapping - first degree felony for kidnapping Vincent and Irma Forrester; and one count of burglary of a habitation - first degree felony.

Bail was set at \$1,000,000.00 for Bob Leach See POLICE, pg 4



Lacy Endres, Muenster High School senior, was crowned 2001 Hornet Homecoming Queen last Friday night. The crowning took place prior to the Homecoming dance after the game was postponed by storms that hit the area. Lacy is the daughter of Phil and Marlene Endres. Photo by Janie Hartman

American Cancer Society honors Pollard

Cancer survivors Cherilyn Pollard of Muenster and 17-year-old Cristina Wheeler of Bastrop were recognized at the American Cancer Society's Division Annual Meeting with the organization's Courage Award. The award recognizes cancer survivors who have triumphed over cancer, made significant contributions to cancer control, and made an impact in the lives of others. Each year, the American Cancer Society selects one adult cancer survivor and one child cancer survivor from a long list of Texas nominees to receive the award. The person selected symbolizes the courageous struggle of all cancer patients as they deal with the physical and emotional aspects of their experience. Cherilyn commented on receiving the ACS award, "I am so honored to be recognized by the American Cancer Society and I must

say I am shocked to be chosen for this award. All I am doing is trying to help others through their own cancer experience and I am hoping that through the American Cancer Society and its Relay For Life we will see a cure for this horrible disease in our lifetime. Without the help and support of my family in all that I do, there is no way that I could do all that I do and therefore would not even be considered for this award." Cherilyn Pollard was 25 years old when she was diagnosed with breast cancer shortly before discovering she was pregnant. Courageously, she chose to keep her baby and delay chemotherapy treatment, a decision that resulted in a beautiful daughter, Kalyssa. A few years later, Cherilyn attended an American Cancer Society Dialogue meeting for cancer

patients and their families. "I went there thinking I could help someone else. I realized quickly that we were all helped". This led her to becoming an active volunteer where she co-chaired the Cooke County Relay for Life for many years, helps drive patients to and from treatments in the American Cancer Society Road to Recovery program, visits other women experiencing a breast cancer diagnosis in the American Cancer Society Reach to Recovery program, and most recently co-chaired the statewide Texas Relay for Life Task Force. Youth Courage Award recipient, Cristina Wheeler of Bastrop, was living the typical pre-teen life at age 11 when she began to experience migraine headaches. She was admitted to the hospital on her 12th birthday, undergoing extensive



Cherilyn Pollard accepts the American Cancer Society's Texas Courage Award. Courtesy photo

surgery that revealed Pilocytic Astrocytoma, a form of childhood cancer. Cristina decided a positive attitude was essential to get her through this, and was able to return to her normal activities as quickly as possible. She also began volunteering in the pediatric ward where she could share her positive attitude and beliefs with other children going through similar experiences.

Cristina is chairperson of the National Youth Service Day committee, and has received numerous scholarships including one from Southwest Texas State University where she will attend college next year. She also volunteers in Bastrop's Relay for Life as a Team Captain, and has won the award for the individual raising the most money the past two years. The goal of the American Cancer Society's Texas Courage Award See CANCER, pg 2

Steelman receives KC Good Neighbor Award

by **Elfreda Fette**
 In observance of Columbus Day, Muenster Council #1459, Knights of Columbus continued a long established tradition, holding their "Good Neighbor Award" Ceremony and Breakfast on Sunday, Oct. 14. They named Clyde W. Steelman, Jr., Superintendent of Muenster ISD, as the 2001 winner of the "Good Neighbor Award."
 In naming the honoree, KC Grand Knight Gary Endres made the announcement in Sacred Heart Church following the 8:00 a.m. Mass celebrated by Father John Ohner OSA. Gary Endres stated: "Every year we honor someone of another faith, in the ecumenical spirit of encouraging greater harmony among creeds. This award is presented to someone whose pursuit of excellence is exemplified by love of God and love of fellowmen; whose generous contributions and extensive services to the community are performed in a gentle, quiet manner, shunning all publicity. In this spirit, the Muenster Knights of Columbus salute the 2001 winner of the Good Neighbor Award, Clyde W. Steelman, Jr."

Knight Danny Cochran, and Treasurer Butch Fisher to center aisle front row seats. The Sacred Heart Children's Choir, directed by Pam Fette, Anne Poole and Ruth Felderhoff, provided music for the Mass. The award breakfast followed in the KC Hall. Master of Ceremonies was Gary Endres. Father John Ohner, OSA gave the Invocation. Bob Bauer led

cafeteria director, and head maintenance man."
 "Clyde Steelman Jr. has served in various civic positions in addition to serving his church as President of the Council. He has received numerous awards and recognitions from Civic and Education Organizations. Through all this he is a wonderful husband, devoted father, fence-builder, goat farmer, and, over the next few

months will become a wonderful barn-builder, also" (having recently purchased rural acreage and is building a new home here).
 Itemizing Mr. Steelman's academic journey, Gary Endres said that in college, Clyde Steelman was on the track team at Tarleton State and served in various leadership positions on campus. He also was named to "Who's Who Among College and University Students" and was named "Outstanding Industrial Technology Student."

In other recognitions, it was said that Clyde Steelman graduated from Burleson High School in 1978 receiving his Bachelor of Science, Master of Education, Mid-Management Administrator Certification and Superintendent Certification, all at Tarleton State University in Stephenville.
 From 1984 through 1989 he taught drafting, and

many recognitions given him. He stated that "This came as a total surprise! I didn't have a clue until Father John Ohner mentioned it when he asked Gary Endres to come up.... This particular award means so much more to me and my family, than many others.... I am deeply touched.... When we moved to Muenster we didn't know a soul here. We were welcomed into the community with an outpouring of friendship that made us feel like family. The welcome that we received has much to do with all that we have accomplished here."
 Continuing the program Gary Endres recognized the 2001-2002 officers: Fr. John Ohner OSA, Chaplain; Gary Endres, Grand Knight; Danny Cochran, Deputy Grand Knight; Phillip Flusche, Recorder; Harold Knabe, Chancellor; Butch Fisher, Treasurer; Ben Fleitman, Warden; Arthur Felderhoff, Financial Secretary; Gerald Walterscheid, Advocate; Ken Hesse, Guard; George Bayer, Guard; Wade Walterscheid, trustee; David Rohmer, Trustee; Tom Felderhoff, Jr. Trustee; and Bob Bauer, Lecturer.
 Danny Cochran presented Membership pins: 5 years - Eric Gray, Tim Hartman, Rick Walterscheid Robert Weinzapfel; 15 years - Joe Fenton; 20 years - George Bayer, Dave Berres, Don Eckart, Benjamin Luke, Adam Schniederjan, Chris Walter, John Walterscheid; 25 years - Norbert Bednorz; 30 years - Maurus Hacker, Ed Knauf, Robert Noyes, Ed York; 35 years - Werner Becker Jr.; 40 years - Richard Pagel; 50 years - John C. Fisher, Emmett Walterscheid; 55 years - Pat Hennigan, Paul Fetsch, Leo See KC, pg 4



Clyde Steelman (center) receives the KC Good Neighbor Award presented by Father John Ohner. Joining them are Julie Steelman and their children, and other church members.

All attending responded with appreciative applause. A very large attendance of Sacred Heart parishioners were present to honor the event.
 Attending with Mr. Steelman were his wife, Julie and their children, two sons, Christopher age 14 and Colton age 11, and one daughter, Jacy, age 8.
 Accompanying the Steelman family were special guests, including Don and Earline Watson of Center Point, Texas, parents of his wife, Julie, and many local friends, and members and officers of Muenster Council #1459 Knights of Columbus. Teachers, faculty and staff of MISD were also among invited guests.
 Preceding the service the Steelmans and guests were ushered by Grand Knight Gary Endres, Deputy Grand

the Pledge of Allegiance. Danny Cochran gave a welcome. Father John Ohner OSA presented the Good Neighbor Award. In tribute to the honoree, it was stated by Gary Endres that Clyde Steelman began his career in education back in Stephenville in the early 80s. He volunteered to coach Special Olympics. Enjoying that so much, he decided to actually use his teaching certificate that he got along with his degree in Industrial Education and Technology, so he got a job coaching football, girls' basketball, and track, and teaching computer-aided drafting at Granbury. Later he was head girls coach at Tolar. After his second son was born, he became an assistant principal at Glen Rose High School. (From there, with a smile, Steelman told us that he "Got a job in the big town of Bluff Dale as principal, superintendent, transportation director,

months will become a wonderful barn-builder, also" (having recently purchased rural acreage and is building a new home here).
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woodshop, and coached at Granbury ISD. In 1989-91 he continued coaching, teaching history and computer science at Tolar ISD. In 1991-96 he was assistant principal at Glen Rose ISD before becoming superintendent at Bluff Dale ISD. Under his leadership Bluff Dale experienced much success, became an Exemplary District in 1998 and 1999, received the National Title I School Award in 1998-99 and UIL Academic Championship in 1998.
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Attending the ceremony with Cherylyn were her husband, John, daughter Kalyssa, and her parents Chas and Carolyn Bayer.

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Sunday, October 28, 2001 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Myra Community Annual Fall Dinner, 11 AM - 1:30 PM, Community Center, Myra Standard Time Fall Back	Monday, October 29, 2001 Muenster Hornet Booster Club, 7 PM, Gym	Tuesday, October 30, 2001 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Wednesday, October 31, 2001 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center NO Religious Ed Class Mass, 7 PM / Zoo Boo 6-8 PM, Frank Buck Zoo, Gainesville HOLIDAY HALLOWEEN?	Thursday, November 1, 2001 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Blood Drive Mjrh/JV vs. Windhorst	Friday, November 2, 2001 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM MHS at Windhorst SHJrh vs. Ambassadors-T-5:00 PM SH vs. Ambassadors-T-7:30 PM	Saturday, November 3, 2001 Hood Community Turkey Supper, 5-8 PM

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Dr. Lamar opens office in Muenster

by Janet Felderhoff
Muenster has another facet of health care available with the opening of Muenster Chiropractic by Angelika Lamar, D.C. She is offering general chiropractic practice.

Dr. Lamar describes chiropractic as, "a natural method of health care. It treats the base cause of physical problems not just their symptoms. When pain in the back, neck, legs, arms, or head occurs, we are trained to restore health through special chiropractic methods. By properly aligning bones, joints, and muscles, nerve impulses are able to flow freely. This is important because the nervous system controls every cell of your body and by restoring the integrity of the nervous system the body is enabled to heal itself and

function at its maximum capacity without pain." Also Dr. Lamar uses her background in physical therapy, nutrition, and advanced studies in neurology in conjunction with chiropractic to provide her patients with comprehensive holistic health care.

Dr. Lamar uses her physical therapy background to benefit her patients. "I have found from experience that physical therapy, including massage therapy, in conjunction with chiropractic care greatly facilitates the recovery from musculoskeletal problems."

Besides the obvious reasons to see a chiropractor others might benefit also. "Nutritional counseling has always been a big part of my practice, especially for patients

suffering from chronic fatigue, migraine headaches, and allergies," said Dr. Lamar. "Sometimes I find that a patient is not holding an adjustment as he should there may be an underlying nutritional deficiency or food allergy involved."

Angelika Lamar came to the United States in her early 20's. She was born and raised in the small town of Flattach, Austria, which is in the southern part of Austria in the Alps. She enjoys the parallel between her hometown and Muenster with its German heritage and close families. Angelika first came to this country as a foreign exchange student and returned later with the intention of furthering her education in physical therapy.



Dr. Angelika Lamar is examining this patient at Muenster Chiropractic Clinic. Even children benefit from some of the treatments she provides. Photo by Janie Hartman

attended Parker College of Chiropractic, graduating in 1995.

After graduation Dr. Lamar worked in association with Dr. Janie Duke in Plano. After two years she started her family and practiced on a part time basis until she moved to Muenster in May of this year with her family, husband Stick, and two children, Mikaela, age four, and Stone, age two. Stick is a forester who owns a commercial tree business in the Metroplex.

Dr. Lamar is currently working toward a postgraduate degree in chiropractic neurology sponsored by Parker College of Chiropractic in Dallas. She will be eligible to sit for her board examination in chiropractic neurology in September of 2002.

Dr. Lamar opened her new business, Muenster Chiropractic, on Monday, Oct. 15 at 505 North Maple Street. The business telephone number is 759-4044.

Alice English of Gainesville is assisting Dr. Lamar in the office. Business hours are from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Obituaries

Gerald Biffle 1958 - 2001

Stephen Gerald Biffle of Thackerville, Oklahoma died in an accident at age 43 at his home on Monday, Oct. 15, 2001.

He was born on July 16, 1958 in Gainesville to Bill (Lloyd O.) and Frankie Ward Biffle. Biffle lived most of his life in Cooke County, graduating from Era High School in 1976. On July 8, 2000 he was married to Trudy Busch in Lois, Texas. He was employed by Gainesville Livestock Market. Biffle followed in his father's footsteps in the water well business, livestock trading and the love of storytelling and being a cowboy. He was a member of Valley View United Methodist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Trudy Busch of Thackerville; son, Aaron Biffle of Dallas; three stepdaughters Andrea Stack of Denton, Alicia Stack and Eva Stack of Thackerville. Also two brothers and sisters-in-laws Billy and



Gerald Biffle

J.R. Biffle and Fred and Natasha Biffle both of Forestburg and one sister and brother-in-law Peggy and Charles Howard of Caney, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Services were held Wednesday, Oct. 17 at 10:00 a.m. in Valley View United Methodist Church, with

Rev. Ed Lantz of Howe United Methodist Church officiating. Rev. Lantz gave a Scriptural Reading from Mark referring to Jesus calming the waters during a storm at sea. He also said, "Gerald Biffle loved his family. He loved his work. He enjoyed making things with his hands."

Service music was presented by Mary Moorman on the piano, and Sarah Jeanne Moorman vocalist, with "Amazing Grace", "One Day At A Time" and "On Eagles Wings".

Charles Howard, a brother-in-law, gave Remarks of Remembrance and Memories.

Burial in Perryman Cemetery of Forestburg was directed by Clement-Keel Funeral Home.

The family has suggested memorials sent to The Gerald Biffle Fund, c/o Trudy Biffle, at G.N.B. Bank, Gainesville, TX 76240.

Allie Kuhn 1911 - 2001

Allie Kuhn, 90, passed from this life to her final reward on Oct. 11, 2001 at Wilson N. Jones Medical Center, Sherman. Allie was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She will be greatly missed by all the many people whose lives she touched. She was born to the late Robert and Cecilia Mosman Loerwald on Feb. 8, 1911 in Lindsay where she also attended school. On Jan. 27, 1931, she married Henry Kuhn, Sr. in Lindsay, where they have shared their lives.

Allie was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, St. Ann's Society, St. Francis Society, and volunteered a great deal of her time at the Gainesville Convalescence Center. Quilting and canning were among her many hobbies. Her love of

people was one of her greatest gifts.

Survivors are her husband, Henry Kuhn, Sr. of Gainesville; her children: Henry Kuhn, Jr. and wife, Doris, Gainesville; Dub Kuhn and wife, Linda; Linda Barentine and husband Dink; and Vickie Kuhn, all of Sherman; brother, Walter Loerwald and wife, Bea of Las Vegas, Nevada and sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Loerwald of Gainesville. Also surviving are her grandchildren: Donna Sikes and husband, Randy, Kyle Kuhn and wife, Deana of Gainesville; Brett Kuhn and wife, Stacy of Pilot Point; Amy McAnnally and husband, Vance of Copperas Cove; Greg Kuhn of Dallas; Danny Barentine and wife, Stephanie of Rockwall; Kevin Barentine and wife, Jennifer of

Lewisville; Melanie Sells and husband, Kevin of Pflugerville; and Courtni Kuhn of Sherman; fourteen great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Jason Barentine.

Rosary was held at 7:00 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12, 2001 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay. Burial Mass was held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, 2001 at St. Peter's Catholic Church with interment in Lindsay Cemetery.

Pallbearers were her five grandsons and Gary Beyer. Honorary pallbearers were her grandsons-in-law.

"After coming to the States I learned about chiropractic. Realizing its great benefits, I changed my plans and first attended

Texas Woman's University to earn a Bachelor of Science in premedical studies graduating in 1991." said Dr. Lamar. Then she

Environmental issue questioned at Muenster ISD

by Janie Hartman
Concerns from parents of Muenster ISD Elementary students were brought to the School Board last Wednesday at the regular meeting of the trustees.

Duane Rohmer was present to request the district to conduct indoor air quality testing at the elementary campus. Other parents also believed that their children have had more colds and allergy-like symptoms since the school year began. Superintendent Clyde Steelman noted that the environmental department of the Texas School Board Association will be conducting air quality tests in several

classroom areas, with special concern to the 3rd and 4th grade classes located near the vocational shops.

Principal Phil Newton gave the Technology Report. Received 50 new TIF computers, will take several weeks to get them all installed. The virus attack is under control and a request to have school board members on the Technology review board was filled when Clifford Sicking and Tom Hartman volunteered.

Financial update included that the Lone Star Investment started Sept. 7 and the district's auditor is coming in October.

considered included:

- Approval of air conditioning in gym and gym weight room.

- Received estimates for repairs to the football field and high school gym parking lot to control water drainage.

- Discussed how to remove house east of football field, since no bids were received for its removal.

- Board was informed that 10% of all transfer students were having academic problems.

- Discussed long range planning, attempting to prioritize which option to take.

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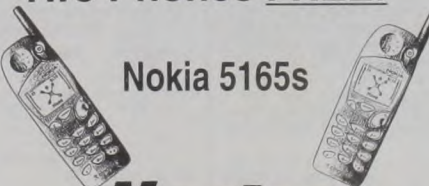
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From My Side of the Fence

by Ed Cier

My dear mother has been gone to her reward, I believe, since Dec. 13, 1962, but I still have vivid memories of her, and the things we enjoyed doing together.

Mom was always willing to help do most anything, and sometimes I believe she just wanted to prove she could do some things while really not caring if she ever did them again.

In 1926 or '27 my dad bought a 1925 model T-Ford car. It was an enclosed two door sedan and was much appreciated during cold and rainy weather.

I had been driving Model Ts since I was 11 or 12 years old, and I used to tease Mom, trying to get her to learn to drive.

Well, one day she said if I would help her, she would like to learn to handle the car.

Boy - what an opportunity! I was all of 12, maybe 13. This was gonna be fun.

But then it wasn't as much fun as I had anticipated. She picked up on it real fast and in a little while was cruising around the big yard, starting and

stopping and getting along real well.

A few days later, when I came home from the North place, Mom told me she had driven to town, delivered eggs and cream, did some shopping and returned home without incident.

"Well great, you didn't have any trouble?"

"No, none. Roy Endres seemed surprised to see me in the car, and said he didn't know I could drive."

"I didn't either," was her reply.

Later that same week while we were working on the North place, I saw the car enter the road gate and proceed to the house. After getting it in my head that Mom was driving, and we were going to be served a good hot lunch, we were jubilant.

Well, Mom delivered and served us a good hot lunch, cleaned up the house, drove home, and I don't think she ever drove again.

"Whatsa matter Mom? Forget how to drive?"

"No," she said. "I just wanted to see if I could do it. But I really don't want to drive anymore."

Hall supports military action against terrorism

"Terrorists and the Taliban will soon learn that this President keeps his word - and keeps the Congress and the Nation informed as much as he can afford to militarily. The fact that he keeps his word was illustrated last Sunday when the national media reported the President as saying, 'Time is running out for the Taliban.'"

"The very next day the U.S. military was selectively bombing some areas, and the President immediately reported to the American people his action. I have faith in our Commander-in-Chief and I commend him for taking the time to collect information on the terrorists, build international support and

alliances, and mobilize our military."

"This is the initial thrust, but the American people and the Congress have to get ready to see casualties. As in other wars, some women and children will die. When this happens, the terrorists and those who support them will spew anti-American sentiment, anti-Christian and anti-Jewish sentiment in hopes of trying to involve all of the Arab nations against the United States and Great Britain."

"We have to prepare ourselves to see these pictures of casualties and know that those being targeted are those the President identified as either terrorists or those

who support the terrorists. Either one of them is considered our enemy. We also should remember something another great American, General MacArthur, said: 'The object of war is victory.'"

"Safety is still on the minds of all Americans, and the highest alert standards are called for. The Congress is working closely with the Administration to increase airline security and counterterrorism efforts throughout the Nation. Secretary of State Colin Powell and Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld have continued to

brief the Congress.

"I am confident in the Administration and the ability of our military forces to achieve victory in the war against terrorism. Congress is giving absolute war-time rights to the President, and I'm willing to do that. But I want our Nation to have a vision of where we're going and what we're going to do - and I want us to have an exit plan. When we achieve victory, we need to bring our troops home and not feel obligated to rebuild a country as dedicated to our destruction as these terrorists have been."

Texas Medical Association president appoints task force to study bioterrorism

Texas Medical Association President Tom B. Hancher, MD, Oct. 16 appointed the former surgeon general of the United States Army to chair the association's new Task Force on Bioterrorism.

"This past week's news stories prove that Texas physicians must be ready to recognize, diagnose, and treat numerous unfamiliar biological and chemical agents," Dr. Hancher said. "It is our association's public duty to educate and prepare physicians for the kind of attack we all pray we'll never have to face."

Dr. Hancher named Ronald R. Blanck, DO, president of the University of North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth to chair the task force. "His years of expertise in this arena with the Army will be invaluable," Dr. Hancher said.

"Physicians clearly must be in the forefront of dealing with bioterrorism," Dr. Blanck said. "Texas is fortunate to have all the expertise necessary, and then some, to provide physicians with the information they need to counsel patients, be part of efforts to prepare, and of course to be aware of the possible presence of these diseases."

Drs. Hancher and Blanck said the task force will provide solid recommendations on how individual physicians and the entire medical community can better prepare to respond to a bioterrorism attack. Much of the group's work will involve pulling together and coordinating existing resources and making them more widely available.

The task force will collate and provide individual physicians with information such as:

- * What physicians should look for and what they should do to help a patient who may have been exposed to a biological or chemical weapon;

- * How and where to report suspected outbreaks of diseases such as anthrax, smallpox, plague and botulism;

- * What physicians should tell their patients who are concerned about bioterrorism attacks;

- * How physicians should respond if they are asked to look at possible act of bioterrorism; and

- * Where physicians can obtain additional scientific information on bioterrorism, such as on the Internet, via satellite programming, or in community-based continuing medical education programs.

In looking at the larger picture, the task force will:

- * Inventory the capacity of the state's public health infrastructure to deal with bioterrorism or terrorism acts;

- * Identify effective community response systems that could be replicated in other communities; and

- * Coordinate its efforts with other public safety task forces or working groups that are investigating bioterrorism.

The additional members of the task force will be announced in the near future. Extensive information for physicians, other health care workers, and the public is available at the TMA Web site's Bioterrorism Resource Center at www.texmed.org/has/bioterrorism.asp.



Vincent and Irma Forrester

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the bathroom and said to lock the door behind him.

Since her hands were free, Irma knew she could get out by herself. "I wasn't going to leave without Vincent and no way I could figure out how to untie him and get us both out at the same time," she said. "As soon as we got in the bathroom I untied both of us and we got in the bathtub and waited (for the SWAT team). Leach was on the phone nearly the whole time. Whenever Gantt would come in he'd make it sound like he was talking to his attorney and then when he'd go out he'd (Leach) keep making plans with a negotiator. He kept telling us what to do so the SWAT team could help us get out."

"Finally they told us to open the window and take the screen off and plan to get out. I guess they were afraid they couldn't find us so they told us to turn the light on in the bathroom so they'd know for sure what room it was in."

After more waiting they were told to get out now. They crawled out the window and went to the SWAT team member behind their well house. They were then taken to the school bus Vincent drives and parks in their yard. After a few minutes they were told to hunker down and run to where some hay bales were to hide in. Irma said the guy in the house had a night-vision on his gun. "That's not hard to do at 63, to squat down and run," quipped Irma.

After about 40 minutes they heard a shot in the house. "Leach had told us all along that he was going to have to shoot Gantt," said Irma. "Then it was all over."

Asked about her calm demeanor during the ordeal Irma replied, "It's unbelievable how calm you can be. I guess your

subconscious tells you it's the best thing to do." This was not Irma's first experience as a hostage. She worked as a jailer at Montague County Jail and was held hostage when a prisoner got out of his cell. "There's a lot of difference in being jumped and somebody holding a gun on you. There's a lot, a lot of difference."

Vincent and Irma learned who they were dealing with when Leach came in and told them that they were the Grayson County escapees. Irma said that when things settled down she and Vincent talked a lot with Leach. She said Leach knew people that they knew from being in the cattle business.

Leach called Vincent and Irma Pop and Mom. "We'd never made it out if it hadn't been for him. That kid was determined," she commented.

Commenting on the experience Irma said, "You always hear so much (on the news) when you hear it, it's just words. Believe you me when it's happening to you those words are appropriate."

Irma is a Muenster native. She is the daughter of the late Joe and Anna Starke who raised their family on a farm about seven and a half miles northwest of Muenster. Vincent and Irma have four sons and a daughter.

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on the above charges and for \$500,000 for escaping from the Grayson County Jail. Bail was denied. Gantt was transported from the scene Monday morning by Care Flite and taken to a Metroplex hospital. His bail was not set.

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Sicking; 60 years - Dick Trachta; 65 years - Leonard Yosten.

Honorary Life Pins were presented to John C. Fisher and Emmett Walterscheid. Receiving a pin and a plaque was Past Grand Knight, David Rohmer.

A national organization, the Knights of Columbus is a Catholic, family, fraternal service organization. The local Muenster Council #1459 was formed by 45 charter members on Jan. 16,

1910. The printed keepsake program of the Sunday celebration listed 23 projects sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Catering the bountiful breakfast menu were Barbara Felderhoff and Tommy Felderhoff, Jr., assisted by Sacred Heart National Honor Society members as servers. Breakfast was served to 142 people.

Heat Saving Tip

Have your heating system cleaned and tuned by a qualified contractor. A furnace or heat pump tune up is a good investment. It reduces the chances of breakdowns in the middle of winter and pays for itself through more energy efficient operation. For a free report: "How to Identify a Good Heating and Cooling Contractor" go to www.comfortinstitute.org.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Family and Friends,

A year has already passed since my return from Africa. Leaving Cameroon, I knew my return to Texas was for an indefinite time. My community here in Fort Worth had asked that I render a service here for a while. It had always been my joy to come home even if the time was brief. But suddenly, coming for an indefinite time made me enter into serious discernment and prayer. The Lord has led me all my life, and through faith I know He will continue to do so. It is in peace and joy that I live here, hoping to render service with kindness and love.

I want to thank you, my family and friends, for your support during those years in Africa. In some of the most difficult times you were so close. You supported me with your encouragement, your letters and donations, love and prayers. May our God who knows all hearts bless you.

I want to thank you, my sisters in Africa, for your continual acceptance, collaboration, patience and love. You taught me the values of your rich culture and customs. You shared with me your deep spirituality. Is it any wonder that you told me on leaving: "Take the rays of our sun with you and let it shine on your people as a sign of our gratitude and love." And so, my sisters, you have etched my memory with your deep faith, hope and charity. May I share it with others here.

This year in Texas has passed so quickly. Living in community with my sisters at Our Lady of Victory here in Fort Worth has been a beautiful experience. They have been so patient to help me adapt to a modern way of life. Nothing can compensate for being together during joyful and sorrowful moments in our community and country. With you I pray, God bless America.

Letters from Africa speak of the continual strife for a

better future. Poverty is so widespread. I realize that it is the African who will most correctly lift their country out of war and poverty. But we must help. We must do all to support good education. Young men and women must study the basics of human development.

A Registered Nurse, Sr. Agnes Mary, a Texas missionary did much in this regard. She taught nursing day in and day out as she cared for the sick. She taught young boys and girls to love nursing and trained the most capable ones to be nurses. Unfortunately, Sister had severe malaria in April and then died in May from a heart attack. She is buried beside other missionaries in our cemetery in Congo. We have established a Memorial Scholarship Fund for African Women in Health Care in her name. This will help educate some of our young women who can then help lift their own people out of their poverty. I will be asking for your help.

In closing, may I express a few things that touched me so deeply during this last year. Last November we had elections. Even though it took weeks to count and recount ballots, there was no war. Would anything like this have been possible in an underdeveloped country? Was it real that the American artists got together to sing in honor of the victims of terrorism to raise money for the families of the victims? Was it real the Yankee Stadium fostered an Ecumenical Prayer service for these same victims and families? Is this not the heartbeat of our country? It is this brotherhood and solidarity that has filled me with peace and joy during my years in Africa and now I find the warmth of it here. To all of you I say Thank you.

Sincerely,
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Cooke County record-book winners advance to state competition

All senior Cooke County 4-Hers who entered their record-books in the district competition won and advanced to state competition.

Emily Lamb from Red River 4-H Club entered her record-book in Shooting Sports; Kevin Lutkenhaus from Lindsay Senior 4-H Club entered his book on Foods & Nutrition; Chelsea Laux from Lindsay Senior 4-H entered her book on Clothing & Textiles; and Tiffany Eurich from the Red River 4-H Club entered her book on Recreation.

At the state competition the results were: Emily placed sixth; Kevin placed second; Chelsea placed seventh; and Tiffany came in first.

Cooke County 4-Hers did well at the intermediate and junior levels as well.

In the intermediate division (ages 12-13): Randi Reed from the Lindsay Junior 4-H Club received first place on her Consumer Education record-book; Mark Brooks from the Woodbine 4-H Club placed fourth on his Foods & Nutrition record-book;

Garin Taylor from the Red River 4-H Club placed first on his Rabbit record-book; Jeffrey Zimmerer from Lindsay Junior 4-H Club received first place on his Shooting Sports record book; and David Morse from the Woodbine 4-H Club placed second on his Swine record-book.

In the junior division (ages 8-11) Kelly Laux, from Lindsay Junior 4-H Club, placed third on her Clothing & Textile record-book. Bonnie Freeman from Sivells Bend 4-H Club received a participation ribbon for her book on Food & Nutrition. Jessica Morris, a member of the Woodbine 4-H Club received fourth place on her Goat record-book. Kelli Reed, a member of the Lindsay Junior 4-H Club, received fourth place on her Rabbit record-book. Melanie Plemons, from the Red River 4-H Club, placed first on her Recreation record-book, and finally, in the junior division, Johnathan Zimmerer from the Lindsay Junior 4-H Club received a first place on his Rabbit record-book.

New Arrivals

Brogdon

Jason and Juline Brogdon of Muenster are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Eve Grace Brogdon on Sept. 19, 2001 at Wilson N. Jones Hospital in Sherman, weighing 7 lb. 15 oz. and measuring 19 inches in length. She joins a sister, Emily, age 4. Their grandparents are Walter and Celine Bartel of Muenster, Cheryl Polk of Gainesville, Max Brogdon of Henry, Nebraska and James Ray and Jean Polk of Gainesville. The great-grandmother is Veda Brogdon of Forestburg.

Hellman

Jeff and Toni Hellman of Gainesville are proud and happy to announce the birth of a son, their first child, on Oct. 11, 2001 at 11:54 p.m. weighing 9 lb. 8 oz. and measuring 22 inches long, in Muenster Memorial Hospital. They have named him Cade Anthony Hellman. Grandparents are Dolphy Joe and Della Hellman of Muenster. The maternal grandparents, Jessica York of Nocona and Dewayne York of Nocona are both deceased. The great-grandmother is Loretta Wimmer of Muenster.

Day

Nathan and Gretchen Day of Frisco proudly announce the birth of their first child. Lauren Michelle was born on Tuesday, Sept. 25, 2001 at Presbyterian Hospital of Plano. She weighed 7 lb. 3 oz. and is 20 inches long. Also welcoming baby Day are first time

grandparents Helen and Forster Day of Wichita Falls and her maternal grandparents Ray and Celie Hoeng of Lindsay. Beulah Mitchell of Santa Rosa, California is her great-grandmother.

Brock

Parnell and Kristina Brock of Gainesville announce the birth of a daughter, Taira Michelle Brock in Muenster Memorial Hospital on Oct. 9, 2001 at 8:32 a.m., weighing 7 lb. 10.7 oz. and measuring 20 1/2 inches in length. She joins two sisters, Kateland and Lindsay. Their grandparents are James and Donna Davis and Leon and Doris Thomison all of Gainesville.

Gutierrez

Tearsa Rasha and Rodolfo Gutierrez of Gainesville are parents of a daughter, Pamela Alexia Gutierrez born in Muenster Memorial Hospital on Oct. 13, 2001 at 5:42 p.m., weighing 7 lb. 5.9 oz. and measuring 19 3/4 inches long. She joins a brother, Rodolfo Gutierrez, Jr. and a sister Carliecia Gutierrez.

Fire Safety Tips

- * Create a safety zone around your home by clearing flammable vegetation.
- * Keep your roof clear of leaves and needles.
- * Discuss community fire safety with your neighbors.

Elizabeth Fette is Red Steagall poetry finalist



Elizabeth Fette

Elizabeth Fette is a finalist in the Red Steagall Cowboy Gathering Poetry Contest. She is one of 10 finalists in the Senior Division, chosen from hundreds of entries across the state. Elizabeth will compete at the Red Steagall Cowboy Gathering in the Historic Stockyard District of Fort Worth on Saturday, Oct. 27.

Elizabeth has already won, as a finalist, a pair of Justin boots. Saturday she will be competing for a college scholarship from the Cowboy Heritage Association of Fort Worth.

See Elizabeth's prize-winning poem on pg. 16.

District I president visits VFW Auxiliary Post 6205

The Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post 6205 held their regular meeting Oct. 15 in the Post Home. District I President Margaret Weber of Sherman Auxiliary was a special guest. The District President visits each Auxiliary in the District once a year. Her message was "train the officers to their duties and membership."

President Frances Bayer called the meeting to order. Conductress Linda Knabe, Chaplain Ethel Hesse and Patriotic Instructor Eleanor Felderhoff led opening prayer and pledge to the flag. Minutes and roll call were read by secretary Ida

Bindel. Lucille Hesse gave the treasurer's report.

Members voted to give a donation to the Health and Happiness Fund and also to the Komen Breast Cancer Fund which is the State President's Special Project. "Make a Difference Day" is Oct. 27. Dues are now due.

Ethel Hesse reported on Rehab projects. The annual bake sale will be Friday, Oct. 19 at Fisher's. All members are asked to bake several items or make a donation of \$10.00. Proceeds will go to cancer aide and local general fund.

Eleanor Felderhoff served lunch to 14 members. Ida Bindel won the door prize.

Brandon Hess is eight

A birthday party honoring Brandon Wayne Hess was held on Sunday, Oct. 6, hosted by his parents, Lisa and Darrell Hess of North Richland Hills. Classmates and family members met at Brandon's home for the celebration. A "Military Action Adventure" theme was carried throughout.

Hot dogs, cake and ice cream were served. Guests enjoyed games of Bingo with

prizes. Opening of gifts by Brandon followed. Videos and picture-taking were enjoyed.

Brandon is the grandson of Rachel Hennigan of Muenster and Cathy Hess of Lewisville; and the great-grandson of Odilia Lutkenhaus and Caroline Hess, both of Muenster.



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Diabetes Screening and Checkup

This Quarter's Screening and Checkup Opportunities

October 22-26 Testing for individuals with diabetes
\$10 Hemoglobin A1c Testing
(Blood test for three-month glucose average)
No need to avoid food or drink before test
No appointment necessary
Check in at GMH business office 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
Results available at November 1 Checkup

November 1 GMH Culwell Conference Center
3:00 - 6:00 pm

Diabetes Screening for the general public

- FREE Blood Glucose Testing
- For best results, do not eat for two hours before testing

Diabetes Checkup for individuals with diabetes

- FREE Blood Glucose Testing and Foot Screening
- FREE Blood Pressure Check
- Receive results of Hemoglobin A1c tests
- Learn about GMH Diabetes Education Services

Dietitian and Certified Diabetes Educator available for consultation with general public and diabetes patients

Diabetes Support Group

The support group is for individuals with diabetes (Type I or Type II) and their families. It meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. Call 940-759-2395 for details.

GMH program keeps patients with diabetes 'On Track'

Data from the Third National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES III) show that more than half of people with Type 2 diabetes in the United States have unacceptably high blood sugar levels, putting them at increased risk for serious diabetes-related complications.

To address this critical health problem, Gainesville Memorial Hospital has developed a program to assist individuals with diabetes in controlling their disease.

"How Sweet Are You?" is a check-up for persons diagnosed with diabetes. For \$10, beginning Monday, October 22, and continuing through Friday, October 26, individuals with diabetes can participate in the check-up and receive a Hemoglobin A1c test, widely considered the best test for measuring blood sugar control.

The Hemoglobin A1c is a simple lab test that measures a person's average blood sugar level over the past one to three months. As blood glucose levels vary widely from day to day, standard blood glucose testing only tells

you how you are doing today. The glycated hemoglobin (hemoglobin A1c) is a long-term indicator of glucose level. This makes it a much better test to evaluate how a patient's blood sugar has been over time.

The Hemoglobin A1c test should not be considered a substitute for daily monitoring of glucose levels, but is an excellent tool for the patient with diabetes and their physician to use in designing an effective treatment program.

Individuals with diabetes interested in receiving this service should check in at the GMH Business Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, October 22-26. Participants will be asked to complete a simple information sheet and pay their \$10 fee.

Blood will be drawn in the laboratory following check-in. No appointments are necessary and there is no need to avoid food or drink prior to the test.

Results will be given on Thursday, November 1, from 3 to 6 p.m., in the Gerald Culwell Conference Center at GMH.

Other services available on November 1 include free spot glucose testing, blood pressure checks and foot screening.

Registered Dietitians Lucy Krahl and Kathie Robinson and Certified Diabetes Educator Joan Walterscheid will be on hand to discuss the results of the A1c testing and answer questions. Information will also be provided on all of GMH's Diabetes Education Services.

Refreshments will be available.

The November 1 date will also serve as a diabetes screening for the general public. Those interested in this free service are asked to avoid eating for two hours prior to the screening.

Symptoms of diabetes include increased thirst and urination, constant hunger, weight loss, blurred vision, frequent infections, slow-healing wounds and sores and extreme fatigue.

For more information on the Diabetes Check-Up (for persons with diabetes) or the Diabetes Screening (for the general public), call 940-612-8340 or 940-759-2395.



Ashleigh Fisher

Annual Hood Community Turkey Supper to be held Nov. 3

The annual Hood Community Turkey Supper will be held Saturday, Nov. 3 at the Hood Community Club Building, Turkey, dressing, and all the trimmings will be served from 5-8 p.m. A variety of home-baked pies will be offered for dessert. Price for the pre-holiday feast is \$6.00 per adult and \$3.00 for children under 12.

A child raffle is also being held, with chances selling for \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for six tickets.

Ashleigh is one!

Ashleigh Margaret Fisher celebrated her first birthday on Sunday, Aug. 26. Her dad and mom, Steven and Penny Fisher, and her paternal grandparents, Butch and Eileen Fisher, co-hosted a brisket and Cajun fried turkey dinner.

Despite the rain, Ashleigh's friends and cousins enjoyed an afternoon of swimming before and after lunch.

Ashleigh's party theme was Pooh's First Birthday. The Butch Fisher's sun room was decorated with Pooh balloons, table cloths, birthday banners and window decals. Ashleigh's Winnie the Pooh shaped cake was made and decorated by her mom and was the table centerpiece.

Guests who enjoyed celebrating this special day along with the hosting couples were her maternal grandparents, Roy and Connie Purcell of Hood; great-grandfather, William Purcell of Gainesville; great-aunt and uncle, Sally and Ken Combs of Georgetown;

great-aunt, Diane Durhan and Sarah and Hannah o Wylie; great-uncle Rick Purcell and Heather and Travis of Gainesville; aunts uncles and cousins, Tiffany Purcell of Hood, Tonya and Stanley Hess and Kaileigh Tyler, and Mandy o Lindsay, Gail and Scott Killian and Austin, Allie and Ross of Irving, Mandy Hartner of Denton; and friends Carl and Diane Sicking and Delana Michelle, and Brandon o Myra, and Kathy Shaffer o McKinney, Penny's friend from college.

Gifts, pictures, songs, and goody bags completed the fun day.

Ashleigh's actual birthday is Aug. 23. She is the great-granddaughter of Dorothy Purcell of Gainesville and George and Paula Bush of Angleton and the late John and Margaret Fisher and John and Ruth Ward. Her great-great-grandparents are Myrtle Harrison of Angleton and the Inces of Victoria.

Two Muenster students inducted into Texas A&M Honor Society

Among the 450 Texas A&M University students inducted into Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society during the spring semester 2001 are two students from Muenster: Jaclynn Henscheid, daughter of John and Rose Henscheid, and Jennifer Hess, daughter of Anton and Stella Hess. Jaclynn is majoring in Biomedical Science and Jennifer is majoring in General Studies.

Phi Eta Sigma is the oldest and largest freshman honor society in the U.S. To be eligible for membership a student must be carrying at least 12 hours per semester and have a 3.5 grade point ratio on a 4.0 scale. Phi Eta's purpose is recognition of high scholastic achievement.

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Gardeners spend half the time on their knees and the other half trying to get up.

Bulbs are proof that miracles happen.



Muenster Tiger Cub Scouts visited the Muenster Fire Station on Tuesday, Oct. 9. This was the Go See it part of their achievement #2 Where I Live. Tiger Cub Scouts are from left, Michael Weinzapfel, Tony Schiederjan, Clayton Rohmer, Steven Flusche, and Clayton Fangman. They are Den #7 and Tina Weinzapfel is their den leader. Courtesy photo

Ryan celebrates first

Ryan John Huchton, son of Troy and Amy Huchton of Lindsay, celebrated his first birthday on Sept. 22 with a party at the home of his grandparents, Herbie and Sue Fisher. He was born on Sept. 20, 2000. A train theme was carried out, and Ryan was dressed like a little engineer. Guests enjoyed hot dogs and all the trimmings, and watching Ryan open his gifts. A special train engine cake was made by Sara Flusche.

Guests attending the party were Ryan's parents; grandparents David and Margie Huchton; great-grandmothers Billye Huchton and Dorothy Fisher; Pat, Tammy, Kyle, and Bradley Bezner; Tracy, Jennifer, and Sadie



Ryan Huchton

Huchton; Dustin Tomlinson; Tommy Huchton; Dyan and Dane Fisher; Travis and Elizabeth Huchton; Jenny Huchton; Steven Fisher and Teresa Timmins; Michelle Trachta; Rita Fisher; Terry Hess; Jennifer Hesse; David, Shelli, Neal, and Aaron Fleitman; Bill, Diana, and Billy Felderhoff; and David and Angela Parsons.

Unable to attend the party, but calling with birthday wishes were Ryan's grandparents, Herbie and Sue Fisher and Grandma Debra Fisher, and Uncle Bobby Fisher, who were all in Lufkin, Texas while Bobby was recovering in the hospital there.

News of the Sick

Richard Knabe is convalescing at River Valley Health and Rehab 1907 Refinery Road in Gainesville. He is in room 406 and would appreciate visits and hearing from friends. Correspondence will reach him if addressed to him in care of River Valley Health and Rehab, 1907 Refinery Road, Gainesville, TX. 76240.

Mariah K. Clagg
Age 9
Maysville, Oklahoma
P.O. Box 460

Maysville is in Garvin County and is located about 100 miles north of Muenster. The message did not make it to New York, but surely the firefighters and everyone involved in the terrorist attack appreciates all the "help" they can see.

Air mail lands in Muenster

A yellow balloon was found Monday morning, Oct. 15, in front of the Muenster Enterprise door. The following note was attached:

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Machinator team members announced

"Did you make sure your measurements were correct?" asks Ms. Angie Smith to one of her students, Machinator Jonathan Krahl. "I'm sure they were!" he protests, with a sincere look on his face.

Unfazed, Smith continues her interrogation. "What about the transmission?" Faster than a speeding bullet, he smirks defiantly. "We'll be able to race cheetahs!"

Laughter abounds around Smith and Krahl. Other Machinators present seem anxious as well. "I think we've got a great chance of winning," comments Michael Voth, a key figure on the Machinators engineering team. "We have some highly creative ideas. At the very least, people will be impressed!"

People are impressed. The Machinators are based at Sacred Heart School in Muenster, Texas. They have entered the DC BEST Robotics Competition, a tournament in which teams construct robots to accomplish a certain task. This year's theme is Nuclear Reactor Meltdown, in which teams must construct a robot capable of removing six mock reactor fuel rods from a mock nuclear reactor and placing them in a safe-storage container. Additionally, teams must battle each other simultaneously for

points and faster times. Equally important is the Presentation, which includes the documentation of all events leading to the creation of their robot. Winners advance to the DC BEST State Competition, held at Texas A & M in November.

The Machinators recently revealed the name of their robot, "Jim". However, details about Jim's appearance could not be released due to possible concept infringement by competition.

The Machinators are divided into many different teams of people. These include such departments as engineering, presentation, documentation, and finance.

Each team has a critical, specialized task, whether it be to design and build the robot, record all data leading to the creation of the robot, or raise money to purchase materials.

The engineering team designs and builds the robot from predetermined materials (listed in the competition rules). Members include: Daniel Bartush, Joseph Davis, Jonathan Krahl, Thomas Otto, Michael Voth, Aaron Walterscheid, and Thomas Whitecotton.

The playing field construction team is very important. The playing field is the area in which the robots compete.

Members include: Kim Hess, Noah Hess, Adam Krahl, Kevin Walterscheid, Wes Wimmer, and Jared Zimmerman.

The public relations team has an irksome task. They are in charge of promoting the Machinators and establishing connections that may be utilized. Members include: Daniel Bartush, Andrea Bauer, and Patrick Knapp.

The presentation team is extremely critical to the competition. Members include: Andrea Bauer, Joseph Davis, Christine Fetsch, Cindy Hartman, and Wes Wimmer.

Documentation is just as important as presentation. Members include: Catherine Bartush, Michelle Bayer, Christine Fetch, Patrick Knapp, Charlie Sue Switzer, and Jana Truebenbach.

The spirit team's jobs are like those of cheerleaders at a football game. Members include: Andrea Bonin, Raney Bauer, Sara Rogers, Laura Taylor, and Jana Truebenbach.

All things considered, the Machinators are expected to sweep the district competition with flying colors. The DC BEST District Competition is to be held at the University of North Texas Coliseum on Oct. 27 at 8:00 a.m. Supporters are encouraged to attend.

Submitted by Patrick Knapp



Muenster FCCLA officers for 2001-2002.

Courtesy photo

Muenster FCCLA holds installation of officers and new members for 2001-2002

The Muenster Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) Installation of its 2001-2002 officers and new members took place on Thursday, Sept. 20. Leading the organization this year are: Ashley Klement, president; Kimberly Klement, vice president; Colby Calabrese, treasurer; Crystal Lutkenhaus, parliamentarian; Tara Swirczynski, reporter; Shaina Sheaff, historian; and Kami Klement and Shanna Jones, recreation leaders.

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The ceremony involved the new members standing to receive the symbol of the organization from treasurer, Colby Newton. President, Ashley Klement then led the membership in the recitation of the FCCLA Creed. A meeting followed the ceremony to discuss dues, FCCLA activities, and serving of refreshments for all current members.

The new members of FCCLA are: Adam Bayer, Chisam Cain, Colby Calabrese, Blake Garrison, Shawn Hess, Matt Parsons, Michael Endres, Ricky Endres, Jonathan Sicking, Mark Bayer, Shivaun Beasom, Chika Kanda, Jared Ledbetter, Andrew Milburn, John Sturm, Bryan Bayer, Casey Coker, Brittani Eanes, Christine Eanes, Russell Endres,

Kallie Gerstberger, Shannon Grewing, Stevie Klement, Jamie Milam, Allyson Moody, Jeff Moseley, Kimberly Parsons, Chris Romine, Tara Swirczynski, and Mindy Walterscheid.

The installation was held in the Family and Consumer Sciences Department. A white lace tablecloth covered a table holding eight candles used in the ceremony. The ceremony began with each officer lighting a candle while reciting one of the eight purposes of FCCLA. Next, each officer recited his or her duty and pledged their willingness to perform all duties. The final part of

Frank Buck Zoo presents Zoo Boo on Oct. 31

The third annual Zoo Boo will be held Wednesday, Oct. 31 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Frank Buck Zoo. It is geared for ages 3 through 12. It is a dollar donation per child at the gate. Each child will receive a goody bag and game

tickets to play the games throughout the zoo. There will be face painting and of course lots of animals, along with fun and treats. The Haunted Express Train will be running too, so you can explore the dark of the park for an additional dollar.

Registration deadline is Nov. 2 for next ACT Test

College-bound high school students who want to take the ACT Assessment have two chances to register before the Dec. 8 test date. The postmark registration deadline is Friday, Nov. 2. There is also a late registration postmark deadline on Nov. 15 (an additional fee is required for late registration). Students can get information from their school counselor or register online at www.act.org.

ACT scores are accepted by virtually all colleges in the nation, including all Ivy League schools. The test fee is \$24.

To learn more about the ACT Assessment, including registration forms and test locations, contact your high school counselor or go to the ACT website (www.act.org), which also offers useful tips, sample tests and the opportunity to order test prep materials.

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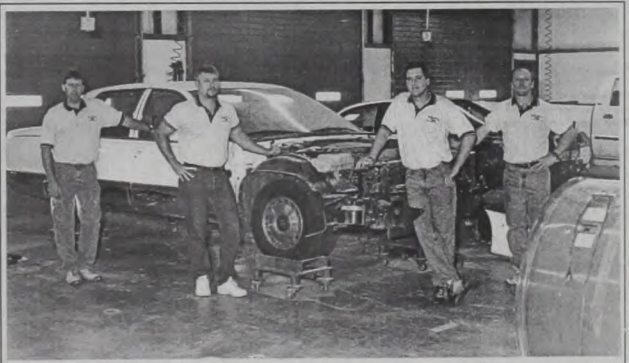
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Males Order Brides to open Nov. 10

The Sacred Heart Musical Theatre Dept. (SHMTD) will premiere *Males Order Brides* on Nov. 10 and 11 at the Muenster VFW Hall. The show will be accompanied by a musical review titled *Dateline: Rock and Roll*. SHMTD has enacted a number of productions in past years, with performances of famous shows such as *Gays and Dolls*, *Dogsbreath Devereaux*, and *Bye Bye Birdie*.

"This is our season opener," comments Pam Fette, the music and theatre teacher at Sacred Heart School. She is also Producer of *Males Order Brides*. "Our first production of the season is usually a learning experience. It helps the new students become acquainted with various aspects of Broadway productions. These include acting, technical duties, and business responsibilities."

Males Order Brides is a melodrama; it is a comedy which involves the participation of the audience. Written by Billy St. John, the production has numerous one-liners that leave audiences rolling on the floor. Set in the Old West, it is a show about deception, lost love, and how funny the former two can become. "There is no production this season more spectacular than *Males Order Brides*," says Elizabeth Fette, Director of the show. "Not only will you leave the theatre laughing, you'll leave singing, too," Fette remarks about the musical review. Fette succeeds Jessica Koesler as the second-ever student

Director.

"There are lots of things that make a production work," says Joseph Davis, Business Manager of *Males Order Brides*. "My job is to make sure the finances, sales, and PR aspects of the show go as smoothly as possible." Davis is the first student to hold the newly created office of Business Manager.

Returning as Technical Director this year is student Patrick Knapp. "We've had some spectacular shows in the past," he remarks. Most people wonder what a technical crew does. "Without a technical crew, a production would only consist of actors. On the contrary, the technical crew provide the lights, sound, sets, costumes, makeup, and props to make everything more realistic."

Everything is going great as the show gears up for its Nov. 10 debut. "Things get tense a few weeks before the show," Pam Fette says. "However, things always work out at a performance. We have a fantastic entourage of kids this year. We'll definitely accomplish a lot."

Spirits soar as the students gear up for another season of accomplishments. "I hope we impress them so much they won't want to leave the theatre!" says Daniel Bartush, an actor in *Males Order Brides*. "With any luck, the hospital may treat several broken legs in the next few weeks!"

Tickets may be purchased at the *Muenster Enterprise* beginning Oct. 10.

submitted by Patrick Knapp



Muenster homecoming Pep Rally was held last Friday afternoon in Hornet Stadium. A large crowd was on hand to hear Grant Hartman's (above inset) General Patton speech. At left, mascot June Price keeps the spirit alive. Below, senior Hornets present the Queen's Court.



Kids World site targets young Texans

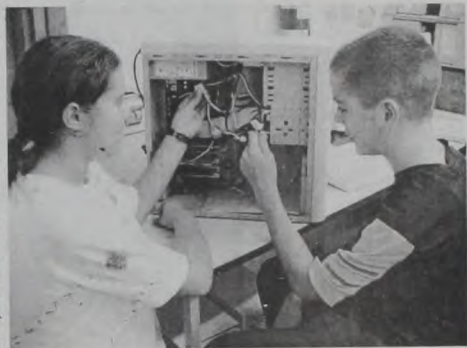
Commissioner Tony Garza unveiled the Texas railroad Commission's Kids World, a website dedicated to educating Texas schoolchildren and raising awareness about the importance of energy, safety, and the environment.

The Railroad Commission Kids World site is geared toward young elementary aged school children and can be found online at <http://kids.rrc.state.tx.us>.

"It's never too early to start talking about energy and our Texas economy," Garza said. "That's why we should strive to educate all Americans - even the youngest generations - about the importance of energy independence and the benefits of balancing energy production with natural resource conservation."

Garza called the launch of the Kids World site, "a great way to kickoff Energy Awareness Month." Gov. Rick Perry will issue a proclamation naming October as Texas Energy Awareness Month.

"As the site continues to develop and grow, kids, teachers, and parents will be able to learn more about what the Railroad Commission does and how energy impacts our everyday lives," Garza noted. "Kids world will be periodically updated to feature lessons and activities on a wide range of topics, including rail safety, pipelines, alternative fuels, and natural resource conservation."



Brandy Marsh and Eric Johnson work on a computer in technology class. Courtesy photo

School Lunch Menus

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Tues. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/gravy, corn, pears, hot rolls.

Wed. - Sub sandwiches (turkey and ham), lettuce and tomatoes, carrot sticks, apples, brownies, chips.

Thurs. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, lettuce salad w/dressing, green beans, pineapple tidbits, hot rolls.

Fri. - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, cheese slices, French fries, applesauce, ice cream.

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Thurs. - Spaghetti and meat, corn, applesauce, hot rolls.

Fri. - Ham and cheese on bun, baked beans, lettuce, pineapple.

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Mon. - Meat loaf, new potatoes, peas, mixed fruit, bread.

Tues. - Beef tips and rice, green beans, macaroni salad, pears, bread.

Wed. - Pepperoni pizza, corn, lettuce salad, peaches, bread.

Thurs. - Burritos, refried beans, applesauce, pineapple, bread.

Fri. - Fish, black-eyed peas, cole slaw, macaroni and cheese, oranges, bread.

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Mon. - Country fried pork steak or chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, gravy, peaches.

Tues. - Chicken enchilada casserole, pinto beans, fruit mix, tossed salad, wacky cake.

Wed. - Pizza: pepperoni or cheese, corn, tossed salad, orange half, sugar cookie.

Thurs. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, beef steak fingers, tossed salad, green beans, sliced pears, breadstick.

Fri. - Hamburger, sliced cheese, trimmings, baked beans, ice cream.

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When I was a child, I played in the dirt like a child. When I grew up, I played in the dirt like a gardener.

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teacher Coleen Gunter. "The seventh and eighth grade students possess the skills I lack to analyze and correct the problem." On a limited basis, students also respond to requests from community members to diagnose hardware problems and fix their computers. They recently were treated with a pizza party by Sivells Bend residents Jason and Laura Becker for successfully solving a problem they were having with their home computer. "While, we don't do this on a regular basis, this was an opportunity for our kids to apply what they were learning in class and help a community member at the same time," said Woods.

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Sports

Hornets open District with Win

Muenster's Homecoming festivities were rearranged last weekend due to the storms that hit the area Friday night.

The pep rally Friday afternoon was held under sunny skies in Hornet Stadium, but by game time, lightning strikes emptied the stands. Players and fans waited out the storm and finally the game was rescheduled for Saturday night.

The Hornets battle with the Saint Jo Panthers was scoreless the first half of play, but Muenster scored four touchdowns the second half to take a 28-6 district opener victory.

"The boys played four great quarters of defense and two great quarters of offense and that was good enough for a district win," Coach Gordon Martin noted.

The Panthers kick off started action on the Muenster 34 yard line. Four runs by Cody Cory gained 19 yards then a good pass play to Tyler Walterscheid was canceled by a 15 yard flag. Dustin Walterscheid picked up 48 yards and a pass to Nathan Hess 3 more, but on 4th and 3 a fake punt-pass fell incomplete giving Saint Jo possession on their 45 yard line. Five plays later T. Walterscheid intercepted a Panther pass. The Hornet offense lost 11 yards. Chisam Cain's 49 yard punt put the Panthers on their 31 yard line. Four plays later, Shawn Hess covered a fumbled ball for Muenster on the 25 yard line. Another flag backed the ball to the 40 and the Hornets couldn't get the first down and punted as the second quarter started. The Hornet defense again held Saint Jo. A fake punt play gained good yardage, but a flag brought the play back. The punt then placed Muenster on their 47 yard line.

Runs by Mitch Endres and Cory moved the Hornets to the Panther 16, but the offense ran out of drives. Saint Jo got a good drive going, assisted by two major penalties, but their last second attempt to score failed when Endres picked off a Panther pass to end the first half of play.

Saint Jo got in four plays then punted. A 64 yard quarterback keeper by Endres made another quick 6 points. An Endres to Cory pass gave the Hornets a 14-0 lead with 3:19 on the clock.

Tackles by N. Hess, Fleitman, Daniel Rohmer, and Kirk Hartman forced another Panther punt on 4th and 13. A short 20 yard punt was returned 22 yards by Cory to the Saint Jo 24 yard line. Cory ran for 2 yards, then a pass from Endres to N. Hess put the Hornets on the 3 yard line. The first play of the final quarter saw Cory find yard.

A Cain pass to Cory extended Muenster's lead to 22-0.

The Panthers' next drive was assisted by a flag, but

clock for a Muenster victory. "I was very pleased with the boys' intensity the second half," Coach Martin said. "Now we get ready for Alvord."

M	0	0	14	14	28
SJ	0	0	0	6	6

TEAM STATS

M	SJ
12	8
32/204	29/37
9/12/1	4/14/2
66	72
1/49	4/26
0/0	2/2
8/90	4/35

Individual Stats

RUSHERS: Mitch Endres, 10/105; Cody Cory, 16/88. TURNOVERS: Shawn Hess, Mitch Endres, Tyler Walterscheid.



Tyler Walterscheid (110 brings down a pass. Defending for Saint Jo is Jarrod Moore. Photo by Janie Hartman

cut short when Shawn Hess recovered another fumble at midfield. Three Cody Cory runs later the Hornets scored on a 37 yard touchdown run. The PAT kick fell no good for a 28-0 score with 7:45 remaining in the game.

The Panthers' next drive proved profitable, moving 60 yards in 10 plays. The big play, a 50 yard pass play, the other plays gained very little with Jared Britain, Rohmer, and Fleitman getting in good tackles. The Panthers scored on a 4 yard pass with 2:54 on the game clock for a 28-6 score. The Hornet offense, with runs by Endres, Dustin Hiser and D. Walterscheid, killed out the

Next Action
The Hornets travel to Alvord this Friday to battle the Bulldogs. "Alvord's got some good speed," noted Coach Martin. "They've taken their lumps playing a tough pre-district schedule. They are a sleeper team that could wake up at any time."

The Bulldogs are winless so far this season, being defeated by Valley View, Paradise, Collinsville, Electra, and Ranger in pre-district. They opened district last Friday against state-ranked Windthorst, losing 60-0.

Game time is 7:30 p.m. at Alvord.

Tie-breaker mistake leads to drawing

A mistake in last week's tie-breaker game eliminated its use in this week's contest, and of course, this time it was needed.

Five contestants correctly guessed 17 games: Kenneth Wayne Fleitman, Edgar Dyer, Barbie Barnhill, Noah Barnhill, and Ted Heers. To pick a winner without a tie-breaker game, we placed the five top entry forms in a box and drew the \$25 cash winner. Earning the money in week six was Ted Heers.

This week's door prize winner, receiving a gift from Christi's Jewelry, was Joseph Davis.

Missing four games were

Wayne Klement, Mark Grewing, Carol Grewing, and Charles Edwards. Nine entries guessed 15, including Mike Stoffels, Leroy Buddy, Dave Reiter, Nick Stoffels, Jon LeBrasseur, Bonnie Stoffels, Rebecca York, Deann Muller, and Edna Herrms. Low score was 10.

Everyone correctly picked Tyler Street and Celeste, while only one missed the Gainesville and Petrolia victories. Two contestants missed Muenster, only three picked Valley View, while five went with Sacred Heart and 10 correctly chose Lindsay.



The Tiger defense mobs a Rockwall runner allowing a one-yard gain. Sacred Heart held the Warriors to 2.5 yard per rush average. Photo by Dave Fette

Sacred Heart Tigers battle undefeated State-ranked Rockwall Christian Warriors to 7-0

The Sacred Heart Tigers and Rockwall Christian Warriors entered the field Friday night ready to play, but after all the pre-game activities, the area was cleared due to the weather conditions. Lightning delayed the game for two hours, before the teams decided to play football.

"This was a tough, physical game that we knew would be close, no matter who won. I think both teams' game plans were altered significantly because of the weather, but other than that it was a great contest that both teams will benefit from," Tiger Coach Kris Hogan noted. "I was very happy with our defense and besides the opening kickoff, our coverage teams played well."

Tigers' second play, Rockwall recovered the ball on the 20 yard line. Sacred Heart's defense, with tackles by Jack Biffle and Adam Krahl dropped the Warriors for losses. A field goal attempt went wide giving the ball to Sacred Heart on their 23 yard line.

Johnny Krahl and Paul Bartush moved the Tigers into the second quarter of play. Krahl and Thomas Whitecotton gained more yardage before the Tigers were forced to punt. Rockwall fumbled the return and Michael Voth covered on the Warrior 24 yard line. The Tigers got to the 17, turning the ball over on downs.

Fuhrmann pass gained 13 yards, followed by two Krahl runs to the 46 yard line. A sack lost 11 yards, but Krahl gained 7 back, then a Walterscheid to Voth pass gained another 27 yards to the Warrior 30. Four consecutive incomplete passes ended the ball game with the 0-7 score.

SH	0	0	0	0
R	7	0	0	7

TEAM STATS

SH	R
6	8
34/75	33/85
79	35
7/16/1	6/12/0
8/26	8/31
5/1	2/2
4/25	5/50

Individual Stats
RUSHERS: Johnny Krahl, 20/66. TURNOVERS: Jared Zimmerer, Michael Voth.

Next Action

The Tigers travel to Dallas Friday for their next district opponent, Tyler Street Christian Academy. "Tyler Street is very quick on both sides of the ball. They have been running about 60% of the time so far this year and throwing from the shotgun the rest of the time, so they really keep you on your toes. We anticipate a much greater percentage of pass plays against us. We believe they will try to spread our defense out most of the game."

Coach Hogan also noted that defensively, Tyler Street has shown the most strength against teams that stay very simple on offense, so the Tigers will utilize multiple sets and try to keep all that speed guessing. "I anticipate Tyler Street's bringing their best game this week, because if they could beat us they would be sitting nice for a playoff spot," Hogan concluded.

Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Directions to the game: Ben Dial Athletic Complex (Eagle Stadium) by DeSoto High School (600 Eagle Drive). South on I-35, exit Beltline, west (right) to Hampton, left (south) to Eagle (left light), west (right) to stadium on left.

DISTRICT 1-AA	
LAST WEEK	
Sacred Heart	0 Rockwall 7
Tyler Street	29 Ambassadors 0
Lakehill	6 Prestonwood 36

DISTRICT 1-AA	
STANDINGS	
Season	District
W-L	W-L
Rockwall	6-1 2-0
Tyler Street	5-1 2-0
Sacred Heart	4-2 1-1
Prestonwood	5-2 1-1
Ambassadors	4-3 0-2
Lakehill	4-3 0-2

The Warriors took the opening kick, drove 47 yards in nine plays and scored. The extra kick made the score 0-7 with 7:30 left on the clock. Then the defensive battle began.

Punt, Pass & Kick is this Sunday

The Muenster Jaycees' annual Punt, Pass, and Kick competition will be held this Sunday, Oct. 21 at 1 p.m. in Hornet Stadium.

There will be boys and girls divisions for ages 8 through 13, their age as of Sept. 1, 2001. A parent-signed permission form (seen on this page of the Muenster Enterprise) is required to enter.

In case of rain, the competition will be the next Sunday, Oct. 28, same time, same location.

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DISTRICT 14-A		
STANDINGS		
Season	District	
W-L	W-L	
Windthorst	6-0	1-0
Petrolia	5-1	1-0
Muenster	4-2	1-0
Saint Jo	5-1	0-1
Era	3-3	0-1
Alvord	0-6	0-1

Mitch Endres' third quarter 51 yard kick-off put the Panthers on their 15 yard line. Tackles by Paul Fleitman, Shawn Hess, Brad Felderhoff, and Grant Hartman and a 10 yard penalty forced a Panther punt on 4th and 19.

Starting on the Panther 35 a M. Endres to Kevin Hermes pass quickly moved Muenster to the 10 yard line. Endres got to the 5, then Cory took the ball in for the score. The PAT kick was no good for a 6-0 score with 6:02 on the clock.

DISTRICT 14-A		
LAST WEEK		
Muenster	28	Saint Jo 6
Era	12	Petrolia 35
Windthorst	60	Alvord 0

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Lindsay Knights get first victory

The Lindsay Knights hosted the Collinsville Pirates last Saturday afternoon to begin an interrupted district schedule after last Friday's stormy light show forced rescheduling of the game. The Knights, after a tough, injury-stricken pre-district, entered conference play with a winless record, while the Pirates had three wins under their belts.

"We scored on the opening drive. That set the tone of the game," noted Coach Charlie Meurer on the Knights' 26-7 victory. "We were physically dominant up front and that's what won the game."

Chuck Hinds returned the opening kickoff 16 yards, beginning Lindsay's first drive at their 26 yard line. Tommy Arendt, Adam Anderle, and Keith Dieter took turns running the ball for 11 plays, the final a five yard touchdown run by Anderle. Anderle added the extra kick for a 7-0 score with 6:43 remaining on the clock.

The Pirates got in nine plays before the Knight defense, and a tackle by Mitch Creed, stopped the drive on 4th and 5.

Anderle picked up 16 yards, then the Knight offense struggled and punted. Collinsville carried the ball into the second quarter, but an interception by Anderle gave the ball back to Lindsay.

A major penalty prevented the Knights from getting a first down. Creed's 46 yard punt buried the Pirates on their 4 yard line. Tackles by Arendt and Anderle forced another punt.

73 yard run to the 18 yard line. It then took five plays to find pay dirt on a 2 yard Anderle run. Anderle booted another PAT for a 20-0 score.

Collinsville fumbled the kick return with Joey Arendt covering the ball on the Pirate 27. A run by Arendt, then one by Nathan Bruce set the Knights on the one yard line. Dieter then entered the end zone for a 26-0 score with 7:29 remaining in the game.

Collinsville's quarterback took control of the Pirates' next drive with four runs and eight pass attempts. A tackle by Goldsmith, Creed and Brandon Ferguson dropped Collinsville for a loss of 11 yards. Arendt then intercepted a pass, but an interference call kept the Pirate offense on the field. Two completed passes moved Collinsville to the 20 yard line. With 2:32 on the clock, the Pirates scored on a pass play. The PAT made the score 26-7.

DISTRICT 16-A LAST WEEK			
Lindsay	26	Collinsville	7
Savoy	0	Boles	10
Celeste	28	Fannindel	20

Lindsay got in three runs, then two consecutive penalties gave the ball to the Pirates. Collinsville attempted to find the end zone getting to the 8 yard line before time ran out.

"The boys played very well and hard, dominating the game physically," noted Coach Meurer. A big plus this week was the Knights had only one turnover and scored every time they were inside their opponent's 20 yard line.

L				C			
7	7	0	12	26	7	0	7
0	0	0	7	7	7	0	7



Adam Anderle (21) sees pay dirt as he dodges a Pirate defender. Lindsay coaches and players watch the action from the sidelines.

Photo by Janie Hartman



At left, Chuck Hinds (20) completes a pass; at right, Ryan Kasperek knocks down a Pirate pass that fell incomplete.



Photos by Janie Hartman

Muenster competes in Lewisville

The Muenster High School Varsity Girls Cross Country team ran a windy course along Lake Lewisville Saturday, Oct. 13, in the Rick Neill Memorial Invitational. The Lady Hornets placed second overall in the 4A and under division with a total of 70 points behind Alvord's 26 point finish. Lake Dallas came in third with 116 and Whitesboro fourth with 128.

Joanna Felderhoff (12:48) led the Lady Hornets with a fourth place finish. Jami Gerstberger (13:53), Amanda Felderhoff (14:12), and Robyn Hermes (14:24) placed 11th, 15th, and 17th respectively. Chelsea Felderhoff (15:00) and Lisa Felderhoff (15:32) placed 23rd and 27th.

Sacred Heart Cubs fall to Rockwall Warriors

The Sacred Heart Cubs settled for a 10-14 final last Friday night, in a hard fought battle with the Warriors of Rockwall Christian.

Sacred Heart took the opening kick. Runs by Aaron Krahl moved the ball 27 yards before the Cubs came up short for a first down. Rockwall scored five plays later on a 38 yard run. Krahl stopped the extra point attempt for a 0-6 score with 24 seconds on the clock.

The Cubs' next drive consisted of an incomplete pass and two fumbled plays, giving the Warriors the ball on the Cub 32 yard line. Several plays later, Rockwall had a 0-14 lead with 3:49 on the clock.

From their 40 yard line, Sacred Heart moved the

ball, using up the clock. Runs by Nolan Hartman, Krahl, and Jon Ambrose moved the ball to the one yard line, but the Cubs were unable to get into the end zone.

Rockwall's offense took to the field to begin the 2nd half, but tackles by Arlie Bayer, Ambrose, Hartman and a quarterback sack by Ambrose ended the drive after three plays.

The Tiger offense struggled, keeping the ball in the Warriors' red zone. A fumble recovered by Micah Flusche on the 10 yard line set up the Cubs' first score. Krahl ran twice, scoring on a 7 yard run, then ran in the extra points for an 8-14 ball game with 1:09 remaining in the 3rd quarter.

Again the Cub defense controlled the field. A quarterback sack by Krahl gave Sacred Heart possession on the Warrior 37 yard line, but the offense couldn't advance and punted as the final period began. Two plays later, Aaron Krahl caught a Warrior in the end zone for a safety to close the score to 10-14.

A bad pitch kept the Cubs from gaining 10 yards. The defense then held the Warriors with Timmy Otto getting a tackle for a 10 yard loss. The Cubs had time for one offensive play, but fumbled and the game ended.



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DISTRICT 16-A STANDINGS			
Season	W-L	District	W-L
Celeste	6-0	1-0	
Lindsay	1-5	1-0	
Q. Boles	1-4	1-0	
Fannindel	3-3	0-1	
Collinsville	2-4	0-1	
Savoy	0-4	0-1	

From midfield, Dieter gained 14 yards, then Anderle 13. A quarterback sack lost 6 yards, then Anderle gained 9 to the 18 yard line. Anderle then scored, and added the extra point for a 14-0 score with 1:54 remaining in the first half.

Tackles by Arendt and Jason Hermes forced another punt, then three plays later Collinsville intercepted a pass, then played out the remaining time to the half-time break.

The Pirates took 10 plays in the first drive of the 3rd quarter, but tackles by Creed, Josh Goldsmith, Ryan Kasperek, and Hermes slowed progress, that ended when Hinds intercepted a Pirate pass on the Knight 15 yard line.

Runs by Anderle, Arendt, and Dieter crossed over into Pirate territory before running out of downs and punting, placing Collinsville on their 8 yard line. Again Lindsay defense, with tackles by Goldsmith, Trinity Otto, Anderle and Arendt, held and Collinsville punted as the final quarter began.

Anderle broke away on a

TEAM STATS			
L	17	1st downs	14
45/332	Rushes/yds	43/177	
9	Passing yds	97	
1/3/1	Comp/att/int	5/19/2	
4/28	Punts/avg.	4/40	
1/0	Fumbles/lost	2/1	
8/67	Penalties/yds	7/65	

Individual Stats
RUSHERS: Adam Anderle, 20/221; Tommy Arendt, 10/63. TACKLERS: Anderle, Brandon Ferguson, Mitch Creed, T. Arendt, Ryan Kasperek, Josh Goldsmith.

TURNOVERS: Anderle, Chuck Hinds, Joey Arendt.

Next Action
District competition continues this Friday with the Knights hosting the Savoy Cardinals.

"Savoy has a good quick back. They play hard with lots of effort, but don't have a lot of players," Coach Meurer noted.

The Cardinals lost their district opener last week to Quinlan Boles.

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In the Hornets' second half victory over Saint Jo, above left, quarterback Mitch Endres takes off for a 64-yard touchdown run. Above, Cody Cory zig zags between Panthers for a Muenster score. At left, Kevin Hermes and Michael Endres (84) put pressure on the quarterback.

Photos by Janie Hartman

2001 Muenster Hornets Varsity Football Schedule

We	They
7 Sep. 7	Nocona H 7:30 6
14 Sep. 14	Millsap T 7:30 24
13 Sep. 21	Callisburg T 7:30 3
28 Sep. 28	Collinsville H 7:30 15
6 Oct. 5	Chico T 7:30 28
28 Oct. 12	Saint Jo H 7:30 6
Oct. 19	Alvord T 7:30
Oct. 26	Petrolia H 7:30
Nov. 2	Windthorst T 7:30
Nov. 9	Era H 7:30

2001 Sacred Heart Tigers Varsity Football Schedule

We	They
20 Aug. 31	Era H 7:30 12
Sep. 7	CANCELLED T 7:30
48 Sep. 14	Colleyville Covenant H 7:30 0
14 Sep. 21	Canyon Creek H 7:30 17
40 Sep. 28	Houston Cypress** H 7:30 0
38 Oct. 5	Prestonwood* H 7:30 6
0 Oct. 12	Rockwall* H 7:30 7
0 Oct. 19	Tyler Street* T 7:30
Oct. 26	Dallas Lakehill* T 7:30
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* District Games

** Homecoming



Sacred Heart and the Rockwall Warriors battled in slippery, muddy conditions after a long weather delay for lightning Friday night.

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JV Hornets fall to Celina

Muenster hosted the freshman Celina Bobcats and lost 20-6. Celina's first drive started on the 50 yard line. Stops by Justin Wolf, Brady Howell, Nathan Sicking, and Daniel Russell forced a punt.

Clint Miller, from the 37, had runs of 4 and 29 yards for a first. With three short Miller runs, Celina sacked Sean Fuhrmann to turn the ball over on downs.

On the first play, the Celina running back carried the ball 61 yards for a touchdown. The point after was blocked by Jared Ledbetter.

On the kickoff, Howell returned it 11 yards to the 34 yard line. Miller had two short runs, and then Fuhrmann completed a 13 yard pass to Ledbetter for a first. Chase Cain gained 5 yards, then a short gain and incomplete pass forced the Hornets to punt. A good punt by Cameron Walterscheid was downed at the 20 yard line.

It took four plays to get a first down despite stops by Wolf, Ledbetter, Miller, Russell, Justin Hess, and Walterscheid. Celina then had two big plays, but the Muenster defense held them for four downs to regain possession on the 29.

An incomplete pass and two short gains caused Muenster to punt. On the punt, the ball was snapped over Walterscheid's head and Celina covered it on the 3.

After two defensive stops by Sicking, Ledbetter, Wolf, and Walterscheid, Celina ran the ball in for a touchdown. Once again, the point after was stopped.

On kickoff, Sicking covered the ball on the 36. Fuhrmann's pass was intercepted on the 40 yard line. Two defensive stops by Wolf, Walterscheid, Sicking, and Ledbetter and two incomplete passes gave Muenster the ball.

Cain with a short loss, an incomplete pass, and a pass to Miller for no gain forced Muenster to punt. The ball was downed on the 22.

To start off, Ricky Endres tackled Celina for a 6 yard loss. Then stops by Wolf, Karl Fisher, Sicking, Ledbetter, and Hess ended the half.

Muenster started their drive on the 20 yard line. A pass to Russell gained 6 yards, then Miller gained 5. Then a pass to Miller gained 5, and Fuhrmann had three runs for 3, 6, and 13 yards. Two losses, a 9 yard gain,

and another loss gave the ball to Celina.

Celina moved the ball down the field, then a 28 yard pass took them to the 3. From there, Celina ran it in and the two point conversion was good. The score was 20-0.

The kickoff was returned 10 yards to the 33 by Derek Felderhoff. Two short runs by Miller, and a sack forced Muenster to punt, putting Celina on the 28. Celina ran for a first, then was stopped by Wolf, Ledbetter, Sicking, and Walterscheid. Celina punted and Miller returned it 8 yards to the Muenster 47. Fuhrmann started by gaining 11. Then, an incomplete pass and no gain put it to 3rd down where Russell ran the ball for 14 yards. After two short losses, Miller ran 13 yards for a touchdown. The PAT was no good for a 20-6 score.

Celina got the ball on the 21. As Celina moved the ball down the field, stops by Hess, Wolf, Darrell Walterscheid, Felderhoff, Aaron Walterscheid, Cain, Ledbetter, and Fuhrmann kept Celina from scoring and ended the game for the Hornets' first loss of the season.

Game Warden Notes

The following reports are from recent cases filed by Texas Parks and Wildlife game wardens.

Patrolling the vast and remote areas of a state the size of Texas is a daunting task for game wardens, and they can use your, the public's, help. Rewards of up to \$1,000 are available for information leading to the arrest and conviction of individuals who flagrantly violate the state's game and fish laws. Callers may remain anonymous. Citizens with knowledge of a flagrant game or fish violation may call Operation Game Thief at (800) 792-GAME (4263). The hotline is manned 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

For Sale: Ocean Front Property in West Texas

A Grapevine man has been sentenced to two years of state jail time, probated for five years, and fined nearly \$8,200 for theft in a fraudulent scheme to sell deer leases. Paul Edward Smith pleaded guilty to theft charges Aug. 15 and was convicted of bilking \$8,500 out of hunters for hunting rights on property he did not have access to.

According to San Angelo-based TPW Game Warden Doug Seamands, some of the victims set up hunting

camp on private property, including deer feeders and all-terrain vehicles in the belief that they had purchased hunting rights, only to have disbelieving landowners set the record straight. "He had given one group keys to a locked gate where he had hunted a couple of years ago," said Seamands. "He had advertised these leases in the paper and convinced hunters by making up stories about connections and details about the properties."

Seamands urges hunters to meet with landowners personally to verify hunting access before turning over money or signing a deer lease.

You Look Like The Cat that Just Ate the Canary

While patrolling the Hubbard Creek Lake area in Stephens County in mid August, Game Warden Brian Huckabay came across a man with a shotgun getting into a sport-utility vehicle. The warden observed some blood and feathers on the man's hands. The man claimed to be looking over his hunting lease and shot a bird to test out his new shotgun, but he said it definitely was not a dove. Further investigation uncovered a freshly dressed

dove under the back seat of the vehicle. The individual was cited for hunting migratory game birds out of season.

Hunting doves two weeks before the season is bad enough, but six weeks? On July 22, Harris County Game Warden responded to an Operation Game Thief tip that someone had started dove season early. Upon his arrival at the location given, the warden met the landowner and asked if he'd heard any shots. The man replied that he was the one doing the shooting -- at some turtles in his pond behind his house. Asked if he'd shot any birds, the fellow replied, "Oh, no, the season doesn't start until Sept. 1." The warden then drove down to the pond and found two empty boxes of shotgun shells and a handful of dove feathers. After confronting the man, feathers in hand, the warden got a confession. This man also was cited for hunting migratory game birds out of season.

During opening weekend of dove season in the North and Central Dove Zones, wardens made numerous cases against individuals for hunting over bait, but arguably none as flagrant as the one in Bosque County where 22 cases were filed. When confronted the ranch owner couldn't comprehend what the fuss was about. "We've been hunting that way for 20 years," he told wardens.

According to state and federal law, baiting means the direct or indirect placing, exposing, depositing, distributing or scattering of salt, grain or other feed that could serve as a lure or attraction for migratory game birds to, on, or over any areas where hunters are attempting to take them.

Sir, We Found Your Car, But You Can't Keep The Fish

Before the recent rains, some lake levels around the state had been dropping considerably. At a boat ramp at Choke Canyon Reservoir, a local fisherman reported what he thought to be a car antenna sticking up out of the water. After some probing by McMullen County Game Warden David Murray and the county sheriff, a vehicle was discovered and then removed from the water by a tow truck. After running a vehicle report, it was learned the car had been stolen nearly three years ago. Three dozen sunfish, 15 crawfish and a 27-inch yellow catfish had taken up residence in the vehicle and were released back into the lake to find new haunts.

8th Grade Stingers run out of time; Saint Jo wins 12-8

The Muenster 8th grade Stingers faced the Saint Jo Panther Cubs. Saint Jo opened the scoring on the kickoff as they returned the ball 86 yards for the game's first score. The PAT try was unsuccessful as an errant snap was bobbled by the Cubs, then covered by Nathan Privett and Chris Steelman.

Muenster started their first possession on their own 31 yard line after a return by Nathan Privett. Runs by Derek Endres and Nathan Privett gained 6 yards then the Stingers were forced to punt. The Cubs began their next possession on the Stinger 46 yard line. The Cub quarterback retrieved a fumbled ball and gained yardage to the 14 yard line. A run for no gain, and three incomplete passes gave the Stingers possession on their own 14 yard line. Runs by Endres and Privett gained only 6 yards and the Stingers punted the ball away. The Cubs started their next possession on the Hornet 45 yard line. The Cubs gained two first downs, both on well executed bootleg passes which ended the first quarter.

A stingy Stinger defense stopped the drive with great tackles by Keaton Haverkamp, Ryan Hennigan and Greg Price. An interception on 4th down by Jordan Walterscheid kept the Cubs out of the end zone. The Stingers took over at their own 8 yard line. A 1st down run by Endres, then a pass completion from Walterscheid to Steelman gave the Stingers a 1st down. Endres next made a

long gain with great blocking by Hennigan, Privett, Ryan Fuhrmann, Patrick Lutkenhaus, Casey McAden, and Dustin Wimmer to move the ball to the Cub 14 yard line. More runs by Endres and Privett could not get the Stingers into pay dirt and the drive stalled on a fumbled reception.

The Cubs took over, but fumbled the ball back to the Stingers at the 13 yard line where Jordan Walterscheid recovered the ball. The Stingers moved the ball across the goal line in three plays with Jordan Walterscheid scoring behind the blocks of Hennigan, Haverkamp, and Michael Eckart. The Stingers converted the PAT to take a 6-8 lead late in the 2nd quarter. The Cubs took over after a Haverkamp kickoff at their own 37 yard line. The Cubs gained two 1st downs, but time ran out as they reached the Stinger 18 yard line.

The 2nd half began with the Stingers holding possession at their own 37 yard line. Runs by Endres and Privett gained a 1st down but the Stingers were forced to punt. The Cubs began their next possession on their own 24 yard line. Tackles by Noah Barnhill, Patrick Lutkenhaus, Chris Steelman, Ryan Hennigan, Derek Endres, Travis Felderhoff, Greg Price and Dustin Craig were not enough, as the Cubs gained three 1st downs, then scored on a deep pass on 4th down. The PAT was unsuccessful, but the Cubs regained the lead 12-8 as the 3rd quarter ended.

The 4th quarter opened after a Cub kickoff and the Stingers began their next possession at their own 28 yard line. A run by Endres, then a reception by Steelman followed by another Endres run left the Stingers in a 4th and 4 situation. A well-executed fake punt kept the drive alive with the ball now spotted at the Stinger 41 yard line. Runs by Privett, Endres, and Walterscheid gave the Stingers another 4th down situation. This time two yards were needed to move the chains. Walterscheid took a quarterback sneak for good yardage behind blocks of Hennigan, Haverkamp, and Lutkenhaus. The drive was still alive with the ball on the Cub 39 yard line. Two runs lost two yards, then a completed pass to Privett gained 11, putting the Stingers in yet another 4th down situation. This time the Stingers needed one yard to stay alive. A three yard gain moved the sticks once again. With the ball spotted on the 27 an Endres run gained two, then a long pass from Walterscheid to Malcom Martin gave the Stingers a 1st and goal at the Cub 7 yard line. Endres gained 1, Walterscheid another 1, 3rd and goal from the 5 yard line and time for only a pass attempt which was intercepted to stop the drive and seal the win for the Cubs with only seconds to play.



Sivells Bend Volunteer Fire and Rescue Unit Chief Charles Martindale accepts a \$514.00 check from student Makayla McCourry. The students at Sivells Bend had a week-long "Pennies for America" campaign to raise money for families of the New York Fire and Rescue personnel who lost their lives in the September 11 terrorist attack. Students brought pennies and other coins to place in boots provided by the local volunteer firefighters. The 3/4th grade students in Mrs. Gunter's were treated with an ice cream Sundae party for being the class that collected the most money.

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It is also important to talk to your family physician or nurse practitioner about your health concerns before they become problems. If your doctor or nurse practitioner knows about the stress in your life, your family health history and your risk factors, she can help you stay well with preventive health care.

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Everyone is invited to come and see the wonderful handcrafted items by local artists and craftsmen that will be there. There will be wood items both large and small, paintings, needle work and much more. It's a great way to start your holiday shopping! If you would like to be part of the fun contact Nancy Bentley at 940-665-9975 for reservation details. Spaces are available both inside and outside. Proceeds go towards the Community Scholarship Fund and future improvements to the Era Community.

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Texas Crop Report

Planting conditions for the state's oats are good, with good soil moisture reported over most of that crop's growing area, Texas Cooperative Extension reports.

"Most oats have been planted within the last month, so (the crop) hasn't progressed a whole lot, but with the good moisture it's doing well," said Dr. Travis Miller, Extension agronomist. "So far I think the crop is above average."

Oats are much like winter wheat in that the crop needs cool weather with adequate moisture, Miller said. Extremely high or low temperatures will reduce growth, and in some cases, kill the crop.

"Optimum temperatures are in the 70-degree range and cooler nights will make good oats," Miller said. "And of course, like any crop, adequate moisture conditions are important."

Typically, producers plant from September to mid-November. Miller is predicting an increase in oat acreage this year because of karnal bunt in wheat.

"Oats are a non-host crop for this karnal bunt disease in wheat. We're seeing some interest in five or six counties that are affected in planting more oats. So I wouldn't be surprised to see the oat numbers increase a bit this year."

Texas producers plant about 700,000 acres of oats annually, Miller said.

"That number varies somewhat from year to year. Only about 25 percent of it is harvested for grain. The rest of it is grazed out."

In Texas, oats are grown as a forage and grain crop. Often cattle are allowed to graze, and after they are moved off, the crop is harvested for grain.

Harvested oats are used in animal as well as human food.

"We have a large horse industry, and I'd say most oats are used in feed for horses," Miller said. "I'd say Texas doesn't have a whole lot of its"

oat crop go into food uses like oatmeal and that kind of thing, but some of it probably does. But by far the largest part of our oats go into feed."

The number one use for oats would probably be horses."

Oats are usually harvested from mid-May to mid-June, Miller said.

"Color and moisture content are the kind of things that drive the harvest."

"The largest percentage of oats are grown in Central Texas. Falls, McLennan, Hill and Milam counties probably grow as much as any," he said.

One of the biggest problems is winter kill in

oats so there's less of them in the Panhandle and Far West Texas than there are in Central and South Texas."

Miller said when the whole plant turns from green to a straw-color and the moisture content falls below 12 percent, producers can harvest the crop.

"After harvest, whether they graze the land out or harvest it for grain, they go in and prepare for the next year," Miller said. "Harvest is in May to early-June, and planting is in September. Generally they have only three months that (oats) are not in the field."

Many insects and diseases can damage oats, with disease being one of the most limiting factors.

"As far as insects are concerned, primarily aphids - greenbug - would be our biggest issue," he said. "In diseases there are some foliar diseases. Crown rust and stem rust are our two biggest disease problems as well as barley yellow dwarf virus."

Barley yellow dwarf virus exists within a fungus. It is a major disease of oats.

"Variety selection is the biggest thing we can do to reduce damage from

both pests and diseases," Miller said. "Particularly the disease pest. We have some variations that are more tolerant or resistant to these diseases and that's your number one choice, to pick a variety with resistance."

Galen Chandler, district Extension director in Vernon, said oat planting is about halfway complete with some waiting for additional moisture. Some producers will wait until spring to plant oats, he said.

Randy Upshaw, district Extension director in Dallas, said all oats have been planted and most have emerged.

Scott Durham, district Extension director in San Angelo, said field preparation and planting continues for oats. Some early planting oat fields are currently being grazed.

The following specific livestock, crop and weather conditions were reported by district Extension directors.

CENTRAL TEXAS: soil moisture is adequate. Range responding to recent rains. Pecan crop looks promising. Small grains are emerging. Some light armyworm pressure evident.

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TEXAS CROP PRODUCTION

The October production forecast for Texas row crops remained mostly unchanged from the previous forecast. Harvest activity was gaining momentum for later-maturing crops.

Corn production is forecast at 163.3 million bushels, down 31 percent from last year's production. Statewide yield is expected

to average 115 bushels per acre.

Texas peanut production is up 23 percent from last year, at 858 million pounds.

Sorghum production is forecast at 80.1 million hundredweight (cwt), just fractionally less than last year. Harvested acreage is estimated at 2.6 million acres with yield, at 3,080 pounds per acre, down 336 pounds from last year.

The 2001 Texas soybean crop is forecast at 7.02 million bushels, unchanged from last year's production. Harvested acreage is estimated at 260,000 acres, and yield is expected to average 27 bushels per acre.

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Texas grapefruit production forecast is 7.8 million boxes for the 2001-2002 season. All orange production is estimated at 2.2 million boxes. United States grapefruit production is forecast at 62.0 million boxes and orange production is forecast at 298.0 million boxes.

Keep Texas Beautiful

TFU: new "Fast Track" proposal falls short

The Texas Farmers Union (TFU) recently joined the Texas Fair Trade Coalition and others in opposition to recently proposed legislation that would grant trade promotion authority (TPA) or "fast track" to the President. The bill, sponsored by Rep. Bill Thomas, R-Calif., would prevent Congress from modifying important trade agreements before voting on ratification and would encourage trade agreements that continue to disadvantage U.S. farmers

and ranchers in the global marketplace.

"Free trade proponents told us in the 1980s and 1990s to 'Just trust us,' and agricultural producers will profit from free trade expansion," said TFU President, Wes Sims. "The Thomas TPA legislation asks us once again 'Just trust us.' Unfortunately, his bill contains much of the same objectives that have led to skyrocketing agricultural trade deficits, especially for many California-grown commodities."

Under previous trade initiatives established under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Agriculture and under the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), agricultural imports that compete with American products increased 240 percent while U.S. agricultural exports increased only 67 percent.

The Thomas bill fails to ensure that the most important trade issues facing agriculture are included in any negotiated trade agreement. The plan fails to:

--Account for currency valuations and exchange rates that make U.S. products more expensive and inhibit U.S. products' access to international markets.

--Adequately address and provide for enforcement of labor and environmental standards, ensuring that U.S. competitive ability will decline even further in the future.

"The tired old rhetoric of 'Just trust us' does not work anymore," said Sims. "This trust must be earned. We cannot afford the empty promises and the misleading information while farmers and ranchers in this country go out of business. We need ironclad commitments that the challenges faced by America's family farmers and ranchers in international markets will be addressed."

Producers in attendance that voiced their opposition to the T.P.A. bill were Billy Miller and daughter Casie Miller, Steve Denton, Max Hatter, and Jay Naman all from the Waco area. Also, Noleen Sykora, Central Texas Labor Council, Jere Locke, Texas Fair Trade Coalition and Bruce Allen, Sierra Club, voiced strong opposition to the legislation.

Small farms workshop set for Oct. 25 in Argyle

The Denton County Extension Crops, Beef and Forages Committees will host a small farms workshop from 6-9 p.m. Oct. 25 at Argyle Elementary School in Argyle.

Landowners and producers possessing one to 50 acres are encouraged to attend, as is anyone interested in learning about alternative agriculture. Individuals with little or no agriculture experience are also welcome. To reach the workshop site, take Hwy 377 from I-35W; from Hwy 377, take the Old Justin Road exit to the right, turn right on Front Street, and

left into the school parking lot.

"Last year our workshop participants had an average acreage of 77," said Blake Bennett, Texas Cooperative Extension economist. "So it's not just for people with one to 50 acres. We had some producers with 350 acres and one had only three."

"We plan to discuss topics that include what is the best use for this land and for the individual who owns the land," said Bennett. "We'll cover the questions they need to ask themselves before making a business plan."

Other workshop topics include: production choices, both typical (beef cattle, pasture) and atypical (orchard, exotic animals); small farms operations; as well as sources of information and assistance.

The workshop is free, but seating is limited. Pre-registration is required by Oct. 23 to reserve a seat. Call the Extension office in Denton County at (940) 565-5535 or email parker@tamu.edu.

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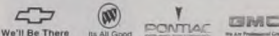
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Feeder Steers (per lb.)
 200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 1.10-1.20; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.10; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 1.05-1.20; Nos. 2 & 3, 95-1.05; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 95-1.12; Nos. 2 & 3, 85-95; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 87-98; Nos. 2 & 3, 75-87; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 82-87; Nos. 2 & 3, 75-82; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 76-86; Nos. 2 & 3, 65-76.
Feeder Heifers (per lb.)
 200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 98-1.08; Nos. 2 & 3, 90-98; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 91-98; Nos. 2 & 3, 83-91; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 88-96; Nos. 2 & 3, 80-88; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 81-88; Nos. 2 & 3, 75-81; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 76-85; Nos. 2 & 3, 65-76; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 68-79; Nos. 2 & 3, 50-68.
Slaughter Cattle (per lb.)
 1-2, 1,200-2,050 lbs.: 45-55; Slaughter cows: 81-60; 60-80 lbs.: 50-60; Fat 3, 36-44; Cutter, 30-36.
Stocker Cows (per head)
 Pregnancy-tested, 3 to 9-year-olds - large frame, \$600-\$680; medium frame, \$450-\$600.
Cow-calf pairs/calves under 250 lbs. - large frame, \$675-\$750; medium frame, \$600-\$675.
Goats (per head)
 Kids: 20-35 lbs., \$20-\$25; 35-55 lbs. \$30-\$50; 55-75 lbs. \$50-\$65. Yearlings: 75-120 lbs., \$80-\$110.
Nannies (per head)
 Stocker, \$50-\$75; Milk Type, \$40-\$60; Slaughter, Thin, \$30-\$35; Fat, \$40-\$60.
Billsies (per head)
 120 lbs-up
 Breeders, \$65-\$90; Slaughterers, \$50-\$80.
Boer Goats (per head)
 1/2 Nanny, \$70-\$120; 3/4 Nanny, \$100-\$125; Full Nanny, \$125-\$200.
Boer Goats (per head)
 60-80 lbs.: 1/2 Billy, NT; 3/4 Billy, NT; Full Billy, \$100-\$150.
Barbados (per head)
 Lambs \$25-\$50. Ewes: \$30-\$50. Bucks: \$50-\$105.
Ewes:
 Stocker, 30-38; Thin, 15-25; Fat, 30-35.
Bucks:
 Thin: NT; Fat, 25-35.
Sheep (per head)
 Kids: 20-35 lbs., \$20-\$25; 35-55 lbs. \$30-\$50; 55-75 lbs. \$50-\$65. Yearlings: 75-120 lbs., \$80-\$110.
Nannies (per head)
 Stocker, \$50-\$75; Milk Type, \$40-\$60; Slaughter, Thin, \$30-\$35; Fat, \$40-\$60.
Billsies (per head)
 120 lbs-up
 Breeders, \$65-\$90; Slaughterers, \$50-\$80.
Boer Goats (per head)
 1/2 Nanny, \$70-\$120; 3/4 Nanny, \$100-\$125; Full Nanny, \$125-\$200.
Boer Goats (per head)
 60-80 lbs.: 1/2 Billy, NT; 3/4 Billy, NT; Full Billy, \$100-\$150.



Sacred Heart's High School choir, Angelic Acappella, will perform their fall concert Sunday, Oct. 21 at 6 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church. Leading them will be a new male quartet, Thomas Whitecotton, Michael Voth, Daniel Bartush, and Patrick Knapp. Admission is free. Photo by Dave Fette



A Real Cowboy

by Elizabeth Fette

"What makes a cowboy special?" Tommy asked his mom one day. "I want to be a cowboy soon, But I have to know the way."

"Is it the clothes he wears? The boots and chaps and hat? 'Cause if it is, I'm sure you know, I already have all that!"

"Guess it could be the rope he swings Or the trusty horse he'll ride. Daddy taught me how to lasso And my stick horse is right outside."

"Mom, I've got to know the answer! Is it the cattle, dust, and sweat? I sure could conquer all those things If I haven't done it yet!"

Mom looked down at Tommy With a proud gleam in her eye. Her son would be a real cowboy soon If her instincts didn't lie.

"Tommy, you've thought a lot about this And you've made a real nice start, But what makes a cowboy special Is the size of his heart."

"A real cowboy is the one Who rides through the rain all night, Looking to find that one lost calf To make sure that he's all right."

"He works all day, from dawn to dusk, To support his son and wife, And gets on his knees every night To thank God for his wonderful life."

The Woodworking Show comes to Dallas/Fort Worth

Don't miss the one-stop shop for woodworkers when The Woodworking Show comes to Dallas/Fort Worth, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Oct. 19-21 at the Bigtown Exhibition Hall. Woodworkers, homebuilders, woodturners and carvers; hobbyists and professionals, will have the opportunity to see the newest in hand tools, power tools, machinery and supplies, have their woodworking questions answered and improve their skills.

The three-day event features more than 100 different manufacturers from around the world, displaying and demonstrating a wide range of woodworking, turning, carving and finishing materials and supplies. The show gives attendees the luxury of shopping for all their workshop needs - home or commercial - all under one roof, at special discount prices. Plus, they can take advantage of having their questions answered by real woodworkers and manufacturer representatives.

Admission to the show is \$9.00 for adults, with children 12 and under FREE. Tickets will be sold at the door. Show hours are: Friday, 12 noon to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information contact Terri Meadows at The Woodworking Shows, 1950 Sawtelle Blvd., Ste. 280, Los Angeles, California 90025, 1-800-826-8257 or 310-477-8521 (8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday - Friday). Additional information is also available by e-mailing info@thewoodworkingshows.com or on-line at www.thewoodworkingshows.com.

Help Muenster win another \$65,000 at cleanup on Oct. 27

Muenster needs all the help it can get from citizens of the community on Oct. 27. All will meet in the City Park on Hwy. 82 at 9 a.m. for the annual fall "Make a Difference Day" cleanup. There will be drawings for prizes and Muenster Marks and lunch will be provided by Christine Weinzapfel of RE/MAX Realtors.

Muenster is again eligible to win another \$65,000 for community beautification in May. Two hundred fifty people are needed to turn out for the cleanup. Keep Muenster Beautiful Businesses, organizations, alumni groups, youth groups, schools, and churches are all encouraged to form "cleanup teams" for

the community wide cleanup. Participating youth can earn scout style badges for participating.

Competition is tougher this year for the Governor's Community Achievement Award. The number of communities in Muenster's population category for the prize has significantly increased and some have directly challenged Muenster! Communities that win do so with major cleanup and beautification projects during the year. Keep Muenster Beautiful built the Keep Muenster Beautiful Park on Main Street in 1998 that helped Muenster win the \$65,000 in 1999. Muenster has

traditionally scored lowest in beautification efforts so this year Keep Muenster Beautiful is encouraging all businesses and residents to beautify their properties, especially those on Hwy. 82 and Main Street because they are the most visible.

The plans for the beautification project from the last winnings are in their final stages and the project is now in the hands of Wayne Bell of the Texas Department of Transportation in Gainesville. Muenster citizens should soon see the rewards of their labor from winnings from 1998 - 1999.

submitted by MaryLee Alford

Gardening experts to share knowledge at symposium

Gardening enthusiasts can learn first-hand from premier gardening expert Neil Sperry during the Celebrating A Texas Treasure symposium, Nov. 1-2 at Texas Woman's University.

Sperry, whose gardening tips can be heard daily on radio stations across Texas, will be one of a number of experts offering gardening advice and insights during the second day of the symposium. Sperry's topic will be xeriscaping. Other topics of discussion will include: wildflowers; Texas wildscapes; water, fountains, and other architectural structures; and formal English gardens.

A self-guided walking tour through TWU's botanical gardens also will be "marked" during the second day of the symposium.

In 1930, a committee began the transformation of a seven-acre weed patch

into a Botanical Garden area. A rose-covered trellis running the length of a 56-foot flagstone path leading to the interior of a formal garden area was added two years later.

More than 300 native Texas flowers and shrubs which had been painstakingly collected from all over the state were located in wildflower sanctuaries adjacent to the formal garden area by 1935. A plan was also put in place to plant hundreds of trees and create a rock garden.

Now, as part of TWU's Centennial project, it is again time to celebrate the beauty of these gardens.

A self-guided walking trail that focuses on the identification of trees and shrubs in the gardens will be dedicated during the Celebrating A Texas Treasure symposium.

Activities to be held during the first day of the

symposium include a lecture about Little Chapel-in-the-Woods architect O'Neil Ford by Dallas Morning News architecture critic David Dillon, a discussion about the renovation of historic homes, a celebration of the Little Chapel's restoration.

The cost of attending all events the first day of the symposium, including lunch, is \$25. Admission to the gardening lectures on Nov. 2 is \$15. Lunch the second day is an additional \$10, and a formal English afternoon tea in the TWU greenhouse is an additional \$15.

For a complete schedule of symposium events, registration costs, or more information, contact the Texas Woman's University Office of Alumni Relations at 940-898-2586, alumni@twu.edu, or at Office of Alumni Relations, P.O. Box 425785, Denton, TX 76204-5785.

36th Annual Peanut Festival plans underway

Plans are underway for the 36th Annual Peanut Festival to be held in downtown Whitesboro on Oct. 20 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. There are numerous crafts, demonstrations and food booths, contests and competitions, live free entertainment and great family fun. The 10:00 a.m. parade will line-up on Wilson Street at 9:00 a.m. and travel west on Main Street. You must be registered to participate in the Parade. For more information, contact the Chamber office at 2525 Hwy. 82E, Suite C, 903-564-3331.

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Native Plant Landscaping

The third program in the Morton Museum of Cooke County's Fall Series will take place at the museum in Gainesville at noon on Monday, Oct. 22.

In this third session "Going Wild: Native Plant Landscaping" Ben Tyler of Tyler's Natural Garden, will discuss native plant landscaping, providing participants with suggestions and directions on how to go about incorporating native plants into the landscaping at their homes. He will define what native plant landscaping is, the types of plants to use, possible problems, etc. Following Mr. Tyler's

presentation, those attending will leave the museum and go to Miss Olivia's Bed & Breakfast (Craig and Donna Hertel's home) to tour her garden and yard where she has utilized native plants in her landscaping. Mrs. Hertel will also be providing a light lunch in a garden party setting for participants featuring dishes using herbs from the garden.

Seating is limited. For members of the Cooke County Heritage Society the cost to attend is \$9 and for non-members the cost is \$10. To reserve a seat or for more information, call the museum at 940-668-8900.

New exhibits at museum

Several new exhibits are open to the public at the Morton Museum in Gainesville. The main gallery contains "Heroes" honoring those individuals who have in the past and continue to protect and care for society - the fire and police departments, American Red Cross, the military, and Presidents of the United States. Among the included artifacts are Red Cross uniforms from WWII, a minute book for an early fire company in Gainesville, pillow top from Camp Howse, gas mask from WWII, newspapers, photographs, and much more.

A second gallery features "Victorian Mourning

Customs" which transports visitors back to an era when mourning traditions were very elaborate, involving everything from the type of clothing worn to the activities that one participated in.

A third gallery contains railroad memorabilia including several place settings and silver from different rail lines on loan from a private collector. In the Log Cabin area, the museum features a display entitled "Sunday Memories". The exhibits are free. For more information on the displays or on museum programs, call 940-668-8900.

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