



STORY HOUR, sponsored by Muenster Public Library, receives enthusiastic response from youngsters attending. Included in the program are reading of stories, singing, viewing film strips and finger play, etc. In this photo, Aaron Klement, Chad Felderhoff and Kelly Felderhoff act out "itsy-bitsy spider" with finger play. This summer activity is held on Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., at the City Hall meeting room and will continue through July 23 and July 30.

Photo by Janie Hartman



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Red Cross Swim Program completed by 331 students

Several weeks prior to the opening of the annual Red Cross Swim Program in Muenster, the director and leaders feared for its success or even for its continuation here.

Accordingly they appealed for help and cooperation from swim-

mers who had benefited previously from the program in earlier summers and the response was overwhelming.

This week Jeannine Flusche, director, and Kathy Hartman, assistant, gave their elated report on Week 1, just completed, and Week 11, now in progress. Mrs. Flusche said, "An excellent year for the Red Cross Swim Program is nearing completion. This community owes much to the five Water Safety Instructors, 10 Advanced Lifesaving Instructors, nine Basic Rescue Teachers and 45 teacher aides and two bookkeepers who responded, shared their skills

and generously gave vacation time to serve a worthwhile cause. In reference to water safety, the program was a success - in avoidance of possible future water hazards, its potential can scarcely be measured."

A grand total of 331 swimmers benefited. They came from neighboring towns, a wide rural area and this community.

Statistics of the two-week Red Cross Swim Program in Muenster, as reported by Jeannine Flusche, director, are as follows:

WATERSAFETY INSTRUCTOR (WSI)

Kathy Hartman
Jeannine Flusche, **Director**
Janet Reiter
Valarie Vogel
Janelle Hellman

ADVANCED LIFESAVING

Laura Flusche
Vicky Fisher
Margie Klement
Kim Felderhoff
Glenn Swirczynski
Keith Vogel
Jean Pagel
Michelle Walter
Lydia Walterscheid
Charla Bayer

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Kiwanis Club issues challenge to others

The Muenster Kiwanis Club has issued a challenge to other local organizations to help in the purchase of a new fire truck for Muenster. According to state fire laws, Muenster will have to have a new pumper truck within the next 18 months. Part of the money is already available, but according to a local fire department spokesman, there is still a long way to go.

The Kiwanians recently deposited \$1700 in a savings account for the fire department. That figure represents \$100 per member. They

are challenging other civic clubs and groups to match the \$100 for each member of their organizations.

"The fire truck will mean a lot to all Muenster residents in terms of fire insurance premiums as well as safety and peace of mind," according to one Kiwanis member. "If a group just can not raise the \$100 per member, any amount would certainly help, but we really would like to see a concerted effort by all groups," said Muenster Kiwanis Club president, Danny Wilde.

City gets \$5,117 in city sales tax rebate

The city of Muenster has received a check in the amount of \$5,117.62 as its rebate for one percent city sales tax collected here during the pay period ending July 3.

The amount increases this year's sales tax rebate to-date to \$58,958, a gain of 2.11 percent over last year's figure.

Along with the check Comptroller Bullock sent a statement indicating that it is one of 1,015 sent to cities receiving the one percent sales tax for a total of \$56.6 million.

The statement also shows individual receipts to all Texas cities. Among those in this area, along with their totals of the year to-date

and the percentage of increase or decrease are the following:

Gainesville, \$65,567, to-date \$615,766, up 7.98 percent; Lindsay, \$4,479, to-date \$32,945, up 1.88 percent; Valley View, \$586, to-date \$6,788, down 20.68 percent; Pilot Point, \$5,359, to-date \$52,577, up 11.20 percent; Sanger, \$6,070, to-date \$48,345, up 22.14 percent; Whitesboro, \$8,343, to-date \$72,314, down 3.60 percent; Sherman, \$187,672, to-date \$1,859,022, up 10.06 percent; Bowie, \$26,631, to-date \$235,066, down 8.40 percent; Nocona, \$9,397, to-date \$94,801, down 1.89 percent; Saint Jo, \$1,071, to-date \$12,581, down 7.54 percent.

Sam Bass Day, July 19

Rosston rolls out carpet

Rosston is rolling out the red carpet for Sam Bass Pioneer Day on Saturday, July 19, to greet its guests, friends, former residents, relatives, hometowners and area neighbors and all are assured a warm welcome and a day chock-full of planned activities, sponsored by the Rosston Volunteer Fire Department.

The parade will step off at 10 a.m. Activities for all ages and interests will be highlighted by free

stagecoach rides; trolley rides; gun-fighter team skit competition by teams from across the state; a mule pull; horseshoe tournament; fiddlers' contest; bonnet contest (prettiest, oldest, oddest); square dance exhibition; display of antique farm, kitchen and work tools; quilting bee; kids' games; live music all day.

Doug Martin and The Rustlers will play for dancing from 8 p.m. until midnight.

Buckle up, Texas!

Lower gas prices means more travel

AUSTIN - The Texas Safety Association warns that motorists will face a far greater exposure to risk this summer because of lower gasoline prices and increased high-

way travel. "Texans are fortunate that we have had aggressive law enforcement and have in place a safety belt law," said George Gustafson,

Gone fishin'!

The Muenster Enterprise will be closed next week, July 21-25, to give the staff a well-deserved vacation. The next issue of the newspaper will be published Aug. 1.

Annual convention slated

The 1986 annual convention of the Catholic State League begins in Muenster Saturday, July 19, at 8:30 a.m. A complete schedule was printed in the July 11 Muenster Enterprise.

Good News!

There was a time when you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Well, then, live as children of light. Light produces every kind of goodness and justice and truth. Be correct in your judgment of what pleases the Lord. Take no part in vain deeds done in darkness; rather, condemn them.

Ephesians 5:8-11



CHARLA BAYER, center, and Vickie Fisher, right, instruct a group of students in the Red Cross Learn To Swim Program at Muenster city pool. The children are learning the best kick with each stroke.

The very successful program this year had 331 participants and more teachers and aides than ever before - a ratio of almost two students to one teacher.

Photo by Janie Hartman

Charles Meurer transfers to Era High coaching staff

Major changes in the athletic department of Muenster and Era High Schools will become effective when the next school year begins. Charles Meurer, assistant football coach and head coach in girls' basketball, said this week that he has accepted a vacancy at Era as assistant in football and head coach in boys' basketball.

Another major result of the change will be that of Mrs. Meurer, former secretary at MHS. She has enrolled as a student in elementary education at Texas Woman's University and will commute daily. Also a son, Nicki, will transfer to Era's grade two elementary from



Muenster elementary. Another child, Deann, is two years old.

Meurer, a native of Windthorst and graduate of Windthorst High, came to Muenster five years ago from Weatherford as assistant football coach. For the past three years, he has also been head coach in girls' basketball. His record during those years has been 13-13, 16-11 and 22-4.

The family will move to Era to occupy its next home before the school year begins.

The identity of Meurer's successor at MHS was not available to The Enterprise Wednesday.



Usually, when a new tax is proposed, a howl can be expected from those who will have to pay. We heard particularly when our state decided to add the small tax to the price of things we buy. And Texas business was especially miffed because it was being undersold by out-of-state firms. Besides, our state tax office put up a howl because it was missing big revenue on all the sales that was going astray.

After 19 long years of this unfairness, something is finally being done. Representative Jack Brooks of Beaumont has introduced a bill requiring national mail-order operations to collect and remit state sales taxes.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock promptly came out as an ardent supporter explaining that it helps our state. First of all, it's estimated to bring in substantial revenue, thereby relieving state taxpayers, as well as boosting treasury receipts and increasing local sales business. As he sees it, here's how he expects Texas to benefit directly. Additionally, he has visions of more benefits from jobs and business created by the tax.

Comptroller Bullock's comment on the subject is quoted here as the remainder of this "Confetti" column:

The mail-order business is big business and it is costing the State of Texas big bucks in lost sales tax. But there is a move in Congress to change that - a move that would mean \$100 million a year in additional sales tax money for Texas.

Mail-order sales - from both catalogs and the toll-free "800" telephone lines where "our operators are standing by" - have been sheltered from state tax collectors for years by a U.S. Supreme Court ruling which said that only Congress has the power to make the mail-order houses collect and handle state sales taxes.

U.S. Rep. Jack Brooks of Beaumont has introduced a bill - H.R. 5021 - to do just that. And, State Comptroller Bob Bullock is launching an all-out campaign to garner public support for passage of Brooks' bill.

Bullock says that the big national mail-order firms are pulling \$3 billion a year out of Texas while in return doing nothing to help pay for Texas schools, hospitals, highways and other state government services.

Further, those supporting H.R. 5021 point out that the out-of-state firms are enjoying an unfair competitive advantage over the hometown, taxpaying merchants.

That's true and the situation is getting worse. The mail-order business is growing by leaps and bounds. There are estimates that within a few years as much as 25 percent of all retail trade will be conducted by mail.

All Texans - including those who shop by mail - should want to see this loophole closed, both for the money it will mean to the state and for the justice it will do for Main Street merchants.

But as usual, Congress won't move on the bill until the Congressmen know that the folks back home want to see it passed.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I would like to bring to the attention of the people of Muenster a safety hazard for their community, especially for their adventurous young. The city has dug 8-foot-deep pits which are used to hold sludge from the sewer lagoons. They are not fenced in properly. These pits give the appearance that you could walk across them - even grass is growing on them. A week or so ago, we had some 14 sheep in

these pits. Sheep are more buoyant than humans, therefore my husband Arthur, Nathan, Janet and myself did manage to save some of them. Several city officials were also notified, but none offered assistance. It would be a sure tragedy if a young person died in the MESS. I felt the need to warn the people of this danger.

Thank you,
Frances Bayer

Texas Veterans Land Board action triples Texas veterans benefits

AUSTIN - A recent decision by the Texas Veterans Land Board to allow multiple participation in all three Texas Veterans benefits programs has dramatically increased the value of special benefits available only to Texas Veterans from \$20,000 to \$55,000.

By a unanimous vote, the board voted to adopt recent recommendations of the Sunset Commission and the Texas Legislature to change the current program guidelines so that, instead of participation being limited to just one of the three Texas Veterans loan programs, an eligible Texas Veteran can now participate in all three. The multiple eligibility change will be in effect during a

four-month test period that began on June 17.

The board also acted to reduce the minimum acreage required to get a Texas Veterans Land Program loan from 10 acres to five acres.

"Reducing the acreage requirement from 10 acres to five will make it easier for more Texas Veterans to buy quality land close to the urban areas where they live," said Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro.

In addition, Mauro said that allowing Texas Veterans to participate in all three Texas Veterans programs will greatly increase the state benefits now available to Texas Veterans.

"This means Texas Veterans can now get a \$20,000 loan to buy a house AND get a \$20,000 loan to buy land AND get a \$15,000 home improvement loan to make repairs to their residence," said Mauro, who serves as Chairman of the Texas Veterans Land Board.

"I want to urge every Texas Vet who's always wanted to use more than one of our fine programs to act within this four-month period," Mauro said.

"In the past Texas Veterans were limited to only one loan with the Texas Veterans Land Board," said Carlton Bell, Deputy Commissioner for the Texas Veterans Land Board. Bell explained that during the next four months, however, a Texas Veteran who has already received one loan will be

eligible to apply for a loan from one or both of the remaining programs as well. For example, a Veteran who had already received a Texas Veterans land loan could now apply for a Texas Veterans housing loan or a Texas Veterans home improvement loan.

Bell stressed that at the end of the four-month test period, the board will study the effects of multiple participation and will make a decision at that time on whether to make this change permanent.

The Texas Veterans Land Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 8.75 percent to purchase a minimum of five acres.

The Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 9.5 percent to apply to the purchase of a home.

The newly-created Texas Veterans Home Improvement Loan Program makes available \$15,000 loans at 11.5 percent to make substantial repairs to a Veteran's residence.

The programs are financed through the sale of general obligation bonds at no cost to the taxpayer. The bonds are repaid by fees charged to Texas Veterans receiving loans through the program.

To find out how to participate in these programs, Veterans can call toll-free 1-800-252-VETS for assistance.

Bullock plans to broaden sales tax base

AUSTIN - State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday said his staff is drafting a plan to broaden the state's sales tax base to make it fairer and at the same time raise additional revenue at lower rates.

"We are looking at taxing all goods and services, except food, medicine and medical services," Bullock said.

Bullock said that by removing exemptions and broadening the tax base, hopefully the present sales tax rate of 4.125 percent can be reduced.

"We are not only seeking ways to raise revenue for state government, but we are seeking to make the sales tax more equitable."

Bullock said that the service sector of the Texas economy accounts for nearly 20 percent of the state's non-farm employment and is virtually untaxed.

"We haven't put the final pencil to it, but I think we can lower the present rate, make it fairer and less regressive and still keep an income tax off the backs of Texans."

School reforms create controversy, confusion

by Ed R. Griffin

The passage of House Bill 72 by the Texas Legislature in 1984 has created much confusion, controversy and publicity. Several issues have surfaced more than others to public awareness. Probably one of the issues which has surfaced and caused more consternation for the average family in Texas is the controversial "no pass-no play" rule.

The rule, at first glance, seems simple. Wording in the law, however, and subsequent State Board of Education rules, often make the rule difficult to interpret and has caused many phone calls to the Texas Education Agency by public school officials. It would seem that some explanation and clarification is in order.

Under the "no pass-no play" rule, a student who fails must sit out of extracurricular activities. To this point the rule is simple, and although most educators and parents agree with the concept, procedures and enforcement isn't that simple. For example, the length of time that eligibility is denied is a debatable issue. Most feel that six weeks is too long and this portion may undergo some changes in the next regular session of the Legislature.

In reality, eligibility is denied for only five weeks currently, a point not generally clear with the public, nor is the issue of what activities and which students are affected. A student who receives five credits in high school at the end of the school year is eligible to participate in extracurricular activities at the start of the fall semester. At the end of the first grading period, any student who fails a class is suspended from participation. The suspension actually begins at the end of the school day seven days after the last day of the grading period. For example, in the fall of 1986, the first grading period will end at 3:30 on Friday, Oct. 10. The student's eligibility is suspended at 3:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 17. If the student fails no subject in the second grading period which ends on Nov. 21, the student's eligibility is restored at 3:30 p.m. on Nov. 21, therefore the suspension of eligibility is, in reality, only five weeks.

The week-long grace period after a grading period is allowed, no doubt, because of the paperwork necessary to report grades to parents and administrators. One can only speculate as to the rationale in not having the same grace period before eligibility is restored.

If the student fails the same, or another, course the second grading period, the student's eligibility remains suspended. This process is repeated each grading period based on six week's grades, not the semester grades, until the end of the school year.

Another area of confusion regards exactly who is affected. By law, any student involved in extracurricular activity which is either sponsored or sanctioned by the school is affected. This includes any non-school-sponsored group who applied for, and received, extracurricular status from the Commissioner of Education. There are many of these groups, including the 4-H organizations whose participants, because of this status, are able to miss school for their activities and receive excused absences for extracurricular activities when missing. Other school groups that are affected include cheerleading pep clubs, bands, FHA, FFA, etc., as well as athletic teams.

The confusion is further extended by what events are considered co-curricular instead of extracurricular because co-curricular activities are not affected by the rule. A co-curricular activity is generally defined as an activity which involves all or a substantial portion of the class and is an extension of the teaching-learning processes, such as a class field trip. In many cases, the extracurricular decision applies to banquets, project exhibits, etc., although circumstances can alter this designation. This area, too, has spurred many calls to the Texas Education Agency, and the State Board of Education is constantly interpreting rules and forwarding their interpretations to school districts, sometimes forcing a policy change almost in "mid stream." Some school districts have barred students from attending school-sponsored proms. The general idea which forces an activity to be considered extracurricular is the definition of co-curricular and/or the presence of any awards or competition. Any competitive activity automatically becomes extracurricular even if the event takes place during the school day, such as a basketball tournament game.

In the eyes of educators, the general public has remained supportive and understanding during the first two years of the rule's existence. Many, although not all, school districts feel that the percentage of students failing courses has gone down progressively. Hopefully, this trend will continue and become true in all school districts state-wide. In the meantime, school districts are making efforts to keep parents and students informed and are taking every step possible to encourage students to pass. It is hoped that with the continued support of parents, the rule will eventually save many students from academic failure.

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BOOKKEEPERS Frances Bayer Janette Hess

	1st WEEK	2nd WEEK
Beginners	83	164
Advanced Beginners	9	27
Intermediates	8	12
Swimmers	19	
Ladies	9	
Total	128	203
GRAND TOTAL 331		

COUPONS Are Still Good!

In case you missed them, last week's coupons published in **The Enterprise** on page 4 are still effective. They're really

GOOD COUPONS! GIVE US A TRY!

Chamber of Commerce luncheon held July 8

The Muenster Chamber of Commerce met at The Center Tuesday for their regular monthly luncheon. Members present heard an account of the Governor's Community Achievement Award luncheon by Gary Fisher. Gary went to Austin, July 3, to accept for the City of Muenster the award presented by Department of Highways and Transportation and Keep Texas Beautiful, Inc. Governor Mark White presented the award to Mr. Fisher. Gary also presented a talk about the way we won the honor at two sessions of the conference.

Sesquicentennial Wagon Train. She has received many favorable comments from members of the Wagon Train about their treatment and accommodations in Muenster.

Monica Hess, president of the Chamber, asked for a renewed effort to show support of the amendment to the litter ordinance that has been presented to the City Council. This ordinance has been through two readings and tabled for two months by the Council. The Council has presented a petition with 149 names on it at their Monday meeting. She reported that the final reading was tabled to enable the Council to go over the amendment point by point in a meeting Tuesday night.

It was announced that Jason Gehrig is burying a time capsule in Muenster and he has set aside some space for the use of the Chamber of Commerce. Several items were discussed for inclusion including a Muenster flag.

Monica Hess thanked the businesses, individuals and organizations who helped with the

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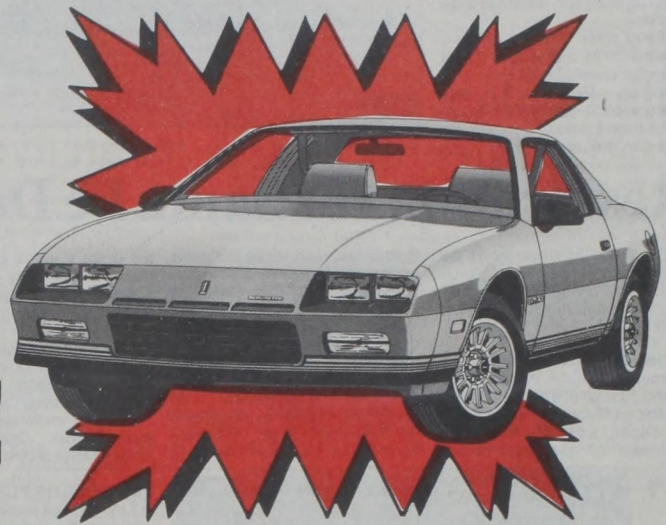
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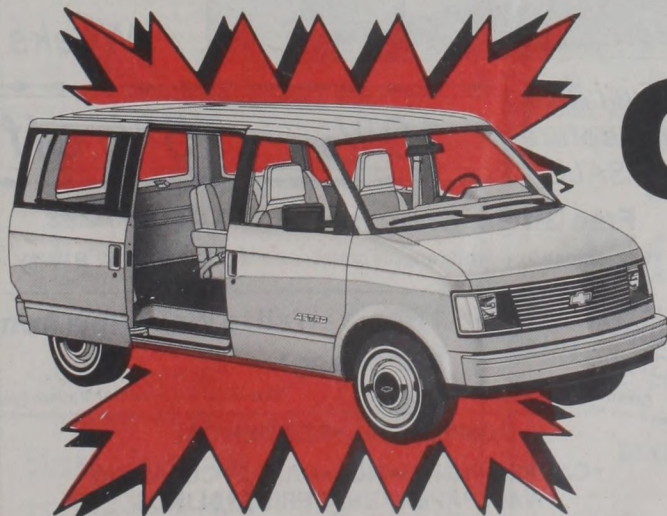
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Parker School Uniform van will be at Sacred Heart High School Sunday, July 20, 1986 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. All uniform items will be available at this time except the boys' Dickie pants.

Hamric's and Ben Franklin Store of Muenster have in stock the uniform pants and shirts. Ben Franklin Store also stocks the girls' blouses.

If you prefer to order by mail, please come by or phone the school office for a form, 759-4121.

Sacred Heart will have registration for grades K-12 Aug. 3 and 4 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the high school library.



STAN AND JANET ENDRES have been awarded "Yard of the Month" honors in July by the Muenster Garden Club. Mrs. Endres is shown standing near the new sign that designates the award. Several shade trees and a profusion of spring flowers, plus summertime marigolds and nasturtiums bordering a velvety green, well-tended lawn, helped win the award for the couple.
Photo by Janie Hartman

Restoration for Santa Fe Depot planned

The Board of Directors of the Community Preservation Foundation, Inc. (ComPres) met Thursday afternoon, July 10, at the First State Bank.

Treasurer Mike Paulson reported that the Foundation has to date received a total of \$20,100.00 to be applied on restoration of the Santa Fe Depot, and Ed Alexander, chairman of the Fund-raising

Committee, reported on the status of plans for the finance drive.

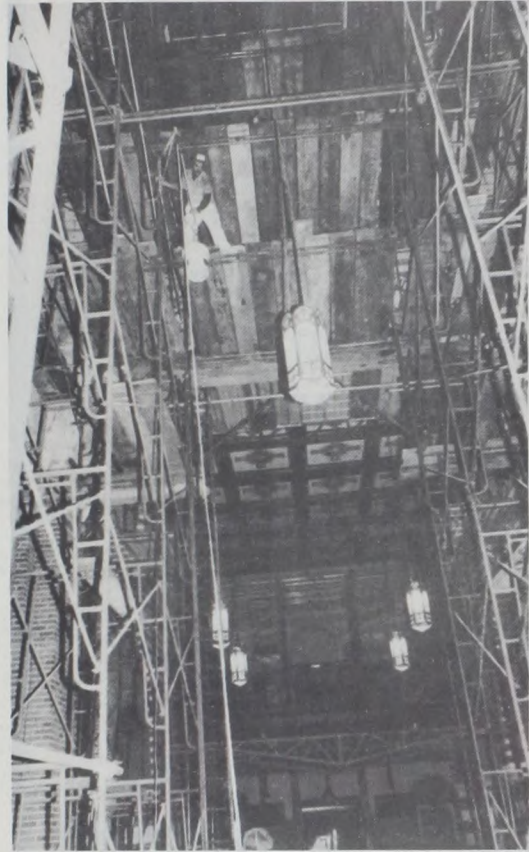
President Billie Ruth Gandillon appointed Dr. William F. Powell, Margaret Hays and Martha Davis, City Council representative, as a committee to work with Mrs. Topsy Muesse, of the Cooke County Historical Commission, in developing a ceremony to dedicate the building's Texas Historical Marker and the plaque denoting

the depot's status as a National Historic Landmark. The group hopes to have this ceremony within the next few weeks.

Following the meeting, members of the Board of Directors made a tour of the Santa Fe Depot to review its status and possibilities.

In her enthusiasm for this project, Mrs. Gandillon said, "Person after person has commen-

ted to me about their delight that we are taking the leadership to restore the Santa Fe Depot to a useful role in the community. We shall be working with the city to help locate a business or businesses interested in occupying space in the depot." She added that it would be necessary to have income-producing entities in the building so that they can pay for maintenance and operating costs.



PROGRESS ON PLASTER REPAIR and cleaning at St. Peter's Church in Lindsay, and preparation for extensive restoration of painting and art work on the vaulted ceiling is followed with interest by pastor and parishioners and area friends. In the photo at left, a workman on the floor hoists a bucket of mix to a man who will work above the scaffold to repair cracks. In photo below, one member of the crew washes wooden beams and another cleans away mud-dauber nests. All walls and surfaces must be washed before painting can begin. Both men scarcely have room to stand. One of the church's priceless stained glass windows is visible.

Photos by Janie Hartman



Miller Music selects Delbert McClinton to music program

Delbert McClinton, the Fort Worth, Texas-based honky-tonk harpist, is one of five acts selected for the Miller High Life country music program in 1986.

McClinton and four other popular regional bands will become part of the sponsorship program June 30. The Miller Music program includes tour support and exposure for the groups through print and radio promotions as well as band-identified posters, banners and merchandise.

The new band program will continue the Miller High Life tradition of introducing audiences to some of the nation's fast-rising music talent.

The program will be patterned after the highly successful Miller Music Rock Network, which is in its fifth year supporting popular up-and-coming rock bands. "As with the regional band support, the new country music program allows us to showcase exciting entertainment at nightclubs and music complexes across the nation," said Connie Woolpert, manager of young adult marketing for Miller. "The exposure greatly increases the visibility of these talented musicians."

Other bands selected for sponsorship include The Maines Brothers Band of Lubbock, Texas; Southerner of Atlanta, Ga.; the Super Grit Cowboy Band of Raleigh, N.C.; and McGuffey Lane of Columbus, Ohio.

McClinton has more than six

albums to his credit (ABC/Capricorn and Capitol), plus a former top-10 record, "Giving It Up For Your Love."

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The wedding of Christina Marie Yosten of Muenster and Allen William Bayer of Denton was held on Saturday, July 12, with Father Victor Gillespie officiating for their vows in a Nuptial Mass and double ring ceremony at 5 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church.

The bride is a daughter of former Muenster resident, Mrs. Helen Yosten, now of Sulphur Springs and the late Larry Yosten. The groom is the son of Mrs. Rosalie Bayer of Muenster and the late Robert Bayer.

Christi is a 1985 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and attended the summer program of El Centro College in Dallas. She is employed as a Montessori teacher in the Merryhaven Montessori Episcopal School in Denton.

Allen is a 1979 graduate of Muenster High School and Cooke County College. He is the frozen food manager at Tom Thumb-Page in Lewisville.

The bride was presented at the altar by her brother, Matthew Yosten. For her wedding, she chose a silk organza and Alencon lace designer gown by Mori Lee. A portrait neckline, encircled with lace and self-fabric ruffles, highlighted the bodice. Long, slim sheer sleeves, lace-enhanced, tapered into notched "V" cuffs. The graceful asymmetrical line of the skirt fell to slipper length in front, then sweeping into a chapel-length train completely encircled with ruffles and lavishly trimmed with Alencon

lace and tiny pearls.

Her two-tiered veil of illusion was attached to a matching Alencon lace headpiece.

Her all-white bridal bouquet held roses, carnations, stephanotis and baby's breath.

For sentiment, she carried a new rosary, a gift from her mother; and wore a diamond ring borrowed from her sister.

Attendants

Sandra Taylor of Muenster, a friend of the bride, was her maid of honor. Ann Yosten of Sulphur Springs, the bride's sister, and Susan Bayer of Muenster, the groom's sister, were bridesmaids. Their fantaza aqua gowns had lace adorning the sweetheart necklines, satin bows trimming the shoulders, a wide sash accenting the basque waist of the close-fitting bodice and lace and satin bows trimming the full skirts.

They carried fans with yellow, blue and green silk flowers, and wore silk flower wreaths in their hair.

Wendy Cole of Austin, the groom's niece, was flower girl and John Bartush, Jr., the bride's nephew of Muenster, was ringbearer.

Hank Bayer was his brother's best man and Carl Bayer, also a brother of the groom, and both of Muenster, and Barney Yosten of Steubenville, Ohio, brother of the bride, were groomsmen.

Ushers were David Muller of Muenster, Chris Cox of Lewisville,

Tim Reiter of Gainesville, friends of the couple, and Jeremy Owen of Lindsay, nephew of the bride. Darren Klement of Muenster, also a nephew of the bride, was the Mass server.

Participating in the wedding liturgy were the bride's brother-in-law, John Bartush of Muenster, and the groom's sister, Betty Cole of Austin, who gave the Readings.

Presenting wedding music were organist Ruth Felderhoff with traditional wedding marches and vocalists Emily Klement and Wendell Black with "Edelweiss," "The Wedding Song," "Wherever You Go," "Wind Beneath My Wings" and "Amazing Grace."

The church altars were decorated with all-white arrangements of gladioli and spider mums, lighted candles and a floor candelabra holding lighted candles in a heart shape, on each side of the front altar. Aqua bows marked family pews in the center aisle.

Reception

A reception, dinner and dance followed in the Sacred Heart Community Center. Hosts were the bride's mother, Mrs. R.L. Yosten, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Robert Bayer.

Friends of the bride, Le Ann Mollenkopf and Connie McAden presided at the bride's book, registering 350 guests.

Serving the three-tiered wedding cake, which was placed over a lighted fountain and was decorated with a ceramic bridal figurine were Renee Klement, the bride's niece, and Sondra Hess, Rose Felderhoff and Carmen Daugherty, friends of the bride.

Highlight of the reception decorations was a wall display of two hearts decorated with the bride's chosen colors of pale blue, green, yellow and aqua.

Guests attended from Sulphur Springs, Denton, Lewisville, Lindsay, Gainesville and Muenster, Texas, and Minnesota.

Upon return from a wedding trip to Orlando, Florida, the couple will be at home in Denton.

The rehearsal dinner was held at The Center Restaurant and Tavern on the Friday evening preceding the wedding, hosted by the groom's mother. A miscellaneous shower honored the bride-elect on July 5, hosted by the maid of honor, Sandy Taylor, and her mother, Mrs. Roger Taylor, and the bride's sister, Mrs. John Bartush.



JESSICA PAGEL

Jessica is one!

Jessica Pagel was the center of

attention on Sunday evening, July 13, when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pagel, observed her first birthday with a party in the new home they occupied only a few days earlier. Her actual birthdate was July 15.

Using a circus theme, her grandmother, Charlotte Dangelmayr, baked and decorated a circus cake with little clowns and balloons.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream, cold drinks; and picture-taking, movies and gifts added to the special time.

Attending were Jessica's big sister, Amy; their grandparents, Bill and Charlotte Dangelmayr and Harriet Pagel; great-grandparents, Frank and Caroline Schilling and Harry and Eva Joe Otto; uncles Tom and Shawn Dangelmayr; a cousin, Kyle Pagel; and uncle, aunt and cousin, Craig, Donna and Ashley Walterscheid; and friends Todd, Brenda and Tiffany Richey.



CASEY WALTERSCHEID

Casey honored

The fourth birthday of Casey Walterscheid, son of Terry and Dianne Walterscheid, was observed with a party in their home on Saturday, July 12. His birthdate was July 11.

The afternoon celebration was filled with playing games, unwrapping gifts and eating cake.

A circus theme was selected by Casey with a clown directing the entertainment for the afternoon, a clown cake by Betty Rose Walterscheid, and decorated balloons. The "dress-up" clown was Casey's mother, Dianne.

Enjoying the celebration with Casey were Travis Kralicke, a cousin from Grapevine; Mary Lou Reinwald and daughter Amelia of Irving; grandparents Dr. and Mrs. Martin Kralicke and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walterscheid of Muenster; Lisa Walterscheid and son, Dustin, Aaron Klement, Holly Hartman, Melanie Hellman, Kristine Hartman, and Casey's younger brother, Tyler, all of Muenster.

Casey's birthday was also observed on Friday, July 11, with all his friends at Tender Loving Care Day Care Center with refreshments of M & M cookies and punch that afternoon.

T.I.A. sets program

T.I.A., in conjunction with the Catholic State League Convention, will hold a Youth Program on Saturday, July 19, in the KC Hall.

The program, "Teen Talk," will be conducted by Lyle Huchton and will begin at 3 p.m. At 6:30 p.m. the youth will host a hamburger supper to be followed by a disco dance.

In order for T.I.A. to know how

much food and drinks to prepare, Linda Knabe must be notified by Friday.

The youth program is open to all high school students and recent graduates from Muenster and surrounding areas.

All students will be asked to contribute \$3.00 or asked to bring supplies for the supper.



THE ENGAGEMENT AND approaching marriage of Cecilia Joy Doye to Arnold Henry Fuhrmann has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Damon Doye of Lawton, Oklahoma. The future-groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Fuhrmann of Rt. 2, Gainesville. The wedding will be held in Holy Family Catholic Church of Lawton, Okla. with Father James D.M. Stafford, pastor, officiating on Aug. 16 at 11 a.m. Attendants will be Damona Doye and Martha Fuhrmann; and Alex Fuhrmann and Thad Doye. The bride-elect is a graduate of Cameron University and holds a masters degree in Education from Central State University in Oklahoma. She is a teacher and librarian in the Sterling, Okla. Public Schools. The future-groom is a graduate of Lindsay High School and is a dairyman and farmer. They will reside northwest of Lindsay.

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BRENDA DIANNE KRAHL of Valley View, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Krahl, and Phillip Kevin Flusche of Decatur, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Flusche, will be married in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster on Aug. 16. Father Gerald Cooney will officiate for the Nuptial Mass at 5 p.m. The bride-elect is a 1984 graduate of Valley View High School, attended Cooke County College and is currently a student at North Texas State University. The future-groom is a 1982 graduate of Decatur High School, attended Tarrant County Junior College in Fort Worth and is an auto mechanic employed at Flusche Company in Decatur.



BRITTANY HAVERKAMP
Celebrates 2nd
Brittany Haverkamp, two-year-

old daughter of Billy and D'Ann Haverkamp, celebrated her birthday on Sunday, July 13, at a 6 p.m. party in Muenster City Park, hosted by her parents.

A birthday cake decorated in a Minnie Mouse theme, homemade ice cream and a hot dog supper were followed by opening of gifts, visiting and picture-taking.

Attending were the grandmother, Peggy O'Brien of Gainesville; the grandfather, Dan Haverkamp of Muenster; the great-grandmother, Ella Haverkamp; and the godfather, Dave Haverkamp. Mrs. Dave Haverkamp was unable to join the group Sunday evening. Others attending were uncles, aunts, cousins and friends.

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New Baby

Black

Crystal Leigh Black entered this life with a bang on July 4 at Flow Memorial Hospital, Denton, weighing 6 lb. 8 oz. and measuring 19 1/4 inches long.

The parents are Jimmy and Sherlene Black of Denton and her excited brother is David Griffith. Mrs. J.S. (Edna) Hogan of St. Richard's Villa is the maternal great-great-grandmother; grandmothers are Cheryl Griffith of Denton and Betty Black of Nocona; and great-grandparents are Frank and Katie Hogan of Saint Jo.

Sturm

Joni and Mike Sturm announce the birth of their son, John Michael, in Muenster Memorial Hospital on Friday, July 11, 1986 at 3:01 a.m. weighing 8 lb. 8 oz. and measuring 21 inches in length. John Michael is a brother for Amy, 10 years old, and Kimberly, six years old. The grandparents are Ray and Marcey Wilde of Muenster and Johnnie and Bertha Sturm of Gainesville.

Bishop visits Franciscans

The Secular Franciscans of St. Peter's Parish of Lindsay were enormously surprised last week Monday evening when Bishop Peter M. Chenoparampil of Kerala, India phoned from Teutopolis, Illinois to tell Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hermes that friends were bringing him to Oklahoma City.

He added that they would also come to Lindsay, arriving on Thursday afternoon about 5 p.m. Thereupon, a family of eight, traveling in a van, brought him to the Hermes home. They remained for a brief visit, refreshments and picture taking before returning to Oklahoma City.

Bishop Peter spent two days in Lindsay. He related that the trip to the United States was unexpected, but when time became available he decided to come to Lindsay to thank Father Cletus Post, the parishioners and Secular Franciscans for their hospitality and generosity to him during the summer of 1985.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bengfort were dinner hosts for Bishop Peter that evening, and he was then an overnight guest at the rectory.

Tuesday morning Bishop Peter concelebrated Mass with Father Cletus and Lindsay's Secular Franciscans conferred with him after Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flusche hosted his breakfast, followed by a visit to the Vernon Badgett home



BISHOP PETER M. CHENOPARAMPIL

accompanied by the Flusches and Hermes. Raymond Badgett took him to DFW for his return flight to St. Louis, Mo. and Teutopolis, Ill.

Bishop Peter Chenoparampil related that Alan Quimet of Madison, Conn. made arrangements in several parishes in Illinois and Connecticut for the bishop to make appeals for his missions and his Seminaries in India. The bishop said that Pope John Paul II urged him to turn away no one, not a single vocation or applicant for the Seminary.

Army and Air Force News

Thompson

Tech. Sgt. Robert E. Thompson, son of Pauline M. Thompson of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. and husband of former Brenda Cler, has been decorated with the Air Force Achievement Medal in Portugal.

The Achievement Medal is awarded to airmen for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other accomplishments.

Thompson is a medical administration supervisor with the U.S. Air Force Hospital.

His wife, Brenda, is the daughter of Armella Cler and the late Werner Cler of Muenster.

Ashley

Air Force Lt. Col. Raymond W. Ashley, son of Noble P. and Velma R. Ashley of Saint Jo, has been decorated with the Meritorious Service Medal at Carswell Air Force Base.

The Meritorious Service Medal is awarded specifically for outstanding non-combat meritorious achievement or service to the United States.

Ashley is chief of logistics plans division with the 7th Bombardment Wing.

His wife, Cecilia, is the daughter of Herman and Lenora Boyd of Gordon, Texas.

Perry

Pvt. Alan L. Perry, son of Judson E. and Bobbie J. Perry of Muenster, has completed the UH-1 helicopter repair course at the U.S. Army Aviation School, Fort Rucker, Ala.

The course is designed to provide enlisted personnel with a working knowledge in organizational, direct and general support maintenance on the UH-1 helicopter. Personnel are trained in the duties of crew chief and record keeper.

His wife, Melissa, is the daughter of Bob Mitchell of Nocona, Texas.

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A PARLOR RECITAL was presented by three piano students of Mrs. Juanita Bright, in her home on Sunday, July 6, at 1 p.m. Guests included parents, grandparents, brothers, sisters, relatives and friends. Shown in the photo with Mrs. Bright are, l to r, Andrea Klement, Jennifer Carroll and Julia Fleitman. They are daughters of the Leon Klements, the Herman Carrolls and the John Dave Fleitmans, respectively.
Photo courtesy of Mrs. J.D. Fleitman

5 members of religious orders visit relatives

The Johnny Streng and Ed Schad families hosted the annual gathering of their brothers and sisters who are members of religious orders this past week. The Schad sisters from San Antonio stayed with the Strengs in Muenster during their visit. They included Sisters Liboria, Alma Sophie and Helen Margaret. Sister Vera Schad was unable to come this year due to illness. Brother John Schad and Father

Sylvester Schad are staying with the Ed Schads in Lindsay. Brother John is from Subiaco Abbey and Father Sylvester is from Corpus Christi Abbey. Brother James accompanied Father Sylvester from Corpus Christi to Lindsay. The special guests were treated to various dinners and lunches. The sisters left Tuesday for their return to San Antonio while Brother John left later in the week and Father Sylvester plans to stay for a while.

Fleitman family joins reunion in Gainesville

Mrs. August Fleitman and her family joined other relatives on July 6 for an annual family reunion held this year in Leonard Park of Gainesville. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Martin of Gainesville; Mrs. H.D. Young and daughter Tammy of Callisburg; Mrs. Danny Lambert and daughter Heather Jo of Woodbine; Mrs. August (Paula) Fleitman and daughters Jan, Melinda, Kerry and Kristen of

Muenster and a friend Tracy McCorkle of Collinsville. Also Linda and Troy Zackery of Dallas and friends Meria and Angie also of Dallas; Rexann Zackery of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snodgrass and son Robert; and Mark Richardson, all of Aubrey. The relatives enjoyed an afternoon of swimming, visiting and seeing the Zoo before returning to their homes.

Snow White on exhibit at wildlife park

GRAND PRAIRIE - Through the summer, visitors to the International Wildlife Park will have the opportunity to see a rare tiger before it is shipped to a new home in Europe. The white female is not an albino, but a unique color variation of the Bengal species. "She has blue eyes, and black and gray stripes on a beautiful white coat," said Ray Sutton, wildlife manager of the International Wildlife Park. Snow White, as she has been temporarily named by park employees, is one of approximately 80 white tigers known to exist in the world. She will most likely be renamed in her new home, and given a traditional East Indian name. Adjacent to Snow White's exhibit is the home of Prince, a normal-colored Bengal tiger. The young male is the offspring of a white tiger, and possesses the recessive genes to bear white cubs. "Part of our objective through

the summer is to slowly let Snow White and Prince get to know one another," said Sutton. "They are traveling to the same European facility, and will hopefully produce white cubs together." Tigers can be finicky felines, and do not always get along well with one another. In the wild they live and hunt alone, and only come in contact with one another to mate. The special exhibit at the International Wildlife Park contains two round enclosures for the cats, which are connected by a 'cat walk' of sorts. The enclosed walkway will enable Snow White and Prince to get accustomed to one another through a door before placing them together in a single enclosure. Because of their rarity, a single white tiger can be worth up to \$100,000. Sutton will accompany the tigers on their flight to Europe, and will have them conditioned to fly before they leave the ground.



RYAN LUKE
Ryan is four

Ryan Luke, son of George and Sharon Luke of Corpus Christi and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Luke of Muenster and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Voth, Jr. of Lindsay, celebrated his fourth birthday on May 22 with two parties. The first party was at pre-school with 11 classmates. Refreshments were a Big Chocolate Chip Cookie and Kool-Aid. On the same day, a second party was held in the evening at the family home with a hot dog supper and a He-Man birthday cake and decorated theme. Twelve friends helped him celebrate, including his little sister, Morgan. Special events were phone calls and gifts from his Luke and Voth grandparents.

News of the Sick

Guests of Victor Hartman on Tuesday were his son, Willard Hartman, accompanied by the latter's son, Michael, and friend, all of Killeen. They came to check on Victor's progress and returned home the same evening. Saturday guests last week were Edna Tompkins, checking on her dad, and a family friend, Janie Morrow, both of Arlington.

Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus is a medical patient at Denton Regional Medical Center, Westgate Hospital on Hwy. 1-35, Denton, TX 76201, since last week Thursday. She is showing improvement and is responding well to treatment. Cards will reach her addressed to Room 130-A.

S.N.A.P. Menus

July 22-24

Tues. - Chicken Fried Steak, potatoes and gravy, fried okra, jello, bread, butter, milk.
Wed. - Sweet and Sour Pork, rice, cole slaw, bread pudding with lemon sauce, bread, butter, milk.
Thurs. - Cheeseburgers with trimmings, French fries, ice cream, milk.
The following S.N.A.P. menu is published in advance of the date because The Enterprise will be closed for vacations next week. We

suggest S.N.A.P. members save this copy for reference.

S.N.A.P. Menu

July 29-31

Tues. - Sausage, sauerkraut, potatoes, peaches, homemade cinnamon sweet bread, butter, milk.
Wed. - Brisket, potatoes and gravy, carrots, fruit, bread, butter, milk.
Thurs. - Fish Nuggets, new potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, cantaloupe, homemade bread, butter, milk.

Billions available for home improvement loans

Most homeowners are unaware that regardless of their income there are federal, state and local programs that will help them repair and remodel their homes. Government at all levels recognizes that neighborhoods are the basis of life in our country. When a neighborhood deteriorates, many things happen both physically and socially. When the homes look shabby, a neighborhood seems more attractive to crime and criminals. An area in decline is like a spreading cancer. In order to keep and maintain the nation's housing and neighborhoods, government at all levels have programs to give homeowners money (that does not have to be repaid) for repairs or to lend them

money at below market levels or at no interest. In many areas, utility companies will either do energy conservation work free or at low cost and in other places will lend homeowners money at no interest to pay the contractor of their choice for the necessary work. In addition there are tax incentives to promote efficient energy use. These programs are not restricted to low-income people, slum areas or urban neighborhoods. Owners of single or multi-family dwellings are eligible. Most of the loans offer long terms and low payments. Some programs have no income ceiling and others allow income of as much as \$50,000 per year. There are even programs for which tenants are eligible and many allow loans to poor credit risks. In many areas,

people with disabilities can receive grants to pay for needed repairs such as access ramps and widening of doorways. Consumer Education Research Center, a national non-profit consumer group, has compiled a book listing loan and grant programs offered by all levels of government as well as utility companies and others. The book, Consumers Guide To Government Home Repair Grants and Loans, is available for \$9 from CERC Grants, 134 Evergreen Pl., East Orange, N.J. 07018. Since it is important that the work be done properly, the book includes a section describing the rough cost of the cost of many jobs as well as advice on picking a contractor and even negotiating a contract.

Silmon wins cash!

Danny Silmon is the lucky winner of \$1,000 cash, presented by Radio Station KEGL, Eagle 97, in Arlington. He was the very fortunate 97th caller, to identify a song played on the radio, and

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Forestburg News

by Myrt Denham

Landers reunion held July 12-13

It was the 33rd annual Lander's reunion that took place this past weekend in the new Community Center at Forestburg.

The special guests of honor were Bill and Lena Forrester of Odessa, Eunice Landers of Fort Worth, Robert and Jim Landers of Forestburg, Douglas Landers of Denton and Foy Farmer, husband of the late Mary Landers, of Mobeetie, Texas.

Other family members and friends attending were Charlene Dudley of Decatur, J.C. and Rama Lee Landers of Fort Worth; Mike, Claudia and Pleas Scott, Sherman and Kara Ann Mitchell, Norma and Charlie Chain and Jackie, Charles, Billie and Darla Kidinger, all of Wichita Falls; Shirley Cook Hampton and Billy and Melissa Ann Brackeen of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Thurman of Nocona; Robert and Bonnie Herring of Saint Jo; Sandy, Ronnie, Stacey, Judi, Sandra Crystal and Levi Landers of Roanoke; Shirley, Chris and Britt Landers of San Saba; Don and Annetti Landers, William, Mickie, Wesley, Todd and Rebecca Landers and Loyd, Betty and Brian Barrow, all of Watauga; Charles and Billie Cook of Midland; Beatrice Dill Pitchford, Jim Dill and family of Hurst; Gene Sawyer and Grace Sawyer of Lindsay, Okla.; Joy Dill of Saginaw; Lois Adams of Grand Prairie; Bobbie Landers Simmons of Colleyville; Sue Cook MacDonald of Dallas; Dianna Jones McCommas of Chandler, Okla.; Ouida Beavers of Bowie; Jo Lofton of Decatur; James, Denise and Amber Landers of Saint Jo; Peggy, Don, Brandon and Jeremy Howard of Fort Worth; Johnny, Cindy and Quentin Landers of Boyd; and Cliff, Cindy, Misty and Michael Johnson of Crowley, Texas. Forestburg folks that attended were as follows:

Junior and Claudine Landers, Bobbie Wylie, Terry Jan and Ricky Landers, Sheree and Kim Vannoy, Robbie, Amy, Rhet and Robert Baldwin, Homer, Linda and Jan Bell, Tina and Michael Mullins and Michael Forrester. ***

The little "side building" by the old Community Center has been sold and will be moved away. The money for it will be applied on the debts still owed on the new Community Center. Bob Herring of Saint Jo is now the new owner of this building. If you want more information on the matter, please contact Junior Landers.

The Forestburg School Board will meet at 7 p.m. Monday night, July 21, at the school house. The agenda for the meeting will be posted this week Thursday. So this gives you a chance to study it before the meeting.

From time to time until it is over, I will be reminding everyone of the sixth annual Watermelon Festival on Saturday, Aug. 23. Everyone, and that means all of you, is asked to tell friends near and far about this event. Also anyone wishing to have a booth at this festival, please contact Mrs. Larry (Becky) Scott for information, etc. I will add this item - if you plan to have a booth you might be thinking of bringing your shade-making equipment with you. More on this as time moves on.

Anyone out there in "Reader Land" that is interested in having a home in a small rural community just contact Larry or Debra Dill. They just might be able to help you. Rev. and Mrs. Chris Allen and children will be moving into the First United Methodist Parsonage in Saint Jo this week. Rev. Allen is pastor for both Saint Jo and Forestburg United Methodist Churches.

Charles Dill conducted the Sunday morning worship service at the Forestburg United Methodist Church. Charles did a fine job! Peryman Denham says that Charles missed his calling.

Mrs. Billie Poynor was watering some tomato plants at her home last Tuesday when she got bitten three times on her foot by a cop-

perhead. She was taken to Westgate Hospital in Denton by her niece, Mrs. Helen Steadham, and her daughter, Debra Dill. Have been told that Billie was dismissed from hospital last Friday and went home with her daughter, Mrs. Beverly Parnell of Dallas.

There have been many reports of copperheads being seen and killed all over the area this year. There seems to be more of the varmints this year than is common. So let us all be very careful.

Loveta and Clifton Bewley had as their lunch guests on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Byrd and baby of Nashville, Tenn. and R.L. Halford of Prairie Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dill and family made a trip up to Palo Duro Canyon to see the outdoor stage production of "Texas!" They left Sunday, July 6, spent that night in Memphis and then on to Canyon and Palo Duro on Monday. They met Mr. Dill's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Moore and girls, there and they all took in the play together. The Dills returned home via Floydada on Tuesday. In Floydada they visited with his aunt, Mrs. Ouida McCandless, and also Don and Darrell McCandless families.

Once again the monthly Ladies Luncheon was a success on Thursday at the old Community building. The next luncheon will be on Thursday, Aug. 14, and you are invited. So mark your calendar and make up your mind to attend. Those attending the last luncheon were Vera Mae McGee, Marion Sockwell, Mag Huckabay, Frances Brewer, Betty Jo Cook Dorothy Foster, Eula Fae Galmor, Mary Etta Foster, Myrtle M. Denham, Juanita Bailey, Wilma Thurman, Gene Links, Eunice Griffin, Loveta Bewley, Gladys Barclay, Bonnie Griffin, Melanie Griffin, Geneva Volkman, Cleta Reynolds and Debby Reynolds. Everyone really enjoyed the day with neighbors and friends plus all the good food.

Mrs. Vera Mae McGee accompanied the Bud Griffins to Wichita Falls on Thursday and stayed over till Saturday. On Saturday, she attended a pink and blue shower for her granddaughter, Milea Cuba, at the Holiday United Methodist Church. Vera Mae returned home Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Merle Hill of Bowie. Then on Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilkerson and their oldest daughter, Elaine McMillion, Jason, Heather and Nathan plus Karen Collier and son Brady, all of Wichita Falls, all spent the night with Vera Mae. Karen Collier is the daughter of the Kenneth Wilkersons. On Monday, the Wilkersons, the McMillions and Colliers all left for a vacation at Beaver's Bend, Arkansas. Might add here that Vera Mae celebrated her "39th and holding" birthday Monday, July 14.

Mrs. Joe Denham of Bowie Nursing Home spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Reynolds and their niece, Jo Ellen Gardner of San Leandro, Calif. Jo Ellen is also Mrs. Denham's niece. Judi and Ernie Moore and their two daughters spent most of last week camping out in the Taos-Red River area of New Mexico.

They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. J.W. White and Mrs. Nora Gartrell the weekend of July 11.

Ceil and Shelle Peryman are the proud, happy owners of a brand, spanking new Mercury. 'Tis one of those streamlined jobs - a very neat car indeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cummings of Quanah stopped by to visit with Veda and Barney Brogdon on Sunday. The Cummings were on their way to the Harvill Reunion in Saint Jo. Veda and Mrs. Cummings are sisters. Mrs. Cummings is Eli Harvill's mother, and Eli is the husband of the former Shirley (Moore) Lanier.

On Tuesday, Mona Interwitz of Gainesville visited with Veda and Barney. Mona and Veda were nurses together at the State School in Gainesville for five years. On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Steadham of Bowie were visitors in the Brogdon home as were the Duke Berrys.

Keith Dill, son of the Charles Dills, and Garrett Johnson, son of the Gary Johnsons, spent last week at a Methodist Youth Camp at Lake Bridgeport.

Ian Desmuke of Lake Dallas came up Sunday to spend this week with his grandparents, Rex and Billie Anderson.

Amy Hatcher spent the past weekend in Gainesville with her grandmother, Mrs. Frances Hatcher.

Juanita Greenead drove over to

Gainesville Saturday to meet and visit for about two hours with her friend, Cleo Higgenbotham of Waco. Cleo was on her way to meet a son, so she called Juanita to meet her in Gainesville. The two ladies were neighbors in Cleburne.

It was a business, shopping and "this and that" day in Denton Wednesday for Dorothy Foster.

Mrs. Cornelia Holzbog, Beth, Doug and Rhonda Ratliff spent the past weekend at Thousand Trails on Lake Texoma. Thousand Trails is close to Whitesboro. The group returned home Monday.

Mrs. Don Farrell and Scott and Mrs. Don Parks and sons got together Sunday evening and drove over to eat dinner at The Center in Muenster.

The Forestburg Church of Christ had a dinner in the old Community building after church services on Sunday. A nice crowd was present for much good fun and fellowship.

Bennett and Jimmy Joe Reynolds' brother, Jerry, and wife of California are to be here for a visit this coming weekend. Some of you will remember Jerry and might wish to call and say "hello."

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood

of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hudspeth. They all had noon-time dinner with the Dale Hudspeth family.

A number of Forestburg young folks have started swimming lessons at the Muenster swimming pool on this Monday. They are Scott Farrell, Garrett and Lance Johnson, Brady Dill, Kody Dill, Keith Dill, Keisha Dill, Amanda Eldridge and Joe Eldridge. Now if I've missed some, I'm sorry.

This writer and husband, Perryman, spied Millie Reynolds and Jo Ellen Gardner having dinner (supper) at the Capitol Club in Montague Saturday evening.

Henry Berry of Nocona called on his folks, Dude and Bula Mae Berry, this past Saturday. Bula Mae is not feeling well at all here of late. She has been rather ill since the last part of last week.

Wayne Thompson of Dye Mound is a patient in the Muenster Memorial Hospital at this writing. He hopes to be able to return home by Thursday of this week.

Before I forget - found out about another birthday this month of July. Mag Huckabay will be

celebrating another one come Tuesday, July 29.

Now that it is hot and dry, the complaints are about the hot weather and no rain. Well, all of you wish we could get some of those rains we were all complaining about in June?

Mrs. Stella Bost of Oklahoma City was a houseguest of Mrs. Norma (Orrell) Morley all of last week.

Christy and Bonnie Greenwood of Sunset were visitors with their uncle and family, the Truman Greenwoods of Denton from Wednesday to Saturday.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Please remember to continue sending your news items to Myrt Denham. The Muenster Enterprise will be closed for vacations next week, but all your news will be included the week of July 28-Aug. 1.)

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Rosston News

by Ruth Smith

July 19 is Sam Bass Day

The Sixth Annual Celebration of Sam Bass Pioneer Day will be Saturday, July 19, 1986.

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This is sponsored by the Rosston Volunteer Fire Department. Fire Chief Herbert Richardson, the directors and officers of the fire department and the community invite everyone to come and enjoy the day.

Quilters are reminded to bring their thimbles and visit under the shade during the Quilting Bee on Saturday, July 19, 1986 at Sam Bass Pioneer Day, Rosston, Texas.

The Rosston Volunteer Fire Department wishes to **Thank everyone** for coming and helping to clean up the grounds for Sam Bass Pioneer Day July 19, 1986.

The annual Fortenberry reunion was held at Decatur July 13, 1986 in the community building. Some 70 descendants of the late Aunt Kate Fortenberry were in attendance. Coming from Oklahoma, Valley View, Slidell, Boyd, Hurst, Saint Jo, Decatur, Greenwood, Fort Worth, Sanger and Henrietta. A lot of delicious food was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Fortenberry recently have built a new home in Slidell and moved in May 20.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Evelyn Brown were Mrs. Loney Boyd of Forestburg, Tommy and Patsy Skinner of Gainesville. After church, Evelyn visited Mrs. Irene Harry and her guests, Mrs. Maxine Peers and Mrs. Montez Nivens and Mrs. Corvillia Robeson.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian had as their guests Monday and Monday night Fred Christian and son Brady of Stephenville. Brady remained for a longer visit and returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. Marilyn McKown, Kristin, Kimberly and Casey of Valley View visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin were Gainesville visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Amis,

Christopher and Amber of Allen, Texas visited July 4 with the T.J. Amis's at Era and Mrs. Estelle Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Ewing went to Farmers Branch Wednesday and returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Addcock of Borger have moved into their new home at Prairie Point. They purchased it from Brad Roach.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Martin had as their guests during the weekend Sid, Mike, Skeeter and Teddy Cason, all of Gainesville, Saturday. Then on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cason of Gainesville, Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Mary Lou Edwards, Mrs. Sheron West, Mrs. Mary Greenfield and Ashley, all of Alvord.

Tuesday, July 6, Mrs. Estelle Kelley met her daughter, Mrs. Don Kelsey, and J.T. and her two foster children of Sanger and they drove over to Gainesville to visit the zoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley and Sissie were in Gainesville Saturday.

Mrs. Mae Fletcher of Marietta, Linda and Bill Lee of Thackerville visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cook Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley went to Trades Day at Bowie Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E.B. Fortenberry spent from Thursday to Monday in the Muenster Memorial Hospital. While there, she was visited by her daughter, Mrs. Gina Morris of San Antonio, who spent three days here.

Mrs. Estelle Kelley went to Era Saturday afternoon and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Amis to

Gainesville, where they had dinner out at the Golden Corral.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson went to Montague Saturday where she visited Mrs. Carol Jakse and family and then they drove over to Bowie to Trades Day.

Miss Lois Bewley visited Mrs. Bertha Bewley in Muenster and Mrs. Essie Agee in Saint Jo Tuesday.

Mrs. Estelle Kelley visited Mrs. Emma Steadman in Forestburg Friday.

Mrs. Joyce Hanson visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Call and family in Gainesville Sunday. She helped her granddaughter, Anne, celebrate her fifth birthday.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown was in Denton Monday for a checkup with her doctor and got a good report. On her way home, she stopped in Krum for a visit with a longtime friend, Mrs. Opal Ashley.

Lanny Kelley of Era visited his mother, Mrs. Estelle Kelley Saturday morning. Then they drove over to Bowie to attend Trades Day.

Harold Brown of Era visited his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Brown, Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutson visited Miss Lois Bewley, Clyde and Lonnie Sunday evening.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown was in Forestburg and Bowie Saturday on business. Then came by New Harp, then on down by where the old Rush Creek School used to be. Now a beautiful brick home stands where the schoolhouse was. Then she stopped by for a visit with friends, Ola Mae and Erwin Sands. Then over to Greenwood where she visited her cousins, Anna and Ben Young.

Mrs. Estelle Kelley attended an Allette Cosmetic demonstration at the home of Mrs. Gail Kelley Tuesday evening.

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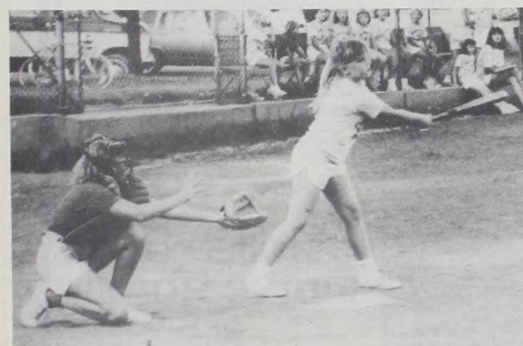
BABY DOLLS - l to r, front - DeAnna Hess, Lisa Lippe, Kerri Barnhill, Brandi Grewing, DeAnn Bayer, Jennifer Walter; middle - Donetta Hess, Christin Cain, April Trubenbach, Jami Flusche, Jennifer Lippe, Joy Tisdale, Melissa Miller; back - Coaches Nancie Lippe, Julie Fisher. NOT PICTURED: Coach Dolle Pagel. Photo by Janie Hartman



JABBER JAWS - l to r, front - Misty Knabe, Kelly Wimmer, Sabrina Trubenbach, Amy Otto, Candise Abney, Tonya Knabe; middle - Julie Felderhoff, Mandy Barnhill, Amy Fisher, Melissa Fisher, ReaAnn Walterscheid, Sally Fisher; back - Coaches Vicki Fisher, Shirley Knabe, Roberta Walterscheid. NOT PICTURED: Lisa Russell. Photo by Janie Hartman



JODY FELDERHOFF, teeballer for the Tweety Birds, waits for a hit to run home. Photo by Janie Hartman



SABRINA TRUBENBACH HITS a fly ball for the Jabber Jaws. Stephanie Wimmer hindcatches for the Daredevils. Photo by Janie Hartman

Mourning dove survey shows production gain

AUSTIN - After several years of decline, mourning dove production appears to be significantly improved in 1986, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department reports. Ron George, dove program leader, said surveys indicate a 26 percent increase in the statewide mourning dove breeding population over 1985. "This represents the first time since 1980 that dove populations have been above the long-term average," George said, adding that numbers are approximately 10 percent above that level. Data for dove population estimates are compiled by call-count surveys conducted along 15-

mile routes. Numbers of doves heard calling at listening stations located at one-mile intervals are recorded, George said. In addition to the increase in the statewide estimate, increases also were noted in nine of the state's 10 ecological regions. George said similar surveys conducted in other states comprising the Central Management Unit indicate a 2.1 percent increase in mourning dove breeding populations over 1985. The department recently completed surveys in the Lower Rio Grande Valley which indicate the

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LITTLE LEAGUE News and Notes

T-BALL RESULTS TUESDAY, JULY 8

Tweety Birds, 23 Gremlins, 12
Firecrackers, 8 Heaven's Delights, 7
Firecrackers, 20 Wuzzles, 17
Wuzzles, 19 Gremlins, 17

Tweety Birds, 16 Heaven's Delights, 11

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK
Cody Sicking, Jeremy Walterscheid, Tweety Birds
David Hesse, Wuzzles

Royce Knabe, Heaven's Delights

JUNIOR LEAGUE RESULTS

THURSDAY, JULY 10

Daredevils, 7 Baby Dolls, 2
Daredevils, 23 Jabber Jaws, 18
Jabber Jaws, 17 Baby Dolls, 17
Baby Dolls, 19 Daredevils, 11

T-BALL ALL-STARS

Heaven's Delights - Scott Frost, Scott Poole, Greg Flusche
Gremlins - Crystal Klement, Eric Miller, Justin Camp
Tweety Birds - Cody Sicking, Delana Endres, Jamie Hellman
Wuzzles - James Klement, Jason Sicking, Paul Swirczynski
JUNIOR LEAGUE ALL-STARS
Baby Dolls - Michelle Walter, Jennifer Lippe, DeAnn Bayer, Jamie Flusche, April Trubenbach, DeAnn Hess
Jabber Jaws - Tonya Knabe, Mandy Barnhill, Kelly Wimmer, Misty Knabe, Candise Abney

Soccer camps set for next two weeks

Girls' Soccer Camp starts next week, July 21-25, 8 a.m. to 12:00 noon, at Sacred Heart School practice field. Campers must bring registration form and \$25.00 fee, and their own drinking water. Boys' Soccer Camp will start the following week, July 28-Aug. 1, with the same requirements.



JAKE McCOY SWINGS and hits the ball. Tweety Bird Coach Tammy Grewing watches. Photo by Janie Hartman



DAREDEVIL PITCHER CHER MOSTER pitches one over the plate. Photo by Janie Hartman



DAREDEVILS - l to r, front - Bria Miller, Delana Walterscheid, Stacie Cler, Stephanie Wimmer, Christi Yosten, Cherie Moster, Dianne Pagel; middle - Jennifer Fuhrmann, Sabrina Fuhrmann, Amy Fette, Stephanie Grewing, Lori Graham, Lori Klement, Amy Sturm; back - Coaches Barbie Walterscheid and Nancy Sicking. Photo by Janie Hartman

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"Ol' Ladies" Softball

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Ladies wishing to participate should contact Sharon or Cootie at Tops & Teams at 759-2540.

Games are scheduled for Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

Schedule and teams will be listed in the next Muenster Enterprise.

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Randy Reiter, Tim Endres, Dale Hellman. NOT PICTURED: Nick Walterscheid, Mark Felderhoff, Cory Klement, Andy Serna and Chris Stoffels.

Photo by Janie Hartman

3 local men's slowpitch teams sweep Muenster tournament

The three men's slowpitch softball teams from Muenster swept the Old Milwaukee Tournament in Muenster last weekend. Old Mill Light won the tournament, defeating Nolen 15-4, 4-Jay 5-1, Bud Light 9-7 and 9-6. Bud Light finished second and Miller Lite finished third.

Members of the Old Mill Light team are: Steve Henscheid, Tim Endres, Nick Walterscheid, John Monday (coach), Larry Gobble, Glenn Walterscheid, Tim Felderhoff, Dale Hellman, Mark Felderhoff, Cory Klement, Randy Reiter, Brian Bednorz, Andy Serna, Chris Stoffels, Neil Walterscheid.

Members of the Bud Light team are: Todd Richey, Terry Walterscheid, Mel Walterscheid, Craig Walterscheid, Kenny Hartman, Mike Heffron, Phil Wolf, Joe Reeves, Kirk Mollenkopf, Jay Mollenkopf, David Felderhoff, Mike Hesse, Angelo Nasche, Monty Endres, Darrell Herr, Jack Lee and Adam Wolf (coach).

Members of the Miller Lite team are: Dale Swirczynski, Ricky Swirczynski, John Schneider, Tim Schneider, Tim Herr, Brian Herr, Dave Flusche, Tom Flusche, Bob-by Endres, Roger Endres, Bob Hermes, Bob Hartman, Kim

Walterscheid, Jim Endres (coach), Carl Walterscheid (coach).

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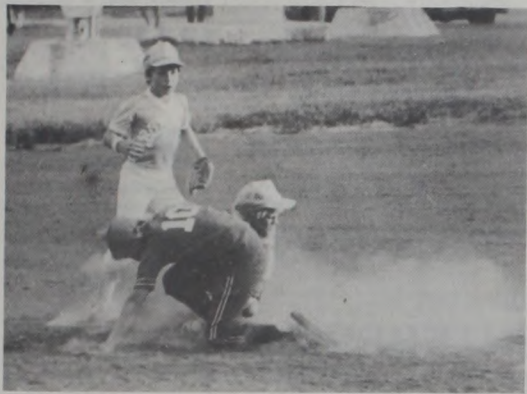
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Lake Lewisville produces 2nd record catfish

LEWISVILLE - The lake that produced the state rod and reel record for flathead catfish during 1982 has done it again.

William Stephens of Lewisville was fishing below the Lake Lewisville spillway on June 2 when he caught a 98-pound flathead catfish on casting tackle and a slab spoon. Stephens' fish beats a 91-pound, four-ounce flathead caught in the lake proper by another Lewisville resident, Mike Rogers, four years ago.

Stephens told the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department he landed the big fish with 20-pound-test line. The flathead measured 54 inches long and 36 inches in girth.

Lake Lewisville is located in Denton County just north of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex.

Rangers are Little League champions

Last week's completion of Little League regular play tied the season's standing, with the three teams, Budweiser and Rangers all tied with three wins and three losses apiece.

Play-off action started Sunday, July 13, with Bayer's defeating Budweiser 11-9 in the first round. Monday night's game eliminated Budweiser after they were outscored 10-9 by the Rangers, giving Budweiser 3rd place.

John Nasche's Rangers pulled out a 14-12 victory over Bayers

Tuesday night to earn the Muenster championship.

The season was close and competitive. For example, third place Budweiser, in regular play, lost three games by only five runs.

Friday night, July 18, the Muenster All-Stars take on Saint Jo's All-Stars at Boggess Park in Saint Jo at 7 p.m.

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Proceeds benefit "Meals On Wheels" and other services of the Bowie Senior Citizen Center.

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— DOVE —

white-winged dove situation also is on the upswing, and a whitewing hunting season is proposed for the first two weeks in September. The Parks and Wildlife Commission will adopt dove hunting seasons and bag limits when it meets in Austin July 24.

Proposed whitewing season dates for the Special White-winged Dove Area are Sept. 6-7 and 13-14. The proposed bag limit is 10 white-winged, mourning and white-tipped doves, not to include more than two mourning and two white-tipped doves. Shooting hours would be noon to sunset.

The proposed season dates for mourning doves are: North Zone, Sept. 1-Nov. 9; Central Zone, Sept. 1-Oct. 30 and Jan. 3-12, 1987; South Zone, Sept. 20-Nov. 18 (ends Nov. 14 in the Special White-winged Dove Area), and Jan. 3-12, 1987. Mourning dove shooting hours are proposed for 30 minutes before sunrise to sunset.

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I am very grateful and would like to thank all who sent get well wishes and flowers while I was a patient in the hospital. Thanks to all who visited and special thanks to everyone who offered prayers for my recovery.

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Emil Rohmer
7-18-86

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Wanda Sue Bohot, Johnny Whitt, John Bohot, "and to All It May Concern", Respondent;

GREETINGS:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable 235 District Court, Cooke County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Gainesville, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Robert L. Plumley and Sharon K. Plumley, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 10th day of July, 1986, against Wanda Sue Bohot, Johnny Whitt, John Bohot, and to All It May Concern, Respondent, and said suit being numbered 86-362 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In the Interest of John Lee Whitt, April Michelle Bohot and Joshua Ray Bohot, minor children, the nature of which suit is a request to appoint petitioners managing conservators of the children. John Lee Whitt born January 28, 1979 in Denton County, Texas; April Michelle Bohot born on September 14, 1982 in Denton County, Texas; Joshua Ray Bohot was born on November 7, 1984, in Pontotoc, OK.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the children's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with the authority to consent to the children's adoption.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

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FARM AND RANCH NEWS



Forage inventory can help producers

A forage inventory can be used by some livestock producers to help them plan to make better use of their grassland resources.

Robbie Davis, Soil Conservationist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation District at Gainesville, said SCS conservationists help producers make the inventories.

"In making an inventory, we study four things," Davis said. "First, we analyze the kinds of forage available pasture by pasture or field by field. Then we estimate the amount of forage each pasture, field and species will produce.

"Next, we analyze the quality of those forages and the season of

availability of each. Some plants are more palatable and more nutritious at different times of the year and we consider that in the inventory."

Often, minor adjustments can be made in grazing management that will improve the quality and quantity of forage for livestock.

Davis said forage inventories can also reveal the need for some kind of grazing plan that will permit some pastures to be deferred from grazing during part of the growing season.

"A grazing plan can be as simple as closing one gate for a few weeks to give one pasture a short rest, or it can be very elaborate," Davis said.

"But the point is, most grassland can be improved by a good planned grazing system."

Research has indicated that 60 to 70 percent of the total available forage is wasted in a continuous grazing system where livestock are allowed to pick and choose what they want to eat daily. Under this system, many plants are never grazed while a few are grazed repeatedly.

A simple rotational grazing system reduces the amount of wasted forage to 40 to 50 percent.

Under intensive grazing management, only 30 percent of the available forage is wasted. This is twice as efficient as continuous

grazing.

"But the intensive systems are not for everybody," Davis stressed. "They require daily supervision and not everyone has the time to watch the forage and livestock every day."

"Rotating one herd of livestock through two, three or four pastures - over time - can greatly improve grassland and improves the efficiency of forage use."

Wildlife should always be considered in making forage inventories and in designing grazing systems, Davis said. Sometimes, simple adjustments can be made that will greatly benefit wildlife resources.

Contour farming lessen soil loss due to erosion

"Farming sloping land in such a way that plowing, preparing land, planting and cultivating is done on the contour is a very important practice," states John Holt, Soil Conservation Technician with the Soil Conservation Service in Gainesville. Most of the fields that are farmed to grain sorghum, corn or cotton have been terraced in the past. These fields were bedded and planted with the terrace contour. However, new planters have evolved with the capability of planting in large amounts of residue. These planters can plant flat without bedding.

Occasionally, the multirow planters do not fit between the terraces correctly and the rows are planted obliquely over the terraces, or up and down the slopes. This is where the trouble starts. Each row carries water from heavy rains down the slope and cuts the terraces in many

places. Without the terraces to safely walk the water off the field, erosion occurs. When this happens, terraces must be rebuilt and gullies shaped and filled. This is expensive, but the major damage has been the valuable topsoil washed from the field. It would have been cheaper to make the planter fit the terraces or vice-versa.

The Universal Soil-Loss Equation is used to compute soil loss from various methods of land treatment. The soil loss computed from not farming on the contour is double that of contour farming. "Observations of fields that were not farmed on the contour this spring really verify the soil loss increase," states Holt.

Contact your local SCS office for assistance on contour farming, terraces, waterways and other soil-saving practices.

County Agent's Report

by Craig Rosenbaum

Five minutes of standing out in the July sun should give any gardener a clearer understanding of what summer stress is all about.

Although plants are considerably more tolerant of summer's heat than people, make no mistake about it; they do suffer from summer's heat and dry weather.

Summer can be a difficult time for plants in the home environment. Ornamental plants in home areas are more susceptible to summer's stress than the same plants growing in their natural environments. This is due to the presence of more paved areas, concrete and asphalt, high temperatures, soil compaction and restricted root zones.

You and I stay cool in the hot summer sun by perspiring. Our plants do about the same thing, but we call it transpiration. Plant leaves, like our skin, are covered with thousands of tiny pores. Their leaf pores, like the pores on our skin, allow water to evaporate and cool the surface of the plant foliage.

On hot summer days, plants lose many gallons of water through their leaves by transpiration. A large tree, for example, can lose as much as 100 gallons of water a day. Some trees are much more efficient than others when it comes to absorbing water from the soil and holding it in their leaves. Thus, some trees give up (transpire) water at a slower rate.

When soil moisture becomes depleted and plants are losing water faster than they can replace it, the plant will wilt and suffer. If a plant is allowed to stay in a wilted condition, or if vital plant activities are slowed down for too long due to

high temperatures and water loss, the plant will show signs of summer stress.

Trees and shrubs may respond to summer stress in a number of ways. High moisture-requiring trees, such as sycamore or cottonwood, may shed their leaves, much as in autumn. Others may hold on to their leaves, but the leaf margins may become dry, brittle and brown. We call this leaf scorch. Lots of elm, sycamore and cottonwood trees are plagued by this condition now.

What's the cure for summer stress? Water is summer's key to health and survival for your plants. Don't forget to water and water well, in the absence of soaking rains. Do not spray the foliage of plants! Use lots of mulch to hold moisture in. Try to water in early morning where watering times are not restricted.

Most plants will live through periods of high summer temperatures, dry weather and summer's stresses; but you can make their summer living a bit more tolerable if you are generous with the water you provide them.

On another note, cicadas are appearing in trees at this time. The population should increase in number and so will the noise. Also at this time there is a large wasp appearing in yards, flower beds, etc. which is black and yellow-striped. The wasp is from one and one half to two and a half inches long. These wasps kill cicadas and bury them in the soil. They use them as food source for their young. They normally will not sting people unless they are picked up. Sevin dusted around the holes will kill them if this becomes necessary, otherwise let them catch cicadas.

Farm Bureau endorses reform

The board of directors of the Texas Farm Bureau has endorsed the Senate version of the tax reform measures now being considered by the House-Senate conference committee.

Texas Farm Bureau supports the Senate version of tax reform, the board announced, provided the final bill:

- Keeps individual tax rates of 15 and 27 percent;
- Permits the self-employed to deduct payments of premiums for health and insurance policies;
- Allows farmers and ranchers to use income average;
- Retains the present law regarding deductions for multi-year soil conditioners such as fertilizers (as provided in the Senate version);
- Adopts the House bill treatment of capital gains;
- Allows carry-forward of the full value of all unused investment tax credits (as contained in the House bill);
- Permits timber producers to continue treating proceeds from the sale of timber as capital gains.

The TFB board urged Farm Bureau members to contact their congressmen in support of the Senate bill.

Ft. Worth calf scramble opportunity for 4-H

A 4-H and FFA Calf Scramble will be added to the 1987 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show. As it stands now, a youngster must have reached his/her 12th, but not the 18th, birthday on Jan. 1, 1987, and not be enrolled beyond the Junior year in high school to be eligible for the scramble. A certificate worth \$400 toward the purchase of a beef or

dairy calf will be awarded.

Twenty-four 4-H'ers from this district will be chosen to scramble at the rodeo performance during the show in January/February of 1987.

If you are interested, contact the County Extension Office immediately and we will send you a copy of the calf scramble rules and an application, which will need to be returned as soon as possible.

Market Report

by Bill Hamer

The past week's sale tally at the Muenster Livestock Auction was 1,022 cattle and 54 hogs. Stocker and feeder cattle were \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher; cows and bulls were steady to strong; while hogs were \$.50 to \$1.00 lower.

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- SHURFRESH JUMBO FRANKS 1-LB. \$1.09
- OSCAR MAYER REG. OR BEEF SLICED BOLOGNA 8 OZ. PKG. 99¢
- SHENANDOAH GROUND TURKEY 1-LB. PKG. 89¢
- SILVER SPUR RIMLESS SLICED SLAB BACON 1 LB. \$1.89

FISCHER'S GRAIN FED HEAVY BEEF EXTRA LEAN
BONELESS TOP SIRLOIN STEAK
\$2.89
LB.

SMOKED CHEDDAR CHEESE
\$1.87
LB.



- FISCHER'S SMOKED BRATWURST LB. \$1.99
- FISCHER'S ALL BEEF SMOKED SAUSAGE LB. \$1.89
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- FISCHER'S BRAUNSCHWEIGER LB. 99¢
- FISCHER'S GRAIN FED HEAVY BEEF SPECIAL TRIM BONELESS BRISKET LB. \$1.39
- FISCHER'S FAMILY PACK PORK CHOPS LB. \$1.59

Star-Kist
CHUNK LIGHT TUNA IN OIL OR WATER IN SPRING WATER
CHUNK LIGHT TUNA
6.5 OZ. CAN
68¢

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68¢

SHURFRESH ALL VARIETIES SLICED LUNCH MEAT 12 OZ. \$1.09

- AMERICAN BEAUTY FLOUR 5 LB. 99¢
- HUNT'S TOMATO SAUCE 8 OZ. 4 FOR \$1.00
- PRICE SAVER TOMATOES 16 OZ. 39¢
- DEL MONTE CATSUP 32 OZ. \$1.19
- JEWEL SHORTENING 42 OZ. \$1.39
- WESSON OIL 48 OZ. \$2.45
- INSTANT NESTEA 3.6 OZ. \$2.79
- TEXIZE PINE MAGIC CLEANER 22 OZ. \$1.29
- JOY LIQUID 22 OZ. \$1.29
- LUCKY LEAF APPLE JUICE 32 OZ. 99¢

SOFT-N-PRETTY BATH TISSUE
ASST'D 4 ROLL \$1.09



ASST'D FLAVORS GATORADE THIRST QUENCHER
32 OZ. SIZE **79¢**

SHOWBOAT PORK AND BEANS
3 16 OZ. CANS \$1.00



SCOTT ASST'D JUMBO TOWELS
EA. **69¢**



SHURFRESH GRADE "A" MEDIUM EGGS
"STRICTLY FRESH" DOZEN
39¢

PRICE SAVER VEGETABLES
CUT GREEN BEANS
W. K. OR C. S. CORN
SWEET PEAS
YOUR CHOICE!
16-17 OZ. CANS
4 \$1.00

SUPER VALUE

COCA COLA
6 PACK - 12 OZ.
\$1.69

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FRESH OR SPICE 2.26 OZ. SIZE **\$2.29**

VISINE A. C. ALLERGY AND COLD EYE DROPS .5 OZ. SIZE **\$2.49**



ASSORTED VARIETIES REVLON FLEX
16 OZ. CONDITIONER
16 OZ. SHAMPOO
12 OZ. FLEX NET
8 OZ. MOUSSE
CHOICE! EACH

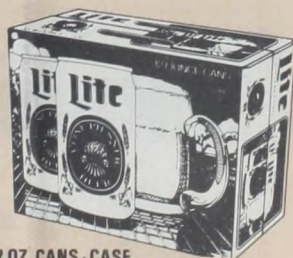
\$1.39

CITRUS HILL ORANGE JUICE
LIMIT 2 PLEASE
16 OZ. CAN **99¢**

SUPER VALUE

- VELVEETA SHELL CHEESE DINNER 12 OZ. SIZE \$1.19
- HONEY BOY PINK SALMON 15.5 OZ. \$1.69
- KAL KAN ASSORTED DOG FOOD 5 14 OZ. CANS \$2.00
- OSZARKA DISTILLED OR SPARKLING DRINKING WATER 3 75' OFF LABEL 1-GAL. SIZE \$1.00
- CHEER DETERGENT 72 OZ. BOX \$2.99

MILLER Lite
\$9.49



24 - 12 OZ. CANS - CASE

FROZEN FOODS DEPARTMENT!

- SHURFINE WHOLE STRAWBERRIES 16 OZ. PKG. \$1.19
- BLUE BELL ASST. FLAVORS ICE CREAM 1/2 GAL. **\$2.99**
- SHURFINE ICE CREAM SANDWICHES DELICIOUS! 6 PAK 79¢
- COB CORN SHURFINE GOLDEN SWEET 4 EAR \$1.19
- ORE-IDA REGULAR OR GOLDEN CRINKLE FRENCH FRIES 2 LB. PKG. **\$1.39**



FOX DELUXE ASST. PIZZA
CHOICE OF TOPPING!
9 OZ. SIZE **69¢**

Farm Fresh



CALIF. TENDER CELERY LARGE STALK **49¢**

SUPER SELECT CUCUMBERS 4 FOR \$1.00

BAKER BUSSET POTATOES 3 LBS. \$1.00

FRESH WHITE MUSHROOMS 8 OZ. PKG. 99¢



FRESH, JUICY CANTALOUPE LBS. **25¢**

DELICIOUS CASABA MELONS LB. 59¢

TROPICAL TREAT KIWI FRUIT 2 FOR 89¢

MIX OR MATCH! FRESH CALIF. GRAPES
• THOMPSON SEEDLESS
• FLAME RED SEEDLESS

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69¢
LB.

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