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This masked man provided entertainment for a bit while he stumped the crowd as to his identity. Above, the masked man, Jerry Moore, tries to convince Janice Koetting that she knows him.

Texas Voters To Elect Governor In Election

Voters may not have boned up on the issues involved in this year's governor's race, but they can't have missed the mud slinging as politicians make their final appeals before the Nov. 4 General Election.

Texans have a second chance to vote for either White or Clements, both having held the office and both pitted against each other for a second time.

Doug Seal of Wellington will try to regain a Democratic seat in the nation's Congress by challenging incumbent Republican Beau Boulter.

Closer to home, incumbent Buck Buchanan of Dumas will be challenged for his seat in the State House of Representatives by Dick Waterfield a Republican, from Canadian. The race will fill the position for the 88th District.

In Carson County, Democratic candidates will appear on the ballot unopposed for the top county positions. They include for Carson County Judge Jay R. Roselius; County Clerk, Sue Persons; Treasurer, Peggy Butler and Max Wade, Justice of Peace, Precinct 5.

Write-in campaigns have been waged for several positions in Carson County government including for Justice of the Peace positions in Precincts 1 and 6

and commissioner's races in White Deer and Panhandle.

The incumbent Pleasant Meadows, Precinct 4 commissioner, will vie to keep his seat by write-in vote against the Primary Election winner in the race, Lee Lockridge.

The Commissioner's race for Precinct 2 will pit Democratic winner Chock Smith

against Republican challenger C.E. Williams. Richard Robinson will also run as a write-in candidate.

Sharon Harper, Justice of the Peace in Precinct 6 faces the same type race having won the Primary Election to again face her challenger Dutch Smith a write-in candidate.

J.W. Mangum of Panhandle has also asked for write-in votes pursuing the JP's seat held in Precinct 1 by Buddy Davis, a Democrat. Davis ran unopposed in the Primary Election.

Ballots will be cast on Tuesday, Nov. 4. Voting in Groom will be at St. Mary's Parish Hall. Polls will open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

City Officials Set Halloween

City officials this week designated Saturday, Nov. 1, for "Trick or Treating" in the city neighborhoods.

Since the holiday falls on Friday this year, an evening reserved for football games in these parts, Saturday seemed the logical solution to insure no little trick or treaters miss the holiday.

The City asks that spooks and goblins only visit those home with porch light lit, signifying the household wishes to participate in the custom.

Groom's Sales Tax Down Says Bullock

Groom's annual sales tax figures have fallen behind by 10.63 percent according to figures released this month by the State Comptroller. The City of Groom received just \$8.63 less in this payment that they did a year ago according to the report reflecting payments made on August sales.

All other Carson County towns showed increased in sales tax reporting for the year with Panhandle at 13 percent, White Deer 4 percent and Skellytown 71 percent. Overall the county showed a healthy 17 percent increase. Gray county's reporting was off by 10 percent.

Checks totaling \$55.4 million in local sales tax were sent to 1,033 cities that levy the one-percent city sales said Bullock. "Payments to date for 1986 were down .6 percent as compared to the payments to date in October last year. The decrease in the checks is a continuing reflection of the downturn in the Texas economy," he said.

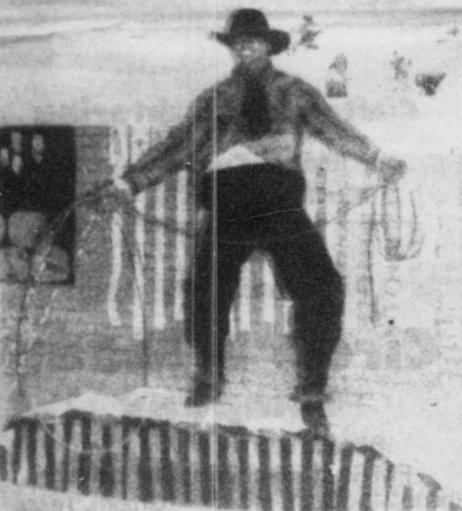
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Football Contest Winners Selected

Winners in the football contest missed two games each but all picked their home team, Groom, to win. Karen Case claims first place picking her points at 28. Bill Pavlovsky wins second place out right with a 24 point guess. Halee Kotara was the only other contestant to miss only two games.

Matches most missed were College upsets Penn State over Alabama and Colorado over Nebraska.

Contestants missing only three picks were Robert Homer, Jimbo Brown, Barney Davis, Staci Kotara, Larry Meeks, Joe Homer Marcia Conrad, Mary Howard, Billie Bivens, Jimmy Britten, John Koetting, Pat Ashford, N.B. Helton, Phillip Endland, Jeff Fields, Rebecca Britten and Jay Britten.



Large Crowd Enjoys Halloween Carnival

The PTO Halloween Costume Parade and Carnival held Saturday night was fun and successful according to a spokesman for the group. A large crowd gathered inside the school cafeteria at 6:30 for the parade of costumes. A long

line of kids from the cafeteria door down the hall and around the corner waited their turn to enter the cafeteria where emcee, Steve Hutsell, announced their name and costume identity. The Welcome Witch, Donna

Community Calendar

Memorial Donations or endowment funds for renovation of Groom Hospital may be made to "Groom Community Center Building Fund", P.O. Box 539, Groom, Texas 79039.

Auction of items from Groom Hospital will be Nov. 8 sponsored by the Groom Economic Development Corporation.

Festival of Trees is being planned for the first week in December. Make plans to participate. Further details as they become available.

Groom Tigers travel to Kress for game at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 31.

Groom Area Clinic is open on Tuesday evenings, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Call 248-4461 to make appointment.

Groom Firemen remind residents that phone numbers will change Nov. 8. The Emergency Number for Groom will be 248-7311. The department plans to have new labels printed for your phone.

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Saturday night!



Tuesday Grain Prices At Local Elevators

Cash prices on grain posted at grain elevators serving the Groom area Tuesday afternoon:

WHEAT \$2.16 bushel
MILO \$2.55 cwt.
CORN \$2.60 cwt.

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Local Happenings

Nellie Ford and Josephine Britten have been dismissed from the Pampa Hospital.

Mrs. Glynn D Harrell and Bertha Knight attended a Carson County Board and Staff meeting at the library at Panhandle Wednesday morning, Oct. 22.

Those enjoying dinner Sunday in the home of Edna Terbush were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cox, Micah and Caden, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leven and Rose and Sidney Mansel, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peters, Jason and Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leven, Heather and Willie and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cox, Johnathan and Brandi.

Jake and Vivian Lacy attended church at Canyon Sunday and visited relatives there and in Amarillo.

Johnathan Cox returned to Dumas to spend a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cox of Cactus.

Sharlene Lewis and Debbie Ervin visited in Plainview Tuesday with their great aunt, Sue Whatley. Mrs. Whatley recently underwent minor surgery.

Johnathan Cox celebrated his third birthday Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leven. Those enjoying cake and ice cream with him were his parents, Dale and Brenda Cox and sister, Brandi. Also Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cox, Micah and Caden of Dumas; Mrs. Duane Mansel, Brandy, Royce and Lee, Wynell Finck of Panhandle; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leven, Heather and Willie, Rose Leven and Sidney Mansel and his great-grandmother, Edna Terbush.

John A. Hayden of Lake Tanglewood visited in the home of Zoah Britten Saturday.

Flora Glenn Hammers, Doris Homer and Pat Ashford attended a meeting of the Golden Spread Tole and Decorative Painters held Sunday in Canyon.

Mrs. Sybil Brown was hostess last week to a gathering of classmates for a luncheon at her home. The group feasted on stew and cornbread and spent the afternoon catching up on current events and discussing memories from school days.

Guests included Maxine Collins and Geraldine Woods, Amarillo; Billie Chauveaux, Claude; Margaret Crowell, Dorothy Rose Kuehler and Alice Britten, of Groom. The guest of honor was the classmate from Myrtle Beach, S.C., Nadine Rogers.

The Groom P.T.O.

would like to thank

the public for making the Halloween Carnival a success. Without the support of the Groom I.S.D. School Board, Faculty, Students & Parents the carnival would not have been possible. A special thanks to all the workers who gave of their time.

Groom P.T.O.

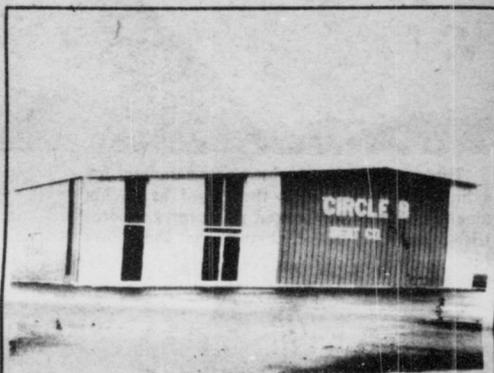
Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks for the many expressions of sympathy extended us during the recent loss of our husband, father and grandfather, R.E. Barkley. Each card, memorial, flower or consoling word will always be remembered.

- Natalie Barkley
- Ray & Cheryl Spence & Family
- Richard and Patricia Russell & Family
- Melvin & Joann Langston & Family
- Keith & Kathleen Barkley
- Lee and LaVonda Barkley & Family
- Phillip & Carrie Gaines & Family

Card of Thanks
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Jake & Vivian Lacy


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Laverne Schultz
Suzan Sweatt
Dejauna Rambo
Rita Jenkins
Kathleen Barkley



Nicholas Anthony came to the carnival dressed as a Tiger. His Mom, Debbie, gets a chuckle from his Tiger growl.



Elvira, the vampire, (Mrs. Monte Schaffer) assists Melissa Treadwell and Suzy Pool at the third grade booth during the Halloween Carnival.

It's A Girl

Congratulations to Donald and Karla Vasek of Hereford on the birth of a daughter Lindy Janae. She arrived October 22, 1986 and weighed 10 pounds and 6 ounces. She is welcomed by a sister Amber, 6 and brother, Bryan, 4. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kuehler of Groom.

R.E. Barkley Buried Saturday

Funeral Mass for Richard Ernest Barkley, 73, was held Saturday, Oct. 26 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Groom. Father Richard J. Neyer officiated. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery under the direction of Smith-Fox Funeral Home of Panhandle.

A rosary was recited Friday evening at the church in Groom.

Mr. Barkley died Thursday, Oct. 23, a patient in the hospital at Pampa.

He was born in Woodward County, Okla and was a retired mechanic. He married Natalia Weller in 1953 at Raton, N.M. He had been a resident of Groom for 33 years. He was a member of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Natalia; two sons, Keith and Lee, both of Groom; four daughters, Cheryl Spence, Groom, Patricia Russell, Kelly, La., Joann Langston, Roan Oak and Carrie Gaines, Wheeler; a brother, A.L. Barkley, Claude; a sister, Dorothy Williams, Panhandle; and 12 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Groom Ambulance Association.

It's A Boy

Adam Clifton Britten was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton H. Britten on September 26, 1986. He weighed 9 pounds 7 ounces and is welcomed home by a brother Garrett, 3 and sister Jill, 2½.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Art Britten of Groom and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Rossi of Tulia.

Groom Ambulance Service
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Groom, Texas 79039

MEMORIALS

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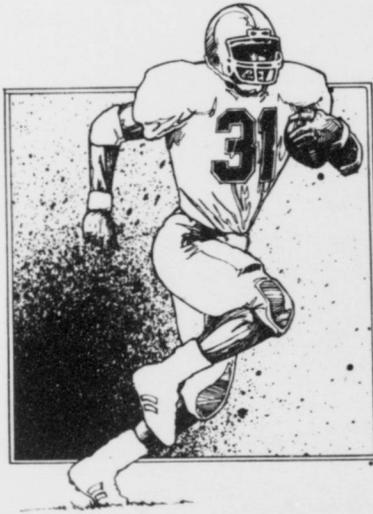


McLean Tigers

—VS—

Phillips Blackhawks

There, 7:30 P.M.



Groom Tigers

—VS—

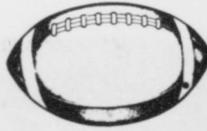
Kress Kangaroos

There 7:30 P.M.

1986 McLean Tigers Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 5	Shamrock	There	0-32
Sept. 12	Clarendon	Here	0-42
Sept. 19	Valley	Here	6-52
Sept. 26	Motley County	Matador	0-6
Oct. 3	Groom	Here	0-59
Oct. 10	Wheeler*	There	0-38
Oct. 17	Booker*	Here	14-40
Oct. 24	Follett*	Follett	Forfeit
Oct. 31	Phillips*	There	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 7	Sunray*	Here	7:30 p.m.

*Denotes District 1-A North Zone Games



1986 Groom Tigers Schedule

Date	Team	Site	Time
Sept. 5	Clarendon	Here	41-6
Sept. 12	OPEN		
Sept. 19	Gruver	There	42-14
Sept. 26	Phillips	Here	37-7
Oct. 3	McLean	There	59-0
Oct. 10	Vega*	There	6-7
Oct. 17	Happy*	Here	13-14
Oct. 24	Nazareth*	There	31-16
Oct. 31	Kress*	There	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 7	Claude*	Here	7:30 p.m.

*Denotes District Games

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Name _____

Address _____

_____	Groom at Kress	_____
_____	McLean at Phillips	_____
_____	Nazareth at Claude	_____
_____	Panhandle at Spearman	_____
_____	Texas at Texas Tech	_____
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Election Day November 4 For County Officials

It's election time again. On Tuesday, local voters will be asked to cast their votes for various national, state and local candidates.

The election will be held at Lovett Library in McLean and at the gymnasium in Alanreed.

Local races of most interest will be:

-County Commissioner, Precinct 4, in which incumbent Ted Simmons will face challenges from Democrat Tony Smitherman, a rancher from McLean, and write-in candidate Buddy Epperson from Pampa.

-County Clerk, where another incumbent, Wanda Carter, will compete with Republican Carol Peet, who is employed at Pampa High School;

-County Treasurer, where there is no incumbent. Democrat Lodema Mithcell, who has served as Deputy Treas-

urer for 15 years, will run against Republican Scott Hahn, a Pampa businessman.

-District Clerk, pitting incumbent Democrat Mary Clark against Republican challenger Vickie Walls, an advertising executive and personnel manager from Pampa.

In other local races, incumbent County Judge Carl Kennedy, a Republican, is running unopposed, as is Democrat R.C. Parker, the incumbent for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4.

In state and national races, Governor Mark White is being challenged by former governor Bill Clements, the Republican candidate. In the 13th Congressional District, incumbent Beau Boulter will run against Democrat Doug Seal from Wellington.

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Alanreed Carnival a Big Success, Hundreds Attend and Enjoy

The Alanreed Carnival, held on Saturday night, was a huge success according to its organizers. Although final figures on income are not yet available, it is estimated that over \$1200 was taken in during the evening.

Alanreed Principal Billy Bob Adams said, "It was such a success because of the co-operation and support we received from everyone who donated prizes and attended. Without the help of a lot of people, it wouldn't have been possible."

A final report on the income and attendance will be given at the Nov. 4 combined meeting of the PTO and the Alanreed Community Improvement Committee.

Injuries Decimate Tiger Team, Force Forfeit of Game to Follett

Injuries and the "no pass, no play" rule caused the McLean Tigers to forfeit their game last Friday night against Follett.

Injuries to Trevor McDonald, Dan Fish, Marvin Passmore, Greg Littlefield, Casey Cooper, Jim Anderson and Stacy Jackson, combined with three players being ineligible because of poor grades, led school officials to call off the game.

Coach Bill Phillips said the situation has improved this week and that Jim Anderson and Stacy Jackson will return to the line-up.

Tomorrow night's game will be played in Phillips starting at 7:30 p.m.

Cubs Win Battle Against Groom, Have Last Game of Season Tonight at Home

The McLean Cubs won their contest against the Groom Cubs last Thursday night. The final score was 8-0.

The only score of the game for either side came on an 18 yard run by Destry Magee with 3:41 left in the first quarter.

Coach Joe Riley said the defense played especially well and named the following players as worthy of mention individually: Line-men-J.T. Haynes, Michael Acuna, Bo Green, Scott Green and Tuffy Sanders; Linebackers-Mickey Gomez and Darryl Langley; Secondary-Tanner Hess, Destry Magee, Bobby Sherman and Daniel Harris; Alternates-Jason Thomas and Keith Robinson.

In the previous two weeks, the Cubs lost to Claude 8-6 and to Phillips 14-0. In the Claude game, McLean's touchdown came on a 41 yard run by Mickey Gomez. The Cubs' record for the year is 1-2-1. The final game of the year will be tonight as the Cubs host Claude starting at 6:00 p.m.

Don't Forget

The McLean Cubs will host Claude tonight at 6:00 p.m.

The McLean Tigers will travel to Phillips tomorrow night. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Due to the McLean Harvest Carnival the Alanreed Community Improvement meeting will be combined with the PTO meeting and will be held on Nov. 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the Alanreed School Cafeteria. The meeting will begin with a potluck dinner.

The McLean Booster Club meets each Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. in the Lions Club building.

The McLean Fire Department will host a Harvest Carnival on Saturday in the new Fire Station. The Band Boosters Club will serve a turkey and dressing dinner from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Elections for national, state and county offices will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 4. The polls will be open from 7 a.m.-7 p.m.

Couples Attend Fall Festival

Four McLean couples attended the Glorietta Fall Festival for married couples last weekend. Representatives from various churches were present including John and Freda Holland, Jerry and Linda Cook, Bob and Carrie Christian and the Jeff Messers.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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Tiger Band Gets Superior Rating Again

The McLean Tiger Band has done it again! For the second time this month, the Tigers have captured a Division 1 rating in competition.

The occasion was an open contest in Elk City, Oklahoma last Monday night. Performing against 10 other bands, the Tigers were only one of three bands to get a "Superior" rating from all three judges.

Other bands in the contest that got unanimous Division 1 ratings, were the groups from Shamrock and Elk City. Congratulations, guys and gals and keep up the good work.

Turkey Dinner

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11:00 A.M. — 1:30 P.M.

United Methodist Church

McLean, Tx.

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Methodist Women to Host Election Dinner

McLean School Menu
Nov. 3-7

Mon.—Hamburgers,
French Fries, Fruit, Milk
Tues.—Corn Dogs,
French Fries, Salad, Cake,
Milk
Wed.—Beef Casserole,
Potatoes, Buttered Carrots,
Cornbread, Milk
Thurs.—Tacos, Pinto
Beans, Salad, Sopapilla,
Milk
Fri.—Roast Beef, Mashed
Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot
Rolls

The United Methodist Women will be hosting their annual Election Day Turkey Dinner at the United Methodist Church on November 4. According to Inez Trossel, president of the local United Methodist Women, "We are looking forward to another good turn-out. We will be serving the traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings. The price of the meal is \$4.00 and serving time will be from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. We encourage everyone to go vote and then come enjoy a mouth-watering meal with us."

The polls will be open from 7 a.m.-7 p.m. on Tuesday. Election officials will be Bill Graham, Rush Turner, Loree Barker and Katherine Weaver.

Everyone should get out and vote. It's your civic duty and you can make a difference.

Brother of Resident Dies in San Antonio, Buried in McLean

Services for Albert Lawrence Estes, 64, brother of a McLean resident, were held Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in McLean. Brian Stafford, pastor of the Assembly of God Church in White Deer, officiated. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery.

Mr. Estes, a resident of San Antonio, died Saturday in Amarillo.

He was born on March 21, 1922, in Harrison, Ark. and had moved from McLean to San Antonio in 1975. He was an auto mechanic and an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, Harold Estes of Pampa, Don of White Deer, Jerry of Wheeler and Larry of Willow, Ca.; two daughters, Letha Woods of Oklahoma City and Jeanine Lowrie of Wheeler; four brothers, Bert of McLean, Arlie of Premont, Coy of George West and Roy of Corpus Christi; one sister, Lena Hollman of Springdale, Ark.; 15 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

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McLean Resident's Sister Buried in Pampa

Services for Janice Marie Ridenour, 37, sister of a McLean resident, were held on Monday in the Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel in Pampa. Reverend Earl Maddux, pastor of Fellowship Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Shamrock Cemetery at Shamrock.

Mrs. Ridenour died Saturday. She was born on Dec. 5, 1948 in Amarillo. She was raised in Pampa where she attended school. She was a nursing student at Frank Phillips Junior College in Borger.

Survivors include her husband, Joe Ridenour, of Pampa; two daughters, Marie Lovell of Payne Springs, Tx. and Prucella Mullins of Athens, Tx.; two sons, David Lovell of Payne Springs and Troy Pilkington of Pampa; her parents, Billy and Mickey Matthews of Pampa; one stepdaughter, Kathy Ridenour of Pampa; two stepsons, Kenneth and Kevin Ridenour of Pampa; one brother Billy Matthews of McLean; and two sisters, Betty Miller of Tule and Rachel Clark of Payne Springs.

Lodema Mitchell
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Alanreed News

Pauline Wolford remains in an Amarillo hospital where she was due to have surgery this week.

The L.T. Goldstons had their son Billy and a friend from Florida visiting over the weekend. Most of their other children and families were also visiting.

Staying with Hiram Rawlings during the weekend were daughter Connie and husband of Clarendon.

Fay Connor of McLean and Nell Keese visited in Pampa and Borger last week.

Robert and Anita Bruce attended her high school reunion in Galveston during the weekend.

Visiting the W.H. Davises during the weekend were son John and family of Amarillo and daughter Willie and family of Panhandle.

The Alanreed Homemaker's Club met Oct. 22 in the home of Mary Davis. Vice-president Lena Carter presided over the meeting. Donna Brauchi gave a program on saving energy in the home. After the program a business session was held. Refreshments of impossible pie, coffee and crackers were served by the hostess. Attending were Anita Bruce, Lena Carter, Ruby Dorsey, Nell Keese, Ruth and Brenda McLain and Mary Davis.

Thank You

We want to thank Danny, Darryel and all the Ambulance personnel for their prompt and efficient response when we needed them recently.

Also thanks to Dr. Fabian for coming to the drug store so quickly.

It is a comfort to know we have people like them to help us. Also thanks to Pat, Ann and Cleo for their help. God bless all of you.

Thurman and Oma Trew

POLITICAL CALENDAR

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DEMOCRATIC PARTY
For State Representative, 88th District:
J.W. (Buck) BUCHANAN*

For Carson County Judge:
JAY R. ROSELIUS*

For County-Dist. Clerk:
SUE PERSONS*

For County Treasurer:
PEGGY BUTLER*

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 5
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REPUBLICAN PARTY

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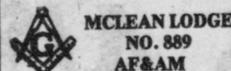
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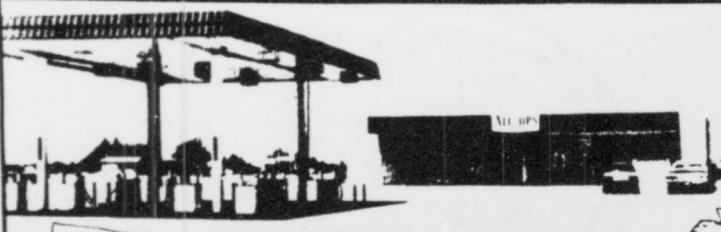
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Mrs. James V. Joynes of Coral Gables, Florida announces the engagement of her daughter, Ginger Ann, to David Smith Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Haynes of McLean. The couple plan to marry on Nov. 22 in the Plymouth Congregational Church in Coconut Grove, Florida.

Ginger is currently employed with a Coral Gables, Florida based real estate syndication firm as an executive secretary and word processing supervisor. David has worked in the banking business for nine years and is currently engaged in real estate and ranching.

McLean Care Center News

McLean Care Center welcomes a new resident, Maude Carpenter from McLean.

Sunday, David Walters, of the Victory Fellowship Church, was here to conduct services.

Residents playing bingo Monday were Lucille Cullison, Dick Wheeler, Ruth Kemp, Gladys Smulcer, Lona Jones, Haze Mackie, Leon Burch, Earl Tolleson, Fay Wilson, Kittie Hessey, Annie Eudey, Teresa Richardson, Alice Dickenson, Inez Fields, Frank Reeves and Odessa Beeman. Our helpers were Loree Barker, Bertha Smith, Onie Gibson and Annie Herndon. Bananas were furnished by the Lions Club and Onie Gibson.

A special birthday party was given Tuesday morning for Hugh Tolleson and Walter Evans. The cakes were furnished by S.A. and Isabelle Cousins. Our visitors were Virginia Tolleson and grandson Coy, and Lush Rogers. Residents attending were Alice Dickenson, Stella Gibson, Kittie Hessey, Inez Fields, Thelma Hopkins, Odessa Beeman, Haze Mackie, Leon Burch, Ruth Kemp, Ruby Phillips, Annie Eudey, Fay Wilson, Teresa Richardson, Lula Sheegog, Elsa Stalls, Lona Jones, Dick Wheeler, P.L. Ledgerwood and Mabel Weeks. In the afternoon, Ted Robertson and Pete Evans were here to assist the residents in dominos.

Wednesday afternoon, members of the Victory Fellowship were here for a Bible study and returned Thursday for a sing-a-long.

Residents working in crafts Thursday morning were Odessa Beeman, Thelma Hopkins, Haze Mackie, Annie Eudey, Lona Jones, Leon Burch, Teresa Richardson, Elsa Stalls and Inez Fields. Cookies were furn-

ished by Isabelle Cousins. Friday, Martha Parker was here to show her great movies.

Our Halloween Party will be Friday, Oct. 31 at 6:00 p.m. There will be bobbing for apples and sacks of candy for the children. Please bring the children to the Nursing Center for our residents to enjoy their costumes.

A very special thank you to the Wednesday morning Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ for making 48 much needed bibs for our residents. Ladies we appreciate you.

Political Calendar

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DEMOCRATIC PARTY

For County Commissioner
Precinct 4:
TONY SMITHERMAN

For Justice of the Peace,
Precinct 4:
R.C. PARKER*

For County Clerk:
WANDA CARTER*

For County Treasurer:
LODEMA MITCHELL

For District Clerk:
MARY CLARK*

REPUBLICAN PARTY

For County Judge:
CARL KENNEDY*

For County Clerk:
CAROL PEET

McLean Briefs

Dr. Harold Fabian was admitted to Northwest Texas Hospital last week. He is scheduled to have surgery on a ruptured disc.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickenson visited last week in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Dickenson.

Dan Fish returned home from Coronado Hospital on Monday after having surgery on his shoulder.

J. Boyd and Frankie Smith were visited on Sunday by her daughter Claudia Marion and children, Kristen and Keri, from Wheeler.

Stella Lee recently had surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She

says she will return to her duties at City Hall in about six weeks.

Clarence Pierce has just returned from Arkansas where he visited his daughter, Tammy Boykin, for a week.

Petty Officer 3rd Class Kevin McDowell returned home yesterday to visit family. He has been stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Train-

ing Base and is scheduled to transfer to the Orlando Training Base in Florida in about two weeks.

Jack Powell, the father of Margaret Milam, died Monday night at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Funeral arrangements are pending.

The brother of Wade Kirk died recently in Sayre, Okla. Funeral services were set for Tuesday.



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AGRICULTURE: Texas agricultural resources have played a leading role in the development of Texas for all our history. We want it to stay that way.

HOMESTEAD PROTECTION: We support the Texas Homestead Law and oppose any changes in homestead protection.

BUDGET AND SPENDING: We commend our state Democratic Leadership for countinuing our long standing tradition of passing balanced budgets every legislative session while maintaining low state taxes, currently the second lowest in the nation.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING: Every day the American dream of owning the family home becomes just that--a dream. Far too many Texans are unable to overcome the many practical and economic hurdles encountered in purchasing a home. We commend the Texas Democratic Leadership for their efforts in addressing the vital housing needs of the Citizens of the state of Texas.

CONSUMER AND WORKER PROTECTION: The Democratic Party is proud of its long-standing support of the consumer, small business professionals and people who earn their living by working.

DEFENSE: The highest priority of our people is establishing true and lasting world peace, and no effort should be spared in our search for peace. Therefore; we must maintain a strong defense to protect ourselves and discourage anyone who might seek to do us harm.

DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE AND PREVENTION: Drug abuse is a national epidemic that threatens every Texan of all ages. The Democratic administration in Texas has led the fight against the flow of illegal drugs into our Country and our state.

ENERGY: Texas continues its unique leadership position and responsibility in the field of energy, and should lead in the development of a national energy policy.

ENVIRONMENT: The quality of the environment is a fundamental concern for all Texans. We consider it to be a major responsibility of our officials at all levels to preserve and protect our environment.

HEALTH CARE: We support continued state assistance for handicapped citizens, for the elderly, and indigent in need of health care. We support a system which will provide public shelter for those of our state who are mentally impaired.

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By Superintendent
Rex Peeples

November 4 is election day. I have been receiving some interesting material

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regarding Proposition #4 which reads: "The constitutional amendment to provide that a bank may offer full service banking at more than one location within a city or county where its principal facility is located, subject to limitations and restrictions provided by law."

Traditionally, Texans have feared branch banking

would concentrate financial power in the hands of a few large banks, and that as a result, financial decisions affecting local communities would no longer be made within the communities but would be made by distant, anonymous institutions having no regards for local needs.

If the proposed constitutional amendment #4 is passed allowing full branch banking, the branch bank of the holding company will not have to maintain capital requirements and the franchise tax paid by that branch will not be rebated to

the local school districts where the parent holding company is located. I don't believe this would be good for small communities.

In the past: Motion was made by C.L. Ledwig, and seconded by Paul Townsend, that the Board send Superintendent Dalton Ford to the educational meeting at Temple and pay his expenses for said trip to learn more pertaining to the new 12 grade system. Motion carried. March 15, 1941.

Groom Tigers Clobber Nazareth Swifts, 31-16

Groom Tigers won another one Friday night by handing the Nazareth Swifts a 31-16 loss. The Tigers are back on track with a 6-2 standing for the season.

Groom's five scores came on 3, 5, 11, 6 and 28 yard runs by Jack Britten. Only one extra point kick by Britten met it's mark and a two point conversion also failed.

Groom tallied up 266 yards on the night with the ever strong Tiger defense holding the Swifts ground attack to a minus 15 yards.

"Anytime you have two backs rush for over 100 yards in any one game, your linemen have to blocking somebody," said Head Coach Terry Coffee. "Our line kept opening holes all night." Tiger backs took advantage of the openings with Britten rushing 168 yards and Brent Thornton gaining 157 yards.

Groom's first score came after a 55 yard pass reception by Britten from Bruce Thornton. The Tigers dominated the third quarter scoring three times. Another Groom TD was set up early

in the second quarter by Tony Homer's recovering a blocked Swifts punt.

"Scott Fields and Vincent Meeker also made key plays to aid in the Tigers win," said Coffee.

The Tigers now have lost four starters with injuries since the Vega game. The latest injuries include Scott Fields, out for the season, with a shoulder injury and Coaches were waiting to hear on the condition of Brent Thompson, with a hurt knee, was due to be checked by a doctor on Tuesday.

The Tigers have two games remaining. They will play Friday in Kress and be home for the final game against Claude on Nov. 7.

DPS Officer Don King investigated a two vehicle collision Saturday morning in Groom. According to King a 1979 station wagon driven by Marcia Conrad was struck by a 1977 Buick driven by LaVerne Schultz. Schultz was traveling west on fourth street at the time of the accident. There were no injuries reported in the accident.

Pheasant Season Opens

Pheasant season will open December 13. Prepare now for an enjoyable hunt by not doing a few things and, simultaneously, protect your soil resource.

Don't burn playas, corn stubble and grain stubble.

Tall weeds in playas provide excellent winter cover for pheasant. Acre for acre, grain stubble is less suitable winter cover than playa vegetation, but fields of grain stubble contribute many more acres of winter cover throughout the Panhandle.

Don't overgraze playas. Tall, thick, stands of grass and weeds are the qualities that make playas prime winter habitat. Grazing that reduces the height and thickness of the stand will decrease the value to pheasant.

Don't disk or plow under corn and grain stubble. Waste grains of corn and grain sorghum are important winter foods for pheasant. Disking or plowing buries most of the grains.

The Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District and the Soil Conservation Service encourage you to practice good pheasant habitat management.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bivens attended the wedding of Jay Hendricks in Amarillo Saturday evening in Amarillo. The service was officiated by the Rev. Barry Bradley of Muleshoe. Others from Groom attending were Charlotte Painter, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Painter and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schaffer.



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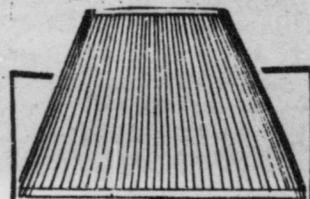


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Country Neighbors

Groom Country Neighbors met Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 22 at 1:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Claude Schaffer.

Johnny Brumley of the Groom Economic Development Corporation presented an explanation of the proposed plans for the former Groom Hospital building.

Mrs. Glynn D Harrell was elected as delegate to the proposed Board of the Corporation and Evelyn Hubbard will serve as alternate.

Hostess give was received by Evelyn Hubbard.

Attending the meeting were guests Edna Russell and Mrs. E.C. Goodlett. Members present were Mrs. Joe Britten, Mrs. B.F. Patterson, Mrs. J.E. Lee, Mrs. H.F. Britten, Mrs. Roy Rit-

ter, Evelyn Hubbard, Mrs. R.W. Wills, Mrs. R.J. Kuehler and Mrs. Glynn D Harrell.

County Officers Work 7 Accidents

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of September, troopers investigated 2 fatal accidents, 74 personal injury accidents, and 125 property damage accidents. There were 2 persons killed and 115 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Burt Christian of Border stated that in Carson County, troopers investigated two personal injury accidents and 7 with property damage in the month of September. Three persons were injured in the accidents.

Methodist Women

United Methodist Women met Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 21 at the United Methodist Church with eight members present.

In the absence of the president and vice-president, Mrs. Glynn D Harrell was elected to serve as chairman to preside for the meeting. Mrs. Harrell also presented the program "Women and Addiction: The Hidden Problem."

Mrs. George Myers served refreshments to Mrs. E.C. Goodlett, Mrs. Roy Ritter, Mrs. L.T. Banks, Mrs. E.W. Lamberson, Mrs. John Eschle and Mrs. O.P. Blackwell.

Visiting in the homes of Bobby Wood, Elizabeth Myers and Ken Reed were Mrs. Myers' three sisters,

County Road Fund Receives State Monies

State Treasurer Ann Richards has sent checks totaling \$7.3 million to Texas' 254 counties for road construction and maintenance.

This is an annual disbursement of money appropriated by the Legislature for the Lateral Road Program. The grants may be used by counties for the purchase of right-of-way and for construction and maintenance of lateral roads, farm-to-market roads or state highways.

Carson County received \$23,419.39- Armstrong County \$17,448.43; and Gray County \$22,451.74.

Marcella Anderson, Jewel Blake, both of Grand Prairie and Kathryn Barker of Irving.



Donna Dreier To Wed Vernon Keith White

Donna Kay Dreier of Emporia, Kansas and Vernon Keith White of Syracuse, Kansas announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

Parents of the couple are Marie Dreier and the late Robert Dreier of Olpe, Kansas, and Dr. and Mrs. Vernon M. White of Wathena, Kan.

The couple plans a November 22 wedding at St.

Joseph Church at Olpe.

Miss Dreier is a graduate of Olpe High School and attended Emporia State University. She is currently employed at Newman Memorial Hospital.

White is the grandson of Mrs. Essie Cooper Knowles of Groom. He graduated from Syracuse High School and will complete his studies at Emporia State University in December.

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- Dallas Times Herald
October 19, 1986

"For governor, we support Mark White for re-election. We do so on his record for education and political courage . . . White has proved he is willing to take responsibility for actions necessary for Texas."

- San Antonio Express-News
October 19, 1986

"Governor Mark White should be elected to a second term on the basis of his record of political courage and outstanding leadership."

- Galveston Daily News
October 6, 1986

"White has grown into the job in remarkable fashion, demonstrating courage, leadership and a firm grasp of the issues . . . White's unwavering leadership in educational reform—and his frank willingness to take the heat generated by changes necessary to bring Texas schools up from the bottom and into the nation's first rank—would alone qualify him for re-election . . . White gets high marks for his positive approach and his vision of Texas' future. Texas voters should permit him to lead the way toward that future."

- Fort Worth Star Telegram
October 19, 1986

"Texas can't go back. Texas must go forward with Governor Mark White . . . The Houston Chronicle supports Governor Mark White for re-election because he has an agenda for the future and has demonstrated the vision and leadership that future demands . . . We remember the past with pride, but for 150 years we have looked to the future. Governor Mark White can guide this state to an even brighter future."

- Houston Chronicle
October 19, 1986

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day, Oct. 27 at the N.S. Griggs Chapel. The Rev. Jerry Moore of Groom United Methodist Church officiated the services. Burial was in Llano Cemetery.

Searchers found Ferguson's body Oct. 23. He has been missing for two days in a snowstorm in the Colorado Rockies, a member of a hunting party. He became separated from the other hunters near Fraser, Co. when heavy snows began to fall and later hampered rescue efforts.

Ferguson was a veteran law enforcement officer serving in Potter County. He was a member of the United Methodist Church of Groom and was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II and Korean War.

He is survived by his wife, Mozelle; a son, Joel of Dallas; his mother, a sister; three brothers. Local relatives include sister-in-laws Mrs. Jimm McCracken and Mrs. John Chauveaux of Claude.

Groom School Menu
November 3 - November 7
Mon.—Pizza
Breakfast—Cereal & Toast
Tues.—Cheeseburgers
Breakfast—Pancakes
Wed.—Chicken Fried Steak. Breakfast—Scrambled eggs and toast
Thurs.—Taco Salad
Breakfast—Bacon, biscuits and gravy.
Fri.—Fish Nuggets
Breakfast—Donuts

Honor Students
Fourth Graders omitted from the honor roll appearing in last week's issue of The News are as follows:

Fourth Grade—Bart Britten, Brody Brown, Collin Downs, Stacy Fields, Melanie Friemel, Misty Homen, Jill Howard, Halee Kotara, Ty Lambert and Eric Weinheimer.

Legal Notice
The Carson County Commissioners' Court is taking bids on the following:

Multi-peril insurance coverage on various county buildings, and the County general liability insurance coverage.

Specifications can be obtained from the Carson County Judge in his office in the Carson County Courthouse, Panhandle, Texas.

This notice is in accordance with Article 1659 and/or Article 2368a, Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas which requires publication of this notice once a week for two consecutive weeks prior to the time set for letting such contract. The date of the first publication is to be at least fourteen days prior to the date set for letting such contract. Bids are to be delivered to the County Auditor of Carson County, Texas, prior to 10:00 a.m., Nov. 10, 1986, the date and time at which such bids shall be publicly opened, read and considered by the Carson County Commissioners Court. The Court shall have the right to award its contract to the party who, in the judgement of the Commissioners Court, has submitted the lowest and best bid. The Commissioners Court has the additional right to reject all bids when the bids received are not satisfactory to the Court.

Mrs. Essie Cooper Knowles returned home Saturday from a visit in Erick, Okla. She arrived in Erick a week ago Thursday to visit her sister-in-law, Clara Hill.

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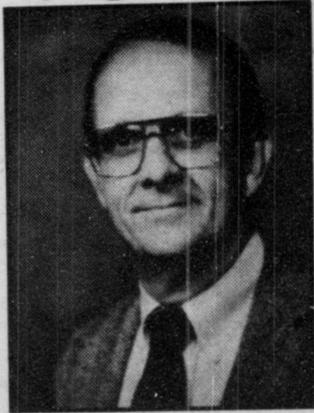
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Wanted Craft Persons—Booths available at \$10. We provide tables and chairs. Holiday Bazaar, St. Mary's Catholic Hall. Saturday, Nov. 22, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Call Kay, Box 508, Groom, Tx. 248-3021 or 248-7064.

For sale—Nice 2 bedroom house, newly remodeled, fenced yard, 2 garages. Call 779-2604 or see at 619 N. Walnut. Also 4 lots for sale at the corner of Cedar and 6th Streets. McLean.

1977 Pontiac Grand Prix for sale. Call 248-4803, Gary Babcock, Groom.

House for sale—two bedroom with garage, extra nice, 408 Clarendon, McLean 779-2681 or 779-2618.

Must Sell—1976 Ford Gran Torino Elite, two door, automatic, \$500. Call 248-4081 after 6 p.m.

For sale—One new storm door 80" x 31". 4 used storm windows 61" x 27". Gold sofa sleeper. 779-2253. McLean.

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For Sale—Bedroom suite, double mirror dresser, double/queen headboard and nightstand, only \$200. Call 248-2751.

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Garage sale—Friday, Oct. 31 and Sat. Nov. 1 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. 1203 Gray Street. Several families. Appliances, knick-knacks and lots more.

For Sale—1984 Chevy S-10 AM-FM air conditioner 20,000 miles. Clifton Britten, Groom.

For Sale—Hobby Shop to be moved. Needle arts and crafts, complete stock. If interested call 874-2330. Clarendon, Tex.

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Garage Sale
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Order now for Christmas. Hand painted wooden necklaces. New shapes this week include unicorns, carousel horses, gingerbread men and angels. See at Rock House Gallery/The Country Store.

Need driveway or parking lot repairs? A crew will be in Groom soon. Contact City Hall to have your repair work done at this time and save. Call 248-3611.

For Sale—1984 Nissan kingcab pickup, excellent condition, roll-bar, A/C, stereo, 4 x 4 stripping, low mileage. Call 248-4032 after 5:00 p.m.

HALLOWEEN DANCE
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Progressive Dinner Set For Christian Mother's

In October meeting of the Christian Mothers/Altar Society was held in the home of Mrs. R.J. Britten, with a program given by Majaunta McKean of Pampa. She showed a film titled "Deception of a Generation" and led a discussion on the satan influence in many of the games, toys, cartoons and comic books today. Advanced Dungeons and Dragons, Master of the Universe and HeMan were among those recognized as promoting occult images, fear and violence.

The monthly lottery was held with Jan Britten the

winner and Louise Conrad won the Halloween surprise. The annual DCCW Convention is to be held on Tuesday, November 18 in Pampa at the Coronado Inn. All the 50 year members will be recognized at a reception. Anyone interested in attending should contact Kay Britten as soon as possible so she can make reservations.

The Holiday Bazaar will be Nov. 22 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to enter the sweatshirt decorating contest to be held that day. Lunch consisting of stew, cornbread and cobbler will be served beginning at 11:30. There is still booth space available to show and sell your wares.

The November meeting will be a Progressive Dinner. Appetizers will be served at

Margaret Babcocks at 7:30 p.m. with Maggie Weinheimer and Marla Britten as hostesses. Salads will be served at Belinda Brittens at 8:00 with Alice Keuhler, Louise Conrad and Mary Britten as hostesses. Dessert will be served at Janice Koettings at 8:30 with Janice Weinheimer and Angela Looten as hostesses. This will be combined with the Christ Child Shower if you wish to bring your gift with you. If you are unable to attend all three homes you are welcome to come to any that you can.

Garmon Appointed

Robert G. Garmon D.O., of Fort Worth, Texas, has been appointed to serve on the Tuberculosis Advisory Committee of the Texas Board of Health for a three year term to expire on Dec. 1, 1988.

The Tuberculosis Advisory Committee, working through the Texas Department of Health, assists the Board in developing plans and policies for the control of tuberculosis. Dr. Garmon will be representing the Texas Osteopathic Medical Association and is the only osteopathic physician on the advisory committee.

Dr. Garmon is a member of the AOA, Texas Osteopathic Medical Association and District II of the Association. He was accepted as a fellow into the American College of Chest Physicians in 1984 and is certified in internal medicine. He serves on the faculty of the Texas College of Osteo-

pathic Medicine in the department of medicine.

Dr. Garmon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garmon of Groom.

Commissioners Receive Reports From Judge

Judge Jay R. Roselius reported to Commissioners during their regular meeting Monday on a recent meeting he attended of the Texas Water Commission. Judge Roselius testified at the public hearing discussing Carson County's concern for neighboring municipalities and industries purchasing water rights in the county. He said that the purchases could possibly lead to the depletion of the water table under Carson County.

Judge Roselius also discussed pending legislation HB 79 which would allow counties to call an election to see if citizens of the county would favor implementation of a sales tax in order to lower ad valorem taxes. Action is set to be taken on the matter during the next legislative session.

A letter from the White House was read during the court meeting concerning the recent resolution passed by Carson County Commissioners favoring a tariff on foreign oil. The letter acknowledged the county's opinion that the tariff would bring about higher oil prices on domestic oil.

Roselius informed the court that the County had ranked 12th among 32 requests for grant assistance to bring the courthouse in compliance with regulations

for the handicapped. The first seven requests were awarded grants for 100 percent funding. "This is a project that will resume our full attention and the grant will be applied for again as soon as funding is available," said Roselius. "We are pleased with the high rating the State gave Carson County's application, but disappointed with the low rating the regional committee gave us."

Energy Saving Tips Available Through Extension Service

Saving home energy is only one part of reducing energy waste and saving energy dollars, but it is a part that can benefit you and your family.

The Carson County Extension Service is making available to you, free of charge, a series of letters designed to assist you in reducing energy consumption in your home. Information on the following topics is provided by this series.

Home Energy Conservation Overview, Caulking and Weather Stripping, Decisions about Insulation, Treatment of Window and Glass Areas, Heating and Cooling Systems, Moisture Problems and Ventilation.

To receive this letter series, send your name and address and phone number to Save Home Energy, Carson County Extension Service, Box 639, Panhandle, Texas 79068 or call 537-3882. Please register by November 3.

The courthouse will be closed on election day.

The next meeting of the Commissioner's Court will be Nov. 10 in Panhandle.

Carnival

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Burton, then greeted each participant with a warm welcome and sticker.

The booths, open from 7 to 9 were all entertaining also, having participants from all ages.

The sixth grade class "Peel the Pumpkin" was the favority booth having over 400 people coming to peel off ribbons. PTO will award a \$25 prize for the winner having the most tickets sold. Booths were also set up by parents for each elementary classroom. Tickets collected at the booths amounted to 3,441. Over \$800 was taken in during the carnival.

"It took a lot of work and time in planning, organizing and doing the carnival, but by working together, we made it an exciting, memorable and successful evening," said PTO President Charlotte Whatley.

The group invites everyone to the next meeting to be held Nov. 10. Principal, Ken Sweatt, will present the program dealing with discipline policies at Groom Schools. All adults wishing to join PTO to be on the membership roll may do so at anytime.

Charlotte Couts has moved to South Carolina where she is employed in construction work.

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