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Tigerettes Fail To Make Regional

—Follett Upsets Girls

—Boys Play Bi-District

Groom Tigerettes will not be going to Levelland this weekend after all, the Follett Pantherettes saw to it as they upset Groom in Miami Tuesday night 38-37.

The Tigerettes led throughout most of the game, leading 16-9 at the end of the first quarter, Groom led 24-19 at halftime, the game 30-30 was tied at the end of three quarters.

Karen Babcock, 6'1" junior led Groom scoring with 14 points. Babcock, who sat out most of the third quarter due to foul trouble, was back into the game in the fourth quarter before fouling out.

Jolee Burger scored 6 points; Kristy Case 9 points; and Misti Homan had 8 points.

So ends the end of a season which many would have believed in a few days would be watching this team in the regional tournament against some of Texas best.

Filing For Local Elections Deadline Is March 18th

Potential candidates for both the Groom School Board and City Council have until March 18th to file their intention to run and get their name on the ballot. There is no filing fee to either of these local offices.

Persons who are interested should see Joyce Hutsell, school business manager or Pat Ashford, city secretary for the appropriate forms and other information.

Terms of office will expire on the school board for Adela Kotara, Ken Burger and Dennis Babcock. On the City Council, Bob Cornett's, Greg Lamb's and Bill Homer's terms will be complete.

At press time no one has indicated their intentions. The public is urged to register to vote if you have not voted in the district before or if you have recently turned 18.

Ballots can be obtained by mail request beginning on March 3rd.

The Tigerettes only loss this season came at the hands of Sunray, blowing opponents away all year long.

Prior to the Follett game, the Tigerettes were fired up and ready as they faced short handed Allison in Pampa. Allison's coach is former Groomite Tracy Britten.

"I face this game with a lot of mixed emotions," stated Britten, "I know a lot about these girls (Groom), I know their potential. I was sure hoping that it wouldn't come down to an Allison vs. Groom situation."

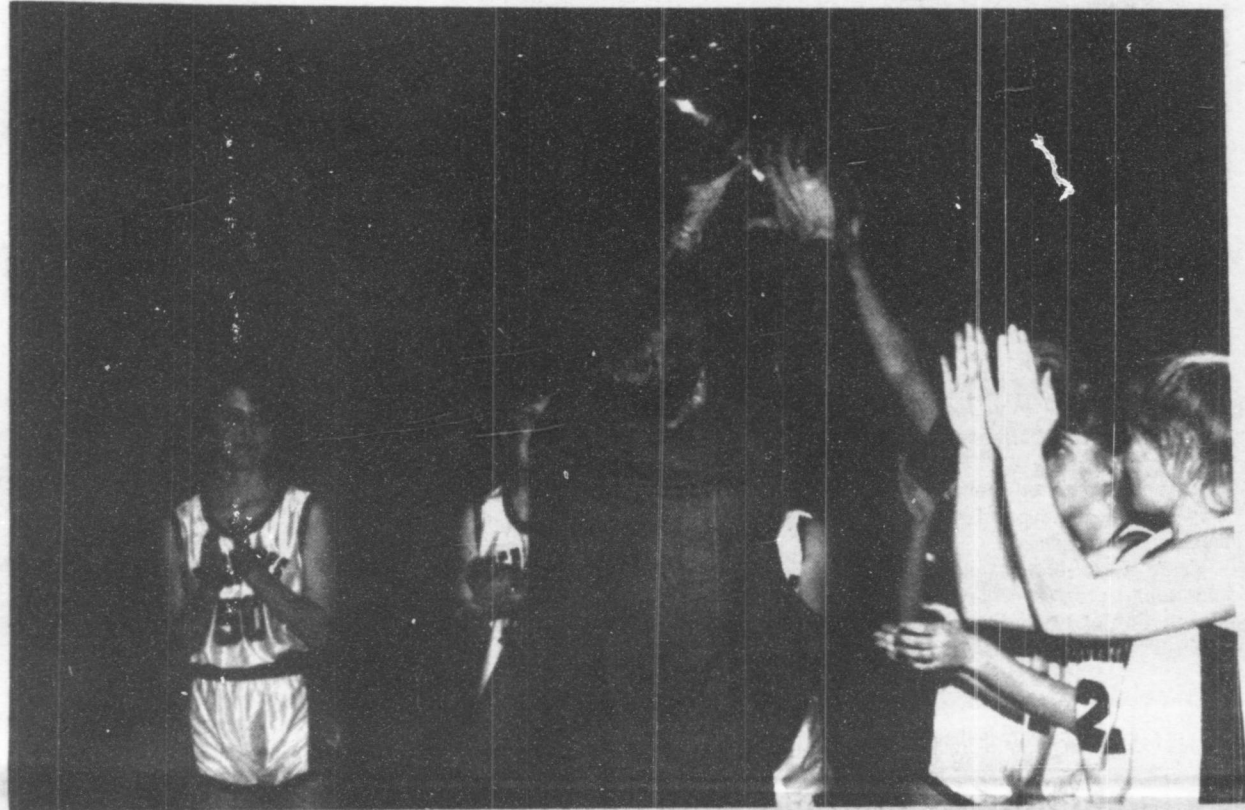
With only five players due to ineligibility problems, Allison was understaffed in manpower. Foul trouble eventually took out two players leaving three to do the work of five.

Karen Babcock led the scoring with 18 points and Kristy Case had 14. The Tigerettes are ranked 18th in state and now have a season record of 28-1.

The Groom Tigers had a very exciting warm up game Friday night at Borger. The Spearman Lynx gave them a real run for their money as the contest went into overtime...5 times!

"We really learned a lot," said Coach Jay Lamb, "That was an extra 15 minutes... but it was what we really needed." "It was good for morale for us to beat a AA school," he added.

Wes Hall had an excellent night racking in over half of all the points, with a total for the evening

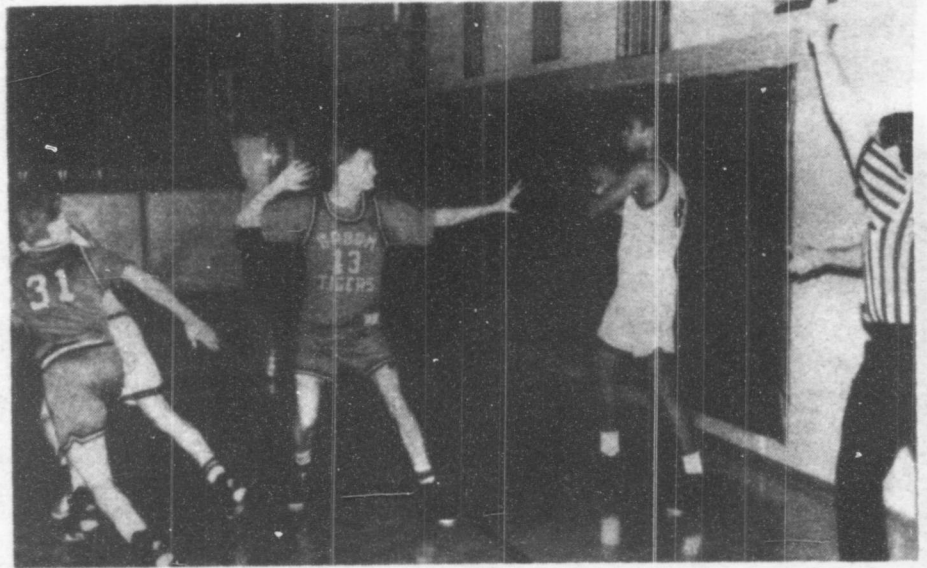


Tigerettes' Coach Terry O'Dell holds up Bi-District championship trophy as players celebrate around him after defeating Allison last Friday night, 65-33 in Pampa.

of 36. Daryl Homer had 11 points... four points were gained in the last overtime period in free throws. Brian Baker carried 10 points. Bruce Britten had 4 points, Corkey Hickey and Kirk Webb each had 2 and Nick Kuehler had 1 point. Several Tigers got in foul trouble and eventually Nick Kuehler, Wes Hall and Brian Baker fouled out.

Lamb stated that the upcoming game against Briscoe will be a good one. "We have beat them once and they have beat us once. We definitely picked the toughest road to regional."

The Tigers play tonight at 6:30 in Pampa so cheer them on to victory.



Tigers' Brian Baker holds off Christian Looney's pass into play last Tuesday night in the play off game against McLean, in Miami. McLean defeated Groom 47-44 in a barn burner.

It's Official!

COOP Stockholders

Approve Attebury Acquisition

It's official! After a meeting with the stockholders of the Golden Spread Coop, Attebury Grain will now be the new owners of elevators at Groom, Hoover and Grandview.

Greg Lamb, chairman of the board of the coop stated, "It will take several weeks to take care of the

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Tigerettes' Coach Terry O'Dell being interviewed by a Pampa radio station. O'Dell said he was a little nervous but he did not give any secrets away.

Community Calendar

GROOM TIGERS will play Briscoe at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday night for the Class 1A bi-district title in Pampa's McNeely Fieldhouse.

PUBLIC NOTICE
March 3rd is the first day to order ballots by mail for the local school and city May 2nd election.

April 2nd is the last day to register to vote if you haven't voted previously or if you have just turned 18.

THE IMMACULATE Heart of Mary Church will host the World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 6th at 2:00 p.m.

GROOM STUDENTS will enjoy a ski vacation beginning Thursday at 3:40. Class will resume at the regular time on March 4th.

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UMW Vote To Make Donation

United Methodist Women met at the church February 18 at 2:30 for their regular meeting.

Sybil Harrell, president, called the meeting to order for a short business meeting. Members voted to send a donation to Camp Dawn, a camp for handicapped people.

Karen Case brought an interesting program titled "Life if Full of Choices and Changes" and we discussed

making God first choice in our lives.

Hostess, Mamie Ritter served delicious cake and coffee to the following members: Essie Knowles, Julia McGee, Oma Shaffer, Ruby Babcock, Ora Lee Garmon, Shirley Lamberson, Sybil Harrell, Karen Case and Bertie Helton.



Former Mustangette Honored In Austin

As basketball fever reaches a new high around the Texas Panhandle, a local woman is getting ready to travel to Austin for the state play-offs.

Roxie Stapp, grandmother of Tigerette Misty Homen, will be honored as a member of the First State winning Basketball Team in the history of Texas Basketball. In 1951, the Claude Mustangettes travelled to Austin to participate in the first UIL Girls Basketball Tournament. It was held in Geregory Gym. About 150 people from Claude attended in the filled to capacity gymnasium. The mustangettes faced Denton Valley of Clyde, winning with a final score of 42-40. The team consisted of Norma Brunson, Jane Averyt, Bettye Dawkins, Juanita Smotherman, Roxie Harred (Stapp), Barbara Corbin, Yvonne Averyt, Shirley Brown, Mary Gilliam, Carolyn Christian, Oleta Morrison and Lorene Wheelchel.

Basketball has come a long way for women since those days.

"We were only allowed to dribble twice," said Roxie Stapp. "We had a girl who could take those two dribbles and be under the



"basket."

Girls also played half court ball in those days. Six players, three on each end.

"We knew when our coaches face turned red and he cocked his head to one side that he was very unhappy. No one ever thought to dispute any rules he set down. We had a curfew. Coach would drive around town at night and if you were out you would be in trouble. We practiced Thanksgiving holidays and Christmas holidays.

Claude went on to win the State Championship the next year, '52 and many, many other times.

Roxie Stapp will be introduced at halftime in the girls State 5A game on March 7th, along with the other members of the state winning team.

Attebury

paperwork, but we are currently working on a lease agreement."

A lease agreement would allow Attebury to begin selling anhydrous-ammonia right away. Bob Byrd, current manager of the Claude and Lark operations could not be reached today for comment.

REPORT FROM TERRY TIMMONS

During the past two weeks, the Carson County Sheriff's Department has investigated one theft by check, one theft over \$750.00, one sexual assault of a child under 14 years of age and two incidents of marijuana possession.

One subject has been arrested for sexual assault and two subjects were arrested for possession of marijuana.

In addition the Sheriff's Department assisted the Borger Police Department in locating and securing property stolen during a burglary in Borger.

D.W. and Estelline Heathington and Marie Rogers of Dallas were in town Monday morning to take care of some business.

GROOM SCHOOL MENU

Out for Ski Weekend on March 2nd and 3rd.

March 4 - Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, hash browns, juice, milk. Lunch: Nachos w/meat and cheese, refried beans, salad, jalapeno peppers, tortilla pieces, apple cobbler, milk.

March 5 - Breakfast: Biscuits, bacon, gravy, juice, milk. Lunch: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, fresh pear halves, milk.

March 6 - Breakfast: Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch: Turkey pot pie, tuna & noodles, cheese and pickle appetizers, carrot sticks, green peas, crackers, reeces peanut butter cups, milk.

Don, Mary Sue, Aimee and Darcee Lyles, and Pat Ashford visited Julie Lyles at college in Plainview over the weekend.

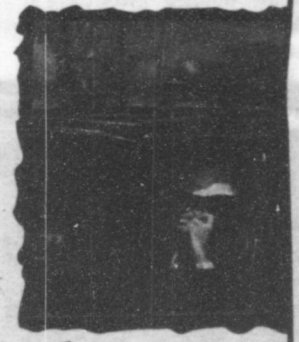
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Nuptials were exchanged Friday, February 15th at the United Methodist Church by Heather McGill and Rocky Crump. The double ring ceremony was officiated by Mark Metzger, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Teal and burgundy flowers and candelabra adorned the sanctuary. Guests were greeted by Misty Simon of Amarillo and Dena Wolf of Denver City. Ushers were Brandon and Dusty Crump of Groom, brothers of the groom. Katherine Robertson of Groom was the flower girl and wore a floor length teal gown. Glynnis Wolf of Denver

City and Amy Simon of Syracuse, Kansas were the candlelighters and wore burgundy street length gowns.

Bryce Simon carried the rings on a white lace pillow. The groom was attended by best man and brother Stoney Crump of Lubbock. The bridesmaid, wearing a tea length burgundy gown, was Tana Hobbs of Lubbock.

The bride wore a beautiful ivory satin and lace gown. Inset with sequins and pearls, the dropped waist gown was adorned with a short train of gathered lace, hand stitched by her mother.

LAKE McCLELLAN CLEANUP DAY SCHEDULED

Board members of the Lake McClellan Improvement, Inc., Thursday night finalized plans for the Lake McClellan Cleanup Day scheduled to be from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, February 29 at the lake in south Gray County.

Sid Mauldin, board member, said those who plan to take part and who wish, may camp at the lake the night before free of charge provided they collect and turn in a bag of trash by 9:30 a.m. the day of the cleanup. Volunteers are asked to report to the concession building at the lake by noon the day of the cleanup, according to Mauldin.

"Volunteers will be provided free bags in which

to place debris, along with maps of the lake site designating the area in which they are to work.

Coca-Cola Bottling Co. and Peggy's Place restaurant will provide free cokes and coffee to cleanup volunteers, and prizes and gift certificates will be given away courtesy of Walmart, Alco, Hastings Books, Music & Video, Waynes Western

Wear, and Holmes Gift Shoppe and Sports Center.

Collected and secured bags of refuse will be left along the roads in the lake area to allow Gray County crews to easily retrieve them to haul off to the landfill.

The Lake McClellan Improvement Inc. was formed as a non-profit organization in July, 1991 to help make improvements to

the lake and to restore it to tourist and recreation area status.

The organization is working closely with the U.S. Forest Service, which owns the property, and the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation & Development Council and the Soil Conservation Service.



Operas To Be Presented

At Square House Museum

Amarillo Opera and Amarillo College, assisted by an Amarillo Area Foundation grant, will present two comic operas Sunday, March 1 at 3:00 p.m. at the Carson County Square House Museum in Panhandle. Both operas were written by Amarillo Opera Outreach Director Gene Murray. Murray has been in "TEXAS" for fourteen summers and has played Uncle Henry for the last ten.

The first opera, WHIRLIGIG, is a folk opera based on an O. Henry story. It features soprano Mila Gibson, artistic director of Amarillo Opera, tenor Jerry Perales, music director of "TEXAS", and bass Gene Murray. Mila Gibson last appeared at the museum in Panhandle when she and

artist Pan Eimon presented PRIMARY COLORS in tribute to Ralph Randel. The music for WHIRLIGIG was written to sound like folk music from the hills of Tennessee where the story takes place. A couple comes down from the hills to get a divorce. The fact that there isn't a divorce ceremony available complicates the story.

The second opera, DEAR DOCTOR, was written by Murray for Jerry Williams who has played Tucker Yelldell in "TEXAS" for the last twenty-five years. Williams plays the part of the doctor who has a visit from a bored, rich lady with imaginary ills played by Kathy Kendle, a leading mezzo soprano with Amarillo Opera. Raenell McDonough, pianist, will

accompany both operas.

"Both operas are in English and were written especially so people who think they don't like operas might change their minds," said Murray.

Mrs. Frank Robinson, BRAVO! are a representative, was instrumental in bringing the Amarillo Opera Outreach production to Panhandle. "BRAVO!" is the membership organization for Amarillo Opera. We have several BRAVO! members from Panhandle and the surrounding area, and we would like to encourage more of our neighbors to experience the thrill of opera," stated Mrs. Robinson.

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Groom eighth grade girls finished their season undefeated.

"They have really done a good job. They have kept their perspective and are really good athletes," said Coach Shirley Fields.

In their last game of the season the Cubettes defeated Shamrock 21 to 8. Sherri Koetting was outstanding scorer with 8, Kay Case had 7, Sandy

Conrad had 4 and Tara Conrad had 2.

The seventh grade team lost to Shamrock 22 to 10. High scorer was Stephanie Ollinger with 5, Christy Galvan had 3 and Amber Conrad with 2.

"Defensively they have done a super job against some really tough teams," stated Coach Fields, "They have improved 110% from the seasons start." "They kept the scoring down on some very tough teams... I'm really looking forward to next year."

CARD OF THANKS

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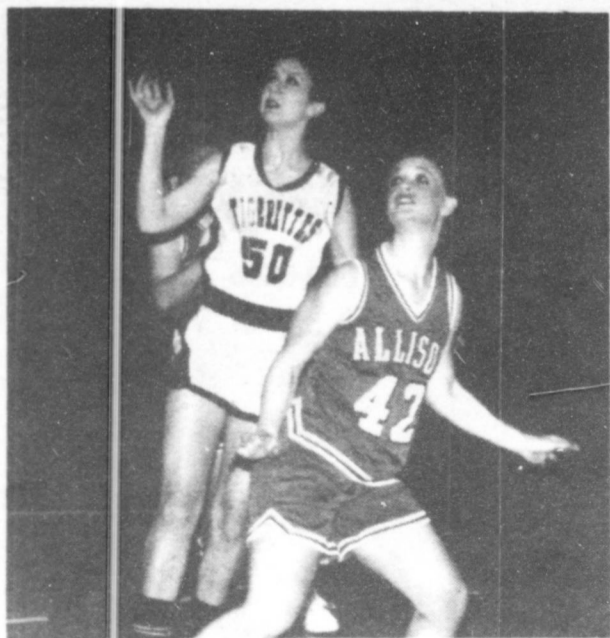
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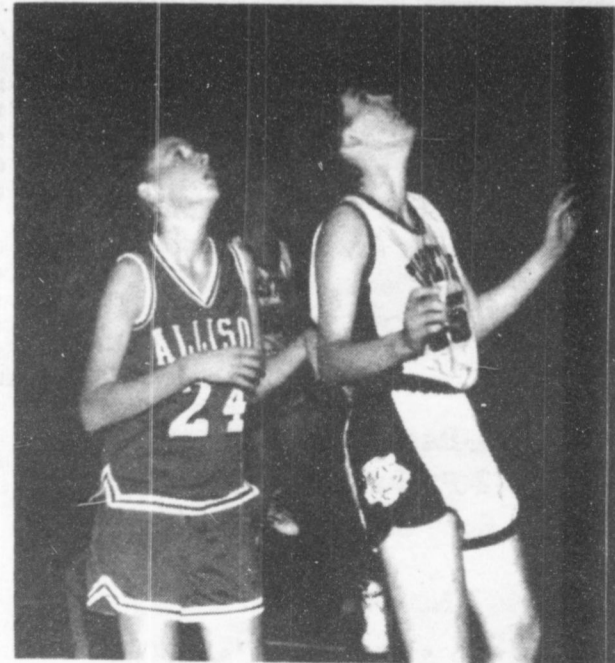
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Jolee Burger goes up for two in last week's game against Allison.



"What goes up must come down!" Karen Babcock gets ready to rebound.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CARSON

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Courts of Carson County in the following cases on the 5th day of February, 1992, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:30 a.m. on the 3rd day of March, 1992, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the official dock of the Courthouse of said Carson County, in the City of Panhandle, Texas, the following described property located in Carson County, to-wit:

Cause No. 7103
City of Groom vs. Barclay, Olan Custodian for Bart & Jeffery Barclay: Lot One (1), Block Fifty-two (52), Original Town of Groom, Carson County, Texas.

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Given under my hand this 5th day of February, 1992.

Terry Timmons
Sheriff
Carson County, Texas
213, 20 & 27/92

NEW ARRIVAL

Sonya and James McElroy are pleased to announce the birth of James Reece. Born February 9, 1992. James Reece weighed 6 lbs. and 15 oz. and was 19 1/2" long. He is welcomed home by big brother Brant, age 7.

Local Woman's Father Passes Away

Gloyd A. Montgomery, 77, relative of area residents, died Monday, February 17, 1992. Services were in Fundamental Baptist Church with the Rev. John Henry Ward, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church of Carlsbad, N.M., and the Rev. Dale Shirley, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Garden Cemetery by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mr. Montgomery was born in Bridgeport and moved to Wellington in 1941 from Oklahoma. He married Audie Fulcher in 1943 at Hollis, Oklahoma. He retired from farming in 1966 and became a custodian for the Wellington Independent School District. He retired in 1977. He was a custom harvester and a

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 7,498 miles of asphaltic concrete pavement overlay on Loop 434 from NCL of Amarillo, N. to junction of US 87-287, on SH 207 from 0.5 mile N. of junction of US 60 to 4.6 mile North and on FM 2203 from SH 152, North to 0.3 mile N. of NCL of Dumas, covered by CPM 41-8-2, CPM 356-2-31 and CPM 2000-1-12 in Potter, Carson & Moore County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., March 18, 1992, and then publicly opened and read.

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member of Fundamental Baptist Church, where he taught Sunday school for more than 39 years and served as a trustee for more than 43 years.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, Lester Montgomery of Benicia, Calif., Chester Montgomery of Henderson, Nev., John Montgomery of Amarillo and Joe Montgomery of Wheeler; a daughter, Rose England of Groom; three brothers, Luke Montgomery and Wayne Montgomery, both of Norman, Okla., and Chester Montgomery of Roswell, N.M.; 15 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to be made to St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center.

World Day Of Prayer, March 6th

The Immaculate Heart of Mary Church will host the World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 6th at 2:00 p.m. The theme of the program is "Living Wisely With Creation."

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Show in Fort Worth which concluded a successful 17-day run Feb. 2.

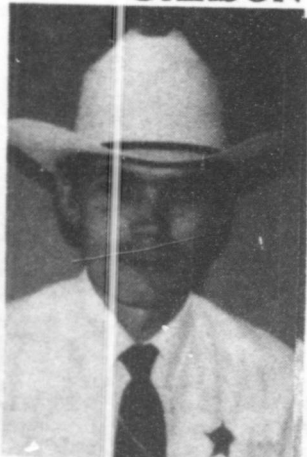
A banner year was charted by the show, posting an attendance record of 813,100 visitors, which included a peak crowd of

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The Library Corner

By Evelyn Hubbart

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Fiction books include "Darkness Falls", Joyce Anne Schneider; "Under the Influence", Elizabeth Travis; "The Heart of the Country", Nancy Cato; "Incident at Potter's Bridge", Joe Monninger; "Olivia and Jai", Rebecca Ryman; and "The Naked Heart" by Jacqueline Briskin.

Groom also received four new westerns, two "light love" books, four "Easy" books, four "Junior" books, six "Easy" cassettes with books and six adult music

cassettes.

The Library also has a 1992 Amarillo telephone book and the librarian will be happy to answer any calls for a number. Or, if you prefer, you can come by

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Hartley
Defeats
Lady Tigers
70-51

Tigers Beat Higgins 75-42 Next ... Bi-District



Lady Tigers Win 59-57

McLean Lady Tigers won in one of the most exciting games of the year Friday night. Briscoe gave them a run for their money, with many tied up scores and interceptions. The first half ends 22-22. Mindy McGee had an excellent night scoring several 3-point goals. Briscoe began getting in foul trouble late in the 2nd quarter but the Lady Tigers couldn't find the basket on the free shot.

The third period found the McLean girls a bit cold as the score inched up to

43-36, giving Briscoe the edge. Briscoe began to stall waiting for the good shot and only resulted in making silly mistakes. Walking and interceptions soon gave the Lady Tigers the opening they were looking for.

Pulling within three points, Mindy Magee made a heart stopping 3-point shot to put the game into overtime with a score of 52-52.

Briscoe seemed to fall apart, fouling out two girls. The game ended with them having only three players on

the court. McLean wins 57-59.

Mindy Magee was high point with 20 and Joetta Bailey carried 13 points. The Lady Tigers will meet Hartley at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday in Caprock High School to decide area winners.

REMINDER

McLEAN 'TIGERS play for the Class 1A Bi-District title Thursday at 8:00 p.m. in Pampa's McNeely Fieldhouse against Kelton.

THE WORLD WAR II exhibit will be removed from the McLean-Alanreed Museum on March 15, so articles can be returned to owners. If you haven't been to visit please come and see.

McLEAN EMS will meet at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, February 27.

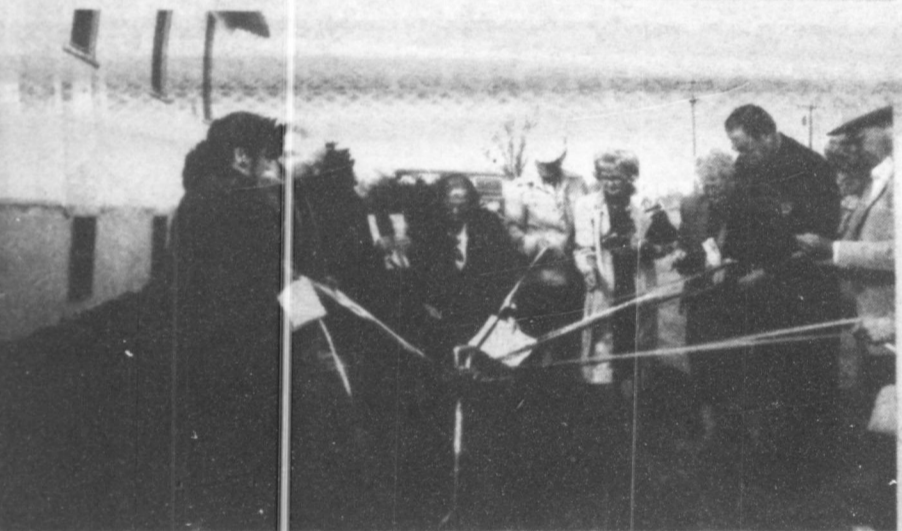
4-H CLUB will meet on March 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

MASONIC LODGE at 7:30 p.m., March 2nd.

McLEAN LIONS CLUB will meet at 6:30 p.m. on March 2nd.

MARCH 3RD VFW meets at 7:00 p.m.

LOVETT BOARD at 4:00 p.m. on March 4th.



Heald Breaks Ground For Addition To Church

Groundbreaking ceremony at Heald United Methodist Church was held February 16 for a new addition of kitchen and restrooms to the church. Heald will have church and community reunions on May 3rd. Plan ahead for this festivity, more information later. Sunday School is at 8:45 a.m. and Church Services are at 9:15 a.m. each Sunday at Heald.

McLean City Council Requests Removal Of Junk Vehicles

The City Council of McLean met in regular session Thursday, February 13, 1992 in the City Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Haynes at 7:00 p.m. with the following members present: Wayne Bybee, Harold D. Smith, Martha Jo Bailey, Joe Billingsley and Sam Haynes.

Others present: Jon Sessions, Donnie Basham, Fred Smith, Allen Mixon, Stella Lee, Bob Glenn, Dwight Brandt and Virginia Rawlins.

The meeting opened with an invocation by Mayor Haynes.

Minutes of the January

meeting were read and approved as read.

Motion by Bybee, second by Bailey to send letters to people with junk vehicles on property and to place notice in newspaper.

Motion by Bailey, second by Bybee to advertise for bids to seal coat designated streets as proposed by City Engineer Dwight Brandt. Vote unanimous.

Motion by Smith, Second by Billingsley, to add cost of 8" over flow pipe and splash pad to contract for painting interior of ground storage water tank. Vote unanimous.

Jon Sessions, PRPC

Representative, met with council to explain how funds from Water Grant will be used and necessary action to be taken in spending these funds.

Motion by Bailey, second by Billingsley, the following resolution was adopted:

"BE IT RESOLVED, That an election for three (3) positions for Alderman be called for the first Saturday in May being May 2, 1992, with balloting at the Lovett Memorial Library in McLean, Texas.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that filing for said positions shall start February 17, 1992 and shall See City Council, pg. 9



Royal Rangers Hold Awards Ceremony

The Royal Rangers award ceremony was held at the Pentecostal Holiness Church on Sunday evening, Feb. 23, 1992.

Bro. Billy Williams made the presentation, he is their leader. A Royal Ranger is a perfect type of a Christian.

Jimmy Williams received the straight arrow of the year, presented by his dad, Bro. Billy Williams.

Sonny Northcutt got the "Buckaroo of the Year" award, and Chris Flores earned his 2nd class pin and "Pioneer of the Year" award.

One trailblazer member present was Jonathan Galley.

The congregation, friends and relatives were pleased to see the boys receive their awards.

FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

The McLean Independent School District will celebrate "Texas Education Week" during the first week of March. As part of this celebration the entire school will be open on Tuesday evening, March 3rd, at 6 p.m. and will remain open until approximately 8 p.m. There will be a band concert at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. And there will be a Public Hearing on "Academic Excellence Indicators Systems" (A.E.I.S.) that same evening. The A.E.I.S. hearing will be conducted in the high school conference room at 5:30 p.m.

Teachers will be in their respective classrooms from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. for parent-teacher conferences. This should give adequate time for individual parents to confer with their child's teacher about their school work.

Also, parents, grandparents and family

members are invited to eat lunch with their children in the school's cafeteria during Texas Education Week. The only thing that we are requesting is some advanced notice of your intent to eat here at school. Please call the business office or the school's cafeteria if you plan to eat in the school cafeteria. The school telephone number is 779-2571.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend all phases of this year's "Texas Education Week" celebration at the McLean Schools.

THANK YOU CARD

A special thank you to my friends in McLean for your prayers, cards, telephone calls and the wonderful food. My appreciation for your love, support and concern, is impossible to express.

May God bless all of you.

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Bobbi Brown Albin

PIONEER STUDY CLUB

The Pioneer Study Club met Thursday, February 20th at the computer lab room in McLean grade school. Mrs. Freda Holland was in charge of the program. She explained how her students used the equipment. Each child started at a computer station with the cycle word, progressed to word journal station, then to listening station and on to the writing and typing station. This "Writing to Read" program has only been in school systems two years. The progress of students who use this system is remarkable.

Hostess was Loyce Murray. She served sandwiches, dips, nuts, and typing station. This "Writing to Read" program has only been in school systems two years. The progress of students who use this system is remarkable.

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Those present were: Joan Andrews, Nancy Billingsley, June Close, Mary Dwyer, Bonnie Nell Fabian, Freda Holland, Wanda Lamb, Ruth Magee, Loyce Murray, Charlie Marie Shurley, Jennie Stubbs and Mary Emma Woods.

MASONIC LODGE HONORS SCHOOL FACULTY

The Masonic Lodge honored the McLean School faculty with a barbecue dinner catered by the Longhorn cafe from Shamrock.

J. Boyd gave the welcome, followed by the blessing given by Q. D. Bevell.

A delicious dinner was served to 50 people. Mr. Stanley Lamb, superintendent of schools thanked the members of the Lodge for their concern.

Mr. Lamb introduced the principals, Mr. John Griffen, elementary principal and Jerry Don Cook, high school principal and they introduced the faculty.

McLean Care Center News

McLean Care Center welcomes a new resident, Lorena Bailey from McLean.

Sunday morning Maebelle Nash and Ella Mae Massey were here to hold Sunday school for the residents. In the afternoon Bro. Pat Anderson pastor of the Church of Christ was here to conduct services.

Residents playing bingo Monday afternoon were Adelle Walker, Mary Helen Boston, Dick and Mattie Wheeler, Leon Burch, Mary Sligar, Eula Morrow, Annie Eudey, Kittie Hessey and Clyde Trusty. Our volunteer helpers were Loree Barker, Cliffie Heasley, Avalee Crockett and Sylvia McClellan. Bananas were furnished for all bingo players by the Lions club.

Tuesday morning we had a fellowship with the ladies from the Church of Christ. Ladies serving cookies and punch were Cliffie Heasley, Joanne Anderson, Estelene Grimsley, Catherine Weaver, Avalee Crockett and Oleta Harris. In the afternoon Lena Carter and Brenda Maclain were here to assist the residents in dominos, those playing were Leon Burch, Imogene King, Adelle Walker, Dick Wheeler and Eula Morrow.

Wednesday afternoon the following residents played our Horse Race game, Adelle Walker, Kittie Hessey and Annie Eudey. The winners were Imogene King, Mattie and Dick Wheeler, Leon Burch and Thelma Hopkins.

Thursday was our birthday party for the month of February, residents celebrating were Barbara Hambricht, Pearl Hudson and Leon Burch. Corsages were furnished by Lamb Ferguson Flower Shop. We all enjoyed the beautiful music played on the piano by Phillip Jones. Evelyn Pennington furnished the decorated cake. Our servers were Wanda Bailey, Louise Turner, Lois Myers, Larue Hambricht, Ann Morris and residents Doris Reborn and Imogene King. Many thanks to Kenneth and Larue Hambricht for their donation to furnish punch and birthday napkins for the party.

We are in need of styrofoam egg cartons for a craft project.

Obituary

Emsley F. Miller

Emsley F. Miller, 76, father of a McLean man, died Sunday, Feb. 23, 1992. Services were in First Baptist Church in Paducah with the Rev. Byron

Garrison, pastor of First Christian Church in Paducah, and the Rev. Larry Millican, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Garden of Memories in Paducah by Siegler Funeral Home of Paducah.

Mr. Miller was born in Maud, Okla., and had been a resident of the King County area since 1931, moving from Oklahoma. He married Bessie Morrow in 1934 at Tecumseh, Okla. He retired in 1978 as a maintenance foreman with the Texas Highway Department after 35 years of service. He was a member of Guthrie Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge. He was preceded in death by his twin children, Dona Wanda and Floyd Wayne, in 1937.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Jerry Miller of McLean, Ronnie Miller of Silvertown, Carl Miller of Lubbock and Donald Miller and Ronald Miller both of Guthrie; four brothers, J.R. Miller and Ray Miller, both of Odessa, Charles Miller of Citrus Heights, Calif., and Guy Homer Miller of Morse; a sister, Juanita Garrett of Lamesa; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Oma Watson visited relatives in Dallas, Woodlands, Houston, Dickinson, Amarillo, Tahoka, Lubbock, Tulsa and Hereford.

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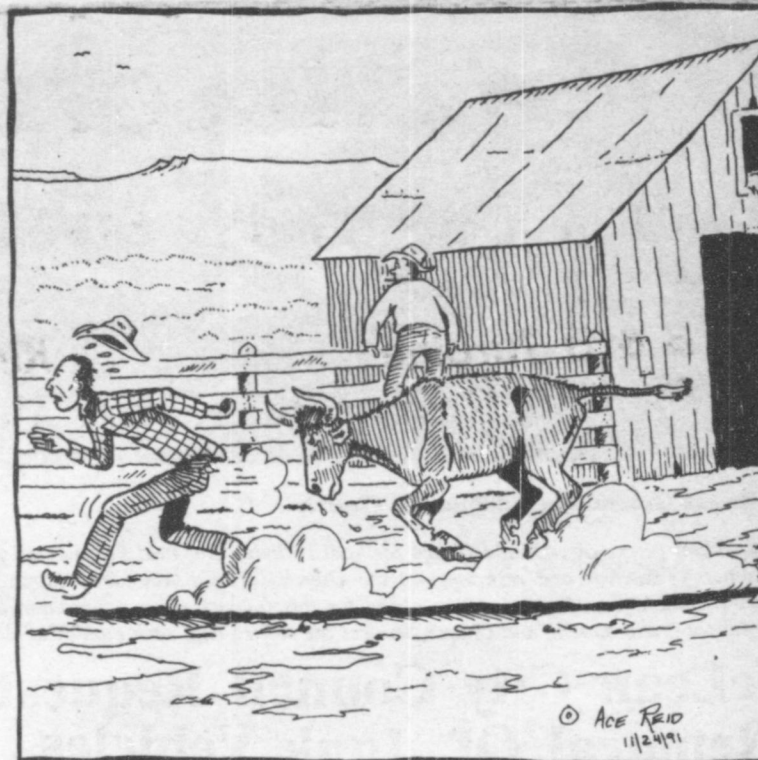
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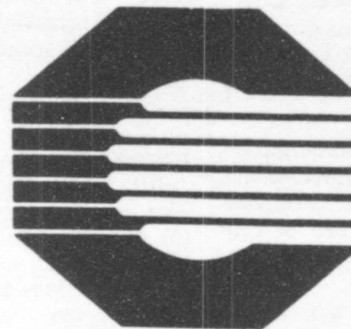
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close at 5:00 p.m. March 18, 1992. Absentee balloting shall commence on April 13, 1992 and end April 28, 1992, said absentee balloting to be in the Office of the City Secretary at the City Hall in McLean, Texas and shall be supervised by the City Secretary.

To appoint an election Judge with two clerks. Election Officials to receive same pay as in 1991. Vote unanimous.

Discussions was held concerning the number of dogs and cats running loose in City limits. Motion by Billingsley second by Bailey, to contact Bill Turnbow about trapping again. Vote unanimous.

Discussion concerning number of complaints received about Cable TV service. Council instructed City Secretary to write Cable company letter about these complaints.

Request from Tony Smitherman for trash pick up at his residence out side of City Limits was considered. This item was tabled for study.

Motion by Billingsley, second by Bybee to have computer repaired. Vote unanimous.

Motion by Billingsley, second by Bailey to pay current bills. Vote unanimous.

Discussion was held concerning cost of natural gas, usage and contract. Council discussed the

need for someone to learn the operation of Library facility. Mrs. Darlis Jinter volunteered to be a trainee for this work and council unanimously accepted the offer.

Mayor called for executive session at 8:15 p.m.

Salary schedule was reviewed at length.

Council returned to regular session at 8:25 p.m.

Motion by Bybee, second by Billingsley, to raise City Secretary salary by \$200.00 per month beginning March 1, 1992. Vote unanimous.

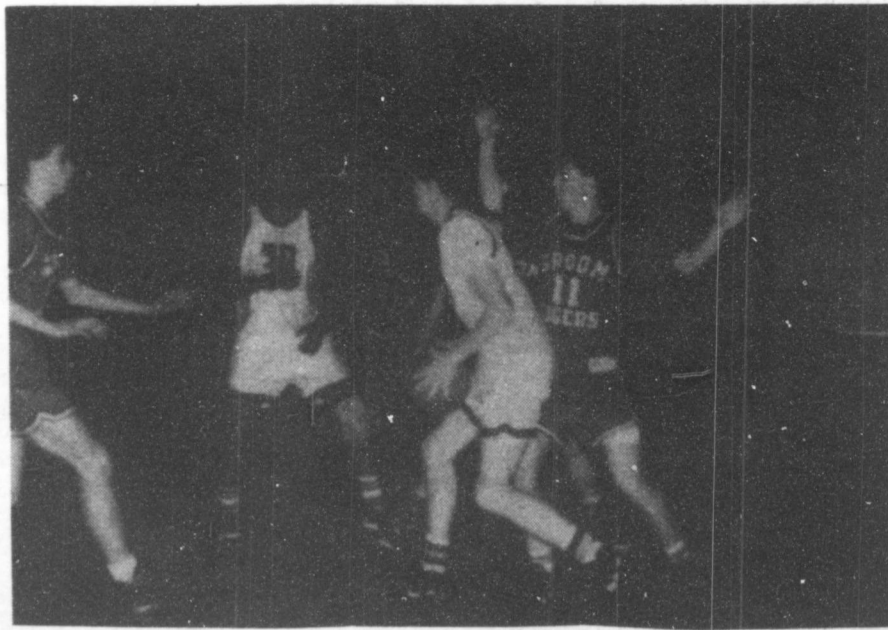
Motion by Bailey, second by Bybee to adjourn meeting at 8:30 p.m. Vote unanimous.

Sam A. Haynes, Mayor

NEW ARRIVAL

Bill, Vicki and Meghann Hambricht of Pampa wish to announce the arrival of Morgann Elizabeth Hambricht. She was born February 19, 1992 at 8:09 p.m. She weighed 8 lbs. and 4 oz. and was 20 1/4 inches long.

Proud grandparents are James and Shirley Armbrister of Alanreed and Kenneth and Larue Hambricht of McLean. Morgann has four great-grandmothers. Mrs. Nora Drago of Alanreed, Mrs. Dorothy Armbrister of Phoenix, Arizona, Mrs. Safrona Pettit and Mrs. Barbara Hambricht of McLean.



"Hard to Hold" are Tiger's Thomas and Looney as they keep the ball away from Groom's Tigers in a recent game.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Herman Sanders is in Shamrock Hospital. Almeda Blankenship. Everette Lee Watson is in Coronado Community Hospital.

THANK YOU CARD

Jerry Miller would like to express his sincere thanks to the McLean Community for all of the beautiful flowers and phone calls and cards over the loss of his father. Your thoughts and prayers at this time of loss was so appreciated.

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Tony Bryan Smitherman of McLean is among 46 students from The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston (UTMB) to be selected as outstanding leaders for the 1992 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

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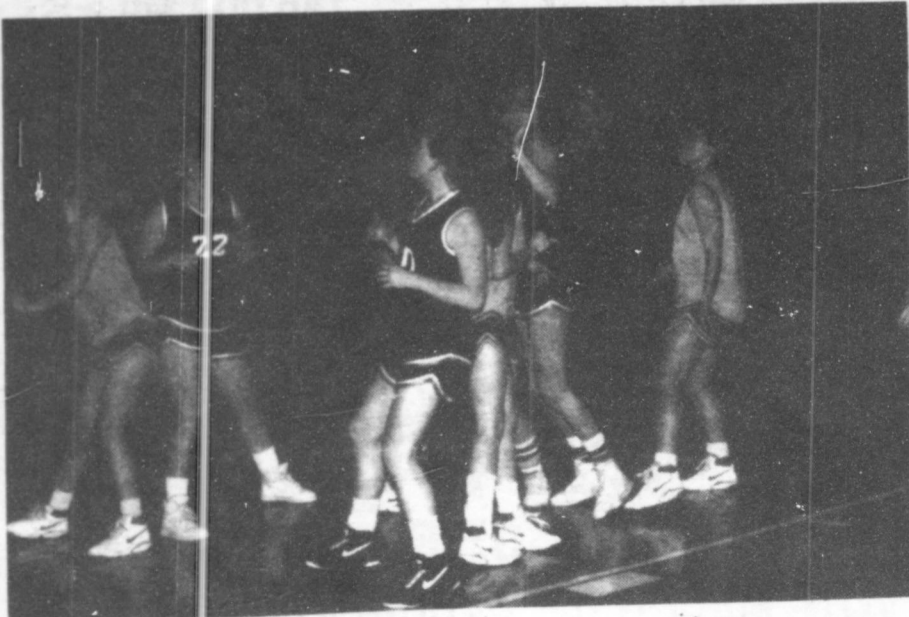
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We are asking your assistance in removing these vehicles as soon as possible, as we would like our city to be as attractive and safe as possible.

Over 50 locations with these types of vehicles have been located within the city, and those not complying with the regulations will be sent letters officially notifying them to remedy the situation in ten days from that date.

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