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## Tigers Looking To 2nd Scrimmage

The Groom Tigers were off and running for 1952 with a scrimmage agains Valley last Friday night.
"All in all," said secord year coach Terry O'Dell, "they played much better than it might have appeared. We were up against one all-state midcle linebacker and three 815 state middle defensive players. Valley is rated 8 th in the state at this time."

In the first series $\mathrm{O}^{\prime} \mathrm{D}$ ell felt that the Tigers appeared a little sluggish.
"We did not execute our plays the way we should
have. But that is what scrimmages are for . . . we had new boys playing new positions . . . it always takes a little time for them to get familiar with the position," stated O'Dell.

Valley caught them sleeping defensively on their first play. They scored again before the Tigers regrouped defensively and beld them.

During the second session O'Dell felt that Groom dominated defeneively Pa dominated defensely. Pau McLaughlin scored on a 55 yard touchdown run O'Dell felt that Groom won
the second series of play. The coaches said that they have not distinguished players as varsity and junior varsity as of yet. That decision will probably not be made until after the Benjamin game.
Coach Reid said, "There is a lot of raw talent in these younger boys, it just needs refining. The game ended on a positive note and the team had a very productive workout on Saturday.

Tigers will scrimmage Follett there Friday night.

## Texas School Finance Needing Settled

As school bells ring for students through out the state of Texas, lawmakers are also hearing beils. Those bells may be a death knell to some schools if the
school finance issue is not settled soon. settled soon. Texas attorneys are urging a federal appeals court to go ahead and allow the state to again collect a the state to
becn declared unconstitutional.
"There is no public interest in the payment of an unconstitutional tax," said See School, pg. 4


Coach Larry Reid has the Tigers running through tackling drills in practice.

## Groom ISD

## Welcomes Four

New Teachers
Groom School welcomes four new teachers for the 1992-93 school year. They are Kay Britten, Sonya and Larry Reid.
Kay Britten is
解 to area residents as one of the guiding forces putting the Groom Day Celebration together. She taught school for nine years in South Dakota before her marriage. Raising her children has taken the majority of her time since then. She taught first and third grades at Webster and Gettysburg, Wouth Dakota She will be South Dakota. She will be
Sonya McElroy is also a familiar face around Groom. Until just recently she lived just outside of town with her husband, James and family. They recently moved to Fritch. She will replace Zeldon Jenkins as head of the science department.

Whitney Crum is a recent graduate of West Texas State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education and Reading. She will be teaching sixth grade subjects as well as freshman prealgebra.
Crum recently moved To the Kingston house with her $21 / 2$ year old daughter Callie. She was raised in the Dimmitt area and looks forward to a great year.
Larry Reid is the new coach replacing Mark Lance. He will be working with Junior High Football and Junior High and Junior Varsity Basketball as well as assisting with the high school program. He will also teach history.
GJH Cheerleaders ... $\begin{aligned} & \text { Stephanie Ollinger, Courtney } \\ & \text { Friemeh and Kay Lynn Briten }\end{aligned}$

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## Local Happenings

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## GROOM SCHOOL

 MENUAugust 31 . Breakfast Cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch - Corn dogs, macaroni/cheese, carrot sticks, pickle spears, pork \& beans, chocolate cake, milk. September 1 . Breakfast - Pancakes, peanut butter, juice, milk. peanut butter, juice, milk.
Lunch - German Sausage, Lunch - German Sausage,
corn on cob - broccoli corn on cob - broccoli
spears w/cheese sauce, pull apart bread, applesauce, milk.

September 2 Breakfast - Breakfast burritoes, hash browns, juice, milk. Lunch - Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, potatoes, gravy, green beans,
hot sliced bread, grape hot sliced
clusters, milk.

September 3 Breakfast - Biscuits, bacon, gravy, juice, milk. Lunch Pepperoni and cheese pizza, cut corn, salad, crackers, pears, milk.
September 4 . Breakfast - Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.
Lunch - Roast beef with gravy, baked sliced potatoes, green peas, hot rolls, rice krispie treats, milk.


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The Men/Boys Baptist Association Fish Fry was held on Wednesday, March 20 at First Baptist Church in Pampa.

Mrs. Virginia Snyder and Mrs. Lorene Odell of Amarillo visited Rip and Joy Snyder Sunday.

Rip and Joy Snyder visited Martha Sublett in Pampa on Monday.

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank you all for your prayers, cards and flowers during my stay in the hospital. A special thanks to Dorothy and Duane Balitzke from Phoenix and Kathryn and Ed Reed of San Antonio.

Thank you,
Ellis Stapp

CHURCH-WIDE PICNIC AT MCCLELLAN
The annual First Baptist Church-Wide Picnic was held at Lake McClellan on Sunday. Those attending enjoyed a potluck meal, followed by games. In concluding the evening Greg Lamb led the singing accompanied by Steve Anthony on the guitar. Aro. Bryan Richardson gave Bro. Bryan
the serpaur
Tbose sittending were:
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Neal Anthony, Jack and Billie Bivens, Johnny and Nancy Brumley, Bill and Roberta Ellington, Carole, Brenda, Dean and Doug Fields, Billy and Shirley Fields, Meredith and Marion Kendrick, Bobby, Caleb and Kendrick, Bobby, Caleb and Suzy Pool, Donald and
Juandell Ritter, Troy, Seth, Juandell Ritter, Troy, Seth,
Justin, Wade and Clay Ritter, Joanie Phelps and sons, Wayne Shaw, R.A. and Joy Snyder, Beverly, Michael and Michele Stephens, Darrell, Charlotte, C.J. and Dara Whatley, Bryan, Linda Lea and Garner Richardson.

## "HISTORY OF

 METHODISM" THEME FOR MEETINGUnited Methodist women met at the church August 18 for their monthly meeting. Mark Metzger gave the program "History of Methodism" which was enjoyed by all.
Hostess, Karen Case, served delicious refreshments of apple cake, whipped cream and coffee to the following members: Essie Knowles, Shirley Essie Knowies, Shirley Julia McGee, Oma Schaffer, Julia McGee, Oma Schaffer,
Ruby Babcock, Mark Ruby Babcock, Mark
Metzger, Truman Goodlett, Metzger, Truman Goodlett,
Mamie Ritter, Sybill Harrell, Ora Lee Garmon, and Bertie Helton.
Our September meeting will be a luncheon at the church. Steve Campbell will bring our bible study for the year. We will meet at 10 o'clock.

Thank You Card I would like to thank veryone who helped in any everyone make St. Jude's way to make success I Bike- $\mathrm{A}=$ Thon a success. really appreciate the parents, the sponsors, the school, the city, and the FHA. Most of all, I want to thank the riders for their time and hard work.
Because of caring people like you the riders raised like $\$ 500$ for St. Jude's. Thanks again for all your Thank
help!

## St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Jan Britten

LOCAL CONGREGATION
ATTENDS "TEXAS"
The local United Methodist congregation sponsored an outing to attend "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon, Tuesday, August Cany

Those attending were and steve were Pam and Steve Hutsell, Mary and Sarah, Ellen Gray, Todd and Dewayne, Barbara Fraser, LaVeda Wood, Ron and Burnice Gray and Josh, Katherine Gray, Marik Metzger, Glynn D and Sybil Harrell, Adam Odar and Shelvy and Ronnie Wilson of Amarillo.

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Texas Department of Transportation is seeking information on the relative of J.C. and Laura Seybold.
Mr. and Mrs. Seybold resided in Hartley, Texas, near the town of Dalhart near they sometime in the They died sons and were early 1900 and were buried on the family farm. If you have information on or know someone with the Seybold surname, please contact Cheryl Grimes in the Amarillo District Office, P.O. Box 2708, Amarillo, Texas 79106-2708 or call 806-356-3249.

GROOM BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES August 27 - Misty Homen, James Moraniec, Jeffrey Lee Britten, E. D. Goodlett, Marietta Britten, Berdie Hutsell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bohr (A).

August 28 - Lindy Lea Kotara, Clay Britten, Mamie Beevers, Jo Ann Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Alan Homen (A), Mr. and Mrs. George Britten, Sr. (A), Mr. and Mrs. Gary Babcock (A). August 29 - Matthew Britten, Mr. and Mrs. John Homer (A).

August 30 - Jack Barnett.

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Delores Prather
Delores Prather, 66, died Monday, August 24, 1992.
Memorial services were Wednesday in Memorial Park Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Jeff Lethco, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Farmersville, officiating. Cremation was by Memorial Park Funeral Home.
Mrs. Prather, born in Nowata, Oklahoma, was a longtime resident of Amarillo. She worked as a hairdresser. She was a Baptist.
Survivors include a son, Rick Prather of Groom; a daughter, Marilyn "Susie"

Addis of Farmersville; a brother, Charles Showers of Amarillo; and two grandchildren.
The family requests memorials be to the First Baptist Church building fund in Farmersville.

## MINUTES CORRECTION

 A preliminary draft of the August 11 meeting of the Groom ISD Board of Trustees was given the Groom News for publication. The dress code committer, s recommendations were presented to the Board and no action resulted.NEW TUTORIAL PERIOD IMPLEMENTED
Groom School began its 1992-93 year Monday morning.
Principal Judy Babcock reported enrollment was at 225 but was expecting a couple more students to officially register before the week is out.
Last year Groom students numbered 227 on the first day. So not much change is expected in ADA
A new feature in scheduling is the Tutorial Period. In previous years if a student needed help with a particular subject, that student came in early before classes began. Many times
distractions and interference caused problems for students and teachers who needed extra time together. By shortening the class schedule five minutes each, a 30 minute time slot has been created for tutorials. Students who need additional help will be equired to see that teacher during this time frame.
The open period will also allow students to do some of their work at school as well as provide a time for activities such as class meetings and assemblies without disrupting other without
Principal Judy Pabcock said, "We hope it will do what it was designed to do. Allow students who need extra help, the chance to get it."


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 Stephens. Kevin Kerlee.

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property is offered as is and without warranty.
Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and delivered to the Carson County Auditor who shall hold all bids until 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 14, 1992, when at such time the Auditor shall tender all of such bids that have been received to the Commissioner's Court of Carson County for formal opening. The Commissioner's Court may reject any offer if it finds the rejection to be in the best interests of the County. The successful bidder, in the event the Commissioner's Court accepts such bid, must be prepared to tender cash or certified funds to cover bid acceptance on the date of opening.


EMT's who recently finished their training are Lavern Thomas, Toni Pavlovsky, Instructor Dave Bulla of Amarillo College, Charlotte Whatley, Bobby Wakefield, Tony Painter and Brent


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## DPS Report

As The Interstate Turns By Joe Longway
On 8-5-92 a Crescent Springs, KY man was arrested for Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. This was a result of the discovery of seven marijuana pipes, and a coke can with a hidden compartment full of marijuana residue after a Consent to Search was given. The man was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Bill Hinson. The man plead guilty and paid fine.

On 8-10-92 Trooper Davis was in federal court in Panhandle testilying for the government on the charge of Felon In Possession of a Firearm. Trooper Davis arrested the Kentucky man in the spring of '92 and the case was turned over to Alcohol Tobacco Firearms Agents. Results are pending.
On 8-12-92 a Chicago, Illinois truck driver ran off the road striking the FM 295 overpass guarcirail and a delineator post, before the second trailer landed on its side spilling its lord upon side spilling its lord upon
the outside westbound lane the outside westbound lane
of traffic. The driver states of traffic. The driver states
an unknown flatbed trailer ran him off the rord. I'm glad it wasn't the mystical dark car that runs people off the road.

On 8-14-92 an Oakland, CA man was arrested for (less than two ouncrs) The (less than two ounces). The owner of the car gave a
Consent To Search and Seize and a small pastic bag of marijuana was found. The man was arraigned before Justice o Peace Phyllis Tyler. The man was then placed in the Carson. County Jail.
On 8-15-92 a Longview, TX youth was found to be a runaway afte: being stopped for speeding and no seatbelt. The youth was turned over to his paternal grandmother a few hours

## School Finance

Jim Keahey, who represents taxpayers. "A taxpayers revolt may be the consequence of a failure by the courts to uphold fundamental law."

Keahey argues that public
pressure would force the legislature to deal with the problem.

Public pressure, in the form of a tax revolt could be the proverbial straw that broke the camels back

## later.

As a reminder school starts next week. The Kindergarten class will be released early all week for Parent Teacher Conferences. Let's keep a look out for the little Groom Residents.

On 8-14-92 an Oakland, CA man was arrested for Possession of Marijuana (less than two ounces). The owner of the car gave a Consent To Search and Seize and a small plastic bag of marijuana was found. The man was arraigned before Justice of Peace Phyllis Tyler. The man was Phyllis Tyler. The man was
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On 8-23-92 an Oklahoma City man was arrested for Felony Possession of Marijuana. Estimated at 2 Ibs $40 z$ with a street value of $\mathbf{\$ 2 , 2 0 0 . 0 0}$. Subject was traveling from Oklahoma Craveling from Oklahoma City to Los Angeles, California when he was
stopped for speeding and a consent to search was obtained.

The Public is cordially invited to the Groom Independent School District Board of Trustees Meeting on Monday evening, August 31, 1992, at 8:00 p.m. in the usual board meeting place at the School Administrative Offices. The Trustees will hear comment on the 1992-93 budget adopted on August 20, 1992, and will ratify or amend the budget. A 1992 Tax Rate will be adopted by Board Resolution at the meeting, following action on the 1992-1993 Budget. The School Administrative Offices are located at 304 West Third Street, City of Groom, State of Texas.
however. With the loss of that that figure may have tax dollars for even a short time, many schools including Groom ISD may have to close.

Bob Bullock announced on July 2nd that schools could expect as much as $\$ 1$ billion in new state aid in the next legislative sessions. Governor Ann Richards warned shortly thereafter
been a bit premature, while Speaker of the House Gib Lewis said in June that "Texas Schools would see no new state money."

Obviously no one really seems sure if the money will be there or not. No one seems to have a workable plan for funding education in Texas. Two things are fairly certain, if the Texas
legislative body doesn't get moving the Federal Judicial System will close Texas
Schools down. If taxpayers revolt and refuse to pay an unconstitutional tax many school will be forced to close. The June 1, 1993 deadline to fix the system is deadine to fix the system is only ten months away and the clock is ticking for Texas students.


## Churches Plan Jr. High Parties

An after game planning meeting was held on August 17 in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church.
Present for the meeting were: Nila Burgin, Mary Howard, Susan Burgin, Beverly Stephens, Charlotte Whatley and Bryan Richardson.

After discussion, the group decided to not host high school after game parties, due to the fact that the youth did not want the socials. CYO will still host the Homecoming dance, as done in the past.
Bryan Richardson offered to lead the Jr. High Youth in games and would do this for other churches also.
The time set by the committee for the parties

## Party Held Fo

Randal and Nancy Patterson and Brent and Beverly Stephens hosted a party at First Baptist Church for the Young Adults of the congregation. Those attending enjoyed hamburgers with all the trimmings, chips and dips.

Beverly Stephens led the group in Laugh Olympics. Games were enjoyed by all, even though Marion Pool even though Marion Pool
injured her ankle and will injured her ankle and will
be on crutches for a while.
will be from $9: 30$ p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Churches will host the parties as follows: Home Town Games: Junior High Students September 11, Vernon North - Nachos at First Baptist Church. September 18, Meadow - Frito Pies or Hot Dogs at St. Mary's (Junior CYO). October 16 - Follett (Homecoming) Submarine Sandwiches at United Methodist Church. November 6-Miami Pizza at the Community Center with all churches hosting.
The homecoming dance will be sponsored by the Senior CYO and will be at St. Mary's with chips and St. Mary's with
dips being served.
Young Adults
Attending were: Troy, Seth, Justin, Wade and Clay Ritter, Brent, Beverly, Michael and Michelle Stephens, Michael and Katrina Thomas, Darrell, Charlotte, C.J. and Dara Whatley, Steve, Debbie, Nicholas and Neil Anthony, Karen and James Reid, Todd and Karla Cave, Don and Mary Sue Lyles, Tina and Tony Painter, Randal, Nancy, Heather and Rhett Patterson.

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From All Your Friends and Family

## Attention!

## Parents \& High School Stadents

The School Board Meets Tuesday, September 8 at 8:00 p.m. The Dress Code will be discussed. Everyone who wants the dress code amended please come and show your support. We have your names, (over 100 adults and 75 high school students), but we need your faces.

Groom School Dress Code
As students head back to school this week it's time for a friendly reminder as to proper conduct for students concerning appropriate dress for school and related activities. DRESS CODE

The District's dress code is established to teach grooming and hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, avoid safety hazards, and teach respect for authority.
It is our belief that proper dress for the occasion is conductive to good conduct. It exposes the students to the manner of dress acceptable to the community and for the occasion. We believe that school is not a place for the most casual attire. It is the wish of the school that students be dressed in such a way that they are ready to learn, not to be so relaxed learn, not to be so relaxed
in their style of dress that it detracts from the learning environment.
The manner of dress of students in the Groom schools has brought many compliments to the students and the Groom School The students are to be The students are to be commended for this accomplishment.
The following revision of the previous dress code will hopefully simplify and create an easier interpretation and understanding of what is expected and to keep current with some of the more acceptable styles and trends.
The following restrictions cannot cover every situation; therefore, students, when deciding how to dress for school, are expected to use good judgement in terms of community standards.
Boys' Hair and Dress Code:
The length of the hair shall not extend below the center of the ear; it may be blocked or tapered, but off the collar. It must be above the eyes (Revised July, 1988). No mustaches or beards may be worn.

Shirts tailored to be worn inside must be worn inside the pants.

No tank tops, moccasins, sleeveless shirts, or "cutoffs may be worn. Shirts must be properly buttoned. No mesh shirts may be worn without another shirt without underneath. No T-shirts with advertisements for alcohol or tobacco (ex.
Corona, Coors, etc.) or Corona, Coors, etc.) or
distasteful slogans may be distasteful slogans Torn or cut jeans will not be allowed.

Boys may not wear ear jewelry at school or at school functions.

Shoes with black cleats that mark the floor will not be allowed. If boots are worn with pants, the pants must cover the tops.
Students may not wear the knit-type sweat pants. Girls' Dress Code
Girls may dress in a manner to fit the occasion as long as they are neat and of proper taste. The following garments have specifically been determined to be unacceptable for girls: tank tops, sun dresses,
shorts, T-shirts with advertisements for alcoho and tobacco (ex. Corona, Coors, etc.) or distasteful slogans, see-through blouses, apron tops without blouses, halter tops, crop tops, midriff styles of any kind, and unraveled hems on pants. Short skirts and dresses will be discouraged. No mini skirts will be allowed. Mini skirts be defined as mid-thigh and above. Torn or cut jeans will not be allowed.
Leggings and tight knit pants will be regarded the same as tights or panty hose and cannot be worn unless the other clothing worn by the student could be worn without the leggings or tight knit pants.
Shoes with black cleats that mark the floor will not be allowed. If, boots are worn with pants, the pants must cover the tops.
General Statement:
Any other manner of dress chosen by the students should be of good taste and comply with the above listed provisions. Should poor taste of dress be chosen, the administration will administer disciplinary procedures.
The District has authority and control over its students during the regular school day and while going to and from school on to and from school on District jurisdiction includes any activity regardless of time or location, and any schoolSee Dress Code, pg 6

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Phillips Celebrate 50th Anniversary
Jay and Evelyn Phillips of White Deer celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception Sunday afternoon, August 16th at the White Deer First Baptist Church.
Hosting the occasion were Fern and John Danislavs of Cincinnati, Ohio, Galen and Debbie Phillips of White Deer, and Don Phillips, Levelland.
The couple was also honored with a family dinner party Saturday evening, August 15th at the First Baptist Church.
Phillips married the former Evelyn Marie Young
on December 20, 1942 at the home of the brides mother south of White Deer. They have always lived in the White Deer area.
The couple retired from farming in 1976 and are members of the First Baptist Church in White Deer.
Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are the parents of three children, Fern Danislavs of Cincinnati, Ohio, Galen Phillips of White Deer and Don Phillips of Levelland. They also have eighi
grandchildren.


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## REDISTRICTING

 TO REMAIN SAME On August 17，the court blocked the redistricting plan set forth by Secretary of State John Hannah． State Republicans asked the court to block the plan enacted by the legislature and allow voters to vote in the court designed districts in the general election， November 3 as they voted in the March primaries． Therefore，Carson and Armstrong Counties will still have Senator Teel Bivins on the ballot running unopposed．
## Dress Code

related misconduct， regardiess of time or location．

The District＇s rules of student conduct apply to all school－sponsored and school－related activities，on or off campus．Students who violate these rules will be subject to disciplinary action and shall be referred when appropriate to legal authorities for criminal prosecution for violations of law．


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## McLean Tigers Scrimmage Lefors Before Opening 1992

With only two veteran players in last weeks scrimmage McLean's head football coach, Jerry Miller was pleased with the outcome.

Senior Christian Looney will be the main weapon for will be the main weapon for
the Tigers and leaned upon heavily for leadership. The $63^{\prime \prime}, 195$ pound player has previousiy played quarterback. Miller would
speed.
"My problem is finding a quarterback," said Miller. Jeremy Thomas and Dennis Ward are in contention for the position. They alternated them in last weeks scrimmage against Guthrie. A final decision will not be made for a week or two to decide who will be calling the plays for the
"Experience is my big concern," stated Miller, "I have seven boys who played junior varsity last year who need to become varsity players. . . they need to mature fast."
The Tigers scrimmage Lefors this week while the J.V. will match up with Higgins.


The 1992 McLean Tigers begen workouts last week preparing for the upcoming season. The Tigers hope to take up where hey left off last year, winning district and making it to the state playofts.


Lorene Arbuckle patiently awcits the latest issue of the McLean News. Arbuckle is a resident at the McLean Care Center.
year the school cafeteria spent $\$ 33,000.00$ more than they took in. 2. The State of Texas failed to provide $\$ 71,000.00$ to our district that was originally budgeted. that was originally budgeted. 3. Even though we have one less teacher, one less cafeteria employee and one less classroom aide this year, the total school salaries increased. Why? Because salary increases are mandated by state law, but no funds were provided by the State for the increases. 4. The valuation of our school district fell this year by $\$ 2,628,600$. That reduced the school's income by another $\$ 12,617.00$. 5 . Due to lower interest rates and less money to invest, there has been another reduction in income of $\$ 26,500.00$.

As you can imagine, our school can not continue to operate with those kinds of financial losses.

So, we have reduced employees and are trying to reduce losses in the cafeteria. Please be assured, we are serving a Class " $A$ " Lunch as required by Uncle Sam. Under no circumstances is any student given less than what is


## McLean Welcomes New Teachers

JIMMY MORGAN Jimmy Morgan is the new science teacher at McLean High School. Teaching 7th through 12th grades.
Mr. Morgan is married. His wife Kimberly, daughters Keadron, Erika, Shelley and Krista live at Quail.
Mr. Morgan graduated from Wellington High School and attended Texas Tech University and graduated with a degree in graduate
science.
Welcome High School.

## By Stanley Lamb

mandated by the USDA. I will admit that we have eliminated "seconds." But I'm sure that you understand the necessity for that.
The fact is, if we do not do everything locally that we can to preserve our school's financial status, then this school will be out of business in a few short years. Those are hard words, but true words. If you are up-to-date on you related finance, you chool related linance, you know that the legislature has not lived up to their financial promises to the field of education. In fact, Judge McCowan has ruled that if the legislature fails to act by June 1, 1993, he will allow the schools of Texas to close.
If you would like to If you discuss these issues or any other issues, I welcome your telephone call or your visit. I believe we are all striving for the same thing, a better school.
Our school enrollment is as follows: K-10; 1st-9; 2nd-8; 3rd-14; 4th-17; 5th 24. 6th-16: for a total in the elementary of 98
For the junior high and See Lamb, pg. 10

## KIM OLDHAM

Kim Oldham joins the McLean High School staff teaching computer accounting, typing I and II, consumer math, publication.
She graduated from West Texas State University Kim is married Clifford Oldham and has one daughter, Amber, who is three years old.
This is Mrs. Oldhams seventh year to teach. She enjoys teaching in the small enjoys teaching in the small
school districts and is very proud to be involved in the McLean Community and school.

TREW MAKES NAME IN FEEDLOT CIRCLES

Steve Trew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Trew of Alanreed, is making quite a name for himself in feed lot management circles. His software program has features that are very appealing in the cattle industry.
The network allows for
multiple user access to multiple user access to oftware and files simutaneously. It has the ability to upload information direct from the feedmill, feed truck and the processing barn.
Steve Trew's Feedyard and Accounting Software works in conjunction with Ne Novil Network Software. This Nechnork Software. This technology has been available for quite some time on larger mainframe systems. It has only recently been practical for p.c. computers.
Neil Odom of McLean Feed Yards who recently had Steve install the system is excited about the program.
"It will allow faster flow of information and a reduced amount of paper work," he stated. "We are very pleased to have this new system in place."

KRISTIE CROCKETT
Kristie (Thompson) Crockett is teaching Chapter I this year for the McLean School system.

Kristie graduated from McLean in 1986 and from West Texas State University in 1991. She is married to Brock their home on a ranch here. Her parents are Mr. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of Paducah, Texas.


HEALD UMC is starting an after school discipleship program for kids K-6th grade on or about Sept. 16. If yoa would like to help. Call Janet McCracken at Call Janet McCracken at
$779-2063$ or Don at 779 . 2547.

THE ANNUAL Kelierville Reunion will be held at the air-conditioned civic center, Lefors, Texas, Sunday, August 30,1992 at $10: 30$ a.m. to 5:00 p.m. There will be a pot-luck dinner. Bring a dish and please come anytime and enjoy the visitation.

AUG. 30 - SEPT. 4 the Assembly of God Church, at 4th \& Main in McLean, will host a Prophecy Seminar. Evangelist Ed Rimer will conduct a verse by verse exposition of the Book of Revelation. Sunday 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday - Friday at 7 p.m.

THE VFW IS sponsoring a steak supper on Saturday night, August 29th at 6:00 p.m. at the VFW Post.

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Thursday, August 27, 1992
Scott and Charlic Marie Shurley and Willie Harris attended the funeral of Lockett Back in Carter, Oklahoma last week

Briefs


Donna Brauchi, Gray County Extension Agent, will be at the VFW Post Monday, August 31 to check pressure cooker gauges. These gauges should be checked every canning season for safety and to help in the preserving of canned food. Time is $1: 30$ until $3: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.

## Gray County 4-H

 Rodeo HeldThe 16th Annual Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo was completed August 15 with a total of 174 contestants. These youth were in competition for a total of 38 belt buckles which were awarded to the which were awarded to the top winners. A total of 218 ribbons and 12 trophies were awarded to the top Pee Wee winners.
Placing from McLean were Ike Hanes, 2nd, Breakaway Roping and 3rd, Adult/Youth Ribbon Roping; Chris Littlefield, 1st, Breakaway Roping and 1st Calf Roping.

Chris Littlefield was 1st in the event money winners in Calf Roping in the $15-18$ age group for Saturday night as well as a buckle winner in the $15-18$ age placing points in Ribbon Roping and Calf Roping.

"Banker, I ain't got any credit references,

mclenn school MENU
August 27 - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, french fries, chocolate cake, milk.
August 28 - Fish nuggets, macaroni/cheese, cole slow, tarter sauce, bread, milk.

August 31 - Taco's with meat/cheese, refried beans, salad, sopillia, honey, milk.

ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLU INFORMATION
The McLean Athletic Booster Club has reorganized for this school year.
Contrary to public opinion, the Booster Club is designed for-all areas of the school's physical education program. Donations have been made to the Booster Club for "Little Dribblers" to purchase basketball goals, and warmups for both boys and girls track teams. senior high boys and girls basketball suits were purchased by the Booster Club.
Please let us encourage you to become a member of the McLean Athletic Booster Club. The school and the students need and appreciate your involvement. The more people who participate, the more school needs can be met. All of us need one another!
The club will meet on Monday evenings following every away game. Film of previous games, varsity, J.V. \& junior high will be shown. This years first fund raiser has already been set
up. There will be a dinner up. There will be a dinner
served at the school served at the schoon
cafeteria on September 7th. This is our first home game, McLean vs. Follett. The serving time will open from 3:30 until 6:30 p.m.

The next Booster Club meeting will be September 7th at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Won't you come and join us and help make the future of McLean ISD more secure and bright.

## MCLEAN BIRTHDAYS <br> ANNIVERSARIES

August 27 - Gregg Mann, Robin Corley.
August 28 - Marjorie Fish, Chris Littlefield, Cathy Bailey, Laverne Brooks, A.M. Dean.

August 29 - Johnny Day, Don Crockett, Clifford McDonald, Rae Simpson.

August 30 - Tony Hambright, Jackie Worsham, Lance Hallum, Louise Turner, Keith Robinson.

August 31 - Buell Wells, Faye Houdyshell, Cindy Jenkins.

## CR McLEAN LODGE No. 889

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GOLF CLASSIC
McLean ladies excelled in the Texas Lone Star Senior Ladies Inaugural Golf Ladies held in Shamrock.
Lavera Back won first in

in her flight
Joyce Ecl war second in
Joyce Ecl wan second in her flight.
All three ladies were awarded gold medallions for their efforts.

They were the only McLean ladies entered in the tournament.
Towns of Canyon, Alpine, Del Rio, Silverton, Stratford, Wheeler Shamrock and several other towns were represented in this Panhandle event.

Fund Established
For Cayla Faith Armbrister
A trust fund has been established at the Bank of Commerce in McLean for Cayla Faith Armbrister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Armbrister.

Cayla passed away late Monday night, August 24th at University Medical Center in Lubbock. At press time services were still pending.
This money will be used for medical costs and expenses that have been entailed.

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James Willard Little James Willard (Jimmy) Little was born December 29, 1911, in Cornelius, North Carolina, son of Oliver Littie and Beulah Kelly. Jimmy served in the U.S. Army in World War II. While stationed at the
Prisoner of War Camp at McLean he met and married Fleeta Cunningham on June 3, 1944. He and his family lived in Mooresville, N.C., where he was a supervisor with Burlington Industries for many years. In 1959, he and his family moved to Abilene, Texas, where Mr. Little managed three Thornton's Department Thornton's Department
Stores. In 1971, he moved Stores. In 1971, he moved
to Brownwood, Texas, to to Brownwood, Texas, to
open a new Thornton's Store, where he worked until retiring in 1976. After that time, he and Fleeta resided at the family's farm until December 1991, when they moved back to Abilene.
Services were Friday, August 14, in Epworth

United Man with the Rev. Bill Fitzgerald officiating. Burial was in Iberis Cemetery near Abilene.
At the funeral, music was presented by the Conald Cunningham family of Amarillo.
Among Mr. Little's survivors are his wife, Fleeta; two sons, Jimmy Little, Jr., of Mesquite and Tim Little of Abilene; one daughter, Ronna Harrell of Abilene; seven grandchildren Abilene; seven grandchildren Abilene; Whitney and Brady Little of Abilene; Brad, Kim, and Colin Little of Mesquite. He also was survived by two sisters; Nick Little and Fern Walters both of Mooresville N.C and a brother, Vaughn Little of brother V.C.

Jimmy was a member of Epworth Methodist Church, Abilene. While in Brownwood, Jimmy and Fleeta were charter members in establishing a new church - Lake

## Obituaries

Brownwood First United Methodist Church Fleeta Cunningham was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Cunningham of the Liberty Community about five miles east of McLean on I-40.

Ward Lockett Back
Ward Lockett Back, 79, died Sunday, Aug. 16, 1992. Services were in Carter School Auditorium with George Watson officiating. Burial was in the Carter Cemetery by Martin Funeral Home.
Mr. Back was born in McLean, Texas, and moved to Carter, Oklahoma when he was a child. He graduated from Carter High School and entered Southwestern Teacher's Southwestern Teacher's College in Weatherford and earned his master's degree at Western State College in Colorado. He began his teaching career at Mozelle, a consolidated school near Abilene, Texas, and then


Oklahoma. He then became principal, coach and superintendent of the Carter schools. Following Carter, chools. Following Carter, he finished his Oklahoma teaching career in the Panhandle at Plainview School of Oklahoma. He then began teaching in Hartley, Texas, retiring in 1974. He moved back to Carter in 1985. He married Mary Lou Jacks in 1961 in Reno Nev. He was a Reno, Nev the He was a mender of Odd Fellont Order of Odd Fellows Lodge for more than 45
years and was a member of Carter Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; nine children, Jimmy Back of Houston, Texas, Doris Smith of Lawton, Barbara Dalton of Lawton, Dixie Smith of Tulsa, Larry Back of Weatherford, Melba Back of Muskogee, David Back of Claremore, Ken Reed of Chickasha Ken Reed of Chickasha and Cheryl Reed of Amarillo; a sister, Lorraine Clark of Carter; 19 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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## Lloyd Richard Erwin <br> Lloyd Richard Erwin of <br> "MEET YOUR TEACHER" LUNCHEON SUCCESS

 Arlington died Sunday, August 9th, at an Arlington hospital. He was 72.Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 12th, at St. Maria Goretti Catholic Church, where he was a member. He was buried in Moore Memorial Gardens in Arlington.
Mr. Erwin was born in Bethany, Oklahoma and was raised in McLean, Texas. He attended the University He attended the University
of Texas in Austin and was of Texas in Austin and was
a graduate of Southern a graduate of South Methodist University.
Mr. Erwin retired from federal government service in 1972 and began his own accounting and income tax business. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and served in the South Pacific. Mr. Erwin was a member of the Knights of Columbus fraternal organization.
The family suggests that memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.
Survivors: Wife, Rose M Erwin of Arlington; M. Eons, Hoyd H Erwin of sons, Lloyd H. Erwin of Arlington and Michael Erwin of Grand Prairie; three daughters, Nora Ann Leach of Rogers, Ark., Cheryl Strickland of Dallas and Patricia Hajek of Oklahoma; two sisters, Mollie Caulder of El Paso and Ruby Denny of Pampa; and four grandchildren.

DEVIL'S ROPE MUSEUM During the month of July we had 505 visitors registered, from 25 different states and 7 foreign countries. Included in the foreign visitors were 12 different parties from Germany, and 5 different parties from Holland, one from Italy, two from Canada, one from Switzerland, one from Spain, and one from the Dominican Republic.

We received a call from Vienna, Austria from a TV station that plans to be here sometime in August to do some filming and anothe inquiry from a Japaneseowned TV station interested in doing another documentary. We received a copy of the documentary done by the Pat Kogan filming crew that were here last fall and McLean last fall and McLean that film.

By Ruth Magee
Activity, activity that is what happens at the McLean Museums. On Wednesday, August 19 Wednesday, August 19 there were visitors from eight states of Germany The man from Germany wanted to get on old Route 66 and stay on it. It's a little hard to explain that our state has not marked it as a Historical Route, as yet. We Must get this done. One couple from Pampa, who has done a lot

On Sunday, August 16th the United Methodist Women sponsored a "Meet Your Teacher" Your Teacher fter church services
Chicken spaghetti, baked beans, salads, and all kinds of desserts were served to about 130 people.
Everyone enjoyed meeting the faculty, old and new. There are several new faces in the school system this year.

## SKELTON PROMOTED

Guy Skelton has recently been promoted to Electrician's Mate 2nd Class in the U.S. Nayy Guy was the U.S. Navy. Guy was liller Miller in September '91. His next duty station was the Service Schoo Command/Engineering System at the Great Lakes Naval Base where he was a Distinguished Military Honor Graduate in April 92 . Guy is now stationed at Charleston, South Carolina as an instructor with the Shore Intermediate Maintenance Activity. Guy, an '88 graduate of Lumberton High School, is the son of Martha Beasley Skelton of Schulenburg, Texas and Gary Skelton of Nederland, Texas. He is the grandson of the late Guy Beasley and Georgie Beasley a former resident of McLean now residing in Pampa, Texas.
of contract fence building stayed in the Devil's Rope Museum for hours. They could hardly believe that
many tools for fencing could be in one building. They will be back!

The excellent display of Route 66 souvenirs brings a lot of visitors and buyers. One visitor was a professional speech maker who had flown from her home in Dallas, rented a car in Chicago and was driving on "Old $66^{\prime \prime}$ all the way to L.A. She had a map prepared this year with the McLean Museums and restored station listed. She could not believe what a fantastic display we have to fantastic display we open only $11 / 2$ have been open only $11 / 2$
years. We will hear from years. We

Another interesting group on August 18th was from Austria. There were four needed to carry their video equipment and only one could speak English. Their aim was to interview people with businesses on Old 66 that could tell about the 30 's and 40 's. Corinne tried to answer their questions but would not tell them the "tall"
"tall" tales they wanted.
She said "the poor people She said "the poor people
traveling were good people traveling were good people
and were forced to look for and were forced to look for

- jobs so they could feed their family."

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MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE MEITS
The Ministerial Alliance met at the City Park, met at the City Park,
Sunday night August 23 at 6:30 p.m. Ice cream and cake was enjoyed by
everyone who attended. If everyone who attended. If you didn't go you missed a good time.
People from all the churches joined together in fellowship and worship.
There was lots of singin by several different local people.
Bro. Dean Williamson gave the message. A love offering was taken to help with expenses.

## Alanreed News

Visiting Lena Carter on Monday was Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce of Amarillo. Virginia Dalton of McLean and Lena Carter were in Amarillo on Wednesday and visited the Jim Bruces and Debra Whisenhunt and Brandon.
The R. D. McLains and Ruth's mother visited relatives in Pampa Wednesday.
Visiting the Robert Bruces over the weekend was daughter Sandra and granddaughter Nickie from Midland.
Visiting the Bill Tidwells

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For additional information please call Judy
Allen, Direct or of External Services at 669-0918 for an interview appointment.

## VOLLEYBALL!

There will be a meeting Morl., Aug. $31 \sim 7: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ First Christian Church Activity Center for anyone wanting to play in an open league in Panhandle.

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and others last week was Meghann and Morgan Hambright of Pampa while
mother Vickie was at mother Vickie was at. Lubbock at the bedside of brother Jimmy's baby. Shirley Armbrister accompanied Vickie. The baby had several surgeries over the weekend but was considered stable late considered stable late
Sunday. Dundie

Dixie Crockett was in Tyler several days last week getting daughter Juliana situated in college there.

Virginia Dalton of McLean and Lena Carter attended funeral services for Ruben Hilton of Pampa on Monday. Mr. Hilton was a cousin of the late F.B. Carter, father of Virginia.
Some equipment has been brought in and some work is going on at the over pass destroyed earlier this year.
Moving into the Don Charles Dorsey house this week was Joy Spears and son Greg. Mrs. Spears is the new cook at the school. Both of the Leeder's daughters visited them this week and took their mother to the doctor and wherever she wanted to go.
The Robert Bruces were in Amarillo on Wednesday and visited the Jim Bruces. The community was saddened at hearing of the passing of Fred (Babe) Hall recently. He was the youngest of the original Hall family.

## Trostle Family Has Reunion

The Trostle family got together in Amarillo last week. Those present were: Marie Moor from Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Moore and children, Rebecca, and Rachel, Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Garza, Irving; Mrs. Alice Collini and children, Renia, Anthony, and Melisa, Grand Prairie; Mr. Earl Trostle, Houston; Mr. Ear Trostle, Houston;
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trostle, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trostle,
Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Winston Trostle, Amarillo; Mary Ruth Trostle Snodgrass, Farwell; Tommie Snodgrass, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Parker Stewart, Zed, and Stacie, Buda, Texas; Mary Stacie, Buda, Texas; Mary
Dean Oliver, Jay, and Dean Oliver, Jay, and
Brenda, Midland; Sue Brenda, Midland; Sue
Trostle, Lubbock; Mr. and Trostle, Lubbock; Mr. and
Mrs. Robert B. Trostle, Mrs. Robert B. Trostle, Mark Trostle, Marcie, and Rob, Georgetown, Texas; Rob, Georgetown, Texas;
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trostle, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trostle,
McLean; Mr. and Mrs. McLean; Mr. and Mrs.
Lonnie Easley, Skellytown; and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Easley, Skellytown.

## Returns To Florida

Jeanne Magee from Clearwater, Florida has been visiting the Magees. She is the daughter of the late Dr. Doyle Magee who visited his brother, Clyde and family many times. Jeanne is a senior student at South Florida State at Tampa, Florida.

## Lindley and Bode Exchange Vows

Leslie Allison Lindley and Donald Richard Lee Bode were united in marriage on June 13, 1992 at the First Baptist Church in McLean.

Parents of the bride are Debra Lindley of Samnorwood and Tommy Lindley of Wellington. Grandparents are Carme Lindley of Wellington and Jo Morris of Memphis. Great-grandmother is Ruby Murdock of Memphis. Parents of the bridegroom Pare Mr and Mrs. are Mr. and Mrs. Dick II Bode of Alanreed Grandmother is Nell Bode of Tustin, California.
Rev. Rory Burge of the First Baptist Church i Wellman, formerly of Samnorwood, officiated the formal double ring ceremony.

The altar was decorated with ivy-entwined brass candelabra holding royal
blue tapers, accented with royal blue satin bows. A unity candelabra stood at the center of the altar, also accented with a blue satin bow.

Ben Karnes, organist, presented classical music selections. The wedding began with chimes that marked the hour of $4: 00$ p.m. Sherri Bode of Glendora, California, aunt of the bridegroom, sang "The Lord's Prayer".
Given in marriage by her father with "her mother and I avowals", the bride wore an heirloom gown, which was first worn by the bridegroom's mother on the same date, June 13, 1959. The gown was of ivory Chantilly lace with a round neckline and short sleeves. lvory pearls lined the neckline, and clusters of iridescent sequins and pearls covered the bodice and sleeves. An ivory satin bustle accented the back of the gown, which extended to a chapel length train. To accent the gown, the bride wore a strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom.
The veil worn by the bride was of ivory layered tulle attached to a tiara covered in ivory silk flowers, pearls, and rhinestones.

The brides bouquet and all other floral and ribbon decorations were made by Margie Braidfoot, sister of the bridegroom, of Grapevine.
The bride carried a cascading bouquet of ivory roses and pink gladioles and gypsophila. An heirloom handkerchief was tucked beneath the flowers.
In keeping with tradition, the bride's "something old" was the heirloom dress, "something new" was the pearls, "something borrowed" was the heirloom handkerchief, which was first carried by her mother, and something blue" was a garter, also worn by her mother. She was presented two pennies for her shoes one of her birth year and

one of the bridegroom's birth year, by her maid of honor.

Maid of honor was Alicia Wright of Samnorwood. Attendants were Stacia Gardiner of Spearman Codee Owens of Plainview and Melinda Bingham of Wilson. They wore identical tealength dresses of royal blue satin with of royal blue satin with royal blue lace overlay. The dresses had a round neckline and short sleeves, and came to a " $V$ " in the back, accented with a dropped hem and dropped satin bow.

Dick D. Bode of Amarillo, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man Groomsmen were R Chriation of Amarillo, Keith Christian of Amarillo, Keith Owens of Plainview, and Uussell Bingham of Wilson.
Ushers were Dennis Stockstill of Stillwater, Ok, Dan Fish of McLean, and Randy Braidfoot of Grapevine, brother-in-law of the bridegroom Candlelighters were Iance Lindley and Jero Lance Lindiey and Jason Lindiey the bride.

Flower girl was Wendy Yarborough of Shamrock She wore a royal blue opera length gown with a lace overlaid bodice. She carried a white basket filled with royal blue, pink, and whit flowers, pink, and white pink and blue bows.

Ring bearer was Ben Braidfoot, nephew of the bridegroom. He carried a round, ivory lace pillow.

After the couple recited their vows, Russell Bingham and Becky Webb of Amarillo sang "The River". Each mother came to the altar and lit a taper, then placed the tapers by the unity candle. The couple then lit the unity candle using those tapers.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall. April Darrow of Goodwell, Oklahoma and Susan Throckmorton of Amarillo, Texas presided at the bride's table. The table was
covered in white, overlaid in white lace. Decorations were two silver candleholders holding royal blue tapers and the bride's bouquet. The wedding cake was a five tier, ivory cake with staggered layers. Fresh ivory roses and gardenias with baby's breath topped the cake and ivy and flowers cascaded down each tier
Shay Gooch and Becky Webb, both of Amarillo, Webb, both of Amarillo,
presided at the bridegroom's presided at the bridegroom's
table, which was covered in table, which was covered in royal blue overlaid in white lace. The cake was a round chocolate cake decorated with chocolate-dipped strawberries.

Following the reception, a barbecue and dance was held at D-D Ranch, home of the bridegroom. Guests danced to the music of Southern Star.

The bride, a 1991 graduate of Samnorwood High School, is a junior Agriculture Economics Major at Texas Tech University. The bridegroom, a 1984 graduate of McLean High School and a 1991 graduate


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