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Groom Elementary-Jr. High-

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Groom I.S.D. places first in the U.I.L. meet held here last week. A few students lounge around the gym while they await their individual contest. They are (standing) Karen Conrad, Dara Whatley, Mary Hutsell, Melissa Anthony, Carrie Sue Davis, Wyatt Britten, (kneeling) Luke Pavlovsky, Evan Crowell, Candra Holland, and Garrett Britten.

Grandview-Hopkins Elementary-



Grandview-Hopkins students placed third in the Elementary U.I.L. contest. These students were enjoying the concession stand with Superintendent Baxter in the Groom School cafeteria.

Groom UIL Students Sweep District Competition Last Week

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City Council Awards Seal Coating Bid, Work Begins This Summer

The Groom City Council had a special called meeting last week to open bids for seal coating some of Groom streets this summer.

They were as follows: Lewis Construction Co. \$58,338.00; Lipham Construction Co.

The Groom News Awarded 3 Honors At PPA Convention

The Panhandle Press Association held their annual convention last week at the Harvey Hotel in Amarillo.

The Groom News, represented by Phillip Miller and Donna Burton, was awarded three honors in their annual newspaper contest.

"This was our first effort in my 15 years ownership of the paper," said Miller, "It takes a lot of time to enter this type of contest. Scrutinizing a year's worth of issues and articles and trying to pick your best is very difficult."

Competition is fierce with over 50 newspapers from the Texas Panhandle participating.

The Groom News placed third in the "Best Spot Photograph" category, behind the Tulia Herald and Castro County News; third in "Front Page Layout, behind the Tulia Herald and Weekly; and Abernathy honorable mention in "Advertising Initiative" with the Tulia Herald, The Eagle Press and Castro County News winning. The Groom News tied with the

Canadian Record. "We were very surprised," said Burton, "we work hard to put out what we hope is a good paper each week. It's nice to have your peers recognize your efforts!"

Other highlights of the convention included the keynote speaker, Texas Education Commissions, Lionel "Skip" Meno, a very interesting panel discussion on ethics and the installation of the four members to the Hall of Fame. Those Honorees were the late Douglas Meador, of the Matador Tribune, the late H.M. Baggerly, of the Tulia Herald, Morris Higley of the Childress Index and Jimmie Gillentine, former owner of the Hereford Brand.

\$44,725.80; E.D. Baker st Corp. \$44,725.80 and G.W. James, Inc. \$46,670.40. B Greg Lamb moved to ci

accept the bid from E.D. Baker Corp.; R.E. Cornett seconded.

The E.D. Baker Corporation has the capability to plane the

streets where needed.

City Engineer Dwight Brandt recommended the city employees spray the streets for weeds around the end of May and again before work begins on the seal coating.

Alderman Bill Homer was absent from the proceedings.

Carson County L.E.P.C. Responsible To 6500 Residents

Carson County Local Emergency Planning Commission (L.E.P.C.) added eight new members at last Wednesday's meeting due to the responsibilities and the size of various committees needed to operate the L.E.P.C.

Officers were elected and the bylaws were adopted as required by federal and state guidelines. Elected chairman was Judge Jay Roselius; Phil Miller, secretary-treasurer; Wanda Hood, information coordinator and Ricky Hamilton, co-chairman.

Members present and voting were Robert English, Ricky Hamilton, Steve Huckins, Mike Tice, George Powell, Phil Miller, Wanda Hood, Loren Brand, and Jay Roselius.

The L.E.P.C. briefly discussed possible emergency situations, such as chemical spills, and the people needed to respond to various emergency calls. Also, the new detailed See L.E.P.C. page 4

Community Calendar

"DOPPLER" DAVE Oliver, meteorologist for KFDA, will be here Monday night, April 12, to speak on severe weather in the Texas Panhandle. Everyone is invited at 7:00 p.m. to the Community Center.

APRIL 16TH is the end of the six weeks for Groom School students. Testing will be the 14th, 15th and 16th.

EARLY VOTING will begin April 2.

COLLEGE STUDENTS and voters who are temporarily out of town need to begin their request for a ballot by mail

VACATION BIBLE School has been set for June 21-23 with June 24, being church wide fellowship family night at the First Baptist Church of Groom.

FAMILY NIGHT at the United Methodist Church has been cancelled because of the pictures being taken on Wednesday, April 14.

GROOM School <u>WILL</u> have classes on April 12 This was a snow make up day. There will be no school on April 9 as previously reported. PRE-SCHOOL Screening will be April 21st in Panhandle at the Spectator Gym from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm.

Groom swept the Elementary and Junior High UIL Contest last week. Groom Elementary placed first with 372 points, Samorwood placed second with 269, followed by Grandview-Hopkins with 228, McLean 193, Lefors 130 and Kelton 74.

The Junior High won with 410 points, Samnorwood 285, McLean 209, Lefors 130 and Kelton 62.

The News was unable to get a report on how each individual contestant did, but we hope to have it next week.

Groom UIL contestants swept the District match last week, at Clarendon College, with 308 points. Samnorwood was second with 171 points.

Below are the results of our local students efforts for the contest. In most cases the top three will go on to the Regional Meet held on April 22 and 23rd at Levelland.

Poetry Interpretation: 1st - Andrea Payton. Prose Interpretation: 2nd - Aimee Lyles; 3rd - Kim Fields. Editorial Writing: 1st -Marie Conrad. Feature Writing: 2nd - Melinda News Writing: Burgin. 2nd - Melinda Burgin. Accounting - Individual Winners: 1st - Karen Babcock; 2nd - Melinda Burgin; 3rd - Marie Conrad. Accounting - Team Winners: Groom - Karen Babcock, Melinda Burgin, Marie Conrad. Calculator Applications: 6th - Steven Daffern. Current Issues & Events: 2nd - Darcee Lyles; See UIL page 5

Immediately.

NATIONAL LIBRARY Week is April 19-23.

GROOM COUNTRY Neighbors will meet on Wednesday, April 14 at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Betty Black.

TUESDAY GRAIN PRICES AT LOCAL ELEVATORS

> Wheat-\$3.09 Milo-\$3.62 Corn-\$4.32

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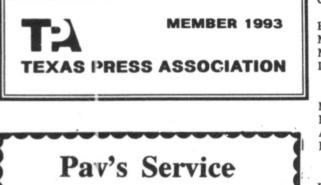
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GROOM BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

April 8 - Marcia Conrad. Angela Conrad, Maggie Thomas. April 9 - Charles Donald

Shannon Miller, Fields, Hugh Weinheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brooks (A), Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown (A). April 10 - Johnny Byrd.

April 11 - George (Jigger) Britten, Jr., E.O. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bowers (A).

April 12 - Rodney Bohr, Evelyn Ollinger, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruthardt (A), Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Lamb (A).

April 13 - Craig Howard. April 14 - Henry Merrick, Mrs. George (Jigger) Britten, Jr., Leslie Crowell, Allison Eatmon, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Ollinger (A).

Sean, Michele and Jonathan Richey of San Angelo Texas spent the weekend visiting their grandparents, Rip and Joy Snyder.

They visited Jerry Snyder in Amarillo Saturday.

Marion Pool, Debby Anthony and Joyce Hutsell will be attending a grant writing seminar at the Square House Museum in June. The registration cost is a joint effort by the City of Groom, Groom Schools and the G.E.D.C.

Allie Hoyt and Nellie Painter enjoyed a day on the town as they celebrated Allie's birthday last week. They enjoyed lunch at the Big Texan and then "Shopped Till They Dropped!

Many Groom residents are feeling their "oats," during the few warm days we have had this spring. "Walking for fitness" is taking the place of the "couch potato" as the favorite evening past time.



THANK YOU CARD I wish to thank everyone who sent flowers, cards, food and prayers during my recent illness. God Bless.

Janice Vaughn & Family

CARD OF THANKS We want to thank our friends for the flowers, food, telephone calls, your prayers, cards and your love for us, at this time in our loss of our son Stocky Lamberson. Ernest and Shirley

Lamberson

Thimblette Club Enjoys Evening

The Thimblette Needle Club met Thursday, April 1,

at the home of Helen Witt with Wynona Koetting as co-hostess.

After pleasant visiting, and one industrious person embroidering, refreshments of cake, ice cream, ham and

cheese triangles and trail mix were served to the Ruby following members: Milton, Lucille Case, Emalea London, Truman Goodlett, Ruth James, Bernice Brown, Vivian Lacy, and the hostesses, Helena and Wynona.

State National Bank Of Groom And **Carson County Extension Service**

Are Co-Sponsoring A Budgeting Seminar

Presented By

Dr. Jerry Mason, Associate **Professor Of College Of Home Economics**

Of Texas Tech University

7:00 P.M. April 12, 1993

Square House Museum Educational Building Panhandle, Texas

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Carson County Sheriff's Report

By Loren Brand, Sheriff During the past week, the Carson County Sheriff's Department has had persons booked into our facility for the following offenses: DPS Warrants (1), Possession of Controlled Substances (4), Traffic Charges (6), DWI (1), Violence (1) Domestic Arson (1), and Possession of Stolen Property (1).

As of this date we have fourteen persons confined in the Carson County Jail. These persons are confined under the following charges Indecency with a Child (1), Arson (1), Stolen Vehicle (1), DWI Committal (2), Parole Violation (2), DPS Warrants (2), Child Endangerment/ Abandonment (1)

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Possession of Marijuana (1), and Credit Card Abuse (1).

Our officers responded to a variety of assistance calls dealing with stranded motorists, cattle on roadways and medical emergencies. We returned a suspect from New Mexico to Carson County who was wanted on Arson charges stemming from a grand jury indictment.

Two members of the Carson County Sheriff's Department, Lee Tice and Doug Muir, were recently given certificates of commendation as the result of their excellent performance in dealing with emergency situations. Our Dispatch/Corrections officers are the backbone of our organization. These officers Possession of Cocaine (2), are responsible for handling

NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT

Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Precinct 102 that this precinct has been consolidated with Precinct 401. Voting in the May 1, 1993 election will be conducted at White Deer School, Antier Gym for voters residing in Precincts 102 and 401.

(signed) Jay R. Roselius County Judge March 5, 1993 AVISO DE PRECINTO CONSOLIDADO

Por lo presente se les da aviso a los votantes regis-trados del Precinto 102 que este precinto se ha con-solidado con el Precinto 401. La votacion en la eleccion 1 mayo 1993 se manehara en White Deer School, Antler Gym para los votantes que residen en le Precincto 102, 401.

Jay R. Roselius Firma del Juez del Condado

NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT

Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Precincts 103, 202 and 301 that these precincts have been consolidated with Precinct 201. Voting in the May 1, 1993 election will be conducted at Carson County Library, Panhandle for voters residing in Precincts 103, 202 and 301. (signed) Jay R. Roselius County Judge AVISO DE PRECINTO CONSOLIDADO

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Jay R. Roselius Firma del Juez del Condado

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELIECCION ESPECIAL)

To the registered voters of the County of Carson, Texas: (a los votantes registrados del Condado de Carson, Texas:) Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 1, 1993 for voting in a special election for 11.6 County of 1993, for voting in a special election for U.S. Senator and Constitutional Amendments. (Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el May 1 de 1993 para votar en la Eleccion Especial.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES

(DIRECCIONES	DE LAS	CASILLAS ELECTOHALES)
Groom	#101	Groom High School
Panhandle	#103	Carson County Library
Panhandle	#201	Carson County Library
Panhandle	#202	Carson County Library
Panhandle	#301	Carson County Library
White Deer	#102	White Deer School, Antler Gym
	#401	White Deer School, Antler Gym
White Deer		
Fritch	#302	Alvin Jones, Joo I annot house
Skellytown	#402	Skellytown School
Absentee	Carso	n County Clerk's office, Panhandle
Early voting	by ners	orial appearance will be conducted

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at: (La votacion adelantada en persona se

all activities regarding inmates in the jail which include feeding, booking, providing for medications/care and overall supervision of the jail population. In addition, these officers maintain the

9-1-1 Emergency system for

all cities in the county, dispatch personnel for the various fire departments, city police, city marshals, state patrol officers, ambulance services and from our officers We ask a department. great deal of these officers and all too often, we take such valuable personnel for granted.

Our Dispatch/Corrections staff is headed by Sandra Rogers, Jail Administrator, and includes, Steve Lewis, Doug Muir, Steve Hardin, Fred Herrick and Lee Tice. Lee is our secretary and is also responsible for handling radio and telephone communications.

GIRL SCOUT

LEADER'S DAY

April 22, 1993 is declared "Girl Scout Leader's Day" by the Girl Scouts of the USA. This day provides an opportunity for girls, their families and the community to express appreciation for the tremendous contribution leaders made to the future These of our girls. volunteers who lead Girl Scouts are loving, caring individuals who give much of their time, talent and energy to help prepare girls to meet the challenge of tomorrow. They need everyone's support. They need to know they are appreciated.

National and Local leaders both ask, "Say thank-you to your daughter's troop leaders on their special day, April 22."

Group Troop Leaders and Assistants are: Jan Britten, Troop Leader, #21, and Kay Troop Britten, Assistant Leader, Troop #21.

DARCEE LYLES NAMED TO ALL-STATE CHOIR

Darcee Lyles, the fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lyles recently auditioned for the All-State Baptist Youth Choir in Amarillo, one of the many locations youth could perform through out the state. The Church was later

notified of her appointment. The choir will perform during the Southern Baptist Convention to be held this year in Houston on June 15, 16 and 17.

Darcee has been an active member of First Baptist Church for many years. She became a member of the congregation on April 17, 1985 at the age of five. She is a member of the Youth Sunday School Class, Youth Group, Youth Choir and is currently Co. Vice President of the Youth She is a Council. sophomore at Groom High School.

Darcee is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ashford of Groem and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles of Childress.

Burglary Reported At Mighty's In Claude

Mighty's of Claude was burglarized early Friday

the burglars broke down the back door of his business around 4:30 a.m. on Friday and stole some cash from the register and video movies from the premises. An Armstrong County Sheriff's Department spokeswoman said an amount less than \$300 was stolen in the raid.

Moraniec, who lives in Groom, said the burglars inadvertently stripped the plug to the freezer but no food was spoiled. He asked for help in identifying a vehicle that was parked on the lot, possibly the getaway vehicle used in the burglary.



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Foster Burgin Services Held

Foster Burgin, 75, died Wednesday, March 31, 1993

Services were in Groom United Methodist Church with the Rev. Steve Campbell, pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church at Amarillo, Rev. Mark Metzger, pastor of Groom United Methodist Church, and Rev. Gene Pool of Duncan, Oklahoma, officiating. Burial was in Groom Cemetery by Bell Avenue Chapel of Schooler-Gordon · Blackburn Shaw Funeral Directors.

Mr. Burgin was born in Groom and lived there most

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Jimmy Burgin and Bobby Burgin, both of Groom, a daughter, Evelyn Thompson of Garland; and six grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Arthritis Foundation or Groom Ambulance Service. of his life. He married Margurite Wheeler in 1941 at Sayre, Okla. He was a farmer and trucker and owned Foster F. Burgin Trucking for 25 years, retiring in 1978. He was a member of Groom United Methodist Church and an Army veteran of World War

***** More. . . . **Community Calendars**

SUNDAY, APRIL 11 is Easter Sunday. Happy Easter!

BASEBALL PRACTICE Saturday, April 10, 10:00 a.m. at the school park for 9 through 12 year olds.

DISTRICT TRACK Meet will be held in Groom on April 8 and 9.

AN ELECTION Seminar for all school, county and municipal election officials, workers or anyone who would be interested will take place in the school library on April 14 at 6:00 pm via satellite.

BASEBALL FORMS that were handed out at school need to be returned now

4-H MEETING will be on Monday, April 12 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Center.

DISTRICT GOLF Meet on April 13.

APRIL 20 IS the FHA Senior Farewell.

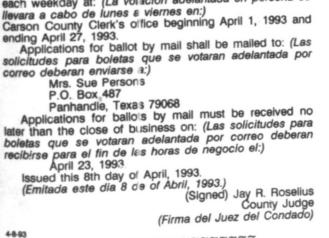
BAKE SALE FOR the annual Drug/Alcohol Free After Graduation Party on May 8th.

You Are Invited To A **Gospel Meeting** "Rekindling A Love For The Lord"

Speaker Leonard Harper - Minister Panhandle Church Of Christ

Song Leader Mike Suiter - Minister Clarendon Church Of Christ April 11, - 14, 1993 Services Sunday A.M. - Bible Study 9:30 Worship Service 10:30 Monday - Wednesday - 7:30 P.M. Special Ladies' Bible Class Wednesday - 10:00 A.M. Presented By: The Church Of Christ 1st and Newcome Groom, Texas

morning. Owner Jim Moraniec said



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Carson County Extension Service, State National Bank Host Financial Management Program

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Carson County Extension Executive Board, Panhandle First National Bank, State National Bank of Groom, White Deer First Bank & Trust Company and the Extension Service are sponsoring a very important and interesting program on Financial Management. Dr. Jerry Mason, a specialist Texas Agricultural with Extension Service, is a very interesting speaker and knowledgeable on current topics of finance. Dr. Mason will be at the

12th. If you did not hear Dr. Mason speak last spring you must attend this year. You will never know how humorous finances can be until you hear Dr. Mason.

The Extension Executive Panhandle Board, First National Bank, State National Bank of Groom, First Bank & Trust Company of White Deer, and the Extension Service would like to invite you to this program. Child care services will be available, free of charge, but you must call the Extension Service (537-3882)

Carson County Square House Museum Educational Building in Panhandle at Friday, April 9th. 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April

> Now Selling Multi-Peril (Federal Crop) Insurance on Grain Sorghum and Corn until April 15, 1993



Tennis Team Qualifies 7 of 8 Members For Regional

Silverton.

Melanie

The Groom tennis team played their district match week and qualified seven of eight players for the regional meet. Misty Homen won the





Vaughn - Ruthardt **Plan To Wed**

biology.

29, 1993.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Vaughn are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Jeannie Vaughn to Brice Ruthardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruthardt.

Jeannie is a senior marketing student at West State Texas University.

L. E. P. C.

Carson County map was reviewed. The L.E.P.C. will

coordinate the emergency response plan for the county as well as the city's of White Deer, Groom, and Skellytown. Panhandle is said to have their own emergency response plan. On file with the L.E.P.C.

women's singles after a

close game with Johnson of

Friemel and

M.S.D.S. are (material,

facility in Carson County who house, maintain or hazardous transport chemicals throughout the county. The Carson County

safety, data sheets) of every

Brice is a senior West

Texas State University

student majoring in wildlife

will take place at the

Groom United Methodist

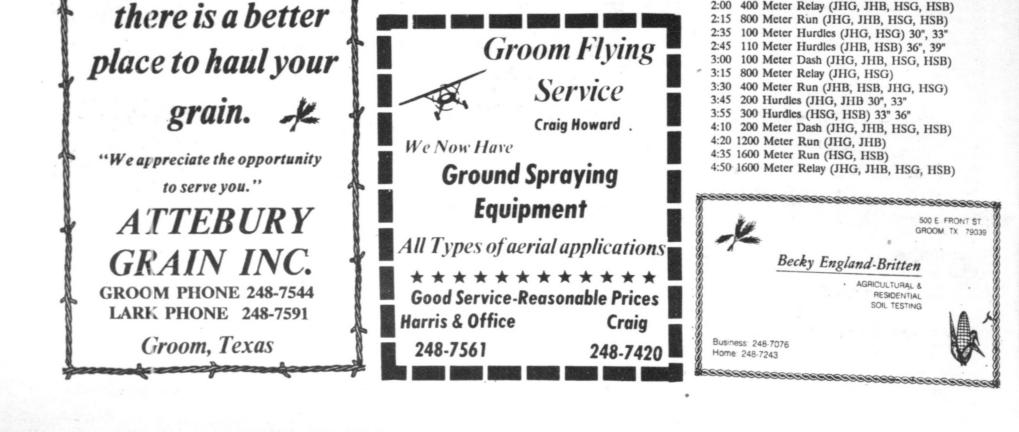
church on Saturday, May

The wedding ceremony

L.E.P.C. will meet for regular meetings quarterly, with the next meeting scheduled for July. The public is invited to attend.

Britten won the men's doubles beating Groom's own Bryan Crowell and Bo Burgin who placed second.

No Groom players were





DISTRICT 6-A TRACK AND FIELD MEET SCHEDULE APRIL 8-9, GROOM HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, April 8, 1993

2:15-2:45 - Junior High and High School Scratch Meeting in High School Cafeteria. ** Shot and Discus should be weighed NOW !!!

* * * * Running Prelims All Divisions * * * * 3:00 3200 Meter Run (HSG, HSB) * Final

400 Meter Relay (JHG, JHB, HSG, HSB) 3:45 100 Meter Hurdles (JHG, HSG) 30" 33" 110 Meter High Hurdles (JHB, HSB) 36"39" 100 Meter Dash (JHG, JHB, HSG, HSB) 800 Meter Relay (JHG, HSG) If Necessary 400 Meter Dash (JHB, HSB, JHG, HSG) 200 Meter Int. Hurdles(30" JHG, 33" JHB) 300 Meter Int. Hurdles(30" HSG,36" HSB) 200 Meter Dash (JHG, JHB, HSG, HSB) 1600 Meter Relay (JHG, JHB, HSG, HSB)-If Necessary

2400 Meter Run (JHG, JHB) * Final

Junior High Field Events: Three throws or jumps. Top eight to finals for three more throws or jumps. 3:45 Girls Shot - High Jump

- Boys Discus Pole Vault
- 4:45 Girls Long Jump (W) Discus
- Boys Triple Jump (E) Shot
- 5:45 Girls Triple Jump (E)
 - Boys High Jump Long Jump (W)
- Friday, April 9, 1993
- **High School Field Events**
- 9:00 Girls Shot High Jump
- Boys Discus Pole Vault 10:00 Girls Long Jump (E) - Discus
- Boys Triple Jump (W) Shot

Groom School Lunch Menu

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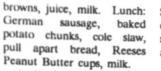
April 12 - Breakfast: Cereal, Breakfast Pizza, juice, milk. Lunch: Burritoes w/chili and cheese, corn, tortilla pieces, pineapple tidbits, milk.

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April 13 - Breakfast: Pancakes, peanut butter, juice, milk. Lunch: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, strawberry shortcake, milk.

April 14 - Breakfast: Breakfast burritoes, hash



April 15 - Breakfast: Biscuits, bacon, gravy, juice, milk. Lunch: Turkey and noodles, cheese zombies, carrot sticks, mixed vegetables, lime sherbet, milk.

April 16 - Breakfast: Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch:

Spaghetti w/meat sauce, cheese, pickle appetizers, salad, pizza bread, applesauce, milk.

Showup To Support The Tigers & Ettes At The District Track Meet

5th/2nd Alt. - Melanie Matt Fields. Friemel. Keyboarding: 1st -Sense: 2nd -Chris Burger; 2nd - Kenzi Burger. Literary Criticism: 2nd - Aimee Lyles. Mathematics Individual Winner: 1st - Rebecca Conrad. Mathematics Team

Conrad. Ready Writing: 1st - Stacy Fields. Science (Top scorer in each of the science subject areas) Biology - Matt Fields; Physics - Steven Daffern. Winners: 1st - Rebecca Science -Team Winners: 1st - Matt Fields, Kenzi Burger,

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Rebecca

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Steven Daffern. Spelling & Vocabulary: 1st - Halee 2nd - Terry Kotara; Eatmon



Conrad, Steven Daffern, PRICES EFFECTIVE APRIL 11-17, 1993 LSUP GROOM AJAX, 2 lb. box LAUNDRY ALL TYPES DETERGENT PEPSI-\$1.29 Þ COLA COORED FRESH HOT FOODS MENU ALAUS/BUCCHICKE 3 ltr. \$1.99 \$599 9 PIECE BOX CHICKEN BARBECUE BEEF 99 == \$119 BEEF & CHEESE CHIMICHANGA \$399 BARBECUE PORK RIBS (LB.) .69° BARBECUE WHOLE CHICKEN (MEAD) CORN DOG \$399 .69° DELICIOUS 79° ALLSUP'S 99 WILSON HOT LINKS .99° BREAKFAST \$139 SAUSAGE ON A STICK \$119 BURRITO BEEF & SALSA HAM, EGG & CHEESE SAUSAGE, EGG & CHEESE 79° SAUSAGE & BISCUIT..... .89º DELICIOUS SAUSAGE, EGG \$109 BREAKFAST \$1 59 CHICKEN FRIED STEAK .99° SAUTEEYA BURRITOS \$149 WPOTATO WEDGES/ \$199 4 COUNT CHICKEN (2 PC.) BISCUIT 5199 STEAK FINGERS. \$100 CHECK OUR WEEKLY CALL IN ORDERS WELCOME 1000 M TOM'S **3 CHICKEN STRIP** SPECIALTY **5 JOJO POTATO WEDGES** U.S. NO. 1 CHICKEN STRIPS CHIPS RUSSET COMBO EACH POTATOES FOR ONLY 89¢ 10 LB. BAG 29 SHURFINE WILSON SALTINE CAMPBELL'S 32 oz. btl. MEAT LIGHT & TANGY CRACKERS FRANKS V-8 JUICE 1 LB. BOX 12 OZ PKG \$1.59 COMBO OF THE MONTH



Alexander - Bridges To Wed

Stacy Corrinna Alexander and James Randall Bridges, both of Stanton are planning a 6 p.m. June 12 wedding at First Bapilist Church in Stanton. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Duke Trimble of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and He is employed as a sales Mrs. Truman Bridges of Granbury.

Ms. Alexander is a 1988

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graduate of Bartlesville (Okla.) High School and is attending Midland College. Her finance graduated from Groom High School in 1983 and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in agri-Tarleton business from State University in 1987. consultant with Hughes Fertilizer Inc. in Stanton.





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By Joe Longway

On Monday, March 22nd, 1993 a Carolina Freight Carriers trailer fell onto its side four miles west of Groom on I-40, due to the high winds. H&H Wrecker Service was able to hook the trailer back up to the tractor and other trailer. No injuries were reported. Later that afternoon, Trooper Gary Davis seized a El Paso man's drivers license, registration receipts and license plates after it was learned he was under suspension for no insurance on I-40. The truck and trailer were also placed out of service due to more than a half dozen brakes being out of adjustment.

On Tuesday, March 23rd a Portales, New Mexico stopped by man was Trooper Gary Davis eleven miles West of Groom and placed out of service for being under suspension. The man did not heed the warning and was again stopped by Trooper Davis nine miles East of Groom. Davis placed the man in the Gray County Jail for No D.P.S. Report

Valid Commercial Driver Peace Phyllis Tyler in License. Also, the same day Panhandle and placed in the Trooper Chris Ray arrested Carson County Jail until he on Odessa man for could post bond. Also on Possession of Marijuana this date Trooper IV Ken Britten of Amarillo brought Less Than Two Ounces on I-40. The man was taken a woman wanted on DPS to the Carson County Jail warrants out of Carson until he could make bond. County Cross Bar Hotel.

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On Friday, March 26th two men were arrested on DPS warrants on I-40 by Trooper Gary Davis. All total the men had to pay over \$700.00 in fines before Later that day another being released.

On Saturday, March 27th, Corporal Roland McGill arrested a Pampa man for DWI on US 60 outside of Panhandle. The man was placed in the Carson County Jail until he could make bond.

Also, Trooper Gary Davis tires had blown. No injuries arrested a man on were reported. outstanding DPS warrants Holland Sr. of Gray County, out of Judge Phyllis Tylers Sheriff Loren Brand of Court. The man paid the Carson County, Trooper II fines before being released. Gary Davis (Off-Duty) and On March 31st a Little the Groom Ambulance Rock, Arkansas man was assisted with the accident. arrested for DWI-1st on I-

Also on April 1st a tan 40 two miles West of Ford Futura parked on I-The man was Groom. 40 two miles East of Groom arraigned before Justice of

Postmaster Advises Public To Mail Tax Returns Early

Groom Postmaster Doris

without a return U.S. Postal Service's opened." She added that



was found to be stolen. The vehicle was unoccupied but was reported to have been stolen by a female runaway juvenile. If any one has information they are asked to contact the Carson County Sheriffs Office.

Another unrelated incident on April 1st saw a Tulsa, Oklahoma youth go to the Carson County Country Club Hotel for Possession of Marijuana Less Than Two Ounces on I-40 four miles west of Groom. The youth seemed quite upset that he was finger printed, put in an ugly orange suit and had mug shots taken. "I'm not a criminal, God gave us this plant to plant, grow and The youth was smoke." arraigned before Justice of the Peace Bill Hinson of Groom.

On April 2nd Trooper Chris Ray transported a prisoner from Amarillo to Carson County wanted on outstanding DPS tickets out of Bill Hinson's court. Trooper IV Ray Finstad

Letter Office may take several weeks to be processed and returned to the sender.

"If you have any questions about amount of postage required for your tax return, call or come in to the local post office so we can assist you in getting those tax forms in on time, Kuchler said.

GROOM WINS

LEFORS RELAYS

before the District Track

Meet local athletes again

put their best foot forward

to win, handily, the Lefors

The boys towered over

their competitors with an 82

point lead, winning the meet

with 154 points. Follett had

72, McLean 70, Whitharral

50, Valley 38, Hartley 34,

Miami 33, Lefors 30, Kelton

21, Ft. Elliott 11, and

First place wins were

gained by Seth Ritter in the

pole vault with 11 feet; the

400 meter relay team,

47.02; Bryan Crowell,

2:16.92 in the 800; Corkey

Hickey in the 200 meter

race with 24.45; Seth Ritter

in the 1600 meter race with

5:30.64; and the Groom

1600 meter relay with

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Silverton 12.

3:49.60.

With just one week to go

also transported a prisoner to the Carson County Sheriff's Office with outstanding DPS tickets. The third man from El Paso arrested for outstanding DPS tickets brought an end to over \$1,000.00 worth of DPS tickets in one day.

On April 3rd two Weatherford, Oklahoma men were arrested for Minor In Possession of Alcoholic Beverages and Making Alcoholic Beverages Available to Minors. The 22 year old male was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Jimmy Johnson of Clarendon and released after posting bond.

Teams Named For District Rifle Competition

For sixteen Groom 4Her's Thursday and Friday evenings have been a time of learning gun safety, rifle parts, shooting techniques and on the range experience for the past eleven weeks.

Saturday was the climax of their project as they compared their skills learned for a County Match, held at the range located near the home of Howell and Sharlene Lewis. Some 4Her's shot on Friday evening in competition due to Saturday's track meet. Each marksman shot a target from 50 foot, in a standing position, kneeling position and prone position. After completing their match, those three targets were graded three times by three different judges and the final scores were determined by Official Score Judge, Darrell Philley of Claude.

Without the help of narents the match could not have existed, the Carson County Sharp Shooters are very lucky to have had the help of: Target Judges-Tony Pavlovsky, Ila Miller, Ed Gray; Talley Judges-Beverly Stephens and Marion Pool; Range Master-Howell Lewis; and Match Manager Charlotte Whatley.

Following the match and grading an awards ceremony was held at the home of Howell and Sharlene Lewis.

Charlotte Whatley, instructor spoke to the crowd and explained the many topics covered during these past few weeks and preceded to present the Evenson 90 points, Dusty Crump 24 points, Caleb Pool 112 points, Blake points and Barnett 29 Jeremy Lewis 220 points. Unable to attend were Justin Homen and Jason Prather.

Team members to compete in the District 4-H Match in Amarillo are: Michael Lewis, Jeremy Lewis, Michael Stephens and C.J. Whatley, Subjunior team will be Todd Gray, Dewayne Gray, Dara Whatley and Caleb Pool. Alternate will be Josh Evenson. All team members received 4-H Tshirts.

All 4Hers came to compete at district in the individual competition on that same day. Several Groom shooters are traveling to Brownwood on April 30 for Shooting Extravaganza. The Prone match will follow on May 8 in Amarillo.

Cody Bivens and Luke Pavlovsky are the clubs youngest members, each competed in the Prone division of the match and both received blue ribbons and rifle hat pins for their determination and skill.

In the Beginner Sub Junior class: Dewayne Gray placed first with a respective score of 115, followed by Josh Evenson in second with 90 points and third went to Michele Stephens with 78 points. Dewayne received a blue ribbon and a gun case, Josh Evenson received a red ribbon and a box of shells, Michele Stephens placed third (also competed in girls division, so opted out for prizes), Marc Miller then moved into third with a score of 59, receiving a white ribbon and a box of shells.

In the gir's division Dara Whatley placed first with 114 points and second went to Michele Stephens with 78 points. Both received ribbons. Dara received a 4-H pin and Michele a NRA cap.

In the Junior Division the competition was tougher, many of these shooters have now competed for three years. Placing first was Michael Lewis with 252 points, receiving a blue ribbon and gun cleaning kit, second went to Jeremy Lewis with 220 points, receiving a red ribbon and an equipment box, third was awarded to Michael Stephens with 146 points, receiving a gun cleaning kit. Fourth was awarded to C.J. Whatley with 139 points. presented to the following:

Kuehler encourages the public to mail their Federal Internal Revenue Service tax returns before the Thursday, April 15, deadline and avoid the last minute rush to the Post Office. Kuehler reminds postal

customers to use adequate postage (29¢ for the first

ounce and 23¢ for each additional ounce up to 11 ounces) and have a legible return address when mailing tax returns. "The Internal Revenue Service will not accept Postage Due mail and this mail will be returned to sender," the postmaster advised. "Because local postal

authorities are prohibited from opening First-Class mail, all local Postage Due mail address must be sent to the regional Dead Letter Office in Atlanta, Ga. to be mail sent to the Dead

County to the Carson

investigated a one vehicle

roll over on US 60 three

miles West of FM 2373.

No injuries were reported.

accident was investigated on

I-40 near TX 70 when a

Amarillo man driving a

truck pulling a homemade

trailer lost control of his

vehicle and rolled over one

time after it was determined

that both left rear split rim

Lynn

On April 1st Trooper II



The Groom Junior Varsity won 2nd place with 106 points.

The girls beat Miami this week as the teams continue to take turns beating each other. Groom was first with 142 points, Miami was second with 118.

First place wins were gained by Karen Babcock in the high jump with 5'1"; Melanie Friemel with a 14:31.51 win in the 3200; Rebecca Conrad in the 800 with a time of 2:44.23; and Groom's 800 meter relay, 1:58.51.

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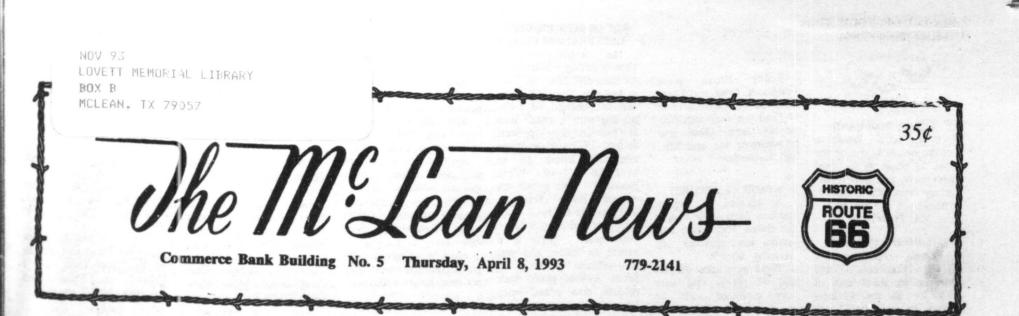
Both received points. ribbons. Dara received a 4H pin and Michele a NRA

Participation awards were

Cody Bivens 20 pints, Luke Pavlovsky 82 points, Todd Gray 137 points, Michael Stephens 146 points, C.J. Whatley 139 points, Michael Lewis 252 points, Dara Whatley 114 points, Michele Stephens 78 points, Dewayne Gray 115 points, Marc Miller 59 points, Josh

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These Junior High Students were just "kickin'back" and enjoying a few snacks and a movie as they awaited their turn in the UIL Contest held at Groom last week.

McLean Elementary and Jr. High dimner thea **Compete At District UIL Contest**

McLean Elementary and Junior High students traveled to Groom for their District UIL meet last week. The McLean UIL

Elementary placed fourth as a team. The Junior High team placed third.

Many of the students did very well. The results are as follows: Dictionary 7th -Krista Johnson, 1st; Moriah McCracken, 5th. Dictionary 8th - Tanna Shipman, 6th. Modern Oratory - Moriah McCracken, 3rd; Bonnie Hauck, 4th. Storytelling Sara Hall, 1st; Randi Riley, 6th. Listening 6th - Sara Brown, 2nd. Dictionary 6th Vanessa Glass, 6th. Listening 8th - Tiffany McLaury, 1st; David Fuller, 5th. Oral Reading 7-8 -Shandon Stalls, 4th. Listening 7 - Krystle McClellan, 1st; Lorin Hall 2nd. Impromptu 8 - Tanna Shipman, 4th. Impromptu 7 - Moriah McCracken, 1st; Bonnie Hauck, 3rd. Oral Reading 5-6 - Ike Hanes, 5th. Number Sense 5 -Brian Fuller, 1st; Cassandra Floyd, 3rd. Number Sense 6 - Jason Carter, 4th. Spelling 3 - Nikki Hefley, 1st; Randi Riley, 2nd. Spelling 8 - Tiffany McLaury, 4th; Kristi Tidwell, 6th. Spelling 7 -Shaley Stalls, 3rd. Spelling 4 - Tina Steward, 3rd; Stacia Howard, 4th. Ready Writing 8 - Tiffany McLaury, 4th. Ready Writing 7 - Moriah McCracken, 4th; Steve Parkinson, 5th. Ready Writing 6 - Vanessa Glass, 6th. Ready Writing 3 -Randi Riley, 1st; Teddra

Simmons, 2nd. Calculator 8 - Charles Harris, 6th. Calculator 7 - Krista Johnson, 1st. Number Johnson, 1st. Number Sense 8 - Kristi Tidwell, 4th. Picture Memory 5 -Cassandra Floyd, Jessi Fish, Valeri Joiner, 2nd. Maps, Graphs & Charts 8 - David Fuller, 4th. Spelling 5 -Brian Fuller, 4th; Brody Carter, 5th; Misty McLaury, 6th. Spelling 6 - Vanessa Glass, 4th.

Coaches for the Junior High Ull are Cynthia Hauck, Tex Buckhaults, Jimmy Morgan, Bobbi Stalls, Bonita Myers. Elementary coaches are Bobbi Stalls, Betty Skipper, Konye Guthrie and Cynthia Howard.

Multi-National Visitors The Devil's Rope Museum in McLean will sponsor the Annual Texas Barbed Wire Collectors Show on Friday, April 16 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, April 17, from 8

a.m. to 4 p.m. As a nonprofit organization, the Devil's Rope Museum opened April 1, 1991. The largest barbed wire and barbed wire tool collection in the world is on display in the museum. The purpose of the museum is to educate the public of the role that barbed wire played in the history and settling of the "Old West." Specifically, the museum corporation was formed to promote the



"Driving Miss Daisy" cast (left to right) Christian Looney, Hoke; Doug Purcell, Boolie; Karen Brass, Miss Daisy.



The crew for the one act play "Driving Miss Daisy" are (back) Matt Hall, Clay Reynolds, Mindy Magee, (front) Erin McCracken, Peggy Adams.

preservation of, and to encourage the historical research into the early history of barbed wire and related items.

A total of 4,253 visitors from 40 states and 10 foreign countries visited the museum in 1992. Foreign visitors came from Germany Holland, England, Sweden and Canada.

The public is invited to the show and to tour the museum

Reminder

CITY OFFICES will be closed April 9th for Good Friday.

DISTRICT TRACK Meet in Groom for High School and Junior High on Thursday, April 8.

SOUTHWESTERN Public Service will be closed Good Friday, April 9 in McLean.

MASONIC LODGE will meet April 8th for their regular meeting at 7 pm at

placed on the honorable mention All-Star Cast. The play will be presented at a dinner theater after UIL **Devil's Rope**

Looney Named Best Actor

McLean

presented

McCracken is

and Peggy Adams.

Christian Looney won best actor. Karen Brass

and Doug Purcell were both

Manager.

Draws

High School Contestants Advance To Regional

McLean students made a very good effort last week at Clarendon College Several McLean students placed high enough to attend the Regional meet.

Usually 1st through 3rd place qualify for the meet to be held at Levelland on April 22 and 23. The results are as follows: Poetry Interpretation: 1st -Tonia Webster. Editoria

Writing: 5th/2nd Alt. - Sheri Jasper. Feature Writing: 6th - Sherry Martin. News Writing: 5th/2nd Alt. - Clay Reynolds. Accounting: 4th/1st Alt. - Doug Purcell; 5th/2nd Alt. - Michael Barker. Mathematics: 2nd -Doug Purceli. Ready Writing: 6th -Amber Spelling & Thomas. Vocabulary: 4/1st Alt. -Holly Hefley.



District U.I.L. Winners are Clay Reynolds, Sherry Martin, Sheri Jasper, Holly Hefley, Doug Purcell, Michael Barker, Amber Thomas, and Tonia Webster.

the Lodge Building. Master Degree, Past Grand-Master of Grand Lodge of Alabama, Wilbur Hardin, will be a guest.

McLEAN PUBLIC School will dismiss April 8th at 1:30 for Easter Holidays. School will resume April 12.

CITY COUNCIL will meet April 8 at 7:00 p.m.

McLEAN SCHOOL Board meets April 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Business Office.

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THANK YOU CARD I want so say thanks to all the people who took the time to come by for cake and punch and just to visit at my retirement reception. I'll miss you one and all. Ann Pierce

CARD OF THANKS

Friends, neighbors of Heald Community and McLean we thank each of you for all the kindness shown us since our house fire. Special thanks to the Fire Department and ladies of the ambulance crew for their quick response and kindness.

Especially to Lorena Bailey for her "lovely house" that she so "readily" loaned Words could never us. express our appreciation, love and prayers to one and all.

Ott and Ernestine Davis and our girls, Jana, Jacquline and Rhonda

NEWSLETTER STAFF **RECOGNIZES ERROR**

Due to human error the names of Garth and Mavre Thomas were omitted from the membership list in the current Texas 66 Association Newsletter. We apologize for this error.

ROUTE 66TH BIGGEST CELEBRATION EVER The Roadrunner Car

Bruce Close from

Longmont, Colo. and Laura

B. Close of Dallas were in

McLean last week with their

mother June Close and

grandparents Mr. and Mrs.

ROUTE 66 REPORTS

cadillacs from a car club in

the Dallas, Fort Worth area

visited the museum late

There were about 25 cars

and 52 people that were

very impressed with the

Richard Smith of Shamrock

for placing McLean on the

All of the cars were truly

We have many more

events scheduled for the

summer. Come join us and

McLEAN BIRTHDAYS

ANNIVERSARIES

Dalton, Aline Winegeart.

April 12 - Virginia

April 13 - Lela Kennedy

agenda of this caravan.

We thank

A caravan of vintage

Earl Stubblefield.

Saturday, April 3.

museum.

spectacular.

enjoy all of them.

Club is having a celebration on Saturday, June 12, 1993 in McLean, Texas (72 miles east of Amarillo on I-40). Starting with a Poker Run at 11:00 am., Sign Ups Start at 9:00 am on Main Street and Old Route 66 in McLean (I-40 West Business). This is our 4th Annual Poker Run in McLean and we have more each year and its gets better There is a every year. parade to follow, and you are welcome to be in it. Seven Awards given, dash plaques, door prizes, entry fee. You can take pictures our newly restored at Phillips 66 Station on old Route 66. There will be a barbecue at the park, food booths, rodeo, antique shops, crafts and collectibles shop on Main Street and on Old Route 66. We have two great museums. Bring your old car, new car, any car, it will be a day of fun and nostalgia for everyone. For more information call Rickie Jasper 1-806-779-2329, or write Roadrunner Car Club, P.O. Box 208, McLean, Texas 79057.



"Now Jake, I'll sell this pasture as a nuclear waste dump and nobody will ever know it!"

McLEAN SCHOOL

MENU Burritos April 12 w/meat and cheese, salad, peanut granules, milk.

April 13 - Chili dogs, tator tots, baked beans, chocolate pie, milk.

April 14 - Fajitas, lettuce, tomatoes, salad, orange sherbert, milk.

April 15 - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, french fries, fruit, milk

April 16 - Chicken strips, gravy, potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, milk.

The McLean FFA Land Judging Team participated in the Ochiltree SWCD land contest on Thursday, March 25. Team members were John Dickey and Johnny Walker.

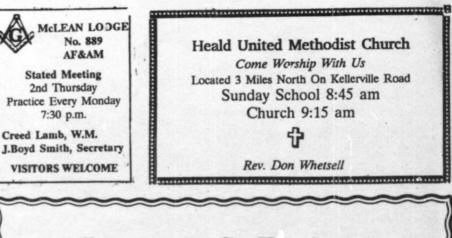
The Horse and Livestock Teams went to Canyon on Friday, March 26 for the WTSU Contests. The Horse Team is made up of Casey Carter, Seth Brown, Monty Joiner, and Jeremy Crutcher. The Livestock Team includes Tom Pennington, Will Shaw, Brad Dickey and Lee Shaw.

FFA Team Competes

All three of these teams participated in the Clarendon College Judging contest on Saturday, March 27. The Horse Team was 6th in performance and just a few points out of the top Livestock results are not yet known.

its District Contest, Thursday, April 1, in Wellington.

Team will travel to Lubbock for the Texas Tech, Area I Contest on Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3.



Parents As Co-Teachers "Parents are their children's first and most influential teachers."

	Who:	Parents of children age Teachers, administrato At-Risk coordinators, (rs, counselors		
	What:	hat: Specific educational ideas that parents can use at home to help their children be better students			
	When:	Tuesday, April 13, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.			
	Where:	Region XVI Education Service Center 1601 S. Cleveland, Amarillo, Texas			
	Topics				
	Reading, Wellness a	ng for Parents Writing at Home and Learning Styles & Your Child Educators and Parent (Special Session 1			
L		iby-sitting for children ages 4-1 Child care registration must be) will be available by <u>pre-registration only</u> received at ES <u>C by April S</u>		
		Registration Due	by April 5, 1993		
		Parents as C	o-Teachers		
Ma	ail to Barbar	ra Cranfill, Region XVI ESC	, P. O. Box 30600, Amarillo, TX 79120		
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ten overall.

The Land Team will have

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Child care requested for the following: (limited to ages 4-9). List names and ages of children. Child-Care registration must be received at ESC by April 5.

School District

The McLean Board and Administration encourage parent participation in the above program. Transportation will be provided by the school district to and from the workshop. A vehicle will leave the school on April 13, 1993 at approximately 5:30 p.m. and take the interested parents to this workshop. Of course the vehicle will return to McLean after the workshop is over. It should arrive back in McLean before 10 p.m. over. It should arrive back in McLean before 10 p.m.

If anyone is interested in attending this workshop, please contact Stanley Lamb at the McLean Schools. The telephone number is 779-2301. If you have any questions regarding the workshop, you may call the same number.

McLean Care Center News

It is so good to have Nora Moore and Mildred Windom home from the hospital.

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Sunday afternoon Rev. Dean Williamson from the Assembly of God was here for church services.

Monday morning in crafts Adelle Walker and Imogene King made key rings Stuffing their rabbits were Kitty Hessey, Bertha Smith. Lorena Bailey, Eula Morrow, Leon Burch and Imogene King. Later Adelle Walker played a game of checkers. Playing bingo in the afternoon were Clyde Trusty winning five Adelle Walker, games. Eula Morrow, Mattie Wheeler, Dick Wheeler, Leon Burch, Lorena Bailey winner of blackout; Jack Ayers, Kitty Hessey, Mary Sligar, and Annie Eudy. On the first game Mattie Wheeler won with a double bingo going down and diagonal. Clyde, Lorena,

Adelle, and Leon also bingo-ed on this first game.

Tuesday morning several ladies had manicures. After lunch Imogene King, Adelle Walker, Eula Morrow, Dick Wheeler, and Leon Burch played dominoes. Annie Eudy watched. Sue Marsh came to play with them. Adelle Walker won at her table; and Dick Wheeler won at the other table.

Wednesday Adelle Walker, Leon Burch, Dick Wheeler, Lorena Bailey and Imogene King worked on bunnies.

Thursday morning Eula Morrow played a game of checkers. Those attending the Council meeting were Jack Ayers, Eula Morrow, Lula Sheegog, Annie Eudy, Leon Burch, Elsa Stalls, Mattie Wheeler, Lucille Cullison, Clyde Trusty, Polly

Burnett, Adelle Walker. Winnie Hayes, Vergie Everett, Kitty Hessey, Ida

Public Notice

From Mr. Stanley Lamb Superintendent of McLean Schools.

Shull, and Mayme

doughnuts from Country

Corners was enjoyed by all.

Working on their bunnies

were Leon Burch and

Lorena Bailey. Sue Marsh

came in the afternoon to

play forty-two with Adelle

Walker, Teresa Richardson,

and Jack Ayers. Playing

dominoes were Eula

Morrow, Dick Wheeler, and

Leon Burch. Dick was the

Friday morning Eula

Morrow, Thelma Hopkins,

Lorena Bailey and Bertha

Smith worked on their

bunnies. In the afternoon

Annie Eudy, Leon Burch,

Teresa Richardson, Imogene

King (winner), and Eula

Morrow played Can N Ball.

Dwyer, Bonnie Nell Fabian,

Katy Graham, and Inez

Trostle attended a church

meeting at Ceda Canyon on

Friday night and Saturday.

Mary.

Ruth Magee,

Toothsome

Hathaway.

winner.

The McLean Elementary School will be having a kindergarten enrollment on April 20, 1993. Children who will be five (5) years of age by September 1, are eligible to enroll. The enrollment will begin at 1 p.m. on the afternoon of April 20 and continue until 2:30 p.m.

All parents of kindergarten age children are requested to enroll their children at this time. Parents may leave their children at 1 p.m. and come back to pick them up at 2:30 p.m. if they wish. Official papers, such as birth certificates, shot records & etc. should be presented at this time: however they are not manditory at this time.

We need each parent's cooperation in this project. It is essential that we know how many kindergartea students we will have for next school year - 1993-94.

SPS Manager Ernest Ramirez has been named manager of Southwester Public Service Company's Pampa district, which includes the towns of Pampa, White Deer, McLean, Canadian, Miami,

Groom and

Wheeler. Ramirez, 40, has been an SPS employee for 15 years, beginning as a warehouseman in Amarillo. After working as a lineman and a serviceman, he became safety and claims specialist for the SPS Panhandle Division. In 1990, he was named SPS Dalhart manager.

Lefors,

A native of Amarillo, Ramirez graduated from West Texas State University with a bachelor's degree in business administration and is currently working on his master's degree.

Ramirez Named

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Ramirez has been active in a number of civic activities in Dalhart. He has been a director of the Dalhart Area Chamber of Commerce, treasurer of the Dalhart Rotary Club, and has been involved in a number of community committees and events.

Ramirez and his wife Sherille have two children: Candace, 15, and Michael, 14.

"Ernest is uniquely qualified for this position," said Doyle Moore, SPS Panhandle division manager. "We know Ernest will represent SPS well in the Pampa area," he said.

Ramirez replaces Jim Morris who retired April 1, after 45 years of service to SPS and its customers.







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Ruth McLain and Brenda were in Shamrock on Tuesday for medical attention for Brenda.

Nora Dragoo and Denva Tidwell were in Pampa on Thursday

The Alanreed Community Improvement Association met April 3rd in the school

Alanreed News

were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Martin and Sherri, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Adams, Rose Hall, Nell Keese, Lena Carter, Ruth McLain and Brenda McLain. The next meeting will be April 17 at Covered

dish.

The Robert Burces were

Pampa on Friday.

The James Armbristers

Grandson Shawn spent the

and Nora Dragoo were in

Elk City, Oklahoma Sunday.

NAPT TEST

WILL BE APRIL 12-16

Program for Texas (NAPT)

will be administered the

The NAPT, a normreference test, can be used

week of April 12-16.

This years Normreferenced Assessment

weekend with them.

briefs

Courtni Whitsell over the

BRASS-MAGEE WIN TENNIS DOUBLES

The McLean High School students went to Clarendon April 5 to participate in the District tennis meet.

Karen Brass and Mindy Magee won first place in the doubles.

Christian Looney was third in boys singles. Monty Joiner also competed in the singles competition and lost in the first round.

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and new business was discussed roundly. Present the usual time. The Dasis Club Featuring "Buddy Payne" 3 Nights A Week in April Wed. Night -No Cover Charge - \$.50 Draw Beer Fri. Night - \$2.00 Cover Charge per person Sat. Night - \$3.00 Cover Charge per person Dance & Have Fun! No Minors Allowed

cafetorium for their monthly

meeting. A pot luck supper

was enjoyed by all and the

business session opened by

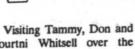
Chairman Dan Martin.

Minutes were read by

Jeanie Adams and approved

as read. Discussion of old

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were Don's weekend Karolann and parents, Whitsell from Richard Oklahoma. They came to celebrate granddaughter Courtni's first birthday and attend the United Methodist Church on Sunday.

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