

Route 66 Memories Turn Back The Clock

If Route 66 could talk oh, what a tale it could tell! Just about everything that can happen has happened along that stretch of road. Many stories have come in, but some of the most interesting may still be out there. Be sure to bring your "Tale of Rt. 66" by the news office. The Little Lost Kuehler

By Alice Kuehler

There is no telling how many children that have been left behind. accidentally, at gas stations and restaurants along old Rt. 66. I remember hearing of one couple who got all the way to Tucumcari after getting gas in Groom before realizing that one of their brood was missing. It's hard to say who was the happiest to see each other! Strange as this may sound it can happen right here at home, too.

After attending Church one Sunday morning in 1960, I stopped to see my mother-in-law, Mary Kuchler. The children were getting tired of waiting, and Roseann, who was about 3, decided that she would just walk home. When I came out to the car the search was begun. Roseann had aiready walked about 4 blocks to the highway. Nancy Blackwell saw her and tried to pick her up, thinking she was a tourist's child who had been left behind. The traffic along the highway in 1960 was

much too brisk for a 3 year Roseann ran away old. from Nancy. Finally with the help of dear George Latta, they corralled her at Bill Algo's Phillips Station. George gave her a candy bar which she was too scared to eat.

Later, George said that that's why he didn't recognize that she was a Kuchler..."cause he never knew a Kuchler not to eat their candy immediately."

With the help of Deputy Grady Stapp, I soon found Roseann unharmed the "harm" part came later.

Another memorable Sunday in Groom history made news around the world. Many people thought that the world was coming to an end.

The Day The Sky Fell By Shirley Lamberson

It happened on a beautiful spring morning, a gentle breeze that spread the scent of lilacs in bloom all over town, just as people were going to church.

Those who did not attend church, were working in their gardens. (Just about every one had a garden in 1935.)

As church let out, the breeze had picked up a little and there was the smell of dust in the air. This was not unusual for it had been a dry year. Dust storms were becoming a way of life. Around mid-afternoon an

ominous black streak began to show on the horizon. To

some it appeared to be a oil-field fire. As the cloud advanced neighbors began call one another, to watching it come closer and closer. Some even fell to their knees thinking Judgement Day had come.

Soon the wall of dust hit. It was more than a thousand feet high. As the town went into the blackness, people gather At 6:00 a.m., we were their families, children and pets inside, trying to escape the silting black haze. The storm blew for over an hour, and when it was over residents were left with the grim task of trying to clean up what was left of farms as far away as Nebraska and Colorado.

Shirley tells another story that really made an

impression in her mind. Bandits Hold Up The Longhorn! By Shirley Lamberson.

In the spring of 1958, the Longhorn Cafe was an exciting place to work. Owned by my parents, Ruth and Nell Knight, I was working the morning shift. making coffee and getting things ready for the customers when I noticed a car drive slowly by the front of the restaurant. Soon, two men, in leather jackets come in and ordered coffee. When one asked for a pack of cigarettes, he pulled a gun, pointed it at me and

told me to give him all the money from the register. the other man went into the kitchen and ripped out the phone.

> Gene Wade was the customer who come in shortly thereafter for breakfast. He alerted the sheriff and the men were later caught in Dumas. About \$121.00 was taken.

Nell Knight had another interesting thing happen to him working at a grain elevator along Rt. 66 in

While standing on top of an elevator 62 feet in the

air, the elevator exploded. 1600 bushels of wheat went with him. The explosion was caused by dust. A train which was about a mile away was flagged down before it ran into the wheat which was strown across the Nell was not tracks. seriously injured.

Rt. 66 is also a story of success, such as trying out that long waited for new car of pick up. Irene Kotara tells of new sights though the eyes of innocents.

Travels To the World's Fair By Irene Kotara

See Stories, pg. 3

Community Calendar

WARNING! Children should stay away from the City Hall when the Emergency Siren Goes Off!! Someone could be injured. . .

Missing The Hometown News?! See page 6 for a great deal on a subscription.

KINDERGARTEN Registration will be Thursday, August 11 at 10 a.m. in the Kindergarten Room. Please bring child's





A tragic accident takes ambulance crews from three towns, McLean, Groom and Amarillo's Medivac to transport six victims.

MINI-MUSEUM will be open to pick up items Saturday 6 to 7 p.m. and Sunday after church.

4-H WILL MEET Thursday, 8 p.m. at the Community Center.

AA MEETING Tuesday night at 8:00pm at the Groom Library.

THE CLASS OF '84 will meet at the City Park from 7:00 - 8:30 Friday evening.

FREE MANAGEMENT Seminar is offered to beef producers August 29 at the Texas A&M Research & Extension Center in Amarillo. 11:00 am - 4:00 pm.

ST. JUDE'S Bike-A-Thon will be Tuesday, August 9. Contact coordinator Jan Britten at 248-7250 or 248-7414 for information.

social security number, completed immunization record, birth certificate, telephone number of your doctor, and \$10.00 for school supply packet.

ANYONE WITH ITEMS for the Mini-Museum (handmade, crafts, personal mementos, antiques, current paraphernalia, etc.) call Karen Brown 248-7210, 248-7281.

TUESDAY GRAIN PRICES AT LOCAL ELEVATORS Wheat-\$3.11 Milo-\$3.82 Corn-\$4.22

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The Groom News

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Glynn D and Sybil Harrell visited in the homes of Glynda and Johnny Eschle and Jason Eschle in Lubbock and attended a Harrell Family Reunion in Anton this past weekend. In Lubbock, they also visited with Elsie Eschle.

Sybil and Glynn D Harrell visited last week in Austin with her brothers, W.M. and C.W. York, and with their granddaughter Erin Kate Wolf and James Wolf.

Local Happenings

Virginia Snyder of Amarillo spent Sunday with Rip and Joy Snyder.

Janie Britten visited son, Tracy and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibson and sons, Brad, Aaron and Greg in Lenorah, Tuesday through Sunday.

Janie and Tracy visited Tillie (Kuehler) Pribyla in Midland Wednesday and Friday. Also visiting Tillie were her daughters, Dallas and Rita Lashlee and children, Abilene and Mary Sample, Midland.

THANK YOU CARD

A very special thank you for the wonderful gifts, money and most of all your company at our wedding party on July 15th. It was so good of you to take the time to come meet Shelly and we appreciate it very much. A very warm and loving thank you to Art and JoAnn and Jay Britten for letting us stay with them. If you are ever in Austin, call. Love.

Kiley and Shelly Lambert

Last Thursday Lucille Britten, Theresa Hermesmeyer, Doshia Cornett and Bertha Knight went to Amarillo and visited with Nell Britten. They took her to Braum's for refreshments, and while in Amarillo they got to visit with Nell's daughter Mary Nell. Last Tuesday evening Ray Pool, his fiancee, Gay Nell McElroy, his mother Thelma, and Bertha Knight went to Clarendon and attended the monthly senior citizens supper. After a delicious meal the entertainment for the evening was the "Crosswinds" Band from the Briarwood Full Gospel Church in Pampa.

Charles Wagner is the leader of the band and also the district supervisor out of Ft. Worth for the Chapman Dairy Queen, which includes Clarendon. Charles' wife is the former Lois Lovelace from Groom who lived on the Henry Merrick farm.

Glynn D and Sybil Harrell attended a reception in tribute to Jo Stewart Randel at the Grand Plaza of the Amarillo Civic Center

THANK YOU CARD We wish to express a very heartfelt thank you to all our friends and family who helped us with Kiley and Shelly's party and to those of you who came. We enjoyed you all very much. A very special thank you to Art, JoAnn and Jay Britten for sharing their home with all our children and guests.

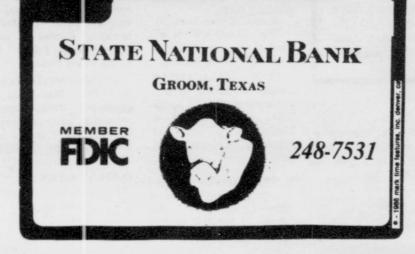
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School Immunization Notice

The following are the Immunization requirements for school children. Please carefully read the list and instructions about age.

Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis

Students age 5 years or older must have three or more doses of DTP or TD. One dose must have been received since their 4th birthday and the last dose must have been received in the last 10 years (for older students).

Polio

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Students between 5 & 18 must receive three or more doses of the Polio vaccine including/since their 4th birthday.

Measles Students must have

received one dose of

measles vaccine on or after their 1st birthday and since January 1, 1968 or provide physical verified history of measles illness.

2nd dose: Students whose birthday is on or after September 1, 1990 must receive two doses of the measles vaccine administered on or after the 1st birthday and at least 30 days apart.

Rubella

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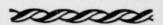
We Would Appreciate Your Business!

Hand Car Wash, On Farm & Road

Students must receive one dose of rubella vaccine on or before their 1st birthday or provide proof of immunity by a physician. Mumps

Students must receive at least one dose of Mumps vaccine after their 1st birthday or provide proof of immunity.

Parents who have questions about immunizations can contact Bunny York at 248-7477.



Immunization Clinic To Be In Claude, Pampa

Immunizations clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for August. Protection is against Polio, Diphtheria, Lock Jaw (Tetanus), Whooping Cough (Pertussis), Measles, Rubella, Mumps, and HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B). The Texas Department of

Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay. The schedule for August

follows: In Pampa, Texas at the Texas Department of Health Office, 408 West Kingsmill, August 11, 7-11:30 & 1-4:30 pm. August 25, 9-11:30 & 1-4:30 pm. In Claude at the Texas Tech Medical Center, 201 Parks, August 23, 10-12 & 1-4 pm.

Mexico where we took some baths as Hot Springs was noted for its Hot Health Baths then. The next night we drove to Phoenix, Arizona. At 10:00 pm we were leaving a cafe after eating supper and looked up to see a thermometer. It was 115°. I had never been in 115°

STORIES

In 1940 Sam and I

bought a new Chevy and

decided we wanted to see

the western U.S.A. They

were having the World's

Fair in San Francisco on

Treasure Island. So we

started out. That night we

arrived in Hot Springs, New

beautiful place. The next day we went through Blythe, California at the border. They searched our car and luggage thoroughly.

before. But Phoenix was a

The third day we headed for Santa Monica. As we neared Santa Monica we began to see the ocean. I had never seen an ocean. It was breath taking. We sat there for thirty minutes just staring. We spent the night in Santa Monica. The big trucks kept us awake all night and sounded like they were coming through the motel. We rode the roller coaster in Oceanside, which was one of the first I had seen.

The next day we headed for the World Fair. We made it to San Francisco

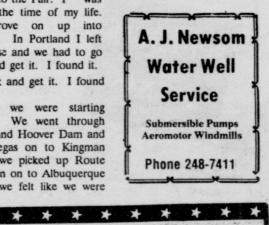
the next night and stayed in a tourist home. We had family style meals. That first morning we went to breakfast there were four or five Japanese across the table. I was scared to death. They were rough looking! That day we crossed the Golden Gate Bridge to the Fair. I was having the time of my life. We drove on up into Oregon. In Portland I left my purse and we had to go back and get it. I found it. go back and get it. I found

Now we were starting home. We went through Reno and Hoover Dam and Las Vegas on to Kingman where we picked up Route 66 again on to Albuquerque where we felt like we were

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home.

More stories will come next week, for there is not room for more this time. Stay tuned to the Groom News for more of these great memories.



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Basketball Contest 3 On 3 Competition Mixed Teams Adults - \$30.00 Friday, August 5, 8:30 p.m. 4th - 12th Grade - \$10.00 Saturday, August 6, 11:00 a.m. **Contact Shirley Fields 3 Point Contest** \$1.00 Per Person - 3 Shots

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Route 60 **Memories** On Old THURSDAY, AUGUST 4 9:00 a.m. - Organizations meet at the school cafeteria to sort beans, core cabbage, and wash potatoes.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

9:00 a.m. - Everyone meet at the school cafeteria to prepare the food for the BBQ dinner.

are free!

6:00 p.m. - Children's Track Meet on the Football Field

7:30 p.m. - MELODRAMA in the school auditorium Admission --- Adult - \$1.00, Children - 50¢, Children under 6

8:30 p.m. - Adult Basketball 3 on 3 in the high school gym. SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

10:00 a.m. - Parade

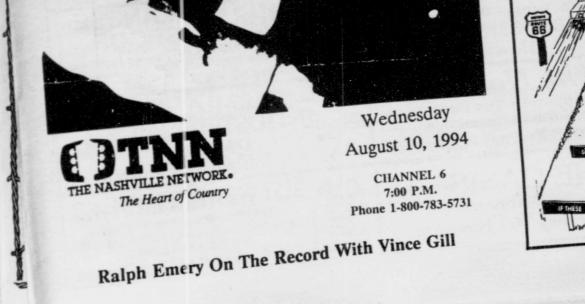
10:30 a.m. - Community Center Opens -- Craft Booths and Refreshments -- Mini Museum Opens (closes at 6:00 p.m.)

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. - BARBECUE DINNER Prices - \$4.00 adults, \$2.00 7 to 12 years old, 6 and under free.

1:00 p.m. - Basketball 3 on 3 for kids 4th - 12th Grade. Open Ranchhorse cutting, south of school.



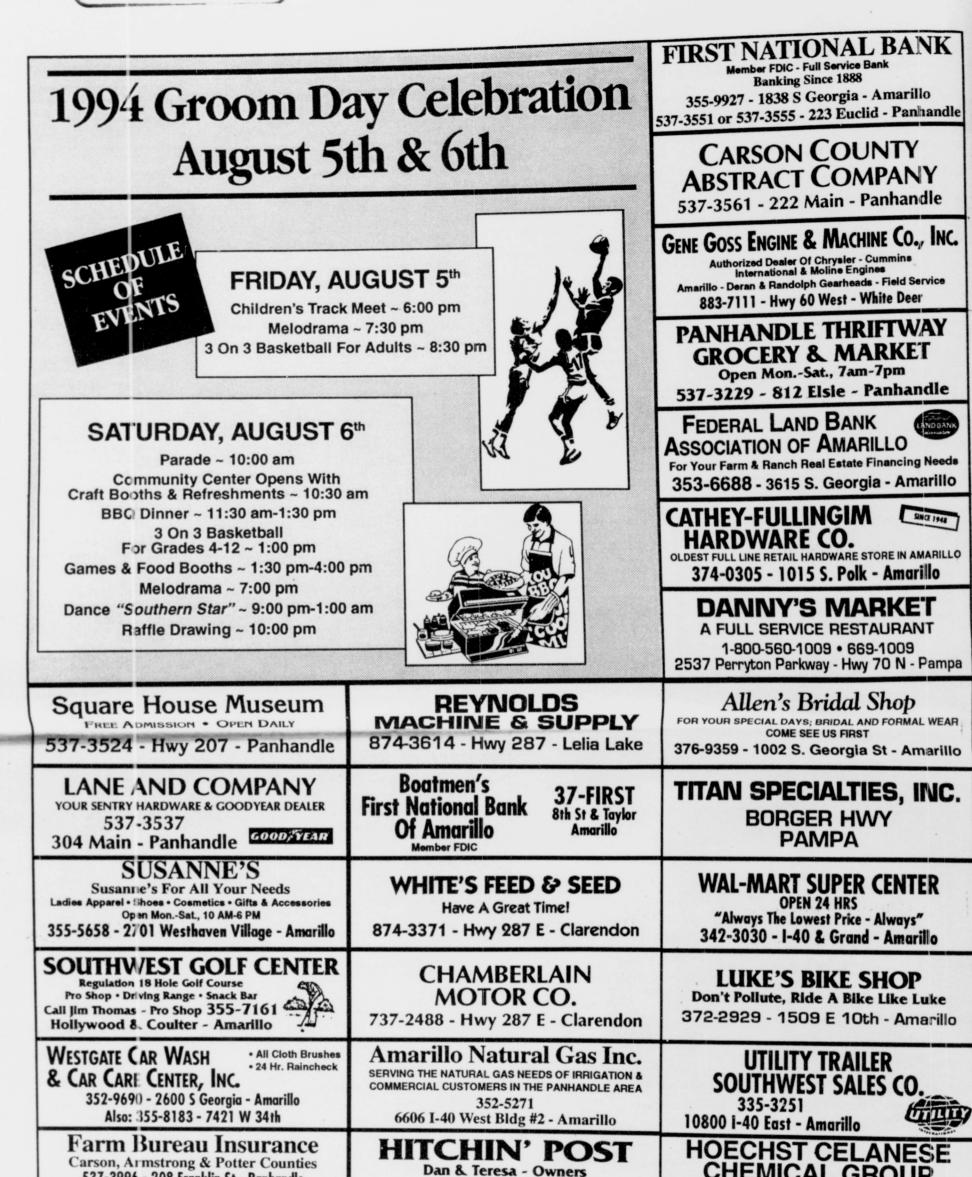
1:30 p.m. - All Games and Food Booths Open. Gyro, Moonwalk, Pony Rides, On Your Own Volleyball, Mechanical Calf Roping, Dunking Board, Confetti Eggs, Homemade Ice Cream, Popcycles & lots, lots more!



4:00 p.m. - Games end and All Booths Close 7:00 p.m. - Melodrama in School Auditorium dults - \$1.00, Children - 50¢, Kids under 6 free

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. Dance

10:00 p.m. Drawing For the Groom Day Trip. Groom Day 1994



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Brown Honored By 4-H

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Fred Brown was honored recently with the "Friend of 4-H" award,

Brown has been showing and raising cattle since the age of 12. He and wife Juanita have raised five children who all have been very active in 4-H. Brown is now working with the next generation, Kori Brown, his granddaughter.

His caring spirit, however, has not been limited to his

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own family. There has always been room for one more in his pick-up. He has helped 4-Her's all over the country at one time or another. Mr. Brown has been known to find just about everything you need in his show box from a halter to a sandwich.

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Brown was honored at the ceremony held earlier this week.

SUPPLY LIST

Pam Hutsell will be purchasing all supplies with the \$10.00 fee the students bring.

FIRST GRADE 2 Spirals 10 No. 2 Pencils Box of EIGHT Crayons Safety Brand Scissors Watercolors - Prang or Crayola Kleenex Elmers Glue (4 Oz) Crayola Markers 2 Folders With Pockets 1 Folder With 3 Brads Please Label All Supplies SECOND GRADE 1 Pkg. (200 sheets) wideruled Notebook Paper

1994 Property Tax Rates in Carson County This notice concerns _

1994 property tax rates for ____ Carson County information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

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Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance	
General Fund	\$1,053,484	
Road & Bridge	132,666	

Schedule B

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

1 Spiral 2 Pocket Folders Crayons Crayola Markers Glue Kleenex 10 No.2 Pencils Scissors THIRD GRADE 3 No. 2 Pencils 3 Folders with Pockets Notebook Paper (small package wide ruled) Elmer's Glue 2 Red Grading Pencils or Pens Crayons (Markers Optional) Ruler (Wooden metric and standard) Good cutting Scissors Map Pencils School Box 200 count Kleenex 2 Spirals (wide-ruled 50-70 sheets) Small Assignment Pad Tennis Shoes (no P.E. clothes needed) No Loose Leaf Notebooks or Trapper Keepers FOURTH GRADE Supply List for 4th Grade is unavailable at this time. The News will print it when 4 available FIFTH GRADE 5 No. 2 Pencils Black or Blue Pen Colored Pen for Checking 3 different colors Highlighters Box of 24 or more Crayons Map Colors Washable Markers

Ruler - Inches and Centimeters Paper - Wide Rule Only 2 one subject Spirals A good pair of sharp

2 boxes 200 count Kicenex

Brand New Students to Groom I.S.D. will need to register anytime, Aug. 8-12, 9

Carson County Sheriff's Report

By Loren Brand, Sheriff

There were fourteen persons booked into Carson County Jail during the past We are currently week. holding sixteen persons in our facility. One prisoner are working with the was transferred to a neighboring county when Donley County and Wheeler she became assaultive to County to develop leads in other prisoners. currently incarcerated are attempted burglaries of awaiting trial on the businesses in all three following charges: Auto counties. Theft, Probation Violation, Assault on a Peace Officer, White Deer City Marshal, Felony DWI, Sexual Skellytown City Marshal, Indecency with a Child (2 Texas Highway Patrol and counts), Aggravated Sexual Texas Alcoholic Beverage Assault of a Child, First Commission in patrolling the Degree Sodomy (Fugitive rodeo grounds for the Warrant - Oregon), Failure White Deer Rodeo this past to Identify as a Witness, Friday and Saturday. While DWI, Public Intoxication, the rain put a halt to the Possession of a Controlled festivities on Friday, there Substance, Warrants Potter County, Randall people at the Saturday County. We currently have two persons awaiting efforts of the rodeo transfer to the Texas Department of Criminal Our deputies were kept problems reported during Justice. busy with a number of the celebration. complaints of cattle on the roadways and other calls for assistance (fire and medical attending specialized training emergencies).

home in White Deer. Our department also responded to a domestic disturbance in Groom at a convenience store and a report of suspicious persons in the Skellytown area.

Carson County deputies Sheriff's Departments in Persons our recent burglaries and

Our officers joined the

GROOM ELEMENTARY Kindergarten teacher,

Thursday, August 4, 1994 2 Folders with pockets Binder or Trapper (opt.)

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This is not a necessary item

* Storage Box Rubbermaid or Sterlite brand will work. Plastic rectangle with a lid. The size of the container is 7 cups or 1.7 liter. This can be found in the houseware department of Wal-Mart, K-Mart, Alco, or any other store. This is to be used to store their school supplies in their desks. SIXTII GRADE No. 2 Pencils Black or Blue Pens Colored Pen Highlighter Markers (Washable) Crayons Map Colors (Opt.) Scissors Glue Ruler - Inches & Centimeters Notebook Paper - Wide

Rule Only One Spiral Notebook Folders with Pockets or a Trapper Keeper Protractor Compass 2 Boxes Kleenex (200) Count) Storage Box to hold supplies

Schedule C Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax NONE (For hospital districts, citics and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$______

NONE

in additional sales and use tax revenues

Schedule D State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties) NONE The <u>Carson</u> County Auditor certifies that <u>Carson</u> County has spent <u>0</u> in the previous 12 months beginning July <u>1</u>, 19 <u>93</u>, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Carson County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs. This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full

calculations at _____ Carson County Tax Office____ Roslyn_Watson Name of person preparing this notice Tax Assessor-Collector title July 29, 1994 Date prepared

unauthorized entry into a

were an estimated 2,000 Thanks to the dance. sponsors and the additional law enforcement personnel, there were no serious

Deputy Larry Mendez was in Austin this week in Investigation of Sexual We are currently Assault and Death at the investigating a report of Department of Public Safety Training Academy.

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D.P.S. Report

The Interstate Turns . . . By Joe Longway

On July 3rd, Trooper Chris Ray of Panhandle arrested a Texan for DWI -2nd Offense on US 60. Later that evening Trooper Ray arrested a second Texan for DWI. Both men were taken to the Carson County Sheriff's Office until they could post bond.

On July 5th Trooper Ray arrested a Texan for DWI - 1st Offense on US 60 near Panhandle. The man was taken to the Carson County Jail where he spent a fun filled evening with other lucky contestants until he could post bond.

On July 7th a California man was arrested for Possession of Marjuana on IH-40 outside of Groom. The man pled guilty before Judge Roselius and paid a \$350.00 fine before leaving. On July 25th three Howardwick men were arrested out of the same car for different violations on I-40, six miles west of Groom. The driver was arrested for Driving While his License The was Suspended. youngest of the passengers was found carrying a marijuana pipe and the oldest passenger was wanted out of the state of Oregon for 1st degree sodomy. authorit es are Oregon

making arrangements to pick up their prisoner at this time.

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On July 29th an Amarillo man was arrested on I-40, four miles west of Groom for Class B misdemeanor Theft. The man was taken to the Carson County Jail where he posted bond and was released.

On July 30th a Nashville, Tennessee man was arrested for not being honest with a

State Trooper. The man gave a false name, date of birth, and social security number. The man pled guilty before Justice of the Peace Bill Hinson. The man was sentenced to a fine of \$200.00 or four days in jail. Later that morning a Pauls Valley, Oklahoma man was arrested for DWI -1st Offense. The man stated that he stopped drinking at 4 am and started driving to Las Vegas. Unfortunately he had to make an unscheduled stop at the Carson County Jail before continuing on.

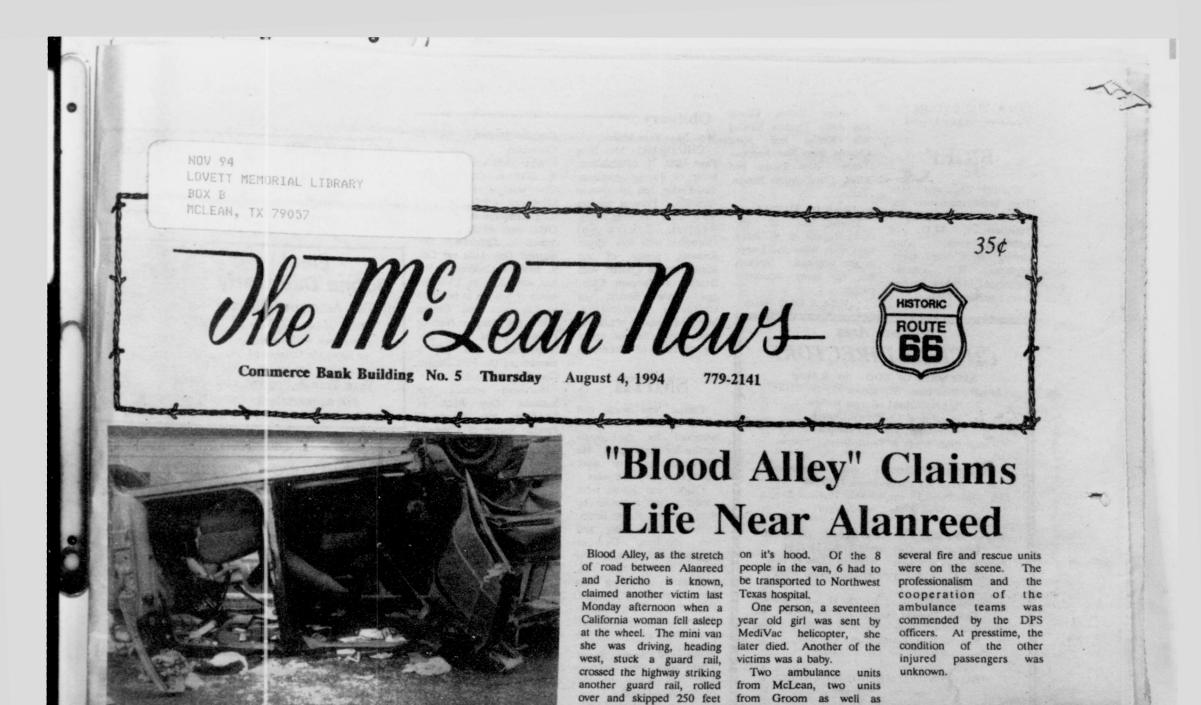
As a reminder Groom Day is this weekend. There will be additional Highway Patrol and Carson County Sheriff's officers patrolling the roadway. Let's be careful and have a safe and fun weekend.







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Windom's Named Home Of The Month

The Chamber of Commerce has had their committee out looking at all the yards in McLean and have selected the yard of Jr. and Doris Windom at 101 E. 7th Street for the month of July.

The Windom's home is a white early American type home that sits on a lot next to Main Street. It has a fresh white painted look trimmed in yellow and they have several barrels with an assortment of flowers to add to their yard.

Congratulations Windom's on your beautiful yard!



REMINDERS

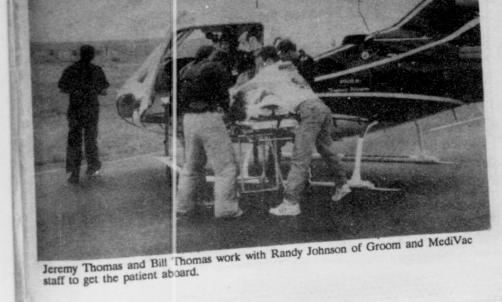
McLean Lodge No. 889 hold a meeting on the second Thursday of every month. Practice is every Monday at 7:30 p.m.

McLEAN TEACHERS have a workday August 12th. School begins Monday, August 15th.



The Ford van slid 250 feet on it's roof after crashing into a guard rail and overturning.

McLean volunteers and some passing Good Samaritians do what they can to make the victims comfortable while they await transport.





Sunday afternoon, July 31st more than two hundred friends and relatives attended a reception congratulating Casper Smith on his appointment as Postmaster for McLean.

Former Postmaster, Ginger Rawlins, returned from Panhandle to wish Casper many more years of service to the post office and the community. See Smith, pg. 8

JUNIOR GOLF Tournament August 6th beginning 9 am at the McLean Golf Course. Bring your clubs and join the fun.

CEMETERY WORKDAY at Alanreed on Aug. 13, 9am. Please come and bring your lawn mowers and weed-eaters.

THE McLEAN City Council will meet August 11th at 7:00 pm at the City Hall.

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BRIEF

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tony Smitherman over the weekend was Bryan Smitherman, M.D. of Also Lubbock, Texas. visiting were the greatnephews, Will, Charlie, Kevin, and Matthew Sanders from Dimmitt, Texas.

and Jodie Thomas Sunday was Keitha and Mike Clayton from San Antonio, Texas. Also Sandra and Mike Clark from Pampa, Texas.

Visiting Velma Kinard

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Thanks for all the thoughtfulness in so many ways while Willie and I were in the hospitals. McLean has so many wonderful people.

McLean Area CHURCH DIRECTORY

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Obituary

Mrs. Nina Faye Mills

CHILDRESS - Mrs. Nina Faye Mills, 75, of Childress, sister of Pampa residents, died Friday, July 29, 1994 in Amarillo. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church of Clarendon with Rev. Bryan Knowles, pastor of the Martin Baptist Church, Alex Bentley of Mangum, Okla., and Dale Sexton of Childress officiating. Interment was in Childress Cemetery in Childress under the direction of Robertson

SMITH

Casper was born and raised in McLean and has wworked for the postal service for thirty years. He expressed hope to work another ten or more years.

Casper and Jeanie were joined at the reception by their children, Robin Smith, Canyon; Tami Story and two children, Canyon; Spooky Smith, Canyon and Windi Stump and son, McLean. Attending also were Casper's two brothers, Hershel and Francis Smith, their two children and three grandchildren; Warren

Smith and James Smith. There were three nephews and two neices to also congratulate Casper.

Funeral Directors, Inc. of Clarendon.

Mrs. Mills was born Oct. 4, 1918 in Gould, Okla. She was a resident of Clarendon until 1971 and then a resident of Mangum, Okla., until 1989, when she moved to Childress. She married Guy Mills on Oct. 9, 1936 at Childress. She had worked as an LVN for much of her life in hospitals in Clarendon and Groom and in the Mangum Nursing Home prior to her She was a retirement. member of the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include her husband, Guy Mills of Childress; two daughters, Pauline Sutton of Childress and Capt. Marie Lowe of the U.S. Air Force Nurse Corps at Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock; four sons, Robert Mills of Childress, Donald Mills of Texas City, Stephen Mills of Amarillo and Danny Mills of Leavenworth, Kan.; three sisters, Gertrude Stall of Pampa, Eunice Mills of Childress and Faye Mullinax of Amarillo; two brothers, Floyd McMinn of Pampa and Loyd McMinn of Bowie; 22 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to St. Anthony's Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79176-0950.

Brief

Chris Littlefield and Chris Elliot made a business and pleasure trip to El Paso, Texas and visited Linda and Dennis Meador.

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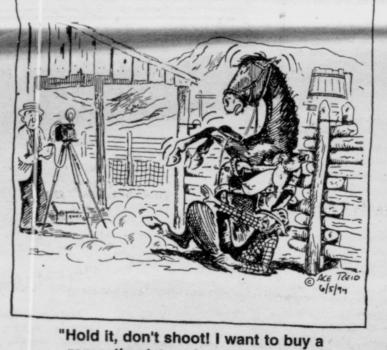
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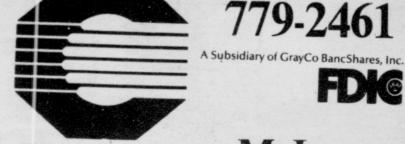
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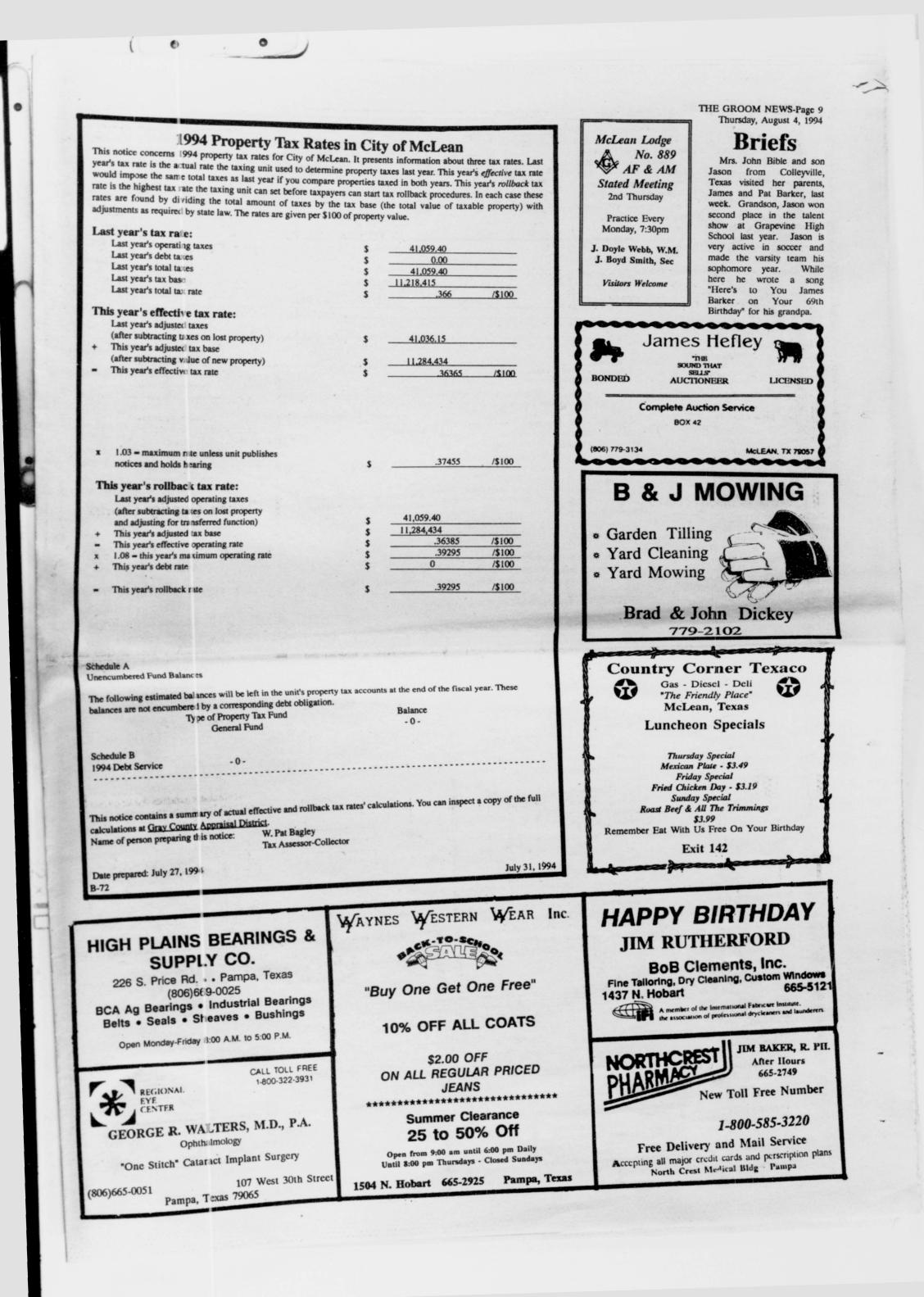
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McLEAN SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

First Grade: Package of #2 pencils; large eraser; box of 24 crayons (no more); 12" wooden ruler; 4 glue sticks (no squeeze glue, please); 2 pocket folders; 1 box Kleenex; school box. Second Grade: 1 wooden

ruler; 2 boxes kleenex; 1 pair pointed scissors; school box; box of 24 or less Crayons (no markers or map colors); 4 glue sticks; 1 ziplock gallon size freezer bag; 1 package of #2 pencils; 1 rectangle pink eraser (large); 1 spiral notebook; 2 pocket folders.

4th, 5th, 6th Science/Health: 1 - 2 or 3 subject spiral; 2 pocket folders; 1 box of Kleenex; 1 red grading pen; notebook paper; 1 package #2 pencils.

4th, 5th, 6th Math: 1 ruler; glue sticks; watercolor markers and map colors; pink pearl eraser; scissors; package of #2 pencils; red grading pencils; protractor; narrow ruled or college notebook paper; 1 pocket folder; 1 spiral notebook; clipboard (optional); calculator (optional); wide rule paper (optional).

6th Additional Supply Scissors (pointed); List:

Crayons or Markers; 2 glue sticks; ruler.

> HOLLAND SPEAKS TO MOM'S CIRCLE Mom's Circle met on July

11 at the United Methodist Church. John Holland was the guest speaker and gave a presentation about his drug dog, Highstone. John told the group about the school he and Highstone attended and how the dogs are trained to locate drugs. He also shared some interesting experiences he has had since he and Highstone started working together. After his talk, John answered questions from the group.

Rose Steel prepared Mexican soup for lunch and garden salad was made by Kristie Crockett. Adella Jackson provided the dessert. John Holland and Bill Thomas were special guests for lunch.

The craft for the month was a cross stitch Christmas ornament. Everyone got a good start on their individual project. Others

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By Lena Carter The R.L. Leeders had daughter Sharon's children, of Clarendon and Chris Myers of Colorado City, Texas visiting last week.

Denva and Kristi Tidwell, Nora Dragoo and sister

visited the Jim Bruces. The Olin Weldons visited a very ill brother of his in Oklahoma this week.

Wednesday.

Anna were in Pampa on

The Robert Bruces were

in Amarillo on Monday and

Visiting the Robert Bruces and attending First Baptist Church was Paul and Shawn Bruce and their cousin Nickie of Pampa. The James Armbristers were fishing over the

weekend.

The R.L. Leeders were busy getting ready for a visit from his two sisters and families.

Hastings of Logan Oklahoma is visiting his grandparents the Elmer Daniels this week.

CORRECTION!

I truly apologize to the Randy Stewart's for misspelling their name in last weeks edition. Also to Mrs. Lezlie Stewart for goofing twice on her name! I'm terribly sorry about this mixup and wish you the best of luck in your new venture! Jodie Thomas

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were Amy Herring, Lezlie Stewart, Sally Seymour, Beverly Odom, Nama Webb, Cindy Lee and Tina Thomas.

The nursery was provided by the Assembly of God Church for the 16 attending children. Judy Lee is the faithful and patient nursery supervisor.

The next meeting will be a family picnic at Nama and L.H. Webbs on August 7 at 5:00 pm. Please call Beverly Odom at 779-2309 or Nama Webb at 779-2842 to R.S.V.P.

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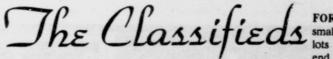
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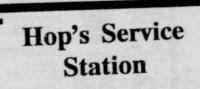
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