# Cbe Groom Arws 

Thursday, August 4, 1994

## Route 66 Memories Turn Back The Clock

If Route 66 could talk oh, what a tale it could tell Just about everyihing tha can happen has happened along that stretch of road Many stories have come in, but some of the mosi interesting may still be our 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 RL. 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 Kuehler. 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 already 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 wa
much too brisk for a 3 yea old. Roseann ran away 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 to scared to eat.
Later, George said that that's why he didn't recognize that she was a Kuehler..."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 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 beautiful spring morning, a gentle breeze that spread gentle breeze that spread the scent of lilacs in bloom
all over town, just as people all over town, just as $p$
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


The Longhorn Cafe in its hey day! Employees were (left to right) John Garmon, Wilma Hickox, Ruth Knight, owner; Shirley away with their diner car, the Longhorn Cafe took over the job of feeding the passengers during a thirty minute stop.
some it appeared to be a Shirley tells another story told me to give him all the oil-field fire. As the cloud that really made an advanced neighbors began to call one another, 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 their families, children and pets inside, trying to escape the silting black haze. The he silting black for ower an torm biew for over an hour, and when it was over esidents were left with the grim task of trying to clean up what was left of farms as far away as Nebraska and Colorado.
that really made
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 At 6:00 a.m., we were making coffee and getting things ready for the customers when I noticed car drive slowly by the front of the restaurant the front of the restaurant. Soon, two men, in leather jacket come in and ordered coffee When one asked for a pack of cigarettes, he pulled gun, pointed it at me and
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 breakfast. He alerted the sherif and the 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 Vega.
While standing on top of an elevator 62 feet in the


Mclean Groom and Amarillo's
A tragic accident takes ambe transport six victims.

## WARNING!

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

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.
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 tracks. Nell was not 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

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

AA MEETING Tuesday night at $8: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ 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.

KINDERGARTEN Registration will be Thursday, August 11 at 10 a.m. in the Kindergarten Room. Please bring child's social security number, completed immunization record, birth certificate, elephone number of your doctor, and $\$ 10.00$ for school supply packet.
ANYONE WITII 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

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MEMBER 1994

TEXAS PIRESS ASSOCIATION


1994
Glynn D and Sybil Harrell visited in the homes of Glynda and Johnny Eschle and Jason Eschle in Lubbock and attended a Harrell Family Reusion in Anton this past weekend. In Lubbock, the also In Eubbock, they
visited with Elsie Esc ale.

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 Happznings

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.

TIIANK YOU CARD
A very special thank you for the wonderful gifts, money and most of all your company at our weddin 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 with

Last Tuesday evening Ray Pool, his fiancee, Gay Nell McElroy, his mother Nell Mcelo Theima, and Bertna 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 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.



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 4 th birthday and the last dose
must have been received in the last 10 years (for older students).
$\frac{\text { Polio }}{\text { Students between } 5 \& 18}$ must receive three or more doses of the Polio vaccine including/since their 4th birthday.
Measles
Students
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 the measles administered on or after the 1st birthday and at days apart.

Rubella
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.

## School Immunization Notice

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 Isiand So on Treasure Island. So we starived in Hot Springs. New arrived in Hot Springs, New 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. Al $10: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ we were leaving a cafe after eating supper and looked up to see a thermometer. It was $115^{\circ}$ I had never been in $115^{\circ}$ before But Phoenix was before. But Phoenix was a beautiful place.

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

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 just in Sante Monica. The night in Santa Monica. The big trucks kept us awake ail 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

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We had amily home. That first morning we went to breakfast there were four or five Japanese across the table Japanese across the death 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

## home.

More stories will come next week, for there is no room for more this time. Stay tuned to the Groom News for more of these grea memories.
A. J. Newsom
Water Well
Service
Submersible Pumps
Phonotor Windmills $248-7411$

Koute 60 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.
$6: 00$ p.m - Children's Track Meet on the Football Field
.30 pm . - MELODRAMA in the school auditorium
7:30 p.m. - MELODR1

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

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Parents who hav questions abou immunizations can contact


## immunization

 Clinic To Be In Claude, PampaImmunizations clinics offering vaccines that give protection against sever childhood diseases scheduled for August Protection is against Polio Tetanus), Whooping Cough Pertussis) Measles Rubella, Mumps, and HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae ype B).
The Texas Department of calth is charging money to help with the cost of The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and he ability to pay.
The schedule for August follows: In Pampa, Texas at The Texas Department of 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.

## Memories On Old

are free!
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Groom Day 1994

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

10:00 a.m. - Parade
10:30 a.m. - Community Center Opens -- Craft Booths an Refreshments .- Mini Museum Opens (closes at 6:00 p.m.) 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. - BARBECUE DINNER Prices - $\$ 4.00$ adults, $\$ 2.007$ to 12 years old, 6 and under free. 1:00 p.m. - Basketball 3 on 3 for kids 4th - 12th Grade 1:30 p.m. - All Games and Food Booths Open. yro, 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 pm. Melodrama in School Auditorium ults - $\$ 1.00$, 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

## 1994 Groom Day Celebration August 5th \& 6th



FRIDAY, AUGUST $5^{\text {th }}$
Children's Track Meet ~ 6:00 pm Melodrama ~ 7:30 pm 3 On 3 Basketball For Adults ~ 8:30 pm

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$

Parade ~ 10:00 am Community Center Opens With Craft Booths \& Refreshments ~ 10:30 am BBC Dinner ~ 11:30 am-1:30 pm 3 On 3 Basketball For Grades 4-12 ~ 1:00 pm
Games \& Food Booths ~ 1:30 pm-4:00 pm Melodrama ~ 7:00 pm
Dance "Southern Star" ~ 9:00 pm-1:00 am Raffle Drawing ~ 10:00 pm

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## Brown Honored By 4-H

Fred Brown was honored
recently with the "Friend of 4- $\mathrm{H}^{\prime \prime}$ award,
Brown has been showing and raising cattle since the age of 12 . He and wife Juanita have raised five children who all have feen very active in $4-\mathrm{H}$. Brown is now working with the next generation, <ori Brown, his granddaughter His caring spirit, however has not been limited to his

Own family. There has
always been 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 or been known to Brown has been known to find just in his show everying you need in his show box from a halter to a sandwich.
Brown was honored at the ceremony held earlier this week.


FIRST GRADE 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 Brads SECOND GRADE 1 Pkg. (200 sheets) wideruled Notebook Paper

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## 1994 Property Tax Rates in Carson County This notice concerns <br> 1994 <br> $\qquad$

 property tax rates for Carson County It presents property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine you compare properties taxed in both yective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if unit can sel before taxpayers can stant tax rollback procellbacktax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing dividing the total amount of laxes by lax rolle procedures. In each case these tates are by as required by state law. The rates are given per $\$ 100$ of value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per $\$ 100$ of property value| Last year's tax rate: | General Fund | Farm to Market Flood Control Fund | Special Road Bridge Fund |
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| last year's operating taxes | 1,259,046 |  |  |
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| This year's effective tax rate: |  |  |  |
| last yean's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property) | \$ 1,257,062 | \$ 191,400 | 293,193 |
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| otal effective lax rate | \$ . $3261 / 5100$ |  |  |

103 - maximum rate unless unit publishes
notices and holds hearing

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\(.3358 / \$ 100\)
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This year's rollback tax rate:
last year's adjusted operating taxes
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and including taxes for state criminal justice, mandate.)
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This years rollback rate for each fund
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## Schedule A

Unencumbered Fund Balances
The followinge stimated balances will be left in the unit's pro
are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

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

## Schedule B

1994 Debt Service NONF
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(tax revenues, if applicable)
Schedule C
Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax NONE

## In calculationg is eflective and willbat k tax

Schedule D
state Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties) NONE
State Criminai Carson County Auditor certifies that_ Carson County has spent \$ 0 in The previous 12 months beginming_July $1 \quad .19 \quad 93$, for the maintenance and operatuons cost of keeping the previous 12 months begining Courson County inmates sentemed to the lexas Depatment of enmies received for reimbursement of such costs. information on these costs, moms the state revenie rell ark tax rates' calculations You can inspect a copy of the full This notice contains a summary of Carson County Tax office
calculatuons al Roslyn Watson Name of trisom preparing hor-Collector
Tax Assessor

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2 Folders with pockets Binder or Trapper (opt.) 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, KMart, Alco, or any other store. This is to be used io 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.) Scissor
Ruler - Inches Centimeters Notebook Paper - Wide Rule Only
One Spiral Notebook 4 Folders with Pockets or a Trapper Keeper
Protractor Compass 2 Boxes Kleenex (200 Count) Storage Box to hold supplies

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

need to register anytime, Aug. 8-12,

## Carson County Sheriff's Report

By Loren Brand, Sheriff

There were fourteen persons booked into Carson County Jail during the past week. We are currently holding sixteen persons in
our facility. One prisoner was transferred to a neighboring county when she became assaultive to other prisoners. Persons currently incarcerated are awaiting trial on the awaiting trial on the
Iollowing charges: Auto Theft, Probation Violation, Assault on a Peace Officer,
Felony DWI, Sexual Indecency with a Child (2 counts), Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child, First Degree Sodomy (Fugitive Warrant - Oregon), Failure to Identify as a Witness, DWI, Public Intoxication, Possession of a Controlled Substance, Warrants Potter County, Randall County. We currently have two persons awaiting transfer to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Our deputies were kept busy with a number of complaints of cattle on the roadways and other calls for assistance (fire and medical emergencies).

We are currently innuthorized entry into
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 Cóurity deputies are working with the Sheriff's Departments in Donley County and Wheeler County to develop leads in our recent burglaries and attempted burglaries of businesses in all three businesses
Our officers joined the White Deer City Marshal, Skellytown City Marshal, Texas Highway Patrol and Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in patrolling the rodeo grounds for the White Deer Rodeo this past Friday and Saturday. While the rain put a halt to the festivities on Friday, there were an estimated 2,000 people at the Saturday dance. Thanks to the efforts of the rodeo sponsors and the additional law enforcement personnel, there were no serious problems reported during the celebration.
Deputy Larry Mendez was in Austin this week attending specialized training in Investigation of Sexual Assault and Death at the Department of Public Safety Training Academy.

## D.P.S. Report

By Joe Longway
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 laken 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 Mar juana on IH-40 outside of Groom. The man pled guily before Judge Roselius and paid a $\$ 350.00$ fine before leaving. On July 25t) three Howardwick men were arrested out of the same car for different violations on I40, six miles west of Groom. The driver was arrested for
Driving While his License was Suspended. youngest of the passengers was found carying a marijuana pipe and the oldest passenger was wanted out of the state o Oregon for 1st degree sodomy. Oregon authorites are
making arrangements to pick up their prisoner at this pick

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 Pauls vas arrested for DWI Ist was arrested for DWI Ist 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.

## NEW SUBSCRIBERS

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GROOM DAY WEEKEND ONLY!
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## "Blood Alley" Claims Life Near Alanreed

Blood Alley, as the stretch of road between Alanreed and Jericho is known, claimed another victim last Monday afternoon when a California woman fell asleep at the wheel. The mini van she was driving, heading west, stuck a guard rail, crossed the highway striking another guard rail, rolled over and skipped 250 feet

## Windom's Named Home Of The Month

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on it's hood. Of the 8 people in the van, 6 had to be transported to Northwest Texas hospital.
One person, a seventeen year old girl was sent by MediVac helicopter, she later died. Another of the victims was a baby.
Two ambulance unit om McLean, two units
several fire and rescue units were on the scene. The professionalism and the cooperation of the ambulance teams was commended by the DPS officers. At presstime, the condition of the other injured passengers was unknown.

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


McLean volunteers and some passing Good Sa



Smith Honored At Reception


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.

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## 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 15 th.

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 $7: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ at the City Hall.

[^1]Obituary

## BRIEF

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

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

CARD OF THANKS
Thanks for all the thoughtfuiness in so many ways while Willie and I were in the hospitals. McLean has so many wonderful people.

Willie \& Oleta Harris

## McLean Area

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

ASSEMBLY OF GOD - 4th \& Main Pastor Rev. Dean Williamson 779-2902/2221 Surday School all ages 9:45am Worship \& Children's Church 10:45am, Worship 7:00pm Wed. Bible Study \& Youth Service 7:00pm

CIIURCII OF CIIRIST - 4th \& Clarendon Preacher Pat Andrews 779-2548 Sun. Bible Class 10 am Worship 10:40am \& 6pm Wed. Bible Class 7:30pm

FIRST BAl'TIST CIIURCII - 206 E. 1 1st Street Pastor: Rev. Q.D. Bevill 779-2175/3224 Sunday School: 9:45am Worship 11am \& 7pm Bible S udy \& Prayer Meeting Wed. 7 pm
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IIEALD UNITED METIIODIST CIIURCII Sunday - 9:15 am Kellerville Road

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 were held in the First 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 McLean. Attending also Hershel and Francis Smith Hershel and Francis Smith heir 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 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 Home prior to her 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 Robert Mills of Childress, 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 memorials be made to St . Anthony's Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79176-0950.

Brief
Chris Littlefield and Chris
Ellot made a business and pleasure trip to EI Paso, Texas and visited Linda and Dennis Meador

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would impose the same 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 djustments as requividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with

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Last year's operating taxes
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Last year's tax base
Last year's total tax: rate


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(after subtracting taxes on lost property)

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- This year's effective tax rate
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This year's rollback tax rate: Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting ta ces on lost property and adjusting for tra nsferred function)
This year's adjusted tax base

- This year's effective operating rate
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+ This year's debt rate
- This year's rollback rate

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Schedule A
Unencumbered Fund Balances
The following estimated bal ances will be left in the unit's propert
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General Fund

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1994 Debt Service

This notice contains a summ ary of actual effect
calculations at Gray County Appraisal District. W. Pat Bagley
Name of person preparing th is notice: W. Pat Bagiey

Date prepared: July 27, 199.4
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## Briefs

Mrs. John Bible and son Jason from Colleyville, Texas visited her parents, James and Pat Barker, last week. Grandson, Jason won second place in the talent show at Grapevine High School last year. Jason is very active in soccer and made the varsity team his sophomore year. While here he wrote a song "Here's to You James Barker on Your 69th
Birthday" for his grandpa.


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## McLEAN SCHOOL

 SUPPLY LISTFirst Grade: Package of \#2 pencils; large eraser; box of 24 crayons (ro more); $12^{\prime \prime}$ wooden rule; 4 glue sticks (no sque:ze glue please); 2 pocket folders; box Kleenex; school box Second Grade: 1 wooden ruler; 2 boxes Heenex; pair pointed scissors; schoo box; box of 2 or less Crayons (no markers or Crayons (no 4 markers map colors); 4 glue sticks; ziplock gallon sie freezer bag; 1 package of \#2 $\begin{array}{lc}\text { pencils; } 1 \text { rectangle } & \text { pink } \\ \text { eraser } & \text { (large); } 1\end{array}$ notebook; 2 pocket folders.
$4 \mathrm{th}, 5 \mathrm{th}, 6 \mathrm{th}$ Science/Health: 1-2 or 3 subject spiral; 2 pocket folders; 1 box of Kleenex; red grading pen; notebook paper; 1 paccage \#2 pencils.

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

6th Additional Supply List: Scissors (pointed);
Crayons or Markers; 2 glue sticks; ruler.

Alanreed News
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

Anna were in Pampa on Wednesday.
The Robert Bruces were in Amarillo on Monday and visited the Jim Bruces.
The Olin Weldons visited very ill brother of his in Oklata this week.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidianes)


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4 Loans and lease financing receivables
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b LESS Allowance for loan and lease losses
c LESS Allocated transter risk reserve
d Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 C )
5 Assets neid in trading accounts
6 Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)
7 Other real estate owned
8 investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies
9 Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding
10 Intangible assets
11 Other assets
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## ederar funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank

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b. Trading liabilities
16. Other borrowed money
a. With original maturity of one year or less.
b. With original maturity of more than one year

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EQUITY CAPITAL
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MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:
1 a. Standby letters of credit. Total

1. b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a conveyed to others through participations
 IWe, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby deciare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with officer(s) signing the report.


CORRECTION:
truly apologize to the Randy Stewart's for misspelling their name in las spelling their name in last weeks Stewat for $\mathrm{Mr}^{2}$ 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 STATE $\operatorname{Cos}$ (4.04)

Visiting the Robert The R.L. Leeders were Bruces and attending First busy getting two sisters and Baptist Church was Paul from his and Shawn Bruce and their Logan Hastings of Oklahoma is visiting his Oklahomarents the Elmer The James Armbristers Oklahoma is vis re fish

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## TO MOM'S CIRCLF

at the Unie met on July Church. John Iolland was the guest speak:r and gave a presentation about his drug dog, Highs tone. John old the group about the school he and Highstone attended and how the dogs are trained to bcate drugs. He also shired some interesting expcriences he has had sinc: he and Highstone started working ogether. After his talk, John answerec questions Rose group.
Rose Steel prepared Mexican soup for lunch and garden salad was made by Kristie Crockelt. Adella Jackson provided the dessert. John Holland and Bill Thomas were special guests for lunch
The craft fo- the month was a cross stitch Christmas ornament. Everyone got a good start on their individ project. Others were Amy Herring, Lezlie Stewart, Sally Seymour Beverly Odom, Nama Webb, Cindy Lee and Tina Thomas.
The nursery was provided by the Assemily of God Church for the 16 attending children. Judy Lee is the faithful and paient 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.

The Classifieds

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1 activity Therapist needed at the Pablo Duro Nursing Hone. Experience helpful but not required. Creative and enthusiastic personality a plus. Full or part-time. Cal Diane Hill or Linda Cut under at 226-5121.
PORCH SALE: 518 S . Main, McLean. (Om Wat son) Saturday, August 6, $9: 30-1: 00 \mathrm{pm}$. Prices reduced.


Office, 248-7550 Home, 248-7315

FOR SALE: '78 Ford Fiesta, Whirlpool dishwasher, Whirlpool trash compactor, Kenmore stove. 248-7075. Groom.

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NEEDED: Part time bartender. Contact Jackie at Panhandle Country Club after 4:00 pm 537-3300.

FOR SALE: Weaner pigs $\$ 30.00$ each. Call 883-2231 after 5:00 pm. White Deer.

4 FAMILY GARAGE Sale: Saturday, Aug. 6, Eam to 3 pm. Furniture, dishes, bedspreads, jewelry, etc 620 N. Walnut, McLean.

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