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Local Happenings

GROOM BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

Sept. 24 - Tina Painter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry L. Thornton (A).

Sept. 25 - Keith Barkley, Melinda Burgin, Kimberly Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wills (A).

Sept. 26 - Laverne Thomas, Adam Britten, Kent Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fields (A).

Sept. 27 Yvonne Barker, Justin Collingsworth, Robert Miller.

Sept. 28 - Alice Britten, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kemph

Sept. 29 - Stoney Crump, Carol Fields.

Sept. 30 - Louise Conrad, Arthur R. Britten, Kay Stephens, Betty Black.

THANK YOU

This is long over due. Jake wanted this done last We did not find the time. Thanks to the men who so willingly drove him for his treatments and a very special thanks to those who made it easy on me. I don't think I could have made it. To Hap Watson, Royce Brown, Art Britten, A.J. Newsom and maybe some we did not know about, Thank You!

Vivian Lacy

Rip and Joy Snyder Visited Ray Copeland in Claude on Sunday.

Mamie Ritter, Oma Schaffer, Sybil Harrell and the Reverend Mark Metzger attended the annual District meeting of the Pampa District of United Methodist Women at the Booker United Methodist Church on Saturday.

GROOM SCHOOL MENU

Sept. 28 - Breakfast -Cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch - Pigs in a blanket, macaroni & cheese, pork & beans, carrot sticks, bread, apple cobbler, milk.

Sept. 29 - Breakfast -Pancakes, peanut butter, juice, milk. Lunch - Beef stew w/ tuna, pimento cheese, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches, mixed vegetables, cornbread sticks, pears, milk.

Sept. 30 - Breakfast -Breakfast burritoes, hash browns, juice, milk. Lunch - German sausage, buttered potatoes, broccoli spears w/cheese sauce, pull apart bread, Reeses peanut butter cups, milk.

October 1 - Breakfast -Biscuits, bacon, gravy, juice, Lunch - Pepperoni milk. and cheese pizza, corn, salad, crackers, peaches, milk.

October 2 - Breakfast -Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch - Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot sliced bread, rice krispie treats, milk.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MEET

U.M.W. met at the Church August 15th at 10:00 a.m. for their regular meeting, and to attend a study program titled "The Christians in the Middle East" given by Rev. Steve Campbell, from Trinity Methodist Church in Amarillo. Those enjoying the study and the luncheon that followed were: Julia Bertie Helton, McGee, Banks, Shirley Pearl Lamberson, Ruby Babcock, Mamie Ritter, Ora Lee Garmon, Essie Knowles, Oma Shaffer, Betty Hudson, Mark Metzger, Sybil Harrell, Steve Campbell, and three visitors from Panhandle, Nanette Padget, Louise Mulkey, and Betty Rhynehart.

A short business meeting was held after the study and lunch.

Water District Sets Tax Rate

On August 17, 1992, following a public hearing, the Board of Directors adopted a budget of \$148,600 for the fiscal year 1992-93. The Board then set the tax rate at \$.0085 per \$100 valuation for the 1992 tax year. This is the same rate the District had last year and the budget was cut by \$3,900.

Eldon and Ruth Lyles of Childress visited with Don, their son, and his wife Mary Sue over the weekend. Dan and Pat Ashford joined them for Sunday dinner.

Joannie Homer and Tiffani of Amarillo spent the past four weeks with her parents Bill and Norma Jean Homer.

ALPHA MU XI **MEETS**

Mu Xi Alpha Monday, September 14 in the home of Barbara their first Homer for of the fall. meeting Members Barbara Homer, Judy Eatmon, Jo Ann Crump, Donna Baker, Cindy Stephens, Beverly Jan Britten, Babcock, Davis, Tammy Marcia Anthony, Debbie Bivens, and Belinda Britten all enjoyed a delicious salad supper. Following the meal, new pledges Debbie, Cindy, Beverly, Belinda, and Jan were presented with their Sorority pins. Then new officers were installed as President, Judy follows: Vice-President, Eatmon; Barbara Homer; Recording Secretary, Beverly Stephens; Corresponding Secretary, Cindy Babcock; Treasurer, Debbie Anthony. Judy Eatmon then led the business meeting with a workday at the baseball park being scheduled for Saturday, September 19, at (Meet at 9:00 a.m. Anthony's Painting.) Members then selected Sue Sweetheart. A good time was enjoyed by all.



Ellington Accepted To SWOSU **School Of Pharmacy**

Robbie A. Ellington of Groom has been accepted and is enrolled in her first semester in the Southwester Oklahoma State University School of Pharmacy at Weatherford. Robbie is the daughter of William and Roberta Ellington of Groom, Texas.

A total of 64 students were accepted to the 1992 Fall pharmacy school class at Southwestern. Chosen from 186 qualified applicants, the class has a composite grade point average of 3.15 and is composed of 34 women and 30 men. Minimum requirements for admission to the School of Pharmacy at Southwestern include the completion of at least 60 semester hours of specified Wills to be the new pre-pharmacy courses with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0.



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Varsity Storms By Meadow

rushed for 118 yards on 15 carries and two touchdowns.

Cody Andrews of Meadow the state qualifier in the 100 meters had a big night against the Groom defense, rushing for 255 yards on 20 carries.

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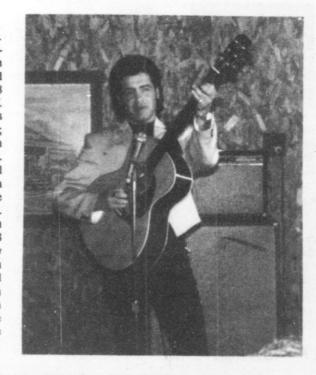
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Andrews for Meadow the track meet type of night ended with a lot of exciting long rushing plays for the good crowd gathered from Groom and Meadow.

There were four lead changes in the first half, but Groom ran off two quick scores with under

minutes to go until halftime. Groom was trailing 18-14 when Hickey broke down the sideline on a 51 yard touchdown run with 1:48 left in the first half. Meadow fumbled a pass deep in its own territory; Matt Fields recovered on the Broncos 25 yard line. Bo Burgin found Wes Hall in the end zone for a touchdown pass with five seconds left on the clock. Harold Cave's conversion run gave Groom a 27-18 halftime lead. Meadow came back in the fourth quarter scoring twice and holding Groom scoreless in the final period but Groom was able to run down the clock to preserve the



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Video

Marcia Beverly said that it helped that Paramount Pictures had done so much research on the area.

She said, "It's sort of like knowing a connoisseur of cattle, you don't go ask a chicken rancher what kind of cows to buy!"

Several locals will appear in the video, Dwayne Mansel and Robert West actually did some "pickin". Some of the others were Bill and Sam Riley, Lewis and Laura Leven, Pattie Finck, Sid Mansel, Glen and Brenda Sain, Barbara and Herman Leven, Marilyn Wilde, David and Dianne Brusoe, Patcine Jenkins, Jeff Jenkins, Chad Chadwell, Donnie and Nikey Evans, and Carol Newton.

J.V. Kicks McLean In Silverton

for Groom on a 10 yard run in the first quarter. The extra point was good when quarterback Matt Miller hit Eric Weinheimer with a pass.

Matt Miller hit Weinheimer again on a 25 yard pass scoring a touchdown, the extra point failed.

McLean was able to score prior to halftime but not before the Tiger defense held them three downs inside the three yard This concluded the first half scoring.

The second half scoring opened when Seth Ritter took the opening kickoff reverse from Matt Miller racing 60 yards down the sideline for a touchdown. This was the only scoring in the 3rd quarter giving Groom a 20-6 lead.

The fourth quarter scoring came when Matt Miller rolled out to his left and being chased by a defensive lineman hit Seth Ritter who went 40 yards for the touchdown. Josh Gray's extra point run was

McLean scored with 23 seconds remaining in the game on a 1 yard run. The extra point kick was blocked by Brandon Crump.

Craig Baker returned the pursuing kickoff back 30 yards with only one McLean defender left to make the tackle to close out the

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Snyders Visit

Rip and Joy Sn Snyder visited visited Lesley Clarendon Sunday.

REGISTER TO VOTE

According to Roselyn Watson, voter registrar for Carson County, October 4, 1992 is the last day for eligible unregistered persons to submit applications for registration as a voter in time to vote in the general election on November 3, 1992.

Application by mail is timely if Post Office cancellation mark indicates October 5th. All persons who have moved and changed precincts must notify the registrar of the change by October 4th.

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will then be presented to the Department of Energy. "It's going to be a long process," Rosclius said, "but we believe we have a good chance of getting our money."

Information on meeting was given during the Monday, Sept. 14th, Commissioners' Court meeting.

Precinct 1 JP Phyliss Tyler met with the Court to advise them of the hiring of Renia Rourk as a part-time secretary in her office. Commissioners set Mrs. Rourk's annual salary at \$9,904.

County Auditor Agnes Bell informed the commissioners that in the future all diesel fuel for highway use will have to be logged as to the amount used.

Court opened, The reviewed and accepted a \$11,600 bid or a 1965 G6-B Bulldozer, Maurice Schooler of Amarillo was the purchaser.

Discussion was held on the burn pit in the northwest portion of the county. The pi was created by debris from the tornadoes that hit the Fritch area on June 27th.

"The Panhan de Regional Planning Commission is working with the county to formulate a grant application to be presented to the Texas Department of Community Aff irs in order to receive fund to dispose of the deb is," Judge Roselius said. "If received, these funds will come from the State Disaster Fund."



Floyd Wills and grandmother Mrs. Robert C. Williams of Borger, on his last visit here in May.

Floyd Wills was recently on the naval rescue ship USS Belleau Wood docked on the Hawaiian Islands during the hurricane last week. He worked along with the others in evacuating people from one island to another and delivering supplies. Floyd is on his way to Japan.

Groom Cubs Football

By Larry Reid

The Groom Cubs lost a close game Thursday at Lefors 26-21.

The Cubs started out sluggish and scored seven points in the first two Toby Burgin scored on a fine run and added a one point conversion.

The half score saw Lefors on top 13-7. The second half saw the Cubs come out a smoking on a two play drive that saw Sean Crowell make a fine run for a touchdown. The extra point was added by Justin Ritter. The Cubs' final score was on a long run by Toby, who also added the extra point to put Groom within five points of Lefors. The Cub defense made Lefors turn the ball over with about 45 seconds to play. The Cubs got the ball in time to have

two plays. The first play saw Toby hit Scott Weinheimer on a long gainer and the clock expired on a tough run by Toby. The Cubs were within yards and seconds from victory. and just ran short in both cases. "The defense gave a great effort by stopping Lefors on fourth down just to give us a chance to win the game," said Coach Larry Reid. "I am so proud of the kids, as there is no quit in them. They are very determined. We ask for your continued support."

A good game was also turned in by Michael Lewis, Brad Sustaire, Bryon Slaton, Leo Britten, Buck Babcock and Jason Prather.

"I can see improvement in these kids each week. The kids played very well against a tough opponent," said Coach Reid.

Lee-Milstead Exchange Vows

Before a group of 300 family and friends Helen Lee and Blaine Milstead were united in Holy Matrimony on July 25,

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lee of Groom, Texas. attended Groom High School and Midwestern State University. She is currently employed by Wichita Falls ISD as a special education teacher.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Milstead. attended school at Wichita Falls High, the University of Oklahoma and Midwestern State University. He is employed by the Texoma Community Credit Union where he is branch manager and loan officer.

The formal ceremony was held at the Floral Heights United Methodist Church with Rev. Paul Goodrich officiating.

Attending the bride were Matron of Honor, Mrs. Carol Grady of Clarendon, Texas and bridesmaids Susanne Bralley-Libbe of Corpus Christi, Renee' Larner of Dallas, Jennifer Duggins of San Antonio, Jowannah Powers of Panhandle and Becky Gregg of Seymour.

The bridesmaids wore a two piece suit of irish linen in bright sea coral. The sweetheart neck jacket had pleated elbow length sleeves. The skirt was a straight floor length style. carried a bouquet of trumpet calla lilies with greenery, bear grass and adorned with a flowing bow.

The flower girls were Ashton Close of Wichita Falis and Katie Gregg of Seymour. The ring bearer SCHOOL CONFERENCES

BY APPOINTMENT

Teachers at Groom I.S.D. welcome parental conferences by appointment. The following is a list of the conference periods for each teacher. Parents may contact the school secretary, Julie Friemel to set up the appointment.

10:35 - 11:25 Debby Addy Charles Burk 1:50 - 2:40 Neta Childress 1:50 - 2:40 Whitney Crum 12:55 - 1:45 Vickie Epperson 1:50 - 2:40 Shirley Fields 12:55 - 1:45 June Gable 11:30 - 12:20

Georgann Steve Hutsell 10:35 - 11:25 Jay Lamb 10:35 - 11:25 Sonya McElroy 12:55 - 1:45 Terry O'Dell 9:15 - 10:05 Larry Reid 12:55 - 1:45 Kay Britten 12:55 - 1:45 9:15 - 9:40 Pam Hutsell Letrice Reck 9:40 - 10:05 Susan Burgin 3:00 - 3:30 3:00 - 3:30 Marcia Davis

"Equip To Win & Disciple", the 1992 Regional Sunday School Discipleship Training Convention was held in Amarillo on September 12. Those attending from Groom were; Roberta Ellington, Billie Bivens, Nancy Patterson and Bryan Richardson.



vas Dean Godfrey of Wichita Falls.

The bride was a vision of beauty in an off the shoulders, cap pleated sleeves gown accented with clusters of seed pearls. The fitted bodice of alencon lace was etched in seed pearls. The full knife pleated skirt extended into a chapel train. The fingertip illusion veil was attached to a tiara crown and adorned with pearls. The bridal bouquet was white roses, trumpet calla lilies accented with bear grass and babies breath.

The groom was attended by Best Man Britt Milstead, brother of the groom. The groomsmen were Terry Rudd, of Midland; Perry Caribbean.

Curry of Wichita Falls; Trent Myers of Dallas; Ben McBrown of Wichita Falls and Brian Altman of Plano. The men's wedding party wore traditional black tuxedos.

Father of the bride, Johnny Lee, gave his daughter in marriage. Music was provided by Melissa Burks, organist and Buddy Mercer and Terri Hale vocalists.

In the reception that followed, sorority sisters served refreshments while a band played music for dancing.

The new couple will be at home in Wichita Falls after a wedding trip to St. Kitts, West Indies in

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CARSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Two subjects were arrested by Carson County deputies and Texas Farks and Wildlife officers for Hunting on a Public Road from a Motor Vehicle this past week. Two other subjects were arrested for DWI.

The FBI in Charlotte, North Carolina arrested a 58 year old male who had been wanted by Carson County since 1982 for Rape/Indecency with a Child. Sheriff Timmons took custody of the subject in North Carolina and returned him to Texas to stand trial on the charges.

Sheriff's deputies are investigating a variety of cases involving sexual abuse and sexual contact with minors in the county. The White Deer City Marshal and Carson County officers investigated a report of a missing child, but the subject was later located with one of the parents.

A vehicle fire was investigated on I-40 near Groom, but no injuries were reported. An incident of vandalism was reported in Groom and is currently under investigation by sheriff's deputies.

The Carson County Jail is currently holding six inmates for the following offenses:
1-DWI; 1-DWI & Parole Violation; 1-Parole Violation; 1-Possession of Controlled Substance; 1-Failure to Appear; and 1-Rape/Indecency with a Child.

Browns Host Family Gathering

Fred and Juanita Brown hosted a family gathering at their home recently. Those attending were: Norris and Opal Spurgeon, Zola and Carl Webb, Sandy and Cliff Durham and Shelly, Shane and Jan Durham, James and Jason, Mark and Shawna McWilliams, all of Amarillo; Merie Ard Vacaville, Ca.; Mary Tipton Plainview; Tracy, Heidi and Mamie Brown, Randy and Lezlie Stewart, Lyneta Brown and Steven Pool, of Lubbock; Mamie Poole, Larry, Karen and Skyc Brown, Lonny, Susan, Kori and Kade Brown, Groom.

STROOPE DOMINATES SHOOT

Amarillo's Brett Stroope, son of Wayne and Nancy Stroope and grandson of Nath and Bertie Helton of Groom, shot his way to top honors recently during the annual Sportsman Championship trapshoot at the Amarillo Gun Club Stroope joined other Amarillo shotgunners in dominating the final places in the competitive event.

Stroope took home High Overall honors, breaking 781 out of 800 targets thrown, and captured High All Around with 393 out of 400. Also, he won the sportsman Doubles championship, breaking a perfect 200, and won the Sportsman Doubles Championship with 99 out of 100

4-H & FFA Compete In Fair

Local 4-H and FFA members competed in the Amarillo Tri-State Fair Junior Livestock show Monday night. Melody Burton placed 1st in her weight class division in the Exotic Breed. Joe Rae Richardson placed 4th' in Exotic. Matt Miller placed 6th in the British Division. Julie Richardson placed 9th in Exotic. Chy Phillips placed 10th, also in Exotic. Former student Ronny Jenkins placed 11th in the British Division.

Charles Burk is the sponsor for the Groom FFA. Other 4-H and FFA members will show later this week. Watch next weeks paper for the results.

Obituaries LeRoy Weatherly

LeRoy Weatherly, 72, of 147 West Cliffside Ave., died Thursday, Sept. 17, 1992.

Services were Monday in Martin Road Chapel of Schooler-Gordon Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors with the Rev. Jimmy Hatch of Calvary Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mr. Weatherly was born in Conway and was a former resident of Groom. He was a member of First Methodist Church in Paphandle

Thurman Atchley

Thurman Atchley, 76, father of a Groom resident, of Summerfield, died Tuesday, Sept. 15, 1992.

Services were Friday in Summerfield Baptist Church with the Rev. Ellis Parsons, pastor, and the Rev. Paul Kenley of the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery in Hereford by Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Atchley was born July 5, 1916, in Young County and moved to Hereford 75 years ago. He married Patty Riley in 1946 at Dodge City, Kan. He served in the Army Air Corps from 1942 to 1945. He was a member of Summerfield Baptist Church, the American Association, Angus Extension Service Program Building Commission for Deaf Smith County and the National Cattlemen's Association.

Survivors include his wife, Patty, of the home; a son, Charles Atchley of Dr. Dimmitt; three daughters, Sue Powell of Hereford, Ann Perry of Bethel, Alaska, and Kay Stephens of Groom; five sisters, Gertrude Wade and Christine Lance both of Hereford, Mary Belle Staats of Bentonville, Ark., Ruth Marceau of San Antonio and Annie Hawkins of Lamesa; and 10 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the 4-H Club or the FFA Booster Club in care of First National Bank in Hereford.

CARD OF THANKS

We had the Hospice out of Amarillo whom Ronald knew to make Jakes last days as comfortable as possible for him. They did a fabulous job being at our beck and call every day and night. Thanks to the people from Groom and Canyon who set up with me day and night. Thanks to the ladies

who sent food and saw to my every need, the beautiful flowers, cards and everything you did to make us more comfortable. To Kent Watson who was never far away, for Lucille and Henry Merrick who visited every day and others who assisted us in every way.

Thanks from the bottom

of our hearts.

We love all of you.
Vivian Lacy; Dr. Ron
Lacy; Donald Dean Lacy;
Mr. and Mrs. Randy
Downy; Crystal Ann Lacy;
Tim Lacy; Mr. and Mrs.
Ronald Lacy, Jr.; Dr. and
Mrs. Tim Cole; Mr. and
Mrs. Boyd Bush; Sandra
Lea Lacy.

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THANK YOU CARD

Thanks for the calls, cards and concerned visits, they were deeply appreciated.

Wes Hall



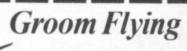
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Thursday, September 24, 1992 President, Melinda Burgin;

STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR 1992-93

officers and New representatives for the 1992-93 school year for Student Council in Groom High President, Babcock; Vice

Secretary, Randy Johnson; Treasurer, Bart Britten. Representatives: McLaughlin, Mikka O'Hair, Chy Phillips, Aimee Lyles, Seth Ritter, Misty Homen, Harold Cave, Sandie Conrad, Brad Sustaire, Burgin, David Courtney Fields, Martie Phillips.



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DPS Report

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By Joe Longway

On September 15th an Oklahoma man was convicted in Federal Court for Felon in Possession of a Firearm. The arrest was made in May of this year by Trooper Davis.

On September 17th DPS conducted a Criminal Interdiction Day on IH-40 resulting in two separate arrests for Possession of Marijuana less than two ounces on two different traffic stops.

The past seven days have brought about several accidents.

On September 13th a car ran into a train two miles east of Panhandle. The Panhandle woman was taken to the hospital. The driver was issued two tickets for Failed to Stop Approaching Train and No Seatbelt.

On September 17th a Pampa man was driving his motorcycle on FM 295



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north of Groom when a gust of wind caused the driver to lose control and skid on its right side for 344 feet across the pavement and another 47 feet in the barditch. The man was taken to Coronado Community Hospital. The man was issued one ticket for speeding.

On September 18th a

Perryton woman and two Booker youths were taken to Northwest Texas Hospital after losing control of their Nissan Pickup. They were traveling west on US 60 near Lee Switch when a large gust of wind caused the pickup to swerve into the inside lane. The driver overcorrected and rolled the pickup 3½ times in the

north barditch. All three occupants were wearing their seatbelts. No citations were issued.

On September 19th DPS Groom Fire Department responded three miles east of Groom when a California mans Ford Mustang caught fire. Investigation revealed the axle broke creating sparks igniting the fire.

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Mindy Magee Crowned MHS Homecoming Queen





1992 Queen Candidates and Escorts - Rick and Holly Jasper; Sid and Karen Brass; Mindy and Joe Magee; Holley and Jame: Hefley; and Becki and Jerry McCarty.

crowned Homecoming ceremonies Friday night. Candidates were escorted under a golden arch by a family member and a football player. Mindy was accompanied by her father Joe Magee and Dennis Ward. Holly Hefley was attended by her father, James Hefley and Clay Reynolds. Karen Brass was escorted by her brother Sid Brass and Brandon West. Becki McCarty was accompanied by her father Jerry McCarty and Casey Carter. Holly Jasper was attended by her father Rick Jasper and Jeremy Thomas.

The queen was crowned with a tiara and given a bouquet of yellow roses presented by Christian Looney and Tommy Pennington.

The queen and her court watched the game from the heart shaped throne area.

The game kicked off as Booster Club members released hundreds of gold, black and white balloons.

Although the final score was disappointing the McLean Tigers gave spectators a spinetingling game that they will always remember.

With a shaky start, Silverton kicked off sides to open the game. McLean

Mindy Magee was crowned Homecoming Queen in pregame ceremonies Friday night. Candidates were escorted under a golden arch by a family member and a football player. Mindy was accompanied by her father for which the street of the second and silverton's Lance Holt scooped it up for an outstanding 77 yard run. Silverton came back quick to score another T.D. with Holt carrying the ball for 14 yards. Mike Hill's kick was successful.

With about six minutes to go Looney fired a 15 yard pass into the waiting hands of Toby Northcutt for a score.

Silverton worked the ball down field and again Lance Holt scored with a two yard run. Still in the first quarter Holt again ran 49 yards for a touchdown. Hill made good the extra points.

McLean started its upward swing in the second period with Looney scoring two T.D.'s, a 19 yard run and a 4 yard run. Jeremy Thomas made good on the

extra point kick. As the half-time gun sounded the score was 28-20 Silverton.

Looney came back after the half to score two consecutive T.D.'s, a one yard run and a two yard run.

Silverton's Holt scored on a' 10 yard run for their only points in the third quarter.

Jeremy Thomas made a 12 yard pass to Looney to give McLean the lead after his extra point attempt was good. The game was in the bag for the Owls, however, after Junior Ramirez scored on a 10 yard run and the kick was successful.

Silverton tallied 319 yards rushing while McLean only netted 143. McLean passed for 262 yards while Silverton had 136.

OIL & GAS DEVELOPMENT IN McLEAN AREA

A new project of the McLean-Alanreed Area Museum is a display of artifacts, pictures, and stories about the many different oil company camps and plants in our area.

A diorama of the Smith Brothers Refinery has been completed and is in the front display window at the museum.

If you worked for one of these camps and have stories and pictures you will share with us please bring them by the museum. No two stories are alike and many, many families were involved in each. This is turning out to be a wonderful preservation of our local history.

Reminders

SUPPORT THE McLean Tigers again this week, they will play Chillicothe at home 7:30 p.m. Pep rally at 3:00 p.m. at the gym.

BAND BOOSTERS
Meeting will be held
Tuesday, September 29th at
7:00 p.m. at the High
School. Please try to
attend.

FRESHMAN STEW Supper, Friday, Sept. 25, 4:30 to 6:30. Buy tickets from any freshman student or at the door.

McLEAN LIONS CLUB will start their broom sale Sept. 23, 8:00 a.m. at the Lion's Club building. This will be held for ten days, ending October 2nd.

A COLLEGE DAY has been planned for October 7th from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the M. K. Brown Auditorium. Seniors, Juniors and their parents are invited. Several different colleges will have catalogs and other information as well as representatives in attendance.

Gas Company Contract Rates Tabled --City Council Sets '92 Tax Rate



Tigers Are Bustin' Loose

The Tigers enter the field in style thanks to a special project taken on by the McLean Cheerleaders. The new Run-through was made possible by the girls hosting a car wash this past summer. Also donations to the project helped the girls make the purchase. Although it's not quite paid for, and the cheerleaders are still accepting donations. Frank and Rhonda Sparlin provided the new poles that hold up the break-a-way

The City Council of McLean met in regular session Thursday, September 10, 1992 in the City Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Haynes at 7:00 p.m. with the following members present: Wayne Bybee, Harold Smith, Mary Dwyer, Sid Lands and Joe Billingsley.

Others present: Stella Lee, Fred Smith, Allen Mixon, Martha Parker, Rick Harris, and John Fogg.

Meeting was opened with an invocation by the Mayor.

Minutes of the August meetings were read and approved.

A new ordinance for Southwestern Bell Telephone will be written and presented at the October meeting.

John Fogg, El Paso Natural Gas Co. Representative, met with council to discuss a new contract, rates, new rate schedule and terms of contract. This was tabled for further study.

Discussion was held concerning setting a charge for staking graves. Council decided not to make a charge for this service.

Motion by Smith, second by Lands, to set 1992 advalorem tax rate at \$0.36 per \$100.00 valuation. Vote Unanimous.

Motion by Lands, second by Dwyer, all present voting in favor of the motion Ordinance #247 was read and approved setting the 1992 ad-valorem tax rate.

The 1992-93 budget was reviewed by council. Some changes were made in the Street Department Account.

A Public hearing was held concerning the 1992-93 budget.

Motion by Smith, second by Bybee to approve the 1992-93 budget. Vote Unanimous.

Motion by Smith, second by Dwyer, to transfer funds from the Water, Sewer & Gas fund to the General Fund. Vote Unanimous.

Discussion was held concerning establishing a recycling program. Supt. Smith was instructed to check into the requirements for such a program.

Changing the Old Highway back to a two-way street was discussed. This would have to be done by the State of Texas.

No action was taken on use of the old hospital building.

Motion by Smith, second by Billingsley, to purchase Safety Belts for employees. Vote Unanimous.

Martha Parker, appeared before council to explain the

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C & H McLEAN Ruth Whaley was in McLean visiting on Monday. She moved to Pampa about six weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haley of McLean welcome a new boy.

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Sept. 28 - Buna Gudgel, Loyd Bybee, Jason Myers, Sarah Myers.

Sept. 29 - Cleo Turpen. Sept. 30 - Dianne Conner, Tony Acuna, Gwen Stewart, D. J. Basham.

CARD OF THANKS

On Saturday, January 19th, a group of Alanreed residents gathered, with their mowers, to mow and "spruce up" the cemetery. Our sincere appreciation goes to: Gee Wills, David Crockett, Orval Keese, James Tidwell, Joy Spears, and Corundo Medina for the time and efforts on this project and a special "Thank You" to Crockett Exxon for providing fuel for the Mowers.

Alanreed Cemetery

Visiting Coach and Mrs.

Jerry Miller over the weekend was their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Rickey Criswell and grandchildren from Guthrie.



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PIONEER STUDY CLUB

The Pioneer Study Club met September 17 in the Hospitality Room of the Lovett Memorial Library. A most interesting program on "Are We a Religious Country?" was presented by Wanda Lamb. She used articles from both national conventions and newspaper and magazine articles.

Refreshments of poppy seed pound cake, relishes, coffee and punch were served from a beautiful table using fall colors by Bonnie Nell Fabian.

Those attending were: Evelyn Stubblefield, Jo Ann Andrews, Charlie Marie Shurley, Bonnie Nell Fabian, Lynn Reeves, Jerry Corbin, June Stubblefield, Martha Parker, Wanda Lamb and Ruth Magee.

The next meeting will be October 1, 1992.

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Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC), hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas for optional Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone service, effective March 15, 1993, unless otherwise determined by the PUC.

These proposed rates will not increase or decrease the Company's overall revenues; the net effect will be neutral to the Company's annual revenues.

The Company proposes to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service for residential customers from \$1.00 to 68 cents, and also to reduce the Touch-tone rates for business customers from \$1.75 to \$1.70. In addition, the Touch-tone rates for business PBX trunks will be reduced from \$3.15 to \$2.18.

This proposal to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service does not change the commitment that the Company made in the Docket No. 8585 Stipulation to reduce

the rates for Touch-tone service in 1993.

The Custom Calling Services affected by the Company's application are optional telephone service arrangements that provide the following features: Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Three Way Calling, Speed Calling-8 and Speed Calling-30. Following are the feature combinations and their current and proposed rates.

	Residence		Business	
	Current	Proposed	Current	Proposed
One Feature per line	Rate	Rate	Rate	Rate
Call Waiting	60.10	e0.00	***	40 OF
Call Forwarding	\$2.10	\$2.85	\$2.65	\$3.25
3-Way Calling	2.10	2.10	2.65	3.50
Speed Call-8	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
Two Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding	3.75	4.25	4.75	6.00
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Waiting, Speed Calling-8	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling	3.70	3.50	4.80	5.00
Call Forwarding, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	5.00
3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	4.00
Three Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding				
and 3-Way Calling	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding	0.00	5.00	0.50	7.30
and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling		0.00	0.00	7.50
and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	6.25
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling		0.00	0.00	0.20
and Speed Calling-8	5.30	4.90	6.90	6.50
Four Features per line	0.00	4.00	0.50	0.30
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding,				
3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	6.90	700		
Speed Calling - 30 code capacity		7.05	9.00	9.00
opood dailing - 30 code capacity	3.20	3.20	4.25	3.20

Most of the Company's residence and business customers who subscribe to Custom Calling Features and Touch-tone service will be affected by the proposed rate restructuring.

It is expected that the restructuring of Custom Calling Features will result in a rate increase for approximately 2.9 million residence customers and 280,000 business customers. The reduction in rates for certain Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone Service will affect approximately 4.3 million residence customers and 1.7 million business customers.

This rate restructuring is expected to have a "revenue-neutral" effect on the Company's annual revenues. The proposed rate restructuring of Custom Calling Services will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$19.8 million; while the reduction in Touch-tone rates will decrease the Company's annual revenues by

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11382. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in this proceeding should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 30, 1992. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



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Pictured above, Quarterback Shandon Stalls fakes the ball to Sy Brown and hands off to Billy Rigsby for a short gain. McLean Ir. High traveled to Silverton last Thursday afternoon to face Silverton Junior High. McLean lost to the Owls 19-7. Sy Brown scored on the last play of the game on a 50 yard run as the game ended.





Left, Coach John Griffin huddles the team up and sets the next play. Right, Billy Rigsby is finally tackled on the five yard line after a 40 yard run off tackle. The Cubs were not able to score

SYATP **GREAT SUCCESS**

SYAYP (See You At The Pole) was a great success. There were about 42 youth that met at the flag pole in the front of the High School Wednesday, September 16th at 7:30 a.m. This is a statewide Prayer Service for students only, to turn their campus over to God. If you did not get up early and participate you missed a very special blessing. This was a citywide effort.

Adult representatives from all the churches met at the flag pole across from the bank for prayer for our youth in McLean. Attending were Dean

and about 16 teachers, ' parents, grandparents and others there to help support our youth. Muffins and juice were provided by the churches and served at the Assembly of God Church parking lot.

ALANREED NEWS

Visiting friends here last week was Betty and Ramona Finley of Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wetsel of Lubbock were here visiting last week.

Shawn Bruce of Pampa visited his grandparents the Robert Bruces over the weekend and attended First

Williamson, Don Whettsall, THE GROOM NEWS-Page 9 Q.D. Bevill, Pat Andrews Thursday, September 24, 1992 Baptist Church.

Nell Kesse and Lena Carter visited in McLean Friday with Virginia Dalton.

The R. D. McLains were in Amarillo last week for medical attention for R.D.

The Olin Weldon's were in Amarillo the first of the week for dental and medical attention for Olin.

There were several college students and former students at the pep-rally Friday and at the game Friday night. Heidi Syfrett, McMurry College; Holly Hauck from Oklahoma; and Tanner Hess, Clarendon College were a few.



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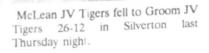
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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the flowers, cards, visits, prayers, all the delicious food, and all the acts of kindness and love that has been given to us during my surgery and recuperation.

May God bless all of you. Oleta and Willie Harris

THANK YOU CARD

I want to thank everyone for their kindness during my recent surgery. Also for the many phone calls, visits, flowers, cards, and food. God bless you all. Special thanks to Brother Dean Williamson and Susan, couldn't make it through without you two, and all the people from First Assembly of God Church.

Ruben and Connie Flores Leigh Anne and Chris

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McLEAN CHAPTER FFA OFFICERS ELECTED

Will Shaw, a junior at McLean High School, has been reelected president of the McLean Chapter Future Farmers of America. Will ia an outstanding agricultural student.

Will was elected at the chapter's monthly meeting held on September 15 in the agricultural building.

Other officers elected for the school year include Tom Pennington, vice president; Jeremy Crutcher, secretary; Eddie Willis, treasurer; David Carr, reporter; and Will's brother, Lee Shaw, sentinel. The new officers will take office and begin their duties immediately.

Mr. Bill Layman, agricultural occupations instructor, is advisor of the McLean FFA Chapter.

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Pioneer Study Club's proposal for beautifying the downtown area. agreed to work with the

Raising the garbage rates

Motion by Lands, second by Billingsley, to pay the

Motion by Smith, second Dwyer to adjourn meeting at 9:00 p.m. Vote

7:30 p.m.

VISITORS WELCOME

Club as much as possible.

Mrs. Parker, also announced that the Lovett Library now has a fax machine and asked what the council would suggest she

charge for the use of the fax machine. It was suggested Mrs. Parker check out the cost and set use charge accordingly.

The dog problems are being worked out.

was tabled.

current bills. Unanimous.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has asked the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) for approval to offer new optional call management services called Caller Identification Service (Caller ID) and Anonymous Call Rejection (ACR).

Caller ID is a new optional phone service which allows subscribers to see the phone number and/or name of most local calls before they answer the phone. Caller ID also allows the recording of the date, time, name and/or phone number of calls. Currently, Caller ID would work only on most local calls, not long distance calls. It would also require that a separate display unit be connected to the tele phone. These units that attach to the telephone will be available from various retail vendors, including Southwestern Bell, at a cost starting

at approximately \$50.

Southwestern Bell is also proposing that all customers be able to "block," or stop their name/number from being transmitted and displayed on a Caller ID device, free of charge. You would have this option of "blocking" your name/number on each call free of charge. There would be no need to subscribe to this service. All customers would have this capability when Caller ID is introduced in their area.

If you want to block your name or number, you need only press *67 on your touch-tone pad (or dial 1167 from a rotary phone) before dialing the telephone number. The person you're calling would see displayed a message such as "private" or "anonymous" on their er ID display unit.

Southwestern Bell also proposes that qualified domestic violence and law enforcement groups have the option of free per-line blocking, or free per-call blocking

Anonymous Call Rejection (ACR or "block the blocker") allows subscribers to automatically reject all calls that have been marked anonymous, or "blocked" by the person calling. It is not necessary to subscribe to Caller ID Name/Number to subscribe to ACR. With ACR, your telephone will not ring if the person calling you has "blocked" his/her name or number. The person calling whose identification is blocked will receive a message to hang up and call back with caller identification unblocked. Following are the proposed monthly rates for Caller ID and ACR.

Proposed Rates (monthly) Residence **Business** \$ 8.50 Calling Number only Calling Name only \$ 8.50 \$8.00 \$12.00 Calling Name & Number \$3/\$1** Anonymous Call Rejection \$3/\$1*

* These rates are in addition to the initial installation charges and monthly basic service rate. For residence customers, installation charges are \$2.70 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$5.40. For business customers, the charges are \$5.40 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$10.75.

* Anonymous Call Rejection is \$3 per month if purchased without Caller ID and is \$1 per month when purchased with Caller ID Name or

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11362, and a hearing on the merits has been scheduled for November 16, 1992. The PUC has jurisdiction to consider this matter pursuant to Sections 16, 18, 37 and 38 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA). This application was filed pursuant to the provisions of the PUC's Substantive Rule 23.24. Among the issues that will be adproceeding is the legality of the Caller ID device and service under Texas wiretap laws.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 26, 1992. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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