

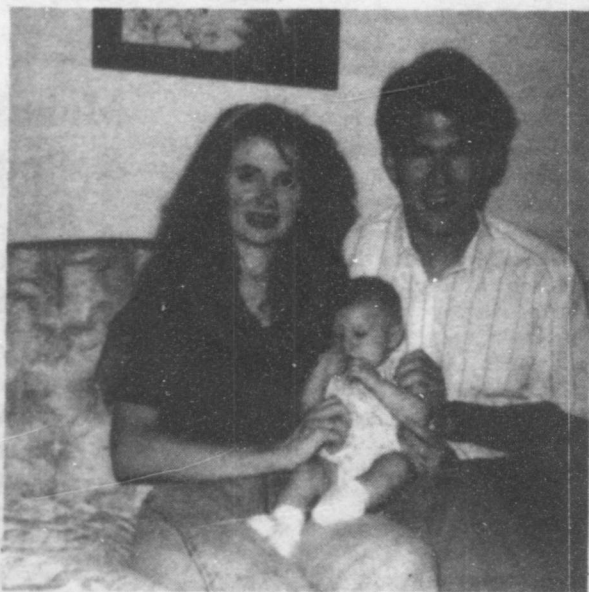
The McLean News

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McLean Welcomes Pastor To The First Methodist Church

There is a new pastor at the First Methodist Church. His name is Don Whetsell. He moved here from Oklahoma. He previously served at First Christian Church of Apache, Ok. (Independent Christian). But he has been a Methodist most of his life and is glad to return to his roots. He graduated from Pawhuska High in 1985 and attended Cameron University for two years and will be continuing his education here in Texas. He worked in radio and advertising before finally responding to God's call to the ministry. His wife of six years is Tammy, who is exploring a call to be a Christian counselor. They have one child, Courtni Elizabeth, 3 months old.

Don is the only son of Rev. Richard and Karolann Whetsell of Enid, Oklahoma. He has a sister Nancy, 19, who attends



OSU. Don, Tammy and Courtni are proud to be a part of the UMC and the McLean community. Don is pleased to find that McLean has an active Ministerial Alliance Association and that all the pastors and churches are

able and willing to work together to build the Kingdom and help the community.

His latest challenge is to find a way to say in McLean for the next 10 years, at least.

Superintendent Announces "Offer vs Serve" Lunchroom Policy for 92-93

by Stanley Lamb

Summer is passing quickly. Believe it or not, school resumes in one more month. Generally, by the time the first day of school rolls around, everyone is ready for it; parents and students.

If you missed the last 1992-93 school calendar that was published by the paper, there is another copy in this week's edition.

Several people have been working very hard this summer to improve the condition of our schools. I'm sure that you have noticed that the lawns, including the two football fields, look very good. Inside, the auditorium has new lighting and new paint. All of the classrooms at the high school have been repainted - with complementing, contrasting trim. I'm sure that it will be a welcome sight to the students.

We regret to inform you however, that our lunch prices had to be increased. Our lunch program continues to operate in the "red." Each year our losses amount to many thousands of dollars. We are trying to reduce these losses. We have reduced the cooking

staff by one and increased the cost of all lunches by 50¢ each. Therefore the cost of lunches for the school year 1992-93 will be as follows: Lunches for K-5 - \$1.50; Lunches 6-12 - \$1.75; Lunches for Staff - \$2.00.

One other item that will change in the cafeteria this school year is the way food is served. In the past, every student had to take what was prepared whether they wanted it or not. Beginning this school year, the program will change to "Offer vs. Serve." In other words, students will have an opportunity to have some choice as to what will be placed on their lunch tray. That should help improve the efficiency of our cafeteria, plus make the students happier.

There will be some new teachers on staff this year. We will run a "Beginning of School" article later in the summer. New staff members names will be published at that time.

If you have any comments or questions concerning your school, please feel free to contact some member of the school staff. The school number is 779-2301.

McLEAN ISD
SCHOOL CALENDAR

Aug. 17-Teacher Work Day
Aug. 18-1st Day of School
Sept. 4-Early Dismissal 1:30
Sept. 7-Labor Day
Nov. 25-Early Dismissal
Nov. 26-27-Thanksgiving
Dec. 18-Early Dismissal
Dec. 19-Teacher Work Day
Dec. 21-Jan.3-Christmas Holiday
Jan. 4-Classes resume
Feb. 12-Early Dismissal
Feb. 15-President's Day
Mar. 5-Early Dismissal
Mar. 8-12-Spring Break
Mar. 8-Snow Day
Apr. 8-Early Dismissal
Apr. 9-13-Easter Recess
Apr. 13-Snow Day
May 25-Commencement
May 26-Last Day of School
May 27-Work Day

Ground Breaking Ceremonies Set

Community leaders will join hospital officials in a ground breaking ceremony July 16 at 3 p.m. for a new medical office building. Designated Coronado Medical Building North, the 30,000 sq.ft., two-story structure is scheduled for

See Hospital pg. 9

Museum Draws T.V. Crews

The Devil's Rope Museum has again had a wonderful week of visitors from all over the United States as well as visitors and a documentary T.V. crew from Germany. The T.V. crew made pictures at the museum, pictures of the mural on the side of the McAnear building, and our restored 66 station. They were very impressed with the many sights we had to offer. They were more than surprised to learn we had another family from Germany on the very same day they were here.

We were also told there were customers at the Route 66 Antique Store on main street because they

saw the sign displayed on the Ted Koppel show. They were from Jacksboro and said they did not know until then that there was anything in McLean. They were on their way to Amarillo so they came by just to stop here.

June was another busy and interesting month for the Devil's Rope Museum. We had a total of 635 visitors from 31 different states and 6 foreign countries, including Germany, Canada, Holland, Italy, France, and Japan.

During the annual 66 Roundup on Saturday, June 13, the museum was packed all day. The crowd was entertained after the parade

by the "Gouge-Eye Philharmonic Orchestra."

On June 2, two different parties from Germany happened to be in the museum at the same time. They had a long visit getting acquainted with each other.

On June 24, we had a tour bus from the Washington-Oregon area. They inquired of a good place down the Old 66 to eat. We recommended Ruby Denton's in Groom. Ruby told us the next day that she really enjoyed the group.

The group of 5 young men from Japan enjoyed their visit, spent some money on souvenirs and took many pictures inside and outside.

"Texas" Cast Member With Roots



Stephanie Dawn Adams is a member of the hospitality staff for the 27th season production of the musical drama "TEXAS" that will play nightly except Sundays through August 22 in Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo.

Stephanie, a graduate of Wheeler High School and currently a freshman theatre major at West Texas State University, is the daughter of Jimmy and Marie Adams of Wheeler, and the granddaughter of Myrtle Holloway, Box 485 in McLean and the niece of Tony and Debbie Acuno of Box 347.

Stephanie has been involved in many of the theatre productions at WTSU. She enjoys working

with the "handicapable" and plans to eventually open a theatre for these special children.

A cast of 80 performers tells the story of progress and settlement and settlement in the Panhandle of TEXAS.

Like the land itself, "TEXAS" is filled with action and adventure. Two horsemen, bearing American and Texas flags, appear on the canyon's rim as the play opens. A plaintive call of a bugle. The colorful backdrop is an extension of the stage as cowboys ride the range and Indians leap from rocks.

The story evolves as farmers and ranchers quarrel over land rights and the coming of the railroad.

Farmer Calvin Armstrong preaches the gospel of progress to the dismay of Col. Henry, one of the area's prominent ranchers. Eventually, though, rivalries give way to cooperation as energies are pooled to tame the land, organize towns and establish schools.

The men and women in "TEXAS" battle nature, as well as each other. Drought is a harsh reality, and the See Texas pg. 9



ON JULY 28TH at 6:00 p.m. the Assembly of God ladies will be hosting a "Joy Fellowship" salad supper at the fellowship hall. Katy Graham will be speaking. All ladies are invited to attend.

LION'S CLUB will meet July 20th at 6:30 p.m. with installation of officers.

THE SKILLET-Watkins Reunion will be held July 18 at the McLean Senior Citizen Building at 9:00 a.m. Come and bring a covered dish. You may contact Gene Greer at 779-2232 for more information.

NEW HOURS for the Devil's Rope Museum are: Tuesday-Saturday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, Sunday 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

**McLEAN BIRTHDAYS
ANNIVERSARIES**

July 17 - Jeanette Fish,
Nikki Backmon.

July 18 - Jim Bible,
Shandon Stalls, Betty
McCurley, Dorinda Haynes.

July 19 - Lee Erin
Stubbs, Johnny Day, Jr.

July 20 - Vernon Turner,
Gladys Smith, Mrs. W.A.
Davis.

July 21 - Thelma
Holman.

July 22 - Bill Holmes,
Clyde Holman, Eula
Godfrey.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Tony Smitherman over the
weekend were Duane and
Karen Kennedy from
Oklahoma City. On
Saturday Rue Bradley,
Tony's sister from Amarillo
visited.

Gary Grimble from Fort
Wayne, Ind. visited his
grandmother, Corinne
Trimble last week.

Visiting Mary Lou and
Dale Glass on Friday night
and Saturday was Rachel
and Sandi Kramer from
Skellytown. Sandie stayed
until Monday.

The McLean Masonic
Lodge met June 29, 1992
for the installation of
officers. There were 16
present.

THANK YOU CARD

I want to thank my many
dear friends for all the
cards, food, prayers and
charitable donations. For
all the kind words and love
that have helped me
through the days.

The family of Norman
Trimble
Corinne, Janice, Gary and
Lin

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you, every body
that helped to make my
birthday party joyous and
successful with your
presence, your cards and or
gifts, to celebrate what is to
be my eightieth, the tenth
of Sept.

Thanks to all my children
and other kin that
decorated the Assemblies of
God fellowship hall and
furnished the refreshments
with sandwiches, and to my
wife who preferred to
furnish the triple-heart cake
with all the decorations.

The celebration was early
because the Cooper reunion
was in progress at this time.

Archie Cooper

TIDBITS

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow
Barker and Mrs. D. Thorne
visited with Virginia Dalton
on Sunday.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Casey Wayne Carter has
been a patient at Coronado
Community Hospital in
Pampa.

Fred Patterson is
recovering after surgery in
Amarillo last week.

Waldean Cheatham was
dismissed from Coronado
Hospital on Thursday after
several days.

McLean briefs

Fred Cable returned
home on Wednesday after a
week visiting in Kansas and
Oklahoma.

Visiting Velma Kinard on
Monday and Tuesday was
June Conway, and Kathy
Witt of Odessa, Tx; Kelly
Cable and three daughters,
Leslie, Morgan and Jennifer
Cable from Vernon, Tx.

NEW ARRIVAL

Troy and Rhonda
Thornton of Lubbock are
proud to announce the
arrival of their son Dillon
Garret Thornton on July
7th at St. Mary's Hospital in
Lubbock.

Dillon weighed 7 lbs and
12 oz. and is 20" long. He
has a big sister, Shayna.

Proud grandparents are
David and Fern Woods of
McLean and Jerry and
Nadine Thornton of Groom.

Great-grandparents are
Esteleen Grimsley and June
and Mary Woods of
McLean.

**McLEAN CARE CENTER
NEWS**

Thelma Hopkins is in the
Parkview hospital in
Wheeler, we wish her a
speedy recovery.

The residents attended
Sunday school in the
morning, their volunteer
leaders were Mary Frazier,
Maebelle Nash, Jenny
Stubbs, Troy and Jerry
Corbin, Inez Trostle and
Ella Mae Massey who sang
and played the piano for
them. In the afternoon
members of the Baptist
church were here to
conduct services.

Residents playing bingo
Monday were Annie Eudey,
Lucille Cullison, Adelle
Walker, Bertha Smith, Ellen
Jordon, Dick and Mattie
Wheeler, Leon Burch, Mary
Sligar, Polly Burnett, Teresa
Richardson, Kittie Hessey,
Clyde Trusty, Eula Morrow
and Nora Moore. Our
volunteer helpers were
Jennifer Pennington, Loree
Barker and Sylvia
McClellan. Bananas were
furnished by the Lions club.

Residents playing
dominos Tuesday were Eula
Morrow, Dick Wheeler,
Leon Burch, Annie Eudey,
Adelle Walker, Teresa
Richardson and Imogene
King.

Wednesday afternoon
Bro. Q.D. Bevil, pastor of
the Baptist church was here
for a Sing-A-Long.

The residents held their
monthly resident council
meeting Thursday morning.
The meeting was conducted
by president Eula Morrow
and minutes taken by
Secretary Doris Reborn.
Residents attending were
Adelle Walker, Lula
Sheegog, Christine Shipley,
Leon Burch, Dick and
Mattie Wheeler, Lucille
Cullison, Teresa Richardson,
and Polly Burnett. In the
afternoon bingo was played
by Kittie Hessey, Mary
Sligar, Ellen Jordon, Teresa
Richardson, Adelle Walker,
Leon Burch, Dick and
Mattie Wheeler, Eula
Morrow and Lorena Bailey.

We would like to thank
Dan Beckley for furnishing
the Care Center with fresh
picked squash.

**Alanreed - McLean
Museum News**

The Alanreed-McLean
Area Museum is seriously
working on a display for the
old prisoner of war camp
located two miles east of
McLean. It was used for
German prisoners of war
from 1943-1946 and was the
only one for Germans in all
of this area. Many local
people worked there as well
as soldiers stationed there.
We have two large pictures
that the prisoners painted as
well as a doll house with
furnishings they made. We
know there must be
numerous items in the area.
Would you please share
them with us to make a
special display? Any little
picture, items or write-ups
will be appreciated. Just
bring them to the museum
or call 806-779-2731.

Alanreed News

The Robert Bruces and
Shawn spent the weekend in
Midland with daughter
Sandra and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil
Larue left Friday for their
home in Lovelady, after a
weeks visit here with Nora
Dragoo and others.

The R. L. Leeders had
daughter and family visiting
over the weekend.

The James Armbristers
carried a surprise birthday
dinner down to son Jerneys
last week.

Denna Tidwell and Kristi
and Nora Dragoo were in
Amarillo on Tuesday for
medical attention for Nora.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Jeffrey Drake Leroy
Abbott was born Friday,
July 10th at 12:15 p.m. at
Shamrock General Hospital
to Dana Abbott of McLean.

Jeffrey weighed 7 lbs and
2 oz and is 20 1/2" long.

Proud grandparents are
Mr. and Mrs. Worland
Robinson, McLean and
great-grandparents are D.C.
and Ina Warner, Amarillo
and Clifton Leroy and
Geanelle Robinson of
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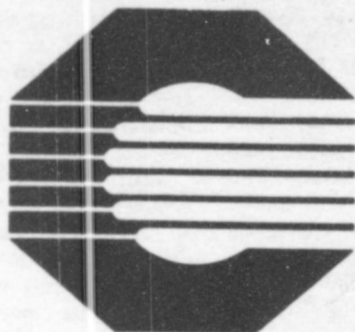
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**McLean,
Texas**

Hospital

completion March, 1993, according to Bruce W. Reinhardt, administrator.

State Rep. Warren Chisum, hospital board of trustees chairman Vic Raymond, and Economic Development Board chairman Bill Waters will speak briefly during the ceremonies. An artist's conception of the new building will be unveiled by chief of staff, Rene Grabato, MD.

Reinhardt said that the building is being developed at a cost of about \$3 million by Healthcare Properties Investors, Inc., with Coronado Hospital as the "master lease holder." The hospital has the option to purchase the building after four years.

Coronado Medical Building North will be attached to Coronado Hospital by an atrium to provide both patients and physicians easy access to the hospital's ancillary departments. The cement plaster material on metal stud construction will match the hospital's exterior.

Coronado Medical Building North will have office space for 10 to 12 physicians. Most of those offices will be filled by physicians which the hospital plans to recruit in the next 12 to 24 months.

OBITUARY

Murray T. Warner

Murray T. Warner, 68, father of a McLean resident, died Friday, July 10, 1992. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday in First Four Square Gospel Church with the Rev. David Barker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Ochiltree Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Warner, born in Sumner, Neb., had lived in Perryton for 40 years, moving from McLean. He married Christine Anderson in 1961 in Liberal, Kan. He was a field consultant for Alpar Resources for 15 years, retiring in 1989. He attended First Four Square Gospel Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Tom Warner of Renton, Wash., and Jeff Warner of Butte, Mont.; a daughter, Danelee Comer of McLean; a stepson, Wylan Newberry of Bradenton, Fla.; a stepdaughter, Carol Mae of Colorado Springs, Colo.; his mother, Frances Warner of Perryton; five brothers, James Warner of Kimball, Neb., Ben Warner of Gothenburg, Neb., Larry Warner of Lexington, Neb., Lewis Warner of Omaha, Neb., and Ray Warner of Alexandria, Egypt; two sisters, Ruth McCurry of Wesley Chapel, Fla., and Francis Budd of San Antonio; 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Public Notice

CITY OF McLEAN PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of McLean has been notified by the Texas Department of Health that the water being supplied by our system exceeds the following maximum constituent level for Nitrate specified by the Department "Drinking Water Act," Public Law 93-523 (U.S.). The limit is set at 10 milligrams of Nitrate (as nitrogen) per liter of water. The amount of Nitrate (as nitrogen) in the water to be 11.73 milligrams per liter.

Adults and children over the age of 6 months need not be concerned about drinking water from the tap. An excess of Nitrate intake by an infant under the age of 6 months may reduce its available oxygen supply and possibly produce "blue baby" symptoms. Parents are advised to find other sources of drinking water such as bottled water, for their infants under 6 months of age. All doctors and hospitals in the area have been notified of this situation. The city will offer to provide bottled water of acceptable quality to pregnant women and to infants under 6 months of age for cooking and drinking purposes.

Public Notice

PROCLAMATION

By Executive Order of the Honorable Sam Haynes, Mayor of the City of McLean it is proclaimed:

WHEREAS, July, 1992 marks the twenty-fourth anniversary of the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, which included Title VIII, the Fair Housing Law, for guaranteed equal housing opportunity for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, Fair housing is consistent with the principle of equality and justice for all, providing the challenge to combat discrimination, and to broaden the protection of the beliefs upon which our nation was founded; and

WHEREAS, This month provides an opportunity for all Americans to rededicate themselves to the principles of free choice and to reacquire themselves with the rights and responsibilities that are theirs under the Fair Housing Law.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sam Haynes, Mayor of the City of McLean, do hereby proclaim July 1992 as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH in the City of McLean, and urge my fellow citizens to join me in reaffirming the obligation and commitment to fair housing opportunities for all people.

Let all within the reach of this proclamation heed its directive.

By his Honor the Mayor of the City of McLean, Texas.

Signed Sam Haynes

Texas

terror of a raging prairie fire is depicted in a ballet that blazes across the stage in a haze of smoke.

The suddenness and awesome strength of thunderstorms on the plains can be almost as devastating as the dry spells. During a storm scene, thunder crashes and echoes through the canyon. As the music reaches its crescendo, a dazzling bolt of lightning snakes down the canyon wall and explodes a tree.

"TEXAS" has played to more than two million visitors since 1966. Audiences come from every state and more than 100 foreign countries each year to be entertained by the historical romance written by Pulitzer Prize winning author Paul Green. Colorful costumes, songs and striking choreography accent the production.

This year the show plays nightly except Sundays beginning at 8:30 p.m. through August 22 in Pioneer Amphitheater in Palo Duro Canyon State Park. Tickets are \$12, \$9 and \$6 for adults, and \$12, \$4.50 and \$3 for children under 12 years of age.

Reservations are encouraged. For more information about "TEXAS" call (806) 655-2181, or write Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Layman are proud to announce the arrival of Bradley Lynn Layman.

Bradley was born July 2nd at 6:52 p.m. at Woodward Health Care Center, Woodward, Oklahoma. He weighed 6 lb. 4 oz. and is 19" long.

He was welcomed home Sunday, July 12th by his two sisters, La Tisha and Lacey Bush.

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Thursday, July 9, 1992

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OR

KENNYTH EAKEN @ 779-2405

OR @ 779-2745

Notice of Public Meetings

The Texas Department of Transportation will conduct three public meetings in the month of July, 1992. The meetings will explain the way transportation projects are planned by the department, and are intended to serve as a means of gaining public input regarding the current Transportation Improvement Plan for the 17-county Amarillo district.

The public meetings will cover transportation plans for areas of the Panhandle outside the city of Amarillo. An overall view of the planning process will be presented, as well as the criteria used for selecting individual projects. Draft versions of current transportation plans will be presented at the meeting for public comment.

Three meetings have been scheduled (see below) in order to provide the public with the opportunity to attend a meeting in their area; each meeting will present the same material.

All interested citizens are invited to attend this public meeting. The public is invited to speak regarding

projects currently being planned or any additional projects which might be proposed; however, speakers will be limited to five minutes. Written comments will be accepted until August 10, 1992.

July 28, 1992 - 7:00 PM - Gene Howe Elementary School, 5108 Pico, Amarillo, Texas

July 29, 1992 - 7:00 PM - M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium, Heritage Room, 1000 North Sumner, Pampa, Texas

July 30, 1992 - 7:00 PM - Community Building, 16th and Maddox, Dumas, Texas

Local Happenings

Debbie Anthony, Becky Britten and Bryan Richardson accompanied Nicholas Anthony, Clay Ritter, Michelle Stephens and Doug Fields to Day Camp. The camp was held at PanFork Camp, near Wellington.

Charlotte Whatley attended "Wayland's Secretary Conference," held in Plainview on Thursday and Friday of this past week.

Ledbetter Selected For FFA Honor

Kay Koetting Ledbetter, daughter of Mary Ann Koetting, will be honored at the 64th annual state FFA convention.

Among 8 Amarillo people to be recognized, she will be presented the highest honor in FFA, the Honorary Lone Star Farmer Degree.

The former Groom resident graduated from Groom High School and received a degree in science in 1982 from West Texas State University. Although she was never a member of FFA, she has a great respect for the organization.

"FFA is a good program," she said. I like working with the kids and watching them grow up through their different events. They're well-mannered and articulate speakers."

Ledbetter said FFA members learn more than basic farming from the program.

"FFA is not just cows and plows, but all different aspects of agriculture, from research to technology. They learn more than just going back to the farm."

Members of FFA are training to be the leaders in area agriculture, Ledbetter said.

"These kids will be our

future leaders," she said.

Agriculture is what the Panhandle area was built on and lives on today, Ledbetter said. When these youth take over, however, it will be a different agriculture industry they are leading.

"In the future, it's not going to be so much production agriculture, but more value-added agriculture. By taking the products from the area and processing them here before they go to market, their value is increased to the area."

Ledbetter lives in Amarillo with her husband, Randy, and their children, Kaycee, 3, and Joshua, 4.

Local Happenings

Stanley Homer performed on the piano during the District 4-H Fashion Show held in Panhandle on Tuesday, July 7. Local participants were Brooke Britten and Sarah Looten.

The Adult Leaders served hamburgers to the participants and family. Helping were Adult 4-H Leaders and Sarah Looten, Brooke Britten, C.J. Whatley, Angela Looten and Charlotte Whatley of Groom.

Mildred Miller Returns From Austin

Mildred Miller recently returned from visiting in Austin with her daughter Wanita and Henry and children Jarred and Brett. Her daughter and family returned with her for a short visit. Dara Whatley accompanied the group to Wonderland Park this past Tuesday. Margaret and Curtis Whatley traveled with the group to see "Texas" on Monday evening.

Breast Cancer Detection Unit Available Locally

Breast Cancer cannot be prevented, but early detection can save many lives. Breast Cancer will strike one in nine American women. The American Cancer Society predicts that about 44,000 women will die of breast cancer this year. Experts estimate that if every woman had regular mammograms according to guidelines established by the American Cancer Society, nearly a third of the women who die of breast cancer would survive. The guidelines are: A) Begin Mammography by age 40. B) Age 40-49 Mammogram every 1-2 years. C) Over age 50 annual mammogram. D) Monthly breast self-examination. E) Regular breast exams by a physician.

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Local Happening

Michael and Jeremy Lewis participated in a 12 round 22 cal. match this past weekend. Michael came home with a second place and Jeremy a third. The match was sponsored by the Amarillo Pistol and Rifle Club.

mammographic examinations. The accreditation is done through evaluation of the facility's staff qualifications, (Technologist, Radiologist, and Physicist), equipment, quality control, quality assurance, image quality, and breast dose. Transamerican Diagnostic Services is also approved by the Texas Department of Health to accept self referred patients and is approved by medicare as a provider to the medicare mamography program.

Transamerican Diagnostic Services, recently has been contracted by the Texas Department of Health to be an official provider for low income women.

Transamerican Diagnostic Services will have a mobile breast cancer detection unit available to local women on Tuesday, July 28th. The unit will be parked at McLean Clinic, 402 N. Main Street, McLean, Tx. Appointments may be made by calling 779-2401. For more information you may call Transamerican Diagnostic Services, Inc. at (915) 561-8888.

We Saw

Brian Baker and Coach Lamb taking off Sunday in a shiny new pickup for the Six-Man All Star games in Wichita Falls this week. . .

Jason Prather watering his pigs in the rain Monday night along with Bart and Bronte Britten.



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Kate "Granny" Day
Kate "Granny" Day, 85, died Saturday, July 11, 1992, in McLean. Services were graveside at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Alanreed Cemetery with Rev. Buell Wells, retired minister of the First Baptist Church of McLean, officiating, under the direction of Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home in McLean.

She was born Kate Virginia Dudley March 30, 1907 in Stillwell, Okla. She married Buddy Day in 1941. He preceded her by death in 1973.
She was a housewife and a member of the First Baptist Church in Alanreed. She is survived by two daughters, Nan Lacher, Pampa and Marsha Davila, Amarillo; 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Public Notice

**COMBINED NOTICE
NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF
NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
ON THE ENVIRONMENT
AND
NOTICE OF INTENT
TO REQUEST RELEASE
OF FUNDS**

Date: July 16, 1992
Name of Contractor: City of McLean, P.O. Box 9, McLean, Texas 79057

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS, AND PERSONS:

On or about August 3, 1992, the above named entity will request the Community Development Block Grant Program to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, for the following project:

Project Title: Water System Improvements

Purpose: The purpose of the project is to provide the Citizens of McLean with a good source of drinking water.

Location: City of McLean, Texas

Enumeration District/Census Tract: Census Tract

Estimated Cost of Project: \$249,590

Finding of No Significant Impact

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment in the project area and accordingly the above named entity has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact

Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows:

The City of McLean's Water System Improvements project will be advantageous to the community residents and will greatly enhance the city's water system. The project is not an action which will significantly affect the quality of the environment.

An environmental assessment respecting the within project has been made by the above named entity which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such statement is not required. The environmental assessment is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request at the City Hall between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Public Comments on Finding

All interested agencies, groups, and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the entity to the office of the undersigned. Such written

comments should be received at the address specified on or before August 3, 1992. All such comments so received will be considered, and the entity will not request a release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

Release of Funds

The City of McLean will undertake the project described above with Community Development Program funds from the Department of Housing and Community Affairs under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. Sam Haynes as certifying officer of contractor approved by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs in his official capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the federal court if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessment's decision making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal affect of the certification is that upon its approval the City of McLean may use the Texas Community Development Program funds and Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will have set aside its responsibility under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and 24 CFR, Part 58.

Objections to State Release of Funds

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following basis: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the certifying officer or other officer of contractor approved by Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs; or (b) that contractor's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision finding or a step applicable to the project in the environmental

assessment. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure. (24 CFR, Part 58.75) and may be addressed to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, Finance Division, P.O. Box 13941, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-3941. Objections to the release of funds on a basis other than those stated above will not be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. No objection received after August 24, 1992, will be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

CERTIFYING OFFICER OF CONTRACTOR: Sam Haynes, Environmental Certifying Officer, P.O. Box 9, McLean, Texas 79057

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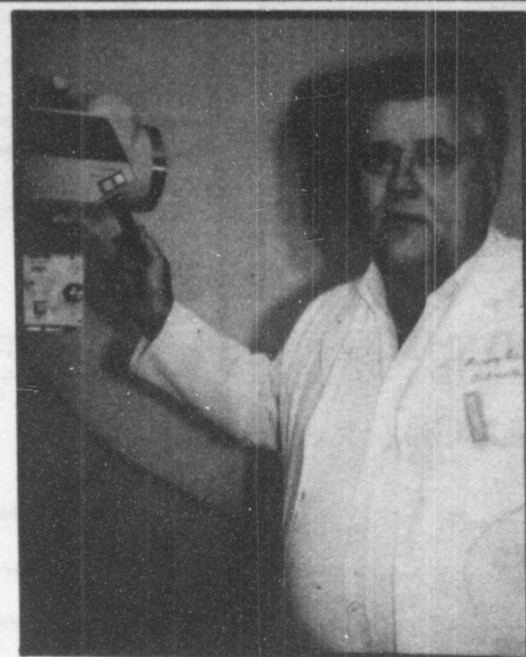
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We Saw "Leap Of Faith" Involves Hundreds-



Edith Wade dropping by the News Office buying extra papers, and explaining some facts on Groom trivia, and telling it was two years before she said yes to Gene after she came to Groom in the thirties.

Dan Ashford giving a helping hand to Groom's City Secretary by sweeping the front driveway of City Hall.

Joe Homer reporting .30 of rain Monday afternoon.

Janie Britten enjoying her early morning walk.

"Old Timer" Bobby Cornett, sitting on a park bench downtown giving someone a brief history lesson.

Sara and Mary Hutsell and Carrie and Krisanne Davis enjoying the company of a wayward pet.

Doris and Arnie Kuehler getting visited by their children over the weekend.

Joe Britten and Craig Baker giving Debra Winger the paparizzi treatment.

Lesla Sweatt and Leslie Sweatt trying to get Dad to let them ride the bus out to the movie set.

Buck Burk portraying a parking lot attendant for the movie people.

Kenneth and Betty Black enjoying an evening stroll.

The Britten Clan all at church Sunday.

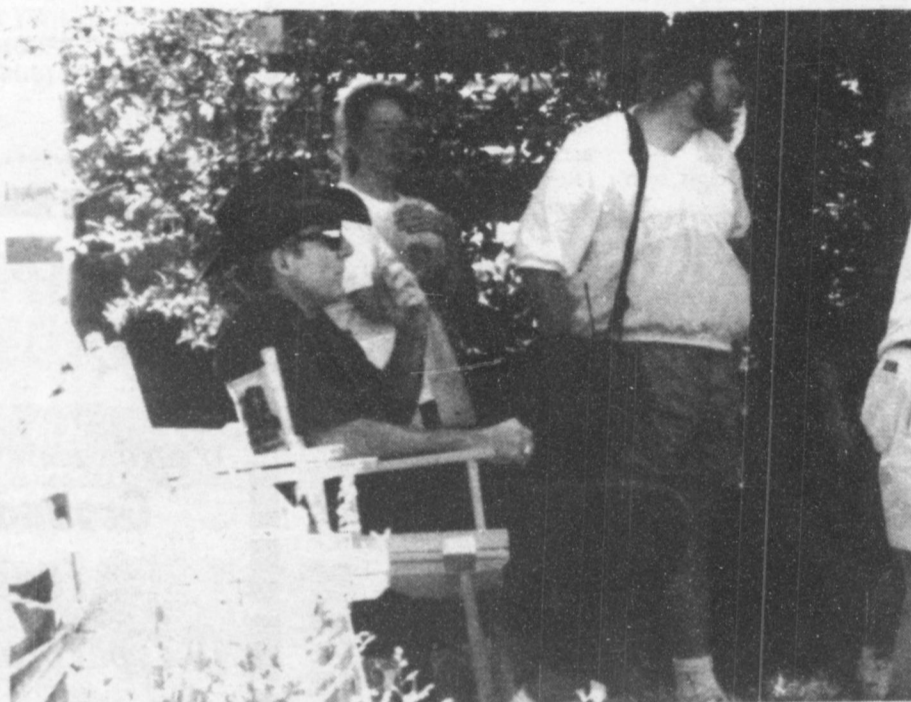
Bill Dorsey making a run to Groom Grocery to pick up a few items for lunch.

Forrest and Paul McLaughlin and Matt Miller running down to Greenbelt to test drive the boat.

Calendar

4-H RECORD BOOKS are due in Panhandle on July 16th.

WANTED - A few good men, uninhibited, for womanless wedding, Groom Day. Also need to borrow women's wigs. Call Terry O'Dell at 248-7487.



Preacher Jonas Nightengale, played by actor Steve Martin, sits as the next scene is prepared. This particular scene was shot last Tuesday at the old meat market next to the Post Office. The scene was a group of street kids playing basketball when Preacher Nightengale stops by to invite them to the revival meeting.



Actress Debra Winger discusses her part in "Leap of Faith" as she takes a rest between shooting of scenes. Their shooting was in the parking lot of the motel.



Carol Babcock on the left has been kept very busy in the movie waiting for her name to be called as she has been a stand in. Betty Black on the right, also an extra in the movie, waves as she prepares to drive her car in a scene of the movie.



Deed To Old Groom Hotel Presented To City Of Groom

The City of Groom has officially become the owner of the old Groom Hotel and Clinic Building. At their regular meeting last Tuesday night Helen Witt presented the deed to Mayor Jimmy Britten.

"Dr. Witt loved this town," said Mrs. Witt, "He thought there was no place on earth like Groom. He would have wanted the former clinic to benefit the town."

The U.S. 66 Hotel and Groom Clinic have loomed large in the history of Groom. Built in the 1920's, it was the pride of the town. Among the businesses it once housed were the hotel, beauty shop, barber shop,

post office, drug store, fire department and Southwestern Public Service office.

At one time the Church of Christ met in what later became Koetting Grocery, Blakeney Grocery, Cornett Grocery and finally part of Vivians. On at least one occasion a high school banquet was held there.

When Dr. Witt came to town in 1935 his office consisted of two rooms

where Johnny Homer later had his pharmacy. As his practice grew he added two more rooms and finally purchased the hotel building, converting the east part of it to a hospital when See Old Hotel, pg. 5



Mayor Jimmy Britten accepts the deed of the old Groom Hotel Building from Mrs. Helen Witt.

Community Calendar

ATTENTION: Baseball Coaches. Please turn in all equipment as soon as possible.

GROOM 4-H will meet Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Election of officers and Groom Day assignments.

GROOM DAY DIRECTORY
Booths under the tent - Kay Britten - 248-7252 or Karen Brown - 248-7210.
Parade - Marion and Bobby Pool - 248-7286.

Volleyball - Donald and Nila Burgin - 248-7916.

Quilt Show - Adela Kotara - 248-7585.

Class Reunions - Debbie Anthony - 248-7954.

Craft Booth - Sandra Britten - 248-7406 or 248-7226.

Tennis - Shirley Fields - 248-7435.

Mini Museum - Karen Brown - 248-7210.

MEMBERS OF THE two Groom Little League Baseball teams who would like to be in the movie call Kim Evenson 248-7016.

GROOM BOYS Basketball Camp at Groom High School Gym on July 27-31.

GROOM GIRLS Basketball Camp at Groom High School Gym on July 20-24.

GAME NIGHT will be at the Community Center on Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Remember Chowline on Tuesday and Friday.

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Bobbie, Jeanie, Clinton and Beth Wakefield recently returned from Dallas after vacationing at Six Flags and visiting with friends.

Several Groom students recently attended a yearbook workshop sponsored by Taylor Publishing. The group learned about page layout and how to print and develop pictures.

Attending were Editor Karen Babcock, Melinda Burgin, Aimee Lyles, Andrea Payton, Kenzi Burger, Darcee Lyles, Halee Kotara and Melanie Friemel. Judy Babcock, Nita Childress and Debbie Addy sponsored the outing.

Don't forget Game Night, Thursday night, July 16, 6:30 p.m. Everybody welcome. An enjoyable program is planned states Joy Snyder, game chairman.

RICHARDSON GIRLS WINS HONORS AT PONY SHOW

The Richardson family made a fine showing at the Top of Texas Kid Pony Show. Julie won a 1st in the goat undecorating with a time of 8.69, on Wednesday night.

On Tuesday evening Jacey placed 1st in the pole bending with a time of 21.474. She also placed 2nd in the girls barrel race with a time of 19.728.

Local Happenings

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

Ethel Blackwell and children want to say a special thank you for helping to share in a special and beautiful Happy 95th Birthday.

There isn't enough words to express our appreciation. Your phone calls, the beautiful cards and especially your attendance, will always be special to us.

Without family and friends there wouldn't be a reason for a special occasion.

May the Lord bless each of you.

Thank you once again.

Ethel Blackwell and Children

The Young Adult Class of First Baptist Church enjoyed an evening at Lake McClellan. Those attending enjoyed hamburgers, hot dogs and all the trimmings along with an assortment of sweet treats. Those in attendance were: Nancy and Randal Patterson, Marion, Bobby, Suzy and Caleb Pool, Debbie, Steve, Neal and Nicholas Anthony, Be, Brent, Michelle and Michael Stephens, Troy, Seth, Clay and Wade Ritter, Joanie Phelps and son, Bryan, Linda Lee and Garner Richardson. The group also enjoyed nature hikes and volleyball.

Ruby Milton had eye surgery last week.

Visiting Allie and Norris Hoyt at their home on Lake Greenbelt over the weekend was Eliska Been of Moore, Oklahoma and her friend, Dr. Patti Cleves, and her sons Phillip and Andrew.

CORRECTION

In announcing the birth of Jonathan Robert Schmitz, the wrong date was submitted. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schmitz, (Rose Ann Kuehler) was born on July 3.

GROOM BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

July 16 - Cassandra Dee Ashford, Bettye West, Kirk Webb, Michael Brett Friemel.

July 18 - Sybil Brown, J. Glen Smith, R.J. Kuehler, Mrs. Tom Reed.

July 19 - Nadyne Lee, Ellen Gray, Bonnie Peters.

July 20 - Trey Daniel Britten, Michael Lewis, Melanie Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Babcock (A), Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ashford (A).

July 21 - Erma Blackwell, Randy Sustaie, Agnes E. Homer, Harris Howard, Steven Hutsell.

July 22 - Kenneth Black, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bivens (A).

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Max Wade over the weekend in honor of their 60th Wedding Anniversary were Captain Wade Anglin of San Antonio, Quanna Anglin of Ft. Worth, Maxine Anglin of Ft. Worth, Dr. Twila Wade of Lufkin and Kayla Wade of Clovis.

Weekend visitors in the Glynn D Harrell home were: Beverly and Jim Ingram of Amarillo, Louise and Bob Mulkey of Panhandle, Melissa White of Dallas and Matthew Mulkey of Lubbock.



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Sheriff's Report...

The Sheriff's Department investigated a number of calls of grass fires in the medians and along the roadside of Hwy 60 and I-40. A majority of the fires appeared to have been started by burning cigarettes

thrown from passing vehicles.

Deputies investigated a case of criminal mischief in White Deer which involved a vehicle running over grave markers. There were several reports of cattle on

the highways handled by the officers.

Deputies assisted Gray County Sheriff's Department and Highway Patrol officers with a two-vehicle head-on collision just east of the Carson County line.

Rescue workers had to use the Jaws of Life to extricate one person from a vehicle.

Officers from Carson and Gray Counties along with the Panhandle Police and Texas Highway Patrol and Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission responded to a report of a vehicle attempting to run a motorcycle and other vehicles off the road between Pampa and White Deer. Officers stopped the vehicles just west of White Deer and found it to be a domestic dispute between a husband and wife from Amarillo. The husband did not want to press charges, but did ask officers to give him a head start before releasing his wife.

Deputies found doors to buildings in White Deer and Panhandle unsecured and advised persons responsible for the buildings of the situation. Reports of prowlers were investigated in Fritch and the Webb-Bragg Addition and various suspicious persons and vehicles were checked by deputies.

Deputies are currently investigating an attempted burglary at a commercial establishment in White Deer. Sheriff's Department officers are also investigating a situation involving suspicious vehicles near Pantex. Numerous motorists were assisted with problems ranging from disabled vehicles to health problems.

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On July 6, 1992 at 6:31 PM a Carson County deputy and Texas Highway Patrol Trooper were dispatched to U.S. 60 just east of the Pantex turn off on a report that a young child had fallen out of a vehicle.

On arrival officers found 5 year old Allison Brown of Herndon, Virginia on the highway next to a motor home. The child had

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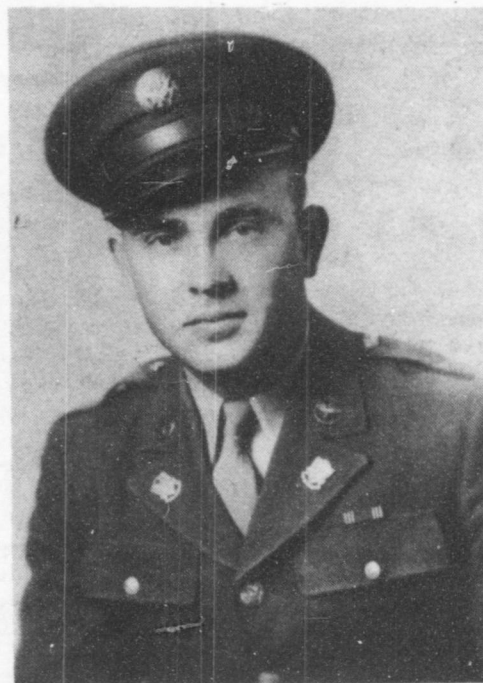
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Groom Basketball Clinics



WHEN: July 27-31, Monday through Friday
Fundamentals Clinic - 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Team Clinic - 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

WHERE: GROOM HIGH SCHOOL GYM

SIGN UP: Registration for the fundamentals clinic will be from 8:00 to 8:45 on Monday July 27. Registration for the team clinic will be from 12:30 to 1:00 pm on Monday July 27.

COST: Cost for either clinic is \$25.00.

QUALIFICATIONS: Boys who will be in the 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades are invited to attend the fundamentals clinic.

Boys who will be in grades 6th thru 9th are invited to attend the team clinic.

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- * Contests - Awards - Certificates
- * Camp T-Shirt
- * Personal Camp Basketball

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COACHES: The clinic will be conducted by the Groom High School Coaching staff and several guest coaches. If you have any questions concerning the clinic, Please contact Coach Lamb at the school or at home. Phone at School 248-7971 Phone at Home 248-7342

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Robbie Kuehler, Chris Dolce United In Marriage

Robbie Kuehler became the bride of Chris Dolce on Saturday, June 6 in a double ring ceremony at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Groom. Father Richard Neyer celebrated the Nuptial Mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuehler of Groom. Parents

of the groom are Dauneen Dolce, Albuquerque and Sanders Dolce, Albuquerque, NM.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a formal length gown of candlelight taffeta which extended into a chapel length train. Her princess style bodice was

adorned with lace and pearl motifs. The softly scooped neckline outlined with lace and pearls along with the short puffed sleeves enhanced the ensemble. She wore a triple tiered veil of ivory illusion which swept the length of the train. Irene Lewis, aunt of the bride, created the entire

ensemble.

The bride's bouquet was a cascade of ivory silk roses and greenery with accents of pink. The bride carried out the bridal tradition of something old - her mother's First Communion Rosary; something new - the groom's gift of pearl earrings; she borrowed a friend's pearl choker; and she wore a blue garter.

Wendy Jarman, Augusta, South Carolina, was maid of honor. Other bridal attendants included: Loretta Kuehler, Canyon, sister of the bride; Laura Dornack, Corpus Christi; Sarah Labash, Farmington, N.M.; Dian Mastin and Maureen O'Connor both of Portales, N.M. They wore identical tea length dresses of floral polished cotton and carried nosegay bouquets of pastel silk flowers.

The groom was attired in a formal black tuxedo. His brother, Rob Dolce, Woodland Park, Colorado, served as best man. Also attending the groom were Mike and Tim Dolce,



The basketball court made at the old meat market was very busy with movie people, lights, and cameras as a scene was shot for "Leap of Faith". The words "Jesus Loves You" was painted on the side of the building, then parts marked out to give a worn look.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CARSON COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The Carson County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1993 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on July 28, 1992, 9:00 a.m., at 102 Main Street, Panhandle, Texas 79068.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$225,000.
(List major budget categories and amounts.)

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$18,130 or approximately 8%.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be: 4 (full-time equivalent)

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is: 4 (full-time equivalent)

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district. A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies.

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brothers of the groom, Albuquerque, Ron Kuehler, brother of the bride, Canyon; Brian Burbaxani, Hollywood City, California, and Ric Crouch, Shreveport, Louisiana. Nick Kuehler, brother of the bride, ushered guests. The attendants and usher were dressed in matching grey Docker trousers and dark grey jackets. They wore pastel rose boutonnières.

Dorothy Kuehler, College Station, sister of the bride, Mary Alice Brorman, and Sarah Stockman, nieces of the bride, registered guests. The church was decorated with ivory bows in swags and greenery. Pink and mauve columbine adorned the altar and around the unity candle. White bows and greenery marked the pews. Altar servers included Josh and Jacob Stockman, Pampa nephews of the bride, and Brad Sustaire, Groom.

Instrumental music was provided by Laura Dornack, flutist accompanied by Leslie Crowell before the ceremony. Beth Kuehler, San Antonio, sister of the bride, Steve Hutsell, Groom, and Karen Braswell, Albuquerque sang wedding selections. Rachel and Sarah Stockman, Pampa; and Mary Alice and Scott Brorman, Vega, nieces and nephew of the bride

presented the offeratory gifts.

A reception and dance followed the ceremony in the American Legion Hall in Groom. Belinda Detten, Panhandle, cousin of the

bride, Martha Brorman, Vega, sister of the bride, Angie Goss, Amarillo and Jerri Ann Bach, Portales, served at the reception.

The bride is a Groom High School graduate, a 1991 Eastern New Mexico University graduate with a bachelor degree in Mathematics. She is presently employed by the Moriarity I.S.D.

The groom holds a bachelor degree in business administration from Eastern New Mexico. He is currently employed with a national restaurant chain in Albuquerque.

The couple will make their home in Moriarity, New Mexico.

Pre-nuptial courtesy extended the couple was a bridal shower at the Community Center in Groom on May 31 hosted by, Doris Homer, Judy Babcock, Doris Britten, Anna Marie Wink, Helen Witt, Loretta Britten, Joyce Hutsell, Holly Burger, Connie Fields, Doris Kuehler, Barbara Homer, Marjie Smith, Lucille Britten, and Adella Kotara.

LOOTEN WINS 1ST

Sarah Looten of Groom recently won a 1st place in the 4-H District Contest, Buying Category. She is the daughter of Carl and Angela Looten. The style show "Tumbling Into Texas Style" was held at Panhandle Junior High School.

Stanley Homer, also a Groom 4-H member, was the accompanist for the show. He is the son of Joe and Barbara Homer.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Kelly and Amy Reed of Fort Campbell, Ky. announce the arrival of their son, Jordan Buck born on July 6, and weighing 9 lbs and 2 oz.

Also welcoming him are grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Connie Reed of Panhandle, and Mr. and Mrs. Joel McPherson of Amarillo. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson of Herrin, Il. and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Thaxton of Amarillo.

City OK's Sidewalk & Curbing

The Groom City Council met in regular session last week. All members were present excluding Greg Lamb who was absent.

The main item on the agenda was the presentation of the deed to the old Hotel building by Helen Witt. She stated that she hoped the city would find a way to use it to benefit the entire community. Two renters occupy the building at the current time. Council members gave no indication as to what, if any, plans they have for the building. Mayor Britten was designated to contact Brumley Insurance about coverage.

Another big item on the agenda was the issue of repairing and replacing the sidewalk in front of the community center. Two bids were presented; one from Wood Concrete at approximately \$7,360.00 and one from Koetting Construction at approximately \$6,990.00. The board accepted the low bid for the 385 feet of curbing and front sidewalk.

The council also agreed to see about the curbing of 99 Broadway after the firm who accepted the job had failed to begin.

In other business the City Council reaffirmed its decision to consider case by case the complaint of sheltering of domestic animals within the city limits.

\$500.00 was set aside for the Groom Day fireworks display.

All members approved the paying of bills and the meeting adjourned.

Old Hotel

he was joined by Dr. John London. At that time the garage area had housed the fire trucks.

Later Dr. Robert Clayton, Dr. David Levy, Dr. Richard Hall and Dr. Steve Davis joined the staff. When the new hospital was built in the 1960's, the old hospital was converted to a clinic and the second story was removed from the building.

Other businesses housed in the building were Johnny's Pharmacy, Vivian's, (the only business still operating), Patterson's Cafe, a lawyers office, and McLean Pharmacy.

The City of Groom has no firm plans as to what will be done with the building.

HAPPENINGS

Darrell, C.J. and Dara Whatley took part in the Pampa Parade this past Saturday. The trio rode the Hoescht Celenece Float.

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How Will We Keep 'Em Down On The Farm After They Had A Taste Of Hollywood

A commentary by Donna Burton. I think every person, whether they will admit it or not, has had a deep hidden fantasy about being a big movie star.

certainly not a mecca for the famous but our recent invasion of Hollywood has gone to some peoples heads. I went in to pay my water bill last week and ask City Secretary Pat Ashford

to sign a receipt that I had paid. "I'm sorry, I don't give autographs," she said. Patty McLaughlin told me that if husband Forrest said one more time "Let's do lunch!" she was going to

flog him with the make up lights he just installed in the bathroom. Susan and Lonnie Brown are considering a new sidewalk in front of their house.

shoulder, she said huskily, "Cioa."

I only hope and pray they don't call Father Neyer to be in the movie. I don't think I could stand it if he stood in the pulpit and said "Who loves ya, Baby!"

(Editors Note: This is entirely and completely made up! These people didn't do any of this silly stuff but . . . they could have!)

"It will be a sort of . . . walk of fame thing . . ." she said, "Those of us who starred in the film will place the print of our hand in the wet cement." (I always thought film was what you put in you kodak!?)

Dan Ashford has also been bit by Hollowood flu. Daughter Mary Sue Lyles called to invite him over for Sunday dinner. . . "You will have to contact my agent," he stated. "I don't usually do personal appearances."

Betty Black, however, takes the cake! I saw her walk into the Groom Grocery the other day with a huge hat and mirrored sunglasses on. She completely ignored the stares and open mouths and quickly paid for her groceries. Sybil Brown said to her, "Thanks, come agin."

With a toss of her head and a quick glance over her

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEKS TRIVIA

QUESTIONS

1. Pyburn Building or old Wade Building on Highway 66 from City Hall.
2. Kenneth Black and Grady Stapp.
3. Methodist Church.
4. .85 cents.
5. Oklahoma and The Curse of Frankenstein.
6. \$53.40 or \$1.25 per week.
7. 9 cents a gallon. LaVeda Stiles was the Mystery Person last week.

GROOM TRIVIA 1951

1. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson announced the opening of this. 2,000 homes were to be sought in Amarillo and outlying towns.
2. In 1951 this Groom boy won a silver 4-H medal for Farm and Home Safety. Who was he?
3. Boy Scout Troop 11 was 37 years old in 1951. Who were the leaders of that very first troop?
4. What was the price of a minimum classified ad in 1951?
5. The county is astir over a wildcat oil well being drilled. Where was it and who were the owners?
6. Southwestern Bell announced that these new modern conveniences would soon be installed. What were they?
7. What was the phone number for Goodlett's Texaco Service? The City Grocery? Farmers Supply?



MYSTERY PERSON



Evelyn Hubbard presents Aaron and Alyssa Watson certificates for reading ten books this summer.

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