The Groom Rews

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Adopted Appraisal District, County Budgets Reviewed

County and Carson County Appraisal District recently met and adopted budgets for 1998. The following is a brief outline of estimated expenditures. Keep in mind that a budget is an educated guess at what each entity plans to spend. It does not have unforeseen expenses that come up. When these things happen, readers will see where the governing boards will amend the budget in their monthly minutes.

The Carson County Appraisal District adopted budget of \$241,365 for 1998. Included in the budget are \$125,515 in salaries, car allowance, insurance and other benefits. Other expenses such as building maintenance, legal services, collection costs, and utilities make up the bulk of the rest. The only other large expenses are \$31,100 for valuation engineers and 24,090 for Data Processing.

The County Budget is very complex. There are many different categories. Below is a brief summary of what is in each one including the salary of elected officials.

Under the General Fund heading:

COMMISSIONERS
COURT -Budgeted
\$101,775.00 includes
monies for tax appraisal
district, Conference &
Education, Museum
attendant salary, Health
Insurance, plus Judge's
car allowance of \$4,800.,
other benefit costs,
advertising, and other
miscellaneous expenses.

COUNTY AUDITOR -Budgeted 44,510.00

includes county auditor salary of \$29,848. plus \$200 mileage, computer related costs, office supplies plus health and retirement benefits, phone and postage.

R E C O R D S
PRESERVATION budgeted \$16,000.00
includes only those
expenses involved in
preserving records.

GENERAL ELECTIONS-Budgeted \$7,526, includes salaries for judges and clerks, ballot printing, and supplies.

JUDICIAL AND LAW -Budgeted \$262,250, including a salary of \$21,539 for Justice of the Peace #1; \$21,539 for Justice of the Peace #2; and \$17,653 for Justice of the Peace #4. Also includes court costs paid to state, salaries for part time help for JP's #1 & #2, health and retirement benefits, office expenses and other related expenses.

EXTENSION SERVICE Budgeted \$70,116.00
includes salaries for
extension agent \$9,828,
home economist \$9,828,
clerk and part-time help,
employee benefits, car
allowances, computer
expenses, pick up
maintenance and stock
show expense.

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS Budgeted \$287,510 includes salaries and benefits for 2 custodians, utilities and repairs on the Courthouse, War Memorial Building, Museum, Agriculture Building, the Groom Justice of the Peace office and Groom DPS Libraries, office, including the construction of a new library in White Deer; Social Services witch include indigent care and legal expenses, autopsies, and See Budgets, pg. 3



Groom fans gather to watch the first Junior High football game held on our home field. From the looks of things these fans will have a lot of thrills over the next few years as these boys seem to make things happen!

Stop N Shop Convenience Store Now Under New Management

Stop N Shop, one of Groom's leading businesses is now under new management. Jan and Hop Britten have taken over the stewardship of the convenience store effective October 1st.

"It will be business as usual," according to Jan Britten. "We are not planning any kind of major changes, in fact you will see the same employees as have worked so loyally for Mr. Homer."

Bill and Norma Jean began the business 21 years ago. The Homers' are certainly not retiring with other business interests to keep their days very full.

The Britten's stated that they are very proud to be expanding.

"We have faith that Groom will grow and prosper in the coming years. We are just extremely happy to be a part of it."

COMMUNITY NEWSLINE...

4-H MEETING on Monday at 7:00 at the Community Center.

THE AFTER-Graduation Party Committee will meet on Monday, Oct. 6, at 5:30 p.m. at the Dairy Queen. THE BAND will compete in the District Marching Contest at Borger on October 18 at 11:10 a.m.

SCHOOL PICTURES will be taken on October 14. Senior pictures will also be taken at this

CLARENDON College will offer the ACT test Sat., Oct. 25; GED & CLEP tests Oct. 14. Call by Oct. 7. For information (806)874-3571.

TUESDAY PRICES AT ATTEBURY GRAIN CO. Wheat-\$3.05 Milo-\$3.98 Corn-\$4.55 Soybeans-\$5.52 No mositure was reported this week.

Eagles Defeated 49-12

The Groom Tigers the ball six yards and on Eagles last Saturday in a fantastic game at Cotton Center, 49-12.

Three boys had one of their best games ever according to Coach Larry Reid. Dean Fields, Wade Ritter and Toby Burgin all showed great leadership and were a deciding factor in the victory.

Dean rushed 11 times for 86 yards and two touchdowns. He also had two kick off returns for 36 yards and 3 unassisted tackles.

Wade Ritter had 15 carries for 185 yards rushing and two touchdowns. He had four unassisted tackles.

Toby Burgin carried

the ball six times for 63 yards and one touchdown. He had one fumble recovery and 15 unassisted tackles.

Dusty Crump gave the Tigers the other touchdown when he recovered a fumble in the end zone.

As a total, Groom had 17 first downs and 338 yards rushing. Three-Way had 7 first downs and 117 yards.

"Our defensive and offensive lines did an awesome job of blocking this week. It was probably the best blocking we have done all year long," stated

Coach Reid.

Russell Conrad and
Josh Evenson also carried
the ball. Conrad had 2
carries for 12 yards and

1 unassisted tackle and Evenson had 1 carry.

Evenson, who quarterbacks for the Tigers also had 1 pass for 5 yards.

"We really did not have to implement our passing game," said Reid, "With the kind of blocking we were doing and their defense made it

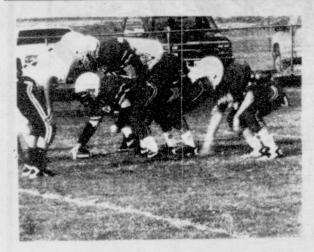
unnecessary."

Wyatt Weinheimer received that one pass gaining 5 yards. He also had a quarterback sack and 2 unassisted tackles.

Evan Crowell had 10 unassisted tackles and 2 quarterback sacks.

Jimmy Chavedo had 2 unassisted tackles and one quarterback sack.

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The Groom Junior High Cubs get prepared to run one of their plays against The Follett Panthers. Indications are that these boys will grow into an awesome high school team if they keep up the good work.

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Local Happenings

Karen Reid was awarded a diploma with a BGS Degree in General Studies from West Texas A&M University in Canyon at the August 21 c o m m e n c e m e n t ceremonies.

IMMUNIZATION Clinc at the Groom Community Center Oct. 7 9:30-12 noon.

Rip and Joy Snyder and Gloria Ledwig had lunch on Wednesday in the new Red River cafe. They spent the evening visiting with Bill and Dorothy McKee and Truman Goodlett and M.L. Rowan.

Brenda Fields was home visiting from Texas Tech University over the weekend. Visiting with her were her roommate Carrie Sheiness of San Antonio and friend Jade Branham of Flowermound.

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CORRECTION

In last weeks story concerning the minutes of the County Commissioners' meeting, The News incorrectly reported that the vote was unanimous to the budget. approve Commissioner Kevin Howell of White Deer voted against the entire budget, not just the Judge's salary increase. We regret any confusion this may have caused.

Koetting Hospitalized
Mrs. Wynona Koetting
was taken by ambulance
to the hospital on
Tuesday. Her condition
was unknown at
presstime.

Letter From Helen Witt Hi Folks!

We made the trip down here just fine and I am now a temporary resident in Lynell's Nursing Home. They had my room freshly painted, an electric bed with attractive bed spread and furnished with paintings, chairs, table and lamp my son-in-law brought from their home, so it is a lovely room.

They have started therapy on the compression fracture in my back which will take some time in healing. I am fortunate to have such a wonderful place to recuperate. Everyone is very nice and it seems everything possible is being done for my comfort and pleasure.

Doris will forward my Groom News. Looks like now it will be around Christmas when I return home.

My address is:
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The congregation of the First Baptist Church of Groom will gather with the rest of the community to say goodbye to the Richardsons on Sunday, October 5th from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.

Groom Birthdays Anniversaries

October 2 - Fay
Wortham, Todd Cave.
October 3 - R. G.
Weller, Sarah Looten,
Theresa Wills, Anthony
M. Ratterree.

October 5 - Brady Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. John Homer (A).

October 6 - Toni Pavlovsky, Dan Earl Steed, Esteban Lopez, Jack D. Spencer. October 7 - Eric

Weinheimer.
October 8 - Jan
Britten, Bryan Bichsel.

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By Ace Reid



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COUNTY JUDGE Budgeted \$83,938 includes Judge's salary of \$37,125 plus mileage and meals of \$1,200 and Secretary salaries. employee benefits, office

COUNTY DISTRICT CLERK Budgeted \$122,296 includes salary includes salary for county/district clerk of \$29,848 and two deputies, employee benefits, office supplies, phone, computer leases, court costs paid to the recording and indexing fees, insurance for errors and

COUNTY ATTORNEY -Budgeted \$69,107 includes salaries for county attorney \$29,848 plus \$300 car allowance and secretary, employee benefits, office supplies, and law library

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR Budgeted \$124,164 includes salary Assessor-Collector \$29,848 and \$1,600 in car expense and two deputies salaries, plus part time and subcontractors fees, employee benefits, records preservations, advertising, office supplies, data processing, computer enhancement, title search expenses, and bond premium.

TREASURER -Budgeted \$47,723 includes treasurer's salary of \$29,848, employee benefits, office supplies, computer related fees, and published reports.

COUNTY SHERIFF Budgeted \$490,861 includes sheriff salary of \$29,848 and deputies salaries, employee utilities and benefits, office expenses, maintenance, new cars, boarding prisoners, jail maintenance, ammunition, crime scene equipment and teletype maintenance.

- Budgeted \$151,632 includes librarian salary \$20,152, assistant librarian and part-time librarian salaries, employee benefits, office

supplies, telephone and utilities at all branches, books and subscriptions.

Budgeted \$48,881 includes salaries for County Judge of \$1,800 and the salary for the District Judge of \$1,800 as part of the Juvenile Board budget, Court Coordinator, Court Reporter, And the District Attorney's secretary, employee benefits, postage, repairs, travel expenses for the Court Coordinator, Court Reporter expenses, pay

for Grand, District Court, County Court, and Justice of the Peace Jurors, Juvenile Probation Office and visiting Judges pay.

IMPROVEMENTS MAINTENANCE/EQUIPfor improvements and office

equipment.

precincts the following

has been budgeted. Precinct #1 - Budgeted \$131,267.00 which includes commissioner salary of \$23,638 and a car allowance of 3,600; plus road hands salaries, employee benefits, liability insurance and equipment payments.

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Precinct #2 - Budgeted \$112,942 which includes commissioner salary of \$23,638 plus of \$3,600; allowance salaries for road hands, benefits, liability insurance, and equipment payments.

Precinct #3 - budgeted \$139,194 including salary \$23,638 for the commissioners plus car allowance of \$3,600; salaries for road hands, benefits, liability insurance, and equipment payments.

Precinct #4 - Budgeted \$142,609, including commissioner's salary of \$23,638 plus \$3,600 car allowance; road hands salary, liability insurance and equipment payments.

The tax rate set by the County Commissioners Court was set at .32287. This is down slightly from last years .3613. to County According Judge Jay Roselius, this is down due to the increase in the county

wide valuations which were mostly in the oil

and gas business.
"The net requirements to cover the general fund budget expense was \$2,053,149. Estimated receipts of \$654,013 will help fund a portion of the cost while the tax

different effort will \$1,376,815. and a balance of \$22,320 will come from the reserve fund," stated Roselius.

More Local Happenings

William and Floretta Neal, R.A. and Joy Snyder, Bertha Knight, and Ray and Gaynelle Pool were visiting Leslie and Dora Neal in Claude

Ray and Gaynelle Pool had a busy day Saturday. First they went to Amarillo on business, then on to the 45th anniversary open house at Celanese Pampa Plant.

Later they went to Clarendon and attended the Charles Goodnight Chuck Wagon Cookoff celebration.

Judy and Bobby Babcock, Irma and Page Blackwell, and Sybil and Glynn D Harrell attended the annual Circle of Friends dinner at the home of Georgia and Ray and Kelly Lane in Panhandle Saturday evening. Janyth Bowers of the Grandview community is presidentelect of the organization.

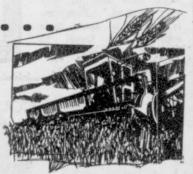
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Groom Cubs Beat Follett Panthers

Groom Junior High Cubs football team opened their season last Friday night at home with a 32-18 victory over the Follett Junior High The Cubs Panthers. opened the scoring on a 33 yard touchdown pass from Garrett Britten to Clay Ritter. Ritter added the extra point run for a 7-0 lead. Follett answered with a 31 yard touchdown run with 25 seconds left in the first quarter but the extra point failed to make the score 7-6. In the second Riter scored quarter again with a 39 yard run and the extra point failed to leave the tally at 13-6. Follett answered with a touchdown pass of 12 yards and the extra point failed so the count was now 13-12. In the third quarter Trey Britten caused a Follett fumble Wyatt Britten returned the fumble 3 yards for a touchdown. Cody Bivens added the PAT run to give the Cubs a 20-12 lead. Late in the third cuarter Hugh Weinheimer added a one yard run for the Cubs and the PAT failed to advance the Cub lead to 26-12. In the 4th quarter Follett scored again on a

12 yard pass but the PAT failed so the score was now 26-18. Kitter added one more score for the Cubs late in the fourth quarter with a 47 yard run. The PAT failed making the final count Cubs 32 - Panthers

It was a good win for the Cubs and all of the team members made contributions. Garrett Britten provided good leadership from quarterback position. Others who played well for the Cubs on both offense and defense were Luke Pavlovsky, Doug Brooks, Fields, Ross Brett Britten, Lance Ollinger, and Cody Babcock. The Cubs next game will be against McLean at Groom on Thursday, October 2nd at Tiger Field. Come out and show your support for the Cubs.

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Athletic Booster Club Says Thank You

Club Booster would like to thank the businesses and individual "super" fans who who "super" fans purchased ads for the Plains Panhandle Basketball Magazine. Thanks to the large number of supporters, the Groom basketball page will feature more athletes than in previous years. Photos of the returning lettermen and up-coming possible varsity players will be featured. The Annual Staff provides the photos that are sent for The athletes Groom. whose photos were sent year include (Seniors) Jimmy Chavedo, Toby Burgin, Todd Gray, Ashford, Jessica Tami Friemel, Melissa Anthony, Mary Hutsell, Angie Conrad, (Juniors) Josh Evenson, Marc Miller, Shuck, Jamie Daniel Treadwell, Wyatt Weinheimer, Jessica Karen Conrad. Stapp, (Sophomores) Chris Ollinger, Jessica Kepley, Carrie Davis, and Jodi Homen.

We would also like to take this opportunity to apologize for the delays in the T-shirt production and delivery. All orders have been turned in and should be delivered

the end of the week We do still have several adult extra large t-shirts if you missed the ordering deadline. Thank you for your orders and your patience in receiving your shirts. appreciate the continued support of the athletes.

Tigers

Dewayne Gray had 1 unassisted tackle.

This week the Tigers will face off with McLean at McLean's homecoming.

"McLean has a very good team," stated Reid, They have a very productive passing game. We need a good week of work outs and to stay very focused." Everyone is invited to show their support and travel to McLean with the Tigers this Friday.

We cordially invite you to a Farewell Reception For The Bryan Richardson Family on Sunday, October 5, 1997 at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall From 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Everyone is asked to help us say

goodbye to our good friends.

CARSON COUNTY SQUARE house museum day

Saturday, October 4 11:00-2:00 BARBEQUE LUNCH in the County Ag Barn 9:00-3:00 COUNTRY STORE in the County Ag Barn 8:30-5:30 SPECIAL EXHIBITS in 3 galleries HISTORICAL PROGRAM, SONGS, DANCES In the High School Auditorium 2:00 PIONEER CEREMONY in the Conway Church 3:30 REFRESHMENTS & WESTERN MUSIC on the grounds 3:30 - 5:30 DRAWING for quilt & TV in the Square House 5:30

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Russell Conrad

Dusty Crump

really delicious. Juandell came up with an unusual variety of potato salad with no potatoes. Now if you can top that you are doing good. She confessed that it was made with Saltine crackers as she didn't have any potatoes and she made do with what she had. Dorthy sneaked in just in time for lunch. Shirley shared some of the fresh tomatoes with we were a little skeptical us along with her salad. about trying it. But - Juandell brought lots of he was wrong, it was fresh veggies for us to

take home with us.

Now. . . they told me I had to tell about the hostess this time. You know how it is after a long hot summer. Some times you just can't think of all the little details. First off, the napkins were too skinny and there was just one apiece. Next, the paper cups were in the motor home and it was too much trouble to fetch them so they had to make do with odds and ends. it seems like she couldn't count either and didn't bring enough plates to have a clean one for dessert. . . so they had to mix cheesecake and salad. Not bad tasting, either. If you ever serve tea to these painters be sure it is unsweetened. yeah, you're right. . . she brought sweet tea and

unleaded coffee. We got

through the day and the

hostess survived. (Can

was

you guess who was hostess? I'm not telling!) It seems that with all summer to get ready to paint everyone would have something they couldn't wait to get started on. Not so. Evelyn brought needlework. Very pretty. She could make lots more things but she puts or 3 times just for practice. Shirley came with all her stuff, but just couldn't muster up energy painting. through Dorthy looked jillion magazines trying to get idea. Juandell deserves the Gold Star Award! She finished a painting she was working on last spring. She is starting another one that is going to be really Big. It is about 2x5 inches, that is. We'll see how long this one takes. Pat comes in with one thing on her mind - painting. She gets more done than

all the rest of us put

cutting legs off the chairs and painting Santa on You better not them. stand still around her or you will have a Santa painted on you somewhere. And, by the way, she went surfing on the Internet. Ask her about her Internet picture. I forgot my palette and good ole Evelyn went home and brought one so I could paint. Sure was

because I had brought so much paraphernalia it would have been a shame to waste all that energy.

Dorthy told a cat tale. Seems her kitty loves her so much she went hunting and brought a little bunny in the house for Dorthy to see. Now that's devotion to your master. Pat's little dog was in the news again. This time he had sore eyes tho and hadn't been helping her pick up her "laundry" lately.

We discussed having a Fall Ball since we had so much fun on our Spring Fling. Maybe we will be a little more energetic as cooler weather arrives and make

some plans. We welcome Charlene into our elite group. We are happy to have her. I it in and takes it out 2 promised I wouldn't put anything in the paper this week. . . but just you wait. They are always wait. threatening me, but I think they are bluffing. come

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fried steak, mashed
potatoes, green beans, hot
rolls, vanilla pudding
w/cookie, milk.

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Tuesday Breakfast:
Pancakes, peanut butter,
sausage, juice, milk.
Lunch: Frito pie, pinto
beans, salad, Tiger
cinnamon rolls, milk.

Wednesday Breakfast:
Breakfast burritoes, hash
browns, juice, milk.
Lunch: Charbroiled

chopped steak, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, hot sliced bread, jello, milk.

Thursday Breakfast:
Biscuits, bacon, gravy,
juice, milk. Lunch:
Turkey & noodles, mixed
vegetables, cheese
zombie, fruit cocktail,
milk.

Friday Breakfast:
Donuts, cinnamon rolls,
juice, milk. Lunch:
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Commerce Bank Building No. 5 Thursday, October 2, 1997

Les Darsey's Win Contest



Twelve chuckwagons and cooking crews were in hot competition at the Third Annual Colonel Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff held at Clarendon, September 27, 1997.

The Les Darsey wagon, a Winona wagon built in Winona, Minnesota between 1870 and 1900, was judged most authentic and was first place accorded honors. The cooks, Les, Lyda and Lynn Reeves also won first place with their beans.

The Darsey wagon has been selected to cook for the VIP's and officials at the National Cowboy Symposium to be held at Ruidoso, New Mexico the second week of October.



Homecoming Candidates Chosen, Crowning During McLean Vs Groom Friday

Homecoming week began with the choosing of queen candidates from each class. Candidates senior nominee Jennifer Barker, daughter of Cas and Rita Barker; junior nominee Rebecca Hembree, daughter of and Jerry Brenda Hembree; sophomore Dee Dee Floyd, daughter of Vicki Floyd; freshman Cesily Cadra, daughter of Mark and Kim Cadra; candidate

Traci Seitz, daughter of Dress-As-A-Faculty-

The queen will be crowned at 7:00 p.m. at the football field, prior to the face off with Groom on Friday night.

As part of the homecoming festivities the students took part in daily contests to support the football team and raise spirits for the school. Monday was Greek Day; Tuesday was

Jo Ann West and Earl Member Day; Wednesday was '97 Day; Thursday is Crazy Day and Friday will be Black and Gold Day. Each day a prize is given to the best participant, and "Spirit Links" are given to each class for each student who dresses up for the theme of that day. Class sponsors who dress up contribute five spirit links each.

See Homecoming, pg. 10

Fall Foliage Tour Planned For Saturday, October 4th

A Fall Foliage Tour has been planned for Saturday, October 4 h. An old fashioned day at the park will be included in the festivities.

The tour will be a simple drive in the country, in an area where most people seldom have a reason to go and a good chance to see a part of the Texus Panhandle. The tour will begin by going south of McLean on SH273 for 26 miles turning east on SH203 for 15 miles to Quail then turning north on FM1547 for about 5 miles to a dead end. Turn left or west on FM3143 for another 15 miles returning back to the City of McLea 1. Upon the return to McLean go over the overpass and visit Man Street.

On the tour tourists will pass over the Middle Red River twice with beautiful trees ard countryside. On SH273 ar d tourists will go over the McLean and Roth trais

that make their way to Fort Elliott located in Mobeetie.

Turning east on SH203 tourists will see a lot of

cotton and peanut crops that will soon harvested. Upon the

See Fall Tour, pg. 8



The students of the week for September 22-26 are as follows: Kindergarten Caitlin Mantooth; 1st grade Evan McMordie; 2nd grade Trey Skipper; 3rd grade Evan Patterson; 4th grade Talitha Newton; 5th grade Allison Hill; 6th grade Jaci Grigsby; and 7th grade Shaley Steel.

REGULAR SHOT Health Clinic in McLean on Oct. 8 from 2:00 -4:30 p.m.

IH FOOTBALL in Groom at 5:00 pm on Thursday, Oct. 2

THE BONFIRE is scheduled for 8 pm, Thurs., Oct. 2 at the football field.

FRIDAY, OCT. 3 is Black & Gold Day at MHS with the Pep Rally beginning at 2:45 pm in the gym. The begins at 7 pm with the Groom Tigers.

SATURDAY, OCT. 4 the Cross Country team will travel to Wheeler.

PIONEER STUDY Club meets at 2 pm on Thursday, Oct. 2.

CITY COUNCIL will meet on Tuesday, Oct. 7 at 7:00 pm.

FREE SHOTS for Influenza, Pneumonia, and Tetanus to Medicare and Medicaid patients on Wed., Oct. 8, 9 am -12:30 pm at the Senior Citizens Building.

FAMILY HEALTH Care Center of McLean Homecoming coronation will be closed Wed., Sept. 24 and Fri., Sept. football game following 26. Regular hours will at 7:30 against the be resumed on Monday be resumed on Monday the 29th.

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Piziets

Last weeks story, "That Horrible Discipline of Spanking" was written by Orville Cunningham, a former dean of students at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. He

also lived in McLean many years ago. He graduated from MHS in 1930, taught here for two years and then was principal here for two years.

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arrival to Quail there is a peanut processor just south of town and in

south of town and in town is one of the first ostrich farms in the area.

There is a small cafe just as you turn north in Quail. Going back north to Dozier tourists will again go over the Middle Red River bridge to a dead end turn left or

Menu Popular Item
The school lunch and breakfast menus are very important not only to this newspaper but students and parents alike. Please, someone take this responsibility and get the menu to Kristie at The McLean News, or call 779-2141 or call it in to The Groom News 248-7333.

McLean Birthdays Anniversaries

October 2 - Don Sanders, Ben Reeser. October 3 - Bill

Graham, Billy Bybee, Joe Riley.

October 4 - Heather Hess, Clara Hupp, Stacy Jackson, Johnnie Mertel, Andrew Stacy Jackson, Neal Odom.

October 5 - Ruth
Magee, James Martindale.
October 6 - Larue
Hambright, Herman
Glenn, Leta Mae Hess,
Colleen Stewart, Vernon
Stillwell.

October 7 - Tress Hess, Toby Smith. October 8 - Kisha

Rigsby, Joe Bob Burroughs. west at this point and there see some of the most rugged areas and beautiful views in the Panhandle. Go east, and there is more beautiful countryside.

When returning to McLean tourists will find

Loaves & Fishes Ministry Set To Begin October 13th

The "Loaves & Fishes"
Ministry, started by the
McLean Ministerial
Alliance has set a
tentative start date of
Oct. 13 for their meal
delivery.

Several people have volunteered their time to cook, help prepare, and deliver meals, but more help is needed. The meals will be prepared in the kitchen of the Trinity Baptist Church.

The ministry is a not for profit organization and no fee will be charged for meals but donations are cheerfully accepted. A special account has been set up at the Bank Commerce for reason. The Ministry has been organized due to the need in the community for meals for shut-ins and the elderly. If you know anyone who is in need of this service please call one of the following numbers: 779-2175, 779-3207, 779-2337, 779-2221, or 779-779-3207, 779-2672.

four restaurants willing to serve a good lunch or great steak. Go north on Main a couple of blocks to the City Park. The churches in McLean are planning a day in the park consisting of ten different events many of which are old-fashioned games. Bring your kids and let them participate. The programs at the park are from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For further information call (806) 779-3172 or 779-2346.

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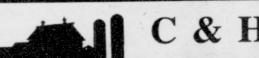
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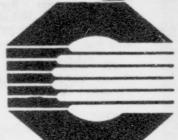
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Cubs Beat Lakeview

McLean Cubs triumphed over Lakeview Thursday night with a score of 48-25.

Coach Ramsey commented that "We ran a spread offense, using several new pass plays. We definitely passed more than we ran. In but two all touchdowns, were passing touchdowns.

8th grader Jared Rice scored seven touchdowns and 8th grader Cody Seitz scored one also.

Coach Ramsey invites everyone to go to Groom Thursday night to cheer on the McLean Cubs.

Championship Flight: (Men) 1. Darel Lee, 149 (won playoff); 2. Bob Glass, 149; 3. Casper Smith, 153; 4. Bob Martin, 159; 5. Bobby Richardson, 160.

First Flight: 1. Sam Haynes, 164; 2. Buck Lee, 169; 3. Buddy Payne, 173; 4. Clay

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Cooper, 174; 5. Flea Simpson, 177; 6. Ken Richardson, 190.

Second Flight: 1. E.J. Windom Jr., 182; 2. Rubin Flores, 187; 3. Jesse Cooper, 193 (won playoff); 4. Roy Richardson, 193; 5. Fred Johnston, 199.

Championship Flight: (Ladies) 1. Terri Hall, 177; 2. Cathy Hembree, 192; 3. Mary Richardson, 194; 4. Elizabeth Martin.

First Flight: 1. Judy Lee, 204; 2. Dorris Windom, 210; 3. Joy Cooper, 211; 4. Connie Flores, 214.

MHS Cross Country

On Saturday, the girls' cross country team traveled to Allison to compete.

Waters said Coach "We did pretty good, and will know what to expect next time. We have three meets left, and then hold the district meet here on October 28th."

In High School, out of 36 competitors, senior Lori Hefley placed 19th, Shaley senior Stalls junior placed 23rd, Vanessa Glass 29th, junior Rachel Galley 31st, and freshman Lauren Williams got 30th.

In the Junior High division, out of 52 competitors, 8th grader Austin Williams was 26th, 8th grader Shannon Graybeal 37th, 8th grader Randi Jo Riley 38th, and 7th grader Jennifer Smith was 27th.

McLean Beats Lakeview, 60-12

Victoria Bradley, Tiger Rag Staff

Lakeview got off to a quick start, but it was McLean that finished with a rush Friday night in a non-district football game in McLean.

McLean used five touchdown runs by senior running back Chris Flores to overcome a sluggish start and routed Lakeview 60-12 in the Tigers' first home game. Flores, who rushed for 100 yards on

Heritage Day

The McLean seventh class recently grade celebrated Heritage Day. They had been studying ethnicity in their Texas History class. They filled in a family tree, researched the countries which were represented in their blood line, and got recipes which were handed down to them from a relative. On Friday, September 26, they brought samples of their recipes and shared lunch together. They parents invited and relatives to celebrate Heritage Day with them. They wrote thank you letters to those relatives who gave them their recipes. They have also compiled a Heritage Day Cookbook for each Everyone student. this enjoyed unit study.

By Travis Hankins & the night, scored on runs of 1, 10, 32, 1, and 2 vards. Also helping McLean overpower Lakeview was sophomore Ike Haues who ran an 80 yard kickoff back for a touchdown, and scored on a 40 yard pass from

senior quarterback Gary Bolton, who also helped the Tigers out by scoring on a 49 yard run.

McLean, who moves to 2-2 on the season, plays Groom at home for their homecoming game on October 3.

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Lewis Wayne Bybee

Lewis Wayne Bybee, 62, died Thursday, September 25, 1997.

Services were at p.m. Saturday in the Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Dean Williamson of Odessa and the Rev. Z.A. Myers of Shamrock officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home McLean.

Mr. Bybee was born at Royce City. He was a 1953 graduate of Lone Oak High School and of Mountain View College. He had been a McLean resident since 1979, moving from Dallas. He originally owner-operated B&B Turbine Engineering and Manufacturing. He married Sondra "Sonie" married Sondra Graham 1982 at McLean.

He was a member of First Baptist Church and Society Manufacturing Engineers. He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving during the Korean War.

Survivors include his wife, Sondra; a son, Billy Dwayne Bybee of stepson, McLean; Heasley Ronnie of Midland; two Brenda stepdaughters, Farber of Haskell and Vonda Jean Averett of



Breckenridge; his mother, Pearl Larner of McLean; a sister, Wanda Hindman of McLean; a brother, Lloyd Bybee of McLean; a granddaughter; and six step-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Hospice of the Panhandle, P.O. Box 2795, Pampa, Texas

McLean Care Center

News The week began with ringtoss games on Monday morning. Residents who came out for the fun were James Throckmorton, Phyllis Bailey, Vernee Bowling, Burnett, Polly Sue Cubine, Mable Dickey, Florence Drake, Thelma Finson, Dorothy Patterson, and Thelma Hopkins. Of course, that afternoon there was the bingo games with bananas furnished by the Lions' Club. Those out to play were Ruby Ayers, Bailey, Phyllis Lena Bailey, Vernee Bowling, Cubine, Florence Sue Drake, Dorothy Patterson, Thelma Finson, Truman Thelma Goodlett, Hopkins, Eula Morrow, Teresa Richardson, Jessie Watson, Dick Wheeler, Bud Simpson, and Ora Billingsley.

Tuesday morning some of the ladies from the Church of Christ brought cookies and angel food

residents. cake for who residents Those attended this social were Phyllis Bailey, Lena Vernee Bowling, Bailey, Jessie Polly Burnett, Cubine, Coleman, Sue Florence Drake, Thelma Dorothy Finson, Truman Patterson, Thelma Goodlett. Hopkins, Gus Brock, Bob Margaret Lymburner, Page, Betty McCurley, Mounce, Teresa Pansy iessie Richardson, Simpson, Watson, Bud Don York and Lopez Hauck. In the afternoon Teresa Richardson, Bud Simpson, Dick Wheeler,

Wednesday morning only 20 residents came out for the social. residents decided to hold their monthly council meeting. So after their cupcakes they called that In the to order. 18 afternoon residents enjoyed the second Walton's program from last week

Billingsley

Dorothy Patterson played

a few games of dominos.

Thursday morning

Heidi Gamble did ladies manicures while Inez Trostle fixed their hair. Bingo was enjoyed that afternoon by Ruby Ayers, Lena Bailey, Phyllis Bailey, Vernee Bowling,

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Former Resident Passes

Paul Bond

BARTLESVILLE, Okla. - Paul Bond, 74, died Saturday, September 21, 1997.

Services were in First Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Toby Land officiating. Burial was in

Memorial Park Cemetery in Bartlesville by Arnold Moore Funeral Service.

Mr. Bond was born in Gordonville, Grayson County, Texas. He began his elementary education in Whitesboro. Texas, and continued his schooling in Pampa, Texas and Perryton, He graduated Texas. from McLean, Texas, High School in 1941. His father was pastor of the Nazarene Church in McLean prior to moving to Perryton. He attended Abilene Christian College for two years.

He was inducted in the Army in 1945 and was honorably discharged in 1946 as a second lieutenant. He continued his service as a member of the Army Reserves until 1952, when he retired.

Mr. Bond returned to Abilene Christian College and graduated with a bachelor of science degree in chemistry in 1947. In the spring of 1947, he entered into a contract as a pitcher for Brooklyn Dodgers baseball team.

Ora

In September 1947, he joined Phillips the Petroleum Co. at the Borger, Texas refinery. He was an analytical chemist.

Bond Mr. married Charlie Ruth Risley in 1948 at Pampa

In 1963, Mr. Bond was transferred to the Bartlesville offices and had been a Bartlesville resident since. He retired in 1985 after 38 years of service.

Mr. Bond was of the Nazarene faith. He was a member of the Hillcrest Country Club.

Survivors include his wife; two brothers, Joe Bond of Monte Aley Vista, Colorado, and Mendel Earl "John" Bond of Shamrock, Texas; and a sister, Ruth Land of Memphis, Texas.

The family requests memorials be to a cancer charity.

Homecoming

The class with the most spirit links at the end of the week gets an extended lunch break to eat at the Red River Steakhouse.

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Carson County Sheriff Notice Of Sale: Real Property The State Of Texas County Of Carson

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain writ of execution issued out of the Honorable Dallas County Court at Law No. 5, Dallas County, Texas, the 17th day of June, 1997 by Earl Bullock, County Clerk of Dallas County, Texas for the sum of \$17,254.29, plus pre-judgment interest of \$1,032.67 with interest at the rate of 10% per annum from the 13th day of August, 1987 and attorney's fees of \$1,000.00, under a judgment in favor of Grand Bank LBJ at Hillcrest, N.A. in a certain cause in said Court, No. CC-87-8434-E and styled Grand Bank LBJ at Hillcrest, N.A. Vs. Robert W. McWherter and wife Sandra Kotara McWherter placed in my hands for service, I, Loren Brand, as Sheriff of Carson County, Texas, did, on the July 22, 1997, levy on certain real estate, situated in Carson, County, Texas, described as by the Carson County Tax Assessor's office in the current tax statement, to wit: AB598, Blk 7, Sec 148, I&GN FEE NE/4 & undivided interest in PT W/2 (256.543 AC) and levied upon as the property of Robert W. McWherter and wife Sandra Kotara McWherter and that on the first Tuesday of October, 1997, the same

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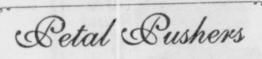
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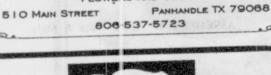
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