The Groom Rews

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Mary Ann Koetting with a whole flock of grandkids at the grocery store,

Katie Britten, Brandye Bates, Lance Ollinger, Chance, Thane and Chad Barkley finishing up their swimming lessons.

Jack Barnett working on his lawn mower during his

Katie Talley out for a stroll on Saturday evening. . See We Saw, pg. 2

Contact Karen Brown, Curator

Heritage Theme For Mini Museum

Groom for a week or a life time, you and all your heritage are part of what has made Groom what it is today. Whether your family was one of the area pioneers or maybe you just moved here, anything that is part of you, is part of us." stated Mini Museum curator, Karen Brown.

Perhaps your parents or grandparents ran one of the early businesses, or perhaps your German heritage gives your family a special tradition at some point in the year. Maybe you had your picture taken with a star or famous politician. Possibly, you have the hand crocheted booties that your grandmother wore on her

christening day.

The Groom Day Committee is asking that every special part of what it's area residents are made of be represented in the Groom Day Mini Museum. This could be anything from antiques to Rt. 66 memorabilia to WWII ration stamps, to the latest generations footprints.

Make sure your family is represented by bringing your items to the Community Center on August 1, at 5:00 p.m. All items must be signed in and out when they are picked up by their owners after 6:00 p.m. on Groom Day.

"Help us make this a big success by making sure your family is represented," stated



An old backdrop found at St. Mary's Hall shows hoe "Time" marches on. Remember these businesses? The painted canvas will be featured at the Mini-Museum on Groom Day.

TIGER FOOTBALL

Groom Varsity Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
8/19	Scrimmage	TBA	
8/26	Scrimmage	Highland Park	4:30
9/2	Valley	Groom	8:00
9/9	Motley Co.	Matador	8:00
9/16	Spur	Groom	8:00
9/24	Borger JV	Borger	7:00
9/30	Kress	Kress	7:30
10/7	Booker * #	Groom	7:30
10/14	White Deer *	White Deer	7:30
10/21	Sunray *	Groom	7:30
10/28	Wheeler *	Wheeler	7:30
11/4	Shamrock *	Groom	7:30
* Deno	tes District Play		
# Dend	otes Homecoming		

Groom Jr. High Football

Date	Opponent	Location	LIME
9/8	White Deer	White Deer	5:00
9/15	Sanford-Fritch	Sanford-Fritch	5:00
9/22	Bushland	Bushland	5:30
9/29	Claude	Groom	5:00
10/6	Booker	Booker	5:00
10/13	Open		
10/20	Bushland	Groom	5:00
10/27	Claude	Claude	5:00
11/3	Open		

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Telephone Directories To Expand Including | Community Calendar

Carson County

Southwestern Bell directory serving Amarillo, Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages, Inc. today announced it will expand distribution of the book to include 16 Texas Panhandle counties.

Lew Bradshaw, the company's sales manager in Amarillo, said the next edition of the directory, to be published in February 1995, will be distributed free households and businesses in the counties of Armstrong, Carson, Dallas, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hutchinson, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Potter, Randall, Roberts and Sherman.

"We're making this change because of the many requests we've received from those wanting a copy of our Amarillo directory," Bradshaw said. "This will benefit those who need the directory as an informational and shopping resource, and will provide an expanded customer base for directory

advertisers." Bradshaw said surveys of consumers in the expanded

Responding to numerous area indicate that, while requests for copies of the they do most of their shopping locally, they often make major purchases in the Amarillo area.

"We're just delighted with the decision by Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages to expand the directory's distribution," said Sharon Patrick, membership development coordinator for the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce.

"We've received at least 5,000 calls a year from folks wanting us to look up What information. Southwestern Bell is doing is a fine community-service

Meanwhile, chambers of commerce in the expanded area have been supplied additional copies of the current Southwestern Bell Amarillo directory. Those who would like to order a copy by phone can call a toll-free number, 1-800-261-

Bradshaw stressed that the expanded distribution of the Amarillo directory will not affect the publication and distribution of other Southwestern Bell directories in the area.

Fire Causes Losses

In the recent fire at the Golden Spread Motel two young boys lost their clothes, furniture and toys.

Randy and Greg Miller would appreciate any help to replace what was lost.

Randy wears size 14 or 15 slim (long) jeans, size 14 shirts, and size 61/2 to 7 shoes, undershorts size 14 and socks.

Greg needs size 12 regular jeans, size 12 shirts, 51/2 to 6 youth (young men) shoes, undershorts size 12 and also socks.

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

GROOM TOWN & Country 4-H will meet Thursday, July 28th at 8:00 pm at the Community Center. This is very important, we will decorate float and discuss Groom Day. New members are welcome. You must be 9 or older or entering third

FIREWOOD Gathering For the Groom Day BBQ will be on July 28 at 7:00 pm. Meet at Johnny Brook's shop.

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

TIGER'S & Tigerettes parents are encouraged to join in the planning of a high spirited football season. Meet in the Home Ec Room on August 2nd, 9 pm (Immediately following the Coaches meeting).

> GET READY FOR **GROOM DAY!**

MOTHER'S OF Football players grades 7-12 will meet with the Groom ISD Coaching Staff on August 2, at 7:30 pm in the Home Economics Room. Anyone who is interested may attend.

PARENTS ARE reminded that students need to catch up their immunizations prior to beginning school this fall.

TUESDAY GRAIN PRICES AT LOCAL ELEVATORS

> Wheat-\$3.15 Milo-\$3.81 Corn-\$4.35

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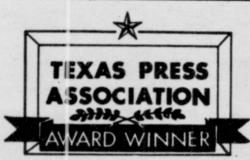
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PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held August 9, 1994, at City Hall at 8:15 p.m. prior to adoption of proposed budget for 1994-95. Proposed budget will be available during office hours at City Hall for viewing.

Mayor Greg Lamb

HOSPITAL REPORT

High Plains Baptist, Elred James, CCU; and Burniece Johnson.

Paul McLaughlin and Kyle Pool recently stopped in Alamogordo, New Mexico to visit Brian and Marie Baker.

Local Happenings

Helen Witt returned Saturday from a visit with Ruby Milton in Houston. While there she enjoyed visits also with Ruby's daughter, Sue Williams and granddaughter, Brenda Simmons, of Houston.

They also enjoyed visits from Ruby's daughter Beth Landry, of Port Arthur, granddaughter, Melissa Ware, and great-Lee, City Secretary at City Hall.

granddaughter, Maegan Ware of Port Neches. Seven weeks old Maegan was the center of attention and admiration.

Ruby lives in a lovely retirement complex with all conveniences close at hand.

Larry and Karen Reid have a new address: Box 226, Ropesville, Texas 79358. They live at 1105 Timmons and their phone number is 562-4212.

WE SAW ...

Dan Martin giving a Big Texas "Howdy"! to Stop N Shop customers Sunday. . . .

Frances Payton taking care of 'some business at school Monday.....

People with lots of comments on Earl Britten's Birthday ad last week.

Those enjoying eating at Dyer's and then going bowling Friday night were Kent, Donna, Allyson, Aaron Watson, Burl and Nettle Painter, Vivian Lacy and Emalea London.

Enjoying the day out Wednesday seeing Schindler's List, eating out and shopping were Allie Hoyt and Nellie Painter.

Cody Bivens, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bivens, won second place in the Moore County 4-H Youth Rodeo in Steer Riding.

ISBRECHININ TERM PARAMETERS

COME CELEBRATE!

What: Birthday Party
Where: 509 Eastern
When: Saturday, July 30
Time: 1:00 to 3:30 pm

Who: Nora Painter ♥ 86 years
Refreshments ♥ Cards Only ♥ No Gifts

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GROOM DAY Food
Preparation List: Church of
Christ, Potato Salad;
Baptist Church, Cole Slaw;
Christian Mothers, Beans;
Sorority, Apricots, Onions,
Pickles; Methodist Church,
Potato Salad.

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GROOM BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

July 28 - Lanna Brown, Clara Patterson, Bobby E. Pool, C.W. Fraser, Caren Rena Howard.

July 29 - Brent Thornton, Bruce Britten, Wyatt Anthony Britten, Neil A. Weiberg, Aaron Watson, Nora Painter.

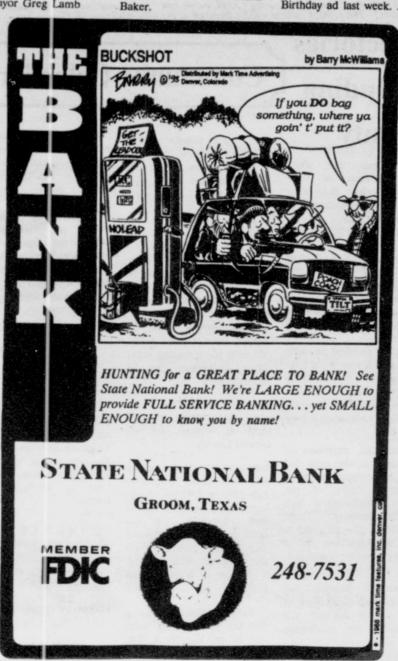
July 30 - Julie Lyles, Randall Patterson.

July 31 - Melody Ann Burton, Leah Anne Looten, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Stephens (A).

August 1 - Mrs. S. Craig Howard, Jack West, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Garmon (A), Mr. and Mrs. Don Lyles (A).

August 2 - Mrs. Billy Jones.

August 3 - Sandra Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Joe David Brown (A), Mr. and Mrs. Ronald N. Gray (A).





Memories On Old

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

9:00 a.m. - Organizations meet at the school cafeteria to sort beans, core cabbage, and wash potatoes.

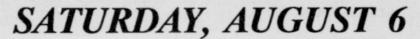
FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

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

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

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

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



10:00 a.m. - Parade

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

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

1:00 p.m. - Basketball 3 on 3 for kids 4th - 12th Grade.

Open Ranchhorse cutting, south of school.

1:30 p.m. - All Games and Food Booths Open.

Gyro, Moonwalk, Pony Rides, On Your Own Volleyball,

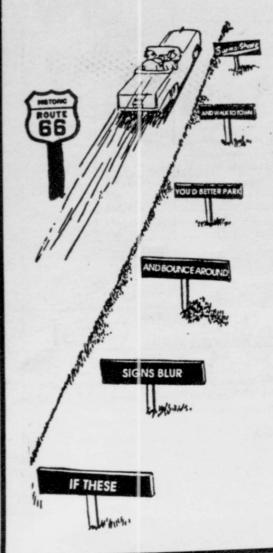
Mechanical Calf Roping, Dunking Board, Confetti Eggs,

Homemade Ice Cream, Popcycles & lots, lots more!

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

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

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





Groom Day 1994

Family Meets

The children of the late Bernard and "Josie" Britten met at the Groom Community Center Sunday for their annual reunion. All eight families were represented.

Melvin Britten and Hayli, a granddaughter came from Duncan, Oklahoma.

Judy Sage, Danielle and Zachary were here from Seminole, Dennis and Jeanie Noggler, Rebecca and Cody from Wildorado, Charles Acker, Judy Bulin and Jennifer from Amarillo.

Also present were Jiggs and Janie Britten; Mark and Tammy Bivens. Cody and Magan; Jigger and Sandra Britten, Trey and Stacie; A.J. and Leona Newsom; Bunny York and Andy of Groom.

Others included James and Erma Britten; Nelson and Teresa Britten and Brad, White Deer; Nick and Karen Britten and Robin, Amarillo; Stefan e and Kaci Cooper, Pampa.

Also Ray and Alice Britten, Tony and Wamyth Britten, Karri, Lorri, Sharri and Korri; Tom and Doris Britten, Groom; and Denny and Sherry Wilhelm, Keith, Katie and Kara, Amarillo.

Katie and Kara, Amarillo.

Bud and Margaret
Babcock, Kenny, Linda and
Clint Babcock; Denny and
Carol Babcock, Buck and
Dusty; Gary Don and Cindy
Babcock, Marci, Cody and
Tyler; and Father Richard
Neyer, all of Groom and
Joyce Barclay, T.J. and
Kaci, Vega.

Services Held For Newton Helton

FAIRVIEW, Okla. Newton Elmo Helton, 87, the brother of two Groom, Texas, residents, died Thursday, July 21, 1994.

Mr. Helton was born in Jack County, Texas, and later moved with his family to Brice, Texas. During World War II, he worked for Phillips Petroleum Co. in South America. After the war, he returned home and started a propane business with his brother in Farwell, Texas.

Mr. Helton married Ethel Jones in 1950. They moved to the Okeene, Oklahoma community, where they owned and operated a propane and anhydrous ammonia business. They also owned propane businesses in the Oklahoma cities of Fairview, Ames, Nash, Alva and Enid.

Mr. Helton was a Methodist, a Shriner and a member of the Okeene Masonic Lodge. He and his wife moved in 1992 to the Fairview Fellowship home.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1992.

Survivors include five brothers, Allen Helton of San Antonio, Texas, Carrol Helton of Borger, Texas, Nath Helton of Groom, Texas, and Tom Helton of Richland, Wash.; and a sister, Nettie Fields of Groom.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Charter Number 12742

Name of Bank	City
in the state of <u>Texas</u>	, at the close of business on June 30, 1994, by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern

ASSETS	housands of do
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	929
Interest-bearing balances	
Held-to-maturity securities	522
Available-for-sale securities	
Federal funds sold	600
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income 9,388	
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	9,23
Assets held in trading accounts	1
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	1 6
Other real estate owned	les el
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	1
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	
Intangible assets	
Other assets	34
Total assets	14,07
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	W/
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	14,07

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	12,37
Noninterest-bearing	
Interest-bearing 10,605	0 2 10 1
Federal funds purchased	
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	1 (
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	
Trading liabilities	
Other borrowed money:	1111111111
With original maturity of one year or less	
With original maturity of more than one year	The state of the s
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	
Subordinated notes and debentures	
Other liabilities	
	154
Total liabilities	12,53
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0 1
Common stock	100
Surplus	100
Undivided profits and capital reserves	
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	(11)
Total equity capital	1.541
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,541
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital and losses	111111111111111111111111111111111111111
deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	14,071

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

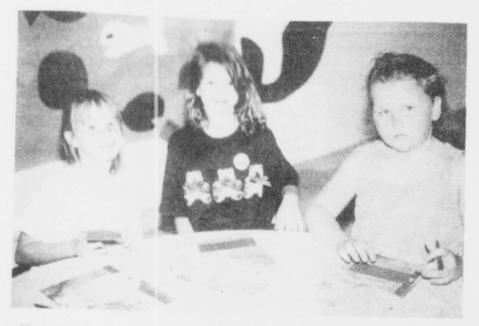
VICE PRESIDENT & CASHIER
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dean D. Burger Bessey N. Basenek

Directors

Sam Conford Signature 7-25-94 Date



Chera Chavedo, Magan Bivens and a new friend who is staying at the Golden Spread Motel, have a "whale" of a time at Bible School.



Garner Richardson, Trent Britten, Colton Weller, Madison Hughes, Eric Tores, LeAnn Ball and Brittany Evenson enjoy the two and three year old class at the Baptist Bible School. Jill Howard and C.J. Whatley (not pictured) helped out as assistants.

Fields To Conduct Seminar

Connie Fields of Groom, owner of Created Once and professional seamstress, will conduct a blouse construction seminar for Amarillo and area seamstresses on Thursday, July 28 at an afternoon and evening session. The seminars are scheduled at 2:00 and 7:00 at the Texas A&M Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West.

Fields will demonstrate techniques that result in a ready made look for tailored blouses including the insertion of collar stays for a crisp collar.

Additionally she will show ideas for detachable collars allowing a basic blouse to transform into different seasonal looks.

Sponsored by the Potter County Extension Service, a \$2.00 registration cost will be payable at the door.

Fields does custom sewing for Double D. Ranch Wear of Yoakum, a Western specialty business

Robert Snyder of Amarillo visited his Aunt Joy and Uncle Rip Snyder on Friday.

Rip Snyder and Cobb Britten made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Jim and Sue Norton of Amarillo visited Rip and Joy Snyder Sunday. and is a custom seamstress in cooperation with a

Creative Needle of Amarillo. She also maintains a home sewing business.

A native of Groom, Fields is married and the mother of four children.

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For more information, interested persons may call the Potter County Extension Service, 373-0713.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic levels, race, colors, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.



Baby's Day Out
Fri. & Sat. Shows 7:00 pm Only PG

Wolf

Fri. & Sat. Shows 9:00 pm Only R

The Cowboy Way
Fri. & Sat. Shows 7:15 & 9:15 pm PG 13

I Love Trouble Fri. & Sat. Shows 7:30 & 9:30 pm PG

It Could Happen To You Fri. & Sat. Shows 7:45 & 9:45 pm PG

SUNDAY-THURSDAY-7:30 PM ONLY-ALL FEATURES



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BRITTEN CELEBRATES 60TH

GROOM DAY EVENTS

them a call: Parade, Curtis or Dondra Downs, 248-7917. Open Ranchhorse, Pat Britten, 248-7389. Arts & Crafts Booths, Sandra Britten, 248-7226. 3 On 3 Basketball, Shirley Fields, 248-7435. Mini-Museum, Karen Brown, 243-7210. Organization Games, Kids Games, Food Booths, Debbie Anthony, 248-7954.

Earl Britten celebrated his 60th birthday at his farm Anyone needing on Monday, July 25th with information about a specific 63 of his friends, neighbors Groom Day event may give and relatives. Guests were given party hats and enjoyed a meal sitting under the trees in Earl's front yard. After the guests sang "Happy Birthday", they watched Earl open his unique and memorable gifts which had been waiting for him in his antique wheelbarrow. Many guests toured Earl's home and beautiful grounds. Party guests came from Wylie, Amarillo, Stratford, Conway and Groom.

Carson Co. Sheriff's Report

By Loren Brand, Sheriff Ten persons are currently incarcerated in the Carson County Jail. All but one prisoner is being held on felony charges.

Our department completed a three-month investigation with the arrest of one subject on two counts of Sexual Indecency with a Child (a second degree felony) and one count of Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child (a first degree felony). The investigation was made with the cooperative efforts of Children's Protective Services and the Sheriff's Department.

Cattle on the highway resulted in a one vehicle traffic accident on U.S. 60. A semi-tractor and trailer struck the animals in the early morning hours. The accident resufted in physical damage to the vehicle and destruction of several head of cattle.

Skelly town City Marshal has requested the assistance of our department in determining the cause of a fire in an unoccupied structure in Skellytown and other circumstances surrounding

the destruction of the building. The matter is currently under investigation.

Sheriff's deputies responded to calls of a prowler armed with a weapon in Fritch. Also, in the Fritch area, our officers responded to several domestic violence reports.

The Sheriff's Department is currently investigating several unrelated reports dealing with children being kept in unsafe or unhealthy dwellings or circumstances. The investigative reports on these cases are forwarded to Children's Protective Services in Pampa to determine if emergency intervention is warranted.

An Amarillo man previously indicted by a Carson County Grand Jury was featured on an Amarillo television stations consumer complaint segment affording us a better opportunity to locate and arrest the individual. The Amarillo Police Department was contacted the next day and given all information necessary to locate and arrest the subject for our department.





The Ill Lean Hews

Commerce Bank Building No. 5 Thursday.

July 28, 1994



Steward's Open New Beef Jerky Business

We are proud to welcome Randy and Leslie Steward and their new business, "Top of Texas Jerky" to this area.

Randy was a McLean High School graduate in 1979 and his wife Leslie was a 1983 Groom graduate.

Randy and Leslie have purchased the old Robinson meat building on south main which they will use to expand their own facilities for wholesale production. They have hired Maurine Foshee to be on duty each day from 10:00 am to 6:00

state supported marketing program, "The Taste of Texas" will adopt the Steward's "Top of Texas Jerky" a line of beef and turkey goods made without preservatives. They will begin making customized venison jerky in the fall and also plan to wholesale their own barbecue sauce. The retail section of the store is now open, beef jerky and other "Taste of Texas" products are available.

Leslie has been employed as secretary at the McLean Public School in the business office.

Museum Volunteers Enjoy "Pig Out"

The Devil's Rope Museum volunteers met Tuesday evening, July 19, at the Shady Acres RV park for a homemade ice cream "pig out". We thank Troy and Jerry Corbin for their kind hospitality. attending and enjoying all the good ice cream and cake were: Onie and Dottie Sims from Whittier, California, Delbert and Ruth Trew, Barbara Richards and her grandchildren; Chad, Amanda and Tamara, Tom and Inez Trostle, Clyde and Babe Brown, Jerry and Troy Corbin, A.W. Lankford, Mickey Jackson and her grandchildren; Janie and Michael, Davie Gipson and her grandson; John, Bennie Williams and her grandson;

William Thomas, James and Pat Barker, Cliffie Heasley and her great-grandchildren; Caren, Karla, and Kecia Howard, Imogene Glass, Mary Powell, Lynn Reeves, Marjorie Fish, Bonnie Fabian, Gene Greer, Mary Groves, LaVerne Brooks, Mary Dwyer and Mary Lee

Boyd. The children enjoyed the swimming pool and the playground equipment, and the adults enjoyed the visiting and everyone enjoyed the ice cream and other sweets. appreciate our volunteers, and anyone that would like to help now and then, please contact Barbara Richards, Delbert or Ruth

City Applies For Grant For Sewer Improvements

The City of McLean is competitive. facing some potentially problems in the future with its sewer lines and is needing to begin the process of finding a way to replace the lines so the City can comply with state regulations and provide for the needs of its citizens for many years to come. In an effort to buy down on the cost of the sewer line replacements for the residents of the City of McLean, city staff members are now in the process of developing an application for state grant funds, which, if funded, will pay a substantial portion of those development costs. decreasing the need to obligate future revenues or increase user fees.

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) annually receives funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Part of this money is allocated regionally through the Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) to help cities and counties like McLean to address key community development

needs. Unfortunately, the Panhandle's TCDP allocation is never large enough to fund the many grant requests made each year by local governments in the Panhandle, so the process has become very

applicants are determined by a point system set up by a two-tiered scoring procedure. Half of the score is determined by TDHCA staff. All of the factors used in the scoring process are based on a predetermined set of criteria, and the applicants vying for the funds will have been made aware of which factors will be used in advance of the preparation of their applications. To the extent possible, the applicants will take advantage of every scoring opportunity possible in order to improve their chances of being selected as one of the fortunate few which will receive the grant funding.

One of the primary objectives of this program is to improve public facilities to meet basic human needs, principally for persons of low and moderate income. To that end, the City must show that at least 60 percent of the persons which benefit from the proposed project will be persons whose income is 80 percent or less of the median income in Gray County. Since the sewer project will benefit the entire McLean Community, that threshold percentage of 60 percent must be determined for the whole community in order to meet eligibility requirements.

There are two methods involved in determining the threshold percentage. The first is to analyze census data using a methodology prescribed by TDHCA. If this analysis shows that at least 60 percent of the City's residents are of low to moderate income, the City does not need to pursue the second stage, but the analysis of census data for the City of McLean shows the low/mod income percentage as 56.35%. Though the census-based method is a valid means of deriving this income percentage, it tends to underestimate the actual numbers, and so TDHCA offers another method.

The other method is much more entailed but is much more accurate. This method involves a brief survey, taken door-to-door, of all the households in The survey McLean. includes seven questions and takes about one or two minutes to complete.

Given the pressing situation involved with the sewer system, the City of McLean has decided to apply for TCDP funding this year. In order to be eligible, the City must conduct this City-wide survey. City staff will survey from 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Monday, August 1. Since this is such a large task, the City will welcome

"Come The Morning" uses the contemporary issue of homelessness as a backdrop for the timeless message of man's need to

you to attend this outstanding new film: World Wide Pictures' "Come The Morning" on Sunday, July 31 at 7:00 pm. For more information, please call the church office at 779-2902 or

REMINDERS

PRE-SEASON Football practice begins August 3rd for the MHS Tigers.

THE McLEAN LIONS Club meets August 1st at 6:30 at the Lion's Club Building.

MCLEAN'S BOOSTER Club will meet on Monday, Aug. 1, 1994; at 7:00 p.m. at the Bank of Commerce Hospitality Room.

GOLF SCRAMBLE, Saturday, July 30 at the McLean Country Club. Tee off times 8 am & 2 pm. Bring your own team with A B C D players or you can be placed on a team.

THERE WILL BE A Junior Golf Tournament August 6th beginning 9 am at the McLean Golf Course. Bring your clubs and join the fun.

COVERED-DISH Luncheon at the United Methodist Church Sunday, July 31st.

McLEAN CHAMBER of Commerce is hosting a reception for Postmaster Casper Smith Sunday, July 31 from 1 to 3 at the Devil's Rope Museum.

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

VISIT THE ROUTE 66 Museum on old Route 66 and the Devil's Rope Museum, McLean, Texas, the largest barbed wire museum in the world; Tuesday-Saturday 10-4 and Sunday 1-4. Admission is

VISITORS AND VACATIONS are always of interest! Call us with your summer news today. Deadline for ads is Monday at 5:00 P. M. Call The McLean News at 779-2141.

DPS will present a program at Lovett Memorial Library, August 4th at 11:00 a.m. All children ages 3-10 are invited to attend.

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Thirteen-year-old Ben Gibson is learning some hard lessons about life. His father, Clyde has abandoned his family without an explanation. His mother, Constance packs up their few belongings, along with Ben and his two younger siblings. They journey across the country to Los Angeles on a shred of hope that they can find their father and be together

It isn't long before their isn't there or doesn't care from World Wide Pictures, money is spent or stolen enough to intervene. the motion picture ministry and they're eventually "Come The M they're eventually forced onto the streets to find shelter. Ben and his family now must come faceto-face with the horrors of a homeless way of life in a

Throughout their ordeal, Constance relies on her faith in Christ to sustain her own low spirits. But Ben can't overcome his bitterness against God for allowing his father to leave them. He befriends a homeless man named Nick, who seems to reinforce his

conviction that God either

reconcile himself to God. Pastor Dean Williamson

and the members of First Assembly Church would like Page 8 -THE GROOM NEWS Thursday, July 28, 1994

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Virginia Tate would like to express our gratitude for all the flowers, food, cards, prayers and kindnesses given by friends and neighbors in our time of sorrow

God bless each and every one of you.

Tate Family

McLean Area

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The James Hefley family vacationed in Red River week before last.

THANK YOU CARD

Thanks to the Junior Class of McLean High School for the balloons, visits, calls and all your support.

Casey Carter & Family

Obituary .

VIRGINIA ELIZABETH TATE

McLEAN - Virginia Elizabeth Tate, 76, died Thursday, July 21, 1994.

Services were in Heald Methodist Church with the Thacker Haynes,



McLEAN BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

July 27 - Bob Black. July 28 - Naomi

McCarty. July 29 - Conard Morris, George Orrick, Wanda

Bailey July 30 - Connie Barker, Jake Hess, John Holland, Tiffany Lopez.

July 31 - Terri Glass, Kinneth Hambright, Johnny Carpenter, Leona E. Sitter, Andy Glass.

August 1 - Keith Gipson, Wayne Brown, Shaun Sanderson.

August 2 - Debbie Gipson, Sammy Don and Jan Haynes (A).

August 3 - Jim and Maudine Rutherford (A).

pastor of First United Methodist church, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Tate was born in Oklahoma. She married Orphus O. Tate Sr. in 1936 at Guymon, Okla. She had been a McLean resident since 1943. She was a homemaker and a member of Heald Methodist church. She was preceded in death by a son, Gerald Tate.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Nancy Masters of Amarillo; two sons, Orphus O. Tate Jr. of Decatur and Harry Tate of Midland; a sister, Betty Kelley of San Antonio; 10 grandchildren and 16 greatgrandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Westview Boys' Home or Heald Methodist Church.

GLENIS JENKINS McLEAN Glenis Jenkins, 85, died Monday, July 18, 1994.

Graveside services were in Hillcrest Cemetery with the Rev. Q.D. Bevill, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements Lamb-Ferguson were by Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jenkins was born in Conway, Ark. She married Johnnie Jenkins in 1928 at Holdenville, Oklahoma. He died in 1978. She was a homemaker and member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include daughter, Patricia Stober of Arlington; a son, Mike Jenkins of McLean; three sisters, Vela Morris of Waynoka, Oklahoma, Jetta Simpson of Bakersfield, Calif., and Mary Duncan of San Diego, Calif.; and two grandchildren

> McLean Lodge No. 889 AF & AM Stated Meeting 2nd Thursday

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BRICE BENNETT HEDGPETH

PERRYTON Bennett Hedgpeth, 4-yearold son of Jay D. and Misty Bennett Hedgpeth, died Thursday, July 21, 1994.

Services were in Full Gospel Church with the Rev. Harrol Waterbury pastor, officiating. Burial was in Ochiltree Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

The child was born in Amarillo and had lived in Perryton all his life.

Survivors include parents; a twin sister, Ashley Hedgpeth of the home; his

maternal grandparents, Richard and Beverly Bennett of Canyon; his paternal grandparents, Don and Dorla Hedgpeth of Perryton; his maternal greatgrandfather, Louis Ellis of Burdett, Kan.; his maternal great-grandmother, Ardis Calhan of Great Bend, Kan.; and his paternal greatgrandfather, Red Easton of McLean.

The family requests memorials be to Perry Memorial Library or Full Gospel Church.

HOSPITAL REPORT John Pennington, Jr. is in High Plains Baptist Hospital.

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ALANREED NEWS R.L. Leeders daughter, Sharon, was here this week to take her to Wheeler for

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medical treatment. Chris Myers of Colorado City, Texas spent last week with his grandparents the

R.L. Leeders. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce of Amarillo and Lena Carter were in Oklahoma

City Friday for medical attention for Mrs. Carter. The O.J. Weldons had daughters, from

T-L Irrigation Company

Borger and Panhandle, visiting during the weekend. Visiting the Robert

Bruces and attending First Baptist Church Sunday was Shawn and Paul Bruce of Pampa.

The John D'Angelos, cousins of Virginia (Carter) Busby and the Carter boys, left Monday for their home in Maryland after a long visit here.

Shirley Armbrister, Nora Dragoo and sister Anna were in Pampa on Saturday. Adelaide Weldon was on the sick list this week.

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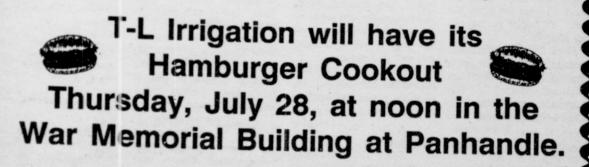
Briefs

Bob, Janet, Andy and Scott Glass have just returned from a trip to Nashville, Tennessee.

Edie Bybee, her brother and his wife, Naomi and Dick Smith have just returned from a three week vacation. They traveled to Oklahoma City, through Macon, Georgia, and saw the Patsy Cline show at Nashville, Tennessee. They also visited Mrs. Husley who did live in McLean at one time. They reported having a very good time.

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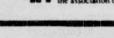
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Shirley Johnson Retires After 23 Years

Shirley Johnson, business manager for McLean Public School retired after 23 years in the McLean School

Shirley and Blackie Johnson made their home in Jiles, between Hedley and Memphis. Blackie is constable in Donley County. They have two children and four grandchildren.

Before coming to McLean Shirley had worked at Memphis and Estelline School with the federal program for five years.

She will be missed and everyone wishes her good health and the time to be with her children and grandchildren, she might even find time to help BILLY RAY CYRUS, CLINT BLACK, AND AMY GRANT HEADLINE

Billy Ray Cyrus, Clint Black and Amy Grant are among celebrities to trade the stage for the baseball diamond as they bat for charity on TNN: The Nashville Network's City of Hope Celebrity Softball Challenge '94. The one hour special will be telecast on Wednesday, August 17, at 8:00 pm (repeats at 12:00 midnight and on Tuesday, August 30, at 8:00 pm and 12:00 midnight; all times Eastern). Highlights in the telecast include Trisha Yearwood singing the national anthem, Giant Record's Clay Walker boasting the game's only home run, and Curb recording artist Tim McGraw, son of baseball legend Tug McGraw, intimidating the competition with spectacular outfield

As the alarm clock announced six o'clock on Monday morning, I lay back a few moments to think about what to do this week. I was caught up on fencing, all windmills were pumping, almost time to quit feeding cake and still too early to plan branding. I almost turned over and went back to sleep, when my instinctive alarm went off. Its too good. Things are going too well! I'd better get up and get after it!

Good old instinct, I thought, as I aired up a pick-up tire and taped an electrical short in my automatic cattle feeder. Be safe, I thought, as I filled

the gas tank and put in two quarts of oil. Check the spare tire! Then I aired it up! In my old age, I'm just getting smarter, so far, so good, I thought, as I pulled out of the driveway to go feed. I'll be back in two hours!

WRONG! as the song By the second pasture, I had changed a flat tire, using a high lift jack I had urinated on to make it work, and undoing the lug nuts with a pair of vice-grips. All is normal and well as I proceed.

WRONG! I had just discovered the fence down in three places between my neighbor and me, and I was

short two bulls on the I'll fix fence Wednesday morning, and ride the neighbors pasture to pick up the two bulls that afternoon and again, all is well.

WRONG! The phone rang as I sat down to a late, cold dinner and the Boss says a pot load of cutting bulls will be there on Wednesday afternoon. Go, ahead and process them, as he is out of pocket.

As thoughts of a leisurely week dissolved into thin air, I tried to think of something positive. Well, at least I won't have to think about what to do this week!!!

CARD OF THANKS A big Thank You to all the great people who brought food, flowers, and every word expressed. special thanks to Norma Curry and Bob Burg for the beautiful music. Bro. M.B. Smith and Bro. Jeff Messer for their words of comfort.

The Travis Winegeart, Sr. Family

Visiting Mary Frazier for several weeks are her grandsons, Samuel and Seth Barrett from Waco, Texas,

They have been in McLean about two weeks and will return home next week to prepare for school. J.D. and Billy Ward visited their son Dennis Ward who is in the service

at San Antonio, Texas. He

will be transferred to

Wichita Falls, Texas for 32

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days.

volunteers to assist them in this area.

The City would appreciate the full participation and cooperation of all of the households in McLean, as they endeavor to provide better facilities and conditions for their citizens.

Any individual or group wishing to help with this survey should contact Stella

Lee, City Secretary at City

Legal Notice

The McLean Independent School District will be receiving bids on property, general liability and auto insurance coverage for the school year 1994-95. total bid must be presented for the entire package. Partial bids will not be accepted.

Bids specifications may be obtained in the school's business office at 4th & Rowe, McLean, Texas.

Bids will be accepted until 4 p.m. August 2nd, 1994. Bids will be opened at the regular board meeting of August 9, 1994. The meeting will be conducted in the school's business office located at 4th & Rowe in McLean, Texas. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

For additional information, you may call (806) 779-2301.

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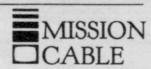
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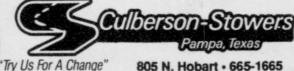


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Notice Of Sale Real Property STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CARSON By virtue of a writ of

execution issued out of the District Court of Carson Texas, on a County, judgment rendered in such court on June 6, 1994, in favor of The City of Groom and against Leo L. Edmonson and Madeline J. Edmonson, in the case of The City of Groom, Texas, vs. Leo L. Edmonson and Madeline J. Edmonson, No. 7636 in such court, the undersigned did on July 5, 1994, at 10:00 a.m., levy upon the following real estate, lying and being situated in Carson County, Texas, as the property of Leo L. Edmonson and Madeline J. Edmonson:

Lot No. 6, Block No. 28, Original Town of Groom, Carson County, Texas, according to the recorded map or plat thereof.

You are further notified that on August 2, 1994, being the first Tuesday of the month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on the specified day, at the courthouse door of Carson County, ail the right, title, and interest of Leo L. Edmonson and Madeline J. Edmonson in and to the above described property will be offered for sale and sold at public auction, for

WITNESS my hand this 5th day of July, 1994.

Loren Brand, Sheriff, Carson County Texas By Ray Davis, Deputy

THE GROOM NEWS THE MCLEAN NEWS

All ads cash with order unless customer has and established account with the Groom/McLean News. Classified ads are .15 per word with a \$4.00 minimum

GARAGE SALE: Fri., July 29, 9am-4pm. Sat., July 30, 9am-12 noon. Lots of clothes and miscellaneous Ronny Fields residence, 206 Choctow.

18 HOLE GOLF Scramble. Saturday, July 30th at the McLean Golf Course. Tee off times 8 am & 2 pm. Bring your own team with ABCD or you can be placed on a team. Prizes include caps, umbrellas, tees, golf balls and more. Cost \$20 per person.
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TWO FAMILY GARAGE Sale in McLean at 707 E. 2nd St., Fri. July 29, Sat. July 30, and Sun. July 31 ?. Daily 8:00 a.m. till ? We have something for everyone in the family.

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FOR SALE in McLean, small clean house on two lots on paved street. Clean end of town, supreme storm cellar, kitchen, dining room, living room, one bedroom and bath. Cash price for only \$4,300, Phone (405)473-2310. . . .

3 BEDROOM HOUSE for sale in Groom. Call 248-

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, July 30th at 9:00 am until ?? Corner of 5th & Cedar. Youth Pastor going to college, must sell everything. McLean.

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4 FAMILY GARAGE Sale: Saturday, August 30, 8am-3pm, Dale Steel home, east of McLean. Furniture, arts & crafts, clothes, appliances and lots of goodies.

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(2) Moore County Located 2.7 miles west of US 287 along the south side of US 87

(3) Carson County -Located · 1.4 miles FM 2880 along the south side of IH 40

(4) Deaf Smith County -Located 1.1 miles west of the Randall county line along the south side of US

(5) Lipscomb County -7.5 miles southwest of Higgins, Texas, along the south side of US 60

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Sunday Bro. Pat Andrews, pastor of the Church of Christ was here to hold a worship service.

Residents working in crafts Monday were Lorena Bailey, Ruby Ayers, Teresa Richardson, Imogene King and Leon Burch. In the afternoon the following residents played bingo: Lorena Bailey, Leon Burch, Teresa Richardson, Ruby Ayers, Adelle Walker, Kittie

McLean Care Center News

Hessey, Polly Burnett, Jessie Coleman, Dick Wheeler, Virgie Everett, Shell Gulley and Lucille Cullison. Cliffie Heasley was here to assist the residents. Bananas were furnished by the Lions Club.

Tuesday morning members of the Church of Christ were here to give the residents a social. Ladies serving cookies and punch were Cliffie Heasley, her great-grandchildren, Kecia,

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Karla and Caren Howard, Sue Marsh and grandchildren, Julie and Tami, and Gladys Godfrey. In the afternoon Eula Morrow, Shell Gulley, Christine Shipley, Dick Wheeler, Ruby Ayers, Imogene King and Teresa Richardson played dominos.

Wednesday morning the residents enjoyed the donuts furnished by Leta Mae Hess. In the afternoon Stanley Lamb was here to play his guitar and sing for the residents.

Thursday the ladies had their manicures and Inez Trostle was here to style their hair. In the afternoon Shell Gulley, Teresa Richardson and Imogene King played dominos.

Friday morning a new program was added for the residents. Leland and Wanda Myers presented a puppet show which was enjoyed by all. Sarah Myers sang "My Fathers Eyes" and Jennifer Myers sang "I Just Want To Be A Sheep"; this was done with her lamb Following the puppet. program a watermelon social was given by the First Assembly of God Church.

Mark your calendar for a We are special event. having a Bar-B-Que August, 6 at 5:00 pm. Please come and join your family and

Insect Identification Clinic To Be Held

Carson County Extension Service will be conducting a series of scouting clinics for area producers to sharpen their insect identification. Producers will become familiar with Economic thresholds of various insects which affect corn and grain sorghum. Dr. Carl Patrick, District Entomologist from Amarillo will be present to assist producers and give advice. The first training will be on Corn. Those wishing to come should meet at Wheeler Evans Elevator at Kingsmill at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August

The second Training Session will be on Milo and producers will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 9th at Attebury Grain in Groom.

The third Training Session will be on Milo. Producers will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 11th at the Community Center in Claude. training is a joint effort with the Carson, Gray and Armstrong County Extension Agents. If you have any questions, please call 537-3882.

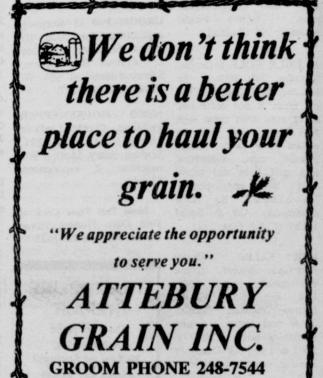
FIRE DEPARTMENT PICNIC

The McLean Department held their annual picnic at the McLean City Park on July 23rd.

The firemen demonstrated some of the ways they go about hooking up the hoses and how to put out the fires.

Sheriff Randy Stubblefield and family from Pampa were guests as well as Deputy Larry Wallace and his family. Belinda and Joe Daniels and family from Precinct 4 also enjoyed the events of the day.

About eighty people were served and everyone had a very good time.



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 1995 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 10, 1994 at 9:00 AM.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$225,785.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$ 7,840.

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. The proposed budget may also be viewed at the appraisal district office.

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