

Boy Scouts Attend Camp



Rhonda Sparling makes summer a little cooler by making snowcones in the park during a recent Vacation Bible School.

## Methodist Church Hosts Vacation Bible School

The First United Next Millennium or What snack time.
Methodist Church has Would Jesus Do In The Thirty-two children
Molding vacation Next Millennium.
been holding off the week and
bible school this week. The children have the kids were encouraged
Their theme for this year learned bible stories, to bring friends every
has been WWJD In The songs, crafts and enjoyed

## E.D.C. Discusses Graham Proposal, Open Meeting Laws, Sparling Proposal

> Development Economic met in regular session on July 20 at noon. With a busy agenda the board members enjoyed lunch members enjoyed lunch at the same time.
Members present
were Martin Graham, Barbara Bode, Marvin Conners Jane Herndon, and
secretary Ginger Haynes secretary Ginger Haynes. Others present were Fred Smith, Terri Adams and David Haynes.
> The minutes were read and approved with a motion from Marvin Conners and second by Barbara Bode. Fred Smith made a open a takeout pizza shop. Martin Graham inquired if the area was commercially zoned for business. The item was tabled until Mr. Smith could get price lists and out. The board told Mr . Smith that they would mold a special meeting if hold a special meeting if information needed.
> information needed.
Frank Sparling was not
> Frank Sparling was not able to sttend the meeting, however, Mr . Graham told the board what Mr. Sparling was planning for his business. tems such as a pressure washer for a car wash or possibly a refrigerator unit for his wife to open business in the front of be building The item the building. The item was tabled until the next meeting when Mr.

Sparling could attend.
Terri Adams from the Terr Adams from the McLean News gave the board new laws that will go into effect on Aug. 30, 1999 regarding open meetings. She also asked for an agenda to be faxed to the news office before each meeting. Mrs. Haynes agreed to do this.
Mrs. Haynes reported that Cable One had been to work on Channel 28 and put new Channel 28 and put new cable in the She also reported that the She also reported that the modem had burned out nd was being replaced the tower. Haynes also nquired if JB's Restaurant could put an ad on Channel 28. The item was tabled until s board member could find out if Alanreed businesses pay the $1 / 2$ cent tax that support the channel.
Mr. Graham reported that he was in the process of getting the prisoners to come work on the meeting room for the EDC.
In a motion by Marvin Conners and seconded by Barbara Bode, all bills were paid along with paying secretary Ginger Haynes.
During open floor, Mr Graham announced that the EDC was on the next City Council agenda to get approval for Pam Skipper to become a

## Momma Was A Shrewd Dealer

## By Delbert Trew

The good Lord broke the mold after he made my mother, Oma Trew, for there was never another like her again. She went into the world at age eighteen working as a Harvey Girl working as a Harvey Girl
in the Harvey House at in the Harvey House at
the Temple, Texas railroad depot. She later married J.T. Trew moving to a farm near Perryton, Texas. It was just in time to endure The Great Depression and to suffer through the Dust Bowl.

Hard work and grit kept them alive until the
member of the board fo the EDC.

It was announced that the next EDC meeting would be August 19 at noon. The meeting adjourned at 1:03 p.m.

MCLEAN REMINDERS

DIVORCECARE meets weokly at 4 th and 9:00 p.m. in McLean.

SCHOOL starts Aug 12 at $8: 15$ am Breakfast will begin being served at 7:45 am.

TWO A DAYS begin on Aug. 4.

THE CITY Council will meet on Aug. 12 at 7:00 pm for their regula session.

THE CHAMBER of Commerce will meet on August 9 at 7:00 pm.

KARATE CLASSES are on Monday and Friday nights at 8:00 pm in the Alanreed gym.

WOMEN'S BHBLE Study at 7:00 every Thursday at Trinity Baptist Church.

SCHOOL STARTS August 12 with the last bell at $8: 15$ a.m. Breakfast will start being served at $7: 45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.

FOOTBALL! Two-A-Days will begin on August 4th at 8:00 a.m. The second practice will be at 4:00 p.m.
The athletes, girls and boys call the McLean Clinic to make an appointment for free physicals. You need to have your physical papers have your physical papers
with a parent or guardian with a parent or guardian
signature, or be signature, or parent. Physicals will be given Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays from 2 to 5 p.m.

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McLean Briefs
Diana and Matthew Roosa are home after a trip to visit family in Houston.

Mike Acuna returned home from Marine Boot

## Trew

decided she needed new Mercury car. She drove to the dealer in Amarillo to try to make
a trade.
Straight faced, she told the salesman the car was just like new. It had only been driven to the Post Office each day by a little old gray haired lady.
The man nodded his head and sat down in the drivers seat. After a moment he stood up shaking his head *93,000 miles on hear three years old. Lady, just where the hell is your Post Office located anyway?*
K.J. Averett and Reo Dennis just returned home from a trip to Six Flags with. thei grandparents.

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- Individuals posing as representatives of credit card issuers have called cardholders and asked them to disclose confidential information, such as account numbers. Callers told credit card holders that their cards would not work after January 1,2000 , unless they attaclied a new magnetic strip to the back of the credit cards. Callers then asked for account numbers and other information so that they could mail the strip to the cardholders In reality, callers were trying to trick cardholders into disclosing personal information like their account number, social security number, address, and other information that would allow them access to the card holder's account
- Individuals posing as financial institution employees, auditors, or others have called customers and asked them to transfer money from existing accounts to "special Year 2000 safe accounts" while the institution corrects Year 2000 problems. Callers then ask for account numbers and authorization to transfer the money to one of these "special" accounts. In reality, the callers were attempting to gain enough information to steal the customer's money.

Please note that no bank, thrif, credit union, or credit card issuer will call you to request your account numbers, personal identification numbers (PIN), or other account information for Year 2000-related purposes. They already have this information.

To help protect yourself from becoming a victim of fraud, the regulators recommend that you:

- Never give out account information, credit card or social security numbers, or other personal information to someone you do not know, unless you initiate the contact. Remember that no financial institution will call you to ask for personal account information.
- Contact your financial institution to report any suspicious request for confidential account information. Don't hesitate to make these calls. If you're being approached, chances are others in your community or around the country are also being targeted.
- Be sure you receive and review your account statements on a timely basis. Fraud can involve attempts to change your address so your account statements are mailed to others.
- Check the accuracy of account statements when you receive them. Make sure that you have authorized all the charges made to your account and report any discrepancies.
- Contact your financial institution if you have any question about its Year 2000 readiness.


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## Kids Enjoy Dillas Game

On Saturday, July 24, all the baseball teams from McLean, T-Ball to Minor League had the honor of attending an honor of attending ame, Each McLean team member got to go out on the field with the player of their position and stand with them during the National Anthem. The kids also had their names announced over the loud speaker and To add to the excitement of the night, the Dillas beat the Ozark Mountain Ducks 4-2. received an Amarillo Dillas $t$-shirt.

## Briefs

Casper Smith, Darell Lee and Edgar Lee all report that the weather has not been too hot to play golf even though temperatures have risen above 100 degrees.

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Heald United Methodist Church Kellerville Road Sunday 9:15

Trinity Baptist Church 603 Commerce James Mantooth 779-3207
Sunday School 9:45 am Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Bible Study \& Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church 206 E. 1st
Pastor James Martindale 779-2175
Sunday School 9:45; Worship 11:00 a.m. \& 6:00 p.m. (Youth) \& Wed. Bible Study, Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Sun. Youth Bible Study 5:00 p.m.

Basham Elected President


Weekly Bible Question
Sponsored By The McLean Church Of Christ
Q. What does the bible say about religious unity? (Part 1)
A. There is a cry for the religious world for "unity". How does one must reconcile conflicting doctrines, multiple governing bodies and non-cohesive religious practices? The desire for unity among believers is valid and necessary. However, it must be based upon the word and will of God, not upon the doctrines and desires of men. The proper approach is to see what God says in His Word. Please consider the following passages carefully.
L. The unity of the New Testament is an important characteristic.

Jesus prayed for it, John 20-22
The Apostles preached it, 1 Cor, 1:10; 3:3-5; Eph.. 4:1-6
The church practiced it, Acts 4:32; Joh 1:7; Phil. 1:27
All believers were one ( same) in Christ
They believed the same gospel, Mr. 16:15, 16; Rom. 1:16: Gal. 1:6ff
They obeyed the same gospel, Acts $2: 38-41$; Rom. 6:3-18
They were added to the dame church, Acts $2: 47 ; 1$ Cor. 12:13
They kept the same ordinances, 1 Cor. 11:2; Matt 28:20; Acts 2:42; 2 John 9
They wore the same name, Acts 11:26; Pet. 4:14-16
They were of the same mind, Acts $4: 32 ; 1$ Cor. 1:10; Phil. 1:27; 2:2-8
They spoke the same thing, 1 Cor. 1:10; Gal. 1:6-9
They walked by the same rule, Gal. 6:16; Phil. $3: 16$
They had the same love for one another, Phil. $2: 2$
Conclusion: The Bible-prescribed method of unity is based upon the will of God for His people. Unity without God's standards is merely acceptance of error without question. Unity without sound Bible doctrine is apostasy. True unity springs from harmony with God's word.

Send your Bible questions to: Mclean Church of Christ, Box 155, McLean, TX 79057. May the Lord bless you in the prayerful study of His Word. Request a free in-home Bible

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## McLean Care Center News

The residents of the busy summer. On by the Friendship McLean Care Center Sunday, residents enjoyed Methodist Church and have been enjoying a Sunday School provided


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Logan Sparling and Mark and Kevin Smith.

## Obituaries

Dixie Danelle Comer
MCLEAN -Dixie Danelle Comer, 52, died

Thursday, July 22, 1999. Services were Monday in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Thacker Haynes officiating. Burial was in the Alanreed Cemetery at Alanreed.
Mrs. Comer was born in Shamrock and graduated from high school in Monument, Colorado. She moved to McLean from Montana in 1987. She was a selfemployed artist, a homemaker and a member of the Methodist church.

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Nora Turner would like to thank everyone for all the prayers, phone calls, food and cards that were sent at the time of our loss. She will be greatly missed.

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Groom ISD is accepting bids for fuel service for the Groom ISD transportation fleet for the 1999-2000 school year. Specifications include gasoline, diesel fuei by the tank. Bids may be sent to Groom ISD, John Wilson, Superintendent, 304 W . 3rd, Groom, Texas, 79039-0598.

Bid Notice
Groom ISD is accepting bids for milk for the 1999-2000 school year. Specifications include homogenized regular, low fat, chocolate, low fat chocolate milk, delivered in $1 / 2$ pint containers. Bids may be sent to Bids may be sent to $\begin{array}{lll}\text { O h n W } & 1180 \mathrm{n} \\ \text { Superintendent, } \\ 304 & \mathrm{~W}\end{array}$ Superintendent, 304 W.
3 rd, Groom,
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79039-0598.

## Bid Notice

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## Political

Calendar
The Groom News is authorized to present the names of the following candidates for office, subject o the Elections to be held on Nov. 8. A fee of $\$ 35.00$ has been paid by each candidate or listing in this column from now till the final election in November.
Republican Party
District Attorney
$\frac{\text { 100th Judicial District }}{\text { Stuart Messer }}$
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## Notice Of Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS judgements rendered in COUNTY OF CARSON By virtue of Orders of Sale issued of Orders of numbered ctyled and Judicial Distrut of the together with interest at CARSON County in the and per cent per annum, following cases on the and all cost of suit in 8th day of July, 1999, COUNTY, CITY OF and to me, as Sheriff GROOM, GROOM directed and delivered, I IN DE EPENDENM will proceed to sell at SCHOOL DISTRICT, 10:00 A.M. on the 3RD COUNTY EDUCATION 10:00 A.M. on the 3RD COUNTY EDUCATION
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## Ribbon Cutting Opens S \& H Grocery


G.E.D.C. President Clif Britten, Mayor Joe Homer, Sun Bank Representatives Dianna McGill and Steve Sherrill join

## Sherif Discusses Dept Changes <br> Sheriff Discusses Dept. Changes With Court

The Carson County Commissioners Court met on July 26, 1999 with the following members and officers present: Judge Lewis Powers, Commissioners Mike Britten, Kenneth Ware, Jerry Strawn and Kevin Howell.

Votes were unanimous

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Sharlene Lewis preparing for the start of school by looking over' the school supplies list needed by the different grades.

Al Homer looking good and getting around to his helping out for Groom Day as he always has.
unless otherwise stated. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and all claims were scheduled to be paid.

The court voted not to increase the road to bridge fees road and bridge fees imposed on registration charges by the county. The fee will

## remain at $\$ 5.00$

Carson County Clerk Sonya Millican's petition to the court to move a $\$ 442.50$ line item from office repairs to office supplies was approved. The clerk's budget was also changed to pay computer contracts from records preservation money collected by that office. The $\$ 500$ monthly charge from the monthly charge from the records management account was approved, instead of taking it from general revenue funds.
Carson County Judge Lewis Powers presented the court with a fire service agreement from the City of Fritch. It was decided unanimously to pay the entity $\$ 14,574$ for the past six quarters and pay the new annual contract of $\$ 9,716$. The contract of $\$ 9,716$. The county had not been billed for the previous quarters due to the
transition period of the Fritch City Council. Carson County Sheriff Margaret Whatley Gary Robertson briefed delivering delicious donuts to the Grocery Store.
budget and change the procedure of allowing overtime and compensation time. The sheriff's office will be filling two dispatcher positions and a jail administrator. Deputy Jason Gipson resigned effective July 3, 1999. Scott Daily was hired on July 15, 1999 as field deputy. The appointment of Robertson as sheriff created the vacancy of jail administrator. Sberiff Robertson asked the commissioners to amend the budget by $\$ 200$ for computer upgrades. The sheriff also asked the court to eliminate the overtime compensation payment for all department personnel. He proposed to raise the current pay scale for the current pay scale for the
department and base it department and base it on the calculation of 28-day cycle time on a 28 -day cycle and to allow for the annual payout of unused accumulated compensation time at the end of the fiscal year. The See County, pg. 6

The long awaited grand opening of Groom S \& H Grocery was held Saturday morning. Alpha Mu Xi hosted the event that featured a ribbon cutting, speeches, free hot dogs and cokes and a drawing for $\$ 50.00$ worth of free groceries.
Mayor of Groom, Joe Homer, President of Groom Economic Development Corporation Clif Britten, Representatives of Sun Bank of Panhandle Dianna McGill and Steve Sherrill were all on hand to officiate the ribbon cutting.
"We are very happy to have Sharlene and the Groom Grocery back," stated Mayor Homer, stated Mayor Homer,
work in getting the residents of Groom and the surrounding area a grocery store.
President of the Groom Economic Development Corporation Clif Britten also commented, "We hope that the people of Groom will continue to shop at home with all the businesses in Groom, including the grocery store. Groom merchants need us as much as we need them!"
The event was fun and up lifting for all who attended. R.A. Snyder was the lucky winner of the $\$ 50.00$ worth of free groceries.
Earl Britten was
Sharlene's first customer
when she opened on
Wednesday. Wednesday.

## COMMUNITY CALENDER

## ATTENTION NEW

 STUDENTS: Register for school at Groom ISD on Wednesda at 9:00 a.m.ATTENTION GROOM STUDENTS: Grades 6-12th may pick up their schedules at 1:00 p.m. on Wed., Aug. 4.

WHEN GROOM School begins on Aug. 12 th, the tardy bell will ring at 7:55 a.m.

WOOD GATHERING for Groom Day will be on July 29 at $6: 30$. Meet in front of Johnny Brook's shop.

## Groom Day Contacts

Parade, Dondra Downs 248-7947; Craft Show \& T-Shirts, Sandra Britten 248-7226; Rodeo \& Sunday Roping, Lonny Brown 248-7310; Tent Activities, Donna Barnett 248-7058; Raffle, Karen Brown 248-7210; Tractor Pull Michele Bohr 248 7018; Tennis Match, Shirley Fields 248-7435; 3 on 3 Basketball, The Groom Coaching Staff 248-7616; and Volleyball Tournament, Tim Case 248-7290; Cow Pattie Bingo Dean \& Donna Burger 669-7028.

INTERESTED in participating in the St . Jude's Bike-A-Thon on Aug. 13. Call Jan Britten at 248-7414 or 248-7250.

WANTED! Volunteers of the male persuasion to participate in "The Womanless Wedding". Also need to borrow some large sized women's clothing and wigs. Call Kay Britten at 248-7252.

TWO-A-DAYS will begin on August 4th at 7:00 p.m.

1999 GROOM DAY
FOOD PRPARATION
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## Twins One Boy, One Girt

 Charles and Jackie Rennie of Groom and Bill and Etta Miller of Tolar are the proud grandparents of twins.The proud parents are Todd and Sissy Freernan of Glen Rose. The twins were born Friday, July 23rd at Harris Southwest Hospital in Ft. Worth.
Jarett Todd was born at $6: 37 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and weighed 5 pounds 7 ounces. Jordan Leigh was born at 6:38 a.m. and weighed 5 pounds 11 ounces. Jarrett and Jordan were welcomed home by big sister, Jamie.
Todd is the brother of Jody Richardson of Groom and Kelly Packard of White Deer.

## COW POKES <br> COW POKES

By Ace Reid

"I know why he acts like he don't see us. We got rain and he didn't get any, so he thinks it's a frame up."

## MEMBER

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Day Trash Rodeo, Carson County Roping Planned
If you are hankerin' for a little ol'west action on Groom Day, you won't have to look far to find it. Two events will bring rodeo action to town.
On Saturday, Aug. 7 at 1:00 p.m. the "Day Trash Rodeo" will kick off. Ranch teams and Day Hands are invited. Five events will be held, doctorin', muggin', milkin', sortin', and brandin'. This event is for working cowboys. Basic ranch rules and dress code will apply dress code will apply. by Bill Homer will be by Bill Homer will be awarded to the winning team, plus the Top Hand.
your birthday or anniversary? Give us a call at 779-2141.


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## Wood Reunion Held Here

|  |  | Friends were invited to Friemel; Sudy \& Button |
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## 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 2000 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 11, 1999 at 9:00 AM.
A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:
The total amount of the proposed budget is $\$ 243,958$.
The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is $\$ 3,968$.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be: $\mathbf{4}$ (full-time equivalent)

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is: $\mathbf{4}$ (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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## ATTENTION K-3:, All

 K-3 students will need a pair of non-marking tennis shoes for the gym in P.E.KINDERGARTEN
\$2 pencils
brand box of 8 Crayola brand crayons (most children prefer the smaller crayons)
4 small glue sticks or 2 large (the purple or blue ones wark best) 14 oz. Crayola School Glue with no-clog green ${ }_{1}^{\text {top }}$ Fiskar or safety scissors (Walmart or Groom Grocery)
1 Crayola Wrshable Classic Colors pink and include the children will gray, the children will really use 1 Crayola Wa colors. paints paints
large box of tissues 1 large backpack 1 red \& blue resting
1 plain vinyl pocket folder (available at Walmart and office supply stores for about \$1)

* Please do not purchase a school box. The teacher furnishes the students with baskets that they will use as schoo boxes.
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1 large glue stick (purple or blue kind)
1 pkg. pencil top erasers (no novelty items) Fiskar scissors
270 page wide-ruled spirals
1 red pocket folder 1 black pocket folder please do not buy plastic kind.
Everything slips out.
large box Kleenex
1 inexpensive clear plastic shoe box with lid (available at Target or Walmart for about \$1)

## SECOND GRADE

10 \#2 pencils
10 pencils
box 24 count crayola
1 box 8 count markers 1 pair of Fiskar or
safety scissors safety scissors
1 red pencil or pen
large eraser
1 pkg. of pencil top erasers
270 page wide-ruled spiral notebooks folders with pockets
14 oz , bottle of glue
1.4 oz . bottle of glue

1 pkg, wide ruled pkg. Wide ruled supply box
1 supply bo
1 large box tissues
Third Grade Supplies 3 \# 2 pencils
3 folders with pockets Notebook paper (small pack/wide ruled)
2 red grading pencils or Crayons
Ruler (wooden metric \& standard)
Good cutting scissors
Map pencils
School Box
200 ct . Kleenex
2 spirals (wide ruled,
50-70 sheets)
Small assignment pad
NO LOOSE LEAF NOTEBOOKS
$4 \mathrm{TH}, 5 \mathrm{TH} \quad \& \quad 6 \mathrm{TH}$

## Grades

\#2 pencils or mechanical pencils
Pens - red for grading,
blue or black
Wide Ruled paper
5 one subject spirals
Colored pencils (map colors)
One 12 inch ruler with centimeters
3 Pocket folders without fasteners
3 ring binder or trapper


Members of Alpha Mu Xi hosted the Groom S\&H Grocery celebration, Pictures are (back) Tonda Torrez, Melanie Martin, Donna Barnett, Charlotte Whatley, Bea Stephens, Barbara Homer, Carole Fields, and Leslie Brown.

## Zipper pocket to store

2 pencils, pens Kleenex (4th \& 5th Kleenex (4th \& Graders only
4th \& 5th Graders need P.E. shorts, T-shirt and court shoes
[Not all teachers could be reached by press time, more supplies may be needed.]
6th Grade Only
3 Pocket folders with brads
Map Colors
Highlighters
7th Grade Supplies 2 Spiral Notebook 1100 sheet spiral
5 pocket folders with

## brads

$1^{\prime \prime}$ floppy 3 ring
folder (poly vinyl)
Highlighters
Red Pens
Black or Blue Pens
Pencils
1 piece of white poster board
Colored pencils (small
set)
Scissors
Eraser
1 box tissues
8th Grade Supplies
5 spiral notebooks
7 pocket folders with brads
Pens \& pencils.
Highlighters
Red Pen
Erasers
$11^{*}$ Floppy 3 ring folder

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small package Crayola Red Pen
1 small package Crayola 
High School
[Editor's Note: Not all
eachers could be reached
at press time. Students
may need to have
additional supplies]
9th Grade English
spiral notebook
    1 spiral notebook
    2 pocket folders with
    brads
    Highlighters
    Red Pen
    Biology I
    1.1" floppy 3 ring binder
    Pencils
    Eraser Leafe Paper
    Loose Leaf Paper
    Highlighters
    1 folder with pockets
    1 piece of white
        posterboard
        1 small set colored
        pencils
    Chemistry I
        1. floppy 3 ring
        folder
    Pencils
    Eraser
    Loose leaf notebook
        paper
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## County

employee pay package also Would include levels and longevity, The motion was approved unanimously to allow the new structure and these proposals that would proposals that would reduce the payout of \$7,000.
7,000.
Judge Powers discussed salaries with the court to anable the departments to set their proposed plans for the upcoming budget
hearings. Commissioner Howell petitioned the court for road hand Dexter Cochran to be moved from a $24-\mathrm{A}$ to a 24-D level salary and Ed Story from $23-B$ to a 24 D level. Commissioner Strawn asked the court to move Bud Stafford from move Bud Stafford from a $24-\mathrm{A}$ to a $24-\mathrm{D}$ level and Danny Tarpley from a $22-\mathrm{B}$ to a $23-\mathrm{B}$ level. The court approved these increases unanimously.
The court discussed a proposed $5 \%$ pay raise across the board for the county. Commissioner

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Strawn made the motion Tarpley,
to allow a $3 \%$ raise to be included in the budget. Commissioner Britten seconded the motion. The motion carried with Howell voting against the court. The $3 \%$ raise would be added to the salaries of the road hands that were previously raised. There would be a $9 \%$ increase for Story, 6\% increase for Cochran and Stafford and $7 \%$ increase for

The court adjoumed until August 9, 1999.

## Card Of Thanks

 Thanks so much for your cards, wishes and prayers for Betty. She is receiving specialized care and would enjoy hearing from you atIHS of Amarillo
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Martin Hermesmeyer

## ATTENTION!

BFI WILL NOT PICK UP TREE LIMBS PILED NEXT TO DUMPSTERS. PLEASE DISPOSE OF THEM IN SOME OTHER WAY! THE CITY OF GROOM



