

# The McLean News

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## McLean Tigers Win Groom Relays

McLean let their presence known at the Groom Relays held in Groom on Saturday, April 8. The meet kicked off at 8:30 a.m. despite the cold wind. Times seem to be down, but the spirit and determination of the McLean Tigers and Lady Tigers was not lacking.

McLean girls finished the meet with a final score of 84, which placed them in second behind Groom girls with their score of 187.

Darla McAnerar of McLean won the 100 high hurdles easily in 16.92, while teammate Coleman picked up silver medals in the long jump (15-15 1/2), triple jump, 100 and 100 hurdles.

When Silverton Coach Jack Shely scratched his 1600 relay team he had no idea he was virtually guaranteeing McLean the boys' team title. McLean Coach Jerry Miller, however knew it well.

Miller had been religiously tallying points during the last hour of the meet, and with one event remaining, McLean's numbers looked good. Groom, trailing McLean 117-105, had to finish at least three places ahead of McLean to tie for first. But with Silverton out of the race, the 1600 relay field was reduced to three teams and McLean's victory was assured.

In the end, Groom clocked a 3:41.74 to win the relay, but still lost the war. McLean was second in 3:41.66, good enough to win the boys' title with 133 points.

"I felt pretty good after

### Services Held For William Heasley

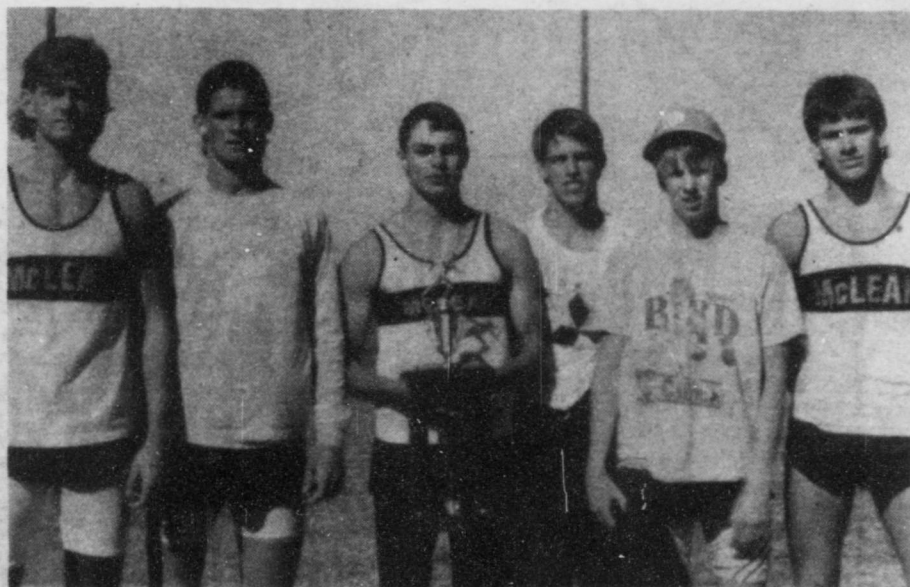
Services for William Reo Heasley 78, of McLean were held Monday April 10, at 2:30 p.m. the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Mark Wilson, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mr. Heasley died Saturday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

He was born May 31, 1910 in Amarillo and moved to McLean in the same year with his parents. He was a 1926 graduate of McLean High School. He has been a rural route mail carrier since 1938. He was preceded in death by his wife, Audra Lee Heasley, on June 23, 1968.

Survivors include a son, Bill Heasley, Breakenridge; two sisters, Virgie Everett, McLean, and Vesta Williams, Andrews; three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.



McLean winners are; Todd Stump, Sid Brass, Quinton Brown, Tres Hess, Donald Harris and Grant Mann.

we won the mile," Miller said, referring to Donald Harris' gold medal 5:05.34 finish, which put McLean over the top for good.

If such good things were given at track meets, Harris might have garnered the boys' MVP award. In addition to winning the 1600, he edged Stoney of Groom at the tape for yet another gold medal in the 400 with a time of 55.08. He then ran a 55.7 anchor leg on McLean's 1600 relay.

Sid Brass won the 800 to pick up McLean's only other gold medal, finishing in 2:10.46 to match his season best, despite the bite of a strong north wind. He contributed 12 other points to McLean's cause by collecting the bronze in both the long jump and the high jump.

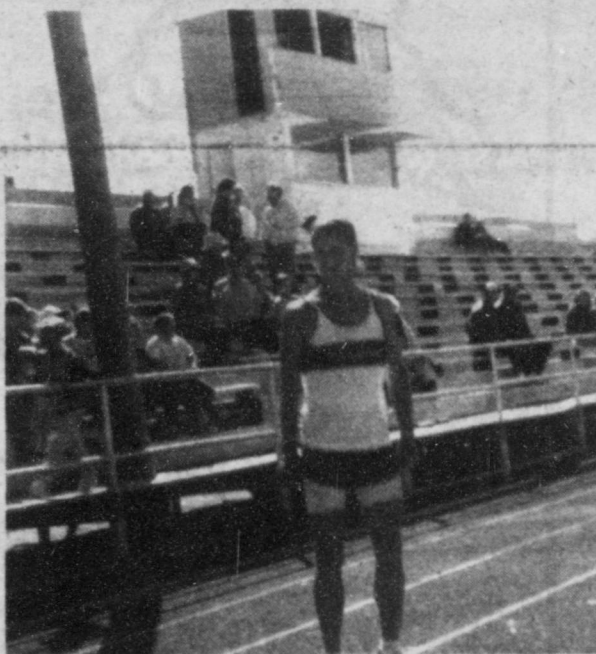
The official results are on page 9.

### John Dickinson Services Held

Services for John Posey Dickinson, 79, were held on Saturday, April 8, at 2:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jeff Messer, pastor, assisted by the Rev. Mark Wilson, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home.

Mr. Dickinson was born March 6, 1910 in Hillsville, Va. He moved to McLean from Sayre, Okla., in 1975. He married Louise Williams Fricks in 1977 at Amarillo. He was employed by Puckett's Grocery Chain for 62 years. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, a son, a daughter, two stepsons, a stepdaughter, two brothers, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.



Sid Brass won the 800 meter race winning a gold medal, which helped total a victory for McLean.

## Turning Point Offers Workshop On Drug, Alcohol Abuse

Turning Point Directors Donald T. Nichols, Certified Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselor, has announced a free public education workshop for friends and families of those who suffer from alcohol and drug dependency treatment program of Northwest Texas Hospital.

The workshop, April 15, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the N.W.T.H. Tunnel Classroom (1501 S. Coulter), offers hope and help to those who are affected by an alcoholic or chemically dependent person.

"We will explore how those effected can intervene on the addictive process," Nichols said.

Turning point offered the first workshop of this kind last spring. According to Nichols, the workshop has helped meet the needs of many in Amarillo. "We hope that as we continue to offer the workshop, we will be able to reach beyond the city limits and offer this program to all people in the Panhandle.

Nichols and Charles W. Parks, C.A.D.A.C., Community Services Coordinator for Turning Point, will be the featured speakers at the workshop.

Although open to the public, space is limited and reservations are required. For information or reservations call 378-4731 or (toll free) 1/800-537-2585.

## Special Account For Tate Family Set Up At Bank

A special account has been started for Mark, Melody and Logan Tate at the Bank of Commerce in McLean.

Logan, the infant daughter of Mark and Melody Tate is a patient at Lubbock General Hospital and has recently undergone surgery.

People in McLean are currently planning two fund raisers to help this young family out. If you are interested in helping contact Margaret Milam, Shandee Tolleson or Mary Ann Carpenter.

### GOLF TOURNAMENT

In the Golf Tournament the McLean boys came in second with 377 points. Rob Sanderson was number two medalist.

McLean girl, Misty Magee won first place. Regional tournament will be April 25 and 26. The boys will travel to Sundown and the girls will go to Levelland.

### McLEAN SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Friday, April 14 - Steak Fingers, Cream Gravy, Mash Potatoes, Green Beans, Whole Wheat Rolls, Butter and Honey, and Milk

Monday April 17 - NO SCHOOL

Tuesday April 18 - Pizza, Salad, Corn, Banana Pudding and Milk.

Wednesday April 19 - Tacos, Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Sopillias, Honey and Milk

Thursday April 20 - Chili Dogs, French Fries, Pork and Beans, Rice Krispi Bars, and Milk

### Notice Of The City Election

To the registered voter of McLean, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that the Lovett Memorial Library will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 6, 1989, for voting in the General Election to elect a Mayor and Alderman.

Absentee voting by personal will be conducted each weekday at the McLean City Hall between the hours of 8:00 and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 17, 1989 and ending on May 2, 1989.

Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to: Mrs. Stella Lee, PO Box 9, McLean, Tx. 79057. Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later, than the close of business on April 28, 1989.

This notice of election was issued on April 3, 1989 and signed by McLean Mayor George M. Green.

## REMINDER

**U.I.L. REGIONALS**  
Karen Williams and Dollie Haynes will travel to Levelland for U.I.L. Regional Competition. Karen will be competing in News Writing and Dollie in Spelling and Featured Writing.

**Judging Contest**  
More than 1,500 high school students from the Panhandle and West Texas will participate in the 61st annual FFA Judging Contest Saturday at Texas Tech University.

The State Horse Judging Contest also will be at Texas Tech this year on April 22.

**McLean 4H Calendar**  
April 13-Exchange project meeting at 6:00 p.m., Horse Judging at 7:00 p.m. and 4H Youth Rodeo meeting at 8:00 p.m.

April 14-Registration due for fashion and clothing and textile symposium at Texas Women's University.

April 15-Range and Grass II District Contests, E.T. Pizza Building Fund Raiser at 1:00 p.m.

April 16-County Roundup at 2:00 p.m.

April 17-Rifle practice at 7:00 p.m., E.T. 4-H meeting at 7:00 p.m., Horse Project meeting at 7:00 p.m.

April 18-Rife practice at 7:00 p.m., Consumer Decision making practice contest at 5:00 p.m.

April 19-Top O' Texas 4-H Club's Sewing Project, 4-6 p.m.

### Notice Of Election McLean ISD McLean, Texas

To the registered voters of McLean, ISD, McLean, Texas: Notice is hereby given that the Lovett Memorial Library, 302 N. Main, McLean, will be the polling place. The polling place will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 6, 1989, for voting in a trustee election to elect three trustees for three year terms and one (1) trustee for one year term.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at McLean ISD Business Office, located at Fourth and Rowe Streets, McLean, Tx., between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on April 17, 1989 and ending on May 2, 1989.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Sue Simmons, PO Box K., McLean, Texas, 19057.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 28, 1989.

The above notice of election was issued on April 5, 1989.





Registering Guests at the meeting were: Doris Britten, Louise Conrad and Alice Britten.

**Catholic Area Women Met For Spring Deanery Meeting**

Catholic area women met at St. Mary's School for the Pampa Spring Deanery Meeting, Friday, April 7. The women enjoyed a day of fellowship and learning. Programs presented were on Respite (volunteer relief for homebound caretakers), Speaker Dr. Grooms, spoke on the theme "Come See-Go and Tell" in terms of teaching Christianity by example, and a video named "America, You're Too Young To Die" on the subject of American's moral responsibility. Holy Mass was celebrated and a salad

luncheon was hosted by the Groom members.

Those attending were Bishop Leroy Matthiesen, and Msgr. Smyer of Amarillo. Alta Mae Hartman of Happy. Those attending from Pampa were Father Sides, Sandi Schaffer, Jackie Dunn, Jean Bratcher, Lois Urbanczyk, Majaunta Hills, Marcella Helbert, and Mary Ann Boehmisch. From Panhandle were Joan Conrad, Madeline Labus, Mary Ann Labus, Joyce Hoffman, Gladys Looten, and Margaret Hammer. From White Deer were Father Hands, Laqueta Kotara, Darla Pulse, Angie Lopez, Cathy Martinez and

Proxie Warminski. From St. Frances were Vicki Burrell, Barbara Anderson, Doris Gabel, Anna Marie Wink, Kathy Bertrand, and Doris Smith. From Groom were Father Neyer, Alice Britten, Louise Conrad, Margaret Babcock, Doris Britten, Maggie Weinheimer, Doris Homer, Norma Jean Homer, Kay Britten, Claudine Britten, Wynona Koetting, Nell Britten, Theresa Wills, Mary Britten, Inez

Weinheimer, Sue Wills, Marcia Conrad, Evelyn Hubbard, Adela Kotara, Lucille Britten, Neysa Friemel, and Marla Britten. Babysitting was in Mike Britten's home with Tracy Weinheimer watching over the little ones.

Those in charge of this event wish to thank the local merchants for their support in making this event an enjoyable and successful one.

**Groom Senior Citizen Menu**

April 14-Smothered pork chops, gravy and mashed potatoes, corn and cranberry sauce.

April 18-chicken taco pie, tossed salad, cranberry sauce and dessert

April 21-meat loaf, mashed potatoes, macaroni and tomatoes, birthday cake and ice cream.

April 25-Taco salad, refried beans, jello and dessert

April 28-fish croquettes, french fries, cole slaw, hush puppies and dessert

May 2-turkey, dressing, gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce and dessert  
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**Groom Relays Girls**  
Official Results  
**Team totals:** 1. Groom 187; 2. McLean 84; 3. Silverton 58; 4. Higgins 50; 5. Guthrie 24; 6. Lefors 20.  
**Discuss:** 1. Watson, Lefors, 94-7; 2. Burger, Groom, 85-11 1/2; 3. English, Groom, 74-6.  
**Shot:** 1. English, Groom, 31-51/4; 2. Watson, Lefors, 28-10; 3. Miller, Silverton, 25-5 1/4  
**Long Jump:** 1. Bohr, Groom, 16-8; 2. Coleman, McLean, 15-151/1; 3. Ozburn, Guthrie, 14-8.  
**Triple Jump:** 1. Bohr, Groom, 32-9; 2. Coleman, McLean, 32-81/4; 3. McAnear, McLean, 31-19.  
**High Jump:** 1. Graham, Silverton, 4-2; 2. Meaker, Groom, 4-2.  
**3200:** 1. Tomlin, Silverton, 16:24.01; 2. Case, Groom, 18:08.18; 3. Brown, Groom, 19:20.81.  
**800:** 1. Colby, Higgins,

2:51.45; 2. Foggerson, Silverton, 3:06.47; 3. Meaker, Groom, 3:12.17.  
**100 H:** 1. McAnear, McLean, 16.92; 2. Coleman, McLean, 18.49; 3. Graham, Silverton, 19.65.  
**100:** 1. Bohr, Groom, 13.47; 2. Coleman, McLean, 13.94; 3. McAnear, McLean, 13.95.  
**400:** 1. Bohr, Groom, 63.70; 2. Gourley, Higgins, 65.66; 3. Ozburn, Guthrie, 70.39.  
**200:** 1. Gourley, Higgins, 28.53; 2. Patterson, Groom, 29.35; 3. Graham, Silverton, 30.10.  
**1600:** 1. Tomlin, Silverton, 7:02.57; 2. Ward, McLean, 7:15.19; 3. Brown, Groom, 8:47.02.  
**400 Relay:** 1. Groom (Sweatt, Bohr, Fields, Patterson), 54.13; 2. McLean 55.37.  
**800 Relay:** 1. Groom (Sweatt, Fields, English, Patterson), 54.13; 2. McLean 55.37.

**1600 Relay:** 1. Groom (Sweatt, Meaker, Fields, English), 4:46.75; 2. Higgins 4:50.72.  
**Boys**  
**Team Totals:** 1. McLean 133; 2. Groom 125; 3. Silverton 76; 4. Lefors 71; 5. Higgins 52; 6. Guthrie 38.  
**Discuss:** 1. Henson, Groom, 130-2; 2. Jenkins, Groom, 99-0; 3. West, Silverton, 97-1.  
**Shot:** 1. Holcomb, Guthrie, 44-3; 2. Henson, Groom 42-1/2; 3. Stump, McLean, 39-1/2.  
**Vault:** 1. Roberson, Lefors, 10-6; 2. Stump, McLean, 10-6; 3. Mayfield, Lefors, 10-0.  
**High Jump:** 1. Willyard, Higgins, 5-8; 2. Bowley, Lefors, 5-6; 3. Brass, McLean, 5-6.  
**Long Jump:** 1. Edwards, Silverton 20-10; 2. Miller, Guthrie, 20-21/2; 3. Brass, McLean, 20-2/2.  
**2100:** 1. Neighbors, Higgins, 11:49.62; 2. Rose, Groom, 11:51.07; 3. Mann, McLean 11:54.38.  
**1600:** 1. Harris, McLean, 5:05.34; 2. Miller, Guthrie, 5:13.23; 3. Neighbors, Higgins, 5:13.66.  
**800:** 1. Brass, McLean, 2:10.46; 2. Miller, Guthrie, 2:14.37; 3. Bewley, Lefors, 3:20.32.  
**110 H:** 1. Willyard, Higgins, 15.75; 2. Stump, McLean, 16.8; 3. Brunson, Silverton, 17.05.  
**100:** Ruthardt, Groom,

11:67; 2. Willyard, Higgins, 12:18; 3. Hess, McLean, 12:22.  
**400:** 1. Harris, McLean, 55:08; 2. Crump, Groom, 55.20; 3. Britten, Groom, 55.40.  
**300 H:** 1. Slatten, Lefors, 44.26; 2. Brown, McLean, 45.31; 3. Branson, Silverton, 45.35.  
**200:** 1. Kerlee, Groom 24.35; 2. Willyard, Higgins, 24.42; 3. Mayfield, Lefors,

24.86.  
**400 Relay:** 1. Groom, (Kerlee, Britten, Crump, Ruthardt), 46.38; 2. McLean 47.7; 3. Silverton 48.61.  
**1600 Relay:** 1. Groom (Kerlee, Britten, Crump, Ruthardt), 46.38; 2. McLean 47.7; 3. Silverton 48.61.  
**1600 relay:** 1. Groom (Kerlee, Britten, Crump, Ruthardt), 3:41.74; 2. McLean 3:44.66; 3. Lefors 3:51.66.

**Services Held For Lillian Dees**

Lillian Dees, 74, died Saturday, April 8, 1989. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday, April 10, in Griggs Pioneer Chapel with Brother Eill Rowland, pastor of Forest Hill Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery by N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Dees was born in Elif County. She married Charles Dees in 1956 at Clovis, N.M. He died in 1976. She moved to Amarillo in 1960. She was a housewife and a member of Forest Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Charlotta Rodriguez and Norma Ponos, both of Amarillo; a brother, George L. Day of McLean; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

The family was at 2134 S. Fairfield. The family requests that memorials be sent to Forest Hill Baptist Church Building Fund.

**Obituaries**

**Services Held For Phillip Myers**

Phillip Myers 68, of 4512 Barbados, Wichita Falls died, Thurs., April 6, 1989. Services were at 11:00 a.m. Saturday at Hampton Vaughan Funeral Home with Myers' nephew Dr. Jack Gray, a Methodist evangelist from Carrollton, Texas officiating Masonic graveside rites were conducted in Crestview Memorial Park. Myers was born April 27, 1920 in Denton, Texas. He and Shirley Johnston were married October 10, 1942 in McLean.

He was a member of Grant Street Methodist Church and was a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason. He was an independent oil operator and investor.

Survivors include his wife one son Major Philip Gary Myers of Shreveport, LA., one daughter Margaret Myers of Wichita Falls, one sister and three brothers. He was a brother-in-law of Elton Johnston.

**Services Held For Tina Eula Joiner**

Tina Eula Joiner, 85, died Friday, April 7, 1989, in Amarillo.

Graveside services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, April 10, in the Silverton Cemetery with the Rev. Jim Browning, pastor of Silverton First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Joiner was born in

See Joiner, page 10.

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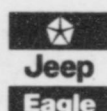
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### Jovalier Club Met

Reported by Vivian Lacy

The Jovalier Club met on April 4, for the April meeting in the home of Bonnie Walker in Amarillo. During the month of March the club did not meet, so those attending had lots to catch up on. In March the club attended the Country Squire Dinner Theatre and saw the play "Right Bed Wrong Husband". The

April meeting was enjoyed by those attending. Games entertained everyone. Those attending were JoAnn Britten, Doris Britten, Gloria Ledwig, Joan Conrad, Billie Chauveaux, Kay Tindel, Margie Luxeon and Bonnie Walker.

The May 2, meeting will be held in the home of JoAnn Britten.

### End-Of Season Basketball Party Set

An end-of-season basketball party has been scheduled for Friday, April 14, at the Harvester Lanes in Pampa from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. It will cost \$1.80 per game and this will include the shoe rentals. The group will leave the gym by 4:15. Anyone who can take a load of kids please contact Carolyn Branch at 248-7575 by Wednesday afternoon, April 11. Any families who would like to bowl are also welcome.

If you have any questions call Nila Burgin.

### Junior/Senior Prom

The Junior Class of Groom ISD spent this past week preparing for the junior/Senior event of the year, The Junior/Senior Banquet and Prom, held Saturday. This year's theme was "Enchantment of the Orient". The community center was decorated with the orient theme, colors of red and black graced the wall, with decorations of the far east.

The evening began with Ben Weinheimer welcoming the classmates, school board and faculty members to the evening. Heather Patterson gave the invocation. The Pampa Show Choir performed a special concert for everyone's enjoyment. Jay Britten concluded the ban-

quet with a benediction.

Dyer's barbecue of Pampa catered the meal of steak, salad, green beans, rolls and fortune cookies.

The prom was held at the Groom Community Center following the banquet. Achrom of Amarillo provide the music.

### Card Of Thanks

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### New Arrivals

#### Oberbrockling

Eddie and Lori Oberbrockling are the proud parents of a daughter, Chelsea Nikkole, born Saturday, March 25, at 10:41 p.m. in Northwest Texas Hospital.

The grandparents are Janie Lewis, of Crosbyton, Ernest Lewis, of Amarillo, Edward and Doris Oberbrockling, of Amarillo. The great-grandparents are Edna Littlefield, of Fritch, and Clarence and Pearl Merrick, of Groom.

#### Neusch

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Neusch of Panhandle announce the arrival of their first child, Barbara Elizabeth. Barbara arrived on April 8, at 7:00 a.m. at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed in at four pounds and five ounces.

Proud grandparents are; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Neusch of Panhandle, Mr. and Mrs. Don Mansel of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leven of Groom. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mansel of Groom.

### Hogan

Eddie and Marion Hogan announce the arrival of their first born, Matthew Jordan.

Matthew Jordan arrived on April 7, at 10:58 a.m. He weighed in at seven pounds and zero ounces and was nineteen and one-half inches long.

Proud grandparents are Harold and Peggy Hogan of Longview, Tx., and Alice and William Head of Sherman, Tx.

Great-grandparents are Mary Ruth Hogan of Hattiesburg, Miss. and Jewell McPhail of Hattiesburg, Miss.

Eddie Hogan is the new pastor at the First Baptist Church of Groom.

#### Bichsel

Bryan and Cindy Bichsel announce the arrival of their son, Dee Thomas. Dee arrived on April 1, at 2:48 p.m. in Amarillo at the Northwest Texas Hospital. He weighed in at nine pounds and ten ounces.

Dee is welcomed home by his three year old sister Callie.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sherrod of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bichsel of Foss, Okla. Great-grandparents are; Marietta Britten of Groom and Lela James of Pampa.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH McLEAN

First Baptist Church Revival will be held April 23-30. The Evangelist will be O.C. Edwards and Jerald Gardner will lead the singing. Services will start at 7:30 p.m. each week night and there will be a noon bible study Monday thru Friday during the Revival.

#### Joiner

Silverton. She married Benjamin Bethel Joiner in 1920 at Silverton. He died in 1984. She moved to Clarendon 24 years ago from Silverton. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Survivors include two daughters, Bebe Bralley of Amarillo and Joy Molynaux of Columbia, S.C.; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Donley County Senior Citizens Association Meals on Wheel Program.

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Tuesday April 18 - Breakfast-Pancakes, Syrup, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Potluck Meat Day, Salad, Pinto Beans, Pickle Spears, Crackers, Rice Krispi Treats

Wednesday April 19 - Breakfast-Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Toast, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Chili Cheese Dogs, French Fries, Applesauce.

Thursday April 20 - Breakfast-Bacon, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Sliced Ham, Macaroni & Cheese Cole Slaw, Blackeyed Peas, Apple Cobbler.

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Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Grandview-Hopkins School, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on April 17, 1989 and ending May 2, 1989.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Jolynn Jones Davis, Route 1, Box 27, Groom, Tx. 79039.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business April 28, 1989.

This notice of election was issued on April 6, 1989. Signing the notice was Charles Bowers, President of Board of Trustees.

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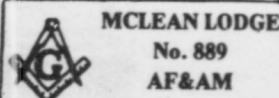
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Thursday, April 13, 1989



Groom Tracksters competing in the Groom Relays Saturday were; standing-Kevin Kerlee, Stoney Crump, Jay Britten, Karen Bohr, Shannon Fields, Julie Lyles, Lesa Sweatt, kneeling-Brice Ruthardt, Heather Patterson, Katonia Meaker and Jenni English.

## Tigerettes Win Meet, Tigers Finish Second

Groom clocked a 3:41.74 to win the 1600 relay, but lost the meet title to McLean with a total of 133 points. Groom took second place overall with 125 points, followed by Silverton with 76 points and Lefors with 71. The meet was held Saturday at Groom ISD.

Groom was the leader in receiving five gold medals, including the 400 relay, discuss (Hinson 130-2), (100 Brice Ruthardt 11.67), 200 (Kevin Kerlee 24.35) and 1600 relay.

Brice Ruthardt may have run the fastest 400 of the day as Groom's anchor leg on the 1600 relay. He started with a five-foot lead and turned it into a 25-yard win

at the finish line.

In the girls competition Karen Bohr stole the show, winning five gold medals to pace Groom to another walk-over team title. The Tigerettes racked up 187 points, Bohr leaped 16-8 to win the long jump and hopped, skipped and jumped 32-9 to capture the gold medal in the triple jump on the track she won the 100 (13.47) and 400 (1:03.70) and anchored Groom's first-place 400 relay.

Teammate Jenni English brought the Tigerettes from behind in the final leg of the 1600 relay to complete Groom's clean sweep in the girls' relays. They posted a 54.13 in the 400, 2:01.96 in the 100, and 4:46.75 in the 1600 for a total of 60 points.

English hurled the shot 31-5 1/4 to pick up another first place finish bringing Groom's gold-medal count to eight.

The official results of the Groom Relays are on page 9.

## Boydston Community Celebrates 100th Anniversary April 16

The public is invited to the 100th anniversary services to be held April 16 by unveiling the historical marker recently placed on Highway 70 near old Jericho.

The marker is in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boydston who in the year of 1889 settled on their homestead. The Boydston Com-

munity followed, consisting of a cemetery, school and post office.

The program of dedication will begin at 1:00 p.m. at the historical marker sight on highway 70. At 1:15 p.m. the group will journey to the cemetery and at 1:45 p.m. the conclusion will be held at the Groom Community center. Refreshments and a program will be held.

## First Baptist Church Revival Begins Sunday With Dr. Young Leading

Revival services are slated to begin at the First Baptist Church of Groom on Sunday, April 16. A morning fellowship will begin the three day revival at 9:00 a.m., breakfast will be served. Sunday school will be as usual at 9:45 a.m. Morning worship will begin at 11:00 a.m. Evening services are scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m..

Monday April 17, revival services will continue. Morning services begin at 7:00 a.m. A children's program will begin at 5:30 p.m. and choir practice starts at 6:30 p.m. and evening worship begins at 7:00 p.m..

Tuesday, April 18, will be the final night of services, breakfast will be served once again at 7:00 a.m. and morning services will be held. Youth night will be celebrated this evening at 5:30 p.m. Choir practice will once again be held at 6:30 p.m. and evening worship will begin at 7:00 p.m..

Ricky Young, will be the revival song director. Bro. Young is a student at Southwestern Baptist Theological

Seminary working on his Master of Divinity degree, which he expects to complete in December 1989. He would like to go into Student/Recreation work after graduation. He and his wife, Lori, live in Ft. Worth. Bro. Young is originally from Pontotoc, Ms. and graduated from Mississippi College in 1985 with a degree in Religious Education. He is presently a member of Travis Avenue Baptist Church in Ft. Worth, and serves as a group leader in the singles department. Bro. Young has done numerous revivals while attending the seminary.

Dr. Doyle Young, will serve as the revival evangelist. Dr. Young is an assistant professor of Church History at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth. He attended Baylor University, Southwestern Seminary, the University of Texas, and Oxford University. Dr. Young has been in the ministry since 1974, when he



served as youth minister to a church in San Antonio. He has served as pastor and pastoral intern to several Texas Baptist Churches, BSU director at Weatherford College, chaplain in the USAF reserve, Bible instructor at Weatherford College and teaching fellow at SWBTS. Dr. Young has had many articles and papers published and has just recently had a book published.

## Groom Sets Rabies Clinic May 6

The City Council of Groom met in regular session on April 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

Dwight Brandt, City Engineer presented sealed bids to the council for sealcoating of streets. Bill Homer moved to accept the low bid of Appian Corp. of Hereford, Texas at a cost of 52.7 cents per square yard for a total of \$33,848.16. The council approved the motion.

Dwight Brandt inspected conditions of the sand trap, and will check on repairs, and let the council know what can be done.

Dwight Brandt discussed the cost of painting inside and outside of the water tower. He estimated the cost would be approximately \$21,000.00 for sandblasting and painting with an emblem on the water tower.

Jimmy Britten moved to set May 6, 1989, for rabies vaccination clinic to be held at the fire station from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 and 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

See Council, page 3.

## Community Calendar

**Athletic Boosters** will meet on Thursday, April 13, at the Groom Community Center at 7:30 p.m. All interested parties are invited.

**Spinning Spool Quilting Guild** will meet Thursday, April 20, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Groom Community Center. A potluck dinner will be served. Connie Fields will be this month's hostess. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

### JUNIOR HIGH PARENTS MEETING

There will be a meeting held Monday, April 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The meeting will be to finalize plans for the Junior High Athletic party.

**Groom Library Friends** are sponsoring a used book sale April 13 and 14 at the Community Center.

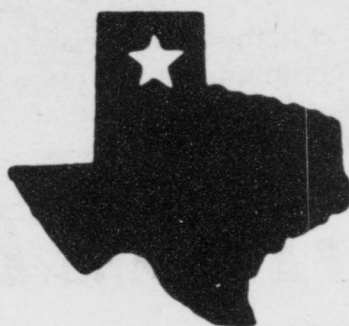
**Round Robin Pinochle** will be meeting on Monday, April 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the State National Bank, in the hospitality room. Barbara Homer is hostess this month.

**Athletic Banquet** plans will be discussed on Monday, April 17, at 2:30 p.m. in the Groom ISD Cafeteria. The Senior Mothers are reminded to attend, plus anyone interested in helping.

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## Band Performs Today

The annual UIL Concert and sightreading Contests is being held at Panhandle High School Wednesday and Thursday, April 12 and 13, for high school and junior high school bands.

Class A school bands will compete today, starting with Booker at 8:30 a.m.. Claude

will be on stage at 8:55, White Deer at 9:20, Wheeler at 9:45, Vega at 10:10, Sunray at 10:35, Gruver at 11:00 and Miami at 11:25.

After a lunch break, McLean will perform at 12:35, Nazareth at 1:00, Groom at 1:15 and Happy at 1:50.

## Tuesday Grain Prices At Local Elevators

Cash prices on grain posted at grain elevators serving the Groom area Tuesday afternoon:

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Milo-\$4.05  
Corn-\$4.50



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Tim and Cameron Lacy of Amarillo visited their grandparents, Jake and Vivian Lacy on Saturday and enjoyed a steak dinner.

Jake and Vivian Lacy and Jerry Gaines attended to business in Amarillo on Sunday afternoon.

Visiting with Beulah Shockley this past week were nieces Barbara Vidaurri and Winnona Stamps from Calton, Calif. and her sister Opal Stamps and her husband Fawn from San Bernardino, Calif.

## Local Happenings...

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Norton of Amarillo and Leslie and Dora Neal were visiting A.D. and Ethel Neal and Nellie Ford on Sunday.

Bill and Norma Jean Homer went on a two week trip to Atlanta, Georgia. The couple visited their son Tracy. They enjoyed the Bass Pro Shop in Springfield Missouri and visited with other relatives in Clarksville Tenn. and Snellville, Georgia. They also viewed the sights in Nashville.

Track took his parents to see the Atlanta Botanical Gardens. Tracy and Perry Dillham had helped in the construction of the new conservatory.

### Knight and Musser Attended Reception

Bertha Knight and Cleo Musser attended a reception Sunday afternoon in the Starlight Room of the Coronado Inn, honoring Dr. and Mrs. Frank W. Kelley.

Dr. Kelley retired as a general practitioner April 1, after 51 years tending the sick and injured. He was Bertha's doctor more than 25 years.

### Services Held

For Walter K. Fraser  
Walter K. Fraser, 81, died Saturday in Amarillo. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday, April 10, in Carmichael Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Jerry Moore, pastor of Groom United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Fraser was a lifetime resident of the Boydston Community near Groom. He attended Texas Methodist College in Terrell. He married Ruth McDowell in Clarendon on August 15, 1928. He was a farmer and a rancher and owner of Fraser Elevator at Boydston. He was a member of Groom United Methodist Church, a former member of Groom Independent School District Board of Trustees and a former director of State National Bank in Groom. He was a past president of the Grain Exchange.

The family received friends at Carmichael Whatley Funeral Home in Pampa from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday.

Survivors include his wife, of the home; one daughter, Margie Lee Frederiksen of Amarillo; two sons, John Fraser III and Clifford W. Fraser, both of Groom; two sisters, Winnie Inman of Plainview and Bessie Slay of Amarillo; 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

### Ambulance Memorials

In Memory of Mattie Frazier-Stanley Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Crowell

In Memory Of Keith Davis Glynn Kirby and Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Crowell

In Memory of Gladys Fields-Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Crowell

In memory of Jennie Stubblefield-Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Crowell.

### Receives Certification

Donna Burton notified the Groom News Office that she has successfully completed her Water Safety Instructor certification class this past week. She attended classes at the Amarillo Community Center.

There will be a teacher for the swimming classes at Groom ISD. Classes will begin at school on April 24 and will continue through May 12.

The pool will open to the public under Donna Burton's management on June 5.

### Groom Graduation Party Committee Met

The Groom Graduation Party Committee met recently and began finalizing plans for this year's graduation party. The date is set for May 26, with time, rules and activities much the same as last year. As with any activity of this kind, it takes community support to make it successful.

Financial or prize donations can be made to Connie Fields or Judy Miller. Any committee member can be contacted for further details.

The Committee is planning another meeting in the near future to finalize plans and complete details will be forthcoming.

C.J. Whatley was honored with a birthday party on Friday, April 7. The Fourth Grade boys went on a camping trip to the Harrell Ranch, south of Claude.

### Twentieth Century Contillion Study Club Held 27th Annual Antique Show And Sale

The Twentieth Century Contillion Study Club held their 27th Annual Antique Show and Sale on Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the M.K. Brown Auditorium and on Sunday, April 9, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Club president is Donna Burger. She contributed many hours to the event.

### To Play Ball

Senior Michael Rose will be playing in the Annual Texas Golden Spread High School All-Star Games, to be held April 20-22, at the Cal Farley Coliseum in Amarillo.

He will be on the East Team, along with players from McLean, Samnorwood, Kelton, Paducah, Wheeler, Canadian, Pampa and Borger. Their first game will be Friday, April 21, at 6:30 p.m., times of Saturday's games will depend on Friday's results.

The games showcase the basketball talents of area seniors for the many college coaches who will be present. They are operated by a non-profit organization and donate proceeds of games to basketball programs of Golden Spread Colleges and universities.

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**City Council  
Cont.**

John Eschle moved to adopt resolution setting staggered terms for Carson County Appraisal District Board. Bill Homer seconded the motion.

Ronny Fields moved to pay the City's part of the summer program of \$1,478.00. Jerry Thornton seconded the motion.

A motion was made by Jimmy Britten to increase the animal control officers salary \$25.00 a week. John Eschle seconded the motion.

Jerry Thornton moved to change the time of the summer meetings to 8:00 p.m. Ronny Fields seconded the motion.

Jimmy Britten moved to set May 9, 1989 for regular City Council meeting due to canvass of election returns. John Eschle seconded the motion.

The council discussed the need to have someone trained in using the computer, and it was decided to have Ada Lou Durham train at statment times for three months and to keep her familiar with the program.

Jimmy Britten moved to approve paying of April Bills. John Eschle seconded.

Harold and Peggy Hogan of Longview, Tx. are visiting in the home of their son and family; Eddie, Marion and Matthew Hogan.

**Groom Economic  
Developmental Committee  
Compiling A Brochure**

The Groom Economic Developmental Committee is compiling a brochure to promote the City of Groom. The brochure will be sent to area industries, which might like to re-locate in Groom, or have employees that they would like to place in the Groom area.

The results will hopefully improve the economy of Groom. The brochure will cost approximately 2800 dollars. Any business or interested parties that would like to help finance this project is asked to contact Phillis Jackson, Johnny Brumley or Bill Homer. Deadline for the brochure is April 19.

**Notice Of Trustee Election**

To the registered voters of Alanreed ISD: Notice is hereby given that the polling place listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, 1989 for voting in a trustee election to elect one trustee for a full three year term: Location of polling place Alanreed Elementary School. Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the school business office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on April 18, 1989 and ending May 2, 1989.

Groom currently has advertisements in Area Developmental Magazine, which is in conjunction with Southwestern Public Service. So far the response has been good. The Committee has received a couple of inquiries.

**Notice Of Election  
City Of Groom**

To the registered voters of Groom, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that Groom High School Superintendent's Office is listed as the polling place and will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 6, 1989, for voting in a City election to Elect a Mayor and two Alderman.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Groom City Hall between the hour of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. beginning April 17, 1989 and ending on May 2, 1989.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Pat Ashford, P.O. Box 217, Groom, Texas, 79039.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on May 6, 1989.

The above notice of election was issued on February 9, 1989 and signed by Mayor Alfred Homer.

Groom Branch Library can answer all your questions. Just give us a phone call.

**Card Of Thanks**  
Thank you to all those who sent the lovely cards, flowers and warm thoughts

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**To Residents Of Groom**

Candidate for John Alan Homen wishes to state again his concerns for our community.

First of all John has heard alot of concern regarding the Animal Control enforcement, John Feels very strongly the need for animal control; however, "I do not feel it is the number one priority of this community," John said.

John's first concern is the survival of our community. His goal is to boost the economy by cleaning up abandoned properties and buildings; therefore, making it a more attractive community for prospective new businesses and families.

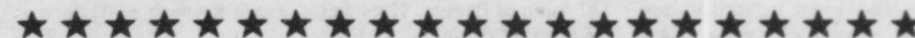
John also expresses concern regarding street maintenance. "In addition to maintance of city street, the council needs to examine the areas in town where there has been waterline problems. After these problems are corrected, then proper maintance can be done more efficiently."

After all these objectives are achieved, we can then all pull together as a community and show our support for our school system, which is the heart of our community.

"I would like to say thank you to all those who have shown their support for my campaign for mayor."

Remember vote John Alan HomeN

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**The Public is invited to the  
100 Anniversary Services to be held April 16, 1989,  
by unveiling the Historical Marker recently placed on  
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**The Boydston Community followed,  
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**Program For Dedication**

**1:00 p.m.**

**Meet At Historical Marker On Highway 70 for unveiling.**

**1:15 p.m.**

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**1:45 p.m.**

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April 16-18**



**Dr. Doyle Young,  
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**Ricky Young,  
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**Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shockley Celebrated 50th Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shockley celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on April 8, 1989. Bill and the former Frances Nelson were married in Shamrock. They have lived in Groom, Sunray, Cactus and Dumas. They are members of the Ninth and Bliss Church of Christ. Bill retired from Phillips Petroleum Co. in December 1973.

They were honored with a reception Saturday afternoon in Dumas by their children and grandchildren. Anne Shockley of Dallas, Sue and Felix Hernandez of Euleess, Cherry and Gabe Hernandez of Euleess, Larry and Lisa Morre's of Euleess, Cindy and James Oglesby of Tyler, Felix Hernandez Jr. of Euleess, Charlotte Morris of San Angelo.

The reception table had a personal touch. The cloth on the table was used at Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Shockley's 50th anniversary and another crystal dish and serving platter were wedding gifts to the Shockleys. The cake was made by their niece Bonnie Smith. The caker server and knife were from their granddaughter's Cherry's wedding. The ceramic bride and groom were from their original wedding cake.

The great grandchildren in attendance were Katy



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shockley

Oglesby of Tyler and Christopher and Krista Morris of Euleess.

Other out of town relatives in attendance were; Opal Stamps and daughters, Fawn and Noni of Calif., Beulah Shockley of Groom, Gladys Agan of Shamrock, Cula Glasgow of Mangum, Ok., Bud Nelson of Calif., Harris and Gran Nelson of Ft. Worth, Juanita Shotwell of Ft. Worth, H.D. Shockley of Houston, Jake and Betty Tucker of West, Alta Ruth Post of Mart, Jim Carithero of Sherman, James Carithero of Houston, Kay, Jim and Michael Bush of Sherman, Tim and Tina Woodbridge of Dallas, Mamie Belle, Harvey and Don Ashley of Altus, Ok., Dana and John Garris of Denver, Bonnie and Franklin Smith, Peggy and Al Agan of Pampa, Herschel Nelson of Denver, Charles

and Dot Yates.

Out of town guests were; Ruby Denton of Groom, Barbara Vidaurri of Calif., Dean Angel of Canyon, Frances and Allan Angel of Plainview, Barbara and Jack Trent of Borger, Elouise and Lee Peiffer of Borger, Mary Clay of Pampa, Chester Andrews of Pampa, Mary Lou and Wilson Usery of Deer Park, Dale Hughes of Muleshoe, Helen and Shady Kuehler of Amarillo, Jimmy and Virginia Wilkerson of Pampa, Paul and Lucille Morrow of Pampa, Linda Davis of Canyon, Joy and Ben Weddington, of Tulsa, Ok., Nelson and Virginia Burton of Sunray, Glenn and Jeanne Brannan, Novelle Vernon of Amarillo, Elsie Wallace of Amarillo, Joe and Janie Hoyle and Sonja of Borger, Janet Reinsch of Abilene.

**April Birthdays**  
April 13-S. Craig Howard, Mrs. Michael C. Fraser, D.H. Farley  
April 14-Henry B. Merrick, Mrs. M. George (Jigger) Britten, Jr., Mrs. Jerry A. Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Ollinger (A.), Allison Eatmon  
April 15, Gary Don Babcock, Chance William

Bowers, Collin Lackey  
Bowers  
April 16-Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Lee (A)  
April 17-Melissa Louise Fields, Keith Andrew Britten  
April 18-Krista Gayle Burgin  
April 19-John Wayne McConnell, Kenneth Payton

**Six Weeks Test Time Again**  
Six weeks testing began on Wednesday for students at Groom ISD. Tests were given during the fourth and sixth periods.  
Thursday, testing continued for periods 2, 5 and 7.  
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**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

I am writing in response to the letter in last weeks paper. I also have been here a short time, but I love this community and it will be my home for a long time to come. Once McLean was a booming community. Not only has the economy and other things beyond our control hurt, but some decisions made in the past under the guise of "being selective" have had great effect. I agree that you can't sit back and wait for progress to come to you. Just because damage has been done doesn't mean that all is lost, it just means that we have farther to go. The present mayor and council have made big strides in the direction, but these things take time. It takes longer for a wound to heal than it does for it to happen. When nothing is happening and no one is upset, then progress is not taking place. Either the majority of citizens are not concerned about the status of their community, do not know what the council meetings are open to the public, or are satisfied with their council's decisions. I think the citizens need to be aware that they are welcome to attend the council and school board meetings, and should attend in order to know what is taking place that concerns them and how the people they have elected are acting in their behalf.

I have not heard any comments of people "feeling as if they live in a Russian Community". Anyone who does should approach their council or attend meetings and make their feelings known.

We do not have five lawmen. The City has one part-time law officer, then we have two county law officers and two State officers all of which we are fortunate that they happen to live here. The City Judge is an appointed position and receives no salary, the J.P. is an elected position and is

paid by the county. All of the above (law officers and judges) must attend school and complete the required hours in order to maintain their positions. There are some situations that the two entities have the same jurisdiction, but there are other situations that only that one entity has jurisdiction over. Therefore, all entities are necessary. When you are dealing with people you know well, some who are your friends, two heads can be better than one simply because of human nature.

This is a time for progress, not stagnation. We are facing in the right direction now and we need to continue on that path. I happen to think a woman mayor just may be what we need right now. Without a progressive attitude shown in a community making progress is like walking through a maze blindfolded.

I encourage every one to vote but think about what you really want for the future of your community; a down hill slide like what has brought us to where we are now or an uphill climb that we are on the path to. This decision not only applies to the mayors position but is very important for the council members. Don't base your decision on friendship or length of time as resident or what someones father was like.

**Concerned Citizen  
Card Of Thanks**

We would like to express our appreciation for all of the food, flowers, cards, calls, and prayers we received during the loss of our loved one. A special thanks to the Rev.'s C.R. Hankins and Mark Wilson for the beautiful service, also to Creed and Wanda Lamb for their kindness.

The Family of  
Etta F. Billingsley

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**

Dinva Tidwell and Nova Dragoo were in Pampa on Friday for medical attention for Mrs. Dragoo.

**Card of Thanks**

Our most sincere thanks to all the people who came by our home, brought food, beautiful flowers, memorials, telephone calls, cards and beautiful words of comfort.

The McLean Ambulance and staff who worked so hard for our loved one, Steve Roseberry, George Watson, and Creed Lamb for the comforting words, and a loving thanks to all the grandsons all your prayers will not soon be forgotten.

Wallace left precious memories especially when he looked up, smiled and winked - then closed his eyes. May we all profit from some of his good deeds.

Many thanks to Dr. Martinez and Dr. Hernandez for the special care and attention they gave Wallace during his illness.

Please continue to remember us in your prayers.

With deep love,  
The Family of Wallace Grimsley

**Services Held  
For Eleanor C. Appling**

Eleanor C. Appling, 95, died Thursday, March 30, 1989.

Graveside services were at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 1, in Memory Gardens Cemetery with Dr. Chester O'Brien, assistant to the pastor at First Baptist Church, officiating.

Arrangements are by Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel.

Mrs. Appling, born in Jayton, lived in Ava, Mo., and McLean before moving to Amarillo in 1972. She was a homemaker a member of First Baptist Church and Amarillo Senior Citizens. Husband, Robert L. Appling died in 1978.

Survivors include three

daughters, Bobbie Alexander and Vada Odell, both of Amarillo and Viola Timmons of Fort Worth; a son, Hobby Appling of Lexington, Ky.; 13 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The family was at 3501 Westlawn and they requested memorials to be made to Special Olympics.

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**McLEAN CARE CENTER**  
Marvin Tibbetts is in the hospital in Pampa, we wish him a speedy recovery.  
Sunday Bro. Jeff Messer pastor of the Baptist Church was here to conduct services.

Residents working in crafts Monday morning were Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Ruby Ayers, Mattie Wheeler, Lillie Knox, Adelle Walker and Teresa Richardson.  
In the afternoon Mildred Giesler, Bertha Smith, Ann Wolf and Buna Gudgel were here to assist the following residents in bingo: Adelle Walker, Ruby Ayers, Mattie Wheeler, Dick Wheeler, Kitle Hessey, Frank Hambricht, Leon Burch, Earl Tolleson, Lillie Knox, Annie Eudey, Eula Morrow, Monnie Matthews, Clyde Trusty, Teresa Richardson, Delbert Murray, and Inez Fields. Bananas were furnished for all bingo players by the Lions Club.

Tuesday residents playing domino were Dick Wheeler, Teresa Richardson, Leon Burch, Richard Morrow, Monnie Matthews, Annie Eudey, Adelle Walker, Frank Hambricht, Earl Tolleson and Ruby King. Our volunteer helpers were Lena Carter, Ted Robertson and Pete Evans.

Thursday morning the residents enjoyed the donuts furnished by Leta Mae Hess. Current events were read to the following residents in the afternoon: Lucille Cullison, Delbert Murray, Lillie Knox, Ruby King, Stella Gibson, Dick Wheeler, Mattie Wheeler, Annie Eudey and Teresa Richardson.  
Following the reading session members of the Baptist Church were here for a Sing-A-Long.

Friday Martha Parker was here to show her great movies.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
A representative of the new WestOk Cancer Treatment Center will be presenting a slide show about the cancer center's services at the Alanreed community pot-luck dinner held on May 6, Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The informative slide show is designed to educate viewers about the types of treatment available at West Ok. Included in the presentation is an overview of the center's complete chemotherapy and radiation therapy programs.

Also covered is a brief explanation of the state-of-the-art linear accelerator in operation at the center. The \$600,000 machine allows WestOk Cancer patients to receive the same quality radiation therapy only offered in distant cities, until now.

At the conclusion of the 15 minute slide presentation, viewer's questions about WestOk will be answered and informative literature about cancer prevention will be distributed. There is no charge for any portion of the presentation.

Individuals or groups interested in attending the pot-luck dinner and slide presentation should contact Dan Martin prior to May 5, at 779-2552.

**SCOTTISH RITE MEETING**  
The Scottish Rite's had their monthly meeting Friday, April 7, they had a covered dish supper.

Maundy Thursday services were led by Bro. Norman C. Miller 33rd degree Mason of El Paso. 18th degree was led by Bob Schnell 33rd degree of Borger.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Juanita McKee was in Pampa Wednesday for medical attention.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Robert Bruce made a trip to Amarillo on Monday.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Visiting the Hartley Davis resident on Saturday was Mr. and Mrs. Willis May of Panhandle.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Visiting Lucy Goldston and visting Lavern Goldston in the Pampa Hospital was Jim Goldston of Memphis.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Ruby Dorsey took son, Jay, to Amarillo on Monday for medical attention.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Robert Bruce was in Claude on Monday.

**ALANREED NEWS BRIEF**  
Barbara Bode made a trip to Clarendon Wednesday.

**Sgt. Darin M. Corley**  
Decorated With Army Commendation Medal

Sgt. Darin M. Corley has been decorated with the third award of the Army commendation Medal in West Germany. Corley, an armor crew member with the 66th Armor, is the son of Jeanne A. Brunt of Pampa and grandson of Thomas Bailey of McLean. He is a 1984 graduate of McLean High School.

The Army Commendation Medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievements or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Army.

Darin is currently visiting in McLean with family and friends.

**McLean Local Happenings**  
Edwin Howard was admitted to the Coronado Hospital in Pampa on Monday, April 10.

Melody Tate was admitted to the Coronado Hospital in Pampa on Monday, April 10.

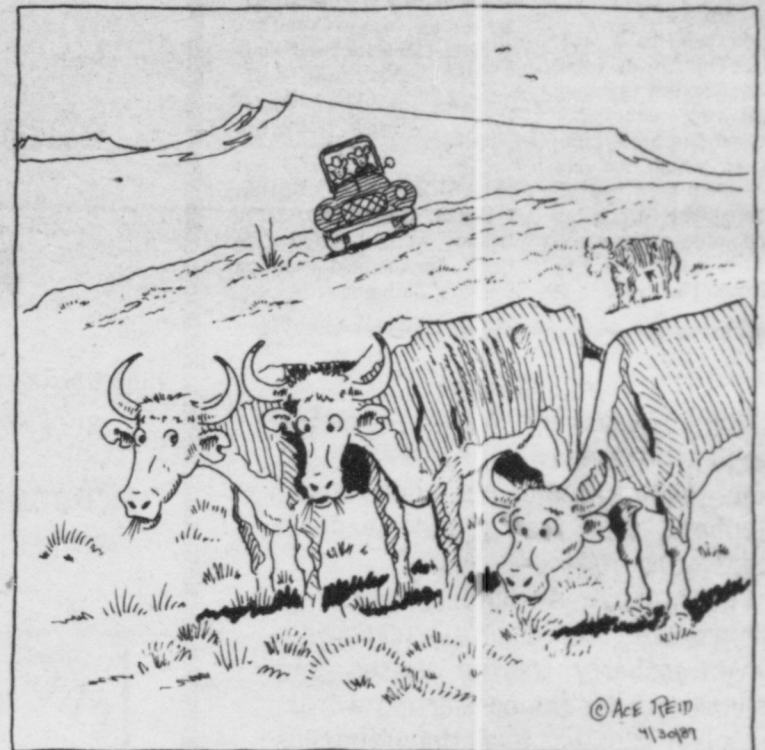
The Pampa Coronado Hospital reported that Mrs. and Mr. Mark Tate of McLean have a new little girl.

Laverne Goldston of McLean was reported to have been a patient at the Coronado Hospital this past week.

**McLEAN FIRE REPORT**  
April 4, at 8:55 p.m. called out to stand by on a (Controlled burn) grass fire. They returned in at 11:45 p.m.

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