## The Chrom AJefus <br> 50c

## Business To Build On Truck Stop Site <br> The old Tower Truck and restaurant when it

 Stop, owned by John caught fire and burned in Holton, has been sold. Mr. Don Neal of Amarillo has purchased the 8 acre tract with the intention of building a new truck stop and restaurant."I am very excited about the prospect of building this new business near Groom," he said. "I have a lot of plans and am very anxious to get started! *
Ralph Britten was operating the truck stop


We Saw . .
The boys at West Texas Gas Company doing a lot of work in the area of the school. .

Sharolyn and Brooklyn Kerlee out for a walk or Thursday morning. . . .

Coach Reid looking like he has been missing visiting with Mr. Gillette

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## Dry Land Wheat Harvest Bringing Very Good Yields

Wheat harvest has officially begun. Earl first load, dry land wheat with a 13.2 moisture wintent 60.5 test weight according to Tony Treadwell of Attebury Grain.

Claude has been cutting for about a week. Treadwell reported that
they are seeing yields of 30-50 bushels per acre. Groom bushels per acre. Groom has been showing 30 or better, but Treadwell stated that it is still early. The Groom

Attebury Grain's first busy day of wheat eutting was on Thursday,
"The test weight and moisture content are looking better than in years past," stated Treadwell.

## Brooke Britten, Macie Britten Take Top Honors At State 4-H Round-Up

The 52nd annual Texas
4-H Roundup was held 4-H Roundup was held on the campus of Texas A\&M June 1-5, 1998 volunteers and over 2000 4-H members took part in public speaking and judging contests leadership development programs, educational rallies and community service efforts.

1998 marks the 90tt
Anniversary for the Texas 4-H Program. "4-F began in 1908, with the founding of Boy's Corr Club," said Gayle Hall an Associate Professo: and $4-\mathrm{H}$ and Youth Developnoent Specialist. "Later in 1912, the Girls

Tomato Club was formed, and then later
combined into the $4-\mathrm{H}$ we know today." Several 90th Anniversary birthday parties are being birthday parties are being held at state-wide $4-\mathrm{H}$ events and activities this
year. Highlights of this year's anniversary include Mrs. Zeta Gandy, the oldest living Tomato Club member being recognized and taking a photo of over 3,200 people in the shape of a $4-\mathrm{H}$ clover on Kyle Field.

Representing Carson County in Texas 4-H Roundup were:

Amanda Sinclair and See 4-H, pg. 8

Macie Britten


June is Clean-Up Month
The City of Groon will have the big dumpster availablefree of charge during resular working hours or by appointment. City employees will also help getting large items to the dumpster by appointment. Contact City Hall at 248-7929.


Brooke Britten

## Local Fugitives Caught

Two of America's Grand Cherokee that they Most Wanted criminals, stole from an Amarillo both formerly of Carson County, were arrested in Las Vegas last week. Las Vegas last week. Jimmy Hays, 29, and Shannon Ludington, 17, both of Panhandle were arrested without incident. Wanted on charges of aggravated kidnapping and robbery, the pair were captured still driving the 1998 Jeep
dealership. They also kidnapped the car salesman, Gil Reeves as he took the couple for what he thought was a test drive. He was later found tied to a tree in Wheeler County. Hays reported the salesman's whereabouts to the See Most Wanted, pg. 4

No Replacement For Coach Dudley Kelm Expected

The Groom School Board met in their regular monthly meeting and voted to accept the resignation of Dudley Kelm. Superintendent Ingham stated that he would not replace the coaching/teaching position vacated by Kelm, but a search would begin for an elementary teacher to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. Chisum.
In other business, the council approved a letter of engagement to Mr . Billy Baker, C.P.A., for the 1997-98 audit of Groom ISD.
The Groom ISD

## Community Calendar

ROBBIE HILL will be at the Carson Co. Courthouse the 2nd Wed. of each month to schedule appointments for the Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program. Persons needing assistance with gas and electric bills may be eligible.

VOLUNTEERS
VOLUNTEERS are needed to maintain the ambulance service in Groom. Medical training will be provided. If interested contact Kevin Kerlee, Doug Kling or Jay Lamb.
portion of the Carson County Appraisal District budget was approved as printed
Technology needs were discussed for the 199899 school year, but no action was taken.
Bills were spproved for payment with budget amendments to allow for payment.
Attending the meeting were board members Dennis Babcock, Barry Fields, Brad Rogers, Tim Case, Tony Treadwell, and Cliff Britten; Superintendent Ben Ingham, Business Manager Joyce Hutsell, and Curtis Downs III.

Remember Your Dad on Father's Day June 21

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## Local Happenings

Ben and Patty Britten and children of Dallas visited his mother, Lucille Britten, this past weekend.
Visiting in the home of Burl and Nellie Painter are their grandchildren from Ft . Worth, Robbie Wayne
and Kimberly Marie Cervantes.

Melody and April Burton had an exciting trip over the weekend. They went to White Water in Oklahoma City. While there, a tornado struck nearby. No damage to them except for some rattled nerves.
Groom Birthdays

Anniversaries
June 18 - Bobby Burgin, Staci Nicolle Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brumley (A).

June 19
June 20 - Phillip J. Miller, Anthony Luna, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnett (A).
June 21
June 21 - Austin Crowell, Bernice Brown, Andrew Thompson.
June 22 - C. Wayne Stroope, Christi Reed, Mr. and Mrs, E.W Lamberson (A).
June $23^{\text {. }}$. Jeremy
June 23 - Jeremy
June 24 - Kelvin
Lynn Ollinger, Brin Kay
Burgin, Dennis B. Cockrell.

Ermestine Nunes of Visalia, California visited mom, Evelyn Hubbart, recently. Evelyn said that they watched lots of movies and had a great visit.

Correction!
We incorrectly named a graduate in the 8th grade class. He is Clay Ritter. Our apologies!

Groom Residents Graduate From
Amarillo College
Five Groom residents were among more than 880 graduate candidates honored during recent commencement ceremonies at Amarillo College.
Graduates from Fall 1997 are: Daniel Ashford Jr., MicroComputer Specialist; and Luke Anthony Weinheimer, Busines Administration
Administration.
Spring graduates are: Paul McLaughlin, Instrumentation Technology; and Sherrie Weinheimer, General Studies.

Graduating in summer ceremonies was Scott McLaughlin. He was certified in Instrumentation Technology, Electronic Instrumentation and Control Technology and Pneumatic Instrumentation and Control Technology

Honors List Named At Amarillo College

Our sincerest thanks Amarillo College shown during the recent recently named 273 and sudden loss of our students to the Honor mother. Your prayers, Ltudents Spring 1998. visits, cards, food and in 12 or more hours of flowers were deeply in 12 or more hours of appreciated. Special
academic courses and academic courses and thanks to the Ambulance make a grade point Department for their average of 3.6 or above quick response and their to qualify. From Groom, gentle kindness. Sherrie Weinheimer was Mr. \& Mrs. Pete Ham named. She is a general Studies major.

## Father's Day

 DinnertainerSunday, June 20, 11:30-1:00 Groom School Cafeteria

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## Shugart \& Price Exchange Nuptials

Misty D'Lynn Shugart a white regal satin gown and Jim Lance Price exchanged wedding vows Saturday evening, June 6, 1998, at First Unite Methodist Church of Plainview with Franc Duckworth, minister of West Side Church of Christ in Lockney, officiating.
The bride is the daughter of Joe and Connie McMahan of Shugart of Plainview and Shugart of Plainview and he granddaughter of L.P. Shugart of Plainview. Price is the son of Jin and Sherrey Price of Plainview and the grandson of Bobby and Mervean Carthel of Lockney and Betty Jo Price of Oceanside California.
Given in marriage by
her father, the bride wore
 pearls and jewels. Katrina Neff of Pampa was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Stephanie Kemp of Amarillo, Lana Castleberry of Canyon, the groom's sister, and Valerie Morgan of Lubbock.

Brook Castleberry of Canyon, the groom's niece, was flower girl Bo Mitchell of Muleshoe the groom's cousin, was ring bearer. Candlelighters were Jessica McMahan and Penny Jo McMahan of Groom, the bride's sisters.
Denny Price of Plainview, the groom's cousin, was best man. cousin, was best man.

Rey and Joey Myrick of Plainview, and Kyle Knox of Lubbock.
Kyle Knox and Joey Myrick were ushers.
Musical selections were presented by Spencer Neff, vocalist, and Carol Jane Graves, organist Jane Graves, organist. A reception was held in the parlor of the church. Members of the house party were Jackie Carthel of Lawton, Oklahoma and Tammie Mitchell of Muleshoe, aunts of the groom; Rose Ann Hughes of Elk City and Krista Hughes of Clarendon, aunts of the bride; and Kim Beverage of Plainview.
After a wedding trip to the Poconos the trip to will reside ine couple The bride in Amarillo. bachelor's degree from Wayland Baptist

## University and a master's

 degree from Texas Tech University. She is employed by Corporate Systems of Amarillo.Price attended Texas Tech and is employed by AAA Electric.
A rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents at the Golden Corral.

Card Of Thanks
I would like to thank everyone that helped me when I called for the ambulance. I really appreciate all of you for your help. I would also like to thank everyone for the cards, phone calls, visits, and prayers.

May God bless each of you.
Paula Brown \& Family


Mrs. Jim Lance Price

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burger and Family Celebrate Anniversary

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Obituaries
Elmer John Britten
CLAUDE - Elmer John "E.J." Eritten, 78, died Wednesday, June 10 , 1998.

Mass was Saturday in the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church of Groom with the Rev Neal Dee officiating. Burial was in St. Mary' Cemetery in Groom by Minton-Chatwe ll Funeral Directors of Borger.
Mr. Britten was born in Groom and was a Groom and Caude. He was an Army Air Corps veteran of World II. He was retired from the restaurant business.
Mr. Britten was a past Boss Lion in Groom, past post conmander of

American Legion and past county chairman of the Democratic Party. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars. and St. Theresa Catholic Church of Panhandle.
He was preceded in death by his wife, Louise, in 1993.
Survivors include a son, Douglas Britten of Glenwood Springs, Colorado; a daughter, Virginia Williams of Fort Worth; four brothers, Ralph Britten and Bill Britten, both of Amarillo, Art Britten of Groom, and Norman Britten of Traverse City, Michigan; two sisters, Dora Jean Homen of Amarillo and Sister Mary Louise of Panhandle; and seven grandchildren.

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Mrs. Runyon was an
Gertrude Runyon Gertrude "Trudy" Runyon, 80, of Amarillo, died Thursday, June 11, 1998.

Services were Saturday in St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church with Monsignor Joseph Tash, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors.
Mrs. Runyon was born and raised in Groom where she attended school. She was a Women's Army Corps veteran of World War II handling shipments of Army troops to the lived lived in Amarillo for 20 years.
accountant for the original Albertson's stores. With her husband, she owned the Time-Star in Middletown, California, for several years before moving to Washington D.C.

She married Donald Runyon in 1945 at Carson City, Nevada.
Survivors include her husband; a son, Bill Runyon of Ama, Bill Runyon of Amarillo; a brother, Bob Britten of Amarillo; a sister,
Dorothy Gasway of El Paso; three grandsons; and a great granddaughter.

## Most Wanted

Wheeler county Sheriff's Department.
Lubbock, Amarillo and the FBI, Amarilio and the FBI, all have warrants out for the couple. It is unknown
whether they will be whether they will be
extradited to Lubbock or Amarillo first.
Groom Students Graduate From WT West Texas A\&M University awarded degrees in spring commencement ceremonies.
Graduates from Groom were Julie Couch, MED, education diagnostician; Jeffery Fields, BS, kinesiology; Rhett Patterson, BBA, general business, Krista D. Percival, BS, environmental science, cum laude, biology; and
Rebecca Yelverton, BS, social studies, history.

## Local Happening

Enjoying an evening in Turkey, Texas on Saturday was Burl and

Nellie Painter. They went through the Bob Wills Museum and then attended Hank Thompson in concert.

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| "Registration will be the first night of class at the High School. |  |  |  |
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| 6:00-10:00 PM | TH | BIOL 2402 | HUMAN A\&PII |
| 6:00-10:00 PM | MW | COSC 1301 | COMPUTER CONCEPTS |
| 6:00-10:00 PM | MW | CRIJ 1306 | COURTS \& PROCEDURE |
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| ""Registration will begin at 8 a.m. on June 10 in the Student Services office. |  |  |  |

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6:00-10:00 PM MW GOVT 2302 US \& TXGOVERNMENT "Registration will begin June 29 at 5 p.m. at the High School.

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To enroll in a class at Clarendon Coliege, individuals must bring a copy of their official high school transcript or GED certificate, ACT/SAT scores, TASP scores, official transcripts from other colleges attended, and admission forms for Clarendon College. Current high school students are required to bring proof of approval from their principal or counselor Payment is due at time of registration.

From the Superintendent's Desk...
Teachers Pay, Stipend's Can Be Confusing
[Editor's Note: In an increments it can
effort to create better difficult to understand. understanding of the The state mandates many faucets of our MINIMUM, 20 step pay public school system, Mr. scale, that can and Ingham has graciousy usually does change each agreed to discuss topics year. Each time the of interest in a periodic column. If there is a legislature meets, we particular subject you have a new scale. wish to learn more about, Locally, we offer please contact him or The News office.]
Teachers pay can te very confusing, but whea one adds the local pay recruit to try to recruit and maintain the best teachers possible. Each school offers some sort of incentive, but it can vary drastically from
school to school.
In Groom, we pay every teacher that state base pay plus $\$ 700$ (per year) for a Bachelors degree and $\$ 900$ for a Masters degree. Every full time employee receives $\$ 150$ toward health insurance. Beyard that, the school board has established pay board has for teachers pay incentives for teachers who work extra hours beyond the classroom, ie., coaches, band director, UIL sponsors, class sponsors, etc. A head coach in varsity football, girls basketball, and boys basketball receives an additional stipend of $\$ 1500$ for the additional responsibilities and time. A coach receives the A coach receives the
following; state base + following; state base +
$\$ 700+\$ 3000+\$ 1500+$ housing.

For example: a head coach at step 5 on the state scale will earn... Base $(\$ 25,160)+$ local (\$700) + Coaching (\$300) + Head Coach ( $\$ 1500$ ) = Total $(\$ 30,360)$ per year. (All coaches have coaching responsibilities in every sport. Many evenings sport. Many evenings and weekends are invested by the coaches all year long) A teacher at step five
would earm would earn...
Base $(\$ 25,160)+$ Local $(\$ 700)+$ Approx. extra duty pay (\$350) $=$ \$26,110.
All of the above base payments are board approved and are subject to board review annually. to board review annually.
The school owns four houses. These are currently being offered to the coaches and the principal as part of the incentive "package." The value of the rent is IRS taxable.

Coaches and several other professional employees are under dual contracts...that is...one for teaching and one for other duties. If a coach were to continue teaching, but not coaching, the coaching increments would be deducted from the salary. Groom ISD has a long history of demanding and receiving excellence in education. That excellence comes at a price. The incentives this local board has established over many years have been an attempt to recruit and keep the best

Let us spoil you with the best selections of linnens for the bed, bath and table. Martha Smith
teachers/coaches possible. Even with our incentives, there have been times that (in spite of all our efforts) we have been unable to get even one applicant for one coaching position or oaching position or wer.
We are very fortunate to have the individuals in place that we have. Their dedication and hard work have helped to produce many students who have advanced beyond district in athletics, music, and academics.

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Grandview-Hopkins I.S.D. Schedules Bond Vote In June
Grandview-Hopkins
Grand Independent School Saturday, June 27, 1998, will vote for or against a proposition to allow the District to issue $\$ 2$ million in bonds while maintaining the maintaining the current tax levy rate which would retire the obligation within a seven year period.
A correction to the previous article should read: The GrandviewHopkins Independent School District has sent approximately $\$ 3.3$ million to other school districts and Austin because of the "Robin Hood" wealth equalization Hood" wealth equalization plan. If the GrandviewHopkins School District's bond election was successful, the District would keep approximately $\$ 160,000$ annually in the District. The District would be able over a seven year period to keep $\$ 1,120.000$ in the District. Early voting by personal appearance will personal appearance wili Hopkins the GrandviewHopkins administrative office on Farm to Market Road 293 off Highway 70 on June 10, 1998, and continue Mondays through Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. through June 23, 1998. The election will be conducted Saturday, June 27, 1998, from 7:00 a.m. to $7: 00$ p.m. at the same location with Cindy location with Cindy Babcock serving as presiding judge and Bernice Maddox as
alternate presiding judge.


Call (806) 248-7544 or 1-800-299-7544


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Keep Grandma Away From The Chicken Pox

By Bill Sperling There have been several cases of Chickenpox in the are lately. Chicken-pox is the
most common disease of most common disease of
childhood to cause a childhood to cause a
rash. Chicken-pox is caused by breathing in the droplets or touching an open esion of It is highly contagious. It is highly contagious. by the varicell caused vy the varicella-zoster virus. The disease is characterized by successive waves of itchy vesicles on a red base which becones like pimples that burst, crust over and sometimes scar The crust falls off in 1 2 weeks.
Chicken-pox in children is usually mild and selflimited. Rarel is much
medical therapy needed, except for Benadryl to ease the itching. The child may or may not have slight fever and perhaps feel "yukky" a day or two before the rash flares up. Chicken-pox in adults can be quite serious and can lead to death by several secondary causes, Adults usually have a headache, general aches, and pains, fever, headache, and lethargy a day or two before the rash. The rash is also much worse in adults. In adults and immunocompromised people, such as those with HIV, treatment may consist of oral acyclovir, an antiviral agent for 5 to 7 days.

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remains "trapped" by the remains "trapped" by the ever noticed, rarely immune system and crosses the mid-line). "hides" out in nerve The major problem with roots. Older people, who shingles is that the pain are reath it can be chicknex severe and debilitating, out in shingles, which and can last literally for
years. There is no cure for post-herpetic pain. For the above reasons, children with chickenpox must remain isolated. They must not be near adults who never had chicken-pox, and must stay away from older people who can get shingles.

Children are infective until the last crop of lesions crust over. Once the last "pimples" crust over the child can return to school and all other to schoo

As always, Bill Loretta and Ofelia thank you for your support.


# Summerfest ' 98 Holds Fun And Prizes For Go-ers 



Ann, Pierce, Dustin Lee, and Robbie Sanderson sit by Ann's craft booth at Summ rfest '98.

## California Man Dies In One Car Roll Over Near Mcl_ean

An eighty year old McLean at 9:05 a.m. California man was killed Former McLean in a one vehicle roll over resident and Trooper Tueeday, June 16. The accident occurred on the Hedley highway south of

Museum News
Summer has arrived with a heat wave and with it came more visitors to the museum. A total of 507 visited in May. Of these were 109 people from 15 foreign countries. Of course, Germany led with 41 people and Switzerland with 21. Other countries represented were Australia, Bavaria, Canada, Denmark, England, France, Holland, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Russia, UK, and Indonesia.
There are a few new people interested in volunteering.
always welcome to have interest shown in the museum. It is always enlightening to visit with the guests from foreign lands as well as the ones from all over the United States.
There are a few new things coming into the Museum Mercantile. If you are in need of a gift, come see what there is at the museum.


Amanda Loya tries her, hand at the water balloon toss during Summerfest '98.

## Chamber Hears Reports

## By Ann Pierce

 Chamber of Commerce held a business meeting June 8, 1998 in the Bode Insurance office. Present were Leta Ma Hess were Leta Mae Hess, Teddy Sage, Vonda Averett, Barbara Bode, Rhonda Graham, Steve Russo, Linda McDonald, and Ann Pierce. Minutes were deferred from the previous meeting when previous meeting when The treasurers report was The treasurers report was given by Rhonda Graham who stated that all bills Were now current andthat the grant from that the grant from
Southwestern Bell is still


Tyler Hanes, John Holland, and Bobbi Stalls pose with one of the props used in the Trinity Baptist

By Ann Pierce
Summerfest '98 was
held in held in the McLean City Park June 13, 1998. The McLean Area Chamber of Commerce hosted the event with free hamburgers, made posations from Mough Feedyard, Country Corner Texaco, and Red Corner Texaco, and Red
River Steakhouse. A total of 21 items including several cash prizes from businesses and individuals were donated for the raffle and a live band provided country music for those brave enough to attend in the extreme heat and windy conditions.

Contributors
event's success are listed as follows: A 240 minute tanning session
went to Beth Dorsey $\$ 50$ cash from Magee Ranch went to Donn Bartley; Mary Kay Products by Roxie McMordie to Missy Richardson; \$20 groceries from Puckett's to Chatrell Richardson; Adult hair care products from Alberta's to Ora Lou Howard; Pair of angels from Lamb's to Ora Lou Howard; McLean Tiger bag from Mullanax's to K.J. Avarett; Child's folk art table by Ann Pierce to Amanda Cline; Floral wreath by Teddy Sage to K.J. Avarett; Father's Day basket by Vonda Avarett to Trenton Crockett; Gooseneck desk lamp from Bode's Insurance to Charles Crockett; Case of oil from Cantrell's to Clarence Pierce; Floral window pane by Season's to Ora Lou Howard; and a frog stepping stone by Donna Bartley was won by Brenda Jasper.
This event was put together on very short notice and without everyone's generous contributions of time, funds, and raffle prizes would not have been possible. The cooks did a wonderful job and the city amployes and the city employees had the park pretty and clean of debris.
Sincere thanks go to
all who helped make this project a success.

## McLean

Reminders.

McLEAN RODEO results were not available at press time.

METHODIST Vacation Bible School will be June 24,25 and 26th, 9am-11:30am for up to fifth graders. Nursery available.
Father's Day Is
Sunday, June 21
Remember Your Dad!
100TH Anniversary of the founding of the Sitter Barlow Ranch, June 20th, 10am-3pm. Devil's Rope Museum, McLean.


Susie Vance had a garage sale st her mom and dad's, Joe and Myrtie Billingsley.

Mark Jones is home again after a brief stay in Kansas with the Santa Fe Railroad.


Billie Bybee was admitted into the Wheeler Hospital late Friday night.
Natasha Simmons and Shane Butler visited her family over the weekend in McLean.
Anna Jean and Tyler Lamb are in town at her parents', Creed and Wanda Lamb.
Renea' Chambers took part in the Chuck Wagon Cook-off in the annual Amarillo Ranch Rodeo.


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Devil's Rope Museum News

The Museum is blessed with some new volunteers this month. It is great to work with new people and to help them learn the procedure. Cecil and Anita Seaney were working their first day when there were thirteen people from various parts of Europe visiting on motorcycles. They were not interested in the museums but made it a museat day buying it a great day buying in the
gift shop! gift shop!
As before, the "Texas" production sent the museum complimentary tickets to the dress rehearsal Tuesday night. A group of volunteers borrowed the Assembly of God Church bus and driver (Wayne Weathers) and had a great trip to Palo Duro. They enjoyed the bar-b-cue supper and live music supper the play music before the play began and were quiet on the way home. McLean looked awfully good at 1:00 a.m.
There is always a need for new volunteers. It is interesting to visit with people from all over the world. Anyone interested may check at the museum during hours, Thursday through Friday from 10:00 am to $4: 00$ from 10:00 am to $4: 00$
pm . The museum is pm . The museum is
also open on Saturdays.

Former McLean Resident Passes Away

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Jack D. Brooks
WHITE DEER - Jack D. Brooks, 66, died Tuesday, June 9, 1998. Graveside services were in Terry County Memorial Cemetery at Brownfield with the Rev. Norman Grigsby officiating. Arrangements were by N.S. Griggs \& Wons Funeral Directors \& Sons Funeral Directors.
Mr. Brooks was born and raised in McLean and was a McLean High School graduate. Horace and Ruth Brooks owned the McLean Dry Goods at one time. He played football at Texas A\&M University and graduated
You May Be Over The Hill If.
You remember when boys favorite activity at recess was mumbley peg and girls weren't allowed. When company came over night you had to double up or even sleep double up or even sleep Your dessert for school lunches was a soda biscuit with butter and blackberry jam which invariably turned green around the edges by noon. (Harmless).
The girls wore neat braids in their hair sometimes braided so tight they almost slanted your eyes.
We hurried supper on Saturday evening so we could get a good parking place on the street to watch the Saturday night
from Texas Tech and an elder of First University in 1954. Presbyterian Church at He lived in Wolfforth Brownfield. He lived in Woifforth for several years, where he served as mayor. He was a longtime businessman in Brownfield and also was active in the agriculture industry. Mr. Brooks had been engaged in ranching in White Deer since 1990. He was a past president of the Brownfield Booster Club Brownfield Booster Club and was a member of the Brownfield Masonic Lodge 903, Scottish Rite Consistory and the Khiva Temple of the Shrine. He also was a member

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He married Lawanda Shadid in 1951 at Dallas. he died in 1986.
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The family requests memorials be to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch and Affiliates. ,


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Gouge Eye Archery Jamboree

The annual Jamboree for Gouge Eye Archery was held on June 6 and 7. There were 43 shooters involved in the event. Each shooter competed in the seme class each day for the overall high point winver.

Daily 360 point - 30 target course; and Overall 720 point - 60 target.
In the Male Bowhurter Open the top shooters were on Saturday, C iet Phillips from Stinnett with 255 points and on Sunday Mike Coluall from Amarillo with 271 points. The overall shooter was Chet Phill ps with 505 points.
In the Male Bowhun er Release top shooter on Saturday with 265 points and Sunday with 245 points and also the overall top shooter with 510 points was Bennie Tice from Borger.
The Female Bowhunter Open top point gettor was Kelly Byron from Alanreed on Saturdiy

McLean United Methodist Church

## Vacation Bible School

June 24, 25 and 26th 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

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With 297 points and Saturday night 10 and she also 282 points target 120 points 8 most overall points of All Traditional. Moot 579 . overail points of Joy
Sayre, Oklahoma from Sayre, Oklahoma won top 195 and Saints Sarday with 195 and on Sunday with 165 and won overall top points with 360 .
Men's Traditional Longbow: Saturday Ralph Rickstrew, Amarillo 218 points; Sunday Rober Stephens, Custer Oklahoma 189 points; Overall Ben Godfrey Memphis 249 Godsfrey Memphis 249 points. Female Traditional: Saturday Shirley Rickstrew, Amarillo, 106 points.
Recurve Unaided: Saturday, 228 points; Sunday 166 points and Overall 394 points, Mike Godfrey, Memphis.
Selfbow: Saturday John Chamberlain, Memphis, 104 points; Sunday Reece 104 points; Sunday Reece Oklahoma 177 points; Overall John Chamberlain, Memphis 165 points.
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { All Traditional: Mike } \\ \text { Godfrey, Memphis } & 61\end{array}$ Godfrey, Memphis 61 points; Rick Aikin, Lefors 38; Ben Godfrey, Memphis, 30.
Long Ago. . .
From The
McLean News
Compiled by Sam Haynes 15 Years Ago
Linda Haynes, Editor: Junior Lance Stovall had Grand Champion Steer and Senior Teresa Woods had Reserve Champion steer in the McLean Stock Show.
Senior Kevin Nicholson and Freshman Martin Gately were named Honorable Mention AllDistrict in basketball.
Lush Rogers was named McLean's Citizen of the Year and was presented a plaque by Mayor Sam Haynes during the annual McLean Chamber of

Commerce banquet.

25 Years Ago
E.M. Bailey, Editor:

Mr. Tom Waters of McLean recently retired from the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife after serving for 28 ears.
Results of the McLean Stock Show last week Champion Steer, Beth Smitherman; Reserve Champion, Mike Harkins; Showion, Mike Harkins; Showmanship, Johnny Winegeart; Grand Champion Barrow, Dennis Brooks; Reserve Champion, Bick Horn; howmanship, Art Rhine. 35 Years Ago ... A Jownpour welcome rain accompanied by some ail pelted McLean in hail - pelted McLean in he early morning hours bringing up to $11 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ of much needed moisture to some portions of this area.
Derrick Welch, highscoring McLean Tiger pivotman, added to his growing list of honors this week by being named to the First Team All-State Clas basketball squad.
45 Years Ago ....
Lester Campbell, Editor:
Ross Biggers, a veteran peace officer with 21 years service under five Oklahoma sheriffs in Oklahoma City, has been named criminal deputy of the county force under Sheriff Bob Turner Biggers, a native of McLean, was elected Mayor of McLean at the age of 22 .
R.C. Parker, new patrolman stationed in McLean for the Texas Department of Public Department was a guest at the regular meeting of the Lion's Club of $\begin{array}{ll}\text { McLean } & \text { Tuesday noon. } \\ \text { Parker, } & \text { a native of }\end{array}$

Mobeetie, has replaced Thursday, June 18, 1998-THE GROOM NEWS-Page 9 J.D. Heard as local patrolman and is serving with patrolman Calvin hearell.

55 Years Ago . . .
T.A. Landers, Editor:
T.N. Holloway has been appointed to the county war price and rationing board. He will serve on the price panel with Ivy Duncan, Charles Ward, B.O. Lilly, and John Fonberg of Pampa. Holloway's appointment makes four men on the maker for on the board form McLean, T.A Landers on the food panel; O.G. Stokely, gasoline panel, and E.L. Sitter, tire panel.

65 Years Ago
T.A. Landers, Editor:

Misses Jewel Shaw, Viola Smith and Dorothy Cantrell were in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Johnnie Villa Haynes and little Miss Glenda Joyce Smith were Glenda Joyce Smith were
in Sayre, Oklahoma on in Sayre, Oklahoma on Friday.

75 Years Ago . . .
T.A. Landers, Editor:

Tom McCarty lef Wednesday for Wheeler where he entered two pure bred Herefords in the Red Deer Hereford Association's sale.

Mrs. J.H. Crabtree and little daughter, Pauline, and little Miss Jane Campbell ivere Shamrock visitors Wednesday.

85 Years Ago.
A.G. Richardson, Fditor:
$\$ 1$ and $\$ 1.25$ buggy whips going at $33 \quad 1 / 3$ s Hardware Company.
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## Twentieth Century Club Holds Meeting

The Twentieth Century Laura Edleman, Mary Study Club me in the Groves, Oleta Harris, home of Lillie Williams for their monthly meeting May 12th. The meeting was opened by President was opened by President Mary Groves who also led the club collect. Minutes were read by Laura Edleman and approved as read. Old business was location of the field trip in June and it was decided to have a picnic north of town on picnic north of town on the ranch of the Haynes' The program was given by Lillie and was
"Women of the Bible." Women of the Bible."
Roll call wis "My favorite woman of the Bible" and was answered by Relia Ayres, Lena Carter, Virginia Dalton, Groves, $\begin{gathered}\text { Oleta Harris, } \\ \text { Cliffie } \\ \text { Heasley, Sherri }\end{gathered}$ Cliffie Heasley, Sherri
Martindale, Mary Powell, Martindale, Mary Powell,
and Lillie Williams. After which Williams. After which they
adjourned and enjoyed adjourned and enjoyed lovely refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, chips, and dips, nuts, chocolate cake, tea, and coffee. This was the last meeting until September with the exception of the picnic next month.

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## Day Camp For Cheerleaders

The McLean Junior High Cheerleaders and their sponsor went to a day camp at Shamrock's Flipin' Farm on Tuesday, June 9th.

At the camp, cheerleaders from Hedley, Samnorwood, Memphis and McLean practiced jumps and dances and learned new cheers and chants.

## McLean Care Center News

The week began on Saturday with a Chat Group session followed by some Ring Toss. Twenty residents gathered to play dominos. In the afternoon, Dick Wheeler, Truman Goodlett, Phyllis Bailey, Jessie Watson, Lena Bailey, Sue Cubine, Ora Billingsley, Dorothy Patterson, Mable Dickey, Don York, M.L. Turner, Dovie Simmons, Bessie McLemore, and Leon Tate gathered to play Bingo.
Sungo.
Sunday morning, thirty residents got together for Sunday school and coffee break. Afterwards, twenty residents played basketball. Early in the afternoon, Dick Wheeler, Ora Billingsley, Dovie Simmons, Dorothy Patterson, Thelma Hopkins, Mable Dickey, M.L. Rowan, and M.L Turner gathered to play Dominos while Phyllis Dominos While Phylis
Bailey,
Sue Cubine, Truman Goodlett, Jessie Watson, Gladys Andrews, Hadda Moore and Eula Hadda Moore and Eula
Morrow worked on $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Morrow } & \text { worked on } \\ \text { Crafts. } \\ \text { Later, residents }\end{array}$ enjoyed singing and a sermon given by the Trinity Baptist Chúrch.
Monday started with residents getting together to make candles in crafts. In the late morning, residents played Ring Toss. Bingo was enjoyed in the afternoon. Those playing were Phyllis Bailey, Ora Billingsley, Sue Cubine, Florence Drake, Truman Goodlett, Bessie McLemore, Dorothy Patterson, Dovie Simmons, Marjorie Turnage, Jessie Watson and Dick Wheeler.
Tuesday morning was spent fixing fingernails. Later residents gathered to watch the "Price is Right." Afterwards residents sat and listened

Awards given at the
Flipin' Farm were Miss Flipin Farm were Miss Spirited, Best Dancer, and Best Jumper The top Best Juper. The top honor of Best All Around went to McLean's very own Kendall
Newton. Newton.
Bobbi Stalls, sponsor, said, "It was a good learning experience for us because this camp
as Tammy Syfrett read a story to them. By afternoon residents were ready to play Dominos or working on Crafts.
Wednesday morning circle was enjoyed by a large number of residents. Those attending were Truman Goodlett, Phyllis Bailey, M.L. Rowan, Thelma Finson, Lula Sheegog, Bessie McLemore, Gladys Andrews, Dorothy Patterson, Florence Drake, Emma Graham, Dovie Simmons, Duella Beverly, Hadda Moore, Ruby Ayers, Jesse Coleman, Thelma Hopkins Vernee Bowling Don York Bowling, Don York and "Price is Right" After "Price is Right" was over residents played some basketball. In the afternoon, residents enjoyed watching a couple episodes of the old T.V. program "Loretta Young." The movie was followed by a game of Ring Toss.
Thursday morning was started with some Beach Ball Kick. Later in the Ball Kick. Later in the
morning, residents gathered to play Ring Toss. In the afternoon, Gladys Andrews, Ruby Ayers, Phyllis Bailey, Ora Billingsley, Vernee Bowling, Mable Dickey, Thelma Finson, Truman Goodlett, Thelma Hopkins, Sylvia McClellan Bessie McLemore, Hadds Moore Dorothy Patterson Moore, Dorothy Patterson, M.L Rowan, Dovie Simmons, Leon Tate, Marjorie Turnage, Jessie Watson, Dick Wheeler, and Don York gathered in the dining room for Bingo. Friday began with residents gathering for Reminisce. Afterwards they played Ring Toss and did exercise. In the afternoon residents gathered for Dominos.

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emphasized teamwork, and you've got to have that to be a good squad." MJH cheerleaders that attended were Jenny Smith, Shaley Steel, Jami Seitz, Kendall Newton, and Sarai Sawyer.

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AN ESTATE Garage Sale, Sat., June 20, from 8 am to 5 pm . Furniture, appliances, antiques, collectibles, tools, TV's, $\begin{array}{ll}\text { lots of misc. } & 410 \text { Grove, } \\ \text { McLean. } & \text { No Early }\end{array}$ Birds!

## Public

## Legal Notice

 The Carson County Commissioner's Court will consider bids for the construction of a newlibrary facility in White library facility in White
Deer, Texas. Plans and specifications
btained from:
Leslie Norman Rohan, Architect
217 Main Street
P.O. Box 933

Panhandle, Texas
79068
806-537-3747
Fax 806-537-3529
A refundable plan deposit of $\$ 100.00$ will
be required of all prospective bidders.
The Carson County Commissioner's Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
This procedure and notice is in accordance with Chapter 262 of the Local Government Code, Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated which requires publication of this notice for at least three consecutive weeks immediately preceding the day of the scheduled bid opening. Bids are to be delivered to Jackie West, County Auditor of Carson County, Texas, prior to 10:00 a.m., on Monday, 10:00 a.m., on Monday,
June 29, 1998, the date June 29, 1998, the date and time at which such
bids shall be publicly opened, read and considered by the Commissioner's Court. The Court shall award the contract to the responsible bidder who submits the lowest and best bid, or reject all bids and publish a new notice or take such other action as is authorized by said Local Government Code. Additionally, the award of the contract, if at all, shall be made to the responsible offeror whose proposal is determined to be the lowest evaluated offer resulting from negotiation, taking into consideration the relative importance of price and other evaluation factors in accordance with Section 262.030 of said Code.

COOK NEEDED: Call Palo Duro Nursing Home, Claude 226-5121.
WE'VE CLEANED the garage! Come see what we have found! Garage Sale, 601 Ware, Sat. June 20, 9:00 a.m. Juanita Brown, Groom.

GROOM ISD is now taking applications for lementary teaching position(s). Please contact Ben Ingham, Superintendent, P.O. Box
598, Groom, Tx., 79039, 806-248-7557, Fax-2487949. Interviews to begin on or about July 7, 1998. Position(s) to be filled by July 12, 1998. Also accepting drivers. EOE

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## CARSON COUNTY

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Lewis Powers
Co. Treasurer
Democrat:
Jeannie Cun

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Alanreed News
By Lena Carter
Visiting Lena Carter on Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce and David of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bryant, Wes and Lynzee Bryant, Jerrie Ann Carter of Mrs. Jerry Carter of Pampa. Mrs. Carter back to Amarillo for an back to Amarillo for an appointment on Monday. Robert and Anita
Bruce, Jim and Vonnie Bible attended funeral services for Emmanuel Bruce (Robert's cousin) in Amarillo last week.
Visiting the Robert Bruce's during the J.P. Merril, of California. He also spent some time with the Jim Bruce's in Amarillo. The Bruce's had daughter Sandra from Midland visiting over the weekend.

Alanreed Homecoming News

## By Lena Carter

The 62 nd Alanreed Homecoming was held in the Alanreed gym on Registration began at Registration began at
11:00 A.M. and the program followed at 12:00. President Robert Bruce opened with an invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Giving the welcome was Jeanette Fish with the
response given by Jane Love of Pampa. An audience song was led by Bob Fish. Jeanette announced that they were fund in honor of Rose fand
Special music was by Dan Fish and Ryan
Swanson. Swanson.
The business session followed where the cemetery report was given by Jake Bible, and by Secretary Lena Carter.

Awards were given by Harvey Craig - Coming the longest distance was J.P. Merril of California. The oldest man present was O.J. Milham of McLean and the oldest lady was Mozelle Craig. An election followed with suggestions from Harvey to retain local team and it was unanimously voted. Grace was given by Jim Bible and the crowd was dismissed to enjoy a real good dinner and much visiting. This was a consecutive 62 year event.

You May Be Over The Hill If.

By Lena Carter
You remember when rainy days on the farm were spent in the woods cutting and saving the winter wood.

Little girls had Buster Brown haircuts and little boys had Buster Brown


Sunday suits. When your "tooth paste" usually contained baking soda with generous dab of salt.
When older persons delicately left the
impression that women in nursing had a shady reputation.
When grandma's guest bedrooms had corn shuck mattress' with a feather

## Public Notice

## Invitation To Bidders

SEALED proposals will be received by the Groom Independent School District on July 7, 1998 at 2:00 PM in the Board Room of the district Administrative facilities, and then and there opened and read there opened and read aloud for the furnishing of equipment and labor for retrofit of systems within the $\mathrm{K}-12$ th Grade campus.

Sealed bids for the following include labor, material, and equipment in accordance with BID DOCUMENTS
INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS:

Projects to Bid: Lighting and Electrical

Systems retrofit HVAC System installation Building Energy Management System (BEMS) installation All Mechanical and Electrical work required for proper operation of the designed systems and included in the Bid Documents must be incorporated into the Bid(s) received by the Bid(s) received by the Owner prior to project initiation, whether incorporated into one
total bid packet, total bid packet, or received in portion from multiple bidders.
NOTE: All references to a Pre-Bid Walkthrough in these Specifications are to be deleted. Time requirements do not allow for a walkthrough with
prospective bidders. However, the Contractor shall be responsible for complete installation, and for the purchase of correct quantities of materials. quanties It is recommended that each Bidder complete ach visit prior to subiting visit prior to submitting a Bid Proposal to acquaint himself with the facilities and to obtain information necessary for submission of an accurate Bid.

Only Sealed Bids prepared in accordance with the INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS will be considered.

No Bid Security Bond is required. Performance and Payment Bonds will be required as per State law.
Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive irregularity in the bids and in the bidding process.

Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of the Owner Engineer, or F.W. Dodge plan rooms in Amarillo and Lubbock, Texas.
communication to:
James W. Brown, P.E. ENERGY SYSTEMS ASSOCIATES, Inc. 11901 Hamrick Ct . Austin, Texas 78759 Phone: (512)258-0547 FAX: (512)258-5638

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[^0]:    Wheat trucks rolling ir and out of Attebury Grain.

    Breeze Kuehler picking up a loaf of bread early Monday morning.
    Marcia Conrad looking:
    for a good movie a:
    Mighty's. . . . . . . . . . . .
    Doris Britten running errands.
    B.J. and Tony Homer enjoying a new toy, motorcycle.

[^1]:    TUESDAY PRICES AT ATTEBURY GRAIN CO. Wheat-\$2.68 Milo- $\mathbf{3} .59$ Corn-\$4.09
    Soybeans-\$5. 52 No Rain reported this week

[^2]:    Mr. and Mrs. Dean residents for the past 50 Burger celebrated their 50 th wedding anniversary Mr . Burger currently Junc o, 1990, at Fampa Country Club. Children of the couple hosted the reception.

    Dean H. Burger and Donna Brunnier were married June 7, 1948, in First Methodist Church at Lockney. The couple have been Pampa

    Mrs.
    Mrs. Burger is a homemaker.

    Children of the couple are Connie and Charles Fields of Groom and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Burger of Pampa. They have seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

