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GHS Hosts 1996 Senior Prom Last Weekend

Juniors hosted their annual Banquet and Prom this weekend for guests of honor, the Class of 1996. "Viva Las Vegas" was the

Hall with all the glitz and glamour of Vegas.

The Juniors and Seniors were treated to a meal catered by Dyers Barbecue. theme that transformed the The surprise entertainment

The Groom High School Legion Hall into a Casino of the evening was a live performance by the one . . . the only "Elvis"! (Andy Alexander).

After a brief intermission in which many of the celebrants went to fetch their underclassmen dates, the group enjoyed games of chance like "Blackjack," "Craps," and "Roulette" as well as dancing.





Elementary Students Visit Public Library

Open House at the Groom Library was very successful. There were 94 students and 20 adults in attendance.

Library Friends, Mrs. Janie Britten and Mrs. Sybil Harrell served refreshments. Mrs. Karen Case, substitute librarian, explained the

summer reading program and asked that everyone watch the newspaper for the schedule for the Story Hours.

While here some students had time to look through copies of year books from the past, others were able to check out "Goosebumps"

Mrs. Case also explained steps necessary to get a library card, sending students home with the application. About half the students already had library

Also discussed with the students was the computer

to be installed sometime in May. The final date for installation will be before the end of June.

As the students left each was given a balloon, courtesy of State National

Davis' Burglar Receives 20 Years

that was foiled by D.P.S. wife, Marcia Davis? A Gray County jury convicted the Ohio man on aggravated robbery and sentenced him to 20 years in prison.

Christopher Allen Cannaday, 28, will also have to pay \$2,500 in fines. He was charged with robbing the home of an 85 year old Shamrock woman on April 20, 1995. He stoled a wallet and pulled phone lines from the wall before

Remember the robbery fleeing her home in a GMC van that had been stolen from Tennessee several days before.

While the elderly woman was calling authorities, Cannady drove to Groom where he robbed the Marcia and Gary Davis home.

Marcia saw the van parked in the alley near her home and assumed it was someone visiting her neighbors, as she drove past her home taking her daughter's schoolmate See Robbery, pg. 3

Electric Outage Affects Much Of SPS

An electric outage on April 16 affecting much of the area served by Southwestern Public Service Company resulted from an electrical fault in a substation at SPS's Tolk Station power plant near Muleshoe, Texas.

Both units of the 1,080 megawatt, coal-fueled power plant went off line at approximately 10:20 a.m. This circumstance caused a severe under frequency situation that affected several other SPS power plants. SPS lost 75 percent of the 2,800-megawatt load it was carrying at the time. Southwestern Public

electric service to a population of about one million people in a 52,000square-mile area covering eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas. Most communities throughout this area experienced outages. As of 2:30 p.m. Central

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Time power had been restored to many communities. However, it was later in the day when power was restored to all

CALENDAR COMMUNITY

SUNDAY, MAY 5TH the Lion's Club Luncheon will be served at the Groom 26 & 27 in Levelland Community Center. Barbecue and all the trimmings will be the menu. Donations will be accepted.

Want to learn how to protect your home and valuables from theft? Then come to the Neighborhood Crime Watch meeting, Thursday, May 2nd at 7:00 P.M. at the Community Center. Sponsored by: Groom Boy Scouts Amarillo Police Department Carson County Sheriff's Department

REGIONAL TRACK MEET will be held on April

ANYONE INTERESTED in playing baseball or softball needs to turn in their forms by Monday, April 29. No sign ups after May 1st. Forms may be picked up at the principal's office and returned to that

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Groom Birthdays Anniversaries April 25 - Mrs. R.G.

Weller, Karri Britten. April 26 - Ruth James, Tanner Lewis Case.

April 27 - Glynn D Harrell, Jeremy Jason Lewis. April 28 - Lucille Case, Britteny Martin, William Myles Friemel.

April 29 - Miche le Rene Stephens, Willis Gray.

April 30 - Dennis Babcock, Stanley Homer, April Burton, Mamie Poole. May 1 - Jimmy Chavedo.

Rip and Joy Snyder visited Sunday evening with Les and Dora Neal and Bennie Neal.

Miller's Fourth Mrs. grade class visited the Groom News office after attending the Library open house on Friday. Those attending were Faith Looten, Caren Howard, Schaffer, Cody Jamie Vaughn, Jennifer Jenkins, Britteny Martin, Lorri Brooks, Kristen Britten, Martinez, Bobby Ratterree, Beth Wakefield, Clay Britten, and Owen Weinheimer.

Local Happenings

Menu May 28 - June 3

blueberry muffins, juice,

Lunch: Chicken nuggets,

mashed potatoes, green

beans, hot rolls, chocolate

sandwiches, pork & beans,

hash

Lunch: Mexican pile on,

cut corn, tortilla pieces,

yummy oatmeal cookies,

gravy, bacon, juice, milk.

potatoes, spinach, hot sliced

cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.

French fries, chocolate no-

Cold cereal,

Pancakes.

sausage,

Submarine

Breakfast

browns,

Biscuits,

Charbroiled

scalloped

Donuts,

Cheeseburgers,

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Monday

cake, milk.

juice, milk.

Lunch:

Tuesday

Breakfast:

peanut butter,

fruit cocktail, milk.

Wednesday

Breakfast:

Thursday

Lunch:

Friday

Lunch:

Breakfast:

chopped steak,

bread, jello, milk.

bake cookies, milk.

Breakfast:

burritoes,

juice, milk.

Breakfast:

Sick Or Recovering

Twila Jackson LaVesta Barnett Mert Kendrick Bertha Knight

Juanita Brown

Justin Ritter was 2nd alternate in Headline Writing at the UIL meet of Region I at Levelland.

United Methodist Women Meet

United Methodist Women met at the Church Tuesday afternoon, April 16. Plans for the annual

breakfast honoring members of the Senior Class of Groom High School to be April 24 were finalized. The program on the

Wesley Community Center at Amarillo was presented by Sybil Harrell. announced the Reverend Jacinto Alderete, Director of the Center, would be guest speaker at the Church Sunday morning, April 21.

Others attending were Mamie Ritter, Julia McGee, Oma Schaffer, Ruby Babcock, Shirley Lamberson and the Reverend Steve

Gene and Edith Wade are home after an extended visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Calvin and Delmar Tuggle in Spring,

Rip and Joy Snyder visited Truman Goodlett and M.L. Rowan in McLean on Saturday evening and attended the birthday party for the ones having April birthdays.

Bill and Norma Jean Homer were joined by Kenneth and Barbara Sweatt of Childress, Tom and Donna Marie Wagner of Stratford, Kenny and Linda Babcock and Joe and Judy Hutchinson of Groom at the Country Barn Saturday to celebrate Bill and Norma Jean's 33rd anniversary. They went on to the Krystal Place for an evening of visiting and

Justin Ritter will be the 2nd alternate in the UIL competition category "Headlining" after the Regional Meet held last weekend. Adam Odor will serve as 3rd alternate in the Mathematics competition.

Ritter and Odor will compete only if the 1st and 2nd place contestants for some reason are unable to compete.

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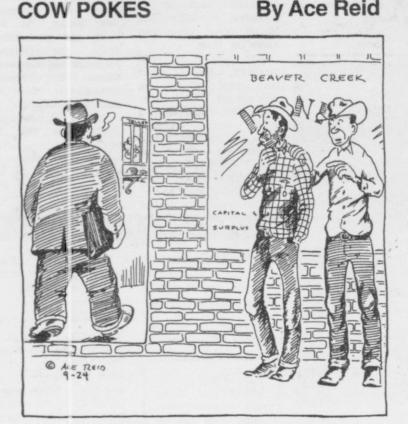
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Robbery

home. As she returned, she noticed the van leaving. When she entered the house, she found the backdoor had been jimmied and several things were

She noticed that van she had seen was at the Stop N Shop gas pumps. She drove down and got the license number and contacted her husband's partner, Joe Longway.

A high speed chase ensued and the robber was eventually caught near Borger.

Christian Mothers Hold April 22 Meeting At Hall

Christian Mothers met Monday evening, April 22, at the Parish Hall. Members enjoyed a salad

President Melanie Britten and Rev. Raymond Crosicr presided over the installation of the 1996-98 officers New officers ceremony. President, Alice Kuehler; Vice President, Kathleen Barkley; 2nd Vice President, Wamyth Britten; 3rd Vice President, Lucille Britten; Secretary, Melanie Britten; Treasurer, Mar a Britten; Reporter, Kay Britten; Prayer Leader, Doris Britten.

The Senior Pizza Supper will be held May 2nd at the Church Hall. The event will be hosted by the Senior Mothers.

The Senior Mass will be Sunday, May 19, at 10:00 A breakfast will follow for the Seniors. The parish family is invited to attend the Mass and breakfast. Regina Cooli Circle will host the event.

Summer Religion classes will be held June 3 through June 7 for grades 1-6. St. Catherine's Circle vill provide refreshments for the week.

Groom Day events were discussed. All members are asked to furnish at least one dozen blown eggs for the bird seed eggs. Alice Kuehler will store your blown eggs. Please help us with this request.

Upcoming News: President Alice Kuehler vill be appointing Circle Chairmen; assigning hostesses for meetings; and homes for the meetings; pal sign-ups, Please have a "yes" ready for her when she calls, or members may call Alice and volunteer their services for any of the above.

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Cannady had already pled guilty to the Groom burglary and received a 12 year sentence.

Authorities recovered four weapons from the van that Cannady was driving. He may be returned to Tennessee to face charges

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More Local Happenings

Rip and Joy Snyder were Pampa visitors on Monday. Rip enjoyed the fish at Long Johns.

Rip and Joy were in White Deer on Monday getting garden plants.

Jean Homer were Mary Jo Schacher, Brittney, Jacob, Kinzi Jo and Justin of Lazbuddie, Coleta Langford,

Sunday visitors in the Keegan and Kristen of home of Bill and Norma Bovina. The annual wiener roast was held. attending were Joannie and Tiffani Homer and Doug

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Miss Carson County Contestants Meeting Set For May 2

All young ladies between the ages of 17 (must be a Senior 96-97) and 23 years of age interested in participating in the 1996 Miss Carson County Scholarship Pageant are invited to meet on

Thursday, May 2, 1996 at the First Christian Church Fellowship Hall, 600 Euclid Street in Panhandle at 7:00 p.m.

Entry forms will be distributed and other information will be discussed

pageant. Each girl is asked to bring a wallet size photo of themselves.

Last year's Miss Carson County, Junella Gideon was the recipient of a \$400 scholarship. Mary Ann

pertaining to this year's Holliman received a \$100 scholarship as first runner up and Tylee Sleeker of White Deer won a \$50.00 scholarship as 2nd runner up. It is the pageant's desire to increase these scholarship awards through

support of area businesses and community

organizations. Any questions may be directed to Gracie Garcia at 537-3968.

There are many pictures at The McLean News Office. Please come in to see if there are any that are yours or that you would like to have!





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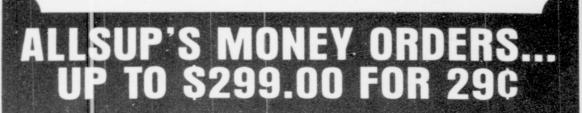
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5th Grade: Jill Britten,

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Location of

Polling Places

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at

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to Boydston Road, between the hours

of 8:00 and 4:00 p.m. beginning on

April 15, 1996 and ending on April 30,

To the Registered Voters

Grandview-Hopkins ISD,

to select (2) two Trustees.

1996.

Brin Burgin, Lauren Crowell, Doug Fields, and Stephany Fraser.

6th Grade: Cassandra Ashford, Cody Bivens, Candace Bohr, Garrett Britten, Karri Britten, Wyatt Britten, and Hugh Weinheimer.

7th Grade: Marci Babcock, Brooke Britten, Macie Britten, and Sarah Looten.

Grade: Dustin 8th Babcock, Travis Britten,

Craig

Groom,

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Allison Eatmon, Sarah Hutsell, and Jessica Kepley.

9th Grade: Dean Fields, Jeremy Lewis, Wyatt Weinheimer, and Dara Whatley.

Tami 10th Grade: Ashford, Toby Burgin, April Burton, Angie Conrad, and Jennifer Lewis.

11th Grade: Courtney Burgin and Justin Ritter.

12th Grade: Kay Case, Sandie Conrad, Terrence Eatmon, Sheridan Koetting, and Adam Odor.

A - B HONOR ROLL

4th Grade: Cody Schaffer and Jamie Vaughn.

5th Grade: Lindsay Blackwell, Brett Britten, Lainie Britten, Kira Broadway, Amanda Conrad, Amanda Martin, Amber Moore and Lance Ollinger.

6th Grade: Nicole Barnett, Krisanne Davis. Luke Pavlovsky, and Clay Ritter.

7th Grade: Frances Britten, Skye Brown, Russell Conrad, Chase Holland, Michele Stephens, Courtney Sustaire, and Grant Weimheimer.

8th Grade: Carrie Davis, Jodi Homen, and Chris Ollinger.

9th Grade: Blake Barnett, Cody Britten, Sara Britten, Karen Conrad, Josh Evenson, Katrina Meaker, Stacy Munoz, Jacey Shuck, Richardson, Jamie and Daniel Treadwell. 10th Grade: 1

Anthony, Britten, Kay Chavedo, Martie Jimmy Phillips, Michael Stephens, and Maggie Thomas.

11th Grade: Fields, Babcock, Brenda Christina Galvan, Michael Lewis, Stephanie Ollinger, Julie Richardson, Brad Scott Sustaire, and Weinheimer.

Nick 12th Grade: Baker. Ashford, Craig Harold Cave, Jeremy Chavedo, Tammy Cockrell, Brandon Crump, Stanley Homer, David Munoz, Suzy Pool, and Sabrina Schaffer.

41st Annual Dinner to Be Held In

Panhandle The 41st annual Barbecue Dinner sponsored by the St. Theresa Catholic Church is set for Sunday, April 28, in the church

parish hall.

The all-you-can-eat meal will be served from 11:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. with adults eating for \$6 and children six and up eating for \$3. Children under six eat free. The meal will include barbecue beef, potato salad, cole slaw, beans, bread, and apricots.

A country store will feature many homemade items and barbecue meat to go will also be on sale.

St. Theresa Church can be located by taking Spur 293 off of Hwy. 60 in Panhandle, Texas.

Thank You Card

To everyone in the community who reached out to us during Mother's illness and after her passing, we offer our deepest gratitude. Your kindness and prayers have given us comfort and

The Family of Pauline Looten Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren

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Sandie Conrad, Toby Burgin, Brad Sustaire, Daniel Treadwell, Josh Evenson and Kay Case.

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Clint Babcock

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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later that the close of business on April 30, 1996

Issued this the 5th day of April, 1996

/s/ Solomon N. Kepley

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Student Council Hosts Memorial Service In Memory Of Oklahoma City Bombing Victims

The Groom student body gathered in the auditorium last week for a brief Memorial Service for victims of the Oklahoma City bombing. Sponsored by the Student Council, the youths were led in the Pledge of Allegiance by President, Sandie Conrad. Tammy Cockrell led the group in prayer.

April Burton made a brief statement admonishing her schoolmates to do random acts of kindness in honor of the memory of those who died and to let family members know that they are loved and appreciated.

The audience then watched a video by Garth Brooks. The film showed scenes of the destruction and devastation that followed the terroristic act. Brooks also performed a song that he wrote entitled "The Change", in honor of the tragedy.

April Burton, Scott McLaughlin, Jason Prather and C.J. Whatley witnessed, first hand, the mood of Oklahoma City just after the event.

"We were there just after stated this happened," Burton, "I saw the building from about five or six blocks away. It was a terrible sight. I can only imagine how awful it was close up."

"The thing that amazed me," stated McLaughlin "Is how quiet everything was. Places that were normally kind of noisy, like restaurants, were extremely quiet. I think everyone was in shock."

"We decided not to show our cattle on the day of the memorial service that was held right there at the fair grounds where we were showing," stated Whatley. "We felt that the show should have been cancelled and our money refunded. It just was not appropriate for that to be going on when the whole world was focused on the next building over."

Prather added, "Our thoughts and prayers were on the families that had been destroyed by this senseless act, not on the competition."

Obituary

Mary B. Davis ALANREED -Mary Berthena Terbush Davis, 93, died Sunday, April 21, 1996.

Memorial services were in Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home Chapel at McLean with Glenn Walton, minister of North Amarillo Church of Christ in Amarillo, officiating. Graveside serves were at the Alanreed Cemetery in Alanreed with Glen Walton officiating.

He died in 1991. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

daughters, Velma Hechler of San Antonio, Betty Brents of Amarillo and Willie Mae of Panhandle; a son, John E. Davis of Amarillo; two sisters, Agnes Wetsel and Francis Corbin, both of Groom; a brother. Leroy Terbush of Amarillo; 13 grandchildren; 18 greatgrandchildren; and a greatgreat-grandchild.

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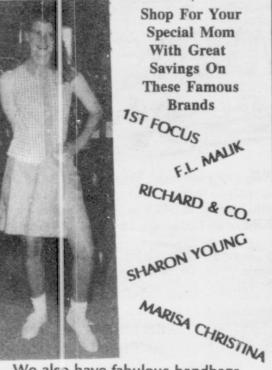
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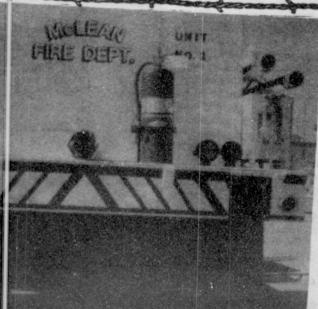
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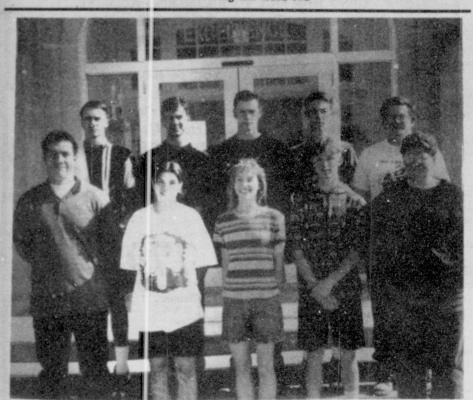


McLean Department Dedicates Truck To Two Fallen Firefighters

The McLean Fire Department spent 1 ½ years rebuilding a 5 ton 6x6 military truck to use in fighting rural fires. They had to add a tank and a pump and all the painting and rebuilding necessary to

make it a fire truck. All these many jobs were done by the McLean fire fighters. This truck was obtained through the Texas Surplus property program. During the time the volunteers were building this truck two

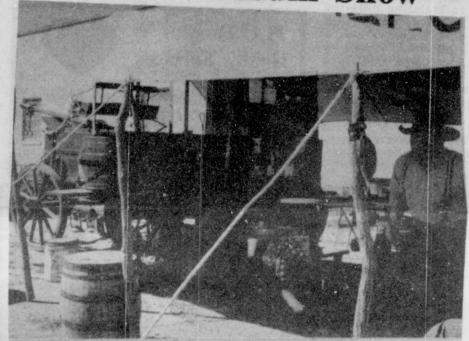
Claude Volunteer Firemen were killed. The McLean Fire Department decided to dedicate the new rebuilt truck in memory of the Claude Firemen, Marcus King and Jared Wright.



Students Headed To Regional

Students traveling to Lubbock this week for the UIL Regional meet are (back row) Jonathan Galley, Golf; Andy Glass, Golf; Jeremy Crutcher, Track; Monty Joiner, Tennis & Golf; Randall Greer, Track (front row) Curis Flores, Golf; Missy Slagle, Track; Lori Hefley, Track; Shawn Sanderson, Track & Golf; and Michelle Basham, Golf.

90 Collectors Attend Annual Museum Show



The Devil's Rope Museum held their annual Barbed Wire and Collectible show this last week end. All of the local motels and R.V. parks were filled to capacity as 90 collectors from 12 states rolled into town to show off their collectibles.

The show was open to the public on Friday and Saturday where visitors could browse through the 62 tables and 35 wall exhibits. The exhibits featured arts and crafts and collectibles ranging from antique wire and tools to dolls and women's collectibles. There were collectors from as far away as California and Illinois.

Lunch was provided on Saturday by Dwayne and Rhonda Myers with their prize winning chuckwagon set up outside the Museum where they served barbecue to the public. The Myers'

also catered the banquet which was held Saturday night.

Delbert Trew stated,
"The show was very
successful and we are
looking forward to another
good show next year."

Local restaurants and people having garage sales reported having a very good week end with excellent participation.

McLean Community Reminders

TRINITY BAPTIST
Church will hold a Senior
Service on Sunday, April 28
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at 7 p.m.

DINNER THEATER will be at 6 p.m. Saturday, May 4 at the McLean Country Club. JUNIOR, SENIOR Prom will be Friday, May 3 at the McLean Country Club.

SENIOR BIBLE Service at the McLean Methodist Church will be at 10:50 a.m. April 28. McLEAN VOL FIRE
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consignment auction to
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Call Clifford McDonald at 806-779-2192 or 806-779-2431 or any fireman. Sale will be held sometime the first of May.

ST. JUDE trail ride event will be on Bill Arrington's Rocking Chair Ranch west of Pampa, May 4. Call (806)669-0176 for

information.

EXCEL MEETING will be held Thursday, April 25 at 8:00 in the Bank Hospitality Room.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Fire Department will test sirens Thursday, May 2 at 7:00 p.m.

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McLean Birthdays Anniversa ries

April 25 - Dee Perkins, Zachary Odom.

April 26 -Marye Thomas.

April 27 - David Kniffen, Betty Lowe, Ann Williams, Clyde Richard Brown.

April 28 - Alisha Hallum, Cindy Lee. April 29 - Toby Purcell.

April 30 - Amber

May 1 - Caryn Jordan.

Youth Retreat

Six women from the McLean United Methodist Church were part of eightfive others in attending the Tri-District Spiritual Growth Retreat, April 12-13th at Ceta Canyon Methodist Church Camp. The districts involved were Pampa, Amarillo and Plain view.

The theme was "Living God's Vision for a Just World," and was held by Sandy Ruby, South Central Jurisdiction United Methodist Women staff person assigned to Dallas.

The music was led by Jane O'Kelly and Paula Vance. Worship meditations were given by Janie Sims and Linda Elms.

Those attending from McLean were Ruth Magee, Mary Dwyer, Kathy Graham, Inez Trostle, Evelyn Shaw and Bonnie Nell Fabian.

Students Attend District

McLean Junior High and Elementary schools attended the Literary and Academic Spring meet at Hedley recently.

Junior High students placed 2nd overall at the meet while the Elementary students placed 5th overall.

Results of the meet are as follows:

6th Spelling: 4th Randi Riley; 5th Ashley Comer; 6th Sara Hall.

6th Oral Reading: 1st Ashley Comer.

6th Maps, Graphs & Charts: 2nd Nikki Hefley; 5th Teddra Simmons.

7th Spelling: 1st Vernonia Fite; 4th Lauren Williams; 5th Twila Williams.

7th Oral Reading: 1st Coy Tolleson; 4th Lauren Williams.

7th Maps, Charts & Graphs: 1st David Swafford; 2nd Terrell Hembree.

8th Spelling: 2nd Brian Fuller; 4th Ike Hanes; 6th Brodey Carter.

6th Listening: 3rd Nikki Hefley; 5th Teddra Simmons.

6th Dictionary Skills: 5th 7th Number Sense: 3rd Gabriel Vega; 4th David Swafford; 5th Terrell Hembree.

8th Science: 3rd Brian Fuller; 5th Dee Dee Floyd. 8th Listening: 2nd Dusty Rogers; 5th Brian Fuller.

8th Number Sense: 3rd Brian Fuller; 4th Dee Dee Floyd.

8th Dictionary Skills: 2nd Amanda Cline; 4th Dee Dee Floyd. 6th Ready Writing: 3rd

Randi Jo Riley. 7th Ready Writing: 3rd Veronica Fite.

7th Impromptu Speaking: 3rd Robbie Bradley; 5th Coy Tolleson.

8th Ready Writing: 6th Valerie Joiner.

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Hanes. 8th Modern Oratory: 2nd Jessi Fish.

7th Science: 4th Rachel Bennett.

7th Listening: 1st Coy Tolleson; 4th Ricky Smith; 5th Veronica Fite.

Alanreed

News

By Lena Carter The community saddened by the passing of one of our oldest former residents. Mary (Terbush) Davis on Sunday. Interment was in the Alanreed Cemetery.

Ruby Dorsey took Jay to Amarillo for medical attention this week.

We will have a singing at First Baptist Church Saturday night unless otherwise stated. Public welcome at 7:00 P.M.

The Bill Hambright children of Canadian spent some time here last week with their grandparents the James Armbrister's while their parents shopped for things for their new house which is almost completed.

Demolition of the old Blakney house was slowed when the owner Bob Fish came upon bad luck suffering a car wreck on I-40 last week. He is recuperating nicely.

The Robert Bruce's were in Pampa on Monday.

The Dan Martins Groom were here Saturday.

On The Sick List Hess.

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11th Grade: Tammye Cole, Shanna Dent, David Fuller, Jessica Rich, Tanna Shipman, Ashley Slagle, Kristi Tidwell

10th Grade: Jennifer Barker, Bonnie Hauck, Lori Hefley, Moriah McCracken, Tracie Seitz, Shaley Stalls.

9th Grade: Rachel Galley.

8th Grade: Jessica Fish, Brian Fuller.

7th Grade: Rachel Bennett.

6th Grade: Ashley Comer, Jessica Daniels, Nikki Hefley, Randi Riley, Teddra Simmons

5th Grade: Robert Brass, Jeffrey Lee, Joshua Seymour, Shaley Steel.

3rd Grade: Valerie Bradley, Ashley McClendon, Zane Richardson.

2nd Grade: Talitha Newton, Nicholas Odom, Justin Wehrenberg.

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12th Grade: Casey Carter, Andy Glass, Jeremy Crutcher, Monty Joner, R.T. Payne, Lee Shaw, Jennifer Pennington.

10th Grade: Lorin Hall, Walter Handlin, Krystle McClellan, Jennifer Patton.

9th Grade: Mark Bolton, Victoria Bradley, Scott Glass, Vanessa Glass, Krista Hicks, Gary Jones, Joshua Swafford, Ryan Swanson.

8th Grade: Dee Dee Floyd, Pamela Greer, Ike Hanes, Chris Hauck, Valerie

Frank Austin (Toby)

in Lefors.

Marsh, Sonny Northcutt, Jennifer Smith. 4th Grade: Greer, Jaci Grigsby, Dustin Moody, Kendall Newton,

Traci Rigsby, Slade Terry. 3rd Grade: Skyler Ferguson, Joshua Nelson, Lucas Seymour, Mitchell

7th Grade:

Gabriel Vega.

Alana

6th Grade:

Hall, Sarah Holland.

Fite, Steven Foshee, Will

Frost, Terrell Henbree, Josh

Logan, Coy Tolleson,

Johnston, Stephanie West,

Williams, Randy Floyd,

Shannon Graybeal, Sara

5th Grade: Drew Barker,

Amanda Hauck, Tami

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Steward. 2nd Grade: Robert Patterson, Joshua Pendleton, Kevin Smith, Connie Vega.

> McLean School Menu May 29 - 30

Monday Breakfast: Cream beef, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Chili dogs, Lunch: French fries, pickle spears, pork & beans, mustard, ketchup, chocolate cake,

Tuesday Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fresh fruit, jelly, juice, milk. Lunch: Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Local Obituaries

(Toby) Williams

Williams, 84, of Pampa, died Friday, April 19, 1996. Services were Monday in the Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Lewis Ellis, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lefors, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Williams was born April 30, 1911, in Eastland County, Texas. He married Ollyne Coker on October 17, 1932, at Sayre, Oklahoma; she died in 1982. He had been a Pampa resident since the 1970s, moving from Lefors. He was the co-owner and operator of the Williams Welding Works at Lefors and Pampa for the past 50 years. He also farmed and ranched. He was a member of the First Baptist Church

He was preceded in death by a son, Harold Williams; a grandson, Jamie Williams; and an infant great-grandchild.

Survivors include a daughter, Betty Hannon of Lefors; a son, Jerry Williams of Lefors; four sisters, Bennie Wayne Smith of DeSoto, Jane Herndon of McLean and Sue Hill and Faye Flynn, both of Amarillo; a brother, George Williams of Monroe, La.; five grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite

Frank Austin

Of City Founder Dies The McLean Historical Museum reports the death of Col. H.H.K. "Harry" Rowe, 90, the last surviving

child of Alfred Rowe,

founder of the RO Ranch

and the donor of the

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Harry Rowe lived on the RO as a child and has contributed pictures and information which will be printed in the April issue of the Prairie Dog Gazette.

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Seniors Honored With Annual Tea By Pioneer Club

By Jaylene Watkins Senior Class Reporter

The Senior Class of 1996 was honored by the Pioneer Study Club at the annual Senior Tea, Sunday, April Seniors include: Rojelio Albarado, Michelle Basham, Seth Brown, Casey Blake Crockett Carter, Jeremy Crutcher, John Dickey, Leigh Anne Flores, Jonathan Galley, Andy Glass, Randal Greer, Jill Hefley, Heather Hess, Holly Jasper, Monty Joiner, R.T. Payne, Jennifer Pennington, Ben Reeser, Lee Shaw, Mike Stone, Jaylene Watkins, and Devin Wheeler. The seniors enjoyed a beautifully decorated table full of many refreshments, listened to the inspirational words of Delbert Trew, and received personalized initialed laundry bags. Mary Dwyer states, "The Senior Tea is an annual affair that the Pioneer Study Club has for the seniors and their parents. It has been a tradition for several years and we are happy to do it for the seniors."

McLean Care Center News

Sunday Bro. Thacker Haynes, pastor of the Methodist Church was here to hold a worship service.

Monday afternoon the residents enjoyed their bingo game. Loree Barker and Cliffie Heasley filled in for Betty Lopez during her absence. Bananas were furnished for all bingo players by the Lions club.

Tuesday, Kim Hernandez was here to give musical therapy for the residents. attending were Those Truman Goodlett, Phyllis Bailey, Polly Burnett, Lavern Carter, Myrtle Allen, Hadda Moore, Florence Drake and Thelma Hopkins. Dominos were played by Teresa Richardson, M.L. Rowan and Imogene King.

An ice-cream social was held by the Methodist Winsome Sunday school class Wednesday afternoon. Loyce Murray played the piano and the following ladies served cake and icecream: Bonnie Sutton, Babe Brown, Jenny Stubbs and Loree Barker.

party, ladies celebrating Saturday was the birthday were Truman Goodlett, Christine Shipley, Vernee Bowling, Zelma Madison and Dee Patterson. Everyone enjoyed the puppet show presented by Leland, Wanda, Sarah and Jennifer Myers. Sarah Myers sang a solo. Corsages were furnished by Lamb-Ferguson florist. The angel food cake was furnished by Betty Lowe and Evelyn Pennington baked and decorated a large chocolate cake. Ladies serving were Betty Lowe, Evelyn Pennington and the staff members.



McCracken Is State Alternate

Four McLean High School students traveled to Levelland for Regional University Interscholastic League competition last week, and sophomore Moriah McCracken snagged a berth as an alternate to the state competition. McCracken placed fourth in

Features, journalism contest. She also participated in the Ready Writing contest.

Others participating in the Regional Meet were senior Jaylene Watkins in Headline Writing and Poetry Interpretation; junior Jessica Rich in Prose Reading; and senior Holly Jasper in Features.

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A DRIVER SAFETY Course will be held at Clarendon College on Saturday, April 13, 1996. Contact Clarendon College at 1-806-874-3571 for further information.

Curtis Lamar and Rip Snyder were Amarillo visitors on Friday and attending to business at the V.A. hospital.

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GRANDVIEW-HOPKINS Independent School District is seeking a school secretary for grades K-6. Applications will be accepted through Friday, May 3, 1996. Please submit letter of application, resume, educational preparation, and telephone numbers of references to: Solomon Kepley, Superintendent, Grandview Hopkins ISD, Route 1, Box 27, Groom, TX. 79039.

DANCE SATURDAY, April 27, 1996 at McLean Country Club. Music by Smoky Vailey Boys. Dance from 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. Members and guests Memberships welcome. available.

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> Political Calendar

The Groom News is authorized to present the names of the following candidates for office, subject to the Elections to be held on Nov.5. A fee of \$35.00 has been paid by each candidate for listing in this column from now till the run-off election in April if applicable or the election in November.

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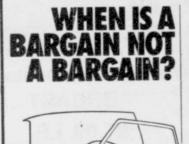
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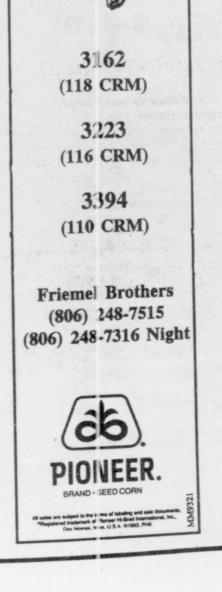
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