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These "Almost Angels" serenaded Bazaar goers while they enjoyed a wonderful meal of roast beef and all the trimmings. They are (top) Sherri Britten, Caren Howard, Jill Britten, (bottom) Lainie Britten, Brin Burgin and Amanda Conrad.



Pat Koelder, Evelyn Hubbard, Gaynelle Pool and Helen Witt enjoy visiting after a great meal provided by Alpha Mu Xi.

All District Team Named

Officials of the District 1A Six-Man are pleased to announce All-Star and All-District players for 1996.

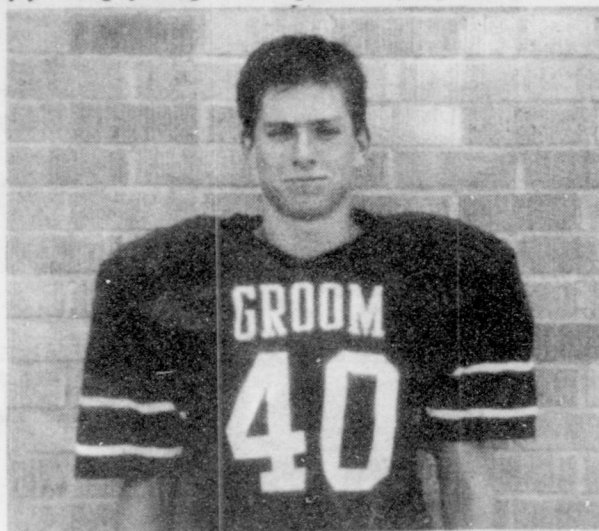
Justin Ritter has been named the All-Star player for the year. Ritter rushed for a season record of 2315 yards on 216 carries. He will attend the Six-Man All Star Clinic in Lubbock this summer. Sean Crowell and Scott Weinheimer were named alternates.

Among the All-District team several Groom Tigers were selected. On the first team defense Scott

Weinheimer was selected as End. Toby Burgin was named Linebacker and Justin Ritter, Safety.

On the first team offense, Sean Crowell was named Center; Scott Weinheimer End; Quarterback, Brad Sustaire; and Running Back Justin Ritter.

On the second team defense, Brad Sustaire was named Linebacker and Leo Britten End. On offense, honorable mention honors came to Running Back Toby Burgin and End Leo Britten.



All Star - Justin Ritter - Senior

Activities Kick Off Holiday Season

Groom residents are gearing up for the holiday season. Already activities are increasing with intensity.

Groom Sorority, Alpha Mu Xi, kicked off the events with a Senior Citizen's turkey and dressing dinner, with all the trimmings. The event was well attended by approximately 60 people.

Christian Mothers held their annual bazaar and meal on Sunday. Despite cold and windy weather, it too was well attended. 15-20 artists and crafters displayed their wares to give early Christmas shoppers ideas for great gifts.

Groom Elementary students will present a short Christmas program as the paper goes to press on Wednesday.

Already Christmas decorations are beginning to go up around town. Those interested in downtown should meet on Sunday, December 1 to set up downtown and community center decorations.

Most of the churches will have Thanksgiving and/or Christmas programs or special schedules for the holidays. Be sure to check with the church of your choice for those important announcements.

Groom School will have several events during the holidays. Check the Community Calendar for more information.

When the hustle and bustle begins to take its toll on your temper, stop and

See Holiday, pg. 6

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THE METHODIST Church will hold their Christmas program on December 18 at 6 pm.

SEMESTER TESTS will be given Dec. 19-21.

GROOM 4-H CLUB will meet at the Community Center on December 5 at 7 pm. Poinsettia orders are due to Belinda Britten on December 2.

DEADLINE - Groom News Christmas edition will be on Friday, Dec. 13th.

GROOM VARSITY basketball teams will compete in a tournament in Valley, December 5th - 7th.

MAKE-UP PICTURE Day at school is December 10.

THIRD 6-WEEKS tests will be given Dec. 10-12.

GROOM ECONOMIC Development Corporation will meet on December 2 at 6 pm in the Groom Community Center. A "members at large" meeting will be held after the officers meeting.

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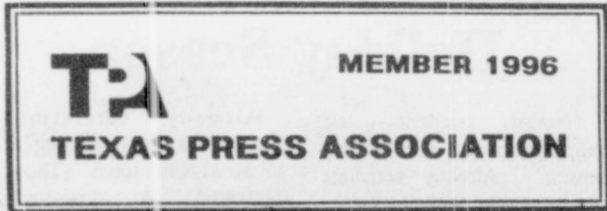
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Groom School Menu

December 2, Monday
 Breakfast: Cold cereal, blueberry muffins, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, Rice Krispie treats, milk.
 December 3, Tuesday
 Breakfast: Pancakes, peanut butter, sausage, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Soft tacos, corn, Spanish rice, brownies, milk.
 December 4, Wednesday
 Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, hash browns, juice, milk.

Lunch: Turkey and noodles, sweet peas, cheese zombies, peaches, milk.
 December 5, Thursday
 Breakfast: Biscuits, gravy, bacon, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Charbroiled chopped steak, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas or spinach, pull-apart bread, jello, milk.
 December 6, Friday
 Breakfast: Donuts, cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.
 Lunch: Cheeseburgers, french fries, pork & beans, yummy oatmeal cookies, milk.

Local Happenings

Five Panhandle area poets won prizes at the recent awards banquet of the Texas State Poetry Society in Dallas, according to a news release.

Among these winners is Helen Witt of Groom. She won sixth place in the Ted O. Badger awards and eighth in the Ina Fargason awards.



TWINS NEW IN HOMER HOME

Mick and Jane Homer of San Antonio are the proud parents of twins born on November 15, 1996. Zoe Miranda, a girl, weighed 4 lbs. 14 ozs. Martin Jacob, a boy, weighed 4 lbs. 2 ozs. Martin is named for his late paternal grandfather, Martin (Mike) Homer. The twins are welcomed home by their 11 year old brother, Avery. Equally proud grandparents are Mary Lou Homer of Hereford, Joan Schaffer and Harold Graves of Ohio. Great-Grandmother is Edith Graves, also of Ohio.

Karen Case and Sybil Harrell attended the monthly meeting of the Carson County Library Board and staff in Panhandle Wednesday morning, November 20.

Groom Birthdays Anniversaries

November 28 - Harold Cave, James Weinheimer, Joseph Guterrez, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Homer (A), Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Howard (A).
 November 29 - Page Blackwell.
 November 30 - Callie Jo Bichsel, Marcus Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pavlovsky (A).
 December 1 - Don Lyles, Dena Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Looten (A).
 December 3 - Calvin Clay Schaffer, Darlene Jones, Jill Ann Britten, Lillian Wakefield, Forrest McLaughlin, Cheyann Ellen Wortham.
 December 4 - R.A. Snyder, Martie Phillips.

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Groom Tigers Lose To Whitharral Panthers

The Groom Tigers played their hearts out Friday night in the Area Championship game, but lost 32-68.

"We got off to a slow start, offensively and defensively, and turned the

ball over early," stated Head Coach Larry Reid. "You just can't do that with a team like Whitharral. They capitalised on our mistakes and gained early momentum."

Groom played neck and neck with the Panthers the rest of the game having 13 first downs to Whitharral's 15. Groom's rushing game far exceeded Whitharral with 46 carries for 293 yards. The Panthers had 25 carries for only 89 yards. Their forte' was the passing game with 14 completions on 20 attempts for 254 yards.

Justin Ritter scored four touchdowns through the game. He had a 62 yard run, a 9 yard run, a 10 yard run and a 33 yard run. He had 10 unassisted tackles.

Sean Crowell connected on a 24 yard pass from

Brad Sustaire for a touchdown. He also had 8 unassisted tackles.

Toby Burgin rushed for 12 yards on 3 carries. He had a whooping 16 unassisted tackles.

Daniel Treadwell had 26 yards rushing on 8 carries. He kicked the extra point for a touchdown and had 6 unassisted tackles.

Brad Sustaire did a great job quarterbacking and calling plays. He threw six times for three connections and 37 yards. He had 9 unassisted tackles. He also punted 38 yards.

Scott Weinheimer received one pass for 10



Groom Tigers show their respect as the flag is raised before last Friday's Game.

yards. He had 7 unassisted tackles and 1 quarterback sack.

Other unassisted tackles included 2 by Leo Britten, 4 by Jamie Shuck, 3 by Trae Kepley, and 2 by Evan Crowell.

"I'm extremely proud of these boys," stated Coach Reid. "They never stopped fighting to win, even after they got behind. I guess you could say they won a

moral victory, in that regard. We are going to miss our graduating seniors and are looking forward to seeing some of our younger players step-up and fill some very large shoes. Hopefully advancing to the play-offs will motivate the up-coming Tigers to work hard in the off-season.

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Kirsten Fraser Wins Dallas Contest

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was 2nd runner up in the singing competition.

The judges were 30 of the top casting directors, modeling agencies and talent scouts. There were over 300 people competing.

After the event was over, if any of the judges were interested in signing a contestant with their agency, they would give a call back. Kirsten received many call backs from Los Angeles, Dallas and New York.

Suzelles, one of the top modeling and talent agencies in New York offered Kirsten to come and work with them in New York for the summer.

As of now Kirsten is undecided who she will sign with.

Kirsten's sponsors for the trip to Dallas were: Groom Grocery, Bivens Automotive, State National Bank, Circle B Meat Company, Hop's Tire & Fuel Service, Pav's Tire Service, Golden Spread Grill, Stop N Shop, Keith's Automotive, Images Beauty Shop, Short Grass Feed, Ben and Betty Ingham, Loyce Bond, Barbara and Cliff Fraser, R.J. and Honey Kempf, Betty and Wilbur Kempf, and Tim Mansfield.



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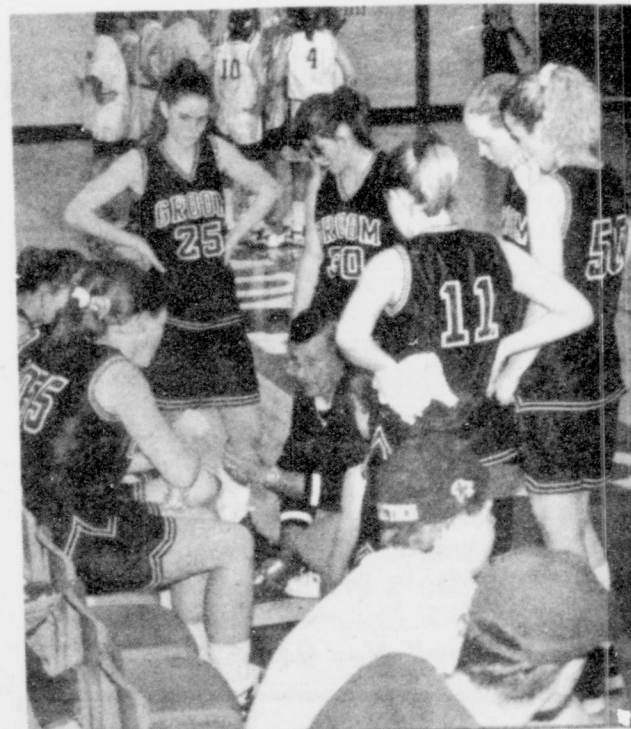
Groom Tigerettes Lose To Allison By Narrow Margin

The Groom Tigerettes battled Allison Saturday, November 23.

Angie Conrad led the scoring with 12 points. Jessica Stapp added another 10. Karen Conrad had 8. Martie Phillips added 5 and Mary Hutsell, Sara Britten and Melissa Anthony each had 4. Jessica Friemel and Julie Richardson each scored 2 points.

The Ettes lost by a narrow margin, 58-51.

(Left) Coach Yelverton instructs the Ettes as they battle Allison.



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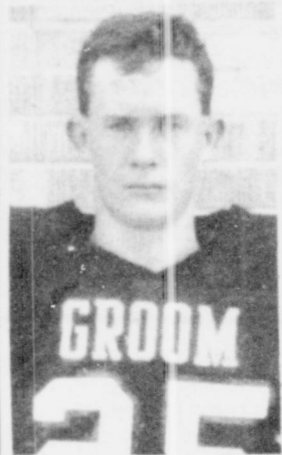
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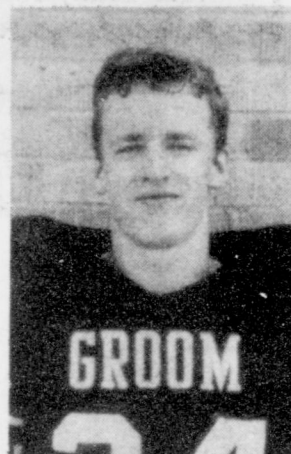


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McLellan - Babcock Exchange Vows

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Christine O'Day McLellan of New Orleans and Jason Brady Babcock of San Antonio, Texas, currently residing in Guam were united in marriage recently in a ceremony at Aldersgate Methodist Church in Slidell, La.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLellan II and the late Virginia O'Day McLellan of Slidell, is a graduate of the School of Architecture at Tulane University where she received a bachelor of architecture degree. She has been employed as an intern architect for John Bohlke, Architects, in New Orleans.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alan Babcock of San Antonio. He is a graduate of Churchill High School and

the School of Engineering at Tulane, where he received a bachelors degree, summa cum laude, in mechanical engineering. He is an ensign in the U.S. Navy, stationed in Dededo, Guam.

Mr. John Harrison, minister of the Garland Church of Christ in Garland, Tx. performed the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride wore a sheath dress of white dupioni silk with a fichu collar draped across the front of the bodice. The dress featured short draped sleeves with a shirred bodice front and back.

The back of the dress had a large bow with fabric roses and a full detachable cathedral length train. Her

veil was also cathedral length, attached to fabric roses. The bride's bouquet featured lilies, orchids, freezia and sunflowers.

The maid of honor was Heather Anne Wollett, cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Bliss Babcock, sister of the groom; Maureen Wells McLellan, sister of the bride; Janet Lee Russell and Kimberly Clingon Lackey.

Bestman was Jeffrey Alan Babcock, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Lee Robert MacIntyre, Kenneth Darryl Fulfs, Justin William Dyal, and Matthew Doyle McLellan.

Ushers included Charles Travis McLellan, Christopher Wells McLellan, Craig Phillip Brouillette and Phillip Lynn Brouillette.

Flower girls were Morgan and Georgia Applegate, and Claire and Colleen McLellan. Ringbearer was Steven Thomas Brouillette. The bride's aunt, Carolyn

McLellan, read a scripture that the bride's late mother read at her wedding ceremony.

The reception took place in a southern setting amid large cypress trees at the bride's family property on the bayou. The bride and groom departed the reception aboard a sail boat.

Following a wedding trip to Kauai, Hawaii and the Mariana Islands in the Pacific, the couple will reside in Dededo, Guam.

The groom is the grandson of Annie B. Kirk and the late Lee Kirk and the late Jim and Ruby Babcock, all formerly of Groom.

Guests attended from San Antonio, Dallas, Fort Worth, Arlington, College Station, Houston, The Woodlands, Amarillo, Groom, New Orleans, Slidell, Washington, New York, Virginia, Florida, Pennsylvania, France and Guam.



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Troopers Miss Game Due To Driving While Intoxicated Arrest

By Gary Davis
Thursday - Sergeant Bill Schneider of Borger and Trooper Oscar Esquerda stopped a rental car out of Arizona, 11 miles west of

Groom. The driver, Michael Imhoff was found to be in possession of 70 pounds of marijuana.

Friday - D.P.S. troopers Gary Davis and Jeremy Wallace picked up an intoxicated driver on their way to the Bi-District

football game in Lefors. Domingo Valquez was booked into the Gray County jail on DWI charges.

Saturday - Troopers Davis and Wallace arrested 23 year old Lonny Gary Renecker on his 2nd DWI offense.

Sunday - The troopers worked an accident three miles east of Groom on I-40 between an 18 wheeler and a cow. Although the truck won, several hundred dollars worth of damage was done to the truck and the cow was a total loss.

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Rachel Galley shoots as Tanna Shipman prepares to go for the re-bounce in case of a miss, as the Lady Tigers get their season underway.



A long shot by Erik Vega goes in as Brett Montgomery and Derek Studebaker set up the play.

McLean Wins Lefors Tourney

The McLean Tigers and Lady Tigers brought home their first tournament trophies of the season last week with wins in the Lefors Tournament. The Ladies opened play Friday against the Shamrock JV, when Junior Shaley Stalls hot shooting put the game out of reach 47 to 30. Stalls scored 18 points, with three 3-pointers. Others in the scoring column for the game were Rachel Galley with 11, Lorie Hefley with 9, Lacey Steel with 5, and Amanda Cline, Valerie Joiner, Shanna Dent, and Tanna Shipman each with 2.

In the first round of boys' play, the Tigers also met the Shamrock JV, and outscored them 55 to 50. Lead scorer for the Tigers was Brett Montgomery with 12, followed by Gary Jones with 11 and Ike Hanes with 10. Also in the scoring column were Charles Harris and Jonathan Bailey with 6, Tobey Purcell with 5, David Fuller with 4, and Shawn Sanderson with 2. In the championship game, the Ladies swamped Lefors with a 40 to 25 victory. McLean jumped to a 17 to 3 lead in the first quarter, and the game was

never in doubt after that. Leading the scoring was Galley with 13, Glass, Stalls and Shipman with 6, Dent with 4, and Annie Weaver and Lorie Hefley with 2 each. The boys won a thriller against Bible Heritage 70-69 in their championship round. Hanes scored a free shot in the last seconds to put the game on ice for the Tigers. Leading the scoring was Gary Jones with 16, Montgomery with 12, Chad Richards with 10, and Purcell with 7, Sanderson with 6, and Anthony Albus with 4.

Activity Increases At Co. Sheriff's Office As Holidays Approach

By Sheriff Randy Stubblefield

Well, we have had a busy week here at the Gray County Sheriff's Office, but that is normal for this time of year. As our merchant's business picks up, so does ours. I was driving through the Pampa Mall parking lot this past Sunday afternoon and saw the manager and one of the employees of Country General chasing a shoplifter, a young man of 17. They caught him at Homeland and the police officers took him into custody. This is the time of year that many of us will be shopping either locally or in Amarillo and we really need to be aware of the dangers of leaving our packages in plain view in our vehicles. We recommend that you place your items in the trunk of your vehicle if it has one or at least cover the items with a coat or blanket if in the passenger

compartment. We do not want to make an opportunity for a thief any more inviting than necessary.

This week here at the office we took 7 reports: indecent exposure, DWI, theft, an unattended death, an aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, criminal mischief over \$500 and an information report. This past week we booked into jail 11 persons. They were charged with: 1) theft over \$50 and under \$500; 2) no drivers license; 3) DWI; 4) public intoxication; 6) public intoxication; 7) engaging in organized criminal activity; 8) use of inhalants - volatile chemicals; 9) use of inhalants-volatile chemicals; 10) probation violation; 11) auto theft.

As you can see, we take in people on various charges and some of them can sure get interesting.

One last item that needs

to be mentioned before I close is that this hunting season our game warden, Jerry Stucki, has been very busy in the Lake McClellan area with people spotlighting. The area surrounding the lake is federal land and hunting is not permitted on it. In Gray county, I do not know of any public hunting land so you need to have the landowner's permission before you hunt.

See ya'll next week.

REMINDER

METHODIST YOUTH are holding a bake sale on Wed. Nov. 27 beginning at 8:00 a.m. at Pucketts Grocery.

MCLEAN CUBS will play Miami on December 2 at 6:00 p.m.

AREA FFA District banquet will be December 2 at 6:00 p.m. at Clarendon College.

CITY HALL will be closed Thur. and Fri., Nov. 28 & 29 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

McLEAN TIGERS & LADY TIGERS will travel to Higgins Tues. Dec 3. The games will begin at 6:30.

AREA FFA DISTRICT BANQUET will be on Dec. 2 at 6:00 p.m. at Clarendon College.

McLEAN FOUR CLOVER 4-H Club will meet on Dec 2, at 7:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ Annex.

Lady Tigers Lose To Lady Cougars

On Tuesday, November 19 the Lady Tigers went up against the Lady Cougars of Ft. Elliott. In the first quarter the Cougars dominated by two points, the score being 13-15; however the Lady Tigers pawed their way back into the lead in the second quarter ending the half with a score of 28-24. After the half the Cougars came out aggressively only to regain a one point lead of 36-37, in the third quarter. The Cougars continued their leading role in the fourth to end the game with a final score of 47-55.

The top scorer, Rachel Galley, sank eight for ten from the free throw line, adding to her ten points from under the goal. She ended the game with a total of 18 points. Trailing closely were Shaley Stalls with nine, and Vanessa Glass with a total of seven points. Also contributing were Tanna Shipman with five, Lacy Steel with four, Shanna Dent and Dee Dee Floyd with two each.

Tigers also fought a competitive game with the Cougars. At the beginning the Tigers trailed behind the Cougars having a score of 9-12 at the end of the first. Still struggling in the second quarter the Tigers ended the half with a score of 11-21. After the half the Tigers slowed the Cougars down to only a nine point lead in the third. Keeping their momentum the Cougars held the winning position until the end leaving a final score of 30-37.

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DPS Report
By Trooper Chad S. Estes - McLean DPS
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McLean Birthdays Anniversaries

- November 28 - Billy Rigsby, Thelma Hopkins.
- November 29 - Versie Collie, Jeannie Adams, Jess Aufill, Thacker Haynes.
- November 30 - Cliffie Heasley, Pansy Mounce, J.W. Meacham.
- December 1 - Robert McDonald, Shanna Dent.
- December 2 - R.C. Parker.
- December 4 - Inez Trostle, Buck Lee, David Burrow.

Obituary

CARL L. PETTIT
DUMAS - Carl L. Pettit, 63, died Sunday, Nov. 17, 1996. Services were held at the First Baptist Church in Dumas.
Mr. Pettit was born at McLean. He married Marilyn Floweres in 1967 at Clayton, N.M. He had been a Dumas resident since 1953 and retired as supervisor for Diamond Shamrock after 42 years of service. He had been a real estate salesman for Hambey Realtors since 1966 and a home builder since 1971. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. He served as president of the Heart Association and on the board of directors of the

Shamrock Federal Credit Union.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn; a daughter, Tammy Tracy of Galene, Miss; three sons, Forrest Wade Pettit of Borger, Bryan Pettit of Dallas; his mother Mamie Pettit of Dumas; two brothers Carrol Pettit of Phoenix, and John Pettit of Riverside, Ca. and five grandchildren.

Fire Department Report

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McLean Lunch Menu

- December 2 - Monday
Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, fruit, juice, milk.
Lunch: Pizza, salad, corn, fruit bars, milk.
- December 3 - Tuesday
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, bacon, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Spaghetti & meat sauce, salad, green beans, pudding, bread sticks, milk.
- December 4 - Wednesday
Breakfast: Cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch: Chicken fajitas & fixings, ranch style beans, salad, Cocoa Puff treats, milk.
- December 5 - Thursday
Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, bacon, juice, milk.
Lunch: Fish nuggets, macaroni & cheese, English peas, pudding, hot rolls, milk.
- December 6 - Friday
Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice, milk.
Lunch: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, chips, jello & topping, milk.

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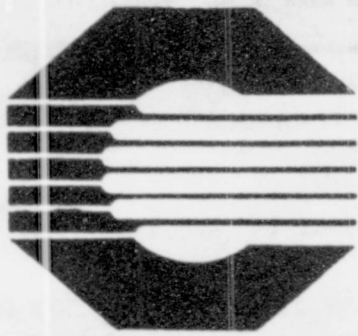
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Pan Fork Assoc. Holds Meeting At Trinity

On Tue. Nov 19, 1996, The Trinity Baptist Church hosted the monthly Pan Fork Association Meeting. Larry Heard, Director of Missions, Melton Morlan, Pan Fork Manager, Dorthy Bowen, UMW Director, and Barbara Helms, Assistant Director were present. Johnny Tims presented a Discipleship Training Program. Churches represented were: First Baptist of Wellington, First Baptist of Memphis, Travis Memphis, First Baptist Clarendon, Gaghy, Allison, Alanreed, Briscoe, First Baptist Pampa, Mobeetie, Canadian and McLean. A total of 43 members were present. The food was generously donated by Trinity.

McLean Cubs Beat Hedley By 10 Points

The McLean Cubs beat Hedley on November 18 with a score of 50-40. Coach Coffey contributed the win to the boys hustling. "Our guys just seemed to wear them out", he commented. Robbie Bradley played well on the inside and was high point with 12. Ben Ridgley and Brad Sawyer earned 12 points each. Chris Sparling and Terrell Hembree shared 6 each. Randy Floyd added 4. Josh Logan scored 3, Rick Smith 2 and Gabriel Vega 1.

Lady Cubs Beat Hedley 37-25

The Lady Cubs battled Hedley last Monday, winning 37-25. "The girls played a very strong second half and really worked together as a team," stated Coach Ridgley. Teddra Williams was the top scoring Lady Cub with 12 points. Austin Williams added 10 and Cecily Cadra 7. Randi Jo Riley earned another 4, Lauren Williams 3, and Veronica Fite had 1. Brenna McDow, Shanna Graybeal, Nikki Jo Hefley, Jessie Daniels, Sara Hall, Twila Williams and Julie Marsh round out the roster for the Lady Cubs. The girls will play in Miami on Dec. 2.

Trew's Are Now "Great"!

Delbert and Ruth Trew are proud to announce the arrival of their first great-grandchild. Christopher Michael was born on November 15, 1996 to Lt. Erik and Jan Heniz of Ft. Bragg, N.C. Proud grandparents are David and Lynnette Trew of Santa Fe, N.M., Kay Trew of Amarillo, Ret. Col. and Mrs. Robert Heinz of Chicago, Ill.

McLean Care Center News

Members of the Church of Christ were here to hold a worship service. Monday morning Bill Hulse, from Pampa was here to cut the men's hair. In the afternoon the following residents played bingo: Polly Burnett, Loma Lou Gibbs, Thelma Hopkins, Thelma Finson, Truman Goodlett, M.L. Rowan, Teresa Richardson, Dick Wheeler, Phyllis Bailey, Sylvia McClellan, Annie Eudey, Eula Morrow, Florence Drake, Beryl Halbert, Varnie Lowe, Leon Tate, Vernee Bowling, Hadda Moore and Virgie Everett. Bananas were furnished for all bingo players by the Lions club. Our volunteer helper was Betty Lowe. Tuesday morning a short movie on tornados was shown. Residents attending were George Garrett, Truman Goodlett, M.L. Rowan, Phyllis Bailey, Sue Cubine, Florence Drake, Thelma Hopkins, Lula Sheegog, Helen Glass and Vernee Bowling. Attending a luncheon at the Senior Citizens were Leon Tate, M.L. Rowan, Phyllis Bailey, Truman Goodlett, Sylvia McClellan and Christine Shipley. In the afternoon Dick Wheeler, M.L. Rowan and Teresa Richardson played dominos. Wednesday morning the residents gathered in the dining room to enjoy their donut circle. The donuts were furnished by Leta Mae Hess. In the afternoon they watched a movie and had popcorn. Thursday morning several ladies had manicures. In the afternoon the following residents played bingo: Florence Drake, Vernee Bowling, Eula Morrow, Thelma Finson, Beryl Halbert, Thelma Hopkins, M.L. Rowan, Truman Goodlett, Annie Eudey, Leon Tate, Phyllis Bailey and Sylvia McClellan. Following bingo an exercise program was held. Friday the residents watched a movie starring Dan Blocker.

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1-6	Open		
1-13	Hedley	There	6:00
1-20	Miami	There	6:00
1-27	Open		
2-3	Lefors	Here	6:00
2-6-8	Tournament	Hedley	TBA

McLEAN TIGERS & LADY TIGERS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE '96-'97

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME	TEAMS
11-26	Hedley	There	6:30	VG VB
12-3	Higgins	There	6:30	VG VB
12-5-6-7	Miami Tourney	There	TBA	VB VG
12-10	Wheeler Chris.	Mobeetie	6:30	VG VB
12-13	Amarillo Chris.	Here	6:30	VG VB
12-19	Pampa Academy	Here	6:30	VG VB
12-20	Allison	There	6:30	VG VB
12-30	Hedley	Here	6:30	VG VB
1-2-3-4	Ft. Ell. Tourney	There	TBA	VG VB
1-7	Pampa Academy	There	6:30	VG VB
1-10	Silverton	There	4:00	JVG JVB VG VB
1-14	Silverton	Here	4:00	JVG JVB VG VB
1-17	Allison	Here	6:30	VB VG
1-21	Miami	Here	4:00	JVG JVB VG VB
1-24	Lefors	There	5:00	JVG VG VB
1-28	Samnorwood	Here	4:00	JVG JVB VG VB
1-31	Miami	There	5:00	JVG JVB VG VB
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2-7	Samnorwood	There	4:00	JVG JVB VG VB

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Twentieth Century Meets

The Twentieth Century Club met November 12 in the home of Mary Groves with Cliffie Heasley as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened by President Groves and the Club Collect was repeated in unison led by Lena Carter. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Laura

Edleman and approved as read. New business was planning of the Christmas party and it was decided not to have the usual party and just go on a field trip that day and contribute what would have been spent to someone in need. Everyone agreed. Two were appointed to set it up and

will report findings. Roll call was "My favorite flower" and was answered by Relia Ayres, Laverne Brookes, Lena Carter, Virginia Dalton, Laura Edleman, Mary Groves, Sherri Martindale, Oleta Harris and Cliffie Heasley. A program on flowers was given by Mary Groves and a general discussion followed. The meeting was adjourned and the hostess served barbecued bun sandwiches, dips, crackers, various party snacks, muffins and sherbet, coffee and hot spiced apple cider.

Jodie Minnick

DIMMITT - Jodie Minnick, 61, of Canyon, a former Dimmitt resident, died Monday, November 18, 1996.

Mr. Minnick was born in Nocona. He graduated from Sonora High School in 1954 and attended Tarleton State College in Stephenville from 1956 to 1957. He was a member of the first four-year graduating class from Angelo State University at San Angelo in 1967. He was a member of the Army Reserves.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Shelly Collins of Dimmitt and Susan Minnick Warnock of Dripping Springs; two stepdaughters, Regina Robin Hurst of Amarillo and Sarah Marie Gabel of Canyon; two stepsons, Paul David Gabel of Umbarger and James Kent Gabel of Canyon; a sister, Flora Mae Adams of San Angelo; a brother, Willis Dean Minnick of May; and five grandchildren.

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11th Grade
Jennifer Barker, Lorin Hall, Lori Hefley, Moriah McCracken, and Shaley Stalls.

10th Grade
Rachel Galley
9th Grade
Dee Dee Floyd and Brian Fuller.

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12th Grade
Jonathan Bailey
Kristina Carter, Charles Harris, Lodora Hoyt, Tobey Purcell, and Rachael West

11th grade
Walter Handlin, Bonnie Hauck, Krystle McClellan, Traci Switz, and Erik Vega.

10th Grade
Victoria Bradley, Rebecca Hembree, Destiny Kirkland, Valeri Nalley, and Joshua Swafford.

9th Grade
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