

The Groom News

Volume 59, Number 36

The Groom News, Carson County, Texas 79039

35c Per Copy

Thursday, November 3, 1988

Carson County Races Highlight Local Ballot

Political campaigns across the nation are in the final days as November 8 draws near and voters will be called upon to cast their ballot.

Texas voters will join the nation in selecting a new president and vice

president, and will also seat their candidates in state, district, and county races.

Locally the sheriff's and county commissioner's race will be on everyone's mind as Democrat Terry Timmons will face brother-in-law Republican Tam Terry, for Carson County Sheriff.

Precinct 1 Commissioners' seat will be open as the Democrats nominee Art

Britten whose name will appear on the ballot must withstand three write-in opponents, the present Commissioner Mike Britten, C.L. Wieberg, and Don Smith.

There are also three proposed constitutional amendments on Texas ballots.

Ballots have three columns of candidates: in left-to-right order Republican, Democratic, Libertar-

ian, New Alliance and Write-In. Following that order the following list gives all positions and candidates.

For President and Vice President of the United States, Republicans George

Bush and Dan Quayle, Democrats Michael S. Dukakis and Lloyd Bentsen, Libertarians Ron Paul and Andre Marrou, and New Alliance Lenora B. Fulani and Rafael Mendaz are the choices.

U.S. Senatorial hopefuls are Republican Beau Boulter Democrat Lloyd Bentsen and Libertarian Jeff Daiell.

Republican Larry S. Milner and Democrat Bill Sarpalius are vying for U.S. Representative, District 13.

Railroad Commissioner candidates are Republican Ed Emmett, Democrat James E. (Jim) Nugent, Libertarian Richard Draheim and New Alliance Reynaldo, Lozano, Jr.
Republican Kent Hance

and Democrat Clint Hackney are seeking the unexpired term of Railroad Commissioner.

Chief Justice, Supreme Court (unexpired term) candidates are Republican Tom Phillips and Democrat Ted Z. Robertson.

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 candidates are Republican Paul Murphy and Democrat Lloyd Doggett. For Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2, are Republican Nathan Hecht and Democrat Bill Kilgarlin.

Three are running for Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3. They are Republican Charles Ben Howell, Democrat Raul A. Gonzales and Libertarian Calvin W. Schotz Unexpired term of

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3. They are Republican Charles Ben Howell, Democrat Raul A. Gonzalez and Libertarian Calvin W. Schotz, Unexpired term of Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4 is being sought by Republican Barbara G. Culver and Democrat Jack Hightower.

Republican Eugene A. Cook and Democrat Kari Bayer are running for the unexpired term of Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5.

Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals is a race between Republican David A. Berchermann, Jr. and Democrat Mike McCormick.

Two candidates, Republican Charles F. (Chuck)

Campbell and Libertarian Egon Tausch are running for Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 is being sought by Republican Tom Rickhoff, Democrat Chuck Miller and Libertarian Carol Caul.

Member, State Board of Education, District 15 is a race between Republican Monte Hasie and Democrat Paul C. Dunn.

Republican Teel Bivins and Democrat Mel Phillips are contending for State Senator, District 31.

Republican Dick Waterfield is running unopposed for State Representative, District 88.

See Elections-Page 6

Karen Bohr Crowned GHS Queen

Homecoming events kept students and parents alike on the road constantly this past week. The excitement mounted as the week progressed with the many events.

The halls at the school were decorated with many posters encouraging the Tiger team to be victorious over Miami. Kyle Howard, sophomore artist and classmates Brent Payton and Elizabeth Painter, committed a large wall hanging of a Tigers mouth, which was awarded the prize winning poster.

On Thursday morning Junior High and Elementary student got into the spirit of homecoming as they held their own pep-rally. Kindergarten through eighth graders performed yells, chants and poems about football for a nice crowd of on-lookers.

"Bursting with Pride" was the theme for the coronations service held Thursday evening. The student council and sponsor Jay Lamb spent many, many hours working on the back-



drop for the stage. The setting was one of beauty with the lovely decorations and eye catching candidates. Matt Weinheimer, president of the Student Council presided over the coronat-

ion. Setting the mood for the evening was vocalist Dixie Danner of Pampa and Janetta Lamb, instrumentalist.

Karen Bohr, the senior daughter of Bill and Linda

Bohr was named 1988 Homecoming Queen. Karen is very active in school functions; she has served as a cheerleader for two years for the Tigers, Queen Candidate. See Homecoming page 12

Groom Beats Miami In Final Home Game

Groom posted 438 yards of total offense, 325 rushing and 113 passing during Friday's night game against the Miami Warriors. The team played before crowded stands of homecoming attenders.

Kevin Kerlee paced the

ground game with 166 yards and three touchdowns and 23 carries. Teammate Richard Koetting scored twice and collected 112 yards on 16 attempts.

Quarterback Michael Rose completed six of 14 passes. See Football-Page 16

Community Calendar

Cub Scout meeting is at 7:00 p.m. Thursday night at the Community Center. Parents are welcome.

Don't Forget-To Vote on Tuesday, November 8, 1988. Election judges remind voters to please remember their voters registration cards.

Groom Community Center Association will meet on November 7, at 6:30 p.m.

Baptist Christmas Program will be held on December 18, 1988.

School Calendar Of Events

Thursday-8:20-Devry Institute representative to speak to Seniors.

6:00 p.m.-Junior High Football game vs. Lefors, Here.

Friday-7:00 p.m. High School Football game-vs. Lefors in Lefors.

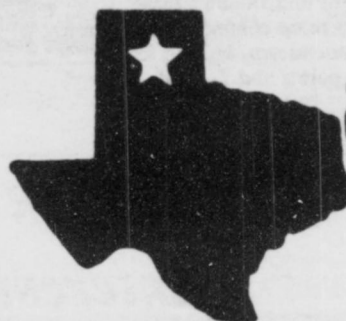
6:15 Band and Pep Squad to leave.

The Groom News

The Only Newspaper
in the World
Interested In

The Groom & McLean Areas
With Readership Of 3700

248-3311, Groom 779-2141, McLean



CAST YOUR BALLOT

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8th

Tuesday Grain Prices At Local Elevators

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

WHEAT \$3.38 bushel
MILO \$4.10 cwt.
CORN \$4.65 cwt.

The Groom News

USPS 230-380

Second-class Postage Paid at Groom, TX.
Carson County, Texas, under the Act of Congress of
March 3, 1879.

Published weekly except Christmas Week
By Phil and Ila Miller

Postmaster: please send address changes to:
Box 460, Groom, TX—Phone 806-248-7333

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Annual Rate in Carson County \$13.50
Annual Rate elsewhere in the United States \$15.00



MEMBER 1988

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Marvin Koetting of Adrian was seriously injured by being caught in a disc and dragged behind a tractor. In addition to cuts and bruises, he suffered broken bones. Marvin is the father of Richard and Chief Koetting and Kathleen Barkley of Groom.

"I believe you make progress with the Soviets by dealing through strength." — Bush

VOTE REPUBLICAN

Pol Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party, Jeri Osborne, Chm. Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79068

Nancy Blackwell entered St. Anthony's Hospital on Monday. Having surgery on both feet Tuesday a.m. returning home on Friday a.m.

GROOM LODGE
No. 1170
A.F. & A.M.

Stated Meeting,
2nd Tuesday
Practice Every Tuesday
7:00 p.m.

VISITORS WELCOME

Randal Patterson, W.M.
Don Case, Secretary

J.W. Stockman of Claude visited his sister Nancy Blackwell Tuesday.

Marie Rogers of Irving visited Ellen Dickerson overnight on Tuesday.

Visiting Richard Homer over homecoming weekend were his son Kent of Canyon and daughter Gayla and Danny Britten, Carey, Will and Luke of Amarillo. All enjoyed the Groom Football game win. The weekend before Richard visited his son Vince and Friend, Becky Roth in Canyon and saw his grandsons, Carey and Will Britten play football in Amarillo and later enjoyed supper with daughter Gayla and family. During this visit, calls were made to Richards' daughter Gina and Doug Johnson and Carolyn in Brookhaven Mississippi.

Thank You

Thank you for your expressions of concern while I was in the hospital and at home recuperating last week. I appreciate the friendliness and warmth that you have shown to me and my family during this time. Thanks to all who worked in the office and kept my work running while I was gone.
Mary Wood

Local Happenings

Kenneth Black is a patient in the Pampa Hospital recovering from surgery.

Billie and Jack Bivens recently returned home after making the rounds seeing their children and grandchildren. On their way to Idaho they visited in Denver Colorado, with their daughter, Andrea and her husband Jerry and son Drew. The couple travelled on to Filer, Idaho and arrived in time for their granddaughter's fourth birthday. Brianna was pleased they arrived for the special occasion, along with her parents, Bimbo, Paula and their grandson Braun. On their return they once again stopped off in Denver. They reported to have had a lovely time.

Bill Brown of Amarillo and Lanna Brown had lunch with Nancy Blackwell on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eschle and Jason attended the Tech-Texas football game in Lubbock this past weekend. Erin Kate Eschle of Texas University and Darron Eschle of Texas Tech joined their parents and brother.

Cecil Culver was honored with a party to celebrate his 85th birthday in the home of Bernice Johnson Saturday afternoon.

Bobby Cornett attended a recent convention of Postmasters in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Card Of Thanks

Leldon and Betty Hudson wish to express their appreciation to this community for their love and friendship for many years and especially for those who helped to make the birthday party such a happy event and such a success.

Thanks To All Of You!
Leldon and Betty Hudson

Gladys Fields was able to return home Tuesday from the hospital.

Birthday Celebration

A host of friends, neighbors and well wishers attended a birthday party/Fish Fry honoring Betty Hudson on her seventy-fourth birthday on October 27, at the fellowship hall of the Groom United Methodist Church.

The party was given by her husband, Leldon Hudson and assisted by many friends. There were 175 people who registered and were served during the evening.

Those out of town relatives who attended were: Thomas Hudson of Kansas City, Missouri; Jane Burroughs of Abilene, Tx., Dr. and Mrs. Carl Hudson of Borger, Tx., Stephen Hudson of Lubbock, Dan and Sarah Farley of Granbury, Tx., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wagoner and Joe Wagoner of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Coleman of McLean.

NOVEMBER SPECIALS
20% Discount on parts and labor performed on irrigation engine repairs during the month of October.
Gene Goss Engine Co.
Hwy. 60 West Phone 806/883-7111
P.O. Box 157 RES. 806/537-3883
White Deer, Texas 79097

For A Working Commissioner
Write In
Don Smith
On your Ballot November 8, 1988
Carson County Commissioner Precinct 1
I would appreciate your support and Vote.
Pd. Pol. Adv. By Don Smith, Box 516, Groom, Texas


For Don and Ann,
25 years have come and gone.
Around the world they have been.
Now they're back to start again.

The children of Mr. & Mrs. Don Mansel invite you to join us in celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
In Their Home
Saturday, November 5, 1988


State National Bank
248-7531 **FDIC** Groom, Texas

Handling the financial needs of Groom for over 60 years.....


Player Of The Week
Stoney Crump and Jay Britten



Stoney Crump—a senior at Groom ISD, is the son of Richard and Donna Crump. "He's to be commended for one touchdown, kicking four extra points and 77 yards on four receptions", said Branch.



Your Vote Helps Keep America Strong



Jay Britten—a junior at Groom ISD, is the son of Art and JoAnn Britten. "Did a super job on front line blocking", said Branch.

Working With Your Interest In Mind.

YOUR WRITE-IN VOTE WILL BE APPRECIATED FOR MIKE BRITTEN



Friends and Constituents,

Over the past several months I have been to see many of you, and I appreciate the time and attention you have given me. I would, also, like to apologize to those I have not seen.

I have served as your commissioner for the past nine months. This experience. During the nine months I have served as commissioner, I feel we have accomplished a great deal. During this time we have caliched 3½ miles of road, and have built up several more miles of road. In March, I was allowed to advertise for bids on a new motorgrader. On April 11th, I accepted the bid on a new Catepillar motorgrader, and it was approved unanimously by the court. This machine is the first new motorgrader our precinct has ever purchased. I was also allowed to take bids on salvage trucks and a trailer in our precinct yard. In doing this, I was able to rid some eyesores, and use this money to purchase equipment we can use.

So far, all I have talked about has had to do with Road and Bridge. Building and maintaining roads is a commissioner's greatest expense; and it is what many people use as a guideline as to how well a commissioner is doing, but it is only a part of his job. The commissioners court is the governing body of the county. The commissioners have a financial responsibility to the county by setting the tax rate, authorizing expenditures, care for the indigent, hiring of personnel in the courthouse and in their precinct, along with many other responsibilities.

Learning to work within a budget is a very important part of being a public servant. Given the responsibility to handle all the money of the precinct you represent is a sobering and important job. Having handled this precinct's budget for the last nine months of this fiscal year, I feel I have gained valuable experience that could be used the next four years.

No, I was not chosen by the Democratic Executive Committee to have my name placed on the ballot, but I would like to be the choice of the voters in Precinct 1. If given the opportunity, I shall continue to serve all with a clear and unbiased mind. I appreciate all who have been kind and helpful to me, and hope you will give me the chance to do more. Your write-in vote and support is greatly appreciated.

Thank You,
Mike Britten

Thanks

The United Methodist Church wish to thank Larry and Kay Stephens and Cliff and Barbara Fraser for their contribution to the decorations for the Harvest Dinner. Thanks Again, United Methodist Church.

What Students Are Up To

On Monday students at Groom ISD participated in picture retakes and class group pictures were taken for grades Kindergarten through Fifth. Junior High

and High School cheerleaders and Homecoming Queen and candidates were also taken.

Tuesday the PACT Plus tests were given. Unsatisfactory slips for the third week of the second six weeks were due in the office.

Wednesday, Tex Selvedge, CJC Representative came to speak to the Junior and Senior class.

Open House Held At Tina's Hair Care-A-Sel

Tina Painter opened her shop a month ago under the new name Tina's Hair Care-A-Sel. Tina had operated a booth at the same location for some time under the owner Kathleen Barkley. Tina recently purchased the shop from Mrs. Barkley and decided to give the shop a look of her own. With the help of her family and friends she painted the front of the shop blue and carried out her carousel theme throughout the shop. The inside was painted in an off-white and wall paper trim of carousel horses was hung around the ceiling of the shop. Curtains were made by Tina's mother, Dorothy Weller. Wicker furniture was added to bring out the feminine touch.

Saturday morning from
**Asbestos
Removal**

Asbestos removal is currently underway at Groom Independent School. Students are attending classes as usual, but without heat, due to the fact that this is the first priority of removing asbestos from the boiler room.

The board recently set their priorities as to how the asbestos would be removed, first the boiler room, followed by the auditorium ceiling, and third the tunnel beneath the school would be sealed and last but not least the heating system would be replaced. The estimated cost will be 200,000 dollars over a four year period.

Students Enjoy Fireman

Wednesday, October 12, was an exciting day for the elementary students of Groom Schools. Fireman Ed Gray and Brent Stephens brought a fire prevention program to the students. Mr. Gray talked to each grade level on fire escape routes at home and at school, personal safety and what to do in case of a fire. Mr. Stephens showed the students the fire truck and talked to them about what a

fireman would look like if one came into their home to rescue them. Each student was allowed to examine the truck and put on an air pack. The fire department presented each child with a fire prevention pencil. The firemen hope that each child learned something that might help them if they were ever in a fire.

You can vote Republican on Nov. 8 even though you voted Democratic in March or April.

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party, Jeri Osborne, Chm. Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79066

"In 1970 as state representative, Dukakis introduced a series of Baird bills to repeal Massachusetts' laws against abortion, fornication, anal sex, oral sex, contraceptive advertising and blasphemy." National Catholic Register, 4-3-88.

VOTE REPUBLICAN
Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party, Jeri Osborne, Chm. Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79066

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 an open house was held for the patrons of the Hair Care-A-Sel and friends. Those attending were served delightful treats and coffee

and cider. Door prizes were presented to Natalie Barkley, Zoah Britten, Agnes Homer, and Mamie Ritter. Approximately 36 in attendance.

C.L. "Cornie" Wieberg Write-In Candidate Carson County Commissioner

Precinct 1

One More Look At The Commissioners Race To See Who Would Be Best Qualified?

C.L. "Cornie" Wieberg has been a resident of Carson county for 40 years, served on the Groom City Commission for eight years. He was on the Groom Memorial Hospital Board for eight years. He was in the farm machinery business for fifteen years, service station business for four years.



Pd. Pol. Adv. By C.L. Wieberg, Box 310, Groom, Tx.

Dear Carson County Residents:



Last week I wrote about my qualifications for the office of Carson County Sheriff. This week I would like to outline my plans for the Sheriff's office, if elected.

As Sheriff my top priority will be to spend tax money as wisely as possible. This includes a planned, systematic upgrading of departmental equipment. I believe that it is important to maintain sound equipment to insure reliable service as well as to reduce county liability should an accident occur. I believe that the current budget will be sufficient for several years to come.

As Sheriff, I would place personell through out the county in a manner, that would increase their availability and decrease response time to all parts of the area. These county employees will be responsible for responding to any life threatening situation that might arise in their area of the county. In addition they will also work a scheduled shift.

I would like to take more advantage of the low cost training that is available through the Panhandle Regional Law Enforcement Academy in Amarillo. I will require departmental personell to attend training that would increase their investigative capabilities as well as training that would decrease county liability.

If elected Sheriff I would maintain a small, highly regulated reserve deputy force. These reserves have proven themselves invaluable in some situations. They will be expected to assist with traffic control at accident or fire scenes, fill in for dispatchers, assist regular personell in the jail, and assist regular deputies on patrol. Only under extreme circumstances would these reserve deputies be required to patrol alone in county vehicles.

If you elect me as your Sheriff I promise to approach all phases of the job in a mature, common sense manner. I will go out of my way to cooperate with other county departments and other law enforcement agencies. I believe that my experience makes me the best qualified candidate for the job.

As you prepare to vote on November 8, please give me your full consideration.

Thank you,
Tam Terry

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Tam Terry, Box 313, White Deer, TX. 79097

Circle B Meat Company Custom Slaughtering



Hogs: Tuesday
Cattle: Thurs. & Fri.

Fill your locker
with choice BEEF & PORK!

Bill and Leon Bohr, owners
FM Road 295 at west city limits
Phone: 248-7332
Groom, Texas

Insure your cattle beginning



October 1, 1988

for winter pasture coverage.

Four deductables now
to choose from;
none, 1,000, 2,500 and 5,000.

Brumley Insurance Agency GROOM, TEXAS

Johnny Brumley, Agent
Office: 248-7550 Home: 248-7315

 We don't think
there is a better
place to haul your
grain. 

"We appreciate the opportunity
to serve you."

**ATTEBURY
GRAIN, INC.**

Bob Byrd, Mgr.

Phone 248-7591
Groom, Texas

Museum Receives Commendation

The Carson County Local History for the annual meeting in Square House Museum of Museum Rochester, New York, on Panhandle has won a video series. Certificate of Commendation from the American Association for State and Local History workers in the field of state and local history.

Mrs. J.B. McCray, Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Square House Museum, attended the annual meeting and received the award for the museum.

THE GROOM NEWS-Page 5
Thursday, November 3, 1988

WHAT DO YOU BELIEVE?

Democrat	ISSUES	Republican
FOR	1. Special Status For Homosexuals. Legislation declaring homosexuals to be a recognized Minority group entitled to all privileges therein. Under threat of lawsuit, businesses, institutions, landowners and religious organizations could not then "discriminate" against homosexuals.	AGAINST
FOR	2. Increased Welfare Programs And Government Control Increased governmental programs and regulations better funded with enforcement of higher taxation levels.	AGAINST
AGAINST	3. Balanced Budget To The U.S. Constitution Legislation making it unconstitutional for government to spend more money than it has. Congressional deficit spending would not be allowed to go unchecked.	FOR
FOR	4. Federal Gun Control. Legislation restricting individuals' access to owning or purchasing firearms.	AGAINST
AGAINST	5. Progressive Funding For National Defense. Continuation of the Strategic Defense Initiative, the MX-Missile, the B-1 Bomber, and other National Security programs.	FOR
FOR	6. Ending The Death Penalty. Child murderers, mass murderers, police killers, drug kingpins, rapists, etc., would be exempt from the death penalty. Life sentences would instead be implemented with probability of probation and early release programs.	AGAINST
FOR	7. Abortion On Demand. Mandatory taxpayer funding of abortion as a method of birth control.	AGAINST
AGAINST	8. The Pledge Of Allegiance And Voluntary Prayer In School. The Pledge of Allegiance would be allowed in schools. Students could pray if they desired. Prayer would not be mandatory nor organized.	FOR

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party,
Jeri Osborne, Chm., Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX. 79068

Minton*Chatwell
Flowers & Gifts
Christmas Open
House
Nov. 6, 1988
12:00 - 6:00
510 Main
Panhandle, Texas

EVERYONE IS INVITED:

The Annual
[White Deer Polish Sausage Dinner]
POLISH SAUSAGE DINNER
White Deer-Parish Hall
Sunday, November 6, 1988

Serving:

11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Take out meals available.
Sacred Heart Parish
White Deer, Texas

Y'ALL COME! 1988

Trade Fair

County Ag Building
in Panhandle

November 5 & 6

9 to 6 on Sat. 1 to 6 on Sun.

FREE Admission • Over 40 exhibitors

BEAT the Christmas Shopping RUSH

Terry TIMMONS Carson County Sheriff

VOTE: **NOVEMBER 8th**

"Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated."

- ★ 8 years full time law enforcement/ 3½ year as Carson County Deputy and Jail Administrator.
- ★ Worked in all phases of Department operations — criminal investigation, jail management, court procedures
- ★ Attended Frank Phillips College and Sam Houston State as law enforcement major.

I would like to serve the citizens of Carson County to build a sheriff's Department that Carson County can be proud of and a Department that the citizens can trust and depend upon at all times.



Pol. Adv. Pd. by TIMMONS FOR SHERIFF, Terry Timmons, Box 1028, Panhandle, TX. 79068

Election

The next five positions on the ballot list unopposed Democratic candidates. They are H. Bryan Poff, Jr. for Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 1; John T. Boyd, Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 2; John T. Forbis, District Judge, 100th Judicial District; David M. McCoy, District Attorney, 100th Judicial District; and Ed Hinshaw, Carson County Attorney.

Republican Tam Terry and Democrat Terry Timmons are contending for Carson County Sheriff.

Democrat C.L. Sterling is running unopposed for Carson County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Republican Jerry Strawn is running unopposed for Carson County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.

Democrat Art Britten is also unopposed on the ballot for Carson County Commissioner, Precinct 1. Write-in candidates include; C.L. Wieberg, Mike Britten and Don Smith.

The Secretary of State has printed a list of candidates seeking election via write-in. One of these lists, by law, will be placed in each voting booth on Election Day. The law also requires one of these lists to be mailed with all applications to cast ballots by mail. No other mention of these candidates is required by law.

The three proposed constitutional amendments as written on the ballot are:
NO.1- "The constitutional amendment and or clarification providing that federal reimbursement of state highway dedicated funds are themselves dedicated for the purpose of acquiring rights-of-way and constructing, maintaining, and policing public roadways."

NO.2- "The constitutional amendment establishing an economic stabilization fund in the state treasury to be used to offset unforeseen shortfalls in revenue."

NO.3- "The constitutional amendment to provide for the investment of the permanent university fund, the permanent school fund, and public employee retirement systems in the Texas growth fund created by the amendment, which will directly create, retain, and expand job opportunity and economic growth in Texas."

Polling Places—Judges

Precinct 1—Carson County Library in Panhandle, Joyce Hoffman, judge.

Precinct 2—A.J. Lablus home near Lee Switch, Mary Ann Labus, judge.

Precinct 3—Panhandle High School, Jo Nell Webber, judge.

Precinct 4—White Deer School, Gary Kotara, judge.

Precinct 5—Conway Community Club House, Sonja Millican, judge.

Precinct 6—St. Mary's Parish Hall, Groom, Flora Glenn Hammers, judge.

Precinct 7—Skellytown School, Art Chaney, judge.

Precinct 8—Leo Gaines home in Fritch, Esther Gaines, judge.

Absentee—Clerk's Office in Courthouse, Marjorie Ewing, judge.

Senior Fund Raiser Well Attended

Ghosts, vampires, witches and other scary creatures led the way to the Catholic school on Tuesday, October

New Concept Introduced

Coronado Hospital is introducing a new concept in healthcare by implementing ValuCare, a program offering discounts and special benefits to persons age 65 and older, according to Norman Knox, administrator of the Pampa hospital.

Coronado joins a network of several hospitals who offer ValuCare to meet the needs of the growing population of older hospital patrons.

Other participating hospitals include High Plains Baptists Hospital in Amarillo and Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Ida Hess will serve as ValuCare coordinator for Coronado Hospital and will personally assist patients during their stay. she also will conduct follow-up visits with ValuCare members.

a \$30 annual fee is required to join ValuCare, according to Mrs. Hess. Couples can join for a total fee of \$50. Members will receive a variety of discounts and services to lower their healthcare costs and ease their hospital stay.

One of the main features is an inpatient billing discount. With that discount patients who have approved supplemental insurance along with Medicare will not have to put down a deposit at the hospital, and their bills will be considered paid in full. For those without an approved supplement, the hospital will discount 50 percent of their deductible and co-insurance.

"The discounts do not apply to the Emergency Room and to Outpatient Services," Mrs. Hess emphasized. "Those services and the Extended Care Unit are billed differently under Medicare and so cannot be discounted under the ValuCare program."

Patients will also receive discounts on prescriptions through participating pharmacies located throughout the area, are registered with the hospital, and display a ValuCare sticker.

Discounts are also offered at the hospital cafeteria and gift shop for members.

ValuCare members will also have specially reserved parking places in the front of the hospital, Mrs. Hess said.

ValuCare members will be issued a unique card that not only identifies them but also contains their medical history on microfilm.

The hospital will conduct periodic health screenings, including checks on blood pressure, diabetes, lung capacity, and other health risks.

Also, members of the ValuCare program at Coronado can enjoy similar savings and discounts at other hospitals in the ValuCare network.

25, for an evening full of fun and excitement. Those attending were served mouth watering spaghetti and meatballs along with homemade ice cream.

A stage show made up of classes; Kindergarten through high school plus many faculty members entertained the large crowd. Laughter and applause awarded the many entertainers as the master of ceremonies Kylie Lambert introduced each one.

Seniors of Groom ISD and sponsors; GeorgeAnn Hinson and Debbie Addy along with the cooperation and hard work of the parents made the evening a success. Money raised at the event will go to fund the senior trip to San Antonio.

Card Of Thanks

The Senior Spaghetti Supper and Variety Show was a huge success thanks to the Groom community. The Seniors of '89 would like to



express our many thanks to the elementary and high school students and teachers for their participation and support. We could have never done it without you. We would also like to say

thank you to the mothers who helped and who contributed food. We would also like to thank Father Neyer for his special spaghetti sauce recipe and for the use of St. Marys. A very special thanks goes to Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Hinson who spent numerous hours preparing food and running to Amarillo to pick up supplies.

Again, thank you Groom. You are a supportive and wonderful town.

The Senior Class of '89

**Teel Bivins is the Strong,
New Conservative Leader
We Need in the Texas Senate**

His values are our values. He's not a politician; Teel Bivins is a cattleman and a fourth-generation Panhandle native. If elected, he'd be one of only two members in the entire State Senate who makes his living in agriculture.

He'll fight against a State Income Tax and oppose liberal legislators who've forgotten how to operate within a budget. He'll bring our beliefs in home and family, hard work, honesty and integrity to the Texas Senate, along with his fresh, new ideas about good jobs, better schools and safe communities.

Teel has won the support of Democrats, Independents and Republicans alike because of his positive message and his conservative stand on issues like taxes, spending, education and crime.

On Tuesday, November 8, vote for the kind of leadership we deserve.

Vote Teel Bivins for the Texas Senate.

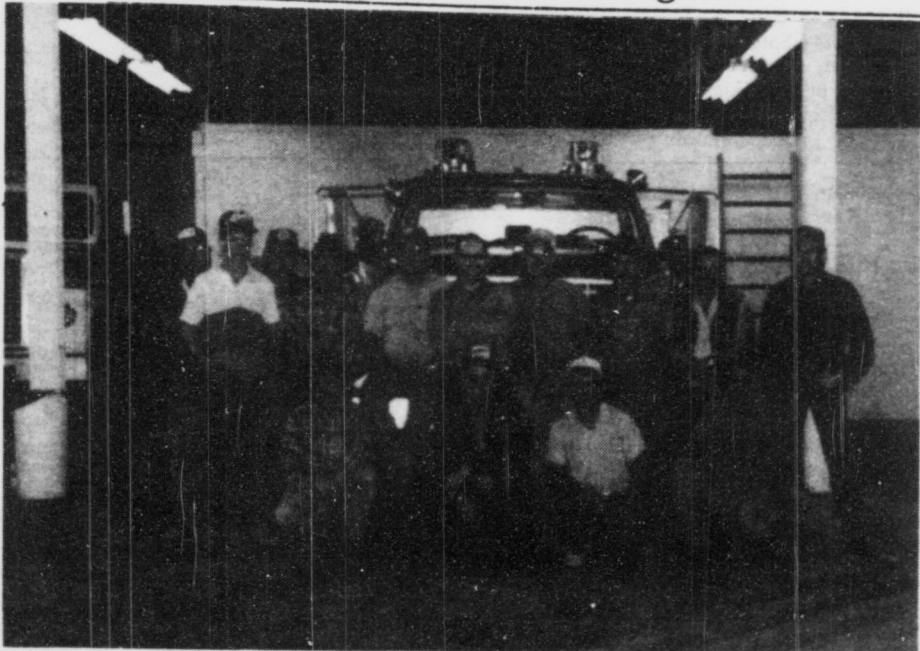
TEEL BIVINS
FOR TEXAS SENATE

The McLean News

Commerce Bank Building No. 5

779-2141

REMINDER!



Black Attack!!

The McLean Tigers took over sole possession of first place in district 2 six-man last Friday by defeating Higgins 28-22.

Not only was this game going to break the tie for the lead in district play, it was also going to prove to everyone in the area that this Tiger football team is definitely able to hold their own against the best in the area.

The Tigers didn't just beat the Coyotes on the score board, but totally dominated on total offense. McLean racked up 414 yards to

Higgins 210.

When asked for his thoughts on the game, Coach Jerry Miller said, "it was beautiful, just beautiful. These boys played hard, and it was a total team effort that won this game."

In case there are still a few people in the area who are doubting the strength of this Tiger team, who entered this season with a 0-49 record, and their 6-2 season record or their being undefeated in conference play isn't proof enough, here are a couple of reasons the Fighting Tigers are Number 1.

The McLean defense has allowed only 150 points this season, which earns them the honor of being the best defense in the area, not just district 2 but also district 1 which includes powerhouses like Lasbuddie and Bovina.

The Tigers have outscored their opponents 270-150 this season, a real accomplishment in six-man where high scores are common.

These statistics speak for themselves as to the quality of the McLean team.

Tomorrow night the Tigers will host Silverton in their last home game of the season.

Game time is 7:30 p.m.

The JV game scheduled for tonight in Silverton has been cancelled.

Harvest Coronation and Costume Contest will be Saturday at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

The Sophomores will sponsor a Chili Supper before the game tomorrow night.

There will be a Hearing and Vision clinic today at the Elementary School beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Band Boosters will meet Monday, November 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the Dairy Queen.

Lovett Memorial Library has storytime every Thursday at 3:00 p.m.

McLean Brief

Johnnie and Colleen Mertel spent several days last week visiting with Johnnie's sisters and their husbands, Margarite and Robert Smith of San Antonio, Texas and Julia & Robert Jones of Bastrop, Texas.

Fire Department Halloween Carnival Labeled A Success

The annual Fire Department Halloween Carnival held last Saturday was once again a success.

There was a large turnout for this year's carnival and fun was had by all.

This year in addition to

the usual choices, such as bingo, the cake and pig walks and the dunking booth, there were some new offerings. The Athletic Boosters had a Cap Walk, which the men in the crowd seemed to enjoy. The ag-boosters held pig races

but the choice for the most unusual booth goes to the sophomore class who offered rat races. Real races with real mice, and the races seemed to be a hit with everyone.

There were also several door-prizes given away during the carnival. The prizes were all donated by local businesses.

Below is a list of the winners: Wallace Grimsley—\$5.00 certificate from the McLean Variety, Blake Howard—\$10.00 gift certificate from Country corner, Tammy Melton-Jeff Smith, stuffed animal

donated by McLean Variety, Butch Wyatt—two dinners from the Texas Restaurant, Faye Connor—haircut from Alberta, Missie Duncan—haircut from Dorothy, Darel R. Lee—case of oil from Cantrells, Sam Haynes—shotgun given away by the fire department.

COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Jake, I'm yore County Commissioner and I wuz drivin up here to ask you to vote fer me, but yore road is so bad I got stuck!"

McLean, Texas

779-2461

A Subsidiary of GrayCo BancShares, Inc.



Yearbook Staff To Host Harvest Coronation

The Yearbook Staff will hold the annual Harvest Coronation on Saturday, November 5, 1988 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Preceding the coronation will be a costume contest. The costume can be of any kind, purchased homemade, etc., as long as it is appropriate to Harvest (Halloween, Fables, Story Character, etc.). The Costume Contest will consist of four divisions: Preschool-Kindergarten, First-Second-Third grades, and grades Four-Five-Six.

First place, second place, and third place winners in each category will receive \$3.00, \$2.00, and \$1.00 respectively as prizes. A grand prize of \$10.00 will be

See coronation page 9

The McLean Volunteer Fire Dept. would like to thank all the clubs, Organizations and classes who had booths and games at the Carnival and special thanks to all who attended for helping to make this year's carnival a success.

Country Corner
Texaco



Daily Lunch Special

Under \$3.00

Tuesday through Friday

Sunday-Noon -Brisket, Ham and Homemade Hot Rolls-\$3.95

Drug Items Gasoline Groceries Candy
Exit 142 779-2391 Gasoline McLean

Care Center News

McLean Care Center welcomes a new resident, Monney Mathews from

Levelland.

Ruby King is in the hospital in Wheeler, we wish her a speedy recovery.

On Sunday, Bennie and Debbie Kirksey of the Pentecostal Church were here to conduct our services.

Residents working in crafts Monday morning were Teresa Richardson, Imogene Kind, Lillie Knox, Adelle Walker, Lona Jones, Mattie Wheeler, Ruby Ayers, Leon Burch and Annie Eudey. In the afternoon Mildred Giesler, Buna Gudgel, Ann Wolfe and Bertha Smith

were here to assist the residents in Bingo. Playing were Clyde Trusty, Lillie Knox, Ruby Ayers, Dick Wheeler, Lona Jones, Adelle Walker, Delbert Murray, Ora Billingsly, Teresa Richardson, Earl Tolleson, Leon Burch, Kittie Hessey, Ida Shull, Stella Gibson, Eula Morrow, Leona Sitter, Annie Eudey, Inez Fields, Nola Crisp and Frank Hambricht. Bananas were furnished by the Lions club for all Bingo Players.

Tuesday morning Imogene King, Teresa Richardson, Adelle Walker, Lillie Knox, Lona Jones, Leon Burch, Ruby Ayers, Annie Eudey and Mattie Wheeler worked in crafts. In the afternoon Ted Robertson, Lena Carter, Mary Davis and Brenda MacLain were here to assist the following residents in dominos; Eula Morrow, Dick Wheeler, Inez Fields, Annie Eudey, Adelle Walker, Leon Burch, Teresa Richardson, Imogene King and Ora

Billingsley.

Residents once again worked in crafts Wednesday morning preparing for our bazaar this coming Saturday, November 5th. at 9:00 a.m. We invite everyone to be here, there will also be a bake sale sponsored by the McLean Care Centers ladies Auxillary. Proceeds will help furnish items for the residents. In the afternoon members of the Pentecostal church were here for a bible study.

Thursday morning the residents sacked candy for our Halloween party, each resident participating was

given a sack they filled with candy.

Friday afternoon Martha Parker was here to show her great movies.

Residents having birthdays this month are:

- 1—Teresa Richardson
- 3—Delbert Murray
- 5—Ruby Ayers
- 8—Ruby Myers
- 11—Eula Morrow
- 28—Velma Willis

Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for the flowers and visits while I was in the hospital.

Roy and Mary Richardson

Doggett lost to Phil Gramm.

But now, Lloyd Doggett's back, this time running for the Texas Supreme Court. Again, his qualifications just don't add up. Good thing we have a qualified choice: one of Texas' most honored judges, Justice Paul Murphy. Experience? He serves on our 14th Court of Appeals with 7 1/2 years of judicial experience. He has authored over 700 judicial opinions. His colleagues have rated Paul Murphy one of the best justices in Texas. Integrity and experience for the Texas Supreme Court.

IT ALL ADDS UP TO JUSTICE PAUL MURPHY FOR JUSTICE

Paid for by Paul Murphy Campaign for Supreme Court - Place 1, Sheldon Wedler, Treasurer, P. O. Box 161172, Austin, TX 78716-1172.

LLOYD DOGGETT

Years on bench . . . 0

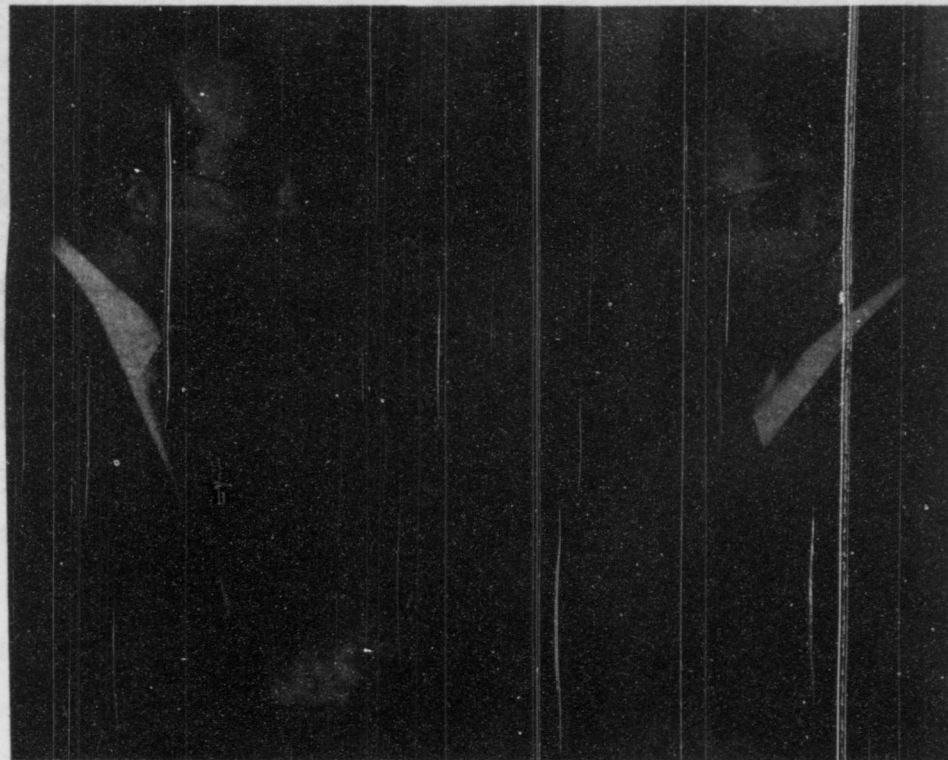
Years of judicial service . . . 0

Number of times elected to a judicial position . . . 0

Judicial opinions written 0

Total ZERO

Sen. Phil Gramm Supports Tom Christian



"Tom Christian is a conservative leader who knows how things work (He's been there!) and will say 'no' to lobbyists.

"He'll hold the line on independent voice for District 10."

"I'm urging all of you to get behind Tom Christian."

Experience to do the Job Right

- * Former State Representative, 1968-1972. Served on Education, Criminal Jurisprudence, Revenue, Parks and Wildlife Committees
- * Former West Texas State University Regent
- * Past President, Panhandle Livestock Association
- * Past President, Panhandle Rural Health Initiative
- * Past President, Panhandle-Plains Historical Society
- * Past Board of Governors, Seven Who Care
- * Board of Directors, Outdoor Drama "Texas"
- * Liaison, Texas Tech University Health Science Center
- * Tom and his wife Ann, both natives of the District, have four children. The family attends the United Methodist Church.
- * Tom is a native of Armstrong County, is a rancher and works in the tourism industry. He's a veteran of the U.S. Navy.
- * Tom Christian has served as School Board President in Claude.

A West Texas Conservative

- For: Tougher Anti-Drug Law
- For: More Jobs in Energy and Manufacturing
- For: Trimming Waste in State Government
- For: Development of Tourism
- For: Strong Local Control of Schools
- For: Full Funding for Texas Education
- Against: Any New Taxes

TO
CH
For State

Pol. Adv. Paid by Tom Christian



7 Days A Week

9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Lunch Specials

Monday, Wednesday & Friday-

\$3.95

Tigers No. 1

McLean Variety

NOW HAS DRY CLEANING

SERVICE!

NSA Water Filter Systems

Like Bottled Water From Your Tap

We now accept Visa & Master Card

Card Of Thanks

Special thanks to Amanda Crawford, Karen Brown, Marie Immell, Jerry Corbin and to auxillary members, Lois Murray, Linda Syfrett, Ginger Morilla, Isabell Cousins, for dressing up and helping Betty Lopez, activity director and myself have a great party at McLean Care Center.

Louise Turner

Coronation

awarded to the best costume overall of the four division winners.

Costumes will be judged on originality and presentation by an impartial panel.

Harvest Candidates are as follows: Kindergarten- Stephen Pierce, Cassandra Lucas, First Grade: Erica Norrid and David Young, Second Grade-D.J. Basham, Vanessa Glass. Third Grade-

Donnie Adams, Bonnie Hauck Fourth Grade-Chad Young, Pamela Martin Fifth Grade-Jonathon Galley, Heather Hess Sixth Grade-Kevin Mertz, Karen Brass Seventh Grade-Dennis Ward Caryn Jordan Eighth Grade-Michael Barker and Trisha Littlefield. Freshmen-Missy Young and Tanner Hess Sophmores-Dustin Trott and Amy Ward, Juniors-Danna Watson and Todd Stump, Seniors-Tony Polito and Wendi Smith.

THE GROOM NEWS-Page 9
Thursday, November 3, 1988

Card Of Thanks

Thank you everyone for visits, phone calls, food flowers and all kindness extended us during the illness and death of our beloved sister.

The family of Ora Holloway

Call

Jerry Cook

At

ATLAS
PLUMBING

779-2784

Now Offers
Ditching services.
30 cents a foot
including back fill.

Wieberg

Welding

Nathan Wieberg

Shop-248-7270

Home-248-7301

Election Day Turkey Dinner

TUESDAY, November 8, 1988

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

In Methodist Church Basement

\$5.00 per plate.

Everyone Is Invited!

Sponsored by United Methodist Women

Christian

ervative, respected
state government
and knows how to

taxes and be an
rict 84.

et out and vote for

-Phil Gramm

ervative on the Issues

- s
- d Agriculture
- e Government
- and Ag Processing Plants
- Schools
- Tech Medical School

M RISTIAN

Representative • 84th District

Christian for State Rep., Box 38, Claude, TX 79019

TWO THINGS TEXANS DON'T LIKE ARE BAD HIGHWAYS AND BROKEN PROMISES.

The money we send to Washington every time we fill up our cars comes back to Texas. The government promises that this money will be spent to build, repair and maintain our highways.

Diverting those Federal Highway Trust dollars to some other purpose could devastate our highway system for years to come.

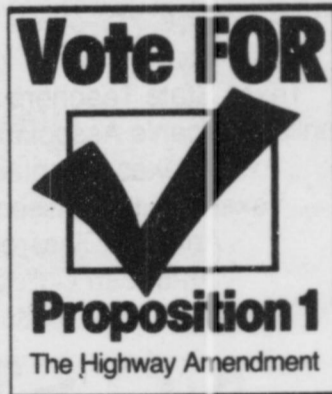
- It would halt vital road construction;
- Cancel needed safety improvement;
- End repairs to roads and bridges.

Texans can stop this threat by voting for Proposition One which makes certain that highway dollars are spent on highways. **Let's keep the promise to Texans.**

On Election Day look at the bottom of your ballot and find Proposition One, the Highway Amendment. Proposition One continues the Texas plan for good jobs, economic growth and safe roads **without raising taxes** and most importantly . . . keeps your family safe.

A lot is riding on the promise of good Texas roads.

Keep highway money for highways and the jobs they create. Proposition One is endorsed by the Texas Highway Commissioners, local and state-wide officials of both political parties, and hundreds of civic groups because they know that building good roads keeps Texas moving.



Keep Texas Moving.

Look for Proposition 1 at the bottom of the ballot

**Congress makes the law.
Courts uphold the law.
VOTE REPUBLICAN.**

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County
Republican Party, Jeri Osborne, Chm.
Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79068

Alanreed Homemakers Held Luncheon/ Meeting

The Alanreed
homemakers met October
26, in the home of Anita
Bruce.

A covered dish luncheon
was enjoyed by all.
A business meeting was
held following the luncheon.

Lena Carter, president of the
club presided.
The roll call was how I use
pumpkin and was answered

by Anita Bruce, Lena Carter,
Mary Davis, Rose Hall, Lucy
Goldston and Brenda
McLain.

The minutes were read by
Lucy Goldston and
approved.

It was decided that the
November meeting would be
changed from the 23rd to the
30th because of the
Thanksgiving holidays.

Future projects were
tabled until after the
holidays.

Anita Bruce presented the
program entitled, Cowboy
Folklore, and it was enjoyed
by all.

Alanreed News

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Adams
and Rose Hall were in
Amarillo last Week.

Lester Carter of Rotan
visited with Lena Carter this
weekend. He had been in
Arkansas visiting his
brother.

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Leeder
had their sisters visiting last
week.

Denva Tidwell took the
Dick Dragoos to Pampa for
medical attention for Mr.
Dragoo.

Richard Dragoo returned
to California this week after
visiting with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dragoo.

Betty Rance of Amarillo
visited with the Hartley
Davis' this weekend.

The Buddy Montgomerys
have moved to Pampa.

Steve Trammel was in
Oklahoma last week for a
funeral

Visiting with the Hartley
Davis' last weekend were
Bill Smith of Pampa,
Herman and Lorene Lipton
of Clarendon, Steve
Roseberry of McLean and
Rose Hall of Alanreed.

Guy and Erma Hester
visited with Fern Boyd this
weekend.

Pat Durham To Be Recognized

At Awards Dinner

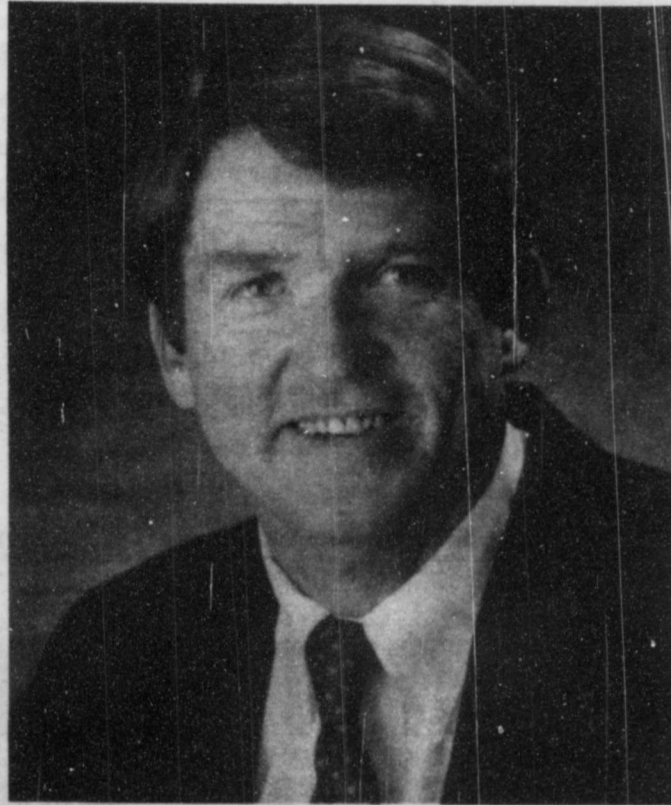
Pat Durham of McLean,
local manager for
Southwestern Public Service
company (SPS), will be
recognized at the SPS
Panhandle Division and
Production Department
service awards dinner
Thursday, Nov. 3, in
Amarillo for 40 years of
service to customers.

She is among 374
employees of the company
being recognized through a
series of award dinners for a
collective 5,410 years of
service.

**CALCOTE ELECTRIC
SUBMERSIBLE PUMP
AND
ELECTRICAL WIRING
Shop-779-2652
Home-779-2084**

Lamp Shades,
Light Bulbs,
Replacement Glass
House Of Shades
& Lamp Repairs

2613 Wolflin Ave.
Wolflin Village
Amarillo, TX



Mel
PHILLIPS
WILL WORK FOR US. . .

ENDORSED BY:



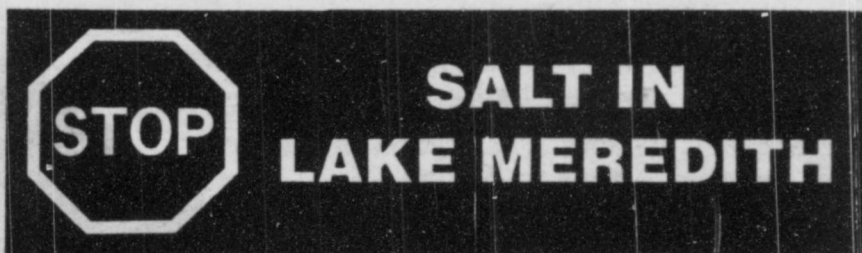
NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION (NRA)
*"We appreciate the strong commitment you have made
to the law abiding firearm owners of Texas."*

YOUNG CONSERVATIVES OF TEXAS
*"We believe that you will uphold the principles of Liberty,
Limited Government, and Free Enterprise which are
clearly in the best interest of Texas."*

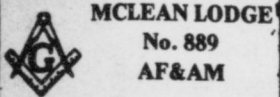
AMARILLO POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
*"The Amarillo Police Officers Association believes that
you are committed to seeing that the state government
uses its resources to aid local police and district attor-
neys in their war on drugs."*

- Texas State Teachers Association • Combined Law Enforcement Association of Texas
- Amarillo Fireman's Association • Texas Firemarshal's Association • Texas Sugar Beet Growers
- Texas Volunteer Fireman's Association • Texas Consumer Association
- Texas Medical Association • Texas Association of Nurses • Castro County News
- Amarillo Classroom Teachers Association • Rural Friends (Electric Co-op)
- American College of Emergency Physicians, Texas Chapter • Friona Star
- Texas Association of County Officials • Bovina Blade

NO STATE INCOME TAX



Pol. Adv. Paid for by Mel Phillips For Senate Committee, 514 South Polk, Amarillo, TX 79101, Dennis Clouch, Treasurer.

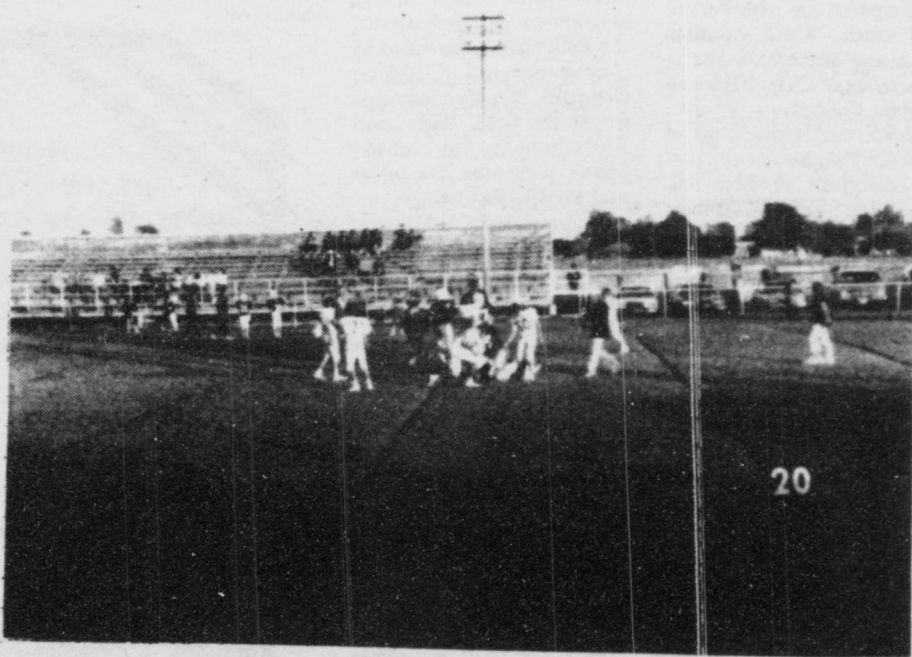
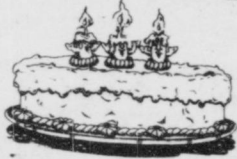


MCLEAN LODGE
No. 889
AF&AM

Stated Meeting
2nd Thursday
Practice Every Thursday
7:30 p.m.

VISITORS WELCOME
Doyal Billingsley, W.M.
J. Boyd Smith, Secretary

HAPPY
13th
BIRTHDAY
SHAWLENE



McLean Junior High held their homecoming on October 27. The Cubs lost to Higgins, 46-19, to bring their record to 5-1 for the season. They play their last game of the season tonight in Silverton.

THE GROOM NEWS-Page 11
Thursday, November 3, 1988

**School
Menu**

Nov. 7-11

Monday- Hamburgers, lettuce/tomatoes, pickles/onions, french fries, banana pudding, milk.

Tuesday- Porkettes, green beans, cream gravy, hot biscuits/butter, honey, milk.

Wednesday- Tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, sopillas, milk.

Thursday- Hamburger steak, brown gravy, buttered carrots, potatoes, hot rolls/honey, milk.

Friday- Hot steak sandwich, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, salad, applesauce, milk.



**Country Cuts Beauty
and Barber Shop**

Is Now Open

Tuesday through Friday

Perms, Shampoos and Sets,
Hair Cuts, Mens Clipper Cuts

709 N. Waldron

779-2336

**McLean
VS
Silverton**



7:30-Here

We Proudly Support The McLean Tigers!

Cowboy Restaurant

Texas Restaurant

B & B Turbine

Simpson Agency

McLean Pharmacy

Puckett's

Corinne's Style Shop

Dairy Queen

Calcote Electric

Bank Of Commerce

McLean Hardware

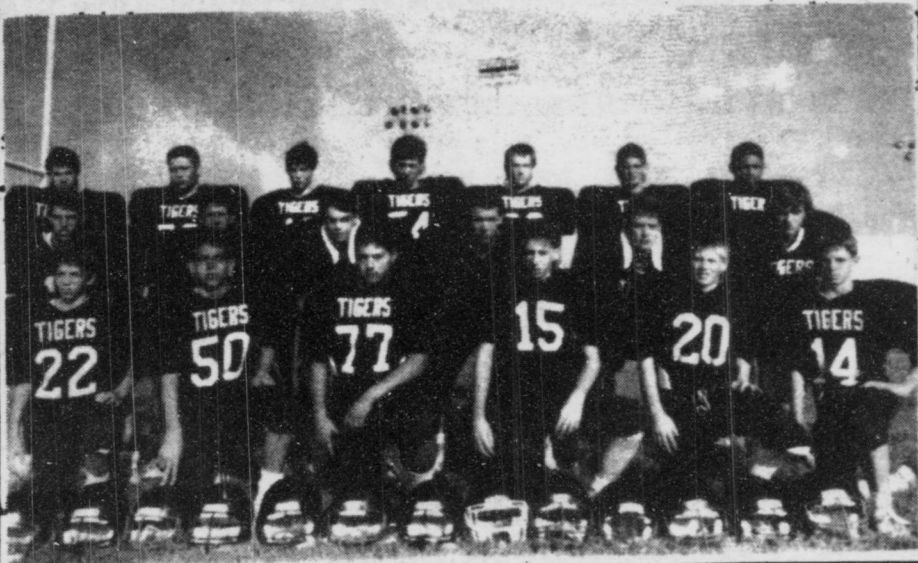
B & B Electric

Johnnie & Colleen Mertel Boot Shop

Richardson's Texaco

Country Corner Texaco

Taylor Food Mart No. 16



**FOOTBALL
SCHEDULE**

McLean 20 Groom 12
McLean 38 Rule 40
McLean 40 Miami 8
(Homecoming)
McLean 0, Harrold 22
Sept. 30-Open
McLean 40, Lefors 8
McLean 40, Miami 14
McLean 64, Groom 24
McLean 28, Higgins 22
Nov. 4 vs. Silverton Here*

*District
**Varsity and JV, starting
time is 5:00 p.m., all other
games start at 7:30 p.m.

Swanson Construction
Remodeling-Additions-New
Home Construction-All Concrete
Work-Metal and Asphalt
Roofing-Ceramic Tiling-
Carports-Cabinets
Call Larry at 779-3101 or -2950



James Hefley
"The Sound that Sells"
Auction Co.



McLean, Tx. 79057

Box 42

(806) 779-3134



Richardson Texaco



24-Hour Road Service

TEXACO
119 W. 1st

779-2798

TEXACO
McLean, Tx.

Home-779-3231

Full

Truck & Tractor

Service Station

Flats

**SARNA'S
BOOKS & LOOKS**

111 McCarty, McLean, Texas

PAPERBACKS

OUR PRICE 1/2 PUBLISHER'S

PRICE MINIMUM \$.60

TRADE 1/4 PUBLISHER'S

PRICE ON ACCEPTABLE

BOOKS

HARDBACKS \$3.00 EACH

Some used furniture & miscellaneous

OPEN SATURDAYS ONLY 9-6

Band Honors

Mr. Thomas, Director of the Tiger Band announced this past week the following honors.

Bryan Crowell a member of the Sixth Grade Band was named outstanding marcher for homecoming. Melinda Burgin a Eighth Grader was named outstanding marcher of the High School Band.

Mr. Thomas created this award as an incentive toward excellence in parade marching.

Each recipient received a trophy presented at the Homecoming Pep Rally.

The Sixth Grade Band marched with the High School Band during Homecoming festivities this past week.

Card Of Thanks

I want to say a great big thank you to my family, who were there when I needed them. David and Lanna Brown, Amy and Brody. Guy Lynn Blackwell, Lindsay and Anthony. Jigger and Sandra Britten, Trey and Staci. Tators and Irma Blackwell, my mother-in-law Ethel Blackwell, would have been there if she hadn't been sick. Also Lois Wagner, Pam Bake, and Melinda Alexandra for special things they did and my many, many friends are worth a million.

Thanks to all who sent cards and flowers of love.

Love to All, God Bless All
Nancy Blackwell

"I have vetoed legislation which would have made placement (of foster children) in gay or lesbian households illegal." Dukakis - "Concerns of Gay Men and Lesbians."

VOTE REPUBLICAN

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party, Jeri Osborne, Chm. Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79068

Homecoming

dates for four years, and participated in basketball and track. Most valuable track and basketball. She is a member of CYO, FHA and student Council.

Her court is made up of Jeannie Vaughn a senior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Vaughn, Junior Staci Kotara-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sambo Kotara Jolee Burger, a Freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Burger, Lesa Sweatt a Freshmen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sweatt. Escorting the ladies were; Brice Ruthardt, Stoney Crump, Wilbur Kempf, Kiley Lambert and Jay Britten. Candlelighters were Heather Patterson, escorted by Robert Miller and Elizabeth Painter escorted by Kevin Kerlee.

Many feared the wind would prevent the bonfire from being lit, but the weather calmed allowing the festivities to continue following the coronation.

Friday afternoon the sirens aroused the downtown patrons and area Groom residents as the local police and fireman led the way to the bank for the annual downtown pep rally. Cheerleaders performed several dance numbers along with their cheers. Students paraded on foot as the players were escorted along with the queen candidates in cars provided by Chamberlain Motor company.

The finale of the week was the game between the

Local Happening

Kenneth Sweatt attended National Guard exercises this past weekend in Wellington.



Groom Tigers and Miami Warriors.

Pre-game festivities began at 7:00 p.m. with the queen candidates paraded around the field on cars provided by Chamberlain Motor Company and then escorted across the field. Representatives from the boy and girl Scouts presented the colors and raised the flag.

Students were positioned on the field with bags of balloons and as the school song was played by the Tiger Band their balloons were released from the stands and the field.

At halftime the Tiger Band appeared on the field with sacks over their heads in the mood for Halloween. When their director Mr. Thomas demanded they remove their mask and get on with the show the band members reluctantly removed them for the crowd only to see more Halloween

masks. The band was successful in getting the crowd cheered and in a festive mood with their playful spirit.

Leading the fans with their enthusiasm were Jennie English and Heather Patterson who stood in for Cheerleader Staci Kotara,

who was a queen candidate. Fans were thrilled as the cheerleaders threw footballs after each touchdown scored.

HAVE YOUR HEARING TESTED BY A PROFESSIONALLY TRAINED BELTONE HEARING AID SPECIALIST TODAY!
in McLean



Charlene Blalock

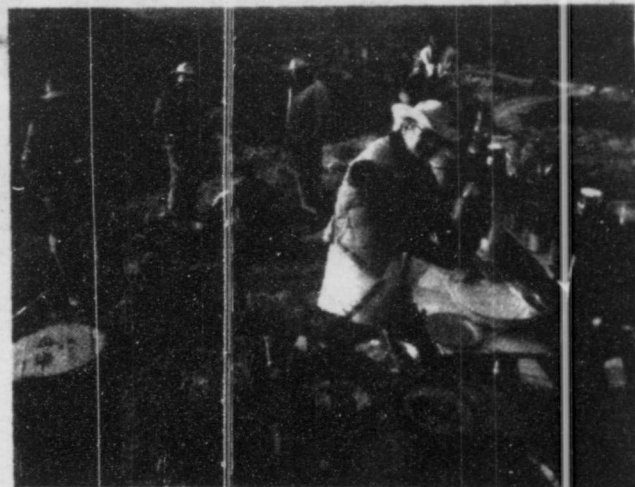
FREE HEARING TESTS

At The Library
302 N. Main
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon
November 8, 1988

Beltone
Better Hearing Through Professional Care

TOM CHRISTIAN

He's A Producer of JOBS



★ Since 1980, Tom and his wife Anne have served 25,000 tourists a Cowboy Morning Breakfast at Palo Duro Canyon.

★ That means employment for local people and money for the local economy.

★ This year, The Christians were awarded the Governor's Hospitality Award for promoting our area.

★ Tom Christian will work in the Legislature to help develop more jobs in tourism.

★ Tom Christian has the experience to get the job done right.

TOM CHRISTIAN

For State Representative • 84th District

Pol. Ad. Paid for by Tom Christian Campaign
Nell Bailey, Treasurer, P.O. Box 1617, Pampa, Tx. 79065

We have felt the effects of the Reagan/Bush Administration.

ECONOMY

Since 1985, 23,582 small businesses have failed in Texas. Foreign investors now own 40% of the prime real estate in Houston.

Democrats in the Texas Legislature supported a "Buy Texas" program requiring state, county and city governments to buy supplies from Texas businesses.

TRADE

Trade restrictions imposed by foreign countries on the United States created a loss of 107,000 manufacturing jobs in Texas.

Senator Bentsen lead efforts to pass a bill to toughen U.S. trade laws, making them fairer for American businesses.

SOCIAL SECURITY

In 1985, George Bush cast the tie-breaking vote in the Senate to freeze the cost of living adjustment for people receiving Social Security and cut Medicare and Medicaid by \$17 billion.

Democratic state legislators defeated Republican attempts to cut \$32 million from state nursing home funding.

DRUGS

Over the past 7 1/2 years, the amount of cocaine smuggled into the United States tripled. Heroin imports rose by 50%, and drug-related deaths doubled. George Bush headed the federal anti-drug task force during this time.

The Dukakis/Bentsen Administration will not make deals with drug traffickers and terrorists.

ENERGY

Texas has lost 216,000 energy-related jobs in the last 5 years, and 4 out of 5 drilling rigs in Texas are no longer in operation.

Democrats on the Texas Railroad Commission will work with Americans to expand the market for Texas natural gas, rather than deal with OPEC oil czars.

EDUCATION

The Reagan/Bush Administration fought to cut major student programs, including the Pell Grant and Guaranteed Student Loans.

Michael Dukakis has proposed a workable student loan program allowing middle income students to attend college.

Texas Democrats believe the best America is yet to come.

Harvest Dinner Enjoyed By Crowd

A steady stream of people crowded the hall of Groom Schools on Sunday for the Annual United Methodist Harvest Dinner. Margie Stephens reported "We began serving at 11:15 a.m. as the Catholic Church let

out and served one hungry face after another until 2:00 p.m."

Guests totaling approximately 425 were served turkey, dressing, potatoes, with a variety of salads and a mouth watering selection of

desserts.

Church members were out in full force keeping the tables clean and the serving tables full of selections.



Groom's WTR Program Observed

Last year Groom ISD was one of the few schools in this area with an IBM Writing-to-Read Lab. Writing-To-Read is an interactive computer program which teaches children sound-letter correspondences so that they can begin writing and reading their own words during the Kindergarten year.

Other Panhandle schools have shown much interest in the program. Last spring the Groom Lab had teachers and principals who came in to observe from Stinnett, Childress, Wheeler, Dimmit, and Canyon. This fall Stinnett, Childress, and Wheeler are beginning their first year with the WTR program.

Last Monday six teachers from Stinnett and Childress observed in the lab and discussed teaching

strategies with the Groom teachers. Two more area schools have scheduled visits with the Groom lab in November.

THE GROOM NEWS-Page 13
Thursday, November 3, 1988

Aide To Senior Citizens

The State Board of Insurance has published a 28-page brochure to help Texas seniors shop for Medicare supplement insurance.

The brochure explains medicare supplement coverage and consumer rights under Texas law and provides tips on shopping for insurance to fill certain "gaps" in Medicare.

Consumers may obtain copies free of charge by writing to: State Board of Insurance, Attn: Information Services, 1110 San Jacinto, Austin, Tx. 787-1998, or call 1-800-252-3439.

present get to put their name in a pot for a drawing to be held in April. The prize will be a \$50.00 gift certificate.

The November meeting will be a progressive dinner. Appetizers will be served at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Janice Weinheimer with hostesses Adela Kotara and Carolyn Brooks. Salads at 8:00 in the home of Maggie Weinheimer with Wamye Britten and Betty Rae Brown as hostesses. Desserts at 8:30 in the Neysa Friemel home with Alice Kuehler and Julie Friemel as hostesses. This will be combined with our Christ Child Shower if you wish to bring your gift with you.

Father Neyer brought a video of the Events at Medjgoric, Yugoslavia. Everyone enjoyed watching it and discussing the events.

*Your Extra Effort
Can Make A Difference!*

WRITE — IN MIKE BRITTEN

Democratic Candidate For Commissioner
Pd. Adv. by Friends for Mike Britten, Box 277, Groom.

**Groom
VS
Lefors
Pirates**



Here-7:30



Members Of The Groom Tiger Football team are: Kneeling-Robert Miller, Nick Kuehler, Jimmy Dale Kingston, Bruce Britten, Brian Baker, Second Row-Spencer

Branch, Richard Koetting, Jay Britten, Kevin Kerlee, Michael Rose, Coach Jay Lamb, Coach Tim Gilliland, Back Row-Coach Branch, Stoney Crump, Richard Jenkins, Jason Eschle and Wilbur Kemp.

We Proudly Support the Groom Tigers!

Wheeler Evans Elevators

Keith Barkley Automotive

Brumley Insurance Agency

Attebury Grain Co. Inc.

**Tam and Shela Terry
Casmen and Tyler**

Johns' Diesel

**Stop n Shop
Bill & Norma Jean
Homer Family**

Golden Spread Coop.

Art Britten



1988 GROOM TIGER FOOTBALL SCHEDULE	
SEPT. 2	McLEAN @ GROOM
" 9	GROOM @ TEXLINE
" 16	BOVINA @ GROOM
" 23	LAZBUDDIE @ GROOM
" 30	GROOM @ MIAMI
OCT. 7	GROOM @ HIGGINS *
" 14	SILVERTON @ GROOM *
" 21	GROOM @ McLEAN *
" 28	MIAMI @ GROOM *
NOV. 4	GROOM @ LEFORS *

* DENOTES DISTRICT GAMES

Groom Grocery

RGM Elevator Inc.

Wieberg Welding

Groom Medi-Station

Groom Flying Service

Pavs Service Station

State National Bank

Bivens Automotive

Stop N Shop

Home Owned And Operated

Everyone's

Convenience Store



TEXACO

Deli Items-Grocery-

Beverages

Groom

248-7977

Pav's Service

Come See Us

For Your Automotive Needs!

Oil-Batteries

Complete Line Of Tires
& Service

Wholesale Deliveries

Retail-Regular-Unleaded

Mon-Sat., 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Groom Students Make Headlines

Tim Weinheimer, a former graduate of Groom High School is furthering his education at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Tim is currently on the staff of the University

Daily. One of Tim's recent articles featured two other Groom graduates; Tracy and Leslie Brown.

We wish to share the following article written by

Tim Weinheimer of local interest of our readers.

Management of Tucker Brown at 1301 University Ave. requires combining experience, duties, talents and taste along with the philosophy of taking everything one step at a time, say the store's two young owners.

Tracy and Leslie Brown, a brother/sister duo, make up the management team. The duo concentrates on a wide spectrum of responsibilities, including classes at Texas Tech.

The inspiration to open a women's clothing store came with the opportunity to purchase the Clotheshorse, which previously occupied the location of Tucker Brown.

"I worked at the Clotheshorse at the time when I was offered to buy the location," said Leslie. "It seemed so impossible at the time."

Tracy, an agriculture communications graduate of Tech, later took an interest in Leslie's idea of opening a store but really didn't know what to expect and what their parents might think.

Upon opening on March 23, 1986, Tracy and Leslie Brown realized that if the store was to be a success, they would need to change the name, the look and the atmosphere.

"We wanted something unique to name the store," said Tracy. "We had hoped to use our family name, but it just didn't sound right."

The name came after days of brainstorming.

Tucker Brown, a combination of their family name, Brown, with the last name of their late great aunt, Jesse Faye Tucker, created the traditional, original title Tracy and Leslie had been searching

for. Funds for financing the project in the beginning came partly from their parents, but the greatest amount came from Tracy and Leslie's own money earned through livestock shows and awards, according to Leslie.

Lezlie, a general home economics major, said she found it difficult to juggle her classes with the added weight of establishing the new store.

"I felt that I was leaving Tracy with all the responsibilities of dealing with accountants, insurance and other business deals," said Leslie. "It really created friction until we found time to define our responsibilities."

With experience in retail, the twosome combined talents to create the traditional atmosphere of the store, said Tracy.

"It all comes natural to us," said Tracy. "If we see something we like, we know it immediately. It is almost as if we can read each other's minds."

Lezlie said she feels she has a true eye for color and a good photographic memory when it comes to choosing just the right merchandise.

"It is like any other talent," she said. "Some people can sing, while others can play the piano."

Tracy and Leslie's older sister, Lynita, now works full-time in the store working with sales, receiving and inventory, said Tracy.

"Women's clothing was our choice since it fits our personalities better," said Tracy. "Men's clothes are too conservative, when women's clothes are more exciting with constant changes in colors and styles."

Tracy said the main key to operating the business is patience and that it is important and difficult for them to not let their dreams of future development run wild.

Tim is the son of Pat and Maggie Weinheimer, Tracy, Leslie and Lynita are the children of Fred and Juanita Brown, all of Groom.

Don Miller Radiator Service

Is Our Business
Not a Sideline
New & Rebuilt Radiators
Gas Tanks & Heaters
Repaired

612 S. Jefferson
Amarillo, Texas

376-6666

Groom Medi - Station

248-7080

102 East 1st Street (Dr. Witt's Old Clinic)

10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Open Until The Doctor's Leave-

Tuesday & Thursday

Medicaid, PCS, Paid, Blue Cross,



Blue Shield & Personal Charge
Accounts Welcome

24 Hour Service - Free Delivery

Groom Flying Service



Harris Howard

All types of aerial
applications

Good Service - Reasonable Prices

Harris & Office
248-7561

Craig
248-7420

TAM TERRY FOR SHERIFF

Mary and I have chosen to make Carson County our permanent home. We feel as if we need to make an endorsement to the Citizens of Carson County as to the sheriff's race in this county. We have worked personally with both men in this race.

Tam Terry started as a reserve officer over 6 years ago. Over 5 years ago he took the ball when I had open heart surgery and did an outstanding job. He has worked in the field in assisting with the murder cases, burglary's and ect.. He has also been a city marshal for the city of White Deer. Tam has been a back up officer for me in several tight situations to prove that he can handle himself as a professional, level headed officer. We feel as if the taxpayers need to know that he will give them coverage in the field as well as the business side of this office. We would like to ask you to support Tam Terry on November 8, to be your next Sheriff.

Pol. Adv. Pd by Mary Hart,
Box 742, White Deer, TX, 79097

Warren and Mary Hart

SUNSHINE PUPPETS
PRESENTS



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SUNDAY, NOV. 13
11:00 AM
EVERYONE WELCOME



Purina Dealer



Groom 248-7575 Lark 248-7551

AG & GRAIN, INC.

Purina

Sup-R-Lix

brand Liquid Supplement with Rumensin

Assures cows get uniform nutrition
-tank top to tank bottom.

With homogenized Sup-R-Lix® there's no waste. Its high-level nutrition stays put, so cows get the full body-conditioning benefits of the ration every time they lick the wheel. In feed trials, spring-calving cows on Sup-R-Lix Breeder 32 weighed an average of 54 lbs. more after calving than cows on a conventional 32% liquid supplement, yet feed consumption was virtually the same. Sup-R-Lix is the one liquid ration you can count on to match the performance of highest quality dry supplements—yet still give you self-feeding convenience and labor savings.



Grain-Fertilizer-Seed-Feed

AG & GRAIN, INC.

"Serving The Farmers Needs First"

CLASSIFIED SECTION

THE GROOM NEWS
THE McLEAN NEWS

All ads cash with order unless customer has an established account with The Groom or McLean News.

RATES

15c per word per insertion
Minimum Ad—\$3.00
Card Of Thanks—\$4.00

Custom Milo harvesting. Call C.E. Williams at 537-5003 in Panhandle.

Trash Barrels for sale, \$5.00, call Darrell Whatley at 248-7963 after 5:00 p.m.

Garage Sale- Saturday, November 9, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Furniture, lamps, light fixtures, accessory items, Men's, Women's and children's clothing. 506 Wilkerson.

Cuttin Corners in McLean has lots of marked down craft items. Saturdays-9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. McLean

For Sale-3 Bedroom 2 Bath home. Double Garage with garage door opener. Steel Siding
Other listings also available. Call Jane Herndon at Simpson Agency 779-2451.

Tina's Hair-Care-Asel's
Telephone Number
Is
248-7415

LOST: a pair of glasses with brownish frames. Lost somewhere on Main Street in McLean. If found please call 779-2502 or 779-2141 or turn them in at the News office in McLean.

Wanted Craft Persons:
Booths available at \$10.00. Holiday Bazaar, St. Mary's Catholic Hall, Sat. Nov. 19th, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Contact Kay, Box 508, Groom, Phone, 248-7064.

Tree Trimming, Shrub Shaping, Hauling. Trim your trees before snow and ice break them and cost you more. Call 669-9993 or 665-9292.

For Sale-Late model 30 shank-Krause Sweep Plow. Call 248-7038.

CUSTOM SHREDDING
Custom Farming
Call Bryan Bichsel
944-5510

Bass Pro Shop
Representative
Carlton's Tackle Shop. If you have need of special tackle, I will order it. Please call 248-7369 or come by my home at 503 Martin St., Groom. License also available.

Treadmill exerciser, like new \$80 and old exercise bike \$5.00. 248-7408.

Cattle Insurance
We are now writing winter pasture insurance.
Brumley Insurance

Film Processing
1 day & 2 day:
Photocopy and Restoration.
Contact Kenneth Payton

Custom Land Leveling
Laser-controlled equipment. Save time and money on crop irrigation, and increase dryland yields. Guaranteed satisfaction and long-term results. For more information, call 248-7551.

A Defensive Driving course will be held at Clarendon College on Saturday, November 12, 1988. It will meet from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room 102. The fee is \$25.00. Please contact Clarendon College at 1-806-874-3571 for further information. Upon completion of this course, participants will be eligible for a 10 percent discount on their liability insurance and dismissal of a traffic violation. All dismissals of traffic violations must be approved by the appropriate Justice of Peace.

Call Sharlene Lewis at 248-7481 for your HOLIDAY Baking Need!

Groom School-An equal opportunity employer, is taking applications for food service supervisor and food service cook. Applicants for positions should complete new application at the business office or superintendent's office, 304 West Third, Groom, Texas 79039. Rex Peoples 806-248-7557.

For Sale in Pampa-Brick duplex in excellent condition. Price negotiable. 355-3799.

Cash Business
Buy this high profit candy vending route. Nationally proven program since 1959. Nice family business includes training. Requires cash investment of \$4237 to \$14070. Call 1-800-328-0723.
Eagle Industries
Since 1959

Carson County Irrigated Farmland
277 acres of irrigated cropland southeast side of White Deer. Three bedroom brick home, 2 irrigation wells, and 24,000 bushels grain storage. COMPLETE FARMING OPERATION! Call Owners Exclusive Agent:

David Davidson
James F. Hayes & Co.
Clarendon, Texas 79226
Office (806) 874-3546
home (806) 874-3242

Country Junction
Flora Glenn Hammers will be teaching a Flying Santa Claus on Thursday night, November 3, 6:00 to 9:00 at Country Junction.

Country Junction
Janice Koetting will be teaching a Heart Checker Board at Country Junction. Monday night on November 7, 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Anyone interested in taking these classes, please contact us at 248-7478.

For Sale used furniture-
Couch-\$15.00, Coach-\$50.00, Love Seat-\$25.00, Swivel Rocker-\$20.00 and stuffed chair-\$20.00. Call Richard Homer at 248-7037.

For Sale:42 inch Trampoline, Electric sewing machine and a Wall-away Recliner. 779-2908 McLean

Yard Sale:Saturday Nov. 5,9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. at 112 Fourth Street in McLean Dinette Set, Buffet, T.V. etc. Sale will be held inside if the weather is bad.

Pet's Unique
912 W. Kentucky
Pampa, Texas
Grooming, Puppies, Pet Supplies (including bird and and fish food) Iams Dealer.
665-5102

A. J. Newsom
Water Well
Service
Submersible Pumps
Aeromotor Windmills
Phone 248-7411



Check with us for all your
Hardware Needs!

GROOM HARDWARE & LUMBER
Groom, Texas

Let us haul your cattle and grain

G & J TRUCKING

(806) 248-7922
FULLY INSURED

GREG BRITTEN
248-7007

P.O. BOX 114
GROOM, TX 79039

JOHN HOMEN
248-7463

Carson County Abstract Company

REALTORS, ABSTRACTORS OF TITLES

222 Main St.

537-3561

Panhandle, Texas

Chamberlain MOTOR COMPANY

HIGHWAY 287 CLARENDON, TEXAS

BUICK • OLDSMOBILE

PONTIAC • CADILLAC • GMC TRUCKS

SUSAN BROWN
248-6241
Groom, Texas 79039

Clarendon [806]874-3527
Amarillo 376-9041
Texas WATS (800)692-4088

DEAN'S pharmacy

2217 Perryton Parkway 669-6896

Looking forward
to serving our
Groom customers.

Ask about our
mail service.

Welcome Welfare Recipients

Special Discounts
to Senior Citizens on all
Prescriptions.

Dean Copeland
Home 665-2698

Business 669-6896

Jim T. Pepper
Home 669-9710

One Hour Martinizing

Bring your cleaning when you shop
in Pampa.....

Pick it up the same day!!!!

Two locations to serve you-
1807 N. Hobart-1824 W. Francis.



BYRD ADKINS, D.D.S.
Groom Area Clinic
248-7980
Tuesday, 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

WHEELER-EVANS

ELEVATORS

Groom & Corner North

Wheeler Evans In White Deer
Has Announced

The Seed Wheat Cleaner Has Been Modified
To Eliminate Joint Grass.

Phones: 248-7262 or 248-7278

Corner 248-7011

Nadine Thornton
248-7359

Groom, Texas

Football

for 105 yards and one TD, a 37-yarder to Stoney Crump that tied the score with 10 seconds remaining in the half. Crump led all receivers with 77 yards on four receptions.

Kevin Kerlee and Richard Koetting went to work on Groom's next possession, gaining 29 and 25 yards respectively on the 12-play, 60-yard drive. Kerlee finally punched it in from the three, and Stoney Crump's kick tied the score at 8.

Groom's onside kick gave Miami good field position at the Tiger 38. The warriors picked up two quick first downs before Fields took it in from the one with 3:21 left in the half. The kick failed.

Nightin' Gals

Nightin' Gals met Tuesday October 25, 1988 at 7:00 p.m. in the Hospitality Room. A short business was held with Lucille Case president presiding. Penochle was played with high score Sybil Brown and low score Mary Britten.

Those present: Mildred Burgin was a guest, Wyona Koetting, Pearl Banks, Sybil Brown, Mamie Poole, Stella Patterson, Lucille Case, Shirley Lamberson, Teresa Wills, Sybil Harrell, Lulu Wall, Nettie Fields, Alice Britten, Evelyn Hubbard, Mary Britten, Mary Lee Friemel. Hostesses were Ora Lea Garmon and Thelma Pool.

When Groom took over, good yardage runs by Crump and Kerlee moved the ball to the Miami 28, where Koetting sprinted up the middle and into the end zone. Crump's kick gave the Tigers the lead for the first time of the night, 16-14.

Two plays later, Miami's Steven Anderson swept right for a 54-yard touchdown jaunt with 47 seconds remaining in the second quarter. Field's kick put the Warriors up to 6.

With 10 seconds to play in the half, Michael Rose lofted a 37-yard toss to Crump, who turned it up-field for the score. A failed conversion pass made it 22-all at half-time.

Two penalties and a fumbled snap ended Miami's first possession in the third quarter. Groom moved the ball from its own 20 all the way down the field to the Warriors' nine, bringing up fourth-and-goal. Rose rolled left on a quarterback keeper and scrambled into the end zone to put the Tigers up 38-22.

After stopping Miami's next two possessions cold, Groom took over at the Tiger 32. Rose's 15-yard run and 16-yard pass completion to Kerlee put the ball on the Miami one. Kerlee got the call again and punched it in, giving Groom a 14-point lead.

On Miami's next play, Fields broke for a 40-yard touchdown run. Groom blocked the kick and Miami

trailed by 8.

"If there is a team in this state that could have quit, this is the one," Groom coach Jimmy Branch said. "But this is a great caliber of kids, and they never gave in. I wouldn't trade where I am right now for anything."

That Clean Refreshing

**Feeling
1929-30**

I remember back when we took our bath on Saturday night

In the kitchen by the old wood stove, in the coal oil light.

You were lucky to be first in the tub.

To remove the rust from your elbows and knees, you really had to scrub.

Now the present day commercials says, "Soaps are refreshing and clean."

But the lye soap Ma made was the best I ever seen.

You had to be careful when you moved around in the tub.

That big hot cook stove was no place to rub.

Now the present day showers, tubs and good smelling soap are hard to beat.

But the Saturday night baths in the old #2 tub were quite a treat.

Sometimes now we take several baths a day.

Back then, if we needed one or not, we took one Saturday night anyway.

John Reed

Former Groom Resident
2724 Nebraska
Amarillo, Texas 79106

Groom-Honor Rolls

Groom ISD School officials recently released students who made the honor rolls for the first six weeks. Of the 217 students enrolled at Groom Schools 91 were named either on the A Honor Roll (90 or above in all subjects) or the A/B Honor Roll (80 or above in all subjects). Mr. Sweatt, principal reported that many of

Tommy Pool Named

Sylvia Pool, who is visiting in Rio Hondo, Tx. recently sent an article to the Groom News. She wishes to share it with our readers. The article is about the son of Tom and Mattie Pool.

At the recent U.S. 300-meter international rifle championships at Ft. Benning, Ga., past and present members of the U.S. Army Marksmanship Unit's International Rifle section were inducted into USAMU's newly created International Rifle Hall of Fame. To qualify, shooters must have won an individual medal in either the Olympic Games, World Shooting Championships, or to have set a world record while assigned to the USAMU or withing one year of departure. Tommy Pool was one of the seventeen members inducted into the hall of fame.

The article and a picture was published in the American Rifleman magazine.

the students named on the A/B Honor Roll carried a 93 average.

Those students to be claimed for their high marks are as follows;

Sixth Grade—A, Bart Britten, Misty Homen, Halee Kotara, Brody Brown, Chris Burger, Bo Burgin, Bryan Crowell, Roni Fields, Stacy Fields, Melani Friemel, Jill Howard, Darcee Lyles, Matt Miller, Eric Weinheimer, Luke Weinheimer.

Seventh Grade—A, Kenzi Burger, Rebecca Conrad, Andrea Payton, Krista Burgin, Melody Hurton, Wesley Hall, Aimee Lyles, Angela Reed.

Eighth Grade—A, Karen Babcock, Melinda Burgin, Marie Conrad, Matt Fields, A-B, Amy Brown, John Weinheimer.

Freshmen—A, Brian Baker, Bruce Britten, Jolee Burger, Daryl Homer, Nick Kuehler, A-B, Kristy Case, Brandi Sustaie, Lesa Sweatt.

Sophomore—A, Susan Babcock, Heather Brown, Mike Conrad, Robert Miller.

Juniors—A, Jay Eritten, Staci Kotara, Julie Lyles, Ben Weinheimer, A-B, Carlene Britten, Phillip England, Jenni English, Tricia Fraser, Richard Jenkins, Heather Patterson, Laurie Weinheimer.

Seniors—A, Jason Hschle, Michael Rose, Matt Weinheimer, A-B, Karen Bohr, Stoney Crump, Daniel Hinson, Richard Koetting, Ron Kuehler, Kiley Lambert, Brice Ruthardt, Jeannie Vaughn.

Third Grade—A, Kay Lynn Britten, A-B, Tami Ashford, April Burton, Angela Conrad, Jessica Friemel, Lee Green, Marti Phillips, Michael Stephens, Maggie Thomas, Amber Weller, Thomas Moore.

Fourth Grade—A, Courtney Burgin, Brenda Fields, Jarret Weinheimer, A-B, Buck Babcock, Leo Britten, Michael Lewis, Julie Richardson, Scott Weinheimer, C.J. Whitley.

Fifth Grade—A-B, Nick Ashford, Terrence Eatmon, Sheri Koetting, Sabrina Schaffer, Trisha Treadwell.



Warren
Chisum
Is A

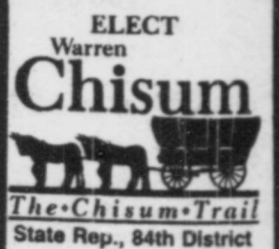
Conservative

Democrat

who won't take money from down state political action committees. He wants to serve the people of the 84th District, not some special interest group.

Warren Chisum will be an effective representative in Austin, because he has the knowledge and the energy to fight for what's best for this district.

Vote November 8 for Warren Chisum. If you have a question or need help with a problem with state government, call Warren's toll free number: 1-800-346-9769.



Political Advertisement paid by Chisum Campaign, E.L. Smiley Henderson, Treasurer Box 2061, Pampa, Tx 79065

**To The Voters of Groom And
Precinct No. 1 Of Carson County:**

If elected to the office of County Commissioner, I plan to represent the people of my precinct in carrying on the business of Carson County and to maintain the county roads as efficiently as possible in order to hold down our taxes.

In the precinct, we have 280 miles of road to maintain with only 2 motorgraders. Each year approximately 50% of the grading is done to fill the ruts after a rain and the other 50% to control weeds on the edge of the roadway. By spraying a four foot strip on each side of the roadway in May of each year with a non-drifting chemical, such as Roundup, which kills all vegetation, many trips over the roads with the motorgraders could be saved. This also would eliminate the large piles of weeds and dirt that pile up on the edge of the road. This could be done for the cost of grading the roads one time and would save the county many thousands of dollars in fuel, labor and repairs.

I am the candidate with NO farming or business interests and feel that I can devote more time to the job. I would appreciate your vote November 8th.

Arthur Britten (Art)

ANYONE needing a ride to the polls call

Art Britten 248-7473.

Paid Political Advertisement By Friends Of Art Britten, Box 212, Groom

Redistricting in 1990.
VOTE REPUBLICAN 1988.
Pol. Adv. Pd. by Carson County Republican Party, Rt. 2, Box 11, Panhandle, TX 79060

Political Calendar

The Groom News is authorized to present the names of the following candidates for office, subject to the General Election to be held in November. A fee has been paid by each candidate for a listing in this column from now through the election.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

For County Sheriff
Terry Timmons

For County Attorney
Ed Hinshaw*

For County Tax Assessor-Collector
Lloyd Sterling*

For Commissioner Precinct 1
Art Britten

For Commissioner Precinct 1 [Write-In]
Mike Britten
C.L. Wieberg
Don Smith

For U.S. Congress
Mel Phillips

REPUBLICAN PARTY

For County Sheriff
Tam Terry

For State Representative, Dist. 88
Dick Waterfield*

For State Senate, Dist. 31
Teel Bivens

*Denotes Incumbent