# The Groom Rews

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Barnie Davis watching as Kathleen Barkley got Holly Major all prettied up for the ice cream social. . .

Cars parked around the gym Thursday night as locals improve their volley-ball skills for the upcoming Groom Day tournament.

The Jerry Knowles family getting settled in their new nome on Ware Street. . .

City employees out mowing getting ready for Groom Day. .

Tony Treadwell giving his

last three bucks for gas. . . Lezlie Crowell washing her van and getting some expert help from Sean, Evan and Lauren

James Ledwig having an afternoon snack.

Harvest is officially over s of last Thursday when Melvin Wills completed cutng his last wheat field. . .

Sylvia Pool catching up on

Johnny Brooks busy attending to last minute chores for Groom Day. . .

A buyer's market on housing in Groom as more and nore for sale signs turn up in front yards. . .

Al Homer supervising the leaning of Main Street for

Groom Day. . .
Preparations for Carson County Roping underway with pens set up ready for the activity. . .

Karen Case and Adela Kotara having a chat while their children attended the tennis clinic Monday morn-

John Homen proud that his baseball team won the marillo Championship. . .

Suni Barnett exhibiting her excellent taste in clothing wearing a new Oklahoma OU Sooner t-shirt. .

Gary Davis tending his flower garden. . .



Moore stand ready to dish up some delicious ice cream at the Community Center benefit while John Eschle and Glynn D Harrell at serving patrons.

Rex Peeples, Billy Fields and Jerry enjoy theirs joined by a number of those attending the social (center photo). Below, Leldon Hudson and Alfred White take a turn





### **Community Center Fund Reaches Projected Goal**

Thanks to the undaunted support of the locals, the Community Center fund grew \$2,022.50 higher following the ice cream social held here last Thursday night. The social was held to raise funds for the carpet, floor tile, chairs and tables for the new center. A goal of \$9,000 has been set for the purchase of these items. At press time the fund stood at \$6,251.50.

See Social, Page 5

## **Celebration Begins** With Tennis Meet **On Friday Morning**

The best celebration yet is planned for the ninth annual observance of Groom Day this weekend with the Groom Day banner hoisted in place early Tuesday morning as local supporters of the event begin the final preparations for Saturday.

The location of the horse race which begins at 6:00 Friday will be a half mile south of the Lucky 13 next to FM 2300. All spectators are welcome to come see what horse and rider will emerge as the best. Dale Brooks will be the one to beat as he has walked away with the belt

buckle the past two years.

The attention will shift to the football field at the school where the Pet Show will begin at 6:30 p.m. Mrs. Burton, chairman for the event asked that everyone note the new time for the show. The event sponsored by the Girl Scouts is still in need of entries in the Pet Look Alike contest. A trophy will be awarded to the winner. She also asked that persons turn in their entries as soon as possible with the \$1.00 entry fee.

The talent show will follow with Debbie Anthony reporting some surprising entries that are sure to provide non-stop entertainment.

Saturday's festivities begin promptly at 7:30 a.m. with the Fun Run gun sounding. The 10K will begin at 7:45 a.m. John Eschle reports that entries are running about the same as in past years but some local talent would be appreciated.

If running is not your idea of the proper way to begin your morning, you can eat a hearty breakfast in the cafeteria and be at the finish line in time to see the winner cross over. The Fun Run was won last year by Chris Han-sen of Pampa timed at 10:44.91. Winner of the 10K Lew Kohagen of Amarillo finishing in 34:42.4.

Parade Marshal Rex Peeples is beginning plans to line up floats for the 10:00 a.m. parade. He urges everyone planning to partici-pate to contact him so that your float will be properly placed in the parade which will follow the route from the school down Main Street, turning on Front Street, back down Main to the school. He reminds everyone to stay with their float after returning to the school so that judges can make their presentations of ribbons to the winning

Day-long activities have been planned to be located See Groom Day, Page 5

## **Community Calendar**

Class of 1957 will meet at the School following the Groom Day Parade, Saturday.

be conducted at Groom Area Clinic on August 11. Please use the east entrance. Parent or guardian must accompany child and payments are based on income level. Clinic begins at 4:00 p.m.

Quilt Exhibit is being planned for Groom Day. If you have a handmade quilt or heirloom quilt suitable for exhibit contact Kay Britten for details. 248-7064.

Class of 1967 will observe their 20 year reunion at St. Mary's Hall on Saturday afternoon. welcome to visit.

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### Tuesday Grain Prices At Local Elevators

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

WHEAT \$2.12 bushel, Protein, 13, \$2.17; 13.5, \$2.21 MILO \$3.01 cwt. **CORN \$3.20 cwt.** 

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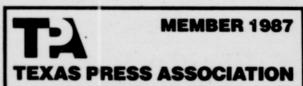
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# **Local Happenings**

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie

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Hughes and Mr. and Mrs.

Amarillo, visited Mr. and

Mrs. John Hickox over the

Enjoying the weekend at

Lake Altus were Mr. and

Mrs. Dalton Stewart of Ama-

rillo, Mr. and Mrs. Doug

Hamilton of Borger and Mr.

and Mrs. Phil Miller of

returned recently from a trip

to Albuquerque, N.M.

Charles

and daughters,

Mrs. Edith Wade was taken by ambulance Saturday to the Pampa Hospital after she fell and broke her leg. She underwent surgery on Monday.

Jo Ann Byrd is a surgical patient this week at Coronado Community Hospital in Pampa.

Ruby Milton returned Saturday from a two week visit with her daughters Beth Landry and family of Port Arthur, Tex. and Sue Williams and family of Houston.

Rosa Lopez had as dinner guests Saturday evening, Lance Lamberson of Austin, Jason Meek of Amarillo and Jimmy Kingston of Groom.

#### Fields Wins First

Shannon Fields won the City of Panhandle Tennis Tournament held over the weekend. The tournament is an annual event. Shannon defeated Tara Cox of White Deer in the final round to win the first place title and a plaque. She defeated Cox 7-5, 6-3.

Shannon also has competed this summer in the Junior League Basketball for Hutchinson County. She was a member of the Navy team having a season record of 8-4.

Othelle Driskill and Billie Jo Pearce of Oklahoma City visited Loula Wall Friday.

### Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for all the kindness shown to us in the loss of our T.J. The many cards, phone calls and food from the Groom Grocery. A special "Thank You" goes to Ralph and Mary Britten for the time off they have given me from my job at Tower Fuel Stop, so I could have time needed to be with my family.

Also, our minister Jerry Moore for his prayers and support. God bless each and everyone.

John & Patsy Fraser & Family Leslie and Dora Neal of Clarendon and their son Harrold and wife Mary and her sister Shirley Ward of Pauls Valley, Okla. were visiting Nellie Ford, Bertha Knight and A.D. and Ethel Neal last week.

#### **Card of Thanks**

We wish to thank the Groom people for their concern, phone calls, cards. and flowers during Page's stay in the hospital.

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9:00 a.m.-Children's Tennis Meet

1:00 p.m.-High School Tennis Meet

Friday-July 31

9:00 a.m.-Adult Tennis Meet 6:00 p.m.-Horse Race

7:00 p.m. -Pet Show,
Football Field

8:00 p.m.-Talent Show, Football Field

Saturday-August 1

7:30 a.m. -Fun Run (2 miles) 7:45 a.m. -10K (6.5 miles)

7:30-9:30 a.m.-Pancake Breakfast

10:00 a.m.-Parade

11:00 a.m.-Booths, Arts & Crafts, Concession, Volleyball

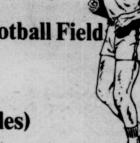
1:00 p.m.-Carson County Roping 4:00 p.m.-All events & Booths Close 5:00-7:00 p.m.-Barbecue, \$3.00 per plate, \$3.00 per pound

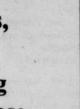
> No Alcoholic Beverages Allowed

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### **Card Of Thanks**

I want to thank all my friends for the cards and flowers that were sent to me while in the hospital. It gives a fellow a lift to know he has good friends.

Allan Knorpp

### Deputy Resigns

"We're looking for one good man, now," Carson County Sheriff Connie Reed disclosed Monday after receiving a letter of resignation from Deputy Earl Pollan, six-year veteran of the sheriff's department

### Museum Conducts Cooking Class

Mrs. Marcia Conrad and Mrs. Judy Eatmon were instructors for a cooking class held in Groom last week as a part of the Summer Arts program sponsored jointly by the Square House Museum and the Texas Commission on the Arts.

The nine students learned fo make peanut butter cookies, Rocky Road brownies and cherry topped pie. The kids sampled each during the class. Students in the class were C.J. Whatley, Dara Whatley, Kelli Erwin, Karen Conrad, Tisha Tigg, Suzy Pool, Terry Eatmon, Angie Conrad and Harold Cave.

Applicants for the \$17,899.32 annual salaried job, must be Certified Peace Officers.

#### It's A Girl

Congratulations to Olen and Barbara Shulte of Nazareth on the arrival of their new daughter, Keli Len. She was born in the Dimmit hospital on Monday, July 6, 1987 and tipped the scales at 7 pounds and 7 ounces.

Grandparents are Robert and Carolyn West of Groom, Ray and Martha Shulte of Nazareth and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Pool of McLean.

#### **PTO Seeks Volunteers**

PTO will host a goodie walk this year at Groom Day. PTO members are asked to donate some kind of treat

to donate some kind of treat (gum, candy, cupcakes, etc.) Your donations can be left at Marcia Conrad's home.

Workers are needed to run the booth. Call Charlotte Whatley or Glynda Eschle if you can donate 30 minutes of your time. You are invited to a
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county as a whole would be in serious trouble if equipment was being used on private property and an accident occurred. He asked wherein the liability would lie in such an event. He said he feared a loss of insurance and bonding could result from such an incident and that such action could come from a law suit demanding the equipment be oeprated by stringent guidelines.

He went on stating he

He stated he feared the

He went on, stating he had observed piles of caliche left on county raods unmarked by warning devices. He said suits against the county could occur from this practice. He also entertained the idea public opinion might have it private business was being conducted from the county barn in Precinct 4.

He called for the court to act on its own 'check and balance system' and to adhere to the strictest letter of the law by working together—or face the consequences of a suit.

In rebuttal, Carson County Judge J. Robert Roselius categorically and individually disposed of the issues.

The judge explained his position as overseer and helper to the court to see that all operations wer under the law. He commended Precinct 4 Commissioner Lee Lockridge, and told the complaintant, most of the issues brought in the complaint had been worked out in the past several weeks.

Eller had questioned expenditures in the Precinct and was told the commission believed the equipment needed replacing.

He further stated the

'grey area' when county equipment does operate on private land. In the matter of providing drainage for public roads, often the equipment must transverse private property to execute the obligation. At these times, an agreement with the landowner and county is

Roselius said there is no place in the law which states a commissioner shall not have another job and assured the complaintant measures to have county vehicles marked had been initiated. The unmarked county vehicles have been a

topic of discussion recently and plans to identify all the of the equipment had been put into action before reference.

Judge Roselius expedited the complaints in shord order and Commissioner Lockridge expressed his appreciation for the opportunity to clear up some potential problems.

The judge concluded his statements saying, "I don't think you will be seeing any of the practices in the future."

The court approved bills See Commissioners, Page 5

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Taxpayer raised questions

concerning the use of county

equipment, expenditures and possible conduct of

private business by commis-

sioners, and closed his state-

ments with an unveiled

threat to file suit against the

county if the alleged practices were not halted.

George Eller told the court

he had received advice and

counseling from an undis-

closed source in Austin and

proceeded with his list of

grieviances against practices

Eller charged expendi-

tures in Precinct 4 seemed

excessive and said he had

personally observed county

equipment operating on private property. He said, further more, some pieces of

county-owned equipment are not marked as such.

raising questions as to what is really county-owned.

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Groom's oldest resident will be honored Groom Day when she will receive a plaque naming her "Groom Day Queen." Mayor Al Homer will make the presentation in front of the Groom Community Center at 9:30

a.m. Saturday morning. Mrs. Hattie Terbush, 102, is the honoree. She was born in Kansas and moved from Oklahoma to Texas in a covered wagon in 1911. At the time the couple had four of their seven children. Mrs. Terbush has been a resident of Groom for 35 years.

### **Groom Day**

at the school and the Community Center. Chairmen of the events say the activities will open at 11:00 a.m. and close at 4:00 p.m. to allow preparations for the 5:00 p.m. barbecue.

Booth Chairman Linds Bohr reports several additions to the activities. Booths to be located on the south side of the bus barn are the Christian Mother's, fish pond, ball throw and egg toss, Alpha Mu Xi, pluck a duck, Band Boosters Red Tiger Cap sales. Under the large tree will be the Kountry Kousins homemade ice cream stand and the Lion's Club barbecue sausage. Lo-cated by the north gym doors will be the PTO cupcake and goodie walk and the Girl Scouts design a badge booth. The FHA concession stand will be located in the bus barn. Added attractions this year at the school will be the volleyball tournament sponsored by the Lazy Dazys and some special events planned for the wee ones by Rusty

The Arts and Crafts fair will be at the Community Center. Exhibits include the Brush and Pallet Club, quilt display, crochet collars by Birdie Hutsell, photography by Marion Pool, the Groom Day scrap book designed by Mrs. Sybil Harrell, Groom Ambulance Service, Groom Economic Development Cor-poration, United Methodist Women's bake sale and the Groom High Cheerleaders concession stand.

The tennis meet will be held this year on Wednesday and Thursday and is conducted by Mrs. Shirley

The barbecue begins at 5:00 with serving until 7:00 p.m. The track meet will follow hosted by the Groom

Several classes are planwith the Groom Day celebration. The class of 1937 will meet in the home economics room following the parade and the Class of 1947 will assemble in the Ag room. Meeting Friday will be the class of 1962 at 7:30 p.m. at St. and the Class of 1969 will be at the home of Ivy Clark at 5:00 p.m. The Class of 1967 will meet at St. Mary's Hall on Saturday afternoon and the Class of 1977 will meet at 8:00 p.m. Saturday in the home of Helen Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn D Harrell attended the annual Harrell Family Reunion at Anton this past Saturday and Sunday.

### Commissioners

and discussed the heavy hail damage sustained by the courthouse earlier in the month. A large percentage of the windows in the District Court Room had been broken by hail.

An easement was granted to R.A. Ramming to have constructed a gas line to fuel an irrigation well engine.

The commission granted approval with the stipulation the line be a two-inch, encased in a four-inch waterpacked, vented and marked.

The commission briefly touched the subject of county responsibility relative to indigent care.

The county portion has been reduced to \$110,000 an amount already in the fund. The issue will not be budgeted this year.

The court also approved a \$5 hike in license plate fees to help alleviate the burden ad valorem taxing.

The county's biggest concern at the moment is the hard-hit strip, 15 miles wide and centered by Panhandle. The court also accepted a

bid submitted by Metcalf Motor to sell the county a pickup for maintenance and emergency use. The accepted bid was in the

### **Old Timers Ballgame Planned** For Sunday

Groom's ballpark will be alive with action from the past this Sunday when the old timers from Groom and Hedley clash in a softball game. The group all age 50 and over plan a double hitter August 2 beginning at 2:00

Those players returning on the Groom team are Bill Britten, Art Britten, Ralph Britten, Dana Howerton,

ter, Doc Bates, Sam Scott, Page Blackwell, Glenn Doyle Carver, Salty Kenneth Black, Amos Britten, Sambo Kotara, Elder Jones, Jack Freeman, Phil Smith and Leon Anglin.

Representing Hedley will be Bill Mooring, Herman Mooring, Gene Putman, Junior Putman, Little Red Hill, Junior Hill, Red Top Sims, Duddy Messer, Artel Gibson, Bobby Everette, Brick Stone, Skinny Putman and Hoot Hill.

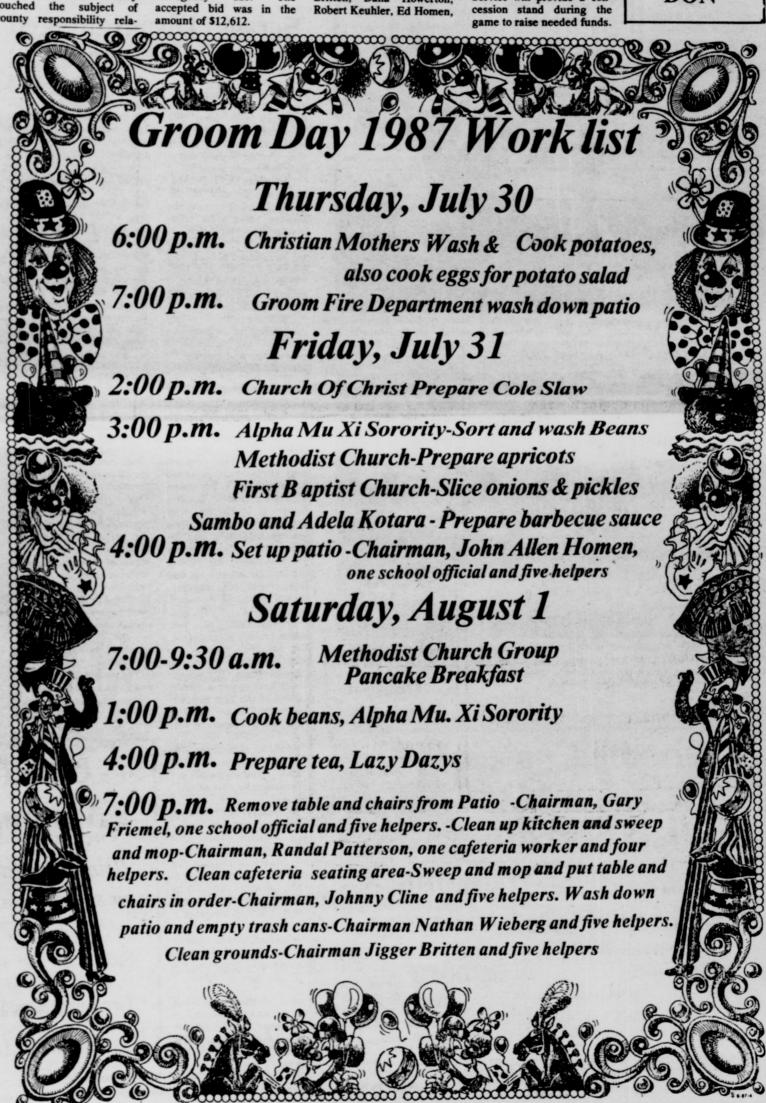
Groom **Ambulance** Service will provide a con-cession stand during the

Norman Britten, Donald Rit-THE GROOM NEWS-Page 5 Thursday, July 30, 1987

#### Social

GEDC member Johnny Brumley said there are several days of detail work to be completed at the center before the floor covering can installed. interested in doing some of the work may contact Mr. Brumley for details.

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The Class of 1948 was represented at the reunion by (left to right) teacher Paralee Coleman, Kinneth Hambright, Melba Miller Langham, Virgie Smith Ballard, Alvis Shel-

ton, Mildred Holloway, David Burch Gipson, Scotty McDonald, Jimmy Don Morris, Rudene Smith Williamson and Bobby Jack



The Class of 1949 included (left to right) Martha Johnston Barker, Johnny Haynes, Joyce Grigsby Morris, Grace Wilson Glenn,

Wes Langham, La Veta Gunn McDonald, Buck Lee, Stella McClellan Lee, and Vernon

Photos by Marjorie Fish



The Class of 1957 included (left to right, back row) Jack Dyer, class sponsor, Joel Wilson, Joe Duyer, Gayle Mullanax, E.W. Riley, Paul Ga vin, Rosie Lee Smith, Bob Stubblefield, and Bob McDowell; (front row,

left to right) June Dorsey Suggs, Monta Kennedy Smitherman, Mauree Miller Moore, Ann Sligar Williams, Martha Mc-Curley Bailey and Fred Smith.

Photo by Martha Jo Bailey

# **Housing Authority** Serves Disadvantaged

Perhaps you have driven around town and have noticed certain houses which "City of McLean Housing Authority" and have wondered just what the 'government housing' project is all about. Well, now is your chance to find out a little something about it.

Last week Kay Foshee,

Executive Director of the Housing Authority, gave the McLean News some information about the project.

"We have 12 units under the jurisdiction of HUD and 8 under FmHA," she said. "Right now, all of our HUD units are full but four FmHA apartments are available."

There are different eligibility criteria for the programs but both are designed to provide low rent housing for economically disadvantaged individuals and families. According to Mrs. Foshee, "The amount of rent in each apartment is based on the size of a family and the amount of income. In FmHA the rent can't go over \$140 per month. The program also offers what is called rental assistance. For example, if a person or family's income is so low that they don't have to pay rent, then we can help them pay for their utilities. The residents are responsible for getting the utilities hooked up and for paying the bill. However, we will give them the money to pay for it."

In the HUD program, things are a little different. For example, there is no \$140 rent limit as in the other program. The person would have to pay a certain portion of the rent depending on their income. Also, in HUD, Mrs. Foshee is res-

ponsible for getting the utilities hooked up and paying the bill. "The resident is not responsible for that at all," she said.

To qualify for either of these programs, an individual or family income cannot exceed \$20,000 per year and priority is given to the elderly, veterans and disabled persons. Also, if a family is currently living in a house that is considered

substandard, that is, unfit to live in, they also might qualify for the program.

Mrs. Foshee said that one, two and three-bedroom apartments are available and that individuals or families are matched to the apartment that best suits them. For example," she said, "If I get an application from

# a single person and only a

three-bedroom apartment is available, that is not a suitable match. That person would have to wait for a one-bedroom apartment. Just because there is a vacancy, that doesn't mean someone is going to get it."

Anyone interested in applying for the program can see Mrs. Foshee Monday through Friday from 9 to 11 a.m. at 709 North Wheeler. As part of the application process, Mrs. Foshee says she needs verification of income and if a person is applying because they are elderly, disabled or a veteran, she also needs documentation for that.

In the FmHA program, Mrs. Foshee said that there is an additional requirement. "If someone is given an FmHA apartment," she said, "I can't give them the key until they bring proof that they have paid for the utilities and have arranged to have them switched on."

As was mentioned before, there are now four apart-ments available. Anyone interested should

Mrs. Foshee.
Also, she is looking for commissioners to serve on the Housing Authority's board of directors. The terms of three commission-ers have ended and two have said that they will not be returning to the board. Anyone interested in serving should contact Mrs. Foshee so she can present their names to the Mayor and the City Council.

The board meets once a month and is responsible for making all major policy decisions for the Housing Auth-

The McLean Chess Club will meet tomorrow night at 7:00 p.m. in the Texas Restaurant.

Lovett library hosts a program of movies for school children every Thursday at 10:30 a.m.

A reading program for pre-schoolers is held every Monday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. at the library.

Don't forget that the Mc-Lean Ambulance Service has a new phone number. Anyone needing emergency medical assistance should call 1-800-692-1331. This number is toll free.

Anyone needing emergency assistance from the fire department should call 779-2226.

### **DPS Report**

DPS Officer John Holland reports arresting three people for drunk driving last week. Last Tuesday, he was working west of town when he stopped a pick-up which was speeding and traveling in an erratic manner. Holland arrested the driver and was taking him to Pampa when he encountered a vehicle driving on the wrong side of the road. He stopped the car and discovered that that driver also had been drinking. He took both men to Pampa where they were booked

The third incident occured last Wednesday when he stopped a vehicle east of town near the county line. After determining that the driver had been drinking, Officer Holland took him to Wheeler to be booked.

Holland also reported that according to a recent survey conducted by the state, a total of 16,000 vehicles passed near McLean on I-40 during a 24-hour period.

#### Ambulance Run

The McLean Ambulance Service reports one run during the past week. On Saturday afternoon, an out-oftown woman was taken from Taylor's Food Mart to Coronado Hospital in Pampa.

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Monday morning, the following residents shelled peas and snapped beans from our garden grown by Leon Burch: Odessa Beeman, Eula Morrow, Ruby Ayers, Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Lona Jones, Teresa Richardson, Lillie Knox, Inez Fields, Elsa Stalls and Ruby Phillips. In the afternoon, Mildred Giesler, Onie Gibson, Loree Barker and Bertha Smith were here to assist the following residents in bingo: Ruth Kemp, Annie Eudey, Dick Wheeler, Lona Jones, Eula Morrow. Leon Burch, Earl Tolleson, Fay Wilson, Lillie Knox,

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Tuesday afternoon, Lena Carter, Mary Davis and Brenda McLain were here to assist the residents in dominos. They were Teresa Richardson, Dick Wheeler, Odessa Beeman, Annie Eudey, Ruth Kemp, Eula Morrow, P.L. Ledgerwood and Leon Burch.

Wednesday morning the Church of Christ ladies Bible class was here for a fellowship with the residents. The ladies served cookies and punch to all residents.

Thursday morning, Elsa Stalls, Lillie Knox, Ruby Ayers, Leon Burch, Annie Eudey, Teresa Richardson,

Delbert Murray and Odessa Beeman shelled peas and snapped beans.

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

#### McLean Briefs

Attending the wedding of Aunna Butt and Ty Bradley of Clayton, N.M. on July 18 were Betty McCurley, Martha Bailey, Mark and Joetta. Aunna is Mrs. McCurley's granddaughter and Mrs. Bailey's niece.

Betty McCurley, Martha Bailey, Mark and Joetta spent last week enjoying the cool climate of Red River,

J. Boyd Smith was at Frank's Foods on Friday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pharis and Joe Clark of Lefors. On Sunday, he saw La Homa Herron of Mt. Pleasant. She was on her way to visit in the John B. Rice home.

Rev. and Mrs. Archie Cooper were in Ada, Okla. last week to attend the Bible Holiness Crusade. Monday night, the Coopers attended church services in Guymon, Okla. They were accompanied by Rev. Albert Maggard and his wife, Mary, of Pampa and by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stubbs, also of PamCelebrating their 53rd wedding anniversary yesterday were Ted and Imogene Glass of Clarendon. Mr. Glass was raised in the McLean area and Mrs. Glass, formerly Imogene Smith, was raised in Groom. They were married July 29, 1934 in Pampa.

Visitors in the home of Troy and Jerry Corbin are their grandson Drew of Fort Collins, Colo, and two of his cousins, Sean and Kristen Myers of Kansas; and two of the Corbins' nieces, Gena Holman and Sydney Dope-

Attending the Morse family reunion in Lubbock this weekend were Sam, Linda and Dollie Haynes; Johnny and Joyce Haynes; and Thacker and J.T. Haynes.

#### **Masons Meet**

Britt Hathaway, Jim Shipman and J. Boyd Smith attended the Hilltop meeting of the Masons at the Bob Price ranch on Saturday. It was a beautiful setting in cottonwood trees. The speaker was the Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Mas-ter Graham Childers of San-derson, Tx. He gave a marvelous speech encouraging brethern to stay with basics and keep spreading the cement of brotherly love and affection. There were 159 present.

Also attending the meeting were Bob Green of Canyon, formerly principal at McLean High School, and his son-in-law Keith Milsap of Canadian. J. Boyd Smith reports that he also saw many other old friends

**Chess Association Standings** as of 7-28-87

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- 2. J. Fish
- H. Fabian
- K. Anderson R. Richardson
- 6. D. Day
- T. Hambright 8. D. Fish
- 9. J. Anderson 10. N. Anderson

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### **Golf Scramble Results**

The Leo Daniels team won the scramble held at the McLean Golf Course last Thursday. In addition to Daniels, other members of the winning team were Roy Lee, Ray Mc-Mullen, Aubrey Osborn and

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Bobby Richardson.

The team shot 7 under par for 9 holes. A total of 27 people took part in the scramble. The next one will be tonight at 6:00 p.m. at the

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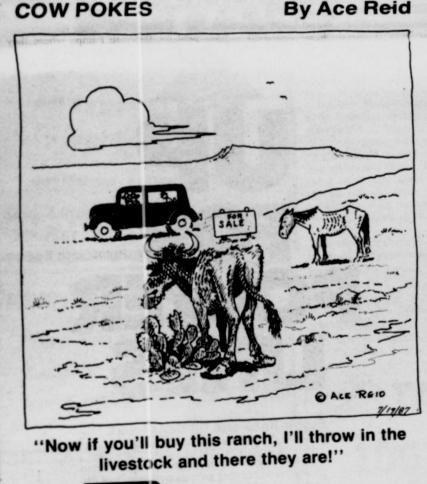
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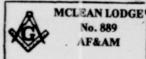
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### **Down Memory Lane**

20 Years Ago

The McLean Lions Club met for their regular meeting Tuesday, Aug. 1, at the McLean Methodist Church.

Rufe Jordan, sheriff of Gray County, brought as his guest. Rev. Dan Cameron,



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

VISITORS WELCOME Britt Hathaway, W.M. J. Boyd Smith, Secretary pastor of the Pampa First Baptist Church, who presented a timely program with slides and a talk on his trip to the Holy Land.

Mrs. Bea Coviner of Slaton is visiting her sister, Mrs. R.O. Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Massey and family have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Massey and Mr. and Mrs. Mug Castleberry, for two weeks.

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2613 Wolflin Ave. Wolflin Village Amarillo, TX Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Woodrome over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dutton of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Butch Pierce and boys of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Martindale.

Mrs. Lena Stroud of Glover, Mo. is visiting her sister, Mrs. C.G. Nicholson.

Jim Stevens and son visited their daughter and sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Sherrod, in Lubbock over the weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Shelton and other relatives over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ship Morgan of Fort Sill, Okla. and Mrs. Richard Hagar and children, Mac and Rhonda, of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tidwell of Arlington visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Goodman, and other relatives.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton over the weekend were their son and daughter, Johnnie Chilton of Hale Center and Mrs. Dewayne Blackshear of Albuquerque, New Mex. and their families.

Mr. and Mrs.Jack Bailey were in Weatherford, Okla. last Friday to see their son, Jackie Don, receive his masters degree.

Cadet Michael R. Grogan, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reed W. Grogan, is learning to use to .50 caliber machine gun while attending Army Reserve Officers Training Crops summer camp at Fort Sill, Okla. He is a student at West Texas State University, Canyon.

Upon successful completion of summer camp and graduation from college, he will be commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S.

Grogan graduated in 1964 from McLean High School.

The Alanreed branch of the Community Improvement Association met last Tuesday evening in the school cafetorium. President Mabel Worsham opened the program and the invocation was given by Millie Castle-berry. The check won for our last year's achievement was presented by County Agent Foster Whaley. Mr. Whaley also made a short talk of what this means to our community. Accompanying Mr. Whaley from Pampa was Mrs. Gail Nunez, assistant county agent. After a short business meeting in which the following officers were elected: President, O.W. Stapp; vice-president, Jessie Mae Roland; secretary, Mrs. George Hall; treasurer, Mrs. J.C. Gil-breath; publicity, Mrs. Cecil Carter; all adjourned to the kitchen where they enjoyed homemade ice cream, cake and punch.

A barbecue honoring Joe Billingsley's birthday was given on July 30 by Mrs. Joe Billingsley at their home, for members of the Billingsley

Guests were V.R. Billingsley of Cheyenne, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Billingsley, Mitch and Stacey of Hinton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Billingsley and Lewis of Texola, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Billingsley, Bliss and Melissa of Shamrock; and Mr. and Mrs. P.M. Hobbs

and Michael of McLean.
Present also were daughters, Sherri and Susan Billingsley.

#### 30 Years Ago

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Suderman and daughters will leave Saturday to spend a week at the Arkansas Baptist assembly grounds near Silvam Springs, Ark. Dr. Suderman will be the camp doctor.

Winner of the Gray County senior 4-H dress revue is Nancy Tate of McLean. This announcement was made by Miss Helen Dunlap, county home demonstration agent, at the county contest held at the Lovett Memorial Library Monday morning.

40 Years Ago

Larry Sanders, McLean High School coach, is serving as temporary coach at Boys Ranch near Amarillo, it was learned here this week.

Miss Jan Black, president of the sub-district MYS left Sunday for Lubbock as a delegate for the district Methodist Youth Fellowship where she joined a number of young people for a two-week trip to Mt. Sequoia.

A new split season duck hunting in Texas has been fixed by a presidential proclamation in Washington and the state game commission stated in Austin last week that the split will be a break for both the hunter and the ducks.

Fred Sponseller of Wellington has been employed as the new director of bands and chorus in the McLean public schools.

A three-day reunion of the A.C. Huff family attracted many McLean visitors.

Tuesday morning, Woody Wilkerson was down town looking for someone to give See "Memory Lane", p.9



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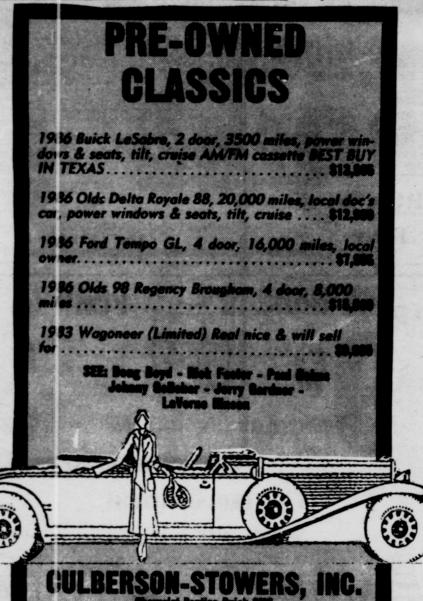
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#### Alanreed News

The Elmer Daniels' daughter, Christy, and her family have moved back to Alanreed.

Mrs. Dick Dragoo and Shirley Armbrister were in Pampa last week for medical attention for Shirley.

Visiting here on Thursday from Mangum, Okla. was E.C. Clement. His grandfather, J.C. Clement, was one of the earliest pastors of the Alanreed church. His family lived close to Samnorwood and were part of the church when Steve Greenwood was the pastor there.

Staying with the Robert Bruces last week were Shawn, Paul and Kay Bruce while their mother was in the hospital. She got to come home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Simmons made a trip to Oklahoma City last week.

Betty and Ramona Finley were visited by Eddie Finley last week.

Visiting the Hartley Davises during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Willis May of Panhandle.

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Carl and Marie Baker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Simmons on Sunday.

Visiting Rose Hall during the weekend were the Glen Hallums of Wildorado.

Visiting Lena Carter on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter of Pampa.

#### Ladybug Committee Interviewed by Ch. 7

The following report was submitted by Doug Purcell:
Members of the "Ladybugs for Texas" committee were interviewed Monday by Phil Roth and Craig Denny of KABC-TV, Channel 7. The reporters talked to Tiffaney Stump, Doug Purcell and Frances Adamson. The interview was scheduled to run Tuesday night at 6:00 p.m

The committee's activities have also received coverage from The Shamrock Texan and The Dallas Morning News.

In a meeting last Friday, the committee made a bulletin board and considered the idea of getting T-shirts made.

#### Services For Former Residents Held

Services for Earl M. Lane, 76, a former McLean resident, were held Tuesday at Carmichael Whatley Colonial Chapel in Pampa. Wyatt Fenno, associate minister of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ, officiated assisted by Tom Minnick, minister of the Skellytown Church of Christ.

Graveside services were held Tuesday afternoon at Hillcrest Cemetery in Mc-Lean.

Mr. Lane died Friday in Montezuma Creek, Utah.

He was born April 9, 1911 at Santo, Tx. He married Sadie Brock in 1934 in Pampa. He moved to Skellytown in 1965 from Lefors. He retired from Phillips Petroleum Co. in 1976 after working there for 31 years. He was a member of the Skellytown Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Sadie, of the home; two sons, Charles of Montezuma Creek, Utah and Jerry of Dallas; one daughter, Judy Wilmon of Medicine Lake, Montana; one brother, Raymond of Amarillo; four sisters, Willie Mae Crawford of and Jessie Howard, both of Amarillo, Geanne Brown of Dumas and Wanda Lane of Boston, Ma.; 7 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

## Deputy Reports Acts

Deputy Sheriff Wayne Carter reports several acts of vandalism during the past week. Last Thursday night, someone climbed on the awning at the SPS building and did some minor dam-

On late Friday night or early Saturday morning, a street light on Main Street, next to the bank parking lot, was damaged when someone apparently threw something at it and broke the outside reflector lens. Also, a trash can in the parking lot had been placed on top of the flagpole.

Carter said there are no suspects in these incidents

### July Birthdays

July 7-Darrell Myers July 13-Z.A. Myers July 26-Joshua Paul Myers

#### **Visits 11 States**

During July visiting in the home of Jack, Linda and Heidi Syfrett were Jacque and Dave Jones and Bob and Eric Syfrett from Long Beach, Ca. After leaving McLean on July 5, they took Heidi on a tour of 11 states from Texas to the East Coast. Some of the exciting stops were Monticello, home of Thomas Jefferson, Cave of the Mounds, Wisconsin, Great Smoky Mountains, touring a plantation, a civil war fort and the USS North Carolina along with swimming in the Atlantic Ocean. Heidi returned home July 22. Jacque, Dave and boys left for California on July 23.

#### 4-H Rodeo Due

The Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo will be held August 21 and 22 at the Top of Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa at 7:00 p.m. each evening. The rodeo is for all youth ages 9-18.

B-Bar-K belt buckles will be awarded the top winners in each event. All Around buckles will be awarded in each group. Entries are due in the Gray County Extension Office, HCR 2, Box 33, Pampa, Texas 79065 by 5:00 p.m. August 14.

### **Down Memory Lane**

Con't from p. 8 him a hand in loading a cook stove into a truck, since he was moving from his home in northeast McLean.

#### 50 Years Ago

A birthday party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Lamb Monday afternoon, honoring the 8th birthday of their guest, Adelle Barber of Winslow, Ariz.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff were the honorees at a basket supper served at the First Baptist Church Monday evening.

Mrs. Frank Hambright was hostess at a party Saturday honoring the 7th birthday of her son Gene.

Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Upham, Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Cousins and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Powers left Saturday for a vacation trip to Red River, N.M.

60 Years Ago

J.F. Neudigate of the Chapman No. 1 oil test was a

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caller at the News office Monday and stated that the McLean field has the best prospects of any field in the Panhandle.

J.L. Hess of the Sitter Ranch had the misfortune to lose a fine horse Monday. Mr. Hess was riding the horse when the animal stumbled and fell, breaking its neck. Mr. Hess was not injured.

Miss Ruth Patching, who taught in the McLean school last year, and C.L. Craig of the First National Bank of White Deer, were married Thursday, July 28.

#### 70 Years Ago

A pretty birthday party was given by Mrs. J.W. Ragsdale in honor of her little granddaughter, Florise Chanddless, who was celebrating her fifth birthday, July 21.

Dr. J.A. Hall, dentist, will be in McLean Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, Aug. 9, 10, and 11 to do denta' work.

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# Viola Coffee, Exhibitor Of Month

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reception for the artist from 3 to 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, August 9, 1987.

The exhibit is not the only connection Mrs. Coffee has with the Museum. The busy artist is an active member of the Board of Directors, has painted backgrounds for some of the dioramas and did pencil sketches for the world famous Museum Cookbook.

Mrs. Coffee has been

active in art for thirty years, beginning with the technique of delicate brushwork on fine china. She has experimented with sketching, watercolors and tole painting; but oils have been her major passion since about 1970.

Mrs. Coffee has been involved with farming most of her adult life, but does not limit her subjects to farming titles. Her works include flowers, landscapes, street scenes and Western themes; such as Indian portraits, windmills, barns and horses.

She is a prolific painter, working at her canvasses almost every day. She is enthusiastic about painting and is elated when one is finished and framed. "I need to paint often in order to keep the feel of the brush; it's good therapy for me," she says of her commitment to her art.

Her paintings hang in every state in the Union and in many foreign countries. Locally her works are in the White Deer library, elementary school and Methodist



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## **Notice of 1987 Effective Tax Rate for Carson County**

### SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

This taxing unit estimates that the following balances will be left in the unit's accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

| Balanco    |
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| \$513,264. |
| 379,162    |
| 111,827.   |
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### **SCHEDULE C: Indigent Health Care Expenses**

(Counties with indigent health care expense only)

\$ 110,478 Total Required Expense to be Paid from 1987 Property Taxes Less Amount Imposed Last Year in 1986 Property Taxes - \$ 122,684. Less State Reimbursement Expected This Year - \$ Net Increase for Required Services = 5.

### Notice of 1987 Effective Tax Rate for Carson County

The purpose of this notice is to inform you about your taxes. The 1987 effective tax rate is a tax rate that would levy the same amount of operating taxes the county levied last year on property taxed in both years, plus the amount the unit needs to pay certain long term debts this year. The rate is calculated as follows:

| 1986: tdta1 tax.levy(  | General Fund<br>\$ 1,104,780.                        | Farm-to-Market/<br>Flood Control Fund<br>\$ 169,334. | Special Road/Bridge<br>Fund<br>\$ 258,014. |
|--|--|--|--|
| Less taxes for 1986 debt; 1985 appraisal roll errors and adjustments for lost value:   | <u>-\$ 1,006.</u>                                    | \$ 200.  | \$ 235.                                    |
| Equals adjusted 1986<br>maintenance & operations levy:   | <b>\$</b> 1,103,773.                                 | <b>\$</b> 169,134.                                   | \$ 257,779.                                |
| 1987 total tax base:   | \$ 506,280,171                                       | \$ 500,971,166                                       | \$ 506,280,171                             |
| Less adjustments<br>for value of new property:   | <b>-\$</b> 3,572,560                                 | \$ 3,519,450   | \$ 3,572,560                               |
| Equals adjusted 1987 tax base:   | = \$502,707,611                                      | \$ 497,451,716                                       | \$502,707,611                              |
| The adjusted 1986 levy divided by the adjusted 1987 tax base and multiplied by 100 equals the effective maintenance & operations tax rate: | \$ .0021956/5100                                     | \$ .000340 /\$100                                    | \$.0005127/\$100                           |
| Plus rate to correct<br>for appraisal roll errors:   | +5 0 /3100   | . \$ 0 /5100   | \$ 0 . 15100                               |
| Plus rate needed to pay<br>debts and obligations:  | +5 0 1100  | \$ 0 /5100   | \$ 0 /SIIN)                                |
| Equals 1987 effective tax rate for<br>this tax:  | =\$ .21956 /5100                                     | \$ .03400 /5100                                      | \$ .05127 /510                             |
| 1987 county effective  | lax rate:  | \$ .30483  | per \$100 of value                         |
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. and they train you and your personnel to operate it effectively. They're ready to start today, just call 355-3316.

The writers of this 1987
Business Rview urge all of our readers to make this well known firm your first choice for data processing products.

# Amarillo Good Samaritan Retirement Center

In Christ's Love-Everyone Is Someone

Take it easy! You're retired, and you owe it to yourself to really enjoy all those good years to come. Amarillo Good Samaritan Retirement Center is a totally unique community for the active retired person, and there's a place for you at this well known facility!

Located on beautifully landscaped grounds at 2200 West 7th in Amarillo, phone 374-6896, this is one place where you can really relax and spend your time enjoying life instead of worrying about little things.

Not a "rest home" in any sense of the word, this is one spot where retired men and women can do the things thay've always wanted to do but just never had the time! Your favorite sports, hobbies, and pastimes can become pleasant reality when you're a resident of one of the area's most exclusive retirement communities: Amarillo Good Samaritan Retirement Center!

In order to better serve you, they offer care in the nursing home center and are Medicade approved.

The writers of this 1987
Business Review urge all retired persons to look into the many possibilities offered at this retirement community.

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## Games Plus

Jimmy Bain-Manager

It seems that every year, more and more people fall into the category of those who have everything and are very hard to buy for.

If that person you are shopping for falls into that category why not stop in at Games Plus in Amarillo, located at 2201 South Western, Suite # 50

(Western Plaza), phone 358-3270, for a selection of all types of games that are sure to please anyone.

The management of this gift shop has taken much time and effort in choosing just the right inventory of gifts so that you can find something for that special person, and at a price you can afford.

will gladly assist you and seem to have the knack for suggesting just the right item.

The authors of this 1987b Business Review, suggest that the people of this area make a visit to Games Plus!! We are pleased to have this opportunity to mention this friendly shop.

### Their friendly saleshelp

# Tascosa Office Machines,

Kelly King-Sales Manager

Quality of customer service is paramount in all aspects of Tascosa Office Machines, Inc.'s operations: from the care they take to understand the requirements of, you, their customer, through selection of reliable Canon machines, to the efficiency of their sales and delivery system.

By combining the best in human skills and modern technology, Tascosa Office Machines, Inc. has become the leader in sales, lease purchase, rental and service of Canon copiers. They aso stock a fine quantity of copier supplies.

After the sale, service is supported by a modern and well equipped service department for your convenience.

Call Tascosa Office Machines, Inc. at 373-6268 or stop by thier lcoation at 1019 West 10th in Amarillo and see the Canon copiers on display.

Tascosa Office Machines. Inc. also has a complete line of Canon PC Copiers. Call them at 373-6268 or stop by the store at 1019 West 10th for more information.

The authors of this 1987 Business Review take this opportunity to endorse the products available from Tascosa Office Machines,

# **Family Furniture**

J.E. Taylor & Danny Taylor-Owners

An unparralleled se lection of fine furniture and interior decoration items. That's what you'll find at l'amily Furniture in An arillo, located at 2408 Amarillo Boulevard "E", phone 372-7182. This well known and respected furniture outlet features fine merch indise for every room in your home for the ultimate in unique and beautiful interior decor.

Whether it's a new living room set, a bedroom ensemble, dining room furniture or whatever, you're sure to find more of what you want at this wellstocked store. There are many famous brand names to choose from, so you know that quality is built into every piece. Select from assortments of "Period" pieces to match or compliment furniture. Whether you need a single chair or an entire houseful. .Family Furniture has more to offer!

The writers of this 1987 Business Review would like to compliment this qualityconscious furniture dealer for thier outstanding selection and their fine service to

# Valu-Line Of Amarillo

Melvin Reams-Owner

With deligent effort, Valu-Line of Amarillo has really proven itself as one of the best long distance services in this area. Phone toll free 1-800-255-5174 in Amarillo to find out more about saving money out of your pockett.

Valu-Line of Amari lo not only helps out the residential phone owner, but it has also put many businesses ahead with special attention toward long distance rates.

Did you know you can save money with your own quality telephone system from Valu-line of Amarillo at 203 West 8th Street (Suite 512) in Amarillo, phone toll free 1-800-255-5174? From the smallest key system to the largest PBX, Valu-Line of Amarillo will make sure your business customer's calls reach you and your key employees whenever the phone rings. All you have to do is call Valu-Line of Amarillo today. Their experienced representatives estimate vour equipment needs, and tell you the costs. Valu-Line of Amarillo

features the most up-to-date telephone equipment available. They're also experienced in servicing what they sell so you'll never have to wait to get the equipment you buy serviced, moved, or updated as your business grows.

The authors of this 1987 **Business Review are pleased** to be able to recommend Valu-Line of Amarillo to all our readers.

will analyze your needs,

Ottco Ready Mix Inc. in Amarillo, conveniently located with Batch Plant at 2810 Helium, phone 353-0101. . . and office at 5625 Fulton, phone 355-7986, offers you prompt and dependable service in readymixed concrete of the high-

With a fleet of radiodispatched trucks, they

stand ready to serve you with fast delivery to your construction site. Whether you're pouring one yard or a large slab, this is the place to call! The concrete used is always mixed to perfect proportions and, with the additional transit mixing that they feature, pours smooth and easy and sets hard. No wonder leading

concrete finishers recommend Ottco Ready Mix Inc.

No business review of the trade leaders of this community would be complete without prominent mention of Ottco Ready Mix Inc., and we, the compilers of this 1987 Business Review, give this outstanding firm our unconditional recommendat-

#### The easiest way to shop for the finest in cosmetics is right in your own home and you can, when the friendly local representative from

This well known brand of world famous beauty products and health care aids is just the ticket for women who want to look their very

Mary Kay Cosmetics calls on

best at all times. . naturally! There's nothing artificial or synthetic about these fine products. They're as pure and good as nature itself. Welcome the friendly representative when she calls on you. You'll find that the convenience of being able to shop right in your own home and the exceptional values in great cosmetics make Mary

**Mary Kay Cosmetics** 

Erma Lou Ashley -Sales Representative

Kay Cosmetics the brand for you!

Your local representative for these famous products is Erma Lou Ashley, located at 6627 Roston in Amarillo, phone 355-2205, and she is waiting to serve you in every possible way. The writers of this 1987 Business Review suggest that you give her a

# Case Power & **Equipment Co.**

Case Power & Equipment Co. is completely reliable and handles the popular Case Power lines of farm machinery. Their stock is complete in all seasons of the year and it will be to your advantage to see these implements before purchasing. It's a well-known fact that this firm can save you money on new machinery and parts.

Here, they feature all types of farm and construction equipment. Tillage tools, balers, wind rowers, everything the farmer needs is featured here. For the construction men, they feature back-hoes, dozers, and quality tools and items that make that "big job" go so much easier. Homeowners are not forgotten here. Case Power & Equipment Co. handles a full line of lawn and garden diesel tractors from 8-16 horsepower that are just right for those chores around the house and garden, and also the diesel 18-30 horsepower utility

Until recently, Case Power & Equipment Co. did not carry some implements needed by local farmers, but now due to the fact that they've bought out International Harvester, they now offer combines and other essential equipment that has made their selection completely complete. The full line of Case Tillage equipment, plows, drills, grain drills featuring the new line of "Crust-Buster Folding Grain Drills" are all

A standard policy of fair treatment in all dealings has built a reputation among the farmers and construction men that is to be envied. In this 1987 Business Review, we wish to compliment Case Power & Equipment Co., located on 1-40 East in Amarillo, phone 335-2861, for giving such satisfactory service to the farmers, construction men and homeowners of this community. For complete stock of replacement parts, timely service in case of breakdown and excellent service, be sure to call them.

The editors of this 1987 Business Review feel it is our duty to give them extended mention.

# the residents of the local Amarillo Home Improvement

### **Rod Smith-Owner**

If you're contemplating home improvements and remodeling. . . . call Amarillo Home Improvement at 1720 South Nelson Street in Amarillo, phone 376-8466 (collect), for that low bid you've been searching for! This community minded construction company features all phases of home improvements from homes to offices to storage faci-

They use only the very

roofing and insulation for all types of buildings. Call 376-8466 for more information!

finest building materials on the market and employ skilled specialists in every field of building construction. The service they offer is without peer in the local area and, whether your project is renovation, remodeling, or home improvement, you can rest

assured that you're in good hands with Amarillo Home Improvement on the jeb!

If you're planning on home improvements, don't make any commitments without securing a bid from this reliable firm. The editors of this 1987 Business Review know you'll be more than pleased with the service they offer and the

# ties. They specialize in siding G's Jewelry

Throughout this area, G's Jewelry is known as the leading firm for custom designed jewelry.

With their large selection of loose stones and settings, you'll be sure to find that very special gift for that extra specail someone.

Let the designer at G's Jewelry help you in creating your own one-of-a-kind piece of jewelry that's sure to add that personal touch that will warm the heart and put a sparkle in the eye. These

craftsmen will design and fashion your new piece of jewelry in their own shop using either your gold and stones or theirs. They specialize in taking your old jewelry and refashioning it into a completely new design.

Come in and see their beautiful array of colored gems. . .and of course, the ever enchanting diamonds. Their supply is one of the largest in the Panhandle

For the best in Quality custom jewelry, expert repair, accurate appraisals, and personalized service, stop by G's Jewelry today! They feature one day repair on most items.

Located Westhaven Village in Amarillo, phone 353-9352, the authors of this 1987 Business Review are very pleased to be able to recommend such an outstanding firm to all of our readers.

Tired of working for a wage that's barely enough to keep you in housing and food? Break out of your rut with specialized training in any number of exciting (and profitable!) trades at American Technical Institute: your local technical school.

Located at 517 North Bivins in Amarillo, phone 372-3868, this certified and fully accredited school can teach you the trade of your choice for a brighter, better future.

American Technical Institute offers training in jobs which are much in demand and don't require several long years of college to get into. You can learn a trade in just a few short months at American Technical Institute!

Contact the registrar at this well-known school at your earliest possible convenience and get started on your way to a successful future in an exciting and rewarding career.

The authors of this 1987 Business Review are pleased to be able to list and recommend this fine school to all of our readers.

# D.K. Freeman Novelty & Gift Shop

Dorothy Freeman-Owner

Costumes, gifts, cards, memorabilia and exotic and unusual ideas for that very special person are featured at D.K. Freeman Novelty & Gift Shop. This exciting gift shop specializes in all kinds of animal costumes for rent or sale and they always try to maintain a complete selection.

Conveniently located at 3001 West 6th in Amarillo, phone 372-6841, D.K. Freeman Novelty & Gift shop, carries items that you'll love to give and that you'd be proud to receive. Whether it's music boxes,

figurines, gourment gifts, masks, magic tricks, novelties, or anything else that catches your eye, the friendly people at this shop will do their best to see that you find just what you want. Their motto is, "Service is part of the product!"

So, when you're looking for the unusual in gift ideas, see D.K. Freeman Novelty & Gift Shop first! You're sure to find "more of what you're looking for" at this reputable gift shop! As the authors of this 1987 Business Review, we know you'll like their selection!

# Village Cleaners

Pete Chase-Owner

A great place to have all of your cleaning done is Village Cleaners at 2601 Wolflin Avenue in Amarillo, phone 352-8511. Ask your neighbor about this well known cleaner specializing in expert dry cleaning of most all materials and they can handle the really tough jobs with ease.

Regardless of what your cleaning requirements are...this is one firm which can take care of it. From draperies to down-filled clothing...from suits to shirts...they can clean it!

They are very careful to avoid fading or other damage to the quality of your garments and sizing is used to avoid shrinkage. Your clothes will return looking clean, crisp and like new when they've been cleaned professionally by Village

Using only the latest equipment and skilled personnel, this is one cleaner who can do the entire job for you. We, the writers of this 1987 Business Review, recommend this well known firm to all of our readers.

### Panhandle Transmissions Mike Haddox-Owner

Do you need transmission repairs? Smart motorists in the Amarillo area are going to Panhandle Transmission at 4105 Glenn Street, phone 383-2945. . .for a free estimate! Here they can rest assured that their transmission will be repaired quickly and economically and that the job will be done right the first time! Panhandle Transmissions offers free towing with transmission overhaul!

This is one shop where transmissions are the main

business, not a sideline. Whether you need a minor adjustment or a major overhaul, this is the place to go! Make an appointment today to have that strange noise in your upsmission checked by experts.

Be sure that your transmission receives the very best care! Call Panhandle Transmissions and have that repair done right! As the authors of this 1987 Business Review, we suggest that you place your confidence in this fine shop. They won't let you down!

# Copy Systems Mike Matteo-Owner

The name Minolta Copiers is well known among business and professional people who depend on the very finest to make their work easier. Your authorized dealer for these famous Minolta machines is Copy Systems. Their background shows they are prepared for long term service to the area rather than for quick sales. They are interested in future business as well as today's and have a great selection

for you to choose from right now!

Phone them at 373-0911...toll free 1-800-642-6169...or stop by 400 West 6th Street in Amarillo and look over the entire Minolta line-up of values. You'll find some great buys! So for all your copying needs...call Copy Systems.

The writers of this 1987 Business Review are very pleased to recommend this outstanding firm to all of our readers.

## Missouri Valley Inc.

Leading industrialists and residents throughout the area are familiar with the name Missouri Valley Inc. when it come to mechanical contractors. This well known and widely respected firm specializes in industrial installations of all types. If you're planning any sort of project which calls for process piping, machinery alignment. duct-work, plumbing or conveyor systems, be sure to contact this professional firm. .first!

With offices located at 4614 McCarty in Amarillo, phone 352-2765, this leading mechanical contracting firm has the men and the knowledge. . .plus the skill and experience to get the job done and done right! They're specialists in turn key building and will take your project from the idea stage to a beautiful reality. Please feel free to contact them regarding any mechanical construction needs.

Missouri Valley Inc. is well known as the industrialist's best friend. The writers of this 1987 Business Review feel that it is indeed an honor to be able to represent this dedicated firm of mechanical contractors.

## Williams Cleaners

### Dyphene Massey-Owner

When you want professional cleaning at sensible prices, try Williams Cleaners at 2414 Amarillo Boulevard "E" in Amarillo, phone 372-1390.

This respected firm specializes in all types of cleaning for all types of garments and fabrics. They're one of the most versatile cleaners in the business! From shirts to sheets. . .from draperies to leather goods. . .from double knits to fur. . .this is

one cleaner who does it all.

Williams Cleaners also offers free pick-up and delivery. There's fast one day service on shirts and many other items and they make every effort to handle the really tough jobs as

quickly as possible.

The authors of this 1987
Business Review would like
to make special note of this
fine cleaning concern and
recommend them to all of

# Smiley's Wheel Alignment & Brake Service

### Ismael (Smiley) Alcantar-Owner

sponsible for many automobile accidents is the braking system. If your car isn't capable of stopping quickly, the results can be very costly in terms of money and even lives! Be sure that your car's brakes and front end are always working their best by stopping in at Smiley's Wheel Alignment & Brake Service for a thorough safety inspection. This well known shop, located at 1001 South Fillmore in Amarillo, phone 373-7080, is the place to go for complete brake and wheel alignment service.

A quick inspection will tell

the pros at the reliable shop if there is any problem with the brakes or steering on your car. Whether your automobile employs a disc or drum braking system, they have the parts, the tools and the knowledge to fix it properly.

Don't take chances with your life, or more importantly, the lives of others. The authors of this 1987 Business Review suggest you make an appointment for a brake and wheel inspection with Smiley's Wheel Alignment & Brake Service.

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# **A-1 Auto Repair Center**

### Steve White-Owner

Have you been searching high and low for an auto and pickup repair shop that will do just the work you need without the usual hassle of hidden charges, incomplete jobs or costly waiting? Search no more! A-1 Auto Repair Center, Icoated at 4000 River Road in Amarillo, phone 381-8261, is just what you've been looking for!

Experts in all phases of automobile repair await your every request with dedicated and courteous service. Electronic diagnostic equipment and the proper tools for the job assure you

of a completed repair which will not require you bringing the car or pickup in again for the same thing. Qualified mechanics are fully trained to deal with any problem in a minimum of time and at the least possible expense to you.

Car and pickup owners who depend on a smooth running automobile have found the service and reliability offered by A-1 Auto Repair Center to Be among the very best and as the writers of this 1987 Business Review, we know you will too!

### Hi-Plains Insurance Center

For all kinds of insurance, call Hi-Plains Insurance Center in Amarillo, located at 2200 East 10th, phone 374-0801.

They are looked to for insurance service by a large number of people in this community because they represent some of the largest companies and are ready to serve you in every need.

When in need of insurance, be sure to consult Hi-Plains Insurance Center. Go over the ground with

them, as you do your lawyer and they will be able to assist you in selecting the kind of insurance suited to your needs.

They have made a study of insurance problems and will help you determine what your need is, and how best you can meet that need at a minimum cost.

The compilers of this 1987
Business Review feel a
sense of satisfaction in recommending Hi-Plains
Insurance Center for
insurance of all kinds.

### **Amarillo Physical Therapy Services**

When physical therapy is needed, it then becomes more important to know the reputation of the clinic and people with which you're going to seek treatment. Amarillo Physical Therapy Services, located at 3420 Thornton in Amarillo, phone 358-6847, is a clinic which one can call with confidence and assurance of receiving professional physical therapy.

They feature physical therapy and rehabilitation services for area residents.

They know their specialty perfectly and insist that each evaluation and treatment be personally directed for you. They offer services of only competent, well trained physical therapy professionals who have the desire to help their patients.

This clinic is favorably known for professional service and reasonable charges. Much of their popularity is due to the fact that they are there when you need them.

The writers of this 1987
Business Review suggest
that you contact Amarillo
Physical Therapy Services
first. We're sure you will be
pleased with any treatment
they do for you.

### Tascosa Air

#### Larry Melton-Manager

Tascosa Air in Amarillo is located at 3312 West 45th phone 355-8974. This company supplies air conditioners for homes, stores, and industries.

Now that it is hot, we think of air conditioning, so now is the time to call for estimates on your air conditioning needs. Whether it is a large or small home or office, these competent service men can tell you what it will take to do your job properly and they can guarantee your satisfaction

in cool comfort.

Prompt service at the most reasonable prices possible has been the guiding influence of the policies of this firm and has brought trade for them from all the surrounding territory.

Your home life will be happier and your business more profitable when you surround yourself in airconditioned comfort from Tascosa Air. We, the writers of this 1987 Business Review, highly recommend them.

N.D. Dysart-Owner

Get your travel trailer or motor home ready for that big vacation trip now with a visit to De's RV Repair! This well known facility for the repair and maintenance of trailers is located at 5116 Amarillo Boulevard East in Amarillo, phone 372-1263. You'll save yourself time and money if you plan to take your unit in for a complete maintenance in-

De's RV Repair is recommended by many of the area's insurance companies and welcomes insurance work. They also repair hail damage and will gladly give insurance estimates.

Featuring a large work area, this experienced company has the space and the ability to take care of even the largest trailer or motor home. They can seal the

walls and roof of your unit, inspect all electrical and plumbing, check over the running gear, and generally go through the entire rig to insure a safe and enjoyable trip for you.

The writers of this 1987 Business Review urge all of our readers with trailers and motor homes to contact this well known repair firm for quick, economical maintenance and repairs.

### Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy L.B. Parker-Owner

The next time you're shopping for dairy products, look for Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy products at your favorite supermarket or convenience store, and see if your family notices the fantastic taste. If you're like most people, the better, fresher taste of their dairy products will soon make you a regular customer.

Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy carries a complete line of high quality dairy

products, and you can taste the difference in every one of the. Try their delicious cottage cheese, butter, yogurt, ice cream, and everything else that's delicious in the dairy case. You'll soon discover that freshness and purity are the things which set Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy products apart from all the others.

Located at 300 North Taylor in Amarillo, phone 374-0385, the same fresh-

ness and purity that makes these products taste so good also means that they're really good for you. . .just another reason you should be shopping for Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy products for all of your family's diary products.

The writers of this 1987 Business Review would like to make special mention of this fine dairy and suggest to our readers that they try Plains Quality Chek'd Dairy products in Groom!

## **Agape Health & Auxiliary Services**

The major reason that families call Agape Health & Auxiliary Services to care for a patient at home with 24 hour care or intermittent care, during an illness or following hospitalization, is professional dependability. For years people in this area, as well as. Clarendon, Wheeler, Borger and the Panhandle area have relied on their professional nurses to care for patients during convalescence.

When you visit their office in Amarillo at 703 Harrison Street, phone 371-7824 or in Pampa, phone 669-1021, you know that you're talking compassionate, knowledgeable professionals. They will arrange the precise care that your patient needs. No wonder so many patients recovered with Agape Health & Auxiliary Services on hand and so many families have been assured

that they received the best of

Health Agape Auxiliary Services is a certified Medicare organization and ready to serve you day or night, whenever you need professional care. In this 1987 Business Review, we congratulate their exceptional staff and commend them for their patient care.

### **Rainbow Paint & Body Shop Chuck Drake-Owner**

What detracts more from the appearance and resale value of your car or truck than unsightly dents and scratches in the body? The time to have that fender straightened or that dent filled and painted is Right Now before the exposed metal starts to rust and major damage begins. One quick phone call to Rainbow

Paint & Body Shop at 1207 North Fillmore in Amarillo, phone 376-7040, will generally give you that low bid and quality service you've been looking for!

With years and years of experience behind them, this is a body shop which is recommeded by many insurance firms. And for good reason! Repairing and repainting damaged body work is their job. Their only job! With the latest tools and techniques, this is one shop which is fully equipped to turn out a perfect job time after time!

The writers of this 1987 Business Review recommend you see the pros: Rainbow Paint & Body

# **Dance Vision Studio**

### Carolyn Cotton-Owner

Dance Vision Studio, located at 2632 SW 34th Avenue in Amarillo, phone 359-7299, features expert instruction in tap, ballet, toe and ballroom dancing with simply, easy-to-understand

This school of dance is recognized throughout this entire area as one of the leading schools of its type. It is known not only locally, but has built an excellent reputation throughout the

Stop in the next time you are in town and inquire. The instructors will be happy to discuss all the particulars with you. Your child will enjoy the instruction, for even if they are unable to dance at all, or if they dance already and you wish to improve on it, this is the

Phone 359-7299 or come in and discuss instructions for your children.

We, the writers of this 1987 Business Review deem it a pleasure to commend this dancing school for their exceptional educational

# **Brown Pontiac GMC Trucks**

With so many of the new models being similar in feature and price, how does the prospective new car buyer know which automobile is best for him? Well, as the saying goes, "If you don't know cars. . .know the man you buy from." In Amarillo, consumers are very fortunate in having a dealer like Brown Pontiac GMC Trucks. Located at 4300 South Georgia, phone

353-7211, this well known authorized representative for famous Pontiac cars and GMC trucks! Besides offering a full line of quality products. community-minded dealership bases it success on a simple fact of good business: Keep the customer satisfied!

The business of customer showroom and continues you'll be satisfied.

right on through their complete service department where skilled technicians and the latest diagnostic test equipment assure you that your new Pontiac and GMC will "Keep you satisfied" for many years to come!

The writers of this 1987 Business Review suggest you stop by the Brown Pontiac GMC Trucks' showsatisfaction begins in the room very soon. We know

# Circle N Appliance

### 28 Years in the same Location

### L.D. Nelson-Owner

When you want quality, value, and service after the sale in major appliances, come to Circle N Appliance. This well known and respected firm specializes in providing their customers with nothing but the finest major appliances and backing them up with their own service department. That's the way they've been microwave ovens, televisbusiness for many

years!

Located at 2813 Civic Circle in Amarillo, phone 352-5257, this leading appliance center features every modern convenience available for your home. There are ranges, dishwashers, dryers, washers, disposals, trash compactors, refrigerators.

ions and much, much more. You'll find the perfect gift for that very special lady who spends so much of her time in the kitchen, too!

In compiling this 1987 Business Review of leading businesses in the area, we, the authors, are proud to be able to recommend Circle N.

## Mary's After Five **Barbara Weir-Owner**

Fashion and economy get together at Mary's After Five at 4310 South Western Street in Amarillo, Texas, phone 353-5465. Here you'll find the finest clothing for every good mood, every season, and the (whole family. . . or every women)! There's practically no end to the great-looking fashions available at this fine resale

This is one store where anyone can find the right garment. There's pressure from the clerks, no fancy prices on the merchandise, and they specialize in "old fashioned courtesy!" Some of the area's best known people are regular customers here. just because they can't see any sense in paying more for clothing than they have to.

This fine shop takes

quality clothing and accessories on consignment.

With a complete line of men, children and women's clothing, this fine shop has become the thinking person's "one stop clothing center." For value, service and quality anywhere. . .shop Mary's After Five! The authors of this 1987 Business Review know you'll become a regular customer!

### Sutton's Air & Heating Inc. Les Sutton-Owner

Whether you're at home or on the job, you know that you can perform your tasks more efficiently if you're working in a temperature controlled environment. A hot, muggy room or office is just not the place for maximum efficiency. Let Sutton's Air & Heating Inc. design and install a complete "weather-control system" in your building!

Located in Amarillo, phone 358-8377, this leading air conditioning and heating specialist can design, build and maintain a unit that will perfectly fit the needs of your home or office. They provide service, repair and maintenance on most all makes and models.

Their expert workmen are thoroughly schooled in all phases of air conditioning

and heating and will do the best possible job in the shortest possible time. You will enjoy years of troublefree operation with one of their custom-installed units on the job.

As the writers of this 1987 Business Review, we know that you'll like the systems and the service from Sutton's Air & Heating Inc.!

### **High Plains Hearing Aid Center** Shirley Moore-Owner

As your local representative for the famous Beltone-Starkey-Qualitone-Miracle Ear Hearing aids, High Plains Hearing Aid Center located at 5501 West 9th in Amarillo, phone 355-8889, offers a hearing aid for every electronically correctable hearing loss. They are also at Bivins Pharmacy in Clarendon every Thursday from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Through their conscientious efforts to make sure that every person they fit with a hearing aid is properly fitted, a complete audiometric test and evaluation is made for each person.

Their fine line of hearing aids have been long in the testing laboratories to make sure that when a person is fitted with any of their models, it will be as complete as possible to correct their hearing problem.

You will enjoy discussing

your hearing problem with their courteous audioprostologist, who is throughly schooled and well trained in the perfect fitting of hearing

The writers of this 1987 Business Review suggest to the people who have a hearing problem that they contact High Plains hearing Aid Center. You can be assured of fair treatment and an honest value. We commend them for the fine service they offer to our people and salute their fair and ethical business practices.

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Carson County The Sheriff's Department has had one deputy resign and is now accepting applications for Certified Peace Officers. Please inquire at the Sheriff's Department, Courthouse. Panhandle, Texas. 806-537-3511.

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For club or group photographs of Groom Day activities, call Marion Pool or Kenneth Payton, Groom Day Photographers.

For all your concrete and backhoe service, call Barker Redi Mix 779-2703 in McLean.

> For Sale-1980 Olds 98 Call 248-7424

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### The Kitchen Gallery-Gourmet & Gift Shop

Do you have people on your gift list that are hard to buy for? By shopping at The Kitchen Gourmet & Gift Shop, you'll never have to worry again about finding something that's perfect for that special person. This outstanding gift shop specializes in the unique and the beautiful and after one visit, your gift problems will be over.

Their new location is 1968 Civic Circle in Amarillo, phone 359-9469, this fine shop deals in the exclusive items that make such perfect gifts. Come on in and browse around . .you're sure to find something that will be a joy to give and to receive!

The friendly, courteous personnel at The Kitchen

#### Attends Rounion

A Sustaire family reunion was held July 13-17 at Fun Valley Colorado. Attending from Groom were T.C. Shirley and Sharon Sustaire, Randy Janelle, Brandi, Brad and Courtney Sustaire. They were met in Colorado by T.C.'s sisters and their families.

Gallery-Gourmet & Gift Shop always endeavor to help you make your selection in the most accommodating manner.

The compilers of this 1987 Business Review suggest that you make this qualityconscious gift shop your first stop when looking for something special.

### Moore Machine & Tool

For tool and die work of the highest order, many residents in the Amarillo area have come to depend on Moore Machine & Tool to do the job in the most professional manner possible.

Located at 203 North Grant in Amarillo, phone 372-7786, this reliable concern features only the latest equipment and is capable of

turning out products that have become recognized as the standard. Experimental work, repiar work and special fabrications are a specialty with this machine shop. Moore Machine & Tool is also experienced in the design and fabrication of special equipment.

As a community leader and a major factor in the growth of the area, Moore Machine & Tool deserves commendation for their business practices and their

concern with the area. As the editors of this 1987 Business Review, we suggest that no business listing of this area would be complete without prominent mention of this outstanding machine shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Britten, Macie, Wyatt and Lainie visited recently in Vega with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spinhirne and their new son Grant.

### Stokes-Strickland Reunion

The Stokes and Strickland family reunion wash held at the Celanese Recreation Building. A barbecue dinner concluded the two day event and was furnished by Ruben and Lora Baggerman.

Attending from Groom were Stand and Margie Anthony, Meliss and Renae, Mildred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Whatley, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Whatley, C.J. and Dara, Sharlene Lewis and Jeremy, Melvin Wills, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Schaffer and Mr. and Mrs. Baggerman.

### First Baptist Church

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