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Thursday, October 5, 1989

Traffic Fatality Claims Life Of Arizona Man

Groom Department of Public Safety Officer, Greg Eatmon says Neil Addison Tracy, 21 years of age, died Thursday afternoon as a result of a traffic accident.

The fatality accident was the first in the Groom area since July 4 weekend.

Tracy was traveling east on I-40, 14.5 miles west of Groom when the 1983 Ford Ranger pickup he was driving hit the back of a center-stripping Texas Highway Department truck flipping onto its side trapping Tracy inside the truck.

DPS Eatmon said that Tracy was destined for Spartan College in Tulsa, Oklahoma where he was a freshman. He was from Phoenix, Arizona where his mother resides.

Baptist Church Seminar Set For Oct. 7-8

The public is invited to attend the "Why I Live the Christian Life" seminar to be hosted by the First Baptist Church of Groom on October 7 and 8. Seminar See Baptist, page 5



Nadine Thornton Presented "Friends Of 4-H" Award

The Carson County Achievement Banquet was held Monday, October 2 at 6:00 p.m. in the White Deer Sacred Heart Parish Hall.

Alan Warminski was Master of Ceremonies. Alan was later named one of the two recipients of the Gold Star Awards. Alan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Warminski. Alan received his seven year membership pin and was named in the Parade of Champions.

Kade Hefner introduced the special guests in attendance at the event and later Kade was recognized for his

many accomplishments during his seven years in 4-H. Kade was also among the parade of Champions.

Both Gold Star Recipients are residents of White Deer and members of White Deer Senior 4-H. Alan Warminski is currently serving his local club as second vice chairman and the chairman of 4-H council. Kade Hefner is the reporter for White Deer Senior 4-H Club and is first chairman of 4-H council.

Becky Williams of Panhandle voiced the invocation and Stacy Bertrand of Groom voiced the welcome as the crowd enjoyed the barbecue meal catered by Cattle Call Restaurant in Amarillo.

Roy Dale Cooper led the



Pledge to the Flag and Lance Williams led in the 4-H See Banquet, Page 6

Second Drug Forum Scheduled Here

Following an overwhelming turn-out for the Drug, Alcohol Forum held Monday night, a second meeting has been scheduled for this coming Monday, October 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Groom Community Center.

Groom's Community Center was packed with students, parents, teachers and concerned citizens as the topic of drug and alcohol abuse was discussed. The discussion was moderated by Patsy Britting, Drug Consultant, from Region XVI Service Center in Amarillo.

Two emotional letters were read by parents of students who are currently under treatment for substance abuse. Discussion was heard concerning questions of what can be done as a parent, what is the school's responsibility and where does the law stand. Sheriff Terry Timmons, DPS Trooper Gary Davis, Superintendent Kenneth Sweatt and Principal Judy Babcock, along with other leaders of the Community were present to give their support on the issue.

If you would like additional information, please call Shirley Fields or Judy Babcock at 248-7474.

Community Calendar

Cub Scouts meet every Thursday in the home of Beverly Stephens at 5:00 p.m.

Groom Town and Country 4-H Club will meet Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Center.

Red & Black Day-Fridays have been designated as red and black day in support of the Groom Tigers. All Groom residents are asked to help support the Tigers in this way.

Present and former residents of Chamberlain, Hudgins and Windy Valley communities will meet Sunday, October 8, 1989 for their annual reunion in Clarendon Community Building in Clarendon. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. and a pot-luck lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. Table service, bread, ice and drinks will be furnished. Come, bring a covered dish and share an enjoyable day with friends and neighbors.

BOOK SALE
The Groom Library Friends met recently to plan a Fall Book Sale. We will be selling used books to raise money for library improvements. If you have any books either hard bound or paper back that you would like to donate, please leave them at the Library. The sale will be Friday, October 13 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 14, from 10:00 a.m. to noon at the Groom Community Center.

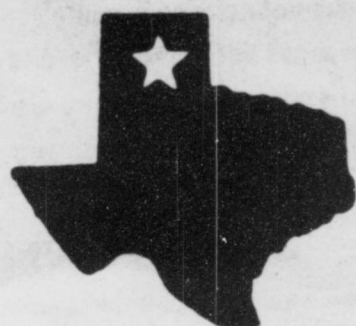
School pictures will be taken on October 12 from 8:25 to 11:00 a.m., please bring your pre-school child to the auditorium during this time. Money must accompany all orders. Packets will be handed out to all school students. Four packs will be available ranging from \$8.00 to \$19.00.

Country Neighbors will meet October 11, Wednesday, at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Mertie Schaffer.

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At Local Elevators

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Milo-\$3.80
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Services Held For Alva H. Wilson

Alva H. Wilson, 70 died in Abilene Saturday evening. Services were held Tuesday, October 3, 1989, at the Elliott Funeral Home in Abilene.

Mr. Wilson was a long-time resident of the Groom area and a retired teacher from the Abilene school

system.

Survivors include his wife Ruth; a son, Howard Paul Wilson, Austin, three brothers, Gilbert Wilson, Meade, Kansas; Herman Wilson, Amarillo, and Loyd Wilson, Pampa; a sister, Velma Hickox, Amarillo; and one grandchild.

Local Happenings

Brandi Sustaie hosted a party in her home this past weekend. Guests enjoyed movies and enjoyed visiting.

Jigger Britten, Trey and Stacy traveled south over the weekend with Nancy Blackwell to get a cousin Eula Stranger of Waco, who will spend some time visiting in Groom.

Wallace L. Marchman, 77, died Tuesday, September 26, 1989.

Graveside services were at 3:00 p.m. Monday in Llano Cemetery with the Rev. Fines Ray Marchman, pastor of Highland Baptist Church in Pampa, officiated. Arrangements were held by N.S. Griggs Funeral Directors.

Mr. Marchman was born in Cisco. He was a tire re-treader for York Tire Co. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two brothers, Charlie Marchman of Amarillo, Fines Marchman of Groom; two sisters, Berta Babek of Tahoka and Dolly Phipps of Modesto, California; and several nieces and nephews.

Oran Durham remains a patient at St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo, but is reported to be doing much better.

Angel Whetstine, a student at Groom High School is a patient at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She has been diagnosed as having Leukemia.

Janice Weinheimer is home from the hospital after undergoing some test.

Mary Sue Lyles is home recuperating from surgery. but is reported to be doing fine.

Ron, Debbie, Atisha, Darin and Cameron Tigg of Amarillo visited in the home of Curtis and Margaret Whatley on Sunday. Also enjoying lunch with the crew was Howell, Sharlene, Michael and Jeremy Lewis, Charlotte, C.J. and Dara Whatley all of Groom.

Jennifer Treadwell was home over the weekend visiting with the Troy Treadwell family and friends. Jennifer is teaching near Dallas.

Robbie Ellington was home visiting with her parents, Bill and Roberta Ellington.

Jessica Bates visited in the home of her grandparents, Johnny and Nancy Brumley this past weekend.

Jake and Vivian Lacy and Margeatte Yates attended the funeral service of Hank Harwood, Jake's brother in-law, Thursday in the University Church of Christ in Canyon. Their son, Don Lacy of the Canyon Hill Church of Christ, the University Church minister held the services. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery, Canyon, Texas.

Alicia Downey and Dr. Ronald Lacy hosted a birthday party for their mother and grandmother last week.

Thank You

We extend special thanks to our friends and neighbors for helping us celebrate our 67th wedding anniversary. The cards, visits, telephone calls were so special to both of us. We extend our sincere appreciation to Leldon and Betty Hudson who prepared the lovely meal and the Methodist Men for hosting the occasion and last but not least the Torchbearers Class for their support. Most of all we thank those who took time to attend.

Love,
Ray and Edna Copeland

Card Of Thanks

Our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their expressions of concern, food, cards, flowers and good wishes during my recent stay in the hospital and since returning home. May God Bless You!

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BRUSH AND PALETTE

Sue wills assisted Billie Bivens in hosting the luncheon meeting of Brush and Palette Club on Monday. Others bringing food and enjoying the fellowship were Shirley Fields, Juandell Ritter, Evelyn Ollinger and Marian Kendrick. Business was conducted after lunch by President Sue Wills. Inez Weinheimer joined the group in the afternoon. A good time was had by all and some of the members actually did some painting. Other meetings in October will be on each Monday at 2:00 p.m.

DONATION TO GROOM COMMUNITY CENTER

- Gladys Burger-Mr. and Mrs. Glynn D Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Page Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuehler
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- Loretta Wickelman-Class of 1937 and Mr. and Mrs. E.N. Babcock
- Curtis Schaffer-Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brumley, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Britten and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuehler
- Audie Martin-Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brumley, Ruby Milton, State National Bank, Mrs. O.P. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Britten and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Kendrick
- Eva Marie Scott-Mr. and Mrs. Ray Britten and Mrs. Robert Kuehler
- Vera Reed-Helen Witt
- Claudine Britten-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Fields and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kuehler

From The Desk Of Judy Babcock

"Continuous professional growth is a value that we at Groom ISD try to instill in our students and model ourselves. The research that is being done now in the field of education is giving teachers and administrators so much new information about how students best learn, and how slow, average, and gifted students can be taught most effectively, that we would be remiss not to engage in a process through which we could expose ourselves to this information," said Judy Babcock.

It is with this goal in mind that Judy Babcock announced today that the entire faculty will be utilizing The Master Teacher program of inservice training this year.

The Master Teacher program delivers volumes of material in a nutshell to teachers each week. By reading, studying, discussing, and practicing the techniques and professional guidelines in The Master Teacher, teachers will have at their fingertips the state-of-the-art know how to teach students more effectively.

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Judy Babcock said, "Our

Lazbuddie Beat Groom

"Lazbuddie's quickness was just super," said Coach Jimmy Branch, "We did move the ball (233 yards total offense), but we just couldn't do it with any consistency."

Groom's only touchdown came in the second quarter on Brian Baker's five yard run.

The Tigers lost tailback Robert Miller early in the second quarter when he suffered a broken bone in his foot.

Branch said Miller would be sidelined from three to six weeks.

Groom has an open date this Friday night.

Pee Wee's Win

Saturday, September 30, Groom Pee Wee's traveled to Pampa for a game against the Pampa Rams. Groom won the game 20 to 0. Brad Sustaire scored one touchdown and got an extra point to conclude the game. Brandon Crump and Harold Cave both scored touchdowns.

Pee Wee's play Saturday, October 7 in Groom against Wheeler game time is 2:00 p.m.

Groom Cubs Beat McLean

The McLean Tigers traveled to Groom this past Thursday evening for a match of wills. Groom Cub's outscored the McLean cubs with a final score of 19 to 18. The score shows what kind of game this proved to be. Coach Branch commended players; Seth Ritter, Brian Crowell and Ty Lambert for their performances.

Team roster for Groom is: No. 12 Bronte Britten, who is a eighth grader, No. 80 Wesley Hall a eighth grader, No. 40 Ronnie Jenkins a eighth grader, No. 62 Chy Phillips a eighth grader, No. 50 Joe Voiron a eighth grader, No. 70 Philip Vau-

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GROOM SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Thursday-October 5-
Breakfast-Bacon, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Spaghetti with meat sauce cheese appetizers, Salad, Corn, Bread Sticks, Peaches and Milk.

Friday-October 6-Breakfast-Donuts, Peanut Butter, Crackers, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Cheese Burgers, French Fries, Pickles, Onions, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Million Dollar Cookies and Milk

Monday-October 9-Breakfast-Cereal, Blueberry Muffins, Juice and Milk. Lunch-soft Taco's with meat and grated cheese, Shredded Lettuce, Refried Beans, Chocolate Cake and milk.

Tuesday-October 11-
Breakfast-Pancakes, Peanut Butter, Syrup, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Turkey and Noodles, Cheesesticks, Buttered Carrots, Green Peas, Crackers, Reeses Peanut Butter Cups and Milk.

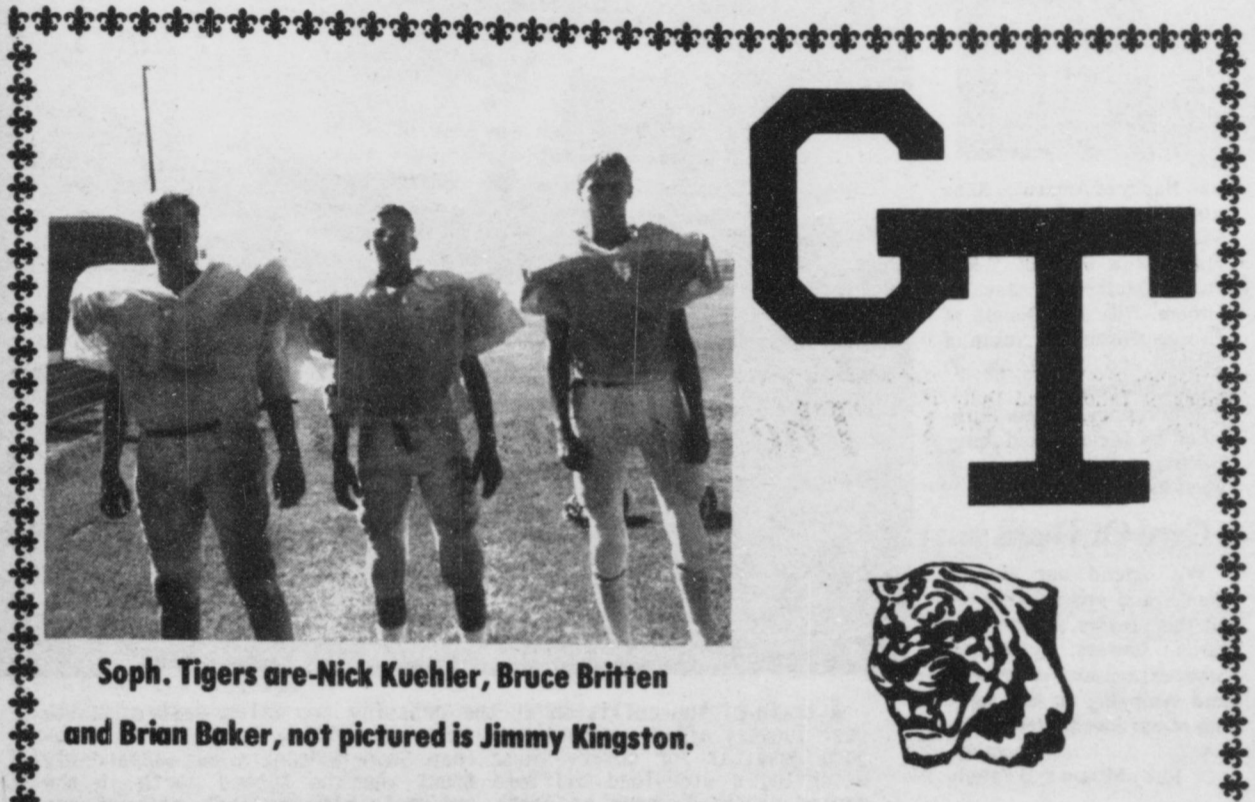
Wednesday-October 12-
Breakfast, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Toast, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Beef Stew, Tuna, Peanut Butter and Pimento Cheese Sandwiches, Mixed Vegetables, Pears, Cornbread, Crackers and Milk.

Thursday-October 12-
Breakfast-Bacon, Biscuits, Gravy, Juice and Milk. Lunch-Mexican Fiesta Caserole, Corn, Salad, Picante Sauce, Chips, Vanilla Pudding and Milk.

ghn a eighth grader, No. 51 Brody Brown a seventh grader, No. 60 Danny Brinkley a seventh grader, No. 30 Bart Britten a seventh grader, No. 74 Chris Burger a seventh grader, No. 20 Bo Burgin a seventh grader, No. 82 Bryan Crowell a seventh grader, No. 64 Tom Lambert a seventh grader, No. 10 Luke Weinheimer a seventh grader.

Groom's season opener was against Valley on September 14. Groom lost with a final score of 26 to 6.

On October 12 the Cubs will travel to Higgins for a 6:00 p.m. game.



Soph. Tigers are-Nick Kuehler, Bruce Britten and Brian Baker, not pictured is Jimmy Kingston.

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1989-90 Groom Tigers Football Schedule District - 2A

Sept. 15, Follett (Homecoming)	Here-7:30
Sept. 22, Bovina	There-7:30
Sept. 29, Lazbuddie	There;7:30
Oct. 6	OPEN
Oct. 13, Higgins*	Here-7:30
Oct. 20, Silverton*	There-7:30
Oct. 27, McLean*	Here-7:30
Nov. 3, Miami*	There-7:30
Nov. 10, Lefors*	Here-7:30
*District Games	
Junior High Schedule	
Sept. 14, Valley	Here-6:30
Sept. 28, McLean	Here-6:30
Oct. 12, Higgins	There-6:00
Oct. 19, Silverton	Here-6:00
Oct. 26, McLean	There-6:00
Nov. 2, Miami	Here-6:00
Nov. 9, Lefors	There-6:00

Open Date

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Judges Attend Seminar



Ninty-seven justices of the peace from Region 10 attended a 20-hour seminar September 5-8 in Amarillo conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminars are held in compliance with

Supreme Court Rule and Statute (Art. 27.005) Texas Government Code. Topics covered include a review of new laws recently passed by the 71st Legislature, civil procedure, code of judicial conduct, landlord/tenant law, bonds, appeals, auditing procedures, administra-

tive hearing and distress warrants. Attending were, left to right, Max Wade, Precinct 5; Sharon Harper, Precinct 6, and Arnold C. Davis, Precinct 1, from Carson County; Wynema Christian, Precinct 3 and Beverly McClure, Precinct 2, from Hutchinson County.

Art Britten Honored With 65th Birthday

If you heard a lot of noise at the north end of town, it was just Art's children, grandchildren and friends celebrating 65 years. First Art enjoyed a six foot submarine sandwich with his grandchildren at Nila Burgin's home. He then enjoyed a party at his home. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Britten of Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Britten and Becki of Howardwick, Lola Pavlosky of Howardwick, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Britten, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Britten, Vince Britten, Tim Britten, A.M. and Norma Walker, Ed and Dora Homen, Sam Scott, De and

Bonnie Walker and Ernie and Kay Tindle all of Amarillo, Chris and Debbie Britten, Gary and Sharon Britten, John and Brenda Homen, Louise Homen, Alice Hill, Breeze and Alice Kuehler, Cobb and Kay Britten, Earl Britten, Lucille Britten and Jake and Vivian Lacy all of Groom, Mitch Kuehler of Panhandle, Daron Eschle of Lubbock, Connie Detten of Dallas, Lesa Sweatt of Groom, Russell West, Chrystal Hayworth, Russell Britten, Michelle Friemel, Mike Helton, Gary Bohr and Heath Cave. Art's children that attended were: Dennis and Darla of Amarillo, Mark

and Nancy of Amarillo, Rena and Wendell of Canadian, Vickie and Walter of Clovis, N.M., Rita Poor of White Deer, Matt and Jay of Groom, Nila and Donald of Groom, Clifton and Susan of Groom and 20 of his 26 grandchildren.

Entertainment was furnished by Melanie and Jerry Britten and there was lots of good food.

Card Of Thanks

We extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for all the prayers, memorials, cards, flowers, food and other expressions of concern and sympathy on the passing of our loved ones.

Sincerely,
Ruby Milton and Family



A train-pickup collision at the crossing two miles east of White Deer Tuesday afternoon sent a 55-year-old Willis, Texas man to Coronado Hospital for observation. Roy Dean McManners was apparently escorting a wide-load oilfield truck when he turned north at the marked crossing where an eastbound train hit the left rear of the pickup. Officers at the scene believed McManners was not seriously hurt, but reported he had previously experienced a heart condition. White Deer Emergency and Fire Department crews responded to the call.



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Danny & Gayla Britten

Announce Arrival Of Daughter

Danny and Gayla Britten of Amarillo are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Amanda (mandi) Marie. She was born Wednesday, September 27, 1989, weighing 8 pounds and 3 1/2 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Mandi is welcomed home

by her three brothers, Carey age 11, Will age 9, and Luke age 6.

Grandparents are Bill and Dorothy Britten of Howard-wick, Richard Homer of Groom and Bill and Carol Karstens of Canyon. Great grandmother is Velma Evans of Amarillo.

Local Happenings

Vivian and Jake Lacy hosted a birthday party for their grandson, Timothy Vance Lacy, and great granddaughter, Christal Dawn Lacy on Saturday night at the Sirloin Steak House in Amarillo.

Richard Homer visited his daughter Gayla and Danny Britten and their daughter Amanda Marie on the day of her birth, September 27, 1989, at Northwest Texas Hospital. This week Richard visited Gayla and Danny and grandsons, Carey, Will and Luke and granddaughter, Mandi in their home in Amarillo. Richard also visited with his sons, Kent of Canyon and Vince of Amarillo.

Butch Naylor, a student at Texas Tech, was here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burl Painter. While here he attended the Ice Capeds with LaCrisha and her grandparents.

La Crisha Painter was here recently visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Painter. They all attended the Ice Capeds on Saturday night.

Mary Kay Wells, coordinator Texas Panhandle Library System, and Judabeth Floyd, manager of Harrington Library consortium of Amarillo visited Bertha Knight at the Groom Branch Library on Monday.

Jack and Billie Bivens were overnight guests at the Harvey Hotel in Amarillo on Sunday, to celebrate Billie's birthday, courtesy of their children. They also enjoyed eating at the Red Lobster and attending a movie. They returned home on Monday morning to their daily routines.

Jill Brown, formerly of Groom was crowned homecoming queen during White Deer Homecoming festivities. Jill is the sister of Mrs. Kevin Wood.



Jill Birdsell And Jerry Weinheimer Announce November 11-Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Birdsell announce the engagement of their daughter, Jill, to Jerry Weinheimer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Weinheimer.

The couple plan to be married on November 11 in St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church.

The bride-elect is a 1986 graduate of Pampa High School. She graduated from

West Texas State University in 1989 Magna Cum Laude with a BBA in business. She is a member of Alpha Chi Honor Society.

Services Held

Leona Littlefield, 91, died Thursday, September 28, 1989.

Services were held with Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Mrs. Littlefield, born in Denton, was a Pampa resident for 16 years. She was a former resident of Marble Falls. She married Fred Littlefield in 1921. He died in 1973. She was a member of First Christian Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Marion Johnson of Pampa; a son, Bob Littlefield of Hobbs, N.M.; a sister, Daisy Royalty of Pecos; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Announces New Arrival

Shy'an Autumn was born September 19 at 7:36 a.m. to Shantelle Brooks of Claude. Shy'an weighed 5 pounds and 8 ounces and measured 19 inch long. Grandparents are Bobby Brooks and Shirley Brooks of Claude. The proud grandmother says, "She has pretty black, curly hair and dark blue eyes." Shantelle and Shy'an have returned home and are doing fine.

First Baptist Church Cont. . . .

topics will include: "Known by our Promises"; "Memory and Hope"; "Handling Our Losses"; and "Bless Me".

Dr. Bill Tillman, assistant professor of Christian ethics at Southwestern Baptist

Theological Seminary will be the seminar speaker. His previous positions have included: director of research

and educational services for the Christian Life Commission, SBC; teaching fellow at Southwestern (M.Div. & Ph.d); and high school teacher in his hometown, McAlester, Oklahoma. Also a graduate of Southeastern State College, he has published numerous articles and papers. He has authored the book: "Understanding Christian Ethics" and co-authored two books: "The Bible and Family Relations" and "An Ethics Primer". He and Mrs. Tillman have two sons, Andrew and Michael.

Groom DPS Report

Total cases filed for the first six months of 1989-1780, total warnings-762, total accident's worked-36, total DWI arrest-26 and total warrants served-53.

Total fines collected for the first six months of 1989-\$48,543.00, county share of the fines collected after court cost-\$33,496.00.

For the month of July 1989-total cases-304, total warnings-102, accidents worked-3, DWI arrest-7, warrants served-4. Total fines collected-\$7464.00, county total-\$5,115.00.

For the month of August 1989-Total cases-169, total warnings-101, accidents worked-7, DWI arrest-3 and warrants served-2. Total fines collected-\$6,520.00 and county total \$4,471.00.

For the month of September 1989-total cases-310, warnings-108, accidents-4, DWI arrest-5 and warrants served-3.

October 3, 1989-DWI arrest west of Groom at MP 110 at 12:05 a.m. subject ran off the road and was stopped and found to be intoxicated.

A Carl Joseph Osborn of Brownsville, Oregon was arrested for DWI-first offense. A passenger, Richard Allen Cockrell, also from Oregon was arrested for Public Intoxication. The penalty for first offense DWI is \$100.00 to \$2,000.00 fine, confinement in jail for a term of not less than 72 hours or more than 2 years. Driver license can be suspended for up to 1 year plus court cost of 93.50. The penalty for Public Intoxication is a fine of \$1.00 to \$200.00 plus court cost of \$17.50.

Suprise Party

A surprise birthday party was held Monday, October 2 in the home of J.B. Wortham. Those attending from Groom were: Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Painter, M.B. and Martha Bolden, Tina and Tony Painter, Burl and Nellie Painter, Pete and Fay Wortham, J.B., Sabrina and Steven Wortham. From Clarendon Buster Lee, Karen and children, Tye and Tyrell.

Nightin Gals Met

Nightin Gals met at the hospitality room on September 26 with Lula Wall and Sybil Brown hostesses.

Pinchola was played with Lucille Case winning high score and Thelma Pool low.

Delicious refreshments were served to guest, DeLores Prather and members, Stella Patterson, Pearl Banks, Mary Britten, Lucille Case, Veona Davis, Nettie Fields, Mary Lee Friemel, Wynona Koetting, Shirley Lamberson, Alice Britten, Theresa Wills, Thelma Pool and Evelyn Hubbard. Hostesses for October will be Mildred Burgin and Alice Britten.

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NATIONAL 4-H WEEK



How It All Began.....

The 4-H program began in Texas in 1908 in Jack County with the Boy's Corn Club organized to teach corn production practices to adults by teaching children. The 4-H heritage continued with Tomato Clubs for girls organized in Milan County in 1912, and the first Beef Calf Club organized in Coleman County in 1910. These rural clubs for boys and girls were the forerunner of 4-H in Texas.

Today's 4-H program, a youth development program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is both rural and urban and emphasizes using projects and learning experiences to teach boys and girls not only subject matter knowledge and skills, but also important lessons in relationships, leadership and citizenship.

Any youth can become a member of 4-H when he or she reaches nine years of age or has entered the third grade. A youth's last year in

4-H is the calendar year he or she reaches their nineteenth birthday.

Adults volunteers are the cornerstone of the 4-H program. They organize and conduct educational experiences in community and family settings.

Youth in 1989 have a wider variety of projects to choose from than ever before. Besides the basic animal projects - beef, swine, sheep and horse and the fashion and cooking projects 4-H members may choose to study aerospace and rocketry; bicycles; citizenship; consumer decision making; entomology; field crops; vegetable or landscape horticulture; leadership; photography; poultry; public speaking; rabbits; range science; shooting; sports; wildlife and wood-working.

Danny Neusser is the County Agent and some of his responsibility is coordinating the 4-H Clubs and their projects.

Banquet

Motto and Pledge. Kim Bednorz recognized the leaders and parents throughout the county.

New member pins were presented by Dena Hileman, April Cook and Leo Britten of Groom. Members receiving pins locally were: Cody Britten, Kori Brown, Leslie Brinkley, Sean Crowell, David Fields, Todd Gray, Marty Phillips, Jody Richardson, Joe Richardson and Wyatt Weinheimer.

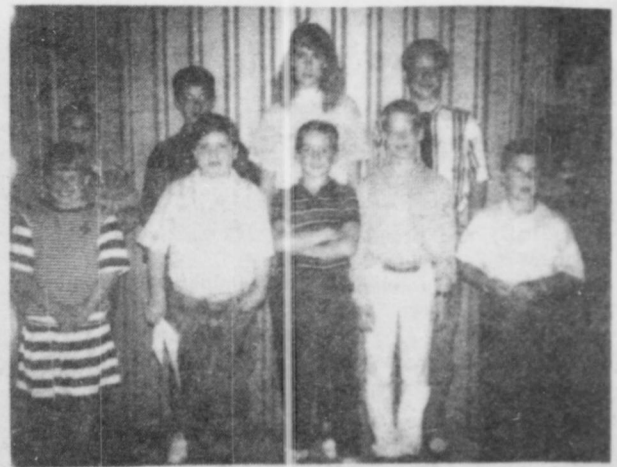
Recipients of first year membership pins were Cody Britten, Kay Lynn Britten, Sherrie Weinheimer and C.J. Whatley. These students completed project record forms to receive their pins. Receiving second year pins were Leo Britten, Robert Homer, Daryl Homer and Stanley Homer.

Sue Britten, Kay Williams, Chris Hileman and Daryl Homer presented the Carson County Parade of Champions. These 4-H members recognized participated in one or more project and completed project record forms or completed the whole record book, took part in civic and fund raising projects and were honored for their diligent work. Named from Groom was Cody Britten, who participated in horse projects and the bake show, Kay Lynn Britten competed in the Sheep Contests, Horse

Shows and rodeos and the bake show, Leo Britten showed sheep and competed in horse shows and competition. Daryl Homer, Robert Homer and Stanley Homer participated with swine projects. Sherrie Weinheimer's project was a horse project and C.J. Whatley competed with a swine project and completed his record book. All Groom 4-Hers participated in civic projects this past year and local fund raisers.

Doris Gabel, representing the Liberty Club was present to present Regina Britten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britten the Rosemary Detten Award. This award's purpose is to encourage continued growth in 4-H project areas.

For the first time this year each town represented in Carson County 4-H honored a "Friend of 4-H", this award is presented to individuals or businesses in each community, as voted on by local clubs, who have worked for and supported their local 4-H Club. This year's Groom recipient is Nadine Thornton. Groom's 4-H President Daryl Homer presented Mrs. Thornton the award and told of Thornton's continued support. She is the Manager of Wheeler Evans Elevators of Groom. She has served as their manager for 18 years. She is a Groom High School Graduate. Nadine is recognized as being the only women manager of an elevator in the Pan-



4H Winners are-(back row)-Leo Britten, Robert Homer, Sherrie Weinheimer, Daryl Homer, Nadine Thornton, (front row)

Kay Lynn Britten, C.J. Whatley, Wyatt Weinheimer, Stanley Homer and Cody Britten.

handle.

Lloyd Sterling and Hochst Celanese were also recipients of the "Friends of 4-H Awards."

Stacy Whitehead closed the evening with closing

New Books At Library

Some of the new books at the Groom Branch Library are: "All the President's Ladies" by Peter Hay, "Parentcare" by Lissy Javvik, "Its Always Something" by Gilda Radner, "We are Still Married" by Garrison Keillor, "Stranger In Savannah" by Eugenia Price, "Julia's Story" by Lee Anderson, "Summer of Secrets" by Nancy Sheehan.

T.E.L. Class Met

The T.E.L. Sunday School class of the Baptist Church met September 21 at 8:30 a.m. in the home of Thelma Pool. Members were seated at the dining room table and was served a delicious breakfast. Much visiting and fellowship was enjoyed by members: Mertie Schaffer,

remarks.

Following the banquet the Groom 4-H Club cleaned up with the helping hand of all in attendance.

Next year Groom will be hosting the banquet.

Club Leaders

The Groom News/McLean News salutes the leaders of 4-H Clubs in our reading area.

4-Clover 4-H Club
President-Tommy Pennington
First Vice President-Holly Hefley
Second Vice President-Heather Hess
Third Vice President-Brian Bockmon

Secretary-Charla Roberts
Treasurer-Seth Brown
Reporter-Shandon Stalls
Council Delegate-Ethan McCracken
Club Managers-Janet McCracken and Russell Bockmon

Rowdy Riders Met

The Rowdy Rider 4H Riding Club met on Sunday, September 24 in White Deer. Area leaders taught those in attendance basic horsemanship.

The club reported 24 riders to be present from Panhandle, White Deer and Groom. Those attending from Groom were: Leo, Katy, Cody Britten, Sue Britten, Sherrie and Wyatt Weinheimer and David Fields.

Rowdy Riders will meet again on October 8, at 2:00 p.m. at the White Deer Arena. Members are reminded to practice their horse poem for the talent contest.

Grandview 4-H Club
President-Matt Reeves
Vice President-Justin Collingsworth
Secretary-Amy Eakin
Council Delegate-Michel Reeves
Refreshments-Brad Houk
Telephone-Jennifer Rushing
Recreation-Shane Kennedy
Club Managers-Roselle Collingsworth and Jim Reeves

Groom 4-H Club
President-Daryl Homer
Vice President-Melissa Treadwell
Secretary-Kay Lynn Britten
Reporter-C.J. Whatley
Council Delegate-Leo Britten
Club Manager-Sue Britten
CO Manager-Charlotte Whatley

Groom 4-H Leaders include: Barbara Homer, Connie Fields, Marion Pool, Joe Homer, Lonny Brown, Bud Fields, Brad Fields and Susan Brown.

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Reminders

There will be no commodities given this month due to the shortage of supplies. They will be given on December 19.

October 5-the Baptist Annual Association meeting will be held at Trave's Baptist Church at Memphis, Texas.

October 7-The Baptist Church will sponsor a pictorial directory, appointments will be made. The community is invited to have their picture made.

October 10-2:00 p.m. Baptist Women, Royal Service.

October 11-7:00 Prayer meeting.

October 11-7:45 p.m. Cantata Practice.

The Masonic Lodge will meet October 5, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. to receive the E.A. degree.

On October 6-the Scottish Rite Feast of Tishei "Top of Texas" lodge at 1381 West Kentucky.

Coronado Hospital 2nd Anniversary

Coronado Hospital is celebrating its second anniversary this week as part of the largest employee-owned company in the country, HealthTrust, Inc. The hospital is hosting a series of events during October as part of its anniversary and National Employee Ownership Week.

Events for employees include a birthday party Oct-

See Hospital, page 10

McLean Cubs Fall To 1-1

McLean Cubs traveled to Groom this past Thursday evening for their second game of the season. The first was played on home field against Miami. The final score was 35 to 16. The McLean/Groom game was one that kept fans on the edge of the stadium seat. The final score was 19 to 18 in Groom's favor.

The McLean Cub roster includes: 40-Mike Campbell, 51-Matt Hall, 50-Doug Purcell, 30-Tommy Pennington, 72-Jeremy Crutcher, 10-Nathan Sullins, 20-Jeremy Thomas, 82-Britten Shipman, 52-Clifford Martin, 41-Toby Northcutt, 60-Josh Acuna, 21-Jason Davis, 70-Kevin Mertz and 80-Dennis Ward.

This week the cubs will play Valley there at 5:00 p.m.

McLean Blasts Harrold, Hosts Valley Friday

McLean Tigers-seventh ranked team demonstrated brilliance, both offensively and defensively, while upping their record to 4-0. Harrold dropped to 1-3.

McLean wasted little time in putting points on the board. On its first possession of the night, McLean used just five plays to score with Dennis Hill breaking tackles on a 34-yard touchdown run.

The Tigers' defense accounted for the next score when Donald Harris picked off a Hornets' pass and scampered 19 yards down the sideline. Tiffy Sanders point after touchdown gave McLean a 16-0 first quarter lead.

With 1:50 left in the half, the Tigers struck again as Sanders capped off a 10-play 50 yard drive with a one-yard touchdown plunge.

McLean, which rolled up 352 yards total offense, finished off the third quarter with 14 points. The Tigers held Harrold to 185 yards.

Last year Harrold beat McLean 22 to 0, led by Scott Lambert who left the game with a knee injury in the

second quarter.

Tress Hess was McLean's top rusher with 114 yards on 15 tries. His only touchdown a 26 yard run midway through the third quarter, gave McLean a commanding 30-6 buldge.

Hill added 96 yards on seven carries to go with his two tallies and was one of the leaders of McLean's hard-lick defense, which held Harrold to just one first down the second half.

Sanders also made a big contribution on both sides of the ball. He booted a 26 yard field goal and four extra points, besides his one yard scoring run, and had a 34 yard touchdown scamper nullified due to a clipping penalty. Sanders stopped a Harrold scoring opportunity in the second quarter, recovering a Hopkins fumble in McLean's end zone after the Hornets had drive for a first down on the Tiger four. Bo Green also recovered a fumble for the Tigers.

McLean hosts Valley at 7:30 p.m. Friday night. Valley has a 3-2 record after overcoming Miami 30 to 24 this past Friday night.

W.I. Sitz Services Held

W.I. "Irvin" Sitz, 73, died Sunday in Pampa. Services were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Mobeetie with Rev. Ralph Hovey, pastor, and Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial was in Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Sitz married Audrey Pond in 1950. He was born in Gray County and was a lifetime resident of Mobeetie. He served in the U.S. Army from 1941 to 1945. He was a farmer and rancher.

Survivors include his wife, Audrey; a daughter, Charlotte Heffley, McLean; three sons, Aubrey Seitz, Miami and Earl Seitz and Dean Seitz, both of Mobeetie; four sisters, Nettie Lancaster, Alta Morris and Lottie Reynolds, all of Pampa, and Estelle Hodges, Mobeetie; three brothers, Monroe Sitz and Fate Seitz, both of

Mobeetie, and J.W. Seitz, Wellington; eight granddaughters and a grandson.

Eads Services

Margie W. Eads, 73, died Sunday. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Wheeler First Baptist Church with Rev. Robert Helsley, pastor and Rev. Jeff Messer, pastor of McLean First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Eads was born in Ratliff, Arkansas. She married A.D. Eads in 1933 in Hollis, Oklahoma. She lived in Pampa from 1933 until 1951. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, A.D.; a son, Ben D. Eads, McLean; a sister Lodemia Mitchell, Pampa; three grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

Burglars Hit Main Street

Shattered front store doors were found by persons passing down Main Street, McLean around 5:00 a.m., Monday morning, October 2. McLean Pharmacy and Meachem's Hardware reported burglars had broken the front glass of their stores, where the not so shy burglars entered and opened

cash registers taking money and removing several guns. Meachem's Hardware reported only cash was taken from their store. At press time Gray County Deputy Sheriff Wayne Carter said the burglaries are under investigation but no arrests have been made.



Danna Watson Crowned Homecoming Queen

Excitement filled the air as fans, students, players and faculty made their way to Tiger Field in McLean for Homecoming.

Stands were packed as announcer, Sam Haynes, told the crowd that coronation was to begin. Queen candidates were driven onto the field and escorted by their fathers on one arm and a player on the other. McLean football players lined up on the 50 yard lines and made an isle for their royalty to pass.

The McLean Tiger Band played "One Moment In Time" as they stood in military fashion. The band was under direction of Roger Myers and drum major, Stacey Hall.

As the candidates made their way to the sidelines the football team presented each candidate a bouquet of yellow roses.

This year's homecoming queen is Danna Watson.

Danna Watson: is the 17 year old daughter of James and Sherry Watson. Danna is a senior and was born February 12, 1972. Her hobbies include cheerleading, basketball, riding horses and being with friends. Her favorite song is "Why Did You Come in Here Lookin' Like That" by Dolly Parton, and her favorite foods are steak and shrimp. The two people Danna looks up to the most is her Grandmom and Granddad, because they have always been there for her.



ANNOUNCEMENT OF DIRECTOR ELECTION

An election for a Director to serve in Zone 5 on the Gray County Soil and Water Conservation Board is scheduled for Thursday, October 12, 1989 at the Gray Co. Courthouse Annex on East Frederic, Pampa, announced Tony Smitherman, Chairman of the Board. The election will be held at 7:00 p.m.

State law decrees that to be eligible to vote in a soil and water conservation district director's election, a person must own agricultural land within the district where the election is being held. The person must also live in a county all or any part of which is in the district and the voter must be 18 years old.

Legal qualifications state that a candidate for the office of soil and water conservation district director must own land in the zone he represents, be 18 years of age and be actively engaged in farming or ranching. He must also live in a county all or part of which is in the district. Soil and water conservation directors serve four-year terms of office.

Zone 5 of the District includes an area from a line beginning on the north County line in the west line of Section 222 and taking in the following area: generally the northwest quarter of Gray Co. (For more details on exact boundaries, come by the SCS Office at the Gray County Courthouse Annex.)

Current members of the Board of Directors of the Gray Co. SWCD are Tony Smitherman of McLean, Chairman, representing Zone 3, Troy Ritter of Grandview, Vice-Chairman, representing Zone 1, Earl Smith of Pampa, Secretary, representing Zone 5, David Bowers of Pampa, Member, representing Zone 4 and Jim Shaw of Alanreed, Member, representing Zone 2.

The purpose of the Gray Co. SWCD, with headquarters in Pampa, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the District serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters.

The District Board of Directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

All conservation programs managed by the District are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operator.

McLean Independent School Board Met

The McLean Independent School District Board of Trustees met in regular session on September 12, 1989, at 5:00 p.m. in the business office.

The members that were present: Steve Brass, Jake Hess, John Holland, Thacker Haynes, Bill Thomas, Joe Magee, and Gwen Henley. Others that were present: Rex Peeples, Shirley Johnson, Jerry Cook and John Griffin.

The meeting was called to order and the opening prayer was led by John Holland.

1. Motion by Thacker Haynes, seconded by John Holland, to approve the minutes of the tax hearing of August 24, and the board meetings of August 24 and August 29, 1989.

2. Motion by Steve Brass, seconded by John Holland, to approve the Career Ladder Policy as presented.

3. Motion by Bill Thomas, seconded by Thacker Haynes, to approve Jerry Don Cook, John Griffin, and Rex Peeples as teacher appraisers, with the appraisal schedule being from 9-18-89 to 1-5-90, and 1-15-90 to 5-18-90.

4. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Bill Thomas, to approve the reading improvement policy for high school as presented.

5. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Steve Brass, to approve the three-week failure reporting policy as presented.

6. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Thacker Haynes, to approve the updated Discipline Management Plan. Also changing from a semi-monthly payroll was discussed.

7. Motion by Bill Thomas, seconded by Thacker Haynes, that beginning with the 1990-91 school year, the pay date will be changes to the first of the month following the period in which the pay was earned.

8. Motion by John Hol-

land, seconded by Joe Magee, to change the early dismissal days to September 13, September 20, October 11, October 18 and November 8.

9. Motion by Gwen Henley, seconded by Joe Magee, to appoint John Griffin as the technology coordinator for McLean ISD.

10. Motion by Bill Thomas, seconded by John Holland, to approve the health plan for McLean ISD, and the guidance plan for McLean ISD.

11. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Bill Thomas, to reaffirm the philosophy, mission and objectives of McLean ISD.

12. Motion by Joe Magee, seconded by Gwen Henley, to approve implementing the "Write to Read" program for 1990-91.

Employment of teacher aides and a custodian was discussed. Mr. Peeples explains that we could get partial funding for these positions through a federal job program. He recommended Debbie Acuna, Terry Griffin and Lewayne Foshee for these positions.

13. Motion by Joe Magee, seconded by Bill Thomas, to employ Debbie Acuna and Terry Griffin as part-time teacher aides and to employ Lewayne Foshee as custodian for the elementary school.

14. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Thacker Haynes, to approve the following checks: Gen. Operating First Bank and Trust 1186-1189, Gen. Operating Bank of Commerce 539-540, McLean Fund 126, Special

Immunization Clinic

October 13, 1989, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the High School Student Lounge.

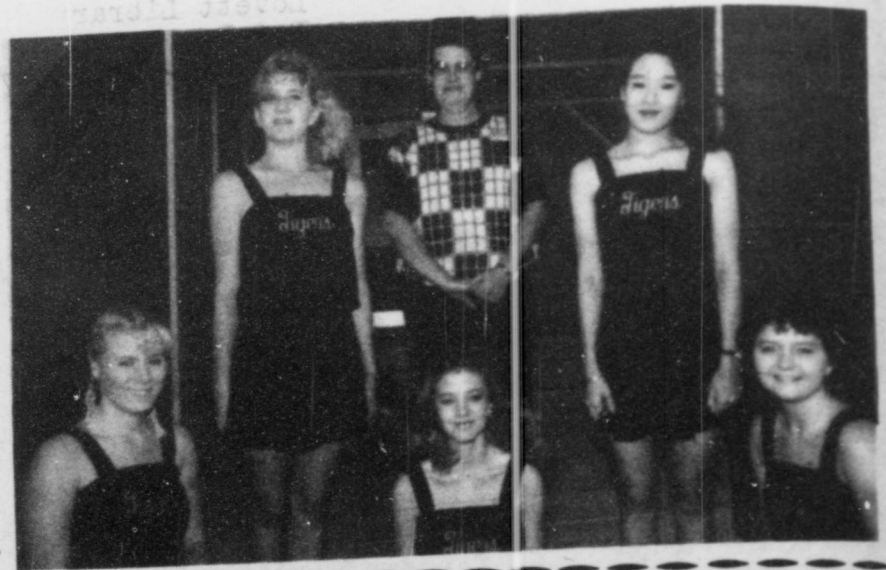
Revenue 1080, Petty Cash 587-594 and Finance Clearing 3170-3213.

15. Motion by John Holland, seconded by Thacker Haynes, to employ Linda Cook as special education aide.

16. Motion by Bill Thomas, seconded by Thacker Haynes, that the meeting be adjourned.

Cheerleaders

1989-90 Tiger Cheerleaders for McLean are (left to right) Susan Worsham, Misty Coleman, Margaret Milam(sponsor), Susie Kunce, Holly Hauck and Danna Watson (mascot).

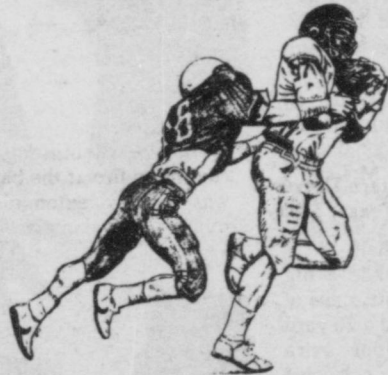


MCLEAN TIGERS

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1989 McLEAN TIGERS

VARSITY

August 25	Lefors	Here
August 31	Lazbuddie	Silverton
Sept. 8	Groom	Here
Sept.15	Rule	Afton
Sept. 22	Miami	There
Sept.29 ***	Harröld	Here
Oct. 6	Valley	Here
Oct.13 *	Lefors	There
Oct. 20 *	Miami	Here
Oct. 27 *	Groom	There
Nov. 3* +	Higgins	Here
Nov.10*	Silverton	There

- * District Games
- ** Homecoming
- + Parents Night

1989 McLEAN TIGERS

JUNIOR HIGH

Sept. 21	Miami	Here	5:00
Sept. 28	Groom	There	6:30
Oct. 5	Valley	There	5:00
Oct. 12	Lefors	Here	6:30
Oct. 19	Miami	There	5:00
Oct. 26	Groom	Here	6:30
Nov. 2	Higgins	There	6:30
Nov. 9	Silverton	Here	6:30

1989 McLEAN TIGERS

JUNIOR VARSITY

August 24	Silverton	There (Scrimmage)	2:00
Sept. 8	Alamc Catholic	Here	5:00
Sept. 21	Miami	Here	5:00
Oct. 5	Valley	There	5:00
Oct. 19	Miami	There	5:00

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Friday-October 6-Hot Steak Sandwich, gravy, salad, mashed potatoes, fruit and milk.

Monday-October 9-Pizza, salad, corn, cake and milk

Tuesday-October 10-Meat loaf, spinach, black-eyed

peas, fruit, corn bread and butter and milk.

Wednesday-October 11-Chili Dogs, french fries, carrot/celery, sticks, coco puff bars and milk.

Thursday-October 12-Sliced turkey, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter and honey and milk.

Fifth Grade News

The fifth grade has been writing letters to Mail Box Budds. Our Mail Box Budds are senior citizens in McLean area. We hope to make them happy and learn writing skills at the same time.

Pan Marton

McLean Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Turner have been visiting their granddaughter and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy R. Skinner and great grandson J.C. at Vernon.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hess over the weekend were their grandchildren, Steve Hudson from Lubbock and Hillary Hudson of Amarillo.

College Students who came home for homecoming festivities and the football game were: Tiffany Lopez and friend, Missy Dalka from North Western University at Denton, Texas, Misty Magee from Baylor University at Waco, Kirk and Jim Anderson from Southwestern University, Davie Ridgway from Southwestern University, Jim Ridgeway from Tarlton State University, Mark McCarty from Southwestern, Kile Wood from Texas Tech and Daria McAnear from Tarlton State College.

The fifth grade has been walking to the library. We learned to work the computer in the library. We check out books and read them when we get finished with our work. We are allowed to take out two books. We brought back 20 books on the ocean for the class.

Jonathan Bailey

In our aquarium we have two crabs, five guppies, two cleaning fish, and three neon fish. There are eight plants. There is a filter with black charcoal in it. We have a heater that helps the water keep warm. We really enjoy our fish.

Shandon Stalls

Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gayton from Westerville, Ohio is visiting friends for a few days.

Fire Calls

McLean Vounteer Fire Department answered four calls last week, three of them were on September 27-Bennie Robinson's car caught on fire at the bank, it was quickly extenguished, minumum damage was reported, a grass fire at James Reneau's ranch; and hay five miles north on the Kellerville Road at Ronnie Brown's place; and then on October 1-The Fire Department rescue squad was called, west of town at 133 marker at a wreck, no injuries were reported.

Celebrated 100th

On September 30, Mr. Emmett Lefors celebrated his 100 birthday at the Coronado Inn in Pampa from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Rufe Jordan made the introduction to about 150 guest who attended the party.

Mr. Lefors had been a member of the Masonic Lodge since 1911, when he moved from McLean he left his membership at this lodge. He was presented a pin in 1986 for 75 years service.

We are studying northeast in History. The northeast states are Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey and Delaware. They have manufacturing.

The fifth grade is studying the Alvin. The Alvin can reach 13,000 feet in water. The Alvin can hold 3 people the pilot and two passengers. The Alvin can travel for ten hours. The 24 foot sub helps scientist study the seafloor and new way to find about the seafloor.

Derek Glass

Scientist have found several ways to remove salt and other minerals from sea water. Salt can be removed by desalination. Salt water is heated. The steam it produces goes through a tube. The steam is then cooled. It forms fresh water. Mrs. Adamson brought a distiller to school. We watched it take the minerals out and make fresh water. We got to taste it.

Kristi Tidwell

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Since we are in the fifth grade we are able to play in the band. Flute players are Kristina Carter and Rachel West. Clarinet players are Kristi Tidwell, Tanna Shipman and Carnaen Vega. Cornet players are David Fuller and Charles Harris. Trumbone players Shandon Stalls and William Algood. Baritone player Pamela Martin, Drum player Chad Young and Derek Glass. Saxophone player Clinton Steward, Jonathan Baily and Tobery Purcell. The Band Director is Mr. Myers and the he does a good job!

In the fifth grade we are studying the Alaska oil spill. We made a pretend oil spill in class. When we drained the water from the container, we saw oil remaining in the bottom. We tried to wipe it up, but we couldn't get it all wiped out. Now we see how hard it would be to clean a whole beach.

Pamela Martin




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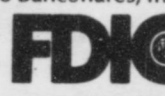


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Hospital

ober 3 and a free luncheon October 5. In addition the hospital will host a Chamber of Commerce breakfast October 26 to celebrate the event. To thank the community for their support, the hospital this week is launching a cholesterol treatment

McLean Care Center

Sunday morning the residents attended Sunday school. Jenny Stubbs played the keyboard. Mary Frazier brought the message. Mae-belle Nash and Inez were also there to help. In the afternoon Bro. Z.A. Myers, pastor of the Assembly of God Church was here to conduct services.

Residents playing bingo on Monday were: Ruby King, Dick and Mattie Wheeler, Kittie Hessey, Leon Burch, Ruby Ayers, Pauline Miller, Inez Fields, Teresa Richardson, Lona Jones, Eula Morrow, Clyde Trusty, Monnie Matthews, Lillie Knox, Lucille Cullison, Thelma Hopkins and Adelle Walker, who was the winner for the day with four games won. It was great having Mildred Giesler here to help us after her extended illness, Bertha Smith was also here to assist. Bananas were furnished by the Lions club.

Tuesday Lena Carter, Mary Davis and Brenda MacLain were here to assist the following residents in dominos: Pauline Miller, Imogene King, Ruby King, Thelma Hopkins, Eula Mor-

row, Leon Burch, Walter Evans and Dick Wheeler.

Wednesday was our Birthday Party. Residents celebrating were Inez Fields, Annie Eudey, Ruby Phillips, Jewell Cousins and Lucille Culison. Loyce Murray and Ann Miller played the piano, Lois Myers led us in a Sing-a-Long and name that tune. Pauline Miller helped to lead the singing and sang a solo "Ruber Dolly." Lucille Cullison sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." Leon Burch, Lucille Cullison, Evelyn Pennington, Karen Brown, Heidi Campbell and Betty Lopez did the "Hokey Pokey." Creed and Wanda Lamb furnished the corsages. The decorated cakes were furnished by Isabelle Cousins. Angel Food cake, punch and napkins were furnished by Marie Fennell. Ladies serving were Ginger Morilla, Louise Turner, Isabelle Cousins and Ann Morris.

Thursday the residents enjoyed the donuts furnished by Leta Mae Hess. Friday Martha Parker was here to show the movies.

Care, abirthing room, an inhouse CT scanner, a heart catheterization lab, and an Extended Care Unit.

"We're taking ownership to heart at Coronado Hospital," said Norman Knox, administrator of the facility. "As owners, we know that our success depends on offering the highest-quality medical care to this community. As your neighbors, We want to provide the kind of personal attention that you deserve when you come to our hospital."

Coronado Hospital became part of the largest employee-owned company in the country in September

1987 when HealthTrust, Inc. was created. The \$2.4 billion company has more than 20,000 employee-owners at 94 hospitals around the country.

"Our operating results have exceeded all expectations, which has allowed us to repay debt ahead of schedule these first two years," said R. Clayton McWhorter, chairman and CEO of HealthTrust. "Early debt repayment means we've been able to allocate more shares of stock to employee's ESOP (Employee Stock Ownership Plan) accounts." In addition HealthTrust's net revenues

have increased about 14 percent over last year, and outpatient revenues are up more than 20 percent.

Employee-ownership is one of the fastest growing trends in American business today. More than 9 million employees currently work for ESOP companies. Employee-owned companies grow up to 40 percent faster after introducing an ESOP, according to studies by the National Center for Employee Ownership.

"The anniversary gives us an opportunity to thank our employees and this community for their support. Without the backing of the

people of Pampa, our hospital can not succeed in the long term," said Knox. "Last year, a record number of hospitals closed around the country, with many of them in smaller, rural areas."

"Some healthcare experts predict that by the year 2000 just about 10 years from now almost 40 percent of this country's hospitals will be closed or used for other purposes," said Knox. "And unfortunately it's the smaller communities that will hardest hit. We want to work with the people of Pampa to make sure that they always have access to high-quality medical care."

Alanreed News

Visiting the Hartley Davis home last week was Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roselius of Panhandle.

Virginia Dalton of McLean and Lena Carter were in Amarillo on Thursday, visiting the Jim Bruce's.

The Robert Bruce family were in Galveston during the weekend to attend Mrs. Bruce's school class reunion.

Visiting the Hartley Davis residence on Sunday was Herman Tipton of Clarendon. He was on his way to Oklahoma. Visiting on Saturday evening was Mr. and Mrs. John Davis returning from a vacation in Arkansas and Tennessee.

The Jarves Tidwells, near Borger, visited relatives in Alanreed during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley David and Velma Hechler were in Amarillo on business the first of the week. Mr. John Davis came after them.

ALANREED COMMUNITY EVENTS

October 7-7:00 p.m. Community Improvement association.

October 19-8:00 p.m. Regular School Board Meeting

October 28-6:00 to 10:00 p.m. Community/PTO Sponsored Halloween Carnival.

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Amy Ward: is the 16 year old daughter of J.D. and Billie Ward. Amy is a junior and was born May 4, 1973. Her hobbies include twirling, reading and writing. Her favorite song is "If I Could Turn Back Time" by

Cher, and her favorite food is fajitas. The person Amy looks up to the most is Oprah Winfrey, because she started out with little and built up what she had to become one of the richest women in America.

Patsy Barker: is the 14 year old daughter of Jim and Susan Barker. Patsy is a freshman and was born January 19, 1975. Her hobbies include playing tennis and being with friends. Her favorite song is "Heaven"

by Warrant, and her favorite food is chicken fried steak. The two people Patsy looks up to the most is her parents, because they taught her how to respect people.

Misty Riley: is the 15 year old daughter of Bill and Shelia Riley. Misty is a sophomore and was born March 3, 1974. Her hobbies include riding horses, play-



Susan Worsham: is the 16 year old daughter of Frank and Jackie Worsham. Susan is a junior and was born January 30, 1973. Her hobbies include waterskiing, riding around, talking on the phone, cheerleading and rid-

ing horses. Her favorite song is "Beth" by Kiss, and her favorite food is spaghetti. The person Susan looks up to the most is her Daddy, because he keeps her out of trouble with her Mom. She respects him alot.

Immunization Clinic Oct. 13

McLean ISD will host an Immunization (shot) Clinic October 13, 1989 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the high school in the student lounge. The Gray County Health Department will be giving the immunizations.

Parents and guardians of students enrolled in McLean ISD requiring immunization will be notified in writing by the school. Parents must be present before a student can receive any immunization. Parents/guardians of preschool children needing immunizations are welcome. Parents/guardians must accompany the child.

The cost will range from \$0 to \$15. The Department of Health must have the following information for each child: name, birthdate, age, sex, parents name, telephone number, address, mother's name, state child was born, and number in family.

Remember, the next four weeks will be our attendance accounting period. Please make an extra effort to have your child at school during this time.

McLean FFA News

The McLean FFA Chapter has been busy the first six weeks of school. The first chapter meeting of the year was led by the 1989-90 officers-President Tres Hess, Vice President Dennis Hill, Secretary J.T. Haynes, Treasurer Destry Magee, Reporter Chris Littlefield and Sentenial Tanner Hess. Chapter Sweetheart will be Misty Riley runner-up was Lee Erin Stubbs.

Several members attended a district meeting at Valley last Tuesday and learned about chapter publicity.

The pig sale for buying pigs for projects for the upcoming stock show begins this week. Any members wanting a pig should decide what breed they want, which stock show they will attend, and how much money they are willing to spend.

The sausage has arrived and should be delivered this week. We have a few extra boxes. If you ordered sausage and did not get it or would like some, please call Bill Layman at the High School, 779-2571.

New Arrival

Joe Creed and Karen Lamb are the proud parents of a baby girl born September 21 at Warshington Iowa Hospital and is now in the Neonatal Hospital Unit at Iowa Hospital Iowa City, Iowa. Her name is Courtney Celeste. Proud grandparents are Creed and Wanda Lamb of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Schroeder of Red Field, South Dakota.

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