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Wanda Carter Seeks Re-Election To Office Of County Clerk

Wanda Carter, Gray County Clerk, has announced her candidacy for reelection and won the nomination of the Democratic Party held on March 13, 1990.

Wanda Carter is a veteran of the Clerk's Office, having worked as a deputy and Chief Deputy for Charlie Thut, and having begun her first term of office on January 1, 1971.

"There have been many changes in the office," she said. "When I first went to work, we were photostating real estate records and typing court records. We began microfilming real estate records with computer indexing in 1981. As we enter the 1990's, I expect the changes to come much faster."

Clerk's are now required

by statute to acquire an additional 20 hours of education each two years.

"I am conservative by nature and upbringing, and will continue to be responsible and responsive to the citizens of this County," she said.

Wanda is married to Charles L. Carter, and they have one son, Randy. She is a member of First Baptist Church of Pampa. Pampa Chamber of Commerce, County and District Clerk's Association of Texas, a Member and Vice-President of Panhandle Community Services, and also serves on the Audit and Finance Committee, Public Relations Committee and Planning **Evaluation Committee and is** a member of Order of Eastern Star, Pampa Chaapter No. 65.



"If re-elected, I pledge to continue the same courteous, efficient service and pleasant atmosphere you have enjoyed in the past," she said. "I sincerely appreciate your past support, and solicit that support in the future."

Elections To Be Held Saturday For City And School

McLean registered voters are reminded to get out Saturday and place their votes of support, despite the uncontested races in both the City Council and McLean Board of Trustee race.

Appearing on the Official Ballot of the City of McLean for Alderman are Brad Dalton, Wayne Bybee and Martha Jo Bailey.

Brad Dalton, a newcomer to the City Council is not a new face for the City of McLean. Brad was born and raised in McLean and a graduate of McLean High School. Brad and wife, Diann, have one grown child Cecilia of Norman, Okla.

Encumbent Wayne Bybee has chosen to continually serve the City of McLean by

seeking the seat he now hold on the council. Wayne is originally of Live Oak, Texas and has been a resident of McLean since 1973. The owner of B & B Turbine, a business he has operated for over 15 years. He attended Mountain View College in Dallas and has taken courses and received diplomas from Pratt-Whitney Turbine Engine School, GE Turbine School and Allison Turbine School. Bybee served on the City Council in 1983 and was re-elected in 1988 and continues to want to help out his community in this

Martha Jo Bailey is running for her fourth term on



Shaltrel Colpetzer

State-Bound

Shatrel Colpetzer of McLean carried home the gold medal following Region 1-A University Interscholastic League competition at South Plains College in Levelland.

Shatrel competed in the Ready Writing competition. She and competitor Nikki Schoenhals of Follett will make their way to Austin on Friday for the State UIL

Jim Osborne Candidate For Gray County Judge

Jim Osborne is the Democratic Candidate for

Gray County Judge,
Osborne was born in Gray
County on Feb. 1, 1938. He
graduated from high school at Kemper Military School in
Boonville, Mo., in 1956. He
attended the University of
Oklahoma for one year, then
returned to Kemper Military
Junior College and graduated in 1959, studying business administration. He also
attended two semesters at
Texas Tech Universiy in
Lubbock.

He married Gretchen Lent on Dec. 4, 1959 in Lubbock. He returned to Pampa and went into business with his father, Jake Osborne, in ready mix concrete and worked at the Osborne Ranch, north of Pampa, until 1973. In 1973, they moved to Seminole and he went into business for himself, starting J.O. Irrigation. In 1934, they returned to Pampa and he went into business with his brother-in-law at Your Laundry and Dry Cleaners.

The Osbornes have two sons, Jay of Ponca City, Okla., and Jeffrey, who is in the U.S. Navy stationed at Guam.

Osborne said his mother, Ruth, who died last year, was a big influence on him regarding politics. She was a strong leader in the Democratic Party in Gray County.



"I think more people in Gray County should get involved. This is one way I could get involved," Osborne said.

McLean Clinic To Sponsor Breast Cancer Detection Unit

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of every ten women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year over 37,000 women die as a result of breast cancer.

According to a spokesman from the Regional Breast Care Center at Women's & Children's Hospital in Odessa, Texas "The death rate from breast cancer could be drastically reduced if women would have mammograms done before a problem exists." By using modern state of the art X-Ray equipment breast cancers can be found when they are about the size of a grain of rice and well before the cancer can be felt. A woman who is diagnosed with breast cancer at this

early stage has a 90-97 percent survivial rate. However, a woman who is not diagnosed until a lump can be felt has approximately a 50 percent survivial rate in five years.

In an effort to find cancers at the earliest possible stage and prevent unnecessary deaths, a mobile breast cancer detection unit will be made available to local women on [•• ay, May 4th.

The Mobile Unit will be parked at McLean Clinic, 402 N. Main Street, McLean, Texas. Appointments may be made by calling 779-2401.

For more information you may call the Regional Breast Care Center at Women's and Children's Hospital at (915) 334-8888/561-9999.

Reunion Set

Heald Methodist Church of Heald Community will host a community and Church services will be at 9:15 a.m., followed by a covered dish dinner at noon. Everyone is invited to attend the fellowship and share their musical talents and old time memories of the community and church.



Lions Club will meet on May 7, at 6:30 p.m. in the Lions Club Building.

McLean Band Trip is set for May 3. The group will travel to Oklahoma City and will return on Sunday, May 6.

McLean School Playday will be Friday, May 4. Students in Kindergarten through Eighth grade will be on the football field for fun and games. Everyone is invited to attend and see the local children participate.

Our Alanreed correspondent will be out of town for a few weeks. If anyone has any news items or would be interested in gathering news for the Alanreed Community please contact the News Office at McLean at 779-2141 or Groom at 248-7333.

Elaine Cooper Candidate For Gray County Treasurer

Elaine Cooper, who has worked in the Gray County Tax Office for 13 years is the Democratic Candidate for Gray County Treasurer.

Tracksters Traveled To Regionals

In the Region 1-1A roundup in Levelland this past weekend, McLean's Donald Harris came in fifth in the 1600 with a time of 4:52.41.

The Class IA regional meet was held at South Plains College in Levelland. Preliminaries were sche-

duled to start at 2 p.m. on Friday. The finals starting with the field event got underway at 10 a.m. on Saturday.

McLean was well represented by Dennis Hill, Tres Hess, Donald Harris, Dwayne Hill and Christian Looney and Misty Coleman. Elaine Cooper was born and raised in Haskell, Texas. After graduating from Haskell High School with honors, she attended Abilene Christian College, studying business administration.

In 1962, she moved to Pampa and worked for Guaranty Abstract Company

for 13 years, the last four as office manager. She has worked in the Gray County Tax Office for 13 years as a deputy tax collector and voter registrar. She has four years of working computer experience.

She is married to Jack Cooper and they have five children: Gail Nabors, Phillip Fought, Jerry Fought and Cynthia Barnard, all of Pampa and Captain Jack Cooper of Amarillo. They have six grandchildren.



Cooper is a member of Central Church of Christ and has served as secretary for the Tri County Democratic Club.

I would like to honestly and efficiently serve the people of Gray County as their County Treasurer.

McLean Celebrates Heritage Sunday

On April 27, The McLean United Methodist Church celebrated Heritage Sunday by remembering their past.

For the past three months male members of the church have been growing a beard for a contest. Winning was Johnnie Mertel, followed by Rev. Mark Wilson, Thacker Haynes and Jake Hess II.

Reverend Wilson dressed in his frock coat and black straight brimed hat and his congregation dressed in the spirit also with long skirts and dresses with hats from long ago.

The church was decorated with antique quilts, kerosene lamps and

accessories.

A string band played and sang old favorite hymns. Local members of the band were Dora Mae Bailey on guitar, Johnnie Haynes on the piano, Sam Haynes on the harmonica, Steve Hutsell on Bass, Mark Wilson on the guitar and fiddle.

Winning the most authenic costumes were Sam Haynes as a confederate Colonel and Kay Magee with a hand crocheted hat, skirt and pantaloons from the Hess-Sitter family trunk.

Following the service a dinner was served to about 150 people in attendance.

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Wendi Smith & **Todd Stump** Announce

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Smith announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Wendi Dawn Smith to Todd Dean Stump.

The couple plan to be united in marriage on May 20 at 3:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of McLean.

Rev. Wilson To Leave McLean

Word has been received that Rev. Mark Wilson, pastor of the McLean United Methodist Church will be moving to Idalou on June 2, to assume the pastorship

Election

the council. She is a McLean native and a graduate of McLean High School. A trained beauty operator, she has also worked at City Hall, the Tax Office and the McLean Clinic. Martha Jo is currently employed by Gray County.

School Board trustees of McLean ISD are seeking re-election for three year terms. Both candidates are encumbents and wish to serve students, parents and concerned citizens of McLean in this capacity.

Bill Thomas first sought a seat on the board in 1988, but was beaten by running mates Thacker Haynes and Gwen Henley. Bill later was asked to fill an unexpired term. Thomas is a native of Wellington and has lived in McLean since 1978, at which time he became the administrator for the nursing home here. A graduate of Wellington High School. He attended West Texas State University for three years and then went to DPS Academy in Austin where he graduated and served as a highway patrolman for six years. After that Thomas went to a nursing home administrator's school in Austin and is continually using his training by running the local McLean Care Center.

Jake Hess I will once again run for a position on the school, which he has held for a number of years. Hess is actively involved in school and community affairs and is concerned with all aspects of the lives of the people, young and old of McLean. Jake Hess II was born and raised in McLean and is a graduate of McLean High School.

Shatrel

Literary competition.

Shatrel is currently a senior at McLean High School. She is he daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brewer of California.

This is Shatrel's first year to comepte in UIL events on the state level.

Shatgrel makes her home in McLean with her grandmother Venice Wright.



Todd Stump & Wendi Smith

Brief

McLean people attending the tennis tournament in Levelland this past weekend were Jim and Susan Barker and Pat and Jame Barker.

McLean Birthdays

May 5-Michael Barker, Laverne Back, Lula Sheegog, Greg Henley May 7-Mrs. Harold C.

May 8-Johnnie Rigsby, Pauline Miller

Mlay 9-John C. Haynes, Ronald Vernon Kennedy May 10-Pam Purcell, Bob Holwick, Larry Swanson, Robbie Sanderson

Honor Roll FIFTH SIXTH WEEKS

"A" Honor Roll

First Grade-Stacia Howard, Sarah Myers, Holly Myers, Stephen Pierce Second Grade-Amanda

Cline, Jessi Fish, Deedee Floyd, Brian Fuller Grade-Rachel Third

Vanessa Glass, Destiny Kirkland, Heather Wilson

Fourth Grade-Lori Hefley,

Moriah McCracken Fifth Grade-Kristi Tidwell Sixth Grade-Jamie Barker, Justin Phillips

Seventh Grade-Karen Brass, Matt Hall, Tonia Webster

Eighth Grade-Tom Pennington, Tiffaney Stump

Pioneer Study Club **Entertained** Class Of 1990

The Pioneer Study Club entertained the Senior Class of 1990 with a tea at the Church of Christ Annex Sunday afternoon, April 22.

Each Senior was pinned with a favor in the shape and color of a rainbow with a pot of gold at the end of it. Parents and grandparents were pinned with a smaller rainbow.

The program was given by four underclassmen of the student body.

"A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade-Maribel Medrano, April Riley, Nicole Steward

Grade-Brodev

Carter, Amanda Griffin, Christopher Hauck, Valerie Joiner, Dusty Rogers, Diana

Third Grade-Victoria Bradley, Sara Brown, Christopher Bybee, Max Floyd, Rebecca Hembree

Fourth Grade-Nicky Billingsley, Krystle McClellan, Sara Nalley, Scott Roberts, Bonnie Hauck, Shaley Stalls, Justin

Fifth Grade-David Fuller, Derek Glass, Pamela Martin, Tanna Shipman. Carmen Vega

Sixth Grade-Chad Chadwick, Andy Glass, Jill Hefley, Shelly Holland, Holly Jasper, Jenn Pennington, Mike Stone Jennifer

Seventh Grade-Joshua Acuna, Charla Roberts

Eighth Grade-Joetta Bailey, Mindy Magee, Erin McCracken, Toby Northcutt, Doug Purcell, Nathan

Dennis Hill and Amy Ward gave a number of achievements accomplished by each senior student. Cash Carpenter and Hollie Hauck gave a very delightful skit, looking back on the careers each student had selected as their life time work. It was a most thoughtful, enjoyable and comical presentation by Cash and Hollie taken from the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow

I just wish I were a drama critic so I could adequately describe the performances given by Dennis, Amy, Cash and Hollie.

An array of finger foods, sweets and punch were served to all.

The senior attending were; Billie Matthews, Tres Hess, James Martin, Kim Orrick, James McClellan, Jimmy Armbrister, Alicia Reynolds, Tammy Passmore, Shatrel Colpetzer, Suzie Kunce, Stacie Hall, Danna Watson and Donald

Our special guest was Vera Back, a long time teacher in the McLean School system and a Charter Member of the Pioneer Study Club.

Others attending were: Loree Barker, Clara Hupp, Donna and Leigha Messer, Charlie Marie Shurley, Ruth Magee, Mary Woods, Louise Watson, Loyce Murray, Martha Parker, Nancy Billingsley, Freda Holland, Janet McCracken, Brenda Galley, Fern Boyd, Mary Powell, Sue Cubine, Ida Hess, Jerry Cook, Reynolds, Shirley Armbrister, James Armbrister, Sr., Helen Black, Minnie Lee Pakan, Dixie Burroughs. Bob Black, John and Sue Griffin, Venice Wright, Virginia Holwick, Oleta Harris, Punky Daniels, Helen Hall, Terri Hall, Betty Skipper, Ellie Peeples, Rex Peeples, Jake Hess II, Rhonda Sparling, Kathy and Lantz Slayton, Bernard McClellan, Zelda McClellan, Jean Orrick, Judy Orrick, Leta Mae Hess, Faris J. Hess, Sherry Watson, Jacque Riley, Irene Pakan, Margaret Coleman, Cathy Bailey, Anna Jean Lamb, Wanda Lamb, Jenny Stubbs, Hollie Hauck, Cash Carpenter, Dennis Hill, Amy Ward and George Watson.

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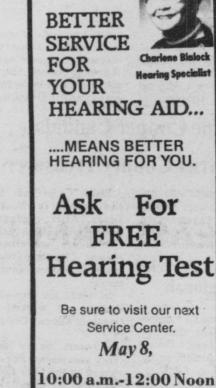
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Andrew Stacy Jackson Been Home On Leave

Andrew Stacy Jackson, son of Dawson and Mickey Jackson a 1988 McLean graduate, staioned in Norfolk, Virginia on the USS Iwo Jima . He has been home on leave after six months deployment in the Mediterrean. Ports of call visited were Rota, Palma and Malaya, Spain. Also Toulon and Mariselle, Naple, Italy **Owners Of Signs Along Interstate**

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and State highways (federal-

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annual renewal of permits

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Morroco and Haifa, Israel. While in Italy, Andrew Stacy visited Pompei. He enjoyed Palma, Spain the most, commentikng that their beaches were very clean and pretty. Andrew Stacy's address is: Andrew S. Jackson, 466-55-6145, USS Iwo Jima LPH-2, S-7 Divi-

National poll shows 4-H Makes a Difference

Does participation in 4-H make a difference in the lives of individuals?

A nationwide poll of 1,761 individuals showed that 4-H does, indeed, have a positive effect on the lives of individuals who were involved in the program as youths.

4-H is an informal educa-

Dear Editor

We would like to submit the following report on the medical condition of our daughter, Amanda Hauck, to your reading audience. Several people from your community have expressed an interest in her welfare and we would like to give them this information:

Don, Cynthia, Bonnie, Christopher and Amanda Hauck all want to say a great big thank you to everyone who has helped us during Amanda's illness. We would like to report that she is in stable condition after her cerebral hemorrhage on April 8, 1990. She has been through a great ordeal in several cities but is presently at home for a week before surgery on May 8, 1990 at Parkland Hospital in Dallas.

We have several groups of people that we would like to express our appreciation to at this time.

The first people we think of on our list is our own McLean Ambulance crew and friends who responded

tional program for youth between the ages of 9 and 19 and is conducted by the Extension Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture and state Extension Service. Its objective is to provide help in the development of knowledge and leadership as well as in problem-solving and personal skills.

Major purpose of the poll

so quickly to our emergency. These people are Jimmy, Clifford and Robert 'McDonald, Judy Stewart, Doyle Lee and Joe Burrows. We cannot praise you enough for saving our daughter.

Other medical people involved are Dr. Blackketter of Shamrock General Hospital, Dr. Rush Snyder and Dr. Charles Rimmer at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo and Dr. Duke Samson and staff from Parkland Hospital in Dallas, Tex. There are several other doctors involved but they are too numerous to mention. We especially appreciate their assessments, surgical procedures and referrals to specialists for further treatment.

There are so many people to thank that it seems impossible to begin. We are overwhelmed by the number of phone calls from people saying that they're praying for her and are concerned. Our love and sincere apprec iation go out to the different churches who have upheld us in prayer. People from several states have reported that Amanda has been and will continue to be on their prayer lists. This is the single most important thing

that we desire So many communities have expressed their concern, and we thank you all for your love and contributions. You are so important to us and we will always remember your consideration of Amanda at this time in her life.

We especially wish to thank all of our co-worklers, friends, and community of McLean for their efforts to help us. Your cards, calls, gifts, visits and prayers are so deeply felt. You all know that we loved you before and are so proud to be a part of such a caring and loving community.

Sincerely. Cynthia Hauck Box 382 McLean, Texas 79057 was to determine the impact THE GROOM NEWS-Page 9 of the 4-H experience on the lives of former 4-H members, said Dr. Howard Ladewig, program evaluation specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and leader of the

Working with Ladewig was Dr. John Thomas, rural sociologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. The study was funded by a grant for ES, USDA.

The randomly selected sample of individuals in the study included 710 former 4-H members and 743 members of other youth organizations. The remainder had not been involved in organized groups during their youth.

A key finding of the survey, Ladewig said, is that former 4-H members today are more active in community activities, particularly in leadership roles, than non-

When comparing both former 4-H members and those participating in other youth organizations with non-participants in youth groups, the community involvement aspect is particularly significant.

"Those who did not take part in organizations as youth are currently much less involved in adult community activities," Ladewig noted.

4-H also tends to have family ties. Ladewig pointed out. Former 4-H members indicated that their children are participating in 4-H to a large degree (by 50 percent more than children of non 4-H parents), and that they themselves take part in Extension educational programs and activities to significantly greater degree than former members of other youth groups as well as former non-participants in youth groups.

'One reason for the greater involvement by former 4-H'ers relates to the types of experiences they had as youths," Ladewig noted.

'Without question, the study showed that former 4-H members gave higher rankings to personal development, knowledge, leadership and coping skills experiences than did former members of organizations.

'4-H participants also felt that their overall experiences were more valuable to them than did participants of other youth organizations," he said.

The study also found that characteristics of 4-H members, as youths, are no different from other youths across the nation who are

Thursday, May 3, 1990 involved in such groups as Scouts, Boys or Girls Clubs, YMCA and YWCA church organizations, and FFA and FHA, the specialist noted. Their backgrounds, educational attainments and incomes are generally similar.

Further study of the survey data will focus on reasons why particular activities have led to greater involvement of former youth group members in community affairs. Areas to be addressed include leadership development, opportunities for responsibility, communication skills and the development of selfworth.

New Amendment

An amendment to the State Constitution now requires all elected and appointed officials in Texas to file a written statement before taking the oath of office, Secretary of State George Bayoud said.

Last November, Texas voters approved the constitutional amendment that removed the bribery provision in the offical oath of office required of all elected and appointed officers. The amendment placed the bribery provision in a written oath that office holders must sign and file with the secretary of state's office before they take the oral oath of office.

What needs to be emphasized is that as a result of this change in state law, elected and appointed ment with my office before taking the oath," Bayoud said.

State and local officers who were appointed or reappointed, elected or re-elected, after Dec. 5, 1989 must comply with the new

"This constitutional amendment affects thousands of elected and appointed officers across the state," Bayoud said.

On May 5, hundreds of Texas cities, school boards, utility districts and other political subdivisions will be conducting elections.

The constitutional amendment in effect, has divided the swearing-in procedure required of all elected and appointed officers in Texas into two parts-the written statement of the officer to be filed with the secretary of state's office, and the oral oath of office, Bayoud said.

For more information on the new law, call Linda Stout with the secretary of state's office at 512-463-5654.



Visiting in the Sam Haynes over the past weekend were; Mr. and Mrs. Sheraton Carter and Sherrie of Dallas, Jenny Evans anu son Chris and Gabrielle Diaz of El Paso, Scott Raines of Austin and Sasha and Brandon Raines Wellington.

issued permit plat has **Builders Class**

Planted Flowers

Face Sept. 4 Deadline

signs which were issued

prior to September 5, 1985.

In addition, if the previously

The Builders Sunday school class of the Methodist church planted flowers in the wading pool in city park Thursday. Members participating were Nona Turpen, Martha Jo Bailey, Bob Glenn, Mary Dwyer, Carl Dwyer and Sam Haynes.

A picnic lunch was enjoyed after the work was completed.

become illegible or detached from the sign structure a replacement plate will be required.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation is preparing to notify sign owns of active permits of record which will require renewal. Individuals and/or companies who have recently purchased signs should ensure that proper transfer has been made through the Highway Department. All sign permits which have not been renewed by September 5, 1990, will become invalid and the sign will be subject to removal.

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McLean Care Center News

Sunday morning several residents attended Sunday school. In the afternoon, Bro. Gary Griffin, Pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, was here to conduct services. Children singing specials were Sarah. Jennifer, Holly and Justin Myers, Justin, Elizabeth and Amanda Griffin, Christopher and Bonnie

Residents working in crafts Monday morning were Adelle Walker, Monnie Matthews, Teresa Richardson, Mary Helen Boston, Lucille Cullison, Leon Burch, Ruby Ayers and Pauline Miller. In the afternoon. Loree Burker and Cliffie Heasley were here to assist the following residents in bingo; Teresa Richardson, Adelle Walker, Pauline Miller, Mary Sligar, Dick and Mattie Wheeler, Leon Burch, John Meyers, Clyde Trusty, Lillie Knox, Kittie Hessey, Ruby Ayers, Eula Morrow, Mary Helen Boston, Monnie Matthews and Inez Fields. Bananas were furnished by the Lions

Tuesday residents playing dominos were Eula Morrow, Mary Sligar, Mary Helen Boston, Leon Burch, Adelle Walker, Teresa Richardson and Imogene King.

Wednesday morning the ladies had manicures and in the afternoon several played dominos. The McLean Care

Center ladies auxiliary held their monthly meeting. Members attending were Louise Turner, Isabelle Cousins, Leta Mae Hess, Karen Brown and Betty Lopez. Plans were made for our Mothers Day Party and May Birthday Party.

Thursday morning the residents enjoyed their donuts furnished by Leta Mae Hess. In the afternoon the following residents attended our current events; Teresa Richardson, Lucille Cullison, Lillie Knox, Kittie Hessey, Mattie Wheeler and Pauline Miller. Refreshments were served following the session.

Our Mothers Day Party will be Thursday, May 10th at 2:30 p.m.

Many thanks to Ginger Morilla for making craft preparations for us and to Louise Turner for spending the day mending residents

McLean Briefs

Teresa Richardson's grandson, Robert Cooper, from Lubbock was here visiting over the weekend.

J. Boyd Smith has just returned from El Paso where he attended the Scottish Rite reunion for three days. There were 28 in his class.

On April 30, 1990 at Canadian, Texas the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas Most M.W. A.D. Hanna of Whichita Falls, Texas presented 50, 60, 70 and 75 year pins at a dinner that was held in the grade school cafeteria that was given by the Shriners of Perryton. About 150 people attended the dinner from the Panhandle area.

Keitha Clark grand-daughter of Jodie Thomas visited her over the weekend. She has been accepted into the medical field to be a therapist. She will be a Junior and continue her studies May 21 at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

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Local Youth

Attend FFA Convention

McLean FFA members Lisa Maul, Holly Hefley, Johnny Walker, Scooter Hutchison and David Chronister along with chapter advisor Bill Layman will attend the Area I FFA Convention at Monterey High school in Lubbock on May 11 and 12.

The purpose of the Convention is to elect area officers, state officer candidate, elect an area Talent Team and Sweetheart that will advance to the State Convention this July. There is a public speaking contest and many other awards and degrees. The Ag Science Teachers from Area I will be in committees reviewing applications and conducting interviews to select which students will win area and advance to state in such awards as Star Greenhand, Star Chapter FFA Degree, Lone Star FFA Degrees, Star Lone Star, Star Agribusinessman and the 20 some proficiency awards in

These are the awards and degrees that FFA members must apply for and be active in to be eligible for the outstanding scholarship program the Texas FFA program offers.

all projects area.

Annual Staff Report

We are very proud of the 1989-90 Annual Staff. The students have worked hard both at raising money and on the yearbook. The cost of the 1990 yearbook is approximately \$6,000 to print plus all of the additional cost of film and developing.

During the fall semester, they published a school newspaper once every six weeks, sold magazine subscriptions, sold cookie grahams at Halloween, sponsored the annual Harvest Coronation and had a marriage booth at the Halloween Carnival. In the spring, they sold valentine carnations, the yearbook and ads. All of these events were a great success only because the students and people of McLean supported each one.

At the first of the year it was suggested by the publisher that we sell our annual this year for \$20. Last year the price was \$17.50.

State FFA Horse **Judging Contest**

On April 21 the McLean FFA Horse Judging Team went to Lubbock for the State Horse Judging Contest. The team included J.T. Haynes, Lisa Maul, Holly Hefley and Chris Littlefield. Out of the 74 teams, McLean placed 20th and second in district.

Since the students worked so hard at the fund raising, we were able to sell the yearbook for \$15.00, which was less than both last year's price and our suggested price. The students worked very hard and sold 110 out of the 120 books that were ordered. As of now, it is possible for us to completely pay for this year's book. We thank you for all of your support and we thank this year's staff for all of their hard work.

The 1989-90 Annual Staff consists of Alicia Reynolds, Editor and chief; Stacie Hall, Chief Photographer; Danna Watson, Typist; Missy Young, April Judkins, Tammy Passmore, Lisa McClellan, Stacy Walker, Shartel Colpetzer, and Kathy Wyatt.

TREE PLANTING **PROJECT SUCCESS**

Citizens of the McLean area responded in great fashion to the request by city officials to plant trees in our community.

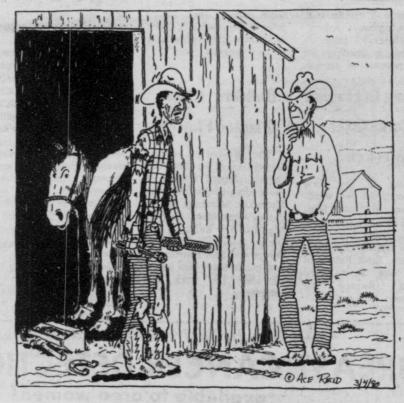
Mayor Sam Haynes reports that 1,064 trees were planted in response to President Bush's program to plant trees over our nation.

A letter was sent to the President with names of all who participated in our area.

The City wishes to thank all who made this project such a resounding success.

COWPOKES

By Ace Reid



"Been shoein' hosses!"



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Moving Sale-Stove, couch, wicker and lots more Saturday, May 5, 9:00 a.m. to? at the home of Kay Britten, 605 Eastern, Groom.

For Sale; 1984 Ford Ranger 4X4. Call Mark Bivens, 248-7010, home or 248-7471, shop.

Alpha Mu XI has one case of Schernser pecan halves left for sale. They can be purchased at "Once Upon A Time" in Groom.

Pupples to give away. Contact Janelle Sustaire at 248-7283.

DEADLINE for submiting news items, advertisements or classified ads is Tuesday Noon.

For Sale-Large family home in Groom. 3 bedroom-2 baths-central air and heat-109 Collier St. Call Jim Kingston, 358-4153 after 5:00 p.m.

> Mother's Day May 13

Turn in your orders for fresh flowers, corsages or plants at Vivian Ready-To-Wear,

Public Notice

There will be a Chapter II meeting in the office of the Superintendent of School, May 8, 1990, at 2:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss future year programming and expenditures for Chapter II funds. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Rex Peeples, Supt.

Roofing: Hall or wind roofing repairs, cedar shake and composition. Built up work as well. Call 379-8222

Garage Sale: May 5th and 6th for Pack 425 Cub Scouts at the Jasper Building, 119 N. Frost Street. Beginning Saturday 9:00 to ?, Sunday 1:00 to ?

Fisherman; Attention Memberships now available for Hideway Club Lakes. Restocked this year with three pound channel catfish. Family membership \$100.00. Call after 5:00 p.m. 806-826-5692.

BID NOTICE

McLean ISD is presently accepting bids on "Writing to Read Network Service. Specification sheet can be obtained from the business office. McLean ISD reserves the right to reject any or all

PUBLIC NOTICE

There will be a McLean ISD Cafeteria meeting in the school cafeteria May 4, 1990 at 2:30 p.m. The purpose of the meeting will be an advisory meeting. The public is cordially invited to

Sue Simmons Cafeteria Supervisor

All clubs and organizations in Carson County are reminded that the deadline for them to choose a young lady to represent them in the Miss Carson County Pageant is May 31. Contact Fran Milton at 883-2961 for more information.

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Democrat 223rd Judicial District Court Judge Lee Waters

Justice of the Peace Gray County No. 4 R. C. Parker

District Judge of 31st Judicial District Democrat M. Kent Sims

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Democrat **Carson County Judge** *Jay R. Roselius

County-District Clerk *Sue Persons

Carson Co. Treasurer *Peggy Butler Justice Of The Peace Precinct 6, Place 2 *Max Wade

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Banquet For Local Scouts

On Saturday April 28th at 7:30 p.m. the Community Center was a gayla celebration decorated by balloons and streamers by the Groom Service unit of Quivira Girl Scout Council.

Attending were family and friends of local Brownie Troop Junior Troop 212, and Cadette Girl Scout Troop 57. A delicious pot luck meal was preceded by the invocation by Cadette G.S.Rebecca Conrad. After dining, the colors were presented by Brownies and Juniors lead by Sandi Conrad, who carried the flag and Angie Conrad who commanded the Color Guard and lead the audience in the pledge of allegiance. Cadette Aimee Lyles welcomed all visitors and introduced chairwoman and Mom, Mary Sue Lyles, who presented the troops and leaders.

Brownie Troop led by Karen Brown and Belinda Britten gave a short skit using puppets representing many nations of the world that they themselves had made. Troop members received the following awards: Michele Stephens, Macie Britten, Brooke Britten, Skye Brown, Courtney Sustaire, Carrie Sue Davis, Allison Eatmon, Jodi Homen and Lynsie Pool.

Each girl was recognized for completion of two World of Well Being awards, three from World of People, one from World of Today and Tomorrow, three from the World of Outdoors and their crokie sales awards.

Karen Conract crossed the brigade, represented by a mirror pond surrounded by

Junior girl scouts were recognized for the following

Rabies--\$8.00

Heartworm check--\$10.00

Tami Ashford-Math Whiz, Home Living, Communications and technology Badges as well as 5 year pin. Cookie Sales-participation patch, Garfield clip-on, cookie mug and T-shirt.

Angie Conrad-Math Whiz, Home Living, communications, technology, 5 year pin. Cookie Sales-part. patch, Garfield clip-on.

April Burton-Math Whiz, Home Living, Communications, Technology, 5 year pin. Cookie sales-participation

patch, Garfield clip-on.
Jenny Lewis-Math Whiz,
Home Living, Communications, Technology, one year
membership star, participa-

tion patch, garfield clip-on.
Sandy Conrad-Math
Whiz, Home Living,
Communications, Technology, 1 year membership
star, participation patch and
Garfield clip-on, Bridge to
Cadette badge.

Kim Branch-Math Whiz, Home Living, Communications, Technology, 1 year membership star, participation patch, Garfield Clip-on. Bridge to Cadette badge.

Troop 57-Cadette Girl Scouts: Darcee Lyles-Membership star and Silver Leadership Award. Aimee Lyles, Melody Burton, Rebecca Conrad-All received Bridge to Senior Badge as well as membership star.

New Arrival Of Painter Great-Grandchild

A beautiful baby girl, Brittenie Shae Painter, was born April 26, 1990 at Boise City, Okla., weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs., 18 inches long. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Ray Painter.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Painter of Texarkana, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Page of Texhoma and Jackie Page of Groom.

Great-grandparents are; Mr. and Mrs. Burl Painter of Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Painter of Salt Lake City, Utah, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stembridge of Alvardo, Mr. and Mrs. Dalt Sweeney of Clarendon and Valdine Page of Lubbock.

Quivira Girl Scout Council

Celebrates 30 Years

Quivira Girl Scout Council celebrated it's 30th birthday at the Pampa Mall Saturday with more than 150 Scouts and leaders attending.

"Honoring the Past, Present and Future," each troop had a display and performed demonstrations in each booth area. Demonstrations included Kim's Game, Movers Try It, Knife Safety, Architecture Badge, painting t-shirts, homemade butter, World of Arts Dabbler Interest Patch, Knots demonstration, a camping display, aerobics, canoe interest demonstration, dances from different countries, Morse code with flags, songs, friendship bracelets, friendship pins and the Caring and Sharing Try It.

Pam Hibler was responsible for the check-in table and pins and patches. Donna Burton, Groom council president, presented the welcome and told the story of the Quivira name, Jean Duke, service unit chair of Borger, presented the new council patch to Dinah Frich of Borger. Rhonda Daniels, a Senior Girl Scout and board member, presided over the cookie sale booth. Anne Hernandez, field executive, presented the leader

recognitions. Paula Goff, Cindy Cooper and Cindy Fuller were members of the program operating unit which developed the event.

Communities represented at the celebration included nine troops from Pampa, three troops from Borger, two Canadian troops and troops from Lefors, Wellington, Groom and Fritch.

Water Stewardship Week

County Receives Report On Money Paid To Veterans

An official report showing the monetary benefits paid to veterans residing in Carson County was given to the Commissioners when they met Monday morning, April 23. The figures show that \$263.555 was paid in compensation and pension in fiscal year 1989; \$4,001 in readjustment and vocational rehab; \$44,058 in insurance and indemnities for a total of \$311.614.

Douglas Brown, executive director of the Texas Veterans Commission, said in the report, "This is an excellent barometer of the effectiveness of the valuable service you perform for the

Great-great-grandparents

are; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

Edwards of Havasu, Ariz.,

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Painter

of Groom and Ruby Parker

Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray

Painter and Elizabeth and

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Painter

traveled to Boise City, Okla.

where they visited their first

grandchild and great-

of Clarendon.

grandchild.

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veterans, their dependents and survivors in Carson County."

The Court also received a letter from Ward Brown Associates informing them that Nolan Brown had recently taken a job with Mason and Hanger at the Pantex Plant. Ward Brown is the architect in charge of the courthouse handicap accessibility project.

accessibility project,
Richard Slagle of the
Texas Association of Counties presented a safety program for elected officials
and supervisors, pointing
out the need for safety in the
workplace and discussing
various costs of accidents.
An employee safety training
session will be given at a
later date.

Education certificates earned by the commissioners were distributed by Judge Roselius, in recognition of continuing education credits received at a conference in College Station. Commissioners received 12 hours credit toward their mandated 16 hours.

The Court approved a tax refund to A&T Railroad in the amount of \$3,511.12.

The McClellan Creek Soil and Water Conservation District has announced they will join in the national observance of Soil and Water Stewardship Week to take place on April 29-May 6, 1990 according to an announcement by Aubrey Russell, chairman of the

The theme of this year's observance is "Citizens Of All Creation." This focus is especially appropriate as our need for stewardship is vital if we are to maintain the productive capabilities of our basic natural resources of soil and water. Together we must work for the good of all to utilize, conserve and properly manage those resources in our care. Participation in Soil and Water Stewardship Week activities offers an opportunity to reflect on the nation's natural renewable resource problems and consider actions to resolve them or reduce their impact.

The McClellan Creek SWCD was organized in 1960 for the purpose of offering farmers, ranchers and the local community a voluntary conservation technical assistance program through which individuals

Peter Greenhouse

could seek and request conservation assistance to meet their individual land's capabilities and needs.

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"Basically it is the district's responsibility to provide technical assistance when requested relative to proper soil use and treatment, erosion control practices, solve drainage problems and assist farmers and ranchers with crop, range and pasture land management," said Russell.

The National Association of Conservation Districts has sponsored Soil and Water Stewardship Week in the United States since 1955, in with the cooperation nation's nearly 3,000 soil and water conservation districts. Informative material on the Soil and Water Stewardship Week theme each year is distributed through local conservation districts to clergymen, lay leaders, civic and educational organizations and to individuals interested in participating

Information and materials for the 1990 observance of Soil and Water Stewardship Week can be obtained in this area from the local district

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