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Tigers Beat McLean; Now Prepare To Break 'Rule'

The Groom Tigers earned the Bi-District crown Friday night after beating McLean 47-2 in Clarendon.

Groom will face off with Rule at Silverton on Friday, November 20 at 7:30 p.m.

Rule beat Whitharral in a white knuckle game, by three points. Whitharral was the favored team by most sports writers, and had been ranked as one of the top teams in the state for most of the year.

"Rule is a big, aggressive team," stated Coach Larry Reid. "They have better than average speed as a team and they are multi-dimensional. They have a very effective long passing game and receivers with lots of speed. They are a very talented ball team and they are peaking right now. That's a position a lot of teams would like to be in!" continued Reid.

The Bi-District Champion Groom Tigers will be honored at a pep rally at 2:50 p.m. in their gym on Friday. Come on out and support the Tigers.

"The guys did a great job and were really more excited than they had been the last couple of games," stated Coach Larry Reid. "The team did a fabulous job of executing our passing game. McLean did a good job but our defense stepped up and kept them from the end zone."

Evan Crowell had a very good night, scoring the opening touchdown on a 23 yard pass from Josh Evenson. He also scored on a 31-yard pass late in the first quarter accumulating a total of 54 yards and two T.D.'s. He earned one fumble recovery and had nine unassisted tackles.

Dusty Crump scored on a fumble recovery in Groom's endzone and gained one yard with the touchdown. Dusty had two quarterback sacks and seven unassisted tackles.

Wade Ritter opened second quarter scoring with a one yard run bringing the score to 26-0. Wade also made the last touchdown with an 18 yard run in the third quarter. He carried the ball eleven times for 157 yards. He connected on

two passes for 10 yards. Ritter gained Groom a fumble recovery and had two unassisted tackles.

Jamie Shuck scored on a 30 yard pass from Josh Evenson. He received the ball twice for 40 yards total. He also scored on the extra point conversion after the preceding touchdown.

Alberto Vega ran 22 yards to score early in the third quarter. He carried the ball seven times for 38 yards.

Dean Fields was covered by McLean most of the night eliminating his scoring opportunities. He did carry the ball for 18 yards on five rushes and had five unassisted tackles.

Quarterback Josh Evenson played another fabulous game connecting on six of seven passes for three touchdowns. He had one punt return for 5 yards and one interception for 8 yards. He had two unassisted tackles.

Daniel Treadwell carried the ball two times and rushed for 14 yards. He earned one quarterback sack and two unassisted tackles.

Wyatt Weinheimer was



Coach Larry Reid proudly accepts the Bi-District trophy as the Tigers look on.

another of Groom's players that was targeted by McLean as a threat. He didn't get the opportunity to score, but he was able to sack their quarterback twice and had eight unassisted tackles.

Chris Ollinger also sacked the quarterback and had four unassisted tackles.

Clay Ritter had one unassisted tackle.

The Tigers play Rule for the Regional title this Friday night at 7:30 in Silverton.

New Co. Officials Attend Meeting

Carson County Commissioners' Court met on November 12, 1998 with all members present. All claims were approved and minutes were read and approved.

Visitors to the meeting were J.C. Watson, Kenneth Ware and Lewis Powers.

The court was informed by Judge Roselius that it was the intention of Carson County Library Supervisor, Terri Koetting to begin moving books and other items from the present White Deer Branch Library to the new building. New shelving should be installed Thursday the 12th of November and the actual move to begin Monday, November 16th.

Discussion of the purchase of a new road grader and a used truck tractor for Precinct #2 was discussed. Commissioner Smith stated that he had been saving for the purchase of the equipment for several years so he could



Dean Fields looks for an opening and makes for the goal posts at Clarendon in the Bi-District game.

pay cash for the items now as opposed to the disadvantages of financing them. After discussion of the advantages of purchasing was made to delay any See Officials, pg. 3

Community Calendar

CHRISTIAN Mothers annual Bazaar, Bake Sale, & Roast Beef Dinner will be Sunday, Nov. 22, 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

SCHOOL PICTURE retakes will be on Tuesday, Nov. 24 beginning at 12:30 in the auditorium.

A **PEP RALLY** will be held on Friday, Nov. 20 in the gym at 2:50 p.m. Come to support the Tigers in their playoff bid.

GROOM SCHOOL will begin Thanksgiving Holidays on Nov. 25. School will be dismissed on Nov. 24 at the regular time.

THE GIRLS Junior Varsity and Varsity teams will play on against Claude, here, Saturday instead of Friday at 6:30 and 8:00 respectively, due to the football playoffs on Friday night.

TUESDAY PRICES AT ATTEBURY GRAIN CO.
Wheat-\$2.80
Milo-\$3.46
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No Moisture Reported This Week

Council Sets Dec. 14th For Judging Christmas Lights

The Groom City Council met in regular monthly business session with the following members and visitors present: Mayor Joe Homer; Aldermen: Pete Ham, Mary Margaret Brooks, Ellis Stapp, Don Case, and Jimmy Britten; visitors were City employees Donnie Evans and Mary Sue Lyles.

The minutes of the October 13 meeting were read and approved as read.

The Council approved a motion to pay the bills and approved the financial statement.

After the final reading of Ordinance #181, providing for the issuance of a street excavation permit for alley and street excavations, the ordinance was adopted. Discussion of the

ordinance dealing with application for connection, contents, meter deposit of the City of Groom was held. The ordinance will be presented at the next regular City Council meeting for the final reading and approval.

The Council agreed to get estimates for the installation of rain gutters on the north side of the Community Center building and to allow the Mayor to go ahead and contract the job, if the cost estimates are reasonable.

The Christmas Lighting Contest will be judged December 14th. Judging will begin on Friday night and continue through the weekend. Contest awards will be 1st prize \$25.00, 2nd prize \$15.00, and 3rd

prize \$10.00.

The Council agreed to sell the City's surplus computer equipment by sealed bid. Bids to be accepted until December 1, 1998 and to be opened at the December meeting. A printer that is no longer in use is to be junked.

Ellis Stapp moved and Jimmy Britten seconded the motion to accept the resignation of Ben Ingham from the GED board and to appoint Phillis Jackson to fill the vacancy on the Board of Directors. All members present voted ayes.

Ellis Stapp moved and Jimmy Britten seconded the motion to not take any action regarding complaints about roller blading on Main Street. Ellis Stapp, Mary

See Council, pg. 12

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Local Happenings

Crump Inducted Into College Honor Society
 Heather Crump of Groom was recently inducted into the Amarillo College Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, the national two-year college honor society.

Nellie Painter had knee surgery this past week.

Card Of Thanks
 Our heartfelt thanks for the many cards, phone calls, visits, flowers and especially your prayers during the recent loss of our beloved Mother.
 The Family of
 Loyce Jacobs Bond

Groom Birthdays Anniversaries
 November 19 - Larry Brown, Carey Britten, Karla Ann Howard, Kecie Sue Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Howard (A).
 November 20 - James D. Robinson, Cody Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Friemel (A).
 November 21 - Gordon Schaffer, Gregory Lamb, Karen Reid, Heather Crump, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bichsel (A).
 November 22 - Herman Leven, John Weinheimer.
 November 24 - C.L. Wieberg, Kyler Blaine Barkley, Mr. and Mrs. David Brusio (A).
 November 25 - Christopher Ollinger, John Mark Baggerman, Donald Bland.

Groom School Lunch Menu

November 23 -27
 Monday Breakfast: Pancakes, peanut butter, sausage, juice, milk.
 Cold cereal, muffins, Lunch: Turkey, noodles, juice, milk. Lunch: mixed vegetables, cheese
 Chicken strips, mashed zombies, apple slices
 potatoes, green beans, hot w/caramel sauce, milk.
 rolls, rice krispie, milk. Wednesday, Thursday
 Tuesday Breakfast: and Friday are Holidays!

THANK YOU
The family of Evelyn Hubbard wish to thank all her friends for their kind support and friendship. Mother enjoyed living in Groom and loved being a member of the community.

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 7:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. for \$7.50.

Texas Department Of Health will be here Nov. 19 giving immunizations to children needing them from 2:00 p.m. til 4:00 p.m. at the clinic.

Friemel Hired As School Secretary
Julie Friemel was recently hired as school secretary, replacing Sharolyn Kerlee. Kerlee is giving up the position to spend more time at home and preparing for an addition to her family. Julie comes to the position with experience having been the school secretary several years ago. Welcome back Julie. We'll miss you Sharolyn!

Groom fans will be the visiting team Friday night against Rule in Silverton.

Teams To Compete In Lefors Tournament

Groom's Junior High basketball teams will be competing in the Lefors Invitational Tournament on November 19th and 21st.

The Junior High girls begin playing at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday against Lakeview. The winner of that game will play at 3:30 Saturday, the loser at 10:00 a.m.

The boys play at 5:15 p.m. against Lakeview. The winner will play at 4:45 on Saturday, the loser at 11:15 a.m. on Saturday.

Groom Honor Roll 2nd Six Weeks

A Honor Roll
Grade 4: Thane Barkley, Blaine Britten, Karla Howard, Kecia Howard, James Reid.

Grade 5: Katy Britten, Malorie Homen.

Grade 6: Magan Bivens, Adam Britten.

Grade 7: Clay Britten, Grade 8: Jill Britten, Lauren Crowell, Doug Fields.

Grade 9: Candace Bohr, Garrett Britten, John Carroll, Hugh Weinheimer.

Grade 10: Marci Babcock, Brooke Britten.

Grade 11: Dustin Babcock, Travis Britten, Sarah Hutsell.

Grade 12: Karen Conrad, Dean Fields, Jessica Stapp, Wyatt Weinheimer.

A-B Honor Roll
Grade 4: Joel Horn, Berkle Ruthardt.

Grade 5: Sharri Britten, Gailynn Drewery.

Grade 6: Chance Barkley, Ashley Jackson.

Grade 7: Joaenea Horn, Caren Howard, Jennifer Jenkins, Britteny Martin, Calvin Schaffer, Lillian Wakefield, Owen Weinheimer, Carol Wilson.

Grade 8: Cody Babcock, Brett Britten, Brin Burgin, Amanda Conrad, Stephany Fraser, Amanda Martin, Lance Ollinger.

Grade 9: Cassie Ashford, Staci Barnett, Cody Bivens, Karri Britten, Wyatt Britten, Krisanne Davis, Luke Pavlovsky, Clay Ritter.

Grade 10: Macie Britten, Skye Brown, Dewayne Gray, Michele Stephens, Courtney Sustaire, Grant Weinheimer.

Grade 11: Evan Crowell, Jodi Homen, Jessica Kepley, Chris Ollinger, Wade Ritter, Josiah Scott.

Grade 12: Sara Britten, Kori Brown, Joshua Evenson, Jacey Richardson, Sam Thomas, Daniel Treadwell, Alberto Vega, Dara Whatley.

Officials

equipment purchases at this time.

Judge Roselius informed the court that according to information from the tax office 56.44% of county taxes have been collected to date.

The court approved the release of a \$100,000.00 safekeeping receipt from State National Bank of Groom. The receipt will be replaced with a new \$100,000.00 pledge.

The votes from the November 3, 1998 General Election were canvassed by the court.

Judge Roselius reminded the court of the upcoming holidays in November which will be Nov. 26th and 27th, Thanksgiving Day.

Court adjourned until November 9th, 1998.

Regional Playoff

Groom Tigers kick off at 7:30 p.m., Friday, against the Rule Bobcats in Silverton.



Smithson - McLaughlin To Exchange Vows

James and Katrina Smithson and Forrest and Patti McLaughlin are pleased to announce the engagement of their children, Jacquelyn Michelle and Daniel Paul.

Nuptials are planned for December 19, 1998 at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Amarillo.

The bride attended Amarillo College and is working toward a degree in secondary education. She currently works at J.D. Morgan's.

The groom graduated from Amarillo College with an Associates degree

in Electronic Instrumentation. He is currently employed by William's Energy Services in Hobbs, New Mexico.

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Gustavo Caro is joined by his proud parents as Groom fans honor seniors and their parents.

Groom Tips Off Basketball Season, Junior High Girls Beat White Deer

Groom Junior High kicked off basketball season Monday night against White Deer.

Girl's Coach Shirley Fields stated she was very pleased with the excellent start the girls have made.

"They came out aggressive and played excellent defense," she reported.

In the 7th grade girls game, Groom won handily 39-27. Carol Wilson led the scoring with 16 points. Caren Howard had 12 and Britteny Martin 9.

The Eighth Grade team also showed their determination winning 47-26. High point was Jill

Britten with 16 points. Amanda Conrad had 8, and Staci Britten had 5. Brin Burgin, Lauren Crowell, and Amanda Martin each earned 4 points. Kira Broadway, Stephany Fraser and Lainie Britten each scored 2 points.

In the boys match up the Groom Cubs just have come out of football season and were a little slow getting started. Cody Babcock was high point with 6 points. Lance Ollinger earned another 5 and Brett Britten scored 3 points. Clay Britten and Doug Fields each had 2. The boys lost 18-33.

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SHURFINE WHOLE SPEARS **Asparagus** 15 OZ. **1 00**

SHURFINE WHOLE OR ITALIAN CUT **Green Beans** 2 14.5 OZ. CANS **99¢**

SHURFINE SLICED PICKLED **Beets** 16 OZ. **89¢**

SHURFINE DECORATED 6 OZ. **Paper Bowls** 24 CT. **1 29**

WASHINGTON EX-FANCY **Red Delicious Apples** 3 LBS. **\$1**

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WASHINGTON EX-FANCY GOLDEN DELICIOUS **Apples** LB. **49¢**

FRESH **Cranberries** 12 OZ. PKG. **1 69**

FRESH **Broccoli** LB. **69¢**

CRISP **Cauliflower** EA. **99¢**

GREEN **Onions** 3 BUNCHES **89¢**

SWEET **Potatoes** LB. **59¢**

MEDIUM OR LARGE YELLOW **Onions** 4 LBS. **1 00**

LARGE STALK **Crisp Celery** 3 FOR **\$1**

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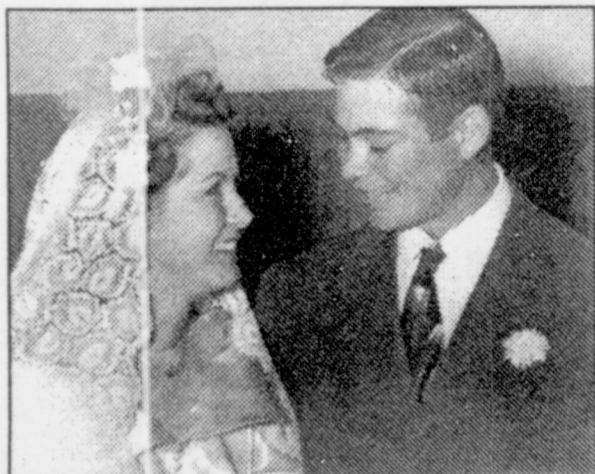
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Obituaries

Lucille Merrick Attends Dallas Wedding

Lucille Merrick attended the wedding of Henry Merrick's grandson Lauren H. Melton. He is the son of Marlys Merrick. The wedding was held at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church on November 14. Lauren married Jennifer Ann Quigney. The reception was held at the Petroleum Club in downtown Dallas. Lucille also had the opportunity to visit with Henry Merrick during the trip.



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George H. Loner
George H. Loner, 71, of Amarillo, died Saturday, November 14, 1998.

Services were in First United Methodist Church in Groom with the Rev. James A. Sinyard, pastor of Carpenter's Church in Pampa, and the Rev. Ronald Sinyard of Pampa officiating. Burial was in Groom Cemetery by Schooler Funeral Home, Armstrong Chapel, Claude.

Mr. Loner was born in Roswell, Georgia. He served in the Army during World War II in the German theater. In both Georgia and Texas, he was a paint contractor. He lived in Groom for 21 years before moving to Amarillo four years ago. He was a Baptist.

He married Margaret Crowe in 1947 at Dallas. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Denise Loner.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Patricia Ratteree and Tammy Robison, both of Groom, and Bonnie Maugh of Illinois; four sons, Robin Loner and Mike Loner, both of Groom, Randy Loner of Franklin, Georgia, and Carl Silvey of Amarillo; his father, Harry Loner of Lutherville, Georgia; a sister, Heneritta Elsner of Mableton, Georgia; a brother, Herbert Loner of Mableton; 17 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Loyce Jacobs Bond
PAMPA - Loyce Jacobs Bond, 82, died Wednesday, November 11, 1998.

Services were in Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Randy Land, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cotton Center, officiating. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Mrs. Bond was born in Honeygrove and had lived in Pampa since 1937. She graduated in 1932 from Plainview High School and in 1933 from Lipperts Business School, Plainview. She was a Methodist.

She married Pete Bond in 1939 in Enid, Oklahoma. They were the owners and operators of Pete Bond Meat Processing. He died in 1969.

Survivors include three daughters, Judy Hawkins of Cedar Hill, Honey Kempf of Groom, and Dixie Danner of Pampa; three sons, Jerry Dobbs of Pampa, Danny Bond of Sun Valley, Nevada, and Beau Bond of Seattle; four sisters, Mae Moon of Ballinger, Roni Li Huskey of Duncanville, Evelyn Couch of Plainview and Gwenelle Carter of Newport Beach, California; 13 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.



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Sat., Nov. 28th - 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

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DUE TO THE
Holidays the News will have an early deadline next week. Everything needs to be in by 5:00 p.m. on Monday.

"Tiger" Channel and see why these games were "blocked out" in Groom.

Mr. Flowers stated that Residents with satellite dishes, however, were not touch with Fox Sports to blocked out.

Cable TV Blackout Upsets

Subscribers

Last weekend, cable subscribing football fans were very upset to find that the Texas A&M football game and the Texas Tech game was "blocked out."

Bill Flowers, a regional manager for Classic Cable, stated, "The football leagues have rules concerning the broadcast of games within a certain radius that would be considered 'home area'. However, I don't know what those rules are and have no idea why they would be blocked out."

Considering that Lubbock is nearly 175 miles from Groom and College Station is several hundred miles away, 'home area' hardly seems reasonable.

"I'm very concerned that our City residents are having to pay for a service that they are not getting. We pay Classic Cable to provide certain television channels to us," commented Mayor Joe Homer. Other complaints concerning Classic Cable have been surfacing, such as fewer channels in the "basic" package than that of other towns, like Claude; incorrect or "false advertising" of available additional channels on the local

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City To Purchase Woodchipper

The City Council of McLean met in regular session Tuesday, November 10, 1998 in the City Hall. The meeting was called to order by the Mayor and opened with an invocation by Sam Haynes at 7:00 p.m. with the following members present: Bob Martin, Sam Haynes, Ford Smith, Jr., Jim McDonald and Charles McClendon. Gordon Shepler was absent.

Others present were Fred Smith, Toni Bohlar, Allen Mixon, Vonda Averett, Kevin Johnson, Ray Kirkland, Martin Graham, David Haynes, James Race, and Gary Workman.

The minutes of the October meetings were approved.

All motions were unanimously approved

unless otherwise stated. The council voted to buy a pump-jack and other needed equipment from Damor Supply at the price of \$12,500.00 to put on one of the city's gas wells to increase production.

Regarding one of the citizen's delinquent accounts, it was voted to first send them letters asking them to cooperate with the city's ordinances before taking legal action.

The council decided that temporarily, the EDC would cease any activity until January. At the December meeting the EDC, it's by-laws and board members are going to be re-evaluated, reassessed and reassigned.

The council voted to accept Caprock Vermeer's bid price on their wood chipper of \$22,412.00, which will be paid for

with a grant received through PRPC.

David Haynes, James Race and Gary Workman were here with Southern Farm Bureau to present a proposal to the council concerning the city's retirement plan. The city's current retirement plan is carried through another agency, but there is some concerns that it may not meet the city's future needs. It was decided to contact the current agent and get more information from them before the council decides what action to take.

Vonda Averett with the Chamber of Commerce was here to get the council's approval to paint the poles that the Christmas decorations are put on, and also to inform them of some of

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Mark and Kim Cadra participated in the Parental Involvement Day at McLean School by having lunch with their son.

Junior High Students Honor Veterans With Music Program

The McLean Jr. High honored the veterans of the United States, as well as parents, friends and teachers, with a patriotic music program on Thursday night in the High School Auditorium. Musical selections such as: This Is My County; This Land Is Your Land; My Country Tis Of Thee; and The United States; were sung by the sixth, seventh and eighth graders, under the direction of Mrs. Judith Watson.

Drew Barker narrated the program. Kendall Newton and Tami Marsh sang solo parts and Young Americans were played by Terrence Fite, Trent Cadra, Bron Bohlar

and Katrina Routon. Critics of the concert were played by Lucas Seymour, Skyler

Ferguson, Jami Seitz, Jeremy Tidwell, Tyler Hanes, and Mitch Steward.

The choir consisted of Ashley McClendon, Jennifer Greer, Derek Best, Ben Reyna, D.J. Graybeal, Robert Brass, Jeff Lee, Traci Rigsby, Valerie Bradley, Jon Smith, Sarai Sawyer, Jay Wallis, Jaclyn Grigsby, Sonny Northcutt, Amanda Hauck, Robyn Weaver, Josh Seymour, Reo Dennis, Delinda Simpson, Dusty Moody, Bryan Graybeal, Danielle

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Basketball Season Opens

The McLean Jr. High started it's basketball season Monday afternoon against the Hedley Owls. The girl's team was out scored by Hedley 50-8. Scoring for McLean was Kendall Newton with 2 points, Shaley Steel with 4 points and Jennifer Greer with 2 points.

The McLean boys team fared better against

Hedley winning the game 26-24. Scoring for McLean was Sonny Northcutt with 10 points, Josh Seymour with 4 points, Drew Barker with 10 points and Dusty Moody with 2 points.

The next Junior High game is against Ft. Elliott, here on November 30th at 6:00 p.m.

Parents Get Involved At McLean ISD

Principal's and teachers along with the students at McLean I.S.D. welcomed parents and guardians on November 12th, a day which Governor Bush declared Parental Involvement Day in Texas Public Schools.

Many parents showed their support for the day by having lunch with their children in the school's cafeteria. You could also find moms, dads and grandparents playing with the children on the school's playground.

The kid's proudly showed off their school and the things that they have learned since school began in August. If you missed this day with your child, the school welcomes you to come at anytime and participate in school activities.

McLean Reminders...

EARLY DEADLINE!
News needs to be in by 5 pm Monday because of the holidays.

THE McLEAN School
Board meeting will be on Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. in the Business Office.

HIGH SCHOOL
Basketball against Ft. Elliott will be here 4:00 p.m. on November 20th.

KINDERGARTEN
and 1st Grade Music program will be Nov. 24th at 2 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

THE PIONEER Study
Club will meet Nov. 19 at 2 p.m. in the Church of Christ Annex.

HIGH SCHOOL
basketball against Miami, there at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 24.

McLEAN CARE
Center will be holding a bake sale on Sat., Nov. 21st from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Tigers End Football Season

The McLean Tigers faced the Groom Tigers in Bi-District play last Friday night in Clarendon. Unfortunately for the McLean Tigers the night ended sooner than expected when the Groom team outscored them 47-2 in the third quarter.

The McLean Tigers end the season with the following statistics for regular season play.

Passing - Ike Hanes: 29 completions, 92 attempts, 420 yards, 6 interceptions, 4 T.D.'s.

Chris Hauck: 9 completions, 17 attempts, 59 yards, 1 T.D.

Team: 38 completions, 109 attempts, 479 yards, 6 interceptions, 5 T.D.'s.

Rushing - Ike Hanes: 202 carries, 1,660 yards, 28 T.D.'s.

Frankie Sparling: 31 carries, 238 yards, 3 T.D.'s.

Aaron Rice: 20 carries, 152 yards, 4 T.D.'s.

Sy Brown: 19 carries, 123 yards, 5 T.D.'s.

Gabe Vega: 21 carries, 108 yards.

Charlie Carter: 9 carries, 24 yards, 1 T.D.

Chris Hauck: 21 carries, 2 yards.

Bradley Sawyer: 1 carry, 6 yards.

Brian Fuller: 1 carry, 2 yards.

Team: 325 carries, 2,316 yards, 41 T.D.'s.

Receiving -

Chris Hauck: 16 receptions, 209 yards, 1 T.D.

Frankie Sparling: 11 receptions, 157 yards, 2 T.D.'s.

Aaron Rice: 3 receptions, 41 yards, 1 T.D.

Brian Fuller: 3 receptions, 38 yards.

Charlie Carter: 2 receptions, 40 yards.

Gabe Vega: 1 reception, 15 yards.

Randy Floyd: 1 reception, 10 yards.

Bradley Sawyer: 1 reception, 9 yards, 1 T.D.

Total yards 2,795, Total points scored 369.

Scoring: Ike Hanes: 32 (TDs) 192 points.

Aaron Rice 6 (TDs) 6 2-points, 1-point; 49 points.

Sy Brown: 5 (TDs) 11 2-points; 52 points.

Chris Hauck: 21 carries, 2 yards.

Bradley Sawyer: 1 carry, 6 yards.

Brian Fuller: 1 carry, 2 yards.

Team: 325 carries, 2,316 yards, 41 T.D.'s.

Frankie Sparling: 5 (TDs) 4 1-point; 34 points.

Charlie Carter: 1 (TD) 2 1-point; 8 points.

Brian Fuller: 1 (TD), 1 1-point; 8 points.

Gabe Vega: 1 (TD) 6 points.

Chris Hauck 1 (TD) 6 points.

Bradley Sawyer: 1 (TD) 6 points.

Mark Bolton: 1 (TD) 1 point.

Terrell Hembree: 1 1-point, one point.

Team Defense: Points allowed: 295. Rushing: 277 carries, 1,655 yards.

Passing: 77 completions, 169 attempts, 1,123 yards, 12 interceptions, 18 touchdowns. Total yards 2,778.

The following is a list of tackles for each player: Aaron Rice 17; Ike Hanes 43; Chris Hauck 86; Frankie Sparling 74; Brian Fuller

78; Gabriel Vega 57; Randy Floyd 13; Mark Bolton 5; Brad Sawyer 26; Charlie Carter 38; Chris Sparling 3; Sy Brown 20; Terrell

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Briefs

Several of the McLean students' perfect spelling tests can be seen on the wall at Yummies Pizza in Pampa.

Willie Mae Carter and Mildred Hill were here from Arkansas visiting family and friends this past week.

McLean Birthdays & Anniversaries

November 19 - Essie Howard, Amanda Loya, Mary Lou Glass, Ray Dwyer, Waldean Cheatham, Jeremy Thomas, Eva Knutson.

November 20 - Valerie Joiner, Edith Bybee, Walter Staton, Sammy & Judy Houdyshell (A).

November 21 - Destry Magee.

November 22 - Dale Barker, Seth Brown, David Crockett, Robin Luna.

November 23 - Freda Holland, Evelyn Hunt, Ann Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Longino.

November 24 - Sophie Hutchinson, Velma Cornell Kinard, Robert Sarderson, Jesse Coleman.

November 25 - Bill Hambright, Terri Lee.

Look Who's New!

Proud parents Bryan and Sonora Johnson of Hico, Tx. announce the arrival of Carson Emmitt Johnson, born on Nov. 1, 1998 at 7:38 p.m. in Stephenville, Tx. He weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz, and was 20 1/2" long.

Grandparents are Jerry and Linda Bratton of Voca, Texas, Gerald and Lynn Johnson of McLean, Tx., and Alfred and LaVonda Brinkley of Erick, Ok. Great-grandparents are Lucy Fleming and Shelby Johnson.

You May Be Over The Hill If . . .

By Lena Carter
Spring tonic's were sassafras teas or sulphur and molasses.

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When "Medicine Woman" was somebody's granny in the community; some of her remedies, whew!

History repeat! Your school shoes were high top lace up brogans.

Your best school dress was protected with a pinafore to wear over it.

Taking the steel rim off a small wagon or cart and making a tee with a long handle. You could chase that thing all day.

Pioneer Study Club Gets In Holiday Spirit

The Pioneer Study Club met in the conference room of the McLean Lovett Memorial Library on November 5, 1998. President Lynn Reeves conducted a short business meeting. The

minutes were read and approved. Roll call was answered with a favorite Christmas gift. The club Christmas program has been changed to December 17th.

Susi Thompson presented a program discussing ideas and catalogues for interesting and different Christmas gifts for children and adults. She concluded with the story "The Polar Express" by Chris Van Allsburg.

Susi was also the hostess and served banana bread, cranberry bread, candy cane cookies and coffee to Patty Brass, Jerry Corbin, Mary Dwyer, Bonnie Nell Fabian, Margaret Grogan, Mickey Jackson, Wanda Lamb, Amy Herring, Ruth Magee, Zelda McClellan, Beverly Odom, Ella Mae Reyna, Lynn Reeves, Ruth Trew, Nama Webb and Mary Emma Woods. Guests were Becca Reyna, Bailey Herring, Katie Lane Thompson and Ben Thompson.

Former Resident Passes Away

Jim Butrum
KILGORE - Services for Mr. Jim Butrum, 54, of Kilgore were held Tuesday, November 17, 1998 at the Chandler Street Church of Christ in Kilgore with Herb Butrum and Clinton Brazle officiating.

Mr. Butrum was born May 20, 1944 in Pampa, Texas. He died Saturday, November 14, 1998 at Roy H. Laird Hospital in Kilgore. He was a graduate of McLean High School and attended Abilene Christian University. He was a salesman for Dusty Rhodes Ford in Kilgore

as well as being a well-known rancher and horseman. Among his many accomplishments he was a finalist at the World Championship AQHA Team Penning competition for several years as well as holding many High Point, Top Ten and First Place honors in area associations, such as, ITPA, TPA, USTPA, BTPA, LSTPA and SWTPA.

His father Harold Dean Butrum and a brother Melvin Butrum preceded him in death.

His survivors include his fiance, Terri Howard; mother and step father, Delma Butrum Brazle and Clinton Brazle of Bozeman, Montana; a son and daughter-in-law Matthew and Kelli Butrum of Liberty City;

a brother and sister-in-law, Herbert and Alice Butrum of Houston; step brothers and sisters, Mike Brazle of Springfield, MO., Mark Brazle of Tallmadge, OH., Paul Brazle of Antwerp, Belgium; Peter Brazle of Madison Heights, MT.; Mindy Benoit of Ottawa,

Ontario; Marilyn Muller of Dauphin, Manitoba; aunt and uncle, Wendell and Barbara York of Kilgore; a granddaughter, Shihala Butrum of Liberty City, as well as several nieces, nephews, cousins and other loving family and friends.

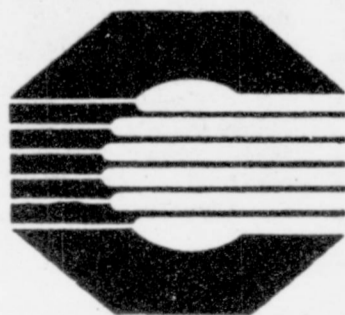
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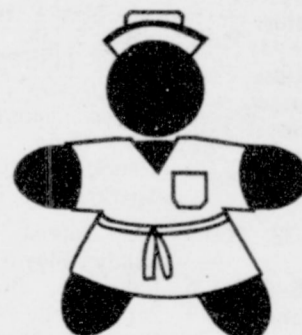
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McLean Care Center News

Sunday activities for the residents began with Sunday School with the Methodist Friendship Class. In the afternoon the residents attended church with the Church of Christ. Those attending were Florence

Drake, Essie Howard, Truman Goodlett, Vernee Bowling, Ruby Myers, Essie Knowles, Pat Seymour, Dorothy Patterson, Gladys Andrews, Pansy Mounce, Polly Burnett, Glynda Martin, Thelma Finson,

Davis Simmons, Lillie Billingsley, Jess Coleman, Varnie Lowe, Don York, Duella Beverly, Mable Dickey, Ora Billingsley, Emma Graham and Loma Gibbs. Monday morning was nail care for the residents. Also on Monday a photographer

was at the Care Center and most of the residents had their picture taken. In the afternoon the residents played bingo, assisted by Betty Lowe. They enjoyed bananas furnished by the Lion's Club.

Tuesday morning was craft time for residents. Games of dominoes were enjoyed by some later in the afternoon while others did crafts.

Wednesday morning visiting and refreshments were enjoyed at Wednesday morning circle. The Methodist ice cream social was enjoyed in the afternoon.

Thursday included beach ball toss and later on games of bingo.

Saturday was the birthday party with seven celebrants: Ruby Myers, Pansy Mounce, Eula Morrow, Essie Howard, Joe Taylor, Jess Coleman and Versie Collie. Entertainment was furnished by Jan Watts, Jess's daughter and son-in-law.



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Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:50a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Sun Sr. High Youth Alpha Chi 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Choir 7:00 p.m.

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McLean Junior High Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
11-16	Hedley	Here	6:00
11-30	Ft. Elliott	Here	6:00
12-7	Samnorwood	There	6:00
1-7	Groom	Here	4:00*
1-11	Hedley	There	6:00
1-18	Ft. Elliott	There	6:00
1-21/23	Shamrock 7th Grade	Tourney	
1-25	Groom	There	4:00*
1-28/30	Miami Tournament		
2-1	Samnorwood	Here	6:00
2-5/7	Hedley Tournament		

* 4 Games will be played, if possible. If not, time may be subject to change.

McLean High School Basketball

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
11-17	Follett		4:00*
11-20	Ft. Elliott	Here	4:00*
11-24	Miami	There	4:00*
12-1	Higgins	There	6:30
12-3-5	Miami Tourney		TBA
12-10/12	Samnorwood Tour.	There	TBA
12-15	Pampa JV	Here	6:30
12-18	Allison	There	6:30
1-5	Miami	Here	4:00
1-8	Samnorwood	There	4:00
1-12	Lefors	Here	6:30
1-15	Hedley	There	6:30
1-19	Silverton	There	4:00
1-22	Groom	Here	4:00
1-26	Samnorwood	Here	4:00
1-29	Lefors	There	6:30
2-2	Hedley	Here	6:30
2-5	Silverton	Here	4:00
2-9	Groom	There	4:00

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Cub Scouts Assist In Flag Flying Duties

Several McLean Cub Scouts from Pack 425 assisted Tom Trostle and Garth Thomas in picking up the American flags that were flying in front of local businesses in McLean on Veteran's Day.

Those in addition to Tom Trostle and Garth Thomas were Daniel Conners, Jacob Conners, Toby Focken, Dustin Lee, Evan McMordie, Zachary Odom, Lucas Webb, and Tanner Wilhelm, also Doyle Lee and L.H. Webb.

After picking up the flags and returning them to the McLean VFW hall, the Scouts participated in a flag lowering and flag folding ceremony led by Mr. Trostle and Mr. Thomas. The Scouts then enjoyed a treat of hot cocoa.

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Veteran

Montoya, and Allison Hill.

After the program, the choir gave all the veterans and the women of the ladies auxiliary a personally made flag in honor of the freedom, that we as Americans, share in every day.

Football

Hembree 1; Ryan Swanson 2; Ricky Smith 4; Jared Rice 11.
Brian Fuller and Charlie Carter each had a blocked punt during the season.

Gray County Commissioner James Hefley has been appointed to represent Gray County on the Board of Directors of the Gray County Appraisal District Board.

Stacie Brainard and her mother Terri Hall, along with Stacie's twin girls stayed with Lorin Hall in the dorms at Texas Tech this past week.

Billy Jack Bailey is home from the hospital.

City

their plans on what they are going to do with the grant money they had received, which would be used on main street and along Route 66.

The council voted to transfer \$258.00 from General Fund to the Fireman's Retirement Pension to pay the annual retirement checks.

The council voted to place an ad in the papers seeking a bank depository for the city funds, and to open the responses at the next meeting.

A question concerning the city's policy on paying an incentive for a water license was brought

before the council to be clarified. At this time, the council agreed that the \$50.00 monthly incentive is for a C water license and no additional incentive is to be paid when upgrading from a D to C license. The council also agreed to place this on a future agenda to work out schedules for licenses and incentives.

The council voted to appoint Sam Haynes as a director on the Gray County Appraisal District Board representing the City of McLean.

The council agreed to give full time employees a \$100.00 Christmas bonus and part time a \$50.00 bonus, which was a budgeted expense. It was decided to have a Christmas dinner at the Red River on December 22nd at 6:30 p.m. The December council meeting was also changed to December 9th at 7:00 p.m. due to so many other activities being held in that month.

The council voted to pay the current bills.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:30 p.m.

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Annie B. Kirk, Deceased, were issued on November 16, 1998, in Cause No. 3266, pending in the County Court of Carson County, Texas, to: Ivan Wayne (Buddy) Kirk.

The residence of the Independent Executor is 2903 Camille Drive, College Station, Brazos County, Texas; the post office address is: Estate of Annie B. Kirk, Deceased c/o: Marshall Sherwood Attorney at Law P.O. Box 947 Panhandle, Texas 79068-0947

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 16th day of November, 1998. Sherwood and Sherwood Attorneys at Law Marshall Sherwood SBN 18255000 P.O. Box 947 Panhandle, TX 79068 Telephone: 806 537-3591 Facsimile: 806 537-3592 s/Marshall Sherwood Attorney for the Estate

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2nd Grade A Honor Roll Taylor Aderholt, Kathy Aler, Jessica Baggerman, Hannah Hopkins, Alex Hutto, and Brodie Peters.

A-B Honor Roll: Cody Schiffman.
Special Effort: Taylor Aderholt - 100 Average in Science and Social Studies, Jessica Baggerman - 101 Average in English and 100 Average in Spelling, Hannah Hopkins - 100 Average in English and Spelling and Alex Hutto - 100 Average in Spelling.

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A-B Honor Roll: Taylor Smith
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Special Effort: Abbi Aderholt - 100 Average in Spelling, Chandon Wilson - 100 Average in Science.

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Health. Tiffany Edwards - 100 Average in Spelling, Science, Social Studies, and Health. Greg Steele - 100 average in Spelling. Angela Watson - 100 average in Spelling and Social Studies.

Carson County 4-H Favorite Food Show

Carson County 4-H had it's annual Favorite Food Show Saturday, November 14th at the War Memorial Building in Panhandle. Twenty-nine 4-H'ers participated. The first place winners will advance to District competition on December 12th in Amarillo.

The Junior Main Dish 1st place winner was Graham Hillhouse; Josie Dudenhoeffer captured the 2nd place spot; and Taylor Drewery of Groom came in 3rd. Russell McCown of White Deer received a Participation Ribbon.

The Junior Breads and Cereal category 1st place and Junior Best Record went to Jason Sinclair, 2nd place Chance Barkley of Groom, 3rd place to Molly Murdock.

The Junior Snack category 1st place winner and Best Rookie was Ryan Vance, 2nd place Shea Craig of White Deer, 3rd place Hannah Murdock and Participation Ribbon to Berklee Ruthardt of Groom.

Intermediate age group Main Dish 1st place winner was Erik Vance and 2nd place went to Lanie Britten of Groom.

Intermediate Breads and Cereals 1st place winner was Lindsey McCown.

Intermediate Snacks 1st place winner was Rebecca Sinclair and 2nd place Trey Dudenhoeffer.

Senior Main Dish 1st place was Brooke Britten of Groom; 2nd place Elise McCown of White Deer.

Senior Breads and Cereals 1st place winner was Cynthia Britten.

Senior Fruits and Vegetables Best Record went to Amanda Sinclair.

Senior Nutritious Snacks 1st place winner was Macie Britten of Groom.

Early Deadline

There will be an early deadline for the News next week due to the holiday. Everything needs to be in by 5:00 p.m. on Monday.

Council

Margaret Brooks, Jimmy Britten, and Pete Ham voted ayes and Don Case voted no.

The aldermen went into Executive session at 8:25 p.m. to discuss drilling the new water well and came out at 8:40 p.m.

No action was taken on the executive session.

With no further business the board adjourned.

Legal Notice

The Carson County Commissioner's Court is taking bids on the following:

Multi-Peril insurance coverage on various county buildings, Auto Insurance and General Liability Insurance.

Specifications can be obtained from the Carson County Judge in his office in the Carson County Courthouse, Panhandle, Texas.

This procedure and notice is in accordance with Chapter 262 of the Local Government Code, Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated which requires publication of this notice for at least three consecutive weeks immediately preceding the day of the scheduled bid opening. Bids are to be delivered to Jackie West, County Auditor of Carson

County, Texas, prior to 10:00 a.m., on Monday, December 14, 1998, the date and time at which such bids shall be publicly opened, read and considered by the Commissioner's Court. The Court shall award the contract to the responsible bidder who submits the lowest and best bid, or reject all bids and publish a new notice or take such other action as is authorized by said Local Government Code. Additionally, the award of the contract, if at all, shall be made to the responsible offeror whose proposal is determined to be the lowest evaluated offer resulting from negotiation, taking into consideration the relative importance of price and other evaluation factors in accordance with Section 262.030 of said Code.

I would like to Thank You, the residents of Carson County, for your vote in the General Election. I will continue to run the tax office in a professional & efficient manner. Your votes are appreciated and again I Thank You!
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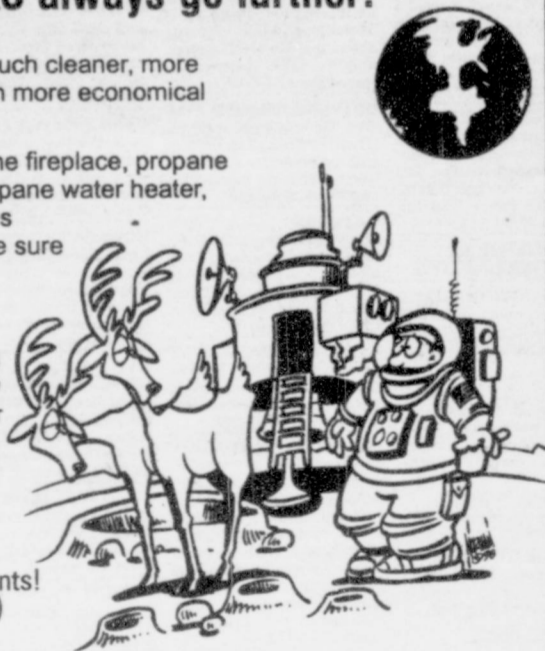
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