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Coke Fair Friday, Saturday

Robertson New Sheriff

Douglas Robertson, 33, has been chosen to become Coke County sheriff on Oct. 1. He will succeed Melvin Childress, who has resigned, effective Oct. 1.

Robertson is a native of Coke County and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robertson. He is presently employed by the Department of Public Safety in San Angelo as a dispatcher.

Selection of Robertson was made Thursday of last week when the county commissioners met in special session. They accepted Childress' resignation at the same meeting.

Robertson was born and lived in the Friendship community northwest of Robert Lee until he was grown. He graduated from Robert Lee High School in 1959. He attended the game warden school at Texas A&M in 1961 and served as a game warden with the Texas Parks and Wildlife De-

partment at Pecos from September 1961 until March 1964, when he transferred to the Department of Public Safety.

Services Thursday For B. D. Dunn

Funeral services for B. D. (Burgess) Dunn, 84, were held Thursday at 3 p.m. in Tennyson Baptist Church. The pastor, the Rev. C. R. Blake, officiated. Burial was in Mule Creek Cemetery, directed by Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. Dunn died about 2 a.m. Wednesday in Bronte Nursing Home.

He was born Aug. 19, 1889, in Stockdale and moved to Coke County in 1898, settling near Tennyson. He was a stockfarmer and was a charter member of Tennyson Baptist Church. He was married to Lutie Neel Nov. 8, 1924, in Ballinger.

Survivors include his wife; a sister, Mrs. B. A. (Ivy) Bell of Bronte; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Cullen Luttrell of Sonora, Merle Proctor of Wilmeth, Marvin Landers of Bronte, and Jack Corley, Tom Green and James Arrott of Tennyson.

FORT CHADBOURNE HOMECOMING OCT. 7

Oct. 7 is the date set for the fourth annual Fort Chadbourne Homecoming. The gathering for all present and past residents of the Fort Chadbourne community and their friends and relatives will be held at the Bronte County Park unless the weather is bad.

Everyone is asked to contact friends and relatives and notify them of the date of the homecoming. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon and lots of visiting is planned.

Officers of the Fort Chadbourne Homecoming Association are Dolph Richards, president; Royce Fancher, vice president; Mrs. Henry Raney, secretary.

Firemen's Bulb Sale Monday

Members of the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department will have their annual light bulb sale Monday night. Everyone in the community is requested to buy from the firemen as this is their only money making project of the year. Funds raised are used for various activities of the department and to buy needed equipment.

Firemen will meet at the city hall at 6 p.m. and begin their canvass of the city. This year they will sell the bulbs in six packs only. The price will be \$2.00 for six bulbs. Special orders will be taken for extra small or extra large bulbs and they will be delivered later.

Fire Chief Jack Lee said the firemen were looking for a good sale this year. "We believe the people of Bronte appreciate the work the firemen are doing," he said, "and that they will buy their bulbs from us." He reminded everyone that light bulbs will "keep a long time, so stock up."

VAUGHAN CHEVROLET TO SHOW NEW AUTOMOBILES THURSDAY

The new 1974 Chevrolets will go on display today (Thursday) at Vaughan Chevrolet Co. in Robert Lee. A number of the new cars will be on display and the owners, Bob Vaughan and Ben Bessent, invite everyone in the area to come by to see the new cars.

In addition to having new cars to see, the local Chevrolet dealers will serve free refreshments all day. There will be free gifts for everybody, also.

A total of 44 models are being offered by Chevrolet for 1974 — four less than last year.

"Improvements all across the board add value to all our car lines," said Vaughan.

In addition to the various styling and mechanical advances, Chevrolet is equipping all cars in

1974 with sequential ignition interlock in the seat belt system that calls for the driver and front seat passenger to be seated with belts buckled before the car will start. Seat sensors and buckle switches operate sequentially to help prevent defeating the system.

There are three distinct bumper systems on the Chevrolet cars in compliance with the more stringent impact regulations.

Engine power ranges from the Vega's aluminum alloy block four cylinder 140 cubic inch power plant and the standard 250 cubic inch six cylinder up to an optional 454 cubic inch V8.

Vaughan said everyone is invited to come by and inspect the new autos.

He worked with the DPS four years as a radio operator in Del Rio and Abilene, then worked four years as a patrolman at Lake Spence before going back with the DPS in 1971.

He is married to the former Peggy Eckert of San Angelo. They have two children, Valori, 12, and Brantly, 7.

A statement to the public by Sheriff Childress will be printed in next week's Enterprise.

The second annual Coke County Fair will be unreeled Friday and Saturday at the old gymnasium at Robert Lee School. A large number of exhibits are expected and fair officials are looking for a big crowd of spectators both days.

The exhibit hall will be open to the public from 1 to 6 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Saturday.

All exhibits must be in the exhibit hall between 2 and 4 p.m. on Thursday, with the exception of perishable items, which must be in the hands of the judges by 9 a.m. Friday. Judging will start at 9 a.m. Friday.

Youth and Pet Parade

The Youth and Pet Parade will get under way at 9 o'clock Saturday morning with members of the Robert Lee Steer Band leading the procession. The band, under the direction of Director George Strickland, and the parade entries will assemble on Austin Street between the County Courthouse and Robert Lee State Bank.

The parade will move north to Third Street, then west to the football field, then north to the front of the Robert Lee School where the pets will be judged at 10 a.m.

Any youth 12 years of age or under interested in participating in the parade or pet show is welcomed and encouraged to be present with his entry Saturday morning.

Blue, red and white ribbons will be awarded all entries in competition in the County Fair, Parade and Pet Show. The Merit system of judging rather than of placing, such as first second, third, etc., will be used.

Last Week's Results

Hawley is the only team in District 3-B who is undefeated. Sands, Bronte, Loraine, Roby and Forsan all have one win and one loss, and Jayton has two losses. Last week it was Robert Lee 19, Bronte 0; Lubbock Christian 18, Loraine 13; Roby 21, Jim Ned 12; Hawley 6, Rochester 0; Spur 30, Jayton 16; Roscoe 34, Forsan 0; Sands 14; Stanton B 6.

This week's schedule will see Lake View JV at Bronte (Thursday); Loraine at Rochester; Wyllie at Roby; Hawley at Blanket; Aspermont at Jayton; Imperial at Forsan; Sands at Ropes.

Alon Barbee continues to lead District 3-B as well as all Class B scoring in this area with his 27 points made so far this season.

Mrs. David Gulley of Sulphur Springs is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wrinkle, and helping care for her father, who is a patient in Bronte Hospital. Mr. Wrinkle was dismissed from Shannon Hospital the first of the week and entered the local hospital Wednesday. Mrs. Gulley's son, Jeff, who is a student at TSTI in Sweetwater, also visited here last weekend.

Billy Joe Luckett Named Trustee

Billy Joe Luckett was appointed a trustee of the Bronte Independent School District when the board met last Thursday night. He succeeds Joe Ward whose resignation was accepted at the same meeting. Luckett will serve until the next regular trustee election in April, 1974.

The board of trustees met with the board of equalization, made up of Edward Cumbie, C. E. Bruton and James Allen. Also at the meeting was Charlie Boecking, school tax assessor-collector. The men discussed taxing procedures, tax valuations and other matters pertaining to the assessing and collection of school taxes.

In other action the board:

* Reviewed the duties of the migrant education teacher.

* Talked about the vulnerability of board members in their regular performance of duty and protection from lawsuits.

* Studied the possibility of re-quizzing a new school bus.

* Discussed the annual convention

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Lions to Sponsor Driving Course

The Noon Lions Club voted at their Thursday noon meeting to sponsor a Defensive Driving Course for area auto operators. Persons who successfully complete the course will be allowed a 10 per cent discount on their car insurance.

The two classes of the course will last for four hours each and will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 25, and Tuesday, Oct. 2. However, there will be a third class on Oct. 9 for those who are unable to meet on Sept. 25. The classes will meet in the High School Library Annex in the basement of the high school. They will be taught by H. A. Newman of San Angelo.

Only the principal driver of a vehicle needs to take the course to be eligible for the insurance discount. Cost is \$10 per person.

DR. HARRIS BREAKS LEG

After being well on the road to recovery from a broken hip, Dr. John R. Harris fell last Thursday at his home and broke his leg above the knee. He was taken to an Abilene hospital for treatment, but was allowed to return to Bronte Hospital where he is in traction.

He is able to see patients and is practicing medicine as usual insofar as is possible with his injury. The doctor said his fall came when he got up out of a chair and tripped over the cane he was having to use because of the hip injury. He told The Enterprise that he expects to be up walking again within eight or 10 weeks.

Ivey Motor Co. of Robert Lee is planning on a big day Friday when the local Ford and Mercury dealer will show the new 1974 models. Everyone in the area has a cordial invitation to come by and see the new cars, said Cumbie Ivey Jr., owner of the agency.

Ivey said he is well pleased with the looks and performance of the new models and believes his customers will like the elegant styling and distinctive look.

Free door prizes will be given to some of the lucky visitors whose names are drawn, and free refreshments will be served throughout the day.

The Mustang II is receiving special attention this year since it is the most changed car in the auto industry.

The Mustang II is a small, sporty and luxurious car that Ford expects to be the forerunner of a new class of cars. It is 19 inches shorter than the 1973 Mustang and seven inches shorter than the original Mustang introduced in 1964.

"With the growth of the small car market, Mustang II seems to be coming at the right time," Ivey said.

The Torino line also has some big changes with new front and rear bumpers, grille, taillights, and new sheet metal in the rear.

All Fords, Thunderbirds and Torinos equipped with the 460 or 400 c.i.d. engines will feature solid state ignition.

"We'd like to have everybody come by to see the new Fords and Mercurys," Ivey said, "and extend a special invitation to all our customers and friends."

IVEY MOTOR CO. TO DISPLAY NEW FORDS, MERCURYS FRIDAY

Robert Lee Tops Longhorns, 19-0

The Bronte Longhorns took a shellacking from the Robert Lee Steers last Friday night in a non-conference game and the second game of the season. The score wound up 19-0 in favor of the guest team.

First Quarter

Alan Barbee kicked off to Rick Mashburn who was downed on the 24. The Longhorns held very well and Mitt Rogers punted to the Steer 38 where Bronte took over.

Barbee went 10 for a 1st at the 28. After three tries and faced with a 4th and 11, Barbee tried a pass. It was good, but a fumble gave the Steers the ball on the 3.

The Steers couldn't move and Rogers kicked to Jim Dan Raughton on the Steer 40. The Horns bogged down, too, and Barbee punted to near the goal with Lyn Sockwell running back to the 31. The Steers made a 1st on the 41 and the Bronte 38. Sockwell was the man on the next play as he

went 38 yards for a counter. EP try failed and the score was 6-0.

Sockwell kicked off to Raughton with a runback to the 36. A pass to Barbee made a 1st on the Robert Lee 45. A couple of plays later Poly Abalos intercepted a Bronte pass and went 53 yards for a second TD. Once again PAT try failed and the board said 12-0.

Sockwell's kick went to Raughton who went down on his 37. Barbee and David Chapman were able to make 6 and a pass to Raughton was good for 13 yards and a 1st on the Steer 46. One play later the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

Chapman made 2 and Coulter added 3, but Barbee had to punt. Robert Lee took over on their 14. Bronte got a 15 yard penalty and the Steers had a 1st on their 33. The Steers gained a 1st on the Bronte 30. Millican almost went for a counter but a flag was down and the Steers were penalized 15 for a clip. Three plays later the Longhorns took over on their own 24. A pass to Raughton was good for a 1st, then a pass and fumble gave the Steers the ball on the Bronte 27. On the first play the Steers fumbled and Louis Martinez recovered on the 28. A pass from Coulter to Raughton was good for 11 yards and a 1st down on the 39.

Again the Longhorns couldn't move and Barbee kicked a 47 yard boomer to the Steer 18. The visitors made a 1st on the 29, and

following a penalty the Steers had the ball on their own 48. The Steers made 1st downs on the 38, 23 and 7 before the horn sounded ending the first half.

Third Quarter

Sockwell kicked to Barbee who was downed on his 38. A personal foul moved the ball to the Bronte 44. Chapman made 5 and a penalty moved the ball to the 21. Barbee went for 11 and a 1st on the 9. The Horns couldn't cut it, however, and after four tries they gave the ball over on the 21. The Steers moved for a 1st at the 35 and then Martinez intercepted a pass on the Robert Lee 44. After three plays, Barbee punted to Mashburn on the 18. The Steers carried for 1st downs on their 40 and the Longhorn 49 before the quarter ended.

Fourth Quarter

Continuing their drive, the Robert Lee lads went for 1st downs on the Bronte 39, 24 and 4. Millican carried it in from the 1. Doug Herford kicked the EP and the score was 19-0.

Raughton was downed on the Bronte 41 after carrying the kickoff back 19 yards. The Horns moved to the RL 44 for a 1st down. Three plays later the Horns' pass try was intercepted and R. L. had the ball on the Bronte 47. Holding tight, the Bronte boys took over after four tries on their 43. The Longhorns moved the ball to the Robert Lee 35 before they had to give it up on downs. Time was running out and the Steers got to the Bronte 39 before the horn sounded. Final score: 19-0.

Good defending was turned in by Raughton, Chapman, Bub Walldrop, Wayne Alexander, Mike Gonzales, Kit Carlton, Martinez, Clint Porter, Kerwin Denton, Coulter, and Mark Lee.

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Bronte Longhorns

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Lake View Jr. Varsity

THURSDAY - 8:00 P.M. - HERE

1973 Bronte Longhorn Football Schedule

Bronte 39, Newcastle 6
Bronte 0, Robert Lee 19
Sept. 20: Lake View JV, here, 8:00
Sept. 28: Menard, there, 8:00
Oct. 5: Hawley*, there, 7:30
Oct. 12: Sands*, here, 7:30
Oct. 19: Roby*, here, 7:30
Oct. 27: Loraine*, there, 7:30
Nov. 2: Jayton*, there, 7:30
Nov. 9: Open
Nov. 16: Forsan*, here, 7:30
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First National Bank	Spencer's Grocery and Station	Charles Ragsdale Barber Shop
O. B. Jacobs, Tax Assessor-Collector	Margaret's Flowers & Gifts	Butler's Gulf Oil Products & Butane Service
Bronte Hospital	Quick-Shop Food Store	West Texas Utilities Co.
Cumbie & Mackey	H. S. L. Taylor & Co.	The Bronte Enterprise
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Highway Garage	Texas Theatre	Carlton's Barber Shop
Jack Corley, Commissioner Prec. 4	Hughes Radio & TV	Minnick's Country Store
Youngblood & Glenn, Insurance	Lee's Texaco Service Station	Western Auto Store
Hurley Pharmacy	M. N. Lee Construction Co.	City Cafe
Corkeys Exxon Station		

JR. 4-H'ERS ORGANIZE

The Bronte Jr. 4-H Club met Sept. 13 in the school lunchroom and organized for the year. Officers elected are Lindy Butler, president; Teresa Kennedy, vice president; Lisa Lee, secretary; and Connie Bryan, reporter.

Mrs. Fay C. Roe, County Extension Agent, and Mrs. Clifford Barrett, adult leader, met with the girls and they discussed the year's program.

CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Sorosis Club which was scheduled for Thursday night has been postponed until Tuesday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was moved up because of the Bronte-Lake View football game Thursday night. Mrs. C. B. Barbee will host the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott attended two 50th Wedding Anniversary receptions Sunday afternoon. The first one honored Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stephenson of Anson and the second one honored Mr. and Mrs. James Belew of Wingate.

The Buck James family visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crawford and Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green attended funeral services in Menard for his aunt, Mrs. T. B. Davis, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis. The Greens Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stewart.

The A. D. McCarty family visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stewart. Zena McCarty is a patient in Bronte Hospital.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Ditmore were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Eatontown, N. J., Mrs. Opal Crabb and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crabb of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey and Doug Ditmore of Robert Lee.

(Intended for Last Week)

The W. T. Greens and Bill Green recently visited Doshe Davis and Charlie Killion in Brownwood. Karen Harrell was a visitor of the Greens.

Mrs. R. I. Brown was a recent visitor of Bill Wrinkle and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stewart in San Angelo. Mrs. Floyd Brown at Bronte, Joe McCarty in Bronte Hospital and the A. D. McCarty.

Mrs. Leslie O. Reed has been in the hospital, but was discharged last Tuesday.

Visitors of the James Arrots last week were J. B. Arrott, Jim Arrott, Tim Arrott, Wayne Arrott, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arrott, Melissa Arrott and Louis Elliott. Mrs. James Arrott and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited Mrs. J. B. Arrott in Bellinger and brought their great-grandson, Brian Lee, home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Nancy Baker and children and Melvin Teague visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gaston of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gaston.

Mrs. Katie James returned last week from a visit with Miss Parrish at Orient and her sister, Mrs. Joe Miller of San Angelo, who recently had open heart surgery in Houston.

The E. J. Halamiceks went to Christoval last Sunday where they visited Mrs. T. E. Parson of Dimmitt and Miss Ethelene Green and Newt Chambers of Eldorado.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)

Article III, Sections 5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Provide for regular annual sessions of the Legislature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regular session in each even numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day session could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days;

Provide an annual salary for members of the Legislature not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session;

Provide that no appropriation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated revenue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature; and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 7)

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses.

Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the residential homesteads of unmarried adults.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried adults."

NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 1)

Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which:

Provides that no law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of each county and to the governing body of each incorporated city or town in whose jurisdiction said district or any part thereof is or will be located. Each such commissioners court and governing body may file its written consent or opposition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Each special law creating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of such districts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts."

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 12)

Article XI, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide that all counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are authorized to levy a tax to pay for bonds issued for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a majority vote of the resident property tax-payers.

Counties and cities are presently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the required vote from a two-thirds majority to a simple majority.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing counties and cities bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to issue bonds

for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a vote of the resident property tax-payers."

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 26)

Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which:

Provides that the district court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, may adopt rules governing the filing, distribution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdiction of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment stating that the district court concurrently with the county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the district court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals."

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on their general obligations hereafter issued subject to the restrictions provided by law."

NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 2C which:

Allows the Legislature,

by general law, to exempt

all real and personal prop-

erty, used by non-profit

water supply corporations

or cooperatives from all

property taxes. The exemp-

tion would apply only to

such property as is reason-

ably necessary to conduct

the business of a non-profit

water supply corporation or

cooperative.

The wording of the pro-

posed constitutional amend-

ment as it will appear on the

ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amend-

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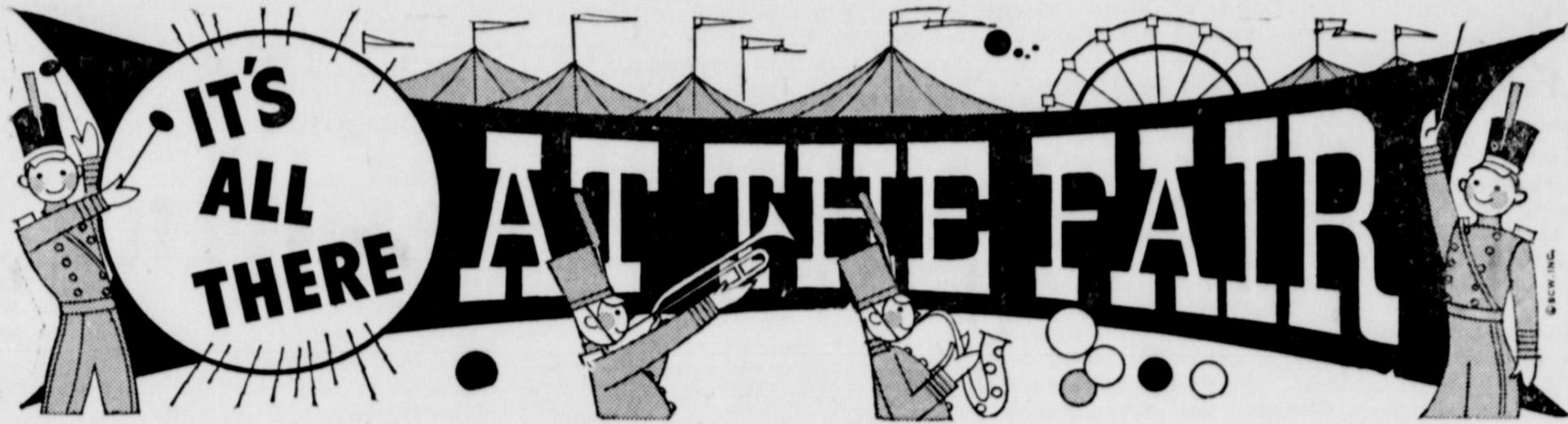
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by a non-profit water sup-

ply corporation or a non-

profit water supply co-

operative."



Come One, Come All TO THE SECOND ANNUAL **Coke County Fair**

Friday & Saturday, September 21 & 22

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SATURDAY HOURS — 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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Antiques

AND MANY OTHERS

Our Congratulations—

We sincerely congratulate all the persons who have worked to make the Second Annual Coke County Fair a reality. They all deserve our thanks for continuing this important event. The Coke County Fair is symbolic of the productivity of our area and all of us should be proud to show what we have grown on our land and what we have made with our hands. It will be a fine show and we hope every person in Coke County attends. And, of course, we hope hundreds of visitors come by to see the many things produced here. They might also catch a glimpse of the good life which is available to them, just in case they might want to move here.

Don't Forget the—

Pet Show and Youth Parade

Saturday Morning — Starts at 9 o'Clock

The Parade Will Begin at the Courthouse and End at the School

Newby Funeral Home

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Bronte Hospital

Coke County Sheriff's Department

Sims Food Store

Cumbie & Mackey

Mrs. Winnie Waldrop, County Clerk

Butler's Gulf Oil Products & Butane Service

Kemp's Cleaners

Margaret's Flowers & Gifts

The Bronte Enterprise

Highway Garage

Quick-Shop Food Store

West Texas Utilities Co.

HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Mrs. Sadie Gurley

Funeral services for Mrs. Sadie Gurley, 77, of Ballinger were held Monday in Allen Davis Funeral Chapel in Ballinger. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery in San Angelo.

Mrs. Gurley died Thursday night of last week in St. John's Hospital where she had been hospitalized for two weeks with a broken hip.

A former resident of this area, Mrs. Gurley was born Dec. 6, 1897, in Brown County and was married to J. O. Gurley in 1925 in Sweetwater. He died in 1949.

Survivors are a son, John Gurley of Elk City, Okla.; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Edging of Ballinger; two sisters, Mrs. Roxie Culp of Ballinger and Miss Man-

dy Taylor of Bronte Nursing Home; and six grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick Delpine visited Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Daisy Henderson. The couple is moving from Colorado to Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson of Slaton visited over the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Savannah Thompson, and spent some time at Oak Creek Lake. Their daughter and family, the Marvin Elliotts of Georgetown, visited them here. On Sunday afternoon, the Pattersons and Mrs. Thompson attended the funeral in Snyder for Mrs. R. C. Hoyle, mother of Mrs. J. B. Patterson of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bishop Sunday in Winters.

Labor Day holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tucker were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tucker and Blake of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs.

Lavelle Tucker, April and Hollie and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tucker, Melinda, Rhonda and Rodney Joe, Fort Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hardin and Richard Wayne of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tucker, Laura, Mary Jane and Wilson Ray of Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor of Norton and Vance Taylor of Sweetwater visited over the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Bruce Holland and family, and their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee and Mrs. Vivian Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Eason of Lockney visited over the weekend with his aunt, Mrs. Lula Palmer. On Sunday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Phillips in Winkate.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chew visited over the weekend in Stephenville with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Chew.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Vernal McRorey were her mother and

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sister, Mrs. W. L. McCurdy and Mrs. Russell Wade of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Riland Crab of Denton.

Labor Day weekend visitors of the E. J. Tucker family were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Banks and children of Sweetwater, and their son, Will Tucker of Tennyson.

Youth Socials Planned

Beginning Sept. 16, there will be a non-denominational youth social at the First Baptist Church. All youth of the community are invited. Several types of entertainment are planned.

Omega Coterie

The Omega Coterie met Sept. 11 in the Oak Creek Lake home of Mrs. Aaron Wells. She served a breakfast of hot biscuits, scrambled eggs, bacon, jelly, cantaloupe and coffee.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Le-

Ann Ingram for typing the yearbooks.

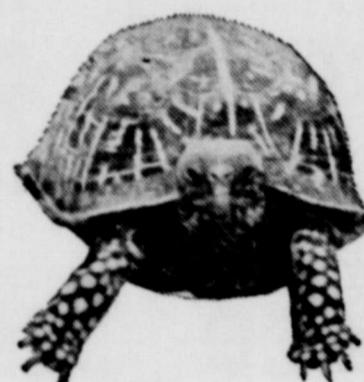
Next meeting will be Oct. 9 at the Oak Creek Lake cabin of Mrs. B. R. McCarley. Thirteen members and five guests were present.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Sallie Watts were Mrs. Gertie Latham of Arizona, Mrs. Avo Waggoner of Sweetwater and Mrs. Gracie Waggoner of Winters.

Mrs. Lea Gaston's Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth May of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knott of Midland.

Mrs. Donald Moore of Sweetwater visited the Bruce Holland family Sunday.

Mrs. Ollie Hogue spent the Labor Day holidays with her son and has family the Norman Hogues of Dallas. A daughter and her husband, the Bob Meyers of San Antonio, were also there.



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EXECUTIVE PROPOSAL. Check this block if this plan is based on an executive proposal.

DEBT How will the availability of revenue sharing funds affect the borrowing requirements of your jurisdiction?

<input type="checkbox"/> Avoid Debt Increase	<input type="checkbox"/> No effect
<input type="checkbox"/> Lessen Debt Increase	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Too soon to predict effect

TAXES In which of the following manners is it expected that the availability of Revenue Sharing Funds will affect the tax levels of your jurisdiction? Check as many as apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> Will enable reducing rate of a major tax	<input type="checkbox"/> Will reduce amount of rate increase of a major tax
<input type="checkbox"/> Will prevent increase in rate of a major tax	<input type="checkbox"/> No effect on tax levels
<input type="checkbox"/> Will prevent enacting a new major tax	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Too soon to predict effect

OPERATING/MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES

Priority Expenditure Categories	Planned Expenditures	Percent Planned for Maint. of Existing Services	Percent Planned for New or Expanded Services
Public Safety			
Environmental Protection			
Public Transportation			
Health			
Recreation			
Libraries			
Social Services for Poor or Aged			
Financial Administration			
Total Planned Operating/Maintenance Expenditures			

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

Purpose	Planned Expenditures	Percent Planned For:				
		Equipment	Construction	Land Acquisition	Debt Retirement	
Multipurpose & General Government						
Education						
Health						
Transportation						
Social Development						
Housing & Community Development						
Economic Development						
Environmental Conservation						
Public Safety	Improve Fire Eqpt.	100%				
Recreation, Culture						
Other (Specify)						
Other (Specify)						
Total Planned Capital Expenditures						

ASSURANCES

The news media have been advised that a complete copy of this report has been published in a local newspaper of general circulation. I have records documenting the contents of this report and they are open for public and news media scrutiny.

I assure the Secretary of the Treasury that the statutory provisions listed in Part G of the instructions accompanying this report will be complied with by the recipient government with respect to the entitlement funds reported hereon.

FRANK W. TATE
Signature of Chief Executive Officer

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The Family of

Mrs. Ina Fletcher Haselden

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6 FAMILY Garage Sale Saturday, Sept. 22, 309 Lombard. Jesse Ensor. 1tp

FOR SALE OR RENT: 2 bedroom mobile home. Carroll Robbins. 38-2tp

DIVERSITY CLUB HAS FIRST MEETING OF NEW YEAR

Members of the Diversity Club had their first meeting of the new club year Sept. 13 when they met at the First Baptist Church. Hostesses were the yearbook committee, Mmes. Floyd Brown, J. W. Martin and Wayne N. Stout.

New club yearbooks were presented and discussed by Mrs. Martin. Sandwiches, salad and bottle drinks were served to Mmes. J. F. Hughes, Cecil Kemp, H. M. Kirkland, O. R. McQueen, Charles Ragsdale, Leslie Rolls, Otis Smith, Martin and Brown.

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