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Annual barbecue nets over \$3,000

The Memorial Day Barbecue sponsored by the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department last Monday evening can certainly be termed a BIG success. Everything and everyone involved in the affair cooperated to the utmost in making it a memorable day.

The annual affair held at the Bronte County Park had a beautiful setting due mostly to the recent rains that left green lawns and shading trees. The temperature was warm and the humidity rather high, but remembrances of past holiday storms made this one perfect.

A larger than ever before turnout made the financial reward pleasing to the hosts to say the least. Volunteers had planned and prepared for the day and then labored all day cooking and setting up for the big feed.

A spokesman for the department expressed their great appreciation and many thanks to the businesses and individuals making donations in monies, supplies, and other acts of assistance. The amount of dollars received totaled \$3,082.50 with \$940. as cash donations and \$2,142.50 in ticket sales. Supplies donated was valued at \$335.

Businesses making cash donations were Gallaway's Grocery & Gas, \$250. plus supplies at cost; Sav-On-Food, \$250. plus supplies at cost; B.M. Troublefield,

\$200.; Union Texas Petroleum, \$100.; Town & Country Store, \$50. plus ice and cups; Thompson Butane Co., \$40.; Blackwell Welding, \$50.

Making donations of supplies were: Coke Bottling Co., \$185. for cold coca cola; Gandy's Dairies, \$60.80 for cups of ice cream; J.A. Owens Produce, \$55. for potatoes, pinto beans, onions; Baird's Bread, \$35. for bread.

The Red Barn Barbecue furnished services-- use of their walk-in cooler and a sign stating directions to the barbecue.

Larry Spivey and the Country Jokers provided toe-tapping and listening music throughout the evening's celebration.

Fire Chief Roland Sowell said the money taken in will go into the fund established by the firemen for the future purchase of a new firetruck. He expressed his thanks to everyone, who in any way helped in making the 1985 Memorial Day B-B-Q a big success.

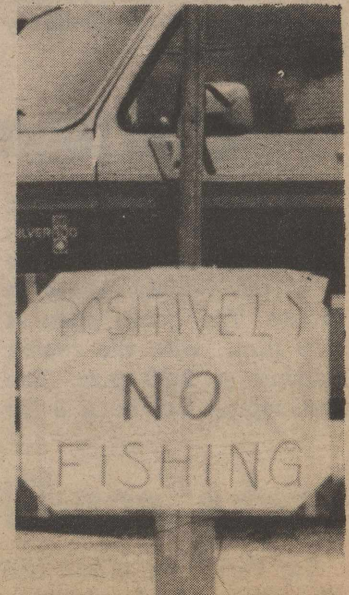
Butter and Cheese

Butter and cheese distribution for eligible Coke County residents will take place on Thursday, June 6, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon in the Robert Lee and Bronte Senior Citizens Buildings.

Honey, flour and milk will also be available at that time.



THIS WAS THE scene last week, at the pond in front of Kelly's Cabbage Patch in downtown Robert Lee. It is alleged that on or about the 20th day of May, 1985, in the early morning hours, vandals with a sordid sense of humor sneaked over in front of this establishment pictured above, and defaced the area with the sign posted at right. Although the names of the perpetrators remain unknown, preliminary lab tests showing greasy fingerprints on the sign itself, indicate that those responsible may be linked to a local automotive firm.



Dr. Pulse delivers first baby

West Coke County Hospital's first baby since the recent re-opening of the Obstetrics wing was delivered by Dr. Terry L. Pulse on May 20 at 11:40 p.m.

Ruben Luterio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Dominguez, Jr. weighed a healthy 8 lb. 8 oz. By coincidence, his mother (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lara, Jr.) was the first baby born in the OB wing when it was added to the hospital.

The facility's board of directors, administration and staff are understandably

proud of the new OB program and the modern equipment. The fetal monitor, which the county, communities and hospital employees have helped so much with, is in use as well as an up-to-date baby warmer.

Dr. Terry Pulse and Dr. Tharwart Hamamcy will both be available to maternity patients.

Mrs. Charlzie Treece, West Coke County Hospital administrator, said it was heartwarming to see the spirit of cooperation the Coke County residents and hospital employees have shown in support of the updating of the hospital. "Improvements could not have been made without the participation and unity by all concerned," she declared.

Bronte Clean-Up set for Monday

The annual City-Wide Clean-Up in Bronte will get

underway early Monday morning, June 3 and work will continue through the week. Special trucks will be available for hauling trash to the dumpgrounds.

Citizens are urged to clean-up around their home and grounds and pile trash, to be hauled away by the city-workers, in the alley for convenient pick-up. The landfill will be open free of charge for persons needing to use the facility.

Persons may call City Hall 473-3501 to request extra pick-ups for unsafe trash barrels, large tree limbs and other large items that are

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LOOKING PLEASED WITH new arrival Ruben Luterio at WCCH are [from l] his grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Lara, Dr. Terry L. Pulse, who delivered the baby, and the proud parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Dominguez, Jr.

Search continues for Smith

The search for the body of Nathan Smith, 25, of Midland, an apparent drowning victim, continued Wednesday afternoon at Lake Spence.

According to Coke County Sheriff Marshall Millican, Smith, driver and owner of the boat, along with Eric Bechner, 27, also of Midland, were on Lake Spence Sunday afternoon. About 3 p.m., the pair crossed the wake of another boat, Smith lost control and both men

were thrown into the water. Bechner was picked up immediately by another boat but no sign of Smith was found. A few minutes passed before occupants of the boat marked the spot where the man sank making a definite location doubtful.

Millican stated the search is near the middle of the lake in 40-70 feet of water. The CRMWD lake patrol and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. are in charge of the dragging operations.

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 notification.

Lester Lee dies in Ballinger

Lester Lee, 77, of Ballinger, died at 5 a.m. Thursday, May 23, 1985 in Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 25 in the First Baptist Church in Ballinger. Burial followed in Fairview Cemetery, in Bronte, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Lee was born November 9, 1907 in Longview, Texas and was married to Bertie Rue Bryant on October 7, 1939 in Ballinger. He was a stock farmer. Mr. Lee came to Runnels County in 1909 and lived in the Maverick Community until 1977. He was a member of the Norton Baptist Church and was a past member of the Norton Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife, Bertie; one daughter, Carol Baugus of LaGrange, Texas; three sons: Louis of LaGrange, Wendell of Bronte and Joe of Ballinger; one brother, Clarence of Norton; 11 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Turner Lee and Dennie Braswell of Bronte, Eddie Sweeten of Rocksprings, Cecil Roper and Lester Schaefer of Norton; M.A. Dusec, Milton Shelbourne and Clark Koller of Ballinger.

Heaner is on television

John Heaner, Class of '77, Bronte High School, was seen on T.V.'s game show SCRABBLE on Monday, May 27. The show is aired by NBC stations and locally may be seen at 10:30 a.m. on Channels 9 and 3. John will be on the show again May 31, June 3, 4, 5, and 6. He loses on June 6 having won a total of \$23,000.00.

John has been in Hollywood since 1982 where he has been studying with Robert Lewis and working at the BROWN DERBY. He was Stage Director of the play, 12 Angry Men, which opened the old motion picture show building which has been reclaimed for stage productions and named the Henry Fonda Theater. He is now in rehearsal for a "short-run" play in which he plays the lead. He will begin rehearsals following that for another major stage production.

John has also had training in making commercials and has already appeared in one that was shown on the West coast only.

John is the son of Mrs. R. Russell Heaner and the late

Rev. Heaner. His sister, Sarah (Mrs. Kermit Lancaster) has been living in Redondo Beach, CA, but will soon be living in Dallas where her husband has accepted work with E SYSTEMS. All were students at Rice University at the same time for one year.



Dinner guests in medieval England were expected to bring their own knives to table — hosts did not provide them.

...Clean-Up

placed in the alleyway where the trucks can get to them.

City Clean-Up Week is set aside each year in the spring to give citizens the opportunity to rid the city of unsightly trash and junk.

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Everyone should use the free trash-hauling services during the week of June 3-8.

A clean town is beautiful and healthy and a place one can be proud to call HOME.

Club plans C Roping

The Coke County Roping Club is planning a "C" team roping for this Sunday, June 2, at the County Arena in Bronte. The books open at 1:30 p.m., with the roping starting at 2:30 p.m. The first roping will be a 3 for

\$16, with other cheaper ropings to follow.

All area C ropers are invited to attend. Members are urged to make a special effort to attend, and assist with the roping.

Parks' condition listed poor

Jay Parks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Parks of Ballinger, is listed as being in poor condition in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo as the result of a May 12 automobile accident in Ballinger. He suffered severe head injuries, requiring surgery, as well as other injuries in the one-vehicle rollover that trapped him inside his pickup truck. Parks is a member of the senior class at Ballinger High School.

Parks' mother is the former

Jo Alice Evans, daughter of Jay and Florine Preslar Evans. The family resided in Robert Lee for many years and Mrs. Parks is a RLHS graduate.

He is a great-nephew of Mr. and Mrs. T.K. Whiteside of Robert Lee.

A fund to help defray his medical expenses has been established at Farmers and Merchants State Bank in Ballinger as the Jay Parks Special Fund.

Eighth graders honored

Eighth grade graduates of Bronte were honored with a graduation-night party at the Bronte Park and Community Center.

They were treated to a wiener roast, hayride, movie and swimming party with snacks a-plenty following promotional exercises at the school Thursday night. A surprise of the evening was the showing of baby and early childhood pictures on the overhead projector as the attendees attempted to iden-

tify them. This was fun for all and sometimes a little embarrassing to the subject of the photos. They took a cool midnight dip and wound down in the early morning hours— sponsors fading a little quicker than the students, but all agreed it was a happy ending to eight years of school.

Work Day slated at Tennyson

A Work Day will be held at the Tennyson Community Center Saturday, June 1. Spokesman Bill Green said the building's roof will be replaced and other repairs are needed. A noon meal will be served. All interested persons are urged to come help with the community project.



Benefit Bake Sale



TO ALL THE GOOD COOKS OF EAST COKE COUNTY
 Your help is needed!! There is a bake sale planned for Fri., June 14 in Bronte, this is the Friday before Father's Day. The proceeds will go toward making the second payment on the new Fetal Monitor at West Coke County Hospital.

If your speciality is breads, cakes, decorated cakes, candies, pies, rolls or flour tortillas, and you want to help make this a success, please call 473-4021 after 5:30 p.m.,
 Thanks, Bobbie Arrott



Country Musical set for Thursday

Thursday, June 6, will be the date for the monthly Country-Western Musical at the new Rec Hall in Robert Lee.

The community-wide get-together will start at 7:00 p.m. when area musicians will "pick and grin". Most of the musicals since its beginning a year and a half ago have attracted audiences of over a 100 every month and have brought pleasure to a lot of folks.



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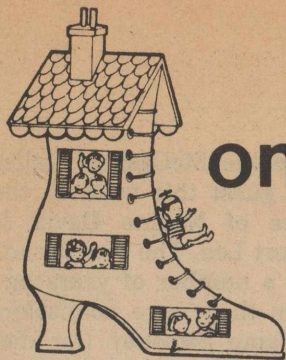
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Kids, Commercials, and Foods

Probably every parent has, at one time or another, had to deal with a crying child who wants to buy some "Crunchy Munchies" cereal at the grocery store. Maybe it's too expensive, you already have cereal at home, or it isn't nutritious. But these arguments don't always make sense to youngsters—especially if they've seen the product advertised on television and they want it NOW.

Children see as many as 10,000 food and beverage commercials a year, and some are directed specifically at them.

Extension home economists at Purdue University did some research on these commercials aimed at children and uncovered some interesting facts. They found that 25 percent of the advertising is for candy and other sweets like cakes, cookies and fruit drinks. Another 25 percent is for cereals, many of which contain more sugar than most candy. About 10 percent of the ads are for fast food restaurants. The remaining ads are for toys, and these commercials are concentrated most heavily before Christmas.

That means almost two-thirds of the television com-

mercials aimed at children are for snacks, candy and breakfast foods. Less than 2 percent of the commercials promote a well-balanced diet including fruits, vegetables, milk or meat.

Many nutritionists, dentists, doctors and parents believe that television's nutritional message to children encourages poor eating habits and tooth decay. It may also increase the demands of children for this type of food and contribute to parent-child conflicts.

In response to the influence of television food advertising, parents need to provide nutrition education too.

Young children cannot easily distinguish between promotional material for marketing purposes and reality. But parents can watch for these commercials and talk about them with their children. For example, you might say, "Those Crunchy Munchies sure look good on television, but they don't have enough vitamins to make you grow up to be a big boy!" Find ways to make your child feel good about his "big boy" cereal and you might have the next battle of the grocery store licked.



SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

LeDrew Arrott has recently rootplowed and seeded about 100 acres on his ranch north of Tennyson. Following rootplowing, the land was roller chopped and seeded to a mixture of sideoats grama, K.R. bluestem and Kleingrass. This pasture will be deferred from grazing for the rest of the growing season to give the seeded grasses a chance to make good growth and development before winter. Several inches of rain has been received since the grass was planted. This should be adequate moisture to germinate the seed and get a stand of grass started. This is a part of the Great Plains Conservation Program Arrott is applying on his land.

Grass recovery has been the best on sprayed prickly pear-mesquite mixture on the Butterfield Peak ranch operated by Tommy Lee. In comparing picloram sprayed pear with trail chaining, it was evident that spraying, while more expensive, was also much more effective in

killing pear, mesquite and in producing more grass, which is Lee's goal. Hopefully, natural enemies of the pear will now continue it's decrease. By resting pastures, proper stocking, and adjusting his mixture of cattle, goats and sheep, Lee hopes to gradually improve the carrying capacity of the ranch. A good wildlife management program has helped improve the land, the wildlife and the profitability of the place. Lee has recently become a district cooperator on this ranch, his own place on Hwy. 208, and with his brother on their farm east of Maverick.

James Tidwell has agreed to develop a conservation plan with the district on his farm south-east of Bronte. Plans are to develop an effective way to use City of Bronte sewage effluent to irrigate his farm land. Eventually, when Tidwell gets his operation set up properly, he should be able to produce large amount of high quality hay and forage.

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MICKEY PIERCE [l] and Bill Helwig look on as Gary and Barbara Shaffer and Ara Burns [r] finalize papers making the Shaffers' new owners of The Flower Sak in Robert Lee.

Look Who's New



Lanham Wayne is the new son of Paul W. and Janie McCallam of Ft. Worth. He was born Sunday, May 5, 1985 at 4:37 p.m. in the Harris Hospital, Ft. Worth, tipping the scales at 5 lbs. 15 oz. and 18½ inches long.

Welcoming him on his arrival were two sisters and a brother, Dionicia Lee, Rhonna and Kaleb Joseph.

Paternal grandparents are Joseph Fredrick and Beatrice Mary Ellen McCallam and great-grandmother Emma Michael McCallam, all of Euston, Australia.

Maternal grandparents are Dorothy and Pete Nutter of Bronte and great-grandparents David and Winnie

Kiker of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Renza Lee of Bronte.

Bradley Dink is the new baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Lanier of San Angelo.

He was born May 24, 1985 at 7:36 p.m. in Angelo Community Hospital, weighing 9 lbs. 3 oz. and being 21½ inches long.

Grandparents are: Mr. and Mrs. Dink Lanier, Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Meeks of Big Spring.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jess Womack and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lanier, all of Blackwell.

Church plans revival

The Central Baptist Church of Bronte will be holding summer revival services starting Sunday, June 2 and continuing through Sunday night June 9.

Morning services will be conducted each day at 12 o'clock noon with a lunch being served in the fellowship hall following the service. Evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Bro. Marvin Hudler, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church

of Crockett, will deliver the message at each service beginning Monday night through the following Sunday night.

A spokesman for the church issued a cordial invitation to the public to attend any or all the revival services. A special request was made for all Christians to pray for revival, not just in Central Baptist Church, but in the entire community.

Turner family gathering

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Turner of Bronte gathered for the annual family reunion Sunday, May 26 at the Bronte Community Center.

Family members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Braswell, Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Escue and sons, Matthew and Joshua, Mr. and Mrs. Irvan Escue, all of San Angelo; Mrs. Louise Beaty and daughter, Sharon, of Farmington, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beaty and granddaughter, Julie Ann Oriol, Aztec, N.M.; Mrs. Tom Braswell,

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton White and daughter, Samantha, all of Amarillo.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. George Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Braswell and sons, Blane and Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coalson, Mr. and Mrs. Van Braswell, all of Bronte. Friends enjoying the day were Mrs. Ruth Sandusky of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Smith and son, David, of Water Valley.

Mrs. Pearl Bradshaw, longtime resident of Bronte, is ill and her family were unable to attend.

---Personal---

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Chesney and Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey, spent the weekend in the home of the Chesney's daughter, Cindy Thomas of Ft. Worth. While there they attended the wedding at Central Christian Church, in Weatherford, May 18, for Mrs. Casey's niece, Vonie Taylor and Randy Davis, both of Springtown. Vonie is the daughter of Rheba Taylor, Springtown, and formerly of Robert Lee. Mrs. Pearl Ditmore, West County Nursing Home, is Vonie's grandmother.

Mrs. Nelson Coulter, Summer and McKenzie, all of Robert Lee.

Memorial weekend, Barbara and Bascom Chesney, Turney and Irma Casey, were met at Hord's Creek Lake by the Chesneys' daughters, Cindy Thomas, Ft. Worth, and Lela and Randall Jenkins, Mesquite. Also Fred Huddleston, San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Casey, Larry and Jackie dropped by for a visit on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey attended the high school graduation of their grandson, Layne Coulter, at Bronte High School, Friday, May 24, 1985.

Honoring Bill Casey's birthday, the following enjoyed a dinner and visiting Tuesday night in the home of his parents, the Turney Casey's, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Heffernan, Pat, Mr. and Mrs. Van Braswell, Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Chesney, Mrs. Pearl Ditmore, Cecil Schooley, Mr. and

Debbie McCash of Dallas is a guest this week in the home of Nadine Davis of Robert Lee. The two friends met a number of years ago when they were counselors at Camp Sweeney (for diabetic children) in Gainesville and have kept in close touch.

Ms. McCash is a registered nurse at Parkland Hospital in Dallas.

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WARM INVITATION TO ALL THESE SERVICES.

Dear Concerned Parent,

In answer to your letter of last week, I would like to clarify a few things for you. When the equipment for the ball park was moved from Silver to Robert Lee, several years ago, the men working with the Little League Clubs agreed that they would be responsible for the bathrooms. They were to open and close them and be responsible for them for their games. This was a volunteer effort because the park area, the golf course and the ball parks were fast becoming too much for one man and one helper to take care of. It is still growing. A new showbarn, another recreation hall, a senior citizens center, more parking facilities for trailer clubs have been added to the park, which already had two ball parks, a swimming pool and a golf course. All with the same amount of help.

But, Concerned Parent, while you're sitting on the bleachers, talking, possibly gossiping, just trying to cause trouble in general,

your little child is turned loose in the park, in the bathrooms, in the amphitheatre and on the street. He/she is throwing rolls of toilet paper in the commodes and doing his/her "business" on the floor and on the walls. Until you can take time out of your busy busy life and teach your child to do his/her "business" in the commode and not on the floor and walls and teach him/her not to throw rolls of toilet paper in the commodes, then I think that "bush" you are using is plenty good enough for you.

So, Concerned Parent, if you have a child involved in baseball and some good man or woman is giving of his or her time to work with your child, why don't you help them? Why Don't YOU shoulder a little of the responsibility also?

Concerned Parent, if you are TRULY concerned, grab the ajax and get after it!

Sincerely,
A Concerned Friend
Of Your Child.

Chumley celebrates 90th

On Thursday, May 23rd, Sayde Chumley celebrated her 90th birthday at the New Recreational Hall at Robert Lee and enjoyed the game of 88 with former friends. Her daughter, Louise Leonard, of Big Spring hosted the party furnishing tasty delicacies from 4 p.m. until 9 p.m. that night.

At refreshment time guests gathered around the table bearing a gold money tree with green leaves of dollar bills and red kisses of candy. All chimed in, "Happy Birthday to You." Reba Tabor then offered a toast, paying tribute to the lovely and outstanding life of the honoree.

Sayde is a member of a

Coke County pioneer family. Her father, J.Q. McCabe, arrived in 1897 entering the ranching business. She now lives in Big Spring where she continues her church life at the Baptist Church and her social activities with friends in the big apartment building where she does her own housekeeping.

Those attending the party were: T. Paul and Pauline Barron; Crowley and Nola Harmon; Glenn and Minnie Waldrop; Finis and La Rue Harmon; Verna McDorman; Eula Smith; Jim and Reba Tabor; Alfred and Ethel Harmon; Alma McGallian; Lois Burns; Mildred Smith; Juamita Barger; Annie Lowrance and Bernice Roberts.

Stamp Club will meet

The Concho Valley Stamp Club will meet with the Robert Lee Stamp Club Thursday night, May 30, at the Post Office.

Guest speaker will be Nonie Green of San Angelo

speaking on "Topical Stamp Collecting".

All members are urged to bring trading materials to exchange with the visiting club.

Club hosts tourney

The Singing Winds Golf Association conducted a Mixed Couples Tourney Saturday, May 25 with 15 teams participating.

Winners of the tourney and receiving prizes were: Pam Walker, Robert Lee; Paul Talley, San Angelo; Marlon and Joann McCutchen, Midkiff; Barry and Shelly Corley, Bronte; Jim Badgett, Bronte; Craig Collier, San Antonio; Sue Caudle, Bronte; J.B. and Martha Arrott, San Angelo; Noel Percifull, Royce Dean Clark, Linda Adams, Barbara Ball, Brenda Tidwell, all of Bronte; Otis Rolls, San Angelo,

and Davis Corley of Midland.

A Memorial Day ABC tournament was held with first place winners being Wayne Coalson, Maxine Percifull and Marvin Landers. Taking second place were Otis Rolls, Sue Caudle and Martin Lee. Placing third were Jim Morrow, Lottie Cummins, Lois Sherrod and Kit Carlton.

A Men's and Women's tournament is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, June 8 & 9. Entering fees are \$20., for more information contact Jackie Corley, Mary Morrow or Brenda Tidwell.

Softball Tourney slated

A Men's and Women's Slo-Pitch Softball Tournament will be sponsored as a fund-raising project by the Bronte Baseball Boosters. Six men's and six women's teams may participate all day Saturday and resume at 1:00 Sunday afternoon, June 1 and 2.

First through third place team trophies will be awarded to both men's and women's teams. A most valuable player trophy will also be given, as well as 15 first-place individual trophies in each division.

A full concession stand offering items for lunch and snacks will be in operation during the tourney. Anyone wishing to donate items for

the concession stand, please contact Scotty or Patti McCorkle at 473-6611.

PERSONAL

Tim Mackey, son of Betty and Dolan Mackey of Bronte, joined his aunt, uncle and cousin from Ralls for a fun trip to Six Flags over the weekend.

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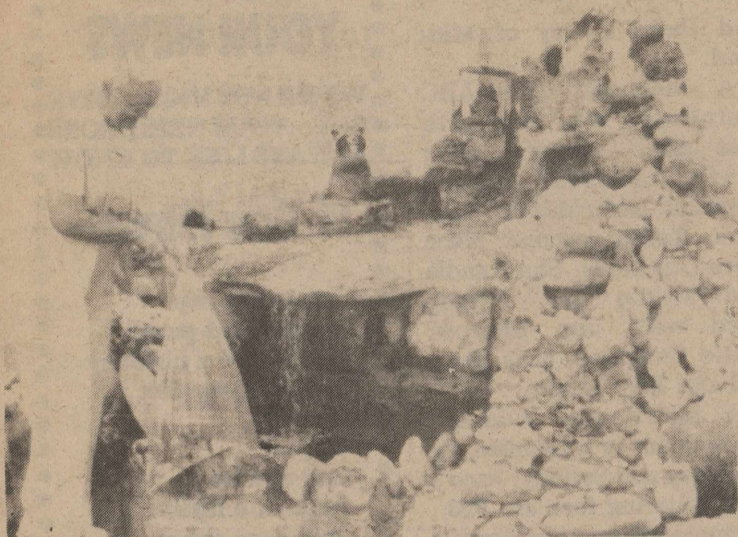
UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM INVITATIONAL SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

On June 21 & 22-- Double elimination Men's Class C tournament.

First ten teams with entry fee of \$85.00 will be accepted.

Deadline is June 14. Call 473-5161 between 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, ask for Brendi or James.

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OF HEALTH**



MRS. LUCILE BRYAN releases goldfish into the pond below the garden waterfall in the newly renovated Wilson Bryan Mini-Park in downtown Robert Lee. The fish were donated to the city by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barrett.

Diet reduces disease

When Cousin Bernice broke her hip in a fall off the curb, she felt old at sixty-two. When Mother broke her wrist lifting a chair, we thought it was a freak accident, but now we know that a fracture may be the first sign of osteoporosis, the brittle bone disease. Twenty million Americans with osteoporosis have lost bone painlessly and imperceptibly, usually over decades.

Americans can decrease their chances of suffering from osteoporosis by including milk and other calcium-rich foods in their diets. Two servings a day from the milk group will supply adults with most of their calcium needs. A cup of milk equals a serving. Leafy green vegetables, certain meat group foods (e.g., canned salmon and sardines with bones, oysters) and grain group foods prepared with milk (pancakes, waffles) are secondary calcium sources.

Other factors that lead to weakened bones include heredity, sex, age, lack of exercise, stress and smoking. Postmenopausal women are most susceptible, and prevention needs to begin early with improved diets and regular exercises.

Most people (over 90% according to a recent study for United Dairy Industry

Association) recognize the need for calcium and nearly as many know that milk and other dairy products are the best dietary sources of calcium. Because the milk group of products includes a number of different flavors and textures, people can choose the calcium-rich foods they prefer. A cup of yogurt contains as much calcium as a cup of milk and is more easily digested by those with a lactose problem. A wide variety of cheese flavors and textures is available; one and a half ounces of cheese provides as much calcium as a cup of milk. Two cups of cottage cheese or one and three-quarter cups of ice cream can be substituted for a cup of milk to meet the body's need for calcium. Milk can be used instead of water in preparing puddings and creamed soups. Nonfat dry milk can be used to enrich casseroles and sauces to help meet the daily need for calcium.

While a person can't change her heredity or sex, she can help keep her bones strong by exercising regularly, getting enough calcium and vitamin D, practicing moderation in eating and drinking and by stopping smoking. The most important factor is to start immediately.

DEVELOP A SAVINGS HABIT

People who say they "just can't seem to save any money," may need a plan to get in the savings habit. Waiting to see if you have any money left over at the end of a pay period is seldom an effective way to save.

If you feel uneasy about not saving enough money, either for financial emergencies or long-term goals like a downpayment or your child's college education, take some steps now to develop a savings plan.

Begin by taking a hard look to see where your money has gone over the last several months. Look at old bills, cancelled checks and credit card statements to decide if all the spending was necessary or whether some of that money could have been saved.

Then overhaul your family budget so some savings money can be set aside each month before you do anything else. Make it a routine, like paying a bill. The amount doesn't have to be large. What matters is that money is set aside regularly.

If your willpower is limited, try a payroll savings plan or have automatic withdrawals made from your checking account. Also reduce the temptation to spend by separating savings from checking account money. If necessary, put your savings in a different financial institution than the one which handles your checking account.

In addition to getting some money into a savings fund, make sure you put those savings to work for you. Compare interest rates, and as soon as you have enough saved, move your money to higher paying accounts so your nest egg will continue to grow.



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Thanks to educational programs and lots of love and support from her family and friends, Mary can read and write and even beat you at checkers. Working through research, public awareness programs and family services, the National Down Syndrome Society is helping children like Mary.

Booklet

For a booklet and information about what is being done to help the child with Down Syndrome, or to make a tax deductible contribution, write: National Down Syndrome Society, 70 West 40th Street, New York, NY 10018.

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Personal

Billy Hamilton of Bronte was awarded the second place amateur trophy at the 1985 Texas State Chess Championship, a 3 day tournament, held in Austin over the Memorial Day weekend. Billy is the son of Ann Hamilton and Pat Hamilton of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teschendorf vacationed a few days with their daughter and husband, Tonya and Glenn Stoltz, in Covington, LA. Covington is located just across the bridge from New Orleans. They reported a nice visit and enjoyed the beautiful, green countryside of the south.

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Child safety law outlined

Texas' number one killer of children may be slowed next year, when the second phase of the child passenger safety law goes into effect. Beginning New Year's Day, drivers may be fined \$25 to \$50 if their passengers age 4 and under are not secured in a child safety seat or by a seat belt. Fines may be dropped if the person ticketed shows proof of buying or borrowing a safety restraint within 10 days of the offense. "The biggest killer of Texas children 4 and under is car wrecks, making the use of child safety seats a major public health issue," said Dr. Robert Bernstein, Texas Commissioner of Health. "If every child was buckled in a safety seat or seat belt when they rode in a vehicle, we could save as many as 70 young lives and prevent the injury of perhaps 5,600 other children in 1985," he said.

The first phase of the child passenger law went into effect October 31, 1984, and requires children under age 2 to be buckled in a child

safety seat. Children between the ages of 2 and 4 may ride in a safety seat or wear a seat belt.

The law -- and resulting fines -- are a response to the alarming number of fatalities among child passengers in Texas. In 1983, for instance, 77 children died and 6,603 were injured. Statistics indicate up to 90 percent of the deaths and 85 percent of the injuries could be avoided by the use of safety restraints.

The Texas Department of Health's Safe Riders program, conducted in cooperation with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation and other organizations, distributes literature and information about the need to use child safety restraints. A bilingual operator answers a hotline and can explain the proper use of safety restraints and direct callers to the nearest low-cost loaner programs.

The Safe Riders number is 1-800-252-8255, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

VA Questions and Answers

Q - Are prisoners and parolees who are other wise eligible, entitled to VA benefits?

A - Veterans in prison or on parole may still be entitled to certain VA benefits.

Q - I am a female veteran of four-years service during the Korean War. Am I entitled to medical care from the VA?

A - Yes, if you have an illness or injury incurred in military service, you are entitled to treatment of hospitalization. Eligibility for nonservice-connected treatment is based on availability of space and financial need, except for veterans over 65.

Q - If a veteran's widow is buried in a private cemetery, will the VA provide a headstone or grave marker for the burial site?

A - No. The VA will only provide this benefit for veteran's dependents who are buried in a national, military post or base cemetery, or in a state veteran's cemetery.

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America's number one industry today — in terms of dollars spent — is leisure time activities. So says a recent magazine study. Another survey reports that gardening wins as the favorite hobby.

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Social Security News Items

Were you turned down for Social Security or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits? If so, you should be aware of your rights to question decisions made on your case.

In deciding whether you can get benefits and how much your check should be, Social Security carefully considers all evidence and information. Then, it sends you a notice explaining its decision.

If you disagree with a decision, generally you must file a written appeal within 60 days after receiving a notice. The people at any Social Security office can help you complete the appeal forms without charge. You also have a right to be represented by a lawyer or other qualified person of your choice.

There are four appeal steps which usually must be taken in order. The first one is a reconsideration. This is an independent review of your case by persons who were not involved in the original decision.

The reconsideration is generally conducted without you being present.

If you disagree with the reconsideration decision, you may request a hearing before an administrative law judge of the Social Security Administration's Office of Hearings and Appeals. At the hearing, you can submit new evidence, question any witnesses, and examine the evidence on which a decision will be based.

If you disagree with the administrative law judge's decision, you may ask for a review by the Appeals Council which meets near Washington, D.C. If you believe the Appeals Council decision is not correct or if it declined to review your case, you may file a suit in a Federal district court.

If you wish to know more about your appeal rights, you can get free leaflets that provide more information by calling the San Angelo Social Security Office at 949-4608. The office is located at 2214 Sherwood Way.

Financial Aid outlined

Graduating seniors planning to attend TSTI-Sweetwater who are in need of financial assistance should contact school personnel as soon as possible. According to Moises Perez, Dean of Student Services, prospective students wishing to apply for any type of financial assistance must complete applications in time for proper processing if funds are needed in time to start schooling. Perez stated that financial aid comes in various forms, including the Pell Grant, College Work-Study, various guaranteed state and federal loans and a variety of scholarships.

The normal lead time needed by the financial aid personnel is approximately six weeks, although it is a good time for the fall quarter students to apply now. This

will allow for the financial forms to clear in ample time for the student to know exactly what amount for which he/she will qualify and allow the local school to have a package ready for the student.

The TSTI campus is open regularly Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Anyone needing further information should either visit the campus or call Perez at 915-235-8441, extension 217.

For general information concerning enrollment dates and program offerings, the school may be called anytime at 1-800-592-TSTI. Summer quarter enrollment begins Monday, June 3, with classes to start on Tuesday. Fall quarter enrollment is set for Sep. 3-4, with classes to begin on Sep. 5, 1985.

UMW host graduates

The United Methodist Women of Robert Lee honored the graduating seniors, their families, and friends with a reception following the Baccalaureate Service on Sunday evening. Ninety-three guests were registered by Mrs. Irene Newell.

Receiving guests were the Rev. Pamela Bradford, pastor; Jimmy Bickley, chairman of administrative Board; and Mrs. Fred Beaty, UMW president.

The Senior Class colors of orange and black were used on the serving table with appointments of crystal. An arrangement of white carnations, accented with orange

and black ribbon bows centered the table. Presiding at the serving table were Mrs. George Newby and Mrs. Jimmy Bickley. Assisting with the hostess duties were Tancie and Debbie Bell, Tracy Hubbard, and Callie McCutchen.

Personal

Bill and Ruby Jones of Robert Lee visited over the long weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Jones of Lake Jackson to get acquainted with their new granddaughter, Keely Katherine. They declared that she is beautiful.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir:

I failed to get my Coke Co. paper and I hope you haven't canceled it.

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Thanks for your trouble.
Respectively,
Mrs. Paul Good

Personal

Traveling from Roswell, N. Mex. to Bronte for the Memorial Day holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Webb and Mr. and Mrs. John Bachman and Kim. They were guests in the homes of Lanora Vaughn and Jr., Jane and Kelly Webb. The Webbs also enjoyed having Lana Webb of San Angelo, Shane, Alisa and Joel Webb and Ernestine Powell of Bronte to join the group for lunch on Sunday.

That afternoon they celebrated little Joel Webb's first birthday (actually June 2) and Alisa, his mom's birthday which is one week later. Joining them for the fun and laughter were Bobbie Arrott and Marie Arrott.

Homemakers host party

The Bronte Extension Homemakers hosted the monthly Birthday Party at the Bronte Nursing Home Friday afternoon, May 24.

Honorees having a birth date in May were Willie Russell, 90; Mattie Luckett, 83; Julian Herndon, 79; Elsie Lee, 79; and Josie Lindley, 76.

Family and friends joined residents and employees of the nursing home in enjoying birthday cake and punch served by the club members. Don Edmiaston performed at the piano during the party time.

Acting as hostesses were Mmes. Marie Arrott, Virginia Boatright, Drexel Ragsdale, and Elene Means,

social director of the nursing home.

Personal

Amy and Michelle Cantrell, twin daughters of Melissa Cantrell of Midland, are visiting their grandparents, Betty and Royce Lee of Bronte.

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COUNTRY AGENTS NEWS

by Tommy Antilley

Cattle grubs are undercover workers-- all their damage is unseen, yet they cause greater economic losses to the U.S. beef cattle industry than any other insect pest.

While grubs are usually found on the backs of infested animals during the winter months, that's not the time for control measures since the pests have already done their damage.

Grubs are the larvae or worm stage of heel flies and adult heel flies are currently active over most the state.

The time to control grubs is during the period of May through August when they are small and before infested animals suffer stress, weight loss and decreased feed efficiency.

Heel flies cannot sting,

have no mouth parts and cause no pain to cattle. Yet, they frighten animals, making them difficult to manage.

Heel flies lay their eggs on an animal's hairs in the stomach and leg region, glued in position. Tiny larvae hatch in a few days, crawl down to the base of the hair and burrow into the animal's skin.

Then they begin a migratory course through the animal's body, congregating in the throat after a few months, and after six to eight months, appear in the grub stage in the animal's back.

If a producer has a history of grubs in his cattle herd, it is recommended treating each animal over three months of age with one

application of an approved systemic insecticide during the May through August period.

These insecticides come in various forms-- dips, pour-ons, injections and spot-on treatments. A listing of approved insecticides and methods for controlling cattle grubs is available at the County Extension Office.

The planet Neptune is 17.3 times larger than the earth.

Stiles hosts Diversity Club

The Bronte Diversity Club met for its last meeting of the club year Thursday evening, May 16, in the home of Ruth Stiles. A salad supper was served with each member bringing a salad.

President Flora Smith presented a review of the year-book-- its interesting programs presented by guest speakers or club members; the achievements during the club year and the overall success of club activities.

Present for the supper and meeting were club members Mmes. Ruth Hageman,

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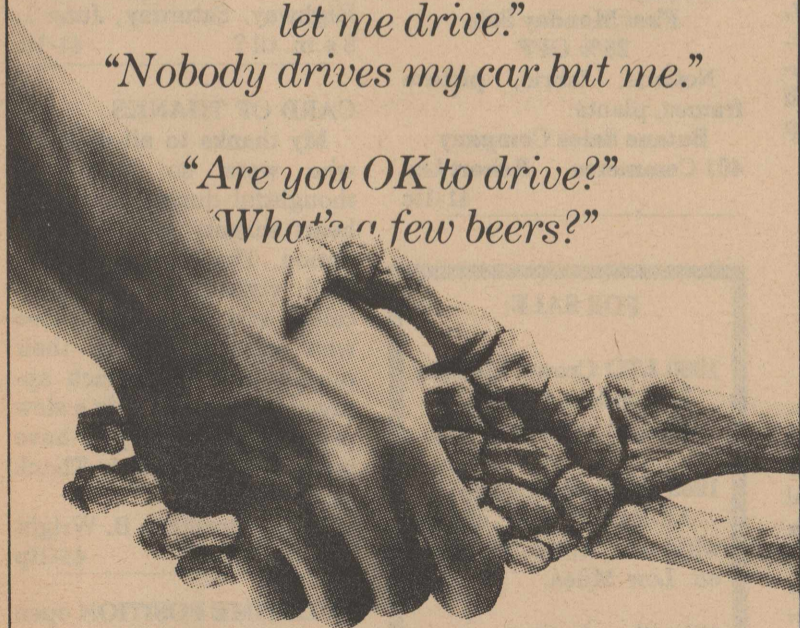
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Who Is?

Never argue with a fool. Onlookers may not be able to tell who is which.

-Grit.

FOR SALE: 6 Bantams and set of pens. Also 2 - 16.5 by 12 inch wheels. 453-2507 after 6:00. 41-1tp

BACKYARD SALE - Adult and children's clothing, shoes, stereo, dishes, etc. East 6th and San Angelo Highway. Saturday, June 1, 8 a.m. til ? 41-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

My thanks to all of those who were so kind and thoughtful during my open-heart surgery and recovery period. Those who brought food, visited, mailed cards, called and especially those who included me in their prayers are very much appreciated. Recovery is a slow process but all of you have made it much easier. Thank you!

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Lackey, Reeder tour midwest

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lackey and Mrs. Ella Reeder of Robert Lee have returned from a 9 day, 2,300 mile trip to Illinois and Iowa. In Champaign-Urbana, IL, they attended the graduation of their niece and granddaughter, Ruth Reeder, who received her Master's Degree from the University of Illinois.

The family also visited with a nursing classmate of Mrs. Reeder, Mrs. Phil Myers. The women had not seen each other for some 30 years. They visited other friends and relatives in Fairfield, IL.

The trio arrived home in time for a visit from their son and grandson, David Lackey from Plano, for the Memorial Day weekend.

GREEN UP YOUR LAWN

About this time of the year home lawns need a boost to get them in shape for the spring season just around the corner.

There are three operations that can get a lawn off to a good start-- scalping, fertilizing and controlling weeds.

Scalping a lawn in early spring serves to revitalize it and promote early spring green-up.

Homeowners should keep the lawnmower blade lowered until mid-summer.

After scalping the lawn, apply a complete fertilizer (one containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium) to promote lead and root growth. Use 1 pound of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet of lawn area. This is equal to 12 pounds of an 8-8-8 fertilizer or 8 pounds of a 12-4-8 fertilizer. Repeat the application in the early summer and fall.

For a dark green lawn, nitrogen every 50 days at the rate of one pound to 1,000 square feet. Monthly applications of iron chelate or iron sulfate during the spring and summer promote a healthy color in St. Augustine lawns.

Penne Sims receives degree

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Sawyer were in Austin on May 18 to attend graduation exercises at the University of Texas where their granddaughter, Penne Sims received her B.A. Degree in Psychology and Pre-Med.

On Thursday afternoon, May 23, they attended Promotion Exercises for their grandson, Copie Davis, in Ozona.

On Friday night, May 24, the couple attended graduation exercises at Ozona High School for their grandson,

Gary Davis. Gary received a Carr Academic Scholarship to Angelo State University and the Charlotte B. Phillips Art Memorial Scholarship. He was given Best Citizen Award by the Ozona Woman's Forum. He was voted outstanding Young Citizen of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce. He was president of National Honor Society. Gary was 4th place winner at the State Meet in Headline writing and was among the top 10 in his class of 57 graduates.

Grad School accepts Sims

Teri Sims received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from the University of Texas at Austin on May 18. She has been accepted into graduate school at UT for the fall semester.

Teri is the daughter of Richard Sims of Lufkin and

granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sims of Robert Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Sims attended the graduation ceremonies.

Some people believed they could make it rain by shooting arrows into the air.

Wilson will serve as supervisor

Jeanne Wilson, daughter of Pat and Chester Wilson of Bronte, will serve as supervisor of the nursing staff at the Brownwood Girl Scout Camp this summer. The camp is located on Lake Brownwood.

Jeanne is a registered nurse and is attending Angelo State University in San Angelo working toward a bachelor of science degree.

Mountain Creek sets Partners tourney

Robert Lee's Mountain Creek Golf Club will hold their annual Partnership Tournament on June 1 and 2. It will be a 2-man, select shot event and entry fees have been set at \$85.00 per team for the first 64 teams to enter.

Play will begin on Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and on Sunday at 1:30 p.m. This has always been a big one so get your partners lined up!

The first woman to receive a Nobel Prize for literature was Swedish novelist and poet Selma Lagerlof.

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--- Here's Blackwell ---

by Mrs. Rocky Thompson
The UMW of Blackwell will have an ice cream supper each second Friday evening of each month thru the summer at the fellowship hall of the Methodist Church.

They will serve ice cream and pie or cake. Everyone is invited to come and eat with them and enjoy the evening as they have also planned to have a sing-a-long each evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Howell and Amie had as their visitors last Saturday and Sunday, Jansey and Nathan Whitton from Midland and John and Steven House from Big Spring.

Amie returned home with the House's for an extended visit with her grandparents,

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitton, other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crain have as their visitors this week their grandson, Casey Crain, from San Angelo and his sister, Kellie, will come and visit with her grandparents, later before she begins her summer school.

Blackwell had quite a scare from the stormy weather Sunday about 7:00 p.m., but all received was some wind and .2 of rain Monday afternoon. Another thunderstorm with .3 of rain, and Tuesday another thunderstorm, receiving .6 of rain. Then at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning a severe thunderstorm dropped .7 and .2 being measured Wednesday afternoon making a total all week of 1.8 inches.

---Personal---

Doug and Grace Ditmore spent Memorial weekend at the Devil's River cabin of her sister and brother-in-law, Dorothy and Ed Harrell. Enjoying fishing and camping were Tom, Betty and Bill Green, Tennyson; Karen Harrell and Bob Davis, San Antonio; Ann Geisler, Alton, IL; and Bob and Roby Teaff of Sonora. The largest fish caught was 17 1/2 lbs. and lots of smaller ones provided a big fish fry on Memorial Day.

Mrs. Evah Mahon of Robert Lee enjoyed a visit from her nephew, F.C. Hearrell, of Corpus Christi over the weekend. He was accompanied by an old Navy buddy, Clyde Elliott, of Harlingen. The men looked over Lake Spence and visited the cemetery where Hearrell's mother, Jessie, is buried.

Mrs. Ed Hart returned home Friday after a week's visit with her mother and other family members in Illinois.

Coe and Cathy Lewis of Robert Lee recently spent five days in the Houston-Galveston area. The pair bowled in the State Bowling Tournament in Houston where Cathy was awarded a State patch for her 194 game. She averaged 134 per game.

They visited in Galveston with Coe's sister, Vera Lightsey, toured the city's historic points and enjoyed the seafood of the island.

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