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Flanagan retires after thirty years

May 31 marked the official retirement date for longtime Texas Parks and Wildlife Department employee R.L. Flanagan of Robert Lee. He had been with the service for 30 years.

R.L. was honored on Saturday, June 1, with a dinner and reception at the Holiday Inn in San Angelo by department officials. One hundred-sixty-five guests attended the function. Raymond Custer of San Angelo, Regional Supervisor, served as master of ceremonies for the occasion. Other speakers included John Wood, Brownwood, Bill Sprott, Burnet, George Vicker, Ft. Davis, and David Palmer of Austin who presented the certificate of retirement.

Several members of R.L.'s family attended the retirement function including his sister and husband. Mr. &

Becky Clendennen.

daughter of Allen & Carole

Clendennen of Robert Lee

will be among the candidates

competing for the title of

Miss Teen of Texas to be

held at the Hyatt Regency in

Austin, Tx. on July 12-14,

1985. Miss Teen of Texas

will receive a \$1,000.00 col-

lege scholarship as well as a host of merchandise awards

and will join the title holders

of the remaining 49 states in

an all expense paid trip to

the National Miss Teen of

Teen of America will receive

nearly \$20,000.00 in awards,

including a \$15,000.00

scholarship to the college or

the candidates are all judged

on Scholastic Record, Ser-

vice/Achievement to School

and Community, and Per-

sonal Development. While

at the Miss Teen of Texas

Pageant, all candidates take

a written test designed to

measure their general

awareness of the world

around them. A panel of

judges will also score the

Prior to arriving in Austin,

university of her choice.

America Pageant.

Mrs. Don Salter, nieces and nephews, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Salter and children, Mr. & Mrs. Norman Wright, all of Comanche, and his brother and wife, Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Flanagan of Whitesboro.

Friends presented R.L. with gifts of a graph depth finder and various tools. Mrs. Flanagan received a Waterford vase for her support over the years.

R.L. was raised in Comanche and finished school there. He attended game warden school at Texas A&M and joined the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department in 1954. He served as game warden at Ballinger before coming to Robert Lee in 1962. Serving Coke County as game warden until 1980, he was promoted to District Supervisor over 10 counties at that time.

Although R.L.'s work entailed many night hours and time away from home, he found his work gratifying and enjoyed his job tremendously.

Robert Lee is home to R.L. and his wife, Evelyn, and they will remain here. Their grown children were raised in Robert Lee and the couple now have 4 grandchildren to enjoy. The children and their spouses are Mr. & Mrs. Richard (Margaret) Lehr, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Flanagan, and Mr. & Mrs. Wade (Renea) Maxcey, all of Odes-

His retirement plans call for the establishment of a fishing guide service on Lake Spence and time to enjoy his hobbies of fishing, hunting, and collecting Indian arti-



Everyone in the communcompete in Teen contest ity is invited to join in the music and fun at the ice cream supper at the Bronte Nursing Home on Saturday, July 6 at 7 p.m. Each one attending is asked to bring a half gallon of homemade or bought ice cream.

The Residents' Council is sponsoring the affair and hopes for a good turn-out.

Becky Clendennen

girls in the area of Personality Projection and an Inter-

Pageant Finals will be held Sunday, July 14, 1985, 4:00 P.M. at Burger Center. The Official Pageant Charity is the American Heart Association. Last year the girls raised over \$30,000.00 for the Assoc.

The Official Host Group of the 1985 Pageant is the Capital City Business and Professional Women's Club.

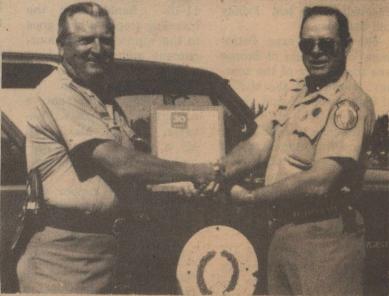
Becky Clendennen will be Sponsored by: Ernest Clendennen, Inc. of Silver.

Boecking featured at bank celebration

A combination art show featuring work of local artist Virginia Boecking and Dorothy and Jimmy Dankworth of Ballinger was on display at the First National Bank in Ballinger as part of the bank's 99th birthday

celebration. Oil and watercolor paintings by Mrs. Boecking and her students and patrons of Gina's Gallery were viewed by a large crowd attending the celebration. Boecking stated that the art was well received by atten-

Tom Boecking, president of the bank, is Mr. and Mrs. Boecking's son and a former Bronte resident.



R.L. FLANAGAN OF Robert Lee [1] accepts his 30 year service award from Raymond Custer, Regional Supervisor of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Benefit street dance adds over \$500 to monitor fund

The benefit street dance held last Saturday night in Robert Lee generously added to the fund for the fetal monitor for West Coke County Hospital. The crowd danced outdoors in the street which serves as a parking lot behind the county courthouse.

When the last guitar was put away and the band had left, West Coke Co. Hospital District had over \$500.00 to go on the 3rd payment of the equipment that's been purchased at the hospital. The balance left on this life equipment saving \$1,471.81, due Aug. 10th.

Everyone there had a good time, enjoying the music. dancing, refreshments and visiting. Irene Newell was the lucky lady who received a handmade afghan and pillows at the drawing.

A bazaar is planned for July 27th at the Old Rec Hall, 10:00 a.m. until ?. Donations greatly apprecia-

The following have given donations: Mickey & Fran Pierce, Mrs. Jesse Cargile, Jo Ella Leeper, Violet Kirkpatrick, and Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Millican. Margaret Roane has given memorials.

Should we exceed the amount we owe on the Fetal Monitor the money will be used to go on visual equipment that is greatly needed for our hospital.

Heartfelt thanks go out to The Country Jokers for helping us make this a success. To all who brought, to all who bought, to all who came, our thanks for everything that was done. We truly appreciate you folks with all our hearts.

Maverick Homecoming set

The Annual Maverick Homecoming will be held Saturday and Sunday, July 13 and 14, at the Bronte Community Center. Saturday night, those attending will gather at 7:00 p.m. for a social get-together. On Sunday, the noon meal will

be served at 12:30 p.m. It will be catered and in order for those in charge to know how many to prepare for,

you must notify Bill Thomas, Box 388, Bronte, Texas 69933 or call 473-3141 by July 10 if you will attend.

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Tourney provides thrills

Ten area teams lived up to everyone's expectations of providing lots of Softball thrills at the Union Texas Petroleum Slow-Pitch Tournament held at the Bronte Baseball Park last Friday and Saturday.

The Union Texas Petroleum Winchesters of Bronte was the winner of the tourney, followed by the Misfits of Ballinger in second place; Warriors of Winters, in third and Raiders of Ballinger, fourth. Other teams entered were Chewy's Bunch and Burwick's of Bronte, Twisters of Ballinger, Rebels of Rowena, Import Gift Shop and Bad Image of San Angelo.

Kendall Gibbs of the UT Petroleum Winchesters team was selected to receive the Most Valuable Player of the Tournament award trophy and Keith Fenwick of the Ballinger Misfits was presented the Golden Glove

The UT Winchesters defeated Chewy's Bunch, Warriors, Misfits and Raiders in their quest for first place and downed the Misfits for the Championship.

Winton Milliff is coach of the winning team made up primarily of Union Texas employees and guest players.

The winning team celebrated their victory with a steak supper at the KC House hosted by Union Texas plant manager Chester Wilson.

Team trophies were presented to the teams in the first three places and 15 individual trophies were also given, with the fourth place team receiving a team tro-

It was reunion time between two good softball teams when Union Texas Perkins Plant of Bronte and **UT Benedum Plant of Rankin** Squared off at the Bronte field last Saturday.

The teams were tied up 13-13 at the end of regular play but Rankin outdistanced them 13-15 in extra innings. The second game was also close with Rankin the victor 11-10. Rankin won the traveling trophy which goes to the winner of each tournament and may be kept permanently by a team with three consecutive wins.

After the tournament, a fun game was played between the UT Ms's. and Mr.'s with the Ms.'s winning due to a little "biased" umpiring!

A barbeque supper was served at the conclusion of the activities.

Omitted

The Observer/Enterprise regrets the omission of the names of team members of the Bronte Tigers Major League girls. Their picture was mistakenly identified with only the All-Star girl's names.

Pictured in the front page photo (back row, l to r) are Dorothy Collins, Melissa Bivins, Teresa Vaughn, Ami Parker, Darla Scott, Eboni Taylor, Angela Reyes, Cynthia Turner, (front row, l to r) Alisa Richards, Brandi Thomas, Kristie Cooper and Misty Mackey. Team members not pictured were Jamie Morrow, Angie Fuentez, Tamara Richards, and Carrie Teel. Coach Gary Bivins snapped the picture.

The paper apologizes to the girls for deletion of their names





Retirement party honors Marie Arrott

A retirement party was given to Mrs. C.E. (Marie) Arrott for her 40 yrs. of service to Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau as Office Secretary. The party was held at the new recreation hall in Robert Lee on July 1, 1985 at 7:00 P.M. where a supper and homemade ice cream were served.

Mrs. C.E. Arrott was honored with a clock with an engravement of her 40 yrs. of service and was also given several gift certificates.

Family members present were the following: Arrott, Marlene Vaughn, Jolene Barrett, Bobbie Arrott, Nick & Susan Arrott, Andra Arrott, and 6 great grandchildren. Hazel LaMunyon, sister to Marie, from California and Edward Hudgens, brother to Marie, from Lubbock were also present.

Office Staff present were: Fieldman, Edward Cumbie and wife; Agency Manager, George Demere and wife; Agent, George Brickey & family; Secretary, Teresa Millican & family; Secretary, Gaylene Van Dolah & family.

Board Members were: Robert Melvin Brown & wife, Robert I. Brown & wife, Finis Harmon & wife, Bill Hartmann & wife, Robert Gallaway, John Stephens, Tom Price & wife, Rodger Graves & wife, Alonzo Robbins, Allen Bloodworth & wife, Charlie Boecking & wife, and Mrs. Bobby Roberts.

Marie was given a plaque during the Secretarial Con-

Butter, cheese distribution is rescheduled for 9th

Coke County butter and cheese distribution has been re-scheduled for Tuesday, July 9, from 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon at the Bronte and Robert Lee Senior Citizen's Buildings.





Mrs. Marie Arrott

ference on June 25, 1985 in Waco and was recognized as being the only Secretary that has served 40 yrs. of employment for Texas Farm Bur-

The work and time that Marie has given to the members of Coke & Sterling Counties is greatly appreciated. Congratulations, Marie. We wish you all the

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An awards program and ice cream supper officially concluded the 1985 baseball season in Bronte. A large number of youth were enrolled in the program and benefitted greatly from participating in this form of organized recreation. Each player was presented a trophy from the Bronte Baseball League. Parents and interested persons who volunteered to coach or man the concession stand were an invaluable part of the overall program, also.

Teams and players are listed as follows. Kittens-T Ball Girls: Julia Gentry, Angela White, Joni Barrett, Mandy Dunn, Stephanie Martinez, Kerri Fine, Kimberly McCorkle, Amy Harrell, Jodi Hilliard, Melinda Reyes, Danielle Parker, Shelly Sims and Kelly Freeman. Coach was Brendi Gentry and Lynn White with parents pitching in to help out as needed.

Braves - T Ball Boys: Cory Robinson, Nicholas Arrott, Scott Thompson, Nathan Hays, Wes Taylor, Russel Vaughn, Matt Cosby, John C. Gonzales, Lane Parker, Cody Holland, Larry Graves, Joseph C. Gonzales, Gary Walker, Aaron Carper and Gary Blair. Coached by Terry Cosby assisted by Alex Costillo Gonzales and Frank Hiland.

Cougars - Minor League Boys: Jason Cooper, Jason Blaylock, Jason Harrell, Larry Herring, Rudy Sanchez, Casey Thorn, Randy Bilbrey, Gary Bilbrey, Jon Thompson, Brent Taylor, Jacob Golson, Jay Parker. Coach was Chewy Puentez and assistant coach was Kendall Gibbs.

Tigers - Major League Girls: Melissa Bivins, Angela Reyes, Teresa Vaughn, Eboni Taylor, Darla Scott, Amie

Participants meet course requirements

An ECA course was recently completed at Bronte involving 40 classroom hours and skill certification in CPR, bandaging and splinting, vital signs, oxygen use and

extrication.

Meeting the requirements were Marilyn Bivins, Beverly Sims, Mark Ball, Kendall Gibbs and Jerry T. Parker, new ECA's; Jeanna Lee, recertification of ECA; Evaluation of ECA; Evaluation of ECA; David Scott and Jerita Taylor, recertification of EMT.

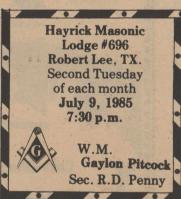
Instructors were Karl Vancil, Garry Bivins, Frances Pierce and Jackie Corley. Parker, Alisa Richards, Jamie Morrow, Kristie Cooper, Tamera Richards, Carrie Teel, Misty Mackey, Angie Fuentez, Brandi Thomas. Coach and assistants were Garry Bivins, Dot Collins and Cynthia Turner.

Bandits - Major League Boys: Bill Windham, Justin Phillips, Billy Magness, Matt Mecke, Cory Thorn, Brian Arrott, Tim Sims, Tommy Adams, Brent Irby, Luke Robbins. Coach was Scotty McCorkle with Bob Thomas.

Wranglers - Sr. League Girls: Sandy Hilliard, Jennifer Robinson, Kerri Bilbrey, Alysa Bilbrey, Dorinda Scott, Misti Taylor, Kelly Webb, Melinda Parker, Melinda Gentry, Donya Cooper, Alice Puentez, DeAnn Parker, Kristi Neighbors. Coached by David Scott and Dana Robinson.

Dodgers - Sr. League Boys: Shannon Hoffman, James Badgett, James Teel, Adam Minjares, Gary Blair, Heath Stewart, Waylan Ensor, Reil Barron, Roanen Barron, Jim Bob Thomas, Scott DeBord. Coach was Connie Thomas, Chilo Minjares assisted.

All Stars were recognized from the major and senior leagues. Major league girls selected were: Angela Reyes, Teresa Vaughn, Melissa Bivins, Eboni Taylor and Darla Scott. Major league boys named were Justin Phillips and Bill Windham. Senior league girls All Stars were: Alice Puentez, Dorinda Scott, Jennifer Robinson, Misti Taylor, Melinda Park-er, Melinda Gentry, Kerri Bilbrey. All Stars from the senior boys were James Teel, Heath Stewart, Roanen Barron, Adam Minjares and Shannon Hoffman.



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by Debra J. Reber

Rich, premium ice creams with sophisticated names are making their way into supermarkets to compete with familiar store brands and local dairy products. Premium ice creams cost more so consumers can justifiably wonder what they're getting for the higher price.

The taste and texture of the premium ice creams are usually judged to be superior. And this smooth, rich taste is achieved with increased butterfat and less air in the product.

According to the Food and Drug Administration Standards of Identity, the butterfat content must be greater than 10 percent to qualify as ice cream. Supermarket brands are around 10.5 percent fat by weight. But many gourmet ice creams are more than 16 percent fat.

The extra butter fat gives premium ice cream its creamy texture and additional calories. Calories are also more concentrated in premium ice creams because of the amount of air in the

product. Regular ice cream has about 50 percent air, while the premium brands drop the air content to as little as 25 percent.

Some people claim that because of its richness, they eat only small portions of premium ice creams. But others say that the taste is so good they wind up eating more than they would of the lower-calorie supermarket varieties.

Most ice creams, including many of the premium brands, contain stabilizers and emulsifiers. These prevent ice crystallization which makes for a gritty-tasting product. Most stabilizers and emulsifiers are derived from natural sources, are safe and long-tested. But some premium ice creams do not contain them, and may claim to be a more natural product.

Whether you buy premium or regular ice cream may depend on how you feel about the taste, calories and cost of one product versus another. Luckily, any type of ice cream is a taste treat.

Key to Your Courthouse"

and Doris Penny gave a short

program on "Importance of

The Club voted to move

their regular meeting date to

the second and fourth Tues.

of each month after the

meeting will be Sept. 10th at

2 p.m.; place will be announ-

summer vacation.

Jury Service."

Reeder hosts homemakers

The Green Mountain Extension Homemakers Club met in the home of Mrs. Ella Reeder on Friday, June 28, for their regular meeting. Four members were present: Doris Penny, Bettie Page, Lillie Gaines and the hostess, Ella Reeder. Mrs. Reeder opened the meeting with a poem "I Can't Look Back." Mrs. Bettie Page gave the program on "The

Cathy Lewis travels to Virginia

Cathy Lewis of San Angelo accompanied a family friend, Mrs. Marilyn Kent, to Virginia on a 2 week trip. Mrs. Kent, a postal employee and a recent widow, is moving back to her native Virginia and asked Cathy to ride with her.

The pair visited Elvis Presley's home, Graceland, in Tennessee and have toured a number of scenic sights, including Skyline Drive and Natural Bridge in Virginia.

Cathy will fly back to Midland on July 4. She is a student at ASU and the daughter of Mrs. Coe Lewis of Robert Lee.

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County 4-H Horse Show results told

With Other server Commences

Several Coke County 4-H members participated in the 1985 County 4-H Horse Show. Results are as fol-

Class 1 - Mares - 14 hands, 3 inches & over - 1. Dorinda Scott; 2. Melanie Cooper; 3. Cory Thorn; 4. Shelley Burrows; 5. Brande Burrows; 6. Eric Hoffman.

Class 2 - Mares - under 14 hands, 3 inches - 1. Tim Sims; 2. Casey Thorn; 3. Melinda Gentry; 4. Donya Cooper; 5. Julia Gentry. Class 3 - Champion Mare - 1.

Tim Sims. Reserve Champion Mare - 1. Dorinda Scott.

Class 5 - Geldings, 14 hands, 3 inches & over - 1. Darla Scott; 2. Teresa Vaughn; 3. Russell Vaughn.

Champion Gelding - 1. Darla

Reserve Champion Gelding -1. Teresa Vaughn.

Class 9 - Junior Western Pleasure - 1. Brande Burrows; 2. Cory Thorn; 3. Casey Thorn; 4. Tim Sims; 5. Julia Gentry; 6. Shelley Bur-

Class 10 - Senior Western Pleasure - 1. Eric Hoffman; 2. Melinda Gentry; 3. Donya Cooper.

Class 11 - Junior Western Riding - 1. Teresa Vaughn: 2. Brande Burrows; 3. Cory Thorn; 4. Casey Thorn; 5. Tim Sims; 6. Shelley Burrows; 7. Julia Gentry.

Class 12 - Senior Western Riding - 1. Eric Hoffman; 2. Donya Cooper; 3. Melinda

Class 13 - Junior Pole Bending - 1. Teresa Vaughn; 2. Cory Thorn; 3. Brande Burrows; 4. Casey Thorn; 5. Shelley Burrows; 6. Tim Sims; 7. Julia Gentry; 8. Russell Vaughn.

Class 14 - Senior Pole Bending - 1. Eric Hoffman; 2. Donya Cooper; 3. Melinda Gentry.

Class 15 - Junior Barrel Racing - 1. Brande Burrows; 2. Teresa Vaughn; 3. Casey Thorn; 4. Cory Thorn; 5. Shelley Burrows; 6. Tim Sims; 7. Russell Vaughn; 8. Julia Gentry.

Class 16 - Senior Barrel Racing - 1. Melinda Gentry; 2. Eric Hoffman; 3. Donya Cooper.

Class 17 - Junior Stakes Race - 1. Brande Burrows; 2. Teresa Vaughn; 3. Cory Thorn; 4. Shelley Burrows; 5. Tim Sims; 6. Julia Gentry; 7. Casey Thorn.

Class 18 - Senior Stakes Race - 1. Melinda Gentry; 2. Eric Hoffman; 3. Donya Cooper.



Pioneer relatives to meet

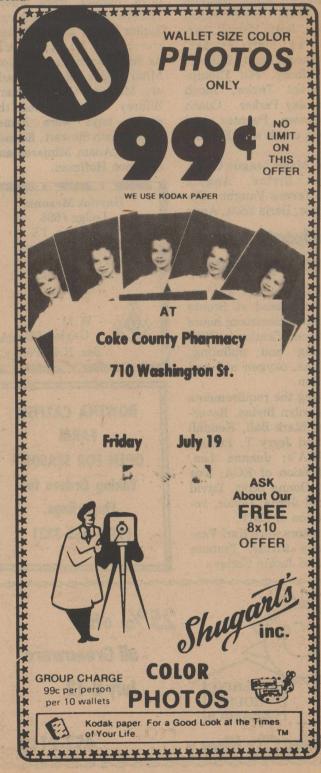
Descendants of W.R. Walker and Mary Eliza Brannan, Coke County pioneers, will meet Sunday, July 14, in the New Rec Hall in Robert Lee for their annual reunion. The reunion has been held in Robert Lee every year since the old Rec Hall was built and prior to

Becki, Bart and Alan Bean were guests in the home of Velma and Freddie Hightower over the week end and attended the Havins reun-Becki is the granddaughter of the Hightowers. They live in the wheat country at Miami, Texas. Bart is counting on a good turn-out from his wheat crop. He also works for the gas company in Canadian. Becki works for a dentist in Pampa. Alan is the first great grandchild of the Hightowers and first grandchild of Freddy and

Walker and his family came to Coke County in 1893, a year after his parents, Andrew Jackson Walker and Almira Reed Adkins, came here from McCulloch County. R.W. Walker raised seven children here, and a large

that was held in Ballinger.

number of descendants will attend the reunion. All other descendants of Andrew Jackson Walker, and all friends of the Walker family, are also cordially invited to attend.





Ambulance Service changes clinic time

The West Coke County Ambulance Service volunteers held a regular monthly meeting at the Ranch House Monday, June 24. Those in attendance included: Dorothea Helen Wright, Judy Williams, Mike Fluhmann, Brenda Skinner, Gene Hinnard and Lou Wright. One guest, Ethel Hinnard, also attended. The group is making plans for the annual Labor Day Barbecue to be held at the new rec hall on Monday, Sept. 2, 1985. Everyone is reminded to keep that date open for the great EMS barbecue and trimmings.

Another item of business included changing the time for the monthly free blood pressure clinic. The blood pressure clinic will continue to be held on the second Saturday of each month at the Post Office, but the time will be changed to 10:30-12:30 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to have a blood pressure check each month.

Keep an eye on your blood pressure and prevent heart attacks and strokes. member. . .this service is free of charge. A record is kept for physicians to review if needed.

Mike Fluhmann reported his concern about the increased possibility of EMS calls around Lake Spence. The ambulance has a radio that is on the common hospital frequency, but many of those people at the lake have citizen's band (CB) radios. He noted that he feels the ambulance should add this piece of equipment to aid in responding to emergencies at the lake. It was decided to mention this to the citizens of our area in case someone has a CB they would like to donate or if someone would like to donate toward this equipment.

The ambulance volunteers have scheduled two Sunday afternoons a month for continuing education and training in order to serve the

public even better. The service is now able to offer advanced life support care to the citizens of this area. Our biggest need at this time is for more volunteers. Plans are underway to offer a basic-EMT (emergency medical technician) course in Robert Lee beginning in January or February of 1986. We need to find people willing to give of themselves and their time to help their fellow citizens. It YOU can help us by taking the necessary training, please begin to make plans to take this course next year. Remember the slogan. . . Help US Help YOU!



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County Seniors' dance termed well-attended

The Observer/Enterprise

The Concho Valley Council of Government-sponsored dance for Coke County's Senior Citizens on Thursday, June 20 was a well-attended function. Thirty-two persons enjoyed the fellowship, exercise, and refreshments the occasion offered. Held in the Senior Citizen's Building in Robert Lee, the dance was limited to persons 60 years of age or older. Music was provided by Slim Trent, Harley Moore, J.L. Jones, and Add Davis, all of Robert Lee, and Mike Eckerd of Bronte.

Sponsors hope to involve more Blackwell and Bronte Senior Citizens for the scheduled 3rd Thursday next month, July 18.

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43-CTN

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We deeply appreciate your thoughtful expression of sympathy which was of the greatest comfort to us in our sorrow. Especially to our neighbors, Shaffer Funeral Home, Robert Lee Baptist Church, Coke County Sheriffs Dept., Coke County 4-H Club members, The Class of '64, and to our many friends. The family of

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FOR SALE-Very nice 3 bedroom, den, on corner lots, 1 block from school. Fenced back yard, lots of trees. 453-2173.

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46-2TC

Stake Race included in Bronte Playday activities

A Stake Race was the Fun Event at last Saturday's Play Day held at the Bronte Arena. Plans call for making this a regular event of the Play Day schedule if enough interest is expressed in continuing it. No places or ribbons were awarded in this trial run but best times were recorded as follows:

5 and under Jodi Hilliard, Brandy Denton 6-7 yrs

Julia Gentry, Russell Vaughn, Angela White.

8-9 yrs Casey Thorn, Joni Barrett 10-12 yrs

Donya Cooper, Cory Thorn, Melinda Gentry, Teresa Vaughn.

13-15 yrs Sandy Hilliard

16-18 yrs Pam McGinnis

In the regular events results were: 5 and under Barrels, Flags & Poles 1. Jodi Hilliard; 2. Brandy

Denton. 6-7 yrs 1. Russell Vaughn; 2. Julia Gentry; 3. Angela White. Flags

1. J. Gentry; 2. A. White; 3. R. Vaughn.

Poles

1. R. Vaughn; 2. J. Gentry; 3. A. White.

8-9yr Barrels, Flags & Poles: 1. Casey Thorn; 2. Jone Barrett.

10-12 yrs Barrels

1. Teresa Vaughn; 2. Donya Cooper; 3. Cory Thorn; 4. Melinda Gentry.

Flags

1. T. Vaughn; 2. M. Gentry; 3. D. Cooper; 4. Cory Thorn.

Poles 1. Cory Thorn; 2. M. Gentry; 3. D. Cooper; Hon. Mention-

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13-15 vr Barrels & Poles: 1. Sandy Hilliard; 2. Eric

Hoffman. Flags 1. Eric Hoffman; 2. Sandy Hilliard.

> 19 and over: Rarrela:

1. Melinda McCutchen.

The Rodeo Association wishes to thank Paul Sublett for fixing lights which were malfunctioning during the performance and Tony Barrett for repairing the bench in the time-keepers stand.

Next Play day performance will be July 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the arena in Bronte.

Morrow, Tidwell place at Merkel

Six area ladies entered the Merkel Ladies Best Ball golf tournament last Saturday and fared very well. The team of Mary Morrow and Brenda Tidwell won second place in the first flight, and Sue Caudle and Maxine Percifull won first in the second Also participating were Jackie Corley and Peggy Belew of Winters.

Descendants of the late Granville Ellis and Martha Ellen (Lewis) Davis gathered on Saturday and Sunday, June 22 & 23 for their annual Davis Reunion. eighty-five relatives of all ages enjoyed a weekend of picture-taking, singing, and good food.

Out-of-town relatives attending the annual get-together were: Martha, Brent. & Farrel Selzer, Munday, Onkie & Mitch Raymond, Houston, David, Fronie, & Michael Estep, Austin, Waid Davis, Dallas, Sonny & Daisy Black, Mansfield, Glenn & Colleen Davis, Center Point, Garland, Rosie, Gary, and Copie Davis. Ozona, Russell Zoet, Houston, Jean & Copie Davis, Dallas, Donna & Brandon

Wallace, Adams capture contest

The June 27 Afternoon Delight brought 15 golfers out to challenge the heat in the 9-hole mini-tourney for members only.

Wade Wallace and Elsie Adams captured the contest with a 34 score. Gaylon and Suzanne Hall came in second, carding a 35, followed by third place finishers Ernest Ybarra and Clark Tinkler at 37.

On Thursday, July 4, the members plan to go 19 holes instead of 9, depending on participation.

The Club urges the ladies in the community to play at the course on Tuesday mornings and afternoons. Organizing a Ladie's Association can increase your skill and knowledge of the game along with the exercise and company of other women.

Next Saturday and Sunday, July 6 & 7, Mountain Creek Golf Club will hold their Family Partnership Tournament. Tee-off times are set for 8:30 A.M. on Saturday and 1:30 P.M. Sunday, with a \$35.00 entry

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Reunion officers elected for 1986 were Addison Davis, president, Curtis Don Bell, vice-president, and Millie Davis, secretarytreasurer.

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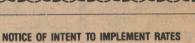
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General Telephone Company of the Southwest in accordance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act and the Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas gives notice of its intent to implement new exchange access rates for the provision of shared tenant and tenant resale services.

These proposed rates are applicable to customers of General Telephone Company of the Southwest, excluding hotel/motel customers, who provide local exchange telephone service of General Telephone Company of the Southwest to their tenants or patrons on a resale or shared use basis. This resale or sharing arrangement is normally provided utilizing a customer-provided PABX or other similar stored control switch capable of common control processing or other features commonly associated with a PABX "Smart" switch.

These proposed rates are designed to recover costs on a usage basis for local exchange telephone service access and are identical to General Telephone's "Optional Measured Service" rates. The monthly access rate will be \$28.95 per trunk line and the usage rates are as follows:

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7	14 miles	В	.035	.021
14	21 miles	C	.050	.030
21	28 miles	D	.070	.042
28		E	.090	.054

As this is a new service offering, we are unable to determine the number of customers who may be affected. Currently, there are no known prospective customers. Until any customer utilizes this new offering, there will be no effect on the revenues of the telephone company, and in any event, the telephone company does not expect revenues to be affected by more than 21/2 percent. These proposed rates, where applicable, will provide tariffed local exchange access to customers who then will provide shared or resale services to These proposed rates have been suspended by the Public Utility Commission of Texas

and will become effective as proposed or modified by order of the Commission on a date to be determined by the commission. The proposed rate schedule is on file with the Commission for public inspection and

is also available at any business office of General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumers Affairs Division at (512)458-0223 or (512)458-0227, or (512)458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Linda Ann Finley, Ernest Burns

Finley, Burns to marry

Linda Ann Finley and Ernest Burns, both of Odessa, will exchange wedding vows on July 27 at 7:00 in the evening at the Hiway Temple Assembly of God Church in Odessa.

Parents of the engaged couple are Mr. & Mrs. Leland Finley of Odessa, Mr. & Mrs. Delbert Hamm, Kildare, and Mr. & Mrs. Paul Burns of Robert Lee.

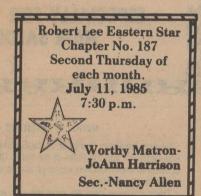
Miss Finley was graduated in 1978 from Permian High School in Odessa and is presently employed by Dr. Bobby N. Taylor, D.D.S.

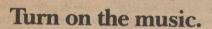
The prospective groom is a 1976 graduate of Robert Lee High School, whose current employer is Treat-A-Weed.

Postmaster, Coe Lewis, just returned from a four-day Postmaster's Convention in San Antonio. Besides good entertainment, a Mexican Fiesta Sunday night and a Mexican Musical in the River Theatre on Tuesday night. This was one of our better Conventions as far as information and education were concerned. With a lot of careful management, the future of the postal service looks bright. The only blot on an otherwise healthy outlook is the "private express status". Some people want to take the first class monoply away from the postal service. This might be fine for large cities with large office buildings, but the small towns and rural areas would be without the mail service they have always known and would never know who or what might

deliver their mail-if it was delivered at all. Our mail is one of our most precious and personal commodities and if we allow "The Grace Commission" and our Congress & Senate to repeal this private express status we will probably spend the rest of our lives regretting it.

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