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# County rainfall benefits are endless

Nine days of intermittent rains have spoiled Coke County residents-- we expect it now! The benefits are endless: West Texas never turns down a rain. Although

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> some cotton is needing some sunny weather and milo is suffering, most folks don't mind fixing water gaps and getting muddy.

ing about the same. Robert Lee and the western part of the county has measured Rainfall totals around about 12 inches.

Lake Spence has gained over 3 feet of water and Oak Creek is running 1 foot over the spillway. Both are still catching water. Mountain Creek Lake has sent water over the spillway three different times during the rains.

Temperatures remain cool but plenty of warm weather remains for fall grazing to grow and farmers are anxious to finish their harvest and plant small grains, but no one wants to rush the end of the good rains.



OLD HIGHWAY 158 disappears as rising waters from Lake Spence wipes out the Wildcat Creek Bridge. A short time ago, it was open to traffic and fishermen were sitting in lawn chairs along the sides.

#### Lightning ign es vent pipe

The morning of September 1, lightning set fire to an oil tank on the Willcockson ranch seven miles south of Robert Lee. The Robert Lee fire marshall was called but the department is not equipped to extinguish oil fires.

The San Angelo Fire Dept. was called and arrived within minutes, about 9:24 a.m. and extinguished the fire. There was no damage as the oil in the half-filled tank had not caught fire. Only the vent pipe (gas) on the top of the tank was blazing.

## **Upcoming...**

#### **Golf Tourney**

Mountain Creek Golf Club will sponsor and host a 27-hole, 3-man select shot tournament on Sunday, Sept. 7. The tourney will limit the day's contest to 27 teams at a \$60.00 per team entry fee. Play will begin at 8 a.m. More info can be obtained by calling the club house in Robert Lee at 453-2317.

### **Girls in Action**

A new time has been set for Girls in Action meetings beginning on September 8. The meetings will be held from 4-5 p.m. at the Bronte First Baptist Church.

#### Gospel singing

The first-Sunday gospel singing will be held this Sunday afternoon, Sept. 7 from 2:00 until 4:00 at the Bronte Senior Citizens Center, announces Margaret Martin, program coordinator. Also being observed on this date is Grandparents Day which falls on Sept. 7.

These programs are for the enjoyment of everyone in the community and a good attendance of all ages is hoped for.

#### **RL Band Boosters**

Wanda Oleksuik, president of the Robert Lee Band Booster Club, has called a regular meeting of the organization for Tuesday, Sept. 9, at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be at the school.

#### **Play Day**

Coke County Play Days had to be postponed on August 30th due to rain, and has been scheduled for Saturday, September 6, weather permitting. This is an important Play Day as it will be the final one of the season, so all riders are urged to be present.

## **Paint Creek** Cemetery

Members of the Paint Creek Cemetery Association have been asked by a spokesman to meet in the home of S.B. Plumlee in Robert Lee on Monday evening, September 8, at 8:00. Purpose of the meeting will be to elect new officers and discuss the use or need of the water meter at the cemetery.

## **Eastern Star** initiation

Robert Lee Chapter No. 187, Order of the Eastern Star, met in their beautiful new lodge hall August 14, 1986. Jeffie Roberts, Worthy Matron and Bobby Roberts, Worthy Patron, presided at the meeting.

There were 45 members present to witness the initiation of three new members -Kim Tinkler, Pam Millican and Cecil Brewer. Chapters represented were Bronte, Mertzon, San Angelo No. 10, Concho No. 826, Winters, and Robert Lee. Brenda White and Frances Grice from Mertzon No. 251 and Debbie Karshner from Concho No. 826, San Angelo presented an inspiring program on Robert Morris, the founder of the Order of the Eastern Star.

## Club hosts overflow crowd

The newly organized 40 Plus Dance Club got off the ground with a bang Tuesday evening when an overflow crowd attended the club's first dance in the large Rec Hall in Robert Lee. The group will dance each first Tuesday of every month.

Good country/western swing music was provided by the Larry Spivey Band. Spokesmen for the club reported lots of dancing and visiting by all who attended.



ROBERT LEE RESIDENTS Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dublin were surprised on Wednesday to find their tractor, parked on soggy ground in their yard on Commerce Street, had sunk into an abandoned cess-pool. In the unaccustomed rainy weather, lots of folks are discovering swampy places.

## Charles named chairman

Luis Charles of Bronte has been named the Coke County Chairman for the re-election campaign of Bill Clem-

Mr. Charles will direct the organizational efforts in Coke County. Anyone interested in working on the campaign in Coke County should contact Mr. Charles at 915/949-5953.

"I am fully committed to help Bill Clements be reelected Governor and am thrilled to be involved in this exciting campaign," Mr. Charles said.

"I believe Bill Clements was a good Governor for the State of Texas four years ago, and that we need his commitment to leadership to restore integrity back at the state's helm," Mr. Charles added.

Mr. Charles will be working with Bill Clement's Regional Chairman Marcus Anderson of Abilene throughout the campaign.

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Colton Scot Long was born to Richard and Jeffri Long, August 28, 1986, at Angelo Community Hospital. Colton weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces and was 20 inches long. The Longs live at Ira.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dub Izzard of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Long of Robert Lee.

Saul and Yolanda Saucedo of Robert Lee are pleased to announce the birth of their new baby, Omar. He was born at Shannon Memorial Hospital on July 11 at 5:33 p.m. His birth weight was 7 lb. 3½ oz. and he measured 20 inches in length.

Omar has a brother, Salomon, who is 2 years old. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raul Saucedo and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Torres, all of Robert Lee. Mrs. Esmerlido Hernandez of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Alizo Saucedo and Mr. and Mrs. Porfirio Portales, all of Muzquiz, Coah. Mexico are his greatgrandparents.

## **McCutchen reunion**

The McCutchens held their annual Labor Day reunion Aug. 30 and 31 at the Bronte Community Center.

#### **Arrott honored**

Susan Arrott of Bronte was honored August 27 with a surprise birthday luncheon at Cumbie and Arrott Mercantile. Well-wishers attending the luncheon were Diane Kirking and Linda Gladden of San Angelo, Teri Johnson of Oak Creek, Carolyn Flanagan of Ballinger and locals Jane Cumbie, Roenna Thomas, Shalon Gibbs and Shellie Gibbs. Others sharing in the surprise celebration were Pat Martindale, Margaret Brunson, Nina Bivins, Marilyn Bivins, Dorris Saunders, Debra Pompei, Eddie and Earlene Alexander and Pat Oglesby.

#### Personal

Those returning to Texas Tech at Lubbock for the fall semester were the following Robert Lee students: Terry Joe Millican, Eddie Hood, and Douglas Roberts. Also attending Tech this fall will be Dana Anthony and Tracie Pearson.

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Ninety-five persons were present to enjoy lots of good food, swapping tall tales and playing dominoes, games, golf and horseback riding.

Nine of the ten children born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Monroe McCutchen were present with one daughter. Janie Kyle of Seattle, Wash. unable to attend. The nine children present were Vera Mae Sanders and Annie Forbes of Grand Prairie; Ocie McCutchen of Del Rio; Randall McCutchen, Mertzon; Georgia Gibbs, Crews; Calvin McCutchen, Luther McCutchen, Fannie Beaver and Trecie Butner all of Bronte, and their children. grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends coming from Oklahoma and all parts of Texas including Houston, Ft. Worth, Georgetown, Winters, Mason, Brady, Lubbock, Sterling City, Midkiff, Abilene, San Angelo, Gatesville, Knickerbocker, Sonora, Menard and Muleshoe.

## Thompson

Bertha Savannah Thompson, 79, of Blackwell died at 5 p.m. Friday in Snyder Oaks Nursing Home.

Funeral services were at 3 p.m. Sunday in the First United Methodist Church of Blackwell, with the Rev. Joe Walker and the Rev. Henry Ryan officiating. Burial was in Blackwell Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thompson was born Jan. 21, 1907, in Coryell County. She was raised in Blackwell and was a member of the Methodist Church and the UMW. She was married to Rockey Thompson April 19, 1929 in Blackwell. He preceded her in death. She was a correspondent for the Bronte Enterprise writing the "Here's Blackwell" column for 20 years and for the Sweetwater Reporter.

Survivors include two brothers, J.B. Patterson of Snyder and Grady Patterson of Blackwell; two sisters, Louise Blythe of Snyder and Jeanie Henderson of Hermleigh; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers: Albert Cannon, Ted Floyd, Charles Henderson, DeWayne Patterson, Brian Horton and Travis Walston.

#### Carson

Jefferson Davis Carson, 79, died Tuesday, Aug. 26 about 11 a.m. in an auto accident near Tennyson.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 30 at Ponotoc Cemetery in Ponotoc. Shaffer Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

Carson was born Jan. 21, 1907 in Field Creek. He was a retired employee of Barnhart Nitro Hydro Carbon Plant, a subsidiary of El Paso Natural Gas.

He is survived by four sons, Henry Carson of Blackwell, Ted Carson of Wilmeth, Tenn., Billy Frank Carson of Carlsbad, N.M.; two daughters, Winnie Walker of Gillette, WY. and Fern Gaines of Odessa; four brothers, Frank Carson of Ballinger, Mike Carson of Fort Worth, Merideth Carson of Brady and Percy Carson of San Antonio; two sisters, Margaret Allison of San

Angelo and Vivian Wilks of Brady, 13 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

**Obituaries** 

#### Zavala

Geronima Zavala, 69, died Thursday at Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital.

Services were held Friday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Woodward officiating. Burial followed at Fairview Cemetery directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Zavala was born in Kyle and resided in Lockhart, Calif. for 15 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Her husband, Genaro Zavala, preceded her in death on May 10, 1979.

Survivors include one son, Vincente Martinez of Pomona Calif.; five daughters, Mrs. Domingo (Sarah) Alvarez of Lockhart, Calif., Mrs. Manuel (Paz) Sanchez of Bronte, Mrs. Lupe (Angie) Hernandez of Dallas, Mrs. Adam (Necolasa) Cervantes of Lindsay, and Mrs. Janie Sanchez of Dallas; two brothers, Juan Galicia of Lubbock and Camillo Galicia of Amarillo; two sisters, Cresencia Moreno of Lockhart, Calif. and Ramona Martinez of San Marcos; 41 grandchildren; and 52 greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Eliseo Sanchez, Adam Hernandez, Sammy Alvarez, Michael Martinez, Johnny Sanchez, Andy Reyes.

#### Hudson

Memorial services for Ima Faye Hudson were held in T.M. Ralph Funeral Chapel in Plantation, Florida on August 23.

Mrs. Hudson, 59, of Ft. Lauderdale, FL died there August 21 following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Coke County near Edith and attended and graduated from Robert Lee schools in 1943. An employee in the Pentagon in Washington, D.C. for several years, she was married to John Hudson in Washington. He preceded her in death in 1972. She had been a Florida resident for 28 years.

Her survivors include one daughter, Sharon Hudson, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; one son, Peter Howard Hudson, also of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; her mother, Bonnie Robertson of Robert Lee; five sisters, Gertrude Bloodworth, Silver, Billie Talley, Cleburne, Nell Tomes, Amherst, Bonita Hester, Portland, Elaine Bennett, Arlington; and two brothers, Wilton Robertson, Lindsay, OK and Donald Robertson, Robert Lee.

Flying to Florida for the services were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of Silver and Mrs. Billie Talley of Cleburne.

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## IN APPRECIATION

Thank You for the prayers, flowers, memorials, and food provided during our time of sorrow.

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## 1986 SCHEDULE

| DATE                     | OPPONENT      | SITE  | TIME |
|--------------------------|---------------|-------|------|
| Sept. 5                  | Rotan         | There | 8:00 |
| Sept. 11 [Thurs.]        | Lakeview JV   | Here  | 8:00 |
| *Sept. 19                | Water Valley  | There | 8:00 |
| **Sept. 26               | Garden City   | Here  | 8:00 |
| *Oct. 3                  | Miles         | There | 8:00 |
| *Oct. 10                 | Sterling City | Here  | 8:00 |
| *Oct. 17                 | Irion County  | There | 8:00 |
| Oct. 24                  | OPEN          |       |      |
| *Oct. 31                 | Menard        | Here  | 8:00 |
| *Nov. 7                  | Eden          | There | 8:00 |
| *Nov. 14                 | Bronte        | Here  | 8:00 |
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## **BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS**

## Lady Horns are on the road

The Bronte Lady Horns volleyball team were on the road last week taking on Big Spring Thursday and participating in the Central High School tournament in San Angelo Friday.

The varsity team lost to Big Spring 12-15, 5-15. The JV girls put up a fight before losing to the host team 13-15, 15-5, 16-18.

The local lassies were in high cotton, being the only

Class A school in the tournament Friday. Their first match was against San Antonio Thomas Jefferson (who later won the tourney) and went down 6-15, 3-15. In the second match the Lady Horns defeated San Angelo Lakeview JVs 15-7, 16-14.

Bronte was eliminated from the tournament when they lost their second match at eight o'clock Friday night to Lubbock Monterrey, 15-9, 15-10.

Coach Connie Bryan reports, "The girls continue working hard in practice and conditioning each day. They improve with each match and I'm excited about the upcoming district games."

Bronte plays Azle Saturday at 11:00 a.m. in the Breckrenridge tournament.

The district game schedule has been revised. The corrected schedule follows:



1986 LADY LONGHORN Varsity Volleyball Team - front, Estella Puentez, Lynelle Jones, Dee Ann Parker, Melanie Cooper, Michelle Jones; back row, Tina Hines, Carol Reyes, Kimberly Robinson, Dorinda Scott, Alysia Bilbrey, Melinda Parker, Jann Tounget and Misti Taylor.

#### REVISED DISTRICT VB SCHEDULE

| Sept. 30         | Water Valley | [H]   | JV, V | 6:30 |
|------------------|--------------|---|-------|------|
| Oct. 7           | Miles        | [T]   | JV, V | 6:30 |
| Oct. 11          | Water Valley | [T]   | JV, V | 6:30 |
| Oct. 14          | Miles        | [H]   | JV, V | 6:30 |
| Oct. 21          | Water Valley | (H)   | JV, V | 6:30 |
| Oct. 28          | Miles        | [T]   | JV, V | 6:30 |
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## Class of '56 reunion

The KC House in Bronte was the scene Saturday night, Aug. 30, 1986 for the class reunion of the Bronte High grads of 1956.

[if necessary]

Thirty years ago at graduation there were 23 graduates. Fourteen of these class members were present for this reunion, 10 of these people started and finished school together. One member of the graduating class is deceased.

The group was honored with the attendance of a former teacher, "Miss Vera" Raney and her husband. Everyone seemed to enjoy the good food and renewing old friendships.

The members traveling the farthest for the event were Gene (Pinky) and Ace Gentry from El Segundo, California and Les Caperton of Brentwood, Tennessee.

Others coming from various points in Texas were James and Rickie (Hester) Mixson, Dimmitt; Homer and Flora (Brown) Flanagan and Sandra, Tyler; Bill and Rena Alexander, Irving; Robert and Linda (Lasswell) Simpson, Bobby and Julie Webb and Sue (Brown) Manning, all of San Angelo.

Also, Marvin and Patsy (Pittman) Brown and Amy, Orient; Bill and Charlotte Tounget and Jann, Martin and Pat Lee and Stephen, Jo

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Other guests included Ted Whittock, San Angelo; Ronald and Shirley Denton, Miles Brown, Tim and Sheila Coulter and Tiffany, Shane and Alisa Webb and Joel, all of Bronte.

## Personal

Mrs. Marla Brockett and sons, Jason and Kevin of Houston have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wade (Louvenia) Rees. They especially enjoyed our pool and visiting with old-time friends.

Recent visitors of Helen and Freddie Tidmore were Mrs. Chris Golladay and Ashley of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Barnes, Shannon and Candace of San Marcos, Mrs. Glenn McKnight and Susan of San Angelo, and Leslie Dean Caperton of Brentwood, Tenn., who was here to attend a class reunion.

**Go Horns!** 



Monday, Sept. 8: Breakfast - Cereal, fruit cup, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Fish/cheese, potato bar, coleslaw and pear half.

Tuesday, Sept. 9: Breakfast - Rice, pear slices, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Turkey slices with brown gravy, sweet potatoes, green beans and applesauce cake.

Wednesday, Sept. 10: Breakfast - Peach nectar and cinnamon roll. Lunch - Beef

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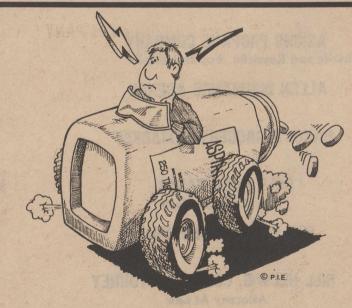


BRONTE JV VOLLEYBALLERS - front row, Jennifer Robinson, Maria Puentez, Kelly Culp, Michele Parker, back row - Anissa Gibbs, Melissa Arrott, Kelly Webb, Kim Sims, Kerry Bilbrey and Rochelle Jones.

burritos, pinto beans and tossed salad.

Thursday, Sept. 11: Breakfast - Cereal, apple juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Corny dogs with cheese, buttered corn, sliced carrots and jello.

Friday, Sept. 12: Breakfast - Sausage patties, grape-fruit juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomato, pickles and oatmeal cookies.



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| . 29          | Haskell [scrimmage] | Here  | 6:00 |  |  |
| t. 5          | Jim Ned             | There | 8:00 |  |  |
| t. 12         | Rochelle            | Here  | 8:00 |  |  |
| t. 19         | Menard              | Here  | 8:00 |  |  |
| t. 26         | Eden                | There | 8:00 |  |  |
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| . 10          | Water Valley        | Here  | 8:00 |  |  |
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#### **CARD OF THANKS**

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> The family of Savannah Thompson 4b-1tp

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#### POLITICAL **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Observer/Enterprise has been authorized to announce the candidacy of persons listed below for the offices and in the elections indicated:

**NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION** 

For State Representative 66th District DICK BURNETT

For Representative 17th Congressional District **CHARLES STENHOLM** 

For County Treasurer PHELAN WRINKLE

For County Judge **AUBREY DENMAN** 

For County Commissioner **Precinct 2 BILLY JOE LUCKETT** 

For County Commissioner **Precinct 4** JAMES A. TIDWELL

For County and District

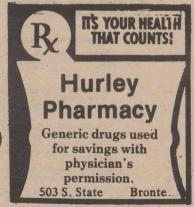
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For Justice of The Peace **Precinct 2 CECIL KEMP** 

#### **CONTRACTORS' NOTICE** OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing .155 miles to replace bridge deck and improve approaches at Colorado River, 5.6 mi. SW of Silver on Highway No. FM 2059, covered by MC 2467-1-6 in Coke County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m. September 11, 1986, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of W.F. Dixon Resident Engineer, San Angelo, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Braz-



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NOTICE

Sept. 5, 1986 To: Owners or Lienholders of the below described vehicles From: Marshall Millican,

Re: Vehicle #OL15ND91-50870, 1974 Opel Station Wagon,

Registered Owner-Janet Hill, 911 Locust, Sweetwater, Texas 79556

Vehicle #V6E58S136848, 1958 Chevrolet Bus, License #U25156

Registered Owner-Phillip Lee Young, P.O. Box 1787. Brownwood, Texas 76801

Vehicle #313205H032675, 1970 International Pickup, License #RL 2837

Registered Owner-Phillip Young, 1090 Early Blvd. Brownwood, Texas 76801

TO WHOM IT MAY CON-CERN:

The above described vehicles have been abandoned in Coke County for some period of time. At the present time they are in storage with Coke County Sheriff's Office, Robert Lee, Texas. Because of failure to give notice or attempt to claim this property the vehicles will be sold as "abandoned vehicles" pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas.

If the vehicles have not been claimed no later than the 20th day after the date of notice, or payment of all towing, preservation, and storage charges resulting from placing the vehicles in custody, then said vehicles will be sold at public sale to the highest bidder on Friday, Sept. 26, 1986, at 10:00 a.m. at the steps of the Courthouse. Failure of owner or lienholder to exercise their right to reclaim the vehicles within the time provided, constitutes a waiver by the owner and lienholder of all right, title and interest in the vehicles and their consent to the sale of the abandoned vehicles at public auction. The sale proceeds will be used to initially deter storage fees, sheriff's selling expenses and other fees incurred in this sale.

Should you desire to make payment and redeem this, please notify the Sheriff's Office at 915-453-2717 to determine the amount of fees due and owing to receive the car. Marshall Millican, Sheriff of Coke County

CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS Separate sealed bids for the fabrication and erection of an Upflow Solids Contact Clarifier will be received by The City of Bronte, TX. at City Hall, 114 S. Washington, Bronte, TX. until 5:00 p.m. September 18, 1986, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud.

The Contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Performance-Payment Bonds, General Conditions, Special Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans and Specifications may be examined at City Hall and the following location:

JACOB & MARTIN, INC. 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, Texas

Bidder on this project will be required to comply with all Executive Orders pertaining to Equal Opportunity in Employment.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained from Jacob & Martin, Inc. 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, Texas 79606 (915-695-1070) upon payment of \$25.00 for each set. Any prime bidder upon submission of a bonafide bid and return of all documents in good condition within five days after bid opening will be refunded his payment \*

The City of Bronte, Texas Pat Martindale City Secretary Date: Aug. 26, 1986

ORDINANCE #227

An ordinance levying a tax rate for the City of Bronte, Texas for the Tax Year 1986

Be it ordained and ordered by the City Council of the City of Bronte, Texas:

That there is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the City of Bronte, Texas, for the tax year 1986 upon all property, real and personal, and mixed, a tax of \$0.39 on each One Hundred Dollar (\$100.00) valuation of property. Said Tax being levied to the specific purpose herein set forth:

**GENERAL FUND:** For the maintenance, support, and payment of the General Government; for the maintenance and improvement of the streets and alleys in Bronte; for the maintenance of the sanitary landfill; and for the maintenance of equipment and other needs of the Fire Department.

The tax assessor-collector is hereby authorized to assess and collect the taxes of the City of Bronte, Texas, employing the above tax

rate.

The above ordinance and order was unanimously passed by the City Council of the City of Bronte, Texas on this 26th day of August, 1986. Attest: Pat Martindale City Secretary

Approved: J.T. Henry Mayor 4b-1tc

#### PUBLIC NOTICE OF **BUDGET HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that a Budget Hearing will be held at 5:30 p.m. on September 9, 1986, at the East Coke County Hospital District-Bronte Nursing Home, Bronte, Texas.

The budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987, will be adopted.

The public is invited to attend and participate in these proceedings.

Pamela Stokes, Administrator 4b-1tc

# **NEIGHBOR** THAT JUST HAPPENS TO BE A BANK What can we do to be helpful to you this week?

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Mrs. Buck Duncan

## **Duncan, Percifull marry**

The sanctuary of Holy Angels Catholic Church in San Angelo was the setting on Aug. 30, when Kellye Frances Percifull and Buck Phillip Duncan exchanged wedding vows officiated by the Rev. Fr. Mark Woodruff. vows.

Mrs. Duncan is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Percifull, San Angelo Route, Robert Lee and the late Frank Percifull.

Parents of the bridegroom are Bob Duncan, Robert Lee, and Mrs. Karl Mueller, Saint

Standing baskets of mixed flowers flanked the altar where the bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Hadley Richards. Mrs. Duncan wore a full-length gown of white chiffon with a chapel-length train. The long-waisted bodice was made of lace embroidered with seed pearls. The gown featured fitted finger-tip sleeves and a scooped neckline. A shoulder-length illusion veil fell from a circlet of pearls and was edged in re-embroidered lace. Narrow satin ribbons cascaded from her traditional bouquet of white silk roses.

The bride's sisters attended her: Amy Percifull, maid of honor; Mrs. Donnie (Dee Anna) Thompson, Vernon; and Mrs. Donny (Theresa) Mauldin, Midland; bridesmaids. They were attired in waltz-length gowns of sapphire-blue watered taffeta, designed and made by the bride's sister-in-law Mrs. Michael (Marla) Percifull. Bustle-bows set off the longwaisted, scoop-necked bodices. Leg-of-mutton sleeves

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complemented the design. The attendants carried nosegays of pink rosebuds nestled in blue and white tulle ruffles.

Cody Cain, Ozona, was best man, while the groomsmen and ushers were Bobby Duncan, Hobbs, N.M.; Jamie Sawyer, Robert Lee, Edwin Wilson, Colorado City, and Grant Hickman, Ft. Stockton.

ton. The bridegroom and his attendants wore white tuxedos, cut in the Western mode.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Inn of the Conchos. The members of the house party who registered guests and served were Jackie Walker, Frankie Gartman, Becky Wilson, Beth Prather and Teena Bosworth.

## Steers to open football season

The Robert Lee Steers will open the 1986 football season on the road Friday night (tonight) against Rotan there at 8 p.m. They have had 2 productive scrimmages but will be sorely tested this week as Rotan traditionally fields a large, physical bunch of players. Only 2 non-district games will be played before the first district game with Water Valley on Sept. 19.

With 9 teams in District 6-A, an exciting season is certain. The Irion County Hornets have taken the nod to take the district championship but 8 other teams are anxious to prove the polls wrong.

Fans are urged to turn out and travel to tonight's game in support of the 1986 Steers.

ed by the groom's parents was held at Zentner's Daughter's, also in San Angelo.

Mrs. Duncan is a graduate of Robert Lee High School and attended Angelo State University. She was employed by ClayDesta Bank in Midland.

Mr. Duncan, also an alumnus of Robert Lee High School, is associated with Northern Natural Gas Company in Hobbs, N.M., where the couple will reside, following a wedding trip.

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## **Robert Lee Menu**

Monday, Sept. 8
Barbecue Wieners
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Hot Rolls-Butter
Applesauce
Milk
Tuesday, Sept. 9
Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
& Cheese
Blackeye Peas
Carrots
Hot Rolls-Butter
Peanut Chocolate Clusters
Milk

Wednesday, Sept. 10 Cheese Nachos Pinto Beans Spinach
Cornbread
Peach Cobbler
Milk
Thursday, Sept. 11
Sloppy Joes
Tator Bars w/Catsup
Corn
Milk
Cookies
Friday, Sept. 12
Chicken Pattie w/Cream
Gravy
Cream Potatoes
English Peas

Hot Rolls-Butter

Peach Half

Milk

