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Friday, Jan. 23, 1987

County Stock Show begins today

The 1987 edition of the Coke County Livestock Show kicks off today (Friday) at the County Show Barn in Robert Lee. There are several changes that have been made for this year's show, that have caused a problem or two this year, but should be beneficial to the exhibitors as well as their livestock projects.

The major change is that the date of this year's show has been moved up about a month to allow the youth involved to exhibit the same projects at the county show and at other winter shows such as Ft. Worth, Houston, and San Antonio. The other change in this year's show is that the times for the market lamb and breeding sheep show have been changed from 5:00 p.m. to noon today to avoid conflict with a district basketball tourney.

Judging this year's market lamb and breeding sheep show is Sam Kuykendahl, Menard County Extension Agent. Serving as this year' sheep division superintendent is J. Lee Ensor. Assisting are Bobby Blaylock, Wilbern Millican, Bob Ragsdale, and Martin Lee.

Bright and early Saturday morning, county 4-H and FFA youths will be getting their projects ready for the swine show, which is set to begin at 8:30 a.m. Judging this year' swine show will be Richard Smith, Hermleigh, Texas Vocational Agriculture Teacher. Jerry T. Parker is this year's swine division superintendent, and is being assisited by Frank Blair, Billy Tounget, Doug Wilkes, and Darrell Pitcock.

Kirk Lewis, Nolan County Extension Agent, will begin judging the market steer show at 11:30 a.m. Saturday morning. Wayland Drennan is this year's beef cattle division superintendent, assisted by Dub Metcalf.

Showmanship judge for this year's show is Hulan Harris of Big Spring. Sheep classifier will be Charles Alcorn of Winters.

Directors for the 1987 show are: Wilbern Millican -President, Dub Metcalf -Vice-President, Robert Wink - Secretary, Bobby Blaylock, J. Lee Ensor, Tom Lee, Garry Bivins, Doug Wilkes, Wayland Drennan, Darrell Pitcock, Frank Blair, Billy Tounget, Arthur Runnion, Wibby Millican, Jerry T. Parker, Martin Lee, Bob Ragsdale, Donnie Robertson, Wayne Arrott, and Gaylon Pitcock.

A barbecue lunch will be served immediately following the steer show, with the premium auction set to begin at 2:00 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend all the stock show activities, and support these youths at the premium sale Saturday afternoon.



BOB BOONE, LOCAL WTU manager, assists a West Texas Utility construction crew in setting the handsome "new" sign outside the Robert Lee office. It is part of the renovation and sprucing up of the historical site. [related story inside]

Upcoming...

Men's Day

A special "Men's Day" worship service will be held Sunday, Jan. 25-- Robert Lee Baptist Church. Recognition Dance Club has recently designated the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month as dance nights.

They will begin at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday evening, January 27. The Country Jokers will provide music for the dance to be held at the Recreation Hall. Those over 40 in surrounding communities are welcome to attend.

Open House

Open House is scheduled for Sunday, February 1 from 2 until 4 o'clock for West Coke County Hospital District Nursing Home's west wing. The additional facility opened this month.

Cancer screening slated

West Coke County Hospital Administrator Stephen Goode of Robert Lee Tuesday urged area women to take advantage of the breast cancer detection testing available on Monday, January 26, at the hospital. The mobile unit, an extension of the Breast Imaging Center at St. John's Hospital in San Angelo, is sponsored by the hospital and will be parked near the facility all that day.

Goode said appointments can be made for a screening mammogram by calling the hospital, 453-2511. The test will cost \$55 cash and the results will be sent to the patient's physician who will go over the results with them. He stated that plenty of appointment slots are still available for the tests.

Women should report approximately 15 minutes prior to the appointment time for registration. Typically, the exam takes less than 30 minutes. A female technologist will perform the examination.

According to the American Cancer Society, one in every 11 women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year, over 37,000 women die as a result

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will be given to the men of the church for their leadership.

An All-Man choir will be featured in the worship service. Special music will be presented by a group of men of the church. Mr. Bill Everett, Supt. of Schools for the Merkel School District, will be the guest speaker for the occasion.

The public is invited to attend this worship service.

Bake Sale

The Robert Lee High School seniors will be having a bake sale Friday, January 23 at 9:30 a.m. at the Post Office.

Dance Club

Robert Lee's 40 Plus

City election

At the regular meeting January 12, the Robert Lee City Council ordered an election for Saturday, April 4, for the election of three members of the council. The first day for filing was January 19; the deadline for filing is February 17. Candidates should file with the City Secretary at City Hall.

Those will terms expiring are F.W. Prentice, J.A. Dunklin, and Josue Rodriquez. As of Tuesday, no one had filed. The public is welcome to come by and view the nursing home and meet the staff and residents.

The Volunteer Auxiliary group met Wednesday afternoon at the nursing home. Joyce Wilson, activities director has invited all interested persons to help in areas of fund raisers, service projects, community functions, outings, decorating, birthday parties, recruiting, discussion groups, entertainment, crafts, direct resident contact, gift shop and outside improvement.

Those who are interested in becoming involved may contact her office. PAGE 2 The Observer/Enterprise Friday, Jan. 23, 1987

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of breast cancer which is the number one cancer killer of women.

According to a spokesman from the Breast Imaging Center at St. John's Hospital in San Angelo, "the death rate from breast cancer could be drastically reduced if women would have mammograms done before a problem exists."

By using modern states of

the art X-ray equipment, breast cancers can be found when they are about the size of a grain of rice and well before the cancer can be felt. A woman who is diagnosed with breast cancer at this early stage has a 90-95 percent survival rate. However, a woman who is not diagnosed until a lump can be felt has approximately a 50 percent survival rate in five years.

...Obituaries

Pierce

Gladys Syble Pierce, 84, of Robert Lee died at 12:20 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 15, in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.

Services were conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 17, in the First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee with the Rev. Pam Bradford officiating. Burial followed in Robert Lee Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Pierce was born Aug. 16, 1902, in Hunt County. She was married to B.B. (Buster) Pierce in Quinlan Sept. 7, 1919. The couple moved to Robert Lee in 1927 and engaged in stockfarming for many years. Mrs. Pierce was a nurse for 37 years.

Mr. Pierce died April 27, 1984. She was also preceded in death by two sons, Duran Wayne Pierce and Edward Earl Pierce.

Survivors include two grandsons, Doug Pierce of Grape Creek and Joe Pierce of Houston; a brother, James Ryan of Royce City; five sisters, Ima Mitchell and Vera Butler, both of Quinlan, Valeria Parker of Bronte, Jo Nell Yarbrough of Tyler and Ouida Smith of Royce City; and two great-grandcildren, **Trevor and Abigayle Pierce** of Grape Creek. Pallbearers for the services included Jerry Parker, Gerald Parker, Wendell Lee, all of Bronte, Hank Baker and Add Davis, both of Robert Lee, and Jack Raymond of Houston.

Hallmark

Billie Rae Hallmark, 66, of Robert Lee, died at 6:39 p.m. Jan. 15, 1987 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Saturday at the First Baptist Church of Bronte with the Rev. Charles Woodward officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home of Bronte.

Mrs. Hallmark was born and raised in the Valley View community. She was married March 3, 1937, to C.C. "Dudge" Hallmark in Bronte. They made their home in and around Bronte for many years. She was preceded in death by Dudge in 1979 and one brother, Buddy.

Survivors include her mother and father, Fern and Martha Havins of Robert Lee; one son, Lee Hallmark of Elkhart; one daughter, Donna Hallmark of Levelland; two brothers, Otto Havins of Wichita Falls and Billy Havins of Pleasanton; a sister, Kay Taylor of Robert Lee: one sister-in-law, Edna Havins of Robert Lee; five grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren; and her mother-in-law, Bessie Hallmark, of Bronte.

WTU renovation enhances downtown

Recent renovation and remodeling of the West Texas Utility office has enhanced the downtown heart of Robert Lee. The historic 2-story building on the corner of 7th and Austin Streets has been occupied by WTU since the opening of the local office in 1948. At that time, Dub McAdams moved from Bronte to assume the position of local manager. Bob Boone, present local WTU manager, is only the second to serve in Robert Lee. He is now in his eleventh year here.

The utility company bought the building in June, 1986 from original owner, Hayrick Masonic Lodge, who has also occupied space in it since its finish in 1906. The lodge then built a new hall on Commerce Street on land donated by Gerald Allen, leaving WTU free to carry out any structure changes they desired. Following some research on old writings and pictures, the company decided to give the office building an old look and feel from the past.

Built for the Hayrick Lodge, looking for a Robert Lee home after leaving Hayrick, the contractor formed the concrete blocks which, according to Bob Boone, weigh about 135 lbs. each.

the Nazarene in Roswell.

Graveside services will be at

2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 23 in

Fairmount Cemetery in San

Angelo, TX., directed by

LaGrone Funeral Home of

Roswell assisted by John-

son's Funeral Home of San

April 21, 1912, in San Ange-

lo. A graduate of San Angelo

College, she was a member

of the First Church of the

Nazarene, where she was

active in the Missionary

Society and the church orga-

nist and pianist for 50 years.

husband, Henry Hughes of

Roswell, N.M.; one son,

James H. Hughes of McAl-

len; two grandsons, Lane

and Ladd Hughes, McAllen;

one granddaughter, Lori

She is survived by her

Mrs. Hughes was born

Angelo.

The original cornerstone remains in the northeast corner of the building, honored with a historical marker in 1966.

Most of the renovation is evident on the exterior of the office. Along with cleaning of the "stone" structure, a new walk was poured front and side, new outside canopy, lettering on windows, handsome double doors, Spanish oaks planted down the south side, one special feature was added which the company is especially proud of. The old, new West Texas Utilties sign that graces the corner in front of the office was originally a marker at the company office in Memphis, TX. in the 1940s. The building and sign were sold to a radio station there and used with their call letters on it. Bought back by WTU only 4 months ago, the sign was redone in Abilene for use here.

Some touch-ups remain, but the newly painted front is highlighted by brass hardware and major work is complete. New carpet for the interior was laid this week.

Manager Bob Boone said WTU has no plans at this time for the roomy, open second floor.

An Open House is planned

.. Obituaries

Home where she had been a resident only a short time.

Services for Mrs. Benton, 82, were conducted at graveside in Robert Lee Cemetery at 3 p.m. on Thursday, directed by Shaffer Funeal Home. The Rev. Roy Epperson, pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist Church, officiated the rites.

She was born September 9, 1904 and raised in Coke County. On October 5, 1937, she was married to Oda Benton in Colorado City. The couple lived for some time in at a later date to allow everyone to see the new decor.

Now is time to return surveys

Don David of the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department reminds landowners in Coke County who were issued antlerless deer tags for te 1986-87 hunting season that now is the time to return their deer harvest questionnaires. The questionnaires, which are attached to the front of the tags, should be completely filled out. The number of antlered bucks, antlerless deer, and turkey harvested for each tract of land should be recorded. If none were killed, "O" should be marked in the appropriate blank. Please return all cards as soon as possible following the close of deer season. Each postcard questionnaire is selfaddressed on the back and should be mailed by the end of January. Davis indicated the information obtained from these harvest questionnaires will be used to help estimate total deer and turkey harvest in Coke County and to evaluate existing harvest regulations.

California and returned to Robert Lee about 15 years ago. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Benton was preceded in death by her husband, Oda Benton, as well as four brothers and four sisters. Survivors include a number of nieces and nephews and several brothers and sisterin-laws.

J.C. Wallace, Jr., Royce Wallace, Waymon Davis, Garland Davis, Butch Davis, and Bob Reese served as pallbearers for the service.



Hughes

Mary Kathrene Hughes, 74, died Sunday, Jan. 18, 1987 at her home in Roswell, New Mexico.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, Jan. 21 at 2 p.m. at the First Church of

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Benton

Mrs. Alice Benton of Robert Lee died at 4 p.m. Tuesday, January 20, in West Coke County Nursing

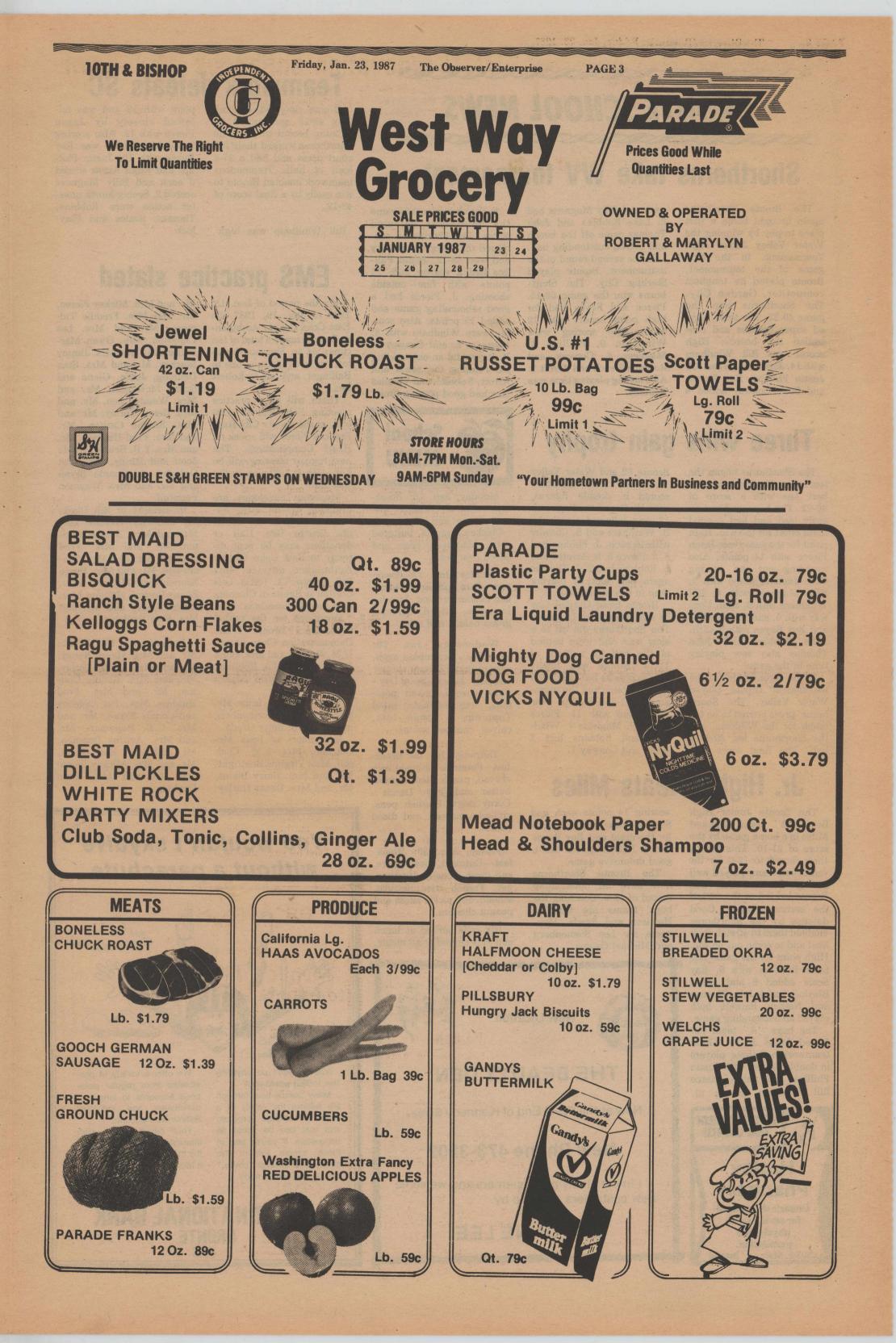
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS Shorthorns take WV tournament

The Bronte Shorthorns again brought home a first place trophy by winning the Water Valley Junior High Tournament. In the first game of the tournament, Bronte played its toughest competitor, Garden City. The Shorthorns won the game 40-22. The team played super defense and controlled the boards. High scorer was Bill Windham with 14, Jason Pierce had 12, Justin Phillips, Roy Reyes, and Sean Conway added 4

each and Billy Magness had 2. Luke Robbins and John Thomas came off the bench and played outstanding ball.

In the second round of the tournament, Bronte played Sterling City. The Shorthorns won the game 50-15. Pierce and Reyes tied for high point honors with 12 each. Also scoring were Windham 9, Phillips 8, Magness 4, Conway and Robbins 2 each and Arrott 1. Also seeing playing time was Thomas.

In the championship game the Shorthorns defeated Miles. The Shorthorns continued their aggressive play and won 58-12. Justin Phillips had a season high 25 points with fine outside shooting. J. Pierce had a good rebounding game and added 15 points. Also scoring were Windham with 8, Magness 6, and Conway 2. R. Reyes did an outstanding job running the press and Arrott, Robbins and Thomas also had good playing time.



The Shorthorns began the tournament by defeating Robert Lee with a score of 46-22. The boys grabbed an early lead and had a good team effort for the win. High point for the game was Jason Pierce with 14 points. Also rounding out the scoring were Justin Phillips with 9. Billy Magness with 8, Bill Windham with 6, Sean Conway with 5, and Brian Arrott and Roy Reyes with 2 each. Luke Robbins and John Thomas also saw playing time in the game.

In the second game of the tournament Bronte played Water Valley. The Shorthorns' press proved to be too much for the Wildcats, and the Shorthorns led 30-2 at half. The final score was Bronte 52 and Water Valley 10. Three team members scored in double figures, with R. Reyes leading with 12, and followed closely by B. Windham and S. Conway with 10 each. J. Phillips had 8, J. Pierce 5, B. Arrott 3 and L. Robbins had 2. J. Thomas again saw alot of playing time in the second half.

Bronte faced Garden City in the championship game. The Shorthorns got off to a slow start and were behind at the half by a score of 11-13. Bronte was finally able to play its fast break and won the game and the tournament 31-28. Phillips was high point with 11, Pierce added 8, Magness 7, Windham and Robbins had 2 each, and Conway 1.

Jr. High defeats Miles

Three wins gain trophy

The Bronte Junior High Boys "B" team defeated Miles in a home game by the score of 21-10. This brings their record to 12-0 for the year. Both teams played well during the first half and Bronte led 9-6 at the end of the second quarter. Good defense by the Shorthorns enabled them to stretch their lead and to come out on top. High point for the game was scoring 14 points each and Sean Conway had 8 points for the night and Roy Reyes had 4. Billy Magness had a good defensive game.

The Bronte Shorthorns now have an outstanding record of 12-0. Coaching the boys' teams are Coaches Harrison and Rawls. Managers are Lee Sonnenberg and Michael Owens. Monday, Jan. 26: Breakfast - Cereal, banana, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, buttered corn, blackeyed peas and sliced peaches.

Tuesday, Jan. 27: Breakfast - Rice, pineapple juice, and cinnamon toast. Lunch -Lasagna, sliced carrots, green beans, and cake.

Wednesday, Jan. 28: Breakfast - Scrambled eggs, orange juice, biscuit, butter and jelly. Lunch - Spud Day -Chili, cheese, baked potatoes, lettuce-tomato salad Toppings - bacon bits, chives, chopped onions.

Thursday, Jan. 29: Breakfast - Potato tots topped with cheese, peach slice, biscuit, butter and jelly. Lunch -Corny dogs, English peas, chilled tomatoes, and diced pears.

Friday, Jan. 30: Breakfast - Oatmeal, diced pears, and toast. Lunch - Hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomato, and pickle slices and peanut clusters.

Hot rolls served at lunch and milk served at all meals.

Teamwork defeats SC

Bronte defeated Sterling City 49-12 and upped its winning record to 8-0. The Shorthorns worked their full court press and had a 27-4 lead at half. Tremendous teamwork enabled Bronte to win easily by a final score of 48-12.

Bill Windham was high

in double figures was Roy Reyes with 10. Justin Phillips and Brian Arrott scored 6 each and Billy Magness scored 2. Seeing fourth quarter action were Robbins, Thomas, Seales and Blaylock.

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lowed closely by Jason

Pierce with 12. Also scoring

EMS practice slated

For the period of Dec. 15, 1986 to Jan. 19, 1987 the East Coke County Ambulance Service made a total of ten runs; six to ShannonHospital, two to St. John's, one to Ballinger, and one to Robert Lee.

There will be a practice meeting Feb. 2nd at 7:00 p.m. at the Bronte City Hall. Frances Pierce will speak on Heart Complications. The next regular meeting will be Feb. 16th at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall.

Memorial envelopes are available at the First National Bank in Bronte and at the Bronte City Hall or donations may be sent directly to East Coke County Ambulance Service, Box 357, Bronte, TX. 76933. Lois Carlton at Bahlman Cleaners also accepts donations.

Donations for the period were from Bronte Home Demonstration Club, Bronte U.M.W., Mr. and Mrs. Conn Johnson, Carroll A. Robbins, and Bronte Central Baptist Church.

Memorials were from: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sonnenberg in memory of Betty Green.

In memory of Irma Mc-Cutchen: Mrs. L.M. Coalson, Mrs. Virginia Boatright, Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bivins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Tidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Les Caperton, Mrs. Gwen Marburger, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Daulong, Jettie, Glenn and Susan McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Beaver, Ouida Scott and family, Mrs. Pat **Oglesby and Connie Bryan** and Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Percifull.

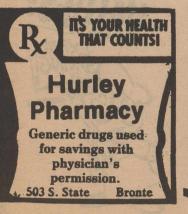
In memory of Bill Clark: Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sonnenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Daulong.

In memory of Bill Wilson: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raney, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes, Mrs. Pat Oglesby and Connie Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Hageman, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Denman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Daulong.



Luke Robbins with 9. Ray Seals added 8 and Jason Blaylock had 4. John Thomas and Nathan Barnett both played an outstanding game.

The boys "A" team defeated Miles 52-10. Great teamwork had three players in double figures with Justin Phillips and Jason Pierce Bill Windham scoring 12.





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Scout campaign

The Boy Scouts of America will collect canned foods for the needy of the Concho Valley in a door-to-door campaign throughout the area, Roy Don Scott, Vice-President of Standard Sales and Scout Executive Jack Moore jointly announced. Scott is chairman of the 1987 Good Turn campaign.

The two-state campaign will be called "Scouting For Food". It will be conducted on two days over a one-week time period. Saturday, February 7th, and Saturday, February 14th. Boy Scouts will travel area neighborhoods in a door-to-door collection of canned food items. Scouts will distribute plastic collection bags on the 7th and return the 14th to collect the filled bags.

What better way to honor the 60th Anniversary of the Concho Valley Council. It is a time when all those associated with the council can take pride in being part of the best Boy Scout organization in the United States.

The canned goods collected February 14th will be taken by the Scouts to a local agency in each town. These agencies will then distribute the food to the needy at no cost in the local town or community.

Because of the condition of the economy, many families, who never asked for help before, now find it difficult to meet even their most basic needs-- such as food.

Among those hungry families, many include children between the ages of 2 and 17. Many needy families also include infants, elderly and disabled.

"Hunger is no longer someone's else's problem,' said Scott. "Scouting for Food is an opportunity for the entire area to take part in one of the finest demonstrations of community spirit in our history."

For more information, contact Jack F. Moore, 655-7101 or Roy Don Scott, 655-5131.

Tracing ancestry is program topic

The Bronte Demonstration Club met Jan. 16th at

Brooks, Ball wedding

The First Christian Church in San Angelo was the setting for the wedding of Stefani DiAne Brooks and Gregory Mark Ball November 8, 1986 at 6:00 p.m.

Garry Bivins of Bronte performed the double-ring ceremony. Pat Lee of Bronte played "We've Only Just Begun", "The Lord's Pray-er" and "Friends and Lovers'' on the organ while Melissa Hoche of Garden City sang.

The bride wore a white satin dress with seed pearls and sequins and a matching veil. The groom wore a white tuxedo.

Mrs. Ball is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spivey of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brooks of Corpus Christi.

Mr. Ball is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Joel McDowell of Houston.

Matron of honor was Sheila Coulter of Bronte. Bridesmaids were Kim Hartman of Bronte, Kaye Burkhardt of Tomball, Connie Badgett of Bronte, and Becky Morrow of Bronte.

The flowergirl was Misty Ball of San Angelo and ring bearer was Trey Taylor of San Angelo.

Frank Hiland of Eastland was best man. Groomsmen were Vince Oldag of Denton, Layne Coulter, Tim Coulter and Donnie Jackson, all of Bronte.

Ushers were Robert Ball of San Angelo, Lance Ball of Lubbock, brothers of the groom; Todd Brooks, Bronte, brother of the bride; and Bobby Easterling of Abilene.

Following the wedding a reception was hosted by the bride's parents at the Sheraton Inn in San Angelo. The bride's table had a three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom with a fountain flowing under the cake.

Mrs. Ball attended Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos and Angelo State University. Mr. Ball attended Ranger Junior College and Texas Tech University. He is employed by Union Texas Petroleum.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will be at home in Eastland.



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Mrs. Mark Ball

Glenn hosts club meeting

The following members of the Sorosis Study Club met in the E.F. Glenn home, Thursday, January 15. Dorthey Pruitt, Jean Fancher, Ann Hamilton, Virginia Boecking, Peggy Hembree, Bobbie Lee, Pat Oglesby, Mary frances Glenn and hostess, Mary Glenn.

helpful hints about tracing ones family tree.

Roll call was "Family Traditions." The opening exercise was "I Said A Prayer For You Today". After the program new yearbooks were filled out and refreshments were served by hostess, Marie Arrott.

Persons present were Lela Parker, Virginia Boatright, Beulah Coral, Annie Laura McShan, Ella Clyde Black, Drexel Lee Ragsdale, and Hostess, Marie Arrott.

In a business meeting conducted by President Pat Oglesby, reports from various committees were heard, correspondence was shared, and projects were discussed. At the February 19 meeting, the club will consider purchasing a new camera for Bronte Nursing Home.

Ann Hamilton presented the program and discussed the merits of Federation at the state, national and international level.

Society slates meeting The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1987 at the Officers' Quarters #1 Fort Concho Museum in the 200 Block of

Ave. D., San Angelo. The newspapers are a vast storehouse of information and pictures which are an invaluable source for the genealogist. Betty Jane Smith, vice president, will give a program on "How to use the Newspapers in your Genealogical Research.'

The public is invited and refreshments will be served.

The West Texas Branch of the Angelo State University Library (The genealogical library), will be open to the public from 1-5 p.m. Monday thru Friday and from 7-10 p.m. Monday. It is located on the lower floor of the A.S.U. Library and the Microfilm and Microphiche of census, tax records and newspapers are available during regular library hours.

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the home of Marie Arrott at 2:00 p.m. The program was given by Jan Hohensee, County Agent. She spoke about ancestry and gave

The next meeting will be in the home of Virgie Arrott Feb. 20 at 2:00 p.m.

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Blassingame nominated for award

An outstanding local teacher has been nominated for participation in a unique awards program sponsored by The University of Texas at Austin. The Texas Excellence Awards for Outstanding High School Teachers are the University's way of thanking teachers who play critical roles in preparing their students for higher education. It is also an attempt to stimulate appreciation of the contributions teachers make by recognizing the achievements of outstanding individuals.

Ms. Susan K. Blassingame has been nominated by Jerry Gibbs, principal of Robert Lee High School. Her teaching field is English.

She has taught for 9 years, and is known to students, parents, and colleagues as a dedicated educator with exceptional leadership and inspirational qualities.

Teachers nominated for the awards will receive a certificate of appreciation from The University of Texas at Austin in recognition of their contributions to educational excellence. In addition, they will be considered in a selection process which will result in between five and twenty teachers being invited to the UT campus during the spring for a

selected for the All-District

Band in November; and al-

though she was not selected

for the All-State Band, she

did travel to Austin as an

All-Area Band students and

ranks among the top 20 alto-

clarinet players in the state.

special conference and awards ceremony. Those teachers will receive a substantial cash award, a commemorative sculpture, and an exclusive enrichment opportunity tailored to the recipient. VIP tours and handson demonstrations of some of the University's most noted facilities will give the participants a distinctly UT experience.

The Texas Excellence Awards for Outstanding High School Teachers are administered by the UT Ex-Students' Association in cooperation with the College of Education.

Scholarship applications

High school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 16, 1987 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045. To receive an application, students should send a note

stating their name, address, city, state and zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation. Sixty-five winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extra-curricular activities and need for financial aid.

illican honored on 70th

F.C. (Son) Millican of Robert Lee was honored recently with a 70th birthday celebration by his children. Hosting the party were Frankie and Royce Hood. David and Theresa Millican, all of Robert Lee, Bobby Millican of Midland, and Clifton and Ida Millican of

Comanche.

Family members and friends numbered about fifty who attended the celebration held at the Recreation Hall. **Refreshments** were served and entertainment was provided by the Larry Spivey Band.

New FB agents told

Coke County Farm Bureau has two new insurance sales agents for this area. Daryl Copeland, a Robert Lee resident, will work out of the local agency office, while Randy Levens is in charge of the Bronte office.

Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Copeland of Robert Lee, is right at home here. having been born and raised in Coke County. He is married to Myna Kay, another Robert Lee native and daughter of Mrs. Margaret Roane, also of Robert Lee. A 1974 gradute of Robert Lee High School, he was previously employed by Bell Auto Parts in the body shop for 9 years.

Daryl and Myna Kay Copeland are the parents of hree children, Jerrod, 6, Holly, 5, and Tiffany, who is 4 years old. The couple is involved in community affairs and activities of the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Randy Levens, formerly of San Angelo, is now in the bronte, Farm Bureau office. He and his wife, Shauna, are originally from Snyder. After gaining All-State football honors in high school, Levens attended Texas Tech on a full scholarship where he played for the Red Raiders 4 years. Two of these years were spent as teammates of Doug McCutchen and Davis Corley, former Bronte students.

Following graduation, Levens coached at Irving Mc-Arthur and for the last 10 years has been in oil-related business in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Levens have 3 children, Michelle, 12, Marc. 10, and Autumn Marie, 3.

A spokesman for the insurance agency stated that the Farm Bureau is pleased to have these two young family men on the work force in the county.



Band concert slated

The Regional VII All-Region band concert will be held on January 24, 1987 in the auditorium of Ballinger High School. Time for the concert is 7:00 p.m. No admission will be charged. The band is composed of 100 of the top band students from this area selected as a result of tryouts held in Brownwood in December. Students from Robert Lee High School released for this honor include:

Amy Pate. Amy was also

Painting clinic set

Perry.

If you want to learn more about how to plant, grow, and harvest plants for range and wildlife paintings, you may want to attend a clinic on the subject in February.

The clinic will be held for potential seed growers at the Soil Conservation Service Plant Materials center near Knox City. Since the center can only accomodate about 30 people comfortably, more than one session will be conducted if needed.

Subjects to be discussed include seedbed preparation; planting equipment; fertilizer needs; weed control; irrigation; and harvesting, drying, cleaning, testing, and labeling seed. The first 30 people to call for a reservation can attend a session starting at 9:30 a.m. February 18. The next 30 people to call may attend a second session starting at the same time on February

19. The clinics should end about 3:30 p.m.

SCS specialists experienced in planting, growing, harvesting, and cleaning seed will be on the program and will demonstrate actual equipment used at Knox City.

A registration fee of \$3.00 will be charged for attendees to handle coffee and refreshments. Lunch will be on your own. If you wish to attend, call the center before February 13. The number is (817) 658-3922.

Clinician for the rehearsals Tuesday, Jan. 27 (which include Friday night and all day Saturday) will be Rey Meza of San Antonio. **Pickles** Director of the Robert Lee Banana High School band is Forrest

> Wednesday, Jan. 28 **Beef Tacos** w/Cheese **Chopped Onion** Cobbler

- Thursday, Jan. 29 Chili & Crackers Corn **Pickles** Pears
- Friday, Jan. 30 **Barbecue Wieners Creamed Potatoes Green Beans** Hot Rolls Peanutbutter Supreme Milk

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ELLA DUNCAN AND Ruth Foster are Resident and Employee of the Month of West Coke Co. Nursing Home. Ella has "seniority" over the other residents having celebrated her thirteenth year here on Jan. 13th. Ruth has been an aide for several years and was accompanied to a party for the winners by her grandson, Nathan.

'64 Study Club meets

Friday, Jan. 23, 1987

On January 13th, members of the '64 Study Club assembled in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church for their regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Maxine Shaffer, president, presiding.

During a short business meeting, Mrs. Pauline Barron gave a report on raising donations for buying stainless steel cooking utensils for the West Coke County Nursing Home. She stated that a total of \$680.00 had been received, which she had given to the Administrator, Mrs. Jeanene Andrews Baucum, who has ordered the cooking ware. Pauline expressed her appreciation and thanks to all those who responded so graciously.

Those present at the club meeting enjoyed an unusual presentation on Post-Menopausal and Osteoporosis given by Dr. Sutliff, M.D. Obstetrics and Gynecology, from San Angelo.

Hostesses for a lovely table of refreshments were Reba Tabor, Mary Ivey, and Ronda Wojtek. Mrs. Vivian Sparks from Sterling City was a guest.

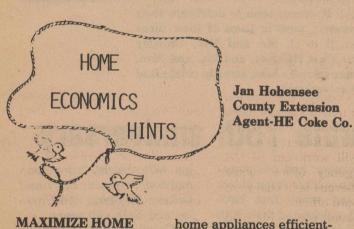


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The first gold rush in the United States was touched off not in California but in Georgia, where prospectors discovered gold deposits in 1828.



The sands of Mt. Sinai are said to be "singing sands" because they can make what seems a harplike sound when masses of them tumble downhill.



MAXIMIZE HOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY

To maximize home energy efficiency, Texas Agricultural Extension Agent Jan Hohensee suggests the following:

* Find and fix air leaks around windows, doors, foundations, electrical outlets, exhaust fans and attic openings.

* Install storm windows and doors to reduce heat loss and/or heat gain, especially in areas of North Texas.

* Adjust the temperature setting by 5 degrees on heating and air-conditioning systems and compensate for comfort with the clothing you wear.

* Insulate ceilings, exterior walls, under floors, heat ducts and hot water pipes.

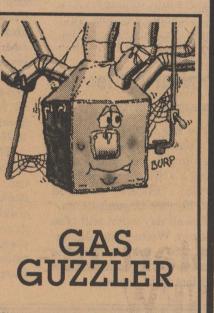
* Use exhaust fans effectively to control heat and excess moisture at the source.

* Use energy powered

Election slated

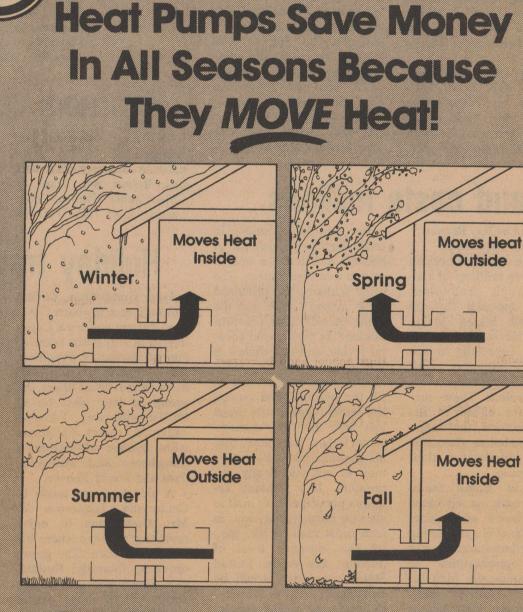
home appliances efficient-

* Use lighting efficiently by lighting only those areas that are in use and selecting energy efficient bulbs, tubes and fixtures when replacements are made.



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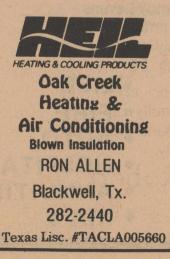
In their regular monthly meeting this Tuesday, Jan. 20th, the board of directors of the West Coke County Hospital District called for an election to fill the positions of two members whose terms expire.

The two members whose terms expire this April are Dale Wojtek and Richard Johnson.

Petitions are available upon request by anyone wishing to file for these vacancies at the business office of the West Coke County Hospital District.

The election will be held on April 4th. The deadline for filing a petition to be on the ballot is 30 days prior to the election. Twenty-five names are required on the petition to be filed. gas furnace can save you lot's of money on your gas bill.

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Harmon reunion told

The annual Christmas gettogether of the Thomas and Amanda Harmon families was a special one. Forty-six relatives and friends gathered at the West Coke County Nursing Home to join in the 75th Wedding Anniversary celebration with the honorees - Thomas and Amanda Harmon. Rita Anelson, reporter, accompanied by a cameraman-- from KLST -TV Channel 8 - San Angelo conducted a thirty-minute interview with the family. A portion of the interview was shown on the 10:00 News that night - December 28, 1986.

Following the interview, the group joined other friends and relatives at the Recreation Center at the park for their annual Christmas dinner.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harmon; Mr. and Mrs. Finis Harmon; Mr. and Mrs. Crowley Harmon; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harmon; Mr.

and Mrs. J.D. Harmon; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Millican; Mrs. Marshall Millican. Kannan and Stewart: Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts and Douglas; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson, James Paul and Shannon; Kelly Nichols, Lois Burns, and Joey Harmon all of Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mashburn of Carlsbad; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harmon, Tammy and Jason and friends Kim and Jason Millikin, all of Sand Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Johnson and Jessica; Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Harmon, Clint and Brint; all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Mashburn, Tony and Paul of LaMarque; Mr. and Mrs. William Joe Harmon and Ronnie of Keller; James and Lisa Harmon, and Blanche Fox of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hammerton and Crystal Lea of El Paso; Mrs. Ruby Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Thompson and Brandon of Midland; and Mr. and Mrs.

Fraud costs millions

submitted by Ray Barnett, Bronte Postmaster

Each year the American public loses millions of dollars through fraudulent schemes operated through the United States Mails. With the increase of unemployment, especially in the oil related industries, work at home promotions have become prevalent. These promotions are aimed at the elderly, shut-ins, the unemployed, and house wives who want to supplement their family income.

Work at home fraud schemes such as envelope stuffing, home addressing, and multi-level marketing sales distributorships always include "opportunities" to earn an unusually high income with relatively small investment and with little or no effort on the part of the customer, and in most cases, by someone they've never even met. They are usually schemes to sell the plan to do the work rather than doing the work itself, and no one money paid to a promoter in order for the participant to become a distributor and to recruit new distributors. The prize is always the promised "big money" that can be made quickly after the promotion has progressed several levels, and the chance is that investors will not recruit all the people necessary to fill the pyramid and recoup the initial investments much less earn the "big money" prize. In fact, the chance that all participants will receive mail is mathematically impossible. If a scheme requires participants to mail to six new participants, who in turn must mail to six, etc., by the eleventh level of mailing, the entire United States population would be exhausted; and the thirteenth level, the world population (over four billion) would be exhausted.

Bud Jones of Hermleigh.

The U.S. Postal Inspection Service, who investigates mail fraud and Postal Lottery Statue violations, says that promoters as well as participants in work at home fraud schemes can be found in violation of Federal law even if they did not realize the promotion was illegal when they first got into it. If you receive information about a work-at-home promotion you feel may be in violation of the law, turn it in to your Postmaster or mail it to the Postal Inspector in Charge,



MR. & MRS. THOMAS Harmon, soon to celebrate their 75th Wedding Anniversary, pose in front of their three eldest sons and wives, [l to r], Mr. and Mrs. Crowley Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Harmon, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harmon. The three couples have already celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversaries.

Harmons celebrate 75th anniversary

Thomas R. Harmon and Amanda E. Sparks were married January 24, 1912 near Robert Lee, Texas, in Coke County. They are celebrating their 75th Wedding Anniversary, and are pleased to have their three oldest sons and wives that have already celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversaries. Their oldest son, Floyd and

Holiday travels noted

Fred Huddleston, of San Antonio, met Barbara Chesney, Turney and Irma Casey in Fort Worth at the home of one of Barbara's daughters and husband, Cindy and Mike Ward. From there the group of four went on to McDonnellstown, Pennsylvania to spend Christmas with another of Barbara's daughters and husband, Pam and David Hoover.

A side trip was made to Centerville, Tennessee for Mr. Huddleston to enjoy revisiting the area where his father was born. The group drove up (literally) Huddleston Street and viewed the houses of an uncle and a couple of cousins then to the other side of the town square and passed by the girlhood home of Minnie Pearl.

On the return trip Hot Springs, Arkansas was visited. A drive was made to the Lookout Tower, but due to the fog there was limited visibility. sylvania and Maryland but the roads were dry. The weather was comparable to Texas weather which otherwise added to a very enjoyable trip.

Seminar set for Service Officers

The Big Spring VA Medical Center will be the site of a seminar for all area County Service Officers as well as Service Officers affiliated with Service Organizations.

The all day event will take place on Wednesday, January 21, 1987, in room 212. The session will begin at 10 a.m. and last until 4 p.m. his wife Jessie, have been married 54 years; Finis and LaRue - 50 years; and Crowley and Nola - 50 years.

Thomas and Amanda Harmon raised 11 children, 9 sons and 2 daughters which included two sets of twins. Their oldest child, Floyd, was born in March 1913, and the youngest, twins, Inez and Cortez, were born in September 1929. Nine of the eleven children are living and own land near Robert Lee. Floyd, Finis and Crowley are still active in farming and raising livestock. Ruby Lee died in 1974 at the age of 51 from cancer. Cortez was killed in a car accident in 1975 at the age of 46.

Thomas and Amanda Harmon have 9 living children, 33 grandchildren (one deceased), 56 great-grandchildren and 12 great-greatgrandchildren. Therefore, there are several five generation families within the Harmon family.

COKE COUNTY FARM BUREAU

has ever become wealthy through such schemes.

Any promotion where the success of any operator (regardless of whether "a product" is offered) depends on recruiting people to recruit more people, etc., to participate in the program is an endless chain or pyramid. These are forms of lottery and violate the Postal Lottery Statute.

There are three elements of a lottery -- consideration, prize, and chance. In typical work at home promotions involving stuffing envelopes, the consideration is usually called an "application or introduction fee" or could be the price of a "startup kit". Consideration in multi-level marketing schemes is the There were small areas where snow was in the fields in the western part of Penn-

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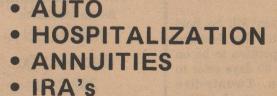
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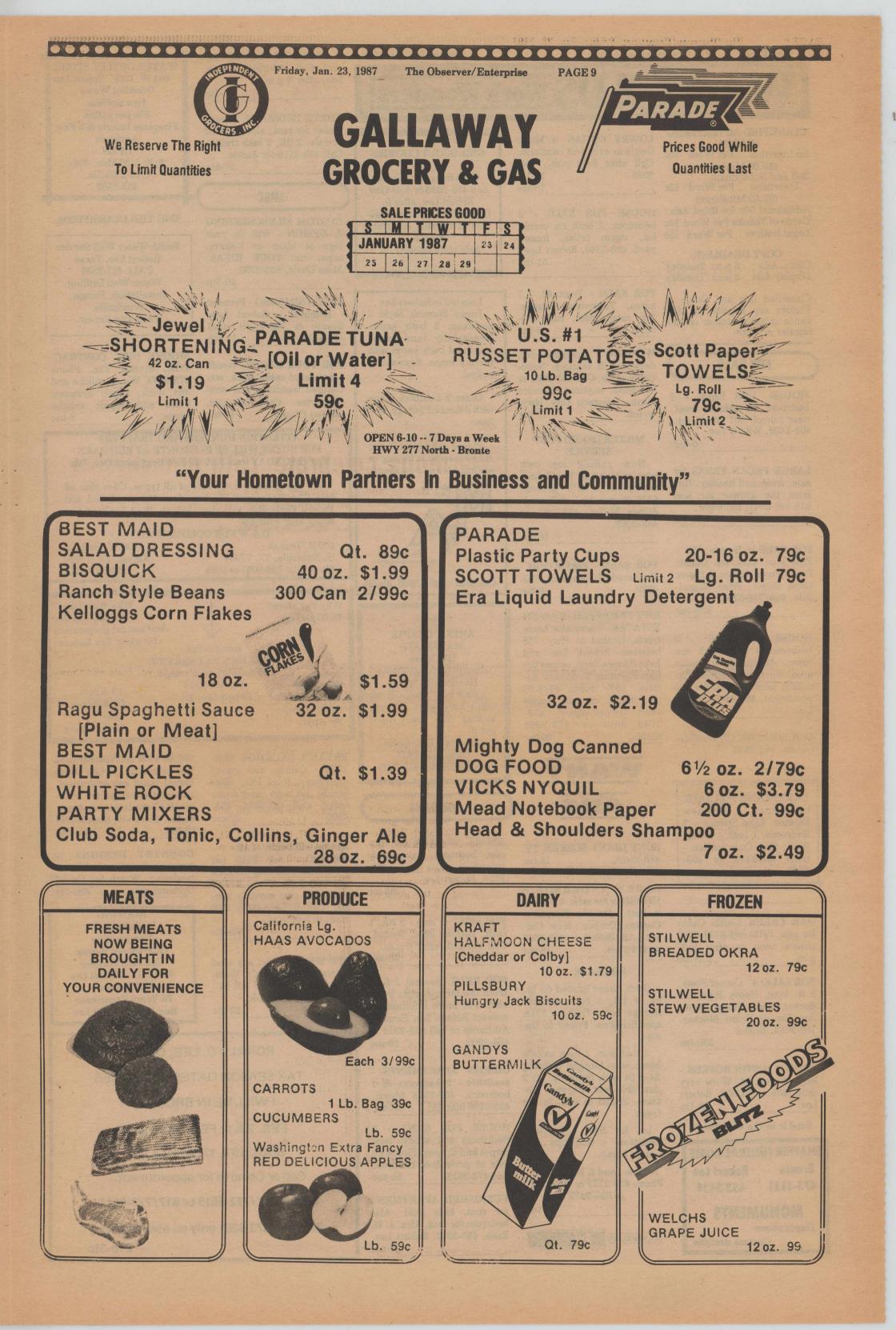
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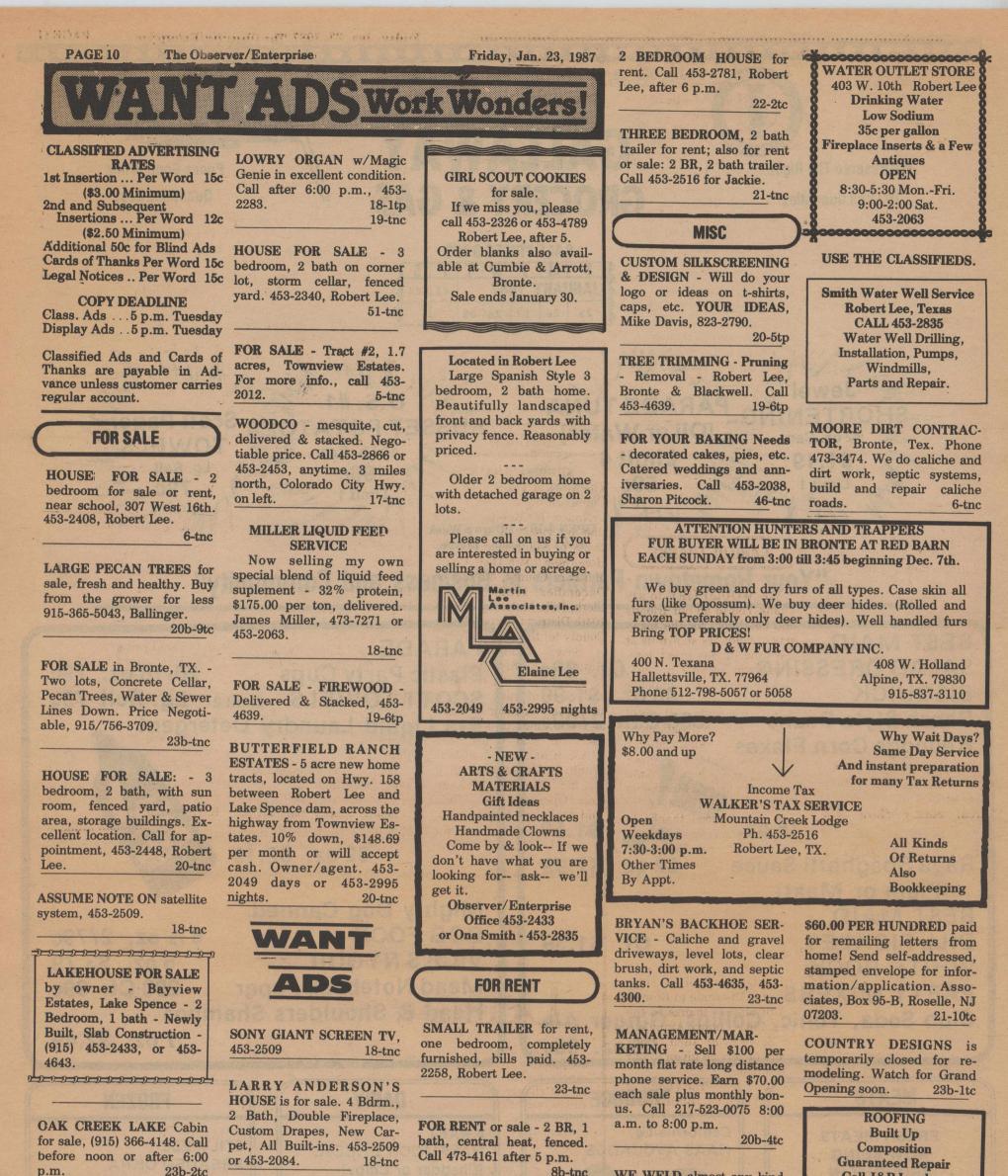
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WE WOULD LIKE to say Thank You to all our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown us at the time of our great loss. Thank you for your prayers, visits, words of sympathy and all your concern; for the many beautiful cards and flowers; for the donations to the various organizations, and the delicious food brought to our home. Thank you to the Bronte Merchants for the beautiful spray.

A very special thanks to the staff and residents of the Bronte Nursing Home for their constant, loving care of our dear one; also to the doctors who cared for him.

Our grateful thanks to Rev. Charles Woodward, Rev. R.W. Blackmon and Rev. Howard Johnson for their prayers, visits and concern shown all of us since Bill and Alta came to Bronte.

Our sincere thanks to the East Coke County Ambulance Service for their many hours of service given to our loved one.

> The Family of William J. (Bill) Wilson Alta Wilson Mary Lou & Paul Sublett Paul Jr., Jackie Clifton & Jeremy Sublett,

I WANT TO express my heartfelt thanks to each of you for the flowers, food, cards, visits, and prayers during my surgery and recuperation. I especially thank those who donated blood for me.

> Frankie Hood & Family 23-1tc

WORDS CANNOT tell how grateful we are for all of you who shared our grief in so many ways during the loss of our loved one, Billie Rae. Thank you so much.

Fern Havins Family Lee Hallmark Family Donna Hallmark Family 23-1tc

NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE The State of Texas, County of Coke,

Notice Is Hereby Given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out the Honorable 104th Dist. Court of Taylor County, 4th day of December 1986, by the Clerk, Rilla Mahoney of said **104th District Court of Taylor** County for the sum of Twenty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Two & 33/100 Dollars (\$27,983.33) and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Fisher-Webb, Inc. in a certain cause in said Court. No. 16,838-B and styled Fisher-Webb, Inc. vs. Mole Holding Co. Inc., Horsens, Inc. and Hole Operating Co., Inc., and Atahualpa Investments, N.V., placed in my hands for service, I, Marshall Millican

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as Sheriff of Coke County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of December 1986, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Coke County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: (Undivided Interest)

Attached to an Operating Agreement dated December 6, 1978, covering lands in the

South Arledge Prospect, Coke County, Texas. Lease II

Date: 6-29-78

Lessor: Florine Price, acting solely in her separate property

Lessee: Fisher-Webb, Inc. Lands: All the North 537.4 acres, more or less of Sec. 309 Blk. 1-A H&TC Ry. Co. Survey

Recorded: Vol 184, P. 196

Lease 111

Date: 11-4-77

Lessor: Calla Mae Cargile, a widow dealing in her separate property

Lessee: John R. Jordan & O.D. McCollum

Lands: W/2 of Sec. 307, Blk. 1-A, H&TC RR Co. Survey

Recorded: Vol. 182, P. 148.

Lease V

Date: Calla Mae Cargile Lessee: John R. Jordan &

O.D. McCollum Lands: Being all of the NE/4 of Sec. 308, Blk. 1-A, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey

Recorded: Vo. 179, P. 434

Lease VI

Date: 7-14-77 Lessor: B.D. Gartman and wife, Sallie Mae Gartman Lessee: Fisher-Webb, Inc. Lands: Being the NW/4 and NE/4 of the SW/4 of Sec. 308, Blk. 1-A H&TC Ry. Co. Survey Recorded: Vol. 180, P. 353

Lease VII

Date: 11-3-77

Lessor: B.D. Gartman and wife, Sallie May Gartman

Lessee: Fisher-Webb, Inc. Lands: All the SW/4 save

and except the EN/4 of the SW/4 and 19 acres out of the SW/4 of Sec. 308, Blk. 1-A, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, being 108 acres, more or less

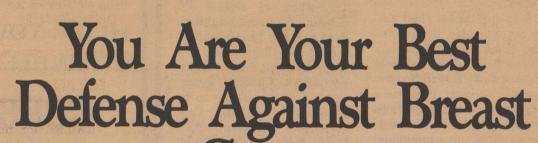
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and levied upon as the property of Mole Operating Co. Inc., Mole Oil & Gas, Inc., Mole Holding Co. Inc., Horsens, Inc. & Atahualpa Investments N.V. and that on the first Tuesday in February 1987, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Coke County, in the City of Robert Lee, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale (Sale at 10:00 a.m., Feb. 3, 1987) I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Mole Operating Co., Inc., Mole Oil & Gas, Inc., Mole Holding Co. Inc., Horsens, Inc. and Atahualpa Investments N.V. in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Observer/Enterprise, a newspaper published in Coke County.

Witness my hand, this day of December 1986.

Marshall Millican Sheriff Coke County, Texas



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We, the Family of Bill Clark, would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the First Baptist Church, to Shaffer Funeral Home, and to all the people who sent food, flowers, cards, and who visited us in our time of sorrow. We appreciate our many friends at a time like this.

> Christine, Steven, Marion and Paul Gohman 23b-1tp

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LEGAL NOTICE Selection of County Depository

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Coke County, Texas, will, at its regular February Term, 1987, seleci a County Depository of and for the public funds of Coke County, Tex-as, for the years 1987 and 1988. Also included in the public funds are funds of the County Permanent and Available School Funds and trusts funds in the hands of the County and District Clerks. The applications will conform to the provisions of the County Depository Law, Articles 2544 to 2558A inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas; the rules and regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; and the requirements of the Coke **County Commissioners'** Court.

Any banking corporations, association or individual banker of Coke County, Texas, desiring to be designated and/or selected as such Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, an application applying for such funds stating the amount of paid up capital stock and permanent surplus of said bank, together with a statement showing the financial condition of said bank at the date of said application, which shall be delivered to the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, on or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the first day of the regular February Term, 1987, of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, the same being on or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. February 9, 1987.

Said application shall also be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half $(\frac{1}{2})$ of one per cent (1%) of Coke County's revenue for the year 1986, as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, corporation, or individual banker, that if said bank. association or individual banker is accepted and/or selected as County Depository it will enter into the bond and/or bonds provided therefore by law.

Said application, so filed with the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, and prepared as required by the laws of the State of Texas, will be considered by the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas at 10:00 o'clock A.M., February 9, 1987, and a County Depository selected in accordance with the above referred to laws and all other laws of the
State of Texas covering such matters.

Application forms are available in the office of County Judge and shall be used by all interested parties. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all applications received.

Stover Taylor, Co. Auditor Coke County, Texas 23-2tc

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 202.-827 miles of seal coat over various limits of US 83, US 87, IH 10, RM 3130, US 67, US 277, SH 70, RM 336, RM 853, FM 385, RM 2523, RM 1676, RM 864, RM 2084, RM 2133, RM 2105 and RM 3115 in Menard, Tom Green, Crockett, Sutton, Kimble, Edwards, Coke, Real, Irion, Kinney, Reagan, Schleicher and Runnels Counties covered by CSB 35-5-40, CSB 69-924, CSB 69-7-76, CSB 140-10-22, CSB 141-7-20, CSB 141-8-35, CSB 141-16-1, CSB 158-2-44, CSB 159-6-17, CSB 160-3-19, CSB 264-4-29, CSB 264-7-21, CSB 554-1-24, CSB 555-4-9, CSB 829-1-18, CSB 1592-1-18, CSB 1592-2-9, CSB 1645-1-10, CSB 1846-

2-5, CSB 1923-2-10, CSB 2280-2-3, CSB 2410-1-7 and CSB 3141-1-2. will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., February 10, 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 Daniel W. Govern, 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 Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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