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## Joint effort provides food for needy

Residents of Robert Lee and West Coke County have proven that they are a caring and sharing community. The joint efforts of Skinners' Grocery, Bakers' Grocery, Super H Grocery, C & W One Stop No. 14 and many individuals provided thirteen Robert Lee needy families with food that they might have a brighter Christmas.

Many food items and money from individuals, including \$50.00 from the West Coke County Board of Community Development, was donated to purchase food. Toys were purchased with any of the money donated but were donated by individuals who felt

the children would enjoy toys at Christmas.

Many hours of service were donated by Bob Large and Hank Baker. Mr. Large is secretary of Hayrick masonic Lodge No. 696 and Worthy Patron of Robert Lee Chapter No. 187, Order of the Eastern Star. Mr. Baker worked in the oil patch thirty-eight years and is a retiree of the Sun Oil Company. Both of these men, being civic minded individuals, have collected, divided and delivered these items as they have for several years. The dining room of the Masonic Lodge Hall in Robert Lee was the site for collection and distribution.



Hank Baker (L) and Bob Large utilize the Masonic Lodge dining room to assemble food items and toys for needy Robert Lee families. Donations were made by local businesses, organizations, and individuals.

### Upcoming

#### Chamber Banquet

The Bronte Chamber of Commerce will hold its first banquet on Saturday, Jan. 14, from 7:00 till 10:00 at the Bronte Community Center.

Guests will be treated to a "Night in Monte Carlo", complete with dinner, games, entertainment, and the announcement of Citizen of the Year. Also to be recognized are the outstanding Service Organization, Volunteer, Teacher, and Student of the year.

Tickets are \$6.00 per person and can be purchased from any Chamber Director, or at the door. Each ticket book

contains sixteen guaranteed chances at the evening's prizes. Grand prize is a trip for two to Las Vegas. All area residents are encouraged to attend this evening of fun!

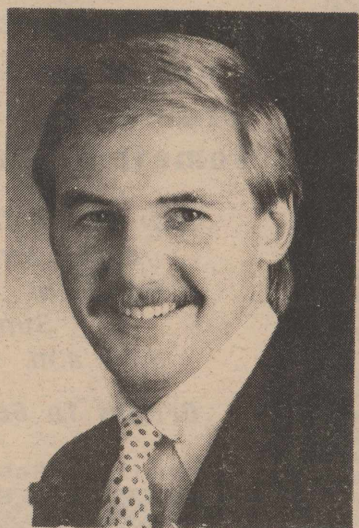
#### Dove Season

A second short season for mourning doves will be open January 7-16, 1989 in Coke County. Regulations remain the same as for the fall 1988 season: 12 birds per day and hunting hours are 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset. In spots where water and grazing remain, good numbers of big birds have been noted in the area.

## Ray to be legislative aide

Stan Ray, formerly of Robert Lee, will be U. S. Representative Charles Stenholm's new legislative aide beginning in January. Ray, a December graduate of Texas Tech University, will begin his duties after January 1, 1989.

Stan is the son of Dr. & Mrs. Phil Ray of San Angelo, Tx. He graduated from Robert Lee High School and has served as state officer of the Future Farmers of America. His degree from Tech is in Agricultural Education, with a specialization in Agricultural Communication.



Stan Ray

## Ivey announces retirement from UCRA

Cumbie Ivey, Sr. of Robert Lee, a director of the Upper Colorado River Authority for 42 years, has announced his intentions not to serve another term. Ivey has served on the board longer than any one person and has been involved in the primary origination and development of the many projects of the Upper Colorado River Authority during these past 42 years. In addition to the many smaller water conservation programs in Coke and Tom Green Counties, he was one of the directors during the construction of the O. C. Fisher or North Concho Lake that was built by the Upper Colorado River Authority through the auspices of the Corp of Engineers, was involved in the cooperative effort of the building of the Twin Buttes or Three Rivers Dam in San Angelo, was involved in the cooperative development of the Spence Reservoir in Robert Lee and has been involved for 30 years in the feasibility studies and cooperative development of the Stacy Reservoir now in the con-

struction stage Southeast of Ballinger.

Mr. Ivey's business background and ranching interest have contributed to not only the financial success of these projects and the Upper Colorado River Authority but also to the intelligent decisions that he made concerning priority of water conservation projects in this area and the

State of Texas. His expertise and knowledge of water conservation and wisdom will certainly be missed on the Board of Directors of the Upper Colorado River Authority.

Mr. Ivey's retirement from the board of directors was effective January 1, 1989 or until a replacement can be appointed.

## Robbery occurs in RL

Coke County Sheriff Marshall Millican stated Wednesday that the holidays had been relatively quiet except for one alarming incident. Tom Lee, who ranches and lives south of Robert Lee on the Colorado River just below Lake Spence, reported that one of his ranch hands was assaulted and robbed the day after Christmas. The young Hispanic male lives in a house southwest of the Lees and, according to the victim, four males wearing ski masks, pullovers, jeans, and athletic shoes burst into the house about 6 pm on Monday, Dec.

26. After they demanded money and roughed him up, he was robbed of \$210 cash. He was tied tightly, spread-eagled on his bed, and the suspects fled. He neither heard nor saw a vehicle and could not identify his assailants but got the impression they were young and at least three might be Hispanic.

The Lee family was gone on Monday but returned Tuesday and Lee found the victim still tied at 10 AM, some 16 hours later.

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**Obituaries**

**Sherrill**

Graveside services were held on Tuesday, Jan. 3, for Y. J. Sherrill in Paint Creek Cemetery near Robert Lee, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home. The Rev. Ray Aldridge officiated the rites.

Mr. Sherrill, 67, died at his home on Lake Spence Saturday, Dec. 31, 1988, following a long illness.

He was born March 20, 1921 in Rising Star and attended Cisco High School. He was married to his wife, LaDair, Oct. 7, 1941 in Flagstaff, Arizona. A Navy veteran of World War II, the couple settled in Odessa following his discharge, where he owned and operated Sherrill Engine Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill moved to Robert Lee in 1972 and established Y. J.'s Marina on Lake Spence. Since selling the marina in the late seventies, they have been involved in a local family business.

Survivors include his wife, LaDair Sherrill of Robert Lee; two sons, Col. Michael Sherrill of Upper Hafford AFB, England, and Charles H. Sherrill of Robert Lee; one daughter, Virginia Huckleba of Odessa; his father T. A. Sherrill of Odessa; two brothers, Bill Sherrill of Odessa and Durwood Sherrill of Poway, Calif.; one sister, Alene Robinson of Dallas, Ore.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Honorary pallbearers for the service included R. L. Flanagan, Jack Brewer, Johnny Page, Royce Hood, Morris Huckleba, Marshall Millican, Sparks Burdett, and Revis McAnear.

The Sherrill family requested memorials be made to the West Coke County EMS, Box 1209, Robert Lee, or Paint Creek Cemetery, Box 183, Robert Lee, Tx. 76945.

**Murphree**

Margaret Magdelin Murphree, 68, of Robert Lee died December 25, 1988 in St. John's Hospital at 11:35 am.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 am on Tuesday, Dec. 27 at the Robert Lee Baptist Church with the Rev. Roy Epperson officiating. Interment was at 3:30 pm in Gaines

County Memorial Cemetery in Seminole, officiated by Rev. Roger Pool and directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Murphree was born Sept. 1, 1920 in Olney, the daughter of Adolph and Mary Pieter. She and Fred Murphree were married in 1945 in Jacksboro. A resident of Robert Lee since 1983, she was a housewife and a member of the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Fred Murphree of Robert Lee; three daughters, Donna L. Wood of Seminole, Sandra J. Dushane of Andrews and Carol A. Hardaway of Robert Lee; one brother, Fred Pieter of Washington; two sisters, Bertha Martin of Abilene and Dollie Daren of Colorado City; five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers for the service were Bob Large, John Carver, Pete Prentice, Joe Brasher, Bob Wrinkle, and Allen Bloodworth.

**Kenemer**

Funeral services were held at 2 pm on Wednesday for Mrs. Wayne T. (Sylvia) Kenemer of Longview in the Greggton United Methodist Church followed by burial in Lakeview Cemetery in Longview. Dr. Clifford Lee officiated the rites, directed by Rader Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kenemer, 71, died Sunday morning, January 1, 1989 in a Longview hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Sylvia Taylor December 29, 1917 in Robert Lee, one of ten children to Roy and Inez Taylor. She attended Robert Lee schools.

A resident of Longview 33 years, Mrs. Kenemer was an active member of the Methodist Church where she

taught Sunday School. She was a retired insurance clerk and a past member of Insurance Women of Gregg County. She was also a past matron of the Pine Tree Chapter of the Order of the Easter Star.

Her survivors include her husband, Wayne, of Longview; two daughters, Carol Henson of Bartonville, Tx. and Rebecca Newton, Longview; two sons, Richard Kennemer of Los Gatos, Ca. and James Kennemer of Bartonville; seven sisters, Bage Eubanks and Bea Counts, both of Robert Lee, Bobbie Mahon of Weimer, Katherine Martin of Animas, NM, Ruth Goode of Weimer, Patti Sheppard of Spearman, and Martha Jones of Brownfield; eight grandchildren; and her mother-in-law, Zora Kennemer of Longview.

**Smith**

Mrs. V. H. (Myrtle) Smith, 80, of Route 2 in Bronte died at 4:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1, in East Coke County Nursing Home in Bronte.

Service was at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Tennyson Baptist Church. Burial was in Miles Cemetery, directed by Johnson's Funeral Home.

She was born Sept. 13, 1908, in Runnels County. She was married to V. H. Smith Sept. 9, 1927, in San Angelo.

She was a member of the Tennyson Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband V. H. Smith of Bronte; one daughter and son-in-law, Doris and Charles Sonnenberg of Midland; one grandson, Mike Saunders of Bronte; one great-grandson, Jaylon Saunders of Bronte; two sisters, Bertha Brown and Azelle Yoes, both of San Angelo; and several nieces and nephews.

**...Robbery (cont'd. from front page)**

Royce Fancher of Bronte lost two large metal gates from a ranch fence during the holidays.

Several DWI charges were filed and several State Highway signs were taken. The

signs have been recovered, Millican said.

Sheriff Millican also reported his office has a suspect in the burglary of a ranch home occupied by Tommy Hendry near Silver on Dec. 15.

**Obituaries**

**Rabb**

Ruby Clawson Rabb, 81, died Saturday, December 24, at West Coke County Nursing Home.

Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Monday, December 26, 1988 at Robert Lee Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

She was born June 17, 1907, in Robert Lee to W. L. & Tennessee Clawson. She was a housewife and a Methodist.

She was married to John Carlos Rabb, Jr. August 20, 1925. He preceded her in death on March 6, 1987.

Survivors include three sons, Billy Glenn Rabb and Harold Dean Rabb, both of California, and Jimmie Don Rabb of Florida; three daughters Marjorie Meelkey of Spring, Texas, Jo Ann Harri-

**Sparks to retire from Angelo PD**

Marion Sparks of San Angelo, and a former Robert Lee Rabbit Twister, will retire from the San Angelo Police Department on January 31 as a Master Patrolman after 22 years service. He joined the force in 1967 after serving with the Sweetwater Police Dept. for 10 years.

Sparks is the son of the late Mr. & Mrs. Luther Sparks, was raised in Robert Lee and attended the local school.

**Pageant Ass'n. reports winners**

Carol Hardaway, President of the Coke County Pageant Association, reported a profit of \$300.00 on the \$1.00 donations per ticket for the drawing of prizes. The four prizes included two hand-made afghans, one rope basket and a cross-stitched picture. These items were all donated for the fund raising project which began November 15.

The drawing was held December 15, 1988, with the following lucky winners: T. L. Price, Lloyd Sevier, Jody Wagley, and Dell Parker.

son and Jerry "Jan" Starkel, both of Robert Lee; 15 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

**Davidson**

Bessie Belle Davidson, 81, died Monday at a Haskell nursing home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Church of Christ with Charlie Bassing and John Greeson officiating. Burial was in Rochester Cemetery, directed by Smith Funeral Home.

Born in Round Rock, she lived in Haskell County most of her life. She taught school at Foster and Movina. She graduated from Abilene Christian College with a teaching certificate and also attended Hendrick's School of Nursing in Abilene. She was a member of Church of Christ and taught Sunday School for 33 years and Ladies' Bible class for eight years. She was the widow of John W. Michaels.

Survivors include her husband, Dave Davidson of Haskell; two sons, Tommy J. Michaels of Winters and Benny Michaels; a daughter, Jerita Michaels Taylor of Bronte; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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## RL Senior Schedule posted for January

Robert Lee Senior Citizens coordinator Neta Schnabel has posted the January 1989 activities schedule for the group. Some of the monthly events remain the same, such

### Study Club to sponsor REHAB

Robert Lee's '64 Study Club will sponsor the local participation in the REHAB '89 telethon the benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Centers in San Angelo and Abilene. The campaign will again headquarter at Ivey Motor Company on Saturday, January 7. The local telethon will be available 7-11 p.m.

The Study Club will be aided by volunteers enlisted by Hank Baker. The volunteers will pick up the donations in Robert Lee or pledges may be made by phone and then mailed in. Pledges or donations will be called in to the KLST-TV Station in San Angelo. Phone numbers to call in Robert Lee are 453-2715, 453-2316 or 453-2059. Phone number to call in San Angelo is 653-1601.

The rehabilitation facilities have treated a number of Coke County people over the years. They treat all types of accident injuries, strokes, birth defects, hearing and speech problems, etc. regardless of ability to pay. The local telethon raised over \$2,300 last year for the benefit of REHAB '89.

as the Congregate meals each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, followed by the 88 games. The Department of Human Resources representative is available this month on the third Tues. Jan. 17, with food stamp information from 1-3 pm. Also available on Jan. 17 will be a hearing and hearing aide test sponsored by the Belltone Hearing Aide from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm.

The W.I.C.K. program is also available monthly at the Senior Citizens Bldg. from 10-11 pm on the second and fourth Thursday, Jan. 12 and 26.

The monthly, 3rd Thursday dance will be held in the Rec Hall January 19, beginning at

7 pm, for those over 60 years old and their guests, who are welcome to attend. An area country/western band volunteers to provide the music each month.

Ms. Schnabel said on Dec. 20, the Senior Citizens will celebrate National Hat Day. Come and make your appearance wear your favorite old hat from 1:00 to 4:00 pm. Also available on Dec. 20 will be the County Home Extension Agents Program presented by Jan Hohensee from 12:45 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. A Blood Pressure Clinic from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. will also be offered by The Runnels County Home Health Care.

## WC EMS Contributions

West Coke County E. M. S. contributions for Dec. 1988 included:

### Donations:

James & Nola Miller, in memory of their son David McCaleb. The American Legion. Dave Hughes. Maurice & Elna Duncan.

### Memorials:

**For: Fern Havins.**  
From: Mr. & Mrs. Eph. I. Cummins, Jo Ella Leeper & Calla Mae Cargile, Mr. & Mrs. John Conley, Wichita Falls.  
**For: Effie Roe.**  
From: Jo Ella Leeper & Calla Mae Cargile.

**For: Otto Wojtek.**  
From: Mr. & Mrs. E. C. Bennett.

**For: Pat McClure.**  
From: Mr. & Mrs. M. M. Harmon.

**For: C.C. Millican**  
From: Connie & Polly Millican.  
**For: Tom Wiginton.**  
From: Mr. & Mrs. E. C. Bennett.

**For: Margaret Murphree**  
From: West S. & Marie Thomas.

**For: Ruby Rabb**  
From: Mr. & Mrs. Eph. I. Cummins, and Ettie Hubbard.

## The Way I See It

by Johnny Sevier

As we head into this new year of 1989 all the indications are that it should be a very good year with oil already at \$17.00 a barrel and the retail market ending 1988 with top sales and profits, we can expect a very good economic upturn in Texas. As with most everything that is good there is a downside and the downside to this is the fact that good economics also bring the tax and send people out in force. They feel like that when the economy is good nobody will complain much and generally they are right. With that in mind I will make a few predictions for the coming year.

\* Oil will average about \$18.00 for the year which will be good for the economy & the oilfield but the average John Doe won't realize much because of higher gasoline prices at about \$1.10 (Reg.).

\* Look for an attempt to increase the state tax on gasoline again. With higher oil

prices it will be hard for tax advocates to resist.

\* The auto insurance industry will get another rate insurance making the umptenth one. This one will be done by decreasing the rate by a small amount on optional insurance & getting a very high rate increase on forced coverage.

\* Utility rates will not go up this year and may possibly be cut, although it won't be enough to notice.

\* New car prices will remain at their present levels with bigger and more luxurious models the better sellers.

\* WCCNH will finally get an administrator that will stay for more than 3 or 4 months.

\* The weather will be quite wet and rainy in Feb. cold & snow in late March & early April.

(I figure I'm as close as anybody on this).

\* Lastly - I will catch more fish in 1989.

So have a good year----- and that's the way I see it.

### Runnels Baptists to meet Jan. 18

The regular meeting of the Runnels Baptist Association will be held January 18, 1989 at First Baptist Church, Ballinger.

The W. M. U. and Executive Board will meet at 5:30 PM. The evening meal will be served at 6:30 PM. The program begins at 7:00 PM.

The program is to be on Evangelism Emphasis. Jerry Howe, Association Evangelism Chairman, is in charge of the program. Don Cass of the Evangelism Division with the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will be the speaker.

The public is invited to attend.

### Personal

The family of Turney and Irma Casey were treated to a traditional Christmas feast cooked and hosted by Bill and Dwala Casey at their home near Silver, Texas on the evening of Christmas Eve. Those attending were Barbara Chesney, Ricky & Becky Ross, Pearl Ditmore of Robert Lee; Dian and Grady Coulter, Layne Coulter, Ken and Gladys Pierson, Phebe and Rocky Heffernan of Bronte; Van, Stacey, Evan and Andra Braswell of Girvin, Texas; Pam, David, and Jarrod Hoover of Newton Hamilton, Pa.. The guests included all of the Casey's four children, three grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. The group helped celebrate the birthday of Rocky Heffernan by robustly singing the birthday song to him.

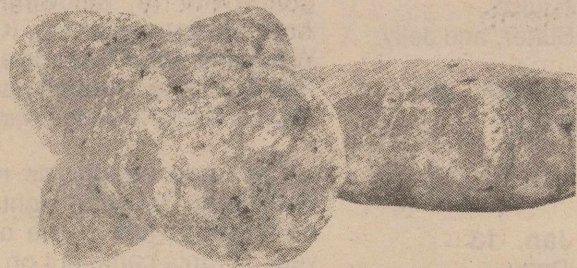
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# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

## Lady Horns post wins during holidays

The Bronte Lady Longhorns were kept busy during the holidays. On December 22 the varsity team traveled to Winters. They upset the Lady Blizzards 55-43,

improving their record to 12-1. Melinda Gentry led the way with 11 followed by Eboni Taylor and Tina Hines with 9 each, Dorinda Scott had 7 with 7 rebounds, Angela Reyes also had 7 and Melissa Arrott had 6 with 7 rebounds.

On December 30 both Varsity and J V teams traveled to Colorado City. Again the varsity topped the Lady Wolves 53-43 making their record 13-1. Tina Hines led with 12, Eboni Taylor had 11, with 8 rebounds, Dorinda Scott hit 8 with 12 rebounds, Misti Taylor also had 8 and 7 rebounds, Darla Scott had 6 and 6 rebounds, and Melissa Arrott had 9 assists.

In the Junior Varsity game the Lady Horns were defeated 49-38, their record now is 4-1. Maria Puentez lead the group with 14, followed by Amie Parker with 11, Kelly Webb and Alisa Richards each had 4, Kristie Cooper had 3 and Jennifer Robinson had 2.

The Lady Longhorns met Roscoe on Tuesday night for their first games of the new year. Bronte came out on top in an exciting match for the varsity, that upped their season record to 14-1. Eboni

Taylor lead the ladies for 10 with 7 reb.; Tina Hines had 8 with 7 steals; Misti Taylor also had 8 with 5 steals; Melinda Gentry hit for 8; Angela Reyes 6, Dorinda Scott 4 with 11 rebounds, and Melissa Arrott had 4. Final score was Bronte 49 - Roscoe 43.

The Junior Varsity girls also started out the new year with a win, Bronte 39 - Roscoe 21. The record now stands at 5-1. Maria Puentez hit for 11, Amie Parker 10, Kelly Webb 6, Jennifer Robinson 4, Alisa Richards 4, and Kiristie Cooper and Ree Baldwin with 2 each.

The JV will travel with the rest of the Longhorns to Sterling City Jan. 10 to start District play. Games will begin at 4:00.

### Personal

Christmas Day guests in the home of Mrs. Pat Oglesby were family members Helen and J. I. Murtishaw, Dewey Luckett, and Bill, Diane, and Joey Luckett, all of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunklin of Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Plowman and Josh of Lubbock, Betty McDaniel, Abilene; and Connie Bryan and Tim Bozarth of San Angelo.

## Bronte Teachers' Corner



Wanda Brewer

Wanda Brewer came to Bronte as a Migrant teacher 10 years ago. Prior to that, she taught four years at Wingate. While in Wingate, she taught English/Language Arts for 4th to 8th grade, had 2nd through 8th grade physical education and coached basketball and track.

She is married to Charles, a self-employed ceramic tile setter, and has two children, David and Monnie Marie Davis. Monnie Marie is expecting her first grandchild in January.

Wanda attended McMurry College and received her B. S. degree in secondary education with physical education, health and English as minors. She went back to McMurry and received a second teaching specialization in Elementary Education. Wanda received her Masters Degree from Angelo State University with a reading specialization and has almost completed a second Masters Degree in Counseling.

She is also one of our faculty sponsors for the Texas Association of Future Educators. Wanda belongs to the International Reading Association and Delta Kappa Gamma. When she has spare time or when she can not sleep, she enjoys sewing and baking. Wanda also enjoys traveling and working on the family histories for hers and Charles' family.



Charlotte Tounget

Reading and church work occupy the spare time of Charlotte Tounget, the Elementary Library Aide. She is married to Billy Tounget and has two children. Doug is married and is a student at Texas A&M University. Jann is a Sophomore at Hardin-Simmons University.

Charlotte has worked in the Bronte Schools for the past fourteen years. She has really enjoyed the new Learning Resource area that was completed two years ago.



### SCHOOL MENU

#### Breakfast

Monday, Jan. 9

Cereal  
Pineapple Juice  
Biscuits, Butter, and Jelly Milk

Tuesday, Jan. 10

Rice  
Fruit Cup  
Biscuits, Butter, and Jelly Milk

Wednesday, Jan. 11

Hashbrowns  
Grapefruit Juice  
Biscuits, Butter, and Jelly Milk

Thursday, Jan. 12

Breakfast Pizza  
Pears  
Bun  
Milk

Friday, Jan. 13

Sausage Patty  
Grape Juice  
Biscuit & Gravy  
Milk

#### Lunch

Monday, Jan. 9

Steak Fingers w/gravy  
Cream Potatoes  
Tossed Salad  
Hot Rolls  
Milk

Tuesday, Jan. 10

Chicken Patties  
Buttered Corn  
English Peas  
Hot Rolls  
Milk

Apple Crisp

Wednesday, Jan. 11

Fiesta Day  
Taco Meat  
Cheese w/ toppings  
Ripe Olives  
Chopped Onions & Picante Sauce

Pinto Beans

Lettuce & Tomato Salad

Flour Tortillas

Cherry Slush

Thursday, Jan. 12

Fish

Cheese

Tater Tots

Green Beans

Hot Rolls

Milk

Chocolate Pudding

Friday, Jan. 13

Hogan Sandwich

(Ham & Cheese)

Tossed Salad

Peaches

Hogan Bun

Milk

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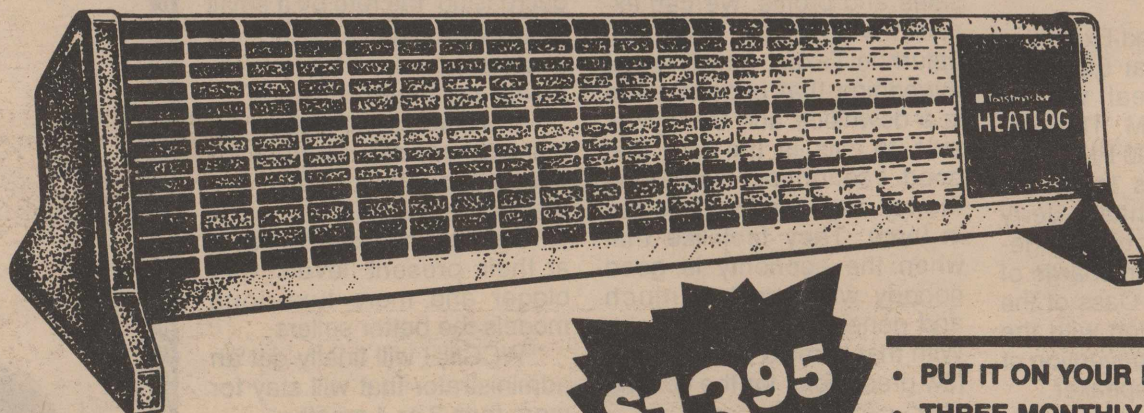


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## Former director returns

Former Robert Lee band director George Strickland, his wife Melinda and son, Jeremy of Henrietta, along with Melinda's parents, Calvin and Ina Bynum of Clyde were overnight guests in the home of Bobby and Jeffie Roberts December 27 and 28. Edna Havins of Robert Lee and Linda Havins of Dallas joined the group for the evening meal on Tuesday. The Stricklands left Robert Lee 11 years ago. He is band director while

Melinda teaches English and Sociology in the Henrietta School System.

Sheila (Roberts) Hammer-ton and Douglas Roberts were former students of the Stricklands and were present to reminisce.

Douglas and Bobby took the men hunting while the women enjoyed visiting. Strickland killed three deer while Bynum killed a 6-point buck.

### Wilks to report on mission work

Lendal Wilks and his wife, Peggy, will be at the North-side Church of Christ in Robert Lee Wednesday night, January 11 to bring a report from the Namikango Mission of Malawi, Africa.

The report will consist of a slide presentation of the Mission and its work. Starting time for the report will be 7 p. m. However, the Wilks will be at the church building one hour early, at 6 p. m. to show displays of books, carvings, handcraft, etc. which give an insight into the culture of the people of Malawi. There will also be slides of scenery, birds and animals of the region.

Lendal and Peggy Wilks are veteran missionaries and have spent many years in the field in Africa. Everyone is invited to come and view the presentation as well as the displays in the preceding hour.



### SCHOOL MENU

**Monday, Jan. 9**  
Corn Dogs w/mustard  
French Fries w/catsup  
Pork & Beans  
Cinnamon Rolls  
Milk

**Tuesday, Jan. 10**  
Fish Sticks w/tartar sauce  
English Peas  
Cream Potatoes  
Hot Rolls - Butter  
Pineapple Tidbits  
Milk

**Wednesday, Jan. 11**  
Bean Chalupas w/cheese  
Lettuce & tomato salad  
Chopped onion  
Corn  
Applecrisp  
Milk

**Thursday, Jan. 12**  
Sausage on a Stick w/mustard  
Ranch Style Beans  
Tator Tots w/catsup  
Hot Rolls - Butter  
Sliced Peaches  
Milk

**Friday, Jan. 13**  
Chicken Pot Pie  
Corn  
Lettuce & Tomato Salad  
Cake Squares  
Milk

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### Senior menu set for January

Congregate meals for Robert Lee and Bronte's Senior Citizens will follow these menus below for January, 1989.

**Wednesday, Jan 4**

Fried Calf Liver

**Friday, Jan. 6**

Fish

**Monday, Jan. 9**

Polish Sausage

**Wednesday, Jan. 11**

Chicken Cacciatore

**Friday, Jan. 13**

Meat Loaf

**Monday, Jan. 16**

Ranch Style Beans w/Ham

**Wednesday, Jan. 18**

Swiss Steak

**Friday, Jan. 20**

Hamburger

**Monday, Jan. 23**

Pork & Beans w/ Franks

**Wednesday, Jan. 25**

Bologna & Cheese Sandwich

**Friday, Jan. 27**

Tuna Noodle Casserole

**Monday, Jan. 30**

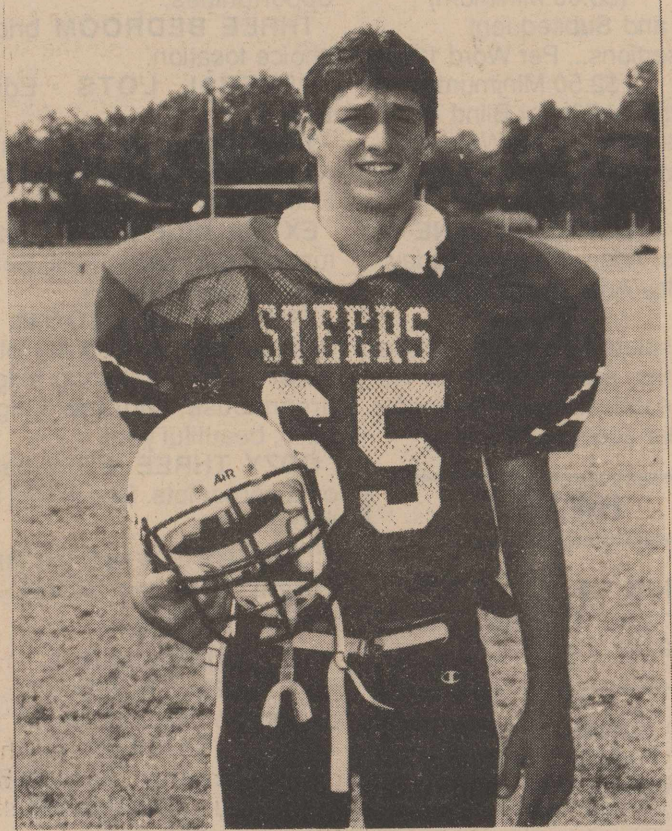
Country Fried Steak w/Sauce

### Personal

A Christmas get-together was held in the home of Bobby and Jeffie Roberts December 16, 1988. Those present to enjoy the decorations, food and visiting were Robert Lee Mayor and Mrs. Wilson Bryan; Jerry Thomason; Marjorie Harwell; Jack, Darla, Stacy, Jill and Zachary Thomason; J. W. Denman; and Mike Nancy, Kevin and Braden Denman, all of Robert Lee.

## Clint Smith named "All West Texas"

Clint Smith, son of Tony and Debbie Smith of Robert Lee, was named to the All West Texas Team. Clint, a 6' 0", 175 pounder, is a 1989 Senior, and was the Captain of his team. Clint was named to the All West Texas Team as an offensive lineman. He was named All District Linebacker (1st Team), and All District Offensive Line (1st Team). He lead the Steers with 109 tackles.



Clint Smith

### Personal

A delicious meal of Mexican food was served to family and friends at the home of Dian and Grady Coulter at Oak Creek Lake on Dec. 23rd. Sharing in the good food and fellowship were Nelson, Janie, Summer, and McKenzie Coulter of Haskell, Tim, Sheila, Tiffany, and Chase Coulter of Ballinger, Layne Coulter, Phebe and Rocky Heffernan, Kenneth and Gladys Pierson, Grace Perkins of Bronte, Turney & Irma Casey, Barbara Chesney of Robert Lee, Bill & Dwala Casey of Silver, and Larry & Diane Spivey of Oak Creek Lake.

Tiffany Coulter celebrated her birthday with the group singing Happy Birthday as she blew out the candles on her cake.

Christmas visitors with Bessie Brice of Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Strakos, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Snowden, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gower and Christa, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie W. Gandy and Aaron, and Shellie and Cody Sizemore.

Visiting Bill, Diane, and Joey Luckett during the holidays was Marty Ballard of Tyler. Marty is a cousin of the Lucketts and came to West Texas to do some quail hunting.

## Davis recuperates in RL

Add Davis is recuperating at his home in Robert Lee following a 5-day stay in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo. Surgery was performed on his left carotid artery, Dec. 27, when tests revealed a 95% restriction of blood flow. A vein was taken from the lower left leg to repair the artery damaged by radiation therapy for a throat malignancy several years ago. He will return to the

hospital and the right artery will be repaired in the same way. Tests showed an 85% constriction there also caused by the radiation and a gradual buildup of scar tissue.

The onion was worshipped in ancient Egypt and regarded by the Romans as a God who guarded the kitchen and guided the healing of battle wounds and skin diseases.

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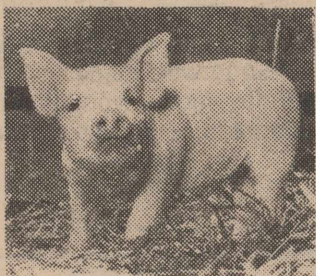
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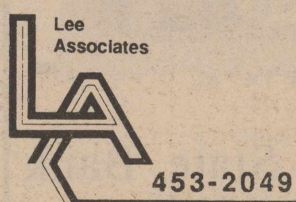
**SHELLED PECANS** while they last, 5 Qts. \$15.00, 453-2272, Robert Lee. 21-1tp

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**PAPERSHELL PECANS** for sale, shelled \$3.00 per pound, unshelled \$.75 per pound. Call Ruth Williams, 453-2525, Robert Lee. 21-1tp

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**HOUSE FOR RENT:** 3 bedrooms with large shaded yard, dining room, game room, within walking distance of Bronte School. Livestock acreage. 282-2901. 18b-tnc

**For Rent:** Several one bedroom, elderly and low income units; 2 bedroom, low income family units, available now. For more information, contact Housing Authority of Robert Lee or call 453-2912, or 453-2802. 13a-tnc

**ONE-BEDROOM FURNISHED** house for rent. Sylvia Tinkler, 453-2752, 1609 Hamilton, Robert Lee. 21-1tc

**GIDEON APARTMENTS**, 453-2196, Robert Lee - Unfurnished apartments for rent, water & sewer paid. 3 BR, \$250; 2 BR, \$225; 1 BR, \$175. 2a-tnc

**TRAILER SPACES** for rent - south side of Hwy. 158, 5 miles west of Robert Lee near Lake Spence. 453-2914. 45a-tnc

## MISC

**PART-TIME HELP** wanted - Apply Mountain Creek Lodge - 453-2516. 21a-tnc

**LES GRAY'S AA REPAIR** Service-Mobile home repairs and service, power rotary sewer line cleaning. 453-2775, if no answer, call 453-2711 before 5:30 p.m. 50A-tnc

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21b-4tc

## CARD OF THANKS

**A HEARTFELT THANK YOU** to each and every friend who helped us in our time of sorrow. The calls, visits, flowers, and food were so much appreciated.

Special thanks to Robert Lee EMS for their very special care.

May God be with you,  
 The Family of Y. J. Sherrill  
 21a-1tc

**WE WOULD LIKE** to thank each and every one for their prayers, concern, visits, and gifts for Dixie. Our heartfelt thanks to everyone.

Dallas and Vallery Johnson  
 21-1tc

**The American Legion** Post #381, would like to thank the following businesses for assistance on Karen Smith's Christmas tree: Gingham Diner Cafe, Ben Bessent Chevrolet, Ivey Motor Co., Cracker Barrel Restaurant, Bob Wrinkle's Ace Hardware, Robert Lee State Bank, and I. G. A. Super-H Store. 21-1tc

**STOVER & JERITA TAYLOR &** Family wish to express our love & appreciation for all of the remembrances offered during the recent loss of Jerita's mother. For the prayers, cards, food, memorials, flowers, and loving concern, we are eternally grateful. 21b-1tc

**WE WOULD LIKE** to say thank you to everyone for their cards, letters, flowers, phone calls, visits & prayers during my illness. We are truly grateful for the many friends we have.

Gene & Ethel Hinnard  
 21-1tc

**WE WOULD LIKE** to say "Thanks" to our friends for their thoughtfulness, cards, & prayers while Foy was in the hospital. May God Bless each of you.

Foy & Estelle Askins  
 21A-1tc

**THANKS TO ALL** who helped and attended the '64 Study Club Tour of Homes. It was greatly appreciated.

Members of the  
 '64 Study Club  
 21-1tc

**I WOULD LIKE** to thank everyone who made my 99th birthday such a wonderful day with cards, visits, and flowers.

Thank you  
 Eula Smith  
 21-1tp

## NOTICE

Lee Starling is now operating Starling's Garage. For all your automotive service and repair needs, call 453-2041.

We also service farm tractors.  
**STARLING'S GARAGE**  
 604 E. 4th - Robert Lee

**IT IS WITH** love and gratitude that we wish to express our thanks to all who helped during the long illness and the loss of our Mother.

We thank you for your prayers, the flowers, food and the loving kindness you have given.

We acknowledge and deeply appreciate the loving care given her by the Staff of West Coke County Nursing Home.

The Family of Ruby Rabb  
 21-1tp

**TO ALL OF YOU** who extended so many expressions of kindness during my recent discomfort, I sincerely thank you. The calls, visits, and cards are so meaningful to me and my family.

Respectfully,  
 Garland Davis  
 21-1tc

**WE WOULD LIKE** to thank all of our friends and neighbors for their cards, prayers, flowers, phone calls and words of sympathy during our recent sorrow. We are especially grateful to the members of the Robert Lee Baptist Church, Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star for all of your help and comfort.

Fred O. Murphree & Family  
 21-1tc

## NOTICES

**CASH REWARD** for information leading to the arrest of or indictment of person or persons involved in the theft of two gates taken from the pasture fence on the Royce Fancher Ranch located 9 1/2 miles north of Bronte off the Ft. Chadbourne - Hayrick road. All information will be kept confidential.

Contact Sheriff Marshall Millican at 453-2717. 21A-1tc

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20a-2tc

**\$200 REWARD** for information leading to the arrest of the people who robbed and assaulted a ranch employee on my property. Please call the Coke County Sheriff at 453-2717.

Thanks for your help,  
Tom Lee  
21-2tc

**Cattle branding was practiced 4,000 years ago. Old tomb paintings show Egyptians branding their cattle.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

On November 23, 1988, Tenaska III Texas Partners and Texas Utilities Electric Company (TU Electric) filed a joint application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (the Commission) for certification of a cogeneration agreement entered into by Tenaska III, Inc. and TU Electric on January 26, 1988, which has been subsequently amended and assigned by Tenaska III, Inc. to Tenaska III Texas Partners, which provides for the purchase by TU Electric of approximately 213 MW of capacity and associated energy from a cogeneration facility to be constructed by Tenaska III Texas Partners at a Campbell Soup Company food processing facility located near Paris, Lamar County, Texas. The joint application was filed pursuant to Section 41A of the Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat. Ann. art. 1446c and seeks determinations by the Commission that (1) the payments provided for in the cogeneration agreement are equal to or less than TU Electric's avoided costs as established by the Commission and in effect at the time the cogeneration agreement was signed; and (2) the cogeneration agreement provides TU Electric the opportunity to acquire the cogeneration installation before the installation is offered to another purchaser in the event of its abandonment, or provides other sufficient assurances that TU Electric will be provided with a comparable supply of electricity, if Tenaska III Texas Partners ceases to operate the installation. The joint application has been docketed by the Commission as Docket No. 8434. A copy of the joint application is on file at the Commission.

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 for teletypewriter for the deaf within 15 days of this notice, provided that any motion to intervene must be filed on or before January 18, 1989.

**TENASKA III  
TEXAS PARTNERS  
TU ELECTRIC**

**Bronte B'ball tourney set**

The Bronte Longhorn Basketball Tournament will start Thursday, Jan. 5 and run through Sat. 7. There are not many teams entered this year but should offer some good matches for the fans.

The Lady Longhorns will meet Novice at 6:30 Thursday

and will meet Winters at 6:30 on Saturday.

The Varsity boys will play Novice Thursday at 8:00; on Friday at 8:00 they play Wylie J. V., and Sat. at 8:00 they play Winters.

Mark your calendars and come support our local teams.

**Personal**

Dallas Cowboy No. 46, Todd Fowler, was among the thirteen hunters at the Bobby Roberts' Ranch the last weekend of hunting season, December 31, 1988 and January 1, 1989.

Other hunters included Dan and Mark McClanahan of Van; Jerry, Darwin, and Jason Harmon and Brad Madry of Sand Springs; Steve Johnson of Wall; Tim Childers of Big Spring; Rebel Royall of Ira; Brent McFarland of Snyder; and Bobby and Douglas Roberts. Five deer were killed. The biggest was a 10-point buck with a 14 1/2 inch spread killed by Jerry Harmon.

Todd Fowler and Mark McClanahan played football for

Van High School which won the State Class 2-A Championship the year they were Seniors about 1979. They remain close friends. The group were weekend guests of the Robertses.

Todd, Mark, and Dan were guests of the Robertses last year. Bobby, Jeffie, and Douglas Roberts of Robert Lee; Dan, Ann, Mark, and Missy McClanahan of Van were guests of Todd Fowler's at the Dallas Cowboy/Washington Redskin game October 9, 1988, in Texas Stadium. The group met Cindy Walker, wife of Herschel Walker, as Douglas sat with her during the game. Herschel gave tickets to Todd for the group since it

was a sell-out game.

David, Pam, and Jarrod Hoover of Newton Hamilton, Pennsylvania were visitors in the home of Barbara Chesney during the Christmas holidays. The group were joined by Cindy and Mike Ward of Joshua, Texas, Turney & Irma Casey, Pearl Ditmore of Robert Lee, Bill & Dwala Casey of Silver, Texas for dinner Christmas Day. Turney treated everyone with cooking his special bar-b-que brisket and sausage. Van, Stacey, Evan, & Andra Braswell of Girvin, Texas and Phebe Heffernan of Bronte came by for a time of visiting, also.

The days following Christmas, the Hoovers spent enjoying our warmer climate while walking and videoing around the lake and the surrounding area, visiting with grandmothers Pearl Ditmore and Gladys Millican at the WCC Nursing Home. They left on the 29th to visit with Bascom Chesney in Mineral Wells then on to the Fort Worth area to visit with friends and the Wards of Joshua.

Pam and Cindy are daughters of Barbara Chesney.

ters of Barbara Chesney.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hamerton, Crystal and Lauren of Mena, Arkansas spent the Christmas holidays in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts of Robert Lee and Mrs. Bernice Hamerton of San Angelo.

Other visitors in the Roberts' home were Douglas's college friends, Rebel Royall of Ira; Brent McFarland of Snyder; Denise Behrends of Dimmitt; Nan Mitchell of Eastland. Others included Joey Harmon and Pammy Millican of Robert Lee; Bill Childers of Temple; Brad Madry and Ian Heath of Sand Springs; Sparks Burdett of Robert Lee; and Tim, Debbie, Dustin and Clayton Meyers of Victoria.

Joe, Margaret and Joseph Brooks from Albuquerque, N. M. were visitors in the homes of his mother, Mrs. Eugene Brooks and sister and her husband, Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Patterson of Robert Lee during the holidays.

**Deli**

## CORNER POST

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Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Pierce announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Eubanks, to Keith D. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. David R. White. Janet is a 1986 graduate of Bronte High School and is currently a junior secondary education major at Texas A&M. Keith is a 1984 graduate of Clear Lake High School and is a senior mechanical engineering major at Texas A&M. The couple plans to wed in May.

### Supplemental feeding by Tommy Antilley Coke County Agent

The way your livestock is handled during the winter will have an influence on her calf or lamb's future and next year's offspring.

The nutrient content changes dramatically during fall and winter following frost. We have a good supply of mature, dry grass on hand but the protein content isn't all that great. Some protein tests I took before frost ranged from 5-7% in fairly good pasture, but this level has declined dramatically since frost. If there is not enough protein in an animal's diet they will lose their appetite, develop a rough appearance, and production of milk is greatly reduced resulting in poor offspring performance. Also a protein shortage slows down digestion, therefore that old cow or ewe cannot simply eat more to satisfy their requirements but will actually eat less.

During winter, heifers, ewe lambs and lactating animals require more protein for optimum performance than dry, pregnant animals. A 1000 pound and a 120 pound ewe require 1.05 and .33 pounds crude protein respectively per day. High lactating animals require 2.7 pounds for that same cow and .42 pounds for a wet ewe. By these figures you are able to figure pretty quick how much of our 2-4% dry grass they each would

have to eat per day to maintain optimum production. Some form of protein supplement must be given to achieve these levels of performance.

There are several forms of protein supplements and this year they are expensive but scrimping on protein now to save a little money will be greatly offset by reduced weaning weights, offspring survival and calving interval next year.

When buying protein supplements, you should figure the cost per pound of actual protein when comparing feeds. For example, whole cottonseed at 165 dollars per ton is comparatively priced with 20% cubes at 165 and 41% at 345 dollars per ton. Also watch out for those bargain cubes that contain urea as much of the protein source. Because urea cannot be totally utilized by ruminants, therefore you may not be feeding the level of protein you wanted. To get the same amount of protein from these feeds, you may have to feed a good deal more, offsetting any savings on purchase price. Remember, you get what you pay for, so some thought into winter supplements may hurt now but will pay off next spring in animals in better condition and calves or lambs that will wean off at a higher weight.

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## JANUARY Market VALUE DAYS



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<b>PORK CHOPS</b>	LB.	<b>\$1.19</b>
Homemade Pure Pork Sausage	lb.	\$1.49
Handy Sliced Slab Bacon	lb.	\$1.09
Boneless Beef		
<b>BRISKETS</b>	LB.	<b>\$1.19</b>
Corn Oil Shortening		
<b>MAZOLA</b>	3# Can	<b>\$1.99</b>
Parade Pork & Beans	15 oz. can	39c
Hunts Tomato Sauce	8 oz. can	4 for 99c
Cut Green Beans		
<b>DEL MONTE</b>	303 Can	<b>49c</b>
Comet Long Grain Rice - 5# Family Size Bag		\$2.29
Chicken of the Sea Tuna	-6 oz. can	79c
Krafts Grape or Apple Jelly	-18 oz. jar	99c
Peanut Butter		
<b>JIF</b>	-18 oz. jar	<b>\$1.99</b>
Krispy Crackers	-1# Box	95c
Alpo Dog Food	-14 oz. can	2 for 89c
Fab Detergent	-142 oz. Family Size	\$5.99
Better Valu Bathroom		
<b>TISSUE</b>	4 roll	<b>69c</b>
Better Valu Towels	-Big Roll	43c
Parkay Stick Oleo	-1# Quarters	59c
Biscuits		
<b>HUNGRY JACK</b>	10 oz. can	<b>65c</b>
Frozen Tater Tots	-2# Bag	\$1.39
Frozen Country Cousin French Fries	2# Bag	55c
California		
<b>LETTUCE</b>	Head	<b>69c</b>
Fresh Yellow Squash	lb.	49c
California Navel		
<b>ORANGES</b>	LB.	<b>49c</b>
Washington Delicious Apples	lb.	49c

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