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Friday, February 10, 1989

High speed pursuit ends in Robert Lee

Baker's Grocery and Market was the sight of a vehicle crash resulting from the pursuit of a stolen vehicle last Tuesday morning. The San Angelo Police Department were in pursuit of George Michael Yarbrough, 35, of Midland, TX, who was the driver of the stolen 1988 four-door pickup that crashed into three parked vehicles.

When Yarbrough evaded the San Angelo Policemen in the city and headed north on Hwy. 208, the Coke County Sheriff's Department were asked to assist in apprehension, reported Sheriff Marshall Millican.

Deputy Jeff Barnes repeatedly attempted to halt the

stolen vehicle before it reached the Robert Lee City limits. Yarbrough swerved the pickup back and forth across the highway to prevent Barnes from passing. Yarbrough failed to execute the curve at the Hwy. 158 and Hwy. 208 intersection, swerved out of control and collided with two parked vehicles in the parking lot of Baker's Grocery. As Deputy Barnes pulled in behind the pickup, Yarbrough backed out of the parking lot, into and disabling the Deputy's patrol car.

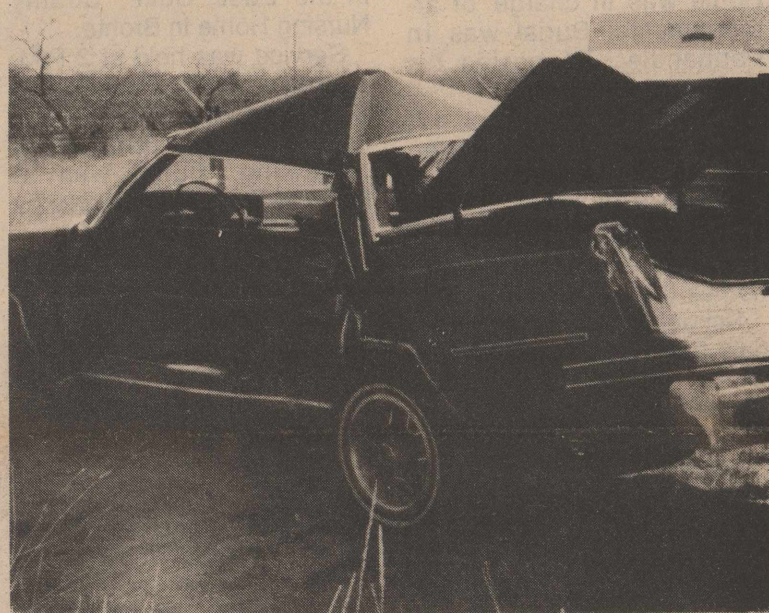
As Yarbrough headed south on 208, Deputy Barnes fired two shots from his service revolver hitting one of the

tires of the stolen vehicle. Yarbrough drove approximately three blocks and was apprehended by the San Angelo Police Officers.

Luckily, there was only one reported injury related to the incident. Wayne McCutchen, Coke Co. Sheriff's Office Dispatcher, sustained minor cuts and abrasions when the stolen vehicle struck Deputy Barnes' car. The dispatched EMS volunteers treated him on the scene.

The parked car that was struck belongs to Mrs. Addie Jeffries, Robert Lee and the second vehicle damaged was a pickup truck owned by Bobby Baker.

Millican reported that the Sheriff's office will file felony charges against Yarbrough.



District playoff slated

As District 27-A Basketball comes to an end a play-off game is necessary to decide who is 1st and 2nd in the District. A double-header playoff game has been scheduled for Friday night Feb. 10 at Howard County College in Big Spring.

The Bronte Lady Longhorns will meet Sterling City at 6:30 p.m. The two teams have met twice already and each team won a game. Their record is 24-2 overall, and 7-1 in District.

Sterling City Lady Eagles record as of Tues. Feb. 7 was 17-6 overall, and 6-1 in Dis-

trict.

The Bronte Longhorns will meet the Water Valley Wildcats at 8:00 p.m. in Howard County College Gym. They also have met twice and each have a win. Their record is 20-7 overall, they are 7-1 in District.

The Water Valley Eagles record is 21-3, and 6-1 in District.

Everyone knows lots of fans excite the players, besides showing support. These will prove to be exciting games, so show your support and travel to Big Spring on Friday.

Farm Bureau Week proclaimed

County Judge Aubrey Denman has signed a proclamation designating February 13-18, as "Farm Bureau Membership Week" in Coke County.

The week is part of a statewide observance during which county Farm Bureaus will make a special effort to enroll new members, according to Robert M. Brown, President of the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau.

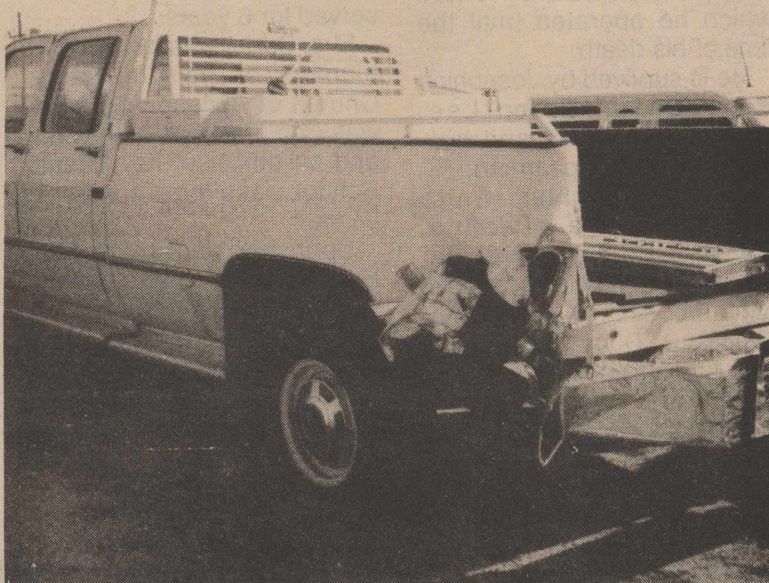
Finis Harmon of Robert Lee is chairman of the membership committee which is responsible for membership acquisition and maintenance.

"The Texas Farm Bureau, with more than 325,000 member families, is the largest state Farm Bureau in the nation," the proclamation reads.

"Farm Bureau is a grass-roots organization and its foundation is the county unit. There are 216 organized county Farm Bureaus in the state including the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau," the proclamation states.

Robert M. Brown said the local county Farm Bureau has 886 member families and is seeking to exceed that figure in 1989.

He said that the Farm Bureau is a general farm organization that seeks to improve income and living conditions



The top photo indicates the extensive damage which occurred to Addie Jeffries' parked vehicle when the pickup (bottom photo) collided with it and other vehicles at Baker's Grocery parking lot in Robert Lee.

Deputy Sheriff Jeff Barnes' patrol car was also crashed into by George Michael Yarbrough, the driver of the pickup, which was believed stolen.

Barnes made a host of arresting officers' work much easier when he shot out one of the tires on the suspect's vehicle. Thus ended a high-speed chase originating in San Angelo in which luckily no one was injured.

Upcoming

Junell Visit

State Representative Robert Junell will be in Robert Lee tonight, Thursday, Feb. 9th, at the Courthouse in Robert Lee, beginning at 7:00 pm.

Junell is conducting a series of town hall meetings throughout his district. The public is invited to attend and participate in the open forum slated for tonight at the courthouse.

'88 Tournament

Coke Co. 88 Tournament, sponsored by the Coke County Senior Citizens, will

be held on Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the Robert Lee Senior Center. Registration will begin at 9:00 am. Play will commence at 9:30 and end at 3:00pm.

There will be prizes and food. Deadline for registration is Friday, Feb. 10th. Call 453-2314 on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday for more information or entry details.

Senior Quilting

Quilting will be held at the Bronte Senior Center on Thursday, Feb. 16, beginning at 9:00 am. Persons of all ages are invited to join. Bring a covered dish and let's have lunch together and quilt.

of farm and ranch families. It represents the farmer and rancher at the local county courthouse, in Austin, and in the nation's capitol, Washington, D. C.

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Obituaries

Rorex

Edward Lill Rorex, 66, died at his home in Freeport, TX, Thursday, Feb. 2, 1989.

A memorial service was held at First United Methodist Church in Freeport Sun. Feb. 5 at 2:00 p.m. with Pastor the Reverend James E. McCullar, officiating. Freeport Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Panhandle, TX beside his parents on Tues., Feb. 7.

Edward was born Sept. 17, 1922 the fifth of 8 children born to Joe and Libya Lill Rorex at their home in Panhandle. His father & his mother were reared in pioneer homes there.

Schooling was at Panhandle from 1st grade to Senior when he graduated as Salutatorian.

Following two years at TTU, he was instructor in Primary Flight Training for USAF at Avon Park, FL, followed by 2 years of active duty during WWII. Afterwards, he graduated from the University of Texas with a BBA Degree in Accounting.

In 1961 he obtained a Texas CPA Certificate, and in 1961 he opened Certified Public Accountant office which he operated until the time of his death.

He is survived by Josephine Rorex Bird of Robert Lee; Louise Rorex Holt and husband, O. C., of Spearman, TX, and their daughter, Anita Eisenhower and husband, Gene, of Corpus Christi, Tx; Frank Rorex & wife, Columbia, of Lubbock, TX and their daughters, Dona Grace Howe and Lydia Diane Spradlin; Alice Rorex Waidhofer and husband, Joe, of Stockton, CA, and son, Karl Waidhofer of Berkley, CA, and daughter, Elaine, Waidhofer of Stockton, CA; Robert Rorex and wife Sybil, of Lubbock, TX. Their sons, Glenn Rorex of Dallas, TX, and Don Rorex of Lubbock, TX; Dr. Eugene Rorex and wife, Bron, of Las Cruces, NM. Their son, Allen Rorex of Las Cruces, NM, daughter Karen Namaki, of San Jose, CA, daughter, Laura Fernandez, of Las Cruces, NM, and son Mike Fernandez, of Las Cruces, NM; and sister Evelyn Rorex Atkinson and husband, Atmar, of Rockport, TX.

Pallbearers were George Eisenhower, Calvin Collier, Ferdie Kibodeaux, Thad Davis, Ralph, David, O. C.

Farmer, Mark Powell and Jack Dingle. Honorary Pallbearers were J. E. Yancy and Cotton Nixon, members of Elk's Lodge #2200, and members of Lions Club of Freeport.

Collier

Cova M. Collier, 92, of Bronte passed away at 7:00 A.M. Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1989 in the East Coke County Nursing Home in Bronte.

Service was held at 2 P.M. Thursday at the First Baptist Church in Bronte with Reverend Charles Woodward officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Collier was born in Bronte on April 24, 1896 to Rev. R. M. and Molly Cumbie, a pioneer Baptist preacher.

She moved to Abilene in 1934 to enroll her son, R. I. Collier, in Hardin Simmons. Upon his graduation, he became Band Director at Cisco High School and was later listed as missing in action in World War II. In 1937, Mrs. Collier joined the faculty of Hardin Simmons as hostess of Senior Hall for 16 years and Mary Frances Hall for 1 year. She then became the first hostess of a Men's dorm, Anderson Hall, where she served for 6 years.

Mrs. Collier was a very active member of the First Baptist Church of Abilene where she was vice president of the choir and an officer of her Sunday School class for a number of years.

Upon her retirement from Hardin Simmons in 1964, she moved back to Bronte where she resided until her death.

She is survived by a grandson, Richard Collier of Plano, one great granddaughter, Erynn Collier of Plano, a daughter-in-law, Charlotte Collins Jeter of Dallas, and several nieces and nephews.

WCCCD group discusses projects

The West Coke County Community Development held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, Feb. 6, in the Courthouse with 15 members present. After receiving the Treasurers report of the balance of \$1,1161.61, the group discussed the progress of continuing current projects.

Elaine Francis, President of the Development Board, announced that the signs featuring the WCCCD Sponsorship of the statewide Adopt-A-Highway program have been installed.

Bill Helwig was appointed as chairman of the Adopt-A-Highway project. He will help contact members about a time to clean up between the signs that have been erected. The WCCCD has committed to 2 miles of cleanup of the State Highway beginning at the edge of the Robert Lee City limits extending southwest toward Lake Spence. The state will furnish any materials needed and pick up filled bags.

Bill Helwig reported that he had checked on the possibility of armed forces training here in Coke County and that Lake Spence is a good location. Robert Lee could be considered as a positive sight since it is not too far away for warfare activities. He suggested meeting with the colonel at Ft. Hood concerning the armed forces and what Robert Lee has to offer for this. The government pays for the use of land while training for warfare and then will dispatch a "clean-up" crew to the area after the sessions are completed.

Interest was expressed for the Texas Parks & Wildlife to hold their various meetings here in Robert Lee, as we are in a central location for several interested communities. The organization meets periodically and presents gun safety programs and other informative programs. Information will be sent to them about the city.

On the neighborhood watch, it was stated that the law enforcement will meet with the Development members and give them advice and information on how to be aware of possible crimes, and who to contact and what action to take.

It was suggested that a yellow page directory of businesses be prepared to categorize the different services and businesses Robert Lee has to offer our consumers. This type of pamphlet would

be very informative to Coke County Residents as well as out of town visitors and guests seeking to fill special needs. Becky Ross and Grace Ditmore were appointed to initiate this project.

Two upcoming events were brought to attention. One was reported by James Miller. He stated that the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau will be holding a membership meeting here soon. The second was the announcement that our State Representative, Robert Junell will hold a town meeting on Thursday, Feb. 9 in the County Courtroom. He will be available to all constituents to

discuss the county's needs. WCCCD urges all Coke County residents to attend these meetings.

Other projects are in the works for the WCCCD and progress will be announced at a later date. They have been pleased at the turnout of residents at the recent meetings.

Any residents wishing to help the community to grow and develop are always welcome to join the current efforts. Many areas of development need to be addressed but projects are limited by the availability of people and ideas.

WCCEMS Contributions

The West Coke County E.M.S. has listed the following contributions for Jan. 1989.

DONATIONS:

Eula Smith - Mr. & Mrs. Billy J. Blair

MEMORIALS:

For: Y. J. Sherrill

From: R. L. & Evelyn Flanagan - Tom & Irene Price - Mr. & Mrs. Jack H. Brewer - Mr. & Mrs. Jack H. Raye - John & Iris Roberts, Jal, N. M. - Opal Baker - Frank & Sharron Pearson and Greg & Lisa Pearson - Weldon & Bryce Fikes - Employees of the Division of Motor Vehicles (Dick K. Childers - Ben E. Dillion Jr. - Sharon Bowden - Dorothy Beckhusen)

For: Ruby Rabb

From: Mrs. Irene D. Newell - Lou & Dorothea Wright - Javan & Maurine Vosburg - Olene & Charles Sims - O. B. & Vivian Jacobs - Opal Baker - Frank & Sharron Pearson and Greg & Lisa Pearson - The 64 Study Club - Weldon & Bryce Fikes - Turney & Irma Casey and Aunt Pearl - Margaret Roane.

For: Margaret Murphree

From: Lou & Dorothea Wright - Javan & Maurine Vosburg -

Margaret Roane - Frank & Sharron Pearson & Greg & Lisa Pearson - Weldon & Bryce Fikes.

For: Effie Roe

From Margaret Roane.

For: Sylvia Kennemer

From: Margaret Roane.

For: Danny Baker

From: Carol Hardaway & Fred O. Murphree

For: Edward Cupp

From: Lou, Dorothea & Dorothea Helen Wright.

For: Edna Burgess

From: Turney & Irma Casey and Aunt Pearl.

For: Myrl Steger

From: Ruth Brown - Vera Jameson

Metcalf receives ASU BA degree

A Robert Lee student at Angelo State University was among 192 students to receive degrees during Fall Commencement at the University.

Carrath Ann Metcalf received a Bachelor of Arts degree with a Major in English.

Carrath is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. (Dub) Metcalf of Robert Lee.

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Smith, Harmon wedding approaches

Sharon D'Anne Smith of Midland and Benson Clint Harmon of Robert Lee are planning a 2 p.m. Feb. 18 wedding at First Baptist Church in Garden City. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Douglas D. Smith of Garden City. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel C. Harmon of San Angelo.

Miss Smith graduated from Garden City High School in 1982, from Howard College in 1984 and from Angelo State University in 1986. She is a member of Block & Bridle Club, and Management and Marketing Association. She is employed with Texaco Inc. Her fiance graduated from Riverside Christian Academy in 1982, and is employed with Tom Green County.



SMITH-HARMON

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor;

I would like to know about our (West Coke County) Hospital indebtedness, and if we have any money in reserve? Also I would like to know how long we will have to keep paying the maximum tax rate allowed by law, considering that we no longer have a hospital to finance?

Name Withheld
By Request

Editor's Reply: I think these are pertinent questions which should be answered by hospital officials; so I am requesting that our new administrator, Mr. Larry Melton, meet with board members and other hospital administrative staff members and we will print their answers in next week's issue. Thanks for your concern.

Hal

McGuire receives SAPD promotion

Five San Angelo officers were promoted Wednesday. Among those receiving their new insignia was John P. McGuire, 27, master patrolman officer.

Traffic Officer McGuire, a former Coke County deputy sheriff, joined the department in August, 1984. He is assigned to the traffic law enforcement section, and will remain in place.

McGuire is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Paul McGuire, of Bronte and the grandson of Mrs. Lola McQueen, in the West Coke County Nursing Home.

Centennial Celebration — of Coke County —

Thursday, July 7, 1966

Coke County Commissioners Court voted three to two Tuesday to release \$30,000 in park bond money for use in improving and expanding the county park facilities at Robert Lee and Bronte. It was voted that \$15,000 be made available for use in improving each of the county's two parks.

This money was still on hand because only \$100,000 of the \$130,000 park bond issue of 1956 was sold to outside interests. Coke County retained ownership of this \$30,000 in bonds.

After the decision was made Tuesday to release the money for use as needed by the two parks, a call was made to First National Bank in Bronte and Robert Lee State Bank, and the county's two financial institutions agreed to take up ownership of the bonds and make the money available when needed.

Coke County has two of the best equipped and most beautiful small parks in Texas as a result of voters of the county approving the \$130,000 bond issue in 1956. However, no money has been allocated to them for permanent improvements since the original construction was completed. Commission-

ers road crews have done a great deal of work on parks at both Bronte and Robert Lee, however, to make them what

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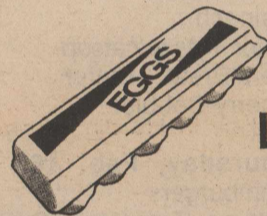
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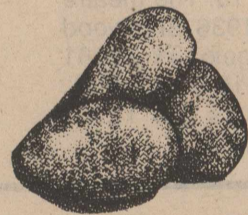
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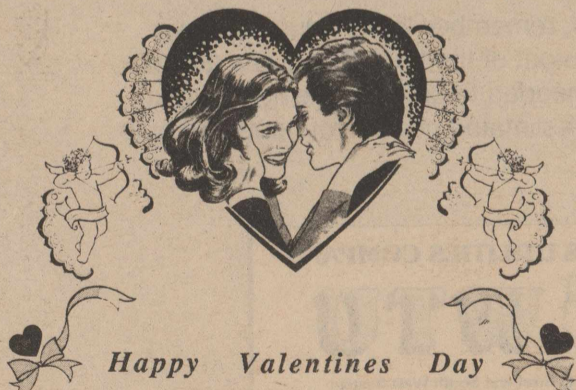
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Band members earn money for trip

During the months of November and December 1988, the Robert Lee Band Students participated in a fund raising project to earn money for their band trip this spring. Of the 143 students

in the music program from the fifth grade through the twelfth grade, Mandi Johnston, a sixth grade clarinetist, sold the most items overall. Second and third place winners were Chris Crawford, a sixth grade percussionist, and Michael Woolley, a seventh grade saxophone player. Other students who had outstanding sales were, Glen Cole, seventh grade - trumpet; Cynthia

Abalos, fifth grade - Clarinet; Jessica Loza, fifth grade - Flute; and Wendy McPeek, seventh grade - Flute. Congratulations to all the band students and their parents for their hard work and a special thank-you to all of the people who helped us out by purchasing our products. Your support and assistance is greatly appreciated.

Theatre invites school groups

If you've been to high school you remember the hours spent in English class, wading through Shakespeare, while the beleaguered teacher tried to show you and your fellow students why Shakespeare was a "classic."

At the Angelo Civic Theatre in San Angelo, they have a different idea to take Shakespeare out of the classroom and put him up on the stage, where he belongs.

The Shakespearean comedy "AS YOU LIKE IT" goes on the boards at the theatre on February 16-18 and 23-25 at 8:00 p.m.

For general public, tickets are \$7.50 (adult) and \$5.00 (students & senior citizens). But the civic theatre--all of whose actors are local amateur players--is offering a special price of \$4.00 per person for school groups, as long as they come in groups of fifteen or more, under the sponsorship of their school.

Most of "AS YOU LIKE IT" is set in an imaginary forest, where, because of political upheaval at home, most of the characters have gone into exile. But, with one notable exception, they are not sad and depressed. On the contrary, they sing, joke, and fall in love at a dizzying pace. The troubles back home are forgotten. And everyone who wants to does live happily ever after.

Tickets to the comedy go on sale at the Angelo Civic Theatre box office beginning Monday, Feb. 13. The theatre is located at 1936 Sherwood Way, San Angelo, Tx 76901 (telephone: 915/949-4400). Box office hours are 12:00 noon to 5:30 p.m.



SCHOOL MENU

Monday, Feb. 13
Burritos
French Fries w/catsup
Corn
Cake Squares
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 14
Lasagna
Lettuce Tomato Salad
Blackeye Peas
Hot Rolls - Butter
Fruit
Milk

Wednesday, Feb. 15
Pinto Beans
Spinach
Tator Tots w/catsup
Corn Bread - Butter
Cherry Cobbler
Milk

Thursday, Feb. 16
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions
Pickles
Fritos
Banana
Milk

Friday, Feb. 17
Chicken Pattie w/Gravy
Green Beans
Cream Potatoes
Hot Rolls - Butter
Diced Pears



The majority of cats weigh between seven and twelve pounds.

Ward receives citizen award

Alyson Ann Ward was awarded a Good Citizenship Award at the end of the first semester at Madison Middle School in Abilene. This award is given by vote of the teachers. She has also been on the honor roll for each six weeks. The sixth grade class at Madison is comprised of over three hundred students. Alyson formerly attended St. John's School in Abilene. She is the granddaughter of Wilma Stewart Carwile and the late J. L. Carwile. Her other grandmother is Audrey Cogdill of San Angelo. Alyson is the daughter of Ann Carwile Ward and Gene Ward. Ann Ward teaches part-time in the Dyess Program of McMurry College,

and Gene Ward is an associate principal of Cooper High School. Wilma Carwile resides at 2800 S. 25th, #204, Abilene, 79605.

Johnson named to A&M Dean's List

Kevin S. Johnson, a junior environmental design major from Robert Lee, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Texas A&M University for the 1988 fall semester.

In order to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must be registered for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.75 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

Kevin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Shook of Robert Lee.

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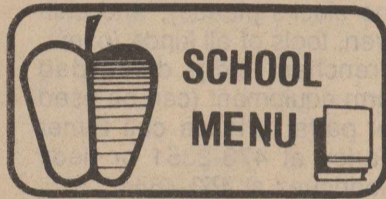
Bryan - Bozarth

Mrs. Pat Oglesby of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell

Bozarth of San Angelo are announcing the engagement of their children, Connie Bryan and Tim Bozarth.

Miss Bryan is a coach and teacher in the Bronte Schools. Mr. Bozarth is a student at Angelo State University majoring in physical education.

Wedding vows will be exchanged June 24 at the First Baptist Church in Bronte.



Breakfast Monday, Feb. 13

Cereal
Pineapple Juice
Biscuits, Butter, Jelly
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 14

Sausage Patty
Orange Juice
Biscuit - Gravy
Milk

Wednesday, Feb. 15

Pears
Donut
Milk

Thursday, Feb. 16

Breakfast Pizza
Apple Juice
Bun
Milk

Friday, Feb. 17

Rice
Cherries
Biscuits, Butter, Jelly
Milk

Lunch

Monday, Feb. 13

Chicken Fried Steak w/gravy
Cream Potatoes
Tossed Salad
Hot Roll
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 14

Pigs In The Blanket
Buttered Corn
English Peas
Milk
Cake

Wednesday, Feb. 15

Chili
Cheese
Tossed Salad
Banana
Crackers
Cornbread
Milk

Thursday, Feb. 16

Fried Chicken
Macaroni & Cheese
Green Beans
Peaches
Hot Roll
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Horns host W. Valley, travel to RL

On Friday, Feb. 3, Bronte was host to Water Valley for 4 games. The Varsity Lady Horns over powered the Lady Wildcats 51 - 24. Tina Hines led with 13 pts., followed by Ebony Taylor with 10 pts. 8 reb., Misty Taylor with 10 pts. 6 reb., Dorinda Scott 8 pts. 10 reb., Angela Reyes 5 pts., Melissa Arrott and Darla Scott each had 2 pts., and Michele Parker 1 pt.

The Varsity Longhorns weren't quite so lucky as they were downed 51-41 in a hard fought game. Scoring went Justin Phillips with 20 pts, 5 reb. 3 steals, Shannon Hoffman had 8 pts, James Badgett had 5 pts. 9 reb. 4 steals, Bill Windham had 3 pts. 6 assists, Tim Davis 3 pts. and John Seales had 2 pts.

The JV Lady Longhorns defeated the JV Lady Wildcats 27 - 24. Scoring for Bronte were Maria Puentez, Amie Parker, and Jennifer Robinson with 6 pts. each. Alisa Richards had 3 pts., Kelly Webb, Kristie Cooper, and Sonja Salser each had 2 pts.

Even though Robert Lee or Bronte didn't have school on Monday or Tuesday, basketball was played as usual on Tuesday night Feb. 7 in Robert Lee. The Bronte

teams out did Robert Lee in all 4 games.

The JV Lady Longhorns finished their season with an impressive 14 - 1 record. They over-powered the JV Lady Steers 33 -14. Puentez hit the hoop for 14 pts., Webb and Parker each had 6 pts.,

Richards 3 pts., Robinson 2 pts., and Tina Smith also had 2 pts.

The JV Longhorns came out on top 39 -30 over the JV Steers. Shawn Conway led the way with 16 pts., followed by Billy Magness with 8, Gary Blair and Darrel Lucas each had 6 pts, Mike Walser 3 pts., and Luke Robbins with 2 pts. They finished the season with a record of 9 - 4.

Bronte's Lady Longhorns ousted the Lady Steers 42 - 36, making their record 24-2 overall and 7-1 in District play. They will now face Sterling City Friday, Feb. 10 at 6:30 at Big Spring in a play-off for the 1st place slot in the District 27-A race. Dorinda Scott hit the bucket for 13 pts, Misty Taylor had 8 pts. 6 reb., Hines 6 pts., Reyes 6 pts., 5 reb., Arrott had 4 pts. 10 reb. 7 ass., Darla Scott 4 pts., and Ebony Taylor 13 rebounds.

The Longhorns ended a perfect night with their 64 - 37 win over the Steers. Badgett had 16 pts., 10 reb., 4 assists, 3 steals, Seales also had 16 pts. 3 steals, Windham 9 pts., 5 assists, 4 steals, Adam Minjarez had 7 pts., 3 steals; Phillips 6 pts., 9 reb., 4 assists, and Jason Pierce had 2 pts. The boys head to Big Spring on Friday night, Feb. 10 for a play off game against Water Valley at 6:30 at Howard Co. College, to determine the 1st place winner in the Boys District 27-A.

Eubanks named "Distinguished" at Texas A & M

Janet Eubanks, a junior secondary education major from Bronte, has been named to the "Distinguished Students" list at Texas A&M University for the 1988 fall semester.

In order to be named a "Distinguished Student," a student must be registered for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

Janet is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Pierce of Bronte.

Garage-bake sale nets TAFE \$290

The Association of Future Educators (TAFE) members earned approximately \$290 at their garage-bake sale, despite the rain. Other fund raisers will be held at later dates. Money is being raised to help members attend the State Convention in Austin to be held in March.

Juniors to sell barbecue chicken

The Bronte Junior Class will be selling barbecued chickens, potato salad, beans, pies, and cakes, and homemade bread as a fundraising project. The food items will be cooked and ready for pickup at school Feb. 11.

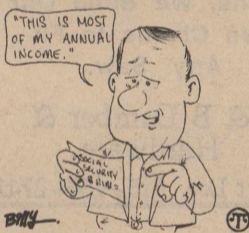
Students travel to Westbrook

A group of Bronte Junior High School students traveled to Westbrook for a practice UIL Contest in Science, Number Sense and Calculator. Those attending were: **Seventh Grade** - Justin Lampier, Jay Parker, Jennifer McCorkle, Wendy Huckabee, and Carrie Hoyt. **Eighth Grade** - Amy Allen, Renee Tuinstra, Jennifer Johnson, and Dwain Swenson.

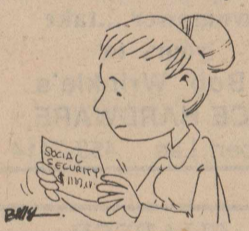
Wendy Huckabee placed 5th in 7th grade Science, winning the only ribbon of the group. Carrie Hoyt placed 7th in the 7th grade science, just missing a ribbon. All of the students placed in the middle range of scores. We are proud of their efforts! Sponsors are Marifrances Mackey and Jerita Taylor. The high school will travel to Mason, Saturday for a UIL Literary meet.

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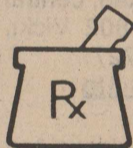
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...Celebration (cont'd. from p. 3)

they are today. Public demand for expansion and improvements was evident at the commissioners' court meeting Tuesday when delegations of citizens from Bronte, Robert Lee and Tenyson appeared before the court to urge approval of releasing the \$30,000. County officials have been working for several months in an effort to get the county approved to receive matching funds from the federal government for use on park and recreation facilities. Judge W. W. Thetford reported progress being made to the citizens' group and spokesmen for the visitors urged that the program be pushed as rapidly as possible. It was pointed out that more recreation facilities are needed everywhere, and if Coke County is to meet the need which future growth will demand, improvements must be made.

THE FAMILY OF Myrl Steger truly appreciates the beautiful love expressed by the people of this community. You have touched all of our lives in a most precious way by your many kindnesses. We will continually be grateful to all of the staff at the W.C.C.N.H. for your unique brand of loving, especially the section of Rosebud. Truly, we say thank you, Barbara, Larry, Tiffany, & Brent Ronnie Steger Family 26-1tc

WE WOULD LIKE to thank everyone involved in helping Jeff after his accident. A special thanks to W.C.C.E.M.S. team - Loyd Sevier, Tracey Pearson, Henrietta Baker, & Nola Miller. From our hearts, a sincere thank-you to Dorothea Wright, Coach Anthony, Jackie Tension, Winnie McPeck and all of Jeff's friends for their quick actions & staying with him until the ambulance arrived. You are very dear to us. Thanks, Doug, Deb, & Jeff Wilkes 26-1tc

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Casey Mare'e is the newest addition to the family of Mr. & Mrs. Casey Nesbit of Wingate, TX. She was born at 12:55 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 2, 1989 at Hendrick's Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 1/2 ozs. and was 20 inches long. Casey has one sister Jennifer Lynn. Proud grandparents are Finis and Sue Millican of Robert Lee, Leta Vordick of Millersview and Bill Nesbit of Brady. Her great-grandmother is Laura Smith of Evant, TX.

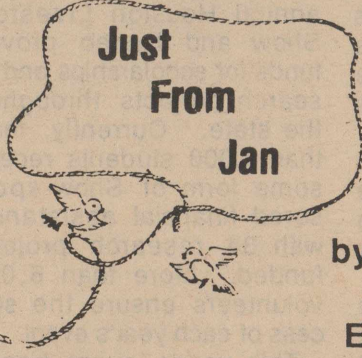


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The West Coke County Nursing Home Auxiliary met Monday, Feb. 6, 1989, in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church for its annual Awards Salad Luncheon. Even though the weather was cold there was an attendance of 21 members and one visitor, Mary Cherry. Mary works very closely with the Auxiliary. The Salad Luncheon was enjoyed by all attending with each member having brought one of their favorite salads. After the Luncheon, the regular monthly meeting was held. The Valentine Party for the residents of the Nursing Home was discussed. It will be held Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1989, at 3:00 p.m. in the Recreation Room of the Nursing Home. Upon the completion of the Committee Reports and business, President Dianne Simpson had the honor of presenting the awards. Members working toward 100 volunteer hours are as follows: Juanita Barger, Mary McGuire, Ruby Hearn, Zera Fields, Joyce Harper, Lynn Doris Smith, Joyce Wilson, Fay Roe, Margaret Epperson, Dale Fields, Irene Price, Irene Maples, Irene Newell, Mary Smith, Lucy Williams, Ruth Williams, and Mildred Wallace. Members receiving pin and 100 hour bar are as follows: Dot Brown, Linda Boone, Essie Childress, Wanda Dublin, Elaine Norvell, and Reba Tabor. Those receiving 100 hour bar only; to-wit: Donna Ash, Gladys Millican, Dell Parker, Joyce Rives and Dianne Simpson. Members receiving 300 hour bar were Alene Key and Virginia Whybrew; receiving 500 hour bar, Pauline Vaughan; members with lots of hours and working toward various hour bars are: Pauline Barron has 654 hours and is working toward her 1000 hour bar; Nina Brewer has 263 hours and is working on her 300 hour bar; Dian Percifull has 129 hours and is working on her 300 hour bar; Kaye Pitcock has 138 hours and is working on her 300 hour bar; and Joyce Rives has 181 hours and is also working on her 300 hour bar. The Auxiliary is strictly volunteer hours and done so through love & caring of the residents. It is very rewarding

to those who do volunteer work. It is just a group of people giving a tiny bit of their time to help give a little happiness to someone else. The meeting ended with a small tribute to the Auxiliary's President, Dianne Simpson. The center piece of assorted daisies was presented to Dianne by Vice - President Donna Ash. We, as members,

are proud and appreciate all the work Dianne does as President. The next meeting will be the first Monday in March. If you would like to become a member, please come join us. Memorials to W.C.C.N.H.A. to date: In memory of Mrs. Myrl Steger by Bill & Dianne Simpson.



by Jan Hohensee
Coke County
Extension Agent

When it comes to beef, there are big changes at the meat counter - and even more to come, according to meat scientists, producers and retailers. Beef products are being produced, packaged and prepared differently to give consumers leaner beef that is quick and convenient to prepare. Consumer demand for less fat is being met both with leaner beef and beef that has been closely-trimmed. USDA labels and beef industry "Nutri-Facts" labeling are now available to help consumers identify lower-calorie beef cuts. New ways of packaging beef make it a more convenient product for consumers to use. Boned, trimmed cuts packaged for smaller families and singles reduce both preparation and clean-up time. Vacuum packaging of beef roasts and other beef cuts also extends the refrigerator shelf-life of the meat by 7 days. For consumers interested in reduced preparation and cooking time, beef already trimmed and cut for stir-fry or shis kabobs and breaded for beef cutlets can be found in the fresh meat case at many

grocery stores. The beef industry has fielded several new products, such as beef bacon, beef strips, and nuggets. These products are made from "restructured" beef, or beef that has been chunked, flaked and then blended back together in various shapes. The process is also being used to make intermediate priced roast beef, beef steaks and chicken fried steak. What about future trends at the meat case? Similar to brand-named chicken products, branded beef will provide a consistent, lean-trimmed product for consumers. Families are smaller today, there are many males and females living alone. A need for quick, convenient foods has forced many people to restaurants. To compete with restaurants, frozen entrees, and fast-food alternatives, we wanted branded, fresh meat entrees, of restaurant quality, never frozen, that could be warmed by the consumer and enjoyed in a matter of minutes. In addition to items now on the market and those being test-marketed, efforts to develop new or improved beef products are continuing.

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HLS exhibitors named

Ten FFA members from Coke County will be joining 4-H and other FFA members from throughout the state for showing competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show, Feb. 16 through March 5 at the Astrohall.

These FFA and 4-H exhibitors compete in one of two divisions of the Houston Livestock Show - the junior show division. The other division, the open show, attracts its exhibitors from the world's agricultural industry in the form of professional breeders and ranchers.

Entries in both the open and junior shows combine with horse show entries to make the Houston Livestock Show the world's largest.

Michael Lee is the sole member of the Robert Lee FFA scheduled to show at Houston. He has entered the Market Lamb Division. As you may recall, Michael took the Reserve Grand Champion Lamb, Champion and Reserve Champion Crossbred Lamb, Champion Medium Wool Lamb, and the Ralph Walker Top Hand Awards at the 1989 Coke County Stock Show.

Representing the Bronte FFA are several members, one of which is Bryan Arrott. Bryan won the Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Awards in the Swine Division at the 1989 Coke County Stock Show. Casey Thorn, holder of the Champion Prospect Swine Award of the County Stock Show, is also scheduled to attend. Other members competing in the Market Barrows Division are Gary Blair, Julie Blair, Donya Cooper, Sharla McGuire, Lee Sonnenberg, and Ray Wallace. Jim Bob Thomas will be entered in the Market Lamb Division.

Representing 817 Texas 4-H clubs and FFA chapters, the junior show is expected to exceed 12,000 entries this year. A variety of animals are shown in the junior show division: market steers, market sheep, market poultry, beef and dairy heifers, breeding sheep, goats, commercial steers and breeding rabbits.

The four market animal categories represent animals raised by the exhibitor as food sources. Top animals in each of these categories are eligible for their individual market auctions. Total money paid in 1988 at the four junior show auctions exceeded \$4 million.

"The highlight of the second week of competition is the junior show. These young 4-H and FFA exhibitors represent the future of this great state and nation. Behind all the hustle and bustle of the week's activities, you will find the greatest young

people in the world," noted Steve Woodley, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo assistant manager.

"From the selection of the grand champion steer to the placings on a set of junior breeding beef heifers, the activities of the second week are at a feverish pitch. It all culminates in the junior auction sales," he added.

All net proceeds from the annual Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo provide funds for scholarships and research projects throughout the state. Currently, more than 1,000 students receive some form of Show-sponsored financial assistance, with 34 research projects funded. More than 6,000 volunteers ensure the success of each year's event.

This year's event begins with horse show competition, Thur., Feb. 16 followed by other livestock competition beginning Sat., Feb. 18. The first rodeo performance will be held at 4 p.m. Sun., Feb. 19. All events conclude Mar. 5. A total of 22 star entertainers are scheduled to perform during the rodeo's run.

Saturday matinee performances begin at 11 a.m. and the Sun., Feb. 26 matinee performance begins at 1 p.m. The first and final Sunday performances, Feb. 19 and Mar. 5, will be held at 4 p.m. All evening performances begin at 7:45 p.m.

Ticket prices range from \$4 to \$10 and include admission to the horse show (excluding National Cutting Horse Association sponsored events), the livestock show and the rodeo.

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- Parade Cream Cheese 8 oz. pkg. 79c
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