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Friday, April 21, 1989

Chamber bass tourney results announced

The Bronte Chamber of Commerce held its second annual bass tournament Saturday, April 15 at Oak Creek Lake and Spence Lake.

First Place was Jackie Parkrigge from San Angelo with a total string weight of 12.60 and he also won the Calcutta to take home \$1200 in cash. Second place was Doug Hill 10.72, 3rd David Maness 10.67, 4th R. D. Elliot, 10.65, 5th Wendell Ramsey 10.30, 6th James Hood 10.10, 7th Harry Brown 9.48, 8th Isidro Martinez 9.27, 9th Paul Henson 8.12, 10th Frank Grizzell 8.01, 11th Dennis Calverly 7.69, 12th Lee Buchanan 7.41, 13th Ty Martin 6.99, 14th Troy Calverley 6.87, 15th Roy Elliott 6.09, 16th Tim Graves 5.63, 17th Marvin Dawson 5.30, 18th Jr.

Taylor 5.02, 19th Andy Smith 4.85, 20th Mike Hartman 4.42, 21st Bob McCray, 22nd Louis Wooley 3.78, 23rd Don Hicks 3.44, 24th Jeff Renfro 3.37, 25th Tom Oliver 3.30, 26th Kelly Estes 3.05, 27th

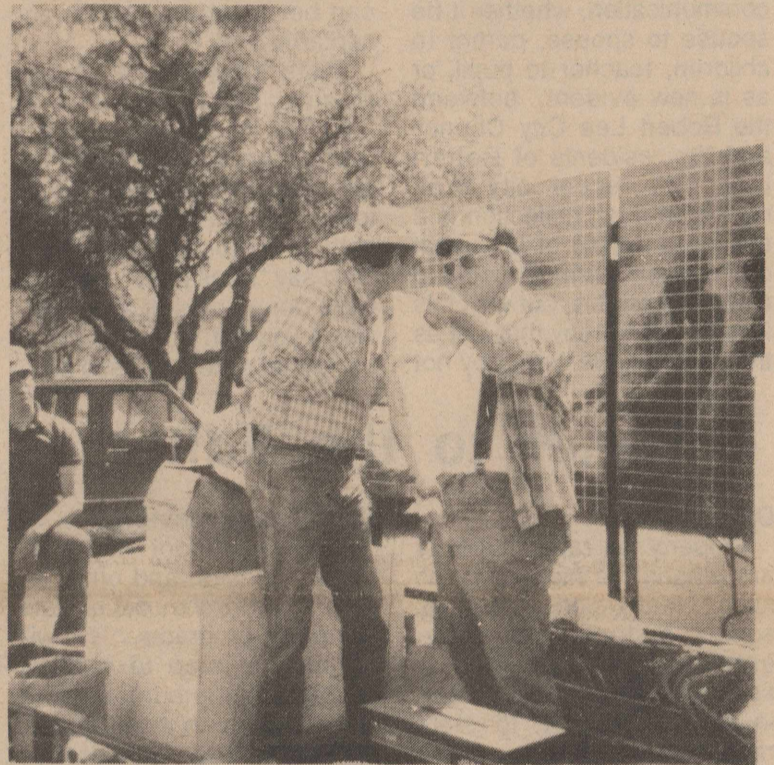
Wayne Coaison 2.27, 28th Gary Gale 2.22, 29th Frank Means 2.10, 30th Buddy Seal 2.09, 31st Kendall Gibbs 1.83, 32nd Edmundo Martinez 1.64, 33rd Garry Bivins 1.43.

County court hears cases

On April 18, 1989, Judge Aubrey Denman called the Coke County Criminal Docket. Twenty cases were heard on pleas of guilty and no contest. Cases heard included DWI, Driving While License Suspended, trespass, and possession of Marijuana. Fines levied by the Judge ranged from \$200 to \$450. Jail terms assessed ranged from 5 to 60 days with most cases receiving

probation. Total fines and court costs adjudicated over \$7210.00. Three cases were set for jury trial.

Coke County Judge Aubrey Denman presided, with Coke County Clerk Ettie Hubbard serving as clerk of the court. Sheriff Marshall Millican served as Baliff. County Attorney Bill J. Helwig prosecuted on behalf of the County and State.



Jackie Parkrigge holds up his 7.37 lb. lunker caught during the Bronte Chamber of Commerce Bass Tourney. He came away with 1st place and the Calcutta pot for \$1,200 total.

Upcoming

Roping Changes

The Coke County Rodeo Ass'n. has made a couple of changes in their club goat roping to be held at the Bronte arena May 6. In addition to the open, junior, and women's division, a novice class and an over 45 year - old category have been added.

Pot Luck Lunch

The monthly Pot Luck Luncheon at Bronte Senior Center will be on Thursday, April 27.

A program will be given by Jan Hohensee, Coke County Extension Agent. Her subject "Foods To Help And Foods To Help Prevent Cancer."

Games will begin at 10 am, program at 11:30 am, & food served at 12 noon.

Bring your friends, neighbors, and covered dish and join the group for a fun day.

RL Town Meeting

A public town meeting will be held in Robert Lee at 7 pm Friday evening (tonight) in the county park behind the Senior Citizens Bldg. and the Scout Hut. The meeting will concern the recent city trash and garbage ordinance. All concerned city water subscribers are urged to attend and join in the discussion.

Prom Tuxedos

Special arrangements have been made with Korona Fabrics in San Angelo to order tuxedos for the prom. A representative will be at Bronte High School April 24 at 12:30 p.m.

Students will be measured and orders will be taken at this time. A deposit will be required at this time. Students will have to travel to San Angelo on Friday or Saturday before the prom to pick up the tux and pay the balance due. Students will return tuxedos to the school on Monday morning and Korona will pick them up here.

Upcoming

FHA Conference

Representatives from the Robert Lee FHA Chapter will be attending the 1989 state leadership conference this weekend. "FHA/HERO: The Greatest Show on Earth" is the theme of the 1989 meeting which will be held in the George R. Brown Convention Center, Houston.

Attending from Robert Lee will be Carrie Davis, Brandy Hayes, Lori Casey, Cathy Smith, Sheree Burns, Audra Pitcock, Tracie Blair, Greg Carpenter, Chris Marquez, Pank Grigg, and sponsor, Sheri Millican. Carrie & Brandy will be competing in the Star Events. If they should win their event they would get to participate in the National FHA convention in Anaheim, California this July. Good luck girls! The other students will be helping to conduct these events on Friday. These activities will help the members develop leadership skills, life skills, and improve self-concept.

SA Goat Roping

Sheila Rathmell, San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo

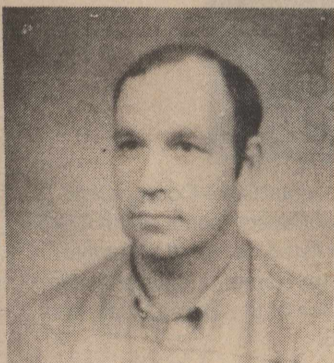
Ass'n. secretary, announced Tuesday that entries are now being taken for the World Champion Goat Roping to be held June 9 and 10 in San Angelo. Entry deadline has been set as April 28. In conjunction with the goat roping will be a Ranch Rodeo contest and bull riding will be held on Sunday, the 10th.

Benefit Tourney

Sam Howell, district chairman for the Boy Scouts of America, announced today a benefit fishing tournament April 22nd at Lake Spence in Robert Lee.

The live release - 5 fish limit tournament features a \$2,500, first place prize - \$1,000 cash and a \$1,500 and a value package of 2 American Airlines tickets for use anywhere in the U.S. - Tournament prizes are based on 200 entries. Ron Hilliard, tournament director, announced registration will begin at 4:30 pm to midnight Friday, April 21st, and resume at 5 am Saturday morning at the Lake Spence Paint Creek Marina. Tournament fishing will be 6 am to 5 pm Saturday, April 22nd.

McCutchen hired as coach



Keith McCutchen

Keith McCutchen, 37, has been named as Head Football Coach for the Bronte I.S.D. He has been an assistant high school coach at Bronte for the past year working under Coach Gene Tuttle, who recently resigned.

Before moving to Bronte last year Keith taught P.E. & History, and was defensive secondary football coach for seven years. He also coached

girls and boys golf for one year at Mason High School in Mason, Texas.

McCutchen graduated from Bronte High School in 1970 in 1970 then attended college at ASU where he attained a B.S. degree in P.E. He then coached eighth grade football, basketball, and track at Lee Jr. High in San Angelo. Keith then took on the Head golf coaching position at Central High in San Angelo, where he also taught history and P.E.

Keith's wife Vicky is a third-grade teacher at Bronte Elementary. They have two daughters Brooke, age 6 and Britney, age 2 1/2.

McCutchen also coaches golf at Bronte High School and will be taking the District 11-A Champion Bronte girls golf team to regional.

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The Way I See It

by Johnny Sevier

If there is one thing in the world that can cause problems that are almost impossible to solve, it is the failure or lack of communication, whether it be spouse to spouse, parent to children, teacher to pupil, or as is now evident, between the Robert Lee City Council and the residents of Robert Lee. The recent city ordinance on trash collection is a shining example of just what can happen. I am not going to elaborate on this, but with this in mind, let me say that just as things are made wrong by not

communicating, so also can they be made right. I believe that some of the things that have caused so much ill-will can be negotiated to an acceptable end.

There is going to be a public meeting Friday, the 21st at 7:00 P.M. at the county park. I will be there and if you are really concerned about your town, you will be there too. If nothing comes of it you can at least say "I was there". You will have done yourself a disservice if you don't.

...and that's the way I see it.

-- Letter to the Editor --

Dear Editor:

Property tax rates in Texas are among the highest in the nation. Many cities, counties, school districts and other entities are being forced to seek additional revenue due, in significant part, to state mandates.

On March 1, Rep. Dan Morales of San Antonio filed a joint resolution requiring the

Retired teachers enjoy program

A vicarious trip down the Nile was enjoyed by the Retired Teachers Association and their guests. Mary Frances Glenn gave an interesting slide presentation to 22 members and guests at the regular monthly meeting.

President Marie Guffy welcomed guests Lum Lasswell, Reverend and Mrs. Melvin Mathes, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Thompson, Norma Jean Gentry and Jane Wheat. She also welcomed C. B. and Wanda Barbee, Jamie Boren, Jean Fancher, Mary Frances Glenn, Luther Guffy, J. T. and Sybil Henry, Virginia Lasswell, Henry and Vera Raney, Ronda Wojtek and Jack and Nina Brewer.

Vera Raney with 47 years in the classroom was the retired teacher with the most years of service.

Members made plans to attend the District XV TRTA Workshop in Coleman on April 18.

The next meeting will be on Monday, May 15 at the First Baptist Church in Bronte. Since this will be the last meeting until September, the members will again be inviting guests who are supporters of education in our community.

state to appropriate funds or reimburse school districts, cities, counties, and other local entities for the cost of state mandated programs. "This will be the first step to publicly recognizing the burden we've been placing on local taxpayers", stated Rep. Morales.

We believe that this is one of the most significant pieces of legislation being considered by subcommittee at this time and one that directly affects each and every Texas taxpayer. Please join us in our campaign to urge our state representatives to support this bill, officially known as HJR 2 and HB 17. Write or phone your Senator or Representative at the following addresses: The Honorable Bill Sims, Texas Senate, P. O. Box 12068, Capitol Station, Austin, TX 78711, and Rep. Robert Junell, Texas House of Representatives, Box 2910, Austin, TX 78769.

Thank you,
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Susan Arrott
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Chester Wilson

The Bronte Chamber of Commerce wants to thank the following merchants for sponsoring the Bronte Chamber of Commerce Bass Tournament

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| Askins Propane | The Crackerbarrel |
| Super H Grocery | |

Obituaries

Baggett

Services for Leona Bowen Baggett, 95, of Caldwell, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Bailey Funeral Home Chapel in Clyde with Rick Cunningham officiating. Burial was in the Gunsight Cemetery.

She died Tuesday, April 11, at a Burleson County hospital.

Born in Alexander, she moved from Weatherford to Gunsight as a child. She later lived in Eastland and Stephens counties.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Reba Mills of Abilene; three sons, Chester Baggett of Caldwell, Buck Baggett of Mayer, Ariz., and Bill Baggett of Tulsa, Okla.; a brother, Louis Bowen of Dallas; five sisters, Lena Milsap of Junction, Letha Smith and Lenora Smith, both of Ballinger, and Lydia Boles and Lola Goad, both of Greenville; a number of grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Baggett was the grandmother of Steve Hines of Bronte.

Mitchell

Marion Elmer Mitchell, 79, of Bronte died April 6 in Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

Service was conducted at 3 p.m. April 8 in Bronte Church of Christ. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

He was born July 8, 1909 in Collin County. He was a retired service station operator.

Survivors include his wife, Allene Mitchell of Bronte; two sons, Don Mitchell of Bronte and Bill Mitchell of Pecos; three sisters, Irene Edwards of Dallas and Margie Harwell and Jerry Thomason, both of Robert Lee; two grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Swann

Mrs. Gerald (Daisy) Swann, 85, died Sunday, April 16 at 1:37 pm at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman.

Services were held Wed., April 19 at 2:00 pm in the Chapel of First United Methodist Church in Coleman with Rev. Loyd Hagemer officiating. Burial was in Coleman Cemetery, directed by Stevens Funeral Home.

Born April 26, 1903 in Fort McKavett, Texas to the late T. C. & Sinai Frances Doss Bell, she married Gerald Swann Nov. 11, 1922 in San Angelo.

They moved from San Angelo to Coleman in 1925. He preceded her in death in Coleman on Jan. 24, 1983. She was a housewife and a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors are a foster son, Benedict Kuo of Dallas; 3 nieces, Nedra Brock, of Bronte, Ruby Bell Williams of San Angelo, & Ramona Johnston of California; one nephew, Billy Bell, of Amarillo, and a number of great-nieces and nephews.

Ortega

Margarito "Jim" Ortega, 45, of Sterling City died at 4:20 a.m. April 10 in San Antonio, after suffering gunshot wounds in Lamesa in August

1988.

Service was at 2 p.m. April 13 at the First Baptist Church with burial in Sterling City Cemetery, under direction of Ross Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 23, 1943, in Sterling City.

Survivors include his mother, Elizabeth Ortega of Robert Lee; two daughters, Elizabeth Ortega Bryson of Jefferson and Donna Teresa Kizziar of Marshall; two sons, Max Ortega and Urban Jim Ortega, both of Lubbock; one sister, Pilar "Margie" Ibarra of Robert Lee; three brothers, Pablo Ortega of Yelm, Wash., Richard Ortega of Lubbock and Juan Urbano Ortega of Robert Lee; and three grandchildren.

CCUWCD adopts new regs

The Board of Directors of the Coke County Underground Water Conservation District recently adopted Rules and Regulations for the district.

The primary reason for adopting these Rules and Regulations is to help prevent waste and contamination of the groundwater. One of the primary sources of contamination to groundwater is contaminants entering the aquifer through uncapped wells and old abandoned wells that have not been plugged. Water can become polluted or contaminated by either of the above situations. This is one area in which the district directors hope to improve the protection of water quality.

Landowners will be most affected by the rule requiring a permit prior to the drilling of a water well. The directors do not anticipate any problem with this rule. In most every case, if a landowner makes

application for a permit, the permit will be approved. The rule was adopted primarily so that the district could develop information on the groundwater resource. When making an application for a permit to drill a water well, the landowner will need to help locate the proposed location on a map. A \$50.00 deposit is required for a permit. When the well is completed and a well log is furnished to the district, the \$50.00 deposit is returned to the landowner.

It will be awhile before the kinks are worked out on adapting to the rules. If there are any questions, contact the district office in Robert Lee or a director of the district. Everyone connected with the district will work with the landowners in adapting to the rules and in expediting the permit process.

The directors of the district are: Royce Stowe, J. D. Harmon, Arch Mathers, Fred H. McCabe, Jr., and Otis Smith.

APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE AWARENESS MONTH



April is Child Abuse Awareness Month. Your Coke County Child Welfare Board meets the first Thursday of every month in the Coke County Courthouse. The members are listed below. If you have concerns or would like to provide a Foster Home for children, please contact one of us or the San Angelo office of the Texas Department of Human Resources at 915-655-0576.

ROBERT LEE

- Cindy Fleming
- Leta Aldridge
- Donna Millican
- Mike Fluhmann
- Jackie Tennison

BRONTE

- Bert Johnson
- Shirley Coleman
- Charles Woodward
- Sara Tandy

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- Nora Stinson
- Carol Cunningham

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Texas Department of Human Services

Ivey attends district meeting

The Spring Meeting of District VIII, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., was sponsored by Abilene Garden Club, April 4-5, 1989 in Abilene, Texas. Co-chairmen of the meeting were Mrs. Jack Bryant and Mrs. J. O. Ballard.

Beginning at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, the morning activities, including registration, board meeting and general assembly, took place at the Abilene Garden Center, 300 Westwood Drive. Mrs. Jack Bryant, Convention Co-chairman, introduced dignitaries who were present. Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Jr. of Robert Lee, Director of District VIII Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., presided at the board meeting and at the business meeting at the general assembly.

Mrs. Charles Baker of Coleman was elected to serve as delegate on the nominating committee for state officers and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey was elected as alternate.

The noon luncheon took place at Abilene Womans Club, 3425 South 14th Street. The luncheon began with the invocation by Mrs. Jay R. Huckabee of Snyder. The installation of officers was conducted by Mrs. E. A. Park of Abilene.

The program, "Tables, West Texas Style" was presented by Mrs. Harold Gardner of Abilene. The Credentials Report was given by Mrs. Lawrence Purcell and the Courtesy Resolution by Mrs. E. M. Sayre of Breckenridge. The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Jr., Director of District VIII.

Pre-convention activities on April 4 consisted of a tour of Buffalo Gap Historic Village and dinner at Perini Ranch Exchange.

Winters playday set for April 22

The Winters Rodeo Association will host a special open play day, Saturday, April 22, in the Winters Rodeo Arena. The arena is located north of Winters, just off U.S. Highway 83. Books will open at 1 p.m. and activities will begin promptly at 2 p.m.

Events for children five years of age and under will be straight away barrels, sheep riding (4 seconds), goat ribbon pulling (on foot), and a stick horse race. The six to eight years of age group will participate in barrels, poles, goat ribbon pulling (on horseback), and flags. Children age nine to twelve will compete in barrels, poles, flags, and steer dobbin. Events for the thirteen to fifteen age group will include goat milking, barrels, breakaway roping, and steer dobbin. Youngsters age sixteen to nineteen will be eligible to compete in barrels, steer dobbin, goat milking, and breakaway roping.

Each age group may participate in four events.

"Funday" information may be obtained from Linda or Bobby Hanson 754-5335, Aletha or Ray Guevara 767-3651, or Connie or Ray Cisneros 754-4456.



In January of this year at the Coke County Livestock Show, the official dedication to the Sterling Lindsey Memorial Exhibit Building was made. Earlier this week the sign and plaque were mounted in front of the County Showbarn.

Comm. to sell tie tacks

by Lucile Bryan, Commission Reporter
Coke County Historical Commission met in the Court House on regular third Monday, April 17.

Commissioner Tim Millican had been asked to examine the fence surrounding the back yard of the Museum. He was present and made suggestions which will be implemented by a committee appointed by Chairman Fran

Lomas.

Chairman Lomas brought to the meetings the 14 carat gold electroplated tie tacks which the group had agreed to order and to sell as a money-making project. The pin has on it a charming little rabbit, truly a Coke County Rabbit.

Bronte members from whom pins can be bought are Marie Arrott and Virginia Boatright. In the near future, they will be available through Susan Arrott at CUMBIE & ARROTT'S in Bronte.

In Robert Lee, Bobbie Allen and Peggy Davis, Fran Lomas, Lucile Bryan, and Phelan Wrinkle have pins available. More have been ordered and will soon be received. BUY A COKE COUNTY RABBIT PIN!

The Commission members have planned to sponsor a COUNTY-WIDE CONTEST in order to adopt a County Logo. Coke County residents of all ages will be eligible to send to Fran Lomas, chairman, one drawing to be judged, with the winner announced before school is out in May. Thus participants will have over a month to get drawings to Fran.

See next week's paper for details.

Bronte to host barrel racing

Professional barrel racing is coming to Bronte, Texas. Sunday, April 30, the WTBRA (West Texas Barrel Racing Association) will be sponsoring an afternoon of barrel racing as well as several other events. Starting at 2 p.m. at the Coke County arena, barrel racers will be competing for jackpotted money. There will be competition classes for all levels of skilled barrel horses beginning with exhibition, and green novice horses. There will be an open class followed by classes for \$50, \$150, \$250, and \$500 novice horses. Events for the younger racers will also be included: 8 and under and 13 and under (years of age). Optional events such as pole bending, flag race, goat tying, breakaway roping and ribbon roping will take place after all of the barrel racing. Admission is free, so come out and watch racers from all over the state of Texas compete right here in Bronte, Texas. You do not have to be a member of WT-BRA to compete.

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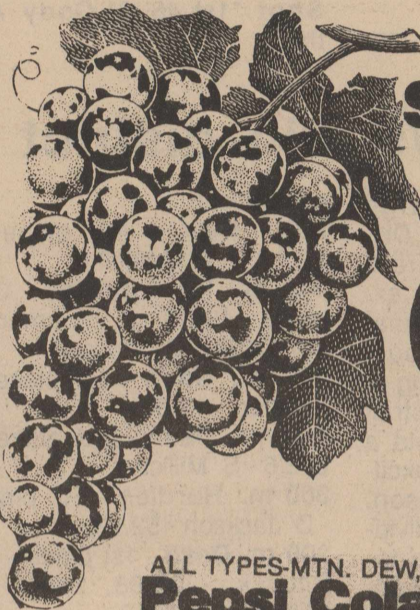


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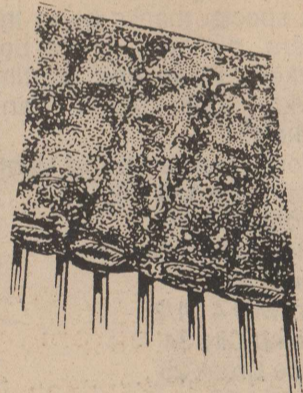
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Seven Steers advance to regional meet

The Robert Lee Steers track team tied the Water Valley Wildcats for 1st place with 107 points at the District High School Track Meet April 14 at Water Valley. Seven Steers advanced to the Regional Meet, some in multiple events.

Team results were:
400 Relay *1st 44.82 Jose

Bewick, Joel Herring, Warren Brasher and Bill Grigg.
110 Hurdles *1st 15.67 Brandon Vincent.
400 Dash *1st 51.89 Warren Brasher.
1600 Relay 2nd 3:33.27 Wes Horn, Joel Herring, Brandon Vincent and Warren Brasher.
Shot *1st 48' 3" Cody Anthony.

High Jump * 1st 6' 4" Joel Herring.
Long Jump * 1st 20' 5" Joel Herring.
Pole Vault * 1st 11' 6" Lenny Jackson.
 *These all qualify for the Regional Meet April 28-29 at Indian Stadium, McMurry College, Abilene.
100 Dash 6th 11.67 Jose Bewick.
400 Dash 5th 54.1 Brandon Vincent, 7th 55.29 Jon Rogers.
200 Dash 4th 23.56 Joel Herring.
3200 Run 7th 11:35.33 Michael Hayes.
800 Run 6th 2:11.46 Wes Horn.
High Jump 5' 6" tie for 5th Randy Watkins and Wes Horn.
Pole Vault 11' 6" tied for 6th Michael Hayes and Stevie Oleskiuk.

Track results posted for varsity, jv teams

Complete results for the Lady Steer Varsity track team and the JV girls' and boys' squads at the District Meet in Water Valley April 14, are as follows:

Varsity Girls
Mile Relay - 5th - 53.93 - Lisa Bower, Jody Waggoner, Stephanie Poehls, and Jody Brasher.
110 Hurdles - 5th - 18.13 - Janet Pentecost.
400 Dash - 5th - 66.1 Jody Brasher, 6th 66.66 Janet Pentecost.
800 Relay - 4th - 1:54.7 - Johanna Service, Jodi Waggoner, Stephanie Poehls, and Lisa Bower.
Discus - 4th - 94' 10" - Sheree Burns.
High Jump - 4th 4' 6" - Jody Waggoner.

Triple Jump 6th 30' 7" - Stephanie Poehls.
"JV" Girls Division
3200 Run - 2nd - 15:37.01 Vivian Ybarra.
Shot Put - 5th - 23' - Gale Wagley.
Discus - 5th 55' 0" - Gale Wagley.
"JV" Boys Division
110 Hurdles - 5th - 21.34 - Brent Gibbs.
3200 Run - 5th - 12:33.07 - Greg Carpenter.
800 Run - 4th - 2:24.5 - Pank Grigg.
Mile Relay - 4th - 3:54.69 - Jason Wink, Pilo Saucedo, Pank Grigg, and Jeff Wilkes.
High Jump - tied - 5th - 5' 2" - Jeff Wilkes, Greg Carpenter.
Long Jump - 4th - 17.5" - Jason Wink.
Pole Vault - 3rd - 9' 0" - Brent Gibbs.

Jr. Hi boys win district

Robert Lee Junior High boys were named 1989 District 11-A North Zone Track Championships. "I was extremely proud of our young men the entire track season. Their goal at the beginning of track was to win a district championship. They held a great attitude and were excited throughout the season. We don't have a lot of individual talent, but we pulled together as a team to out-distance Garden City 124 1/2 to 119. Teamwise we had a balanced attack of Field Events, distance men, sprinters, and hurdlers. We didn't win many events, but 3rd's 4th's & 5th's, add up. This is an example of the fact that track holds individual honors but teamwork is more important than winning meets.

A special thanks go to the timers, pickers, press box workers, finish and starting clerks," said Coach Lane Jackson.

Point Totals at District Meet
 Robert Lee 124 1/2
 Garden City 119
 Water Valley 104
 Bronte 67
 Blackwell 41 1/2
 Sterling City 34
 Grape Creek 25
 Wingate 12

Robert Lee results:
400 Relay - 1st place: 49.97 - Fluhmann, Hughes, Pitcock

Lackey presents club program

Dee Lackey was guest speaker when members of the '64 Study Club of Robert Lee met in regular monthly session April 11. Mrs. Lackey, associated with the Rehab Center in San Angelo, spoke on what is happening at the center as it incorporates new facilities and new programs. She reminded the group that one of the major fund-raisers for Rehab originated in Coke County in 1960 when Conda Wylie spearheaded the Cattlemen's Roundup.

During the business meeting, presided over by Leta Caston, president, plans were made for awarding the scholarship money that was raised during the year.

About half as much hot water is used in the average shower as in the average bath.

and Millican.
800 Run - 4th place - 2:40.89 - T. Metcalf.
110 m. Int. Hurdles - 3rd place - 19.34 - J. Fluhmann, 4th - 19.41 - D. Jackson.
100 m. Dash - 1st place - Hughes - 12.84.
400 m. Dash - 3rd place - 60.56 - S. Millican.
300 m. Hurdles - 5th place - D. Jackson - 52.53.
200 m. Dash - 1st place - B. Pitcock - 25.98, 2nd - J. Fluhmann - 27.12.
1600 m. Relay - 3rd - D. Jackson, B. Pitcock, D. Hughes, S. Millican - 4:17.98.
2400 m. Run - 4th place - W. Renfro - 9:41.13.
Shot Put - 2nd place - J. Williams - 40' 10".
High Jump - 4th place - 4' 8" - S. Millican - 5th place - J. Williams - 4' 6".
Pole Vault - 3rd place - J. Fluhmann - 9' 0" - 5th place - D. Jackson - 9' 0".
Discus - 3rd place - D. Hughes - 100' 2", 6th place - J. Williams - 97' 4 3/4".
Long Jump - 3rd place - S. Millican - 16' 2", 4th place - D. Hughes - 15' 10 1/2".



- Monday, April 24**
 Barbecue Wieners
 Cream Potatoes
 Mixed Vegetables
 Hot Rolls - Butter
 Peanut Butter Supreme
 Milk
- Tuesday, April 25**
 Fish Krispies w/Tarter Sauce
 Macaroni & Cheese
 Blackeye Peas
 Corn Bread - Butter
 Fruit
 Milk
- Wednesday, April 26**
 Sausage on a Stick
 Pinto Beans
 Spinach
 Corn Bread - Butter
 Peach Cobbler
 Milk
- Thursday, April 27**
 Ham Slices
 Cream Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Hot Rolls - Butter
 Orange Jello
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- Friday, April 28**
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CITY		CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
Robert Lee	COKE	Texas	March 31, 1989
ASSETS		Dollar Amounts in Thousands	
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		1,289 1 a	
b. Interest-bearing balances		2,080 1 b	
2. Securities		12,726 2	
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs			
a. Federal funds sold		1,100 3 a	
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell		N 3 b	
4. Loans and lease financing receivables			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		7,870 4 a	
b. LESS Allowance for loan and lease losses		97 4 b	
c. LESS Allocated transfer risk reserve		N 4 c	
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)		7,773 4 d	
5. Assets held in trading accounts		N 5	
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		109 6	
7. Other real estate owned		N 7	
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		N 8	
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		N 9	
10. Intangible assets		N 10	
11. Other assets		447 11	
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)		25,524 12 a	
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)		N 12 b	
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12 a and 12 b)		25,524 12 c	
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits			
a. In domestic offices		22,968 13 a	
(1) Noninterest-bearing		2,662 13 a (1)	
(2) Interest-bearing		20,306 13 a (2)	
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs		N 13 b	
(1) Noninterest-bearing		N 13 b (1)	
(2) Interest-bearing		N 13 b (2)	
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs			
a. Federal funds purchased		N 14 a	
b. Securities sold under agreement to repurchase		N 14 b	
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury		N 15	
16. Other borrowed money		N 16	
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		N 17	
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		N 18	
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits		N 19	
20. Other liabilities		176 20	
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)		23,144 21	
22. Limited-life preferred stock		N 22	
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)		N 23	
24. Common stock (No. of shares)		20,000 24	
a. Authorized		20,000	
b. Outstanding		20,000	
25. Surplus		200 25	
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves		500 26	
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments		1,680 27	
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)		2,380 28 a	
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)		N 28 b	
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28 a and 28 b)		2,380 28 c	
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c)		25,524 29	
MEMORANDA Amounts outstanding as of Report Date			
1. a. Standby letters of credit - Total		N 1 a	
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a conveyed to others through participations		N 1 b	
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.			
I/We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.			
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		DATE SIGNED	
<i>Willis W. Smith</i>		4-17-89	
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		AREA CODE - PHONE NO.	
Willis W. Smith, V. P. & Cashier		915-453-2545	
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions, and is true and correct.			
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	
<i>Wm. H. Hellen</i>		<i>John W. Hinton</i>	
State of Texas		County of Coke	
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)		Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of April, 1989.	
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank		My commission expires August 26, 1989.	
		<i>Cathy A. McHenry</i> Notary Public	



Dr. John Hunter of Texas Tech, (l to r) Eli Arellano, Russ Horn, Monty Cox, Michael Hayes, and Sid Long, Advisor, are pictured in Lubbock when the boys' team captured 2nd place in the Range and Pasture contest.



Robert Lee Ag students (l to r) Jody Tavarez, Brent McPeek, Stephen Epperson, Brent Gibbs along with Sid Long, Advisor, competed in FFA's Wool Judging Contest at Texas Tech recently and came away with the top prize.

FFA lists placings in judging contests

The Robert Lee FFA Chapter was represented in five judging contests with twenty students participating in the Texas Tech Judging Contests. The contests were held on the Tech campus and research farm on Saturday, April 15.

Robert Lee's Wool team won the Tech contest, placing first in Area II and in the Concho District. Brent McPeek was second high individual, Stephen Epperson was fifth high individual, and Jody Tavarez was tenth high individual in the contest. Brent Gibbs was alternate on the team.

The Range Plant team was second in the Tech contest, placing first in Area II and in the Concho District. Monte Cox was sixth high individual, Michael Hayes was eighth high individual, and Eli Arellano was ninth high individual. Russ Horn was alternate on the team.

The Dairy Cattle judging team qualified for the State FFA Judging Contest by placing fifth at Tech, second in Area II, and first in the Concho District. J.J. Tennison was ninth high individual. Other team members were Chris Marquiz, Randy Watkins, and Greg Carpenter. The team will travel to Texas A & M University on April 29, to compete in the State FFA Dairy Cattle judging contest.

Two other Robert Lee teams competed but did not place in the top ten teams at Tech. They were the Meats team, composed of Bill Grigg

and Christy Payne, and the livestock team, composed of Michael Lee, Jeff Wilkes, Warren Brasher, and Jon Rogers.

Results from Judging Contests this Spring for the Robert Lee FFA Chapter:
San Angelo Stock Show March 11

Livestock Team, placed fourteenth overall: Michael Lee, Christy Payne, and Jeff Wilkes.

Wool Team, placed fourth overall: Stephen Epperson, Brent McPeek, Brent Gibbs, and Jody Tavarez.

Western Texas College, Snyder, March 14

Livestock Team, Warren Brasher was first in beef judging and ninth overall, Christy Payne, and Jeff Wilkes.

Sweetwater, March 18

Livestock Team placed fifth overall: Michael Lee was second high individual, Vivian Ybarra was eighth high individual, Brent Gibbs was tenth high individual, and Stephen Epperson.

Tarleton State University, Stephenville, March 23

Livestock Team: Jason

Wink, Warren Brasher, Jon Rogers, Christy Payne and Jeff Wilkes.

Dairy Cattle Team: J.J. Tennison, Randy Watkins, Russ Horn, Michael Hayes, Chris Marquez, and Greg Carpenter.

Meats Team: Shannon Skipworth and Rachel Lopez.
Angelo State University, San Angelo April 1

Livestock Team placed fourth overall and second in beef cattle; Jeff Wilkes was fourth high individual, Michael Lee was fifth high individual, Christy Payne, Jason Wink, Jon Rogers, and Scott Antilley.

Wool Team placed seventh overall: Jody Tavarez was seventh high individual, Stephen Epperson, and Vivian Ybarra.

Meats Team placed seventeenth overall: Bill Grigg, Shannon Skipworth, and Rachel Lopez.

Abilene Christian University, Abilene, April 3

Livestock Team placed second overall and third in beef cattle: Jeff Wilkes was eighth high individual, Michael Lee, Warren Brasher, Jon Rogers, Christy Payne and Jason Wink.

Girls take 2nd at district

The Robert Lee Jr. Hi. girls took 2nd place in the District Track Meet with 112 points. Complete results follow.

Field events:

Discus - 2nd Kristy White - 74' 1", 5th Shelbi Grim - 68' 7 1/4", 6th Lori Wink - 68' 2 1/4".

Long Jump - 5th Grim 13' 1/2".

Shot put - 1st White - 29' 9 1/2", 2nd Debra Drennan - 27' 10", 3rd Gina Putman - 27' 8".

High Jump - 2nd Elaine Gibbs - 4' 2", 4th Shelley Burrows - 4'.

Running events:

2400 m. Run - 3rd Sheila Minjarez - 11:49.66, 4th J.J. Goodman 11:55.20.

400 M. Relay - 2nd - McPeek, Burrows, Grim, Pentecost 56.67.

800 M. Run - 6th Gibbs - 3:00.09.

100 L. H. - 2nd Carlene Bewick 18.66., 6th Kim Carver 21.59.

800 M. Relay - 3rd - McPeek, Burrows, Grim, Pentecost 2:07.6.

200 M. Dash - 5th Rachel Pentecost 30.37.

1600 M. Run - 5th Goodman, 7:28.42.

1600 M. Relay - 3rd Bewick, McPeek, Gibbs, Grim 5:05.43.

Clubs presented project awards

Margaret Martin, of Diversity Club of Bronte accompanied Lucile Bryan of '64 Study Club of Robert Lee to Brownwood for the Spring Convention of Heart of Texas District, Texas Federation of Women's Club.

Included in the meeting was a performance of the Heart of District choir directed by Lucile Bryan. This was the 16th year for the Choir under Mrs. Bryan's direction. The volunteer choir is reputed to be the "singest, swingest choir in the Texas Federation".

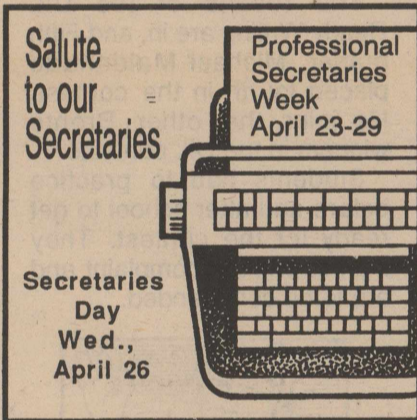
Awards were presented to Bronte's Diversity Club - First place in Home Life Program and second place in projects - Multiphasic Screening Clinic and program at Bronte Nursing Home.

A First place award was presented to '64 Study Club of Robert Lee for Project "Music and Dance".

Personal

Visiting in Tuscaloosa, Alabama the last 10 days to make acquaintance with her new grandson, Courtney Alan Stephens, was Leta Caston of Robert Lee. She was accompanied as far as Monroe, Louisiana by her daughter-in-law and grandson, Cyndy and Adam Caston. The pair remained there for a 10-day visit with Mrs. Caston's parents, D. B. and Linda Jones, as well as other area relatives.

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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Lady Horns place third in district meet

The Lady Longhorn track team had a very successful weekend at the District track meet. The Lady Longhorns finished in third place with 90 points. Miles won the meet with 100 points while Irion

County finished second with 91 points.

Melinda Gentry finished 6th place in the 200 with a time of 29.8. Angela Reyes finished in 3rd place in the triple jump

with a jump of 33' 5 1/2". She also finished in 3rd place in the 100 with a time of 13.09.

Qualifying for the Regional Track Meet that will be held April 28, 29 at McMurry College are Senior Misti Taylor, Sophomores Eboni Taylor and Angela Reyes, and Freshman Teresa Vaughn.

Misti won the 800 with a time of 2:26.5 and she also won the 1600 with a time of 5:36.9. Eboni won the 3200 with a time of 12:24 which set a new school record and finished 2nd in the 800 with a time of 2:27.8. Teresa won the high jump with a jump of 5'0 and also won the 200 with a time of 26.5. Angela, Eboni, Teresa and Misti ran their way to a 1st place finish in the 1600 relay setting a new school record of 4:09.06.

Congratulations girls on a job well done!

Bayer graduates with 4.0

Scott Bayer, husband of the former Debbie Luckett, graduated with honors from the SPARTAN SCHOOL OF AERONAUTICS in Tulsa, Ok on March 31, 1989.

Mr. Bayer was one of 243 graduates that participated in the spring graduation of that school. Scott was one of the five that had a 4.0 grade point average.

The SPARTAN SCHOOL OF AERONAUTICS graduates four times per year. They offer Associate Degrees in Aviation Maintenance Technician, Aviation Electronics Technician, Aviation

Instrument/Electronics Technician, Mechanical Instrument Technician, Nondestructive Testing Technician, Powerplant Technician, and Quality Control Technician. The school also offers pilot training; helicopters are their specialty.

Since graduation, Scott Bayer has accepted a job with GE in North Carolina. He and his family will be moving there later this month.

Billy Joe and Diane Luckett went to Tulsa to be present at the graduation exercise.

Wendall and Jeanna Kay Lee's son, Troy, is also attending the SPARTAN SCHOOL OF AERONAUTICS.

Maldonado places 4th in contest

The results of the UIL Ready Writing are in, and Fifth grader, Michael Maldonado placed fourth in the contest. He joins the other Bronte winners in the UIL contests.

Students had to practice before and after school to get ready for the contest. They did this without complaint and are to be commended.



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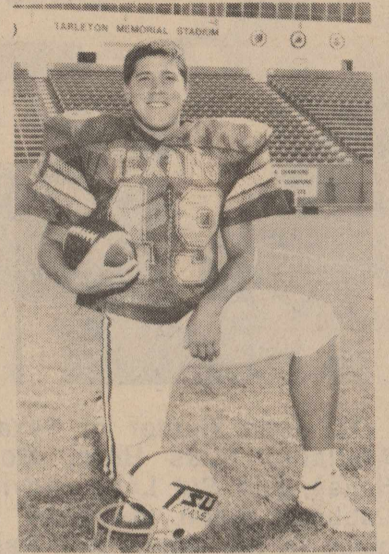


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Kelso selected to OSA

Corby Kelso, son of Mr. & Mrs. Larry Kelso of Bronte, has been selected as a member of the Outstanding Students of America, an organization honoring top college students.

In addition, Corby received a letter from the president of Tarleton State University, congratulating him on his academic and athletic accomplishments. Corby has played running back for the Tarleton State Texans the last two years. This spring Corby has switched to defense, playing a linebacker, defensive end position. While attending Bronte High School, Corby was named All-District Running Back and linebacker. He was also selected to the Final Academic All-State Football Team, honoring athletes for



Corby Kelso

accomplishments on the playing field and in the classroom.

Luckett visitors told

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett and Joey were their daughter and family, Debbie, Scott, Aaron and Amanda Bayer of Tulsa, Okla. The Bayers are preparing to move to Greensboro, N.

C. soon. Scott will be associated with General Electric Co.

Dale Luckett of Amarillo was an overnight visitor with his brothers and sisters in Bronte last Thursday.

SCHOOL MENU

Monday, April 24
Cereal, Apple Juice, Biscuits, Butter, Jelly and Milk.

Tuesday, April 25
Rice, Pineapple Chunks, Biscuits, Butter, Jelly and Milk.

Wednesday, April 26
Pears, Donuts and Milk.

Thursday, April 27
Oatmeal, Grapefruit Juice, Cinnamon Toast and Milk.

Friday, April 28
Breakfast Pizza, Orange Juice, Bun and Milk.

Lunch

Monday, April 24
Chili & Beans, Cheese Nachos, Tossed Salad, Fruit Cup, Crackers and Milk.

Tuesday, April 25
Steak Fingers w/Gravy, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls and Milk.

Wednesday, April 26
Lasagna, Buttered Corn, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Milk and Brownies.

Thursday, April 27
FIESTA DAY, Taco Meat, w/Toppings, Cheese, Chopped Onions, Ripe Olives, Picante Sauce, Pinto Beans, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Flour Tortilla, Milk and Cherry Jello.

Friday, April 28
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REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

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in the state of TEXAS, at the close of business on MARCH 31, 1989, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 12723 Comptroller of the Currency ELEVENTH District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

		Thousands of dollars
ASSETS	Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
	Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	882
	Interest-bearing balances	2,100
	Securities	7,038
	Federal funds sold	1,950
	Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
	Loans and lease financing receivables:	
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income	6,387
	LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	110
	LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	6,277
	Assets held in trading accounts	0
	Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	419
	Other real estate owned	168
	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0	
Intangible assets	0	
Other assets	306	
Total assets	19,140	
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0	
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	19,140	
LIABILITIES	Deposits:	
	In domestic offices:	
	Noninterest-bearing	2,030
	Interest-bearing	15,322
	Federal funds purchased	0
	Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
	Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
	Other borrowed money	0
	Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
	Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	0	
Other liabilities	187	
Total liabilities	17,539	
Limited-life preferred stock	0	
EQUITY CAPITAL	Perpetual preferred stock	0
	Common stock	50
	Surplus	150
	Undivided profits and capital reserves	1,401
	LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
	Total equity capital	1,601
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0	
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	1,601	
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	19,140	

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

KAY DAULONG
VICE PRESIDENT & CASHIER

Kay Daulong
Mary G. G...
Virginia B...

Directors

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kay Daulong
Signature
4-12-89
Date

Centennial Celebration Bronte Enterprise

Bronte, Texas June 14, 1957

New Water Tank Is Up Water Storage Capacity Now 85,000 Gallons

Bronte's new water tower went up last Saturday giving the city a storage capacity of 85,000 gallons.

City officials are hopeful the additional storage space will prevent a recurrence of the low water pressure which was experienced last summer by local residents.

The new tank was given to the city by the Santa Fe Railway Co. It was trucked from Mertzon over county roads to its present location, after the Department of Public Safety refused to issue a permit to move the tank along highways. Size of the tank made it a traffic hazard, the state men said.

The tank was erected by the Caldwell Construction Co. of Big Spring. Two huge cranes

were used to lift the tank up to the top of the legs which were already constructed. No great difficulty was experienced in getting the tank up. However, it was a slow tedious process and great care was exercised, Mayor Ernest Ivey said.

Additional water storage was imperative for Bronte this summer due to the fact that the re-pressuring plant in the Bronte field, west of town, is using about 40,000 gallons of water a day in their cooling towers.

City officials have been trying for months to secure cranes to lift the tank to its perch atop the huge legs. Finding a contractor who was willing to tackle the job and who was not tied down with other work was a hard job, however. The Caldwell company agreed to do the job and began work last Friday. They had the tank up and their rigs back on the road Monday.



Ms. Poe's Bronte High School Art class takes advantage of spring weather to try their hand at painting flowers. The landscaping is the work of Mrs. Taylor's "greenhouse crew".

Seventh grade students assigned to the math/science enrichment class operate a greenhouse on campus and use some of their plants and time to help beautify the campus. Their work obviously makes good art projects, too!

Students pictured from far left are Terri Childs, Jim Thomas, Michael Owen, Ray Wallace, Debra Montez, Ree Baldwin and Linda Cobb.

Phillips hosts Br. UMW

Irene Phillips was hostess to Bronte United Methodist Women when they met on April 11, 1989 in the home of Lillian Robbins. President Diane Luckett called the meeting to order and welcomed a guest, Lenora Good of Amarillo, Texas. Willie B. Edmiaston led the opening prayer. Virginia Lasswell, Secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved. Pat Martindale gave the Treasurers report. The upcoming Centennial was discussed in length. Many projects were brought up and listed as things to get done before this time. Pat Martindale was appointed as being in charge of a special fund for the Centennial Celebration. A plate committee was named to be in charge of selecting a picture of our church to be printed on the Centennial plate and also to select a plate style. Virginia Lasswell led the continuing study of South Africa "Moment of Truth". After the study, members formed a circle and a candle was lit. Just as Jesus is the light of the world, so the candle light pierces the darkness for this troubled nation. Each UMW member had a moment of silent prayer; then the leader led prayer. The group then participated in the writing of a South African Cinquain - a form of poetry.

Refreshment plates were served to the guest, Lenora Good and to these members: Sybil Henry, Diane Luckett, Dora Galloway, Joyce Bailey, Pat Martindale, Marie Arrott, Helen Kirkland, Vera Raney, Kay Robbins, Irene Phillips, Lillian Robbins, Virginia Lasswell, and Willie B. Edmiaston.

The next meeting will be in the home of Dora Galloway on April 25, 1989. Pat Martindale will lead the continuing study on South Africa.

Bike-a-thon set for April 22nd

St. Jude's Annual Bike-a-thon is set for Saturday, April 22, in Bronte, advised chairman Jody Johnson.

Sponsors donating a sum for each mile completed are enlisted by riders. Those who raise \$25 receive a St. Jude t-shirt. When \$75 is raised, the rider receives a barrel tote bag and t-shirt. Sponsor forms may be picked up at the Bronte Elementary School from Mrs. Johnson.

Riders for the Bike-a-Thon are asking Bronte citizens to pledge a contribution for each mile they ride.

"Every mile our bikers go earns money bringing us closer to a cure for cancer," said Mrs. Johnson. "Let's show that we care. Please help this cause. Your gener-

ous pledges encourage the riders, and after the event, please help the riders collect the money quickly," asked Mrs. Johnson.

The ride will start at 9 am. Riders and volunteer helpers will meet in the parking lot at the football field. "Each rider will get a lap card at registra-

tion," Mrs. Johnson explained. "Every time riders pass the checkpoints, we will initial the card. At the end of the ride, we will check and sign it to show that the rider earned what the sponsor pledged."

Riders will return to their sponsors after they have ridden in the Bike-a-Thon.

Those who wish to participate as riders may see Mrs. Johnson at school.

Contact Jody Johnson at 473-2511 or 473-4201 for details on riding or sponsoring a rider.

Bronte citizens are asked to be on the look-out for Bike-A-Thon riders Saturday morning and drive carefully!

NOTICE OF ELECTION
(Aviso de Eleccion)
COKE COUNTY UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
(Distrito de la Conservacion del agua Subterraneo del condado de Coke)

To the registered voters of Coke County:
(A los votantes registrados del condado de Coke):
Notice is hereby given that the election will be held on May 6, 1989 to elect 2 district directors.
(Noticia aqui esta dado que la eleccion sera el 6 de mayo, 1989 para elegir 2 directores del distrito).

PRECINCT (Distrito Electoral)	POLLING PLACES (Lugares Para Votar)	ELECTION OFFICERS (Oficiales de la Eleccion)
<u>3</u>	<u>Robert Lee Courthouse Robert Lee, Texas</u>	Presiding Judge (El juez presidiendo) <u>Dave King</u> Assistant Judge (El juez ayudante) <u>Conrad Millican</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>Old Railroad Bronte, Texas</u>	Presiding Judge (El juez presidiendo) <u>Lora Belle Brown</u> Assistant Judge (El juez ayudante) <u>Scott Corley</u>

Absentee voting may be done at the Coke County Clerk's Office from April 17, 1989 thru May 2, 1989. Absentee election judge will be Ettie Hubbard.
(Se puede votar por ausencia a la oficina del secretario del condado desde el 17 de abril hasta el 2 de mayo. La registrada del votar por ausencia sera Ettie Hubbard).
Issued this 7 day of March, 1989.
(Emitada este dia 7 de marzo, 1989).

J. S. Hannon
Vice-President
Signature of Presiding Officer
(Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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FOR SALE 2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, den, LR, carport, basement, and F. P. On Hillcrest in Robert Lee. For information, 512-997-8935 evenings.
 25-tnc

WHY PAY RENT? own your home - A nice 2 Bdrm. home on large corner lot can be yours for \$590 down and \$295 mo.; or a nice 3 Bdrm. home for \$790 down and \$395 mo. 453-2756.
 34-4tp

TAKE YOUR PICK....
OVER 2 ACRES, excellent location, brick, 3 bdrm, 2 bath home. Make an offer.
FRONT YARD VIEW of golf course is part of the beauty of this 3 bdrm 2 bath home. Low equity and assume \$532 payments.
ONE BLOCK FROM golf course with many extra's. 3 bdrm 2 1/2 bath home with apartment. Extremely large and in low \$40's.
\$30,000 WILL PURCHASE this 3 bdrm 2 bath home with storm cellar and carport. Call for an appointment.

LAKE PROPERTY - Bayview Estates 4 bdrm home. Call today.



Lee Associates
453-2049

Elaine Lee 453-2995

FOR SALE

FRAME HOUSE on 1/2 blk. Offers many opportunities.

EXTRA NICE 2 BR, 1 bath furnished mobile home near Spence. Many extras.

THREE BEDROOM, 2 bath, located on 3 corner lots, super large metal shop bldg., greenhouse, storage bldg., patio, beautiful yard.

COZY THREE BR, 2 bath on 2 corner lots. See extras to appreciate.

COUNTRY LIVING - 3 BR, 2 Bath, barn, on approx. 5 acres.

SEVERAL LOTS - Edith Estates

MUST SEE - large 3 BR, 2 BA family home, fireplace, stockade fence, 3 - car garage, located on 3 corner lots. Loaded with extras. Priced to sell.

EXTRA NICE 2 BR, 1 BA located lg. corner lot, near school. Priced to sell.

LARGE 3 BDRM, 2 ba house, double car garage located on large corner lot, 11 pecan trees. Offers many opportunities.

LOT ON LAKESIDE Estates near landing strip offers many improvements.

2 BEDROOM, 3 BATH, fireplace, double-wide mobile home Edith Estates. Must see to appreciate.

LARGE HOUSE ON approximately 2 lots Lakeside Estates.

ADAMS LAND & REALTY CO.
 Phone 453-2723 or 655-9429
 Elsie Adams 453-2757
 Becky Clendennen 453-4748

FOR SALE - 7 - Year - Old Miniature Horse - \$350.00 - 453-4373, or 944-3260 after 5 pm.
 36-2tc

WEST COKE COUNTY NURSING HOME Gift Shop: affordably priced gifts for Mom, Dad, weddings, birthdays, girls and boys. Open afternoons Monday through Friday, west wing of Nursing Home, Robert Lee. Coming up; Big "Second Time Around" sale by Auxiliary, Friday - Saturday, April 28-29. Cable T.V. Building downtown.
 36-2tc

FOR SALE: 2 acres, brick house, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, playroom, barn, pipe pens. 473-3811, 754-4113 after 6 p.m.
 22b-tnc

TRASH CAN RACKS - 473-2134.
 35-4tp

88 RANGER A/C, AM, FM, Tape. \$5,500. \$500 down - \$130.00 month + T., T., & L.
85 Mercury Topaz 4 door, A/C, Tape, AM, FM, \$4,125 - \$250 down \$121 month + T., T., & L. With approved credit. Drive to Bronte, save a lot. B & B Enterprises, 473-2200 anytime.
 36b-2tp

FOR SALE - SMALL 3- bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home on two corner lots, storage building. \$20,000 Sparks Burdett, Robert Lee, 453-2887.
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FOR RENT

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

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

MISC

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

ALL TYPES HOME & mobile home service and repair, including air conditioning, heating and plumbing. Also will do carpentry and painting. Loyd or Johnny Sevier, 453-2377.
 22a-tnc

YARD SERVICE - CALL J & R Yard Service 453-2720 or 453-4671, Joe and Ricky Ross. We would appreciate your business.
 36-4tc

CATHY'S CREATIONS - Custom Monogramming, Company Logos, Special Designs Available. Fast Service. Special - 3 initial monogram on shirts, \$4.00, name on cuff, \$3.00. 310 16th, Robert Lee, 453-2071.
 36-2tc

TIME TO MOW - will catch clippings, edge, run weedeater, and do light hauling. References, 453-2939.
 36-tnc

WE WOULD LIKE to buy guineas - 453-2237, Robert Lee.
 36a-2tc

WILL TAKE CARE of your yard mowing, edging, weedeater, & hauling - Call 453-2158, Robert Lee.
 36-2tc



There are about 550 hairs in the average eyebrow.

GARAGE SALES

NOTICE: BIG RUMMAGE SALE, cablevision bldg. Downtown Robert Lee. Friday, April 28, Sat. April 29. West Coke County Nursing Home Auxiliary.
 36-2tc

CARD OF THANKS

WE WOULD LIKE to thank each one for their kindness following Brooke's accident. The prayers, cards, flowers, balloons, food, and many, many phone calls showed us your concern and love. We, too, thank God for Brooke and Timmy not being seriously injured.

Sincerely,
 Bob, Linda, and Brooke Boone
 36-1tc

THANKS TO THE many friends who are praying for me, the cards, flowers and food, services rendered, during my recent illness - God bless all of you.
 West S. Thomas
 36-1tp

WE WOULD LIKE to thank all those who were so kind to us after our wreck in which Lorene was seriously injured, for the prayers, visits, cards and food.
 We sincerely appreciate our friends at a time like this. A special Thanks to the ambulance crew and to the ones who called them.
 With Christian love,
 Dock and Lorene Bennett
 36-1tp

Walker's Income Tax Service

Contact Jackie Walker
 Mt. Creek Lodge
 806 Commerce
 Robert Lee, TX
 Office Hours: 8 a.m.-3 p.m.
 By Appointment Any Hour
 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
 (915) 453-2516

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.
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NOTICES

APPLICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT REQUEST

The City of Bronte, a municipal corporation, is taking applications for a garbage collector/landfill caretaker. Applications for employment may be picked up from and turned in to the City Secretary, Bronte City Hall, Bronte, Texas. Specific job description information may be obtained from the City Secretary, Bronte City Hall, Bronte, Texas.

Applicants must furnish information regarding their driving record and agree to a driving record check with the Texas Department of Public Safety. Applicants should be in good health.

The City of Bronte is an equal opportunity employer. Applications must be turned in to the City Secretary, Bronte City Hall, Bronte, Texas, on or before 5:00 o'clock p.m., May 4, 1989.
 36b-2tc

I WOULD LIKE to announce the engagement of Michael Torres and Julie Graham. I would appreciate the rude gossip that is being spread around to STOP.
 Michael Torres
 36-1tp

TOP PRICES aluminum cans, batteries, aluminum scrap, copper, brass. Robert Lee, 1-2 pm, April 26, Junction, Hwy. 208 - 158 behind Mobil Station; Bronte, 2:30 - 3:30 pm behind Town & Country.
 36-1tp

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- * Boat Detailing
- * New Boats & Motors
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 Hwy. 158 W. - Robert Lee
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 8:30-5:30 Mon. - Fri.
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 453-2063

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NOTICES

MILLER LIQUID FEED SERVICE

Now selling my own special blend of liquid feed supplement - 32 % protein, \$185.00 per ton, delivered. James Miller, 473-7271 or 453-2063.
9a-tnc

ATTENTION: EXCELLENT income for home assembly work. Info. Call 504-646-1700 Dept. p2436.

36-2tp

NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 51st Judicial District Court of Coke County, on the 3rd day of April, 1989 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of BLACKWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. E. B. LUKE; Cause #3284 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 A.M. on the 2nd Day of May, 1989 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said Coke County, in the City of Robert Lee, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Tract I: Being all that certain .002930 Royalty Interest in the Mary L. Colvin/Sun E & P Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 701997 out of the Northeast Quarter of Section 270, Block 1-A, H & T C Ry. Co. Survey, Coke County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Royalty Deed of record in Volume 53, Page 349 of the Deed Records of Coke County, Texas, including Page 349 of Deed Records of Coke County, Texas, including all revenues and proceeds attributable to said property which have accrued and which have been taxed by Blackwell Independent School District, upon which said accrued taxes and tax sale are based.

Tract II: Being all that certain .005859 Royalty Interest in the Mary L. Colvin/Sun E & P Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 701997 out of the Northeast Quarter of Section 270, Block 1-A, H & T C Ry. Co. Survey, Coke County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Royalty Deed of record in Volume 54, Page 568 of the Deed Records of Coke County, Texas, including all revenues and proceeds attributable to said property which have accrued and which have been taxed by Blackwell Independent School District, upon which said accrued taxes and tax sale are based.

Levied on the 3rd day of April, 1989 as the property of E. B. LUKE, if living; J. G. ROBIN A/K/A J. G. ROBINS, if living; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$223.34 with interest from the 27th day of February, 1989 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of BLACKWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND

THIS 3rd day of April, 1989.

Marshall Millican
Sheriff
Coke County, Texas
34a-3tc

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE #243 GARBAGE-TRASH COLLECTION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the terms and provisions of Section 52.01, Local Government Code, that the City of Bronte has adopted an ordinance, effective June 1, 1989, regarding the collection, by the City, of garbage and trash.

The ordinance defines separately, garbage and trash, and specifies containers required by residents and the general condition of such containers. The ordinance further describes usage of disposable bags in lieu of garbage cans and the requirements regarding utilization of disposable bags in addition to or in lieu of garbage cans. The ordinance further specifies utilization of commercial containers for garbage and trash by commercial and business entities in the City of Bronte.

The specific provisions are described in the ordinance whereby the city is to designate pick up points in and about the city and further designates and specifies that the city is the only authorized agency to collect and haul garbage.

Specific charges, fees, and costs are described in the ordinance as to residential and commercial garbage collection charges and fees.

The ordinance contains specific prohibitions against burning of trash, leaves, and/or garbage in the city and specifies a fine of up to \$200 for violation of the ordinance.

A copy of the ordinance may be obtained by going by the City Hall, Bronte, Texas.

CITY OF BRONTE
J. T. Henry, Mayor
CITY SECRETARY
PAT MARTINDALE

36b-2tc

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By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 51st Judicial District Court of Coke County, on the 3rd day of April, 1989 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of BLACKWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. DALE LANE Cause #3231 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 A.M. on the 2nd Day of May, 1989 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said Coke County, in the City of Robert Lee Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all that certain leasehold interest in Campsite No. 3D, Section 304, Oak Creek Lake, Coke County, Texas, and being more fully described by that certain Camp-sight Lease Agreement of record in the City Secretary's Office in the City Hall of Sweetwater, Texas, a copy of said lease being incorporated herein by reference and ref-

erence to which is hereby made.

Levied on the 3rd day of April, 1989 as the property of DALE LANE, 1307 N. Adams Street, Odessa, Texas 79760-2707; JAMES LAYMAN (IN REM ONLY), 120 Vista Plaza, Odessa, Texas 79761; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$5,289.88 with interest from the 27th day of February, 1989 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of BLACKWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND

THIS 3rd day of April, 1989
Marshall Millican,
Sheriff,
Coke County, Texas
34a-3tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Coke County Commissioners will consider TOTAL COST BIDS for a new 1989 Track Type Loader at the next Commissioner's Court meeting May 1, 1989, at 10:00 A.M. Sealed competitive bids must be delivered to Coke County Clerk, P.O. Box 150, Robert Lee, Texas 76945, no later than 10:00 A.M. Monday May 1, 1989. Bid information and specifications are available at the County Auditor's Office in the courthouse. Bids and supporting documents should be marked TOTAL COST BIDS- 1989 Track Type Loader.

For trade in Coke County has a used 1972 International Track Loader 175 C. For further information contact Tim Millican Coke County Commissioner Precinct #3, Robert Lee, Texas.

NOTE: If bidding other than specified, please submit full descriptive literature with bid.

In compliance with House Bill #1612, 66th Legislature, regular session, the county reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The County reserves the right to waive any formalities in the bids or bidding. The County may accept any bid deemed to be advantageous.

Stover Taylor,
County Auditor
Coke County, Texas
35a-2tc

LOOK WHO'S NEW Logan Dell Rawls

Rocky and Terri Rawls of Bronte are proud parents of a baby boy born in San Angelo, Texas on April 3, 1989 at 6:52 pm.

Logan Dell arrived weighing 5 lb. 8 oz. and was 19 1/2" long.

The proud grandparents are Larry and Sue Rawls of Hamlin and Curtis and Dorothy Andrews of Georgetown.

Courtney Stephens

Mike and Kim Stephens of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are the delighted parents of their second son, Courtney Alan. He arrived March 29, weighing 7 lb. 7 oz. His brother, Timothy Michael, is 2 years old. Other relatives are his grandparents, Carlton and Leta Caston of Robert Lee and Joe and Joyce Stephens of San Marcos. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Bessie Caston of Robert Lee, Leon Davis of Roscoe, Edgar Bagwell, Robert Lee, and Mrs. Velma Stephens of Kerrville.



Hats Off To ----

by Sunnie Daze

[Editor's Note: In light of media trends to doom and gloom, the Observer/Enterprise will print, from time to time, salutes to organizations, or even individuals, who deserve recognition for the enhancement of our community.]

Hats Off to The '64 Study Club of Robert Lee, a member of TEXAS FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS, AND THE GENERAL (NATIONAL) as well, is in order!

The objects of the club are to encourage education and culture, and to cooperate in any work which may advance the welfare of the community. These aims are accomplished through volunteer services in both fund-raising and non-fund-raising activities.

If records of volunteers' hours had been kept during the 25 years of the club's existence, the number would be astounding. Through those hours of work, proceeds from projects, and cash donations, most of the aims of the club have become realities.

Cash donations, some made annually, have been given to a variety of worthy organizations, projects, and young people of the community, county, or state. A list should include West Texas Boys' Ranch, Girlstown U. S. A., WCC Emergency Medical Service, Battered Children's Home in San Angelo, Hayrick Cemetery Association, Ronald McDonald House in Houston, Robert Lee Fire Department, St. Jude's Cancer Research, WCCNH Auxiliary, Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, Alzheimer's Foundation, TFWC Clubhouse needs, Fisk-Perry Scholarship Fund, M. D. Anderson Research Projects, and San Angelo State School.

In recent years, a major project was the beautification of the east entrance of WCC Nursing home, and the starting of and contributing to a patio fund for that area. The beautiful red bud trees and a spacious patio, which utilizes afternoon shade, are enjoyed by residents and visitors alike. Club donations have also provided GUIDEPOST MAGAZINE for the home.

Other noteworthy activities of the Club include assisting with the Blood Bank and Cancer Drive each year, hosting one birthday party annually for Nursing Home residents, helping to decorate the Nursing Home at Christmas, and providing two club members as members of the Hayrick Cemetery Association of Robert Lee.

Until recent years, the Robert Lee-Silver Lions' Club hosted its annual Community Banquet and a Pancake Supper, with the club women assisting with decorations and ticket sales. Club members annually man phones at Ivey Motor's offices for collection of donations for West Texas Rehab Center and go out to homes where they are asked to come by for the donation. The group has also sponsored art and literature con-

tests in Robert Lee's school, and clean-up drives with school children. Members also host visitors to the Coke County Museum.

One job that has accumulated the most hours of volunteer work for Club Members, is their acting as hostesses at each of the four performances of OLE COKE COUNTY, Home of the Rabbit Twisters for the last ten years. In this capacity they sell tickets and souvenirs, register guests, rent chairs, and assist guests in many ways. This is an invaluable courtesy which makes the wheels of production at Pageant Time turn smoothly and pleasantly.

Salute! Hats off to THE '64 STUDY CLUB!

Essay contest

How does transportation affect our daily lives? If you can express your answer well in writing, and you are a junior or senior in high school, you can win a cash award.

To celebrate its 75th anniversary, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) is sponsoring an essay contest. The writer of the top national essay will win \$1,000 and a trip to Atlanta, GA, in October, as the guest of the association's annual conference. Two national runners-up will receive \$750 awards.

"We're kicking off the competition in Texas through local contests coordinated by our highway districts," said Raymond Stotzer, engineer-director of the highway department in Austin. "Each district will select two winners from local high schools who will compete for the state awards."

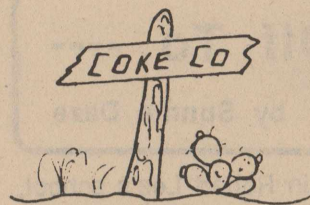
Stotzer said the writer of the first-place essay from Texas will win \$500, donated by the Texas Good Roads/Transportation Association. The group will also honor two state runners-up with \$250 awards.

Contest rules specify that essays by 600 to 1,000 words. Dependents of AASHTO employees and other AASHTO officials, and relatives of contest judges, are not eligible.

"Our local high school students are invited to participate within their schools," said Walter McCulloch, district engineer in San Angelo. "We are coordinating with school officials to provide contest rules and guidelines."

McCulloch said essays will be judged on how well they communicate the importance of transportation in America. The deadline for selection of winners from each high school is mid-May, he said. A district winner will be selected from the school winners by June 1 and then compete at the state level.

"We're excited about the opportunity this gives students to explore the role transportation has played in our nation," said Stotzer. "In everything from economic growth to recreation, transportation is a significant part of our daily lives."



COUNTRY AGENTS
NEWS

by Tommy Antilley
Coke County Agent

Gardening season is just around the corner, and with it the need for early preparation against insect pests that are sure to be around.

First, gardeners should inspect insecticides left over from last year to determine if they are still good. Product age and storage conditions must be considered.

If properly stored, most products should have at least a two-year shelf life once they begin to be used.

Dusts sometimes have a tendency to absorb moisture if the bag is not sealed tightly after each use; they should not be used if lumpy.

Place bags containing insecticides in a clear, polyethylene bag and seal it with a rubber band to keep moisture out.

If dusts are two years old or older and there is any doubt about their storage, dispose of them according to label directions and buy new insecticide.

Although liquid materials are

Windy tourney placings listed

Dedicated golfers turned out to challenge the wind last Saturday, April 8, and to compete in the 18 hole, 3 person Select Shot Tournament held in Bronte. There were seven-teen teams entered.

Lonnie Taylor, Betty Baker and Joe Ramirez won the Championship Flight with a 62. A close 63 won second, shot by Jerry McCutchen, Keith McCutchen and J. W. Caudle. Third, again following closely, was won by Wayne Coalson, Bill Blair and Sue Caudle with a 64.

The First Flight was a battle, with a card playoff, 68 was shot. First place went to Jim Smith, Elaine Smith and George Dijulia, second to John Heck, Buckles Sparks, and Jackie Walker, and third place to Jim Morrow, Mary Morrow and Jack Thomason.

The Second Flight was won with a 71, again with a battling card playoff. First place went to Richard Hembree, Wade Stautzenberger and Leon McFarlin. Second went to Kenneth Cambell, Katy Cambell, and Donnie Belew. Third place was won with a 73, shot by Mack Baker, Gwen Baker, and Ealy Baker.

Wayne Coalson won the men's longest drive, Elaine Smith won the women's longest drive. The winner of the men's closest to pin was Jim Smith, Brenda Tidwell won the women's.

not as likely to absorb moisture, storage is still important. Caps should be resealed tightly on the product after each use. Do not use liquids which are cloudy or milky in color or which have sediments on the bottom of the container.

Do not store pesticides on a shelf in front of a window, especially if the window gets strong afternoon sun.

Do not store liquids in an area subjected to extreme temperature fluctuations. Extremes from summer to winter temperatures may not hurt the active ingredients in the insecticide, but it may damage the ability of the product to mix properly in water.

If liquid materials are at least two years old and have not been stored properly, monitor vegetables closely after spraying to determine if the pesticides are controlling insects.

Finally, know exactly what is being sprayed on plants and the amount. Don't jeopardize plants by spraying first and then checking for possible plant damage.

LAKE SPENCE FISHING NEWS

Paint Creek Marina

Dickie Payne, Odessa, 1 Black Bass 5 1/2 lbs.
Butch Callaway, San Angelo, 4 Blue Catfish up to 4 lbs.
Don Grant, Odessa, 3 Stripers from 3 lb. to 10 1/4 lbs.
Jarred, Seth and Leroy Proi, Lamesa, 3 Crappie, 1 Black Bass 2 lbs.

John Wurstor, Bobby Blair, David Hastings, 5 Black Bass 2 1/4 lb. to 3 3/4 lbs.
Kelly Blackerly, Coleman, 1 Black Bass 8 lb. 6 oz.

Wildcat Fish-A-Rama

Mary Lynn Pardey, Midland, 1 Black Bass 6 lb. 10 oz.
Bill Emerson, Big Spring, 1 Striper 11 1/4 lbs.
Freeman Bell, Midland, 1 Striper 9 lbs.
Dub & Delores Mashburn, Abilene, 2 Stripers 10 lb. & 15 1/2 lbs. & some white bass.
Willy Logsdon, Midland, 1 Black Bass 4 lb. 3 oz.

Hillside Marine

Randy Flanagan, Wade Maxey, Odessa, 1 Striper 8 1/2 lb (Randy) 1 Striper 10 lb. (Wade).
Eddie Essery, Snyder, 4-11-89 - 5 Stripers up to 21 lbs. 4-15-89 - 1 Striper 27 1/4 lbs.
Shea Shirley, San Angelo, 1 Striper, 11 1/2 lbs.
Eddie Essery, Snyder, 4-14-89 1 Striper 27 1/4 lbs.

-- Letter to the Editor --

Dear Editor:

Once again, the support from the Robert Lee area for the Girl Scout program has been overwhelming! We have just finished our 1989 cookie sale, and once again the community has helped us supersede our goal. Now, even more opportunities will be offered to girls!

Girl Scouting is the largest organization in this country for women. It represents a world of opportunity and a vast array of experience for each person involved. It's young women making choices. It's girls growing-up--learning to be leaders as they enter the 21st century. It's little girls learning

the importance of developing values and a sense of self-worth as they interact with their peers. Cookies help make these opportunities happen.

All proceeds from the Girl Scout cookies sold in our area stay in our area. Our Council uses the money to purchase equipment, maintain camp, and provide camperships and special program opportunities for our girls.

Individual Girl Scout troops keep a certain portion of the proceeds and decide themselves how to spend the money they have earned. The money will be spent on

activities ranging from community service projects to visiting the Ramses exhibit in Dallas.

For Girl Scouts, the cookie sale is a very special learning experience. Participating in the sale teaches girls about business and how to meet the public. It builds their self-confidence. On behalf of the West Texas Girl Scout Council, I thank you--the community, who continually supports the Girl Scout program and makes it successful. You make Girl Scouting what it is today!

Sincerely,
Nancy Henderson
Executive Director,
West Texas Girl Scout Council

We don't always realize how much we depend on electricity until we're faced with an outage!

"A power outage can occasionally occur during turbulent weather. When it does, WTU will take the proper steps to assure your power is restored as quickly as possible."

When you have an outage, here's what you should do, CHECK WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS to see how widespread the outage is. If your house is the only one affected, CHECK YOUR BREAKER BOX. If the trouble is not on your side of the meter, CALL YOUR LOCAL WTU OFFICE with the following information: your name, address, the time of outage and the area affected, if known. Your assistance will help WTU to quickly restore the electricity you depend upon.

WE INVITE YOU TO BE WITH US FOR WORSHIP AND STUDY AT ALL THESE SERVICES

Sundays: 10 am & 6 pm- Wednesdays: 7:30 pm

Northside Church of Christ

Tommy Williams, Minister

453-2270 or 453-2619

Chadbourne & 9th

Robert Lee, Tx.

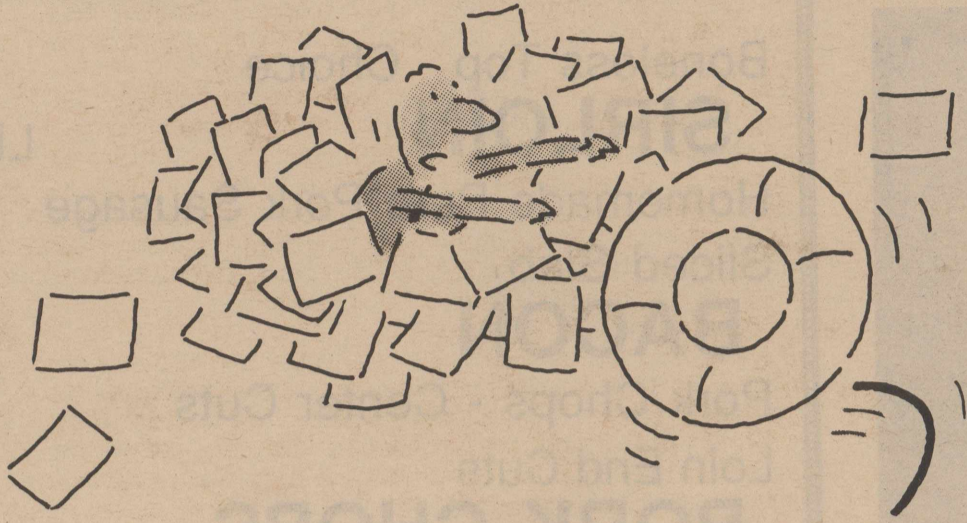
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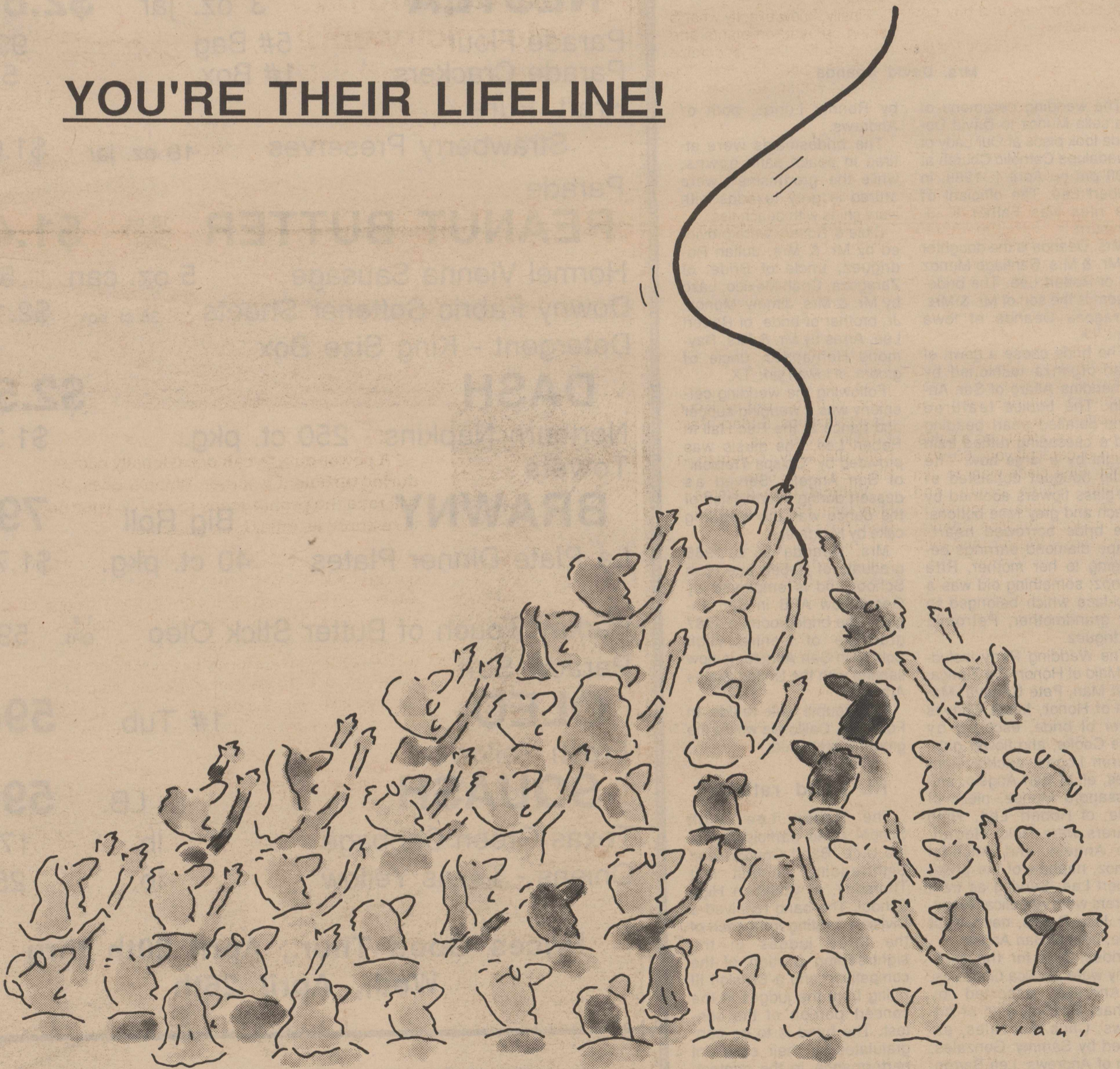
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Munoz, Deanda wed in RL



Mrs. David Deanda

The wedding ceremony of Marcella Munoz to David Deanda took place at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church at 2:00 pm on April 1, 1989, in Robert Lee. The officiant of the rites was Father K. J. Heyburn.

Mrs. Deanda is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Santiago Munoz Sr. of Robert Lee. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Saragoza Deanda of Iowa Park, TX.

The bride chose a gown of pearl organza fashioned by Armendina Alfaro of San Angelo. The bodice featured hand-detailed pearl beading and a cascading ruffled train caught by a large bow. The bridal bouquet consisted of cut-glass flowers adorned by peach and grey rose buttons. The bride borrowed heart-shape diamond earrings belonging to her mother, Rita Munoz; something old was a necklace which belonged to her grandmother, Petronila Rodriguez.

The Wedding Party included Maid of Honor; Pat Zuniga, Best Man, Pete Canava, Matron of Honor, Maria Chaves sister of bride, escorted by Mike Cooke, and flower girls: Lauren Lopez, Jackie Gonzales, all of San Angelo, and Cassandra Munoz, niece of bride, of Robert Lee. Ring Bearers were Heidi Hogan, San Angelo and Michael Munoz, nephew of the bride, Robert Lee. Serving as train bearers were Angelica Nunez, and Jose Reyes, nephew of bride, both of San Angelo.

Bridesmaids for the ceremony were Jessica Gonzales, of Andrews, escorted by Michael Saldivar also of Andrews; Chris Gonzales, escorted by Sammy Gonzales, both of Andrews; Lea Barron, escorted by Ernest Ruiz; Lily Ibarra, escorted by David Ahnendarez, all of San Angelo; and Prissy Lopez, escorted

by Ronnie Lopez, both of Andrews.

The bridesmaids were attired in peach satin gowns, while the groomsmen were attired in grey tuxedos with ivory shirts with peach ties.

Bible & Rosary were provided by Mr. & Mrs. Julian Rodriguez, uncle of Bride, of Zaragoza, Coah Mexico; Lazo by Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Munoz, Jr, brother of bride, of Robert Lee; Arras by Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Hernandez, uncle of groom, of Iowa Park, TX.

Following the wedding ceremony was a wedding supper and dance at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee. The music was provided by "Chispa Tropical" of San Angelo. Served as dessert during intermission of the dance was the wedding cake by Margaret.

Mrs. Deanda is a 1986 graduate of Robert Lee High School and is employed by Goodfellow AFB in San Angelo. The bridegroom, a 1987 graduate of Central High School in San Angelo, is now serving with the United States Army.

The couple will reside in Fort Irwin, California where the groom is stationed.

RL band ratings

The Robert Lee High School Band participated in the U.I.L. Band Concert and Sightreading contest last Thursday, at Coleman High School. The band received a Division II rating from each of the three judges in the sightreading portion of the competition and a Division III rating from the judges in the concert portion of the contest. The band is to be congratulated for their excellent performance in the contest. Each of the band members exhibited hard work and dedication during the band rehearsals.



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