

# THE OBSERVER/ ENTERPRISE

Serving Coke County



(USPS 467-480)  
(ISSN 8750-197X)

Vol. 103, No. 25

Friday, January 31, 1992

## Bronte Chamber slates new awards

Lifetime Achievement Awards are to be presented for the first time at the fourth Annual Chamber of Commerce banquet February 29 in the Bronte Community Center.

Sometimes awards are presented to just one honoree when in real life and everyday living many deserving people are left out or overlooked. With your help we'd like to rectify this in a small way and present certificates of "Lifetime Achievement" to special people over the ages

of 55 years.

Name your nomination on a sheet of paper and in your own words write why you think he or she deserves public recognition as an outstanding citizen. A person can be recognized for their leadership abilities, participation in organizations and clubs, or for serving the Community and citizens through their jobs, businesses or by volunteering, etc. Why wait to give tributes about a person, let them know now how much they are ap-

preciated.

Then come to the banquet on Saturday night at 7 o'clock to be entertained and applaud the honorees.

Mail your nominations to Bronte Area Chamber of Commerce, Box 516, Bronte, Texas 76933, or bring by the City Hall. Nominations must be received by February 15, 1992.

## Man collapses at local restaurant

An elderly man collapsed at the Cracker Barrel Restaurant in Robert Lee on Monday, January 20, and died shortly after reaching a San Angelo hospital.

West Coke County EMS responded immediately to the local call and found Melvin Mapes, 86, in cardiac arrest. Emergency personnel administered CPR enroute to Concho Valley Regional Hospital in San Angelo.

Mr. Mapes had lived in Winters since 1910, but had recently resided at Baptist Memorial High Rise in San Angelo. A former Runnels County Commissioner, he retired in 1972.

Funeral services were held January 23 in First United Methodist Church in Winters, followed by burial in Fairview Cemetery.



Coke County Judge Royce Lee is pictured with the Current Silver Haired Legislator for the area, Leo Kilmer, and past Silver Haired Legislator, Margaret Martin.

## Gun Club to host shoot

Red Canyon Gun Club will hold a smallbore hunter pistol silhouette match on Sunday, February 2, 1:30 pm, at the Range near the city dump. NRA Rules will apply. Course of fire will be 10 Chickens at 40 yards, 10 Pigs at 50 yards, 10 Turkeys at 75 yards, 10 Rams at 100 yards. Any small bore Rimfire 22 LR Pistol (no bolt action), scope or open sights allowed. The matches will also have a 4 1/2 pound maximum weight limit. Shooters must purchase a NRA Classification book, good for all of 1992 for \$8.00. Entry fee will be \$5.00.

Shooters will compete in their class. New shooters will be classified according to the score they shoot at the match. New shooters are urged to come out and enjoy the fun.

For information, call Richard Johnson at 915-453-2711 day or 453-2031 night.

## Gospel Singing

The Bronte Community Gospel Singing will be held on Sunday, February 2 from 2-4 pm at the Central Baptist Church.

The public is invited and refreshments will be served.

## Vaughn honored with BBQ



Bobby Joe Vaughn

Bobby Joe Vaughn became a Coke County retiree at the end of 1991 after 33 years of continuous employment. Vaughn was honored last Friday with a barbecue meal served at noon in the Precinct 2 county barn with family members and other county employees attending.

Bobby Vaughn was "only looking for temporary employment while waiting for his

drilling rig to start up again." This was in December, 1958 and he has served the county for 33 years, eight of those years as Commissioner of Precinct 2. With seven other county retirees and about 30 guests looking on, Commissioner Billy Joe Lockett presented Vaughn with an engraved plaque in appreciation for his many years of service to the people in the county.

A lifetime resident of Coke County, Bobby and his wife, Marlene, live on the Arrott ranch located about eight miles south of Bronte. They have three children and four grandchildren: James Lynn and Janell Vaughn and children, Teresa and Russell; Jolene Barrett and daughters, Joni and Brittany, all of Bronte; and Bruce and Marty Vaughn of Roswell, New Mexico.

## UPCOMING

### WCCCD Meeting

West Coke County Community Development will meet in general session on Monday evening, February 3 in the county courtroom at 7 pm. Meetings are kept short for the convenience of members, who are urged to attend and help plan future projects.

### ASCS Meeting

The ASCS will hold a farm meeting on February 6, 1992 at 7:00 pm in the Coke County Courthouse (Courtroom). This is a very important meeting as discussion will center on all provisions of the New Disaster Program. At the same time, the 1992 Farm Crop Program will be covered and any questions concerning ACP, LTA's or Pay Limits.

This is your opportunity to participate and ask questions.

### Roping Club

A Coke County Roping Club meeting has been set for Saturday, February 1st, 2:00 pm at the arena in Bronte. Purpose of the meeting is to determine if there is enough interest to re-establish the Coke County Roping Club.

### Valentine Dance

The WCCCD will sponsor a Valentine Dance at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee Saturday, February 15, from 8 pm until midnight. Diamondback will play for the dance. Band members include Kyle Long, vocals and rhythm guitar; Tommy Fort, drums; Billy Hawkins, keyboard; Jimmy

Cleveland, lead guitar; and Randy McCool, bass guitar. Several of the band members sing, also. The group is playing quite a number of dates in the area.

Tickets will be available at the door and no children under 12 will be admitted.

### Commodities

Food commodities will be distributed on Thursday, February 6, at the Bronte and Robert Lee Senior Citizens Buildings beginning at 8 am and continuing until 12 noon.

All commodities are distributed on a first come - first serve basis. Everyone is requested to bring a grocery bag.

## Kilmer speaks at Center

Leo Kilmer of Rochelle, currently serving as Silver Haired Legislator of the Northern District of Concho Valley Area Agency on Aging that includes Coke County, was guest speaker at the regular Pot Luck Luncheon of Bronte Senior Center held last Thursday.

Mr. Kilmer gave a short synopsis about the Silver Haired

Legislature and their past accomplishments in Austin since its beginning in 1986.

Dominoes were played beginning at 8 am followed by Mr. Kilmer's program at 11 am.

A delicious pot luck lunch was served at noon to 38 persons in attendance.

The group meet regularly once monthly on the fourth Thursday on each month.



**THE OBSERVER/ENTERPRISE**

Published Weekly Except Christmas  
707 Austin (915) 453-2433

(USPS 467-480) (ISSN 8750-197X)  
Second Class Postage paid at Robert Lee, TX.

**POSTMASTER: Please send address changes to Observer/Enterprise PO Box 1329, Robert Lee, TX 76945.**

**STAFF**

Hal Spain, Publisher Joan Davis Melinda McCutchen  
Sharon Brunson Jo Nell Blair Margaret Martin

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

Per Year in Coke County.....\$12.00  
Per Year Elsewhere in Texas.....\$13.00  
Per Year Outside of Texas.....\$15.00

**TFB Week proclaimed**

County Judge Royce Lee has signed a proclamation designating February 3-7, 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 of Bronte, president of the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau.

Bobby Roberts of Robert Lee is chairman of the membership committee which is responsible for membership acquisition and maintenance. Other committee members are John Stephens of Robert Lee, Jeff Copeland of Sterling City, and Alonzo Robbins of Bronte.

"The Texas Farm Bureau, with more than 296,000 member families, is influential in both state and national affairs on behalf of agriculture," the proclamation reads.

"Farm Bureau is a grass-roots organization. Its foundation is the county unit. There are 211 organized county Farm Bureaus in the state including the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau," the proclamation

**EC EMS Donations and Memorials**

**Donations:**  
Bronte Methodist Women  
Central Baptist WMA  
Chester Wilson

**Memorials:**  
**Bob Fields**  
Joe Ed & Wilma Scott  
**C.E. Arrott**

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Fancher  
Jerry and Sug Lawhon  
**T.F. Sims**

Ray and Brenda Barrett  
Royce and Betty Lee  
Hurlin and Eula Verne Lee  
Jimmy and Linda Badgett  
Mr. and Mrs. Squirrel Williams  
Mrs. Joe W. Arledge, Jr. and family

Bruce and Fran Sonnenberg  
**R.S. "Mac" McCullah**  
Bruce and Fran Sonnenberg  
**King Barker**

Jerry and Sug Lawhon  
**Nete McGee**  
Jerry and Sug Lawhon

**Personal**

Coke County Commissioner Billy Joe Luckett underwent angioplasty surgery at Shannon Medical Center on Tuesday. According to a family spokesman, he was in satisfactory condition at presstime Wednesday.

states.

Robert M. Brown said the local county Farm Bureau has 722 member families and is seeking to exceed that figure in 1992.

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

**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Editor:

On behalf of West Texas Rehabilitation Center Board of Directors, staff and patients, I want to express our heartfelt gratitude to Coke County supporters for making the Rehab '92 Telethon a successful fund-raising event.

A special "thank you" is extended to Leta Caston, 'Study Club members, volunteer workers and Ivey Motor Company for coordinating the Robert Lee phone bank effort which generated \$3,783. Thanks also to Bronte Senior Citizens for donating their handmade shamrock quilt and to Bronte students and participants in Rehab's "Rock-a-Thon." A note of appreciation also goes to those who made advance Telethon gifts in support of the Rehab Center.

These contributions -- along with your memorial gifts, donations to Cattlemen's Round-Up, etc. -- make it possible for the Center to provide top quality care for handicapped children and adults regardless of their financial circumstances.

Your support has made a difference in the Telethon's success, and more importantly, in the lives of several thousand handicapped individuals -- and for this we are grateful.

Sincerely,  
Bill Snowden  
WTRC President

**Shelburne**

Wilma Jean (Key) Shelburne, 76, died in Houston, Texas, January 25, 1992, after an extended illness. Funeral services were held at the Main Street Church of Christ in South Houston, Texas, Monday, January 27, at 2:00 pm, and at the Northside Church of Christ in Robert Lee, Tuesday, January 28, at 2:00 pm. Funeral arrangements were handled by Colonial Funeral Home of Pasadena, Texas, and by Shaffer Funeral Home of Robert Lee. Interment was in Paint Creek Cemetery at Edith.

Wilma (Bill) Shelburne was born August 15, 1915, in Coke County, Texas, and grew up in Robert Lee and vicinity. She was the daughter of the late D.P. and Jessie Key. She was a long-time member of the Lord's Body, having been baptized into Christ at about the age of 15. She graduated from Robert Lee High School in 1932 and was married to G.B. Shelburne, Jr. June 12, 1934. They have lived at Abilene, San Angelo, Corpus Christi, Kerrville, Amarillo, and Houston where G.B. has served as a minister.

Mrs. Shelburne is survived by her husband; four sons, G.B. III (and his wife Helen Ruth) of South Houston; Gene (and his wife Anita) of Amarillo; Curtis (and his wife Juana) of Muleshoe, and Jim (and his wife Holly) of Amarillo; one daughter, Ruth Ann Reamer of Houston; one brother, David Key (and his wife Alene) of Robert Lee; one niece and 6 nephews; twelve grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be made to South Houston Bible Institute.

**Boynton**

Funeral services were held at the First United Methodist Church in Azle Saturday, January 25, for Mrs. Irene Boynton. Interment followed in Azleland Memorial Park.

Mrs. Boynton, 71, of Azle died January 23 in an Azle hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born September 30, 1920 in New Hampshire although most of her life was spent in Texas where she raised her family.

Mrs. Boynton lived her life in a positive, upbeat manner and managed her long illness with the same attitude. She was a retired school teacher and was active in the affairs of her church.

Her survivors include her husband, Robert, of the home; four daughters, Tricia

**OBITUARIES**

Ballew of Robert Lee, Sondra Hoffman of Arlington, Mary Jean Hassell, and Annette Mason, both of Ft. Worth; three sons, Jimmy Boynton of Austin, Luke Mason of Ft. Worth, and Wesley Mason of Azle; and five grandchildren.

**Wrinkle**

Kory Don Wrinkle, infant son of Kerry and Connie Wrinkle of Crowell, died in a Childress hospital January 23, 1992. Services were held in Childress January 24, officiated by the Rev. Donny Crump. Burial followed in the Childress Cemetery.

Survivors include his parents; two brothers, Grady and Cody Spencer of Crowell; his grandparents, Therman and Jean Gray of Timberon, New Mexico, Phelan Wrinkle, and Bob Wrinkle, both of Robert Lee; and a number of aunts, uncles, and cousins.

**Young**

L.E. (Mutt) Young Sr., 74, of Tahoka, father of Mrs. Joe (Glenda) Draper of Bronte, died Sunday morning, January 19, at his residence after a sudden illness.

He was born in Bolivar and moved to Lynn County in 1934 from Crosby County. He attended Gordon, New Lynn and Tahoka schools. He married Mary Helen Dobbins on February 7, 1942 in Brownwood.

He was a US Army veteran of World War II, a member of the American Legion, and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6721. He was a retired farmer and since 1970 had owned and operated L.E. and M.H. Specialty Company. He was a Methodist.

One daughter, Vickie Jean, preceded him in death in 1967.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Helen Young of Tahoka; two sons, Lowen Eldon Young Jr. of Wilson and Alan Mac Young of Roundrock; two daughters, Glenda Lynette Draper of Bronte and Jamie Lee Boyd of Lubbock; his mother, Lillian Young of Slaton; three sisters, Lillie Elise (Sue) Baker of Slaton, Juanita Kendricks of Pearland and Charlotte Stice of Lubbock;

seven grandchildren; and a brother-in-law, M.L. Dobbins of Winters.

Services were held Tuesday, January 21, at First United Methodist Church in Tahoka with the Rev. Max Browning, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Plainview, officiating. Rev. Marvin Gregory, pastor of Tahoka First United Methodist Church and Terry Newton, Church of Christ minister of Slaton, assisted. Burial was in the Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

**Auxiliary sets award luncheon**

The West Coke County Auxiliary will meet Monday, February 3, in the recreation center of the home for the yearly awards luncheon, with each member bringing a salad. Award pins and bars will be given according to the number of hours each has served.

Any person interested in serving as a member of the Auxiliary and/or wanting to learn more about the activities of the organization, is invited to attend the luncheon. Interested persons are always welcome to attend any regular monthly meeting on the first Monday each month, September through May. The organization does not meet during June, July and August.

The luncheon will be at 12:30 pm to set up tables, with the meal starting at 1:00 pm. Regular monthly meetings are at 1:30 pm in the Recreation Area.

The Auxiliary got off to a good start at the first meeting of the year, January 6. Plans were made for some projects for the year. The next fund raiser will be the regular pre-Easter bake sale.

**CORRECTION:**

In the Sims-Grugle wedding story, which appeared in the January 24, 1992 Observer/Enterprise, a line was inadvertently omitted. We apologize to Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Sawyer of Robert Lee, grandparents of the bride, for the omission of their names.

**GLENN-BIVINS INSURANCE**



Come See Us For  
**AUTO HOUSE LIFE HEALTH**

123 W. Main Bronte 473-6791

**WALKER'S**

**INCOME TAX SERVICE**  
802 Commerce - Robert Lee

**Jackie Walker** PHONE - 453-2516  
15 Yr. Experience - 11 in RL

FORM	1040 EZ	\$ 8.00
	1040 A	\$10.00
	1040	\$10.00 & Up

Office Hours Mon. thru Fri.



is back in the  
**RO - H<sub>2</sub>O**

business - come see us:  
**just 10c per gallon**





Hayrick Masonic Lodge members pick up trash on their 2 mile responsibility just south of Robert Lee on Highway 208 last Saturday.

## Hayrick Masons sponsor clean-up

by Jeffie Roberts

Hayrick Masonic Lodge members, Bobby Roberts, John Jacobs, Bobby Blaylock, Kevin Roe, Donny Robertson, O.B. Jacobs, and Bob Large picked up trash on their 2 miles of adopted Highway 208 south, Saturday morning, January 25, 1992.

The same day in the afternoon the Hayrick Lodge

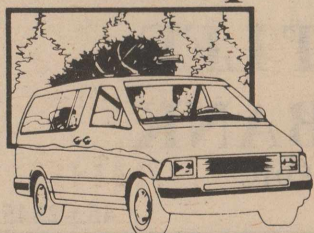
### Screening set for February

The Texas Department of Health will be holding Well Child Screening Clinics monthly, beginning Thursday, February 6, 1992. The clinics will be held at the Robert Lee Community Center. Babies and children under 5 are eligible, including Medicaid Eligible, EPSDT screening will also be available for the evaluation of your child's physical, mental, social development; vision and hearing; plus lab testing, Immunizations, counseling, and referrals available through the TDH screening programs. The screening nurse will make referrals as needed. For appointments call TDH-San Angelo, Linda McGuire, RN, at (915) 944-9545.

### Pee Wee roundball teams sought

The Blackland/Divide Hoopsters are inviting teams from area 1A schools to participate in the upcoming '92 pee-wee basketball program. Any individual wanting to get a team together is urged to call Becca Frierson at 766-3741, Marla Muncy or Terry Danby to get signed up or get more information. The games are played in Roscoe and last year there were 110 participants from Roscoe, Highland and Blackwell. The game season will be March - April. Age divisions are 3-4 and 5th and 6th grade boys and girls. Anyone interested in refereeing for this season needs to contact one of the above.

### Buckle Up



Cemetery Association held a work session at the Robert Lee Cemetery. Masonic members working were Roberts, Blaylock, Large, O.B. and John Jacobs, Robertson, and Wayland Drennan. A few local citizens worked also. Jesse Eads was a big help with his tractor and loader. Many graves were filled in by these men.

The Hayrick Masonic Lodge serves only as the Trustee of the land on which the Robert Lee Cemetery is located. This land was deeded to the Lodge in 1892 for the purpose of burying Masons, their families, and friends.

The deed states that Hayrick Masonic Lodge No. 696 will serve as trustee of the land but the Lodge cannot bear the expense of the upkeep. The Hayrick Lodge was deeded the 11.7 acre tract for \$1 on September 29, 1892. The cemetery was eventually

named Robert Lee Cemetery.

Therefore, many years ago The Hayrick Cemetery Association was formed, comprised of 2 members from each Civic Organization in Robert Lee and any interested citizen who might request being a member of the association. This association could ask for donations to help with the upkeep. There should be at least one member of the Hayrick Masonic Lodge #696 on the executive board of the association.

The association, as a separate organization from the Lodge mails out donation letters each year and will accept contributions anytime. Jackie Walker is treasurer; Tim Millican is President.

Volunteer labor is a necessity. A work day will be called once a quarter. Saturday, January 25, 1992, was the first of these work sessions.

©1991 Merle Norman Cosmetics

Nothing makes a woman feel better than a lovely bouquet of flowers.



Melt away in a steaming tub of Floral Lace Milk Bath. Feel refreshed and silky with Floral Lace Bath Oil Soap. For wonderfully drenched skin, there's Floral Lace Body Lotion. A little Floral Lace Body Powder will sprinkle a delightful flowery scent all over. And to keep your clothes and accessories fresh, there's the Floral Lace Sachet. So pamper yourself with Floral Lace products tonight.

Because flowers can make a woman feel special. Even if she buys them herself.

**MERLE NORMAN**  
COSMETIC STUDIOS  
We know how beautiful you can be.

Remember Valentine's Day  
February 14th

711 Austin - Robert Lee  
(915) 453 - 2415

FOOD LIMIT  
STAMPS RIGHTS  
WELCOME IGA RESERVED

501 Commerce - Robert Lee, TX

Store Hrs: Mon-Sat 8-8 Sun. 8-6

SPECIALS GOOD 1/29 THRU 2/04



Lb. .39



Pork Steak

Lb. 1.19



Washington State D'Anjou Pears  
California Sunkist Navel Oranges

10 FOR \$1



Rainbow Coffee  
11.5 oz. Brick

.79

IGA Orange Juice

12 oz. Can

.79



Coca Cola or 7-Up

6 Pack/12 oz. Cans

1.49



2 LTR. .79



# ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

## Robert Lee roundball results listed

The Robert Lee High School basketball teams traveled to Garden City, Tuesday, January 14 and came home victorious.

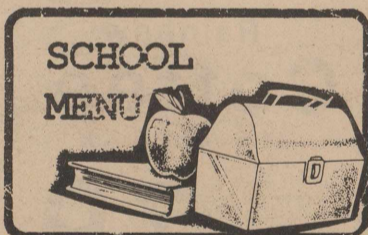
The JV girls kicked off the action defeating the Garden City JV team 30-15. Elaine Gibbs was high pointer with 12, she was closely followed by Kim Carver with 10. Others scoring in the win were Rachel Pentecost with 5 and Wendy McPeek with 3.

The JV boys were also winners, rolling over Garden City JV 31-14. Judd Pitcock was high point man with 10. Lee McCown put 8 on the board, Jason Dickey 4, Dean Burns 3. B.J. Winter, Bart Goodman and Anthony Wink contributed 2 each to the score.

The Lady Steers squeaked by Garden City 47-45. Lori Wink was top scorer with an impressive 17. Audra Pitcock and Gina Putman put 9 each on the board, Shelbi Grim 8, Shelley Burrows 3 and Joni Waggonner 1. The Ladies now have an overall record of 11-7 and stand 1-1 in district play.

The Steers made it a perfect night for the Robert Lee teams defeating the Bearcats 37-33. High point man for the Steers was Joe Blair with 12. John Williams had 8 for the night, Michael Hayes 6, Danny Jackson 5, Todd Scott 4 and Russ Horn 2. The win brought the season record for the Steers to 16-2 and they are undefeated in district.

The Bronte Longhorns



### RL SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, Feb. 3

Corn Dogs w/mustard  
Baked Beans  
Tator Tots w/catsup  
Cinnamon Rolls  
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 4

Lasagna  
Lettuce/Tomato Salad  
English Peas  
Hot Rolls-Butter  
Pineapple Tidbits  
Milk

Wednesday, Feb. 5

Smoked Sausage  
Pinto Beans  
Spinach  
Cornbread-Butter  
Peach Cobbler  
Milk

Thursday, Feb. 6

Pizza  
Lettuce/Tomato Salad  
Corn  
Cake Squares  
Milk

Friday, Feb. 7

Sloppy Joes  
Tator Tots w/catsup  
Pickle Slices  
Fresh Fruit  
Milk

came to Robert Lee Thursday, January 16 to face the Steers in district play.

The Robert Lee JV girls defeated Bronte JV 39-26. Elaine Gibbs scored 13 for high point honor, Wendy McPeek had 11 points, Rachel Pentecost 8 and Kim Carver 7.

The Lady Steers fell to the Bronte Varsity girls in a close game with a final score of 46-40. Lori Wink was top scorer with 18, Shelbi Grim had 8, Audra Pitcock 6, Traci Blair 4, Carlene Bewick and Gina Putman 2 each.

The JV boys were more successful in their endeavor defeating the Bronte JV 42-17. B.J. Winter topped the scoring with 13, Judd Pitcock had 9 points, Bart Goodman 6, Rick Lott 4, Dean Burns 3, Jason Dickey, Jeremy Fluhmann, Lee McCown each contributed 2 and Anthony Wink 1.

The Steers narrowly defeated the Longhorns 41-37. High point man was Joe Blair with 15. John Williams scored 12 points, Todd Scott 5, Danny Jackson 4, Russ Horn 3 and John Fluhmann 2.

The Robert Lee High School "A" and "B" teams traveled to Irion County Tuesday, January 21 and came home with a clean sweep.

The "JV" girls started the ball rolling, defeating Irion Co. "JV" 34-26. Kim Carver scored 14, Rachel Pentecost 8, Elaine Gibbs 7, and Wendy McPeek 5.

The "JV" boys followed defeating Irion Co. 52-25. Judd Pitcock and Lee McCown shared high point honor scoring 12 each. Jason Dickey, Dean Burns, and Anthony Wink each scored 6, Bart Goodman put up 4, B.J. Winter 4, and Rickey Lott 2.

The Ladies kept the winning on track, coming out on top in their game against Irion Co. 54-39. Lori Wink was high

### Metcalf named to Who's Who

Rachel Metcalf, a senior kinesiology major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Metcalf of Robert Lee, is among 53 students from Angelo State University whose names will appear in the 1991-1992 list of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

A campus committee and editors of the annual directory selects the students on the basis of their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Students from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states and several foreign countries have been selected to appear in the volume. Outstanding students have been honored in the annual directory since its first publication in 1934.

scorer with 14. Gina Putman scored 11, Shelbi Grim 10, Shelley Burrows 8, Audra Pitcock 5, Carlene Bewick 2, Jonie Waggonner 2, and Krista Green 2.

The Steers ended the night, making it a clean sweep for Robert Lee, defeating the Hornets 76-56. High point man was John Williams with 23. Michael Hayes put 16 on the board, Danny Jackson 13, Todd Scott 8, Joe Blair 10, Russ Horn 4 and John Fluhmann 2.

The Robert Lee High School basketball teams traveled to Water Valley Friday, January 24 and the boys suffered their first district defeat and the Ladies added one in the win column.

The girls were in good form and defeated Water Valley 47-40. Lori Wink was high scorer with 13. Jonie Waggonner scored 8, Shelbi Grim 7, Gina Putman 7, Carlene Bewick 6, Shelley Burrows 4 and Audra Pitcock 2.

The Steers lost a close one to the Wildcats 62-69. Danny Jackson was high point man with 21. Joe Blair put 19 on the board, John Williams 8, Michael Hayes 6, Todd Scott 6, and Russ Horn 2.

### Personal

Relatives and friends were in Robert Lee Friday, January 17, to honor and attend last rites for Alley J. Bilbo. Guests in the home of Alta Bilbo, were Alta Bell and Lamar Kay of Alpine, Jamie and Bob Boren of Robert Lee, Jo Ann and Jarvis Littlefield of Grove, Oklahoma, Janet and Joe Rathmell of Mertzon, Jan and Bobby Hungate and Kara of Waco, Mark Kay of Fritch, Kathy and Joe Alexander, Miranda, Jamie Jo, and Joe Bob of Kenedy, Bebo Boren of Lubbock, John R. Boren and Jill Donelson of Snyder, Jerry Littlefield, Jim Littlefield, Shannon Littlefield, Rick and Alicia Littlefield, Lynda and Tony Caudill and Katie, all of Grove, Oklahoma, Sandy Evans of Grand Prairie, Steve and Mary Evans, Lance and Allen of Water Valley, Bill and Janet Havins, Gretchen, Melody, Zachary and Will of Austin, Rebecca and Mike Levesque of San Angelo, Kathryn and Robert McGuire of Robert Lee, Otho J. Bilbo of Hobbs, New Mexico, Sarah Billberry of Portales, New Mexico, James and Norma Creighton of Tucumcari, New Mexico, Bennie Helen and Carl Rusk of Robert Lee, Robbie Turner, Marjorie and Arch Lewis, and Gwendolyn Scherz, all of San Angelo, Bill and Mary Denman of Baird, Charlotte and Bob Prickett of Dallas, John H. and Elsie Boren of Snyder, Ava Lou Davis of Robert Lee, B.J. Carnes of Bangs, James Levesque of San Angelo, Ralph and Mamie Rathmell and Doris Shank, all of Mertzon.

## RLJH posts b-ball scores

The Robert Lee Jr. High basketball teams played Miles here Monday, January 20 and all teams were impressive in their games.

The "B" boys won their game against Miles "B" team 21-4. Jerrod Pitcock scored 5, Donny Edging 4, Jerrod Copeland 3, Starsky Oleksiuk, Michael Pentecost, Denny Bohannon and Jason Tavarez put up 2 each and Daryl Calder 1.

The Jr. High girls was also successful, defeating Miles 45-17. Jaclyn Waldrop was high pointer with 20. Shalon Waldrop had 8 points in the win, Amanda Sanders 6, Heather Millican 4, Patricia Minjarez 2, Maranda Wojtek 2, Jennifer Scott 2 and Cynthia Abalos 1.

The Dogies made it a perfect night for the Jr. High teams coming out on top of Miles 47-17. Eric Hood topped off the scoring with 17, Aaron Hood scored 16 points, Eric Torres 6, Jason Key 4 and Daniel Hayes 4.

The Robert Lee Jr. High

basketball teams hosted the Sterling City Jr. High teams here, Monday, January 27.

The girls "B" teams started the action with the Robert Lee girls falling to Sterling City 6-11. Rachel Shook, Kannan Millican and Elaine Gregston each scored 2.

The boys "B" teams played next and Robert Lee was defeated 11-19. Michael Pentecost was high pointer with 3, Jerrod Copeland scored 2, Fred Wojtek 2, Daryl Calder 2 and Jerrod Pitcock 2.

The "A" girls team lost a heart-breaker in overtime to Sterling City. The final score was Robert Lee 18, Sterling City 20. Heather Millican, Amanda Sanders, and Shalon Waldrop shared high point honor with 4 each. They were followed by Patricia Minjarez with 2, Maranda Wojtek 2, and Jaclyn Waldrop 2.

The Dogies fared better in their match coming out on top of Sterling City 36-27. Aaron Hood was high point man with 15, Jason Key put up 13, Daniel Hayes 5, Eric Hood 2, and Eric Torres 1.

## ASU honor students told

Area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Honor Roll for the Fall Semester at the University.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include; Ericka M. Clendennen, a Medical Technology Major, Angela A. Minjarez, a Nursing Major, Lori Mae Renfroe, a Journalism Major, Kimberly Rhea Hood, an Elementary Education Major, Rachel Metcalf, a

Health and Physical Ed Major, and Joel Shane Herring, a History Major.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 Honor Roll include Janet Lee Pentecost, a Government Major, Karen Smith, a Biology Major, Celeste Service, an Elementary Education Major, Cynthia Juanice Bessent, an Elementary Education Major, and Callie Lee Bewick, a Communication Major.

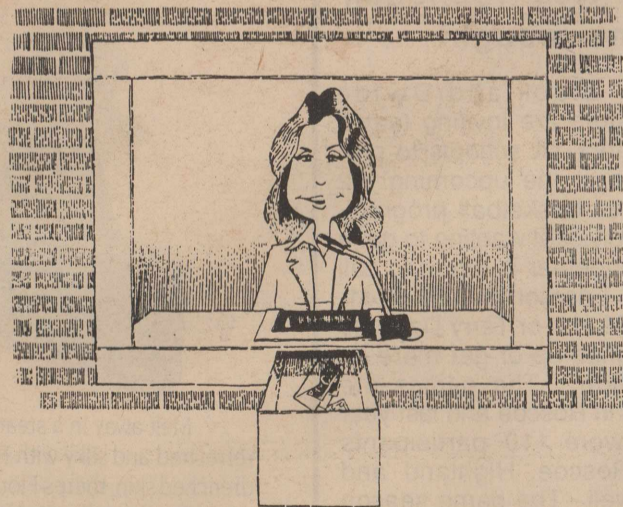
### WINK INSURANCE AGENCY



Home\*Auto  
Life\*Health\*Commercial

715 Austin - 453-4551

### Stop by and meet our quick change artist.



We are happy to announce our new drive-through facilities are complete and open for your convenience.

#### Please note:

Our Night Deposit Box has been relocated to the drive-through.

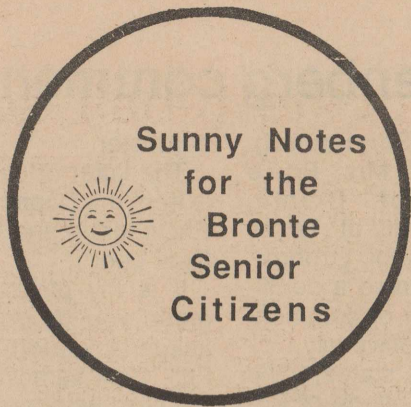
## ROBERT LEE STATE BANK

Member FDIC

Robert Lee

453-2545





**Sunny Notes  
for the  
Bronte  
Senior  
Citizens**

**Commodities -- Blood Pressure Screening**

Commodities will be distributed on Thursday, February 6th from 8 am to 1 pm at the Bronte Senior Center. Ballinger Home Health will also be here to take your blood pressure at no cost to you. They will be at the Center from 8 am to 9 am. You do not have to receive commodities to have this service done.

If you have not yet signed up for commodities for this new year, you may come to the Center before Thursday.

**Texas Wildflower Tour -- Saturday, April 4**

Plans are being made for a one day tour to the sprawling Texas countryside. "Spring comes ever so subtly to the Texas Hill Country. One day the pastures and woodlands are slumbering in winter's dull grey-brown cloak. Then, almost overnight, fields and meadows magically burst forth in a kaleidoscope of colors as shrubs, wildflowers and trees salute the arrival of another glorious Texas spring." These words come from Sunset Bus Lines who will provide the transportation and all the extras for this one day tour. The cost is \$65. Call the Bronte Senior Center at 473-6471 if you would like more information. You do not need to be a regular member at the

Center to be included in this trip, so come on and roll down the highway with us.

**TUPPERWARE PARTY - Saturday, February 1**

A Tupperware Party will be held at the Bronte Senior Center from 2 to 4 pm. Refreshments and door prizes will be available. Tupperware has a beautiful new line of products so come see them and enjoy the fellowship. The Center is the hostess so the Center will receive the hostess gifts.

**MEALS FOR THE WEEK Monday, Feb. 3**

- Fried Chicken
- Mashed Potatoes
- Carrots
- Hot Roll
- Chocolate Chip Cookies

**Wednesday, Feb. 5**

- Oven Baked Chicken
- Mashed Potatoes w/cheese
- Broccoli
- Cottage Cheese
- Hot Roll

**Friday, Feb. 7**

- Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
- Spinach
- Tossed Salad
- Garlic Toast
- Banana Pudding

These programs are funded in part by the Area Agency on Aging, Concho Valley Council of Governments, through grants from the Texas Department on Aging.

**SS rules assist homeless**

People who provide volunteer services for homeless persons should be aware of a number of special Social Security rules designed to help homeless people qualify for benefits under Social Security programs, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo, said today. "As winter approaches, it becomes even more important that we reach those people who might be eligible for benefits that could help pay for food, warm clothing and shelter," Upp said.

Some homeless people qualify for retirement, disability, and survivors benefits under Social Security. Others may be eligible under the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program, which makes monthly payments to people 65 and older, or blind, or with disabilities. Administered by Social Security, both programs pay benefits to people who suffer a physical or mental disability that is expected to prevent them from working a year or more or to result in death.

"If you know any homeless people you think should apply for help from Social Security, you should have them come to the nearest Social Security Office," Upp said. "We can take an application and see that they get any help they may qualify for."

Social Security will also

send representatives to shelters and other places where homeless people gather to take applications for benefits. If the homeless person qualifies, his or her checks could be sent to the shelter or some other place they designate. Also, an emergency advance payment may be made to persons in need based on the strong likelihood that they will qualify for SSI payments.

Individuals living in a public shelter for the homeless may be eligible for up to 6 months of SSI benefits in any 9 month period. This is an exception to the general rule that SSI payments are not made to recipients living in public institutions and is designed to help homeless persons plan for more permanent arrangements.

An interested person may serve as a representative payee for a homeless person unable to handle his or her affairs, Upp said. Representatives are required to see that the payments are used to meet the basic needs of the recipient for food, shelter, clothing, and medical attention. They are also required to periodically account for their use of the funds.

"People who want more information on how to help the homeless should contact the nearest Social Security Office," Upp said.

**Donaldson named to Dean's List**

Jason Heath Donaldson, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Mrs. Jerry Proctor, all of Bronte, was named to the Dean's List at Western Texas College in Snyder for the fall semester. Students must have carried at least 15 semester hours and earned a grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. Jason carried 20 semester hours and earned a 3.7 GPA and is earning a certificate in golf course management. Jason is the grandson of Mrs. J.C. Luttrell and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kyle A. Donaldson, all of Sonora.

**Heart disease cure in the offing**

A non-surgical cure for life threatening irregular heartbeats may be on the horizon, thanks to a computerized cardiac mapping system being developed at The DeBaKey Heart Center.

The 1,000-channel system will replace a 128-channel system developed earlier at the heart center and should be ready for testing in humans in early 1992, according to Dr. Antonio Pacifico, assistant professor of medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Computerized cardiac mapping is used to pinpoint areas of the heart where electrical disturbances affecting the beating rhythm originate. When the irregular beating, called arrhythmia, is severe, it can cause sudden cardiac death.

The new system will provide scientists with a more powerful tool to study ventricular tachycardia, a type of life-threatening arrhythmia involving the heart's pumping chambers. Knowledge gained from that study should lead to a non-surgical cure.

"Increased understanding of the cause and effects of tachycardia will eventually enable us to treat patients using a catheter threaded into the heart through a vein," Pacifico said. "The new catheter will make it possible to identify the origin of the problem and to cure it with either microwave or laser energy."

Now, the mapping is done by slipping an electrode-studded sock over the heart during surgery. The computer map shows the problem areas and the surgeon destroys them with a laser or by freezing the tissue.

The new system will improve the surgeon's accuracy in identifying the source of the irregular heartbeats, decrease the patient's time on a heart-lung machine and in the operating room, and allow better understanding of the tachycardia's mechanism, Pacifico said.

The promise of a non-surgical therapy also offers hope for improved lifestyles for patients whose irregular heart rhythms are not cured surgically, he added.

"Ignorance doesn't kill you, but it makes you sweat a lot."

HAITAN PROVERB



Birthday honorees for January were: Josie Sims, Irene Phillips, Leona Spivey and Vlosta Millsap. The party was sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club on the 17th. Herman Miller and Zada Denman furnished entertainment.

**Davis Grocery & Meat**

North Hwy 208 - Robert Lee - 453-2488

**YOUR FULL LINE GROCERY STORE**

**We Have R.O. Water & Ice**

CHICKEN OF THE SEA

**TUNA**  **.59**

PARADE HOMO or LOFAT

**MILK**  Gallon **\$1.79**

ASST'D. FLAVORS KRAFT

**DRESSING** 8 oz. **.99**

SANTITAS TORTILLA

**CHIPS** Bag **.99**

KRAFT'S QUART

**MIRACLE WHIP**  **1.99**

NABISCO PREMIUM

**CRACKERS** Box **.99**

FRESH

**AVOCADOS** 3/\$1

**POTATOES** 10# Bag **.89**

CUT TO YOUR ORDER TURKEY

**HAM**  Lb. **\$1.99**

THICK SLICE SLAB

**BACON**  Lb. **\$1.29**

FRESH GROUND

**BEEF**  Lb. **\$1.39**

FRESH

**CHORIZO** Lb. **\$1.79**

**"Check Our In-Store Specials and Deli"**

**Specials good**

**1-30-92 thru 2-5-92**

**WE HAVE BAR-B-QUE BEANS - POTATO SALAD**



# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

## Longhorns post basketball results

The Longhorns played Water Valley Tuesday, January 14, and walked away with a win.

The JV boys started off the action with a narrow loss to the Water Valley JV, losing 22-29. Courtney Shaffer scored 8, followed by John Johnson with 6 points, John Lewis 3, Chris Ehl 3, and Brandon Tinney 2.

The Horns were more successful in their attempt against the Wildcats outscoring their opponent 46-40. Gary Bilbrey was high point man with 11 points, 8 rebounds, and 5 steals. Also scoring were Jacob Golson with had 7 points

and 3 steals; Brent Taylor 7 points; Jason Cooper 6 points, 10 assists, 5 rebounds and 3 steals; Justin Stensby 6 points; Shayne Crumpler 5 points, 5 rebounds and 4 assists; and Jay Parker scored 4 points.

The Longhorns traveled to Robert Lee Thursday, January 16, and lost a close scoring game to the Steers.

The JV team faced Robert Lee's JV and were defeated 42-17. Scoring for Bronte were John Lewis with 7, Terry Queen 7 and John Johnson 3.

The Varsity game was an exciting one with a close score, but the final buzzer saw Robert Lee on top with 41 to Bronte's 37. Gary Bilbrey had 10 points for the Horns with 15 rebounds. He was followed by Brent Taylor with 8 points, Jason Cooper with 6 points, 4 assists, 3 steals; Jay Parker had 5 points; Justin Stensby 4 points; Shayne Crumpler 2 points, 7 rebounds, and 3 steals; and Jacob Golson scored 2.

The Horns' overall record now stands at 9-9 with a 1-2 district record.

The Longhorns continued with their winning ways defeating Irion County 70-64. This win brought their overall record for the year to 11-9 and their district record now stands at 3-2.

Gary Bilbrey was high scorer with 22 points and 10 rebounds. Others adding points to the board were; Shayne Crumpler with 13 points, 12 rebounds; Brent Taylor 11 points, 10 rebounds; Jason Cooper 9 points, 13 assists; Jacob Golson 8 points, 5 rebounds; Justin Stensby 4 points, 6 rebounds, and Jay Parker 2 points, 6 rebounds.

The Bronte Longhorns defeated the Sterling City Ea-

### Lady Horns split games with SC

Last week the Lady Longhorns won a game and lost a game to move their season record to 13-6.

The Lady Longhorns lost to Sterling City by a 69 to 48 score. Amie Parker led the team in scoring with 18 points, Jami Morrow 13 points, Darla Scott 8 points, Teresa Vaughn 6 points and Alisa Richards 3 points.

The Lady Longhorns closed the week out with a 64-33 win over Irion County. Darla Scott led the scoring with 15 points, Teresa Vaughn 14 points, Amie Parker 9 points, Jami Morrow 6 points, Jill Johnson 6 points, Jennifer McCorkle 6 points, Alisa Richards 4 points, Vanessa Halstead 2 points and Misty Mackey 2 points.

The Lady Longhorns district record stands at 4-1.

gles 59-46 in a game last week. Justin Stensby scored 15 points and was credited with 6 rebounds in the win. Gary Bilbrey scored 12 points, and had 7 rebounds with 4 assists. Others scoring in the game were, Brent Taylor with 10 points, 5 rebounds; Jason Cooper 7 points, 10 assists, 3 steals, Jacob Golson 6 points, 5 rebounds; Shayne Crumpler 5 points, 3 steals; Jay Parker 4 points.

### Taylor inducted into AC NHS

Misti LaSean Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stover Taylor of Bronte, was one of 44 fall inductees into Abilene Christian University's chapter of Alpha Chi National Honor Society, said club sponsor Dr. James R. Nichols.

Alpha Chi Membership is open to students from any major who have attained junior or senior status and a cumulative grade point average of 3.7 on a 4.0 scale. The national organization was founded in 1922 and has more than 270 chapters on campuses across the country.

ACU is a private liberal arts university with an enrollment of approximately 4,000 students. The university offers degrees in more than 80 fields through its five colleges, Graduate School and School of Nursing.

### Locals named to ASU Honor Roll

Area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Honor Roll for the Fall Semester at the University.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 Honor Roll include Christina S. Meffert, a Business Major, Sherie Denise Wilkinson, a Special Education Major; all from Blackwell, Karen A. Sefcik, a Nursing Major, Kimberly Denise Sims, a Mathematics Major, James S. Powers, a Kinesiology Major, Kevin Shane Kelton, an Animal Science Major, and Donna Gayle Duke, an Elementary Education Major all from Bronte.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 Honor Roll include Benjamin LeRoy Smith, a Pre-Medicine Major from Blackwell, and Julie Ruth Blair, and Undecided Major from Bronte.

"Some people march to a different drummer - and some people polka."  
UNKNOWN

**PARKER PLUMBING**  
Residential-Commercial  
All Types Plumbing Repair

- \*New Construction
- \*Remodeling
- \*Fixtures
- \*Sewer Service



Licensed Master Plumber

473-2131 Bronte

## Sonnenberg commended

Bruce Lee Sonnenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sonnenberg of Bronte, freshman student at Texas Tech University of Lubbock has been presented a certificate and a letter of commendation from the University.

The certificate states, "The Faculty of the College of Engineering Texas Tech University takes pleasure in presenting this certificate for Bruce Lee Sonnenberg for Scholastic Achievement qualifying for the Dean's Honor List. This recognition is accorded to those students, only, who have attained a grade point average of 3.5 or better during the past

semester.

The letter of commendation is from the Department of Civil Engineering and Reads: Dear Lee:

It is my pleasure to commend you on your excellent academic performance for the Fall, 1991 semester. I realize the hard work and late nights that went into this achievement, and also, commend you on your willingness to put forth the effort to achieve at this level.

Best wishes for continued success as you continue your pursuit of excellence.

Sincerely yours,  
Warren K. Wray Ph.D., P.E.  
Professor and Chairman

## DPS sports new laser

The Texas Department of Public Safety soon will be using a hand-held laser speed detector in its traffic law enforcement efforts, DPS Director Col. James Wilson said Friday.

"These laser devices cannot be picked up by conventional radar detectors," Wilson said. "Call it Stealth speed enforcement. We think it will have a significant impact on our efforts to slow down Texas drivers. And it is well documented that excessive speed leads to traffic injuries and deaths."

The laser, which weighs four pounds and is similar in appearance to hand-held radar units commonly used by law enforcement, was donated to the DPS by GEICO Insurance Co. The device transmits a narrow beam of infrared light instead of the microwave beam used by traditional radar units.

"We'll be using this high-tech piece of equipment at various locations across the

state," Wilson said. "We are delighted to have one, and down the road, we may eventually get more. The only thing holding us back is money: The guns cost about \$3,700 each."

Several state and local police agencies across the nation have experimented with the use of laser speed guns and have been pleased with the result, Wilson said.

### Blair presents Cactus program

The Cactus League met Monday, January 13th in the Bronte Nursing Home. Pauline Blair instructed the club on how to take blood pressure. After the program, a baby shower was given for Emily Fiveash, daughter of Doug and Karen Fiveash. Those attending included Alisa Webb, Deana Reed, Sondra Prine, Pam Stokes, Cynthia Turner, Melissa Burns, and Shalon Gibbs.



### BRONTE SCHOOL MENU

- Breakfast**  
**Monday, Feb. 3**  
Cereal  
Pears  
Toast  
Milk
- Tuesday, Feb. 4**  
Scrambled Eggs  
Mixed Fruit  
Toast  
Milk
- Wednesday, Feb. 5**  
Sausage  
Orange Juice  
Pancake  
Milk
- Thursday, Feb. 6**  
Oatmeal  
Raisin Cup  
Cinnamon Toast  
Milk
- Friday, Feb. 7**  
Cereal  
Peaches  
Toast  
Milk
- Lunch**  
**Monday, Feb. 3**  
Chicken Fried Steak w/gravy  
Creamed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Rolls  
Milk
- Tuesday, Feb. 4**  
Burritos  
Pinto Beans  
Tossed Salad  
Jello w/whip topping  
Milk
- Wednesday, Feb. 5**  
Hot Dogs w/ chili & cheese  
Tator Tots  
Ranch Style Beans  
Bun  
Diced Peaches  
Milk
- Thursday, Feb. 6**  
Stew  
Cheese Sticks  
Carrot Sticks  
Mixed Vegetables  
Corn Bread or Crackers  
Pink Panther Cake  
Milk
- Friday, Feb. 7**  
Hamburger  
Lettuce & Tomato  
French Fries  
Pork & Beans  
Bun  
Banana Pudding  
Milk

**S&S Printing & Supply**  
See us for W-2 and 1099 IRS  
Carbonless forms.  
207 S. Washington 473-2020 Bronte

## Celebrating Our 10th Anniversary

Every Joni-Lyn Item on Sale  
New Spring Line  
and Basic Clothing  
**10% Off**

Assorted Blouses,  
Skirts and Jackets  
**1/2 Price**

Specially Marked Racks  
**Buy One Get One Free**

Sale ends February 29, 1992

**Joni-Lyn Sportswear**

121 N. State Hwy 277 Bronte, Texas



# Blackwell CISD Honor Rolls posted

## "A" Honor Roll

### 1st Grade

Jared Airhart  
A.J. Monroe  
Chris Morgan  
Colby Rideout  
Lindy Wilson

### 2nd Grade

Cody Blair  
Mindy Boyd  
Jennifer Cooper

### 3rd Grade

Katy Driver  
Steven Hayes  
Ashley Ragland  
Ricky Wilson

### 4th Grade

Jennifer Boyd  
Lindsey Hamilton  
Leman Saunders

### 5th Grade

Kristen Harvell  
Jimmy Holland

### 6th Grade

Elizabeth Camarillo  
Kallie Lisso  
Jimmy Loveday

### 9th Grade

Jacob Blair  
Danyelle Rideout  
Todd Smith  
Kelly Wilcox  
Cody Wilkinson

### 10th Grade

Cyndi Carlton  
Misty Loveday  
Roseann Yarbrough

### 11th Grade

Christy Williams

### 12th Grade

Tricia Allen

Jody Bell

Traci Hindman

## "A-B" Honor Roll

### 1st Grade

Kelly Bearden  
Darin Burwick  
Brandye McCarty  
Melissa Pate

### 2nd Grade

Daniel Sanchez  
Will Blaine  
T.J. Holland  
Cayla Henderson

### 3rd Grade

Mark Jones  
Kammie Lisso  
Maria Mendez  
Codi Jean Monsey

### 3rd Grade

Tara Sarratt  
Ben Blaine  
Gayne Cantrell  
Matthew Jones

### 3rd Grade

Clint Morgan  
LaTosha Roland  
Viola Sims  
Luis Solis

### 4th Grade

Pascual Solis  
Shannon Van Vleck  
Leticia Camarillo  
Stephanie Cantrell

### 5th Grade

Adam Wilkinson  
Chayne Roland  
Rosalia Sanchez

### 6th Grade

Mauricio Chavez  
William Crowley  
Chris Haas  
Robert Harendt  
Shawn Roberson

Joanie Ussey

## 7th Grade

Chrissy Allen  
Brandon Boyd  
Nathan Hayes  
Lucia Saaverdra  
Judith Taylor

## 8th Grade

Joe Blackburn  
Sonia Chavez  
Kristy Loveday  
Mariana Solis

## 9th Grade

Joy Ehl  
Bea Jay Hejl  
Kim Jeter  
Jason Murphy

## 10th Grade

Carrie Parsons  
Trinity Tankersley  
Karen Taylor  
Prentice Westbrook

## 10th Grade

Kelli Hindman  
Robert Parsons  
Tracy Smedley  
Buck Taylor

## 11th Grade

Letichia Turner  
Stepheny Baucom  
James Egger  
Royce Jennings

## 12th Grade

Joey O'Malley  
Chris Escobar  
Larry Kenney  
Heather Mulanax  
Jason Shipp

# Clendennen named to post

Gregory A. Doherty and Rebecca L. Clendennen have joined the staff of Angelo State University as pre-enrollment advisors beginning with the 1992 spring semester.

Both Doherty and Clendennen are graduates of ASU and will be advising prospective students about programs and activities at ASU.

A native of Robert Lee where she was valedictorian of her high school graduating class, Clendennen was a Carr Academic Scholarship recipient at ASU and was a member of the freshmen and financial/management honor societies. She participated in a German business student exchange program while at ASU, traveling to Germany with business students for seminars on the German economics system.

Prior to joining the staff at ASU, she was employed as an accountant for Texas Trust Savings Bank in Horseshoe Bay, Texas. Prospective ASU students are encouraged to call Doherty and Clendennen about programs and financial aid offerings at ASU at 915-942-2117.



Rebecca L. Clendennen

# WTU files lawsuit

West Texas Utilities Company today filed a lawsuit in Travis County to protect rights to property taxes it will pay to the state's new county education districts (CEDs). WTU said it will pay \$9.8 million in taxes, including \$4 million to CEDs, by the January 31 deadline.

"The lawsuit is not being filed to deny necessary funds to the school districts, but to protect the rights of the company and its customers if the tax is declared unconstitutional," said Billy Kelly, area

## LOOK WHO'S NEW Amelia N. Herring Amanda S. Herring

Brittani, 4, and Christian, who is 2, are delighted to announce the arrival of their twin sisters on Sunday, January 26, in Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo. Amelia Nicole was born at 7:07 am and weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces while Amanda Slade arrived 3 minutes later, at 7:10 am, and weighed 6 pounds 6 ounces. Jim and Missy Herring of Robert Lee are the children's parents.

Their grandparents are Kay Taylor, George and Mary Grim, Jerry Herring, all of Robert Lee, and Marie Stoll of Seattle, Washington.

Mrs. Martha Havins of Robert Lee, Eugene Grim of Hartford, Arkansas, Mrs. Joyce Franklin, and Mrs. Ann Herring, both of San Angelo, are their great-grandparents.

## Bronte Rainfall

Rainfall measurement in Bronte has been 1 1/2 inches since Sunday morning according to Bill Thomas in Bronte.

manager. "Property taxes are an expense that goes into the cost of the product or service for any business and eventually are paid by customers."

"Because payments made without filing this suit would be considered voluntary payments by the Texas courts we have been forced to file a protective suit to reduce the risk of paying double taxes. We realize that the schools need the funds. That's why we do not want to withhold the taxes pending a court decision," said Billy Kelly, area manager. WTU joined a number of other Texas companies in the action.

Cases now are pending before the Texas Supreme Court, raising questions about the legality of the Texas school property tax law passed in 1991.

The new law groups school districts into county education districts (CEDs) in an attempt to ensure a more equitable distribution of school taxes. Property owners must pay 1991 school taxes to both the previously existing school districts and the new CED's, with the majority of the taxes allocated among the CEDs.

The constitutionality of the new law has been widely questioned, and the Texas Supreme Court is expected to decide the issue in early February. If the court decides that the county education districts are unconstitutional, tax payments already made to those districts may be considered "voluntary" and not subject to refund or credit. If the court rules that the tax is constitutional Billy Kelly (area manager) said WTU will drop its lawsuit.

WTU serves 178,000 customers in 52 counties throughout West Texas.

## REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK of BRONTE  
Name of Bank City  
in the state of TEXAS, at the close of business on DECEMBER 31, 19 91  
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	620
	Interest-bearing balances	400
	Securities	11,010
	Federal funds sold	726
	Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
	Loans and lease financing receivables:	
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income	5,851
	LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	169
	LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	5,682
	Assets held in trading accounts	0
	Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	389
	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	330	
Total assets	19,325	
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	0	
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	19,325	
LIABILITIES	Deposits:	
	In domestic offices:	
	Noninterest-bearing	1,922
	Interest-bearing	15,254
	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
Subordinated notes and debentures	0	
Other liabilities	195	
Total liabilities	17,371	
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0	
EQUITY CAPITAL	Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
	Common stock	50
	Surplus	150
	Undivided profits and capital reserves	1,754
	LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
	Total equity capital	1,954
	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)	1,954	
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	19,325	

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.

*Virginia J. Boecking*  
*Kathy ...*  
*...*  
Directors

I, IOLENE BARRETT  
Name  
ASST. CASHIER  
Title

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.

*Iolene Barrett - Asst. Cashier*  
Signature  
JANUARY 27, 1992  
Date



## Spence Fishin'



Water temperature - 50 degrees.

### Paint Creek Marina

Don Blair, Robert Lee, TX, 14 1/2 pound Striper, Trolling with a Mann's 20 t.

David Royce, Midland, TX, 11 3/4 pound Striper, Shiners, Mid-lake.

Bill Barfield, Robert Lee, TX, 26 pound 8 ounce Striper, Trolling with a Bomber Deep Diver.

J.R. Hill, Claude, TX, 9 pound Striper, Live Bait.

Judy Johnson, San Angelo, TX, 20 pound 2 ounce Striper, Hellbender.

W.E. Barfield, Sweetwater, TX, 21 pound 2 ounce Striper, Trolling.

Carol Kurth, Big Spring, TX, 11 pound 4 ounce and 5 pound Stripers, Live Bait.

Rick Landers, Chris Kennedy and Millon Pool, Amarillo, TX, 9 Stripers from 7 1/4 pounds to 15 pounds.

### Paint Creek Marina

Roger Chittum, Abilene, Texas, 11 3/4 pound Striper, Live Bait

Daniel Justis, Odessa, Texas, 20 pound 8 ounce Striper, Trolling with a Jig and worm.

Pete Penderson, Tex Boles, Paul Lane, San Angelo, Texas, 15 Stripers, 6 3/4 pound to 15 1/2 pounds; 150

pounds total.

Norman Jensen, San Angelo, Texas, 30 pound 4 ounce Striper, Trolling.

Don Blair, Robert Lee, Texas, 14 pound, 10 ounce Striper, trolling.

Paul Lane, San Angelo, Texas, 9 pound, 10 1/2 pound and 11 1/2 pound Stripers.

Troy Tucker and Tony Anstultz, Midland, Texas 11 1/2 pound and 9 1/2 pound Stripers.

Dan Wells, Midland, Texas, 15 pound Striper, trolling.

Dan, Scott, Brian, Midland, Texas, 6 pounds, 11 1/4 pounds and 7 3/4 pound Stripers.

Clay Kemper, Lamesa, Texas, 15 pound Striper, trolling.

Don Blair, Robert Lee, Texas 12 3/4 pound and 10 pound 6 ounce Stripers, trolling.

### Wildcat Marina

Don Daniel and Randy Payne, Floydada, Texas, 18 pound, 6 pound 9 ounce and 2 pound Stripers on Live Shiners.

Bob Redman, Midland, Texas 12 pound Striper, trolling.

Dustin Stovall, Age 10, Midland, Texas, 7 pound Striper.

Conner Uwing, Age 9, Midland, Texas, 3 1/2 pound Striper.

## Calderon, Wilkes exchange vows

Leticia Calderon and Jeff Wilkes were united in marriage on January 10, 1992, by Joan Davis. Leticia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Calderon of Mesquite and Jeff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wilkes of Silver. Jeff and Leticia will be making their home in Robert Lee.



Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wilkes

### Increase noted in SS benefits

The New Year has brought a 3.7 percent increase for Social Security beneficiaries, says US Senator Phil Gramm.

"That brings the new maximum monthly payment to a worker who retired at age 65 to \$1088," the senator said.

Gramm also noted that Social Security recipients "may now earn more than ever" before becoming subject to the earnings limit. "Social Security beneficiaries younger than 65 may earn as much as \$7,440 a year before the so-called earnings test is applied," he said. "And retirees aged 65 to 69 can now earn up to \$10,200 a year."

The changes affects a rule which reduces Social Security payments to those who earn more than the limit.

"These changes are good news for working retirees, but I am committed to totally eliminating the earnings test and allowing every Social Security beneficiary to earn as much as possible without incurring a cut in benefits," Gramm said.

## Far East is dance theme

Senior citizens will be whisked away to an adventure in the Far East when the San Angelo Recreation Department presents "An Evening in the Orient," a special winter dance, from 7-10 pm February 11 in the San Angelo Convention Center.

Tickets to the dance, which is for senior adults ages 55 and up, are available at Nathan's downtown, Sloper Jewelry in Park 2400, and at the Central Recreation Cen-

ter, 200 S. Magdalen. Groups of 10 may reserve a table by calling the recreation center at 657-4484. Those reserved tickets must be picked up and paid for no later than February 7. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Gene Smith and the Angelo Big Band will provide the musical entertainment for the event as participants dance against a backdrop of oriental pagodas, gardens, fountains, and dancing lions.

## WCC EMS obtaining maps

A recent project of the West Coke County EMS has been to obtain maps of the rural areas in the west part of the county. Residents of different areas have been working hard to map their areas showing not only roads, but residences and names of people residing there. If you are concerned that your name and residence might not be included, contact Cookie Burns at 453-4311. We are striving for the shortest response time possible for the citizens in our outlying areas as well as in town. Also a reminder that, if possible, turn on your porch light. It helps us locate your home.

The EMS service is off to a busy new year. In addition to our regular duties, a monthly class will be held. These classes will be skills practices and continuing education hours. Any certified person interested in CE hours are invited to attend. Susan Casey is our most recent EMT to certify. Susan has served as both a driver and an ECA for the service in the past year.

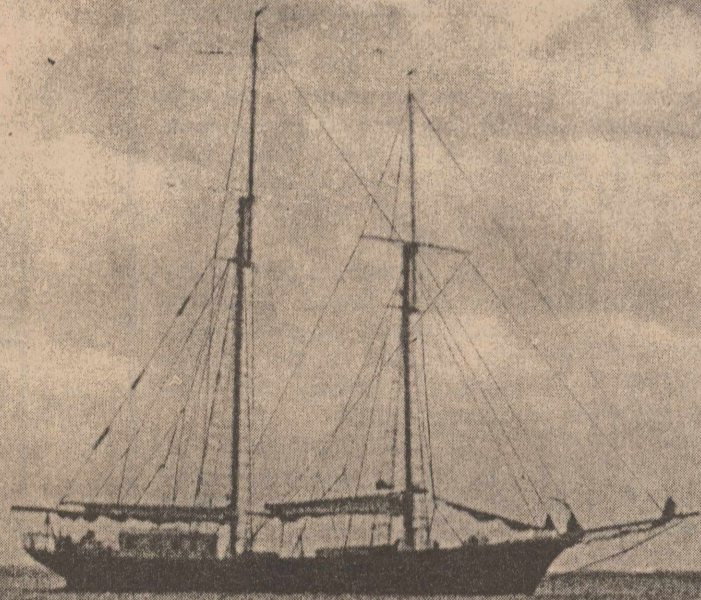
The new officers for the year are: President - Mary Bessent, Vice-President - Leroy Casey, Secretary - Brenda Skinner, Liaison to the board - Joan Burns, Representatives to the board - Jackie Walker and Judy Williams. Judy Williams is also Co-ordinator for the system.

In addition to the members of the EMS organization, there are many people that are essential parts of the emergency chain of survival. The personnel at the nursing home who dispatch both the ambulances and fire department are unsung heroes. We acknowledge and thank them for the efficient and professional job they do. The employers that are so caring and concerned that the needs of the community are met are certainly to be commended. They generously allow employees to leave their jobs in the case of an emergency to respond to needs in both the fire and EMS services. Last, but not least, a thank you needs to be given to all the merchants that donate so generously of their services, whether it be rotating tires, seeing that upkeep needs are met, gas at a discount or even a free coke to the staff. All of our community is involved in various ways in the emergency system of West Coke County. The WCC EMS appreciates everyone that makes our job easier and helps us be more efficient.

### Personal

JoAnn Harrison was able to return to her home in Robert Lee Tuesday following a week's hospitalization in San Angelo. She is improved after suffering from respiratory illness and is glad to be home.

## YOUR SHIP'S COME IN.



### FREE PREVIEW JANUARY 31-FEBRUARY 3

Welcome aboard The Disney Channel's Adventure Weekend, featuring the epic tale "Shipwrecked" and Disney's "Treasure Island." You'll also see the musical special "Gloria Estefan: Going Home" and more. With exciting shows like these, you won't want to miss the boat.

The Disney Channel

Free gift for new subscribers.

Receive a coupon to get a free commemorative hardcover book, *Walt Disney World - 20 Magical Years* when you call The Disney Channel's 800-number during this preview. You must install The Disney Channel between January 31 and March 2, 1992. One (1) per household. New subscribers only. See coupon for details.

Some restrictions may apply, including additional charges for installation and/or basic service. Please contact your local cable company for details. Preview available only to subscribers in participating systems and home satellite dish owners who have a descrambler or an IRD and subscribe to at least one programming service.

**WEST TEXAS  
CABLEVISION  
1-800-588-465**



473-2065

473-2065

473-2065

**OPEN**

**7 Days a Week**

**STORE HOURS**

Mon.-Sat. -- 7:30 am to 8 pm

Sunday -- 8 am to 7 pm

# Hall's Super Save

FOOD STAMPS WELCOME

OF BRONTE

Boneless Vac Pack  
**Brisket**  
Lb. **1.29**



Pork Spare  
Rib<sup>3 Down</sup> Lb. **1.49**  
Extra Lean Market Trim  
Brisket Lb. **1.99**  
Extra Lean Ground  
Chuck Lb. **1.79**

Butterball Turkey  
Ham 6 oz. Pkg. **2/.99**  
Mello Crisp Bacon 1 Lb. Pkg. **.99**  
Eckrich Jumbo Beef 1 Lb. Pkg. **1.29**  
Franks **1.29**

Boneless  
**Rib Eye Steak**  
Lb. **3.99**



Salad Dressing <b>Miracle Whip</b> 32 oz. Jar <b>1.99</b>	Parade <b>Pinto Beans</b> 2 Lb. Bag <b>.69</b>
Parade Whole Peeled <b>Tomatoes</b> 16 Oz. Can <b>2/.99</b>	Betty Crocker <b>Brownie Mixes</b> 10.25 Oz. Pouch <b>2/\$1</b>
Parade Mixed <b>Vegetables</b> 16 oz. Can <b>2/.89</b>	Holiday Ass't'd. Flavors <b>Soft Drinks</b> 2 Liter Bottle <b>.69</b>


Eckrich Country Sausage 1 Lb. Pkg. **.99**

Eckrich or Butterball  
**Turkey Breast**  
(Market Sliced)  
Lb. **2.99**

Eckrich or Swift  
**Bologna, Salami, or Chopped Ham**  
(Market Sliced)  
Lb. **.99**

Clover Club  
**Tortilla Chips** 15 Oz. Bag **1.59**

**Dr. Pepper or Pepsi Cola**  
12 Pack 12 oz. Cans  
**2/\$5**



Chicken of the Sea

**Tuna**

Oil or Water Pack  
6 oz. Can

**2/.99**

Reg., Unscented or Bleach

**Tide Ultra**

70 Oz. Box

**4.99**

Dairy Gold  
**Lowfat Milk**  
1/2% or 1-1/2%  
Gallon **1.89**



Better Valu Paper  
**Towels**  
2 Rolls **/.89**


Dr. Pepper or Pepsi Cola  
2 Liter Bottle **.99**

Parade  
Yellow or White  
**Cornbread Mixes**

6 oz. Pouch

**5/\$1**

Gandy's  
**Sour Cream** 16 oz. Ctn. **.99**




Parade Soft  
**Tub**

Oleo 1 Lb. Bowl **2/.99**

Parade  
**Cheese Singles** 12 oz. Pkg. **1.49**

Russet  
**Potatoes**  
20# Bag **1.59**



## FRESH PRODUCE

Ruby Red  
Grapefruit Lb. **.39**

Thompson Seedless  
Grapes Lb. **1.19**

Fresh  
Broccoli Bunch **.89**

Iceberg  
Lettuce Head **.59**

## FROZEN FOOD

Parade Square Carton  
Ice Cream 1/2 Gal. **1.19**

Swanson Prefried  
Chicken 20 Oz. Box **1.99**

Swanson Turkey,  
Mexican or Salisbury  
Dinners **1.79**

Prices Good 1-30 thru 2-5  
FOOD STAMPS WELCOME





**BUY IT.  
SELL IT.  
FIND IT.**

**CLASSIFIED.**

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES**

1st. Insertion...  
20c Per Word  
(\$3.00 Minimum)

2nd. and Subsequent Insertions...  
16c Per Word  
(\$2.50 Minimum)

Additional 50c for Blind Ads

Cards/Thanks...  
20c Per Word

Legal Notices...  
20c Per Word

**COPY DEADLINE**

Class Ads..5 pm Tues.  
Display Ads..5 pm Tues.  
Classified Ads & Cards of Thanks are payable in ADVANCE unless customer carries regular account.

**FOR SALE**

**DICK'S FIREWOOD**  
Serving residential and restaurants throughout West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. We deliver. Oak, Hickory, Mesquite, Pecan, Walnut. 915/453-2151.

16-tnc

**B & B ENTERPRISES** is again your hometown supplier of **M. L. S.**

**Livestock Nutrition**

Our supplement is a cooked molasses base containing special enzymes balanced with proteins, minerals and vitamins. It comes in its own feeder. NO waste! B & B Enterprises, 124 North State, Bronte, 473-2200.

18b-tnc

**ESTATE SALE** - Saturday only, 4014 East Fourth, Robert Lee.

25-1tc

**LEE & ASSOC.**

**NEW TO MARKET!** Corner lot w/3 BR 2 BA Brick home w/dbl carport

**SMALL ACREAGE TRACT** w or wo Mobile Home on rural water system.

**LAKE SPENCE EST.** - Waterfront Lot

**APPROX. 5.573 acres** close to Robert Lee

**GOOD BUY!** 2 BR 1 BA house on corner lot.

**We have additional listings - give us a call!**



Nell Kennedy 453-4355  
Elaine Lee 453-2995

**NICE 3 BR, 2 BA**, new to market. Large corner lot near school.

**NEW LISTING** - 320 acres of land.

**2 BR, 1 BA** house Bayview Estates

**2 BR HOUSE**, 1 bath priced to sell

**EDITH ESTATES** - 14X74 mobile home with addition and enclosed porch.

**EDITH ESTATES** lot on Salt Creek priced to sell

**MOBILE HOUSE** on Cedar Cove, partially furnished

**3 BR HOUSE**, 2 BA, central heat & air, numerous extras, well-kept, large corner lot, trees, sprinkler system, garage, patio, and storage buildings.

**3 BR, 1 BA** on large lot

**SIX BR, 2 BA**, located on lg. corner block, near school.

**3 BR, 2 BA** with apartment located on lg. corner lot.

**3 BR, 2 BATH** house on approximately 3 acres, includes store, station, laundry, and bait stand. Near Lake Spence.

**10.88 ACRES** with scenic creek, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Bronte; CH/CA, and many extras, storage building and carport.

**1 BR, 1BA** house on approx. .525 acres

**BAYVIEW ESTATES** - mobile home located on 2 lots; storage and water well.

**2 1/2 CORNER LOTS** facing Hwy 208

**OTHER LOTS** available in Robert Lee.



**ADAMS LAND & REALTY CO.**

Phone 453-2723 or 655-9429  
Elsie Adams 453-2757  
Becky Clendennen 453-4748

**FOR SALE** - 2 Robert Lee city lots, 75x150 each. Good location. Make offer. 453-2415 or 453-4671.

23 - 4tc

**FOR SALE OR TRADE** - **BRONTE** - 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath house on 3 large lots with separate 2 car garage, \$21,500. Call after 6 pm, 743-2577.

24B-4tp

**SHAFFER FUNERAL HOME**

BRONTE ROBERT LEE  
473-3131 453-2424

**MONUMENTS**

Duplications  
Custom Designs

**79 F150**, Shell camper, 4 speed, 360 Eng. AC, Good condition, Duel Tanks, Low Mileage for age. Good Tires. \$2100., 453-2879

28-2tc

**PECAN TREES**, fruit trees, shade trees. Fresh. Not shipped in. Wholesale prices. 365-5043.

21b-13tc

**FOR SALE** - Square bales - Alfalfa Hay. Round bales - Hay grazer, wheat, coastal. 786-2096, 473-4643.

24B-tnc

**1 1/2 YEAR OLD** female Cocker Spaniel for sale. 473-2131, Bronte.

28b-2tc

**MLS**

**Protein Molasses Base Feed** for livestock. Comes in plastic tubs. No mess, no liquid. Easy to Feed. Contains Enzymes, Minerals and Vitamins. **Larry Jameson Silver - 453-2939**  
**FREE DELIVERY**

**MAKE OFFER** on Olds Cutlass Supreme. Needs repairs. Not in running condition. Call 915-473-5631.

23b - tnc

**TRI-CHEM LIQUID** Embroidery - in-home parties, demos, etc. - Contact Brenda Gray, 453-2673.

24-8tp

**FOR RENT**

**FOR SALE - RENT - LEASE** Available March 1st. 810 NW 11th, Robert Lee, 2-3 bedroom with 1 bath. 100% carpeted - CH/CA. \$427 and utilities. Contact Jeanene Andrews, 3503 93rd, Lubbock, Texas 79423 or call (915) 652-8515 or 367-4643 or (806) 792-8492.

23-tnc

**THE HOUSING AUTHORITY** of Robert Lee will be taking applications for housing 9 am-3pm, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 453-2912 or 453-2802. Equal Housing Opportunity.

15a-tnc

**MISC**

**SURROGATE MOTHERS WANTED** - Fees plus expenses for carrying a couple's child. Must be 18 - 35 and previously had a child. Steve Litz, Atty (317) 996-2000.

23-4tp

**DO YOU HAVE** a drinking problem? Call Alcoholics Anonymous, 453-2158, 453-4508, or 453-4382. Meetings - Friday, 8 pm; Sunday, 5 pm; Coke County Courthouse, Robert Lee.

23 - tnc

**CANNERY WORKERS/ALASKA** Hiring \$600 plus weekly. Over 8000 Openings. Male/Female. Free Transportation. Room and Board. Call E.I.C. Now! 1-206-736-7000 Ext. 9166B5

28-1tp

**DRIVERS**

\$35,000 per year plus. No experience needed. Local and Nationwide. Full and Part-time. Driver's license required. 1-800-992-8005.

25-3tc

**SERVICES**

**ODD JOBS**

Available 4 pm weekdays and all day weekends. Call Scotty McCorkle, 473-6611, Bronte.

45b-tnc

**GARY BAKER**

Horseshoeing, Day Work, Windmill Service - Silver, Texas, 453-4682.

22-4tc

**POSITIONS AVAILABLE** for LVNs and Nurses' Aides for all shifts. Apply in person with Barbara Shaffer, West Coke County Nursing Home, 307 West 8th, Robert Lee, Texas 76945, 915/453-2511. EOE

23a-5tc

**HELP WANTED:** Now hiring, one full time cook/helper; 1 parttime cook, and 1 parttime dishwasher. Must be able to work weekends. Apply in person. West Coke County Nursing Home, 307 W. 8th, Robert Lee, Texas (915) 453-2511. EOE

25a-2tc

**APPLICATIONS** are being accepted for Janitor-Housekeeper. Work schedule - two days Janitor, two days Housekeeper - would consider hiring two part-time employees. High school education preferred, must be able to read, write and understand English. Be able to follow detailed instructions on the mixture of chemicals. Responsible to clean patient rooms and other areas of the facility. Apply in person Bronte Nursing Home, 900 S. State, Bronte, Texas 76933. Ask for Candace Beasley. EOE

25b-1tc

**PART-TIME RN** position available for part-time RN to work Saturdays and Sundays for an 86-bed intermediate care facility in West Texas. Long term care experience preferred but not mandatory. Contact John McDermett, Administrator, West Coke Co. Nursing Home, PO Box 1209, Robert Lee, Texas 76945. (915) 453-2511. EOE.

23a-5tc

**Johnson's Water Well Service**

Farm  
Ranch Home  
Windmills & Pumps  
**24 HR. SERVICE**  
1-800-548-4241  
or  
658-6039 655-0379

**Political Calendar**

**The Observer/Enterprise**

has been authorized to make the following announcements for the political offices in Coke County. Each candidate or a campaign representative has paid for his or her announcement. All political advertising, and printing is cash in advance.

**17TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT U.S. REPRESENTATIVE**  
Charles Stenholm

**COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1**  
Paul Burns

**\$500 REWARD** for information which results in the indictment of person or persons who stole approx. 40 Spanish goats from my place west of Robert Lee - call Derwood Vandever (915) 767-2091 or Coke Co. Sheriff.

24-2tc

**TREE & SHRUB TRIMMING & REMOVAL**  
Call ADD DAVIS  
453-2450

**GARAGE SALES**

**GARAGE SALE** - Saturday, 8:30 - 1:00, Oilfield Tools, Misc., Some furniture, and a bunch of other goodies. Bayview Estates, turn at big sign, bottom half gone - Last house on right. 453-2854

25-1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

**THANK YOU**, "Coke County", with lots of good volunteers and generous people. You have made the WTRC Telethon a huge success.

Thanks,  
Leta Caston  
25-1tc

Words cannot express our gratitude and appreciation for the many acts of kindness extended to us at the passing of our beloved L.E. (Mutt) Young.

May the Lord Bless each of you.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Joe (Glenda) Draper & family

25b-1tc

"No one ever listened himself out of a job."  
CALVIN COOLIDGE

**TAX RETURNS - RAPID REFUNDS**

- NO CASH NEEDED WITH A REFUND LOAN -  
- FEES DEDUCTED FROM LOAN -  
**2 OFFICES TO SERVE YOU**

**SAN ANGELO CONCHO TAX**  
1321 S. OAKES  
658-4213

**ROBERT LEE TEXAS TAX**  
9 EAST 6TH ST.  
453-2012

PHONES -



**CLASSIFIED**

**NOTICES**

**REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals for 260.305 miles of seal coat on various limits on US 87, US 67, IH 10, Loop 467, US 377, US 277, SH 55, SH 163, PR 73, SH 137, RM 853, RM 2083, RM 1964, RM 2523, FM 176, RM 915, RM 2596, RM 864, RM 2034, FM 2129, FM 1692, FM 2059, RM 1973, RM 1357 AND RM 2139, covered by CPM 70-3-44, CPM 70-4-25, CPM 77-6-63, CPM 141-8-39, CPM 141-14-8, CPM 142-1-59, CPM 148-3-17, CPM 158-1-52, CPM 158-2-55, CPM 159-4-22, CPM 159-5-13, CPM 160-7-25, CPM 235-3-27, CPM 333-2-5, CPM 474-1-3, CPM 494-9-11, CPM 494-10-11, CPM 555-5-15, CPM 1280-3-9, CPM 1561-1-5, CPM 1592-3-6, CPM 1642-1-6, CPM 1642-1-6, CPM 1644-2-18, CPM 1644-3-11, CPM 1846-1-14, CPM 2010-1-8, CPM 2010-2-7, CPM 2010-4-9, CPM 2226-2-3, CPM 2281-1-3, CPM 2281-2-4, CPM 2467-1-8, CPM 2969-1-11, CPM 3052-3-3, & CPM 3462-1-8 in Concho, Tom Green, Kimble, Sutton, Runnels, Schleicher, Val Verde, Real, Sterling, Reagan, Crockett, Edwards and Coke Counties will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 pm, February 5, 1992, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Evers C. Schmidt Resident Engineer, Junction, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

Usual rights reserved.  
24a-2tc

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS BIDS FOR OFFICE REPAIR - Coke County**

Water Supply will be accepting bids until 12 noon, February 5, 1992 for repairs on the office floor located 4 miles west of Robert Lee on Highway 158. Office hours are Monday thru Friday 8:00 am to 12 noon, if there are any questions. The telephone number for Coke County Water Supply is 453-2078. Bids should be mailed to Box 533, Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

23a-3tc

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS BIDS FOR OFFICE REPAIR -** Coke County Water Supply will be accepting bids until 12 noon, February 5, 1992 for repairs on the office floor located 4 miles west of Robert Lee on Highway 158. Office hours are Monday thru Friday 8:00 am to 12 noon, if there are any questions. The telephone number for Coke County Water Supply is 453-2078. Bids should be mailed to Box 533, Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

23a - 3tc

**Reed named Who's Who**

Mrs. Debe Reed of Comanche, Oklahoma has received notification she has been named to the 1991-1992 list of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. She is a Radiology major at Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls.

A campus committee and editors of the annual directory selects the students on the basis of their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Students from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states and several foreign countries have been selected to appear in the volume. Outstanding students have been honored in the annual directory since its first publication in 1934.

In addition to her studies, Mrs. Reed is working in a nearby hospital and takes part in local community affairs. Her husband, Larry, is an Ag teacher in Comanche and the couple has 3 children, Lacy, 11, and twins, Chase and Dane, who are 8 years old.

Mrs. Reed, a former Robert Lee resident, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dubb Wallace of Buda.

**TSHL general session held**

The Texas Silver-Haired Legislature met in general session on the 17th through the 21st of September at the MO Ranch near Hunt, Texas with the TSHL speaker Allen Grobbs presiding. The principal speaker was TDOA Board Chairman Dan Roberts. Paula Johnson, of the Texas Department on Aging gave an overview on the accomplishments of the TSHL and outlined the problems which lay ahead with the agency responsibilities under the Comptrollers proposed consolidation plan.

We are pleased to report that eight of the thirteen Resolutions which were given priority by the TSHL in its general session last fall were passed by the 72nd Legislature and are now in effect. Two other resolutions carried by individual representatives of the TSHL were approved and are now in effect.

Silver Haired Legislature Representative Leo Kilmer and his wife, Sadie of the Concho Valley Area Council of Governments, attended the session and will be visiting Senior Centers in the area to give a full report to the Senior Citizens in the very near future.

**FTC publications warn consumers**

The Federal Trade Commission has two publications that can help you recognize a phone scam before you become a victim. **Swindlers Are Calling** (Item 478X, \$.50), prepared in cooperation with the National Futures Association and the Alliance Against Fraud in Telemarketing, gives you the lowdown on spotting a scam when a fraudulent marketer calls you. By calling 900 numbers, you can get information and services conveniently over the phone. Remember, though, that you pay for the time you're on a 900 line. **"900" Numbers** (Item 464X, \$.50) is a fact sheet that gives tips on figuring out if the company will give you your money's worth or just try to keep you on the phone as long as they can. You can get copies of these publications by sending your name, address, the item numbers and fees to R. Woods, Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Most telephone sales pitches are made by reputable businesses trying to find new customers for legitimate products and services. Similarly, most 900 numbers are operated by legitimate companies. Unfortunately, swindlers use these tactics to operate in fraudulent ways.

You can protect yourself against both of these kinds of phone scams by getting all the information in writing and by not allowing yourself to be rushed into making a decision. Swindlers may try to rush you into an investment by saying the market is moving right now, and there's no time to send you written information in the mail. Legiti-

mate marketers, however, will not insist that you act right away, and they will not be afraid to provide product descriptions and guarantees in writing. They'll be around to do business with you tomorrow.

If someone calls you to make a sales pitch over the phone, there is no way to positively determine whether the person you're talking to is "on the up and up" unless you get the information in writing. Even if you ask a lot of questions while you're talking to a phone sales person, you cannot be certain the company is legitimate. Phone swindlers are good liars. That's their job.

So if a telemarketer calls you, don't make any quick decisions. Ask the caller to send you written information so you can look it over. Never give your credit card number over the phone unless you've initiated the call, and it's to an established company. Also, ask what recourse you'll have if you aren't satisfied, and get that in writing. Legitimate companies will be happy to provide this information. **Swindlers Are Calling** offers lots more tips on protect-

ing yourself from telemarketing scams.

If you're interested in calling a 900 number, don't confuse it with a toll-free 800 number. When you call an 800 number, the company pays for the call. When you call a 900 number, you pay. So be wary if the company doesn't disclose the costs right away, makes it hard to figure out the total cost, or lures you to stay on the line a long time. According to **"900" Numbers**, these are signs of a scam. Unfortunately, even if you know how much the call will cost, you may still pay to hear a sales pitch for bogus products or services.

When you send for your copies of **Swindlers Are Calling** (Item 478X, \$.50) and **"900" Numbers** (Item 464X, \$.50), you'll also get a free copy of the **Consumer Information Catalog**. The Consumer Information Center of the US General Services Administration revises and publishes the Catalog quarterly, so you know it's up-to-date. Its pages cover a wide variety of subjects with listings of more than 200 free and low-cost federal publications for consumers.

**Kids need SS numbers**

Here's an important reminder for parents who do not yet have Social Security numbers (SSN's) for their children: this year when you file your 1991 federal income tax return, you must have a number assigned to each child age 1 or over in order to claim him or her as a dependent. Previously, federal law required a Social Security number for any dependent age 2 or older.

Parents will be pleased to know how convenient it is to get a Social Security number for their children. Simply call the toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213, any weekday from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. The Social Security Administration will send you an application form and instructions. You can mail the completed form and required documents to Social Security in the pre-addressed envelope that is provided with

the application. The documents will be returned promptly.

An alternative to calling Social Security is to visit the nearest Social Security Office. The documents you present to prove age, identity and US citizenship or lawful alien status can be reviewed and returned to you immediately. In either case (whether you call or visit an office), a Social Security number card usually will be issued within two weeks.

The application and card are provided free of charge by Social Security, and they also provide free help in completing the form for those who need it.

"We urge all parents to get SSN's for their children early so they will have them when they are ready to file their 1991 tax returns," said Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in the San Angelo Social Security Office.

**Asthma**

It doesn't have to restrict your life.



**Quitting Business Sale**

**Everything Goes! All Items Reduced**

**All sales final. No returns. No exchanges. No layaways. No free gift wrap.**

**Starts Saturday, Feb. 1; Open Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Brooks Dry Goods**

Cash / Check

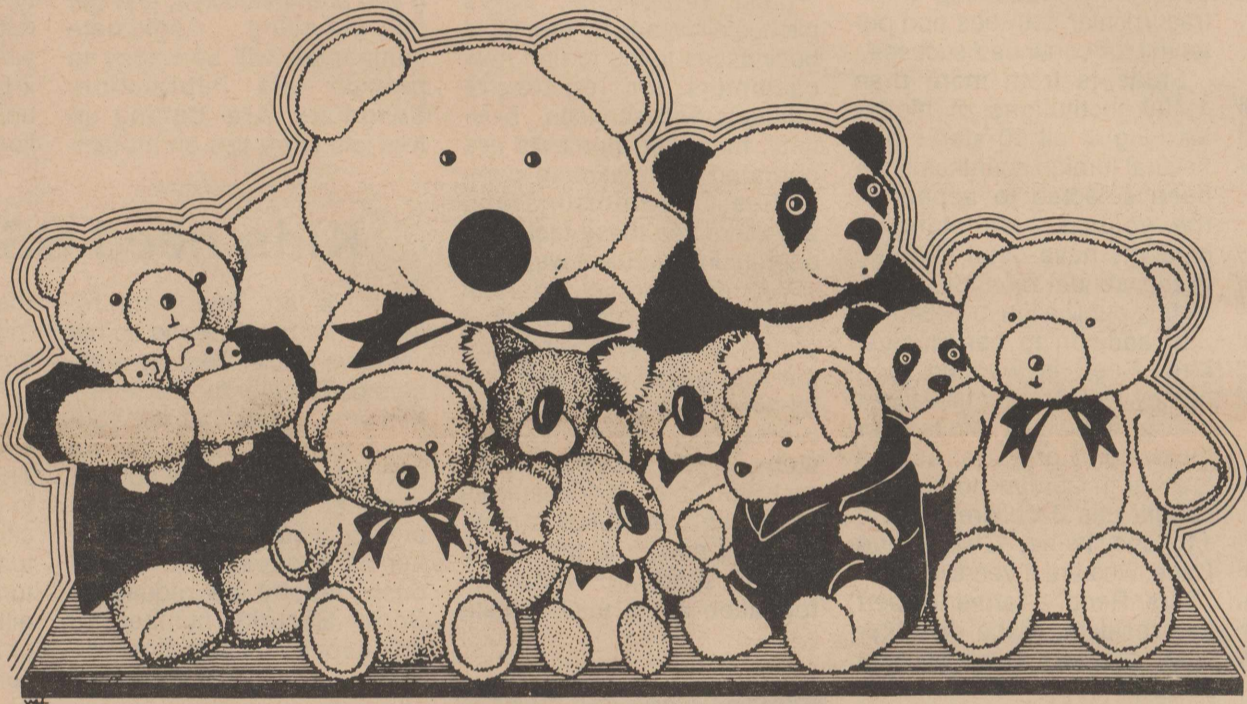
Sterling City

Visa / Master Card



**Don't forget to**

**Renew Your Subscription...**



**We can't BEAR**

**to lose you!**