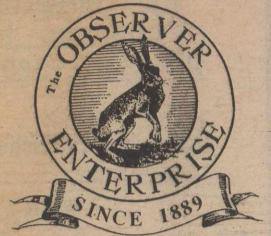


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County hunting season opens with a BANG!

The 1992 Hunting Season in the county opened with a bang - literally. A good number of deer have been harvested, with cold storage unavailable to many when the weather turned warm over the opening weekend. Even with the numerous kills reported, the count may have gone higher if high winds hadn't kept deer laying up.

Jim Skinner of Robert Lee reported his storage vault full most of the weekend, with approximately 95 on hand at

one time.

Deer processing was a doorbuster at Super H's cold storage, unable to handle more than the 68 taken in. Many hunters reported going out of town to storages or quartering meat in ice chests. Everyone contacted said the deer had the most body fat seen in the county with lots of bucks weighing in at well over 100 lbs.

Quail hunting has also been better than in recent years. Turkey harvest has been

minimal, with hunters probably concentrating on getting their deer first.

If the West Coke County Community Development Hunters BBQ was indicative of the number of people hunting in the area, a banner year is in progress. The organization fed an approximate 997 hungry folks on Saturday, opening day.

Bronte Face-Lift

Downtown Bronte has been the site of new construction and several "face-lifts" to other buildings.

In an effort to continue these positive actions, the City Council has begun a program to help improve the over-all appearance of the city.

The Council will be asking for the cooperation of all property owners to make this program a success.

Owners will be asked to demolish dilapidated structures; trim over-grown trees and shrubs; and keep weeds and grasses cut.

The first project will be to remove the numerous junk vehicles that are scattered through-out the City. These vehicles are not only eyesores, but are health hazards because they are havens for rodents and stray animals.

The Council would like for these programs to be accomplished on a voluntary basis. The cooperation of each property owner will eliminate the necessity of passing new ordinances to mandate the removal of the vehicles.

Property owners are also asked to control the growth of weeds and grasses in the pavement adjacent to their property. This will help slow the deterioration of the pavement. The property owner will be able to have more control over the safety of removing the weeds and grasses.

4-H Awards Banquet

The Coke County 4-H Awards Banquet will be Wednesday, November 18th at 6:30 pm at the Robert Lee Recreation Hall. 4-H will recognize those 4-H members who have completed their project record book for 1992.



Geanette Skinner of Robert Lee downed this heavy-horned 9 point buck on her lease about 7 miles south of Robert Lee, Saturday morning. In good shape, like most of the deer brought in this week, he field dressed 123 lbs.

STEERS TO BI-DISTRICT!

It's been a long drought - a football playoff drought that is. But it's broken at last! The Robert Lee Steers will meet the Eden Bulldogs in Ballinger Stadium Friday night at 7:30 pm in a bi-district battle. Robert Lee ISD reported admission is set at \$3 and the ticket booths will open at 6:00.

The Steers last were in the playoff contention in 1985. They will represent District 9-1A as runner-up at 8-2. Over the years Steer teams traditionally have been strong on defense with desire and determination but have lacked the size and speed element needed to compete. This year it's all come together to form an aggressive, tough team. The squad had been fortunate to avoid crippling injuries until last week's game at Roby. Ball carriers Jason Dickey and Lee McCown were banged up and McCown remains a question mark. These

Steers play with enthusiasm and are fun to watch.

Eden has more recently appeared in the playoffs - in 1991. The team has some size and talent. Back Clinton Baker has carried the ball for 1,061 yards and 14 touchdowns. The offensive line is anchored by senior guard Tony Lozano who weighs close to 300 lb. and the defense has allowed only 36 points in district play. Don't be fooled by Eden's 6-4 record. They are the District champs of 10-1A in every way and are a big, physical football team.

The stands should be full for this barn-burner! Winner of the bi-district game will play Alvord in the area playoff round.

**GO
STEERS!**

Chewy's opens in Bronte

A new business opened in Bronte recently. Chewy's Cafe & Bakery opened for business at the intersection of Highway 277 and 158. This restaurant marks the fifth location for the chain, with other sites in San Antonio and Austin.

Restoration work was done on the old Bronte City Hall building for the new establishment. The old pressed tin ceiling was salvaged and repainted, and glass brick, neon, and a checkerboard floor complete the 50's look.

Chewy's Cafe & Bakery is

widely noted in South Texas for their homemade pastries, breads, soups, and main courses. The Bronte location has an expanded menu which includes char-grilled chicken and burgers, as well as chicken fried steak and chicken fried chicken.

Also, catering services are available for larger or small parties with an array of items to choose from. The back room can be reserved for private parties or meetings, with complete set-up available.

Cafe Chewy's owners are Mike and D'Nette Tills of Plano.



On Nov. 6th, Rx #100,000 was a reason for celebration at Hurley Pharmacy. It took 30 years and 2 months to accomplish this and Elmer Hurley was glad to fill this prescription for Mrs. Elsie Fancher free of charge. Mrs. Royce Fancher shares this occasion joyfully. Elmer and Janet appreciate being able to serve Bronte and the surrounding area with their pharmacy needs.

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Upcoming

Open House
 Bronte Masonic Lodge #962 will host "Open House" for the public on Saturday night Nov. 14 at the Lodge Hall.

District Grand Deputy J. C. Horn will be in attendance and present a 50 year pin to Mr. Vetal Flores who is a member of the Bronte Lodge.

Mr. Leslie O. Rolls will be honored with a "Community Builders Award" for his effort and performance in community services.

All citizens of Bronte are encouraged to attend and participate in the activities.

Refreshments will be served by members of Bronte Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Worshipful Master, James Lammers will preside at the meeting.

Third Thursday Dance

The Third Thursday Dance, held each month in Robert Lee, will be on November 19 at the Rec Hall at 7:30 pm. Dancers of all ages are welcome, with tickets available at the door. Music will be by the Coke County Cavaliers.

Holiday Delights

The Extension Homemakers Club is sponsoring "Holiday Delights" program, given by Jymann Hokanson, Electric Living Consultant with WTU on Monday, November 16th at 9 am at the Robert Lee Courthouse. Come enjoy the Holiday program!!!

CC RTA to Meet

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association will meet Monday, November 16, 1992 at the First United Methodist Church in Bronte. The covered-dish luncheon will be at 12 noon.

Br. Dinner

Members of First Baptist Church Bronte, will have "Thanksgiving Dinner" at the Fellowship Hall on Sunday November 15, beginning at 5:30.

The church will furnish turkey and dressing and attendees are asked to bring the trimmings.

Following the dinner, a Thanksgiving program will be presented under direction of the pastor Bro. Garland Whitmire and choir director Dale Ellis.

Boxell Benefit

A Bake Sale for Eli Boxell will be held on Friday, Nov. 20, in the Robert Lee State Bank lobby from 9:00 - 3:00. The faculty at Robert Lee ISD is sponsoring this Bake Sale to help raise funds to pay off Eli's medical bills. Eli was hurt playing on the Junior High football team.

All who can bake and donate should bring it to the bank on November 20, at 9:00 am. You can also call in special orders to the school (453-2612) on this day, to be delivered for your Thanksgiving meal.

Bronte Nursing Home

The Bronte Nursing Home will be hosting another Hee Haw Show on Nov. 14 at 6:30. Those on the program will be Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller from Miles, The Square Dance Club from San Angelo, Bryan James, Marie Smith and Margaret Martin from Bronte. The public is invited to attend.

Catano Receives Promotion

Randy G. Catano has been promoted in the US Army to the rank of Specialist.

Catano, an administrative specialist, is the son of Linda G. Chavez of Gillette, Wyo.

His wife, Delia, is the daughter of Rosa Fuentez of Bronte, Texas. He is a 1990 graduate of Irion County High School, Mertzon, Texas.

I appreciate the vote and support of the people of Precincts 3 & 9 in the past 4 years and the Nov. 3rd election. I am looking forward to serving as your Commissioner in the future. Thanks again, Tim Millican
 Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Tim Millican, HC 60 Box 166, Robert Lee, TX

I want to thank the twins, Wayland and Gaylon, Bucky, Tommy, Winton, and Billy for their help cooking the meat at the Hunters BBQ in Robert Lee Saturday.

Obituaries

Watkins

Lena Beatrice Durham Watkins, 85, a 51-year resident of San Angelo, died Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1992, in West Coke County Nursing Home in Robert Lee, Texas.

Service was at 2 pm Thursday, Nov. 5, in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel, officiated by Dr. J. Earl Dunn of Harris Avenue Baptist Church and the Rev. Bryan Ross of Tennyson Baptist Church. Burial followed in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Watkins was born Nov. 23, 1906, in Wingate, Texas, to Shelman and Lena Ann (Dean) Durham. She was a salesclerk in the housewares department of Hemphill Wells Company for 38 years. Bea was a member of Harris Avenue Baptist Church and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Lena Beatrice Durham married Garland M. Watkins on Nov. 22, 1924, in Oak Creek. He preceded her in death in February 1974. She was also preceded in death by a son, Donald Garland Watkins in March of 1966 and by one sister, Lilly Frances Durham.

Mrs. Watkins loved to travel and enjoyed visits by her grandchildren and participating in their activities. She was affectionately known as "Granny Bea" by her family and friends.

Survivors are two daughters, Wanda Durgin of San Angelo and Wilma Bramlet and her husband, John of Dublin; one son, S. M. Watkins of San Angelo; 13 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

Dublin

Lee Dublin, 74, died Thursday, Nov. 5, 1992, in Corpus Christi.

Service was held at 10 am, Saturday, Nov. 7, in Robert Lee Baptist Church, burial followed at 4 pm in Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

He was born Jan. 27, 1918, in Anderson County and had lived in Robert Lee since 1979, previously living in Fort

Stockton. He retired from Exxon Oil Co. in 1983 and was a member of Robert Lee Baptist Church. He was a Marine Corps veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife Wanda of Robert Lee; a son and daughter-in-law, David and Sharon Dublin of Midland; a daughter and son-in-law, Wilma Lee and Tommy Williams of Corpus Christi; his mother-in-law, Clara Ivey of Robert Lee; granddaughter and husband, Cindy and Tom Chapman of Ft. Stockton, Tx.; Sherry and Dale Cleveland of Plains, Tx.; grandsons, Damon, Eric and his wife Paula of Midland; Tommy and his wife, Tammy; Danny of Corpus Christi; and twelve great-grandchildren and all of his fishing and hunting friends.

Bivins

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Lee Bivins of Stamford at 2:30 pm at First Baptist Church in Benjamin. He died Saturday night in an Abilene Hospital.

Services were also held at 10 am on that date for Mrs. Leon (Olga) Bivins of Benjamin at First Baptist Church. She died Sunday night at her home in Benjamin.

Lee Bivins is the brother of Tom Bivins of Bronte and Mrs. Olga Bivins is the wife of another brother of Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bivins and their son, Garry Bivins attended the services.

Ditmore

Services are pending with Shaffer Funeral Home for Mrs. Pearl Schooley Ditmore of Robert Lee. Mrs. Ditmore died at Concho Valley Regional Hospital at 10 am, Wednesday, Nov. 11.

Coupe

Dick Coupe, 66, of Robert Lee and formerly of Hereford died Tuesday, Nov. 10, 1992, in a San Angelo nursing home.

Service will be at noon Friday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with burial in the Robert Lee Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

He was born March 28, 1926, in Falls City, Neb., and had been a resident of Robert Lee for the past three years. He was a retired cattle buyer and a Navy veteran of World War II. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include two sons, Kevin Coupe of Houston and Jeff Coupe of Grover; a daughter, Janelle Casey of Grapevine; a brother, Thomas Coupe of Montrose, Co.; four sisters, Mary Alice Moyian of Downers Grove, Ill., Elizabeth Wiggs and Patricia Keefe, both of Denver, Colo., and Jane McMamara of Wilmington, Del.; and five grandchildren.

Roach

Mrs. Minerva Roach, 92, of Miles, sister of Mrs. Elsie Adams of Robert Lee, died Wednesday, Nov. 11. Johnson's Funeral Home will direct services on Friday, Nov. 13, at 10 am in the Miles Baptist Church, with burial in Miles Cemetery.

Personal

Jerome Hanna visited in Austin recently in the home of his brother, Vincent Hanna, Jr. He was accompanied by their mother, Ava Lou Davis of Robert Lee.

While there they had a reunion with their half-sister, Patricia Bond, and their nephew, Mark Jaymes. Patricia is the daughter of the late Vincent Hanna, Sr.

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UMW

United Methodist Women of Robert Lee met October 28, at Bryan's Barn with Lucile Bryan hosting the regular meeting. Thirteen members attended. Nina Brewer, president, gave the program on "World Thanks," a subject given to one meeting annually.

Each member has a "Thanks" box into which she places coins or cash for any denomination for events that it gratitude from her own or family's daily experiences. At the annual program, each brings her offering and adds to those of other members to be used in undesignated mission work in the district where it seems most needed. As members placed their money in the basket, each told of some special experience for which she has been thankful during the past year, then she kept her box to use until next year's meeting. Refreshments and business meeting completed activities of the day.

November's first meeting was held at the Methodist Parsonage on Nov. 4, with Rev. Donna Reeder hosting a delicious luncheon. Twelve members and two visitors attended.

After a brief business meeting, Janie Nazier gave an inspiring program concerning "The Fullness of God's Earth, - and Me." Purpose of the program was to consider how Christians can respond to our planet and Christ's coming for "its" saving. The main way suggested were (1) to pray for guidance, (2) to educate ourselves and others, and (3) to take responsible action: recycle, reuse, and reduce. In lively discussion, these were elaborated upon, and concrete suggestions were made.

While preparing for this pro-WCCCD Christmas Activities

Santa Claus will arrive in Robert Lee by fire truck on Saturday, December 5, at 10 am for a visit with the local children. He will hear the children's wishes in the downtown gazebo. If North Pole weather beats him here, he will move to the lobby of the courthouse. West Coke County Community Development will sponsor Santa's visit.

The WCCCD group will again sponsor their annual Christmas Lighting contest. Participants may enter free at Robert Lee city hall to be eligible for judging on Monday, Dec. 14.

Entries will be in three categories.

*The Rookie category is for those who have never entered before.

*Veteran division is for those who have placed 1st in the past.

*A separate category for everyone who has entered but never won before.

Cash prizes will be awarded in each division; 1st place, \$50; 2nd place, \$35; and 3rd place, \$25. The money will be in WCCCD Santa Bucks, cash coupons to be used as money at any Robert Lee business. The merchants in turn will redeem the Santa Bucks with West Coke County Community Development.



The lucky winner of the .243 rifle in the Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club fundraiser drawing was Clyde Jordan of Robert Lee. Drawing the winning ticket were Junior Miss WCCCD, Cassidy Wink (l), and Miss WCCCD Jamie Luna, as Lions Club President Joe Brazier looks on.

gram, Janie contacted all of the businesses in town who handle hazardous waste materials, and she reported that local businesses that handle batteries, oil, oil filters, etc., either recycle used products themselves, or have such wastes picked up for recycling. Persons who change their car's oil themselves, are urged to take the used oil to Ace Hardware's large underground tank for pick-up. It is against the law to pour used oil on top of the ground. The group expressed appreciation to the city of Robert Lee for the pick-up barrels at the post office where aluminum and glass are collected.

The program leader ended her talk with the following Ten Commandments of the New Earth.

1. You shall live in harmony with all the earth and with every living thing.

2. You shall have your fair share of the earth and no more.

3. You shall fight to protect the earth; it is your home.

4. You shall return to the earth all the organic treasures she freely gives you.

5. You shall make beautiful and enduring whatever is to be made.

6. You shall keep faith with the future generations and be wise guardians of their inheritance.

7. You shall place necessity above greed, and wonder above wealth.

8. You shall trade only for necessary things, and demand no useless ones.

9. You shall be masters of technology and not its servants.

10. You shall come together with all your brothers and sisters and sing the joy of earth.

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Border patrolman wages war

Officer Clayton Haynes is a unique and special individual. Don't take our word for it; ask any Robert Lee student in fourth through eighth grade. Officer Haynes is a United States Border Patrol Officer that spends nine months a year in rural schools in our area speaking and using various demonstrations to teach our children about the hazards of drug use.

Officer Haynes is one of several Border Patrolmen involved in the W.A.D.E. program. W.A.D.E. stands for War Against Drugs Education. Officers travel to various schools and speak to the youngsters about the dangers of drug use and also teach them effective ways to avoid the temptations they most assuredly will face at some time in their future. The program consists of five 45-50 minute training sessions with a Border Patrol Agent in a classroom setting. There is also a sixth session that is a "graduation" ceremony. Each student receives a certificate signed by the instructing officer and the principal of the school. Each session has a different theme, but all are designed with the principal goal of making sure that children are aware of drugs and the effect they can have on their lives.

Officer Haynes pointed out that many folks are more familiar with the D.A.R.E. program than with W.A.D.E. D.A.R.E. is also a drug awareness campaign, but because of the cost of the program it is usually found only in larger urban areas. According to Officer Haynes the initial cost of D.A.R.E. is in the neighborhood of \$35,000. That is one reason smaller rural areas cannot sponsor it. W.A.D.E. is supported solely by federal funding, therefore rural areas do not have to come up with large numbers of dollars to initiate the program.

When asked what prompted the Border Patrol Agency to initiate such a program Officer Haynes said that several years ago the agency realized that unlike the past most of their arrests had begun to run more toward drug related crimes. He also stated that for the last ten years the Border Patrol had been the leading agency for drug related arrests. They now are responsible for approximately sixty percent of those arrests.

Officer Haynes said that when the agency began calling some of the rural area schools to ask if they had D.A.R.E. they found that most rural schools did not have a formal program for drug education. This information prompted the Border Patrol to develop and implement W.A.D.E. W.A.D.E. has been in effect approximately five years. The first four or five years were concentrated mainly in the K-3rd classes. A robot was used in these

classes to reach the smaller children and to hold their attention. The more advanced program they are now utilizing is a pilot program that has not been used before this year. Two officers are permanently assigned to the W.A.D.E. program; Officer Haynes is one of these officers. He has been involved in W.A.D.E. for two years.

The children are extremely enthusiastic and involved in the program. They are attentive and totally engrossed in the activities they are presented with. Officer Haynes said most of the children have a favorite part in the classes he gives. Usually on his second visit with a class he brings a glass case that houses different drugs (yes, the drugs are the real thing), and drug paraphernalia. Although this seems to be the most controversial part of the program he explained that most of the children are going to be confronted with the real thing at some time in their lives and he would rather be the one to show them all the drugs and various equipment that goes along with drug use.

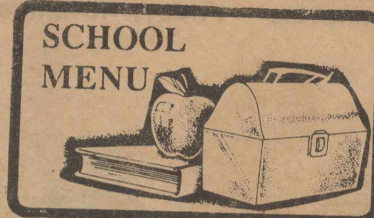
Officer Haynes is quite impressed with the parental support he has received in Robert Lee. He seems to think that most of the children are receiving good lessons at home from their parents and so far has not been confronted with any negative criticism in this area. He stated that occasionally he will run into a parent that makes some objection to the fact that the children are taught that

cigarettes are drugs, but being an ex-smoker himself he feels confident when he tells them that nicotine is indeed a drug and is addictive just as any other habit forming drug.

Officer Haynes is very popular with the faculty at school. Lane Jackson, elementary principal at Robert Lee, stated that Officer Haynes has done an excellent job at the school and is very good at what he does. The teachers are of the same opinion and are quite impressed with the rapport he has developed with the children. The children do not seem to be the least intimidated by the uniform, badge or any other aspect of Officer Haynes, in fact it seems to be quite the contrary; they respect him, but are quite at ease with him and not the least afraid to express their opinions on any of the subjects he throws at them.

Robert Lee is fortunate to be involved in the W.A.D.E. program and perhaps most fortunate of all are the children. With support from programs such as W.A.D.E. maybe, just maybe, they will be able to avoid the pitfalls of drug use.

Certainly Officer Clayton Haynes has done more than his fair share in the war on drugs. It may be his job to travel to the schools and talk to the children about drugs, but he does it with enthusiasm and sincerity that cannot be bought at any price.



SCHOOL MENU
Monday, Nov. 16th
 Pigs in a Blanket
 Potato Bar
 Baked Beans
 Sauce

Tuesday, Nov. 17th
 Grill C
 Vegetab
 Pickle Slice
 Pears
 Milk

Wednesday, Nov. 18th

Taco Salad w/cheese
 Ranch Beans
 Lettuce/Tomato Salad
 Peach Cobbler
 Milk
Thursday, Nov. 19th
 Steak Fingers
 w/gravy
 Cream Potatoes
 English Peas
 Hot Rolls - Butter
 Sliced Peach
 Milk
Friday,

Steers up record to 8-2

by Bill Burns

Well, it wasn't the best game of the year for the Steers, but it didn't have to be. The Steers were already in the playoffs and they just might have been looking more for the upcoming game with Eden than concentrating on Roby. No matter, the Steers came through and won, upping their record to 8-2.

1st Quarter

The 1st quarter consisted of only 2 drives, one for Roby and one for the Steers. Roby received and moved the ball for four 1st downs before the Steers stopped them at the Steer 8 yard line. The Steers took over and made a good drive of their own; with six 1st downs of their own. The Steers had the ball at the Roby 10 yard line as the quarter came to an end.

2nd Quarter

Danny Jackson scored from the 3 yard line to top off the drive. Roby, however, ended up with the 2 point play as the

Steers fumbled the snap on the extra point attempt, and Roby picked it up and went all the way for their only score of the night. Steers 6 - Roby 2.

The Steers stopped Roby on their next drive at the Roby 20 yard line. Jackson blocked the Roby punt, the ball went into the end zone and Jackson recovered for a Steer TD. Scot Millican kicked the extra point. Steers 13 - Roby 2.

Judd Pitcock and Dane Smith co-recovered a fumble for the Steers.

3rd Quarter

Blake Pitcock scored from 24 yards out with a nifty run of his own. Millican again was good for the extra point kick. Steers 20 - Roby 2.

4th Quarter

The 4th quarter seemed to go very fast. The clock had quit working so we will never know. The Steers made 5 first downs and Roby made one as the quarter came to an end.

The Steers play Eden in Ballinger Friday night at 7:30. Good Luck Steers.

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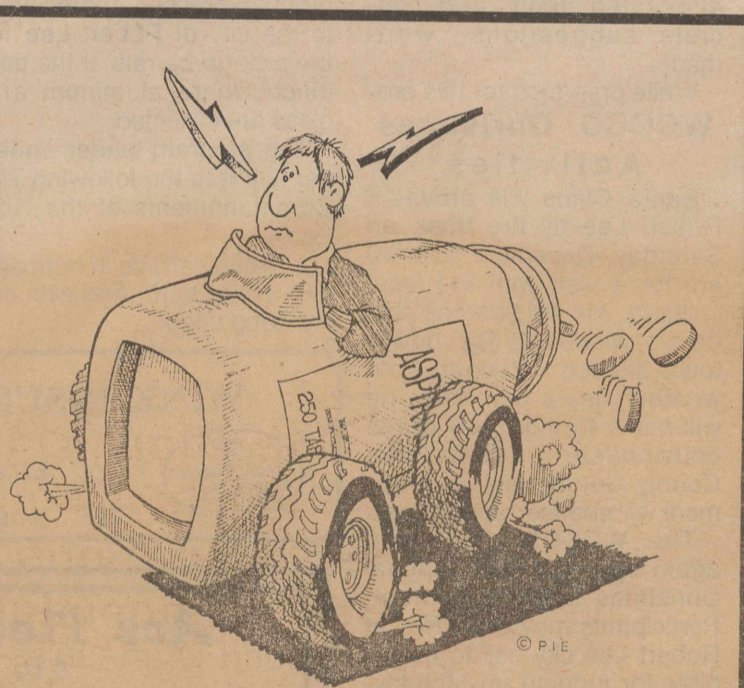
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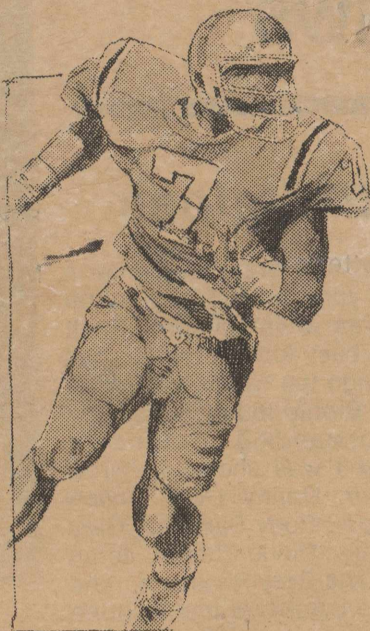
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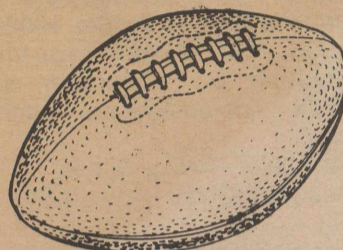
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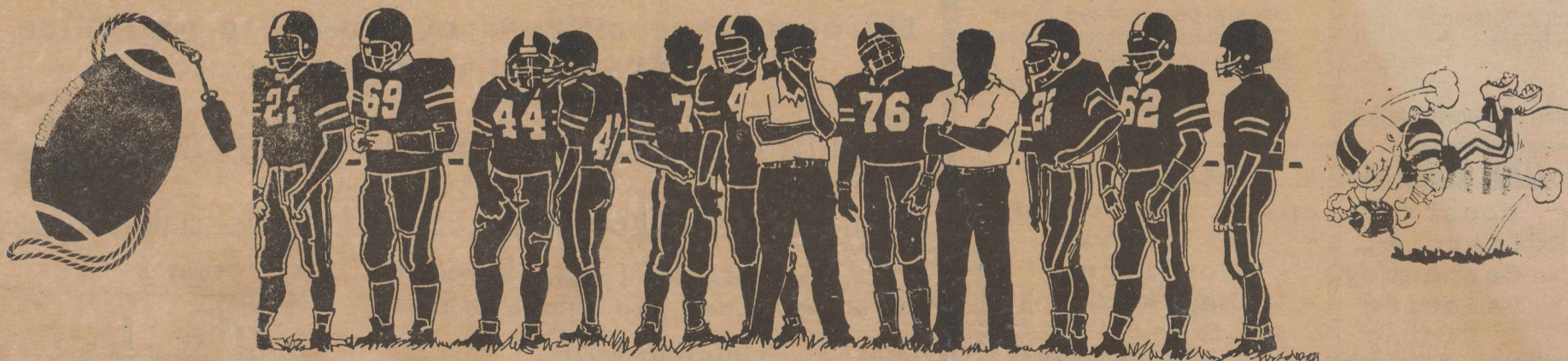
DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Sept. 4	Miles	There
Sept. 11	Water Valley	Here
Sept. 17	Snyder JV	Here
Sept. 25	Garden City	Here
Oct. 2	Irion Co.	There
*Oct. 9	Bronte	Here
**Oct. 16	Forsan	Here
*Oct. 23	Sterling City	There
*Oct. 30	Roscoe	Here
*Nov. 6	Roby	There
*District Games		
**Homecoming		

Friday, Nov. 13
7:30 P.M. BALLINGER
**ROBERT LEE STEERS
VS.
Eden Bulldogs**



Dick's Firewood
453-2151
Skinner's Grocery & Station
Askins Propane Company
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416 Commerce - Robert Lee
Davis Grocery & Gas
Highway 208 - Robert Lee
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Longhorns roll over Forsan Buffaloes

The Bronte Longhorns rolled over the Forsan Buffaloes 28 - 7 in a District 9-A contest Friday night. The Longhorns won on the road ending their year with a team record of 3 - 2 in district and 6 - 4 for the season.

Gary Bilbrey was the game's

leading rusher for the night with 170 yards on 28 carries. He also scored on a six yard run that lifted Bronte into the lead for good in the third quarter. Bronte amassed 24 first downs while holding Forsan to only 10 for the night.

Jamie Flores scored on a one yard thrust in the fourth quarter while Nathan Barnett was busy kicking the football through the "up-rights" for all four Bronte touchdowns.

Outstanding defensive pursuit was shown by Fred Arthur, Danny Hoyt, Jason Cooper, Rudy Sanchez, Gary Bilbrey, David Cason, Brian Hall and Cory Robinson. The entire defensive unit held the Buffaloes to a total of 155 yards, while the Longhorns offense compiled 372 yards for the night. The Horns aggressive defense stopped the Buffaloes advances readily as twice Brent Taylor and Brian Hall intercepted passes to shut down the Buffaloes offense.

Offensive standouts were Devlin Pierce, Edwin Thomas, James Hambricht, Jason Wilson and Randy Bilbrey, who opened big holes for the ball carriers to run through.

Brent Taylor scored the first touchdown for the Horns in the first quarter on a six yard run with 6:11 left in the first quarter. Forsan fought back in the second quarter with a three yard run and PAT, to put the game into a tie. Bilbrey's third quarter TD put the Horns in the lead for good. After Flore's fourth quarter TD, Taylor broke loose behind some fine blocking for a forty yard touchdown scamper to put the "icing on the cake." Taylor also rushed for 142 yards on 14 carries to help lead the Longhorns to their victory over Forsan.

ECCVFD

The East Coke County Volunteer Fire Department elected new officers for the 1992-1993 year at their regular meeting on November 9, 1992. The officers are as follows:

Fire Chief - Royce Dyess;
Assistant Chief - Roland Sowell;
Assistant Chief - Larry Dyess;
President - Darrell Sowell;
Vice President - Wade Stautzenberger
Chaplain - Bruce Sonnenberg;
Treasurer - Tim McKee;
Secretary - Bill Luckett;
Reporter - Richard Hembree.

The fire department expressed their appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Shaddix and the Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance Co. for their contributions to the department.

You may have noticed the new fire truck that we now have. The members voted to dedicate this truck to the late Willie Johnson for his many hours of service and hard work which helped make this truck a reality. Willie is sorely missed in the fire department.

Bronte School News

The sophomore class students took the PLAN on Thursday, November 5, 1992. The PLAN includes tests in English, math, reading and science reasoning that measure the academic skills and abilities they have developed to this point in their education. There is an assessment of their study skills that can identify areas where learning more about effective study methods is likely to help you in your studies. An interest inventory is also included. It is the student's preferences for a variety of work activities that will give them some clues to the kinds of occupations or jobs they might like. Questions about the student, their plans, their needs, and their goals are also included. This is a pre-ACT assessment.

When the results are received, the student will receive a personalized report. This will be discussed and explained to the students as a class. A meeting will be held at school for the parents.



Br. Breakfast Menu

Monday, Nov. 16th

Oatmeal
Raisin Cup
Toast
Milk

Tuesday, Nov. 17th

Cereal
Pineapple Tidbits
Toast
Milk

Wednesday, Nov. 18th

Cheese Toast
Peaches
Milk

Thursday, Nov. 19th

Scrambled Eggs
Orange Juice
Biscuit
Milk

Friday, Nov. 20th

Sausage
Apple Juice
Pancakes
Milk

Br. Lunch Menu

Monday, Nov. 16th

Chicken Fried Steak w/gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Sweet Peas
Rolls
Milk

Tuesday, Nov. 17th

Spaghetti w/meat sauce
Buttered Corn
Tossed Salad
Bread Sticks
Milk

Wednesday, Nov. 18th

Pigs in a Blanket
Tator Tots
Pork & Beans
Milk

Thursday, Nov. 19th

Nachos w/cheese
Refried Beans
Tossed Salad
Chips
Milk

Friday, Nov. 20th

Turkey & Dressing w/gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Milk

Friday, Nov. 20th

Turkey & Dressing w/gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Milk
Pumpkin Pie w/whip topping

Jim Lammers - Craftsman

New construction - Remodeling
Commercial - Residential
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Pictured above are (l-r) Bronte's Band Sweetheart, Amy Bailey; Football Sweetheart Leslie Markwood; Duchess Misty Mackey; Homecoming Queen Jamie Morrow and Duchess Jennifer Johnson. The royalty was presented at half-time at the Homecoming football game on Oct. 30.

BJH Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	A&B Girls	A&B Boys
Nov. 16	Sterling City	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Nov. 23	Garden City	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 3	Water Valley	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 7	Irion County	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 10-12	Sterling City Tournament			A	A
Dec. 14	Robert Lee	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 7	Sterling City	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 11	Water Valley	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 18	Garden City	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 23	Robert Lee Tournament			B	B
Jan. 25	Irion County	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 1	Robert Lee	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 4, 6	Water Valley Tournament			A	A
Feb. 8	Roscoe	T	4:00	A&B	A&B

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Chewy's is highly recognized for quality homemade pastries, breads, soups, and main dishes. Their menu in Bronte has been expanded to include grilled burgers and chicken, as well as chicken fried chicken and steak. Also featured are ice cream shakes, cones, and dishes such as "Kickapoo Mud". Catering services are also available along with a private back room for meetings or parties. Chewy's owners are Mike and D'Nette Tills of Plano. The Bronte phone number is 473-2333.

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Spinal screening mandated

The legislature passed a law in 1985 that requires all fifth and eighth grade students to be screened for spinal deformities. Early detection of abnormal spinal curvature can prevent serious health problems. This is a problem that may begin during early adolescent years (from 10-14 years of age), with an estimated 1 in 10 adolescents having some degree of abnormal curvature. Curves that are detected early may only require periodic observation by a specialist. Moderate curves may require the wearing of a brace, which is usually supervised by an orthopedic specialist. In most cases, the need for major surgery for this

deformity can be eliminated through early detection.

Spinal screening for Robert Lee ISD school children has been scheduled to begin in November, 1992.

Children will be screened for two types of spinal deformities: Scoliosis and kyphosis. Scoliosis is a condition in which the spine is twisted, causing misalignment of the upper body or lower back. This condition can worsen and lead to much pain, as well as complications of the heart and lungs. Kyphosis is an exaggerated rounding of the spine. Progression of these two conditions can often be arrested if detected early.

Bloodworth couple to celebrate fiftieth

Raymond and Gertie Bloodworth will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary Nov. 14, 1992 at a reception at the Recreation Hall in Robert Lee.

Raymond A. Bloodworth and Gertrude Landers were married in Robert Lee Nov. 10, 1942. Their children and spouses are: Raynelle and Charlie Askins, Sulphur Springs; Carl and Laveta Bloodworth, Sundown; Lonnie and Marla Bloodworth, Silver; and Charles and Dena Bloodworth, Kermit. The couple also has six grandchildren, Charles Ray (Chuck) Askins and Sheila, Burleson, Tx., Lori Ann and Gerald Garth, Lubbock; Amy Bloodworth, Levelland, Tx., Miki Askins, Lubbock, and Beau and Eli Boxell, Silver; four great-grandchildren, Brent, Jamie and Kayle Askins, Burleson; and Shelby JoAnn Garth, Lubbock.



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth.

BHS Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	V&JV Girls	V&JV Boys
Nov. 17	Forsan	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
Nov. 20	Coahoma	T	5:00	V&JV	V&JV
Nov. 24	Coleman	T	5:00	V&JV	V&JV
Dec. 1	Water Valley	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
Dec. 3-5	Roby Tournament			V	V
Dec. 8	Coleman	H	4:00		V&JV
	Anson	H	4:00	V&JV	
Dec. 10-12	Roscoe Tournament			V	V
Dec. 17,19	San Angelo Sophomore Trn.				JV
Dec. 18	Miles	H	5:00	V	V&JV
Dec. 29-31	Hawley Tournament			V	V
Jan. 5	Water Valley	T	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
Jan. 8	Eden	T	6:30	V	V
Jan. 9	Bronte JV Tournament			JV	JV
Jan. 12	Miles	T	5:00	V&JV	V&JV
Jan. 15	Menard	H	6:30	V	V
Jan. 19	Eden	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Jan. 22	Roby	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Jan. 26	Roscoe	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Jan. 29	Robert Lee	T	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Feb. 2	Roby	T	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Feb. 5	Roscoe	T	4:00	V&JV	V&JV
*Feb. 9	Robert Lee	H	4:00	V&JV	V&JV

Raymond and Gertie were born and have lived all their lives in Coke County. They have lived in Silver since 1945, when he was discharged from the US Army where he served from 1941-1945. He served in World War II in the Philippines.

Raymond retired from Union Texas Petroleum in 1983 and is engaged in ranching. Gertie is a housewife and homemaker.

Hosts for the celebration are their children and their spouses.

Personal

Mrs. Robert Vaughan whose husband, Robert Vaughan suffered a massive stroke Friday, October 30, reports he is doing well in Shannon Medical Center. He was moved to the Rehabilitation Department on the sixth floor of the hospital, Nov. 5th, where he will remain

four to six weeks.

The visiting hours are from 4:30 to 8:30 Monday through Friday; 1:30 to 8:30 Saturday; and any time until 8:30 pm Sunday and Holidays.

He and his family have appreciated all the visits and other expressions of love and concern of his friends and loved ones.

Spence Fishin'



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Paint Creek Marina
 Ray Dickerson and Max Truesdell, Seminole, Tx., 4 stripers, 10 1/2, 6 1/2, 9, 2 3/4 lbs., all caught with live shad.
Wildcat Marina
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 Mike Stillwell, Odessa, Tx., 9 1/2 lb. striper.
 R. L. Flanagan, Robert Lee, Tx., 3 stripers 9 1/2 lbs. each.
 Wayne Palmer, Odessa, Tx., 3 stripers up to 7 lbs.
 Mike Stillwell, Odessa, Tx., one 12 lb. striper.

Chris A. Wyatt Attorney at Law

announces the opening of his law practice in Robert Lee. The office will serve the cities of Robert Lee and Bronte as well as the rest of Coke County.

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Littlefield elected senator for Oklahoma

Rick Littlefield of Grove, Okla., has been elected to a four year term as state senator for District One in the state of Oklahoma.

Rick is the son of Jo Ann and Jarvis Littlefield, former Robert Lee residents, and grandson of Mrs. Alta Bilbo of Robert Lee.

Littlefield made history on Nov. 3. He is the first from Delaware County to be elected as a state senator. He has

been a state representative from his district for the past ten years.

Littlefield won with 71% of the votes. He garnered 18,999 votes to his opponent's 8,061 votes.


Rick's wife, Alicia Littlefield, a lawyer, recently resigned the position of assistant public defender in Oklahoma City. She is now assuming the job of assistant District Attorney in Miami, Okla.




Oklahoma State Senator
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Kids compete at Key City



Jesse McClure

On October 24, 1992 Jerrod and Jesse McClure, sons of Cody McClure of Bronte and Karla Clark of Hayrick, competed in the Fifth Annual Key City Karate Bash in Abilene.

Jerrod competed in the 10 & 11 year old green belt division. He placed second in free sparring.



Jerrod McClure

Jesse competed in the 7-9 year old green belt division. He placed first in free sparring.

Jerrod and Jesse are working hard preparing for a USTF test that will place them half way towards earning their black belt.

They are students at the USTF Studio, 643 S. Chadbourne in San Angelo.



Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance Company is donating money to the Robert Lee Fire Dept., West Coke County Ambulance Service, Coke County Stock Show, Bronte Fire Dept., East Coke County Ambulance Service, and the Blackwell Fire Dept., and Ambulance Service. Branch 95 of Hochheim Prairie Insurance Company has Robert Wink of Robert Lee and Garry Bivins of Bronte, as agents. The service of these organizations is needed so badly, and the communities appreciate the work they do as volunteer service to our community.

Robert Wink (l) and Garry Bivins (r) present a Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Branch 95 check to Mary Bessent and Larry Martin of the West Coke County EMS.

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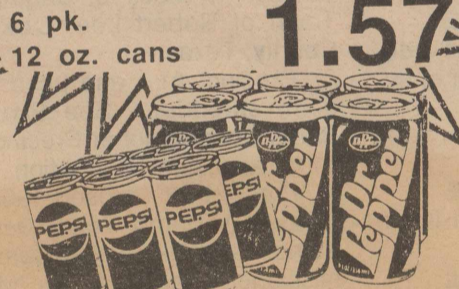
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14-4tc

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SINGING WINDS GOLF SHOP
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41-TNC

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08B-tnc

MISC

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14a-tnc

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13B-4tc

MEXICO TRIP DECEMBER 4-7 HELP! PLEASE! HELP!
Jody Rodriguez is planning a trip to Mexico to help aid the people that are in need of food. We are planning to take 2000 lbs. of beans, 1000 lbs. of rice, and 1000 lbs. of flour. The cost of beans is \$28.00 per 100 lbs.; the cost of rice is \$19.00 per 100 lbs.; the cost of flour is \$16.00 per 100 lbs. Please if you can help, with whatever you can of these items, it would be greatly appreciated and God will reward you for it. Also in need of boys and girls bicycles that are in working condition. Also in real need of boys and girls shoes. 453-2318.
13a-4tc

GARAGE SALES
THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE
Friday and Saturday. 323 North State in Bronte. Dora Galloway
15B-1tp

GARAGE SALE
606 W. 9th in Robert Lee. Saturday only. Little bit of everything.
15-1tc

GARAGE SALE
Saturday, Nov. 14. 201 North Washington, Bronte.
15B-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

DEAR ROBERT LEE,
Thank you for all the support and encouragement for Eli! We appreciate every card, balloon, plant, all the cakes and candy, phone calls, and visits. It has helped to keep a smile on his face. Thank you, Kannan, for the video tape of all the kids at school and the pep rally. He really liked seeing everyone. And a big thanks to the administration and all the teachers working to get his work together for him. He is on crutches now and watches all the football he can get his eyes on - OH NO!!
Lonnie and Marla Bloodworth
15-1tc

THANKS TO BRONTE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
for their response, effort and extinguishing the fire on my place.
Sincerely,
Nathalee Ensor
15B-1tc

THANK ALL OF YOU for the flowers, food, visits, cards, phone calls, well wishes, and for your prayers during my hospital stay and my continuing recovery at home.
Mildred Sanders
15B-1tp

THE FAMILY OF LEE DUBLIN would like to express our heartfelt thanks for all the flowers, food, prayers, visits, and memorials during Lee's long illness and demise. We will all miss him but there are all the good memories and he would want those to be the ones foremost in our minds and hearts.
15-1tp

NOTICES

NEEDED
A full-time evening cook. Hours 11:00 to 7:30 pm. Also needed: a full-time position two days evening cook and two days dietary aide. Must be able to read and write, understand diets and menus. Be neat and clean. Apply in person at Bronte Nursing Home, 900 S. State, Bronte, TX.
14B-2tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that Coke County Commissioner's Court will receive sealed bids until 10:00 am Monday, December 7, 1992 in the Coke County Clerk's office for the following:
1. Lot 4, Block 6, original Town of Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas.
2. Precinct #1 - one used 3 point shredder. See Paul Burns Commissioner Precinct #1 for additional information.
3. Precinct #2 - 1 used 1955 Chevrolet Dump Truck bed frame. See Bill Luckett Commissioner, Precinct #2 for additional information.
4. Precinct #3 - One used 1964 Chevrolet Dump Truck, 2 used drag type shredders, one works, one is not functional; one used set of sideboards. See Tim Millican Commissioner, Precinct #3 for additional information.
5. Precinct #4 - One diesel engine. See James Tidwell Commissioner Precinct #4 for additional information.
Coke County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive any technicality.
Stover Taylor,
County Auditor
Coke County, Texas
15a-2tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that Coke County Commissioner's Court will receive bids in the Coke County Clerk's office until 10:00 am Monday, December 7, 1992 for the following:
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15a-1tc

FOR SALE
Small house at 212 E. Trammel in Bronte. 453-2662.
15-1tp

FOR SALE
Yamaha keyboard, good condition. For more information, call 453-2461.
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NOTICES

Hendrickson suspension 11-22.5 tires on Budd wheels Double frame P/S and AC 300 Cummins or larger 9 speed transmission Dump bed painted and installed 12-14 yard 13'6"x7", sides 42", ends 50", 4" structural crossmembers and 7" longitudinal crossmembers, factory installed body props, complete with marker lights kit and mud flaps, manual dump and steel filler inserts, 8 gauge bottom, 10 gauge sides, 1/2 cap protector. FOR TRADE-IN one used 1980 Ford Dump Truck. See Tim Millican Commissioner Precinct #3 for additional information.

Coke County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive any technicality.

Stover Taylor
County Auditor
Coke County, Texas
15a-2tc

Dogies Fall to Roby

The Dogies lost 26 - 12, but they looked good considering the size of Roby. They had one back that was nearly unstoppable.

The Dogies scored just in the 2nd quarter with Gilbert Torres making the TD.

But, Roby came right back and scored. The Dogies then took the ball and scored with Gilbert Torres passing to Mike Pentecost. From then on it was all Roby.

Oglesby HC Guests

A number of family members and friends from out of town were guests in the home of Pat Oglesby for the Bronte Homecoming '92 activities. Travelling from out of state were her daughters and families - Cathy and Tony DiMaria, Christina, Toni Lynn, and Carrie from Anchorage, Alaska; Cindy and Russ Stuart, Casey Easterling from Mt. Zion, Ill. Also, daughter, Connie and Tim Bozarth of Seguin, Tx. Other visitors were: Christine and Ernest Barker, Abilene, Paul and Becky Airhart, Jarred, Kinsey, and Kaylan, Wingate; Joe and Glenda Bryan, Wilmeth; Joy and A. J. McDaniel, San Angelo; Glenda Plowman, Josh and Matthew, Lubbock; Debbie Bayer, Aaron, Amanda, and Corey, Snyder; Lois and Jim Dunklin, Robert Lee; Judy and Ernie Walston, Midland; Sharon Wilson, Tamara, and Kyle, Midland; Patti Scott, Van Horn; and Ginger and Sid Eubanks, Natchitoches, La.

Br. Masonic Lodge

Bronte Chapter #1048 met on Monday night for their regular monthly meeting at the Masonic Lodge Hall in Bronte. Joy Ehl, Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron Ed Ehl presided at the meeting.

Discussions were made concerning the upcoming "Christmas in Bronte" and the visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron at the December meeting.

Pat and Martin Lee were in charge of the program and hosted a social hour following the meeting. The anniversary of the order was celebrated and the refreshments included a decorated anniversary cake. The table was centered with a Thanksgiving decor.

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HEALTH NOTES

Vitamin C Benefits

A ten-year study of more than eleven thousand Americans shows vitamin C significantly reduces deaths, especially deaths from heart disease. These claims are not new, but this may be the largest and longest-term study on the subject.

Researchers at UCLA School of Public Health, led by Dr. James Enstrom, found men getting at least fifty milligrams of vitamin C each day from fresh fruits, vegetables, and daily vitamin supplements had forty-two percent lower overall death rate than men with the lowest consumption of vitamin C.

The benefit for women was less, but still significant. It's important to note that these benefits, reported in the journal *Epidemiology* (5-92), appeared to be achieved with amounts of vitamin C within the range of a healthy diet, and not necessarily megadoses of the vitamin.

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ROBERT LEE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	GIRLS		BOYS	
				V	JV	V	JV
Nov. 12 & 14	Possible Boys Scrimmage					X	X
Nov. 14	Scrimmage (Eden, Winters, RL)	Eden	5:00	X	X		
Nov. 17	Water Valley	H	4:00	X	X	X*	X*
Nov. 19-21	Blackwell Tourney	T	TBA	X		X	
Nov. 24	Garden City	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 1	Open						
Dec. 4	Garden City	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 8	Sterling City	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 10-12	Robert Lee Tourney	H	TBA	X		X	
Dec. 15	Blackwell	T	5:00	X		X	X
Dec. 18	Sterling City	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 28,29, 31	Reagan Cty. Tourney	T	TBA	X		X	
Jan. 5	Highland	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 8	Water Valley	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 9	Bronte JV Tourney	T	TBA			X	X
Jan. 12	Menard	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 16	Eden	H	6:00	X		X	
Jan. 19	Menard	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 22	*Roscoe	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 26	*Roby	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 28 & 30	Forsan JV Tourney	T	TBA		X		X
Jan. 29	*Bronte	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 2	*Roscoe	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 5	*Roby	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 9	*Bronte	T	4:00	X	X	X	X

Stamp Club

Robert Lee's third grade stamp club elected officers last week. President will be Shanna Hendrix, Colby Eubanks will be vice president, and Jamie Chesshir is secretary. Robert Lee's postmaster, Harrell Johnston, has donated many stamps to the third grade class. The third grade class has received stamps from many parts of the world. The stamp club is a good experience for the third grade class. Jamie Chesshir Secretary Mrs. McCown's 3rd Grade

Personal

Todd Strickland, son of Bob Strickland of Merkel and Mrs. Sharon Kenedy of Winters, is a student at TSTI in Waco. He has been on the President's Honor Roll for the Summer Quarter and the Fall Quarter with a Grade-Point average of 4.0. He is the grandson of Elmer Hurley and Mrs. Marie Strickland of Bronte.

His major is Instrumentation Technology and has done on-the-job training at the building of the Super Collider in Waxahachie and is now working in Houston as part of the training.

RLJH Basketball

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	A&B Girls	A&B Boys
Nov. 16	Water Valley	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Nov. 23	Irion County	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 3	Garden City	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 7	Sterling City	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Dec. 10-12	Sterling City Tournament			A	A
Dec. 14	Bronte	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 7	Water Valley	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 11	Garden City	H	5:00	A&B	A&B
Jan. 18	Irion County	T	5:00	B	B
			6:00	A	A
Jan. 23	Robert Lee "B" Tourney			B	B
Jan. 25	Sterling City	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 1	Bronte	T	5:00	A&B	A&B
Feb. 4&5	Water Valley "A" Tourney			A	A

Personal

Emilee Yanez, daughter of Jack and Jan Yanez, was honored at a Get Acquainted Tea on November 2, in the home of Wanda Oleksiuk.

Pink was the color of choice for Emilee as she reveled in the attention showered on her. A pink tree was decorated with gifts and baby decorations were the theme.

Punch and finger foods were served to a large group of guests.

Serving as hostesses for the tea were: Kei Antilley, Sandie Saucedo, Debbie McCabe, Kelly Millican, Wanda Oleksiuk, Sharon Kelton, Kaye Pitcock, Teena Pierce, Jana Smith, and Marsha Wink.

Runnels Baptist Association

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet for a World Mission Banquet November 16 at Robert Lee Baptist Church, Robert Lee. The executive board and WMU will meet in regular session at 6:00 pm. At 6:30 everyone will meet in the fellowship hall for the banquet.

The associational WMU Director, Mrs. Ramona Akins, is in charge of the program. Luke Smith, Missionary to Peru, will be the speaker.

Church member families and youth mission groups are invited and welcomed to attend.



The 7-3 shift at the Bronte Nursing Home who celebrated Halloween in costume were, Rob Sarbach, Annie Brown, Joyce Wilcox, Donna Barnett, Lavirl Hoyt, Jennifer Sowell, Emma Minjarez and Roberta Wilcox.



The staff of Bronte Nursing Home dressed in Halloween costumes to the delight of the residents on Saturday, Oct. 31. This group from 3-11 shift includes (l-r) Pixie Gilley, Mary Sanchez, Donna Harris, Donna Barnett, Kathy Chunn, and seated are Benny McRorey and Randy Long.



Bronte Nursing Home dietary staff "dressing up" for Halloween were (l-r) Mary Jane Cooper, Mollie Lee, Maxine Hurley, and Candace Beasley.

Singing Winds

The last tournament of the year was Oct. 10, at Singing Winds Golf Course in Bronte.

Results of the 2 person, 27 hole select shot tourney follow. Thirty two teams were entered.

Championship Flight

1st 94 Addison-Hogg
2nd 98 Jerry Burleson-Charles Bobb
won on score card playoff hole #6

3rd 98 Herman-Carter

1st Flight

1st 101 Crooks-Everhart
2nd 104 Caudle-Caudle
3rd 106 Vincent-Lee

2nd Flight

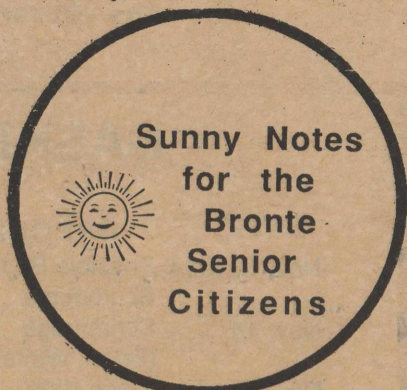
1st 105 Weatherford-Ramirez
won on playoff hole #2
2nd 105 Bailey-Wojtek
3rd 108 Haines-Wood

3rd Flight

1st 111 Johnson-Walston
2nd 114 Webster-Poehls
3rd 115 Horton-Bobo

"What I'm looking for is a blessing that's not in disguise."

Kitty O'Neill Collins



Turkey & The Trimmings

Our regularly scheduled Potluck Luncheon will consist of "Turkey & the Trimmings" for the month of November. We are a week early due to the Thanksgiving holiday which will fall on our regularly scheduled 4th Thursday. So come on Thursday, November 19th and have a traditional feast with us. The Senior Center will prepare the turkey and everyone else is asked to bring the trimmings. We will begin the day with "88" and lunch at 11:30. So come join us even if you aren't a "regular".

Meals for the Monday, Nov. 16th

Ham
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Roll
Cherry Cobbler

Wednesday, Nov. 18th

Chicken Fried Steak
White Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
Broccoli & Cauliflower
Hot Roll

Friday, Nov. 20th

Fried Catfish
Tartar Sauce
Corn O'Brien
Okra Gumbo
Cornbread
Rice Pudding w/Raisins

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.

Personal

Visitors in Edna Carlile's home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Templeton, from Bremerton, Washington. Nancy Templeton is Mrs. Carlile's niece.



Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan of Bronte has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca Sullivan to Alan Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson of Colorado City.

The wedding is scheduled for December 12, at First United Methodist Church in Bronte. The couple will live in San Angelo where they are employed at Lone Star Gym.

The West Coke County Community Development would like to thank the following businesses and individuals who made our 4th Annual Hunter's Barbecue another great success!

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Special thanks to the WCCCD members and the many volunteers who helped in so many ways - as cooks, food preparers, servers, set-up crew, and the clean-up crew. You made it happen!

THANK YOU

To all who supported our effort for a unit road system. Your work with the petition, funding for the ads and especially your votes were greatly appreciated. It's nice to know that some people can see beyond next week and think about the future of our county.

MIS-INFORMATION? INDIFFERENCE? IGNORANCE? OUR FAILURE TO PROPERLY PRESENT THE ISSUE? Whatever the reason, all of Coke County lost in the November 3rd election.

We, along with future generations are still burdened with a costly, inefficient and totally outdated road program that will never be satisfactory.

A balanced budget means very little when you pay more taxes and give up services and benefits in order to obtain it.

Rivers and creeks are crooked because they follow the course of least resistance. Hmmm!!

Thank you again.
Mike Ross