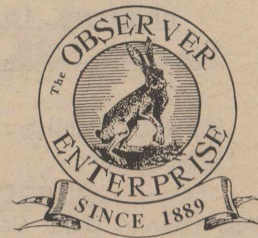


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Local entities give notice of elections

Four local taxing entities have called elections to fill expiring terms on their governing panels.

An election will be held on May 1, 1993, by the Coke County Underground Water Conservation District to fill the positions of two members of the board of directors whose terms expire.

Those whose terms expire

this May are Fred H. McCabe, Jr., from Precinct 3, and R. S. (Bud) Johnson from Precinct 4. One director will be elected from each of the above precincts.

A Notice of Candidacy can be filed with the district by those who wish to have their name placed on the ballot. Forms for that purpose can be obtained from the district office in Robert Lee. The

deadline for filing a Notice of Candidacy is March 17, 1993.

At their meeting Feb. 11, the Robert Lee City Council ordered an election for May 1, 1993, for the election of three council members. Applications for a place on the ballot must be filed at City Hall. The first day for filing was February 15; the last day to file will be March 17, 5 pm.

Those with terms expiring are C. O. (Joe) Brazier, Beth Prather, and Sparks Burdett.

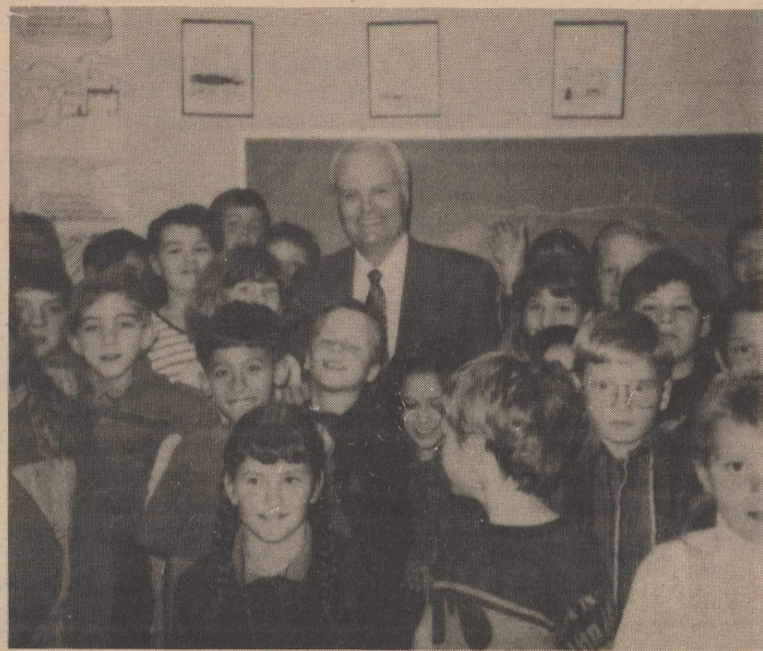
The West Coke County Hospital District board of directors during their February 16 meeting, ordered an election for May 1, 1993. The purpose of the election will be to elect two members of the board of directors. Those on the governing panel whose terms expire are Joy Bagwell and Kenneth Green.

Candidates for these positions may pick up a petition at the WCCHD administration office. The petitions, which require the names of 25 registered voters are needed to file for candidacy, then returned to the administrator's office. The filing deadline is May 17, 1993 at 5 pm.

The Robert Lee ISD school board has called for an election to be held on Saturday, May 1, 1993 for the purpose of electing two board members.

The term of Bill Burns will expire and a vacant position exists on the board due to a resignation.

Applications for a place on the ballot may be obtained at the Superintendent's office Monday through Friday, 8 am - 4 pm, beginning February 15 and ending March 17, 1993.



Bill Chaney, KTAB weatherman, visited with 3rd and 4th grade classes in Robert Lee this week. The students are studying weather in their science classes. Mr. Chaney was here to discuss the importance of television weather forecasting with the students.

Chaney speaks to classes

Television weatherman, Bill Chaney, of KTAB-TV in Abilene paid a visit to Robert Lee 3rd and 4th grade classes Tuesday. Mr. Chaney spoke to the classes about various aspects of weather forecasting, what causes the weather to react as it does, and the educational requirements needed to become a meteorologist.

The students were especially interested in tornadoes. Mr. Chaney explained the weather conditions that are favorable to the formation of tornadoes and went on to tell the students about the different classifications of tornadoes. According to Mr. Chaney Texas had more tornadoes than any other state in the union in 1992, but also

had the least deaths from tornado related incidents.

The classes had prepared questions on 3x5 cards for Mr. Chaney beforehand and he answered them at the end of his program. The students asked some very insightful questions concerning various aspects of weather. One question asked was, "How can a weatherman predict what the weather is going to be like 4 or 5 days away?". With a slight grimace Mr. Chaney replied, "By banging his head on the wall for a while."

However frustrating Mother Nature may prove to be for Bill Chaney the teachers and students of Robert Lee's 3rd and 4th grades appreciated his visit and informative program.

Bronte COC Banquet nears

It is only a week away, the Bronte Chamber of Commerce Awards Banquet. Saturday, February 27, 1993 at 7 pm, in the Community Center is the date and place. Everyone is invited.

Nominations for Citizen of the Year should be given to Chamber directors or the City Hall. A committee will select the citizen to be honored at the banquet. Deadline for nominations is Feb. 22.

Also, nominations for Lifetime Achievement honors must be turned in no later than Monday, Feb. 22. This is a small way to say "Thank You" to a person that has given time and talent to the community for many years without retribution. Last year's recipients were: LeDrew Arrott, Marie Arrott, Virginia Boeck-

ing, Mary and E. F. Glenn, J. F. and Ona Hughes, Frances Kemp, Helen Kirkland, James Lammers, Billy Joe Lockett, J. B. Mackley, Mary and Paul McGuire, Noah Pruitt, Jr., Vera Raney, Flora Smith, and Mozelle Smith.

Tickets for the evening of fun, food, and entertainment can be purchased early for \$6 per person. After Thursday, Feb. 25, all tickets will cost \$7. All directors have tickets to sell or can be purchased at City Hall.

The Shed at Wingate is well known and noted for delicious food and will cater the evening meal.

An evening of entertainment will be 'pickin and singin' by Bryan James, a talented and popular local musician.

See Y'all at the Party!

Upcoming

Br. Lions Club

One of the projects of Bronte Evening Lions Club is to place U. S. flags in the yards of residents and on the front of business buildings in Bronte on National Holidays.

Any person interested in having a flag placed in their yard or business may call Leslie Rolls or R. T. Caperton.

Sorosis Study Club

The Sorosis Study Club of Bronte will host a tea for all ladies of the Bronte area to be held at First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at 7 pm on Thursday, February 25.

Mrs. Marvin (Lynette) Thompson, Baptist missionary to Brutina-Faso, Africa, will be

the featured speaker for the occasion. Her topic will be the various customs of women in this African area.

Special hostesses for the occasion are Jean Fancher, chairperson, Mary Glenn and Ann Hamilton.

All ladies of the area are encouraged and will be cordially welcome to attend this special event.

Tuesday Special

The Coke County Cavaliers will provide c/w music for the Tuesday Special Dance on Feb. 23 at 7:30 pm. Held the 4th Tuesday of each month at the Rec. Hall in Robert Lee, it is for dancers of all ages and tickets are available at the door.

RL boys, girls clinch runners-up spots

The Robert Lee Lady Steers won a nail-biter victory, 44-43, against the Bronte Lady Horns in Ballinger last Friday night. The win gives the girls' squad the District 17-1A runner up title and entitles them to meet Eula, the District 18-1A winner, for Bi-District. The two teams will battle for that title in Coleman at 6:30 pm on Friday, Feb. 19.

The locals started out quickly with an 8 point lead before falling 5 points behind. Late in the second quarter

Gina Putman suffered a dislocated finger and Coach Terry Page came to the rescue when he put the joint back into place. Putman returned to the game later. No critical foul trouble developed for either team and the game outcome down to the last minute of play as the lead changed a number of times.

Scoring big for Robert Lee was Shelbi Grim with 12 points, Lori Wink and Gina Putman contributed 7 each,

Jaclyn Waldrop shot for 6 points along with Carlene Bewick, Shelley Burrows scored 2 as did Kim Carver and Rachel Pentecost.

The boys team has also clinched second place in the District, and will have a practice game, Saturday, Feb. 20, at Greenwood. They will play Wink at 6:30 pm.

Tuesday, Feb. 23, at 7:00 pm, they Steers will play another practice game against Christoval, here at Robert Lee.

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Obituaries

Havins

Elouise T. Havins, 76, died at 11:48 pm, Wednesday, Feb. 10, 1993, in Shannon Medical Center.

Service was held at 1:30 pm Monday, in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel, officiated by Marianne Bowers and Roy Heimbecker. Burial followed in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Havins was born July 9, 1916, in Valley Mills, Texas. She married Cleo M. Havins on April 4, 1959, in San Angelo. She was a member of Eastern Star and held various offices. She was a charter member of the Three Rivers Sams Travel Club and a hairdresser.

Survivors include her husband; three sons and a daughter-in-law; James and Claire Thompson, of Waco, Milton Havins of San Angelo and Terry Havins of Bakersfield, Calif.; two daughters, Jere Jorgensen of San Angelo and Lynda Davis of Kingsland; four sisters and brothers-in-law, Opal Braswell of Waco, LaNell and Gordon Simpson of Fort Worth, Hazel and Bill Powers, and Bobbie and Dorman Sanders, all of Valley Mills; and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Della Reed, and a brother, Lloyd Reed.

Mrs. Havins was the daughter-in-law of late Coke County natives, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Havins.

Buford

Gertrude Wylie Buford, 89, of San Angelo passed away at 11:10 pm Friday, Feb. 12, 1993, in a local nursing home.

Service was at 3 pm Monday, in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel, officiated by Dr. J. Earl Dunn, pastor of Harris

Odd Couple

Three familiar community boosters, Shannon Medical Center, The Standard Times, and WTU are sponsoring Neil Simon's female version of THE ODD COUPLE at the Angelo Civic Theatre.

According to Director Don Wellen, "ACT presents a season of theatre for the whole family. These three concerned businesses, alongside our patrons and other supporters, allow us to present quality theatre at an affordable price." THE ODD COUPLE plays March 25-27, March 4-6.

Avenue Baptist Church. Burial was at 4:30 pm in Fairview Cemetery in Bronte, Texas.

Mrs. Buford was born Feb. 24, 1903, in Coke County, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harwell, early pioneers of Coke County. She married E. K. Buford Sept. 2, 1920, in Ballinger, and they lived in Bronte until 1947 when they moved to McCamey, Texas. E. K. Buford preceded her in death in 1977. Mrs. Buford was also preceded in death by one granddaughter, Cheryl Jean Buford, Jan. 31, 1960. In 1978, Mrs. Buford moved to San Angelo. Gertrude Buford was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church in McCamey, Texas, for many years.

She is survived by three children, Robert Louis Buford and wife, Ruth, of Monahans, and Ernestine Van Zandt and Douglas Buford, both of San Angelo; seven grandchildren, LaNelle Johnson and husband, Raymond, of Houston, Kenneth Van Zandt of Houston, Cindy Hilley and husband, Harold, of Burleson, Robert Van Zandt of Winters, Ron Buford and wife, Rebecca, of Hurst, Texas, Lana Jones and husband, Gordon, of Eldorado, and Karen Moore and husband, Billy, of Lindale, Texas; 15 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and two sisters, Mrs. Russel Haney and Myrtle Harwell, both of Roscoe, sister-in-law, Mrs. (Margie) Chester Harwell of Robert Lee, and a brother-in-law, Claude Gentry of Bronte. Also surviving are many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were her grandsons.

Br. Valentine King and Queen

Robert Montis and Mable Myers were crowned Mr. and Mrs. Valentine on Friday night, Feb. 12, at Bronte Nursing Home.

They were selected by the other residents and staff members.

Outgoing Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Claud Gentry and Leona Spivey crowned the two.

Margaret Martin played love songs on the piano from the era of the youth of most of the residents.

Tables were decorated with a Valentine motif. Cookies and red punch were served to 29 residents and several family members.



Bronte Senior Center Mr. and Mrs. Valentine, Robert Montis and Mable Myers.

Civic Theatre to Open

"The Odd Couple"

The box office will for Angelo Civic Theatre's production of the female version of THE ODD COUPLE on Friday, February 19.

Neil Simon's famous comedy closes the gender gap. Instead of poker with the guys we begin with a group of the girls assembled for an evening of Trivial Pursuits.

By rewriting his popular play of the 1960's, Simon demonstrates that the comic theme of "neat-nick" meets the slob, for better or worse, is a fertile topic for the female gender. Guys or gals, the outcome is an evening of comedy and fun - Neil Simon style!

Shelah Hatfield, as the messy Olive Madison, is paired with Mimi Brooks, who plays the meticulously neat Florence Unger. Playing the girlfriends are: Maxine Sanders, Donna Halfman, Dorothy Faye Young, and Donna Browning as Mickey the Cop. Ed Rivas and Dennis Irons are featured as the charming and eager Costazuela Brothers. Don Wellen directs, Mark Cullimore serves as stage manager.

THE ODD COUPLE plays March 25-27, March 4-6. Box office hours are Monday through Saturday from noon to 5:30 pm. All seats are reserved. Call 949-4400 for reservations and information.

Personal

Kenneth Campbell of Bronte underwent brain surgery Wednesday, Feb. 17, at Zale-Lipsky University Medical Center in Dallas. Recovery will require several days.

UPCOMING

Blackwell B-ball

Blackwell's girls, District 27-1A Champions, will play Christoval, runner-up of District 28-1A for Bi-District Friday night (tonight) in Ballinger at 6:30 pm.

MHMR Meeting Open To Public

MHMR Services for the Concho Valley, in conjunction with the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, will meet at 7:00 pm, February 25, in the Jack H. Ray Memorial Auditorium, 1501 W. Beauregard, to receive comments on developing the 1993-1994 strategic plan for local mental health services.

The intent of this plan is to

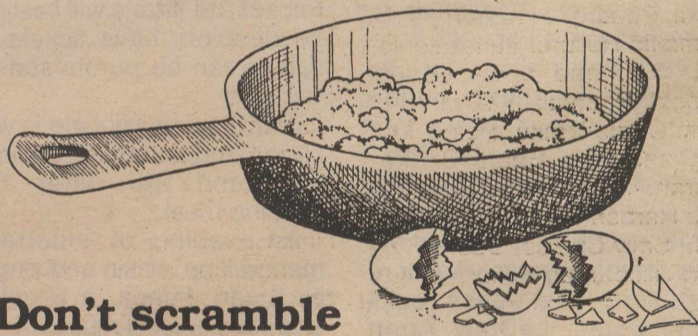
develop programs for the improvement and expansion of existing services.

Nutrition for the Elderly

Mary Kinney Bielamowicz, Professor and Nutrition Specialist with Texas A & M University, will be the guest speaker at the Robert Lee Senior Citizen Building on February 22, at 12:15 pm. Her topic will consist of nutrition for the elderly. This is open to anyone who would like to attend. You need not be a senior citizen to come hear Dr. Bielamowicz.

If you plan to attend and eat the meal, please contact Kelly Millican by Friday, February 19, by 11:00 am.

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Rolls couple celebrates anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rolls of Bronte were honored Saturday, Feb. 6, from 3-5 pm, on their 50th Wedding Anniversary. The celebration was held at First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall in Bronte.

Hosting the occasion were their children and grandchildren: daughter, Patricia Kinney of Sunrise, Florida and her daughter, Cynthia Kinney, of Phoenix, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butler of Hondo, TX., and their children, Rhett Butler of Alpine, TX., and Bart Butler of Austin, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. (Otis) Rolls and their son, Blake, of Fairbanks, Alaska, and San Angelo, TX.

Edith Drake of Strawn, TX., and Leslie Rolls of Aransas Pass, Texas, were married on Feb. 10, 1943, in Rockport, Texas. Since that time they have made their home in several places including Harbor Island, Hearn, and Crane. They moved to Bronte in 1966 to work for Atlantic Pipeline Pump Station. He had previously worked for Fina Oil Co.

Edith and Leslie have been involved with church activities at First Baptist Church in Bronte. Leslie is an officer in Bronte Evening Lions Club. Edith is involved with her hobbies of cooking and crafts and they both enjoy gardening.

The fellowship hall was decorated in an attractive theme, heavily laden tables of party food was served to 102 guests including relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Alderson of Lewisville, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Alderson of Uvalde, TX.; a 91 year old aunt of Leslie's, Amanda Alderson, of Lampasas, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. Stillman Alderson, Lampasas, TX.; Dewayne Alderson, Odessa, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pearce, Houston, TX.; Erma Jo Hullum, San Antonio, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Arnold, Pearsall, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Drake, Point, TX.; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Drake, Sarah, and Caleb, Roscoe, TX.; Herbert Rolls, of Portland, TX.; Sally Curtiss, Odem, TX.; and Billie Jean Miller, Sinton TX.

A&M Mothers Club

The San Angelo A & M University Mothers' Club is offering a scholarship of \$1,000 for students currently enrolled in Texas A & M University.

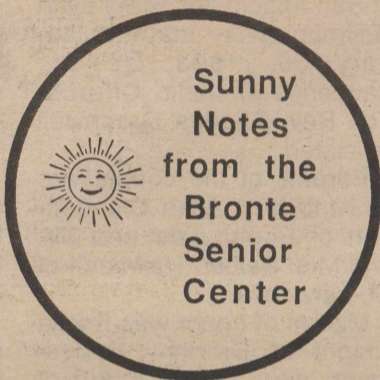
Applicants must be from Tom Green or adjoining counties, have completed at least two semesters at Texas A & M University by September 1993 and be an upper class student -- Sophomore, Junior or Senior.

Application forms may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Ronald M. Mapes, 1626 Parkview, San Angelo, Texas 76904, or by calling (915) 9499246. Applications must be returned by April 16, 1993.

Anyone interested in the Club's "Student Loan Program" may contact its Chairperson, Mrs. Ralph Hoelscher, Rt. 2, Box 50, Miles, Texas 76861, or by calling (915) 468-2592.



Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rolls.



Potluck Time Again!

Thursday, Feb. 25th is our next scheduled Potluck luncheon. We begin with "88" at 9:00 am, will have a program from Ballinger Home Health and lunch will be served at 11:45. Come join us.

Get your hearing tested.

Beltone Hearing Aid Service will be in Bronte at the Bronte Senior Center on Wednesday, March 3rd. from 11:00 am to 2 pm. There is no charge for this service.

Upcoming Events.

Book Review by Joe Peacock March 10th.

One Act Play by Bronte High School March 22.

Bingo March 25.

Memory can improve with mental exercise.

by Baylor College of Medicine Part III

Sequence: Remember things in sequence. If you can easily visualize and remember neighbor's homes, then memorize a list in the order of the houses. Go down the block and visualize each house to trigger a certain item on a list.

Space Practice: It is better to learn or memorize some-

thing over a long period of time. Ten minutes a day for six days is more effective than one hour for one day.

Alternating Concentration: Learn to concentrate more effectively by practicing in difficult situations. Read a book for ten minutes with the television very loud. Then put down the book and look at the television for ten minutes. Repeat this several times to develop the ability to block out distractions. On average, most people can memorize between five and nine items of information as a group, said Pirozzolo. "It is very important that when exercising the memory, the individual recognize these limits. Do not try to memorize too much, or the exercise will become more frustrating than helpful."

Menu For The Week Monday, Feb. 22

Bar-B-Que Brisket Pickle, Relish, Sliced Tomatoes

Wednesday, Feb. 24

Salisbury Steak Pork N Beans Mustard Greens

Friday, Feb. 26

Corn Bread Peach Half Ham

Sweet Potatoes Green Beans Hot Roll Cherry Cobbler

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Serious strep infections increasing

Most streptococcal (strep) infections are generally common and easily curable. However, in the past five years physicians have noted an increase in more serious "invasive" strep infections, which affect the entire system, not just a localized area.

"The increase we've seen in more serious strep infections make it extremely important for people to get prompt medical attention for infections, persistent sore throats

Look Who's New!

Rebecca Pearl Browning

Rebecca Pearl Browning is the new daughter of Tammy Jo Robinson and Billy Ray Browning, Jr., of Robert Lee, born Wednesday, Feb. 10th, at 10:17 pm, in Shannon Medical Center. She weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz. and was 19 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Thomas and Tomi Robinson of Robert Lee, Ora Pearl Scott of Andrews, Texas, and Bill and Judy Browning of Denver City, Texas.

Great-grandparents are Ben and Cordi Keith of Andrews, Texas, Curtis Garrett of Robert Lee, and Leonard and Blanche Browning of Winchester, Texas.

Great-great-grandmother is Erma Lee Hudman of Robert Lee. This is the second great-great-grandchild in less than a week's time for Mrs. Hudman.

Look Who's New!

Brittany Candis Dunn

Brittany Candis Dunn is the new daughter of Benjamin and Echo Dunn of Wichita, Kansas, born Thursday, Feb. 4th, at 5:35 pm in Kansas. She weighed 8 lbs. 7 1/2 oz, and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Dick and Stephanie Leonard of Blackwell, Ernie and Kathy Dunn of Woodward, Oklahoma and David and Judy Buchanan of Kansas.

Great-grandparents are Nita Killian of Midland, Texas and Roberta Bartleson of Kansas.

Great-great-grandmother is also Erma Lee Hudman of Robert Lee.

Look Who's New!

Terry Foster Allen

Shelly and Clay Allen of Robert Lee became the delighted parents of their first child with the arrival of their son, Terry Foster Allen, on Feb. 12 at 1:16 am. He was born at Angelo Community Hospital weighing 6 lb. 10 oz. and measured 19 1/2 inches long.

His pleased family includes his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Grosshans of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen of Robert Lee; great-grandmothers Mrs. Laura Cole of Robert Lee and Mrs. Esther Stahnke of Lincoln, Nebraska; and his aunt and uncle, Stephen and Sterling Myers of Robert Lee.

Terry Foster Allen will be the sixth generation to live on the family ranch at Hayrick.

or wounds which are red and swollen," said Chuck Barto, M. D., medical examiner of Methodist Hospital's Adult Emergency Center.

Dr. Barton give the following symptoms and summary of the more serious forms of strep infections:

Rheumatic fever - Recent outbreaks of this inflammatory condition, which is preceded by strep throat, have been reported across the country. Symptoms begin to appear one to two weeks after an untreated throat infection and include weakness or shortness of breath caused by inflammation of the heart; uncontrolled movement of the limbs and face; lumps under the skin; raised, red skin patches and joint pain that moves from one joint to the other. "Prompt treatment of strep throat can prevent rheumatic fever," Dr. Barton said. "Sore throats with fever that last more than 24 hours should be evaluated by a physician."

Strep-induced toxic shock - This strep infection often starts with a simple skin abrasion, but within hours can overwhelm the body, causing blood pressure to drastically drop and damaging vital organs. The chances of contracting this strain of strep are slim - only 3,000 cases are reported nationwide annually. Symptoms of strep-induced toxic shock include a patch of skin or wound that is red or swollen, extreme pain following a minor injury, chills, diarrhea and high fever. This type

of strep infection can follow chicken pox - open sores provide an entry for the germs.

Streptococcal blood infection - This systemic infection has characteristics similar to strep-induced toxic shock but progresses more slowly and often affects those weakened by an underlying illness.

According to Dr. Barton, antibiotic treatment is the first step in fighting off any type of strep infection.

"Many people do not realize how important it is to finish all their antibiotic medication," he said. "They feel better after several days and stop taking the medicine. But, antibiotics can't eliminate slow-growing bacteria from the system unless they're finished. By not finishing antibiotics, people put themselves at risk for a relapse or rheumatic fever."

Clendennen feted with shower

A bridal shower honoring Becky Clendennen, bride-elect of Ricky Halfmann, was held January 16, 1993 at the Robert Lee Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

Hostesses for the shower were: Bobbie Allen, Peggy Davis, Debbie Wilkes, Pansy Bloodworth, Jeffie Roberts, Maxine Post, Deana Baker, Annette Percifull, Olene Sims, D'Ann Eubanks, Teri Key, Glenda Service, Sarah Green, Fredda McCabe, Margaret Epperson, Joyce Dodson, Mary Beth Drennan, Virginia Milliff, Sammie Jo Baker, Shirley White, Missy Herring and Carolyn Long.

Friends and several family members of both the bride and groom were able to attend.



Mrs. Ricky Halfmann

Clendennen, Halfmann wed

Rebecca Lynn Clendennen of San Angelo and Ricky Lynn Halfmann were married January 30, 1993, at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. The Rev. Charles Greenwell officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clendennen of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Halfmann of St. Lawrence.

Matron of honor was Ericka Knight of Bronte. Bridesmaids were Deana Baker of Irving, Rebecca Mann of San Angelo, Danielle Halfmann, Sherri Halfmann, and Jennifer Halfmann. Flower girl was Ashley Knight of Bronte.

Best man was Scott Halfmann. Groomsmen were Brad Eggemeyer and Jeff Ayers, both of Wall, Darrel Halfmann, Paul Bruton, and Wendell Halfmann. Ring Bearer was Russ Eggemeyer of Midkiff.

Ushers were Scott Robertson and Doug Hoelscher, both of San Angelo, Paul Knight of Bronte, Scott Driver of Big Spring and Dennis

Hoelscher. The bride is a 1987 graduate of Robert Lee High School and received a bachelor's degree in finance from Angelo State University in 1991.

Her husband is a 1986 graduate of Garden City High School and attended Angelo State University. He is a self-employed farmer.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the couple will live in St. Lawrence.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Texas Utilities Electric Company (TU Electric), in accordance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act, publishes this statement of intent to change rates applicable throughout the territory in which it provides electric service. All of its customers and classes of customers will be affected. The proposed rate changes are expected to result in a \$760,253,740, or 15.32 percent, increase in TU Electric's fully adjusted test-year revenues. The increase requested over test-year revenues, adjusted only for those matters specified in Public Utility Commission of Texas Rule of Practice and Procedure 21.22(b), is \$757,151,575, or 15.24 percent. The effective date of the proposed rate changes is February 26, 1993, or as soon thereafter as permitted by law.

A complete copy of the proposed rate changes is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and at each of TU Electric's business offices.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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RL Lunch Menu

Monday, Feb. 22
Steak Fingers w/gravy
Cream Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Rolls
Fruit
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 23
Pizza
Corn
Salad
Peanut Butter Brownies
Milk

Wednesday, Feb. 24
Mexican Casserole
Refried Beans
Spanish Rice
Crackers
Applecrisp
Milk

Thursday, Feb. 25
Barbecue Wieners
Ranch Beans
Potato Salad
Hot Rolls
Fresh Fruit
Milk

Friday, Feb. 26
Hamburgers
Pickle, Tomato, Onion
Tator Tots
Cowboy Cookies
Milk

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HEALTH NOTES

Barefoot Is Best

Children's feet develop best when they are barefoot. That finding comes from studies of barefoot populations. While it may not always be appropriate for children to go barefoot, researchers at Children's Hospital in Seattle say shoe selection should be based on a barefoot model.

Specifically, Dr. Lynn Staheli says footwear should be flexible, flat, quadrangular, and porous. Shoes that are too short may cause deformity and shoes that are too long may cause a child to be clumsy and fall. She says sole friction should be equivalent to that of the bare foot. Avoid soles that are slippery or those that create excessive friction.

The report in the journal *Pediatrics* says corrective characteristics of certain shoes may be beneficial, such as those featuring shock absorption, load distribution and elevation. It also says treatment for children with flexible flatfeet is probably unnecessary and ineffective.

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Josie Sims and Pam Shaffer enjoy dancing to Margaret Martin's piano music Feb. 12, at the Valentine Party for Bronte Nursing Home.

BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

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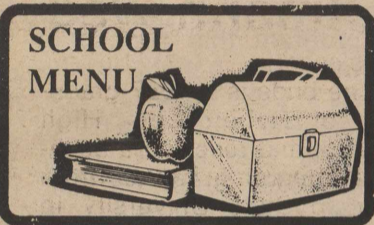
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 Benny and Jackie Corley



Br. Breakfast Menu

- Monday, Feb. 22**
 Pancake & Sausage on a Stick
 Grape Juice
 Toast
 Milk
- Tuesday, Feb. 23**
 Cereal
 Peaches
 Apple Pastry
 Milk
- Wednesday, Feb. 24**
 Sausage
 Orange Juice
 Pancakes
 Milk
- Thursday, Feb. 25**
 Cheese Toast
 Pineapple Tidbits
 Milk
- Friday, Feb. 26**
 Scrambled Eggs
 Apple Juice
 Biscuit
 Milk

Br. Lunch Menu

- Monday, Feb. 22**
 Pizza
 Tossed Salad
 Butter Corn
 Milk
- Tuesday, Feb. 23**
 Chicken Nuggets w/gravy
 Creamed Potatoes
 Green Beans
 Rolls
 Milk
 Chocolate Pudding
- Wednesday, Feb. 24**
 Hot Dogs
 Chili & Cheese
 Tator Tots
 Ranch Style Beans
 Bun
 Milk
 Cherry Cobbler
- Thursday, Feb. 25**
 Spaghetti w/meat sauce
 Tossed Salad
 Diced Pears
 Bread Sticks
 Milk
- Friday, Feb. 26**
 Mr. Rib Sandwich
 Pinto Beans
 Macaroni & Cheese
 Bun
 Milk

Dyess "Appreciation Day"

Dyess has proclaimed Sunday, April 4, as "Big Country Appreciation Day". This day is set aside to thank Big Country residents for their continued support and friendship.

The main gate to Dyess will open to the public at 10:00 am and close at 4:00 pm. Admission to this annual event is free.

Highlighting this year's event are performances by the world renowned Air Force precision aerial demonstration team, the Thunderbirds and the Army's precision jumping team the Golden Knights. In addition, there will be static display aircraft to include both active duty airplanes and planes from the Confederate Air Force.

Flyovers are planned by such noted and familiar aircraft as the B-1B Lancer bomber, KC-135 Stratotanker and C-130 Hercules and various other aircraft from across the nation.

There will be concession booths, displays and demonstrations throughout the day.

For the safety and well being of your pet, officials ask that you leave them at home.

For additional information on Dyess' Big Country Appreciation Day, contact the public affairs office at (915) 696-2864.

Morris and Lee Exchange Vows

Stephanie Ann Morris of San Angelo and Troy Don Lee of Winters were married Feb. 13, 1993, at First Baptist Church. The Rev. Garry Bivins officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. John E. Morris of Dimmitt and Mrs. Judy Gripp of San Angelo. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lee of Winters.

Maid of honor was Heather L. Davis of San Angelo. Bridesmaids were Starla Solomon of San Angelo, and Slade Harkleroad of Dallas. Flower girl was Shelby Lippe of Merkel.

Best man was Kerry Lee of El Paso. Groomsmen were Robbie Cooper and Domingo Patlan, both of Vernon. Ring bearer was Zachary Morris of Dimmitt.

Ushers were Tommy Morris and Jeffery Morris, both of San Angelo, and John Cervenka of Plano.

Mrs. Lee is a 1987 graduate of Reagan County High School and is attending Angelo State University. She is employed by Surety Title Co.

Her husband is a 1985 graduate of Bronte High School and is employed by Reece Albert, Inc.

After a wedding trip to Winter Park, Colo., the couple will live in San Angelo.



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Nursing Home. 307 W. 8th - Robert Lee. E.O.E.
 28a-2tc

NOTICES

NOTICE
West Texas Cablevision will begin preparation for overhead cable installation in Bronte next week. In order to install the cable West Texas Cablevision will be removing limbs from some trees. FMI call: 1-800-588-4657.
 28a-2tc

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MISC

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TX Dept. Transportation

The Texas Department of Transportation would like to announce the continuation of a program that can be of tremendous benefit to students in Coke County.

Last year, 1992, was the inaugural year for TxDOT's Conditional Grant Program which offers full civil engineering scholarships and stipends based on need to qualified minority students. A total of 37 of these scholarships were awarded last year to students statewide and from the west Texas area. The program will continue this year with approximately 10 or more scholarships to be granted to outstanding Texas minority students.

Applications may be ordered by calling the enclosed telephone number or may be picked up at our District Office at Loop 306 and Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo. Deadline for receipt of applications is March 1, 1993.

For any questions or additional information about the program, please contact Mark Tomlinson, P. E. in the San Angelo office at (915) 944-1501 or Fae Bomar in the Austin office at (512) 475-3116.

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Interact Show for Kids

For our first children's theatre show, ACT's InterACT play, **THE INVISIBLE DRAGON**, will be cast with adults and mature teens. The guiding idea is to do a play for children. Auditions will be on Monday, February 15, 7:00 pm, at the ACT Rehearsal Hall.

Lisa Sorrells will direct this One-Act play that calls for 3 men, 2 women, 1 storyteller and half dozen extras. The story revolves around a Princess who thinks of nothing but herself. A Prince and a Dragon enter the scene and the Princess learns about sharing and helping other people. Anyone interested is encouraged to audition.

THE INVISIBLE DRAGON will play March 25, 26, 27; April 1, 2, and 3. All evening showtimes will be at 7:30 pm. The play will last about one hour and the early starting time will ensure that bedtimes are not missed. Also, there will be Saturday afternoon matinees on the 27th and 1st at 2:00 pm.

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COUNTRY AGENTS
NEWS

by Tommy Antilley
Coke County Agent

Weeds and Range Management

The relatively mild winter has resulted in the germination of many broadleaf plants. Annual broomweed seedlings are abundant in many areas of the state. Broadleaf plants may be desirable or undesirable depending on management objectives. Grass production can be reduced significantly if these broadleaf plants develop to a mature stand. To improve grass production, the broadleaf plants are easily controlled with herbicides if the infestation is recognized when the plants are in a seedling stage of growth. Ranchers should be encouraged to survey their rangeland now to determine if a weed infestation is present.

Grazon P+D, Weedmaster, 2, 4-D, Grazon PC, Banvel or Ally (Escort) provide excellent control of most broadleaf weeds when applied at the proper time. Ally does not control western ragweed.

Following are a few "rules of thumb" that are used in the art and science of range management.

*Weed control will increase grass production one pound for every pound of weeds removed.

*Weeds can economically be controlled if they exceed a density of 8 plants per square yard.

*Pastures should be reseeded if desirable plants make up less than 10% of the total vegetation.

*With proper grazing only

25% of each year's annual forage production is consumed by livestock.

*Insects, rabbits, trampling, etc. consume 25% of each year's forage production.

*Proper grazing equates to take half, leave half.

*Rangeland can be stocked at 1 to 1.5 animal units per section for every inch of annual rainfall received.

With these rules of thumb in mind producers should evaluate their range or pasture each spring and determine if you have a weed problem, what and how much forage can you expect and make some sound management decisions for utilization of forage produced. Remember, you are actually selling grass or forage produced rather than pounds of lamb, calves or wool. No grass, no pounds, pure and simple.

Poems

by Janis Fowler
Give Us This Day

Dear Lord give us this one, meaningful Day;
That we might please You in some special Way.
All our days are filled with our own worries and Woes.
And our hours are spent meaningless, on all of our Foes.
How was Your Day, Lord, and how did You Fare?
Were we very unruly, and You felt we didn't Care?
I know Lord, that we try to solve things, sometimes on our Own;
When all we really need to do, is bring our prayers on Home.
Please, be patient with us Lord, for the mortals that we Are;
And never think that we've forgotten, that You're our guiding Star.
So, Dear Lord, give us this one meaningful Day;
That we might please You, in some special Way.

A Plan of Salvation

There was a Man who walked this World Alone;
And as He traveled, twelve others came Along.
He tried to teach us, about His Father's Life;
And how we could live, without pain or Strife.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,
I have learned that I don't have to live on the North Slope of Alaska to experience below zero temperatures and a continuous world of snow! When I went to bed last night, I could still see snow piled up on the north side of our streets since November 21. Then, when I awoke this morning, February 10th, again I found deep snow covering all the earth around.

This Coke County Rabbit Twister is learning how to deal with snow problems. When the snow let up, Felix rushed outside and began to scoop three inches of snow from off our driveway. He explained that if the heaps of snow remained there, we would find the frozen cement would wrinkle and remain ugly and wrinkled. By noon, snow plows were running up and down our two way streets leaving high snow piles in the center.

Since the sun has come out, once again I put on my Eskimo boots with my insulated pants and jacket and along with those who ski, we get out and enjoy the snow!

Pauline Thyfault
1601 N. College #139
Ft. Collins, CO 80524

But, humans that we are; we just could not See;
How this kind of life and salvation, could possible Be.
I sometimes wonder, what it would have been Like;
Just to walk along with Him and talk of His Plight.
This Man walked among us for some thirty-six Years;
Only helping others and drying many Tears.
I really think it sad, for what people had to Do;
For His Father's plan for our salvation, to finally come Through.
We hung him on an old wooden cross, high on a Hill;
And He prayed to His Father, to forgive us Still.
We put a crown of thorns on His Head, for the King that He Was;
Never remembering the reason He came, or for the Cause.
But humans that we are; we just could not See;
How this kind of life and salvation could possibly Be.

Omega Coterie

by Bea Murray, Reporter

The Omega Coterie Club of Blackwell met Feb. 10th, in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Laura Seale, president, presided over a short business session. The members made Valentines for the Bronte Nursing Home.

Sue Parker and Verla Smith were hostesses and served delicious refreshments from a Valentine decorated table to Mmes: Margaret Stout, Jane Wheat, Colene Fletcher, Mildred Wood, Joyce Jones, Eppie Crain, Frances Green, Shirley Walston, Luvene Akins, Laura Seale, Marie Romine, Bea Murray, and Rosemary Ten Eyck.

Next meeting will be March 10th.

Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum

Poems are now being accepted for entry in Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum's new "Awards of Poetic Excellence" poetry contest. Cash prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded, including a \$500 grand prize. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes March 31, 1993, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible. Poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the Fall 1993 edition of *Poetic Voices of America*, a hardcover anthology to be published in Oct. 1993. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by May 31, 1993.

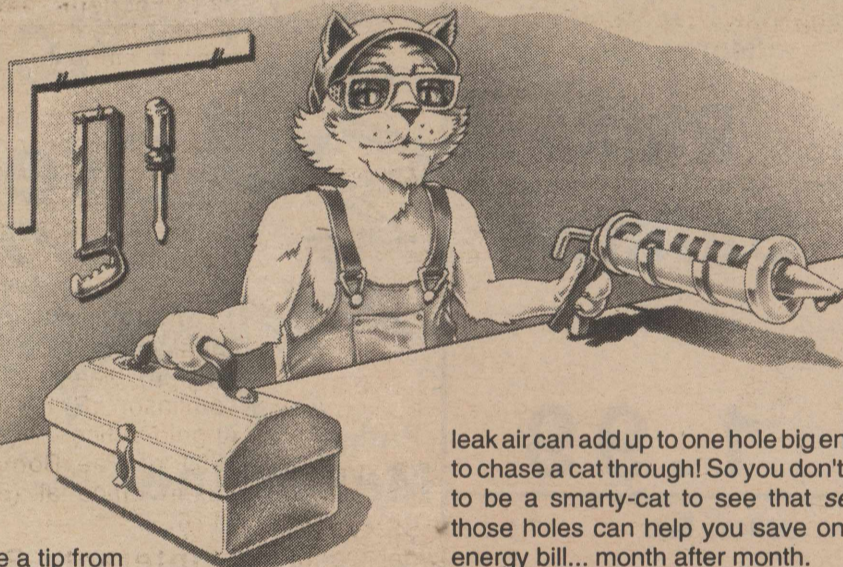
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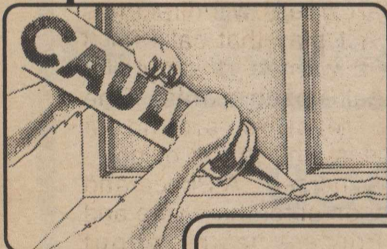
Take a tip from HandyCat and save! This weekend, inspect your home for all those *little* places where you could start saving energy... and money!

Look for cracks around windows, doors and plumbing wall joints that leak air from your home. Air you pay to heat or cool. HandyCat knows all those little holes that

leak air can add up to one hole big enough to chase a cat through! So you don't have to be a smarty-cat to see that *sealing* those holes can help you save on your energy bill... month after month.

When it's time to replace your worn out furnace or air conditioner, install a high-efficiency, energy-saving electric heat pump that will help keep you comfortable—*better*—year-round. For more information on state-of-the-art heat pumps, call WTU or your favorite heating and air conditioning supplier.

Try These Energy-Saving Tips From WTU For Lowering Your Monthly Electric Bill

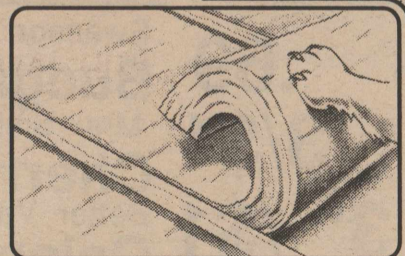
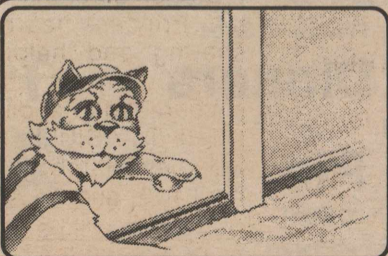
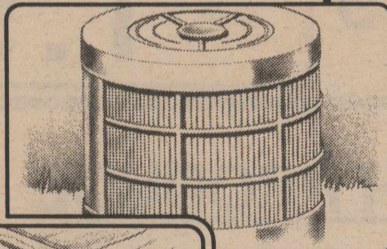


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Swanson Asst. Flavors & Sizes

Budget Dinners **1.09**

Mrs. Smith's **Cherry Pie** 26 oz. **2.89**

Better Valu Frozen **Onion Rings** 16 oz. bag **.99**

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