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Upcoming

Public Meeting

The City Council of Robert Lee will hold a public meeting on February 10, 1994 at 7:00 pm in the District Courtroom located in the Coke County Courthouse. Topic to be discussed will be the Curfew Ordinance. The City Council would like the opinion of citizens of Robert Lee and encourage the public to attend.

The Curfew Ordinance is

available for review at the City Hall.

Updating 911

The Bronte Nursing Home is updating its 911 records. If you have moved, changed your address or telephone number we need to know. We are updating our records.

Please write or call 473-3621 Monday - Friday- 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

FB membership week set

County Judge Royce Lee has signed a proclamation designating February 7-11 as "Farm Bureau Membership Week" in Coke County.

The week is part of a statewide observance during which county Farm Bureaus will make a special effort to enroll new members, according to Bobby Roberts of Robert Lee, president of the Coke County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Roberts is also chairman of the membership committee which is responsible for membership acquisition and maintenance.

"The Texas Farm Bureau, with more than 293,000 member families, is influential in both state and national affairs on behalf of agriculture,"

the proclamation reads.

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

Bobby Roberts said the local county Farm Bureau has 740 member families and is seeking to exceed that figure in 1994.

He said that the Farm Bureau is a general farm organization that seeks to improve income and living conditions of farm and ranch families. It represents the farmer and rancher at the local county courthouse, in Austin, and in the nation's capital, Washington, D.C.



Judge Royce Lee signing a proclamation declaring February 7-11 as Farm Bureau membership week.

Notice

Due to a scheduling conflict with the Thursday, February 10, Robert Lee city meeting on a local curfew, the Coke County Emergency Management meeting time has been set for 6 pm, February 10, (rather than 7). Both meetings will be in the county courtroom.

Red Canyon Archery Shoot

Red Canyon Archery Club will hold a 3D Club Shoot on Sunday, February 6, at 1:00 pm. The shoot will be conducted at the local range in Robert Lee. Everyone is welcome to participate. The club is seeking new members.

WCCCD

West Coke County Community Development will meet in general session Monday night, February 7, at 7:00 pm in the board room of the Robert Lee State Bank. Members should come to the front door next to the drive-in window. Take an interest in your community.

Gospel Singing

The Ole' Fashion Gospel Singing is scheduled for Sunday, February 6 at 2 p.m. This regular monthly meeting will be held at Central Baptist Church in Bronte. Everyone is cordially invited.

PTA meeting

The Robert Lee Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the school cafeteria on Thursday, Feb. 10, at 7 pm. Ms. Lisa Wegner, with Child Protective Services, will be the guest speaker.

School News

Water Valley dodged the bullet Tuesday when UIL biennial district alignments for 1994 through 1996 were announced. School officials knew their enrollment was borderline but did stay in 1A by a hair. They will compete next season in 11-1A football with Robert Lee, Bronte, Sterling City, Roscoe and Garden City.

Sterling City, Bronte, Robert Lee, Roscoe and Roby will play in 27-1A basketball next season.



Robert Lee snowfall accumulations amounted to 2" on Saturday and 4" more on Monday.



SNOW! SNOW! SNOW! It was plentiful Saturday morning! Chloe Grigg, assisted by two of her aunts, built these three snowmen that she is pictured alongside. The scene was the front yard of her grandparents, Jerry and Pam Parker, north of Bronte. Chloe is the two year-old daughter of Bill and DeAnn Grigg.

M.A.D.D. Meeting

A public meeting for any Coke County resident will be held Wednesday, February 9, 1994 at 8:15 p.m. at the Bronte First Baptist Church fellowship hall.

This meeting will be to organize a CAT, or Concerned Citizens Action Team, of Coke County parents interested in the drug and alcohol problem that our teenagers are facing today in Bronte and Robert

Mothers Against Drunk Driving and CAT(Citizens Action Team) does not intend to be a sounding board of complaints against particular persons but will tell parents what they can do legally to protect our teenagers against the availability of alcohol and drugs in this area.

Please come and support this organizing team.

A guest speaker who lost her 18 year old son in a drunk driving accident in Coleman County, Edwina Hopper, will speak. Edwina is MADD president of the Big Country

For information call Brenda Beck at 282-2901.

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SSCOC to host youth rally

The Southside Church of Christ of Robert Lee is hosting its Fifth Annual Youth Rally this coming Saturday, February 5th. Registration for the Rally will begin at about 2:30 that afternoon at the West Coke County Recreation Center. It will include a meal, and should end around 7:00 that evening. Last year over 250 guests were registered from Ballinger, Bronte, Coleman, Colorado City, Del Rio,

Service named **Employee** of the Year

Jay Lyn Service of Robert Lee has been named 1993 Employee of the Year by the Colorado River Municipal Water District. President John L. Taylor recently presented him with a plaque and a \$500 check in honor of his over-all skills and dedication to the district in his maintenance division position at Lake Spence.

A Coke County native, Jay Lyn is a Robert Lee High School graduate. He joined the district in 1974.

His wife, Celeste, is attending ASU, working toward an elementary ed degree. The couple has two sons, Nicklas and R. J.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr., live in Robert Lee, also.

Ballinger COC

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will celebrate its annual banquet "Our Town". Thursday, February 24, 1994, at 7:29 pm in the Ballinger High School Cafeteria.

The program will feature the honoring of 1993 Board Chairperson Bob Boone by 1994 Board Chairperson, Ken Kvapil...introduction of 1993 Citizen of the Year by 1992 Citizen of the Year recipients Jim Studer and Ed Studer...awards to outgoing Board Members...special presentations by the Junior Chamber of Commerce...and the speaker for the evening will be Gary Karschner of San Angelo. Door prizes will be awarded throughout the

Tickets will be available at the door or may be purchased in advance from any Board of Director or the Chamber office. For additional information contact the Chamber of Commerce office at 365-2333 or 365-5611.

Lubbock, Odessa, Ozona, Paint Rock, Post, San Angelo, Seminole, Sonora, Sterling City, and Winters. Additional groups from Midland and Abilene have preregistered this year.

All Robert Lee youth in Jr. High and Sr. High are invited to join these youth from the surrounding area to hear two groups of Lubbock Christian Univeristy students, "Best Friends" and "Kings Heirs," who will present in song and drama the day's theme: "The Family." Speaking during the meal will be LCU teacher, John Paul Blakenship.

Both LCU student groups travel numerous weekends each semester representing the college, plus longer tours during school breaks. "Best Friends" is a ten member singing group made up of LCU students from Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma. Under the direction of John Paul Blakenship, the group has toured coast to coast, and each summer they travel to Europe to perform at U. S. military bases. "Kings Heirs" is an eight member drama group directed by student James Cutrera. The cast includes two members from Robert Lee: Wes Horn, a Senior Liberal Arts major, and Russ Horn, a Sophomore Math major. Wes and Russ are the sons of Jerry and Mimzi Horn of Robert Lee.

The visiting college students will spend Saturday night in the homes of members of the Southside Church of Christ, and individuals from "Best Friends" and "Kings Heirs" will lead in Sunday's Bible Study at 10:00 am. The morning worship at 11:00 o'clock will be led by members of the congregation who are currently college students: Wes and Russ Horn (Lubbock Christian), John Fluhmann (Angelo State), and Brent Jameson (Abilene Christian). A fellowship meal at the Recreation Center is planned following Sunday morning worship.

- Obituaries -

Roach

William Thomas Roach, age 80, passed away Saturday, January 29, 1994, at his residence in Robert Lee after a short illness.

Funeral service was held Tuesday, February 1, 1994, at 3:00 pm at the Robert Lee First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bill Frisbee officiating. Masonic graveside rites followed in the Robert Lee Cemetery under the direction of Shaffer Funeral

Bill Tom Roach was born March 11, 1913, on the Roach family farm in the Lane community in Hunt County, Texas. Bill Tom attended East Texas State University and was a member of the 1934 undefeated football team. He served as a football coach and schoolteacher in Robert Lee in 1937. He married Christine Glenn on December 24, 1939. His World War II duty took him to the South Pacific for three years; he served in the Navy Seabees. He then returned to his teaching field, serving as principal and teacher in the Robert Lee High School system.

In 1941, Pop and Christine bought the Red & White Store from W.J. Cumbie, Christine's grandfather who had owned the store since 1921. For 42 years, Bill Tom and Christine owned and operated Roach's Dry Goods.

Bill Tom was a 52 year member of the Hayrick Masonic Lodge, had actively participated in the Eastern Star and was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Bill Tom was preceded in death by his wife, Christine, in

Survivors include two sons, Bill R. Roach, and wife, Dianne, of Fort Worth; Glenn Roach and wife, Jan, of Lee, Florida; and a daughter, Cristie Bagwell and husband, Michael R., of Robert Lee. Grandchildren include Gabe and Glen Roach, Tom and Joe Roach, Stacey and Katie Roach, and Kirk and Tiffany Bagwell, and a great-grandchild, Kimberly Roach.

He also leaves behind a brother-in-law and sister-inlaw, Horace and Mary Scott of Robert Lee; and a sister-inlaw, Mildred Roach, and niece, Sydne Roach, of Celeste. He also leaves behind his companion and friend, Rudy Gloria.

Pallbearers were Donnie Robertson, John Jacobs, Bobby Boyd, Billy Wayne Roe, Bill Allen, and Larry Brock. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Hayrick

Masonic Lodge and Robert Vaughan.

Memorials may be made to the Robert Lee First United Methodist Church, the West Coke County ambulance fund or to a favorite charity.

Smith

Grace R. Smith, 79, of San Angelo died Wednesday, January 26, 1994, in a San Angelo hospital.

Interment service was at 4 p.m. Friday, Jan. 28, in Fairmount Cemetery, and a memorial service was held at 4:30 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church chapel. Dr. Jerold McBride, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. Arrangements were by Robert Massie Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith was born August 29, 1914, in Coppell, Texas. She was a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and taught in the Bronte and San Angelo public schools until 1980. She married Curtis Smith in 1938 in Eldorado, Texas. He preceded her in death in 1966. Grace had been a resident of San Angelo since 1942 and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Sue Mathews and her husband, Tommy Mathews, of Charleston, S. C.; a daughter, Kay Cavanaugh and her husband, Kevin Cavanaugh, of San Antonio, Texas; and a son, Charlie Smith and his wife, Janie Smith, of San Angelo. She is also survived by seven grandchildren, Aaron and Sarah Mathews, Tim and John Niedecken, and Courtnie, Richie, and Christie Smith. Other survivors include three brothers, Glenn Ratliff of Monahans, Charles Ratliff of Austin and Jack Ratliff of New Mexico.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Children's Emergency Shelter of San Angelo, P.O. Box 1826, San Angelo, TX 76902, or to the First Baptist Church of San Angelo.

Williams

Chloe "Skip" Williams, 72, of San Angelo died Thursday, Jan. 27, 1994, in Shannon Medical Center.

Graveside service was ducted at 2 pm Saturday, Jan. 29, in the Home Cemetery in Maverick with Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt, chaplain of Baptist Memorials Hospital, officiating. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Williams was born May 25, 1921, in Maverick. She had been a resident of San Angelo since 1940 and a member of the Church of Christ. She was a mother and a homemaker.

She married A. F. "Squirrel" Williams Dec. 1, 1939, in Ballinger, and they had been married been married for 54

Survivors include her husband, A. F. "Squirrel" Williams of San Angelo; one son, Jim Williams of San Angelo; one daughter, Reva and husband, Gary Wagner of Brady; two sisters, Myrtle Lee of Hart and Annie Lois Carlton of Maverick; and three grandchildren, Candy and husband, Jeff Robertson, of San Angelo, Kyra and husband, Paul Krause, of Lubbock and Nicole and husband, Nathan Todd, of Abilene.

Honorary pallbearers were Larry Lee, Kit Carlton, Wayne Carlton, Paul Krause, Jeff Robertson, Nathan Todd, and Roy Berg.

Auxiliary Thrift Shop

The West Coke County Auxiliary Thrift Shop is located in the former Coke County Pharmacy building. Hours are 2-5 on Thursdays and 2-5:30 on Fridays. The shop features good, clean items for

All the proceeds from the Thrift Shop and the Gift Shop, located in the nursing home, go for the needs of the residents. Gift shop items are all new and are of good quality, for instance, small baby gifts and economically priced adult clothing.

The Nursing Home Auxiliary encourages community volunteers to assist with day to day help at the facility as well as help with parties and special events. The Thrift Shop is also in need of volunteers and items to sell there.

Super Bowl Party

Bronte Church of Christ had services on Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m.

Afterwards Donna and David Scott hosted a Super Bowl Party in their home.

Those present were John and Judy Driggers, Wayne and Shaye Coalson and children, Roenna Thomas and Laura, Floyd and Charlotte Blackburn, Turner and Eyvonne Lee and Chris Keller and Paula Johnson.

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Pete at 473-2166.

Bivins-Jenschke Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Garry D. Bivins of Bronte are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Melissa, to David Dean Jenschke of La Vernia, Texas. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenschke of La Vernia.

Melissa is a 1991 graduate of Bronte High School. She is a senior elementary education major attending Angelo State University. Melissa is a member of Alpha Chi, a National Honor Society. She is also a member of Sigma Tau Delta and Kappa Delta Pi.

David is a 1988 graduate of La Vernia High School and is also attending Angelo State University. He is a candidate for May graduation where he will receive a bachelors degree in Marketing. David is currently employed by Bank of the West in San Angelo.

Melissa is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bivins of Bronte. David is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jacoby of Fredericksburg.

The couple will be married at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 12, 1994 at Harriett Baptist Church near San Angelo, Texas.

Pesticide dealers cautioned to record distribution

Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry reminds pesticide dealers that under Texas pesticide laws and regulations dealers are responsible for documenting all federally restricted and state limited-use pesticides that they distribute. By law, "distribute" means offer for sale, hold for sale, sell, barter or supply.

"We've had some dealers who unload to customers right off the distributor's truck," Perry said. "People have been unsure about who is responsible for recording the distribution. The dealer has placed the order and is getting the money from the customer, so the dealer is responsible for record-keeping."

In addition to recording distribution and keeping it on file for two years, dealers can only distribute a restricted use or state-limited-use pesticide to a licensed or certified pesticide applicator. In Texas, dealers who distribute pesticides that are restricted under state and federal laws must be licensed by the Texas Department of Agriculture on an annual basis.

Commercial and non-commercial applicators must also be licensed annually, while private applicators must renew their licenses every five years.

For more information about dealer license or pesticide use training, contact TDA's Pesticide Programs Division at (512) 475-1657.

Band Boosters

Bronte Band Boosters will meet Monday, February 7 at 8 p.m. in the band hall. All parents are urged to attend this important meeting. Spring activities will be discussed for all elementary and jr. high /high school bands.



David Jenschke and Melissa Bivins.

Youth to show at Houston

Three FFA members and four 4-H members from Coke County will join other FFA and 4-H members from throughout Texas for showring competition at the upcoming Houston Livestock Show, Feb. 19 through March 6 at the Astrohall.

FFA members making the trip to Houston include: Danielle Parker of Bronte (one market barrow); Mike Pentecost of Robert Lee (one beef heifer); and James Tennison of Robert Lee (one market lamb and one market barrow). Jay Henderson, Agricultural Science teacher at Bronte and Jeff York, Agricultural Science teacher at Robert Lee are the advisors for these students. The 4-H members going to Houston led by County Extension Agent, Tommy Antilley, include: Casey Antilley of Robert Lee (one market steer); Andy Blair of Bronte (one market barrow); Kim Blair of Bronte (one market barrow); and Shea Kelton of Bronte (one market steer).

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

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

Representing 878 Texas 4-H clubs and FFA chapters, the junior show is expected to draw more than 11,000 entries this year. A variety of animals are shown in the junior show division: market steers, market swine, market poultry, beef and dairy heifers, breeding sheep, goats, commercial steers and breeding rabbits.

The four market animal categories (steers, lambs, barrows, and poultry) represent animals raised by the exhibitor as food sources. Top animals in each of these categories are eligible for their individual market auctions. Total money paid in 1993 at the four junior show auctions exceeded \$3.5 million.

"The most significant part of our livestock show is the junior show," said Steve Woodley, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo manager. "It represents Texas youth and their commitment to education, discipline and agricultural development."

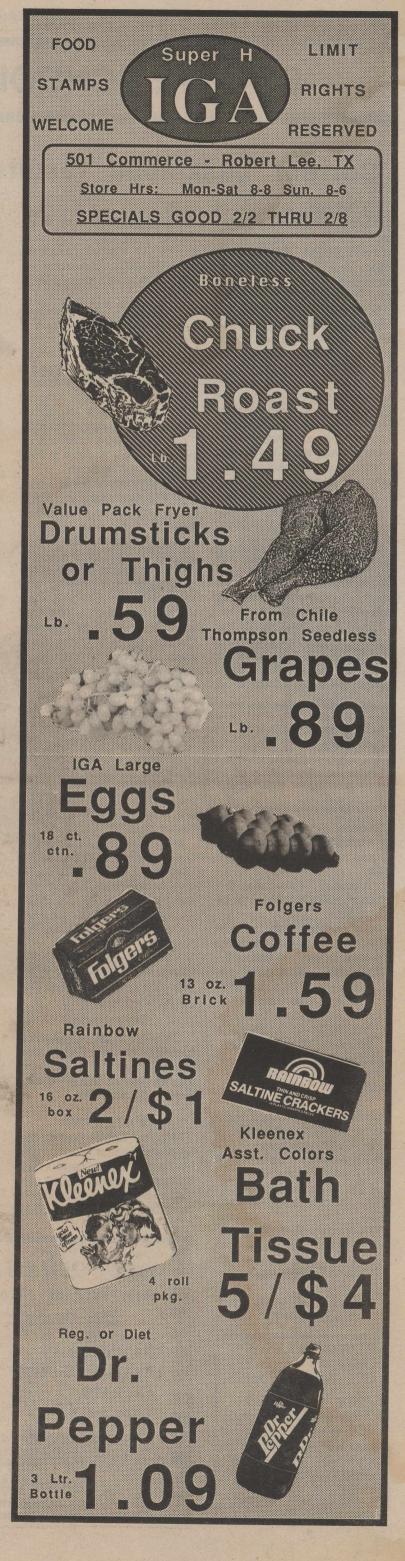
All net proceeds from the annual Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo provide funds for scholarships and research projects throughout the state. Since the Show's first scholarship was granted in 1957, the Show has presented more than 11,000 awards to Texas youth at a

cost exceeding \$32 million. The 1994 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo begins with horse show competition, Wednesday, Feb. 16, followed by other livestock competition beginning Saturday, Feb. 19. The first rodeo perfomance will be held at 7 pm Saturday, Feb. All events conclude March 6.

Ticket prices include admission to the horse show (excluding National Cutting Horse Association sponsored events), the livestock show, the carnival and the rodeo. Tickets can be purchased at all Ticketmaster outlets, including the Astrodome box office. Tickets also can be charged by phone 1-800-726-1313.

Coke Co. Bass Club

Coke County Bass Club will hold their regular meeting Thursday, February 3, at 7:30 pm at Ranchland Restaurant in Robert Lee. If you are interested in joining, please come to the meeting. For more information, call 453-



BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Current basketball results reported

On Tuesday, January 25 the Lady Longhorns traveled to Roscoe to play their second District game of the year. In a see-saw battle the Ladies won the game 33 to 31. Roscoe led the game by 1 point with just 24 seconds remaining in the game, when Kim Hall stole an inbounds pass at half court and took the ball down for a layup which put Bronte up by one. With 16 seconds left Bronte got the ball back only to have it stolen, but Roscoe couldn't convert and Jill Johnson grabbed the rebound and went the length of the court and was fouled with four seconds remaining. She made the first of the two freethrows and time ran out before the Roscoe girls could score.

Leading scores for Bronte were:

Micah Arrott, 10; Cheryl Santos,8; Jill Johnson, 7; Wendy Johnson, 5; Kim Hall, 4.

On Friday, January 28 the Ladies played Robert Lee at home. In a very physical game the Ladies won their second District game by a score of 51



Bronte Breakfast Menu Monday, February 7 Cereal, Diced pears, Toast,

Tuesday, February 8 Sausage, Apple juice, Panckes, Milk.

Wednesday, February 9 Scrambled eggs, Orange

juice, Blueberry muffins, Milk. Thursday, February 10 French toast, Mixed fruit, Milk. Friday, February 11 Holiday!

Bronte Lunch Menu Monday, February 7 Chicken nuggets w/gravy, Creamed potatoes, Green beans, Rolls, Milk.

Tuesday, February 8 Hamburgers, Lettuce, tomato, pickles, french fries, Bun, Milk, Rice Krispie bars. Wednesday, February 9 Spaghetti w/meat sauce, Tossed salad, diced pears, buttered corn, Bread sticks,

Thursday, February 10 Bar-b-q sandwich, Pinto beans, macaroni & cheese, banana, Bun, Milk, Peanut butter cookies.

Milk.

Friday, February 11 HOLIDAY!!

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473-2131 Bronte to 39.

Leading scores were: Jill Johnson, 20; Cheryl Santos,14;Kim Hall, 8; Micah Arrott, 5; Wendy Johnson, 4.

Br. Boys Basketball

On January 25 the

Evangelism Rally

The Brady Baptist Association, Coleman Baptist Association, and Runnels Baptist Association have joined together for an evangelism rally. The evangelism rally will be held February 9, 1994 at First Baptist Church, Eden.

The rally will begin at 7 p.m. The exective board and WMU will not meet. No meal will be served.

Judy Owen, minister of music with First Baptist Church, Brady, will be in charge of the congregational singing and special music. Special music will be presented by the handbell choir of First Baptist Church, Brady and combined choir of Brady Association, Coleman Association and Runnels Association.

Kenneth Barr, Head Basketball coach with Eden ISD and a member of First Baptist Church, Eden, will give his testimony. Dr. Jerold McBride, pastor of First Baptist Church of San Angelo and president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will be the speaker.

Mike Harkrider, Brady Association Evangelism Chairman, Gary Boyd, Coleman Association Evangelism Chairman, and Roy Epperson, Runnels Association Evangelism Chairman, are in charge of the program.

A nursery will be provided for ages birth thru three years old. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

Personal

Christine Clark of Bronte returned home last Friday after being away for 3 weeks visiting her mother and other relatives in Stephenville.

Personal

Mrs. Ivy Spiller had as her weekend visitors, her son and his wife, Eddie and Sue Spiller of Taylor and their son. Kelly Spiller and friend, Heather Arnold, of San Angelo.

Longhorns traveled to Roscoe for their second district game. The Longhorns won by a score of 73 to 46.

Scoring for the Longhorns

Jacob Golson, 16; Gary Bilbrey, 13; Brent Taylor, 13; Jay Parker, 9; Shae Sanford, 8; Courtney Shaffer, 6; Devlin Pierce, 6; James Hambright,

On Friday, January 28 the Longhorns hosted the Robert Lee Steers. The Longhorns lost 49 to 62.

Scoring for the Longhorns

Gary Bilbrey, 16; Brent Taylor, 11; Shae Sanford, 6; Nicholas Arrott, 5; Jacob Golson, 4; James Hambright, 4; Jay Parker, 3.

The Longhorn JV lost to Roscoe on January 25 by a score of 46 to 64.

Scoring for Bronte were: Gary Walker, 13; Russel Vaughn, 8; Terry Queen, 8; Cory Robinson, 6; Kale Beck, 4; Cody Holland, 3; Jason Wilson, 2.

On January 29 the Bronte JV entered the Forsan Tournament. They beat Forsan 53 to 48. Scoring for Bronte were:

Cody Holland, 17; Gary Walker, 8; Terry Queen, 8; Cory Robinson, 9; Kale Beck, 6; Russel Vaughn, 5.

Bronte First Baptist Church News

First Baptist Church Bronte welcomes A. L. (Scooter) Mc-Curdy as their guest speaker on Sunday February 6. Mr. McCurdy is a graduate of Howard Payne University, attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and has been involved in evangelism and pastoring for the past twenty years. He has previously held revivals here. His wife, Susanne, is a special education teacher, and their daughter, Rebekah, is a freshman at Angelo State University. A noon covered dish fellowship meal will be shared by the church following the morning service. There will be an Open House at the church parsonage in the afternoon to allow church members to see the recent remodeling and improve-





National Honor Society inductees (I-r) Mandy Dunn, Micah Arrott, Laura Thomas, Brent Taylor, Kim Blair, Jill Johnson, and Christy McKinney.



Wendy Huckabee National Honor Society

Scholarship, service, character, and overall academic achievement are the four criteria that a student must exemplify to become a National Honor Society member. Seven BHS students met all four of the criteria to become a NHS member. An induction ceremony will be held Monday, February 7 in the Bronte High School library at 7 p.m. to officially induct these students into the society.



Amy Janae Bailey

Mary Lawhon and Wanda Barbee will also be inducted as honorary members along with the seven student inductees.

NHS would also like to congratulate two of its senior members, Wendy Huckabee and Amy Bailey, which have been nominated for the National Honor Society Scholarship program. Each NHS chapter may nominate two senior NHS members, and their nomination forms then go on to national competition.

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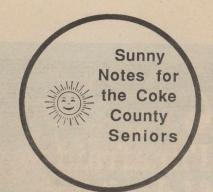
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Utility Assistance

Wednesday, Feburary 9th at 10:00 a.m. Thelma Huichana who is with Tom Green Action Council will be in Bronte to help those who need help with your utility bill. You must bring with you to qualify for assistance, a 12 month billing history of heating utility, current original bill, Social Security card for all family members and persons living in household, income verification for everyone in household and an identification card.

Income Tax Assistance Provided

A volunteer from AARP will be at the Bronte Senior Center on Wednesday, February 9th from 1 to 5 p.m. This service is provided to low and moderate income families of all ages. Call the Bronte Senior Center to make a reservation. Commodities

SS as proof of benefits

"If you're on direct deposit, you can use the cost-of-living letter you received from Social Security as proof of your benefit amount," said Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo. People who have their Social Security checks sent to their bank received a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) notice last month telling them that their new benefit rate will be effective January 1994. Upp said, this notice can be used when people need to prove the amount of their Social Security payments to the welfare office, a landlord, an energy company, or any other business or agency that provides a service or a subsidy that takes into account the amount of a person's Social Security

Upp indicated that some agencies and businesses requiring proof of Social Security payments send a verification form to the benificiary for him or her to have completed by the Social Security Administration. "They should check with the organization that sent the form," Upp said, "to find out if the cost-of-living notice can be used instead. If it can, it would save a call and a trip to the Social Security office."

People who have their Social Security checks mailed to their home did not receive a personalized COLA letter from Social Security. Instead, they received a "stuffer" with their January Social Security check advising them of the COLA increase but not of their specific dollar amount. The stuffer cannot be used as proof of payment.

Doors open at 8:00 a.m. for our monthly commodity distribution and a blood pressure screening provided at no cost by Ballinger Home Health. See you on Friday, February 11th. If you have not signed up for commodities for 1994 call the Bronte Senior Center at 473-6471 to see if you qualify.

Menu For The Week Monday, February 7 Bar-b-q chicken, Blackeye

peas, Beets, Cornbread, Pears, Oatmeal cookies. Wednesday, February 9 Sweet & sour pork, Rice, Green peas, Cornbread,

Peach half, Brownie w/nuts. Friday, February 11 Salisbury steak, Pork n beans, Mustard greens, Cornbread, Prunes.

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.

Postal Service

Recognizing the growing concern in society about disclosing new address information on battered individuals, the U.S. Postal Service is making two major changes in its mail forwarding system, Postmaster General Marvin Runyon announced today at the monthly Board of Governors business meeting.

"Clearly there are troubled inidividuals who could use our system of address changes for malicious purposes. I want to make sure that doesn't happen," said Runyon.

The first change alters postal regulations so that individuals can no longer walk into post offices and find out where another had moved. Currently, anyone can walk into the post office where an individual formerly lived and, after presenting the old address and paying a fee of \$3, receive the new address, Runyon explained.

In the second change, Runyon said the Postal Service will amend its mail forwarding system so that new address information of court order protection individuals such as battered women, is blocked from inclusion in its address correction services. The information however, would still be used for forwarding purposes.

In order to accomplish this, the Postal Service will develspecial methods of "flagging" these particular addresses through new software programs and modified procedures. "We anticipate this alteration to the mail forwarding system will be finalized within six months," Runyon added.

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Lynn Denton and Rick Watkins - Robert Lee, reeled in 19 stripers in two days with a total of 61 pounds on Roadrunners (artificial bait)

Jay Neuman - San Angelo, reeled in 4 stripers, a total of 11 1/2 pounds

Phil Ballard and Paul Lane -San Angelo, reeled in 8 stripers on Chartreuse bucktail and white jigs, total of 26 1/2 pounds

Jim Cavness - San Angelo, reeled in 6 stripers, a total of 19 1/4 pounds

Guy Hall - Midland, hooked one 7 1/2 pound striper Paul Lane - San Angelo,

reeled in two stripers trolling, 25 1/2 pounds and 15 1/4 pounds

Todd Zemper and Jay Neumann - San Angelo, reeled in 10 stripers totaling 27 1/2 pounds

John Wurster - San Angelo, hooked one 9 1/2 pound black bass on a rattletrap

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

RLISD lists recent roundball results

Robert Lee JV B'ball

The Robert Lee Junior Varsity boys teams traveled to Mertzon Thursday, Jan. 27 and Saturday, Jan. 29 for a tournament.

In the first game Thursday evening the JV boys defeated Eldorado 54 to 31. There were numerous players scoring for Robert Lee including: Anthony Wink 9, Kory Pitcock 8, Jason Wyatt 8, Michael Pentecost 7, Jerrod Copeland 6, Jason Tavarez 3, Koby Howell 3, Keith Treadaway, Marc Owen, Donny Edging and Daryl Calder 2 each, Jerrod Pitcock and David Sevier one point each.

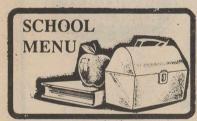
On Saturday the boys met with Miles and were defeated 41 to 39. Keith Treadaway led the scoring with 11 points followed by Anthony Wink

Senior Citizen News

With the senior population growing rapidly, the numbers of persons requiring nursing home care is growing rapidly as well. According to the U. S. Census Bureau, the nursing home population soared by 24.2 percent from 1980 to 1990 (1.8 million from 1.4 million). In Texas alone there are more than 96,000 people living in nursing homes.

The role of the nursing home ombudsman is becoming increasingly important to help residents achieve the highest possible quality of life while living in the facilities. Ombudsmen help residents resolve problems that may arise with the need for institutionalized care and help families and staff find solutions when often there don't appear to be any.

The gem cannot be polished without friction.



RL Lunch Menu

Monday, Feb. 7
Cheese Nachos, Ranch
Beans, Tator Tots w/catsup,
Chocolate Cake w/icing, Milk
Tuesday, Feb. 8
Barbecue Wieners, Cheesy
Potatoes, Corn, Hot Rolls Butter, Peach Slices, Milk
Wednesday, Feb. 9
Tamale Pie, Lettuce/Tomato
Salad, Pinto Beans, Apple-

crisp, Milk
Thursday, Feb. 10
Corn Dogs w/mustard, Macaroni & Cheese, Blackeye
Peas, Applesauce, Milk

Friday, Feb. 11
Barbecue Chicken, Cream
Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot
Rolls - Butter, Peanut Butter
Supreme, Milk

with 8, Jason Wyatt 6, Donny Edging, Koby Howell 4 each, Jason Tavarez 3, Jerrod Pitcock 2, and Jerrod Copeland 1 point.

The Robert Lee boys also played Irion Co. on Saturday and defeated them 50 to 29. Anthony Wink had a good game scoring 16 points, Keith Treadaway 10, Koby Howell, and Jason Tavarez 6 each, Kory Pitcock 4, Fred Wojtek 3, Jerrod Copeland, Donny

FmHA moves to speed up loan processing

"Texas farmers applying for assistance from Farmers Home Adminstration (FmHA) will experience a breath of fresh air this year," George Ellis, FmHA Texas State Director, said today. "I have today taken action to delegate the full loan approval authority allowed under the Federal Regulations to FmHA County Offices in Texas," Ellis said.

This action means that FmHA Supervisors at the County level will be able to exercise loan approval authority up to the full County limit without prior reviews being required at other locations or even by FmHA officials at the same location. "As this new year begins, I feel this will be a real help to our farm customers, and I intend to pursue this type of change in the future, wherever I can," said Ellis.

FmHA County Supervisors were previously subject to a complicated system of reviews and re-reviews of loan applications in order to approve an FmHA loan. This system was instituted several years ago in order to insure fewer mistakes and more uniformity from County to County

ty.
"I still intend to hold FmHA Supervisors to the same high standards as in the past, however, I am also dedicated to streamlining the process so that our farm customers will have funds available to them at the time they are needed," said Ellis. Farmers Home Administration, as an Equal Opportunity Lender, makes loans or grants to individuals or groups and guarantees to approved lenders without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, familial status, and handicap. Complaints of discrimination should be sent to: Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 20250.

Edging 2 each, and Jason Wyatt 1 point.

Robert Lee Varsity B'ball

The Steers defeated Bronte Friday, Jan. 28th at Bronte, 62 to 49. Aaron Hood led the scoring with 28 points. John Williams was next with 16, Lee McCown 10, Joe Blair 6, and Eric Hood 2.

Hood makes Standard-Time's honor roll

Aaron Hood was honored this week when he was named to the San Angelo Standard-Times basketball Honor Roll for his play last week against Roby and Bronte. The Steer sophomore scored 20 points against unbeaten Roby and 26 points Friday at Bronte. He had missed part of the early season when he suffered a dislocated knee. The 6-footer started as a freshman last year and the Steers and coaches are glad for his return to the squad as they make a run for the district title.

Aaron and his twin team mate, Eric, are the sons of Supt. and Mrs. Bill Hood of Robert Lee.

Bolding still holds record

Robert Lee's Coach Bobby Bolding, who graduated from Plainview High School, apparently holds the school's junior varsity scoring record. Recent 36 and 43 point games by 6' 4" freshman Matt Robertson caused a research to turn up the fact that Bolding scored 44 points, as a sophomore, on Feb. 8, 1964 against Pampas JV. The record evidently still stands.

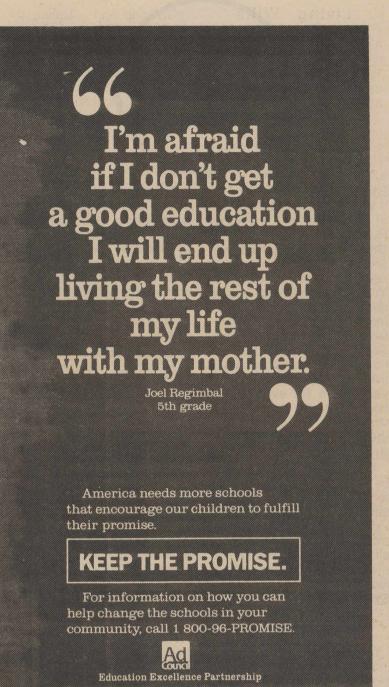
As a 6' 4" JV leader, he scored 283 points for a 17.7 average and went on to play two seasons on the varsity squad. Following graduation Coach Bolding played 2 1/2 seasons at McMurry University

Bolding has been in the Robert Lee school system 15 years. He currently coaches junior high girls basketball and track, and is an assistant football coach with the varsity club.

His wife, Gayle, is also in the local school system. They have two children, Bree and Brady

Bolding's mother, Mrs. Leota Bolding, still resides in Plainview.





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Living Wills

The Texas Hospital Association has distributed a public service campaign to Texas media promoting the use of advance directives, also known as living wills.

The campaign was developed by THA and Hank Moore of Read-Poland Associates of Houston. The long-term goals of the campaign are to educate the public about their option to accept or refuse medical treatment and to foster improved communication among the patient, family and attending physician. The message of the campaign is one of reassurance, explaining that the advance directives are positive health documents which should be considered by all adults.

Included in the campaign are four 30-second television spots; one spot is in both English and Spanish. Each spot features different age groups, illustrating the need for people of all ages to consider signing an advance directive. Print advertisements and a radio script also have been distributed.

Advance directives are used to direct medical care in the event a patient is unable to speak for himself. The Patient Self-Determination Act was passed in 1991 to improve patient knowledge about the right to accept or refuse medical treatment, and the patient's right to make advance decisions about the kind of medical care he/she wishes to receive.

Hospitals are required to inform adult patients upon admission about advance directives and durable power of attorney for health care documents.

In November, President Bill Clinton and Hillary Rodham Clinton announced their intention to complete their own advance directives concerning medical care.

The Texas Legislature also has taken steps to assist in the use of advance directives. A bill sponsored by Rep. Dianne Delisi (R-Temple) was passed by the 73rd Legislature requiring the Texas Department of Public Safety to print on the back of each driver's license a space for a telephone number indicating where an advance directive has been filed

Gary Conwell, director of

HSU announces student honors

Hardin-Simmons University has announced its President's List, Dean's List, Honor Roll and Honorable Mentions for the 1993 fall semester.

The President's List is composed of students carrying 12 or more semester hours with a 4.0.

Those from Coke County include: Wendy Lamar of Robert Lee.

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marketing and planning for McCuistion Regional Medical Center in Paris and chair of THA's Committee on Public Education, pointed out the significance of this campaign.

"This is an important issue for adults of all ages, not just the elderly, to address," Con-well said. "The cooperation of so many different organizations goes to show that the need for advance directives crosses all demographic and geographic lines." The campaign has been endorsed by the Health Care Financing Administration, the American Hospital Association, the Catholic Health Association and the Federation of American Health Systems.

For more information about advance directives, the public should contact their physician or local hospital.

Poems Wanted

Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum is offering a Grand Prize of \$500 in its new "Distinguished Poet Awards" poetry contest. Thirty-four other cash awards are also being offered. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes Jan. 31, 1994, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possi-Poems entered in the contest will be considered for publication in the Fall 1994 edition of Treasured Poems of America, a hardcover anthology to be published in August, 1994. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by March 31, 1994.

"Poetry is more popular than ever," says Jerome P. Welch, Publisher. "Our contest offers a public forum for new poets that allows them to share their work. We welcome poetry of all styles and themes. Many of our contest winners are new poets with new ideas."

Poems should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., Dept. N, 203 Diamond

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ABOUT THE CONTEST SPONSOR: Sparrograss Poetry Forum sponsors six free poetry contests and publishes six hardcover poetry anthologies each year. Sparrowgrass is dedicated to encouraging and rewarding the many "undiscovered" poets across America.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Brown of Tennyson were recent visitors in the home of Arlie Van and Wanda Holden in Thrall,

Exercise to avoid health problems

Age is no excuse for avoiding exercise says an expert in physical conditioning at Baylor college of Medicine in Hous-

In fact, some common health problems related to aging can be reversed with simple exercise says Dr. Alan Herd, a professor of medicine at Baylor.

Simple activities, such as walking, can prevent and lessen the effects of heart disease, stiff joints and low

"Walking is economical, easy and usually does not require a medical clearance," said Herd.

Herd also recommends "chair" exercises for people over age 65. He says a daily routine of these simple calisthenics can improve range of motion in most joints and make getting around easier.

"Chair exercises are easy and can be done at home, Herd said. "Either while seated or while standing with the hands on the chair back for support, slowly rotate and flex all the major joints and the tor-

Books about chair exercises are available at many book stores and libraries.

Other ways to work the joints while improving cardiovascular health and muscle tone are swimming and water aerobics.

Herd says exercise should be stopped any time there is pain. Angina (chest pain) should be taken seriously, but does not necessarily mean there is a heart attack. If it occurs, stop the activity and stand or lean against something for a few minutes -- then call your doctor.

Many stressful exercises such as running, tennis or rowing can put a strain on the cardiovascular systems of people who do not exercise regularly. Anything other than a simple calisthenics, walking or chair exercises should be discussed with a physician.

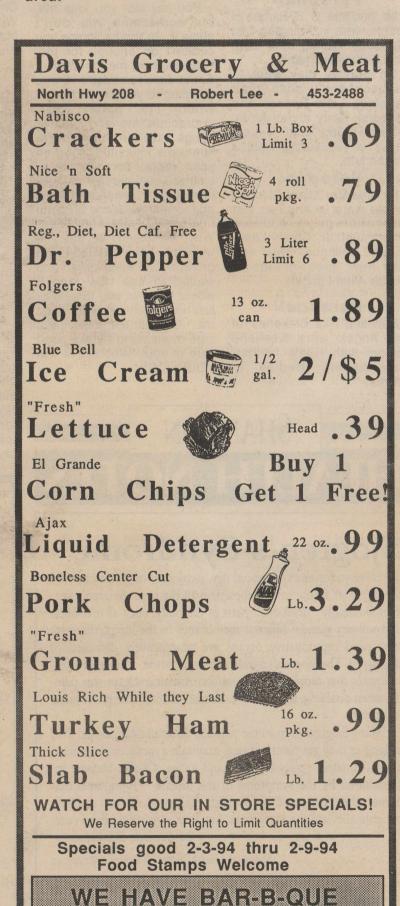
Herd is living proof that exercise can benefit people of all ages. He is 62 years old and runs about 30 miles each week, a level of exercise he reached by gradually increasing his effort over many months.

"I know that most people my age have not exercised all their lives and cannot jump into a heavy workout schedule," Herd said. "Still, that is no excuse to put off exercise. Simple exercises will improve mobility, health and frame of mind in the elderly."





Garry Bivins hands Pete Percifull a check for the East Coke County Ambulance Service from the Hochheim Prairie Insurance Company. Garry Bivins and Robert Wink represent Hochheim Prairie Insurance Company in this



BEANS - POTATO SALAD

EPA Amendment

An amendment aimed at requiring the Environmental Protection Agency to provide a cost-benefit analysis on every regulation it publishes has been blocked by the House of Representatives Rules Committee. But people have an opportunity to turn the situation around, according to Bobby Roberts, president of the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau.

"Legislation which will give EPA Cabinet-level status will be one of the things considered when Congress returns. The Risk-Benefit amendment would make them stop and think before imposing excessive and costly regulations. It only makes good sense," Bobby said.

The amendment was added in the Senate, but disallowed in the House. Texas Farm Burea is urging its members to write their congressmen and request opposition to the EPA Cabinet-level status bill (H. R. 3425) unless a vote is provided for by the House of Representatives on the Risk-Benefit Amendment.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Barbee of Bronte were in Arlington last Thursday visiting their son, Alan Barbee and family.

On Sunday they went to Lubbock and visited their daughter, Leah Rosson and husband, Kerry and children, Anna, Robert and Jesse. Jesse is recovering from a broken arm.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn of Bronte were in Andrews last week where they visited their granddaughter, Christi Longley and husband, Chad and their new great-grandson, Dexter Allen Longley.

Personal

Ben and Rita Blakeney of San Angelo were weekend visitors with Rita's mother, Mrs. Juanita Bradley of Bronte.

Under a complicated procedure, Farm Burea and others are asking that the Rule for H. R. 3425 be defeated, thereby forcing the Rules Committee to allow the House to vote on the Risk-Benefit Amendment.

"It is appropriate that the will of Congress be heard on this issue," Roberts added.

In addition to the risk-benefit effort, the legislation currently provides for a number of other policy directives. Specifically, it requires the establishment of a benefit assessment office for minority businesses.

"Our argument is that as long as other mandates are included, so should the Risk-Benefit Amendment for all regulations," the county Farm Bureau leader insisted.

Bobby Roberts said anyone concerned with the growth of burdensome and intrusive regulations should act quickly.

"Handwritten letters in your own words will be most effective when writing your Congressman," he said.

Have a love affair submitted by Dick Caplinger

You say that you love me. but sometimes you don't show it. In the beginning you couldn't do enough for me. Now you take me for granted. Some days I wonder if I mean anything to you at all. Maybe when I'm gone you'll appreciate me and all the things I do for you. I'm responsible for putting food on your table; for the clean clothes you wear; for the welfare of your home and family; and for the thousand and one things you want and need. Why, if it weren't for me, you wouldn't have the car you drive. I've kept quiet and waited to see how long it would take for you to realize just how much you really need me. Cherish me...take good care of me...and I'll take good care of you! Who am I? I'M YOUR JOB!

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Bronte School News

Class Honors
Best Personality:
Micah Arrott, Courtney
Shaffer
Most Athletic:
Cheryl Santos, Gary Bilbrey
Most Beautiful/Handsome
Jill Johnson, Gary Bilbrey
Most Likely to Succeed:
Wendy Huckabee, Jim Beam
Mr. and Miss BHS:
Cheryl Sanos, Jay Parker
Wittiest;
Mandy Dunn, Courtney

Personal

Shaffer

In the Leslie Rolls home in Bronte for a vacation is their son, Otis Rolls, of Alaska since last weekend. He was joined there by his son, Blake Rolls, from San Angelo.

Linda Butler of Hondo spent some time, also, in the home of her parents, the Leslie Rolls.

Super Bowl Sunday, they were joined by Arley and Joy Wheat of San Angelo.

Personal

Marilyn and Garry Bivins of Bronte were in Houston last weekend where they visited their daughter and husband, Christy and David Hortenstine. En route home on Sunday, they had lunch in the home of David's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Hortenstine in Taylor.

Is It Asthma?

(DM)—Did you know that many people with asthma don't know they have it. Underdiagnosis of asthma is widespread, particularly in children and the elderly. Asthma is hard to diagnose because it can resemble other respiratory problems. Although coughing and wheezing are symptoms of many respiratory diseases, recurrent bouts of this might mean asthma.

Despite the vast improvement in diagnosis and drug treatments, asthma death rate continues to rise. More than 4,000 Americans die of asthma each year. Inner-city African-Americans and Hispanic populations are the hardest hit by asthma. Asthma afflicts more African-American children aged 6 to 11 than white children of the same age. The hospitalization rates due to asthma in children and young adults are much higher in African-Americans and Hispanics than for their white counterparts.

Several governmental agencies and medical associations are trying to understand and identify the causes behind this sudden increase in deaths in inner-city children with asthma. Major studies are underway to determine what specific risk factors might be responsible. Some of these initial risk factors include: indoor allergens, such as dust mites, furred or feathered pets and cockroach droppings, outdoor air pollution, limited access to medical care and costs of some medications.

Meanwhile, parents can play a major role in the diagnosis of asthma in their young children. Be on the lookout for any of the following symptoms:



- coughing a lot

- shortness of breath

- wheezing, especially at night or after running

If your child displays any of these symptoms, contact your doctor immediately. Don't wait until it becomes a medical emergency.

Although asthma cannot be cured, it can be controlled through proper treatment and medication. There are five broad categories of medication to control asthma. They are: oral or inhaled corticosteroids, antiallergy drugs, bronchodilators, theophylline and anticholinergic drugs. One of the most commonly prescribed theophyllines is Slo-bid™ GyroCaps® (Theophylline Anyhdrous), manufactured and distributed by Rhone-Poulenc Rorer. Early diagnosis and medicine prescribed by your doctor to prevent or relieve your child's symptoms will help him or her gain control of the disease and live an active life.

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HEALTH NOTES

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Sjogren's Syndrome

Have you ever experienced dry, itchy eyes or a scratchy sore throat? That's how some people feel all the time. Sjogren's syndrome literally "dries out" parts of the body, such as tear ducts and salivary glands. Mucous membranes in the lungs, digestive tract, and reproductive organs are progressively damaged or destroyed. The Sjogren's Syndrome Foundation, formed in 1985, estimates that more than one million Americans have this painful, often disabling, autoimmune disease, although the effect varies in severity.

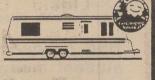
Many Sjogren's syndrome patients can lead near normal lives as long as they get plenty of rest, maintain a moist environment, and adequately replenish tears and saliva. Others become incapacitated by the symptoms of the disease — symptoms that mimic other illnesses. Once properly diagnosed, doctors can help patients alleviate the symptoms, but as of now, there is no cure. ©1992, Lyle Dean, Inc.

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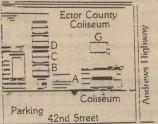




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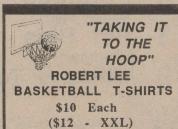
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> Thanks alot. Lydia Casares 26b-1tp

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

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Usual rights reserved. 25a-2tc

PUBLISHED NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the Estate of GEORGE TRUMAN HINES, Deceased, were issued on January 27, 1994 in Docket Number 1443, pending in the County Court, Coke County, Texas, to Janelle Hines, Independent Executor.

The address of record for JANELLE HINES is P. O. Box 531, Robert Lee, Texas.

All persons having claims against this Estate are required to present their claims within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 27th day of January, 1994. Chris A. Wyatt

Attorney for JANELLE HINES,

Personal Representative of the Estate of GEORGE TRUMAN HINES, Deceased. 26a-1tc

NOW HIRING Kitchen helpers for Dietary Dept. Apply in person at West Coke County Nursing Home; 307 W. 8th Street, Robert Lee, EOE.

25A-2tc

BUY IT. SELL IT. FIND IT.

Political Calendar The Observer/

Enterprise has been authorized to make the following announcements for the

political offices in

Coke County. Each candidate has paid for his or her announcement and will serve as their own campaign treasurer. All political advertising,

announcements, and printing is cash in advance. 17TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT U.S.

> Charles Stenholm COUNTY &

REPRESENTATIVE

DISTRICT CLERK

Garland Davis Ettie Hubbard

COKE COUNTY JUDGE

Royce Lee

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NOTICES

THE COKE COUNTY
Sheriff's Department is accepting applicants for the position of office secretary. Applications will be accepted until 5 pm on Monday, February 7. Application forms may be obtained from the Sheriff's office. For more information, contact Sheriff Marshall Millican, 915-453-2717.

25a-2tc

PUBLISHED NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MABLE ALTA DYESS, Deceased, were issued on January 26, 1994 in Docket Number 1442, pending in the County Court, Coke County, Texas, to MICHAEL JAY DYESS, Independent Executor.

The address of record for MICHAEL JAY DYESS is 3309 Cedar Hill, San Angelo, Texas.

All persons having claims against this Estate are required to present their claims within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 26th day of January, 1994. Chris A. Wyatt

Attorney for MICHAEL JAY DYESS

Personal Representative of the Estate of MABLE ALTA DYESS, Deceased.

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Personal

Mrs. Emogene Thornton of Bronte returned home last Thursday after spending a week in Odessa with her sister, Mrs. Frances Webb, who has been ill from a broken pelvic bone.

Personal

George and Jean Chew of Blackwell, Doyle and Jan Caulder of Colorado City and Clyde Adams were visitors in the home of Hazel Caulder in Bronte for the football game and bar-b-q supper last Sunday.

Personal

Mrs. Savannah Belcher of Odessa spent Monday through Wednesday of last week with her brother and sister-in-law, R. T. and Zelma Caperton, of Bronte.

Personal

Mrs. Bill Foreman's Sunday dinner guests were her daughter and husband, Nancy and Bobby Davee and girls Tammy and Monica of Ozona and son Dwayne of Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blair of Bronte had as their guests on Super Bowl Sunday Al and Nlta Jamie Blair and Alicia, jamie and Amy Farris all of San Angelo and Karen and Gary Huddleston, Angie and Kevin of Bronte.

Personal

Visiting in the Elroy Butler home over the week-end were Lindy Robinson and sons Jantzen and Jaxson of Garden City. The snow made for a fun time for the boys.

cooking

SNACKS TO SEND

the microwave way

(DM)— "We miss you." "For a study-break snack attack!" "For you - just because..." Whatever the reason, a snack package, delivered in person or sent through the mail, is one of the nicest ways to show how much you care for a special friend or family member.

Popcorn is always a favorite snack because it's easy to fix, especially with the microwave varieties available today. It also stores and travels well. With microwave recipes like Golden Caramel Corn and Jazzy Flavored Popcorn, an extra-special treat is simple and quick to prepare. Whirlpool Corporation home economists recommend sending it in an airtight food storage bag. Or choose a decorator tin that fits the occasion or season. Then you can send frequent refills!

GOLDEN CARAMEL CORN

- (3 quarts)

 1 bag (3 to 3½ oz.) microwave popcorn, popped (2½ to 3 quarts)
- 1/2 cup dry roasted peanuts 3/4 cup firmly packed brown
- 6 tablespoons margarine or butter
- 3 tablespoons light corn syrup 4 teaspoon baking soda
- ½ teaspoon vanilla flavoring
 1. Combine popped corn, discarding
 unpopped kernels, and peanuts in
- unpopped kernels, and peanuts in large (4 quart) glass mixing bowl. Set aside.
- 2. Combine sugar, margarine and corn syrup in 1-quart glass measuring cup. Microwave at HIGH (100%) until margarine melts (about 1 minute).

Stir. Microwave uncovered at HIGH just until mixture comes to full boil (about 1 minute); then microwave at HIGH 1½ minutes longer.

- 3. Stir in soda and vanilla until mixture is foamy. Pour over popped corn and peanuts, mixing until evenly coated.
 4. Microwave, uncovered, at HIGH for 4 minutes, stirring twice. Spread mixture on buttered jelly roll pen to
- mixture on buttered jelly roll pan to cool. Store tightly covered.

 NOTE: Mixture is very hot. Use hot pads.

JAZZY FLAVORED POPCORN

- 2 bags (3 to 3½ oz. each) microwave popcorn
- 1 package (1¾ oz .) dry cheese sauce mix OR
- 1 package (1½ oz.) dry mild taco seasoning mix

Pop corn. Pour into large bowl. Sprinkle with cheese sauce mix or taco seasoning mix. Toss and enjoy. Cool before storing in airtight container.

Whirlpool Micro-Tip

USING HOT PADS: It is important to remember that while microwaves do not heat glass or other microwaveable cookware, they can still become hot. The container often becomes heated by the food being cooked. Use hot pads.

... It's the Law in Texas

DPS RESPONDS

to Questions from Texas drivers about the Safety Belt Law

Q. Who must use safety belts under this state law?

All drivers and front seat passengers are required to use them whenever they ride in safety belt-equipped cars or trucks of 34-ton capacity and below.

Q.Can I be fined for failing to comply with this law?

A Yes. Effective December 1, 1985, an offense is punishable by a fine of \$25 to \$50.

•Did the child safety seat law change?

No. Children under two years of age still must be secured in a federally-approved child safety seat system when they are riding in any seat equipped with a safety belt in a passenger car or light truck (¾-ton capacity and below). Children from two to four years of age must be secured by a safety belt or child safety seat system when riding in any seat equipped with a safety belt in a car or light truck.

Who would be cited for a violation of the safety belt law?

A If the unbelted person is under 15 years of age, the driver will receive the ticket. If an unbelted person is 15 or older, that person will receive the citation for the violation

Are any persons exempted from complying with this olaw?

Yes. The law does not apply to a person who possesses a written statement from a licensed physician stating that for medical reasons, the person is unable to wear safety belt. Also exempt are U.S. Postal Service employees when they are servicing postal boxes or performing duties for their agency requiring frequent entry and exit from vehicles.

What if the safety belts have been taken out of the car?

A factory equipment on the car, the belts should be present and in use by front seat occupants riding in the vehicle.

What about older cars and light trucks which came equipped with only lap belts or no safety belts at all?

If the older model vehicle did not come equipped with a shoulder strap like the newer models, use of the lap belts alone by front seat riders is permitted. Vehicles not originally equipped with safety belt anchorages are not required to have safety belts.

Can I be cited if there are more people riding in the front seat than there are belts for?

No. The law states that each person occupying a seat equipped with a safety belt must be secured by the belt.

As an example, if three persons are riding in the front seat and three belts are provided, all must be buckled in. If only two belts are provided, the two persons in the belted positions must be secured by the belts.

Can residents of other states be cited for breaking • this law?

A. Yes. The statute applies to anyone riding in the front seat of the specified vehicles while they are being operated on roads, streets or highways of Texas.

Q. What if the belt doesn't fit?

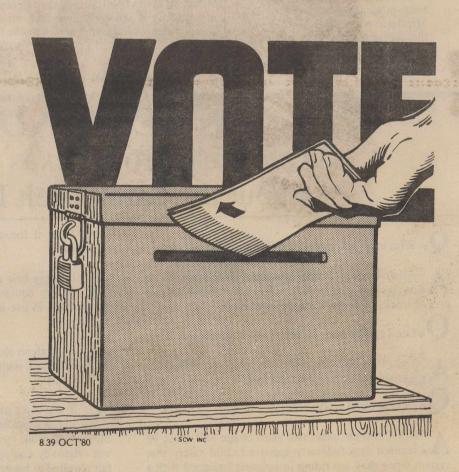
Auto manufacturers have made belt extenders available for larger persons.





REMEMBER! THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE IS

FEBRUARY 6TH



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