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Elections set for Tuesday

Early voting for the Democratic and Republican primary run-off elections began Monday, April 4 and will continue through Friday, April 8 at 5 pm in the Coke County clerk's office. The elections will be held on Tuesday, April 12. Voter turnout is expected to be even lower than during the regular primaries.

Republican voters will cast ballots in two locations in Coke County. Bronte Elementary School will be the polling place for Precincts 2, 4, and 5 while Precincts 1, 3, 9 and 10 will vote in the Coke County courthouse. On the Republican ballot are Don Willig and Patricia Lykos to determine an Attorney General nominee for the General Election in November. Sam Bayless and Sharon Keller will vie for the Judge, Place 2, Court of Criminal Appeals.

Voters in the Democratic run-off will vote at four polling sites in the county. Precincts lines and vote a split ticket.

3, 9, and 10 will vote at the Coke County courthouse and the Rec Hall will serve as the Precinct 1 polling place. Precinct 2 voters will vote at the Bronte City Hall and Precincts 4 and 5 will vote at the Old Depot. Democrats will decide whether Jim Mattox or Richard Fisher will challenge Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison in the November general election. Also on the run-off ballot for Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1, are Raul A. Gonzalez vs. Rene Haas. Betty Marshall and Gene Kelly will face-off for a nomination on the November ballot for Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2.

Coke County Clerk Ettie Hubbard advises voters that one regulation which exists in run-off elections is the requirement that voters must vote the same party ticket they voted in the primary. In the November general election, voters may cross party

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Correctional **Facility Update**

A group of Coke County officials and citizens were in meetings in Austin last week concerning the endeavor to locate a juvenile correctional facility in Coke County.

"The results of the meetings are encouraging. There is much work to be done in the county effort, and everyone's cooperation is solicited on this project if we are to be successful.

We will continue to keep the public informed as developments occur", said Judge Royce Lee.

During the course of the meetings, the group visited a correctional facility at Kyle and were impressed by its operation. Making the trip were: Royce Lee, James Tidwell, Billy Joe Luckett, Paul Burns, Jackie Walker, Beth Prather, Martin Lee, Stephen Myers, and Tuny Glenn.

Courthouse Closed

The Coke County courthouse will be closed on Tuesday, April 12, for the Democratic and Republican primary run-off elections since the facility will serve as a polling site. Business will resume at 8 am on Wednesday morning.

ASCS readies wool and

mohair payments The wool and mohair payments will be ready for producers on April 13. If you



Friday, April 8, 1994

Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau County President, Bobby Roberts of Robert Lee, recently visited the Texas Farm Bureau state office in Waco, where TFB Executive Director Vernie R. Glasson explained state-of-the-art video production equipment. The Texas Farm Bureau produces periodic TV news stories for Texas stations as well as training and information videos for various TFB divisions.

Upcoming

Hayrick Masonic Lodge

Members of Hayrick Masonic Lodge invite you to join them Saturday, April 9, to help with their quarterly Highway trash pick-up. If you would like to help with this worthy volunteer work meet at the Lodge building at 7:30 am Saturday. Also scheduled for Saturday is a COMMUNITY WORK DAY to work on the Robert Lee Cemetery. The Masons will

KLST B'ball

Friday, April 8, at 7:30 pm, the KLST news crew and staff will come to Bronte to play local citizens and students in a 5 on 5 basketball game. Come out and see local citizens show their stuff. A small admission will be charged at the door. The proceeds will go to the junior class and to the cystic fibrosis foundation.

Rabies Clinic

Cumbie Ivey, Jr. received a after the APB was put out, a rather startling phone call early one morning in June of 1962. "What did you do with the safe?" came the query from Royce Smith, long-time Ivey employee. Not a fun way to

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San Angelo patrolman who had stopped a car because the inspection sticker was out, heard the call come in over his radio - lo and behold guess who needed an inspection sticker? The arrest was made

Sure enough the 600 pound safe which was mounted on rollers had been stolen.

awaken.

The sheriff and other authorities were notified and brought in to investigate. Ollie Roe, long-time Robert Lee constable (or night watchman - as they were called), had not yet gone off duty and was also at the scene of the crime. During course of the the investigation some rather unusual tire tracks were noticed by Ollie. He immediately recognized the tracks as belonging to a vehicle he had noticed earlier the prior evening - not everyone mounts one wide tire and one standard tire on the back of their car.

A quick license check was run and an APB put out on the vehicle. Five minutes

and the burglars put behind bars.

The crooks quickly confessed to the crime and one was released to help officers locate the buried treasure.

It seems that the perps (to use modern police vernacular) owned a repair shop just down the street from lvey's. Evidently, the repair shop was not doing a booming business and the burglars decided to supplement their income at Ivey Motor Company's expense. They loaded the safe into the trunk of their car and made an almost clean get away (remember the tire tracks). The dastardly criminals took the safe out of town and cut the bottom out with a torch after all a safe poking out of

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would like to come by the ASCS office on the 13th and pick up your payment you may. Checks which are not picked up will be mailed Friday, the 15th.

Producers eligible to receive wool or mohair price support payments: if the net sales price per pound for any individual sales document submitted for payment exceeds 4 times the national average price for wool or mohair, the price support payment will be computed only on the proceeds received that do not exceed the amount of 4 times the national average price.

The payment rates for 1993 marketings are: 300.00 percent of the net sale proceeds for shorn wool, \$6.12 per hundred pounds liveweight for unshorn lambs, 477.8 percent of the net sale proceeds for mohair.

be there as soon as they complete their Highway Pickup, approximately 11:00 or 12:00 and will continue all evening. There are many things to do so come HELP.

Gospel Singing

There will be a gospel singing at the Blackwell Methodist Church, Sunday, April 10th, at 2:00 pm until 4:00 pm, directed by J. D. Taylor.

Br. All Sports Boosters

Bronte All Sports Boosters will have a Special Meeting on Tuesday, April 12 at 7 pm in the cafeteria to plan the Sports Banquet.

Golf Tourney

A Parent-Child Golf Tournament is scheduled for 9:00 am on April 9, at Singing Winds Golf Course in Bronte.

The Coke County 4-H clubs will be sponsoring a rabies clinic on Saturday, April 9 from 2 - 4 pm in the County showbarn. A veterinarian will be in charge of vaccinations.

Br. Band Boosters

Bronte Band Boosters will meet Monday, April 11th at 8:00 pm in the band hall. The Spring Band Concert and other spring band activities will be discussed. All band parents are encouraged to to attend this important meeting!

Team Penning

A team penning will be sponsored by the Runnels County Riding Club on April 9 at 8:00 pm in the Ballinger arena on Hwy. 158 West. Books open at 7:30 pm close at 8:30 pm. For more information call 365-3849 or 365-2860.

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---- Obituaries

Matthews

Funeral services are pending in Alamogorda, New Mexico for Delilah (Phillips) Matthews who died Saturday night.

She was a former resident of Bronte. Among local survivors are Johnnie Pearl Beaver, and Eula Maude Mc-Cutchen of Bronte.

Lee

Jack Taylor Lee, 70, died Saturday, April 2, 1994, in a Temple hospital.

Service was at 10 am Tuesday, April 5, at First Baptist Church in Bronte with Bro. R. W. Blackmon officiating. Burial was in Norton Cemetery and was directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

He was born September 13, 1923, to the late Mr. and Mrs. Needham Lee, in Maverick and was a lifetime resident of Bronte. An Army veteran of World War II, he was a recipient of the Purple Heart, a member of the First Baptist Church in Bronte and the Disabled American Veterans Association, and a carpenter.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Leonard and Winifred Lee.

Survivors include two daughters, Linda Holbrook of Waco and Vicki Goetz of San Antonio; three brothers, James Lee of Tennyson, Hurlen Lee of Bronte and Joe Lee of Galveston; and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Edward Cumbie, Bill Brasher, Gerald Sandusky, Elmer Hurley, C. B. Barbee, and E. F. Glenn.

Raney

Vera Lucille Raney, longtime Bronte resident. Mrs. Raney, 90, died at 2:45 am Wednesday morning in the West Coke County Nursing Home in Robert Lee.

Payne

Graveside services were held in Robert Lee Cemetery Tuesday afternoon, April 5, for Mrs. Doris Dale Payne of Robert Lee. The service was officiated by the Rev. Roy Epperson, pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist Church. Shaffer Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Payne, 76, died at

12:30 pm Sunday, April 3, in West Coke County Nursing Home where she had been a resident for two years.

She was born in Llano to Frank and Altha Roberts Wimberly on August 10, 1917. A resident of Robert Lee for 56 years, she was a homemaker and a Baptist. She was married to E. E. "Jockey" Hester in 1938. He preceded her in death in 1956.

She married William A. (Lonnie) Payne in 1957 and the couple made their home in Robert Lee.

Survivors include her husband, Lonnie Payne of Robert Lee; two sons, Terry Lee Payne and Ronald Hester, both of Robert Lee; three daughters, Sharon Arnold of San Angelo, Carol Morrisson of Roanoke and Judith Brock of Eunice, N. M.; a brother, J. B. Wimberly of Flagstaff, AZ; a sister, Wanda Lowery of San Angelo; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Also surviving are two stepdaughters, Billie Wallace

WCC EMS

Contributions to the West Coke County EMS for March were:

Aminda Runnion

Paul and Joan Burns; E. C. Bennett; Nell Hines; Jim and Reba Tabor; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican; George and Thelma Lomas; Billy W. and Dolores Roe; and Weldon and Bryce Fikes. James Craig

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican; George and Thelma Lomas.

Lois McCleskey

George and Thelma Lomas. Truman Hines

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Nell Hines; Jim and Reba Tabor; George and Thelma Lomas; and Billy W. and Dolores Roe.

Pauline Thompson

Billy W. and Dolores Roe. Wanda McComb

Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Conner, Sr.; Kenneth and Kay Lackey; Paul and Joan Burns; Jim and Reba Tabor; Oma Lewis; Aulden Conner; and Dorris Jonas.

Pat Beasley

B. A. Barasch, Alice and Bernie; George and Thelma Lomas. Beu Castle

Jim and Reba Tabor.

Thelma Stephens

Billy W. and Dolores Roe. Wayne Dye Kenneth and Kay Lackey;

Paul and Joan Burns; Les and Bonita Copeland; Jim and Reba Tabor; and Weldon and Bryce Fikes. <u>Ron Starkey</u>

Ben and Mary Bessent. R. C. "Buzz" Sawyer

Maurice and Elna Duncan; Bob L. and Nona Davis; Jim and Reba Tabor; Mike and Fran Lomas; David and Lisa Lewis & Family; Ben and Mary Bessent; Opal Baker and Family; Weldon and Bryce Fikes; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican; West Coke County Senior Citizens; and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Clendennen.

Joyce Gerhts Jim and Reba Tabor. Cheryl Devoll

Nell Hines

Nell Hines; George and Thelma Lomas.

Freddie Don White George and Thelma Lomas.

Devenuel

Note the New Name:

Ever wonder where they got the name Congregate Meal? A workshop that was attended in San Saba by Senior Center Directors several weeks ago gave us new insight as to the name of our meal programs at the Senior Centers. John Covert, Jr., Valley Innovative Management Services, which is a food services provider, suggested we call our "group" something clever. Congregate means assemble together in a crowd so include the word meal and it means gather together for a meal which is a nutritiously balanced meal, 1/3 of our daily requirements. So at the Bronte Senior Center, we are now called THE LUNCH BUNCH. So we would like to invite you to join our LUNCH BUNCH and have fellowship together during mealtime. Call for reservations on Monday for Wednesday, etc. We serve meals on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 11:30 am. We do deliver Home Delivered Meals if you qualify for such a service. Call the Bronte Center for more information.

"88 Tournament" scheduled

Thursday, April 14th beginning at 9:30 you will find Bronte Senior Center and Robert Lee Senior Center in tournament play. If you would like to be a part of the activity, call the Bronte or Robert Lee Centers to sign up. We do need to have a number count as the Bronte Center is providing lunch. Call by Tuesday, April 12th for reservations. Hope to see you there. Birthday Celebration



Sunny

Notes for

the Coke

County

Seniors

Jessie Proctor has been selected as the March Employee of the Month, according to Pam Shaffer, Administrator of Bronte Nursing Home. Jessie is the bookkeeper/secretary. She has been employed since 1980 at B. N. H.

If you have or had a birthday in April we would like to invite you to lunch at the Bronte Senior Center with THE LUNCH BUNCH, Wednesday, April 13th. Call us by Monday, April 11th by noon if you can join us on Wednesday for lunch. We have a list of a lot of our senior citizens in Bronte at the Center and those of you who we know have a birthday, we will call you. There is a small donation suggested for those over 60 years of age. Cake will be served. Meals for the Week

Monday, April 11

Baked Turkey w/gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Cobbler. Wednesday, April 13

Spaghetti w/meat sauce, Spinach, Garlic Toast, Tossed Salad, Banana Pudding. Friday, April 15

Chicken Fried Steak w/white sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Hot Roll, Fresh Apple.



Funeral services were pending at presstime with Shaffer Funeral Home for Mrs.

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your trunk is bound to be noticed - they then took their ill-gotten gain and buried it just north of the coliseum in San Angelo.

So - an eagle-eyed constable, mismatched tires, an out-of-date inspection sticker - the crooks were doomed from the get-go and lvey Motor Company added one more memory to the scrapbook. Watch next week's issue for another tidbit of history from lvey's as they celebrate their 50th anniversary.

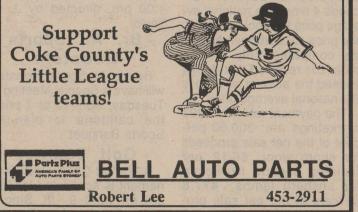
of Ft. Worth and Joan Davis of Robert Lee.

> Happiness is a thing to be practiced, like the violin.

Personal

Dr. and Mrs. Billy W. Hipp of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Juan Zabala, Christine and Kevin of Austin visited with Mrs. Edith Hipp in Bronte during the holiday weekend.





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Red Canyon Archery Results

The Red Canyon Archery Club held a 3D invitational meet March 19, 20, 1994. Results of this meet are as follows:

Male Compound Open

1. Randy Wilson, Midland; 2. Ray Morales, Abilene; 3. Larry Gerber, Odessa. Male Compound Release

1. Stephen Sonnenberg, San Angelo; 2. Randy Brewer, Hermleigh; 3. Bobby Taylor, San Angelo. Male Compound Aided

1. Jerry Johnston, Andrews; 2. Bruce Heard, Alice, 3. Robert Stout, Odessa. Male Compound Unaided

1. Dan Epperson, Breckenridge; 2. David Wyatt, Odessa; 3. W. Rutherford, Ozona. Male Recurve

1. Lee Tippy, Odessa; 2. Jim Shannon, San Angelo; 3. Jeff Forman, Andrews. Male Longbow

1. Jerry Crouser, San Angeo; 2. Ed McCorkle, San Angelo; 3. Rex Pennington, Brownwood.

Female Compound Open 1. Kathie Rowland, Midland; 2. Kathy Tippy, Odessa; 3. Jan Taylor, San Angelo. Female Compound Release

1. Sherry Forman, Andrews; 2. Regina Blair, Odessa; 3. Brenda Skinner, Robert Lee. Female Compound Aided

1. Billie Stout, Odessa; 2. Betty McIntosh, San Angelo; 3. Joni Johnston, Andrews. Youths (13-17 yrs)

1. Corey Hass, Clyde; 2. Fabian Martinez, Sweetwater; 3. Wes Wilson, Snyder. Cubs (9-12 years)

1. Colby Sykes; 2. Ross Smith, Odessa; 3. Bret Ballew, Robert Lee. Mini-Cub (7 & Under)

1. Jody Morris, Westbrook; 2. Aaron Bracker, Midland; 3. Wade Shipman, Ft. Stockton. Mens Hearts

1. Randy Wilson; 2. Eddie Morris; 3. Charlie Ruff. Womens Hearts

1. Sherry Forman; 2. Kathy Tippy; 3. Kathie Rowland. Youths Hearts

1. Corey Haas; 2. Wes Wilson; 3. Fabian Martinez. **Cubs Hearts**

1. Kevin Lozano; 2. Bret Ballew; 3. Taylor Clendennen. Mens Eights

1. Robert Stout: 2. Glen Heard; 3. Jeff Eubanks. Womens Eights



Team winners for the Red Canyon Archery Club meet held March 19 & 20 were (left) Charlie Ruff and (right) Corey Haas. Kim Carver of Robert Lee, Queen of the American Association presented the awards.



Youth shooters at Red Canyon included (I-r) Lori Eubanks, Justin Riley, Taylor Clendennen, Bret Ballew, Colby Eubanks, Casey Eubanks, and Kim Carver (Queen of the American Assoc.).



Taking it easy at the Red Canyon Archery Club meet.

Bill Green

The East Coke County Ambulance Service reports the following contributions for

ECCAS

Benny and Jackie Corley; Joe and Glenda Draper; and Don and Willie B. Edmiaston.



1. Regina Blair; 2. Billie Stout; 3. Kathie Rowland. Youth Eights

1. Cody Madrid; 2. Fabian Martinez; 3. Jeremy Ward. Cubs Eights

1. Jody Morris; 2. Kevin Lozano; 3. Taylor Clendennen.

Two Men Teams - 71 Teams

1. Randy Wilson and Corey Haas; 2. Charlie Ruff and Corey Haas; 3. Randy Wilson and Charlie Ruff.

We had a total of 160 shooters. Our next shoot is a club shoot scheduled for April 16-17th. If anyone would like to come out to the Red Canyon Gun & Archery Club. please feel welcome. We are looking for new members.

March: Donation Anonymous <u>Memorials</u> **Chloe Williams**

Virginia Boatright

Norman Alexander

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Mack and Gwen Baker; Cotton and Joyce Morgan; Virginia Boatright; Royce Dean Clark; Maude Collins; and Wendell and Jeanna Lee.

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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Lady Longhorns Setting a new school record Jill Johnson ran her best race ever at the Robert Lee Relays. She ran a 15.68 in the 100m hurdles compared to last year's best 15.79. Other personal bests were Kim Hall and Wendy Johnson. Kim triple jumped 31' 8 1/2" for 3rd place while Wendy threw the discus 81' 9" for 3rd place. **High School Results** Discus Wendy Johnson, 3rd Shot Jennifer McCorkle, 2nd; Jade Bullard, 5th **High Jump** Jill Johnson, 3rd; Kim Hall, 5th **Triple Jump** Kim Hall, 3rd Long Jump Jill Johnson, 4th 400m Relay Sullivan, Hall, McCorkle, J. Johnson, 3rd 800m Relay Bullard, W. Johnson, Sullivan, McCorkle, 3rd **100m Hurdles** Jill Johnson, 1st; Kim Hall, 3rd 300m Hurdles Jill Johnson, 1st; Kim Hall, 6th 400m Wendy Johnson, 6th Junior High Results Discus Vanessa Sparks, 2nd; Natasha Carper, 3rd; Summer Beck, 4th Shot Summer Beck, 2nd; Vanessa

Sparks, 4th **High Jump** Tammy Lowe, 5th Long Jump Brandy Denton, 1st; Brittany



Br. Breakfast Menu 2nd Monday, April 11 Breakfast Pizza, Orange Juice, Milk Tuesday, April 12 Cereal, Pear Halves, Toast, Milk Wednesday, April 13 Oatmeal, Grape Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Milk Thursday, April 14 Apple Scrambled Eggs Juice, Flour Tortilla, Milk Friday, April 15 Cereal, Diced Peaches, Blueberry Muffins, Milk Br. Lunch Menu Monday, April 11 Burritos, Chili & Cheese, Tossed Salad, Scalloped Potatoes, Crackers, Milk, Applesauce Tuesday, April 12 Chicken Spaghetti, Tossed Salad, Diced Peaches, Bread Sticks, Milk, Brownies Wednesday, April 13 Hot Dogs, Chili & Cheese, Tator Tots, Pear Halves, Ranch Style Beans, Bun, Milk Thursday, April 14 Pizza, Tossed Salad, Buttered Corn, Milk, Spice Cake Friday, April 15 Hamburgers, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Bun, Milk, Juice Bars

Barrett, 5th **Triple Jump** Tammy Lowe, 2nd; Brandy Denton, 3rd; Miranda Scott, 4th 400m Relay Lowe, Denton, Arrott, and Carper, 2nd 100m Dash Natasha Carper, 2nd 200m Dash Brandy Denton, 2nd; Natasha Carper, 3rd 400m Dash Tammy Lowe, 1st 800m Run Miranda Scott, 2nd 300m Hurdles Brittany Barrett, 1st 1600m Run Miranda Scott, 2nd; Courtney Arrott, 4th

The Lady Longhorn track team scored 26 points at the Water Valley Wildcat Relays. Jennifer McCorkle placed first in the shot with 35' 0" which is a personal best for Jennifer. Kim Hall placed fourth in the triple jump, third in the 100m hurdles 18.11, and third in 300m hurdles, 52.28.

The men and women track teams will compete Friday, April 8th in Colorado City.

Bronte Junior High Boys

The Bronte Junior High boys track team traveled to Robert Lee for a meet, Friday, April 25. Results follow: Discus: Michael Sallee, 4th. Shot Put: Michael Sallee, 4th. High Jump: Michael Martinez, 5th. Triple Jump: Michael Martinez, 32' 3", 2nd; Dusty Arrott, 31' 1/2", 3rd. Long Jump: Dustin Holland, 15', 3rd. 400m Relay: Courtney Beam, Michael Sallee, Michael Martinez, and Dustin Holland,

52.30, 3rd. 800m: Scott Graves, 2:30.5,

100m: Dustin Holland, 12.88, 5th.

400m: Dusty Arrott, 66.4, 5th.

300m: Hurdles: Michael Sallee, 47.75, 1st. 200m: Michael Martinez.

27.44, 3rd; Dusty Arrott, 29.10, 5th.

1600m Run: Scott Graves, 5:50.60, 1st; Dusty Arrott, 6:45.12, 6th.

Bronte Golf

Bronte girls came in second after the first day of district golf in Robert Lee on Tuesday, April 5th with a 433. Freshmen girls shot a 561 and the boys golf team had a 407 after the day's play.

District play will wind up Monday, April 11th on the course in Baird. Team Scores

Melinda Mackey, 52, 46, 98; Laura Thomas, 50, 58, 108; Joni Barrett, 55, 58, 113; Micah Arrott, 61, 53, 114; Mandy Dunn, 64, 66, 130; Courtney Shaffer, 48, 48, 96; Ben Huckabee, 53, 49, 102; Justin Lampier, 52, 52, 104; Nick Arrott, 54, 51, 105; and James Hambright, 55, 56, 111

BHS Tennis

Girls Singles April Drake (Miles) defeated Gina Clayton (7-5, 6-3) **Girls** Doubles

Whitney Young and Shane Lange of Miles defeated Joni Barrett and Tandy Briley (6-4, 6-4)

April Drake and E. Tengal (Miles) defeated Julia Gentry and Jade Bullard (6-4, 6-2) **Boys Singles**

Brian Lange (Miles) defeated Michael Blair (6-3, 6-2)

Jacob Ethredge (Miles) defeated Gary Walker (6-2, 6-3) **Boys Doubles**

Reed Hall and Jason Haulak (Miles) defeated Gary Walker and Darrel Sharp (6-2, 7-5)

Craig Lawson and Ernie Tapia (Miles) defeated Clint Scott and Cody Holland (7-6, 7-5, 6-2)

Summer Activities

Parents of Bronte High School students will meet Sunday night April 10 at 8 pm at El Ranchero Restaurant. The group will discuss summer activities for the youth and a town recreation center. All parents are urged to attend.



Enjoying a session of the new class, Services for the Elderly, held at the Bronte Nursing Home, are (I-r): Annie Cope, Jamie Shipman, Debbie Sanchez, Jess Percifull, Randy Bilbrey, Tim Lee, Jamie Flores, Ernestine Powell, Gladys Baker, and Rena Gee.

Bronte High School

Bronte High School, in conjunction with the Bronte Nursing Home, began a new class during the school year 1993-94 titled Services for the Elderly. The class is designed to prepare high school students for jobs working with senior citizens. During the course, students will also complete the necessary training to become certified nurses aides through the Texas Department of Health Nurse Aides Training and Competency Evaluation Program. The class is being taught by Julie Massey, Home Economics teacher and Lavirl Hoyt, LVN. Students include Jamie Shipman (junior), Debbie Sanchez, Jess Percifull, Randy Bilbrey, and Rena Gee, all seniors.

When asked to describe what the class has done this year, Randy remarked, "In our Services for the Elderly class, we go to the Bronte Nursing Home two days out of the week and visit or play games with the residents." Jamie Shipman said, "Our class helps the elderly open up and get more socially involved with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn.

other people. We try to get them to have fun so that it is not just another ordinary day."

When asked to report what they have learned through the Services for the Elderly class, Rena commented, "We have learned about the needs (mental, social, etc.) of the elderly, how to communicate with them, and what kinds of hobbies and activities they can do." Jess Percifull re-marked, "We have learned the importance of providing care for the elderly and the roles of the care provider." Debbie said, " You can learn a lot from the elderly. They have interesting things to say."

Students will take the state examination for nurses aides in May and will be qualified nurses aides upon graduation. For more information about the Services for the Elderly class, contact Julie Massey, Bronte High School (915) 473-2511.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. David Hortenstine of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. David Jenschke of San Angelo were Easter visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bivins, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bivins, and

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-Counselor's Commentsby Vicky McCutchen

All parents are very familiar with such substances as paint, glue, vitamins, cough and cold remedies, and others but may not be aware that these products that seem harmless can be life threatening for children if they are inhaled intentionally or consumed. Such substances as correction fluid, felt tip markers, perfumes, and air fresheners can be dangerous if used improperly. If they are inhaled or taken orally through the nose or mouth, it is just like drinking a bottle of poison. One exposure has the ability to leave the child severely impaired or life threatening. The fact is that the majority of accidental poisonings in this country involve children under age six and many more will become abusers of inhalants before they are half-way through grade school.

Signs of inhalant abuse could be: paint or stains on body or clothing, red or runny eyes or nose, spots or sores around the mouth, chemical breath odor, drunk, dazed or dizzy appearance, nausea or loss of appetite, and anxiety, excitability, and irritability. Some signs of withdrawal are: hand tremors, chronic headaches, nervousness, and excessive sweating. Some poisons that are dangerous include the following: KITCHEN - ammonia, bleach, butane, cooking spray, correction fluid, disinfectants,

Bronte FFA

Members of the Bronte FFA Chapter have participated in various aspects of the various livestock shows across the state. At the Fort Worth Stock Show, FFA members Russel Vaughn and Shae Kelton exhibited steers.

At the San Antonio Stock Show, Danielle Parker and Kim Blair exhibited swine, while members Russel Vaughn, Shae Kelton, and Justin Lampier exhibited steers.

Exhibiting sheep at the San Angelo Stock Show was Chad Barnett. Exhibiting swine at San Angelo was Danielle Parker and Laura Thomas and exhibiting steers were Russel Vaughn and Justin Lampier.

Also participating at the San Angelo Stock Show were four members that caught calves during the calf scramble of the rodeo performance. Chad Barnett caught the 5th calf and received an eighty dollar purchase certificate, Gary Walker and Cody Holland each caught a seventh calf and each received a \$60 purchase certificate. Todd Harrell caught the eighth calf and received a \$50 purchase certificate.

furniture polish and wax, insecticides, lighter fluid, lye and drain cleaners, oven cleaners; BEDROOM - hair sprays, moth balls, nail preparations, air fresheners; **BATHROOM** - deodorants, cough/cold remedies, mouthwashes, vitamins, prescription medications, children's aspirin products; GARAGE - antifreeze, car wax, fertilizers, gasoline, kerosene, lime, liquid solder, pesticides, refrigerants, turpentine; WORKSHOP - aerosol sprays, felt tip markers, glues and adhesives, paint and paint thinners, rust removers, solvent, spray paints.

Overwhelming? What do parents and educators do? Take precautions around your home and school by keeping these potential poisons out of reach of young children and maintain open communication with your children and adolescents, making them aware of the dangers of these substances. Have on hand Syrup of Ipecac at home to induce vomiting. Often inhalant abuse leads to other illicit drug abuse and to lifelong problems.

Fact: Both national and Texas surveys show inhalants as the most widely abused substance among eighth graders after alcohol and tobacco. Inhalants far outrank marijuana as the "drug of choice" with 12-14 year olds. More than 1,000 common products that are legal and easy to get can be mis-used to get high and if sniffed or "huffed" they can cause brain, lung, and liver damage. They can cause the heart to stop! Inhalants can kill!!!

Personal

Andy Eubanks and family of Floresville and Keith and Dana Eubanks and sons of Robert Lee, were guests in the home of Sid and Johnnie Eubanks for the holidays.

Personal

Margaret Patterson returned home to Prescott, Arizona last week after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Clark Glenn and husband in Bronte. Easter visitors in the Glenn home included their sons and families Drs. Victor and Lisa Glenn and children, lan and Charlotte, of Duncanville; their daughter, Carolyn Kuykendall and granddaughter, Carmen Kuykendall, both of Abilene and a granddaughter and family, Mrs. and Mrs. Chad Longley of Andrews.

Spring Chicken Affair

A fried chicken dinner with all the trimmings and toe-tapping music will be featured at the 12th Annual Spring Chicken Affair on Sunday, April 17 in San Angelo to benefit West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Scheduled from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm in giant tents behind sponsoring businesses Southwest Bank and Southern Sea Restaurant, 3451 Knickerbocker Road, the event is one Rehab hopes will draw its friends from around the Concho Valley.

Exactly the same price will be charged since the Affair began in 1983 -- and, as always 100% of the proceeds will go the WTRC. Advance tickets can be purchased at the bank, restaurant or at WTRC San Angelo and they will also be available at the event.

Making a return appearance in the entertainment tent will be LeAnn Rimes, the talented 11-year-old singer and dancer who delighted everyone at last year's Spring Chicken Affair and who was a popular feature at the 1994 San Angelo Rodeo.

Joining LeAnn on the entertainment roster will be Clay Blaker and his Honky Tonk Band from New Braunfels.

West Texas Rehabilitation Center, a private, non-profit organization with campuses in San Angelo and Abilene, provides outpatient rehabilitation care to more than 600 people a day...13,500 a year... without regard for financial status. For that reason, fund-raising events such as the Spring Chicken Affair are critical to WTRC.

Personal

Mrs. Janet Cooper of Las Vegas, Nevada returned home last Saturday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dewbre in Bronte.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Dyess of Bronte celebrated the holiday by taking their grandchildren to Ballinger Park for an Easter Egg Hunt. Grandchildren included Carla Wojtek, Steven and B. J. Atley and Blaine Dyess.

Personal

Guests of the Edward Cumbies for Easter Dinner were Linda and Pat Gladden, Jerrod and Jeffrey, Tim and Shelly Scott, Cary and T. J. all of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams and Nicholas Arrott of Bronte.

Grant, McCutchen exchange vows

Gina Grant of Bronte and Harold F. McCutchen of Monahans were married April 1, 1994 in the Officers' Quarters #8 at historic old Fort Stockton in Fort Stockton, Texas. Pecos County Judge Freddie Capers officiated.

The couple's children hosted a luncheon and reception at the Officers' Quarters of the fort.

Attending the ceremony were Susan Henderson of Sonora; Don and Donna Grant, Justin Grant, Andrew Marley, Nicole Marley, and Kenneth Rider of Fort Stockton; Bill Grant, Jr., and daughter, Portia of O'Donnell; and Craig Grant of Bronte.

Virginia Mullins of Novice and Eula Maud McCutchen of Bronte are mothers of the couple.

Letter to

the Editor Dear Editor,

I'm enclosing a check for seventeen dollars (\$17.00) for another year's subscription to the Observer/Enterprise. I look forward to receiving it each week so much I don't want to miss a copy. It's like a news letter from home.

> Sincerely, Lurena (Reid) Frizzell 1006 Elm Sweetwer, TX 79556

Driggers returns

from N. M.

John Driggers, preacher for the Bronte Church of Christ has recently returned from preaching a series of gospel lessons to the Church of Christ in Aztec, N. M.

The Aztec congregation is only slightly larger than the one in Bronte and has among its members Harold "Buzz" Beaty and his wife Barbara. Beaty is kin to the Braswells and Sanduskys of Bronte. John and his wife Judy stayed in the home of the Beatys while there. John and Judy were also privileged to attend the annual New Mexico Teacher's Workshop sponsored by the Montgomery Blvd. Church of Christ on their way to Aztec.

Sr. Spring Fling The Seventh Annual Senior

Spring Fling will be held on Thursday, May 19 to honor senior citizens in the Concho Valley. This year's theme 'The Concho Valley Senior Roundup" has a western flavor and promises to be an event you won't want to miss, so grab your partner and join us for a day filled with door prizes, information booths, health screenings, entertainment, prizes, and more. The fun begins at 9:00 am in the San Angelo Coliseum. Lunch will be catered by McGowan's and starts at 11:30.

SS checks to be delivered early

"Social Security checks will be delivered on Friday, April 1st," said Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo. The checks usually arrive the third of each month. But in April, the third falls on a Sunday, so the checks will arrive on Friday. "Whether your receive your benefits by mail, or you have them deposited directly in you bank account," Upp said, "your Social Security payments should be available two days early."

Br. COC

The Bronte Church of Christ Youth Group has just recently adopted a two mile strip of Highway 277 south of Bronte in the Texas Department of Transportation's Adopt-A-Highway program and is excited about sharing in this extremely vital public service to help keep our environment clean.

Personal

Christine Clark of Bronte has returned home from Irving where she had visited two weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gohman and Evan.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilcox, Danielle and Michael of Midland were Easter visitors with Mrs. Wilcox' parents Richard and Peggy Hembree in Bronte. They helped celebrate Peggy's birthday while here.



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MONDAY, ARPIL 11TH AT 7:00 pm BRONTE CHURCH OF CHRIST ANNEX

ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

RL Track Results

The Robert Lee Steers crushed competitors in grabbing the title in their own annual relays last Friday. They amassed 274 points on the way to the remarkable win, scoring in almost every event.

Other schools placing in the Robert Lee Relays included 2. Haskell, 128; 3. Bronte, 65; 4. Robert Lee JV, 43; 5. Hermleigh, 19; 6. Forsan, 14; 7. Brookesmith, 2.

Individual results for Robert Lee follow:

Pole Vault

1. Daniel Hayes, 12'; 2. Adam Morgan, 11' 6"; 3. Starsky Oleksiuk (JV), 10'; 5. Bobby Longoria (JV), 8' 6"; 6. Judd Pitcock (JV), 8' 6". **High Jump**

1. Charles Hayes, 6' 2"; 3. Jason Wyatt, 5' 10"; 4. Lee McCown, 5' 8". Discus

1. Lee McCown, 154' 5"; 2. Dean Burns, 149' 9"; 3. John Williams, 139' 2". Long Jump

1. Charles Hayes, 19' 4 1/2"; 2. Bart Goodman, 18' 3". **Triple Jump**

1. Bart Goodman, 42' 7 1/4"; 3. Jason Wyatt, 40' 11 3/4"; 4. Jerrid Vincent, 40' 1/2".

Shot Put

1. John Williams, 52' 3 1/2"; 2. Lee McCown, 50' 6". 3200 Run

1. Wayne Hayes, 11:48.47; 2. Eric Hood, 12:51.40; 3. David Sevier (JV), 12:56.60; 4. Koby Howell (JV), 12:59.06; 5. Freddie Wojtek (JV), 13:08.82.

400 Relay

1. Harley Wagner, Adam Morgan, Bart Goodman, and Scot Millican, 45.21 800 Run

3. Gilbert Torres, 2:13.65; 4. Charles Hayes, 2:19.64. **110 Hurdles**

1. Lee McCown, 15.25; 2. Adam Morgan, 16.19; 3. Jason Wyatt, 16.41; 4. Michael Pentecost, 17.69.

100 Dash 6. Jerrid Vincent, 11:91. 400 Run

2. Bart Goodman, 54.31; 4. Jerrid Vincent, 55.78; 6.



Aaron Hood (JV), 57.43. 300 Hurdles

1. Lee McCown, 42.34; 2. Adam Morgan, 43.84; 5. Jason Wyatt, 44.41. 200 Dash

1. Scot Millican, 23.32. 1600 Run

1. Wayne Hayes, 5:14.13; 2. Gilbert Torres, 5:19.75; 3. Kelly Prine, 5:21.60; 6. Jerrod Copeland (JV), 5:45.31. 1600 Relay

2. Jason Wyatt, Scot Millican, Joe Blair, and Bart Goodman, 3:36.66; 4. (JV) Aaron Hood, Eric Torres, Starsky Oleksiuk, and Mike Pentecost, 3:53.99. Team Results: 1st. Robert Lee, 274 pts; 2nd. Haskell, 128 1/2 pts; 3rd. Bronte, 65

1/2 pts; 4th. Robert Lee JV, 43 pts; 5th. Hermleigh, 19 pts; 6th. Forsan, 14 pts; 7th. Brookesmith, 2 pts. The Robert Lee Girls also captured first over all with 179

points, beating out Haskell 168 pts, Bronte 87 pts, Forsan 42 pts, Hermleigh 36 pts, and Brooksmith 16 points. Individual results are as follows:

Long Jump

2. Rachel Pentecost, 14' 11 1/2".

Shot Put

1. Shalon Waldrop, 34' 8 1/2"; 3. Tiffany Bruning, 27' 9 3/4"; 4. Kizzie Howell, 26' 6 1/4"

Triple Jump

5. Maranda Wojtek, 28' 11"; 6. Laine Gregston, 28' 10 1/4".

High Jump

2. Jaclyn Waldrop, 4' 6"; 5. Elaine Gibbs, 4' 4"; 6. Maranda Wojtek, 4' 4". Discus

1. Shalon Waldrop, 89' 4"; 2. Jaclyn Waldrop, 85' 5"; 6. Kizzie Howell, 74' 10 1/2". 3200 Run

1. Kizzie Howell, 16.43.81; 2. Lynlee Owen, 16:47.62; 3. Heather Nichols, 20:42.10. 400 Relay

2. Elaine Gibbs, Laine Gregston, Heather Millican, and Rachel Pentecost, 56.72. 800 Run

3. Jennifer Scott, 2:53.53; 6. Patricia Minjarez, 3:15.18.

100 Low Hurdles

Cynthia Abalos, 1:15.91. 300 Hurdles

3. Rachel Pentecost, 52.06; 5. Kim Carver, 53.18. 200 Dash

2. Jaclyn Waldrop, 28.94. 1600 Run

4. Lynlee Owen, 7:17.29; 5. Kizzie Howell, 7:28.69; 6. Patricia Minjarez, 7:46.55. 1600 Relay

2. Elaine Gibbs, Kim Carver, Rachel Pentecost, and Heather Millican, 4:29.79.

RLJH Track

The Robert Lee Junior High boys and girls dominated their meet Friday, March 25. Both teams accumulated 235 points to win first overall. Results are as follows:

Girls Results Triple Jump

1. Bree Bolding, 30' 9"; 5. Amanda Brock, 25' 10 1/2"; 6. Amber Nichols, 24' 8". Long Jump

2. Samantha Padgett, 13' 4 3/4"; 3. Marie Eads, 13' 1"; 4. Amanda Brock, 12' 8 1/2". **High Jump**

1. Bree Bolding, 5' 2"; 3. Samantha Padgett, 4' 4"; 4. Carrie Green, 4' 4". Shot Put

1. Marie Eads, 24' 11"; 3. Jessica Key, 23' 6 1/2"; 6. Robin Sevier, 21' 1 3/4". Discus

1. Maria Gallegos, 75' 8"; 5. Carrie Green, 54' 1".

400 Relay 1. Amanda Brock, Samantha Padgett, Bree Bolding, and Marie Eads, 56.75.

800 Run Kendra Bohannon, 1. 2:51.57; 3. Tara Bruning,

2:59.94. **100 Hurdles**

1. Bree Bolding, 16.94; 4. Stacy Hendry, 21.66; 6. Amber Nichols, 22.53. 100 Dash

1. Marie Eads, 13.81; 4. Amanda Brock, 14.72.

800 Relay 1. Amanda Brock, Saman-Tiffany tha Padgett, Copeland, and Marie Eads, 2:07.21

400 Run 3. Carrie Green, 1:18.00. 300 Hurdles

3. Robin Sevier, 1:03.91. 200 Dash

1. Kendra Bohannon, 10:54.78; 2. Melissa Smith, 11:10.09

Team Results: 1st. Robert Lee, 235; Bronte, 157; 3rd. Brookesmith, 58; 4. Loraine, 49; 5. Hermleigh, 18. **Boys Results**

Pole Vault

1. Daryl Calder, 9' 6"; 2. Will Simpson, 8' 6"; 3. Tony Bell, 7' 0"

Long Jump

1. Matthew Millican, 17' 3"; 4. Michael Munoz, 14' 11 1/4"

Triple Jump

1. Michael Munoz, 32' 6"; 4. Scotty Wyatt, 30' 3 1/2". **High Jump**

1. Matthew Millican, 5' 2": 4. Eli Boxell, 4' 10".

Shot Put

2. Michael Munoz, 37' 4 1/4". Discus

1. Eli Boxell, 116' 1/2"; 3. Mariusz Skibicki, 105' 1/2"; 5. Jeremy Edging, 90' 10"; 6. David Rainwater, 90' 9 1/2". 2400 Run

1. Polo Arellano, 9:30.65. 400 Relay

1. Daryl Calder, Kirk Bagwell, Eli Boxell, and Matthew Millican, 50.37.

800 Run 1. Eli Boxell, 2:28.72; 3. Chad Helwig, 2:35.22.

110 Hurdles

1. Daryl Calder, 19.72; 2. Scotty Wyatt, 21.19; 3. Polo Arellano, 22.47.

100 Dash

2. Michael Munoz, 12.84; 4. Kirk Bagwell, 12.96. 400 Dash

1. Matthew Millican, 57.53:

3. Scotty Wyatt, 1:05.87.

300 Hurdles

2. Daryl Calder, 49.19.

200 Run

4. Michael Munoz, 28.62; 6. Will Simpson, 29.25. 1600 Run

1. Scotty Wyatt, Kirk Bagwell, Eli Boxell, and Matthew Millican, 4:04.25.

Overall Results: 1st. Robert Lee, 235; 2nd. Hermleigh, 145; 3rd. Bronte. 95; 4th. Loraine, 42; 5th. Brookesmith, 9; 6th. Robert Lee "B", 5.

RL Golf

The first, Round of District golf was completed at Robert Lee, the results are as follows: Girls Team Standings

1st. Robert Lee (Shanon Parks, Kim Carver, Wendy McPeek, Danielle Glenn, and Krystal Carver), 383; 2nd. Bronte A, 433; 3rd. Baird, 447; 4th. Bronte B, 561.

Baird, 338; 3rd. Robert Lee B,

370; 4th. Bronte, 407; 5th.

include: John Williams, Dean

Burns, Joe Blair, Jason

Tavarez, Eric Torres, Jeremy

Vincent, Jerrid Vincent, Koby

Howell, David Sevier, Jerrod

Copeland, James Tennison,

Casey Antilley, and Tray Tay-

The Final round will be

Cheerleaders

The following Robert Lee

elected

students were elected March

31, 1994 to serve as cheer-

leaders for the upcoming

school year 1994/95: Heather

Millican, Head; Kannan Milli-

can, Tracy Millican, Lynlee

Personal

Hammerton of Houston spent

the week of their Spring Break

in the home of their grandpar-

ents, Bobby and Jeffie

Roberts of Robert Lee. Jim

and Sheila (Roberts) Farrar

spent the following weekend

with her parents and the

group returned to Houston

Others visiting in the

Roberts' home over the

weekend were Floyd and

Jessie Harmon, Douglas,

Denise, and Kacee Roberts all

You can't get rid of

poverty by giving people

March 21, 1994

of Robert Lee.

money.

Did You Know?

Did you know that with a phone from

Crystal and Lauren

Owen, and Maranda Wojtek.

played at Baird Monday, April

11 beginning at 10:00 am.

lor.

(Robert Lee team members

Roby, 443; 6th. Eula, 449.

Boys Team Standings 1st. Robert Lee A, 325; 2nd.



Worm Test Lab Set the sample has to be taken

There will be a worm testing lab to determine the actual stomach worm infestation in producer's sheep and goats held in the recreation hall in Robert Lee. This lab will be sponsored by the Extension Service and conducted by Tommy Antilley, County Extension Agent and Dr. Frank Craddock, Extension sheep and goat Specialist

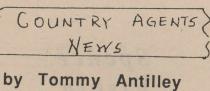
Producers wanting their flocks tested need to collect fresh fecal samples from their sheep and goats sometime Tuesday. If at all possible the sample needs to be collected late that afternoon. Samples should be collected from several animals to give a better indication of the worm infestation of the entire flock. Samples should be placed in a sealed plastic bag and kept out of direct sunlight and heat as sunlight can kill the worm eggs in a very short time. If

Gibbs receives award

For the fifth year the Tandy Technology Scholars program has made awards to teachers and graduating seniors at American high schools. As of March, 14,645 public and private secondary schools have been certified to participate in the awards program. That is more than 67 percent of all secondary schools in the United States. The states with the highest percentage of certified schools are Arizona, Colorado, Delaware, Hawaii, Nebraska, Texas and Wyoming.

The academic top two percent of graduating seniors are eligible to receive certificates recognizing their academic achievement. This year the Tandy Technology Scholars program will honor 24,360 meritorious seniors. States with the largest percentage of schools participating are Delaware, Florida, North Carolina, New Jersey, Nevada, and South Carolina. States with the greatest percentage increase in schools nominating their academic top two percent are Arkansas, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Nevada, West Virginia, and Washington, D.C.

Each school may nominate



Coke County Agent

that morning, place it in a sealed bag and place it in the refrigerator until that night.

This a simple operation and producers can learn the technique and be able to test their own animals periodically to insure an effective worming program. If there are any questions please call Tommy Antilley at 453-2461.

Personal

Guests in the homes of Alta Bilbo and Bob and Jamie Boren during the Easter weekend were: Alta Bell and Lamar Kay of Alpine, Jan and Bobby Hungate, Kara and Kayce of Waco, Mark and Judy Kay and Nicholas of Andrews, Kathy and Joe Alexander, Miranda, Jamie Jo and Joe Bob of Kennedy, Tom Bilbo Boren of Lubbock, John and Jill Boren, Lauren and Jordan of Snyder, Jo Ann and Jarvis Littlefield of Grove, OK, Janet Rathmell of Mertzon, Steve and Mary Evans and Allen of Water Valley, Billy Havins, Zachary and Will of Austin, Rebecca and Mike Levesque and Sarah of San Angelo, Robbie Turner of San Angelo, Kathryn and Robert McGuire of Robert Lee.

Thirty family members attended Easter services at the Robert Lee First United Methodist Church. Easter Sunday dinner was at the home of Mrs. Alta Bilbo, mother, grandmother, greatgrandmother, or sister, to all of those in attendance. There was an early Sunday morning Easter egg hunt for the greatgrandchildren.

Personal

Grace Skipworth of Robert Lee returned home last week after undergoing surgery at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo. She is recovering nicely.

RL Track

The Robert Lee track squad traveled to Water Valley Thursday, March 31st. Results of the meet follow:

Boys results Team: 1st place with 211 points

400 Relay

Sparks Reunion

For the first time in several

years, surviving members of

the Lem and Lillie Cowley

family held a reunion at the

home of Calvin and Cova

Sparks Saturday, April 2. All

four of the Cowley's daugh-

ters were there, two of whom,

had four generations present

in their families. A lot of old

memories were recalled and a

great deal of "catching up"

took place in the afternoon

with the help of a family scrap-

book with pictures from past

Three week old Rowdy

James Fox and seven month

old Emily Talley were the cen-

ter of attention, but everyone

enjoyed themselves until the

sandstorm broke up the party

for those who had several

miles to travel home. Most

were planning to attend an

Easter sunrise service at vari-

Bucky Sparks and Glenn

Bridges served as chefs and

hamburgers were served to

the following family members:

Calvin and Cova Sparks, all of

Robert Lee; Otis and Flora

Smith of Bronte; Pete and

Clema Rampy, Ronnie and

Doris Fox, Judy, John and Larry Cathey, Linda And Michael Fritz, Pam and Emily

Talley, Calvin Deck, Nanette

and Rowdy James Fox, all of

San Angelo; E. S. and Jean

Herring of Maryneal; Wallace

and Jerry Colburn and Jolynn

Wilkins of Lubbock; Gay Dale,

Corey and Casey Collins of

Wollforth; Tommy and Carla

Moore of Tyler; Glenn, Loret-

ta, Marshall and Cody Bridges

of Menard and Mike, Donna

and Matthew Gosney of Mus-

Personal

lierville, Tennessee returned

to her home Monday after

spending ten days in Robert

Lee. She enjoyed a long visit

with her sister and brother-in-

Mrs. Juanice Herr of Col-

cle Shoals, Alabama.

reunions.

ous places.

1st. Harley Wagner, Adam Morgan, Bart Goodman, and Scot Millican, 44.95 **110 Hurdles**

1st. Lee McCown, 15.40; 2nd. Jason Wyatt, 16.19

100 Dash 5th. Harley Wagner, 12.17 400 Dash

1st. Bart Goodman, 52.84:

5th. Aaron Hood, 56.22 330 Int. Hurdles

2nd. Lee McCown, 41.70; 6th. Jason Wyatt, 43.91 200 Dash

2nd. Scot Millican, 23.70; 6th. Harley Wagner, 25.22.

3200 Run 6th. Wayne Hayes, 11:40

800 Run

3rd. Joe Blair, 2:10.17; 5th. Gilbert Torres, 2:12.99 1600 Run

2nd. Wayne Hayes, 4:58.28 1600 Relay

1st. J. Vincent, Scot Millican, Joe Blair, and Bart Goodman, 3:34.67 Shot

1st. John Williams, 55' 3 1/4" (*New School Record); 2nd. Lee McCown, 51' 9"; Judd Pitcock, 40' 10" Discus

1st. Dean Burns, 165' 2 1/2" (*New School Record); 2nd. John Williams, 140' 3"; 3rd. Lee McCown, 140' 2" **Triple Jump**

1st. Bart Goodman, 41' 9"; 2nd. Jason Wyatt, 39' 11"; 4th. J. Vincent, 39' 10" **High Jump**

2nd. Charles Hayes, 6' 0"; 3rd. Lee McCown, 6' 0"; 6th. Jason Wyatt, 5' 10"

Long Jump

4th. Bart Goodman, 19' 7"; 5th. Charles Hayes, 19' 3 1/4" **Pole Vault**

1st. Jeremy Fluhmann, 12' 6"; 2nd. Daniel Hayes, 12' 0"; 3rd. Adam Morgan, 11' 0"

Girls Results Team: 3rd place with 63 points

400 relay

5th. Elaine Gibbs, Laine Gregston, Heather Millican, and Rachel Pentecost, 54.83 100 Dash

6th. Elaine Gibbs, 14.33 400 Dash

3rd. Heather Millican, 1:09.12; 4th. Jennifer Scott, 1:09.99

330 Int. Hurdles

2nd. Rachel Pentecost, 50.28; 5th. Kim Carver, 53.35 200 Dash

4th. Laine Gregston, 29.23; 6th. Jaclyn Waldrop, 29.7 800 Run

6th. Jennifer Scott, 2:49.58 1600 Relay

2nd. Elaine Gibbs, Kim Carver, Rachel Pentecost, and Heather Millican, 4:28.48 Shot

3rd. Shalon Waldrop, 34' 3 3/4"

Discus

6th. Shalon Waldrop, 87.7 High Jump

5/6th tie - Maranda Wojtek and Elaine Gibbs, 4' 6"

Long Jump

4th. Rachel Pentecost, 15' 1"

Personal

Opal Short of Robert Lee returned home last Saturday following carotid artery surgery on Wednesday, March 30, at Concho Valley Regional Hospital. She previously had artery surgery two weeks ago on the opposite side. She is making a good recovery and glad to be home.

Weigh choices. your



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a senior who is outstanding in mathematics, science, or computer science. These students receive a certificate recognizing them as a Tandy Technology Scholar. In addition, they are eligible to compete for one of the one hundred \$1,000 scholarships awarded annually. This year one third of all schools in the U.S. participated in this area of the program.

Those states with the most student nominees are California, New York, Ohio, and Texas.

Judith Elaine Gibbs, a senior at Robert Lee High School, received a certificate award from the Tandy Technology Scholars program. She was nominated as an outstanding Math/Science/ Computer Science student.

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Stenholm announces 1995 academy cycle

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is pleased to announce the beginning of the 1995 United States Service Academy cycle. At this time, information is being forwarded to all area high schools and those individuals who have expressed interest in applying for a nomination to the United States Air Force, Merchant Marine, Military or Naval Academy.

Applications are currently being accepted from idividuals who wish to be considered for the classes entering in July 1995. The academies seek well-rounded, intelligent young men and women who are accustomed to balancing many activities while maintaining a high level of academic excellence. The academies offer an excellent educational opportunity, while achieving their goal of preparing tomorrow's military leaders. The academies are seeking individuals of high moral character with much leadership potential, who thrive under pressure.

Individuals who are at least high school juniors, and who will be between 17 and 22 years of age on July 1, 1995, may be eligible for consideration. Selections are made in mid-December, using a formula based upon the candidate's high school record, class standing, SAT and/or ACT scores. Involvment in athletics and school and community extracurricular activities are important factors in

Call of the Wildflowers

Now that spring in here, thousands of Texas travelers want to know one thing where are the best wildflower patches? The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) has the answer.

Every spring, TxDOT provides a wildflower reporting service that points travelers in the direction of the state's most gorgeous fields of bluebonnets, Indian paintbrush, and other native flora. Throughout April and early May, callers may dial the department's travel information line at 1-800-452-9292 for the scoop on the most colorful wildflower sightings across the state. This information, which is updated weekly by IXDOI employees across the state, is also available at any of the department's 25 district offices or 12 Travel Information Centers. Travelers can also find out about bluebonnet driving trails, wildflower festivals, and other springtime events held across the state. This reporting service gives the department a chance to show off the year-round work of TxDOT's maintenance crews, who plant thousands of pounds of wildflower seed annually and coordinate mowing schedules that allow the native plants to mature. Not only do these vegetation management techniques produce some of the most beautiful rights-of-way in the United States, they also prevent erosion and save water and money.

determining the individual's ability to effectively function under pressure. Evaluations by school officials and other individuals who are familiar with the candidate are also used in the decision-making process.

Motivated, self-starting individuals who like to be challenged are strongly encouraged to contact Congressman Stenholm's San Angelo office for further information. All inquiries should be directed to: Congressman Charles Stenholm, O. C. Fisher Federal Building #318, 33 East Twohig Avenue, San Angelo, TX 76903, Attn: Academy Applications.

Family Community Education Meets

The Family Community Education Club met on Friday, March 25th at the Bronte Senior Citizen Building with Annie Laura McShane as hostess.

The club honored Marie Arrott with a plaque as being a 50 year club member. Marie joined the Home Demonstration Club in 1944.

The club members brought recycled ice cream buckets and designed and decorated them with fabric. Those members attending were: Marie Arrott, Virginia Boatright, Annie Laura McShane, Agent Jan Yanez; visitors were: Sandie Saucedo, Dot Hohensee and Juanita Bradley.

Personal

Frankie Beth Fletcher Williams, a Coke Countian who resides in Las Vegas, Nevada, was operated on for cancer at the INSTITUCION GINECO - OBSTETRICA Y DE PERINTOLOGIA in Naucalpan, Mexico. She was accompanied by her daughter, Cheryl Williams Carrasco, who also lives in Las Vegas, Neva-

Dr. Antonio Carrasco Sanchez, FACS reports that he was able to totally remove the cancer in her body because of early detection and the fact that she was so strong and ready to fight for her health. He predicts she will live to be at least 84!

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Caperton and Dustin of Bryan spent last Thursday through Sunday with Randy's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Caperton in Bronte.

Home safety checkup

It's that time of year again...when spring cleaning fever hits the air and everyone decides to take on those tough chores around the house. This is a good time to perform a home safety check. Inspecting your home and creating a hazard-free environment will reduce your chances of having an accident.

West Texas Utilities Company and the National Safety Council recommend spring cleaning as the best time to conduct a home safety checklist:

overloading *Avoid electrical outlets

*All appliances should have Underwriters Laboratories (UL) labels

*Replace cracked or damaged cords and plugs

*Cover electrical outlets if you have young children in the house

*Label all fuses and circuit breakers to show which outlets and fixtures they serve

*Washers and dryers should be electrically grounded. Be careful: damp or wet floors can lead to electrical shock

*When remodeling, position light switches in accessible areas. Accidents can happen when people stumble through the dark. Place locations around the home for emergency use

*Good lighting should be provided at the stove, sink and countertop work areas, especially where food is chopped

*Place night lights in bathroom or hallways to act as a guide to prevent falls.

Make sure a home safety list is part of your spring cleaning plans this year. Take the time to ensure the health and safety of you, your family and your home.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Brice of Albuquerque are visiting in Bronte with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brice.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Baker of Bronte visited Glenn and Tony Kemp in Christoval last weekend. Gwen joined Millie Anderson, Jana and Chena of Fort Worth, the mothers of the couple, Cornelia Baker and Lorene Kemp of San Angelo for a tour of Llano county to see all the wild flowers.

Spence Fishin'

Water Temp - 59 Paint Creek Marina

Ronnie Brown, from Odessa, TX, one 12 lb. .07 oz. black bass, released. Bob Edwards, from Odessa, TX, one 5 1/2 lb. black bass. Bob Minton, from San Angelo, TX, one striper using cut shad, weighed in at 16 1/4 lb. Patrick's Country Store Louis Corneijo, from Midland, TX, reeled in a 1 1/4 lb crappie

using minnows. Jeff King, from Midland, TX, one 4 lb. black bass and a 24 inch striper.

Crappie being reported have been doing good around Wildcat Creek.

Texas Striper Assoc.

(Lake Spence)

The Striper tournament had 30 entries and 2 youth anglers. There were two stripers reeled in over 15 lbs., caught on live shad. The largest striper weighed in at 16.24 lbs.

Tournament director, Darrell Sorey came in 6th place.

Water Temp - 60 Paint Creek Marina Bob Edwards - Odessa, TX, one 5.5 lb black bass. Dewayne Barnett - Midland, TX, 3.5 lb. black bass.

Mame Wirkliffe - Robert Lee, TX, 3 lb. 11 oz. black bass, 2 1/2 lb. and 2 1/4 lb. black bass baiting with minnows.

Paul Lane and Randy Murphy - San Angelo and Robert Lee,

TX, 2 stripers, keepers. Melvin Arnold - Odessa, TX, one 12 lb. 1/4 oz. striper trolling with green jig.

Melvin Allison - Odessa, TX, 3 lb. 5 oz. and 3 lb. 14 oz. black bass.

Easterwood Brothers -Odessa, TX, four black bass on crank bait 5 3/4 lbs, 2 lbs, and 2 at 3 lbs. Johnathon Schmidt - Big

Spring, TX, one 3 1/2 lb striper, on live shiners. J. R. Garza - Midland, TX, 2 1/2



lb. channel cat, 3 lb. striper on worms.

Jeff Brown - Sweetwater, TX, one 5 1/2 lb. black bass.

Patrick's Country Store Shirley and Pat Locke -Robert Lee, TX 4 lb. and 5 lb. stripers, 19 inch and 21 inch using live shiners.

Mike Kirkpatrick - Robert Lee, TX, 14 1/2 lb striper on cut shad.

ASCS lists CRP **Weed Policy**

The State Committee adopted a policy concerning weeds on Conservation Reserve Program acreage.

The State Committee policy provides that all CRP participants must maintain the vegetative cover and all required conservation practices on CRP land and take other action as necessary to control weeds to maintain the production capability of the soil.

All CRP participants on the contract will be subject to applicable penalties if weeds on CRP acreage are not controlled in a timely manner.

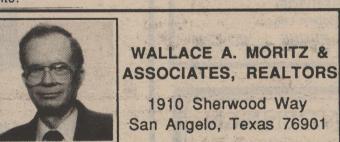
CRP acreage will be checked annually to verify that the vegetative cover is being maintained and that the weeds will not create a problem or become a nuisance on other farms.

Control measures must be consistent with other control practices normally carried out on similar cropland in the area. For more information call the Coke-Sterling ASCS office at 453-2751.

Personal

Sue and Eddie Spiller of Taylor and Betty and Jerry McCutchen of Abilene were Easter visitors with Sue and Betty's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Blackmon and Jerry's mother, Eula Maude Mc-Cutchen and Eddie Ivy Spiller.



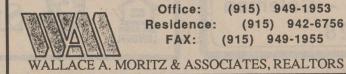


Steve Tefas, Broker for Wallace A. Moritz & Associates, has announced the association of Van Mills with the firm. Mills is a graduate of Texas A&M with a degree in Range Management. Mills retired from the USDA's Soil Conservation Service after 35 years. Following retirement he has worked as a range management consultant and as a Realtor specializing in farm and ranch,

commercial and residential transactions.

His 35 years with the SCS and nine years as a Realtor has given him a good knowledge of the value and potential value of farm and ranch land, as well as commercial and residential properties.

If you need to sell or purchase farm and ranch land, commercial or residential property, just give Van Mills a call.



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Evidence has been growing in recent years to suggest that estrogen plays a role in mental functioning, in addition to preventing osteoporosis and other disorders associated with menopause. A new study, which used estrogen on laboratory animals, found that the hormone appears to improve brain function, and enhances memory and learning. University of Florida doctoral student Meharvan Singh presented his findings to the Society for Neuroscience.

Dr. Zaven Khachaturian, associate director of the National Institute on Aging, called the initial results promising and exciting. He said plans are already underway to evaluate the effect of estrogen on humans. Particular focus will be on the devastating progressive loss of memory and mental function caused by Alzheimer's Disease, which affects more than four million, mostly elderly, Americans.

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NOTICES

Martin Lee **Presiding Officer** AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL

A los votantes registrados del Bronte, Texas;

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 am hasta las 7:00 pm el 7 de mayo de 1994 para votar en la Eleccion para elecion de un alcalde, tres con--cejales.

Direccion(es) de las **Casillas Electorales**

114 South Washington, Bronte, Texas.

La Votacion en adelantada en persona se llevard a cabo de lunes a viernes en 114 South Washington, Bronte, Texas entre las 8-12 de la manana y las 1-5 de la tarde empezando el 18 de abril 1994 y terminando el 3 de mayo 1994.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: Pat Martindale, Box 370, Bronte, Texas 76933.

Las solictiudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el April 29, 1994.

Emitada este dia 10 de febrero, 1994.

> Martin Lee Oficial que Preside 35B-1tc

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The West Coke County Hospital District Board of Directors hereby gives the notice of election May 7, for the purpose of electing three directors for a two year term.

Early Voting by personal appearance will begin Mon-

tinue through Tuesday, May 3, 1994 from 8 am to 5 pm on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official state holiday.

day, April 18, 1994 and con-

Early Voting in person will be conducted at the Coke County Clerk's Office, 13 East 7th Street, Robert Lee, Texas. Applications for early voting ballots by mail should be mailed to Ettie Hubbard, PO Box 150, Robert Lee, Texas 76945

The Polling place shall be Coke County Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas and will be open from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm on the day of the election.

NOTICIA DE ELECCION **DE DIRECTORES**

El consejo de directores del Deistrito Hospital Del condado Oeste de Coke hacen saber de la eleccion que se va tener el 7 de mayo, 1994 con el proposito de elegir tres (3) directores para el peridodo de dos (2) anos.

Votos temprano por aparencia personal se comienzera el lunes, 18 de Abril, 1994, continuando hasta el 3 de Mayo, 1994, de las 8 de la manana hasta las 5 de la tarde. Cada dia que no sea sabado, domingo o dia festivo.

Votos temprano en personal seran conducidos en la oficina del oficial de Secretaria del condado de Coke, 13 East 7th Street, Robert Lee, Texas. Aplicaciones para votos ausentes por correro deben dirijerse a Ettie Hubbard, PO Box 150, Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

Lugar para vota sera el edificio publico del condado Coke. La ofician estara abierta de las 7 de la manana hasta las 7 de la tarde el dia de eleccion

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would be eligible for benefits for June because you're considered 62 for the entire month. Of course, if you were born June 1, you also would receive benefits for June because you are 62 the entire month. (Even though you



I'm afraid if I don't get a good education I will end up living the rest of my life with my mother.

> Joel Regimbal 5th grade



(Jecha

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NOTICE	OF	TRUSTEE	ELECTION
(AVISO	DE	ELECCION	ADMINISTRADORE

____, Texas: Texas:)

To the Registered Voters of _ (A los votantes registrados de

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on _____ Saturday, May 7

19 94, for voting in a School Trustee election, to elect three trustees for full three-year terms.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7.00 a.m. hasta las 7.00 p.m. el _____ de _____ mayo de 1994 ____ para volar en la Elección para eligir tres administradores para servir tres terminos completos

(location) (sitio

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Bronte City Hall 114 South Washington Bronte, Texas 76933

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación en ausencia en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en) BRONTE IS.D. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on Monday, April 18, 1994

BRONTE

(entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 4:00 de la tarde empezando ci lunes, 18 de abril, 1994

and ending on May 3, 1994

3 de mayo, 1994 (fecha)

(date

legally turned 62 on May 31, you couldn't receive any benefits for May because you weren't 62 for the whole month.)

The "born on the first or second" rules also apply to Medicare, with one important difference. Unlike Social Security, where you must be eligible for the whole month to qualify for benefits, you can get Medicare coverage for a month even if you're eligible for only one day of the month. That means if your 65th birthday is on June 1, you would be entitled to Medicare for the month of May because you legally became 65 on May 31. If your birthday fell on June 2, you would be entitled to Medicare for June.

If you have questions about Social Security, call our tollfree number 1-800-772-1213.

Additional absentee voting will be held at the same location as fo (La votación en ausencia además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de te Date (Fecha) Hours (Horas) tions for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Glenda Draper (Name of Absentee Voting Clerk) (Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Ausena P.O. Box 670 (Address) (Dirección) Bronte, Texas 76933 (City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal) nded but not rea Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of busine (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correa deberán recibirse para el ara el fin de las horas de negocio el) April 29, 1994 (date) (Jecha) Issued this the _____ day of ____ February 19 94 de febrero (Emitada este día _____17

1944 - IVEY MOTOR COMPANY - 1994 50 Years of Memories

by Kenneth Lackey Mrs. Ivey was keeping the books when I was hired on a temporary basis September 5, 1951. I always said that I tried to get on permanently for 40 years. Doug Keith, a Sun Oil office manager, was helping out part-time and together they broke me in to the job.

Cumbie, Sr. was doing all the selling and management of the dealership. At that time, the production had not caught up with the demand built up during the war, and we were getting only four new cars a month. Buck Ivey was the parts manager, Jack Cowley was shop foreman, Maurice Yarbrough, and E.H. Ivey were the mechanics. Jessie Gloria washed the cars and Elmo and Billy Gene Bell ran the body shop.

When production increased, Doo-dad Davis came into the dealership to help out and in 1954, Cumbie, Jr. finished his Air Force obligation and came into the dealership as a partner. Royce Smith got out of the Service and came to work for us in 1955.

The drought of the 50's made business difficult, but fortunately the oilfield was in full swing and offered many jobs for farmers and ranchers to tide them over the dry years. Cumbie, Sr. said many

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott's guests for Easter Sunday were Mrs. Arrott's mother, Mrs. Virginia Boatright of Bronte and grandchildren, Tim and Lucretia Arrott and Dusty of Chadbourne Ranch, Brian Arrott of Lubbock, Deanna Reed and daughters, Natasha, Natalee and Nicole of Bronte.

Personal

Visiting with Mrs. Neva Bruton in Bronte on Easter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spoonts of Ft. Worth who were spending the weekend with Johnny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bon Spoons in Bronte, Linda and Roy Massengill and Stephanie Allbright of San Angelo, and Inella Nicholas of Bronte.

Personal

times that we would never have made it through the 50's without the oilfield.

There were a number of shop foremen and mechanics who worked for us over the years. Joe Slaton came from Winters to be shop foreman. One of his customers from San Angelo, Mr. McDale, found out Joe had moved here and came over to get his car worked on. He said that Joe had always worked on his cars and he wanted him to continue. He bought many cars over the years and always brought them back here to be serviced.

R.M. Lykins came from San Angelo to serve as shop foreman. While he was here, Mike Fluhmann showed up about 10:00 am on his 20th birthday. He said he had gone by the Ford House in San Angelo and they had told him that they didn't have an opening at that time, but if he wanted to go work at once to go over to Robert Lee. R.M. helped him unload his tools and drove a car in for him to start on. He kept an eye on him as he worked and every once in a while he would come by and nod his head at Cumbie, Jr. to let him know that he liked what he saw. Mike and Tony Smith had worked together in Vernon and later that year Tony moved here. Even though they are still young enough to coach Little League baseball, they have spent over half their lives working at the dealership.

Ray Aldridge has served as service manager for more years than any other, starting in 1976 and working to the present.

1965 was a transition year for the dealership. Cumbie, Sr. retired to pursue his ranching interests, and on the recommendation of Vaughan Davis, Cumbie, Jr. hired Billy Wayne Roe. B.W. quickly became a talented salesman and was a great help to Cumbie, Jr. in all the management of the sales department. Together they have covered the walls with

> Personal ishing, picnicing and

Ford Motor Company Awards and won Ford trips all over the world.

The good thing about being in business for a long time is that you have an opportunity to build a number of loyal customers who come back, often from long distances, to trade with you. We owe our continued success to the many customers who have come back year after year, generation after generation, and we appreciate all of them. We have a number of third generation and some fourth generation customers who trade with us.

One person I appreciate is Elaine Lee, who came into the dealership to replace me and give me a chance to retire. If you come by and look into the office you can easily see that I'm not there. The office is neat and clean, everything is in place, and there are computers all over the place.

Personal

Marsha and Curtis Blair and Dana of Lubbock and Chad Duncan of San Angelo were Easter visitors in Bronte with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Duncan.

Personal

Bruce and Marty Vaughn of Midland are visiting this week with Marty's parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and other relatives.

Poem

The following poem was contributed by Melynda Denman:

As I was riding my horse up a hill

· Everything seemed so very still

The birds, bees, flowers, trees,

and the tall, golden grass blowing in the breeze.

As I sat looking over the clear, blue lake,

I thought how wonderful that God could make

This beautiful, wonderful land From the tall, green mountains to the desert sand.

I thought how lucky I was to be Free and Alive in this beautiful country

(Written March 3, 1973 by Melynda Denman at the age of nine, the author is the granddaughter of Opal Baker of Robert Lee.)

Personal

John and Judy Driggers just returned from a ten day trip, where John preached a meeting for the Church of Christ in Aztec, New Mexico. They stayed in the home of Harold (Buzz) and Barbara Beaty. They also visited Harold's mother Louise. She said to tell everyone in Bronte "hello". She loves getting the "Observer" paper and she keeps up with everyone through it.

Personal

Gary and Jan Martin of Waxahachie were in Bronte last Saturday and Sunday visiting Gary's mother, Margaret Martin.

Tornado

watch/warning

Knowing the difference between a **Tornado Watch** and a **Tornado Warning** could save your life.

A Tornado Watch means conditions are right for tornadoes to form. Weather conditions conducive to tornado formation include hail and thunderstorms.

A Tornado Warning means a tornado has been sighted in your area, and you should take cover quickly. Tornadoes can form and move quickly, there may not be time for a warning. That is why it is important to watch for weather conditions and stay alert during severe weather.

Personal

Mrs. Wanda Peterson of College Station is with her mother, Mrs. James Arrott in Tennyson. They check on Mr. Arrott who is currently in Bronte Nursing Home since being hospitalized at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

Personal

John and Margie Rogers were Easter visitors with Margie's mother, Mrs. O. T. Allison of Bronte.

Ever notice...that you can't get your kids to sit still while you want to take their picture, but when you use a video camera, you can't get them to move?

S.	Martin.
	NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)
To the Registered Voters of	Robert Lee Independent School District, Texas:
(A los voianies registrados d	a Robert Lee Independent School District , Texas:)
Notice is hereby given that t	he polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 s.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 7.
19 94 . for voting in a	general election to elect three board members
LAN YEAR WERENE	r, que las casillas electorales situdos abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el _7 le 19 _94 para votar en la Elección General para elegirtrece miembros
Superintendent's of En la oficina del o	ffice - Robert Lee I.S.D. 1323 Hamilton Robert Lee Texas
between the hours of 8	a.m. andp.m. beginning on April 18, 1994 (date)
(entre lus <u>8</u> Je lu	muñuna y las <u>4</u> de la larde empezando el <u>18 de Abril 1994</u> (fecha)
and ending on May 3,	
	(date) (Jecha)

Among the visitors in the Turner Lee home during the holidays were Billy Ren Lee and sons of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Thompson of Arlington, and Mrs. Dorothy Forbus of Kerrville. Turner Lee of Bronte is at home last Friday after spending 10 days in Shannon hospital in San Angelo for treatment, and undergoing angioplasty.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blair had as their Easter guests their granddaughter, Amme and husband, James Farris of San Angelo and their daughter, Karen and husband, Gary Huddleston and family of Bronte.

Personal

J. Bowden and family and Cindy Gillis and family all of Midland were Easter visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowden in Bronte. Fishing, picnicing and hunting Easter Eggs were the fun things on Lake Ivie for a group including Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold Tidwell, Mrs. Jim Morrow and girls Becky and Jami of Bronte; Reed and Mary Jones of Abilene; Davis, Eileen and Kurt Corley of Midland; Johnny, Shelene and Caleb Usry and Lynn Follis of San Angelo.

Personal

LeDrew and Bobbie Arrott of Bronte hosted the following guests during the Easter weekend: his mother, Marie Arrott of Bronte; her mother; Opal Tomlinson of San Angelo; her sister, Zula and husband, Jess Blaine of Austin; daughter and husband, Randy Crook and Dustin of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Arrott and family; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Arrott and family; Shane and Lisa Webb all Bronte. Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)

> Kay Taylor (Name of Early Voting Clerk) (Nombre del Secretario(a) de la Votación Adelantada)

1323 Hamilton

(Address) (Dirección)

 Robert Lee Texas 76945

 (City) (Ciudad)
 (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)

April 29, 1994 29 de Abril 1994 (date) (fecha)

Additional early voting will be held at the same location as follows: (La watación adelantada además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de tal manera:)

Date (Fecha)

Hours (Horas)

Issued this the 24 day of March . 19 94 (Emitada este dia 24 de Marzo . 19 94 <u>Million T. Burn</u> Signature of Presiding Officer (Oficial que Preside)