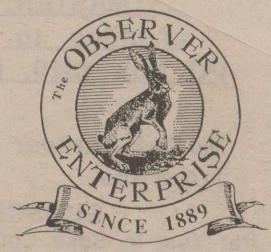


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Saluting the Class of 1995 Robert Lee Seniors

Graduation for twenty-one excited classmates at Robert Lee High School began Sunday Evening with Baccalaureate services in the school auditorium at 8 pm. Formal commencement for the 1995 graduating class will be held on Friday evening, May 26, at 8 pm in the school auditorium.

The Valedictory address will be given by Anthony Wink. Lee McCown will present the Salutatory. Mrs. Patricia Ballew will serve as speaker for the commencement exercises. Maranda Wojtek, Koby Howell, Patricia Minjarez, and Eric Torres, who ushered at the Baccalaureate will also usher for the commencement.

The class members include the following senior students:

Eliza Arellano, Laura Ann Chesshir, Cameron Wayne Cook, Jeremy Michael Fluhmann, Bartley Murl Goodman, Kristana Gayle Hall, Charles Wayne Hayes, Jr., Wayne Allen Hayes, Christy Michelle Hendry, Michael Brannon Lamar, Jamillynn Logan, Lee Alan McCown, Lynlee Aron Owen, Blake Orland Payne, William Tray Taylor, James Michael Tennison, Jonathan Paul Torres, Ross Torres, Jr., Jeremy Wayne Vincent, Jerrid Dwayne Vincent, and Anthony Robert Wink.

A slide show will be part of the graduation program. It will feature photographs of the fun and excitement the group has had together.

Following the presentation

Commencement Program Robert Lee High School Auditorium May 26, 1995 - 8:00 pm

Processional	Gayle Bolding
Invocation	Anthony Wink
Welcome	Lee McCown, Salutatorian
Valedictory Address	Anthony Wink, Valedictorian
Presentation of Speaker Address	William Hood Mrs. Patricia Ballew
Senior Slide Show	Jackie Tennison
Presentation of Class Awarding of Diplomas	William Hood Beverly Burdett Michael Lamar Gayle Bolding
Benediction	
Recessional	

of the graduates' diplomas, the senior parents will host a reception in the school cafeteria.

To begin graduation festivities, Prairie Fire will play for a dance to be held at the rec hall for all current Robert Lee High School students. Dancing will start at 10 pm and continue until 1 am.

Project Graduation '95 activities will start with a softball game with seniors vs. parents and guests following the dance. An auction and the opening of the casino will follow. A challenging game of glow golf is next on the schedule. A time capsule will be prepared, some games played, and the graduates will enjoy a breakfast prepared by the class Dads.

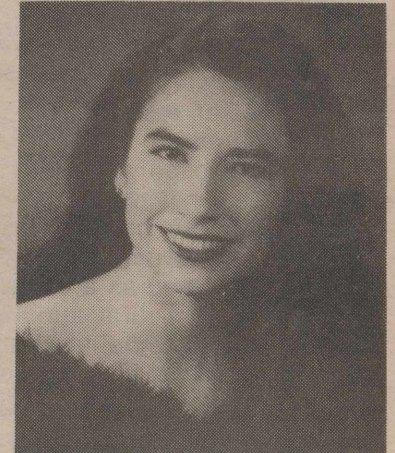
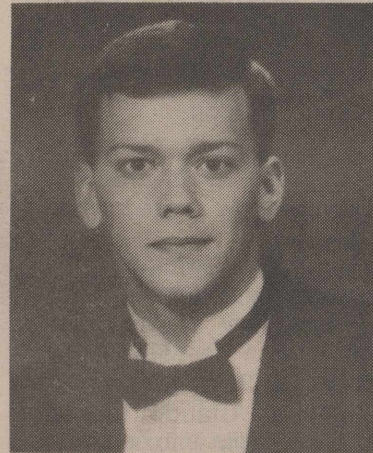
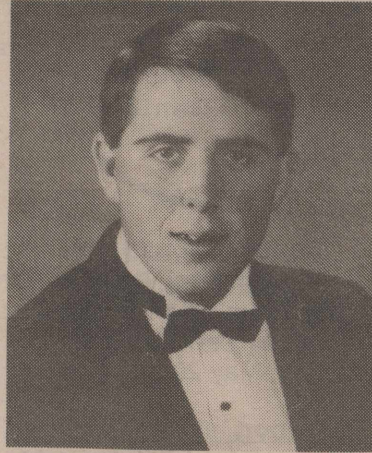
All activities relating to the traditional Project Graduation are drug and alcohol free.

Silver Baptist to hold revival

A revival will be conducted by the Silver Baptist Church, beginning Wednesday, June 7, and continuing through Sunday, June 11. Evening services will begin at 7:30 pm.

The Reverend John Rogers, pastor of the Colonial Baptist Church in Lubbock, will hold the revival. His parents, the Reverend and Mrs. Jimmy Rogers, will be in charge of the music.

The public is cordially invited to attend.



Honor graduates have been named for Robert Lee High School's Class of '95. Valedictorian Anthony Wink (I) posted a grade point average of 94.413 to lead the class in academics. He is the son of Robert and Marsha Wink. His plans include attending Texas Tech in Lubbock. Named salutatorian of the graduating class is Lee McCown, son of Sid and Kathy McCown. His grade point average is 92.935. Lee will attend Stephen F. Austin in Nacogdoches on an athletic scholarship. High ranking girl is Laura Chesshir, daughter of David and Mary Chesshir. She has a grade point average of 89.807.

RL resident dies in accident

Longtime Robert Lee resident Faustino Gloria died in a grinding accident between the car he was driving and a Mertzon-based cattle truck Monday night at 11:45 pm. The wreck occurred 9.3 miles south of Robert Lee on Texas 208 when the empty cattle truck veered across the center stripe and struck the car broadside.

Gloria, 81, apparently was killed instantly while his passenger, Lilly Reese, 30, also of Robert Lee, was taken to Shannon Medical Center where she was treated and released. Driver of the truck, Jerry D. Martin, 28, of San Angelo, was uninjured. A San Angelo ambulance and the Quail Valley volunteer fire department responded to the accident.

Present at the scene were Texas Highway Department Patrol Trooper Roy Blair, the investigating officer; Doug Robertson with the DPS; and Coke County Sheriff's Deputies Jeff Barnes and Wayne McCutchen, Peace Justice Joan Davis, Pct. 1, certified the death at 1:23 am and ordered the body taken to Bexar County Medical Examiner's office in San Antonio for autopsy.

Funeral services for Faustino Gloria were held Thursday in Robert Lee.

New attorney sworn in

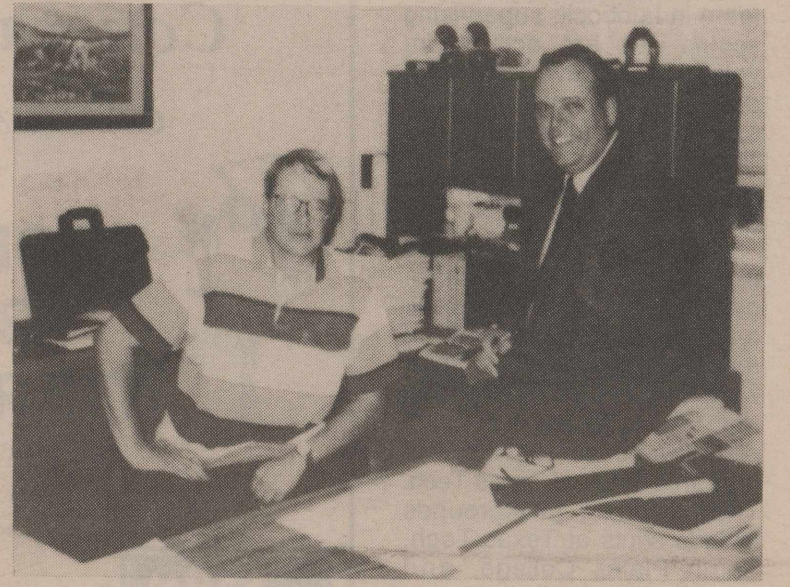
Judge Jackie Walker swore in the first assistant county attorney in recent Coke County history Monday, ending the era of the one man prosecutor's office here.

Longtime Lubbock attorney and former Silver resident Lane Arthur, has returned to his childhood roots in Coke County with the opening of a private practice here, and also took the oath of office as the county's assistant prosecutor. Judge Walker immediately put him to work, and within two hours of taking office, three misdemeanor cases on Monday's docket had been dis-

posed of. It is expected that Arthur will handle most of the criminal cases in Coke County.

County Attorney Chris Wyatt cited his own burgeoning private practice, and Arthur's 18 years of criminal defense and litigation experience as reasons for adding him to the prosecutor's staff here, and said he expected Arthur would handle most, if not all, of the misdemeanor criminal cases in Coke County, freeing Wyatt to devote his expertise to the civil business of the

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Coke County Attorney Chris Wyatt (I) and Lane Arthur, newly-sworn assistant county attorney, discuss their future association as colleagues.

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county.

Wyatt earlier had received approval from the county commissioners to expand his office by shifting his allotted budget funds, and did not increase the cost to the county, Judge Walker told the Observer/Enterprise.

"We are excited about being here and having the opportunity for our children to have the same types of great experiences I had as a child growing up in a rural atmosphere, rather than in the city," Arthur said of his family's impending move from Lubbock. Until their house is built, he will be commuting weekly from Lubbock.

"For me, the decision to return to Coke County was easy," Arthur said. "After being away for a long time, I'm coming home."

Arthur and his wife of 26 years, Nancy, who also is an attorney, have two sons, Lauren, 17, and Frank, 9, and a daughter, Emily Ruth, 5.

Arthur lived in Bronte in the early 1950s, and later attended school for several years in Silver during its oil boom days of the 1950s. His brother, Danny, also attended high school in Robert Lee and played football for the Steers.

"I keep bumping into people that I grew up with, and I'm really looking forward to renewing old acquaintances," Arthur said.

Arthur and his wife are active in the scouting and campfire programs in Lubbock. Arthur has served for the last two years as a den leader in the cub scouts, and is committee president of the only all High Adventure scout team in Lubbock, supervising scouts who are actively involved in survival training, deep snow backpacking, cave exploration, and scuba diving. They hope to become involved in the scouting programs here also, he said.

Lane and Nancy earned their bachelor's degrees together in journalism and their master's degrees together in mass communications, then went on to become the first man and wife team to complete law school together - at the same time - at Texas Tech. Their teaching backgrounds include stints at Texas Tech, South Plains College, and Wayland Baptist University. In addition, both of them have worked extensively with the news media.

Arthur also serves with the

United States Naval Reserve in the SEABEES. He is attached to Headquarters Company, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 22. SEABEES are combat construction engineers most often utilized as Marine Support.

County Court

Disposition of the cases listed below were made in May.

Ancelmo Garcia - Driving while intoxicated: Attend DWI school, pay court costs of \$218.00, Fine \$500.00, Probation of 24 months.

William Claude Brooks - Driving while intoxicated/1st: Attend DWI school, pay court costs of \$218.00, fine \$500.00, probation of 24 months.

Robert Edward Lee, Jr. - Driving while intoxicated/Violation of probation: Probation revoked with credit for all time served in Ector and Tom Green Counties.

Party honors Simses

Charles and Olene Sims of Cypress were honored with a supper on Friday, May 19, at Bryan's Barn in Robert Lee. Thirty-four guests enjoyed a buffet of sandwiches, dips, a fruit tray, and a large variety of desserts.

The couple, longtime Robert Lee residents, moved to Cypress several months ago and have been sorely missed in the community. They declared they have enjoyed being closer to their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren and admitted they loved being babysitters.

Gloria

Faustino A. Gloria, 81, of Robert Lee, died Monday, May 22, 1995, in Coke County.

Service was conducted at 3 pm Thursday at the Robert Lee Baptist Church with burial in the Robert Lee Hispanic Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include four sons, Simon Gloria Soto, Daniel Gloria and Thomas Gloria, all of San Angelo, and Arturo Gloria of Brady; two daughters, Margie Guerrero of San Angelo and Susan Rodriguez of

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Robert Lee; two brothers, Santos Gloria of Bronte and Teddy Carrasco of Ventura, California; two sisters, Lydia Cuellar of San Angelo and Pascuala Sanchez of Robert Lee; 19 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Gutierrez

Miguel G. Gutierrez, 92, of Bronte died Friday, May 19, 1995, in West Coke County Nursing Home.

Service was held at 3 pm

Monday, May 22, at the First Baptist Church in Bronte with burial in Fairview Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include a son, Mike Gutierrez of Stephenville; two daughters, Angelina Sanchez and Margie Montez, both of Bronte; a brother, Jessie Gutierrez of San Angelo; 11 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and 24 great-great-grandchildren.

Upcoming

Bronte EMT class scheduled

East Coke County Ambulance Service in Bronte announces an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) class will begin Monday, May 29, at 7 pm. Classes will be held in the First Baptist Church fellowship hall. Classes will be held each Monday and Tuesday night from 7-10 pm. The class is sponsored by Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo.

Anyone interested in working in the Bronte or Robert Lee ambulance service is encouraged to attend this class. For further information, please contact Ray Barnett, ECCAS President, at 473-5881 or 473-3400 nights, or Pete Percifull at 473-2166, or Marilyn Bivins at 473-6791.

Attention 4-H'ers

All 4-H'ers, 13 - 18, interested in attending district camp in Brownwood June 28-30, 1995, should contact the Extension office at 453-2461. Registration deadline for district camp is May 26th.

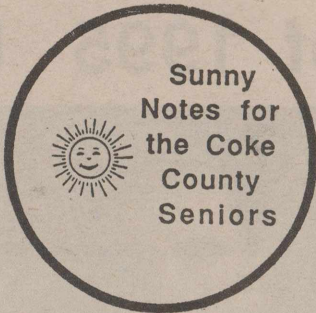
WCCHD votes canvassed

The Board of Directors for West Coke County Hospital District canvassed the votes from the May 6 election at their meeting May 16, 1995. Mary Bessent and Elaine Lee were declared the winners.

The Board elected new officers who are: Mary Bessent, president; Bill Carwile, vice president; Steve Whiteker, secretary/treasurer; and Bill Carwile, EMS liaison. Continuing to serve on the board are Winton Milliff and Elaine Lee. The newly elected board members were sworn in by Jackie Walker, Coke County Judge.

Holiday closings

The Coke County courthouse in Robert Lee will be closed Monday, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day. Robert Lee and Bronte city halls, both post offices, the banking institutions, and most businesses and offices will also close. The Observer/Enterprise offices in Bronte and Robert Lee will be closed Monday, also.



Sunny Notes for the Coke County Seniors

Center Closed on Memorial Day

The Bronte Senior Center will not be serving meals on Monday, May 29th due to the Holiday.

Afternoon at the Movies

Thursday, June 1st at 1:00 is our movietime. We will watch SISTER ACT II with Whoopi Goldberg. Refreshments will be served. See you there.

Mini Health Check

Wednesday, June 7th, North Runnels Home Health will give a short workshop on "Diabetic Care". They will be at the Center at 10:30 for Blood Pressure and Blood Sugar tests and then present the program at 11:15. There is no charge for this service.

MENU FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 29

Sweet/Sour Pork, Peas, Onion Slice, Cornbread, Peach Half, Brownie with Nuts

Wednesday, May 31

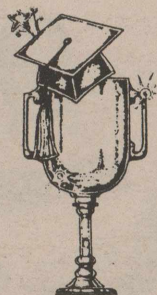
Roast Beef, Brown Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Hot Roll, Gingerbread

Friday, June 2

Bar-B-Q Pork, Bun, Potato Slices, Mixed Vegetables, Oatmeal Raisin Cookies

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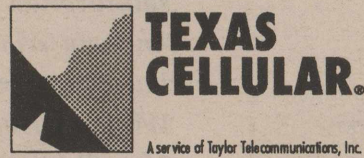
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Pitcock-Gaines exchange vows

Audra Sharrel Pitcock and Randy Ray Gaines exchanged wedding vows on Friday, May 12, 1995, at 7 pm at the Robert Lee Baptist Church. Brother Ferris Akins officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Pitcock and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Walker and Mrs. Winnie Pitcock and the late Teddy Pitcock. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gaines of Dripping Springs. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Gaines of Cedar Creek and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey of Austin.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown with chapel train enhanced with schiffli lace appliques. The bodice had a jeweled neck, embossed with pearls, beads, and sequins. Long tapered sleeves completed the dropped waist bodice.

Jenny Purvis of San Angelo, a cousin of the bride served as Maid of Honor. The bridesmaid was Laura Purvis of Sonora, also a cousin of the bride. Julie Riley of Robert Lee, a cousin of the bride, served as the flower girl.

Rodney Gaines of Navasota, a cousin of the groom, served as Best Man. The groomsman was Jerrod Pitcock of Robert Lee, brother of the bride. Judd Pitcock of San Angelo, brother of the bride, served as usher.

Beth Heard played the piano for the ceremony. Macy Hill of Robert Lee sang "The Rose". Randy Gaines sang "Keeper of the Stars".

Jodee Helwig of Robert Lee, cousin of the bride, registered the guests.

A reception in the church fellowship hall followed the ceremony. Kari Purvis of Sonora, Kannan Millican of Robert Lee, and Janet Pentecost of San Angelo served at the wedding table. Becky Purvis of Sonora, Cindy Riley, Alene Key, Dee Anna Harmon, and Wanda Oleksiuk all of Robert Lee served in the house party. Photographers for the wedding and reception were Audrey Devoll, Sheri Millican, and Judy Kay Millican.

On May 21, 1995, Audra was the guest of honor at a bridal shower held at the home of Wayland and Mary Beth Drennan. Hostesses were: Eula Faye Blair, Linda Burns, Shelia Carver, Dovie Cummins, Peggy Davis, Mary Beth Drennan, Dee Anna Harmon, Beth Heard, Mimzi Horn, Barbara Jameson, Stacy Kelton, Alene Key, Kathy McCown, Wanda Oleksiuk, Jennie Lee Tinkler, Louise Walker, Debbie Wilkes, And Nita Gaye Williams.

On June 24, 1995 the couple will be honored with a shower in Bastrop by the groom's aunt, Mrs. Jennifer Carroll.

Audra is a 1992 graduate of Robert Lee High School. She is attending Angelo State University where she is a Sr. Early Childhood Education Major.

Randy is a 1992 graduate of Dripping Springs High School. He attended Angelo State University and is employed at Mayfield Paper



Mr. and Mrs. Randy Gaines

Company in San Angelo. The couple will live in Robert Lee.

Brunch held for Pitcock

A Bridal Brunch honoring Mrs. Blake (Tami) Pitcock and Keaton took place in the home of Mary Beth Drennan Saturday, May 6.

Many lovely gifts were displayed throughout the home and viewed by the guests registering during the morning. A delicious brunch of fresh fruit, sweet rolls, muffins, breakfast casseroles and orange julius were served from a ecru lace-covered table. The centerpiece for the refreshment table was an arrangement of kitchen gadgets and utensils.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Shelley Allen, Linda Burns, Debra Drennan, Katie Drennan, Mary Beth Drennan, Cathy Hendry, Beth Heard, Betty Hughes, Valerie Howard, Sarah Green, Barbara Jameson, Donna Jackson, Suzann Johnson, Sterling Myers, Wanda Oleksiuk, Debbie Smith, Pat Stephens, Jana Smith, Debbie Wilkes, and Nita Gaye Williams.

Blake and Tami are students at Angelo State University and making their home in Robert Lee with daughter Keaton.

Personal

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn for Mother's Day weekend were their children: Drs. Victor and Liza Glenn, Charlotte and Ian From Duncanville, Carolyn and David Kuykendall and Karmen from Abilene.

Sonnenberg promoted

Lee Sonnenberg, son of Bruce and Fran Sonnenberg, of Bronte, has recently been promoted in his employment with American State Bank in Lubbock. Lee began work for American State in May 1994 as New Account Representative at the bank's 66th and Indiana branch. Effective May 30, he will move to the bank's main office at Avenue Q and 14th Streets where he will become Fund Management Assistant in the Trust Department.

Lee and his wife Paula are both students at Texas Tech University. She is employed part-time at Haynes Elementary School in Lubbock. Lee is 1991 graduate of Bronte High School.

Arrott to compete HS Rodeo Finals

Dusty Arrott will be competing at the Texas State High School Rodeo Finals in the tie-down calf-roping in Abilene, Texas, at the Taylor County Coliseum. Dusty competes in the Monday, June 5 performance that begins at 7:30 pm and Friday morning, June 9 which begins at 9 am. The final performance on Saturday, June 10, will be the short go round. After adding the scores or times from the first two gos, the top ten contestants in each event will compete to determine the four contestants in each event to compete at the National High School Finals to be held in Gillette, Wyoming later in July.

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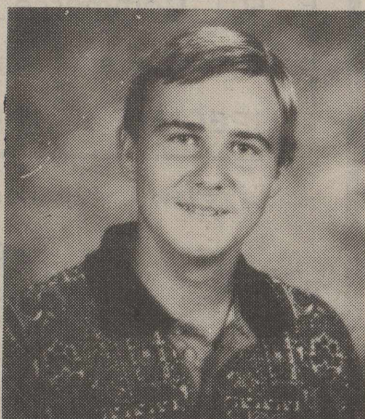
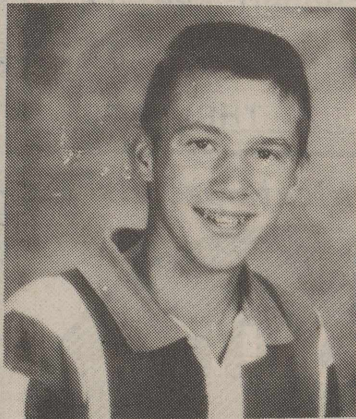
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



The Eighth Grade valedictorian, with a 97.50 grade point average, is Chad Helwig (l). Chad is the son of Mrs. Audrey Devoll of Robert Lee and Bill Helwig of College Station. Mariusz Skibicki has been named the class salutatorian and has a grade point average of 95.841. His parents are Slawomir and Anna Skibicki. Holly Copeland, daughter of Daryl and Myna Kay Copeland, is the high ranking girl of the class with a grade point average of 93.318.

RLISD Board meeting

The Robert Lee ISD school board held its regular meeting at 7:30 pm, May 18, 1995, in the boardroom at Robert Lee ISD.

New members, Teddy Milligan and Cathy Hendry received the Oath of Office. The new officers for 1995-96 are: Beverly Burdett - president; Darrel Pitcock - vice president; Dianne Simpson - secretary.

The following business was conducted by the board:

Previous minutes of April 20 and May 8 meetings and bills for May were approved.

Jackie Tennison and Melba Mauldin presented a proposal of an 8-period day for grades 7-12. Additional course offerings were discussed such as Tech-prep vocational program. The proposal was approved.

Mr. Hood presented the 1995-96 school calendar as proposed by the Site Based Decision Making Committee. The calendar was approved.

Summer work on the

RL students receive degrees

Three Robert Lee students at Angelo State University were among 505 students to receive degrees during the Fall commencement at the university.

James Warren Brasher received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Biology, Debra Karen Burns received an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, with a major in Nursing, and Maureen Sharen Parks received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Mathematics.

McCown chosen DAR Good Citizen

Members of the Pocahontas Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution have recently posted their 1995 listing of area high school seniors chosen as DAR Good Citizens. Among the seventeen named was Lee McCown, son of Sid and Kathy McCown of Robert Lee. The students are nominated by their teachers to the honor on the basis of patriotism, service, leadership, and dependability at school, home, and in the community. The seniors will be presented with pins and certificates.

teacherages on Washington Street and 13th Street were approved.

Expansion of telephone services to the school was approved.

Permission for Coach Jimmy Randolph to conduct a summer basketball camp at Robert Lee High School was given.

Several service contracts were approved for 1995-96. Contracts with ESC XV, Southwest Consortium, Texas Educational Consultative Services and Dura-Kote were accepted.

Bill Hood was appointed to the Regional Advisory Board for EXC Region XV, and Dianne Simpson was elected as delegate to the State TASB convention in September.

Boys basketball coach Kurt White resigned to accept a similar position with Liberty Hill ISD. The resignation was accepted, and procedures to employ a new coach were discussed.

The next regular board meeting will be June 15, 1995.

Chesshir honored

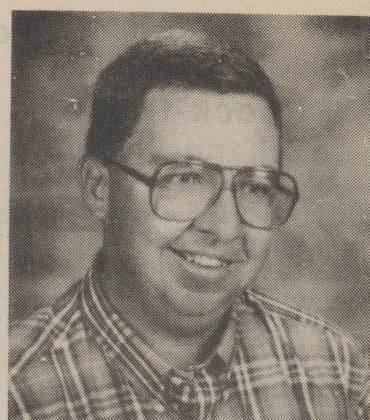
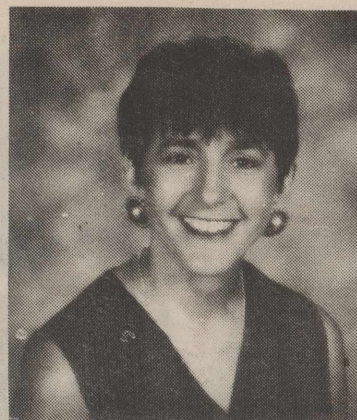
Laura Chesshir, graduating senior, was honored Wednesday night, May 10, by the Northside Church of Christ congregation. Cookies, dip, and sherbert punch were served in the fellowship hall following the church services.

Special guests were her parents, David and Mary Chesshir; Laura's sister, Jamie Chesshir; Trichelle Gray; and Patricia Minjarez.

The congregation presented Laura with a money tree, a stuffed bear, a new testament Bible, and the balloon decorations.

Metcalfe-Mitchell engagement

Cynthia and Dub Metcalfe of Robert Lee are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Carrath to Michael Mitchell of Denton, Texas. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Philip and Joyce Mitchell of Lewisville, Texas.



Mrs. Patricia Ballew and Jimmy Randolph spent a busy year as co-sponsors of the 1994-95 Robert Lee senior class. Mrs. Ballew teaches high school English and drives one of the district's buses. Randolph is a science teacher within the system, in addition to coaching the girls high school basketball team and assisting with high school football and track.

RL FFA News

by Jeremy Burns

On May 4, the Robert Lee FFA Chapter held their annual Ice Cream Supper and Awards Banquet. Honored along with the students were Mr. Sid Long, Mr. Riley Waldrop, and Ms. Cathy Hendry. Mr. Sid Long received the Distinguished Service Award for all of the hard work that he put into the building of our chapter. Mr. Riley Waldrop received the Honorary Chapter Farmer award for his help in our County Stock Show and for taking great interest in other chapter activities. Ms. Cathy Hendry received a Certificate of Appreciation from the chapter for helping with fund raisers and various activities throughout the year.

Students were also honored for their achievements in certain areas. These foundation awards are among the highest awards given by the chapter and the recipients should be commended for their accomplishments.

The 1995 foundation awards are as follows: Ag Sales and Service - Jimmy

Gray; Swine Production - Starsky Oleksiuk; Outdoor Recreation - Jeremy Burns; Sheep Production - Jerrod Copeland; Diversified Livestock Production - James Tennison; Placement in Ag Production - Mike Pentecost; Achievement in Volunteerism - Christy Hendry; Agricultural Mechanics - Jeremy Vincent; Agricultural Electrification - Aaron Hood; Agriscience - Jaclyn Waldrop.

The 1995-1996 officer team was announced and is as follows: President - Jaclyn Waldrop; Vice President - Corey Pitcock; Secretary - Mike Pentecost; Treasurer - Kizzie Howell; Reporter - Jeremy Burns; Sentinel - Casey Antilley; Chaplain - Jerrod Pitcock.

Personal

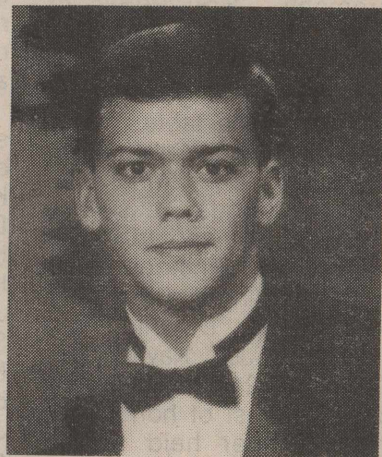
Charles and Olene Sims of Cypress visited with family and friends in Robert Lee last week. They moved to East Texas several months ago after living in Coke County most of their lives. They were accompanied by their daughter-in-law, Kenny Sims, who enjoyed her stay with local family members.

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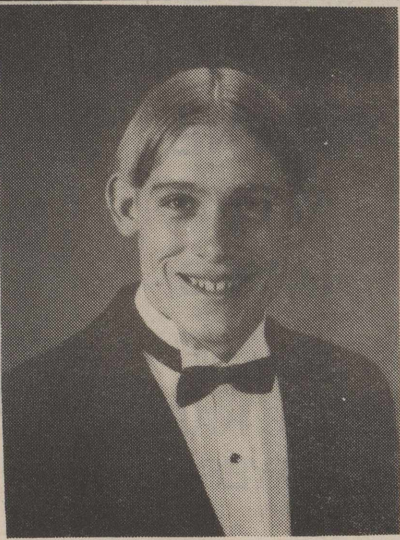
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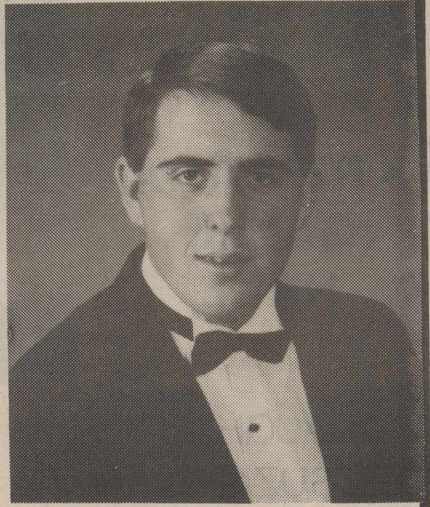
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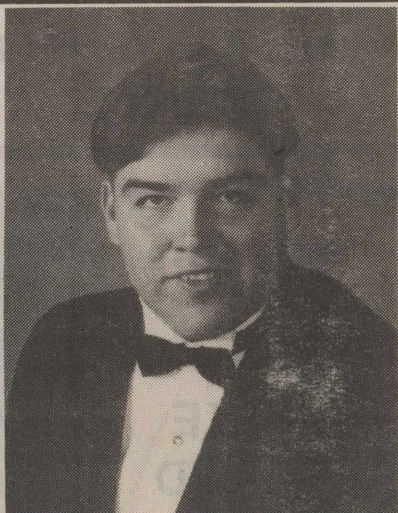
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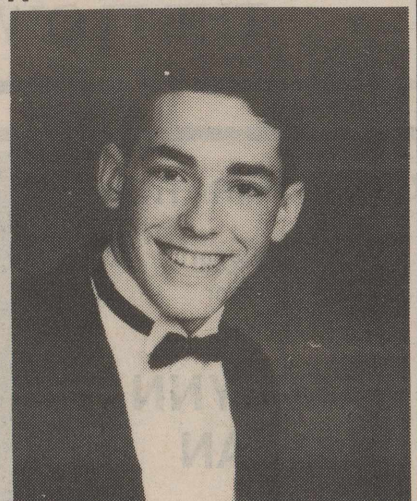
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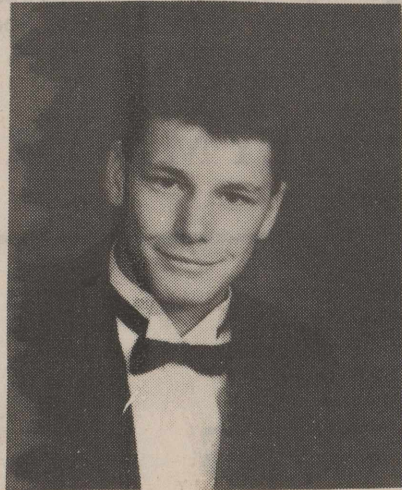
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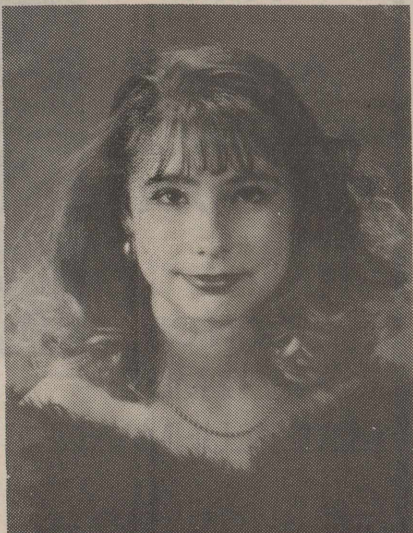
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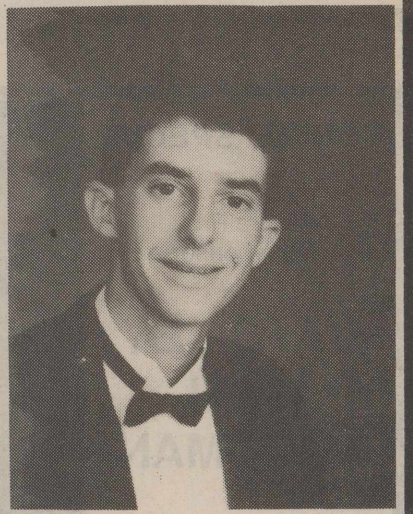
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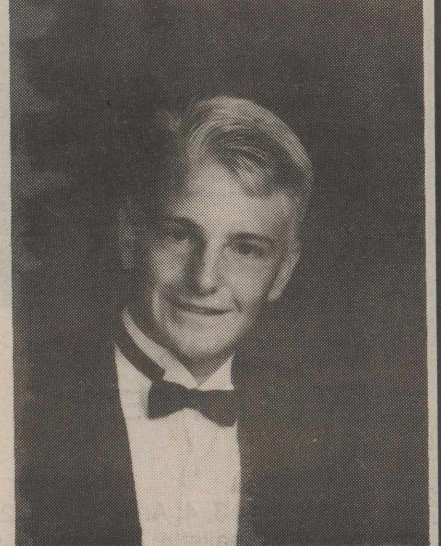
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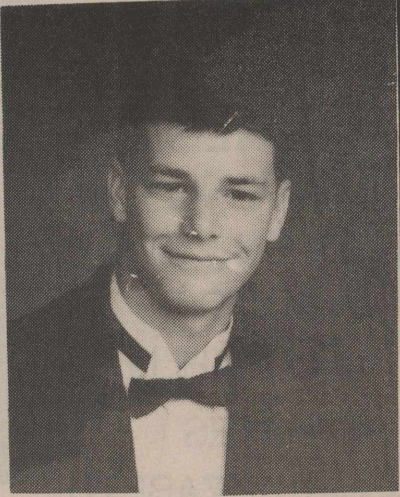
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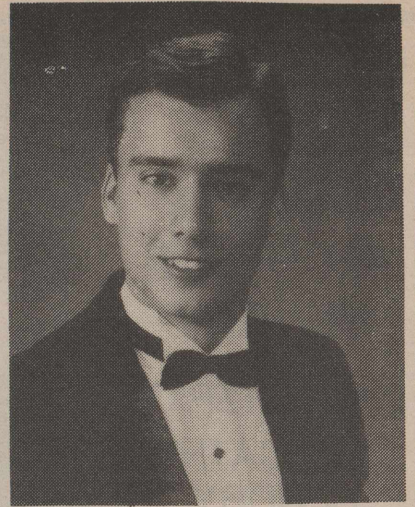
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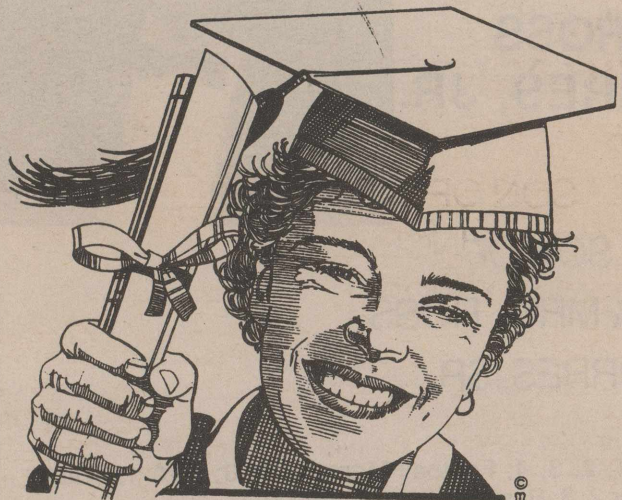
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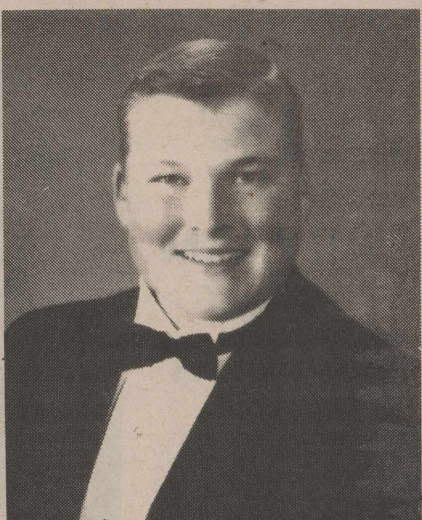
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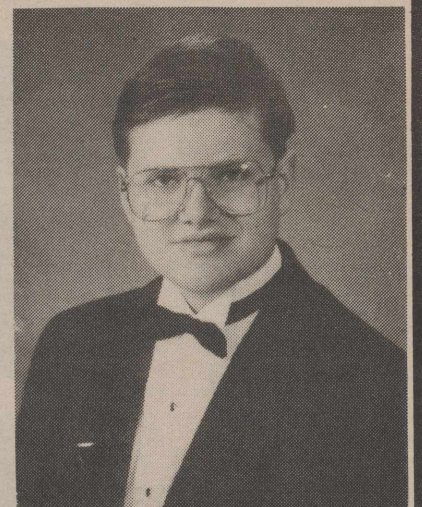
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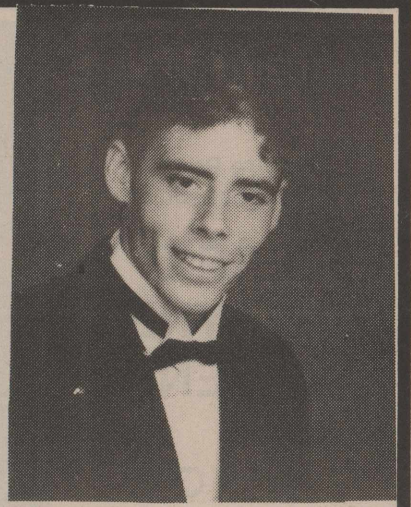
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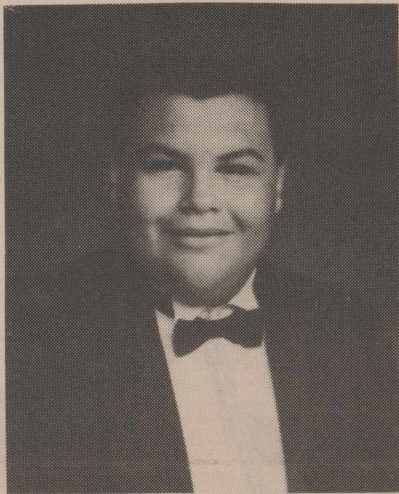
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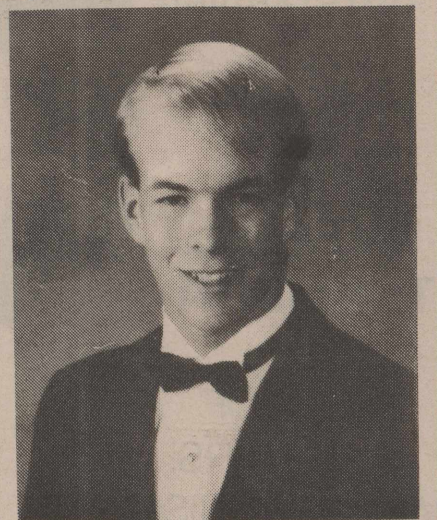
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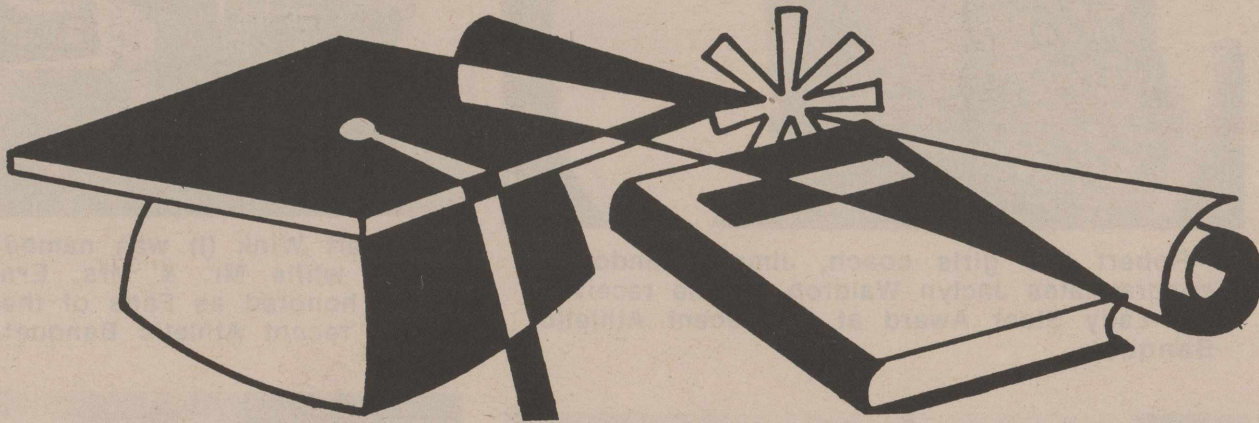


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RL Athletic Banquet held

As the 1994-95 school year rocketed by, lots of good things were happening. Students were maturing, accomplishing, and participating in all programs and projects.

On Tuesday evening, May 16, the athletic program for the Steers and Lady Steers culminated with the annual Athletic Banquet. The event honored every single student who took part in the program in any way, plus several adult "honorable mentions" and special awards.

A capacity crowd attended the banquet in the school cafeteria where the personnel had prepared the banquet fare of tasty chicken strips, hot rolls, and cherry cobbler.

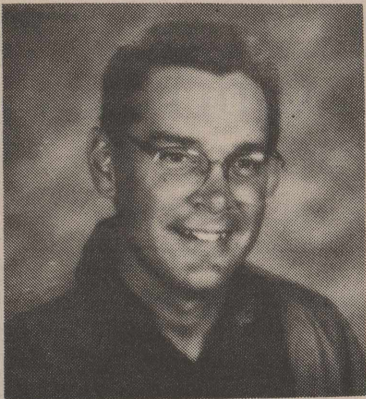
Coach Edward Poehls, athletic director of the Robert Lee program, served as master of ceremonies. For several years, speakers have been bypassed to allow for the time to honor everyone involved. Past and present cheerleaders were recognized, plus all teams and their coaches. Poehls always has praise for the "young ladies and young men", who are in the programs, for their behavior as well as their athletic ability.

A number of individual honors were given, including Cameron Cook as Cheerleader Hero, and Heather Millican as Football Sweetheart. John Conley gained the Service Award; Booster of the Year went to Robert Wink; and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clendennen were honored as Fans of the Year for their faithful and enthusiastic attendance at sporting events.

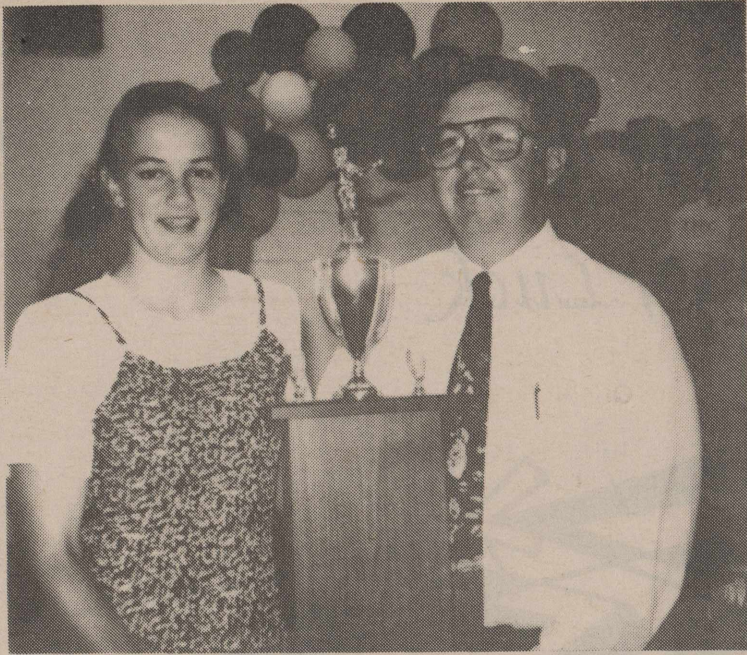
Jaclyn Waldrop was chosen to receive the coveted Lady Steer Award; Lee McCown was named to receive the prestigious Steer Award. These two awards, voted on by the athletes' peers, are about dedication, leadership, and giving of oneself to a common cause.

Jerry Gibbs delivered the response in which he declared that high school athletics are the "last stronghold" of the American way of life.

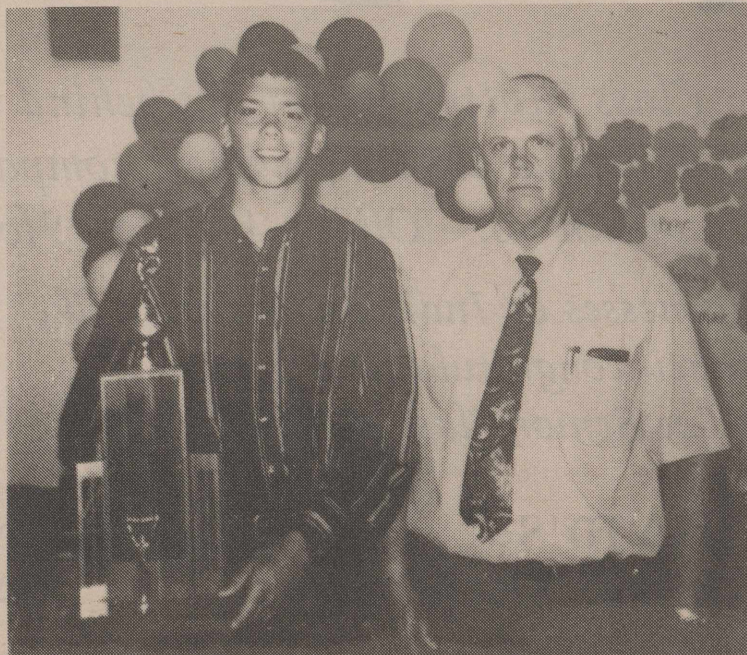
Printed in the back of the banquet program each year is the Prayer of an Athlete which symbolizes a philosophy which should follow young people through life.



Kurt White was chosen by the Eighth Grade class as their sponsor for the year. Coach White teaches history in the Robert Lee school system in addition to his duties as assistant high school football and track coach, Jr. High football and boys track, boys high school basketball, and high school boys and girls golf.



Robert Lee girls coach, Jimmy Randolph, congratulates Jaclyn Waldrop as she receives the Lady Steer Award at the recent Athletic Banquet.



A pleased Lee McCown (l) holds the coveted Steer Award as his coach, Ed Poehls, looks on.

Prayer of an Athlete
In the battle that goes on thru life we ask for a field that is fair, a chance that is equal to all in strife, the courage to strive and to dare, and if we should win let it be by the code with our faith and our honor held high, and if we should lose, grant us the strength to stand by the road and cheer as the winners go by.



Robert Wink (l) was named Booster of the Year, while Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Clendennen were honored as Fans of the Year at Robert Lee's recent Athletic Banquet.



John Conley proudly displays the plaque honoring him with the Service Award at Robert Lee's Athletic Banquet.

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Helmets Help

Laws requiring helmet use for motorcyclists remain controversial, but studies show that helmets are effective in reducing head injuries, which are the leading cause of death from motorcycle crashes.

The latest information comes from the University of Wisconsin and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. A review of police and hospital reports in Wisconsin for one year focused on head injuries of motorcyclists. The study showed sixty-three percent of motorcyclists injured were not wearing helmets and they were more than twice as likely to be hospitalized for a head injury than were riders wearing helmets.

The cost for initial hospital treatment was eight times as much for those not wearing helmets, in part because more of the riders not wearing helmets were the ones injured. However, even the individual hospital costs for unhelmeted riders averaged five thousand dollars more than for riders wearing helmets, because injuries tended to be more serious.

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RLHS Awards Assembly

The annual academic awards assembly was held Tuesday, May 23 at the high school auditorium. The following students received awards.

Academic Awards

English - Lee McCown; Science - Heather Millican; Math - Jeremy Fluhmann; Social Studies - Anthony Wink; Spanish - Eliza Arellano; Computers - Jeremy Fluhmann; Business - Tiffany Bruning; Home Ec - Laura Chesshir; Voc. Ag. - Anthony Wink; Athletics - Heather Millican and Lee McCown.

Outstanding American History Awards

English - Justin Francis; Life Science - Matthew Pitcock; Earth Science - Mariusz Skibicki; Math - Justin Kendall; Computer Lit. - Chad Helwig; Keyboarding - Dan McCown.

John Phillip Sousa Award - Brandi Brosh

Outstanding Female Band Student - Cynthia Abalos

Outstanding Male Band Student - Michael Munoz

Honor Roll each 6 weeks
Anthony Wink, Aaron Hood, Heather Millican, Jaclyn Waldrop, Chad Helwig, Maruisz Skibicki, B.J. Bessent, Macy Hill, Dan McCown.

Valedictorian - Anthony Wink

Salutatorian - Lee McCown

UIL Scholar Award - Jeremy Fluhmann, Michael Lamar, Lee McCown, Anthony Wink

DAR Good Citizen Award - Lee McCown

64 Study Club Scholarship - Jonathan Torres

College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources at Texas Tech Univ. Scholarship - Anthony Wink

Senior Congressional Certificates

Eliza Arellano, Laura Chesshir, Cameron Cook, Jeremy Fluhmann, Bart Goodman, Kris Hall, Charles Hayes, Wayne Hayes, Christy Hendry, Michael Lamar, Jami-lynn Logan, Lee McCown, Lynlee Owen, Blake Payne, Tray Taylor, James Tennison, Jonathan Torres, Ross Torres, Jeremy Vincent, Jerrid Vincent, Anthony Wink

RL Merit Award - UIL Academics

Tiffany Bruning - 4th Dist. Poetry Interp.; Jeremy Burns - 4th Dist. News Writing; Cameron Cook - 2nd Dist. Individual Spelling, 1st Dist. Team Spelling, 5th Dist. Headline Writing; Carrie Emert - 2nd Dist. Team Computer Science; Rebecca Emert - 3rd Dist. News Writing; Chad Goodman - 2nd Dist. Team Computer Science; Jason Key - 1st Dist. Editorial Writing; Michael Lamar - 3rd Dist. Individ. Current Events, 1st Dist. Team Current Events, 5th Reg. Team Current Events, 2nd Dist. Literary Criticism; Heather Millican - 3rd Dist. Editorial Writing, 1st. Reg. Editorial Writing, 7th State Editorial Writing, 1st Dist. Individual Spelling, 1st Dist. Team Spelling; Patricia Minjarez - 3rd. Dist. Individual Spelling, 1st Dist. Team Spelling; Jennifer Parks - 4th Dist. Informative Speaking; T.J. Roe - 1st Dist. Team Current Events; Chris Woods - 2nd Dist. Team Computer Science, 1st Dist. Team Cur-

rent Events.

Jr. High Dist. UIL Awards

7th Number Sense - Dan McCown, 1st, B.J. Bessent, 3rd; Daniel Cates, 5th; 8th Number Sense - Chad Helwig, 2nd; Sabrina Riley, 5th; Mariusz Skibicki, 6th; 7th Calculator - Dan McCown, 1st; Macy Hill, 2nd; Nick Pinson, 5th; 8th Calculator - Justin Kendall, 2nd; Holly Copeland, 4th; Mariusz Skibicki, 6th; Earth Science - Justin Kendall, 6th; Dictionary Skills - Janie Luna, 4th; Justin Francis, 5th; Holly Copeland, 6th; Listening Skills - Chad Helwig, 2nd; Justin Francis, 4th; Oral Reading - Macy Hill, 1st; Impromptu Speaking - Bill Torres, 4th; B.J. Bessent, 6th; Spelling - Daniel Cates, 6th; Maps, Graphs, Charts - Dan McCown, 2nd; Justin Francis, 6th.

Foreign Language Festival

Cynthia Abalos - Prose, Superior; Sight Reading, Superior; Katrina Rodriguez - Poetry, Superior; Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Liz Saucedo - Poetry, Superior; Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Jami Logan - Poetry, Excellent; Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Wayne Hayes - Poetry, Superior; Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Anthony Wink - Poetry, Superior; Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Blake Payne - Prose Reading, Excellent; Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Tiffany Bruning - Prose, Excellent; Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Jesse Arellano - Sight Reading, Excellent; Carrie Emert - Sight Reading, Excellent; Jaclyn Waldrop - Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Gina Luna - Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Delma Gonzales - Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Krystal Carver - Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Sabrina Cowart - Spanish I Skit, Excellent; Michael Lamar - Spanish II Skit, Excellent; Christy Hendry - Spanish II Skit, Excellent.

Basketball Awards Texas Assoc. of Basketball Coaches - All Region Team

Shalon Waldrop, Lee McCown, Eric Hood, Aaron Hood

All State - 1st Team

Regional Qualifiers in Athletics Track Girls

Heather Millican - 800 Meter Run; Shalon Waldrop - Shot; Jaclyn Waldrop - Discus

Boys

Bart Goodman - 1600 Relay; Jason Wyatt - 110 Hurdles, Long Jump, Triple Jump

Matthew Millican, Aaron Hood, Adam Morgan, Lee McCown - 1600 Relay

Golf

Koby Howell, Jason Tavarez, Eric Torres, Jonathan Torres, Jerrid Vincent

Cross Country

Heather Millican, Polo Arellano, Wayne Hayes, Jason Key, Kelly Prine, David Sevier, Gilbert Torres, Fred Wojtek

New School Records Track

Bart Goodman - Triple Jump, 44'10 1/2"

Lee McCown - Discus, 171'8"; 110 Hurdles, 14.7

Tied School Record

Bree Bolding - High Jump, 5'4"

State Qualifiers - Athletics

Lee McCown - Shot, Discus, High Jump, 110 Hurdles
Adam Morgan - Pole Vault
Bree Bolding - High Jump

Golf

Krystal Carver, Maranda Wojtek, Meagan Hill, Kizzie Howell, Melissa Smith

National FFA Judging

Casey Antilley, Christy Hendry, James Tennison, Jaclyn Waldrop

Area Qualifier FFA

Bree Bolding
State FFA Judging Dairy Judging
Jonathan Torres, Kizzie Howell, Brandi Brosh, David Millican

Farm Business Management

Jaclyn Waldrop, Anthony Wink, Jerrod Copeland, Amanda Sanders

Range & Pasture Plant ID

Tara Bruning, Scotty Wyatt, Eli Boxell, Chris Woods

Cotton

Jessica Key, Chris Torres, Melissa Smith



AON Service Club hosted the graduating senior class of RLISD at a luncheon on May 17. Scholarships in the total amount of \$1400.00 were awarded following the luncheon to (l to r): Anthony Wink, Laura Chesshir, Lee McCown, Christy Hendry, and Jonathan Torres. McCown and Chesshir each received scholarship funds in the amount of \$400, with each of the others receiving \$200 scholarships.



Jerry Zucha

RL Baptist to hold revival

Two important events are upcoming at our Robert Lee Baptist Church, Revival and Vacation Bible School.

The church wide revival will begin on Sunday during the normal worship services at 10:45 am and 7:00 pm. Noon sessions during the week will be held in the Fellowship Hall with accommodations available for those who wish to bring their lunch, followed by an evening session at 7:00 pm.

Jerry Zucha, currently the Pastor of First Baptist Church in Thorndale, Texas, will be bringing the message at each revival session. Jerry has been at Thorndale for two years where he was ordained to the Gospel Ministry. Larry Beck, a counselor with Westwood Ministries of Mertzon, Texas will be leading and coordinating the music during revival time. Larry has been with Westwood Ministries since 1994, is presently enrolled in Trinity Theological Seminary.

The Vacation Bible School is for children ages two through sixth grade. Morning sessions will be held each day 8:30 am to 10:30 am. All children from the community are welcome to attend. For further information, Sharon Pitcock can be contacted.

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Farm Bureau hosts field day

A Beef Cattle Field Day was held Saturday, May 13 at the Coke County Livestock Barns sponsored by the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau. Charlie Christensen of the Concho Livestock Co. explained how to grade feeder cattle and maximize the price you receive. Jim Kelly and Joe Roberts of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers Assoc. discussed the Brand Registration procedures and proper branding techniques, and James Hood of Mallinckrodt Veterinary Co. presented information on cow/calf vaccination, grub & fly control, and deworming cow/calf herds.

RL students make Dean's List

Area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's List for the Spring semester at the University.

Those listed include Eli Arellano, a Mathematics major; James Warren Brasher, a Biology major; Heather Alliece Parks, a Physics major; Maureen Sharen Parks, a Mathematics major; Rachel Ann Pentecost, an Animal Science major; Audra Pitcock, an Early

Childhood major; and Celeste Service, an Elementary Education major, all from Robert Lee.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must be enrolled as a full time student and have at least a 3.25 grade point average.

4th Graders enjoy a 'Taste of Texas'

Fourth graders at Robert Lee enjoyed the study of different cultural groups in Texas. They learned that each group has contributed to the uniqueness of Texas in many ways. The culmination of their project was a "Taste of Texas" food celebration. Each student brought a food dish from the culture group they studied. Students shared their different foods with parents, grandparents, teachers, and principal. Everyone had a wonderful time.

Lee Family Reunion

Descendants of Joseph Lovard Lee and General Taylor Lee will hold a family reunion Saturday, June 3 and Sunday, June 4 at the Holiday Inn in San Angelo. Anyone needing more information may contact Ronnie Lee at 817-776-8817.

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NOTICE
Bronte Family Health Center will be CLOSED Monday, May 29th for Memorial Day.
James Ross, PA will be attending a national conference May 29-June 2 and June 9-14. During his absence Jerry Biddix, MD will be at the clinic from 4:00-5:00 pm.

BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,
 On Monday, May 15th, the All Sports Banquet was held in the Bronte Community Center to honor all athletes of Bronte High School. We had Tim Cassidy from Texas A&M as our speaker. He spoke of following a path to achieve a goal and keeping on the right path to accomplish that goal. He also gave us a deep thought, "It is not the problems or the road blocks that get in our way, it is how we deal with each situation. We can choose to work it out or we can blame the problems to make life miserable."

In the 90s, life is fast causing our valuable family time to take a back seat to work. Daily pressure and hectic schedules often steal from us precious family moments we have consuming our waking minutes. The three-and-half hours we spent honoring

51 years of perfect attendance

The Stover Taylor family of Bronte may have set a record in perfect attendance. Four of the five family members have never missed a day of school from kindergarten through the 12th grade. Jerita (mother) attended Rochester ISD in Rochester, Texas, from 1952 - 1964 and never missed a day. They did not have kindergarten in those days. Misti, Eboni, and Brent attended Bronte ISD from K - 12 and never missed a day. Misti attended school from 1976 - 1989; Eboni from 1978 - 1991; and Brent 1982 - 1995.

How did they do it? Mean parents? Dedication? Love for homework? Family love and support? Stupidity? A close religious family? Discipline? Crazy?

"Perhaps a little of all the above," said Stover. "The kids worked hard in their studies and athletics. We eat a lot of fruit and vegetables and drink a lot of juices. Misti, Eboni, and Brent all agree that missing church services, school and work was a 'no-no'. Mom and Dad did not allow excuses from our responsibilities. The childhood diseases and funerals all came on weekends, holidays and in the summer months. Yes, there were days when we did not feel well, but Mom would say that is more of a mental disposition than a physical ailment, we are going to school."

What about Dad?

Stover continues, "I attended grades 1 - 8 at Pickton ISD in Pickton, Texas, and high school in Bronte ISD and had 10 years of perfect attendance. I missed 5 days in twelve years, I am the runt. We have been blessed with good health and by the grace of God everything worked out just right and Jerita (12), Misti (13), Eboni (13), and Brent (13) accumulated 51 years of perfect attendance."

these athletes was worth every minute.

Each of these student athletes has dedicated many hours to his or her sport. These banquets honor their efforts and recognized their participation and special accomplishments. I enjoyed every minute Monday night. The coaching staff honored every athlete by recognizing them for participating in their sport. We are blessed to have such a successful athletic program in Bronte. The coaches are dedicated to the student athletes and the students have dedicated themselves to their sport.

So the next awards banquet you attend for several hours, think about what the athletes have done to receive this honor. Remember the many hours that they have spent trying to perfect it, remember the highs of winning and the lows of losing, remember they have learned what team work is all about. When they started their sport they were not seeking this honor, they only tried to accomplish their own goals. These are our leaders for tomorrow, what they have learned here will be with them the rest of their lives.

Michael T. Johnson

Bronte ASU graduates

A number of Bronte students at Angelo State University were among 505 students to receive degrees during the Fall commencement at the university.

Dawn Cumbie Burwick received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, with a major in Nursing, Melissa Guzman received a Bachelor of Arts, with a major in Psychology, Billy Joe Magness received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Kinesiology, Cathy G. Oliver received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Early Childhood, John William Thomas received a Bachelor of Business Administration, with a major in Marketing, and Cody Reid White received a Bachelor of Science, with a major in Kinesiology.

New Br. NHS officers

The 1995-96 Bronte National Honor Society Chapter officers were elected on May 23, 1995. They are as follows: Ben Huckabee - president, Nick Arrott - vice president, Wendy Johnson - Secretary, Cory Robinson - Treasurer, Cody Holland - Reporter, Gary Walker - Parliamentarian, and Katie Collins - Chaplain.

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Cooper to serve as summer missionary

Members of Texas Baptist Student Ministry at 137 colleges and universities will support 112 student missionaries serving in five countries and 18 states this summer, including one student from Bronte, said Jack Greever, director of the Texas Baptist Student Division.

Kristie Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cooper, will serve as a Baptist Student Ministry summer missionary in Golden Triangle Baptist Association. Cooper, a student at Texas Tech University, is a member of Central Baptist Church, Bronte.

The Division of Student Ministry is part of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, the missions arm of the 5,600 Southern Baptist congregations in Texas.

Locals named to Dean's List

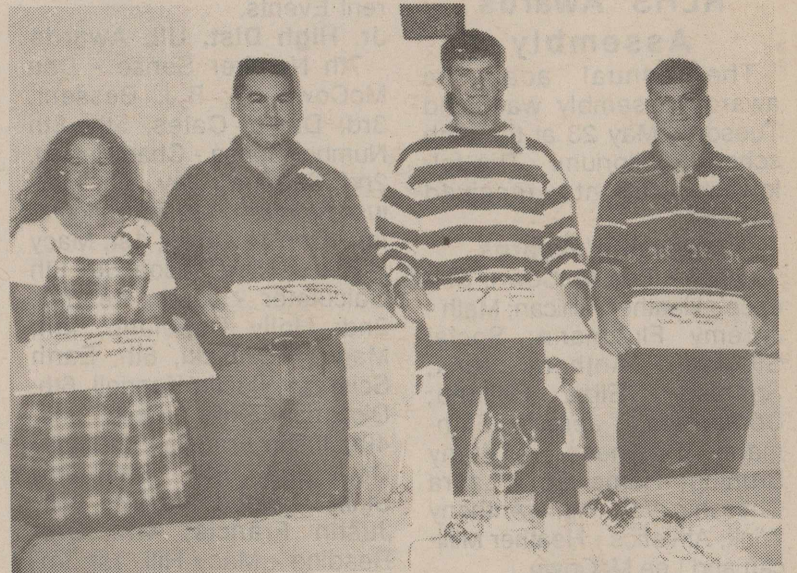
Area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's List for the Spring semester at the University.

Those listed include Julia Kay Easterly, a Management major, Karen Lynne Saunders, an Art major, all from Blackwell, Amy Joelle Allen, a Nursing major, Clifford Paul Jackson, a Government major, Kim Stewart Lee, a Language Arts major, Misty Michelle Mackey, an Undecided major, Billy Joe Magness, a Kinesiology major, Cathy G. Oliver, an Early Childhood major, Edwin Loren Thomas, an Undecided major, and Alisa A. Webb, an Early Childhood major, all from Bronte.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must be enrolled as a full time student and have at least a 3.25 grade point average.

Johnson chosen All-Star trackster

Jill Johnson was chosen to be on the All-State and All-Star track team. As an all-star, Jill will be attending a coaches convention and demonstrate skills for the 100 meter hurdle event in July, as well as play in the Volleyball All-Star game.



The Bronte Church of Christ honored their 1995 Seniors on Sunday, May 21st, at their monthly potluck lunch. Honorees Laura Thomas, Phillip Ratliff, Jr., James Hambricht, and Brent Taylor received individual cakes, balloon bouquets, and gifts from the church family.

Br. girls named to volleyball honor roll

Laura Thomas (Valedictorian) and Jill Johnson were chosen to be on the Academic Volleyball Honor Roll. They played on the 1994 Volleyball team that went 6-0 in district and lost to the State Champion team, Windthorst, at Area. Laura plans to attend Texas Tech University. Jill will most likely participate in athletics in college. She hasn't decide where she will go, but Angelo State University has offered her a scholarship to become a heptathlete.

Bronte FBC honors Seniors

Seven members of the 1995 Bronte High School graduating class were honored by First Baptist Church during the morning service on May 21, 1995. Mandy Dunn and Terry Queen were present and received a Student Bible from the church. The other stu-

dents honored included Lindsey Burwick, Gina Clayton, Todd Harrell, Jill Johnson, and Devlin Pierce.

Personal

Jaime Arrott was honored by her grandparents, J. B. and Martha Arrott, with a dinner party at Zentner's. The table was decorated with Bobcat colors of blue and orange. Those attending were great-grandmother Virginia Boatright; grandmother, Joan Nobles of Midland; her parents, Jim and Jane Arrott; her sister, Joanie; Tim and Lucretia Arrott; and Deena Reed. The group moved to Bobcat Stadium for her graduation.

Jaime graduated with honors - National Honor Society, Advanced high school program with honors, top 5th of class of 700 and teachers scholars. She received a Carr Scholarship and will attend Angelo State this fall.

Personal

Kenneth and Gina Means have recently moved to Bronte.

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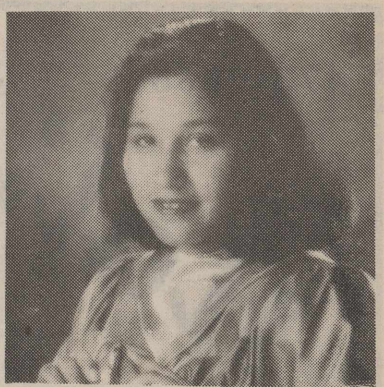
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NOTICE TO ALL HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MURLAN F. SMITH, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MURLAN F. SMITH were issued on May 22, 1995, in Cause No. 1471 pending in the County Court of Coke County, Texas to: CAROLYN SMITH and RUBY HEARN KEYES
The resident of Executrix Carolyn Smith is Archer County, Texas. The residence of Executrix Ruby Hearn Keyes is Tom Green County, Texas. The mailing address for the Executrices is: CAROLYN SMITH and RUBY HEARN KEYES C/O ARTHUR & ARTHUR Attorneys at Law P. O. BOX 970 ROBERT LEE, TX 76945
All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED May 22, 1995.
Lane Arthur Attorney for the Estate
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Shandley receives award

Landon Shandley, a sixth grade student at Kermit Junior High, recently competed in the Greenwood Band Festival. He received a one plus in solo competition on the snare drum. The Kermit Beginner Band received a one.
Landon has also been recognized for academic achievement by the United States Achievement Academy as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner. He will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook.
Landon is the son of former Robert Lee residents Lane and Gayle Shandley. Joe and Nellie Ross and Doris Shandley, all of Robert Lee, are his grandparents.



Christie Ramirez
Ramirez Eldorado Valedictorian

Christie Ramirez, granddaughter of Willie and Mickey Abalos, earned valedictorian honors in the 1995 graduating class of Eldorado High School. She has a 99.315 grade point average.

Christie is a three-year member of the ATSSB All-State Band. She has received superior ratings in the UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest since her Freshman year. Christie served in the band Flag Corps as Flag Captain and was Drum Major her Senior year.

She is also a member of the National Honor Society and President of the Eldorado High School Student Council, and a representative for three years.

She served as Student Representative on the Superintendent's Advisory Council for two years.

Christie was a UIL participant in Computer Science, Number Sense, Math, and Science. She served as Play coordinator for the School Dinner Theater.

She played on the Freshman Basketball and JV Tennis teams.

Christie played in the Angelo State University Honors Flute Choir.

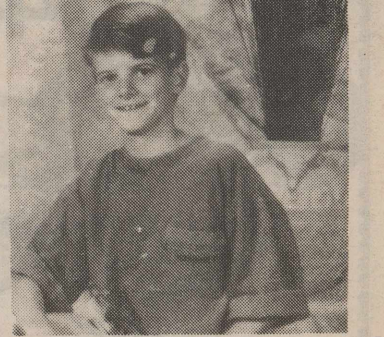
Her numerous awards include: the Eldorado Academic Excellence Award-4 years; Biology and Chemistry Awards; High Ranking Sophomore, Junior, and Senior girl award; Lions Club High Ranking High School girl award; DAR Good Citizens; John Philip Sousa Band Award; Principal's Leadership Award; American Legion Award; UIL Scholar Award; the President's Award for Educational Excellence; and U. S. Border Patrol "Youth of the Year" Award.

She has received the Neria Pina Band Scholarship, Knights of Columbus Scholarship, and the University of Texas High School Honors Scholarship.

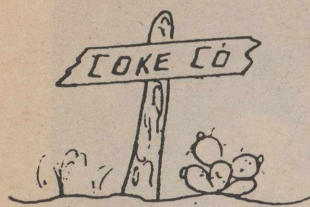
Christie plans to attend the University of Texas, School of Music in Austin.

Personal

Brian Arrott and Kandace Adams of Lubbock visited with his parents, Tim and Lucretia, and his grandmother, Virginia Boatright. They also visited his grandparents, J. B. and Martha Arrott.



Landon Shandley



COUNTRY AGENTS NEWS

by Tommy Antilley
Coke County Agent

Pecan Nut Casebearer Control

With the crazy weather and variations in temperature this spring, precise prediction for control of the pecan nut casebearer will be difficult. Unless there is a tremendous load of casebearer eggs present on the nutlets, it is suggested not to spray for control of casebearers for several reasons. One, with the possible heavy crop of nuts that it looks like we may have, some

thinning will have to take place or your nuts will not fill out completely. It is better to have fewer nuts that are filled out completely than a tremendous load that is only half filled. Also, if you spray when there are little or no casebearer eggs present, besides wasting money and time you will damage the beneficial population of insects that will help us down the road on aphids, etc. Yellow pecan aphid is a much larger pest for our area than the pecan nut casebearer.

The estimated spray dates, if control should be warranted by a heavy egg population, should be between May 28th and June 6th. Only spray if you can find numerous eggs. These will be on the ends of the small nutlets and will be white in color and about the size of a pin head. Unless there are around 20 percent of the nutlets infested with eggs, I would suggest not spraying.

If there are any questions, please call the County Extension office at 453-2461.

Accelerated Readers

The following students were winners in the Accelerated Readers program:

First/Payne - 1st. (tie) Britani Herring, Cara Eaton; 2nd. Shawn Seals.

First/Goodman - 1st. Casady Wink; 2nd. Anly Gallegos.

Second/Horn - 1st. (tie) Lindsey Roe, Jake McCabe; 2nd. Abraham Flores.

Third/McCown - 1st. Preston Francis; 2nd. R. J. Service.

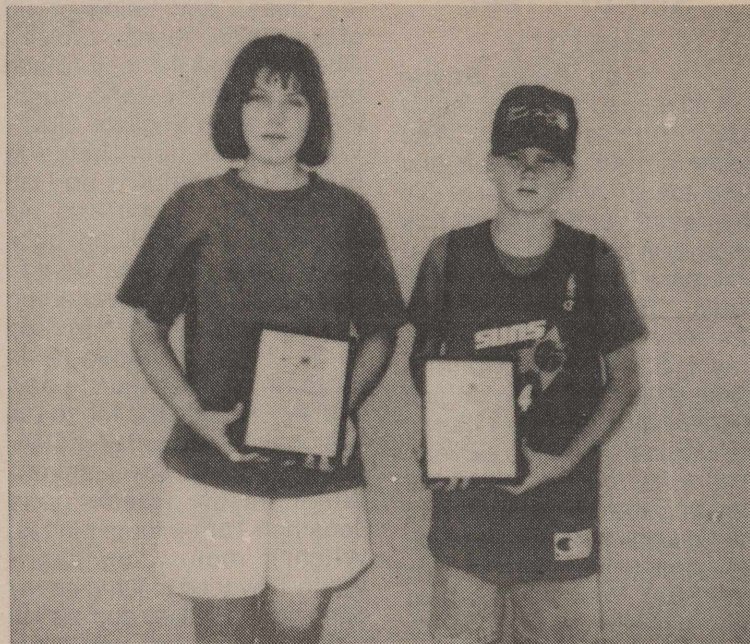
Fourth/Davis - 1st. Sean Edging; 2nd. Shelby Roe.

Fourth/Devoll - 1st. Amber Robinson; 2nd. Jennifer Nesbit.

Fifth/Wilson - 1st. Trichelle Gray; 2nd. Amy Riley.

Sixth/Burns - 1st. Jessica Cowart.

Ten \$2 bills and seven \$1 bill were awarded.



Melanie Johnson and Colby Eubanks

RLHS Boys Basketball

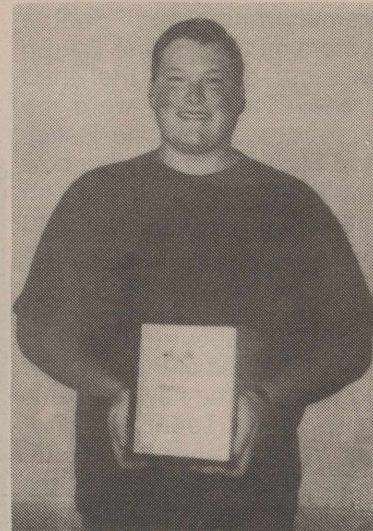
by Lee McCown

Fantastic, exhilarating, wonderful are just a few words used to describe the varsity boys basketball team. All through the season the Steers worked hard and dreamed of reaching the State basketball tournament. This dream turned out to be a reality as the Steers defeated Knox City 79-69 in the Finals of the regional tournament.

Many highlights happened in the regular season as the Steers played many 2A, 3A, and 4A teams. The Steers defeated 4A Pecos by 22 points, they also defeated 3A teams Big Lake and Sonora. Six 2A teams were defeated by the Steers such as Eldorado who were demolished 103-61. This was the only time the Steers scored 100 points, but scored 99 against Rankin for an Area championship and scored 98 against Midway in the Regional semifinal game.

When the Steers entered district play they knew every game would be a battle. During district the Steers were involved in many close games till the end, but with great coaching and big hearts of the players the Steers marched to a District Title.

After defeating Trent, Rankin, Miles, and Midway the Steers went up against a big and physical Knox City team. At halftime the score was tied, and the lead changed many times at the start of the third quarter. It wasn't long until the Steers went on what some call a championship run. Before Knox City knew what was happening, the Steers were ahead by 10, then 15, and then 20 points. When the buzzer sounded the Steers won by 10.



James Tennison

The week of the State tournament was filled with news coverage and excitement. At 8:30 in the morning the Steers faced a quick Calvert team. This quickness barely edged out the Steers as they lost 74-76. A lot of memories were made this basketball season that the players will remember forever.

Season statistics for the 1995 season are as follows: Jeremy Vincent #11 averaged 8.9 points, 4 rebounds per game, and had 56 steals, 69 assists, and 13 blocks for the year. Jerrid Vincent #13 averaged 5.2 points, 2.4 rebounds per game, and had 85 steals, 91 assists and 5 blocks. Charles Hayes averaged 4.2 points, 1.9 rebounds per game, and had 33 steals, 36 assists. Lee McCown #41 averaged 16.5 points, 8.7 rebounds per game, and had 86 steals, 55 assists and 22 blocks. Bart Goodman #43 averaged 4.3 points, 3.4 rebounds per game, and had 17 steals, 10 assists, and 15 blocks. Anthony Wink #53 averaged 1.8 points, 1.3 rebounds per game, and had 8 steals and 14 assists. Eric Hood #31 averaged 14.7 points, 2.9 rebounds per game, and had 111 steals, 127 assists and 5 blocks. Aaron Hood #33 averaged 18.8 points, 8.6 points rebounds per game, and had 85 steals 92 assists and 10 blocks. Jason Key #23 averaged 2.8 points, 1.5 rebounds per game, and 19 steals and 15 assists. Jason Wyatt #45 averaged 1.4 points, 1 rebound per game, and had 11 steals and 5 assists. Koby Howell #21 averaged .5 points, .4 rebounds and had 10 steals and 15 assists. Good luck next year and thanks Coach White for the great job you did.

4-H Extravaganza

On April 29th the State 4-H Shooting Sports Extravaganza was held in Brownwood.

Those participating from Coke County were: Senior Division - James Tennison; Junior Division - Jeremy Eaton, Shane Hendrix, Coke Hendry, Justin Francis, Melanie Johnson, and Andrew McCabe; Sub-Junior Division - Casey Eubanks, Colby Eubanks, and Jake Graves.

James Tennison received a 3rd place plaque in Silhouettes and a 3rd place ribbon in Senior Division Light Rifle.

Melanie Johnson received a 2nd place plaque in Junior Division Light Rifle and Colby Eubanks received a 2nd place plaque in Sub-Junior Division Light Rifle.

Personal

David and Melissa Bivins Jenschke are moving to Midland. David is a salesman for Mayfield Paper Company. Melissa will be working for the Midland Independent School District in the fall.

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A HOME FOR THE ONE YOU LOVE

Senior 1995 History

by Blake Payne

It all started on a hot, sultry day in August of 1982. The class of 1995 took their first step toward their future. Of the twenty-one seniors this year, only eight of the loveable crew began their learning career. Eliza Arellano, Laura Chesshir, Jeremy Fluhmann, Kris Hall, Christy Hendry, Blake Payne, Tray Taylor, and Anthony Wink were all part of the original group of seniors. With kindergarten out of the way and the advancement to the first grade, one new addition came to join us. His name was Ross Torres. The next year, Jonathan Torres decided to join our class, and Tray decided move away about the middle of the year. Two extremely humorous people were smart enough to join up with our group in the third grade. These two were the ever-so-sweet Wayne Hayes and Michael Lamar. No new additions came until the fifth grade, but one of our clan left. Kris Hall moved away before fourth grade started. The dawn of the first day of fifth grade was about the equivalent of the end of the earth for us because the new additions were James Tensionn, Jeremy Vincent and Jerrid Vincent. The Vincents had about all they could handle of Robert Lee so they moved away after our sixth grade year. When he realized what he was missing, Jeremy Vincent decided to rejoin the class during our sophomore year. The twins were reunited the next year when Jerrid moved back to our clique. We had no new additions until seventh grade. This was when Lazerbeam Lee McCown joined our clan. Later, . . . much later during that year Cameron Cook blessed us with his blissful residence. Bart Goodman moved to our humble town during the summer after the seventh grade year. Toward the middle of our Freshman year, Charles Hayes moved in to torment all of the teachers. Our next addition came our Junior year when Jami Logan united with our class to help us finish up strong. All of us together have made our class eclectic, controversial, fun, horrible, and many other metaphors.

The seniors of 1995 have had many memorable experiences as they have gone to school in Robert Lee. When asked about their most memorable moments, here is what they had to say: Lee - Having an opportunity on being on so many winning teams; Anthony - Doing a 180 turn vertically in my car with Gilbert, David, and Bobby; Jeremy F. - Going head-to-head with Garcia(I only remember part of that game); Cameron - Making human pyramids in English and Science classes!; Laura - Going Christmas caroling with Blake, Amanda, Anthony, Michael Lamar, Wayne, and Jeremy Fluhmann; Wayne - Crawling out of the windows in Spanish; Bart - Field trip with Blake, Charles, and Tray to Pizza Hut!!!; Michael - Getting stuck out in the middle of the lake with Willy for an entire day; Jami - Being Homecom-

ing Queen and being proud of our athletic teams; Lynlee - Cheering at all the football and basketball games and laughing at Tray in English; Eliza - Walking back from Bronte to Robert Lee with Kris on Halloween night(it took us six hours); Kris - Walking back from Bronte with Eliza; Jerrid - Getting to know a great group of kids; Jeremy V. - Hackey sack; Tray - Going so far in football my Junior year; Christy - Making the trip to the National Dairy Judging Contest in Kansas City; James - When Jason Reeder and Jonathan Torres fought in Ms. Wright's room; Jonathan - When Tray tried to jump on my back and I ducked and he fell to the ground and broke his arm going to the Ag Shop; Ross - When me and Michael and Wayne were at the park and Wayne jumped over me and landed on his back; Blake - Our inspirational conversations in trig.

As you can tell, our class has different interests. Our inconsistency has somehow brought us extremely close together. The high school will be lost without us to look upon.

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First Baptist Church in Bronte had special recognition for the Mothers in morning worship service on Sunday, May 14th. Michelle Sanchez Penner was honored as most recent mother and Virginia Boatright was honored as oldest mother present. All Mothers received a special memento and pin from the church. These two honorees received special hand crafted decorative pieces.

WHAT TO DO WHEN THE LIGHTS GO OUT.



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2. KEEP WTU PHONE LINES OPEN.

From the moment you call WTU, help is on the way — so a second call isn't necessary. Please leave our lines open for other callers.

3. REPORT FALLEN UTILITY LINES.

If you see a fallen power line, don't even go near it! And, keep others away, too! Call WTU, the police, or the fire department immediately.

4. UNPLUG APPLIANCES.

It's a good idea to turn off your air conditioner and unplug televisions, major appliances, and computers during storms. If you experience an outage, you may want to leave them unplugged until power is restored. Don't open your refrigerator or freezer unless absolutely necessary.

5. BE CAREFUL WITH GENERATORS.

If you have access to a portable generator, please

do not plug it directly into your circuit breaker box. It's unsafe — especially for repair crews. Plug appliances and lamps directly into the generator.

6. PLEASE BE PATIENT.

You may see a WTU truck in your neighborhood leaving before your power comes back on. This is not unusual. We send people out to assess the extent and cause of an outage. The source of your outage might be several blocks away.

7. CHECK ON YOUR NEIGHBORS.

Be mindful of neighbors who may have special needs.

8. TURN YOUR FRONT PORCH LIGHT ON.

Turning on your porch light lets WTU crews know your electricity is back on.

9. FOLLOW LOCAL NEWS MEDIA.

For updates on weather conditions and power restoration efforts, check local newspapers and radio broadcasts.

9. KEEP AN EMERGENCY SAFETY KIT.

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