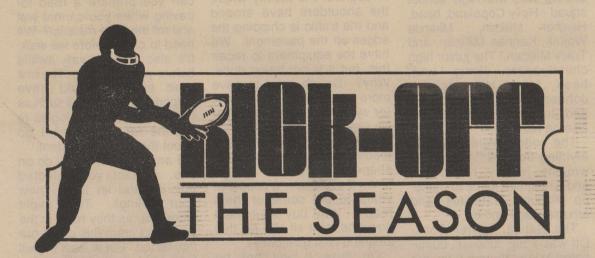
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The Robert Lee Steers and Bronte Longhorns start the 1995 Football Season Friday night. Both teams will begin their seasons on their home fields. Kick-off is set for 8:00 pm. For more information about our county teams, see the school pages in this issue.

Stenholm FUNDay attracts

Congressmen
Congressman Charlie
Stenholm recently announced that two United
States Congressmen will be
visiting the 17th District in
early September. Vic Fazio
and John Murtha will both attend the upcoming FUNDay,
which will be held September
9 at the Ericksdahl picnic
grounds near Stamford.
Stenholm also announced
that State Representative
Rob Junell of San Angelo will
serve as Master of Ceremonies for the festivities.

Congressman Vic Fazio, who chairs the House Democratic Caucus, represents Northern California's large 3rd Congressional District, which includes the agriculturally rich Sacramento Legislative and the Energy and Water Development subcommittees. He also serves as the Ranking Democrat on the House Oversight Committee.

Congressman John Murtha, former Chairman and now Ranking Democrat of the House Appropriations Subcommittee on National Security, represents the 12th Congressional District of Pennsylvania. Murtha has played a key role in rebuilding the nation's armed forces by working to ensure that the

men and women in uniform are the world's best trained and best equipped. This has enabled them to have access to weapons that have the technological superiority to multiply the power of U.S. forces.

State Representative Rob Junell, who will serve as Master of Ceremonies for the festivities, serves the 72nd District, which includes San Angelo. He chairs the House Appropriations Committee and played a pivotal role during the recent session of the Texas Legislature. Calling him "a star in the House," Texas Monthly magazine recently named Junell one of the ten best legislators.

For more information about FUNDay, contact the Stenholm campaign office at 1-800-391-0704.

FBC Br. welcomes guest speaker

First Baptist Church in Bronte will be having a special guest speaker this Sunday, September 10, during the 10:55 am worship service. Speaking will be Bailey Stone, currently serving as Director of Evangelism for the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Prior to coming to his present responsibilities, Bailey Stone served for many years as the pastor of the First Baptist

Church in Odessa.

An energetic and challenging speaker, Bro. Stone will be sharing about mission needs and opportunities here in Texas as part of Texas Baptists' emphasis on State Missions.

Everyone is invited to participate in this special service and take advantage of this opportunity to hear Bailey Stone. Special music immediately before the message by Bro. Stone will be presented by Pastor Morris Johnson.

RL Ladies' Auxiliary to sponsor bake sale

The Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department Ladies' Auxiliary is having a bake sale to help raise funds for the new building. It will be Saturday, September 9, at 9:00 am at Super H. The fire department cookbooks will also be on sale.

Anyone wishing to donate baked goods for the sale may call Lorrie Martin at 453-4500, or Barbara Sparks at 453-2087 or 453-2516.

Commodities

Food commodities will be distributed on the second Friday of the month, September 8th, at the Robert Lee and Bronte Senior Citizens Center. Distribution is from 8:00 am until 12:00 noon.

Robert Lee to receive Extended Local Calling

GTE Telephone Operations will extend local calling for all customers in the Robert Lee telephone service area, beginning September 23, 1995. Under the plan, all calls to and from the communities listed will be billed as local calls: Robert Lee to and from San Angelo.

"Prior to the start of Extended Local Calling, each call between these areas was billed separately as a long-distance call, and customers would see a long-distance charge per call on their monthly bills," said Durwood Wilkinson, area manager-customer operations for GTE's West Central district. "Now, these calls are equivalent to local calls," explained Wilkinson.

This action is a result of balloting which took place in the Robert Lee telephone service area under the rules of Senate Bill 632 and the Public Utility Commission Rule 23.49 (c). Under those guidelines, certain communities were allowed to petition for extended toll-free local calling to nearby communities.

Customers are not required to take any action to take advantage of the new service offering. Once extended calling is operational, it will no longer be necessary for customers to dial "1+" before the number when placing calls between these communities.

A per-line increase in the total monthly bill for residential customers and business customers will be assessed to customers in Robert Lee for the added service. The charges will be listed as "Expanded Local Calling" in the tax portion of the telephone bill. More information will be provided to affected customers in their monthly telephone bill as the service becomes operational.

Residential customers with questions about the ELC service should call toll-free 1-800-483-4400, and business customers should call 1-800-483-5400.

GTE Telephone Operations is the largest U.S.-based local telephone company, providing voice, data and video products and services through more than 22 million

access lines in portions of the United States, Canada, South America, the Caribbean and the South Pacific. Based in Irving, Texas, the company had total revenues of \$15.7 billion in 1994. Its parent organization, GTE Corporation, is the fourth-largest publicly owned telecommunications company in the world.

Quail management tour

On Monday, September 18, 1995, there will be a Quail Management Tour sponsored by the Agriculture Extension Service in several area counties. This tour will be held on the Funk Ranch, 20 miles west of San Angelo on FM 853, beginning at 1:30 pm and ending at 7:30 pm.

Topics on the tour include management of quail, their habitat, leases for quail, brush control and effects on quail, predators and quail, what has happened to blue quail and general quail management.

Please contact Tommy Antilley, Coke County Agriculture Extension Agent, at 915-453-2461 before September 14, 1995, so we can get a count on the catered supper.

Runnels Baptist Association

to meet

The regular meeting of the Runnels Baptist Association will be held September 18 at First Baptist Church, Paint Rock.

The WMU and Executive Board will meet at 5:30 pm. The evening meal will be served at 6:00 pm.

The program begins at 7:30 pm. The program is on Sunday school emphasis. Tony King, association Sunday school director, is in charge of the program.

The public is invited to attend.



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- Obituaries-

Hatley

Bob Ell Hatley, 66, of Goltry, Oklahoma, died Monday, September 4, in Enid Regional Hospital at Enid, Oklahoma, following a brief

Bob was the son of Ell and Zola Hatley and was born Easter Sunday, March 31, 1929, at their home in the Wildcat Community near Robert Lee. His early school years were in the elementary school at Wildcat, and he later attended Robert Lee High School, where he graduated in 1947

Bob attended a barber college in Lubbock where he was licensed. He was employed by J. O. Rainey Barber Shop in Bronte for a time and later opened his own shops at Silver and Robert Lee.

In 1954, Bob was employed by Union Texas Petroleum Co. at the Perkins Plant at Silver, later transferring to Oklahoma and recently retiring after over 30 years of service.

In 1944, Bob suffered a severe leg injury in an accident at school. He was confined to St. John's Hospital in San

Angelo from January to June that year. While being treated, he made many friends among the doctors and nursing staff as well as other patients. He was the first civilian in West Texas to receive treatment by penicillin, then a newly developed "wonder drug," which to that time had been used mostly by the armed forces. A special plane flight was made to bring the drug from New York to San Angelo.

Surviving Bob are his mother, Zola Hatley, of Robert Lee; three sons, Bobbie Hatley, Jr., of Goltry, OK; Billy Hatley, of Enid. OK: and Tommy Hatley, of Conroe, TX; one daughter, Kim Frady, of Atlanta, GA.; also seven grandchildren and one greatgrandchild.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ell Hatley, who died in 1975, and by one son, Steve Hatley, in 1992.

Funeral arrangements were by Kenny Lanman Funeral Home in Helena, Oklahoma. Services were held at Community Bible Church in Goltry, Oklahoma, at 10:30 am Thursday, September 7, with a graveside service and burial at Robert Lee Cemetery at 10:30 am Friday, September

8, with Tommy Williams, minister of Northside Church of Christ, officiating.

Serving as pallbearers were Robert Reese, Willis Wayne Smith, Winton Milliff, Bill Allen, Billy Wayne Roe, and Edwin G. (Butch) Davis. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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East Coke Co. ambulance service news

East Coke Co. ambulance service reports contributions received in August:

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Driggers hold annual cook-out

The third Annual Labor Day Backyard Cook-out at John and Judy Driggers, 118 Key St., was a fun time enjoyed by thirty-one happy friends from within the community of Bronte. Everyone pooled their resources and talents to produce some delicious barbecued burgers, brisket, beans and potato salad, along with watermelon, cake and homemade ice cream. Everyone agreed this event should take place every month, if not every week, but John and Judy suggested just looking forward to it again next year!

Labor Day filled with food, fun, song & dance

A holiday air prevailed at the Labor Day Extravaganza for the last celebration of summer. Held at the county park in Robert Lee, the shade offered relief from the heat and provided a good area for the festival activities. Thirty booths were spread under the trees and in the cool Rec Hall, including great food offerings. A good number enjoyed the games of beach volleyball, washers, horseshoes, and a basketball shootout.

Some "home grown" talent was enjoyed when Macy Hill, Brandi Brosh, and Amber Brosh sang for the gathering. Warming the crowd up for fall were both groups of cheerleaders. Leading a few cheers was the high school squad - Holly Copeland, head, Heather Millican, Miranda Wojtek, Kannan Millican, and Tracy Millican. The junior high cheerleaders, Jamie Luna, head, Macy Hill, Melanie Johnson, Tiffany Copeland, and Jennifer Hamilton were also on hand.

The booths highlighted everything from stuffed figures, wreaths, jewelry, hair decor, and Christmas items to makeup products, satellites, and emu sausage and oil.

The Rabbit Twister Cook-Off was a big success, culminated in late afternoon by the awarding of prizes and trophies by chairman Laura Crenshaw. Cook-Off winners for 1995 were led by overall Barbeque Cook Kessler from Midland. Winners in the various categories included:

Barbeque Showmanship 1st, Mike Garrett, of Hempstead; 2nd, Joe Kessler, of Midland; 3rd, James Timmons, of Crane.

Brisket

1st, James Timmons; 2nd, Joe Kessler; 3rd, Joe Pierce, of San Angelo.

Pork Ribs

1st, Joe Kessler; 2nd, Mike Garrett; 3rd, James Timmons Chicken

1st, Joe Kessler; 2nd, Russell Sylvest, of Sweetwater; 3rd, Mike Garrett

BBQ Open (Fish, Fowl, Beef, Pork, or Exotic Game):

1st, James Timmons; 2nd, Mike Garrett; 3rd, Joe Kessler Dessert:

1st, Sammy Plant, of San Angelo; 2nd, Mike Garrett; 3rd, Joe Kessler

Beans: 1st, Eddie Albert; 2nd, Ellen Kessler; 3rd, Pat Timmons C. A. S. I. Chili -

Showmanship: 1st, Rick Richter, of Christoval; 2nd, Joe Kessler; 3rd, Joe Pierce

C. A. S. I. Chili: 1st, Joe Pierce; 2nd, Rick Richter; 3rd, K. C. Ward, of Crane

The day's activities concluded with a dance on the tennis courts. Music throughout the day, and for the dance, was provided by Wagner Sound System of Corpus Christi.

- Letter to the Editor -

Dear Editor:

Not long ago, we had a prison crammed down our throats that does not put a dime in the county coffers. Now, we are about to get into another situation that could prove to be a financial disaster for our county.

Our commissioners are planning to buy paving equipment for Coke County. We ain't ready for this yet.

We do not have enough personnel to operate a paving crew. We do not have personnel who are trained for this type operation. And we do not have the money to experiment with at this time.

There are paved roads throughout the county where the shoulders have eroded and the traffic is chipping the edges off the pavement. We have the equipment to repair this, but it is not being done. Why? Do we need to pave more roads when we cannot (or will not) take care of what we already have?

I'm not sure if we have any roads in the county that are in shape to be paved at this time. It could take a couple of years to get some of them ready. Why buy equipment now and let it sit idle for that long and cost us money?

I'm sure it will not be considered, but I have a suggestion. Instead of buying all this equipment now and let it sit idle, why not try something like this?

Patch the paved roads we

now have. Then buy (or lease) a distributor truck and shoot the pavements with an emulsion sealer. asphalt. This would not even require a roller, and we don't have a roller big enough to pave or seal coat roads anyway. This will usually hold

a road for a couple of years and would give us some time to get better prepared to do our own seal coating and paving. I would like for us to eventually be able to do our own paving and seal coating but we are just not ready now.

In the meantime, send some of the county employees to observe (and possibly participate in) some paving and seal coating that other counties might be doing. I think it would be money well spent. Some training is needed before you try something like this.

At this time, the county has no usable water truck on the west side of the county. How can you prepare a road for paving when you cannot wet and roll the base material? We need to crawl before we walk. It's also wise to walk awhile before you try to run. The unit road system would have helped a lot on a deal such as this. I make no apologies to anyone for feeling as I do about the unit road system.

If any of you feel as I do on this, contact your elected officials and let them know your feelings. They might ignore us, as they have in the past, and cram this down our throats too. But at least we will have tried.

Mike Ross

Georgia Lou Hickman

Born in Coke County September 10, 1911

Went to Fairview February 7, 1991 Please remember her according to your faith.

-Death Notices-

Lofton

W. N. "Jiggs" Lofton, 61, of Baytown, died Wednesday, August 30, 1995, at his home. Services were held Saturday, September 2, 1995, at Navarre Funeral Home with Masonic Rites. The Rev. Steve James of Memorial Baptist Church officiated. Burial followed at Cedar Bayou Masonic Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife. ропопопопопопопопопопопопопопопопопопо

Rhonda Lofton of Baytown; 2 sons and daughters-in-law, Kirk & Sandra Lofton and Les & Kim Lofton, all of Mt. Belvieu; 1 daughter and sonin-law, Jan & J. D. Barker of Cleveland, Texas; 3 brothers and sisters-in-law, Keith & Norma Lofton and Norris & Mary Jo Lofton, all of Snyder; and Dale & June Lofton of Edmond, Oklahoma; 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Speedy Brasuell

Gladys Mitchell

Hervey Garringer

- Trophy Builder

Lil & Dee Anderson

Sharon Gee

Judges

The Rabbit Twisters Cook-off would like to thank the following people and businesses for their time and financial support in making this year's cook-off a success:

Robert Lee State Bank Cracker Barrel Restaurant Bob Wrinkle's Ace Hardware & Gifts Super H Grocery West Texas Utilities

Ben Bessent Chevrolet **Ivey Motor Company**

Sunshine Gardens & Big Boys All Chili & BBQ Cooks All Food & Showmanship Ranchland Restaurant

Laura Crenshaw - Chairman

Thank You!

Obtaining your concealed weapon license

As of August 15, 1995, the Texas Department of Public Safety has begun accepting request cards for applications for concealed handgun licenses. The cards are denoted with CR-80 in the bottom left hand corner. These cards are being made available to the public through DPS certified instructors, ranges, gun shops and other industry related locations. The Department of Public Safety is allowing reproduction of these cards by individuals as long as they are the same size and contain the same information.

People who want handgun licenses (CHL) are required to fill out one of these cards, apply postage, and mail it to the Department. Once the DPS receives the card, they will enter the information from the card into their computer; from the basic information they are supplied with, they will run a criminal history check. The DPS will then mail the individual a packet of information about the CHL. The information they receive from the Department will contain the application, fingerprint cards, several affidavits to complete and return to the DPS, along with proof that they have completed a handgun safety course taught by a DPS certified handgun instructor. Certification courses for concealed handgun licenses cannot begin until September 1, 1995.

Once all of the application materials are completed and returned to the Department, the DPS will begin their background investigations required by the Act. The DPS has 90 days in which to review the application materials and issue a license. The Department intends to commence licensing of law abiding, qualified citizens, by January 1, 1996. January 1 is the first day that a licensed individual may carry his/her handgun in

Answers to any questions you might have can be obtained by calling the Department of Public Safety Concealed Handgun Unit at (512) 706-7293 or 706-7294.



Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Webb, Jr., of Bronte are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kelly Ann Webb, of San Angelo to Kristopher Kim Barnett, of San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kim Barnett, of Odessa.

The wedding is planned for 2:00 pm Saturday, December 30, 1995, at the First Baptist Church Chapel in San Angelo.

Miss Webb is a graduate of Bronte High School and Angelo State University. She is currently working toward a Master's degree in Counseling Psychology at ASU and is employed as an information and referral specialist with First Call For Help, a service of the United Way of the Concho Valley.

Mr. Barnett is a graduate of Odessa High School and is a junior Communications major at ASU. He plans to attend seminary upon graduation and presently serves as youth intern at First Baptist Church, San Angelo.

RL cycler rides like a pro

Randy Bessent of Robert Lee has competed for several years in bicycle races and is considered a seasoned veteran racer. He participated in the recent well-known Hotter N' Hell Bicycle Race in Wichita Falls. Although several categories divide the races on different days, the featured Saturday race was 102 miles.

A cannon start lined out the huge number of racers according to their division plac-

Randy finished second in his division, only six minutes behind the pros, who travel extensively and have sponsors for support. The pro ranks are in line for huge prizes, he said.

According to the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, the series of races generates income for the city into the millions. As many as 113,000 have been in the city during the time period.

El Ranchero Restaurant

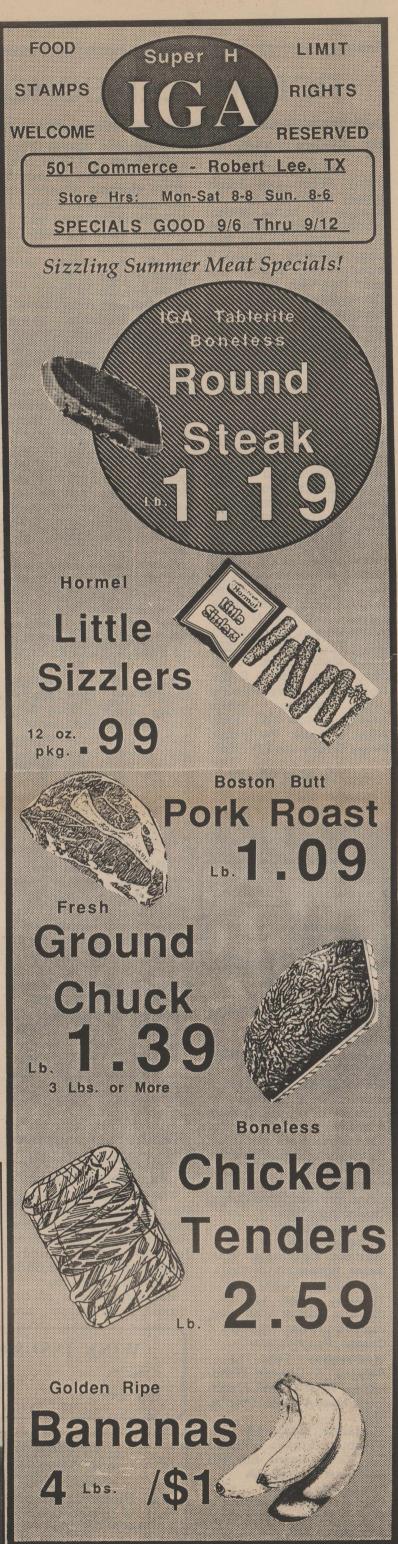
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

RL Steers ready to stampede

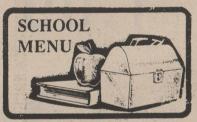
The Robert Lee Steers Varsity squad will open the season at home tonight (Friday) against the Miles Bulldogs at 8:00 pm. The Bulldogs suffered through a disappointing season last year, but with new coach Danny Wilhelm on board, they have regained their enthusiasm and are looking forward to a stronger start. With good quickness in the backfield, the Bulldogs are returning 7 defensive and 7 offensive starters.

Coming off a 10-1 1994 season, the Steers feel they are ready for a run at it. Although the squad returns only 5 offensive and 4 defensive starters, Coach Ed Poehls thinks he can fill the gaps. A record number (47) turned out for the program.

The 1995 Steers Varsity roster includes: Jerrod Copeland, Aaron Hood, Eli Boxell, Randy Murphy, Harley Wagner, Gilbert Torres, Daniel Hayes, Matthew Millican, Adam Morgan, Jason Wyatt, David Sevier, Jerrod Pitcock, David Millican, Eric Torres, Marc Owen, Jeremy Burns, Rob Smith, Kory Pitcock, Donnie Jesse Arellano, Edging, Jason Key, Koby Howell, Mike Pentecost, Rocky Coates, and Eric Hood.

RL Dogies & JV ready for season

The Robert Lee Dogies begin their regular season play next Thursday night at



Breakfast Monday, Sept. 11 Breakfast Pizza, Orange Juice, Milk

Tuesday, Sept. 12 Donuts, Cold Cereal, Orange Juice, Milk

Wednesday, Sept. 13 Blueberry Pancakes w/ Sausage & Syrup, Orange Juice, Milk

Thursday, Sept. 14 Breakfast Bagel, Orange Juice, Milk

Friday, Sept. 15 Cinnamon Toast, Cold Cereal, Orange Juice, Milk

Lunch Monday, Sept. 11 Mexican Casserole, Chili Beans, Buttered Corn, Crackers, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk Tuesday, Sept. 12 Pigs In A Blanket w/ Mustard,

Black-eyed Peas, Macaroni & Cheese, Peaches, Milk Wednesday, Sept. 13 Bologna & Cheese Sand-

wiches, Tossed Salad, French Fries, Peanut Butter Brownie,

Thursday, Sept. 14 Salisbury Steak, Buttered Rice, Green Beans, Buttered Rolls, Fruit Cocktail, Milk Friday, Sept. 15 Chicken Mountaineers on a Bun w/ Pickles, Tator Tots, Applesauce, Milk

6:00 pm here, against Christoval's junior high team. The Dogies will have 15 eighth grade students returning to the team trying to duplicate last year's undefeated record. The team will have a total of 32 players on the roster. They include: B.J. Bessent, John Gallimore, Clifton Bohannon, Curtis Bell, Daniel Cates, Andrew McCabe, Louis Cornejo, Favian Minjarez, Lewis Samaniego, Nick Pinson, Beau Boxell, Matthew Pitcock, James Gallegos, Beau Blair and John Burdett. Also taking the field for the team will be: Coke Hendry, Jeremy Eaton, Shane Wojtek, Nicky Service, Justin Fluhmann, Jeremy Ortega, Dan McCown, Robert Barrett, Zeke Montgomery, Lane Fenton, Brandon Van Huss, Matthew Tinkler, Chase Rainwater, Kent Freeman, Joel Gallegos, Deric Brothers, and Freddy Lan-

Robert Lee's JV team will also take on Christoval Thursday night. Kick off time will follow the conclusion of the junior high match. Twentytwo players will hit the field for the JV team. Members of the JV squad are: Dustin Clendennen, Jesse Marshall, Chad Helwig, Jason Tavarez, Bobby Longoria, Tony Bell, Polo Arellano, Will Simpson, Jaime Olguin, Michael Munoz, Joey Barrett, Daryl Calder, Jeremy Edging, Eric Hill, Bill Torres, C.R. Tijerina, Chris Torres, Justin Kendall, David Rainwater, Kirk Bagwell, Scotty Wyatt, and Justin Francis.

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RL pep rallies

Due to the change in school nours, times for pep rallies have also changed.

High school pep rallies will begin at 3:00 pm Fridays in the gym. The first pep rally will be held this Friday as the Steers kick off the season against the Miles Bulldogs.

Junior high pep rallies will be set for Thursdays at 10:05 am. The Dogies will open their season Thursday, Sept. 14, against Christoval. Kickoff is set for 6:00, with the JV game to follow. Both games will be here.

Hamburger supper will kick off RL vs. Santa Anna

The Santa Anna Livestock Association is sponsoring a hamburger supper before the Robert Lee vs. Santa Anna football game Friday, September 15, from 5:30 to 7:30 pm, at Santa Anna.

Hamburgers with all the "fixins", chips, dessert, and tea will be served at the Santa Anna High School Ag. Building. (Enter at stadium parking

Proceeds will go to the local livestock shows and other youth-centered ag. activities.

Note RL early dismissal

The Robert Lee ISD will dismiss at 2:30 pm on September 12. The early release will be used for staff development activities. All buses will run at 2:30.

Alexander named USC coach

Robert Alexander has been named an assistant men's basketball coach at the University of California, athletic director Mike Garrett announced last week.

Alexander, 27, comes to USC fresh off a two-year stint as head coach at Ontario High School, California, where he led his team to a 21-7 record and the school's first league championship in 17 years. Previous to that, Alexander spent two years as a graduate assistant at Texas Christian University, where he earned a Master's Degree in Sports Psychology in 1993.

Robert Alexander is the son of Roger and Della Alexander who now live in Robert Lee. Roger is the administrator of the West Coke County Nursing Home and Della is a computer consultant.

Food could be source for cheap vaccines

Inexpensive vaccines to prevent diseases that now infect millions around the world could come from foods we eat every day, researchers say.

Scientists at Texas A&M University's Institute of Biosciences and Technology (IBT) in Houston and the Roswell Park Cancer Institute in Buffalo, N.Y., say proteins extracted from genetically engineered plants, such as potatoes, have the same ability to induce immune responses as the current, more expensive commercial vaccine.

"This is the first real evidence that proteins produced in transgenic plants have all the essential features needed to trigger the immune system," says molecular biologist Dr. Charles J. Arntzen.

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HAMBURGER SUPPER

Friday, Sept. 15 - 5:30-7:30 pm Santa Anna Ag Building Hamburgers-Chips-Dessert-Tea Adults - \$3.50 - Children - \$2.00 Proceeds benefit Livestock Show & other ag events.

RL celebrates with Marie Hester

Marie Hester of Robert Lee celebrated her 80th birthday Sunday at the home of her daughter, Sondra Hester. Cake and punch were served to friends and family. Those attending were: Mindy and Danya Wright of Gardendale; Matt Wilson and Jennifer Lantz, Michael Wilson and Jeannine Fisher, Joyce Tucker, and Eva & Cale Farris, all of San Angelo; Don Hester, LeeAnn, Zack, and Mike, of Abilene; Dee, Guy, Dusty, and Brandi Morgan of Denver City; Mary Wilson, Carlton & Maxine Fields, and Joan Davis, of Robert Lee. Joan and Maxine are Marie's nieces.

Earlier, most of the group gathered at Jim & Mary Wilson's home for bar-b-cue brisket, chicken, and sausage with all the "fixins." Mary's brother and family, Bud, Sandy, and Justin also were guests for the meal.

One unusual feature was a birthday greeting card from President and Mrs. Clinton to

A&M increases medical class

Texas A&M University's College of Medicine is gearing to graduate more physicians who will practice medicine in so-called primary care specialties, a longstanding need in Texas.

University officials say enrollment in the College of Medicine's incoming class will be increased from the current 48 students to 64, beginning this year. The increased class size will raise the medical school's enrollment from the current 192 students to 256 over four years.

The Texas Legislature appropriated an additional \$1

million a year during its justcompleted session to pay for the increased class size.

"We're doing this in response to the needs of the state," says Dr. Elvin E. Smith, Texas A&M's interim vice president for health affairs and dean of the College of Medicine. "Increasing our class size is a virtual guarantee of increasing production of primary care physicians."

Bush Presidential Library closer to reality

The George Bush Presidential Library Center on the Texas A&M University campus moved another step closer to reality with the awarding of a \$47.3 million contract to Manhattan Construction Co. of Houston.

The board of directors of the George Bush Presidential Library Foundation authorized The Texas A&M University System regents to act on its behalf in the awarding of the construction contract and overseeing the project.

The total library project is expected to cost \$82.6 million, including construction, furnishings, landscaping, archival documentation, site surveying and other related areas.

Texas A&M will be responsible for \$42 million of the total cost while the Bush Library Foundation will pay for the remaining \$40.6 million. Texas A&M's share of the funding will pay for academic facilities located on the library

The Bush Presidential Library and Museum, expected to open in 1997, will be built using donated funds. In addition, private funds will be raised to establish a maintenance endowment.



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Friday, September 8 8:00 pm HERE

ROBERT LEE STEERS

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Shaffer Monument Company Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club Skinner's Gro. & Station

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> **Bell Auto Parts** & Body Shop

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The Observer/Enterprise 1995 RLHS Football Schedule

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DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	SCORE
Aug. 24	Ozona (Scrimmage)	There	NA	
Aug. 31	Christoval (Scrimmage)	There	NA	
Sept. 8	Miles	Here	8:00	
Sept. 15	Santa Anna	There	8:00	1 1 34
Sept. 22	Open			lebene
Sept. 29	Roby	There	8:00	gift Hind
**Oct. 6	Cross Plains	Here	8:00	an do line
*Oct. 13	Bronte	Here	7:30	11.8 10 , Q
*Oct. 20	Garden City	Here	7:30	
*Oct. 27	Water Valley	There	7:30	Alth St.
*Nov. 3	Roscoe	Here	7:30	CONTRACTOR SALVAN
*Nov. 10	Sterling City	There	7:30	THE RESERVE AND

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**Homecoming *District

> Bob Wrinkle's Ace Hardware 416 Commerce - Robert Lee C&W One Stop #14 & Piccadilly Pizza

S&S Printing & Supply Bruce & Fran Sonnenberg

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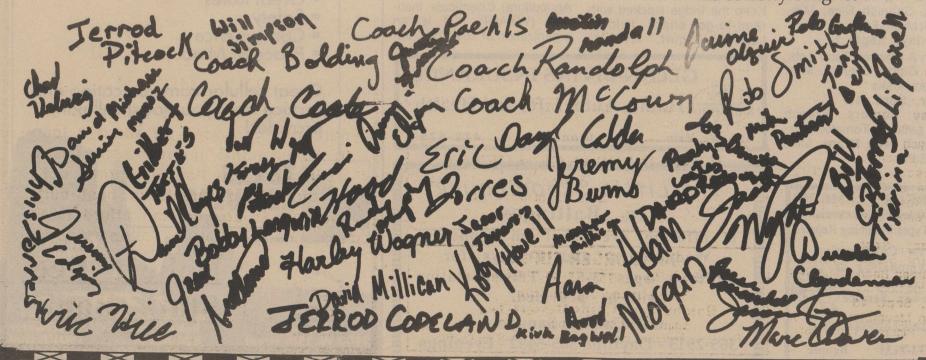
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Br. pep rally schedule

The Bronte High School pep rally will be held this Friday, Sept. 8, at 8:15 am, prior to the Bronte volleyball team's departure to the Andrews tournament.

High school pep rallies will normally be held on Friday afternoons at 3:15 pm. The first such scheduled pep rally will be held Friday, Sept 15, in the school gym.

Junior high pep rallies will be held on Thursdays at 12:30 pm. Their first one will be held Thursday, Sept. 14.

The cheerleaders invite all fans, parents, former students, general public - anyone interested in supporting our students - to mark your calendars, please, and attend all the pep rallies. Let's support all those Horns!

Br. invites all youth to "fifth quarter"

Another one of the good things the youth of any community get to do is "fifth quar-



Lunch Monday, Sept. 11 Cereal, Biscuit, Diced Pears,

Tuesday, Sept. 12 Breakfast Burrito, Apple Juice, Milk Wednesday, Sept. 13

Scrambled Eggs, Blueberry Muffins, Grape Juice, Milk Thursday, Sept. 14 Sausage, Waffles, Orange Juice, Milk

Friday, Sept. 15 Oatmeal, Cinnamon Toast, Diced Peaches, Milk

Breakfast Monday, Sept. 11 Fish Sticks, Macaroni & Cheese, Buttered Corn, Fruit Salad, Rolls, Milk

Tuesday, Sept. 12 Chicken Fried Steak w/ Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Milk, Peanut **Butter Cookies**

Wednesday, Sept. 13 Taco Salad w/ Cheese, Lettuce & Tomato, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Milk, Jello w/ Mixed Fruit

Thursday, Sept. 14 Pigs In A Blanket, Tator Tots, Carrot Coins, Orange, Milk, Blueberry Cake Friday, Sept. 15

Cheese Burgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Ranch Style Beans, Milk, Juice Bars

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ter." Here's how to do the first "fifth quarter" of this high school football season:

Immediately after the game with Cross Plains at our stadium, come to the Bronte Church of Christ annex (just north of the school building) where the folks will have refreshments ready for you to eat, drink, and to enjoy one another's company.

Lucketts meet in Bronte

The Luckett gang gathered at the Box L Ranch last Thursday for a big hamburger cook-out, along with peach cobbler and a freezer of homemade ice cream. The occasion was to celebrate Joy's 73rd birthday. She is the oldest of the gang.

Those present were: Joy and A. J. McDaniel from San Angelo; Betty McDaniel from Abilene; Helen Murtishaw, Dewey Luckett, and Bill & Diane Luckett from Bronte; and Jim & Lois Dunklin from Robert Lee.

Children and smart snacking

Many parents ask, "My children ask for snacks between meals. Is snacking OK?"

Children CAN benefit from eating snacks. Growing children with tiny appetites may not be able to fulfill their energy needs with only three meals a day. In addition, snacks can provide what may be missing from their regular meals. Teenagers also are well known for their snack attacks and for good reason. They have high energy and nutrient needs to support their growing bodies. Carefully chosen snacks can help fuel their growth.

Remember, though, that while snacking can help a healthful diet, it also can become a liability, depending on the types and quantities of food eaten. Mindless nibbling, for example, can lead to trouble in the form of unwanted calories. Traditional snacks -- such as chips, chocolate and cookies -- can add a fat burden to the diet.

To make the most of children's snack attacks, plan tors. ahead so the best foods are at hand when the kids need it. Keep the fridge stocked with read-to-go snack fixings.

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cheese, deli meats such as turkey ham, and washed and ready-to-eat fruits and vegetables make healthy snacking easy. Instead of corn or potato chips, line the cupboard shelves with wholegrain crackers, raisins and airpopped popcorn. If the kids have a sweet-tooth, low-fat puddings, fig bars, frozen nonfat yogurt, vanilla wafers, animal crackers, frozen juice bars and graham crackers are good items to keep handy.

Finally, beware of some snack traps that sound nutritious but often are not much better than a candy bar or potato chips. Granola bars, for example, are often loaded with hidden sugar and fat. Fruit drinks, fruit rolls and fruit chews have little fruit or fruit juices and usually are high in sugar. Trail mix, nuts and seeds are high in fat. Finally, beware of some types of microwave popcorn which can be very high in fat; look for low-fat or no-fat-added prod-

Ag conference to address crop protection

New techniques and technology which fine tune the precision use of crop protection materials, consideration of environmental challenges and an update on legislation affecting agriculture are the focus for the 43rd annual West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Conference in Lubbock Sept. 13-14.

Space-age equipment and the latest scientifically proven methods for the proper use of crop protection materials will be highlighted during the twoday educational conference at the Lubbock Plaza Holiday Inn, South Loop 289. Registration begins Wednesday, Sept. 13, at 8:00 am.

Some 400 producers, chemical dealers and agribusiness representatives are expected to attend. Participants can receive up to 10 continuing education units (CEUs) required by the Texas Agricultural Code for certification of commercial and noncommercial pesticide applica-

The conference is sponsored by the West Texas Agricultural Chemicals Institute (WTACI). It is an Low-fat yogurt, low fat organization of scientists, ed-

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BJH Volleyball District Schedule DATE TIME

OPPONENT SITE 5:00 Santa Anna Here Sept. 18 5:00 Water Valley Here Sept. 25 5:00 There Miles Oct. 2 There 5:00 Water Valley Oct. 16 Here 5:00 Oct. 23 Miles

ucators, industry representatives and agribusiness leaders formed here in 1953. Since then it has sponsored educational and research programs dealing with safe and effective use of agricultural chemicals.

A special session at 9:00 am the first day will provide participants two CEUs. Proper use of spray systems and new equipment will be presented by Kelly Waltz of TeeJet Spray Products, Dallas. Chemigation, the use of sprinkler irrigation systems to apply fertilizers and pesticides to crops, will be covered by two irrigation engineers with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Leon New of Amarillo and Dr. Rose Mary Seymour of Lubbock.

LOOK WHO'S NEW Conner John Mills

John and Judy Driggers are the excited grandparents of a new grandson, Conner John Mills, of Odessa, Texas. Their daughter, Jorita, and husband, Lantz, are the proud parents. Conner John was born June 13, 1995 and makes the third grandchild for John and Judy. On Sunday, August 20, Judy was given a shower by the ladies of Bronte Church of Christ, with Jorita and Conner present, and a gift of enough money was given for Conner a new stroller.

Beware of "second-impact" syndrome

Football players who suffer a head injury are at risk for "second-impact syndrome". "An initial concussion during any contact sport can lead to significant problems later if followed by a second

concussion," said Dr. Albert C. Hergenroeder, an expert adolescent sports medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

The danger lies in athletes who return to the sport too soon after the original head injury. Another blow to the head can produce an extremely high level of blood flow to the brain. Subsequent rapid swelling of the brain can cause death.

Because second-impact syndrome is rare, Hergenroeder said trainers, coaches, and physicians need to be warned of the problem and its potential consequences.

"The physician and coach may decided to keep a player out of a couple of games until the player has fully recovered from the first blow," Hergenroeder said.



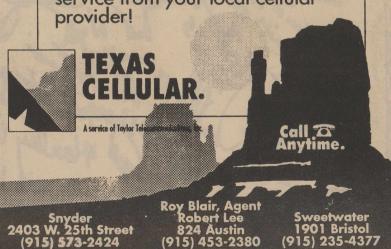
Kristi Jones was named Employee of the Month for August at Bronte Nursing Home. She has worked as a C.N.A. for three years.



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Bronte Longhorn Football Schedule

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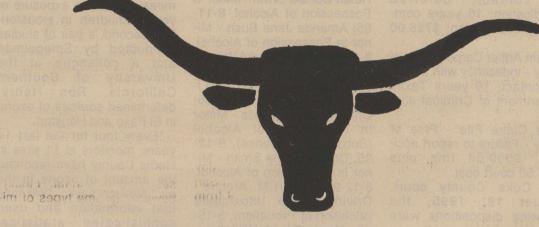
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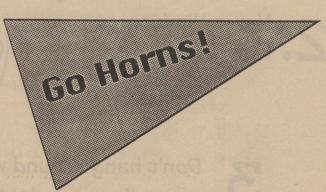
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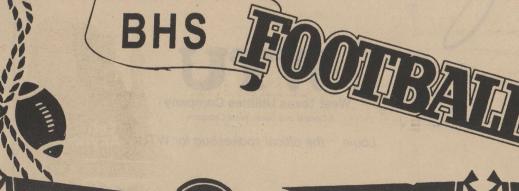
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District Court convenes

During the 51st District Court in Coke County, the following disposition was made on August 7, 1995:

The State of Texas vs. Martin Juarez Puentez - Driving While Intoxicated; Motion to Revoke Probation Plea; 3 years Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

The 51st District Court met again in Coke County on August 28, 1995, with the following dispositions made:

Alvin Leon Harris - Plea of Guilty - Indecency with a child by contact; deferred adjudication; 10 years community supervision; \$726.00 fine.

William Arther Carper - Plea of Guilty - Indecency with a child by contact; 10 years Texas Department of Criminal Justice

Betty Claire Fife - Plea of Guilty - Failure to report accident; \$500.00 fine plus \$147.50 court cost.

In Coke County court, August 18, 1995, the following dispositions were made:

Bartley Murl Goodman - Minor in Possession of Alcohol; fine of \$500.00, court costs of \$138.00, and 12 hours of community service.

On August 23, 1995, the following dispositions were made:

Cathy Fay McGinley - Driving While Intoxicated; 1st pretrial intervention program, 6 hours community service, and 1 year probation.

Coke County August arrests/charges filed are listed below: Rufino Garcia, Jr. - Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child, 8-1-95:

Rogelio Andrade - Public Intoxication, 8-4-95; Lynlee Aron Owen - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-9-95; James Adam Morgan - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-9-95; Johathan Paul Torres - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-10-95; Eric Eugene Torres - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-10-95; Clint Brasher - Criminal Mischief (Felony), 8-8-95; Brandon Wayne Atkins - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-11-95; Heath Donald Erwin - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-11-95; Amanda Jane Bush - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-11-95; Dennis Daryl Wood -Driving While Intoxicated (Felony); Driving While License Suspended, 8-11-95; Christopher Joe Ross - Minor in Possession of Alcohol (Subsequent Offense), 8-12-95; Dane Eugene Smith - Minor in Possession of Alcohol, 8-12-95; Robert M. Arocha -Driving While Intoxicated (Violation of Probation), 8-15-95; Bruce David Williams -Theft of a Firearm, 8-18-95; Rupert Lee May - Failure to Appear at Hearing Regarding a Motion for Enforcement, 8-21-95; Rusty Sexton - Sexual Assault of a Child, 8-22-95; Roy Lee Wrinkle - Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon, 8-25-95; Kristi Raylene Aldridge -Criminal Trespass of a Habitation, 8-27-95; Jon Bill Brock -Theft, 8-27-95; Douglas Daniels - Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child, Indecency with a Child by Contact, 8-28-

Texas A&M statisticians help in ozone debate

Statisticians at Texas A&M University bring a rational voice to the heated debate about environmental pollution.

Two recent Department of Statistics studies focus on ozone in metropolitan areas. Both received high praise from their sponsor, the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission.

In one, principal investigators Drs. Raymond J. Carroll, H. Joseph Newton and Clifford H. Spiegelman measured ozone exposure of young children in Houston. The second, a pair of studies conducted by Spiegelman and a colleague at the University of Southern California, Ron Henry, determined sources of ozone in El Paso and Houston.

"Every four for the last 14 years, monitors at 11 sites in Harris County have recorded the amount of ozone in the air," Newton says. "We took that information and used sophisticated statistical models to draw maps on ozone levels at any time during that period."

Their conclusions? From 1980 until 1990 the level of ozone dropped about 20 to 25 percent. They also plotted a population movement during the period showing that people had left the city center. Thus children were exposed to about 25 percent less ozone, partly because of lower levels and partly because the children were moved from the areas of heaviest concentration.



Mr. & Mrs. Dalton Millican

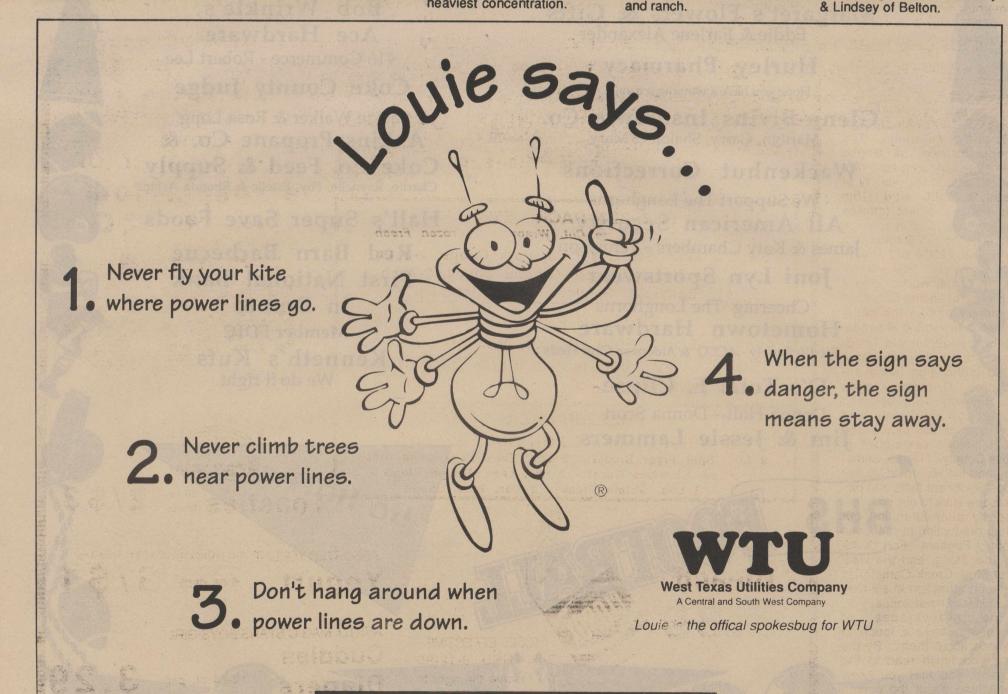
Millicans celebrate 50th anniversary

Dalton and Gladys Millican will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on September 15, 1995. A reception will be held in their honor on September 16, 1995, from 2:30 until 4:30 pm at the Robert Lee Recreation Center

Dalton was serving in the Air Force when they met. He was stationed in Del Rio, Texas, where they married in 1945. Dalton was a native of Silver, but worked for many years as an electrician in Midland before retiring in 1981 and moving back to Silver to farm

Gladys is president of the West Coke County Nursing Home Auxiliary and volunteers much of her time working in the gift shop and helping others.

The couple is visited regularly by their children, Mr. & Mrs. Pee Wee Insall of Belton; Mr. & Mrs. Homer Millican of Odessa; and Mr. & Mrs. Larry Millican of Georgetown; their grandchildren, David & Michele Houghton of Dallas; Susan & Billy Coffey of Belton; Jodi & Brian Hoffman of Irving; Ivan Williams of Odessa; Angela Millican of Temple; and Justin & Joshua Millican of Georgetown; and two great grandchildren, Ricky & Lindsey of Belton.



Play it safe around electricity

The soul of the city is the cemetery

A surefire way to get to know a city is to visit its ceme-The importance of graveyards, if you're curious, is that it is the soul of the city; past, present, and maybe the future, you'll find them subtly present in the cemeteries. The dead - and the way we treat the dead - speak, but only to the patient and attentive ear. The caring visitor to cemeteries will find beauty of landscape and vegetation, profound pride - and profound neglect - and through it all history, history, and more history. And stories, wonderful stories of the famous and not-so-famous citizens who resided there.

In 1983 and 1984, Bonita Copeland and Wanda Smith worked together on the Coke County History book and saw the need of gathering and recording information that would be priceless in Coke County cemeteries. They started the laborious task of documenting and cataloging 22 cemeteries and researching a short history on each cemetery. They met many interesting people working on family burial plots and were told memorable tales that took away the pains of heat or cold while out cataloging. in 1990, Then their long-awaited book, Coke County Cemeteries, Epitaphs and Dates, was printed. A short year later, a second printing was ordered, and just recently the third printing was received. This book has been invaluable to family historians and genealogists. They have sent copies to people all across the country and to numerous libraries. And the women are quick to add that many graves are already lost, even from the time they started cataloging, due to improper and deteriorating headstones.

Go exploring cemeteries. You know who has the best hills in Coke County? The people buried in Sanco Cemetery. Among true hills and an astounding variety of trees, you'll find this community's oldest families buried there. Get in your car and drive 15 miles southwest on Highway 2034 and visit Divide Cemetery. You will feel on top of the world. And a challenge of finding Cedar Hill Cemetery among the cedar breaks is rewarding after seeing the beautiful old headstones and elaborately-decorated leaf-design fence enclosures. Or detour 4 miles off Highway 158, between Robert Lee and Bronte, and visit one of the oldest and most historic cemeteries in Coke County. Hayrick Cemetery and the Historical Marker adds significant facts and picturesque links to our past, especially after attending our latest production of the Coke County Pageant. Fort Chadbourne, Ross, and the wellkept Mule Creek Cemeteries have an attraction in scenery and old, old headstones.

The gravestones of yesteryear have a touch of warmth about them. By the time you finish reading the epitaph, you feel you know something about the person located below. Alas, modern gravestones lack character. They list a lot of vital statistics and nothing more. Many a story page of local history has been rescued from oblivion by epitaphs. W. H. Brown is buried in the old Maverick Cemetery, 1.8 miles from Maverick, Texas. His gravestone reads, "Born in Georgia, with his parents came to Texas 1857. He and a brother, John, were Texas Rangers. W. H. "Billy" Brown serving June to December 1874. Billy Brown was the last man killed by Indians in Runnels County, in a fight to regain stolen horses.'

War veterans' epitaphs have the traditional army rating, but many have added information. John Thomas Gainer, who is buried in Bronte Cemetery, has a gravestone that reads, "Miss PVT COG 10 Regt Miss Cav Confederate States Army, Veteran of Civil War under Gen. Robert E. Lee.'

In the Robert Lee Cemetery, 1891-92, Coke County Judge H. L. Adams's wife, Mary C. Adams, is buried under a gravestone which reads, "Wife of H. L. Adams. Daughter of Andrew Weston, a confederate soldier who gave his life for Southern Independence. She has gone to join him and comrades.'

Then there are simple, straightforward epitaphs that catch your attention: "Gone to be an Angel," "Death is certain, the hour unseen," "She done all she could do," "Somebody's darling," and many more. And the verse often found on gravestones originated in the 14th century. It reads: "Remember friend, as you pass by, as you are now so once was I. As I am now soon you will be. Prepare for death and follow me." This verse can be found in our cemeteries.

At the turn of the century, families would take a picnic lunch and spend Sunday at a cemetery. The children would play while the grownups cleaned up the family plot. In modern times, families take their children, pets, and snacks and seek out old

cemeteries for Sunday outings. Some may think it morbid, but gravestones can tell stories, and little children love history.

Words on paper can only hint at the sense of wonder a visit to the cemetery imparts. Read, then go see and feel for yourself.

Collegiate license plates are great gift ideas

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Temporary Administration for the Estate of Rhonda Sockwell, Deceased, were issued on July 11, 1995, in Docket No. 3697, pending in the 51st Judicial District Court of Coke County, Texas, to: LARRY SOCKWELL. The residence of the Temporary Administrator is in Coke County, Texas. The representative requests that claims be addresed to the

dress: The Estate of Rhonda Sockwell c/o George W. Harrison

Estate of Rhonda Sockwell at

the following post office ad-

Gossett, Harrison, Reese, Wilson, Woodward & Millican,

P.O. Box 911 San Angelo, TX 76902 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 this 1st day of Septem-

ber, 1995. Gossett, Harrison, Reese,

Wilson, Woodward & Millican,

P.C. P.O. Box 911 San Angelo, TX 76902 (915) 653-3291 By: George W. Harrison State Bar #09129000 Attorneys for the State 06a-1tc

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given that the Applicant, Exxon Corporation, PO Box 1600, Midland, TX 79702, has made application for a spacing exception permit up er the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the distance between wells requirement to plug back if completed in the Bronte (Capps Lime) field, Bronte

Capps Unit, Well No. 210, 1023.7 Acres; if completed in the Bronte field, Bronte Palo Pinto Unit, Well No. 210, 2411.3 acres; if completed in the Bronte (Gardner), Wildcat and Bronte (4800 Sand) fields, Well No. 210, R.E. Hickman C Lease, 309.6 acres, C.&M. R.R. Co. #5 Survey, A-62 Field(s), Coke County, being 1.5 miles in a southwest direction from Bronte, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:

IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE (CAPPS LIME) FIELD, BRONTE CAPPS UNIT LOCATION IS AS FOL-LOWS:

5682' from the north line and 2033' from the east line of 2882' from the lease. southerly northeast line and 650' from the northwest line of survey

IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE FIELD, BRONTE PALO PINTO UNIT LOCA-TION IS AS FOLLOWS:

4409' from the northeast line and 3193' from the southeast line of lease. 2882' from the southerly northeast line and 650' from the northwest line of survey.

IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE (GARDNER), WILDCAT AND BRONTE (4800 SAND) FIELDS, R.E. HICKMAN C. LEASE LOCATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

2503' from the southwest line and 650' from the northwest line of lease. 2882' from the southerly northeast line and 650' from the northwest line of survey.

Field Rules for the Bronte and Bronte (4800 Sand) fields are 330/933, 40 acres.

Field Rules for the Bronte (Capps Lime) field are 330/933, 80 acres.

Field Rules for the Bronte (Gardner) and Wildcat fields are 467/1200, 40 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate of 5333 feet. PURSUANT TO THE

TERMS of Rule 37 (h) (2) (A), this application may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees or record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified respresentative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Alex M. Correa, Sr. Regulatory Specialist, at (915)

(512) 463-6718. IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLI-CATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN AND MAIL OR

688-6782. If you have any

questions regarding the

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contact the Commission at

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NOTICES

DELIVER TO THE AUSTIN OFFICE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS THE ENCLOSED NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST. A COPY OF THE INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST ALSO BE MAILED OR DELIVERED ON THE SAME DATE TO APPLI-CANT AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN ABOVE. THIS IN-TENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RE-CEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY SEPTEMBER 30. 1995. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT WILL BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY, TO BE EFFECTIVE THE DAY FOL-LOWING THE TERMINATION OF SUCH THREE-WEEK PERIOD.

This notice of application requires publication.

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ORDINANCE #1058 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING A TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE, TEXAS FOR THE TAX YEAR OF 1995. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE, TEXAS, THAT:

We, the City Council of the City of Robert Lee do hereby levy and adopt the tax rate on One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation for this city for the tax year 1995 as

.35075 FOR THE PURPOS-ES OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION.

O FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON DEBT OF THIS CITY. .35075 TOTAL TAX RATE.

The Tax Assessor is hereby authorized to assess and collect the taxes of the City of Robert Lee employing the above tax rate.

The above ordinance was passed by the City Council of the City of Robert Lee, Texas on this 31st day of August, 1995, and was executed in duplicate.

John R. Conley, Mayor, City of Robert Lee Attest: Kay Torres, City Secretary 06a-1tc

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Health Check

North Runnels Home Health will be at the Bronte Senior Center of Wednesday, Sept. 13, at 10:30 am to take blood pressure and test your glucose. This service is open to all ages and there is no cost for this health screening. They will be here until 11:30.

Afternoon at the movies

"Angels in the Outfield" will be shown at the Bronte Senior Center on Thursday, Sept. 14, at 1:00 pm. Refreshments will be provided. Come join us!

Line dancing

Robert Lee Seniors will begin line dancing on Wednesday mornings. Dancing will begin at 10:00 am.

Menu for the Week Monday, Sept. 11 Chicken Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Green Beans, Carrots, Crackers, Gelatin Wednesday, Sept. 13 Beef Tacos, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Peach Cobbler Friday, Sept. 15 Beef Stroganoff, Broccoli,

Tyler District **TxDOT** employee

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retires James R. (Bobby) Evans has announced he will retire as district engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation effective August 31, 1995. He has been a TxDOT employee for 40 years.

Evans has been district engineer for the Tyler District since 1982 and before that served one year as district engineer in the former Del Rio District. He began his career with TxDOT in the Brownfield area and transferred to San Angelo in 1958, where he became assistant maintenance engineer and district maintenance engineer.

During his tenure in Tyler, Evans helped establish Adopt-A-Highway, a program Blessed Is he who for- in which civic and community expanded throughout the

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He is president-elect of Tyler's Downtown Rotary Club and is a past chairman of Texas Alliance for Minority Engineers. He was inducted into the Texas Tech Civil Engineering Academy in 1994, has been recognized by national publications, and was honored with the Phoenix Award by the Society of American Travel Writers.

Estrogen used to hinder disease

Doses of estrogen could make a widely used treatment for coronary artery disease more effective, medical researchers say.

Scientists at Texas A&M University's Health Science Center in College Station say new research suggests that estrogen may help reduce the number of patients - men or women - whose arteries become blocked again almost immediately after balloon angioplasty procedures.

Cardiologists perform balloon angioplasties about 350,000 times a year to open arteries blocked by coronary artery disease. procedure involves threading a thin tube, or catheter, along the artery and inflating a tiny "balloon," which compresses the blockage to allow blood to flow freely.

In about one patient out of three, however, the artery becomes blocked again, often within a week or two of the procedure. The new blockage, known as restenosis, happens when damage from the angioplasty procedure upsets the biochemical balance between two different kinds of cells in the artery walls.

BLACKWELL HS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Sept. 8	Westbrook	Home	7:30
Sept. 15	Highland	Away	7:30
**Sept. 23	Leuders-Avoca	Home	7:30
Sept. 29	Paint Creek	Away	7:30
Oct. 6	Jayton	Away	7:30
Oct. 13	Moran	Home	7:30
*Oct. 20	Novice	Away	7:30
*Oct. 27	Trent	Home	7:30
*Nov. 3	Panther Creek	Away	7:30
*Nov. 10	Paint Rock	Home	7:30

**Saturday Homecoming *District Game

BLACKWELL JR. HIGH SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Sept. 14	Trent	Home	6:00
Sept. 21	Novice	Away	6:00
Sept. 28	Open		
Oct. 5	Highland	Home	6:00
Oct. 12	Loraine	Home	6:00
*Oct. 19	Novice	Home	6:00
*Oct. 26	Trent	Away	6:00
*Nov. 2	Panther Creek	Home	6:00
*Nov. 9	Paint Rock	Away	6:00

Personal

Bobbie Varnadore of Blackwell has returned from Smyrna, Georgia, where she attended the wedding of her stepson, Dr. William Lee Varnadore to Dianna Swann. Lee is a former resident of Robert Lee.

The wedding took place at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jeff Hodge performing the double-ring ceremony. Attending the couple was his son, Clint Varnadore of Athens, Ga. and her daughters, Rene and Nicole Swann of Smyrna. A dinner for the families of the couple was hosted by the

groom after the ceremony, followed by a reception for friends at the home of the bride.

Curriculum Lee is Coordinator for hoochee Technical Institute in Marietta, Ga., and the bride will receive her Medical Assistant degree in September. After a wedding trip to Charleston, S. C., they will make their home in Smyrna.

The bride's sons, Wayne Goff of Acworth, Ga., and Tim Goff of Chattanooga, attended the wedding. Unable to attend was the groom's other son, Clay, who is now stationed in the Army at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

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Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The

BRONTE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

conducted a public hearing on a proposal

to increase your property taxes

by 6.18

September 5, 1995

BRONTE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held

on

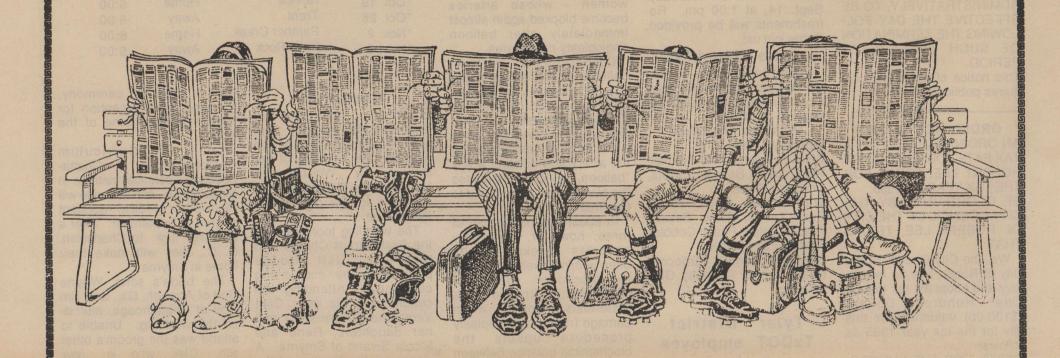
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September 14, 1995

at

8:00 P.M. in the Board Room

If you don't see your news in the paper...



It's because you forgot to turn it in!

Deadline is Tuesday afternoon at 5:00.

Robert Lee 453-2433

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