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Christmas activities...

Br. merchants to sponsor Christmas Parade

The Bronte merchants will sponsor the Bronte Christmas Parade December 2, 1995. The time of the parade is 3:00 pm. Entries should be at Celia's Antiques parking lot at 2:15 pm.

All local children and adults are encouraged to dress as a Christmas package and join the parade. Businesses and organizations are also welcome. Please add to the parade by entering decorated bicycles, floats, and vehicles (the older the better). First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded to the bestdecorated entry.

For information regarding the parade, contact Jeanna Lee at Hometown Hardware, 473-3811 or Dorris Sonnenberg at First National Bank, 473-2911.

The parade will end at the Gazebo Area, and winners will be announced at Bronte School at 5:30.

RL prepares for Christmas

Open House

The Christmas season will begin in Robert Lee with local businesses taking part. Plans call for Open House during the business day on Friday, Dec. 1. Numerous businesses will express appreciation to their friends and customers by serving refreshments during the day. Santa Claus will be down-

town on Friday at 4:15, after school, in the city gazebo to hear the children's requests. The Stompin' Steer Band will also make an appearance.

Participating in the Dec. 1 Open House will be the following businesses: Coke County Courthouse, City Hall, Farm Bureau Insurance, West Texas Utilities, Carousel Fashions and Gifts, Forgreens Tool Mfg., Inc., J&B Lumber & Hardware, H&H Grocery, Skinner's Grocery & Gas, Ivey Motor Company, Ben Bessent Chevrolet, Ranchland Restaurant, Bob Wrinkle Ace Hardware, Super H Foods, Robert Lee State Bank, Sunshine Gardens, Key Feed Store, Butane Sales Company, Bell Auto Parts, Flower Sak, Cafe Gourmet, Mountain Creek Lodge, Buzy Hands Crafts -Della Alexander, 205 W. 15th St.

Food booths

Entries are now being taken for food booths for "Christmas in Olde Bronte." Any and all clubs, organizations, and families are encouraged to sign up. This is a great way to make some extra money for projects or Christmas.

Call Dorris Sonnenberg at 473-2911 for more information.

Congratulations!

The Bronte Longhorns will play the Roby Lions for the Bi-District Championship Friday at 7:30 pm in Colorado City. Let's all plan to attend and show our support!

Angel Tree

program begins

The Robert Lee community churches have joined forces to bring a little Christmas miracle into the lives of some special children this season. They are asking individuals who would like to give a gift to a child in need to pick out an "Angel." You may now pick up your "Angel" cards at Ace Hardware, The Carousel, and Robert Lee State Bank. The cards will include gift suggestions, sizes, and the child's age. The names of the children and the person giving the gift will not be given. You then make your purchase, wrap it and return it to one of the trees by December 15. The committee will make the deliveries.

It is our hope that the spirit of Christmas will move us all to see that every child in Robert Lee has a gift to open Christ-

Rodeo Assoc. Roping Club meeting

Upcoming-

Everyone interested in becoming a member in either the Coke Co. Rodeo Association or Roping Club is urged to attend a meeting at the Coke County Arena in Bronte, Wednesday, Nov. 29, at 6:30 pm. Officers will be elected at this time, and the '96 schedule will be set.

Br. Sorosis Club to sponsor dedication

There will be a dedication of the gazebo sponsored by the Bronte Sorosis Club December 2, 1995, following the Christmas Parade (approximately 3:30 pm). Rob Junell will be the guest speaker. The Bronte Band will perform, and there will be a To order, or for more information, contact any of the yearbook staff or the yearbook sponsor.

San Angelo Genealogical

group to meet The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet Tuesday, December 5, 1995, at 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ, 901 North

Main. The speaker for the evening will be Sybil Snodgrass, who will present <u>First</u> <u>Box of Bibles in Texas in</u> <u>1833: the Story of David</u> Ayers.

The Beginners Genealogical Class, taught by Billye Scattergood, will meet at 6:30 pm at the church.

Visitors are always welcome. Tuesday Dance



Quilters at Bronte Senior Center enjoy an afternoon of quilting and visiting.

mas morning.

Miss Bronte contest planned

The Miss Bronte Contest will be held once again this year in connection with "Christmas in Olde Bronte." Any young lady age 3 through 18 and any Senior Ms. Bronte age 60 and over should contact any merchant for an entry form and rules for the contest. The contest will be held Saturday, December 2, and the winners will be announced at that time.

For additional information, prospective contestants can also contact Kay at Main Street Market or Earlene at Margaret's Flowers.

The Bronte Merchants Association is sponsoring this contest. All young ladies in these age groups are encouraged to participate! \$25.00 cash giveaway by the Sorosis Club. You may register at local merchants and you must be present to win.

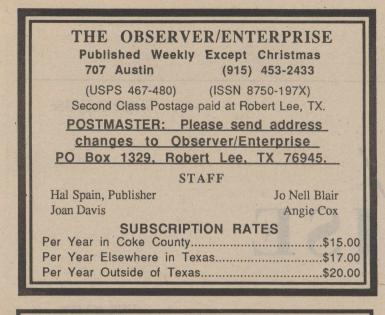
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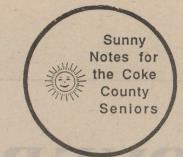
yearbooks on sale The 1995-96 edition of The Longhorn will be on sale until December 4, 1995. Your copy of The Longhorn will be ready in August, 1996, and you will be notified when it arrives at Bronte ISD. The Coke County Cavaliers will provide C/W music for the Tuesday Special Dance on Nov. 28 at 7:30 pm. The dance is held the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee. Tickets are available at the door.

Holiday closing The City Hall in Robert Lee will be closed Thursday, November 23 and Friday, November 24, in observance of Thanksgiving.



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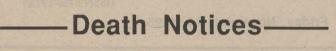




Quilters having fun!

We had fifteen quilters at the center Thursday morning. We had lots of visiting and quilting, and enjoyed a delicious meal. I am wondering why nobody asked me to quilt!

Rehab holds brunch



Saunders

Vera Mae Saunders, 90, of Grand Prairie, died Sunday, November 5, 1995, in a Grand Prairie nursing home.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Walton Freeman Saunders.

She is survived by a son. Pete Saunders of Mesquite; four daughters, Estelle Smith, Mae Spratt Collver, Hazel White and Odessa Taggart, all of Grand Prairie. She is also survived by 22 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren, and 33 great-great-grandchildren; brother Randoll McCutchen of Mertzon; sisters Thresa Butner of Bronte, Georgia Gibbs of Winters, Ann Forbes of Grand Prairie, and Janie Kyle of Seattle, Washington; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 8, at

Personal

A Diaper Shower honoring Mrs. Cyndy Caston of Robert Lee was held in the home of Mrs. Lorrie Martin on Thursday, Nov. 16.

The serving table was centered by a country basket filled with numerous baby items, a gift of the hostesses. Punch and cookies were served to guests. A silk corsage, featuring several baby items, was presented to Mrs. Caston.

Hostesses for the occasion included Martha Trejo, Mary Rodriguez, Melodie Barnes, Tammy Smith, Carol Seals, and Mrs. Martin. Bean-Massey-Burge Chapel, with burial in Moore Memorial Gardens in Arlington.

'64 Study Club meets

The '64 Study Club of Robert Lee met for its annual pre-Thanksgiving dinner at the Recreation Hall Nov. 7. Club members, husbands, and other friends enjoyed a delicious "turkey with all the fixins" before the evening's program was given by Kelly Nichols, Joan Davis, and Thelma Jo Hinnard.

The trio, who recently a "boat ride on the ocean," took turns sharing some of their experiences. Many listeners pronounced the program to be "the best one we ever had." Kelly, especially, who declared he had never been outside Texas boundaries before, kept his audience laughing and cheering.

Each of the travelers took many rolls of film, and several scrap books and wonderful pictures were passed around while the story was being told. It was, indeed, an entertaining and educational evening. Many surprising questions received just as surprising answers, often evoking laughter and applause.

Hostesses Maxine Post, Virginia Milliff, Thelma Jo Hinnard, and JoAnn Reese served 42 people.

The Rehab will be having their annual Thank You Brunch to honor everyone who generously supports West Texas Rehabilitation Center by donating quilts, afghans, and other homemade items to the January Telethon. A group of our quilters will be going December 9th to the Rehab to carry the quilt, Boots and Hats, put together by Marguerite Sonnenberg and quilted by all the wonderful ladies. It is a beautiful quilt.

Anyone wanting to attend the brunch has a special invitation from Rehab Gist Memorial Center, 4755 Hartford, Abilene, Texas. The brunch begins at 10:30 am. There will be refreshments and the opportunity to see the display of the beautiful needlework gifts given to the Rehab.

"55 Alive"

The Fifty-Five Alive driving course has been cancelled due to lack of participants. Hopefully next year we will have more people interested in taking the course. It is a very good program and we are disappointed in the cancellation.

"Potluck"

On Thursday, November 30, the doors open at the Bronte Senior Center at 9:00 am for "88" games and potluck luncheon at 11:30 am. Come and join us!



Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cain of Springlake are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Stephanie Suzanne Cain, to Roy Brent Gibbs. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibbs of Robert Lee.

Suzanne is a graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and the Benz School of Floral Design at Texas A&M University. She is currently a senior at Texas Tech University with a major in Agriculture Communications.

Brent is a graduate of Robert Lee High School and Texas Tech University. He will complete work for his Master's degree in Agricultural Education at Texas Tech University in December.

The couple will exchange vows January 7, 1996, at 4:00 pm in the First Baptist Church of Springlake.

Menu for the Week

Monday, Nov. 27 Barbecue Chicken, Blackeye Peas, Corn Bread, Harvard Beets, Sugar Cookies Wednesday, Nov. 29 Sweet & Sour Pork, Peas, Carrots, Hot Rolls, Peach Halves Friday, Dec. 1

Not available - call the center.

Letter to the Editor

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Sincerely yours, Annie Williams

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Case - Otto exchange vows

Coetta Danette Case of Kirkland, Washington, formerly of Denver City, Texas, and Joseph Charles Enumclaw, Otto of Washington, were married September 23, 1995, at Robert Lee Baptist Church. Reverend David Miracle officiated

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Case of Mt. Pleasant, Texas. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cale Farris of San Angelo and Mrs. Coye (Velma) Case of Mt. Pleasant.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Otto of Enumclaw, Washington.

Maid of honor was Brandi Morgan, niece of the bride, of Denver City, Texas. Best man was Dusty Morgan, nephew of the bride, of Denver City, Texas. Ushers were Guy Morgan, brother-in-law of the bride, of Denver City, Texas, and James Lange of Winters. Wedding guests were registered by Mona Lange of Winters. Music was provided by Billy Hawkins and Matt Wilson, step-brother of the bride, from San Angelo.

The bride wore an off-theshoulder, beaded bodice, floor-length gown of white lace. She was crowned with a wreath of tiny white flowers, baby's breath, and white pearls, with a waist-length veil. She wore pearls that had belonged to her grandmother for something old. Something new was her shoes. Something borrowed was her wedding gown, and something blue was her garter. She placed pennies for the year of hers and the groom's births in her right shoe. She carried a bouquet of teal and white carnations, with purple lilies, baby's breath, and green fern. The bouquet also had ribbon streamers of teal and purple tied to the hand piece.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Dan Case. On her walk down the aisle, the bride stopped and presented a single carnation to her mother, her step mother, and the groom's mother. After Joe and Danette repeated their vows and were pronounced husband and wife, Billy Hawkins sang "Forever Is As Far As I'll Go." The couple then took the candles that had been lit by their mothers and lit their purple unity candle. They were then presented to their audience. They walked back up the aisle as husband and wife. After a few minutes alone with each other, they returned for a photograph session. The reception followed in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The cake was offwhite with tiny purple and teal rose buds, topped with a groom dressed in black with a black cowboy hat and his bride dressed in white standing under a tree. The cake was cut and was fed to each other. Sparkling apple cider and grape juice was served for the toast. The toast was made by the best man. The bride then tossed her bouquet to the single girls there. It was caught by the bride's sister, Kerri Case. The groom removed the garter from the



bride's leg and tossed it. It was caught by Dusty Morgan, the best man.

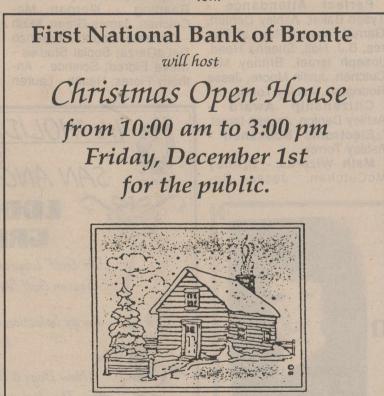
There were finger sandwiches of tuna fish, pimento cheese, ham and cheese, and Hoagie sandwiches. Vegetable and fruit platters, chips, dips, nuts, mints, and punch were also served. Those serving were Zera Fields, Mona and James Lange, Dee and Guy Morgan, Kerri Case, Sarah Lawrence, and Sondra Hester.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Otto of Enumclaw, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Case and Kerri of Mt. Pleasant, Texas; Sarah Lawrence of Mt. Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. James R. Connolly of Santa Anna, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wright of Gardendale, Texas; Don Hester of Abilene, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. James Lange of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morgan, Dusty and Brandi, of

Denver City, Texas; Michelle Floyd, Lena Ellis, Mae Spiser, Matt Wilson, Billy Hawkins, and grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Cale Farris, all of San Angelo, Texas. Those attending from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, Sondra Hester, Marie Hester, and Zera Fields.

Mrs. Otto is a 1991 graduate of Denver City High School in Denver City, Texas. She has attended West Texas State University at Canyon, Titus County Junior College at Mt. Pleasant, and the University of Texas in Arlington, Texas. She is employed by the County Seat Stores in Seattle, Washington. Her husband is a 1989 graduate of Enumclaw High School in Enumclaw, Washington. He is self-employed in building construction.

The couple will make their home in Enumclaw, Washington.





Come in and register for Door Prizes. Refreshments will be served. First National Bank of Bronte Hours: MEMBER FDIC Monday-Friday 473-2911 Lobby 9 am - 3 pm Bronte, Texas Drive-Thru 8 am - 3 pm

BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Bronte recognizes

honor students

Bronte Elementary is proud to recognize the following students for their academic achievements the past six weeks:

Kindergarten:

Perfect Attendance -Estephanie Flores, Casey Harris, Hannah Holland, Matthew Luna, Savannah Martinez, Gus Saunders, Anthony Vivian, Cody Wallace.

"I can count to 100" -Estephanie Flores, Casey Harris, Savannah Martinez, Gus Saunders.

Kindness/Helpfulness - Angela Arant, John Basquez, Everich Boalts, Kayla Carper, Estephanie Flores, Christopher Guzman, Casey Harris, Hannah Holland, Adrienne House, Jessica Davis, Matthew Luna, Savannah Martinez, Skylar Oswalt, Gus Saunders, Anthony Vivian, Cody Wallace, Victoria Gonzales.

First Grade:

A Honor Roll - Katie Cooper, Morgan Fields, Shane Jones, Philip Rawl-



Breakfast Monday, Nov. 27 Cereal, Biscuit, Grape Juice, Milk Tuesday, Nov. 28 Breakfast Burrito, Orange Juice, Milk Wednesday, Nov. 29 Sausage, Pancakes, Apple Juice, Milk Thursday, Nov. 30 French Toast, Mixed Fruit, Milk Friday, Dec. 1 Scrambled Eggs, Waffles, Orange Juice, Milk Lunch Monday, Nov. 27 Corn Dogs, Tator Tots, Pork & Beans, Applesauce, Milk Tuesday, Nov. 28 Chicken Strips w/ Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green

Beans, Peanut Butter Cookies, Milk ings, Logan Rawls, Juston Taylor, Ashley Turner, Jamie

Vivian. **Citizenship Award -**Jeremy Cade, Katie Cooper, Shane Jones, Logan Rawls, Juston Taylor, Ashley Turner, Jamie Vivian.

Reading/Language Improvement - Jeramy Uber Enthusiasm Award -Steven Brown

Perfect Attendance -Joe Boalts, Katie Cooper, Mason Jackson, Jarrett Lee, Tabitha Mayo, Philip Rawlings, Logan Rawls, Juston Taylor, Ashley Turner, Jamie Vivian. Second Grade:

A Honor Roll - Lindsey Butler, Kyle House, Rebecca Rawlings, Meagan Rosenquist, Bailey Saunders, Jaylon Saunders, Cheyenne Webb.

Good Handwriting -Curtis Moore, Bailey Saunders.

Perfect Attendance -Nicole Barnett, Sarah Basquez, B.J. Bilbrey, Lindsey Butler, Riley Coalson, Shayla Daniel, C.T. Lloyd, Lillian McMullan, Curtis Moore, Rebecca Rawlings, Meagan Rosenquist, Bailey Saunders, Jaylon Saunders, Cheyenne Webb, Zach White.

Star of the Month -Bailey Saunders, Riley Coalson

Math Wizard - Sarah Basquez, Shayla Daniel, Kyle House.

Third Grade - Mrs. Garmon:

A Honor Roll - Jesse Herold, Calli Johnson, Cody Moore.

Perfect Attendance -Monica DeLaGarza, Nicholas Flores, Jesse Herold, Calli Johnson, Jeffrey Jones, Ryan Martinez, Cody Moore, Salena Soto, Ashley Wilcox.

Perfect Conduct - Calli Johnson, Ryan Martinez. Best Handwriting - Kin-

lee Hoyt, Salena Soto. Addition Wizards - Nick

Flores, Jesse Herold, Ryan Martinez, Cody Moore, April Yates.

<u>Third Grade</u> - Mrs. Poehls:

A Honor Roll - Cory Cooper, Blaine Dyess, Garrett Jackson, Ashley McCutchen. Great Handwriting -

Terence Scott, Stephen

Tomes.

Good Citizenship - Iliana Green, Romana Hoover.

Addition Wizard - Blaine Dyess, Iliana Green, Garrett Jackson, Ashley McCutchen, Stephen Tomes.

Perfect Attendance -Christy Casares, Cory Cooper, Blaine Dyess, Justin Frazee, Iliana Green, Romana Hoover, Garrett Jackson, Vanessa Lange, Ashley McCutchen, Terence Scott, Stephen Tomes.

Fourth Grade - Blair

A Honor Roll - Casey McKee, Heidi Randazzo.

A-B Honor Roll - Kanah Coalson, Tanner Corder, Natalee Reed, Chase Williams, Josh Eubanks.

Electronic Bookshelf Awards - Josh Eubanks, 2 pts.; Eddy Arant, 3 pts.; Sean Barnett, 11 pts.; Kanah Coalson, 7 pts.; Tanner Corder, 7 pts.; Brittany Eldred, 3 pts.; Melissa Flores, 4 pts.; Richard Hoover, 7 pts.; Casey McKee, 9 pts.; Heidi Randazzo, 20 pts.; Chase Williams, 7 pts.; Natalee Reed, 16 pts.

Perfect Attendance -Eddy Arant, Kanah Coalson, Melissa Flores, Richard Hoover, Casey McKee, Heidi Randazzo, Natalee Reed, Chase Williams.

Good Handwriting Kanah Coalson.

Citizenship Award Melissa Flores.

Math Wizards - Kanah Coalson, Tanner Corder, Brittany Eldred, Josh Eubanks, Melissa Flores, Casey McKee, Heidi Randazzo, Natalee Reed, Chase Williams.

Fourth Grade - Reynolds A-B Honor Roll - Ashley Denton, Kendra Graves, B.J. Hall, Joseph Israel, Britney McCutchen, Jesse Rodriguez.

Perfect Attendance -Tyson Baker, Ashley Denton, Garrett Fiveash, Roy Lee Flores, B.J. Hall, Sheena Head, Joseph Israel, Britney Mc-Cutchen, Justin Moore, Jesse Rodriguez, Ashley Torres.

Citizenship Award -Ashley Denton, Joseph Israel. Electronic Bookshelf -Ashley Torres.

Math Wizards - Britney McCutchen, Jesse Rodriguez.

Top Scientists - Tyson Baker, Roy Lee Flores, Joseph Israel.

Handwriting - Ashley Denton, Jesse Rodriguez.

Fifth Grade A Honor Roll - Jenna Herold, Sal Randazzo,

Jonathan Tomes. **A-B Honor Roll -** Cody Blaylock, Sampson Booker, James Graves, Kayla Hilliard,

Michael Johnson, Joel Sefcik,

Melissa Walker, Joel Webb. Perfect Attendance -Barbie Arant, Charlie Bettis, Cody Blaylock, Sampson Booker, Lyndon Butler, James Graves, Jenna Herold, Kayla Hilliard, Crystal Jackson, Michael Johnson, Brandye McCarty, Kylia McGinnis, Sal Randazzo, Joel Sefick, Jonathan Tomes, Melissa Walker, Joel Webb, Lindsey Williams.

Reading Awards - Cody Blaylock, Jenna Herold, Kayla Hilliard, Michael Johnson, Sal Randazzo, Joel Sefcik, Jonathan Tomes, Joel Webb, Lindsey Williams.

Spelling Awards - Jenna Herold, Crystal Jackson, Randi Thomason, Lindsey Williams.

Citizenship Awards -Kayla Hilliard, Cody Blaylock. Sixth Grade

A Honor Roll - Morgan McCutchen, Lacy Schoenfield.

A-B Honor Roll - Gene Butts, Chrissie Counts, Lorenzo DeLaGarza, Steve Eldred, Anthony Flores, Katy Frazee, Allen House, Chrissie Israel, Natasha Reed.

Perfect Attendance -Kooroush Asrarynezami, Gene Butts, Kelly Cooper, Chrissie Counts, Lorenzo DeLaGarza, Steve Eldred, Anthony Flores, Cheyann Head, Chrissie Israel, Cory English, Morgan McCutchen, Michelle Owens, Brandon Poehls, Natasha Reed, Joey Rhodes, Callie Walker, Lauren Williams.

Subject Awards - English - Allen House; Spelling -Kelly Cooper, Joey Rhodes; Reading - Morgan Mc-Cutchen, James Green; Math - Chrissie Counts, Lorenzo DeLaGarza; Social Studies -Steve Eldred; Science - Anthony Flores; Health - Lauren Williams; All Around Student -Gene Butts, Lacy Schoenfield.

Math Facts - Steve Eldred.

MHMR appoints new Committee members

"MHMR Services for the Concho Valley announces the appointment of two new members to the Public Responsibility Committee. They are Mary Angeline Bessent of Robert Lee and Roland (Sarge) Goforth of San Angelo.

Other Committee members are Diane Madrid of Big Lake, and Kimberly Blackmon, Robert Buchholz, and Francis D. Bachman of San Angelo.

MHMR Services for the Concho Valley serves more than 2,000 children and adults annually with mental illness and mental retardation in Tom Green, Coke, Sterling, Reagan, Irion, Concho, and Crockett Counties. The Pub-lic Responsibility Committee is an independent, impartial, third party body of volunteers who are responsible for protection and advocating for the Center's consumers and ensuring that they and their families are informed of their rights. The committee receives, inquires into or responds to comments, suggestions, or complaints made with regards to center consumers. All of the committee's investigations are confidential.

Committee members are appointed by the Center's sponsoring agencies: Angelo State University, San Angelo Independent School District, Tom Green County, and the City of San Angelo.

Anyone who has a complaint, comment or suggestion regarding the health, safety, welfare, or legal and human rights of a consumer of MHMR Services for the Concho Valley is invited to submit them in writing to: Chairperson Public Responsibility P.O. Box 173 San Angelo, Texas 76902



Wednesday, Nov. 29 Tacos w/ Cheese, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Jello, Milk Thursday, Nov. 30 Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Bread Sticks, Diced Pears, Chocolate Cake, Milk Friday, Dec. 1 Cheeseburger, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Ranch Style Beans, Juice Bars, Milk

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Bronte	Longhorn F	ootball Scho	edule		
DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	SCORE	
Sept. 8	Cross Plains	Here	8:00	35	13
Sept. 15	Miles	There	8:00	31	6
Sept. 22	Roby	Here	8:00	14	25
Sept. 29	Santa Anna	There	8:00	27	6
**Oct. 6	Menard	Here	8:00	7	0
*Oct. 13	Robert Lee	There	7:30	12	21
*Oct. 20	Roscoe	Here	7:30	8	38
*Oct. 27	Garden City	There	7:30	30	8
*Nov. 3	Sterling City	Here	7:30	26	2
*Nov. 10	Water Valley	There	7:30	29	6
**Homecomin	g				
*District					

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

RL Basketball season tips off

Robert Lee's high school 7 with the final score a close basketball teams began regu-52-59. Eric Hood put on an air lar season play Tuesday, show scoring 27 of the total November 14 on the road points. Jason Key added 7 to Both the girls and boys varsity the board, Koby Howell 4, and junior varsity teams trav-Rocky Coates, 4, Donny eled to Coleman. The girl's Edging 4, Jerrod Pitcock and varsity team was able to pull Korey Pitcock 2 each, Jason out a win, while the junior var-Tavarez and Michael Pentesity girls and boys varsity and cost 1 each.

JV teams weren't quite as Friday, November 17th successful.

Robert Lee's JV girls were gan County Owls. The JV defeated by Coleman's JV by girls, varsity girls and varsity a score of 29-21. The girls boys each posted wins. stayed within a couple of The JV girls fell behind 8-10 points the entire game, but in the first quarter but took 18could never quite pull out in 17 before the end of the first front. Jessica Key scored 7 half. The girls were outscored points, Meagan Hill 5, Tracy 4-9 in the third but put 15 Millican 3, while Melissa Smith, points on the board in the Stacy Hendry, and Brandi fourth to take the lead and finished the game with a 37-

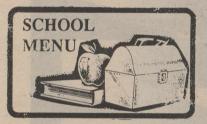
The Lady Steers defeated 33 win. High pointer for the Coleman's varsity girls 47-42, evening was Brandi Brosh The Ladys put on impressive with 18. Jessica Key and show moving the ball around Meagan Hill each added 6 to

the court and distributing the scoring among several players. Shalon Waldrop was high pointer with 12, Heather Millican and Jennifer Scott were close behind with 8 each, Maranda Wojtek scored 6, Jaclyn Waldrop and Kizzie Howell put 4 each on the board, Bree Bolding and Kannan Millican each hit for 2, and Tiffany Bruning added 1 to the final score.

MULTIN

The JV boys were defeated by Coleman JV 29-56. No individual stats were available for the JV team.

The Steers took the floor for the first game of their season against the Coleman varsity.



Breakfast Monday, Nov. 27 Breakfast Bagel, Orange Juice, Milk Tuesday, Nov. 28 Breakfast Pizza, Orange Juice, Milk Wednesday, Nov. 29 Donuts, Cold Cereal, Orange Juice, Milk Thursday, Nov. 30 the board, Tracy Millican, Kim Gloria, and Whitney Montgomery scored 2 each. Melissa Smith hit for 1.

Reagan County's varsity girls put up quite a battle, but the Lady Steers sunk 20 points to Reagan County's 6 in the third to put the game out of reach. Shalon Waldrop put 17 points on the board, Jennifer Scott 12, Jaclyn Waldrop 8, Maranda Wojtek 5, Bree Bolding, Heather Millican, and Kannan Millican 2 each, and Kizzie Howell 1. Final score in the contest was RL 49 - Reagan County 39.

The Steers posted their first win of the season against Reagan County's Owls to bring their record to 1-1. The Steers hung on to defeat the Owls 58-56. The score was tied 18-18 at the end of the first quarter with Reagan County taking a 32-29 lead into the half. The Steers came back to outscore the Owl 18-11 in the third. The fourth quarter was a seesaw contest with the Steers taking the lead and pulling out the win. Eric Hood was again in the double digits with 23, Koby Howell put 13 on the board, Rocky Coates added 6 to the total, Jason Key 5, Jerrod Pitcock 4, Donny Edging 3, Matthew Millican and Korey Pitcock added 2 each.

RL school board meets

The Robert Lee ISD school board met in regular session on November 16, 1995. All members were present. The following business was conducted:

1. Bills were paid and minutes were approved.

2. Carol McDonald presented the 1994-95 audit report. The audit report was approved.

3. The board approved the engagement with Carol Mc-Donald as the independent auditor for the school year 1995-96.

4. Several topics were discussed in open forum.

5. The board nominated Bill Burns, Mark Riley, and Teddy Millican for the Coke County Appraisal District Board of Directors for 1996-97.

6. Employment policies were

discussed and tabled until December.

7. Superintendent Bill Hood discussed the financial situation of the school district.

8. The board discussed the possibility of securing the use of drug dogs for the school district. Supt. Hood will research possibilities and report to the board in December.

9. The 1995-96 budget was amended.

10. The band program was discussed. Research will be needed on this program.

11. Due to the Christmas Holiday, the next regular board meeting will be December 14, 1995.

12. On December 14, 1995, a public meeting will be held at 6:30 pm in the school cafeteria to secure public input for the campus improvement plans and discuss the Academic Excellence Indicator System District Report from TEA for 1994-95.



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Tuesday, Nov. 28 Barbecue Weiners, Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Buttered Rolls, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk Wednesday, Nov. 29 Green Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Peaches, Milk Thursday, Nov. 30 Steakfingers, Cheesy Potatoes, English Peas, Buttered Rolls, Applesauce, Milk Friday, Dec. 1 Chick-Fil-A Sandwich w/ Pickles, Tator Tots, Fruit Cocktail, Milk

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RLJH basketball begins

The Robert Lee Junior High basketball teams began basketball season Thursday, November 16 on their home court. The teams hosted the Water Valley Wildcats. The Dogies "A" team and the girls "B" team took impressive wins while the girls "A" team and boys "B" teams suffered losses.

The girls "B" team defeated Water Valley's "B" girls in a close battle by score of 26-20. The first quarter saw the girls put up 9 points to Water Valley's 6. Water Valley went on a scoring run in the second while Robert Lee went a little cold on the boards. Water Valley took a 16-9 lead into the half. RL came back in the 3rd to add 8 to their total and it was Water Valley's turn to go cold offensively. RL went into the 4th with a 17-16 lead. The girls added 7 more points to the score. Water Valley was able to add only 4 more to the score leaving the final score 26-20. High pointer for the evening was Erin Millican with 10, Jennifer Hamilton hit for 7, Tiffany Copeland 3, DeShira Dickey, Angela Barrera and Amber Freeman each sunk buckets for 2.

The Dogies' "B" team played a tough defensive game against a good Water Valley "B" team. The boys came on late in the fourth quarter, but Water Valley hung on to the lead leaving the final score 11-19. James Gallegos and Beau Blair tied for high point honor with 4 each. Louis Cornejo had the only other points for RL with 3.

The girls "A" team had a tough night against a really rquick Water Valley "A" team. Robert Lee went down 0-14 in the first half and managed to hit for 8 in the 3rd, but Water Valley put up another 7 in the same quarter and kept Robert Lee completely off the board in the fourth while adding an additional 2 to their own total. The final score was RL 8 and Water Valley 23. Shyla Cole hit for 6 to take high point honors and Dixie Simpson added 2 to the total for the only other score of the evening.

The Dogies delivered a sound defeat to the Wildcats, outscoring the Cats 34-14. Andrew McCabe took the lion's share of the scoring for the team, hitting for 21 points, Dan McCown sunk buckets Student Leadership (TASL), a leadership certification program designed to make students more marketable in tomorrow's work force

Goodman, a junior Pre-Med major, is a 1993 graduate of Robert Lee High School.

Begun in 1994, TASL is a leadership certification program which offers students the opportunity to develop and enhance the leadership skills which will assist them in their professional and personal lives. The program consists of three components which cover three long term semesters. Students participate in weekly two-hour workshops that are conducted by Tarleton faculty and staff or professionals from outside the campus setting.

Students can earn problems course credit for participating in the program with academic department approval, and those completing all three phases will receive leadership certification on their transcript.

Applicants for the program are interviewed by a selection committee and eligible students must be in good standing at the University, have completed 15 credit hours of work and maintain a 2.24 or better grade point average.

Hormones may be natural cancer protection

In a newly funded study of breast cancer, scientists are investigating how hormones can protect against the No. 1 cancer among North American women.

"We already know that women who have their first full-term pregnancies before age 20 achieve a 50 percent reduction in their risk of breast cancer," said Dr. Daniel Medi-

na, a cell biologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, "and we know that women who wait until after age 30 to have their first full-term pregnancies increase their risk of developing breast cancer.'

In a five-year study funded by the National Cancer Institute of the National Institutes of Health, Medina and other researchers will attempt to

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affect breast cancer.

Breasts undergo many changes during pregnancy, altering the cellular nature of the breasts in the process.

"If we can learn the mechanisms of these changes and how they can confer protection from breast cancer," he said, "we may be able to devise a way to achieve those

same results by other ways."

Medina said a form of three-

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dimensional imaging called confocal microscopy will help scientists follow normal and cancer cells to learn how they respond to hormonal changes and to locate cancer-resistance cells.

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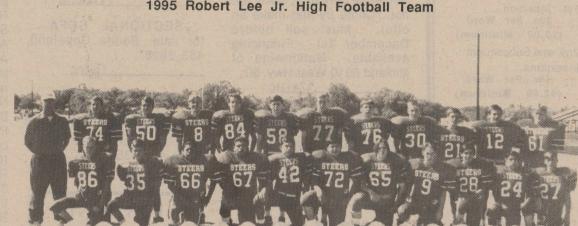
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for 5, Joel Gallegos tipped in 4, Daniel Cates and Jeremy Eaton 2 each.

RL graduate participates in leadership program

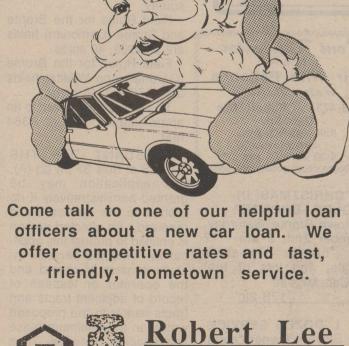
Jennifer Goodman, a Tarleton State University student from Robert Lee, is enrolled in the Tarleton Association for

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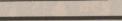
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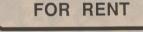
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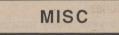




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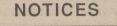
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant, Exxon Corp., PO Box 1600, Midland, TX 79702, has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commissiion Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code Section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the distance between wells requirement to amended Well No. 118, if completed in the Bronte field, Bronte Palo Pinto Unit, 2411.3 Acres; if completed in the Bronte (Gardner) and Wildcat fields, R.E. Hickman "C" Lease, 309.6 Acres; if completed in the Bronte (Cambrian) field, Bronte Cambrian Unit, 486.7 Acres, C&M RR Co. 15 Survey, A-62, Coke County, being 1.5 miles in a southwest direction from Bronte, Texas.

IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE FIELD, BRONTE PALO PINTO UNIT, 2411.3 Acres, WELL NO. 118 LO-CATION IS AS FOLLOWS: 3594' from the northeast line and 3268' from the southeast line of lease. 3594' from the southerly northeast line and 474' from the southerly southeast line of survey.

IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE (GARDNER) AND WILDCAT FIELDS, R.E. HICKMAN "C" LEASE, 309.6 ACRES, WELL NO. 118 LO-CATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

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IF COMPLETED IN THE BRONTE (CAMBRIAN) FIELD, BRONTE CAMBRIAN UNIT. 486.7 ACRES, WELL NO. 118 LOCATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

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pared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative 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) 688-6782. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6718.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLI-CATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN AND MAIL OR 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 DECEMBER 5. 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

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT WEATHER MODIFICATION **OPERATIONS IN THE**

STATE OF TEXAS Date of the first of three weekly publications of this notice: November 17, 1995. 1. Notice is hereby given that the Colorado River Municipal Water District, PO Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79721-0869, has filed an application with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission for a State permit to conduct weather modification operations to change, or attempt to change, the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period, od summa-

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of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, PO Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79721-0869.

The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in both an "operational area" and a "target area" to cause the intended effects to occur only in the target area. The operational area is that area described by being between an outer boundary, defined by a line that encompasses the block of counties of Lynn, Garza, Kent, Fisher, Nolan, Coke, Sterling, Glasscock, Martin, and Dawson, and an inner boundary which is that of the target area.

6. The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification operation is the target area. The target area is that area described as bounded by a line beginning at a point of origin at Big Spring, in Howard County, and running along Highway 87 in a northwesterly direction to Lamesa; thence, north-northeast on Highway 87 to the north border of Dawson County; thence, east along the northern boundary lines of Dawson, Borden, and Scurry Counties to Highway 84; thence, southeast along Highway 84 to Roscoe, in Nolan County; thence, southsoutheast to Marvneal; thence, southwesterly to Silver, in Coke County; thence, west-southwesterly to Highway 87 at a point approximately thirteen miles northwest of Sterling City, in Ster-ling County; and thence, northwesterly along Highway 87 to the point of origin at Big Spring, Texas.

7. The methods and material to be used in conducting this operation are summarized herein: A licensed meteorologist will select cumuliform clouds for seeding, using a weather-radar display, standard meteorological analyses, forecast techniques, surface weather observations, and pilot reports. With this information, he will direct an aircraft, equipped to dispense either glaciogenic or hygroscopic seeding material, into the updraft portions of selected clouds at cloud-base level to perform seeding operations.

8. Persons interested in knowing more about the technical aspects of the proposed operation should contact the applicant or the Water Planning & Assessment Division of the TNRCC (512-239-0770). 9. A public hearing on this application may be called by mailing a petition that requests a hearing to the Executive Director, Texas Natural **Resource** Conservation Commission, PO Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711. The petition must contain (1) the signature, full name, address, and phone number of each person requesting the hearing; (2) a statement that each person is at least 18 years of age and resides or owns property in the operational area; and, (3) a description of each person's interest and how that interest would be adversely affected. Requests

for hearing must be received by the Commission within 30 days of the date of the first publication of this notice. If at least 25 eligible persons make written request, the Commission shall hold a public hearing on an application prior to

issuance of the permit. More information on calling a hearing can be obtained through the Legal Services Division of the Commission (512-239-0660).

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Turkey: Then and Now

Times have changed and so has our perception of turkey. Once a meat prepared only once or twice a year, we now eat turkey year-round. Turkey has an interesting history and is truly a part of American tradition and heritage

Long before Columbus, the wild turkey was an important source of food to the American Indians. In addition to meat, turkeys supplied feathers for clothing and headdress and sharp spears for arrows.

Wild turkeys greeted Christopher Columbus when he arrived in America in 1492. When Columbus returned to Europe, turkeys went with him. Spanish conquistadors also brought live turkeys back to Europe. By the early 1500s, turkeys were being raised in several countries.

By the time the Pilgrims landed in America in 1620, they already knew about turkey. European domestic turkeys were crossbred with the American wild turkeys, producing the early ancestor of the modern turkey. Soon, the turkey became a major food source. When the Pil-grims served it on the first Thanksgiving Day, the turkey became a symbol of American tradition.

Some people consider the turkey the second national bird of the United States. In fact, Benjamin Franklin commented, "I wish the bald eagle had not been chosen as a representative of our country; he is a bird of bad moral character . . . the turkey is a much more respectable bird, and withal a true original native of America."

through many changes since its early ancestors. Although the wild turkey has bronzecolored feathers, modern turkeys have been bred over the years to have white feathers. This results in a lighter skin which is more attractive to many people.

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Turkeys today are also bred for tenderness and greater meat yield. High quality feeding and breeding produce a high quality bird. Today, the only difference between a hen and a tom are the sex and the size (a tom [male] is generally larger than 16 pounds while a hen [female] is under 16 pounds). Historically, a tom was considered tougher than a hen. This is no longer the case through modern breeding.

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LOOK WHO'S NEW **Brooklyn Kay Harris**

Ronnie "Rabbit" and Marsha Harris of Blackwell are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter. Brooklyn Kay was born November 14, 1995 at 11:40 am in Abilene. She weighed 8 pounds, 1/2 ounce and was 19 inches long

Brooklyn was welcomed home by her brother Garritt Kent, age 5.

Proud grandparents are Kent and Lou Huckelbridge of Nogal, New Mexico and Patsy and Jim Miller of Cleburne. Lorena Frizzell of Sweetwater is the baby's great-grandmother.



Cooper Riley, 11, took his first buck on opening day on his grandad, D.J. Walker's place, near Robert Lee. The fine buck, a 9pointer, had a 15 inch spread. Cooper is the son of Mark and Cindy Riley of Robert Lee.





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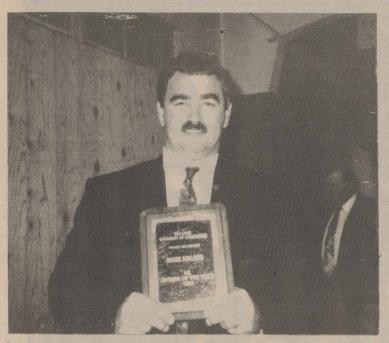
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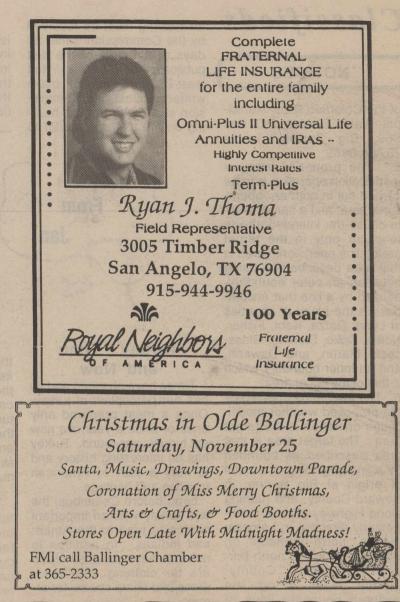
Noland honored at banquet

Big Lake's 'Citizen of the Year' award was presented by the Chamber of Commerce to Mr. Mark Noland, vice president of Security State Bank. Mr. Noland was honored at the annual banquet and awards dinner held Tuesday evening, October 17. Mr. Noland received the award in appreciation for his service to the community in many areas. Mark Noland graduated from Reagan County High School, and began a college career at McMurry, where he played football. He graduated from Midland College with a degree in business, after which he returned home to work for Reagan State Bank. In 1991, Mark moved from his position as loan officer and vice-president at Reagan State Bank to Security State Bank as branch manager and vice-president. Other academic credentials include a degree from Southwest Graduate School of Banking at Dallas. In addition, Mr. Noland has served as director of the Young Bankers Association of Texas.

Mark and his wife have two children, Lindsay and Brently. He has been deeply involved in peewee basketball, peewee football, Little League, and girls' softball league.

Community activities include Reagan County Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce, church activities, Child Welfare Board, Crimestoppers, and the American Heart Association.

Noland commented in his acceptance speech, "Big Lake has always been a cando city and I have been proud to do my part and will continue to do anything I can to help this community."



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