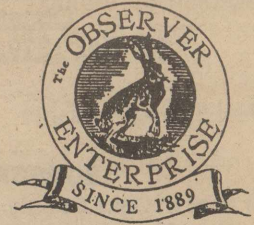


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Three ECCHD board officials resign

The Board of Directors of the East Coke County Hospital District met Tuesday, October 15, at 7:30 p.m. in a called meeting. All board members were present. They include Ed Cumbie, Royce Lee, Royce Fancher, Charles Sonnenberg, and LeDrew Arrott. Also present were Bronte Nursing Home Administrator Pam Stokes, Director of Nurses Augusta Lee, and approximately fifty members of the community. Chairman of the Board LeDrew Arrott presided over the meeting.

The first item on the agenda was a proposal by Royce Lee to hire attorney Gary Banks of San Angelo as general legal counsel for the District. Mr. Banks is a graduate of Angelo State University and Texas Tech and practiced in the Amarillo area before returning to San Angelo in 1994. While in Amarillo, he was counsel for the Amarillo Hospital District. After reading the letter from Mr. Banks accompanying the engagement agreement and a question and answer period between Mr. Banks and the Board, the Board unanimously voted in favor of retaining Mr. Banks. The agreement was signed and he began advising the Board at that time.

Next item on the agenda was the resignation of Pam Stokes, Bronte Nursing Home

Administrator. Ms. Stokes has served as administrator of the Nursing Home for twelve years. Royce Fancher made a motion to accept the resignation "with deep regret." Ed Cumbie seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

The resignation of Augusta Lee, Director of Nursing Services at Bronte Nursing Home for the past twenty months, was the next item. Her resignation carried an addendum regarding vacation and compensation. After conferring with Mr. Banks on the legalities of separating the letter and the addendum, Royce Lee moved to accept the resignation with Ed Cumbie seconding the motion. It carried unanimously. Royce Lee made the motion to table the vacation and compensation topics until a new administration could be hired. The motion failed due to lack of a second and was withdrawn. Charles Sonnenberg moved that the Board compensate Ms. Lee for the unused vacation time and table the compensation question until Thursday evening to give the attorney an opportunity to look into the District's compensation policy and agreements. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Chairman LeDrew Arrott then turned the meeting over to Vice Chairman Ed Cumbie

for the next item. Mr. Cumbie presented the Board with a letter of resignation from Mr. Arrott. The Board expressed regret over the resignation but said they understood Mr. Arrott's desire to step down. Mr. Arrott was appointed by the Coke County Commissioners in 1970 and has faithfully served on the Board since that time. Royce Lee made a motion to accept the resignation and also to move Mr. Cumbie from Vice Chairman to Chairman. The motion was seconded by Royce Fancher and carried without opposition.

Mr. Cumbie returned the meeting to Mr. Arrott. Mr. Lee questioned this and it was noted that all three resignations do not take effect until October 25. Mr. Banks pointed out to the Board that according to the law, a Vice Chairman will need to be decided on before that date. Mr. Lee nominated Mr. Sonnenberg for Vice Chairman. Mr. Sonnenberg could not accept because he is the current secretary of the Board. Mr. Lee then nominated Mr. Fancher. Mr. Fancher requested that they table the issue.

Mr. Sonnenberg made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Cumbie and carried unanimously.

At this time, Mr. Arrott requested Mr. Cumbie to read a statement received from the Concho Valley Family Alzheimer Support Group thanking Ms. Stokes and Ms. Lee for their actions and efforts to locate an Alzheimer unit in this area.

4-H Food Project deadline approaching

Attention: Any 4-H member wanting to enter the County Food Show must turn in their information by Wednesday, Oct. 23. 4-H project forms and recipes are due. Contact the office for more details.

Coke Co. Retired Teachers to meet

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association will meet Monday, October 21, 1996. The noon luncheon meeting will be held at the United Methodist Church in Bronte.

Coke County Championship

The Robert Lee Steers will host the Bronte Longhorns in the bid for the bragging rights to the Coke County Championship Friday night. Game time is set for 7:30 pm at Griffith Stadium in Robert Lee.

H&F Guide set for Oct. 25

The annual Hunting & Fishing Guide will be published October 25. This supplement to the Observer/Enterprise has been a popular feature for many years and hunters and fishermen alike look forward to the guide.

All hunters and fishermen with pictures of their deer, birds, fish, or any other kind of wildlife, are urged to bring their pics by - we would like to put your trophy picture in our guide.

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Bronte Lions schedule trash pickup

The Bronte Lions Club agreed to pick up trash from the city limits to the Colorado River Bridge as requested by the state.

If you are traveling south from Bronte on the 19th of October, you will see about fifteen or twenty men wearing orange vests, combing the right-of-way for trash. The younger men will be stepping out briskly, while some of us will be limping and plodding along at a slower pace.

Now, the moral of this story is do not throw your trash out of your car. But, if you must, clear the Colorado River Bridge before doing so. I can assure you the aching backs, grinding knees, and paining hips of the older Lions Club members will be most appreciative.

Hunter's Education Program set for RL

Coke County Game Warden Sparks Burdett will conduct a Hunter Education Program in Robert Lee October 26 & 27. Classes will be held from 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm each day. The classes will be held in the County Commissioners Courtroom at the courthouse.

Hunter education courses are required for hunters born on or after September 2, 1971. Minimum age for certifying is 12 years of age, but younger hunters may attend. A nominal fee will be charged for the course.

Anyone interested in taking the course should pre-register by calling Sparks Burdett at 453-2887.

WCCCD planning Christmas Open House

Robert Lee's Christmas Open House, sponsored by the West Coke County Community Development, will be December 3 this year. Any local business wishing to participate may contact Billy Kelly at 453-2412 or 453-2362 (after 5:00).

Ladies Bible study class to meet

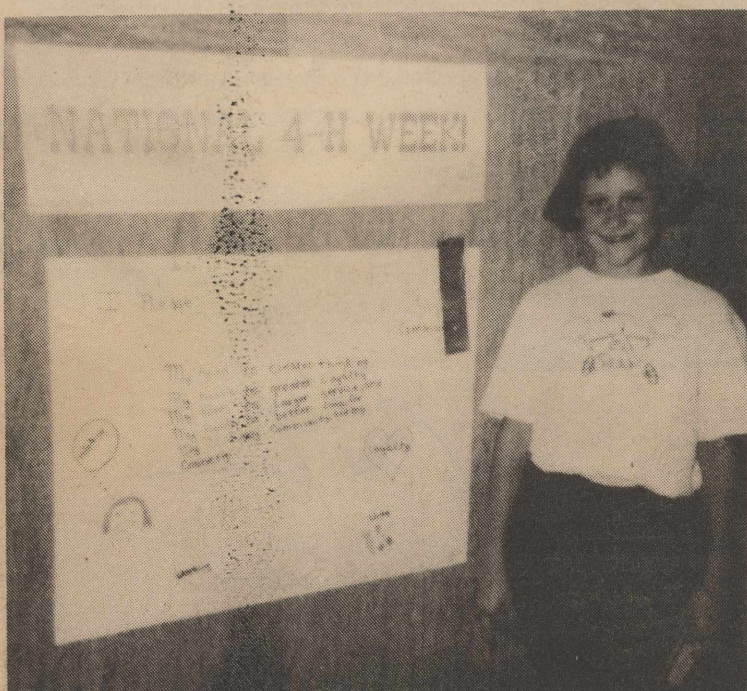
Central Baptist Ladies Bible Study Class will meet Tuesday, Oct. 22, 1996, at 6:30 in the home of Georgia Johnson. They will continue their study on angels. Everyone who would like to attend is welcome.

Fund established for Smith family

A fund for Jimmy and Ginny Smith has been established at Security State Bank, 123 S. Main, Winters, to help defray medical expenses.

Ginny is now at home in Winters and is recuperating from her stay in Houston.

For more information, call 754-4505.



Shannon Honse recently won first place with her poster during National 4-H Week. Shannon's poster consisted of the 4-H Pledge and different pictures describing the pledge.

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Obituaries

Pentecost

Mary Josephine Bird Pentecost passed from this life on October 6, 1996, in a local hospital following a long illness.

She was born on January 28, 1922, in San Angelo to a pioneer ranching couple, Ira A. and Mary Maud Cosby Bird. She was reared in the Sanco community. The Sanco Camp meeting was started when she was 2 years old.

She attended Sanco School until her senior year in high school and graduated from Robert Lee High School in 1939. She attended Bob Jones College and later graduated from Hardin-Simmons University in May of 1943.

On May 19, 1944, she married Nolan C. Pentecost at the Bird ranch home near Sanco, with the Rev. Joe Temple officiating.

She taught school in Bronte and Robert Lee. She and Nolan ranched on the Casa Blanca Ranch in the Sanco area most of their married lives. They were past members of the Concho Hereford Association, having raised registered Hereford cattle for many years. They were members of the Texas Farm Bureau and Sanco Village Association. She was active in many Christian, conservative and patriotic organizations. Mary Jo was extremely caring, compassionate, loving and helping to many young people with serious problems.

She was a member of the First Evangelical Methodist Church of San Angelo for many years.

Mary Jo is survived by her husband, Nolan Pentecost; one son, James Bird Pentecost and wife, Kathleen, of Sanco; one sister, Evelyn Bird McKinley and her daughter, June Gullely; four grandchildren, Janet Pentecost Zook and husband, Robert Zook, Rachel Pentecost, Michael Pentecost and Travis Pentecost; nieces and nephews; and many cousins and friends.

Funeral service was held at 3:00 pm Wednesday, October 9, at the Robert Lee Baptist Church with burial in the Sanco Cemetery. The Rev. Clifford Mayo conducted the service.

Pallbearers were Michael Pentecost, Robert Zook, Andrew Boomer, Maurilio Flores, Dr. Alfred Vardeman, Rex Wike, Ron Blaylock, and Bill Allen.

A memorial service was held at 5:00 pm Sunday, October 13, at the First Evangelical Methodist Church in San Angelo, led by State Representative Ray Allen of Grand Prairie.

Friends may send memorials to the Gideons International, First Evangelical Methodist Church, Sanco Village or Cemetery Association, or a favorite charity.

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Farm Bureau holds convention

The Annual Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau County Convention was held in the Robert Lee Recreation Center on Saturday, October 12, 1996. A barbecue supper was prepared by the Board of Directors, office staff, and with special help from John Stephens. It was served to approximately 60 members.

The business section of the meeting followed with the minutes of the last meeting and a membership report being read by all. An insurance report was given by the Agency Manager, Tommy Sisemore.

Robert Brown reported for the Nominating Committee that we have 3 members up for re-election to the County Board and 2 new members coming on the board. Fred C. Homeyer has resigned from the board. The members will be Dan Hinderliter of Sterling City and John Stephens of Robert Lee.

A very informative speech was given by Ross McCrea of Sterling City who attended the Citizenship Seminar at Angelo State University in June.

This year's guest speaker was Glen E. Jones, Director, Research, Education and Policy Development for Texas Farm Bureau. He gave a very knowledgeable speech on property tax relief, including school property tax, residential property tax, and the Governor's School Property Tax Alternatives.

A film was viewed concerning these subjects narrated by Texas Farm Bureau President, Bob Stallman. State director Bill Tullos also spoke on taxes.

Door prizes were last on the agenda with several winners taking home some very nice prizes.

Commissioners' Court actions

by Jackie Walker, County Judge

Commissioner's Court met Monday, October 14. The meeting was opened with the pledge to the American flag, followed by a prayer by Tim Millican.

Mr. Bob Davis, with Southwest Securities presented an update on the bond petition. He stated there were some problems presented by the attorney and requested the Court to wait until the bond attorney had time to do some research. Road districts and their formation, along with inter-local agreements were discussed. The Court will wait to hear from Mr. Davis and the bond attorney.

A contract was signed with Recor in Sweetwater for overflow of juveniles from Coke County.

Bobbie Fluhmann's resignation was accepted from the Child Welfare Board and Brenda Gray was appointed to serve in her place.

Coke County Rural Water Supply was given permission to cross Wildcat Road with a water line.

An update was given on the ADA grant work and things seem to be progressing well.

A resolution was made to support the Senate Bill regarding the Texas Lottery. The resolution requested that 5% of the lottery sales be returned to the jurisdiction of sale. Based on last year's sales Coke County would receive back over thirty thou-

sand dollars.

It was agreed to offer the Appraisal District the large room upstairs and the room currently occupied by the Underground Water District. We will wait to hear from the District regarding the space offered.

The final figures were presented and approved for the 1996 tax roll.

Treasurer's affidavit of cash (\$516,229.63) and other assets of \$535,400.00 were approved.

Bills were paid and court adjourned.

Local judge attends seminar

Judge Joan Davis of Robert Lee was certified at the recent 20 Hour Justice of the Peace Seminar held September 24-27, 1996, in Lubbock, Texas. The seminar was sponsored by the Texas Justice Court Training Center, headquarters at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminar is one of five held for elected Justices of the Peace so they can fulfill their Continuing Judicial Education Re-

quirements as set forth in Article 27.005 of the Texas Government Code. The seminar addressed topics such as Judicial Ethics, Criminal and Civil Jurisdiction and Venue, Trial Procedure, Alternating Sentencing, Small Claims, Administrative Hearings, Civil Law, Criminal Law, Dealing with Anti-Government Groups, Traffic Laws, Juvenile Laws, Landlord and Tenant Law, Magistrate Duties, Search and Arrest Warrants, Commercial Driver's License Laws, Federal Motor Carrier Regulations, Emergency Protective Orders and Inquests.

Davis is serving her second term as Coke County Justice of the Peace in Precinct 1. She accompanied Judge Joyce Weems of Winters who serves in Runnels County. Most of the 112 judges from west and central Texas left home early in the week in weather in the upper 80s and were ill-prepared for the near freezing conditions which blew through Lubbock on Friday.

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Texas Senate

Rick lives and works in the district and has for the past 23 years. His opponent from Big Spring recently moved into the district to run for my seat.

Rick's a conservative, small businessman and former, four-term mayor of Sweetwater. My wife, Sue, and I strongly support him for the Texas Senate.

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Klein-Eubanks exchange vows

Kendra Jo Klein and Dewey Lee Eubanks, both of Louisville, Kentucky, were married at 1:30 in the afternoon Saturday, August 31 at Highland Baptist Church in Louisville. Officiating the double ring ceremony was the Reverend John Tederstrom.

The bride is the daughter of Elizabeth and Jeff Neill and Daniel and Pat Klein of Louisville. Her maternal grandparents are Erma Ferguson and the late Lonzo Ferguson. Her paternal grandparents are Ann Klein and the late Ervin Klein, all of Louisville.

The groom is the son of Sidney and Ginger Eubanks of Natchitoches, Louisiana. His maternal grandparents are Helen Murtishaw of Bronte and the late J.I. Murtishaw. His paternal grandparents are Sidney M. and Johnnie Eubanks, of Bronte. Dewey's granny, Helen Murtishaw, of Bronte and Dewey's uncle and his family; Andy, Susan, Ben and Paul Eubanks of Floresville, Texas, attended the wedding.

Kendra walked down the aisle to meet Dewey wearing a light blue satin three tiered wedding gown made by her mother. Her gown was overlaid with imported white lace enhanced with pearl beads and iridescent sequins, all hand-sewn by Kendra.

Dewey greeted her in a white tuxedo with tails, accented by a light blue satin cummerbund and bow tie and a coral rose boutonniere.

John Hollins, organist, provided the music for the ceremony that included; "The Wedding Song", "Jesu", "Joy of Our Desiring", "Firework's Overture", "Bridal Chorus", and "Hornpipe" from "Water Music".

Attendants were maid of honor, Barbara Robnett and bridesmaids, Heather Mitchell and Amanda Klein. Their tea-length gowns were made of

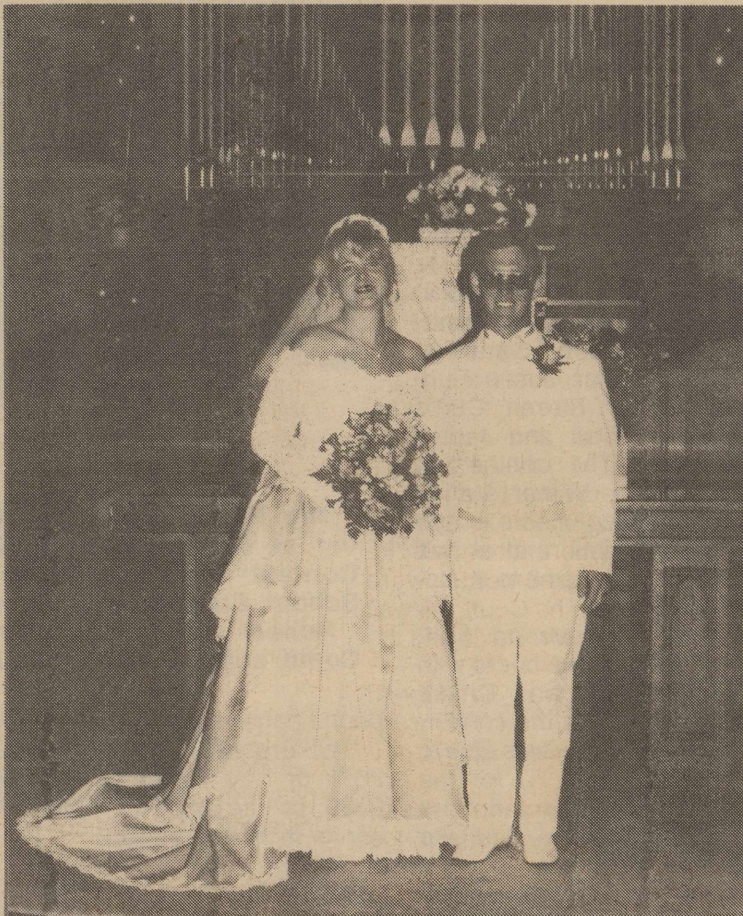
royal blue satin with matching lace from the wedding gown for the collars. They carried bouquets of hot pink carnations and blue delphiniums.

Charles Hollinger of Natchitoches served as best man and Bill Robnett as usher. Each wore a black tuxedo with tails accented with a royal blue satin cummerbund and bow tie and a boutonniere made of a white carnation and blue delphiniums.

The sanctuary was decorated in summer flowers native to Kentucky, Louisiana, and Texas. The floral arrangements were made by Kendra. In celebration of the union, multi-colored balloons were hung throughout the sanctuary. Floral wreaths were hung on the entrance doors to the church and balloons and ribbons were hung on the accenting lamp posts outside the church.

Kendra is an April 1996 graduate of Louisiana Technical College-Natchitoches and is currently employed as a bench jeweler with the Sterling, Inc. of Louisville. Kendra designed and made the wedding rings.

Dewey is a 1990 graduate of Natchitoches Central High School and attended North-



Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Eubanks

western State University. He is a former Natchitoches City Fireman and EMT. He is currently a fireman with the city of Lyndon, Kentucky.

The reception was held at George Rogers Clark Park from 2:30 until 5:30 pm. Following the reception the newlyweds departed for a flight to Colorado Springs, Colorado for their honeymoon. They are making their home in Louisville.

Lee medical fund established

A fund for Heather and Kerry Lee has been established at First National Bank in Bronte to help defray medical expenses.

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Steers run over WV 'Cats

by Bill Burns

The Steers were host to the Water Valley Wildcats last Friday night. The 'Cats were supposed to possibly be a spoiler for the Steers, but the Steers took care of business and came out on top by a score of 42 to 13.

1st Quarter

The Steers kicked off to the 'Cats and for most of the first quarter it was a defensive battle. Michael Pentecost made a key interception for the Steers. The Steers were at their own 41 yard line to start a scoring drive. Boxell completed a 15 yard pass to Copeland. Gilbert Torres ran for 6 yards, then 6 more, and again for 3 yards. Eli Boxell then hit Rocky Coates for a thirty one yard TD pass. Bobby Joe Longoria kicked the extra point.

2nd Quarter

With 9:21 left in the quarter, Boxell went back to Coates, this time for a 39 yard TD. Longoria was good on the extra point.

Water Valley came back with good field position after a Steer fumble and scored on a one yard TD run.

The Steers put together another good drive that ended with Gilbert Torres going over for the TD from 5 yards out. Longoria was good on the extra point.

3rd Quarter

The Steers received the kick to start the second half. Their drive started at the Steer 35 yard line. Torres carried for 15 yards, then 6 more. Copeland went for 9 and 2. Boxell went for 3 yards and capped the drive with a 29 yard run for the TD. Longoria kicked the extra point.

Jason Tavarez intercepted a Wildcat pass to give the Steers another chance to score.

Torres carried for 7 yards then for 16 yards and the Steer TD. Longoria kicked the extra point.

4th Quarter

The Steers only ran five offensive plays this quarter, but one of those was for 48 yards and a TD by Michael Munoz. Once again Longoria was good on the extra point kick.

The 'Cats scored with no time left on the clock, but missed the extra point. Steers 42 - Wildcats 13. **Great Game Steers!!!**

Dogies defeat

Water Valley Cats

By Beau Boxell's Mom
The Robert Lee Dogies made the trip to Water Valley

last Thursday and came home with another victory.

In the first quarter, Beau Boxell ran for a 35-yard TD, made possible by the blocking efforts of Zeke Montgomery, Jason Sanders, Matthew Tinkler, Justin Fluhmann, Robert Barrett, Curtis Bell, Beau Blair and James Gallegos. The conversion was good. Water Valley scored but was unable to add any extra points, and at half time the score was 8 to 6, Dogies ahead.

During the second half, Boxell put 6 on the board with a 40-yard run, and Chase Rainwater ran for the conversion. Water Valley was able to score one more TD for the night. Rainwater p.t 6 more on the scoreboard, and the Dogies defense did a tremendous job with performances by Favian "Pit Bull" Minjarez, John Burdett, Clifton Bohannon, and Lewis Samaniego. Rainwater had a last minute interception and ran it all the way back for another 6, making the final score Dogies 28, Cats 12. See you Oct. 17 in Bronte!

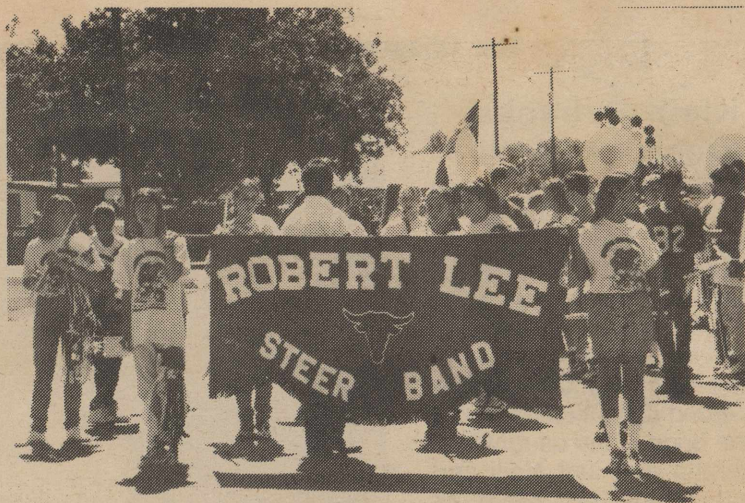
RL Seniors celebrate

The 1997 Robert Lee seniors have been enjoying their last year in school with several parties hosted by their parents. In September, they had a party at the park that turned out to be a little wet. This month they had a game party hosted by the Oleksiuks.

The Seniors would like to urge all the Steer fans to show their support by joining in the Victory line before each game.

PTA phone sheets

Laminated telephone sheets featuring Robert Lee



The Robert Lee Steer Band will be competing at the Class A Region II U.I.L. Marching Contest on October 19 at the Wylie High School Stadium at Abilene.

Robert Lee is scheduled to march at 9:45. Come support the Stompin' Steer Band!

phone pages have arrived.

Call Brenda Gray at 453-2673 or Kay Torres at 453-2289, or see any PTA member for more information.

Tinkler named for academic honor

Jennifer Tinkler, a senior at Wink, has been nominated to Who's Who Among American High School Students. Jennifer participates in volleyball, basketball, track and band and is president of her school's student council and vice president of the National Honor Society.

Jennifer is the daughter of Walter and Anna Tinkler of

Wink. She is the granddaughter of Roy and Jennie Lee Tinkler of Robert Lee and Allan and Marie Rowoldt of San Angelo.

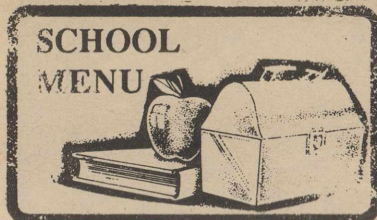
The Tinklers are former Robert Lee residents.

Correction

In last week's story of the Red Canyon Gun Club tournament, a name was misspelled. In the B-Class, Irving Wikander of Robert Lee placed third.

* The longest footbridge in the U.S. is in Rusk.

* The state capital is Austin.



SCHOOL MENU

Breakfast

Monday, Oct. 21

Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza, Milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 22

Orange Juice, Donut, Cold Cereal, Milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 23

Orange Juice, Buttered Toast, Cold Cereal, Milk.

Thursday, Oct. 24

Orange Juice, Cinnamon Roll, Cold Cereal, Milk.

Friday, Oct. 25

Orange Juice, Blueberry Pancake wrapped around Sausage, Syrup, Cold Cereal, Milk.

Lunch

Monday, Oct. 21

Barbecue Weiners, Macaroni & Cheese, Seasoned Green Beans, Homemade Roll, Fruit Cocktail, Milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 22

Chicken Strips w/gravy, Rice, Seasoned Carrots, Homemade Roll, Fresh Fruit, Milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 23

Fajita, Tossed Salad, Refried Beans, Applesauce Cake, Milk.

Thursday, Oct. 24

Meatloaf, Cheesy Potatoes, Blackeye Peas, Homemade Roll, Pears, Milk.

Friday, Oct. 25

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September 13	Rocksprings	H	8:00	50 7
**September 20	Eden	H	8:00	63 0
*September 27	Garden City	H	7:30	26 8
*October 4	Iron County	T	7:30	26 12
*October 11	Water Valley	H	7:30	42 13
*October 18	Bronte	H	7:30	
*October 25	Sterling City	T	7:30	
*November 1	Miles	H	7:30	
*November 8	Christoval	T	7:30	
*District				
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Horns crush Miles 'Dogs

by Brenda Beck

The Bronte Longhorns hosted the Miles Bulldogs Friday night in a game that was representative of football games around the state.

The 1st quarter began with the Horns receiving and fumbling on the first drive. In total the game contained 6 fumbles on both sides of the ball. Bronte scored with 7:51 in the first on a 12 yard run by M. Martinez. Beck's kick was good. The Horns led 7-0.

In the second quarter with 3:15 left on the clock Sallee scored on a 17 yard run. Beck's kick was good. The Horns led 14-0. Courtney

Beam scored once again in the second on a 38 yard pass for the 3rd TD. Beck's PAT was good.

In the fourth quarter, David Wilson scored on a 17 yard run. Beck connected once again for the PAT.

The Horns had 232 yards rushing and 77 yards passing and 13 penalties for 90 yards.

Courtney Beam and Martinez led the Horns in interceptions with one each.

This game was thwarted with fumbles and penalties. Hopefully, it was a learning experience that will improve both teams.

Miles had 117 yards rushing and 136 passing. They also had 9 penalties for 65 yards.

The Longhorn defense played a great game. The game standout was Courtney Beam.

Way To Go Horns! We're proud of you.

Lady Cats rally to beat Lady Longhorns

In their first District volleyball match, the Lady Longhorns won the first game 15-7, then lost the second game 7-15. In the third and deciding game, the Lady Horns had a 9-4 lead but couldn't hold on for the win. The final game ended with the Ladies losing to the Lady Wildcats 11-15.

Earlier in the week, the Lady Horns defeated 4-A Big Spring in one of the best matches of the season. After being down 0-7 in the first game, they made a comeback to win game one 15-13. They then won game two 15-13.

The Lady Longhorns will host Water Valley Thursday, October 24. The match will begin at 7 p.m. Saturday, October 26, the Ladies will travel to Miles for a 7 p.m. match. They are back in Water Valley at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 2, and the final game of the District season will be at home against Miles Tuesday, November 5, at 6 p.m.

Shorthorns blank Miles 20-0

The Shorthorns were again victorious this past week as they sped by Miles, 20-0.

The first points on the board were the result of a 45 yard pass from Zeb Speary to Tim Green. The conversion attempt failed.

Tim Green scored for the second time on an eight yard run. Again, the conversion attempt failed.

Brandon Gibbs threw a 50 yard pass to Tim Green for the final score of the game. The conversion attempt was unsuccessful.

Jesse McClure, Tim Green, Jason Stamper, Henry White, and Jeremy Silva all turned in good defensive performances.

Bronte plans "Fall Festival"

The big, annual, fun-for-everyone "Fall Festival" has been slated for Saturday, October 26, at the Bronte school building.

This event has grown through the past few decades and has something for young and old alike.

The evening's activities begin with a townwide meal in the school lunchroom. The good cooks in the All Sports Booster Club will serve a



Br. seniors watch carefully as classmates and parents take turns learning to hit a golf ball.

hamburger supper from 5 pm to 7 pm.

Booths, games, and other activities will begin at 6 pm and will be located all over the campus. The All Sports Boosters will have a cake walk, football throw, and a basketball shoot. The carnival booths will be fundraisers for various elementary classes. Proceeds from the activities will go toward all facets of school projects.

Each athlete is required to bring a cake to the school by 6 pm for the cake walk.

Everyone in the community is encouraged to come spend the evening at the school and support all these worthy causes.

Br. seniors and parents enjoy fish fry, golf game

Project Graduation had a fish fry at the Richard Beck residence Sunday, October 29, from 2:00 to 5:00. Everyone enjoyed fried fish, hushpuppies, fries and great desserts.

After eating, everyone geared up for a golf shoot-out. Seniors first took turns seeing who could hit the golf balls the farthest in the lake. Their parents then took over, and not a moment too soon,

because the strangest thing happened. A golf club went sailing through the air into the lake! The kids had a good laugh at their parents trying their hand at golf.

Everyone had a great time, and a meeting was held at the end of the evening to discuss further activities.

BISD School Board

The Bronte ISD School Board met in regular session October 10, 1996, in the Board Room. All members were present. The following business was conducted:

- Program report was given by the Special Education Department.

- Approved the 1996 Tax Roll.

- Discussed concession stand/restroom facilities by the track and the asphalt bid will be advertised.

- Approved the County Agent (s) as adjunct employee of the District.

- Accepted proposal for a local sick leave pool.

- Approved bus driving increments for co-extracurricular activities.

- Heard Superintendent's report on the football field land and CCJJC.

The next regular Board meeting will be November 14, 1996, at 8 p.m. in the Board Room.



- SCHOOL MENU**
- Breakfast**
- Monday, Oct. 21**
Cereal, Diced Peaches, Toast, Milk.
- Tuesday, Oct. 22**
Breakfast Pizza, Grape Juice, Milk.
- Wednesday, Oct. 23**
Sausage, Apple Juice, Pancakes, Milk.
- Thursday, Oct. 24**
Breakfast Burrito, Orange Juice, Milk.
- Friday, Oct. 25**
Cereal, Fruit Roll Up, Biscuit, Milk.
- Lunch**
- Monday, Oct. 21**
Chicken Nuggets w/gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Sweet Corn, Rolls, Milk.
- Tuesday, Oct. 22**
Pigs in a blanket, Tator Tots, Macaroni & Cheese, Green Grapes, Milk, Chocolate Pudding.
- Wednesday, Oct. 23**
Soft Tacos w/cheese, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Lettuce & Tomato, Flour Tortilla, Milk, Blueberry Muffin Squares.
- Thursday, Oct. 24**
Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Vegetable Soup, Carrot Sticks, Celery Sticks, Corn Bread or Crackers, Milk, Peanut Butter.
- Friday, Oct. 25**
Chick Fil-Lay Sandwich, Pickle Chips, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Bun, Milk, Cinnamon Rolls.

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- Prepared and administered departmental budget. (\$12.5 million in 1995)
- Negotiated and administered contracts with local and international contractors.
- Worked with Human Services Department regarding relations with local inhabitants, South American Labor Laws, and environmental laws.

PERSONAL

- Chose Coke County as home in 1979.
- Married to Sharon 31 years. Three sons and nine grandchildren.
- Presently involved running stock farm and other business ventures.

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BRONTE LONGHORNS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	SCORE
September 6	Eden	H	8:00	40 6
September 12	Abilene Cooper "Soph"	H	8:00	41 0
**September 20	Roby	H	8:00	14 14
*September 27	Sterling City	T	7:30	13 0
*October 4	Water Valley	T	7:30	24 7
*October 11	Miles	H	7:30	28 0
*October 18	Robert Lee	T	7:30	
*October 25	Irion County	H	7:30	
*November 1	Christoval	T	7:30	
*November 8	Garden City	H	7:30	

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Friday, October 18
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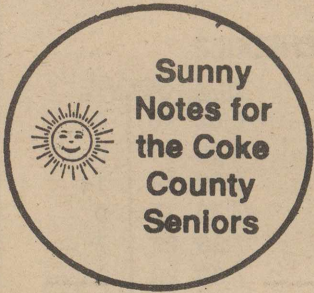
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Sunny Notes for the Coke County Seniors

Menu for the Week

Monday, Oct. 21
Chicken Cacciatore, Egg Noodles, Zucchini w/ Tomatoes, Hot Roll, Tossed Salad, Baked Custard.

Wednesday, Oct. 23
Steak Fingers w/ Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Hot Roll, Orange.

Friday, Oct. 25
Submarine Sandwich w/ Cheese, Bologna, & Ham, Pork-n-Beans, Cabbage & Carrot Salad, Diced Pineapple

Dominos

Doors will open at 9:00 am October 24, at the Bronte Senior Center. Games of 88, 80, Chicken Foot, etc, will be enjoyed by all.

A potluck lunch will be served at noon.

The senior citizens residing at the nursing home who are well enough are invited to join us for lunch when possible. We enjoy their visit and hope this gives them as much pleasure as it does us. See you then!

UMW Dorcas Circle meets

The United Methodist Women Dorcas Circle met with The Satellite Group in their church fellowship hall at 6:00 pm Wednesday, Oct. 10, 1996.

The quarterly joint meeting was their annual Pledge Service, a time when each member pledges an amount which she promises to give to UMW work during the following year. With pledges being made at this time each year, conference officials know how much money will be available, and the next year's financial expenditures can be planned with assurance that the needed funds will be paid.

UMW funds provide a large percent of the total mission expenditures of the entire Methodist budget. Since the women organized in 1887, their influence has increased both spiritually and financially.

Blackwell teachers recognized

Two teachers in the Blackwell School were recently honored by former students who nominated them to Who's Who Among American Teachers. Randy Anderson and J. Keven Smith were two of 120,000 teachers and college professors throughout the United States recognized by students also named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and National Dean's List students.

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RLISD board members attend convention

Teddy Millican and Beverly Burdett, members of the Robert Lee ISD School Board, attended the Joint Annual Convention of Texas Association of School Administrators (TASA) and Texas Association of School Boards (TASB), held in Houston September 26-30. Many interesting sessions were provided on many topics, including a Legislative Update with an overview of alternative funding methods which would help address the unfunded mandates that burden our school districts.

While in Houston, Beverly, who is president of the Robert Lee ISD, assisted in the presentation of the President's Round Table, sponsored by TASB. During this 3 hour session, school board presidents participate in 10 "round table" discussions led by 10 presidents which cover various aspects of the duties and dilemmas of board presidents. Each "round table" discussed a particular topic assigned to the presidents who facilitated discussion and provided information on their topics for three separate mini-sessions. Beverly's "round table" discussed the job responsibilities of the board president and development of board policies.

On Sunday afternoon, Beverly was invited by TASB to chair a section on "Leaves and Absences in Public Schools" with April Mabry, Senior Personnel Consultant for TASB.

4-H Food Lab held

The Coke Co. 4-H Food Lab was held on Monday and Tuesday, October 7th and 8th, in the Home Economics classroom. Twenty-three 4-H members participated in this educational lab. The lab focused on the Food Guide Pyramid, exotic fruit and proper eating habits. The 4-H members enjoyed trying raspberry fruit dip and fruit pizza.

Those attending were: Cara Eaton, Kyla Millican, Tiffany Bagwell, Cassidy Wink, Clay Antilley, Josh Conner, April Cowart, Misti Brothers, Michelle Sanchez, Amber Brosh, Nicole Sanchez, Trichelle Gray, Charles Abalos, Brian Abalos, Kindra Johnson, Melanie Johnson, Christina Middleton, Brittany Soliz, Crystal Soliz, Ruben Torres, Shannon Honse, Stewart Millican and Sammy Minjarez. These 4-H members are now eligible for the food show.



Coke Co. 4-H members share the frosting duties of the goodies they made at the Food Lab held recently in the Robert Lee Home Economics classroom.

Local teachers named to Who's Who Directory

A select group of America's teachers are being honored by their toughest critics... their former students, in the fourth edition of Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996.

All of the 120,000 teachers being honored were selected by their former students who themselves are currently listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, or The National Dean's List, publications which recognize 5% of our nation's

high school and college students respectively. Paul Krouse, publisher of Who's Who Among America's Teachers said, "there is no greater honor teachers can receive than to be recognized by former students for their excellence and dedication. In this publication we clearly have the best teachers in America selected by the best students."

Local educators honored in Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996, include Tammy Roe, a junior high and high school math teacher at Robert Lee and Suzie Wilson, a fifth grade teacher at Robert Lee.

SS rep. to visit Coke Co.

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his October visit to Robert Lee/Bronte. He will be at the County Courthouse Conference Room in Robert Lee on Thursday, October 24, from 11:00 - 11:30. In Bronte, he will be at the City Hall Council Room on Thursday, Oct. 24, from 1:30 - 2:00.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at that time.

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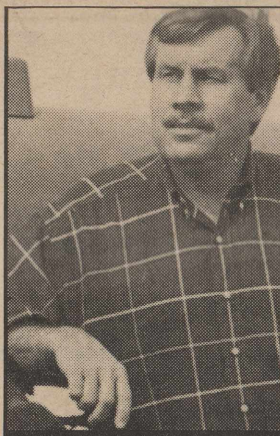
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Blackwell CISD posts honor rolls

The following students maintained grades high enough to qualify them for the "A" or "A-B" honor roll at the Blackwell School during the first six weeks:

All "A"

1st grade:
Mary Eoff, Brandi Hill, Samantha Morrow.

2nd grade:
Luke Calhoun, Johnathan Ehl, Casey Eoff, Zachary Grove, Daniel Jones, Aaron Noble, Rachel Smith, Sylvia Solis, Jarred Walker.

3rd grade:
Philip Buckner, Lynsey Matthews, Cody Morgan, Ashley Smith, Jake Wilkinson.

4th grade:
Tiffany Coffey, Ambra Cole, Justin Grove, Sarah Jeter, Melenda Solis.

5th grade:
Sharla Holland, Heather Jones, Ryan Ragland, Kayla Saunders, Amber Williams.

6th grade:
Jenifer Breshers, Santiago Morales, Chris Morgan, Lindy Wilson, Angel Padilla, Kaitlyn Saunders.

7th grade:
Mindy Boyd

8th grade:
Katrina Buckner, Steven Hayes, Clint Morgan, Ashley Ragland.

9th grade:
Jennifer Boyd, Adam Wilkinson, Leman Saunders

10th grade:
Justin Hart, Jimmy Holland, Lee Nault

11th grade:
Jimmy Loveday, Miranda Scott

12th grade:
Carye Adkins, Chrissy Allen, Nathan Hayes, Rose Melton, Amber Mulanax, Lucia Saavedra, Judith Taylor.

A-B:

1st grade:
Danielle Breshers, Garritt Harris, Chad Holland, Jessica Matthews, Savannah Smith, Brett Wills, Angelica Sims.

3rd grade:
Jessica Chavez, Felicia Murray.

4th grade:
Rosalinda Camarillo, Shane Nichols, Salvador Sanchez.

5th grade:
Dustin Eoff, Kasey Matthews, Amy Nichols, Melissa Pate, Bobby Roblins, Justin Roland, Latisha Roland, Hilda Sims, Katie Wilkinson, Joshua Scott.

6th grade:
Darin Burwick, John Jones, Meghan McGhee, Austin Parr, Michael Pate, Daniel Sanchez.

7th grade:
Will Blaine, Cody Blair, Jennifer Dove, Jamie Hodges, Nathan Jeter, Kammie Liso, Jessica McIntire, Codi Monsey, Justin Roberson.

8th grade:
Alberto Arebalo, Kacey Badger, Tanya Blackwell, Kristy Calhoun, Gayna Cantrell, Katy Driver, Philip Jeter, Latosha Roland, Jerry Scott, Viola Sims, Pascual Solis.

9th grade:

Leticia Camarillo, Tephane Cantrell, Tony Dove, Lindsey Hamilton, Christi Matthews, Maria Rangel, Jessica Robling, Gloria Solis, Keshia Stidham.

10th grade:
Roy Daughtrey, Ricky Jones.

11th grade:
Elizabeth Camarillo, Kallie Liso, Shawn Roberson, Angel Solis, Joanie Ussery.

12th grade:
Brandon Boyd, Julie Dolan, John Duran, Monica Escobar, Juan Morales, Jessica Shafer, Wes Taylor.

WCC EMS posts contributions

The West Coke County EMS has reported the following memorials and donations for the month of September:

MEMORIALS:

- Maudine Weeks**
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- Mary Howell**
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- Jerry Stanford**
George and Thelma Lomas
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Stenholm visits RL

Congressman Charles Stenholm and his wife, Cindy, along with a campaign aide stopped by the Observer/Enterprise office in Robert Lee for an informal visit Monday. The group was on a campaign swing through this area. They had been in San Angelo and were going on to Colorado City to attend a Farm Bureau meeting.

The Stenholms feel that the campaign is going well, but with three weeks left before the general election in November there will be many more campaign trips to make.

Stenholm represents the 17th district in the U.S. Congress. He is opposed in the race for the seat by Republican Rudy Izzard.

Sims to be honored

Bill Sims will be honored by his hometown of Paint Rock Saturday, October 19. The



Charles Stenholm

event is being held to honor Sims on the eve of his retirement from the Texas Senate. Sims has represented the area for 14 years.

Goodfellow honor guard will open the festivities at 10:00 am. Sims will be presented with several awards, some serious, some lighthearted. Several members of Sims' family are expected to attend the program, along with members of the Texas Legislature.

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Hunters - No reservation needed! 2 BR - 1BA partially furnished mobile home. Priced right. Call Paul, 453-4778 after 6:00 pm.
10-4tc

TOWNVIEW

Beautiful 3BR/2 bath brick on 1.7 landscaped and fenced acres. 1,800 sq. feet living area. Double garage. Full-length covered front porch. Many extras. For sale by owner, 453-2262.
01-tnc

LOTS FOR SALE

in Bronte. Quiet residential, Cumbie and Barclay corner and adjoining lots. 166 feet x 140 feet. Sewer, utilities, paved streets. 473-6291.
08B-tnc

HOUSE FOR SALE

by owner. Brick, 3 BR, 2 bath, 2-car attached garage; central heating/air; ceiling fans; interior freshly painted; new carpet throughout; new ceramic tile floors in kitchen and bathrooms; new roof; fenced yard. Owner financing. 219 Zero St., Robert Lee. Call 409-836-6265 collect.
09-tnc

3 BEDROOM BRICK,

2 bath, 2 large living areas, carpeted, central heat and air, fireplace, and 5 lots. Will sell or lease, 207 Briarwood, Bronte. Call 915-695-4414 or 691-0690.
07B-tnc

FOR SALE

3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home located on 2 lots - 124 W. Jackson, Bronte. Built-in china cabinet, garden tub. 473-2805.
10B-tnc

FOR SALE

16 ft. trailer, makes 3 beds, stove, sink, water storage, ice box. Ideal for hunters. Mary Williams, 453-2398.
08-9tc

3 BEDROOM HOUSE

located at 223 North Lombard in Bronte for sale. \$18,000. For more information, call 473-2019.
01B-tnc

GARAGE SALES

ESTATE SALE + MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE

Saturday, 8:30 am. Darrel Pitcock, Old Sanco Rd., Robert Lee (5th house on right). Bedroom suite plus full size mattresses; dining room set; portable dishwasher; chairs; sewing cabinet; 2 weed eaters; 2 fold-up camp beds; tv; electric stove; king-size waterbed headboard and frame; dresser; rowing machine; 4 chrome wheels; twin mattress; bedding; clothes; toys and more.
12-1tc

YARD SALE

Saturday, 8 am - 4 pm. 702 Bishop, Robert Lee. Lots of everything.
12-1tp

PIZZA -- PIZZA

Made from scratch and hand tossed, \$5.95. Delivery available in Robert Lee. Homemade pies and fresh bread made daily. Cactus Patch Cafe, 453-2039.
12a-1tc

FANS + FOOTWEAR = 4-FAMILY SALE

8 am - 4 pm Saturday, Oct. 19, 501 N. Franklin St. - beside Burwick's - Bronte. Lots of very nice ladies plus-size clothes. Brass baby bed and lots more!
12B-1tc

GARAGE SALE

409 N. Washington, Bronte. Homemade burritos for sale. Saturday, Oct. 19, 8:30 am - ?
12B-1tp

HELP WANTED

HIGHWAY GARAGE IN BRONTE

is now accepting applications for part-time bookkeeper. 114 S. State.
12B-1tc

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED

\$500/\$900 weekly potential. Process mortgage refunds in your area. Part or full time, call 1-216-233-4345, ext. 218 (24 hrs.)
12-4tp

\$1000s POSSIBLE READING BOOKS.

Part Time. At Home. Toll Free (1) 800-898-9778, Ext. R-9437 for listings.
12-4tp

NEED FULL- AND PART-TIME WAITRESSES AND COOKS

Apply in person only at 211 S. State, Bronte, 473-4003.
06B-tnc

\$1000s POSSIBLE TYPING.

Part Time. At Home. Toll Free 1-800-898-9778 Ext. T-9437 for listings.
12-4tp

CARD OF THANKS

WE SINCERELY THANK all the people who fervently prayed for Mary Jo all through her long illness and her going Home to be with the Lord; all those who sent the gorgeous flower arrangements, those who prepared food for the delicious meal, and also those who sent food to our homes. To all of you who by word or card expressed comfort or sympathy, we appreciate every one, and may God bless.

Nolan Pentecost
James & Kathy Pentecost
Evelyn McKinley
Janet & Robby Zook
Rachel, Mike & Travis Pentecost
12a-1tc

THE COKE-STERLING FARM BUREAU

Board of Directors and office staff would like to once again say a special Thank You to John Stephens for all his help in preparing the barbecue for our county convention and to everyone who attended this year. We would also like to thank the Robert Lee State Bank and the First National Bank of Sterling City for their donation of door prizes.
12a-1tc

NOTICES

THE ROBERT LEE ISD IS ACCEPTING

sealed bids for one 1997 12-passenger van. Specifications may be obtained by contacting William Hood, superintendent, 1323 Hamilton, or by calling 915-453-4555 between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday. Please mark envelope "sealed bid". Bids are due October 21, 1996, by 4:00 pm.
11a-2tc

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING JUNKED, WRECKED AND DISMANTLED VEHICLES ORDINANCE #297

AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO JUNKED VEHICLES, DEFINING TERMS, DECLARING JUNKED VEHICLES A PUBLIC NUISANCE, PROVIDING FOR NOTICE TO ABATE SUCH PUBLIC NUISANCE; PROVIDING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING; PROVIDING FOR THE DISPOSAL OF JUNKED VEHICLES TO DEMOLISHERS; PROVIDING A PENALTY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS:

SECTION 8. PENALTY

Upon conviction for violation of any provisions of this article relating to the maintaining of a public nuisance as described herein or in permitting or allowing such public nuisance to exist, such violator shall be punished by a fine not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00) and each

day that such nuisance shall continue after the time for abatement as herein set out shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 10.

The Ordinance was read at meetings held on June 6, July 11, and October 10, 1996. The Ordinance shall become effective as of November 1, 1996. PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 10th DAY OF October, 1996.

ATTEST: Pat Martindale,
City Secretary
APPROVED: Leslie O. Rolls, Mayor Pro Tem
12B-1tc

VOTE FOR LUIS CHARLES

Coke County Commissioner Precinct 2

Republican Candidate

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Luis Charles

Political Calendar

The Observer/Enterprise

has been authorized to make the following announcements for the political offices in Coke County.

Each candidate or the campaign treasurer has paid for his or her announcement. All political advertising, announcements, and printing is cash in advance.

COKE COUNTY SHERIFF
Mike Harris

COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3
Pat Percifull

COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1
Paul Burns

COKE COUNTY ATTORNEY

Lane Arthur
COKE COUNTY CONSTABLE PRECINCT 2
William "Keith" Fletcher

COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2
Royce Lee
Sid McGinnis

ORDINANCE NO. 1068
AN ORDINANCE LEVYING A TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE, TEXAS FOR THE TAX YEAR OF 1996.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE, 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 1996 as follows:

.3624 FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

(cont'd. next page)

...Classifieds

FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON DEBT OF THIS CITY .36424 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 the 12th day of September, 1996, and was executed in duplicate.

Kelly S. Nichols, Mayor
City of Robert Lee

Attest:
Kay Torres, City Secretary
12a-1tc

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that Bronte I.S.D. will accept bids or proposals for asphalt installation for an all-weather running track until 2:00 pm on Tuesday, October 29, 1996, at which time they will be opened and recorded by a school official. Bids received after that time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids must be in a sealed envelope and clearly marked: "Track Construction Bid". Bids will be received by mail or delivered to:

Bronte Independent School District
Office of the Superintendent
P.O. Box 670

Bronte, Texas 76933-0670
Bronte I.S.D. reserves the right to hold all bids for thirty days without action and to reject any and all bids.

12B-2tc

NOTICE!!

If you have any equipment which belongs to the Bronte Ambulance Service, please return it to Gwen at WTU, or call and someone will pick it up! Thanks!

11B-2tc

MISC

03a-1tc

5:30 pm.
Sewer, call 453-2711 before
cleaning. 453-2775: if no an-
power rotary sewer line
Repair Service and service,
LES GRAY'S AA-1 - Mobile

Johnson's Water Well Service

Farm
Ranch Home
Windmills & Pumps
24 HR. SERVICE
658-6039 or 655-0379
1-800-797-6039

GET YOUR BOAT READY FOR WINTER
Evinrude, Johnson, Mercury, Mariner, Chrysler engine service center (plus others). We make house calls. Five Acres Marine - Lake Colorado City. Call Bob Dennis, 915-728-8383.

11-2tp

MAMA CAT WITH 2 KITTENS.
1 male & 1 female. 2 months old. Free. 473-2063.

12B-2tp

WE ARE CURRENTLY OFFERING A WINTER FEED CONTRACT
(Offering Period Thru Oct. 26)

*Cubes, Creep or Protein Blocks

*Sacked or Bulk

*30 Day Accounts or Cash Discounts Available

*Contract Period Nov. 1, 1996 - March 31, 1997

For prices or other information concerning Winter Feed Contracts, please contact us by Saturday, October 26th.

We appreciate your business and hope we can help fill your winter feed needs.

KEY FEED STORE

Robert Lee
453-2611 or 1-800-276-8193

D & L DOZER SERVICE
Larry Spivey, Owner-Operator. PO Box 160, Bronte, TX. Phone (Oak Creek Lake) 915-743-2577.
39B-1tc

"TEXAS BEST" DEFLOODING & CARPET CLEANING

Free estimates
San Angelo - 944-0010
Bronte - 473-6603

BEGINNER SQUARE DANCE LESSONS

start Thurs., Oct. 10, from 8-10 pm at Bronte Community Center. First 2 sessions free. Good exercise for body and mind. Come out and join the fun. More info., 473-7771, 473-3161, 473-2166.

10B-3tc

CONCEALED HANDGUN CLASSES

offered in Bronte
October 19th
For more information call 365-5672.

Ivlie to release lake water

A release of about 35,000 acre-feet of water from Lake Ivlie into the lower Colorado River began on Monday, Oct. 14, and will continue for about two weeks. The release will have little or no impact to most downstream water users, according to officials from the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the Lower Colorado River Authority.

The release is being made under the provisions of a 1985 settlement agreement between the two agencies. Water supplies in the Colorado River basin have been significantly reduced because of the ongoing drought. This release will raise the level of Lake Buchanan by about two feet and increase the combined storage of lakes Buchanan and Travis to about 67 percent of normal storage levels. The lakes' combined storage is currently about 65 percent.

Lake Ivlie is located on the Colorado River about 150 miles upstream of the Highland Lakes.

ROBERT LEE STATE BANK STATEMENT OF CONDITION

September 30, 1996

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$14,477,453.86
U. S. Bonds.....	6,698,087.82
U. S. Government Agency.....	3,275,338.43
Municipal Bonds.....	3,563,734.73
Other Bonds.....	3,536,063.88
Federal Funds Sold.....	2,010,000.00
Banking House.....	476,386.71
Furniture and Fixtures.....	58,326.31
Cash and Exchange.....	1,173,765.36
Other Assets.....	847,273.64
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	\$36,116,430.74

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus.....	1,000,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	2,526,419.03
Other Liabilities.....	1,594,167.44
Deposits.....	30,795,844.27
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	\$36,116,430.74

OFFICERS

William H. Allen, President
Stephen J. Myers, Executive Vice-President
D'Ann Eubanks, Senior Vice-President

Cathy McGinley, Vice-President & Cashier
Pansy Bloodworth, Vice-President
Dee Anna Harmon, Assistant Vice-President

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James Clendennen
Peggy Davis

Wayne McCabe
Stephen J. Myers



"As Your New State Senator, I'll Work to End Welfare As We Know It."

Troy

Taking money from people who work to give to people who don't sends the wrong message.

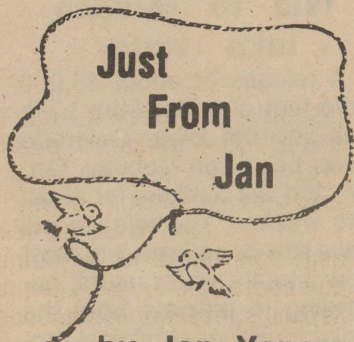
I want welfare to be a hand up, not a hand out, for those in need. As your new State Senator, I'll work for:

- ✓ No benefits for able bodied recipients unless they work.
- ✓ Tougher laws that limit able bodied to two years on welfare.
- ✓ Making unwed fathers of welfare children pay child support.
- ✓ Making welfare recipients agree to stay off drugs and keep their children in school and immunized.

Republican Troy Fraser: A Proven Conservative Leader Who'll Work for Our Texas Values.

FRASER
for Texas Senate

Pol. adv. paid for by Fraser for Texas Senate, P.O. Box 2058, Belton, TX 76513, Dian Graves Owen, Treasurer.



by Jan Yanez
Coke County
Ext. Agent

Pumpkin packs pizzazz into variety of dishes

Baking with pumpkin during the holiday season evolved because it closely followed the harvest time when pumpkin was in greatest supply. And so it became a popular tradition for the holiday table set for family and friends. Over 52 million homes now serve pumpkin between Halloween and New Year's, making it by far the most popular pie of the holiday season.

Think of dishes made with pumpkin. If the only one that comes to mind is pie, you are in for some delectable surprises.

Pumpkin's light, natural taste makes it the perfect blend with a wide variety of other flavors. Golden in color, canned pumpkin adds moistness, rich flavor, and smooth texture to an impressive assortment of both sweet and savory dishes.

Perk up breakfast at your house with pumpkin pancakes or waffles, pumpkin swirl rolls, or spiced pumpkin nut bread. For a pleasantly sweet and spicy spread for toast or muffins, try pumpkin butter.

Pumpkin also adds a unique flavor to soups. Try a refreshing chilled one made with half and half, fresh vegetables, seasonings and perhaps a dash of sherry. Party appetizers such as a pumpkin cheese ball or a creamy fruit dip made with pumpkin, yogurt and orange marmalade are superb tasting. Other pumpkin possibilities for parties include a savory sandwich mixture of pumpkin, cheese, celery and sour cream served in a large round french bread, and meatballs dipped in tangy pumpkin and apple sauce.

Salad lovers will be pleased to know that pumpkin is a tasty complement to refreshing salads and dressings. Add it to a chicken salad, for example, along with fresh herbs, seasonings, and nuts for a delicious salad mixture to serve in tomato cups, avocado halves, pineapple boats or pita bread.

Make a ho-hum entree something special by adding pumpkin. Try delightfully different dishes such as pumpkin pasta with walnut cream sauce, pumpkin crepes, pumpkin chili, pumpkin souffle, and pumpkin quiche.

Weary of the same old holiday menus? Enjoy a pumpkin stuffing to accompany this year's holiday turkey or serve a potatoes and pumpkin au gratin side dish with poultry or ham.

For distinctive, mouth watering barbecued foods, blend pumpkin with brown sugar, mustard, onion, garlic

and spices to make a rich barbecue sauce perfect for pork, chicken or beef.

Last but not least, a vast assortment of sumptuous desserts can be made with pumpkin. Frozen pumpkin dessert squares, pumpkin torte, pumpkin ice cream and cookie pie, pumpkin pudding,

pumpkin candy and pumpkin caramel sauce to serve over ice cream or pudding would be a welcome part of any menu.

Pumpkin is rich in vitamins A and C, beta carotene, iron, and potassium and is low in calories, fat and sodium.

Include SS in financial planning

When you're planning your financial future, be sure to include the Social Security benefits that you and your family may be eligible to receive now and in the future. You can get a personal earnings and benefit estimate

statement from Social Security that will give you an estimate of what you will get if you retire or become disabled, and what your family will get if you die. Call 1-800-772-1213.

* President Dwight D. Eisenhower was born in Denison.

PRICES EFFECTIVE Oct 17 thru Oct. 23
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AT ALL STORES
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120 W. Main - Bronte
473-2065

TROPICANA FROZEN REG./HOMESTYLE
ORANGE JUICE
12 OZ. CAN
79¢

ASSORTED SUNNY DELIGHT CITRUS PUNCH
64 OZ. JUG
99¢

ASSORTED JENO'S PIZZA
7.2-8.1 OZ. BOXES
2 \$1 FOR 1

ASSORTED CARNATION HOT COCOA MIX
10 CT. PKG.
1 19

ALL VARIETIES PLAIN OR WITH BEANS
WOLF BRAND CHILI
15 OZ. CAN
99¢

GOLD MEDAL ALL PURPOSE FLOUR
5 LB. BAG
99¢

ASSORTED LAUNDRY DETERGENT
TIDE ULTRA 2
92-103 OZ. BOX
5 99

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\$1.00 VALUE
EXPIRES OCTOBER 23, 1996
AT PARTICIPATING AFFILIATED FOODS MEMBER STORES
59¢ OLD FASHIONED OR QUICK 3-Minute Oats
18 OZ. BOX
FIRST 1-59¢ WITH THIS COUPON \$1.59 WITHOUT COUPON

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PLAIN OR IODIZED MORTON SALT
26 OZ. CTNS.
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BETTY CROCKER ASSTD. SUPER MOIST CAKE MIX
18-18.25 OZ. BOX
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GENERAL MILLS WHEATIES, CHEERIOS, TRIX, OR HONEY NUT CHEERIOS CEREAL
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FRESH RIPE BANANAS **4 \$1** LBS.

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NO. 1 BAKING POTATOES 4 LBS. **\$1 00**
FALL CROP GREEN CABBAGE 4 LBS. **\$1 00**
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BUY ONE GET ONE FREE DOLE SALAD MIX 1 LB. BAG **\$1 69**

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Redeemable at AFFILIATED FOODS MEMBER STORES
BUY ONE GET ONE FREE
WITH THIS COUPON THEREAFTER REGULAR SHELF PRICE
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PREFERRED TRIM BEEF
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1 39 LB.

PILGRIM'S PRIDE GRADE A DRUMSTICKS OR THIGHS POUND
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CORN KING SLICED BACON 12 OZ. PKG.
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PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF	\$1 69
ARM ROAST	LB.
PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF	\$1 49
CHUCK STEAK	LB.
PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS ARM BEEF	\$1 79
CHARCOAL STEAK	LB.
PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF	\$1 99
SHORT RIBS	LB.
CUBED BEEF	\$1 99
STEW MEAT	LB.
FRESH GROUND CHUCK	LB.
DECKER JUMBO MEAT FRANKS	1 LB. PKG. 99¢
DECKER-MUENCHNER SUMMER SAUSAGE	1 LB. PKG. \$2 19
HORMEL 10 OZ. PATTIES, 12 OZ. LINKS	\$1 29
LITTLE SIZZLERS	EACH
WRIGHT STACK PACK SLICED BACON	1.5 LB. PKG. \$2 89
RG'S WITH T.V.P. BEEF PATTIES	3 LB. BAG \$2 99
SANTA FE 10 INCH FLOUR TORTILLAS	10 CT. PKG. \$1 19
SANTA FE CORN TORTILLAS	32 CT. PKG. 99¢
WRIGHT 3-LB. AVG. MIN. FAT BLS. ROUND HALF HAMS	LB. \$2 49
OSCAR MAYER CHOPPED HAM OR HAM & CHEESE	16 OZ. PKG. \$2 49
OSCAR MAYER RED RIND MEAT BOLOGNA OR COTTO SALAMI	16 OZ. PKG. \$1 49
OSCAR MAYER OVEN ROASTED WHITE TURKEY	16 OZ. PKG. \$2 49
ASSORTED OSCAR MAYER LUNCHABLES	4.5 OZ. PKG. \$1 19
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