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Voter registration deadline nears for November 3 election

Coke County residents interested in voting in the November 3rd election should check their voter registration cards for accuracy before October 5, 1998. This is the deadline for any changes to voter registration records as well as the deadline for new residents and young voters who will be 18 by November 3, 1998, to register.

Anyone who has moved within the county needs to verify the information on their card to make sure it has been changed to the correct adices and voting precinct.

ne changes should also be to your registration

please call the tax office at 453-2614, or come by the tax office in the County Courthouse. Exercise your fundamental rights - REGISTER AND VOTE!

Bronte Homecoming

All persons planning to attend the Bronte Homecoming activities on October 10th, need to contact Marilyn Bivins at 473-6791 to make their reservations for the noon meal

Mountain Creek to host club



Change forms and registration forms are available at the Coke County Tax Office.

If you are unsure if your records are correct, can't find your voter registration card, or are not sure if you are registered to vote in this county,

Club with how hampionship tournam at a am and 1 pm.

For more information, contact Jesse Flores at 453-2317 or Ken Brackeen at 378-

Robert Lee State Bank and First National Bank of Bronte County Juvenile Justice Center September 22, 1998.

The center is scheduled to complete the new 96-bed addition and become an intermediate sanction facility for boys by February, 1999. Both banks were instrumental in obtaining the original facility, which opened in October of 1994, for Coke County.

Among those present for the ground breaking ceremony were (front row, 2nd from left to right) E. F. Glenn, First National Bank Board of Directors Chairman; Martin Lee, Mayor of Bronte; Bill Allen, Robert Lee State Bank President; D'Ann Eubanks, Robert Lee State Bank Senior Vice President; Alan Richie, Bronte Independent School District Superintendent; Frank Sanders, First National Bank President; and State Representative Rob Junell.

Baptists honor Pastor Bivins

The Robert Lee Baptist Church has recently honored their pastor, Garry Bivins, for his accomplishments.

Pastor Bivins was called to pastor Robert Lee B. Church on April 6, ton in the next 18 months a God sized ministry has prevailed. At the end of 1997 there were 36 new members added to the church and nine baptisms. So far in 1998, there have been 48 new members added and 24 baptisms, which is the most since 1956. Four senior citizens were baptized at the local swimming pool as they were not physically able to handle the steps to the baptistry. One of these seniors was 87 years old.

The church had its highest attendance ever in February of this year, with 227 people.

Pastor Bivins married Marilyn Glenn in September of 1967, and was ordained in 1979 at First Baptist Church in Littlefield, Texas. He served as a bi-vocational pastor at Harriett for eight years, before coming to Robert Lee Baptist

He is dedicated to the Lord and His work - to lead the lost



Pastor Garry Bivins

to Christ and to lead the saved to a higher level of spiritual awareness.

His life is a testimony to his favorite scripture, which is Proverbs 9:57.

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the Lord, and depart from evil.

Special program to be presented at Bronte Massonic Lodge

Teryonae is invited to attend a special program at the Bronte Masonic Lodge #962, on October 5th. The program will be presented by the Texas Parks & Wildlife Game Warden J.D. Gould. Warden Gould will give a short program covering the hunting and fishing laws and then answer questions from those attending. This program is open to all Masons, their families and others wishing to attend. The program will be of interest to all hunters and fishermen in

The rogram will start at 6 pm and refreshments will be served after the program. Bronte Lodge will open its regular meeting at 7:30 pm. All Master Masons are welcome to attend the lodge meeting.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Jack Moore at 473-2198 or Grady Coulter at 473-2038.

Bronte Nursing Home to have CNA classes

The Bronte Nursing Home would like to announce CNA classes that will begin in October. They will consist of 75 hours of training in a 12-15 day course. These classes will be available at no cost to chosen mature individuals who demonstrate an interest in providing care to the elderly and disabled.

Applicants must commit to attending all classes in order to receive their certification. After completion of 16 hours of classroom training, students will be given the opportunity to work in the facility performing skills they have mastered in class. They will be paid for time worked on the floor. Employment opportunities will be offered to the graduates based on staffing needs.

Anyone interested in attending these classes will need to contact Bronte Nursing Home. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Charly Busch LVN, SDN, or Pat Thralls RN, DON,

at 473-3621, between 8 and 5 pm Monday through Friday.

FSA Office taking nominations

The FSA Office is taking nominations for the County Committee election. Any eligible voter, in LAA #3, which includes all the east side of the county, may nominate someone for the ballot. The committee is actively seeking. minority, female and producers from under-represented groups for nominations. Nominations will be received through October 30, 1998. Petitions may be obtained in the County Office or by calling the FSA Office at 453-2751.

Outreach worker sets date in RL

Thelma Huichaca, with the Tom Green County Community Action Council, will be in Robert Lee at the Senior Center the morning of Wednesday, October 7. Ms. Huichaca will be working with those who need assistance on their utility bills. For more information, contact Ms. Huichaca at 653-1680.

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Tax statement time again

It is that taxing time of year again. Coke County property owners should look for tax statements to start showing up by the first of next week. The tax office encourages property owners to check the bills as soon as you receive them to make sure the records are correct. The sale or transfer of property during the year is not always reflected on the tax statement.

Verify that the property on the statement is everything you should be receiving a statement on. Failure to receive a bill does not excuse a property owner from paying the tax, or any penalty or interest for late payment. Prop-

SA Genealogical & Historical Society to hold meeting

The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, October 6th in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ at 901 Main Street, in San An-

Tom Green County/District Clerk Sue Bramhall will be the featured speaker.

Anyone interested in free lessons in Beginning Genealogy, taught by Bob Parks, should meet at the church at 6 pm, prior to the regular meeting. Membership in the Society is not necessary to take advantage of these lessons, which will be offered before every regular meeting.

The Society meets the 1st Tuesday of each month, September through May. All meetings are open to visitors. For more information call 949-2308.

erty tax bills are due upon receipt. Delinquent penalty and interest begins to accrue on February 1 if the tax is still unpaid by that date.

Taxpayers should make sure that any exemptions are applied to the correct property, and that special use valuations are applied to qualifying property (agricultural use. etc.). After verifying accuracy, to insure proper payment, statements should always be provided with payment. Taking a few minutes to check these items can save confusion and frustration, and help clear up any future problems with your property records.

Any questions concerning your tax statements can be directed to the Coke County Tax Office, in the County Courthouse, or call 453-2614. Payments should be mailed to P.O. Box 169, Robert Lee, TX 76945

Coke Country Juvenile Justice Community Council to meet

Monday, October 5th at 6 pm is the next scheduled meeting for the CCJJCC. The meeting place has been changed from the Bronte First United Methodist Church to the Wackenhut Correctional Facility. This is a community based council, and will begin to make plans for activities that they will provide this fall. This is also the time or year when they do their Membership Drive. Anyone who would like to help give financial support for this group, needs to contact R.T. Caperton, Mary Percifull or Elmer Hurley.

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TSHL resolution disapproves Sunset proposal

In their Seventh Legislative Session at the State Capitol recently, the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature voiced strong opposition to the Sunset Advisory Commission proposal to consolidate the functions of the Texas Department on Aging with the Texas Department of Human Services.

The Number One Priority Resolution recommended disapproval of the Sunset Plan. The Resolution was sponsored by Hazel Wright of Sherman.

Number Two Priority Resolution proposed the appointment of a Commissioner on Aging by the Governor of Texas. TSHL member Homer Lear of San Antonio submitted the Resolution, along with George Grimmer of Farmers Branch.

Other Resolutions receiving top priority included: Recommend lowering the authorized blood alcohol content for adults charged with drunk driving from 0.10 to 0.08. Raise the personal needs allowance of nursing home residents from \$30 to \$40 per month. Oppose the use of school voucher systems. Require a criminal background check on all persons applying for employment as a Home Health Provider. Prevent unauthorized phone billing. Oppose the deregulation of electric power. Provide protection from legal liabilities for citizen volunteers in Good Samaritan functions. Require

Texas Silver-Haired Legislature meet biennially in the House Chamber of the State Capitol. They are elected by their age 60-plus peers and serve without pay. The memª ber from the Concho Valley Region is Garland Davis of Robert Lee.

New business opens in RL

Clay Lewis has opened a massage therapy location in Robert Lee, at 1601 Euel. Massage therapy can provide relief of stress and tension, and also can improve circulation and pain relief. Home visits and gift certificates are available. To make an appointment, call 453-4765.

Clay is the son of Coe Lewis, retired Robert Lee postmaster. He attended Austin School of Massage Therapy and is an R.M.T.

Commissioners Court actions

The Coke County Commissioners Court met on September 28, 1998. The meeting was called to order with the pledge to the flag and prayer led by Jackie Walker.

The minutes were approved as presented.

Under open forum, Sid Eubanks presented a concern regarding Nipple Peak Road. Actions taken included:

A contract was approved with Tom Green County for housing of juveniles.

Kristi Roe and David Rawlings were nominated for the Coke County Appraisal District Board. o Court appround the

item transfer to correct fund disbursement. A request was made from

the Sheriff's office to allow payment of Reserve Deputy from October 1 through 9, and it was approved. Clerks for the general elec-

The Court approved a line

tion will be allowed as

The bills were approved for payment.

Coke County Library News

The Coke County Library has two copies of Ranch and Rural Living. This magazine has earned acclaim throughout the state for its well-written articles as well as its valid information. The September. 1998 issue is outstanding for it includes an article about the Skinners of Robert Lee and is written by Fred Homeyer of Robert Lee. Interested readers can see page nine for a good read.

The librarian met with the elementary school teachers to bring them up to date on the county library plans. It is hoped the collection can be expanded to include more books helpful to the public schools. The teachers and principal were receptive and gracious and laughed at a couple of jokes before starting their non-stop day.

Library hours are 8-12 on Tuesdays and Fridays; 8-4 on Wednesday and 1-5 on Thursdays. Books may be returned in Robert Lee or at th Main Street Mkt. in Bronte vou have a question, call 4

federal statutes.

Speaker Gaston wivest of Corpus Christic evolutions and 23 other Revisions would now be presented to the regular Texas Legislature for consideration in January 1999.

eration in January. 1999.

Members of the unicameral

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Treasurer. Jon at a later

They approved leaving Commissioners Court meetings on the second and fourth Mondays at 9 am.

The Sheriff and Constable fee is to remain as is.

Churches of Robert Lee

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Emmanuel Pentecostal PO Box 609 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy 915) 453-2360 Rev. Ray Aldridge, Pastor Sun. 10 am & 6 pm Wed. 7 pm First United Methodist Church PO Box 144 9th & Chadbourne (915) 453-2417

Rev. Jim McWilliams, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School 11 am Worship

Nor asiae Church of Christ PO Box 388 •9th & Chadbourne (915) 453-2619 or 453-2270 Services: Sun. 10 am; Wed. 7 pm Pecan Baptist

IFUBOX 542 . 12 W. Sterling City Tally 915) 453-4645 Rev. Dale Patterson, Pastor Sun. 10 am, Sunday School

11 am, Worship Southside Church of Christ PO Box 514 •8th & Houston (915) 453-2176

Rev. Frank Daniels, Pastor Sun. 10 am, Bible Study

11 am & 6 pm, Worship Wed. 7 pm, Worship Victory Assembly of God PO Box 638 •6th & Houston

Rev. Lloyd Thurman, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 11 am & 6 pm Worship

Wed. 6 pm, Worship Robert Lee Baptist Church PO Box 493 •22 W. 11th (915) 453-2724 Rev. Garry Bivins, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

7 pm, Prayer Meeting

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Repositioning firefighters

Due to the recent increase in thunderstorm activity to the north and the continued high fire danger in the west Texas region, firefighters who were staged at Hamby Volunteer Fire Department have been repositioned at Decatur. Aircraft currently staged at the Abilene Regional Airport will remain in place. Resources at the airport include an air tanker, three helicopters and an air attack aircraft. Ronnie Hamm, Incident Commander for the Abilene Branch of the West Texas Zone, stated, "The present fire danger and drought conditions in the Abilene area have not changed. The continued cooperation and support of the public will be vital if fire prevention and suppression agencies are to keep fires at a minimum." Firefighters are not going home, and are still available for initial attack response to the Abilene area. If a concentration of fire activity develops in the Abilene area, firefighters will again be positioned in the Abilene or Hamby area. Firefighters at the Ahilene Branch have responded to 90 wildfires that have burned 39,446 acres.

Since May 1st there have been 9,666 wildfires that have burned over 389,307 acres in Texas. The extreme wildfire danger alert will continue in western Texas until sufficient rainfall has been received to reduce the fire danger. A few days of rain won't have a proeffect on fuel moisture

Bree Bolding receives scholarship

Bree Bolding, daughter of Bobby and Gayle Bolding, is a recipient of the Todd Moore Memorial Scholarship. She is attending McMurry University.

Bree was involved in many activities in high school, including UIL, band contest, basketball, track, golf, cross country, class officer, student council, FFA, FHA, choir, Spanish Club, Beta Honor Club, and 4-H. She was also active in her church youth

Bree received many honors and achievements during her high school years. As a freshman, her honors included: Regional qualifier in FFA creed speaking, Social Studies "Woodsman" Award, All West Texas Track, 3rd in State in high jump, and Student Council reporter. In her Sophomore year, she was 3rd in State in High Jump, All West Texas track, and Student Council Secretary. As a Junior, her achievements included Regional qualifier high jump, All District Basketball, 2nd in State in golf, Usher of graduation, and Student

Council Vice President. In her Senior year, achievements included Regional Qualifier high jump, All District basketball, All District in golf, State Qualifier in Golf, Student Council President, Senior Class Vice-President, Homecoming Queen, and Lady Steer Award.

The Todd Moore Memorial Scholarship was established



Bree Bolding



Menu

Monday, Dct. 5 Turkey, laked Sweet Potatoes, 1/2 Fish Banana, Dinner Roll, Rnana Cake with Frosting.

Wednesday, Oct. 7
Barbecue Chicken Breast, Baked Beans, Fresh Fruit Cup, Creamy Cole Slaw, Lemon Meringue Pie. Friday, Oct. 9

Salmon Patties with Lemon Sauce, Tator Tots, Carrot Salad, Corn Bread, Cherry

Gospel Singing

Sunday

The regular monthly community gospel singing will be held Sunday, October 4th from 2 to 4 pm at the Central Baptist Church in Bronte. Everyone in the area is invited to come and enjoy this fellowship time together.

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caution to prevent wildings, as each day brings us closer to the typically dry killing frost conditions of winter. Big fires start from a small spark.

How you can help -Please be extra careful with anything that can start a fire. Dispose of matches and smoking materials safely. Abide by the county burn bans that are in e. ect. Hunters are asked to ock with local landowners and re officials before building a campfire on private property. Avoid outdoor burning. Keep barbecue grills away from anything that can burn, stay near the grill, and keep children and pets away from it. Residents should clear leaves and other flammable material off roofs, and trim tree limbs so they don't hang over the roof. Reduce brush, weeds other flammable vegetation at least 30 feet away from your home. Store firewood away from all structures. As the drought continues, water shortages will be experienced in many parts of Texas. Practice measures to conserve water, with the goal of reducing water use by 25 percent.



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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Steers lose defensive battle to Longhorns

by Bill Burns

When we as fans go to a football game and see our team lose, or read in a paper about that loss, we are disappointed. When the game involves an arch rival the sting is a little worse. But what we as fans seem to forget is the disappointment felt by the team and the coaches. We as fans invest three to six hours a week into a football game (if we go). The team spends at least thirteen to sixteen hours a week, plus the sweat, bruises and yes, sometimes blood. The coaches spend the same time at practice as the team, plus countless hours of film study and developing game plans.

It's okay to feel the sting of defeat, because that's normal, but as a team, coach, and/or fan we all need to be positive and work hard for the rext victory, because that's what makes us all winners in the

end.

1st Quarter

Bronte received the opening kick-off, and the Longhorns went to work on offense as the steer defense dug in to stop them. The Longhorns made a first down, but the Steer defense dug in and forced the Longhorns to punt. The Steers started a drive of their own at the Steer 14 yard line. Chase Rainwater and Andrew McCabe gained



Breakfast
Monday, Oct. 5
Orange Juice, Breakfast
Pizza, Cold Cereal, Milk
Tuesday, Oct. 6
Orange Juice, Banana Nut
Muffin, Cold Cereal, Milk
Wednesday, Oct. 7
Orange Juice, Donuts, Cold
Cereal, Milk
Thursday, Oct. 8
Orange Juice, Sausage &
Blueberry Pancake on Stick
with Syrup, Cold Cereal, Milk
Friday, Oct. 9

rito, Milk

Lunch

Monday, Oct. 5

Fish, Macaroni & Tomatoes,
Blackeyed Peas, Hush Puppies, Diced Pears, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 6

Chicken Fried Steak with
Gravy, Creamed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Homemade
Rolls, Peaches, Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 7

Orange Juice, Breakfast Bur-

Lasagna, Tossed Salad, Carrots, Crackers, Fruit Cocktail, Milk

Thursday, Oct. 8
Fajitas, Lettuce, Tomatoes,
Pinto Beans, Fruit, Milk
Friday, Oct. 9
Chick-Fil-A with Pickles, Tator
Tots, Baked Beans, Chocolate Pudding, Milk

enough yardage for a first down with good blocking up front by Jeremy Edging, Justin Kendall, Jeremy Eaton, Joel Gallegos, and Dan Mc-Cown

The Longhorn defense tightened up and Beau Boxell got off a 46 year punt for the Steers

The Steer defense has played well all year and this game was no different and they again forced the Longhorns to punt. The Steers started a drive as the quarter ended.

2nd Quarter

The Steer drive ended and Boxell got off a 45 yard punt for the Steers. The Steer defense stopped the Longhorns short of a first down and the Longhorns punted back to the Steers. The Steers moved for two first downs behind a 14 yard run by Rainwater and a 13 yard run by Michael Munoz. The Steers then had to punt with Boxell hitting one for 43 yards.

The Horns had the ball at their own two yard line after Boxell's punt. They gained only 7 yards and when the Horns centered the ball out the back of the end zone the Steers had a safety and two points on the scoreboard.

Boxell intercepted a pass to end the half.

Steers 2 - Bronte 0.

3rd Quarter

The Steers and the Horns both played hard in the trenches on defense as neither team could produce an offense.

The Horns forced a Steer fumble and recovered the ball at the Steer 30 yard line. The quarter ended with the Horns threatening to score.

4th Quarter

The Horns made good on their threat and scored from 1 yard out. The extra point attempt failed.

Neither team could produce much offense as each team's defense played a solid game.

The game ended Steers 2-Horns 6.

Let's go Steers!!!

RL Elementery School Perect Attendance

Robert Lee Elenemtary School announces the following students who have had perfect attendance or the first six weeks.

Pre-K - Mrs. Treadaway
Beeanca Bower, Sara
Heard, Chad Martin, Kimberly
Roach, Meagan Ross,
Zachary Sanchez, Dylan VanDeventer.

Kindergarten - Mrs. Bagwell & Mrs. Gibbs

Heidi Austin, Jessica Burns, Ginny Caston, Devon Clancy, J.P. Conner, Matthew Corona, Jake Cotter, Haden

Dillard, Joe Estrada, Gregory Gonzales, Jared Long, Amanda Mendoza, Logan Philley, Paul Pineda, Kacee Roberts, Joshua Rowoldt, Travis Sailer, Anita Saucedo, Heather Smith, Cody Taylor, Garrett Torres.

First Grade - Mrs Drennan & Mrs. Payne Emily Arellano, Briana Brisbin,

Cody Brosh, Sarah Coppedge, Dylan Deanda, Nathan Gregston, Garret Heard, Sarah Jones, Nancy Landeros, Blake Millican, Jacob Moreno, Stetson Nesbit, Olivia Trejo, Jathan Williams, Emilee Yanez.

Second Grade - Mrs. Duncan & Mrs. Horn

Holly Austin, Amy Barnett, Jennifer Barrett, Kaden Duncan, Morgan Hill, Arrin Minjarez, Dustin Moreno, Megan Robinson, Michael Rodriquez, Norma Rojas, Mason Ross, Cori Torres, Cody William Son, Jimmy Womack.

Third Grade - Mrs. Devoll & Mrs. McCown

Chelsea Conner, Cody Denton, Brody Dillard, Sterlin Ebenstein, Cameron Hodge, Briana Longoria, Melissa Martinez, Eddie May, Craig Mayfield, Allison Millican, Andrea Pineda, Chase Roe, Anna Rojas, Kasie Skinner, Michael Smith.

Fourth Grade - Mrs.

Bessent & Mrs. Roberts
Clay Antilley, Tim Barnes,
Nicole Barnett, Katie Bessent,
Kelsy Duncan, Brian Eubganks, Colton Holmes, Kevin
Honse, Dixie Johnson, Jessica Long, Cody McCabe,
Heather Mitchel, Will Parker,
Sarah Philley, Brettnie Reed,
Sammy Reves, Rosa Roiaca

Chelsey Rowoldt, Julianne Samaniego, Becca Skinner, Eleasar Vera, Chelle Wright. Fifth Grade - Mrs. Byrne & Mrs. Wilson

Tina Arellano, Clayton Austin, Tiffany Bagwell, Bridgette Barnett, Josh Conner, Crystal Colon, Cara Eaton, Lewis Hearn, Shannon Martin

Kyle Mayfield, Vincent McClelland, Kyla Millican, Lance Millican, Haylee Neighbors, Melissa Palmer, Branden Phillips, Amanda Robinson, Jennifer Smith, Brandon Soliz, Stephanie Trejo, Carolina Vera.

Sixth Grade - Mrs. Burns & Mrs. McCabe

Veronica Cerritos, Mark Colon, Kayli Jo Dickey, Becky Lockstedt, Jake McCabe, Kristina Manzanares, Andy Mulkey, Yolanda Olguin, Alana Parker, Clarissa Peel, Shelby Phillips, Robert Raney, Julie Riley, Lindsey Roe, Michele Sanchez, Drew Schultz, Brittany Soliz, Adrienne Vacura, Ashley Womack.





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	September 18	Eden	Here	8:00	7	40	
	September 25	Bronte	Here	8:00	2	6	
	October 2	Garden City	There	7:30			
*	October 9	Roscoe	There	7:30			
*	October 16	Roby	There	7:30			
*	October 23	Sterling City	Here	7:30			
*	October 30	Rotan	There	7:30			
*	November 6	Water Valley	Here	7:30		1	
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Horns take county championship to Bronte

Bronte 6, Robert Lee 2

The Bronte Longhorns traveled west last Friday night to battle their Coke County rivals, the Robert Lee Steers. The game was a typical Coke County clash - big hits, big plays and a hard fought contest on both sides of the ball for the entire 48 minutes.

After a scoreless 1st quarter, the Steers got on the board first when, on a 4th down punt attempt, the ball sailed over the punter's head for a safety giving Robert Lee a 2-0 lead at the half. The 3rd quarter was a repeat of the 1st, as each team could not get untracked with any offensive fireworks. The lone touchdown of the game came in the 4th quarter, when the Horns punched it in from 1 yard out making the final score 6-2 and bringing the Coke County Championship for 1998 back to Bronte.

A great team effort on de-



Breakfast Monday, Oct. 5 Peaches, Teddy Cereal, Grams, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 6 Sausage, Apple Juice, Pancakes, Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 7 French Toast Stix, Orange Juice, Blueberry Muffins, Milk Thursday, Oct. 8 Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Biscuit, Milk

Friday, Oct. 9 Breakfast Burrito, Mixed Fruit, Donut, Milk

Lunch Monday, Oct. 5 Pizza, Sweet Corn, Tossed

Salad, Milk, Brownies Tuesday, Oct. 6 Frito Pie with Cheese, Tossed Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Frozen Peach Cups, Milk, Peanut Butter Cookies

Wednesday, Oct. 7 Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Beef & Vegetable Soup, Carrot Sticks, Corn Bread, Milk, Chocolate Cake

Thursday, Oct. 8 Burrito, Tossed Salad, Spanish Rice, Diced Pears, Milk, Cherry Bars

Friday, Oct. 9 Barbecue on Bun, Pinto Beans, Pickle Spears, Potato Salad, Chips, Milk, Cinnamon

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fense allowed the entire Longhorn team to be named Defensive Player of the Week and Daniel DelaCerda was named the Offensive Player

Bronte Lady Longhorns results

The Lady Longhorns played at Colorado City on September 22nd and won 15-6, 15-13. Bonnie DeLaughter had 8 kills, Brittany Barrett had 5, Kala Arrott had 6, and Nicole Butts and Natasha Reed each had 1. Butts had 8 assists, Jade Richards, Lacy Schoenfield and Brooke Mc-Cutchen each had 2 assists, and Barrett had 1 assist. De-Laughter had 3 blocks and Arrott had 1 block. Brittany Barrett had 1 save.

The Longhorns played at Albany on September 26th, and won 5-15, 15-7, 15-10. Bonnie DeLaughter had 15 kills, 3 blocks, 1 ace and 1 assist. Nicole Butts had 3 kills, 13 assists, 1 ace, and 1 save. Kala Arrott had 3 kills, and 6 blocks. Brittany Barrett had 1 kill and 1 block. Jade Richards had 1 assist and 1 ace, and Natasha Reed had 1 block.

On September 29th, the Ladys beat Bangs. Bonnie DeLaughter had 8 kills, Brittany Barrett had 5 kills, Nicole Butts had 1 kill and o assists, Kala Arrott had 3 kills and 2 aces, Jade Richards had 4 assists, Lacy Schoenfield had 1 assist, Brooke McCutchen had 1 kill and 1 ace, and Natasha Reed had 1 kill.

The Longhorns record is 9. 5. They have one more no district game on Saturday, October 3rd against Albany.

Lady Longhorns District Opener

Saturday, October 10th au 12 pm, the Lady Longhorn Volleyball team will play their district opener against the Water Valley Wildcats at the Bronte gym. Please come and support the girls. Because of our Homecoming celebrations, the weekend will be long and tiresome. Your support and spirit would be greatly appreciated.

Twenty minutes following the parade on Saturday, the cheerleaders will be giving the Volleyball team a pep rally in the Bronte gym. Come and show your support.

of the Week.

Next action for the Longhorns will be this Friday night when they travel to Sterling City to take on the Eagles

Bronte Homecoming Dance

The Bronte Student Council will be sponsoring a Homecoming Dance following Friday night's football game on October 9th. The dance will start at 10:30 pm and last until 12:30 am. It will be held at the Community Center and tickets will be sold at the door. Entertainment will be provided by a D.J., and refreshments will be sold by the Student Council inside. Everyone is invited and welcome to

This dance is the second activity to be sponsored by the 1998 Student Council. Earlier this year the members prepared and served breakfast for the Bronte I.S.D. faculty to show their appreciation of the teachers and the administration.

Bronte JV Volleyball results The Bronte Junior Varsity

ville toall played at our orado City on September 22nd, and won in three games 15-4, 13-15, 15-9. láuren Williams had 5 blocks and 2 kills, Britni Adams had 3 blocks and 1 kill, Angie Harrell had 3 kills, Kara Thompson had 2 kills and 1 ace, Cara Sefcik had 5 assists and 1 kill, Stormy White had 4 assists and Chrissie Counts had 3

aces. On September 26th, the Bronte Maroon team lost to Albany in Albany. Natalie O'Bannon led the team in serving with 7 points and 1 ac. Michelle Owens and Katy Frazes also served well. Nic-

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hole Sensenbach had a great defensive game for the Horns.

The White team also lost to Albany 12-15, 15-11, 16-14. Cara Sefcik, Kara Thompson, Lauren Williams and Angie Harrell all had 2 kills each. Thompson and Harrell along with Chrissie Counts, Pam Kresta and Stormy White had 1 ace each. White had 4 assists, Britni Adams had 2 blocks and Williams had 1

Bronte High School Seniors nominated for Wendy's High School Heisman Awards

Nicole Butts and Rodney Adams, both seniors at Bronte High School have been nominated for the fifth annual Wendy's High School Heisman Award, announced Rick Howell of Bronte High school. The national awards program, created by Wendy's, the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NAASP) and the Downtown Athletic Club in New York City, academic recognizes achievement, community service and athletic accomplishments of high school senior men and women.

Nicole and Rodney excel in academics, ranking in the top 15% of their class., Nicole and Rodney both participate in extracurricular activities. Nicole participates in volleyball, basketball, and track and is Student Council President and a member of National Honor Society. Rodney participates

in football, basketball, track and golf and is Student Council Parliamentarian and a member of National Honor Society. Both have participated in local civic events representing different organiza-

A distinguished panel of judges, including past Heisman Memorial Trophy recipients and education, business and community leaders, will review the 102 State Award Winners and name 12 National Finalists, one male and one female representing six geographic regions, who will each be invited to New York

City to participate in the Heisman Memorial Trophy weekend festivities at the Downtown Athletic Club. One male and one female will then be selected as the National Winners and honored during the Heisman Memorial Trophy national telecast on Saturday. December 12 on ESPN.

The awards presentation will be made by Wendy's Founder, Dave Thomas and program spokesperson Archie Griffin, the only twotime Heisman Memorial trophy winner and current associate athletic director at The Ohio State University, and Dr. Thomas Koerner, the Executive Director of the DASSP.

"Nichole and Rodney have achieved a tremendous amount of success through their involvement in academics, community service and athletics," says Rick Howell, high school principal. "We are proud to honor them and they should be recognized as role models in our school and remarkable citizens within the community.

Founded in 1916, NASSP represents more than 46,000 middle level and high school principals and assistant principals. NASSP sponsors the National Honor Society, The National Association of Student Councils, the American Technology Honor Society, the National Association of Student Activity Advisers, the National Alliance of Middle Level Schools, and the National Alliance of High Schools, an organization of school-based teams across the country, working with principals to implement re ommendations in NASSASO reform report, Breakie

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s Old Fashione Hamburgers Restaurants were founded in 1969 by Dave Thomas, who named the chain after one of his daughters. In 1995, Wendy's merged with Tim Hortons, the second largest quick service restaurant chain in Canada, which features coffee and fresh baked goods. There are more than 5,200 Wendy's restaurants worldwide and 1,500 Tim Hortons restaurants in Canada and the U.S., with combined sales exceeding \$6 billion.

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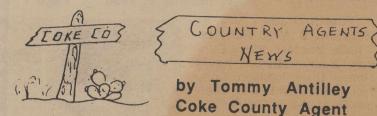
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Five rules for ranch drought survival

The probability of a major drought occurring or the possible length of an already existing dry period are usually much discussed subjects by Texas ranchers. For the West/Central Texas rancher drought is a way of life. During the past seventy years the West Texas area has encountered drought conditions two out of every five years.

Rule number one is to constantly evaluate ranch forage supplies and strive to balance livestock numbers with forage availability. Reducing stocking rates during drought pays dividends in terms of less damage to desirable forage plants, more rapid range recovery following drought, reduced supplemental feeding costs and fewer losses of livestock to toxic plants.

When estimating future forage supplies care should be taken to not overestimate the probability of receiving rainfall. For example, a rancher near Brady, Texas has only a 50% chance of receiving 2.0 inch or greater rainfall in September. Near San Angelo this probability drops to 40%. Being aware of the above probabilities will help make stocking rate adjustments based on

fact, not hope. Rule number two is to manipulate the livestock mix to reduce drought risk. In general, breeding herds should constitute no more than 60% of the total carrying capacity of a ranch with the remainder of the stocking rate composed of held over yearlings or stocker type animals. When additional forage is available extra animals can be purchased to take advantage of the feed. If drought conditions occur and forage supplies are limiting, livestock numbers can be reduced by selling the stockers or yearlings first without destroying the integrity of the breeding herd. Accurate records of livestock performance should be maintained so that when it becomes necessary to reduce the breeding herd, the least desirable animals are culled first.

Rule number three is to supplement livestock to insure that proper nutritional requirements are being met. This is essential to prevent a reduction in reproductive rates and overall performance of livestock during drought. For example, phosphorous is

known to be deficient in most Texas range forage. This mineral should be provided yearlong, free-choice to livestock as a 1:1 calcium:phosphorous mix. Phosphorous should be supplemented not only during drought years, but during the wet ones as well.

Vitamin A can also be expected to be limiting during drought conditions. This vitamin can be stored by livestock for a maximum of 90 days. When no green forage is available to livestock exceeding that length of time it should be supplemented.

Protein and energy can also be expected to be limiting during drought. To properly supplement these nutrients it is beneficial to utilize a forage testing program. The data obtained can then be used to establish what nutrients are limiting and in what quantity they should be supplemented. The result is an accurate supplemental feeding program that provides the required nutrients to each grazing animal while maintaining feeding costs at the lowest possible level. When supplemental feeding it should be remembered that pregnant females require a much higher nutritional level than animals simply maintaining themselves.

When the range becomes severely forage uspicied, caution should be used that supplemental feeding does not evolve into maintenance feeding. If each grazing animal is not able to obtain his fill from the range forage, supplementing this fill will only serve to accelerate permanent range damage by providing livestock the energy to continue to graze any and all remaining forage. At this stage, the alternatives are to either sell animals, lease additional grazing land, move animals to alternative sources of feed, or use a complete or semi-drylot program to reduce grazing pressure on the remaining

Rule number four is to be vigilant for potential poisonous plant problems during drought. The possible consumption of toxic plants during drought is increased due to reduced grazing selectivity by livestock. Such problems can be accelerated by livestock deficiencies of phosphorous or vitamin A which can greatly alter livestock grazing behavior.

Rule number five is to concentrate on other sources of income such as wildlife during drought. Harvesting wildlife during drought can be good drought strategy in that it promotes a reduction in the incidence of starvation, and associated diseases, and will help maintain the remaining wildlife in a more desirable condition for recovery when drought breaks. All of the above is accomplished while also providing much needed cash flow for the ranch.

In summary, droughts are of common occurrence on rangelands, especially in West Texas. The rancher who plans for these droughts, maintains adequate forage reserves by properly balancing his livestock numbers to the forage supply and uses sound range management principles will not be forced into panic culling of livestock on a depressed market. He will also be able to significantly reduce the long-term adverse affects of drought on the rangeland

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Unwashed hands are among the top 10 food safety mistakes made by consumers when preparing food. Washing hands before handling

nood means clean hands, and, in turn, that means safe food.

September was National Food Safety Education Month, and Texas beef pro-

ducers joined Texas Gov. George Bush in the Texas Partnership for Food Safety. Together, they remind consumers that "keeping it clean" is the first step to food safety.

"By taking simple steps such as frequent hand washing, the rate of illness can be drastically reduced and lives can be saved," says Gov. Bush.

Here are all the keys to eliminating bacteria and their ability to cause illness from the Food Partnership for Food Safety Education:

•Wash hands in hot soapy water before preparing food and after using the bathroom, changing diapers and handling parts. For best results, consumers should use warm water to moisten hands and then apply soap. Rub hands together for 20 seconds - the time it takes to sing "Happy Birthday" twice - before rinsing thoroughly.

•Wash cutting boards, knives, utensils and counter tops in hot soapy water after preparing each food item and before going on to the next one.

•Use plastic or other nonporous cutting boards. Cutting boards should be run through the dishwasher or washed with hot soapy water after each use.

•Consider using paper towels to clean up kitchen surfaces. Or, if using cloth towels, consumers ould wash them often in ot cycle of the washing mac.

Here are other vays to fight back against bacteria:

Don't cross-contaminate.

and seatood from other to in your grocery shopping and your refrigerator.

 Use a different cutting board for raw meat products.
 Never place cooked food on a plate that previously held raw meat, poultry and seafood.

Cook to proper temperatures.

*Cook roasts and steaks to at least 145 degrees F or medium rare. Cook ground beef to at least 160 degrees F.

•Bring sauces, soups and gravy to a boil when reheating. Heat other leftovers to at least 165 degrees F.

Refrigerate promptly.
•Refrigerate or freeze perishables, prepared foods and leftovers within two hours or sooner.

•Never defrost food at room temperature. Thaw food in the refrigerator, under cold running water or in the microwave. Marinate foods in the refrigerator.

•Divide large amounts of leftovers into small, shallow containers for quick cooking in the refrigerator.

•Don't pack the refrigerator. Cool air must circulate to keep food safe.

For additional information on how to avoid the top 10 food safety mistakes, request "Playing It Safe....A Market-to-Mealtime Checklist to Help Keep Food Safe." The brochure is available by calling 1-800-284-BEEF.

Johnson enlists in Marine Corps

Kevin Johnson of Bronte, enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on June 23rd.

Kevin is now in the Marine Corps Delayed Entry Prograwhile continuing his e tion at Bronte His' He is currently

e Corps Recruit ver Diego, California in

Kevin is the son of Morand Judy Johnson of Bronte.

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RLHS Perfect Attendance Awards

Robert Lee High School announces the following students who have had perfect attendance for the first six weeks of school.

7th Grade

Monica Barrera, Shannon Honse, Tyler Lott, Shannon Mace, Amber Perez, Monica Rodriguez, Andrea Rusgrove, R.J. Service, Travis Taylor, Rachel Wallace.

8th Grade

Alice Beach, Amber Brosh, Misti Brothers, Jason Dean, Jaziel Gallegos, Kindra Johnson, Amie Kendall, Mia Lopez, Anson Lott, Andrea Manzanares, Kindra Manzanares, Matthews, Ashlee Millican, Jennifer Nesbit, Juan Olguin, Robert Phillips, Travis Pitcock, Mark Riley, Shelby Roe, Nicole Sanchez, Krystal Soliz, Billy Williams, James Wojtek.

9th Grade Bret Ballew, Linda Barrera, Adam Cates, Jamie Chesshir, Taylor Clendennen, Trichelle Gray, Todd Hamilton, Jodee Helwig, Melissa Landeros, Kizre Matthews, Nathan Mecher, Whitney Millican, Rachelle Mills, Sammy Minjarez, Bobbie Sparks, Shanna Wojtek.

10th Grade

Mary Arellano, Shawn Barnes, Tiffany Copeland, De

Bronte Junior High volleyball results

The Bronte Junior High volleyball teams played ast on September 28th.

7th grade defeated in two games, 15-5, oring for the Short-

...ere Ashley Denton points, Natalee Reed points and 2 aces, Britany Eldred with 8 points and 2 aces, and Sheena Head had 5 points and 1 ace. Great defensive efforts were made by Kanah Coalson, Kendra Graves and Britney Mc-Cutchen.

The 8th grade was defeated in two games, 15-4, 15-13. Scoring for the Shorthorns were Lindsey Williams with 3 points and 1 ace, Jenna Herold had 4 points, Heather Richey had 6 points and 2 aces, and Khanni Beaucamp with 2 points. Great defensive efforts were made by Heather Sturgill, Melissa Walker and Jessica Speary.

The 7th and 8th grade teams will compete in the Sweetwater Tournament this Saturday, October 3rd. The 7th grade vs. Sweetwater at 8 am, and the 8th grade vs. Big Spring B at 10 am.

On Monday, October 5th, Bronte will play at Water Valley at 5 and 6 pm.

Shira Dickey, Justin Fluhmann, Amber Freeman, Jennifer Hamilton, Fernando Landeros, Kelly Lockstedt, Erin Millican, Favian Minjarez, Leticia Olguin, Chase Rainwater, Lewis Samaniego, Dixie Simpson.

11th Grade

B.J. Bessent, Deric Brothers, Daniel Cates, Joel Gallegos, Melanie Johnson, Jamie Luna, Andrew McCabe, Dan McCown, Kelli Osborn, Jodi Patterson, Matthew Pitcock, Jerry Riley, Sammy Schiwart, Ashley Townsend, Ted Townsend, Shane Wojtek, Jennifer Woods.

12th Grade

Holly Copeland, Brandie Cragg, Justin Francis, Chad Helwig, Justin Kendall, Kyla Long, Samantha Padgett, Jami Patterson, Isaiaz Ramirez, Ross Schultz, Joseph Shandley, Will Simp-

> **Duncan Family** holds reunion

Descendants of the late Peter Jefferson and wife Ara V. Splawn Duncan met Saturday and Sunday, September 26th and 27th, at the Holiday Inn in San Angelo. The Duncan Family were early residents of the Edith community moving there in 1905. There was lots of visiting and looking at old photographs. Saturday night most of the group attended the VFW in San Angelo and listened to the music of Sammie Duncan and the Country Kings Band. Sunday was spent visiting with family and friends. Receiving the award for the youngest family member present was Dorothy

oten of San Angelo. The ward for the person who traveled the longest distance went to Larue Jones of Tuolumne, California, and the person with the most family members present was J.B. Duncan of San Angelo.

Those attending were: J.B. Duncan; Kellie, Scott, Claire and Tess Wooten; Kelsye and Tyler Duncan; Sammie & Nancy Duncan; Helen Duncan; James, Jeannie & Jamie Lemley; Janice Fitzgerald; Ginger Herring, all of San Angelo; Bill Hare of Amarillo; Edith Gartman of Arlington; Bill and Grace Harrington of Pittsburg; Joan and Pat Laws of Montgomery; Wayne and Louise Reese of Bedford; Bill Meek of Hico; Luther Meek, Mel Meek, and Justin Meek, of Hamilton; Jewell Puckett of Thousand Palms, California; Larue Jones of Tuolumne. California; Don and Ruby Bell, and Elson Moseley of Lovington, New Mexico; Don and Martha Stewart of Lamesa; and Clinton and Joyce

Hodges of Sterling City.

Visitors were Bill Harmon of Robert Lee, Brityn Moore, Anita Aguilar, Nell Browning and Dennis Counts, all of San Angelo.

> RL Dogies take Shorthorns

by Cooper Riley The Robert Lee Dogies went to Bronte September 24th and brought home a victory. Within the first three minutes, Stewart Millican scored the first touchdown of the game. The 2 point conversion failed. The second touchdown was scored by Anson Lott on a reverse. The 2 point conversion failed

In the second quarter, Millican scored the third touchdown on a long run. The 2 point conversion again failed. At the half, the score was 18-

In the third quarter, Lott scored on a reverse. Travis Pitcock then connected with Cooper Riley for the 2 point conversion, making the score 26-0. At the end of the third quarter, Jaziel Gallegos scored the final touchdown which was finished with a 2 point conversion by Riley.

The Dogie Defense proved worthy holding the Shorthorns scoreless in the 34-0 Dogie victory.

RL Elementary Honor Roll

The Elementary School lists the following students who have achieved the Honor Roll for the first six weeks:

Third Grade - Mrs. Devoll O. MANO MAINTA

OF IVITO IVICCOVVII Molly Burns, Brody Dillard, Cameron Hodge, Ashley Hopson, Briana Longoria, Allison Millican, Taylor Percifull, Chase Roe, Kasie Skinner, Fourth Grade - Mrs.

Bessent & Mrs. Roberts Katie Bessent, Kelsy Duncan, Brian Eubanks, Kevin Honse, Dixie Johnson, Cody McCabe, Sarah Philley, Brettnie Reed, Becca Skinner.

Fifth Grade - Mrs. Byrne & Mrs. Wilson

Analy Gallegos, Haylee Neighbors, Stephanie Trejo, Cassidy Wink.

Sixth Grade - Mrs. Burns & Mrs. McCabe

Mark Colon, Stacey Denton, Kayli Dickey, Jake McCabe, Kristina Manzanares, Alana Parker, Julie Riley, Lindsey Roe, Michele Sanchez, Brittany Soliz, Ashley Womack.

> Robert Lee ISD School Board Meeting

The Robert Lee ISD School Board met in regular session on September,22nd in the high school library. All members were present. The following business was conducted:

*Minutes of previous meeting were approved.

*Bills were paid.

*Janet Wood, cafeteria supervisor, explained the daily operation of the school cafe-

*Mr. Wallace gave a report of the SBDM Committee's action on graduation policies.

*The Shared Services arrangement for Fairview Accelerated Education Coop was approved for 1998-99. *The Board approved a

proposal from Ponder Company of Amarillo for a gym service for the old gym.

*Both principals reports

*Superintendent Hood reported on various activities of the school.

The next regular scheduled meeting will be October 13th.



Jimmy Millican

Millican receives Bachelor degree

Jimmy Shane Millican received his Bachelor of Science degree in graduation ceremonies for the summer, 1998, semester at Tarleton State University in Stephenville. Jimmy earned a double emphasis major in Aquatic Marine Biology and Aquatic Fresh Water Biology.

Jimmy is enrolled in the College of Graduate studies program in pursuit of a Master of Science degree while teaching freshmen biology labs at Tarleton State.

Tarleton has bestowed the distinguished student honor upon Jimmy for each semester.

Jimmy is the son of .lim Wand Sharon Millican of Hamby and the grandson of David B. Millican and the te Evia Jo Millican of Silver, and P.D. Burk and wife, Lola Burk of Lometa.

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THE "BARBER" SHOP Hair care for the whole family. Located at 223 N. Lombard, Bronte, 473-4026. Open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9-5, Saturday 9-12. Late appointments if necessary. Owner: Debora Frazee-England.

09b-4tc

PARKER PLUMBING Residential & Commercial. All types plumbing repair - new construction, remodeling, fixtures, and sewer service. Licensed Master Plumber. 473-2131, Bronte.

34b-tnc

Christmas in October Hallmark Chrismas Merchandise 25% Of, in October Shop Early

Neta & Jan's Book Nook Specialty Gift Shoppe 1516 Washington (across from Robert Lee School playground) Open M-F 11-5, Sat 8-4 453-4786

DONNIE'S APPLIANCE & REFRIGERATION Window Units serviced & repaired. Electrical Troubleshooting. (915) 453-2188.

45a-tnc BRONTE MINI STORAGE has storage buildings for rent. Call 473-2221 or 473-2140.

> 06b-tnc PROFESSIONAL DOG GROOMING 473-2515

45b-tnc D & L DOZER SERVICE & CUSTOM FARMING Larry Spivey, owner-operator. PO Box 160, Bronte, Texas. Phone (915) 282-3038. 45b-tnc

CRUMPLER GENERAL CONTRACTING

Painting, carpentry, remodeling. Call 473-2691. 02b-tnc

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED CNAs needed for all shifts. Full time and part time. Competitive pay. Contact Sarah Lee, DON, Senior Citizens Nursing Home, Winters. Phone 754-4566.

36b-tnc HELP WANTED

Bronte ISD is accepting applications for a classroom aide at the Coke County Juvenile Justice Center. Contact Glen Coles, Administrator, 915-473-4040, or the Superintendent's Office, 915-473-2511, for an application. The position will be open until filled. Bronte ISD is an equal opportunity employer.

APPLICATIONS are being accepted t

12 noon, October 9, 15-a Patrol Deputy for C County Sheriff's Departm. Requirements include TCLEOSE certification and 4 years patrol experience. For more information, contact Coke County Sheriff's Office at (915) 453-2717 between 8 am and 5 pm.

09a-2tc

We are now offering a Winter Feed Contract on the following feeds:

20% Breeder Cubes 28% Breeder Cubes 32% Breeder Cubes 14% Creep Feed 20% Protein Blocks 28% Protein Blocks 37% Protein Blocks

Contract Period: Nov. 1998 thru March 1999 Sacked or Bulk

For Prices & Information Call or Come by

KEY FEED STORE

453-2611

Offering Period: Sept. 25 thru Oct. 17, 1998

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In Winters - Reliable, hard-workers for variety of shifts.

Apply at Personnel Services 1 Center Ave. Suite 210 (Nations Bank Bldg) Brownwood, TX



For Info Call 643-1238 or 1-800-643-1863

Apply Today, Start Tomorrow!

Mon-Fri, Day/Night Shifts.

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Brownwood, TX

Hard working, reliable workers needed immediately. Personnel Services 1 Center Ave. Suite 210



For Info Call 643-1238 or

SALES

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE

2 Picnic tables, exercise equipment, organ, garden tools, sewing machine, clothes, candles, and lots more. Corner of 6th and Houston. Sat. only, 7 til?

HUGE GARAGE SALE A little bit of everything! 123 NW Railroad, Bronte. Saturday 8 til ??

YARD SALE

Three family. Saturday, 10-3-98, 8 am - ? Cookwear, weed whacker, bar stools, clothes, misc. 412 E. Holmes, Bronte. 10b-1tp

RUNNION ESTATE SALE

Sat., Oct. 3rd, 1 pm - 6 pm. 1 W. 16th Street, Robert Lee. Clothes (all sizes), furniture, kitchen ware, and more.

10-1tp GARAGE SALE

Saturday 8-5. Camping, golf fishing, exercise equipment, plus much more! 820 Alice, Robert Lee.

10a-1tc GARAGE SALE 324 Briarwood, Bronte. Friday & Saturday, 8-2.

10b-1tp FOR SALE

Very nice large couch and 2 club chairs, wooden dinette table and 6 chairs. Call 453-2726. Can be seen on October 4th and 5th only.

10-1tp

OF THANKS

RE WORDS

express the love aude we have for our triends. Simply saying manks seems so inadequate. The phone calls, cards, visits, prayers, flowers, plants, food, and memorials helped us endure our loss much easier.

The Family of Ruth D. Wilkes 10a-1tc

OUR SPECIAL THANKS to everyone for the flowers. food, visits, cards and prayers during our time of need at the loss of our mother, Irene Johnson.

> In Christian Love, Russell Johnson Roma Holley & Family 10b-1tp

TO ALL OUR WONDERFUL FRIENDS AND FAMILY

"A Smile is Cheer to you and

The cost is nothing - it's giver iree

It comforts the weary - gladdens the sad

Consoles those in trouble good or bad

To rich and poor - beggar or thief

It's free to all of any belief A natural gesture of young and old

Cheers on the faint - disarms the bold

Unlike most blessings for which we pray It's one thing we keep when

we give it away." Thank you for being there for

May God Bless each one of

you.

10b-1tp

The Family of Sara Lara

10a-1tc A VERY SPECIAL THANKS

to all our friends and family during the time of George's surgery and during his recovery at home. Thanks for all the cards, flowers, visits and the food you brought over. Also for the same things while I was in the hospital. As always, we could not have made it without you.

We love all of you, George & Jimmie Snapp 10b-1tb

NOTICES

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT OF ESTRAY

On the 28th day of September, 1998, I impounded the following estray: Kind of Animal: Steers Breed: 3 Brahman Cross Color: 1 white, 1 red, 1 brown

with white face Sex: Male Age: 2 yrs.

Size: 450 to 500 lbs Brand, Mark, Identifying Char-

acteristics: All 3 have M Brand on right hip. White one also has J on left flank

and, on the 29th day of September, 1998, I filed a Notice of Estray in the Estray Book of Coke County, Texas. I have made a diligent search

egister of recorded brands in Coke County. Texas, for the owner of said estray, but the search did not reveal the owner.

Notice is hereby given that, if the ownership of said estray is not determined by the 15 day of October, 1998, said estray will be sold at public auction at Producer's Livestock Auction.

WITNESS my hand this 29th day of September, 1998.

J.W. Sailor Designee of Sheriff of Coke County, Texas

10a-2tc NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT OF ESTRAY

On the 22nd day of September, 1998, I impounded the following estray: Kind of Animal: Sheep

Color: Brown with black mark-

Sex:

Age: Fully grown Size: Approx. 90-100 lbs. Brand, Mark, Identifying Characteristics: None and, on the 29th day of

September, 1998, I filed a Notice of Estray in the Estray

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Mon-Sat • Day Shifts in Winters. Don't Delay • Apply Today!

Personnel Services 1 Center Ave. Suite 210 (Nations Bank Bldg) Brownwood, TX



For Info Call 643-1238 or 1-800-643-1863

Book of Coke County, Texas. I have made a diligent search of the register of recorded brands in Coke County, Texas, for the owner of said estray, but the search did not

reveal the owner. Notice is hereby given that, if the ownership of said estray is not determined by the 12th day of October, 1998, said estray will be sold at public auction at Producer's Livestock Auction, San Angelo,

WITNESS my hand this 29th day of September,

Rick Styles Sheriff of Coke County, Texas 10a-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE EAST COKE COUNTY HOS-PITAL DISTRICT AND BRONTE NURSING HOME OPEN ADMISSION POLICY

It is the policy of the East Coke County Hospital District and Nursing Home to admit and to treat all patients without regard to race, color, or national origin. The same requirements for all admission are applied to all, and patients are assigned within the Nursing Home without regard to race, color, or national origin. There is no distinction in eligibility for, or in this manner of providing patient services provided by or through the Nursing Home. All the facilities of the Nursing Home are available without distinction to all patients and visitors regardless of race, color, or national origin. All persons and organizations that have either occa-

Apply at Personnel Services

1 Center Ave. Suite 210

sion to refer patients for admission or recommend the East Coke County Hospital District and Nursing Home are advised to do so without regard to the patient's race, color, or national origin.

East Coke County Hospital dba Bronte Nursing Home observes Title VI of the Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, creed, sex, age, national origin, or handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program, activity or employment.

This policy applies to all resident/recipients, personnel, or any other individual having contracts or doing business with the facilities of East Coke County Hospital

> Ed Cumbie **Board President** Nancy Dewbre Administrator. 10b-1tc

Beef checkoff emphasizes youth education

The Texas Beef Council joined forces with family and consumer science agents of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to provide Texas students with information on diet and health. TBC furnished extension agents with order forms to request current and new beef checkoff materials that focus on nutrition and health. Apply Today - Start Tomorrow

Robert Lee Senior Center Memorials

The following Memorials have been received recently by the Robert Lee Senior Citizens Center. **Ruth Wilkes** Winnie Pitcock Curtis & Annice Walker Lillian Counts Curtis & Annice Walker **Marie Thomas** Curtis & Annice Walker

Menu

Monday, Oct. 5
Pork Riblet, Gravy, Potatoes, Green Beans, Toast, Peach Cobbler

Wednesday, Oct. 7 Carrot & Raisins, Fried Chicken, Potato Salad, Corn on Cob, Biscuit, Pudding. Friday, Oct. 9

Sloppy Joe on Bun, French Fries, Three Bean Salad, Ambrosia.

RN/LVN PART & FULL TIME 2-10/10-6 SHIFTS

CNAs ALL SHIFTS

RNSupervisor PART TIME Week Ends

with an excellent base rate, differentials, travel pay, added benefits include medical/life insurance, longevity bonus, vacation, sick pay, bonus holiday, holidays, and bereavement pay.

ROBERT LEE CARE CENTER Barbara Smith, RN DON 307 West 8th Robert Lee, Texas (915) 453-2511

(Nations Bank Bldg) Brownwood, TX

Assembly II- Press Operator!

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Day shifts in Winters - Great company!

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

You are hereby notified of the opportunity to submit written comments and/or request a notice and comment hearing concerning the Initial Issuance of FEDERAL OPERATING PERMIT (FOP) APPLICATION NUMBER 42 by West Texas Utilities Company for operation of the Oak Creek Power Station in Blackwell, Coke County, Texas. The location of the area addressed in the FOP application is

The purpose of the FOP is to improve the overall compliance with the rules and regulations governing air pollution control by clearly listing all applicable requirements, as defined in Title 30 Texas Administrative Code § 122.10 (30 TAC § 122.10). The FOP will not authorize new construction or authorize the site to increase emissions.

A copy of the completed application, draft FOP, compliance certification, and if required, the compliance re available for inspection and reproduction at the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) San Angelo Regional Office, 301 West Beauregard Avenue, Suite 202, San Angelo, Texas, phone (915) 655-9479 and at the TNRCC Central Office, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Bldg. C, Room 108W, Austin, Texas.

Individual members of the public who wish to inquire about the information contained in this notice or to inquire about other agency permit applications or permitting processes should call the TNRCC Office of

All written comments or hearing requests concerning the permit application or draft permit shall be sent to TNRCC, Operating Permits Division, Technical Operating Permit Support (MC 163), PO Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. All written comments received within 30 days after publication of this notice shall be considered by the Executive Director in determining whether to issue or not to issue the permit. All comments received will be responded to, in writing, by the TNRCC. However, only comments pertaining to whether the draft permit provides for compliance with the requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 122 can initiate changes in the permit. All written comments will be made available for public inspection at the TNRCC Central Office in Austin. This notice is to be published on October 2,

Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the area addressed in the FOP application may request the TNRCC to hold a notice and comment hearing on the permit application pursuant to 30 TAC § 122.340(c). All requests for hearing must be received in writing within the 30-day comment period. If a request is received, a separate notice, detailing the hearing, will be published at least 30 days in advance of the hearing. If a hearing is requested, anyone who submitted comments or a hearing request within the 30-day public notice period, will be notified of the scheduled hearing in writing, by the TNRCC. To verify whether a hearing will be held, if you did not submit comments or a hearing request, please call the Office of Public Assistance at (800) 687-4040 within 2-4 weeks of



DON'T FORGET!

Remember to Register to Vote by Monday, October 5th, to be eligible to vote in the November 3rd General Election.

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