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Fall hunting season set to open November 7

What single event in West Texas will make folks forget the sex scandal, football season, the Wall Street decline, and whether the New York Yankees can sweep the World Series? The answer is the opening of the General Hunting Season for whitetail deer and turkey on Saturday, November 7, continuing through January 3, 1999.

Deer limits for all combined seasons (archery, gun and muzzle-loader) is 4 deer, no more than 2 bucks. No antlerless permit is required.

Despite the long drought, poor domestic crops, and shortage of grasses and feed, most deer appear in good shape. That could be due to the reduction of livestock on acreages and deer are able to travel to more grazing (like highway right-of-ways). Deer haven't been ob-

served in record numbers and trophy racks may be fewer, but the season still holds promise of a good hunt for most.

On the plus side, deer may be more visible around feeders and water holes. Biologists and deer specialists are advising hunters to harvest early while body conditions are good and to relieve grazing pressure.

Turkey season traditionally

Demonstrations to benefit West Texas Relief

McCutchen Quarter Horses and Johnson's Border Collies will conduct demonstrations to benefit West Texas Rehabilitation Center Saturday, October 24 at the Coke County roping arena in Bronte.

Activities begin at 8 am at the arena which is located on Hwy. 158 West, and Rehab's chuckwagon will be on hand serving beans and cornbread at noon.

There is no admission charge, however, donations to Rehab will be accepted at the chuckwagon.

McCutchen Quarter Horses, owned by Wayne and Melinda McCutchen, specializes in breeding foundation Quarter horses. Their demonstration will include cutting, roping and reining.

Johnson will present a working stockdog demonstration, followed by a training clinic.

For more information, contact the McCutchens at 473-3201, Johnson at 473-2003 or WTRC at 223-6300.

runs concurrent with deer season, November 7 through January 3. Bag limit for all seasons combined is four per license year. Hunters may take either sex during the long fall season but during the spring season, April 3 through May 9, 1999, only gobblers may be taken.

Early warm spring rains aided turkey hatches which foraged on large insect infestations. Combine those poultts with a good base of mature, carry-over birds and a good season is expected.

As always the best advice for the upcoming season is to pick up a few copies of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Outdoor Annual - 1998-1999, pass them out to your companions and read from cover to cover. If you don't find the answer to your question, please call local Game Warden Sgt. Gary Mitchell, 453-2324 or mobile 557-4179.

Hunter education course to be held

A hunter education course will be held in Robert Lee Saturday, October 24th, and Saturday, October 31st, from 8 am until 12 noon each day to certify in the 8-hour training. Mrs. Dianne Simpson will teach the course in the commissioners' courtroom at the courthouse.

Every hunter (including out-of-state hunters) born on or after September 2, 1971, must successfully complete a hunter education training course.

For more information, please contact Mrs. Simpson at 453-2344 or the local TPW Game Warden, Sgt. Gary Mitchell at 453-2324.

Make A Difference Day

Saturday, October 24 at 9 am, everyone is asked to help others. On this 8th annual "Make A Difference Day," we will meet at the school tennis courts in Bronte for a day of clean up on the Kickapoo Creek that crosses the school campus. We need volunteers. Your time (one hour or more) and/or some equipment such as weed eaters, lawn mowers, rakes, hoes, trailers, etc.; would help make this area a safer place for our Nature Studies.



By Kristina Manzanares
Fire Prevention Week was observed at Robert Lee Elementary School. The posters were posted everywhere and Deputy Fire Marshall Rick Drennan and dispatcher Bud Thompson brought one of the fire trucks to school. Students enjoyed and learned from looking at the fire truck and the equipment.



Bronte Elementary first graders are treated to a ride back to school on top of the fire engine following their tour of the fire station as part of Fire Prevention Week. Mr. Boyd even let them listen to the siren!

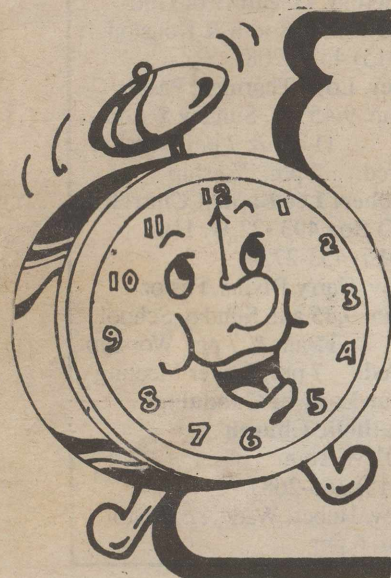
50 Year pins to be presented at Masonic Lodge

Everyone is invited to attend the presentation of 50 year pins to Brother James Lammers and Brother George James at the Bronte Masonic

Lodge #962 in Bronte, on October 25th, at 2 pm. All family, friends and Masons are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served after the program.

For more information, please contact Jack Moore at 473-2198 or Grady Coulter at 743-2038.

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Daylight Savings Time Ends

Texas, along with most of the nation, will "fall back" to Standard Time at 2 am on Sunday, October 25th. Folks will get an extra hour of sleep by running their time pieces back one hour.

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Obituaries

Whitworth

Josephine (Josey) C. Whitworth, a long time San Angelo resident, passed away early Sunday morning, October 18, 1998, in Community Medical Center Hospital after a brief illness.

Josey was born on July 1, 1918 in Brownwood, Texas. She was 80 years of age at the time of her passing. She had been a resident of San Angelo since 1950. Josey had spent the last year of her life with her son Richard and his wife Kathie in their home on Oak Creek Lake, near Blackwell.

She married Lamar H. (L.H.) Whitworth April 6, 1941 in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. He preceded her in death on September 13, 1977.

Josey was a retired civil service employee, retiring from Goodfellow Air Force Base in 1978, after over 30 years of civil service that began with a career at Camp Bowie in Brownwood.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, and had been since moving to San Angelo in 1950.

Josey is survived by one son, Richard and wife Kathie of Blackwell, one grandson Richard, Jr. and his wife Nicole of San Angelo, a step-grandson, Christopher Ehl and wife Tammy of Fort Hood, two step granddaughters, Rebecca McVey and husband Daniel of Blackwell, and Monica Joy Schramm and her husband Fred of Irving. She is also survived by one nephew David Bullion and wife Loretta of Eden, two great nephews, three great nieces and six step-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 pm in the Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel. Services were conducted by Rev. Larry Shotwell, associate pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Angelo. Interment was in Leavenworth Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers were Al Holcomb, David Wood, and Jim Simmons of San Angelo; Russ Wristen of Abilene; James David Bullion of Brownwood; and Stephen Ehl of Blackwell. Honorary pallbearer was Tim Kenner of Granite Shoals.

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Tent revival coming to Bronte

An old-fashioned Tent Revival is coming to Bronte. Sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Bronte, these revival services will begin this Sunday, October 25, and continue through Wednesday, October 28. A large tent will be erected on the lot on the southeast corner of West Holmes and Southeast Railroad streets. Chairs will be provided, but you are free to bring your own lawn chair, if you like.

Evangelist for these meetings will be Steve Cody from Lenapah, Oklahoma. Steve is a full-time vocational evangelist who travels across the nation leading in revival services. His summer schedule is usually filled with participation in cowboy camp meetings.

Musician for the week will be Steve Faulkner from Early, Texas. Steve serves as the Minister of Music and Youth at the First Baptist Church of Early. He is also active in ministering at camps and on the campus of Howard Payne University in Brownwood. He calls himself the "World's Oldest Teenager." He will be leading in and presenting a variety of gospel music for these revival services.

Services will be under the tent each evening at 7 pm. Sunday morning's service will be held inside the church auditorium at 10:55 am. A special Bible study time for all ages will be held Sunday morning at 9:45 am. (Don't

forget the time change - set your clocks back an hour on Saturday evening.) Monday through Wednesday, potluck lunch and Bible study on the parables of Jesus will be held at noon in the Fellowship Hall.

Special events are also being planned for the Tent Revival. Following the Sunday morning service, everyone is invited to stay for "Dinner on the Grounds." Sunday evening will be Youth Night. Following the evening service, all youth 7th grade and up are invited to stay for pizza, games, and a "hayless" hayride. Tuesday evening at 6 pm, all children in grades 1-6 are invited to join with Steve Cody and Steve Faulkner around the campfire for a hot-dog supper and fellowship.

The public is invited to attend and participate in any and all of these special services. For more information, call 473-2331 or 473-5661.

Courthouse to close for election

The Coke County Courthouse will be closed on Tuesday, November 3rd. The closing is due to the building being designated as a polling place for Precinct #3 voters in the General Election.

Methodists to hold Garage Sale

First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee will hold a garage sale at the church on Saturday, October 24th, from 9 am to 3 pm. The church is located at the corner of 9th and Chadbourne.

Clint Porter is not certified for Constable. He has a job at the Park in Bronte, which needs lots of work. He also builds fence for the public. The other men are certified. Russell Johnson's temperament is okay, and he will stand up for what he believes is right.

Sid Eubanks
Pd. Pol. Adv. by Sid Eubanks

Farm Service Agency announces 18th CRP sign-up

The next CRP general sign-up will be held during a 7-week period from October 26 through December 11.

This is another opportunity for landowners to sign up for a voluntary program to get financial and technical assistance for improving their land, water and wildlife resources. If you've never tried to get into the program, if your CRP contract offers were not accepted in the last sign-up or if your contract expires in 1999, this is the time to make a new contract offer.

The new, environmentally-focused CRP provides immediate benefits to producers, ranchers and taxpayers through reduced soil erosion, improved water quality and expanded wildlife habitat. Under this voluntary program, landowners enter into contracts with USDA to place erodible and other environmentally sensitive cropland in conservation practices for 10 to 15 years.

The COC will continue to evaluate and rank all eligible CRP offers using an Environmental Benefits Index (EBI).

Interested producers and landowners should contact the Coke County FSA Office at 915-453-2751 for additional information.

Churches of Robert Lee

Invite You to Worship

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

Wed. 7 pm Choir

Northside Church of Christ
PO Box 388 • 9th & Chadbourne
(915) 453-2619 or 453-2270

Tommy Williams, Minister
Services: Sun. 10 am & 6 pm;
Wed. 7 pm

Pecan Baptist
PO Box 542 • 12 W. Sterling City Hwy
(915) 453-4645

Rev. Dale Patterson, Pastor
Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
11 am, Worship

Southside Church of Christ
PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
(915) 453-2176

Frank J. Daniels, Preacher
Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
11 am & 6 pm, Worship
Wed. 7 pm, Worship

Victory Assembly of God
PO Box 638 • 6th & Houston
(915) 453-2208

Rev. Loyd Thurman, Pastor
Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
11 am & 7 pm Worship

Wed. 7 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

Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Catholic Church
601 W. 10th
(915) 365-2687

Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
Sat. 6 pm

**Don't Miss the
Tent Revival**

coming to Bronte

October 25 - 28

7:00 p.m. each night

also at 10:55 a.m. on Sunday

**Noon Bible study/pot-luck lunch Monday-Wednesday
"Dinner on the Grounds" following Sunday morning service**

**Sponsored by First Baptist Church
(on the lot at W. Holmes & S.E. Railroad)**

Evangelist **Steve Cody** Lenapah, Oklahoma
Musician **Steve Faulkner** Early, Texas

Special Youth Night (pizza & "hayless" hayride) on Sunday after the p.m. service for all youth grade 7 & up
Special Children's Night (hot dogs around the campfire) on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. for all children in grades 1 - 6
[for information, call 473-2331 or 473-5661]

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453-2715

90th Birthday for Helen Kirkland

Wanda Caperton of Brentwood, Tennessee, Jettie McKnight of San Angelo, and Gwen Brice of Tulia will host a 90th birthday party for their mother, Helen Kirkland, in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Bronte from 2 to 4, on October 24. It is hoped her friends, relatives and neighbors will come and join in the happy celebration.

Helen's grandfather and grandmother, H.H.H. and Eliza Jane Bailey Hayley, were early day pioneers. A.R. and Leila Bell Taylor Hayley lived in Coke County many years, the last dozen years at the H.H.H. Hayley home place at Hayrick. It will be in the family 100 years soon, being owned now by Bob Lasswell. Grandpa H.H.H. Hayley purchased the place from Fred Roe's father in the early days.

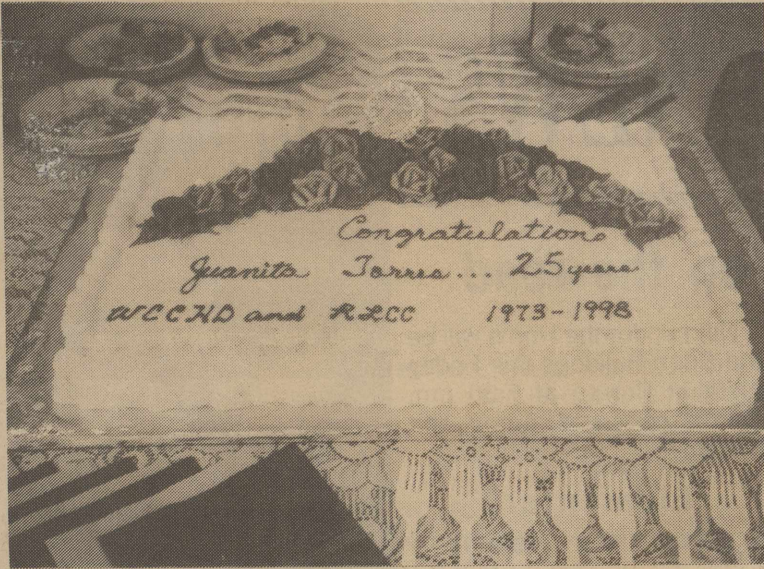
Helen was Bronte City Secretary from July 1954 to July 1984. She is still active in the First United Methodist Church and in many community activities. She has taken great pleasure, through the years, in the Bronte High School football games. She is a Dallas Cowboy fan, and also enjoys watching football, no matter who is playing, on Monday nights. She enjoys eating with the Senior Citizens, and one day a week she can be found quilting at the quilting club.

Helen's health was perfect for 80 years, but then came the hearing aid, angina pectoris, a pacemaker, carotid artery operation, cataract surgery, Bell's palsy and after all that, angioplasty. But she bore each illness with a confidence of quick recovery, and now is again in very good health.

In all her years of driving a car, she'd only received one ticket. However, this year she decided the better part of wisdom was to stop driving. That does something for her that the years couldn't do - it makes her feel old. She is a people person so when she stays in all day and sees no one, she feels a little useless.

But she's always ready to cook a meat dish and bake a cake or a cobbler for community occasions, talk to a friend on the telephone, watch TV or write a letter to the cousins. She crocheted beautiful afghans for her daughters. Now, she can't make herself crochet any more. But let Dora Galloway invite her for brunch and games and you will find Helen a very happy guest.

We wish for her continued good health and many more happy birthdays.



The Robert Lee Care Center dining room was the site September 30 for an anniversary party honoring Juanita Torres for 25 years of employment with West Coke County Hospital District and Robert Lee Care Center.

Roger Alexander, RLCC Administrator, presented Juanita with a silver tray engraved with her date of employment, along with a silver framed picture album and silver and gold earrings, as tokens of appreciation for her long service to the facility.

Cake and punch were served to Juanita, her children, some of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, along with residents of the center, staff, and friends.

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SHAMROCK CLINIC OF ROBERT LEE

in association with
SHANNON CLINIC
will be offering

Mammogram Screenings

Thursday, October 29, 1998
Shamrock Clinic of Robert Lee
722 South Washington

To schedule an appointment, please call

1-800-530-4143, extension 3235 or 3229

It's important

Although women should get an initial mammogram by age 40, it's especially crucial for older women to have regular screenings because the risk of developing breast cancer increases with age.

Women ages 40 or above should have annual screenings, because early detection is a key factor in successful treatment.

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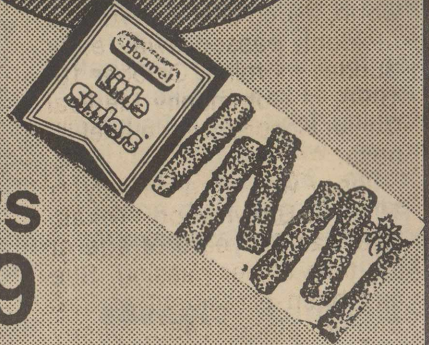
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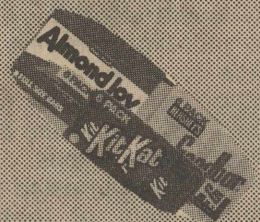
3 6 oz. cans / \$1



Assorted Varieties
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Candy

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bag

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12 Pk, 12
Oz. Cans

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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Longhorns down the Buffaloes on the road

The Bronte Longhorns traveled to Cross Plains last

Bronte Fall Festival planned

Activities for the Bronte community have been organized for Saturday, October 31st. First, the City of Bronte and the Bronte schools are encouraging a town wide trick or treat time from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Please have your children do their door to door trick or treating during this designated time.

The annual Fall Festival will begin at 6 pm and conclude at 9 pm. Class sponsored booths, including football throws, cake walks, bus bashing, food, and a haunted house, will be held at the Bronte Schools. The All Sports Booster Club encourages all to come and enjoy the festivities.

Science classes extend invitation for Make A Difference Day

Mrs. Taylor's Science classes of Bronte Junior High School would like to extend an invitation for you to join them on Saturday, October 24th, which has been designated as "Make A Difference Day" in our National environment and eighth grade classes have joined hundreds of schools nationwide in an important project called "Biodiversity Counts."

Their project has been centered around Kickapoo Creek, which cuts across the school campus. They are making ecological studies of the plant and animal ecosystems in and around the creek. Their first observations were shocking as to the amount of man-made pollution around the creek. They decided to seek help in a "Clean-Up" campaign for this area.

They would also like to propose a "Nature Trail" that would run the length of the creek adjacent to the school campus. This area could possibly be used by all of the Bronte ISD students from Pre-K through 12th grades for scientific studies as an outdoor classroom. The community would also benefit from this endeavor by having a nice place to walk or jog as a change from the track field. It would also add to the beauty of the school campus.

If you are interested in the advancement of their extended learning in this area, they would like to invite you to meet them on October 24th at 9 am, at the school tennis courts, to help clean up Kickapoo Creek for the school and community. They hope that their "Biodiversity Counts" project increases the awareness and consciousness of the biodiversity crisis and forms a growing community of young citizens who will be responsible stewards of the planet.

Friday night to battle the Buffaloes in a District 13-A game matching two teams with 1-0 district records. When the dust had settled the Horns came away with the win, 28-9.

The first half the Longhorns had it their own way. Playing great defense and giving the offense many opportunities, the Horns built up a 21-3 lead at the half. The second half became more of a defensive struggle as each team scored one touchdown, making the final score 28-9.

Class of 1988 Ten Year Reunion

The Bronte Class of 1988 gathered on Saturday, October 10, at the Bronte Activity Center for their ten year reunion.

Those attending were Paul and Sheila Basquez of Bronte; Jill (Strickland) Cloud of Odessa; Lee Daulong of Bronte; DeAnn (Parker), Bill, Chloe and Beau Grigg of Bronte; Jansen Hale of Tennyson; Cody Hartman of San Angelo; Jeff, Kim and Kolby Lee of Bronte; Molly (Glenn), Stephen, Jarrett, Jordan and Jacee Lee of Mertz; Kelly (Culp), Blair, Ashley and Will McGinnis of Laredo; John and Shannon Morrow of Mertz; Alysa (Bilbrey), Tevin and Garrett Powers of San Angelo; Melinda (Parker) and Jensen Reed of Bronte; Michelle (Jones) Sanders of Grace-mont, Oklahoma; and Josette Weaver of San Antonio.

Next up for the Horns will be the Eden Bulldogs this Friday night in Bronte at 7:30 pm. Come out and enjoy the game.

Elementary students learn fire prevention

October 5-9 was Fire Prevention Week. To help them learn about fire prevention, Marty Boyd gave tours of the fire station to all Bronte Elementary children in Early Childhood, Pre Kindergarten, Kindergarten and First Grade. He explained the differences between the fire trucks and showed them the different equipment on the trucks. Mr. Boyd passed around the pieces of his fire suit for everyone to touch. The tour culminated with a ride on top of the fire truck back to school.

Bronte JV team beats Miles

The Bronte JV team hosted Miles on October 13th, and won 15-2, 15-1.

Cara Sefcik had 1 kill and 3 assists, Kara Thompson had 1 kill and 2 aces, Lauren Williams had 2 kills and 2 blocks, Stormy White had 2 assists, Angie Harrell and Britni Adams each had 1 kill, Chrissie Counts had 1 block, and Kelly Cooper had 1 ace. Shannon Van Vleck and Pam Kresta played a good defensive game.



Ashley Royall and Ashley Fisher feel how heavy a fire fighter's boots are during their tour of the fire station as part of Fire Prevention Week.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

We are in Mrs. Taylor's 7th grade class of Bronte Junior High School. We are studying a project called "Biodiversity Counts." After having been down to Kickapoo Creek, we realized how much the creek needs a cleaning. Therefore, we have decided to clean up man-made pollution around the creek on October 24th, "Make a Difference Day," from the dip in Meadow Lane to

Westwood Road. We would like you to join us in cleaning the creek beginning at 9 am.

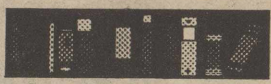
We would also like to help build a nature trail for grades Pre-K through 12th, which the community could use as well. The trail would be used for recreational, as well as educational purposes. We hope you will come to help us, and we appreciate your time.

Sincerely,
Roy Lee Flores
Ariel Marrs
Brittany Eldred
Sheena Head

Please Vote on Nov. 3
I would appreciate your continued support.
David Rawlings
Candidate for Commissioner, Pct. 4

Pd. Pol. Adv. by David Rawlings

SCHOOL MENU



Breakfast

Monday, Oct. 26
Holiday
Tuesday, Oct. 27
Cereal, Sliced Peaches, Pop Tart, Milk
Wednesday, Oct. 28
French Toast Stix, Orange Juice, Banana Nut Muffin, Milk
Thursday, Oct. 29
Scrambled Eggs, Hash Browns, Grape Juice, Biscuit, Milk
Friday, Oct. 30
Sausage, Apple Juice, Pancakes, Milk

Lunch

Monday, Oct. 26
Holiday
Tuesday, Oct. 27
Steak Fingers with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Sliced Peaches, Rolls, Milk
Wednesday, Oct. 28
Lasagna, Sweet Corn, Tossed Salad, Bread Sticks, Milk, Applesauce Cake
Thursday, Oct. 29
Baked Potato, Chili & Cheese, Steamed Broccoli, Crackers, Milk, Cherry Bars
Friday, Oct. 30
Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Milk, Chocolate Chip Cookies

VOTE

RUSSELL JOHNSON
COKE COUNTY CONSTABLE

Precincts 2, 4, & 5

EDUCATION:

Bronte High School Graduate
Bachelor of Arts Degree from
the University of Texas of the Permian Basin
Criminal Justice Major • Sociology Minor

EXPERIENCE:

Odessa Police Department
Patrol • Narcotics • Investigations

In addition to assisting the Sheriff's Department, I would like to work with the local schools to promote drug awareness and education.

Your Support is Appreciated

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Russell Johnson

BRONTE LONGHORNS FOOTBALL

Friday, October 23
7:30 pm HERE

BRONTE LONGHORNS
VS.
Eden Bulldogs

				BHS
September 4	Menard	Here	8:00	6 24
September 11	Rankin	There	8:00	0 26
September 18	Roby	Here	8:00	25 20
September 25	Robert Lee	There	8:00	6 2
October 2	Sterling City	There	8:00	14 0
** October 9	Santa Anna	Here	7:30	14 10
* October 16	Cross Plains	There	7:30	28 9
* October 23	Eden	Here	7:30	
* October 30	Baird	Here	7:30	
* November 6	Miles	There	7:30	

* District Games ** Homecoming



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& Taxidermy
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All American Security
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Bronte Pharmacy
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Roy A #10
Coach #28
Coach Paul #36
Coach Lee #66
John McClure #33
Coby Carter
Jim
Brandon Poehls
Eric Spang
Jake #12
We #74
Honell #61
Eric #75
Henry White #60
Daniel DeLanda #50
Harley Hall #50
Nicholas Shaw #63
Lorenzo #22
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

RL keeps district hopes alive with Roby win

by Bill Burns

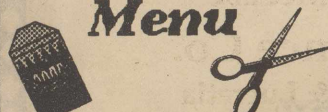
The Steers traveled to Roby last Friday night and collected their third win of the season. It was a hard fought battle in Lion country, but the Steers had no quit in them. The Steers remained alive in the race for a playoff berth.

RL ISD Board of Trustees meet

The Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session on October 13, 1998 at 6:30 in the high school library. All members were present. The following business was conducted:

- Minutes were approved.
 - Bills were paid.
 - The 1998 taxroll was approved.
 - A partnership agreement between Concho Valley School-To-Work/Tech and Robert Lee High School was granted.
 - David Rawlings and Kristy Roe were nominated as candidates for the vacancies on the Coke County Appraisal District.
 - Action on a new lawn mower was tabled.
 - Action on a commencement policy and work study policy were tabled pending research by legal firms.
 - The board agreed to arrange a meeting with Steve [unclear] to discuss the possibility of a new wing for the elementary school.
 - Principals gave their reports.
 - Superintendent's report was given.
- The next regular scheduled meeting will be November 19, 1998. The public is invited.

School Menu



- Breakfast**
- Monday, Oct. 26**
Inservice Day
- Tuesday, Oct. 27**
Orange Juice, Donut, Cold Cereal, Milk
- Wednesday, Oct. 28**
Orange Juice, Blueberry Muffin, Cold Cereal, Milk
- Thursday, Oct. 29**
Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza, Cold Cereal, Milk
- Friday, Oct. 30**
Orange Juice, Sausage Biscuit, Jelly, Cold Cereal, Milk
- Lunch**
- Monday, Oct. 26**
Inservice Day
- Tuesday, Oct. 27**
Chili Con Carne, Corn, Tator Tots, Crackers, Cake, Milk
- Wednesday, Oct. 28**
Chicken Spaghetti, Carrots, Tossed Salad, Peaches, Rolls, Milk
- Thursday, Oct. 29**
Roast with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Fruit Cocktail, Rolls, Milk
- Friday, Oct. 30**
Chick-Fil-A with Pickles, Potato Wedges, Fresh Fruit, Milk

1st Quarter
The Lions received the opening kick off, but the Steer defense dug in and allowed only one first down. The Lions got off a good punt to pin the Steers at their own 10 yard line.

The Steers went to work on offense with the line of Jeremy Edging, Justin Kendall, Jeremy Eaton, Joel Gallegos, and Dan McCown blocking up front, and the Steers moved for a first down to the Steer 25 yard line. The Steers gained enough yardage for another first down, but lost the ball due to a fumble.

The Lions had good field position and took advantage of it and scored a touchdown to pull ahead 7-0.

2nd Quarter
The Lions had possession of the ball at the Steer 34 yard line. They got a first down at the Steer 24 yard line, but the Steer defense played tough and held for four downs and took over on their own 18 yard line. Michael Munoz and Chad Helwig ran for 6 and 7 yards respectively for a Steer first down. Then it was Chase Rainwater and Andrew McCabe for 5 and 10 yards. The drive stalled and Beau Boxell punted 40 yards for the Steers.

The Lions made one first down but then fumbled and Joel Gallegos recovered for the Steers.

The Steers went to work and put together a scoring drive that put the Steers tied

with the Lions when Helwig went to the air to Munoz for a thirteen yard touchdown pass. Deric Brothers kicked the extra point for the Steers.

3rd Quarter
The quarter was a defensive battle as both teams were able to gain only one first down each.

4th Quarter
The Lions scored early in the quarter to take the lead 14-7, but the Steers wouldn't give up.

The Steers started a drive at their own 38 yard line. Helwig went to the air to Munoz for 34 yards and a first down.

Helwig ran for nine yards and Munoz ran for 4 more and another first down. Helwig ran for 8 more and Munoz 6 more, first down. Rainwater then carried for the final two yards and a Steer touchdown. The Steers went for 2 points but came up six inches short. Lions 14 - Steers 13.

The Lions couldn't manage a first down against a tough Steer defense.

The Steers started their next drive at their own 36 yard line. Helwig ran for 8 yards, then Rainwater for 4 yards and a first down. Rainwater ran for six yards and McCabe ran for 4 yards and another first down. Rainwater, Helwig and Munoz combined for 12 yards and another first down. Munoz ran for 2 yards and 4 yards, then Helwig passed to McCabe for a 24 yard touchdown pass. The Steers won 19 to 14.

A great job and a great win Steers!

RL students jump into action with The American Heart Association

Jump Rope For Heart is a special event designed to educate students while raising funds for life saving research to fight cardiovascular diseases and stroke. Educators are provided with a well-structured program complete with teaching aids and a wealth of materials about heart healthy lifestyles and nutrition. Students seek family and friends to support them as sponsors while they jump rope for heart. The Texas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (TAHPERD), local Physical Education teachers and the American Heart Association sponsor this event.

"Jump Rope For Heart is really a combination event," said Donna Crumpler, Regional Director for the American Heart Association. "The kids raise money and learn about healthy lifestyles, the benefits of physical exercise, and the rewards of volunteering for community service. They're really helping themselves and others. On behalf of the American Heart Association, I would like to thank the students, our JRFH coordinator Gayle Bolding, Robert Lee

Elementary for an outstanding job they have done each year!" Crumpler said.

Students will be raising funds on October 27th and 28th to benefit the fight against heart disease and stroke. These dollars support the AHA's development of educational materials for school children and adults on topics such as nutrition, exercise, high blood pressure and the risks of smoking, and to fund ongoing medical research.

If you would like more information about heart programs, please call the American Heart Association at 223-2345.

Robert Lee Band goes to U.I.L. competition

On Saturday, October 17th, the Steer Band competed in the U.I.L. Marching Contest at San Angelo. The 30 member band received a Division Three rating. These students have worked hard and improved a lot since the start of school. Other ratings given were: Robert Lee - 3; Rotan - 4; Roby - 3; Rochester - 2; Roscoe - 2, Aspermont - 2; Cross Plains - 2; and Baird - 2.

This contest was very hard because no band in Class A received a Division One rating.

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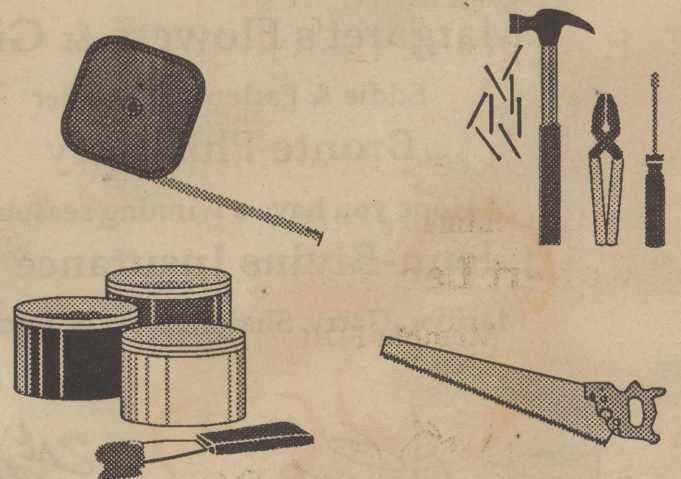
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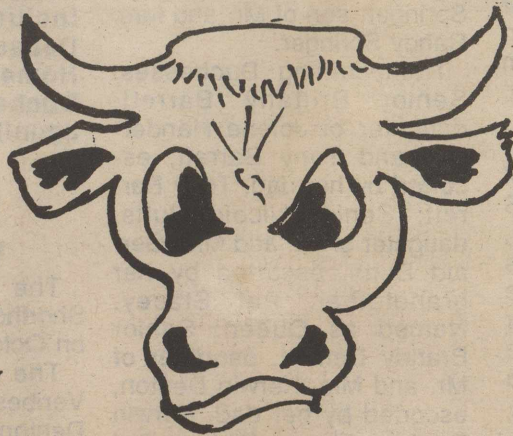
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October 2	Garden City	There	7:30	14	6
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* October 23	Sterling City	Here	7:30		
* October 30	Rotan	There	7:30		
* November 6	Water Valley	Here	7:30		

* District Games ** Homecoming

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Bret Baker

Sawyers celebrate 40th Anniversary

Tom and Gay Sawyer celebrated their 40th anniversary on Saturday, October 17, 1998, at the new recreation hall in Robert Lee. The surprise party was hosted by their sons and families: Tom, Sandy, Brandi, Trey, and Ashley Sawyer of Pearland; Wes, Gina, Levi, Jeremiah, Susanna, and Luke Sawyer of Medina; Jamie, Terri and Krystal Sawyer of Big Spring. Also hosting were Jack and Donna Horton of Montgomery

Tom and Gay met in Robert Lee where both attended school and were high school sweethearts. They were married October 5, 1958 at the First United Methodist Church in Robert Lee. They moved to Abilene where Tom attended McMurry University and Gay worked for Timex. They have since lived in Odessa, Edinburg, Sun Field in Delmita, and McAllen. They moved back to Robert Lee in 1967 where they have since resided. Tom is currently employed by Mitchell Gas Services as an Area Foreman and Gay is retired from the dry goods business.

About 120 friends, co-workers and family members attended the celebration and were treated to a fajita dinner and cake. Afterwards, Gary Davis, a nephew of the cou-

ple, emceed the event as guests took turns telling stories on the couple's past 40 years of marriage. Special entertainment was provided by Dr. Ronald Sims of Houston (brother-in-law) who videoed the affair as well as played the piano for the guests.

Stories included a trip to the state fair in Dallas, a hunting trip with Garland Davis, Gay helping Kelly Sims shop for clothes, a singing trip with Michele Hollis, traveling with Mike and Fran Lomas and Bob Duncan's new boots.

Parent meeting at RLHS

On Thursday, October 29th, at 6:30 pm in the Robert Lee High School Auditorium there will be a Parent Meeting. Several topics will be presented for parental information at this meeting. Some of the topics include the RLES Parent/School Compact, 1998 TAAS results, the Texas Tomorrow Fund, and the Child Find Program. If your children attend Robert Lee schools, please make plans to attend this important meeting.

Bronte names Homecoming Court
Members of the Bronte Homecoming Court included:
Band Sweetheart: Bonnie DeLaughter, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Paul DeLaughter. Beau: Billy Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur. Flower Bearer, 1st Grade: Ali Tounget, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Tounget. Crown Bearer, 1st Grade: Chris Bryan, son of Greg and Michelle Bryan.

Football Sweetheart: Jennifer Sturgill, a junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Tinney, escorted by Jimmy Soto, a senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Soto, and Rodney Adams, a senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Adams. Flower Bearer, 2nd Grade: Jessi England, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry England. Crown Bearer, 2nd Grade: Reece Springer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Springer.

Homecoming Duchesses: Senior Brittany Barrett, daughter of Jolene Henderson and Tony Barrett, escorted by her dad, Tony Barrett; Senior Nicole Butts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Butts, escorted by her grandfather, Pat Stacey. Named as Queen: Senior Brandy Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Denton, escorted by her dad, Kerwin Denton. Flower Bearer, 3rd Grade: Savannah Martinez, daughter of Eleanor Rodriguez and Miguel Martinez. Crown Bearer, 3rd Grade: Chris Guzman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Guzman.



Bronte High School 1998 Homecoming royalty included (from left) Band Sweetheart Bonnie DeLaughter, Homecoming Duchess Nicole Butts, Homecoming Queen Brandy Denton, Homecoming Duchess Brittany Barrett, and Football Sweetheart Jennifer Sturgill.

Shorthorn Volleyball

The Bronte Junior High Shorthorns played at Veribest on October 19th.

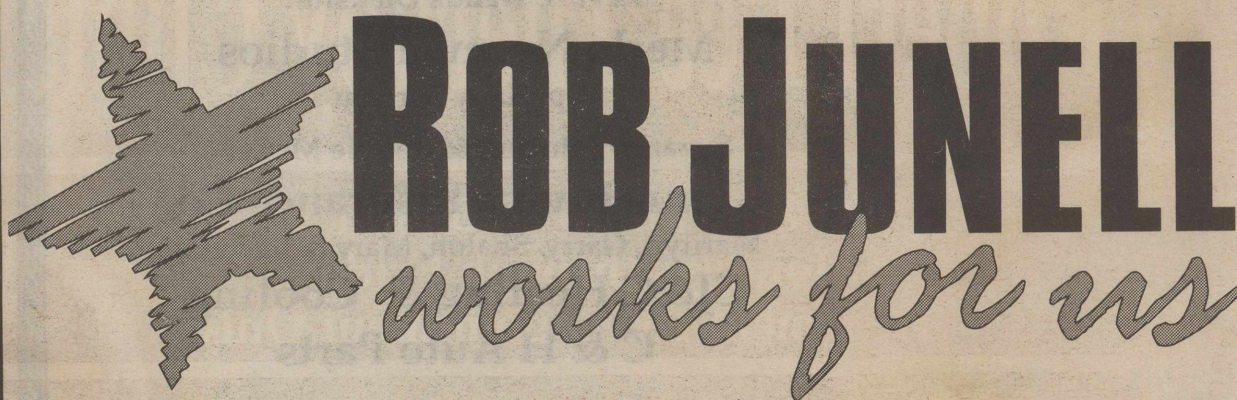
The 7th grade defeated Veribest 15-13; 15-5. Ashley Denton had 7 points, Brittany Eldred had 11 points and 1 ace, Britney McCutchen had 5 points and 1 ace, and Sheena Head had 4 points. Good defensive efforts were made by Kanah Coalson, Ashley Tor-

res and Sheena Head. The 8th grade was defeated by Veribest 15-7; 0-15; 8-15. Lindsey Williams had 5 points, Khanni Beauchamp had 3 points, Heather Richey had 3 points, and Mary Lou Garcia had 3 points. Good defensive efforts were made by Lindsey Williams, Heather Sturgill and Melissa Walker. Their next games will be Monday, October 26th, when they face Water Valley.

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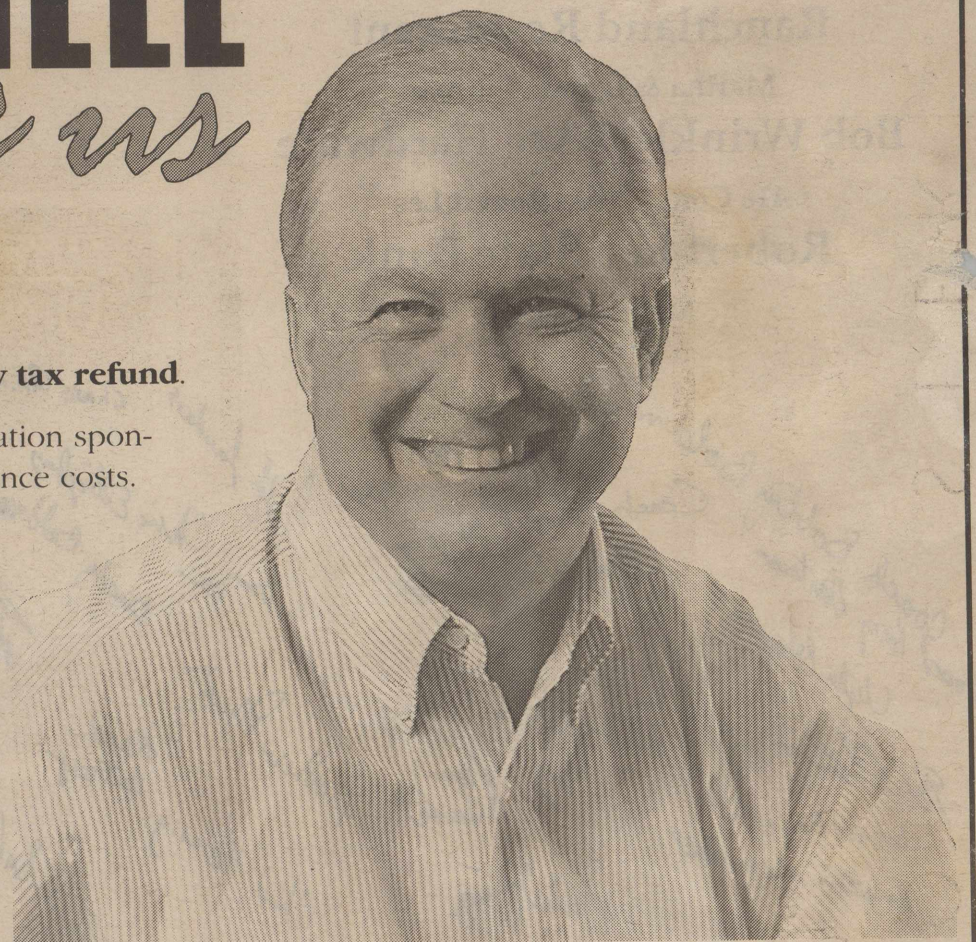
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- Use the state budget surplus to **improve public schools,** including a pay raise for teachers.
- **Create the Technical Training Center in San Angelo,** a joint project of ASU, Howard College, and the San Angelo Independent School District that will train students for better jobs and attract businesses that need workers with those skills.
- **Continue the Summer Jobs for Youth Program** that puts more than 1,000 youths to work in District 72 each summer.



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Alta Bilbo celebrates her 97th birthday

The family of Alta Bilbo honored her with a celebration of her 97th birthday last weekend.

Alta was born October 11, 1901 in Robert Lee to Will and Elizabeth Bell. She was the seventh daughter of ten daughters and one son born to the Bells. One daughter and the son died in infancy. The nine daughters were raised by the Bells in their home on the banks of Mountain Creek.

Alta graduated from Robert Lee High School in 1920. She went to school one year in Portales, New Mexico, where she took homemaking courses in preparation for her forthcoming marriage. Alta Bell and Alley Bilbo were married on June 15, 1921. They celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary in 1991. Alley died January 15, 1992, at the age of 92.

Alta and Alley were the parents of six daughters. One daughter, Ferrell Jean, died in 1925 and Peggy Gilmore died in 1987.

Here for Mur Bilbo's birthday celebration were her four daughters, three sons-in-law, ten of the 15 grandchildren (two are deceased), and 17 of her 32 great-grandchildren. Eleven great-great grandchildren live in Oklahoma and were unable to attend. Also attending were Alta's only living sister, Robbie Bell Turner of San Angelo, and Alley's only living sister, Kathryn McGuire and her husband, Robert, of Robert Lee.

Thirty-five family members attended services at the Robert Lee United Methodist Church Sunday. Twelve of Mur's grandchildren honored her by presenting the musical special entitled, "Precious Memories" at the church service.

The noon birthday dinner was prepared and presented by Mur's eldest grandson, Jerry Littlefield, of Grove, Oklahoma.

Here for the weekend festivities were: the honoree, Alta (Mur) Bilbo of Robert Lee; Alta Bell and Lamar Kay of Alpine; Jan and Bobby

Hungate and Kayce of Waco; Mark and Judy Kay and Nicholas of Andrews; Jamie and Bob Boren of Robert Lee; Kathy Alexander, Jamie Jo and Joe Bob of Midland; Miranda Wauson of Austin; Bebo Boren of Lubbock; John and Jill Boren, Lauren and Sloan of Snyder; Jo Ann and Jarvis Littlefield of Grove, Oklahoma; Jerry Littlefield of Grove, Oklahoma; Janet Rathmell of Mertzon; Sandy and Jill Evans, Ashley and Trace of Arlington; Steve and Mary Evans and Allen of Water Valley; Lance and Shayla Evans of Killeen; Billy Havins, Zachary and Will of Austin; Rebecca and Mike Levesque, Sarah, Christopher and Lucas of San Angelo; Robbie Turner of San Angelo; and Kathryn and Robert McGuire of Robert Lee.

News from Lake Spence

Ten years ago, in April 1988, when R.L. Flanagan wrestled in a monster Striper weighing 35 lbs. 2 oz., sportsmen thought the sky was the limit. Lots of open water held some huge fish - biologists had netted several over 40 lbs. and ongoing stocking kept numbers up. Boating, sailing, skiing, fishing and swimming brought folks to Robert Lee for dining and supplies.

Now 10 years later the big fish have disappeared and Flanagan's record still stands.

The prolonged drought, high water usage, plus water releases downstream have contributed to the serious decline of E.V. Spence Reservoir which management says is 50 feet low. Royce Hood, lake superintendent, advised this week that only one boat ramp is accessible to water and that's Paint Creek Marina on the southwest side of Spence. He strongly recommended that boaters unfamiliar with the lake exert extreme caution while underway on the water. Some obstructions appear unexpectedly and much shallow water is evident. Night boating is not recommended at all.

Hood said lake traffic has been light due to low water levels and the extreme heat

since spring. He said he has been surprised, however, that the fishing is holding up well. Stripers are still good to 10 lbs., mostly on live bait, and black bass fishing is also good. Channel and blue cats are fair but crappie are practically non-existent for two years running.

The only exception on Spence fishing that differs from statewide regulations is the one requiring blue cats taken to be 18 inches long with five as the daily bag limit.

Another change is the mandatory Boater Education for youth. Every Texas boat operator under 16 years of age while on public water of the state must: 1) be accompanied by a person 18 years of age or older, or 2) successfully complete an approved Boater Education course. This law is in effect for boats of 10 horsepower or more, windblown vessels over 14 feet and personal watercraft.

If you are:
-under 13, you must be accompanied by a person 18 years of age or older.

-age 13, 14 or 15, you must be accompanied by a person 18 years of age or older, or successfully complete an approved Boater Education course to operate the vessel alone.

Note: Minimum age a person may be certified is 12 years of age.

For course information, please call the Texas Parks and Wildlife toll-free at 1-800-792-1112 (menu 6, option 2) or call 512-389-4999.



Attendants to the 1998 BHS Homecoming Court were (back row, from left) first graders Chris Bryan and All Tounget, third grader Savannah Martinez, second graders Jessi England and Reece Springer, and (center) third grader Chris Guzman.

LOOK WHO'S NEW!

Emily Sue Barnett

John and Sherry Barnett of Robert Lee are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Emily Sue Barnett. Emily was born on Thursday, September 17, 1998, at 11 am at Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo. She weighed 6 lbs. 9 oz. and was 18 inches long.

She was welcomed home

by her brothers and sisters, Giovanna, Sean, Bridgette, Nicole, Amy, Grady and Randy.

Maternal grandparents are Joy Rogers of Bronte, and Alvin and Jan Tipps of Alvin. Paternal grandparents are John and Grace Barnett of El Paso, and Bob and Barbara Neal of Lubbock.

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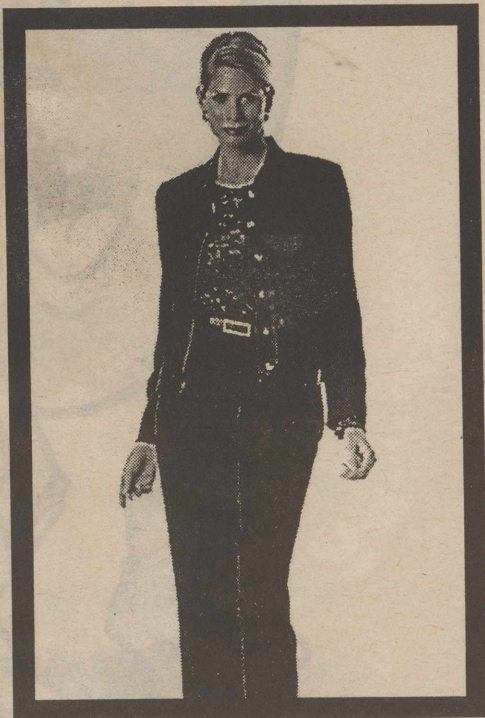
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COUNTRY AGENTS NEWS

by Tommy Antilley
Coke County Agent

WT Ranchers' Conference set for November

The third annual West Texas Ranchers' Conference is set for November 4 in the exhibit building at the San Angelo Fairgrounds. Registration starts at 8:30 am. The conference concludes at 2 pm.

The Texas Department of Agriculture will offer an optional laws and regulations training and an integrated pest management training following the conference at 2:30 pm. The training is worth two continuing Education Units (CEUs).

This year's program offers a wide array of topics for the West Texas rancher. The topics are timely and all the presenters are top-notch experts in their respective fields.

The program opens at 9 am with a cattle and sheep market outlook by Dr. Ernie Davis, Extension Economist at College Station. James Fuqua, of the Lazy U Ranch near Quanah, follows Davis with ideas on planning for hard times. A 30-minute break is scheduled at 10:15 am to allow participants ample time to view on-site exhibits.

The morning session resumes at 10:45 am with "Livestock and Grazing Annual Report."

Extension Forage Specialist at Bryan followed by "Strategic Planning for

Supplemental Feeding," with Dr. Bryan McMurry, Cargill Animal Nutrition at Fort Worth.

The noon meal is sponsored by Hi-Pro Animal Health and Bayer Animal Health. The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers will hold a town meeting immediately following lunch.

The afternoon session begins with a panel discussion featuring topics that include: "Breeding Heifers Back," "Body Condition Scoring," and "Economics of Restocking." Panelists include: Dr. Rick Machen, Extension Livestock Specialist, Uvalde; Dr. Steve Hammack, Extension Cattle Specialist, Stephenville; Davis and McMurry.

The final conference speaker is Officer Grab Davis with the Tom Green County Sheriff's Department. Davis will address horse theft prevention.

The conference is sponsored by the County Extension offices in Coke, Tom Green, Runnels, Irion, Concho, and Sterling Counties and by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

For further information contact Tommy Antilley at 453-2461. This conference is free to all individuals who pre-register by October 30, 1998. To pre-register, please call (800)242-7820, extension 192 and leave a message with your name and the number of people attending.

64 Study Club

Della Alexander was guest speaker when the 64 Study Club met Tuesday evening, October 13th. The meeting was held in the Robert Lee United Methodist Church. Della presented a program on Holiday Crafts. Using terracotta pots, she demonstrated how to make several decorations and gifts. At the end of Della's program, she held a drawing for one of her creations. Charlotte McKnight was the winner.

Plans were made to host the November Birthday Party for residents of the Robert Lee Care Center. Plans were also made for the November meeting. This will be a Thanksgiving catered meal for members and their guests at the recreation building.

Peggy Davis, Ava Lou Davis, Leta Caston, Arlea Parks, Grace Ditmore and Reba Tabor were hostesses for the Club meeting. Twenty-five members enjoyed the delicious refreshments and visiting.



Bronte Elementary first and second grades rode on a float in the homecoming parade. The theme of the float was "We Love Bronte". The children decorated the float with pictures of things that make Bronte such a special place to live.

Bronte JH football

On October 15th, the Bronte J.H. football team defeated Cross Plains by a score of 12-6. Scoring for Bronte was Charlie Bettis on a run of 50 yards and Garrett Fiveash on a run of 50 yards.

Playing well on offense was B.J. Hall, Joel Webb, Tyson Baker and James Graves.

On defense, Charlie Bettis, Sampson Booker, Cory Cochran, Justin Moore and Cody Lee all played well.

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Shannon Health System accepting scholarship applications

Shannon Health System is accepting applications for the Margaret Shannon academic scholarship to be awarded in December.

The scholarship program was initiated earlier this year. Two \$500 scholarships are awarded annually, one in the fall and another in the spring.

"These scholarships are designed to provide educational funding for students pursuing careers in health care. They honor our benefactor, Margaret Shannon, who, with her husband, J.M., were ardent supporters of higher education and who were committed to providing health care for the citizens of this area," said Jo Vaughan, Shannon Health System marketing director.

To qualify, students will be enrolled in one of the following educational efforts:

- as juniors or seniors in a college-level allied health science degree, such as a bachelor of science in nursing or pharmacy;

- in an accredited technical or vocational school leading to certification in an allied health field, such as LVN, medical records, radiography or respiratory therapy;

- in graduate studies, such as medical doctor, doctor of osteopathy assistant or health administration.

Students need to be enrolled for at least nine semester hours, maintain a 2.5 grade point average overall and 3.0 in major courses, and be residents of Shannon's 19-county service area, which includes Brown, Coke, Coleman, Concho, Crockett, Howard, Irion, McCulloch, Menard, Mitchell, Nolan, Pecos, Reagan, Runnels, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Tom Green and Val Verde counties. Additionally, applicants will be required to provide a college or technical school transcript and write an essay describing their perceived role in the medical

field, why they chose such training and other pertinent information.

"The Shannons were a conservative pioneer family who believed in helping their neighbors," Vaughan said. "These scholarships are another way the Shannons' legacy continues to assist the citizens of our area in achieving goals and better lives."

Deadline for entry is Dec. 15. The scholarship winner will be named Dec. 30. For more information or an application, call Shannon Marketing at (915) 657-5064.

CC Retired teachers meet

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association met for a noon luncheon Monday, October 19, 1998. The meeting was held at the United Methodist Church in Robert Lee.

Janet Wommack, president, presided at the business session. She introduced Mary Starnes, president of TRTA District XV, of Coleman. Mrs. Starnes gave information on the upcoming District XV fall conference to be held October 29th in Comanche and the state convention to be held in Dallas in April, 1999. She also gave updates on other district and state activities.

Garland Davis, who was recently elected to the Silver-Haired Legislature, also spoke to the group. He attended a two week session in Austin in September. He stated that the purpose of the Silver-Haired Legislature is to "promote good government for all Texans through participation."

In further business, reports were heard from committee chairmen.

The next meeting will be November 16 at the First Baptist Church in Bronte.

Attending the meeting were 23 members and seven guests.

Guests attending were: Mary Starnes and Don Starnes of Coleman; William Hood, Superintendent of Robert Lee ISD; Lindsey



During BHS Homecoming week, Susan Graves' first grade class and Heather Lee's sixth grade class pose with the Longhorn football players and cheerleaders.

Wallace, Robert Lee High School Principal; Janet Wallace, Robert Lee Elementary principal; the Rev. Jim McWilliams, pastor of the Robert Lee United Methodist Church; and his wife, Lynne McWilliams.

Members present were: C.B. Barbee, Wanda Barbee, Emma Lee Bickley, Jimmy Bickley, Jamie Boren, Celia Bowden, Oleta Braswell, Jack Brewer, Nina Brewer, Garland Davis, Mary Frances Glenn, Kay Gothard, Paul Gothard, J.T. Henry, Sybil Henry, Mary Lawhon, Beth Prather, Kenneth Rasco, Fay Roe, Betty Smith, Joe Smith, Janet Wommack, and Lee Wommack.

Time to start planning ahead for Christmas mail

The cooling breezes of autumn are just on the horizon

but for folks planning to send gifts overseas, it's time to start planning ahead.

Surface mail bound for Africa should be sent by October 26 for Christmas delivery, according to the U.S. Postal Service. For the Middle East, the recommended mailing date is October 30 for items traveling by ship.

For military mail heading overseas by surface transport, November 1 is the recommended deadline.

The post office recommends that ship-borne parcels sent to Australia and New Zealand be mailed by November 3 and those for Central and South America, the Far East and Southeast Asia by November 6.

The deadline for surface mail to Europe and the Caribbean is November 13, and it's November 27 for items to Canada.

Most mail travels overseas

by plane, and the deadlines are later for that more rapid form of transport.

Here are the recommended mailing dates:

Civilian air parcel post: Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Central and South America, December 3; Caribbean, Europe, Far East, Southeast Asia, Middle East, December 10; Canada, December 14.

Civilian air cards and letters: Africa, Central and South America, December 3; Australia, New Zealand, Caribbean, Europe, Far East, Southeast Asia, Middle East, December 10; Canada, December 14.

Military overseas space available and parcel airlift, November 21; priority and air letters and cards, December 3.

Military domestic space available, December 1; priority and cards and letters, December 5.

My Fair Lady

Several members of the Sorosis Study Club enjoyed a trip to the Abilene Civic Center on Sunday afternoon, October 18th, for the presentation of "My Fair Lady."

Attending the ACU Music Department's homecoming presentation has become a tradition for the club members and they have enjoyed many delightful plays through the years.

Making the trip were Janet Wommack, Mary Glenn, Pat Lee, Fredna Moore, Peggy Hembree, Earline Moore, Mildred Thomason, and Mary Frances Glenn.

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To Whom It May Concern:

This is in reference to John Chambers. I have known John professionally, both as an observer and as his direct supervisor. John worked for me five months demonstrating indefatigable work ethics and the highest standards of professionalism.

Reassigned to another shift, I was in a position to continue close observation of John's performance. He consistently demonstrated the professionalism which compelled me to speak so highly of him in a formal evaluation.

In all candor and with great confidence, I suggest that John Chambers would be a welcome asset to your law enforcement organization.

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Lt. Jeff Feil

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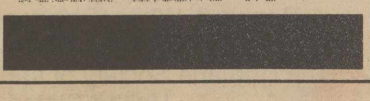


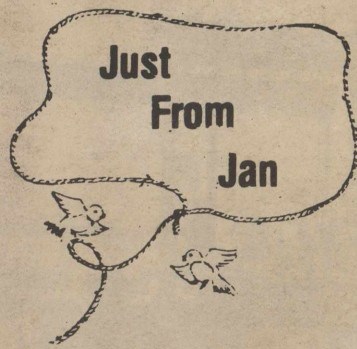
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Beef the Body Builder

Beef may have less fat than you expected, but beyond that it is loaded with nutrients. Calorie for calorie, beef has more nutrients than many other foods. You do not need to eat a lot of it to do yourself a lot of good. Take iron, for example. Beef is rich in this vital mineral, which helps deliver oxygen to your cells and muscles, giving you the energy you need to make it through the day. On average, beef boasts three times more iron than chicken. Foods like spinach, prune juice and dried peas contain iron too, but the iron in animal products like beef is more usable in your

Letter To The Editor

To the Editor:

When most people think of an animal shelter, they imagine a building housing stray cats and dogs. They may not know that animal shelters also investigate cruelty complaints, issue pet licenses, assist in spaying and neutering pets and educate members of the community about responsible pet ownership.

The Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) sponsors National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week - November 1-7 - to celebrate the services that animal shelters provide. This year, National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week spotlights the contributions made by animal control officers, who work on the front lines helping people resolve conflicts with animals and aiding injured or stray animals.

Some animal shelters lack the funding and community support to provide top quality services and all shelters could use help. Here are some ideas:

- Donate your time and resources to your local shelter. Volunteers can walk dogs or answer phones. Shelters can always use pet food, toys and old towels. Ask your local shelter about their needs.

- Educate your friends and neighbors about proper pet care. Pets need food, shelter, love, attention and regular veterinary care (including spaying or neutering).

- Get political. Lobby your legislators to pass effective animal control ordinances and strong anti-cruelty laws.

Although animal shelters may not be as visible as police and firefighters, they are also essential to the safety and well-being of the community. The HSUS encourages everyone to learn more about their local animal shelter and the many ways it can help build a better community for everyone.

Dennis J. White, Director
Southwest Regional Office
The Humane Society of the United States

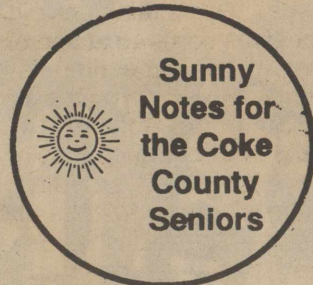
by Jan Yanez
Coke County
Ext. Agent

body than iron from plant sources. Beef also is an excellent source of zinc. This trace mineral plays critical roles in the body related to enzyme function, cell replication and hormone activity. In addition, your immune system needs zinc to resist infections caused by viruses, bacteria and fungi. Other nutrients you will find in beef: Protein, which helps build a strong and muscular body. Phosphorous, a component of strong teeth and bones. And B-complex vitamins thiamin, riboflavin, niacin, B-6 and B-12.

Beef is the right choice for mature adults for many reasons. People typically eat less as they grow older, and too often they do not get enough of the nutrients necessary for good health. As a result, iron deficiencies are not uncommon in older Americans. And as many as 95% of them may not get the zinc they need to keep their immune systems strong and appetites healthy. Fortunately, one serving of lean beef rich in iron and zinc provides 15% and 32% of the recommended daily allowances needed.

Pregnant women have special nutritional needs, and eating beef is a great way to meet them. Beef helps deliver those nutrients. It plays even a more important role in providing iron which is extremely important for both the baby and mother during pregnancy. Teenagers need the nutrients in beef just as much as they did when they were younger, especially if they are highly active or participating in

sports. Zinc and iron found in beef are critical to ensure proper growth and cognition. So what is the bottom line? Simply this: When something so great tasting is so good for you too, it is time to beef up your diet.



Menu

- Monday, Oct. 26**
Porkchop with Gravy, Potatoes Au Gratin, Green Beans, Dinner Roll, Orange Juice, Apple Crisp
- Wednesday, Oct. 28**
Pepper Steak with Gravy, Parslied Butter Noodles, Baby Carrots, White Bread, Peach Slices, Yellow Cake with Chocolate Frosting
- Friday, Oct. 30**
Veal Cutlet, Summer Squash, French Bread, Pineapple Juice, Pineapple Upside Down Cake

LOOK WHO'S NEW!

Kenlea Rayne Barnes

Kenlea Rayne is the new daughter of Doug and Amy Barnes of Lazbuddie. Kenlea was born Wednesday, October 7, 1998, at 9:07 am in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Kenlea was welcomed by her big sister, Chandler Brooke, who is 3 years old.

Grandparents are Carl and Laveta Bloodworth of Sundown and Royce and Connie Barnes of Lazbuddie.

Raymond Bloodworth of Silver, Lucille Barnes of Farwell and Rosalyne Julian of Georgetown are Kenlea's great-grandparents.



During BHS Homecoming week, Longhorn end Jimmy Soto, Longhorn quarterback Rodney Adams, Longhorn receiver Dustin Holland, and Longhorn cheerleaders Jessica Sturgill, Jennifer Sturgill, and Tamara Sedden visited with young Longhorn fans.



During BHS Homecoming week, Longhorn quarterback Rodney Adams and Football Sweetheart Jennifer Sturgill are surrounded by young admirers.

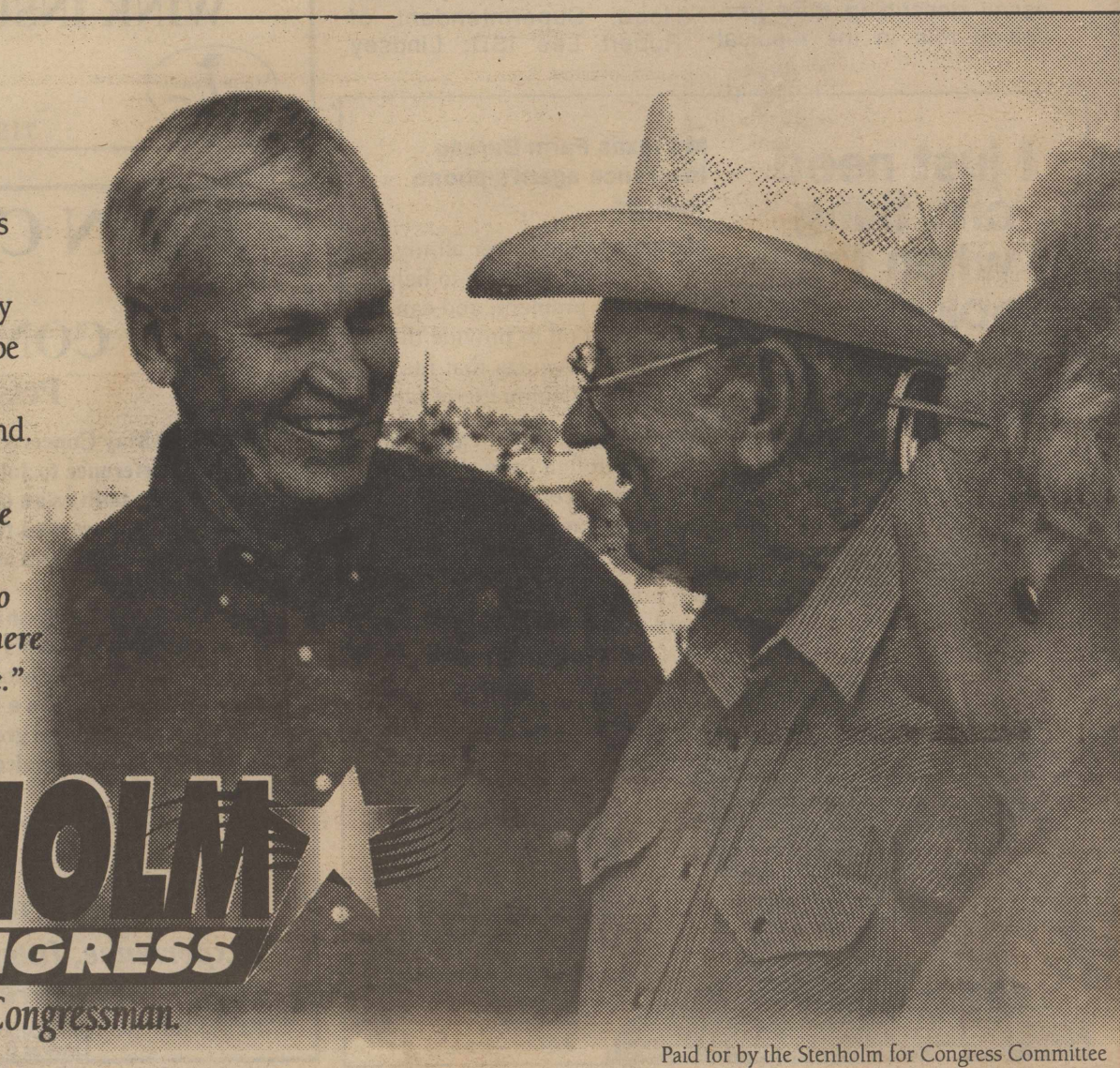
Charlie Stenholm believes in meeting one's obligations first. That's why Charlie believes any budget surplus should be used to make Social Security financially sound.

"We need to take the politics out of Social Security, and act now so that it will always be there for generations to come."

Charlie Stenholm



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Bronte school news

Responsibility is the word of the month of October at Bronte Elementary School. The students are asked to describe the word and are also doing activities to help learn the word.

The kindergarten class says that responsibility is:

Dustin Brown: When your being mean.

Terron Charles: Being nice to people.

Reid Clark: When your clothespin doesn't move.

Taylor Cooper: Being nice and telling the truth.

Peyton Eubanks: Being nice.

Benny Fuentez, Jr.: It means being able to count.

Joshua Hargrave: When you listen to your mom.

Brittani Harris: Being honest.

Chase Harris: Not cleaning your room.

Cheyenne Hunter: You follow the rules.

Arlis McMullan: Your mad at

someone.

Dakota Rawls: Telling the truth.

Kerwin Rawls: Doing what your daddy says.

Heath Richey: Picking up your things.

Macy Rosenquist: Going to work on time.

Justin Saldana: Being nice.

Kelsey Sedden: Being nice to someone.

Nicholas Shults: When your mad at someone.

The fourth grade says:

Logan: Responsibility is like when your mom and dad tell you to watch over your brothers and don't let them go into the street, and you do it.

Ben: Responsibility is like if somebody tells you to feed your dog or cat or bird or ferret and you do it right away.

Mason: When your mom tells you to clean your room, you just do it.

Rebekah: If you get a pet and you said you would feed it and take care of it - and you don't - that's not being responsible.

Philip: If your dad or mom asked you to take out the trash - you do it right away and don't stop and watch it.

Katie: Responsibility is remembering, thinking, and not having a temper, and do what people tell you to.

Jamie: Responsibility is doing your own homework.

Hazen: Responsibility is to mop the floor when Mom tells me to instead of just standing there looking at her.

Juston: When your mom says you need to go to the store and get something for her, you do it right away.

Crystal: Responsibility is taking care of brothers and sisters.

Jonathan: Responsibility is getting up when I'm supposed to.

Patty: Responsibility is picking up my clothes instead of leaving them on the floor.

Large fires occur over weekend

Warm temperatures and gusty winds had fire departments responding to calls for wildfires in several areas. Most fires were kept small but two had the right circumstances to require neighboring departments and additional resources for containment. The larger fires occurred at approximately the same time late Saturday afternoon. One being South of Abilene near Dyess AFB and the other occurring three miles south of Electra along the Wichita and Wilbarger county line.

Potter Field fire started along Highway 277 near Cap and proceeded north approximately two miles before being stopped inside the fence of Dyess AFB. One house was threatened by the fire shortly after ignition of the 200+ acre fire and was successfully protected by responding departments. The fire being contained before affecting Dyess AFB housing which lay in the path of the fire. Several volunteer fire departments, Dyess AFB Fire Dept. and Texas Forest Service personnel and equipment and contract aircraft were used in fighting the fire. The two helicopters and the interagency airtanker that were used are contracted by the Texas Forest Service to assist in suppression efforts.

High winds causing arcing of oil field power lines started a fire along Texas 25 south of Electra that required assistance from several departments. Graders and dozers from a local ranch were used to create a fire break in front of the fast-moving fire, allowing the departments to contain the fire at 1400 acres.

Since May 1st there have been 10,145 wildfires which have burned 421,776 acres in Texas.



During BHS Homecoming week, Chris Bryan and Kasey Glover are dressed to be future Longhorns.



During BHS Homecoming week, Longhorn receiver Dustin Holland helps future all-star Skyler York suit up.

Bronte elementary students enjoy Homecoming

The Bronte Elementary 1st and 6th grade students enjoyed their Homecoming this year. They were visited by three senior Longhorn football players and three junior Longhorn cheerleaders. The football players were Rodney Adams, Dustin Holland and Jimmy Soto. The cheerleaders were Jennifer Sturgill, Jessica Sturgill and Tamara Sedden. The Longhorns visited the classroom Friday, October 9, dressed in full game attire. The students were full of excitement and awe at the sight of the players and cheerleaders. The students interviewed each player and cheerleader about their roles as a football player or cheerleader. When asked, Rodney Adams said his hero was his dad. Jennifer Sturgill said she has always wanted to be a cheerleader. Dustin Holland said his favorite team to play against was Robert Lee, especially this year.

After the interviews the students got to try on helmets and shoulder pads and there were plenty of hugs shared. The elementary students were inspired to one day become grown up Longhorns and strive to be their best. Thank you to all our high school Longhorns for touching the lives of our children.

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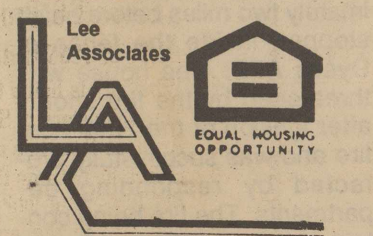
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HELP WANTED
Now taking applications for Cook and Cook helpers at Robert Lee Care Center, 307 W. 8th, Robert Lee, Tx. Call Marie Raney, Dietary Manager at 453-2511. 12a-2tc

HELP WANTED
Part time position available in Coke County Treasurer's Office. Applications are available in the Treasurer's Office through Oct. 23rd. Coke County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 12a-2tc

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

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE
Saturday, October 24. 8 am til 1 pm. 4th and Austin (Jody Rodriguez home), Robert Lee. Mostly clothes, blue Ford pickup. 13-1tp

GARAGE SALE
Corner of 4th and Colorado, Robert Lee. Saturday, 8 - ? 13-1tp

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GARAGE SALE
First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee, corner of Chadbourne & 9th. Saturday, October 24th, 9 am to 3 pm. 13-1tp

GARAGE SALE
Friday, 8-5. 314 Key Street, Bronte. 13b-1tp

CARPORIT SALE
Saturday, October 24th, 8:30 am. Some furniture and other household items. 1424 Washington, Robert Lee (corner of Washington and 15th St.). 12-2tp

NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Coke County Commissioner's Court will receive bids in the Office of the County Auditor until 9:00 am Monday November 9, 1998 for the following:
One New 1999 Four Door Sedan, 2 WD Police Vehicle for Coke County Sheriff's Department.

1. V-8 Fuel Injected Engine (4.6 L or higher) with highest horsepower output available.
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- 21. FM radio and clock.
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- 24. Front seat - reclining high back bucket seats with lumbar support.
- 25. Back seat, bench seat.
- 26. Tinted windows (all).
- 27. Interior lighting dome and map.
- 28. Pillar mounted external spot light.
- 29. Color-light grey with dark interior.
- 30. Rearview mirror - Dual electric remote control.

Coke County has for trade-in one used 1992 Ford Crown Victoria, 4 door sedan. For further information, contact Sheriff Rick Styles, Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas. Coke County Commissioner's Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Stover Taylor, County Auditor
Coke County, Texas
13a-2tc

Texas Workforce Center Open House

Just as the Concho Valley is a wonderful melting pot of the old and the new, the Texas Workforce Center of San Angelo has developed with the same spirit. Employees of MAPA, the staff of the Workforce Board and local employees of the Texas Workforce Commission are all working together under the same roof. When House Bill 1863 was

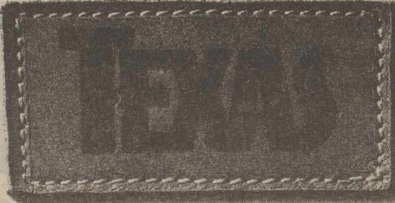
passed, some said it sounded impossible; however, perseverance and dedication have prevailed. The San Angelo Texas Workforce Center and its expanded office on Vanderventer Street are working together with one principal goal in mind: It is to provide the surrounding area with excellent employment and training opportunities with the most up to date facilities possible. On October 29, 1998, an open house will be held at the Texas Workforce Center, 122 S. Oakes in San Angelo. This will be an opportunity to see the facilities and for the public to tour the place where wonderful new services are available to them. The Workforce Center will conduct Open House from 3 pm until 5 pm, Thursday, October 29, 1998. Refreshments and door prizes will be available that day.

LOOK WHO'S NEW!

Baleigh June Butler
Bart and Brenda Butler of Hermitage, Tennessee are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Baleigh June Butler. Baleigh arrived at 8:29 pm on Wednesday, October 14, 1998, at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville, Tennessee. She weighed 9 lbs. 1 oz. and was 21 1/4 inches long.

Maternal grandmother is Elsie Taylor of Hondo. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Duran of Hondo. Paternal grandparents are Bill and Linda Butler of Hondo. Paternal great-grandparents are Leslie and Edith Rolls of Bronte.

SERIES TWO OF TEN: "OFF THE BEATEN PATH"




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Answer less than 3: You must be from Oklahoma!

1. What city is home to virtually all of the free world's helium supply?
2. The Monastery of St. Claire near Brenham is famous for what?
3. Aransas Pass has a 19-foot statue of what?
4. Before he became the most famous symbol at the Texas State Fair, what was Big Tex's prior job?
5. The strange phenomenon, known as the Marfa Lights, appears where?
6. What Texas city is home to an unusual collection of nose art painting done on the noses of WWII aircraft?
7. What two unusual creatures have been sighted in Italy, Texas?
8. Where is the World's Largest Parking Lot?
9. Where in Texas are the highways paved with gold (quite literally)?
10. In recognition of its valuable spinach crop, what city erected a statue of Popeye, the Sailorman?



BONUS QUESTION (for the title of Cattle Baron): What Texas town literally was named after the Indian pictographs left on limestone cliffs by the Colorado River?

To find out the answer to the Bonus Question, and learn more about Texas destinations, events and trivia, go to www.traveltexas.com and click on "Let's Ride."

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Answers: 1. Amarillo; 2. Breeding miniature horses; 3. A shrimp; 4. Santa Claus; 5. Southeast of Marfa, Texas; 6. Midland; 7. Colony of long-tailed rabbits; creature similar to the Loch Ness Monster; 8. DFW International Airport; 9. Montague County; 10. Crystal City.
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AUCTION

**Saturday, October 24th
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LOCATION: Robert Lee, Texas • Take Hwy 158 at blinking light at intersection of Hwy 208 and Hwy 158. Go west approximately 1.8 miles and watch for the Oxley Auction trailer.

Chest freezer, love seat & couch, queen size water bed, Singer sewing machine and cabinet, air compressors, two saddles, and miscellaneous horse items, Lindsey water softener, vacuum cleaners, metal hospital loungers, exercise bike, gas stove, milk glass, Hobart meat cutter, tent, fishing items, wet bar and entertainment center, Kelvinator ice cream box, Sears planner, jointer, several old lawnmowers (parts), Sears gas dryer, tiller attachments, weed eaters, pick-up tool boxes, shelving, power tools, A/C condensing unit, 10' birds eye satellite dish, J.D. riding lawn mower (STX 38) with 12 HP Kohler engine, 4 good push gas lawn mowers, fertilizer spreader, tiller, pots-pans-glassware, small lawn trailer, leather work kit, approximately 20 desks, oak tail gate cabinet, Winchester 243 rifle with scope, 54 cal. black powder rifle, Mouser 1908 - 8 mm, 380 cal. pistol, pellet gun, and more...

Food & drink available at auction site.
PREVIEW TIME: 8 am Saturday, Oct. 24th until sale time.
In case of rain, auction will be held on Sunday, Oct. 25th at 1 pm.

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LARRY OXLEY AT (915) 653-4400
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Bronte High School Basketball Schedule

November 17	Menard	There	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
November 20	Highland	There	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
November 24	Water Valley	There	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
December 1	Trent	Here	6:30	V Girls & Boys
December 3-5	Ballinger Tourney Wall JV Tourney			V Girls & Boys JV Girls & Boys
December 8	Highland	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
December 10-12	Miles Tourney			V Girls & Boys
December 10, 12	Sterling City JV Tourney			JV Girls & Boys
December 18	Christoval	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
December 28-30	Hawley Tourney			V Girls & Boys
January 5	Water Valley	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* January 8	Roscoe	There	6:30	V Girls & Boys
January 9	Bronte JV Tourney			JV Girls & Boys
* January 12	Roby	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* January 14	Robert Lee	There	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
January 19	Eden	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* January 22	Miles	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* January 26	Roscoe	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* January 29	Roby	There	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* February 2	Robert Lee	Here	4:00	JV & V Girls & Boys
* February 9	Miles	There	5:00	JV & V Girls & Boys

* District Games Boys Coach: Rocky Rawls • Girls Coach: Kerry Lee
Superintendent: Alan Richey • Principal: Rick Howell
Athletic Director: Keith McCutchen

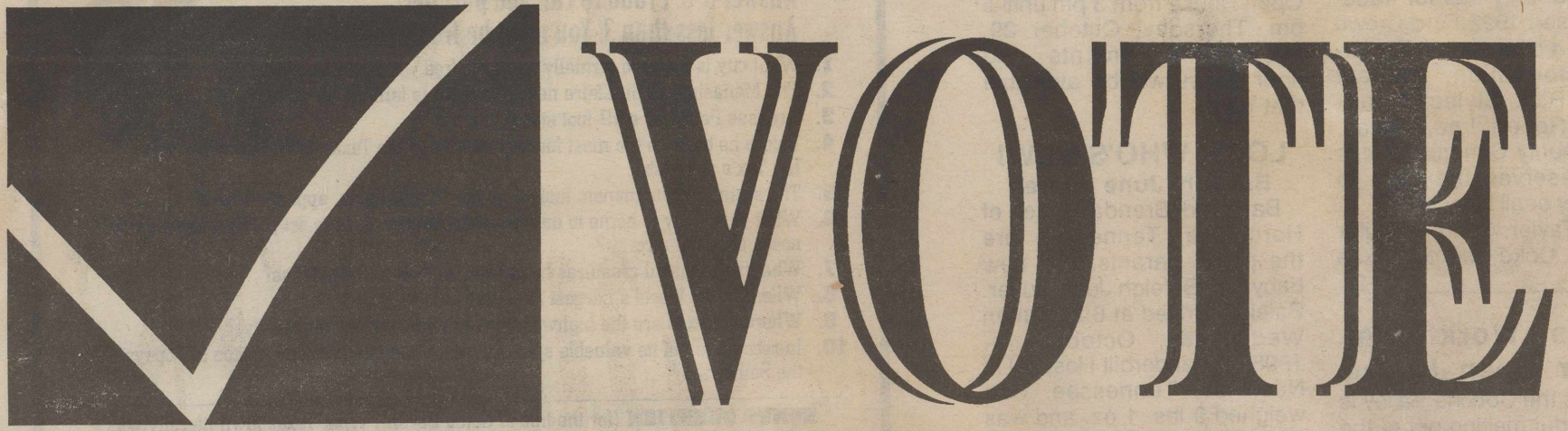
Bronte Junior High Basketball Schedule

November 16	Robert Lee	Here	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
November 19, 21	Bronte "A" Tourney			A Girls & Boys
November 30	Sterling City	There	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
December 7	Garden City	Here	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
January 7	Miles	There	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
January 11	Irion County	Here	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
January 18	Water Valley	There	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
January 21, 23	Water Valley A Tourney			A Girls & Boys
January 25	Robert Lee	There	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys
January 30	Robert Lee B Tourney			B Girls & Boys
February 8	Sterling City	Here	5:00	A&B Girls & Boys

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