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Coke Politics Warming Up

Alan Barbee Top Class B Area Back; Raughton, Waldrop, Martinez Listed

Alan Barbee was the only member of the 1973 Bronte Longhorns to make the Abilene Reporter-News Class B All Area team. He took top honors, however, and was selected not only as a member of the All Area offense, but also as the top back in this part of West Texas. His 23 touch-downs, 20 extra points and a field goal for 161 points made him

the top scorer in West Texas in all classes.

Other schools placing men on the All Area squads were Rule, Jayton, Rising Star, Lomane, Roby and Hawley.

Standard-Times Picks

The Longhorns placed four men on the All Area squads were Rule, Jayton, Rising Star, Lomane, Roby and Hawley.

Jim Dan Raughton took an end position and Barbee a running back spot on the offense. Listed on defense were Marvin Waldrop who was selected as an end, and Louis Martinez, who was named as a linebacker.

Other schools listed by the Standard-Times were Buena Vista, Sterling City, Rocksprings, Eden, Christoval, Grandfalls, and Irion County.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Alexander during the Christmas holidays have been J. L. Alexander of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Webster, Ricky and Linda of San Angelo, and Bill Alexander, Terri and Lee of Grand Prairie.

Scott Receives Range Award

Horace L. Scott of Robert Lee was the recipient of the Excellence in Grazing Management Award at the annual meeting of the Texas Section of the Society of Range Management. The meeting was held Dec. 4, 5 and 6 in El Paso with the New Mexico and Mexico Sections of the Society of Range Management.

Objectives of the award are to give credit to those who have demonstrated excellent skills and knowledge in practicing sound grazing management on their rangelands.

Scott was honored among other ranchmen throughout the State of Texas.

Scott has carried out extensive brush control, range seeding, cross fencing and water development for better grazing distribution of his livestock.

Others attending the El Paso meeting were Mrs. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Brand.

Scott is a Beefmaster breeder and recently attended a big sale of the comparatively new breed at Pleasanton, where he purchased some stock to add to his herd. The Beefmaster, recognized as a distinct breed in 1954, started out as one-half Brahman, one-fourth Hereford and one-fourth Short-horn.

PERSONALS

Visiting the Charlie L. Browns during the Christmas holidays were Mrs. Bomar Horton, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brown of Ozona, Ernest Woods of Belen, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dyess and boys of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Mable Dyess and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brown and children of Bronte, Mrs. Bill Gilbert and Donna Kay and Mrs. Donald Gilbert and children of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilbert and boys of Tyler.

Spending Christmas with the L. G. Cambells Sr. were Conley Campbell of Tulsa, Jamie Campbell of Panhandle and Don Smith of Watertown, S. D.

Coming to see Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seay during Christmas was his daughter Mrs. Irene Jones of Graham. The Seays and Mrs. Jones, with Alva Seay and Mrs. Mary Underwood Cope, went to the home of Sam Seay and family in San Angelo for a traditional Christmas dinner, with turkey and all the trimmings. While in San Angelo Mrs. Cope and Mrs. Jones visited Mrs. Cope's sister, Mrs. Monroe Turner, who is in St. John's Hospital.

PERSONALS

Spending Christmas with the Harry Morris family were their children, Keith Morris of Houston and Phyllis Morris of Waco, and his brother, Aaron Morris of Hawley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Millikin and children spent the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Willie B. Millikin, and his grandmother, J. W. Anderson.

Mrs. Austin Sandusky and her son, Gerald Sandusky, spent the Christmas holidays with their daughter and sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Snyder of Dumas. They reported that they enjoyed a white Christmas in the Panhandle town.

Politics got underway for 1974 this week in Coke County. Two present officeholders announced for re-election and one new candidate came out. The three are making their bids for election in the Democratic Primary which will be held May 4, 1974.

Candidates who wish to run on

HOLIDAY VISITORS HERE

Spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rawlings and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rawlings were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pope of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Clark of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Randal Meador of Abilene and Nancy and Patty Rawlings of Texas Woman's University in Denton.

Lubbock Man Killed in Truck Wreck

A 41 year old Lubbock man died Friday morning of last week in Shannon Hospital following a one vehicle accident approximately four miles north of Robert Lee.

The victim was Ralph Cantu Hernandez of 1807 San Jose in Lubbock, who was a driver for Goldbold, Inc.

The accident happened about 5:10 a.m. Friday near the home of Mrs. Marvin Simpson on High-

way 208 north of Robert Lee.

Hernandez apparently lost control of the truck when he swerved to miss a deer. He did hit the deer, however. The truck was loaded with feed cubes and mineral blocks which were scattered over the highway. Hernandez was pronounced dead at the scene. Sheriff Doug Robertson, Deputy J. Lee Ensor and Highway Patrolman Bobby Hart.

the Democratic ticket must file with County Democratic Chairman Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Jr.

Seeking re-election are Mrs. Winnie Waldrop for county and district clerk and Mrs. Jerry Thomason for county treasurer.

A new face on the Coke County political scene is Billy Joe Luckett, who has announced for commissioner of Precinct 2. He is seeking the position now held by Jesse Parker, who has announced he will not seek re-election.

Other offices to be voted on in May are county judge, commissioner of Precinct 4 and justices of the peace in Precincts 1 and 2.

Bronte to Close For New Year's

Most Bronte business firms will be closed Tuesday in observance of New Year's Day. Some stations, cafes and grocery stores will remain open, but a majority of business firms will close.

The U. S. Post Office will be closed New Year's Day and will be open only until 10 a.m. on New Year's Day, a mandatory bank holiday.

Conversation around Bronte indicates that most folks will have their black-eyed peas and ham or salt pork at home, and will be completely played out by the end of the day's TV football coverage.

School Policies On Energy Crisis

In cooperation with various energy saving programs the Bronte School board of trustees adopted a number of policies at its Dec. 13 meeting to save electricity, gas and gasoline.

The new policies were set forth in a newsletter issued just before classes were dismissed for the Christmas holidays and included:

1. Daylight Saving Time: The school will cooperate in observance of Daylight Saving Time and the schedule will remain the same, from 8 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

2. Heating: Thermostats will be set at 68 degrees at 7 a.m. when the central heating system will be fired. It will be extinguished at 2:30 p.m. Thermostats will be set at 65 degrees at 2:30 p.m. in the elementary building. On weekends and holidays only enough heat will be used to keep water lines from freezing.

3. Lighting: All unnecessary lighting will be turned off. Fewer flood lights will be used.

4. General: Small groups occupying and using facilities during weekends and holidays when heating and lighting are required will be discouraged.

5. Extracurricular trips: Careful scheduling of activities requiring transportation will be practiced. Basketball teams will "double up" on transportation. Speed limits of buses will not exceed 55 mph and when time permits, 50 mph is desirable.

Complete information on these new policies is available in the office of Supt. C. B. Barbee.



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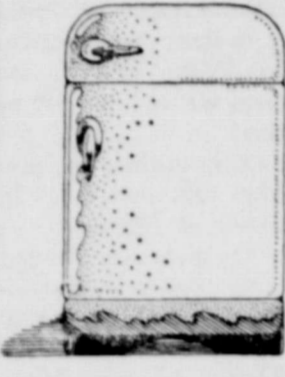
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Robert Lee

Mrs. Thomason Out for Treasurer

Mrs. Jerry Thomason announced this week that she is a candidate for re-election as Coke County treasurer.

When she announced that she was seeking another term as treasurer, she made the following statement:

To the Citizens of Coke County:

It has been my pleasure to serve the people of Coke County as County Treasurer in the past and I take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for allowing me this privilege.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to this office, I pledge my continued effort to be worthy of this honorable position and of the trust you have placed in me by your loyalty and support.

If re-elected as your County Treasurer, I promise to continue the same efficient and courteous service to the best of my ability.

Mrs. Jerry Thomason

Mrs. Thomason is a widow and has two sons, Craig, who is employed as a reporter on the Killeen Daily Herald, and Gary Jack, who is a junior at the University of Texas at Austin. She is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, longtime residents of Bronte.

Her candidacy is subject to election of voters in the Democratic Primary next May.



13 POUNDER — Jerry Cauld, last week from a deep waterer of Robert Lee caught this section of Lake Spence. hefty striped bass on a trotline

EUTERPEAN CLUB HAS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Euterpean Club of Blackwell met for their Christmas meeting Dec. 20 in the home of Mrs. B. R. McCarley with Mrs. R. V. Copeland as co-hostess.

Mrs. Esa Leeta Grammer gave the Christmas program, reading from St. Luke, and stressed that love and service are the central ideas behind Christmas.

Mrs. Mary Colvin led the singing of Christmas carols, accompanied by Mrs. Copeland at the piano. Gifts were exchanged from a tree trimmed with decorated eggs designed by Mrs. McCarley.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Lee Alderman, Terry Barrett, Colvin, Copeland, Grammer, Josie Hipp, McCarley, Mathie Romine, B. J. Sanderson, C. B. Smith and R. Q. Spence; and Misses Bertha Smith and Charlotte Lasswell, a guest from San Angelo.

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Bill Luckett Seeks Commissioner Job

Billy Joe Luckett, lifelong resident of Bronte, announced this week that he is a candidate for commissioner of Precinct 2 of Coke County. He said his decision to make the race for commissioner came after he talked with present Commissioner Jesse Parker, who said he would not be running for re-election.

Luckett has served for seven years as water superintendent for the City of Bronte and also as fire marshal. He is also a member of the Bronte School's board of trustees, but has submitted his resignation before entering the race for commissioner.

Luckett is a member of Bronte Masonic Lodge, the Methodist Church, the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department, the Bronte Evening Lions Club and the American Legion. He also served eight years on the Bronte City Council.

He was born and raised in the Bronte community and is married to the former Diane Dunklin. He is the father of two children, Debbie, who is a senior in Bronte High School, and Joey, who is in the fifth grade. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Luckett of Bronte.

In announcing his candidacy, subject to action of voters in the Democratic Primary in May, Luckett made the following statement:

"When Mr. Parker told me that he would not be a candidate for re-election as commissioner of Precinct 2, I decided to make the race for this position. I feel that the job of commissioner is a very important one, and, if you elect me, I will always consider it my first responsibility and devote my entire energies and abilities toward serving the best interests of the citizens of Precinct 2 and all of Coke County.

"If you feel that I can do a good job for you, I will appreciate your support and your vote in the Democratic Primary next May. I plan to contact personally every voter in this precinct, if at all possible, and will appreciate hearing your views on all matters pertaining to our county government.

"If you feel that I can do the job for you and you elect me to this office, my one promise is that I will do the very best that I can for you and I will do it honestly and with the same treatment to all citizens of this precinct."

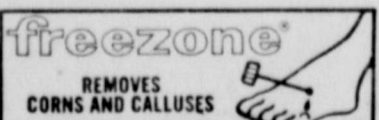
Spending the Christmas holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Clara Gregg, was John T. Gregg of Lubbock.

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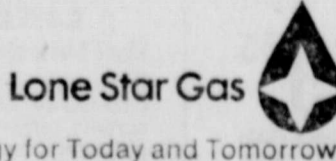
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NOTICE OF ELECTION

ORDER FOR ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, COKE COUNTY KICKAPOO WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1.

This 4th day of October, 1973, came to be considered by the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, the matter of calling an election for the purpose of electing two (2) directors for said district to serve a term of two (2) years from the second Tuesday in January, 1974; and it appearing to said directors of said district that it would be advisable to hold said election of directors on the 8th day of January, 1974, the same being the second Tuesday in January, 1974, and that the directors of said district issue an order therefor and cause public notice to be given as required by law:

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, said Directors do hereby order that on the 8th day of January, 1974, at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, County of Coke, State of Texas, an election shall be held for the purpose of electing two Directors of said District.

That the polls shall be open for such election at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, Texas, located in said district from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on the day of election; and the following officer to hold said election hereby is appointed, to-wit, Noah Pruitt, Presiding Judge. Said Presiding Judge is hereby given authority to hold said election. No person shall vote at such election unless he is a resident voter of said district and also a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas. All votes of such election shall be by ballot, and voters desiring to vote for Directors of the District shall vote for two persons each of whom shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age, a resident of said District and an owner of taxable property in the District.

On or before the fifth day after such election, the officers holding such election shall make due returns, in triplicate, of all the votes cast for Directors of said District, and deliver one (1) return to the President of the District and one (1) to the Secretary.

Public notice of this Order shall be given by publication thereof in The Bronte Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Coke County, Texas, the publication of this Order being once a week for two consecutive weeks, with the first publication being at least twenty (20) days prior to the election and not more than thirty-five (35) days prior thereto.

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Mrs. Waldrop Running for Clerk

Mrs. Winnie Waldrop has announced that she will be a candidate for re-election as Coke County District and County Clerk. In making her announcement, she issued the following statement:

To the Citizens of Coke County: It has been a pleasure to serve the people of Coke County as County and District Clerk the past few years and I take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for allowing me this privilege.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to this office I pledge my continued effort to be worthy of this honorable position and of the trust you have placed in me by your loyalty and support. I shall always welcome the opportunity to share your views in matters concerning this office and will always be glad to assist you in any way I can.

Again, I respectfully request your vote for me for County and District Clerk of Coke County at the Democratic Primary Election on May 4th.

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 Winnie Waldrop

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