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Steers place third at state in track

The Robert Lee Steer track team ended the 1984-85 athletic season on a high note last weekend at the State Meet in Austin. The tracksters placed high in three events giving them a total of 30 points for an overall 3rd place finish at the State level in their division.

Bobby Boone took 3rd place in the high jump with a 6'7" leap. Jim Bob Jacobs

was 2nd in the 400 meters with a 48.7 clocking. The 1600 meter relay team (Greg Grim, Bobby Boone, Kirby Rasco, Jim Bob Jacobs) took 2nd place with their 3:23.0 time.

It has been a highly successful season for Coach Ed Poehls' tracksters, with a number of school records broken.

Club slates 'C' roping this Sunday at Bronte

The Coke County Roping Club will sponsor a "C" Team Roping, to be held this Sunday, May 19, at the Arena in Bronte. Entry fee has been set at \$16.00 per team. The books will open at 1:00 p.m. and the roping will start at 2:00. All area "C" team ropers are invited to attend, and eligibility will be

determined by the roper's status at other arenas in the area, with a few exceptions. If in doubt about your status, or for further information, contact Barry Hilliard, David McMullan, or Hal Spain. Other cheaper ropings are planned to follow the first roping; so make plans to attend this Sunday.



ROBERT LEE STATE track qualifiers board the van last weekend for their trip to Austin. Tracksters are [from l] Kevin Johnson, Greg Grim, Jim Bob Jacobs, Kirby Rasco, Bobby Boone, and Coach Ed Poehls.

Fish Fry nets over \$1,000.00

A Fish Fry last Friday night at the County Park in Robert Lee netted well over \$1000.00 in donations for the fetal monitor for WCCH.

Ambulance Service receives directory

The East Coke County Ambulance Service received a very useful item when they were presented a directory map of the rural area surrounding Bronte.

The Sorosis Study Club compiled this alphabetized list of people living outside the Bronte city limits and the surrounding communities. They worked on this project for a two-year period and received an award for it.

The E.C.C. Ambulance Service wishes to express their appreciation to the club for this every useful gift.

First playday set

by Rodeo Association

The Coke County Rodeo Association has scheduled the first official playday of the season at the club's arena in Bronte. The event will be at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 18.

Doctors feel the monitor is necessary for the delivery of babies at the facility. Several mothers from the area are scheduled for delivery at West Coke County already.

A number of individuals and local merchants were responsible for the supper. The large amount of filleted fish were caught on a recent fishing trip by Johnny and Loyd Sevier and donated. R.L. Flanagan also donated fish. Merchants giving donations and food were Baker's Grocery, C&W One-Stop, T-Stop Grocery, Skinner's Grocery, West Way Grocery,

J&B Hardware and Blondie's Pantry.

Cooking fish were Butch Davis, Turney Casey, Cecil Schooley and Add Davis. A number of ladies donated food to serve, helped with the clean-up and assisted behind the tables and with preparation. Everyone who assisted in any way is to be commended; all of those helping were too numerous to mention. Of special mention should be those who open their hearts and pocket-books when they turn out to eat at the recent benefits.

Seniors schedule domino tourney at Rec Hall in Robert Lee

West Coke County Senior Citizens are sponsoring an 88 tournament for all Coke Co. Srs. on Tuesday, May 28, at the Robert Lee Recreation Hall.

Pre-registration date will be on or before Tuesday, May 21.

Please pre-register with Margaret Martin at Bronte Senior Center or Faye Miller at 453-2113 in Robert Lee.

Tournament play will be from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Resume play at 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Small prizes will be awarded to each team member winning most marks in the tournament.

Sandwiches, sweets and drinks will be furnished at noon by West Coke County Senior Citizens at no charge.



SHOWN ABOVE ARE Elene Means, Social-Activity J.T. Henry, Mayor of Bronte; and Alton Phillips, President of the Bronte Nursing Home Resident's Council.

PROCLAMATION NATIONAL NURSING HOME WEEK

Bronte Mayor J.T. Henry signs Proclamation to Kick Off National Nursing Home Week, May 12 to May 18th, 1985.

National Nursing Home Week is observed throughout the nation and State of Texas to recognize nursing home residents who represent a reservoir of talent, experience and wisdom, a valuable resource to their community, their state and their nation.

"Celebrate A Lifetime Of Achievement" is this year's theme for this very special week and to honor these very special people.

VISIT A NURSING HOME THIS WEEK

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Publisher plans wedding

Observer/Enterprise owner/publisher Hal Spain has announced his engagement and approaching marriage to Lisa Timm, of San Angelo, Texas. The couple has set a tentative date of June 15 for the marriage ceremony, which will be held in San Angelo.

After a brief honeymoon trip to Ruidoso, the couple will make permanent residence on a farm northwest of Robert Lee. Mrs. Timm's son Josh will join the couple in Robert Lee, where he will start Kindergarten classes this fall.

Heffernan, Braswell marry

Stacey Christine Heffernan and Eddie Van Braswell were united in marriage April 15 at 8:00 p.m. at the Bronte Church of Christ with Roger Barron, pastor of the church, as officiant.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Patrick E. Heffernan of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie R. Braswell

of College Station.

Mrs. Braswell is a 1984 graduate of Bronte High School and Mr. Braswell graduated from Sweetwater High School in 1978 and Texas Tech University in 1982. She is employed at Sav-On Food Store and he is employed by the County Park department.

White competes at state

Kathy White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed White of Early, recently went to Austin to compete in a state meet in typing.

She is the first student from Early High to ever go to state in this event. She ranked in the best top ten at

the contest.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.P. McClure of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Ray White of Eunice, LA.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dave King of Robert Lee.

Seniors will meet for lunch

The West Coke County Senior Citizens will meet at the Robert Lee Senior Citizen Center on Friday, May 17 (today) at noon for their

potluck luncheon.

Blood pressures will be taken by Outreach Home Health of San Angelo.



A single ounce of platinum could be drawn out into a wire, finer than a spider's thread, that would reach from New York City to New Orleans.

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Bronte Senior Citizens

The Senior Citizens picnic will not be held Friday night, May 17, as previously announced. It has been postponed until Friday, May 31.

Payment made on new fetal monitor

After a successful Bake Sale, Fish Fry and donations, the first of three payments on the new W.C.C.H. Fetal Monitor has been reached. The total cost is \$7,335.00 and we are to pay \$2,445.00 on June 10th, July 10th and Aug. 10 and no interest will be charged. The Bake Sale netted over \$1,000.00 and the Fish Fry \$1,016.25. With the donations that have been given, a total of \$2,708.20 has been reached.

The following have given donations: Bobby and Marlene Vaughn, Virginia Jordan and C.E. and Marie Arrott, all of Bronte; Rita Munoz, Sara Lara, Lewis Lohman, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Scott, Dale Wojtek, Orville and Mildred Davis, Harley and Ruth Moore, Merritt Smith, Dr. Terry Pulse and Dr. Tharwat Hamamcy, all of Robert Lee. A memorial was given by Clara Blair Thomas of Arlington, TX, in loving memory of her father, Jim Blair.

Sponsors expressed their gratitude to all who participated in anyway to make this first payment on the Fetal Monitor possible.

Through the love of generous hearts Your Hospital has benefited and will be better able to serve our community and anyone who has a need. THANKS!



Icelanders read more books per capita than any other people in the world.

Coleman services detailed

Buck R. Coleman, 70, of Ballinger, died at 4:15 a.m. Thursday, May 9, 1985, in Ballinger Memorial Hospital.

Services were at 4 p.m. Friday, May 10, in the First Baptist Church of Ballinger, with the Rev. Glen Willingham, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Fairview Cemetery in Bronte, under the direction of Rains-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Coleman was born Dec. 15, 1914 in Bronte and was a dealer and restorer of antique clocks. He worked with Triple A Farm Program in Coke County for 10 years and a local power company for 20 years. He was a veteran of World War II and

former president of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Coleman was a longtime resident of Ballinger and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Linn; two daughters: Susan Hope Everett of Irving and Jeanie Marie Coleman of Whitewright, TX; three grandchildren; four sisters: Josie Sims of Bronte, Lillian Caperton of Bronte, Sibyl Hester of Bronte, and Elva Fort of Sun City, AZ.; one brother, Bob Coleman of San Angelo; and a host of nieces and nephews. Mr. Coleman was preceded in death by one daughter, Judy Linn Coleman.

Harris rites told

Clarence Julian Harris, Sr., 91, former Blackwell resident, died in Jacinto City on May 9.

Funeral services were held on May 13 at Blackwell Methodist Church officiated by Dr. John English. Masonic graveside rites were conducted at Blackwell Cemetery under the direction of San Jacinto Memorial Funeral Home.

Mr. Harris was married to

Essie Miller on June 7, 1916. The couple left Blackwell in 1945. He was a member of the Hilton Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Essie, of Jacinto City; one son, Clarence J. Harris, Jr. of Jacinto City; one sister, Thelma Smith of Blackwell; one brother, Dilliard Harris, of Arizona; and three grandchildren as well as other relatives.



Look Who's New

Marcia and William Cudd of Ft. Worth are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Cindy Ann. She was born Feb. 28 at 6:31 p.m. in John Peter Smith Hospital and weighed 8 lb. 6 1/2 oz.

The couple has another daughter, Crystal, who is 5 years old.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cudd of Ft. Worth and Barbara Baker of Gila Bend, AZ.

Cindy Ann's great-grandmother is Mrs. LaVern Sum-

mers and her great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Vela Plumlee, both of Robert Lee.

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MEMBERS OF THE Coke County 4-H Junior Rifle Team are [from l] Jeff Cole, Sheree Burns, Dean Burns, and Brent McPeek.

Shooters place third at district

Coke County had six 4-H members attend the District 7 4-H Rifle Contest held recently in San Angelo.

The junior team composed of Jeff Cole, Dean Burns, Sheree Burns and Brent

McPeek placed third with Jeff Cole placing as high individual of the match.

Two senior 4-H'ers participated on an individual basis. These were Tina Hines and Phil Stephens.

Bands present spring concert

Members of the Bronte School Bands presented their spring concert last Thursday evening at the school auditorium. The crowd was rather sparse this year due to many conflicting activities, but enthusiasm was high, especially following the fifth grade band's rendition of "Fidgets". The beginners band combined a bit of "jazzy" music and showmanship to delight the audience.

Each of the school bands performed, including the fourth grade recorders, fifth grade beginners, the promising Jr. High band which is the largest group, and the small, but pleasing high school band.

Band Director Homer Stewart presented awards to deserving students from each class, the most important being the John Phillip Sousa Award presented to outstanding bandsman, Gary Flores, a sophomore.

Others awarded: 4th grade, Misti Mackey; 5th grade, Kristie Cooper; 6th grade, Julie Blair; 7th grade,

Gary Blair; 8th grade, Director's Award, Sherri Eubanks; 9th grade, Waylan Ensor; 10th grade, Estella Puentez, drum major; 11th grade, Stefanie Robbins, Billy Reed; 12th grade, Jesse Puentez.

Two large first-place trophies won by the High School and Jr. High bands were presented by Mr. Stewart to principals Jerry Hyche and Albert Johnson for the school trophy case.

A word of appreciation goes to Mr. Stewart for his capable leadership, to all students who strive to give Bronte an award-winning band program, and to the Band Booster Club for their support and work. Booster Club officers for the past year were Glenda Phillips, president; Hazel Magness, 1st V.P.; Kay Robbins and Elaine Ensor, co-vice presidents; Beverly Sims, treasurer; Fran Sonnenberg, secretary; Frances Pierce, sponsor chairman and Donna Scott, membership chairman.

Customers must dial all seven digits

Customers now need to dial ALL SEVEN local digits of the desired telephone number when using a Robert Lee pay telephone.

"It's very important to dial the complete number with prefix at local coin

telephones," noted General Telephone General Manager E.O. Cambern.

Camborn added the changes are in conjunction with the recent change to 0+ and 1+ long distance dialing in Robert Lee.

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



ROBERT LEE HIGH School freshman students chose Karen Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Smith Jr., and Wes Hood, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hood for their class favorites for 1984-85.

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BACCALAUREATE SERVICE
Robert Lee High School Auditorium
Sunday, May 19, 8:00 p.m.

- Processional Pat Stephens
- Invocation Pam Bradford
- Pastor, Robert Lee United Methodist Church
- Presentation of Speaker Jimmy Bickley
- Address Roy Epperson
- Pastor, Robert Lee Baptist Church
- Benediction Kenneth Green
- Minister, North Side Church of Christ
- Recessional Pat Stephens

**Robert Lee's Remaining
May Baseball Schedule**

Date	Time	Team	Place
May 20	6 p.m.	Fillies vs Kittens	RL
" "	6 p.m.	Unicorns vs Tigers	RL
" "	8 p.m.	Bronte vs Angels	Bro
" "	8 p.m.	Steers vs Angels	RL
May 21	6 p.m.	Cubs vs Giants	Winters
" "	6 p.m.	Cards vs Rangers	Winters
" "	8 p.m.	Red Sox vs Jets	RL
May 27	8 p.m.	Lions vs RL Angels	Winters
" "	8 p.m.	Dudes vs Steers	Winters
May 28	6 p.m.	Fillies vs Pandas	RL
" "	7:30	RL Astros vs W. Astros	RL
" "	6 p.m.	Cards vs Cubs	Winters
" "	6 p.m.	Cougars vs Rangers	Bro
" "	8 p.m.	Dodgers vs Red Sox	Winters
May 30	6 p.m.	Tigers vs Reds	Winters
" "	6 p.m.	Unicorns vs Cubs	RL
" "	8 p.m.	Bears vs RL Angels	Winters
" "	8 p.m.	Dodgers vs Steers	Bro
May 31	6 p.m.	Eagles vs Cubs	Winters
" "	6 p.m.	Giants vs Rangers	Winters
" "	8 p.m.	Yankees vs Red Sox	Winters



The U.S. population in 1940 was 131,699,275.

Robert Lee MENU



- Monday, May 20**
Chicken Patty w/Gravy
Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Rolls-Butter
Milk
Cake Squares
- Tuesday, May 21**
Fish Krispies
Tator Bars w/Catsup
English Peas
Hush Puppies
Applesauce
Milk
- Wednesday, May 22**
Beef Tacos w/Cheese
Pork & Beans
Salad
Chopped Onion
Applecrisp
Milk
- Thursday, May 23**
Pizza
Corn
Lettuce-Tomato Salad
Ice Cream
Milk
- Friday, May 24**
Teachers Workday. Have a safe, enjoyable summer!!!



The West Coke County Hospital District reported the following admissions and dismissals.

- May 7: No admissions or dismissals.
- May 8: Bessie Walker admitted. Ruth Jenkins, Lillian Counts, Gilbert Davis, William Ritchey and Betty Norrid dismissed.
- May 9: No admissions and Ruth Williams dismissed.
- May 10: Maurine Vosburg and Willie Abalos admitted. Effie Roberts and Gerald Linnenkugal dismissed.
- May 11: No admissions or dismissals.
- May 12: No admissions and Willie Abalos dismissed.
- May 13: No admissions or dismissals.



A device invented as a primitive steam engine by the Greek Engineer Hero almost 2,000 years ago is used today as a rotating lawn sprinkler.



JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES for 1984-85 at Robert Lee High School are Dana Anthony, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Anthony and Jim Bob Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs.

Awards Assembly slated

The Robert Lee High School's Awards Assembly will be held in the school auditorium on Friday, May 17, at 2:45 p.m. The public is invited to attend this assembly to honor students for 1984-85.

Elementary commencement set

The Robert Lee Elementary Commencement ceremonies will be held on Thursday evening, May 23, at 8:00 p.m. in the school auditorium. The public is invited to attend the graduation of this fine group of young people.

Dr. Ken McCutchen, professor at Tarleton State University will be the speaker for the function.



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An open letter to the RL Community:

(Boys) 1985 Steer track team - Proud of Success.

The Steer track team had a very good season in 1985. They feel that their success was made possible by hard work, dedication, the willingness to make sacrifices, and the support of the community of Robert Lee. Coach Poehls and the athletes would like to sincerely thank the people -(parents & fans)- that supported us all year long. A special thanks goes to those that came to Austin and backed the Steers in the State Meet. It gets lonely at Austin with all the strange people, but any where you looked in Memorial Stadium, you could see Robert Lee folks. It made us feel more relaxed and helped us to compete as if it were just another big day of competition.

And compete is what the Steers did at Austin. Bobby Boone, 3rd in the high jump at 6'7"; Jim Bob Jacobs, 2nd

in the 400 meter at 48.7; Greg Grim, Bobby Boone, Kirby Rasco, Jim Bob Jacobs and Alternate Kevin Johnson, 2nd in the 1600 relay at 3:23.0. The Steers scored 30 points in the State Meet and finished 3rd in the State behind Gruver and Munday.

With the leadership of a large number of Seniors and Juniors and the hard work of the Sophomores and Freshmen, the Steers won every meet they entered in 1985 until taking a 2nd at the regional meet in Abilene and a 3rd in the state meet at Austin.

During the course of the season several school records were broken including:

400m relay - Kirby Rasco, Douglas Roberts, Jim Bob Jacobs, Greg Grim, 43.6.

200m - Jim Bob Jacobs, 22.06.

400m - Jim Bob Jacobs, 48.7.

1600m relay - Greg Grim, Bobby Boone, Kirby Rasco, Jim Bob Jacobs, 3:22.75.

Pole Vault - Randy Stephens, 13'6".

Long Jump - Kirby Rasco, 22'0".

Yes indeed, 1985 was a good year for the Steer tracksters and for sure we lose a lot of very talented Seniors whose leadership we will miss a lot in 1986. I have never felt that losing Seniors, who were great leaders ever weakened a team's chances for success in future. I feel that our younger athletes have learned, from our graduating Seniors the importance of leadership, dedication, and the willingness to make sacrifices in order to be a winner and if I am right, 1986, will bring about more broken records, very good times, and another winning season.

Thank you, school board members and administrators for giving us the opportunity to compete in track and field at Robert Lee High School.

Coach Ed Poehls
& the Steers



REIGNING AS RLHS Homecoming Queen and King for 1984-85 were Tina Bower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bower, and Greg Grim, son of Mrs. Kay Taylor and George Grim.



STEER FOOTBALL SWEETHEART and Cheerleader Hero for 1984-85 at RLHS were Missy Grim, daughter of Mrs. Kay Taylor and George Grim and Abel Torres, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Torres.

Bronte reports science winners

The National Science Olympiad Contest was recently conducted at Bronte School. This contest is designed to test achievement in a particular science area nationwide. This is the third year the school has participated in this event and the local students' scores have improved each year, according to Jerita Taylor, science sponsor.

The top ten scorers in each

grade, fifth through tenth, make up a team and the sum of their scores are submitted to the contest. Each member of the team receives a certificate, with a medal going to the student with the highest score on the local level.

Medal winners were: 5th grade, Max Tuinstra; 6th, Lee Sonnenberg; 7th, Gary Blair; 8th, Susie Haun; 9th, Conda Richards and 10th, James Powers.

WTC slates classes at Ballinger

Registration for summer classes at the Ballinger extension center of Western Texas College will be held on Tuesday, May 21, at the high school Activity Center.

Students are to register between 6:30 and 8 p.m. Classes begin on May 29 and continue through July 26.

Heating Infant Formula In Microwave Ovens -- Infant formula can be safely heated in a microwave oven if certain precautions are followed, says Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist, Dr. Alice Hunt. First, heat the milk only to barely warm, not boiling. Remember the container may remain cool, while the milk is too hot. Microwave the bottle of milk without the top at a medium setting until warm, which is about one minute per six ounces from refrigerator temperature. Attach the nipple and cap and shake the bottle to redistribute the heat. "Most importantly, let the bottle stand a few minutes before testing the temperature, and always sprinkle several drops on your inner wrist before giving the bottle to the baby," she cautions.

Hypoglycemia Often Misunderstood-- Hypoglycemia, or low blood sugar, is a

physical disorder that's often mistakenly self-diagnosed as an easy explanation for anxiety, nervousness or lack of energy. Hypoglycemia is somewhat rare and should be diagnosed by a physician after appropriate blood testing, advises Mary K. Sweeten, a nutritionist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. For those with a diagnosed condition, the doctor will prescribe treat-

ment based on the patient's individual needs. People who are not hypoglycemic, but complain of the symptoms, may be helped by following a more healthful lifestyle, suggests Sweeten. Skipping meals, not eating a variety of nutritious foods, poor sleep habits, lack of exercise or personal problems and stress may contribute to the problem.



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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Eighth grade promotion scheduled

The eighth grade promotional program is scheduled for Thursday evening, May 23 at 8:00 in the school auditorium.

Honor students of the class are Misti Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stover Taylor, with a grade average of 96.56 and Christy Bivins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bivins, with a 95.96 grade average.

Officers of the class are Reil Barron, president; Shannon Hoffman, vice president and Misti Taylor, secretary/treasurer.

Melissa Howard and Homer Stewart are eighth grade sponsors.

The class selected "We Are the World" as their song and other selections were burgundy and pink as their colors and the carnation as their flower.

Ushers chosen from the seventh grade are Tim Davis, James Badgett, Kelly Webb and Kristi Neighbors.

Members of the eighth grade class are:

Melissa Arrott, Lynda Jeannette Baker, Reil Roger Barron, Kerri LaVaughn Bilibrey, Christine Bivins, Charles Gregorio Charles, Terri Lynn Childs, Linda Sue Cobb, Raymond Scott DeBord, Regenia Fay Diehl, Vicki LeAnn Ellis, Sherri Ann Eubanks, Irene Fuentes, Anissa Ann Gibbs, Diane Elizabeth Hargrave, Suzanne Marie Haun, Sandra Jean Hilliard, Tina Ann Hines, Shannon Ray Hoffman, Douglas Scott Jordan, Corina Juarez, Timothy Edward Mackey, Adam Minjarez, Stephanie Diane Owens, Michele Lee Parker, Rakesh Patel.

Also, Dorinda Lynn Scott, Kimberly Denise Sims, Dawn Renay Switzer, Kevin Shane Taylor, Misti Lesean Taylor and Jim Bob Thomas.



HONOR STUDENTS OF Bronte eighth grade are Misti Taylor with a grade point 96.56 and Christy Bivins with a 95.96 grade average. Misti is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stover Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Garry Bivins are parents of Christy.

EIGHTH GRADE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM BRONTE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1985, 8:00 p.m.

- Prelude Mrs. Fran Sonnenberg
"Pomp and Circumstance"
- Invocation Shane Kelton
- Welcome Albert Johnson
Principal
- "Against All Odds"
Collins
Dawn Switzer, Flute
Sherri Eubanks, Piano
- "Terms of Endearment"
Gore
Misti Taylor, Piano
- "I Just Called To Say 'I Love You'"
Wander
Sherri Eubanks, Piano
- Presentation of 2nd Honor Graduate Albert Johnson
Principal
- Presentation of 1st Honor Graduate Albert Johnson
Principal
- Presentation of Certificates Mike Hartman
Superintendent of Schools
- "We Are The World"
Jackson
Sherri Eubanks, Piano
- Benediction Reil Barron
- Recessional Mrs. Fran Sonnenberg
"Color Guard March"

Phillips finishes 7th at state tourney

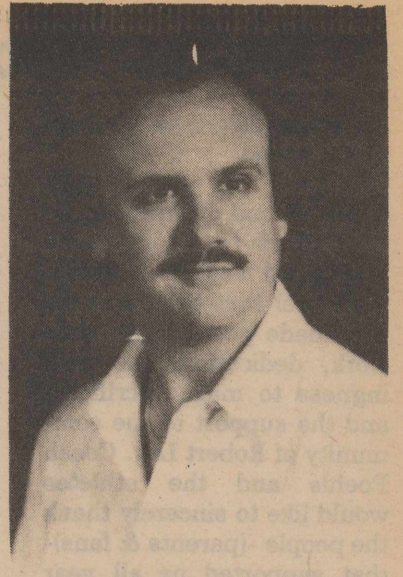
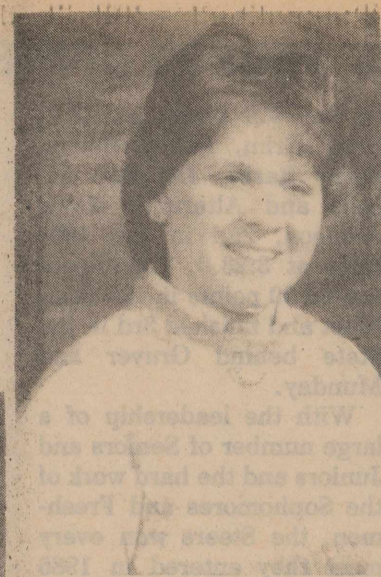
David Phillips, Bronte High School golfer, finished as 7th medalist from a field of 45 competitors at the state golf tournament in Austin. His two day total score was 165.

David earned the opportunity to compete at state by attaining second medalist honors at region. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Phillips. Larry Kelso is golf coach.

LAKE SPENCE FISHING NEWS

PAINT CREEK MARINA
Lee Slocum, Crane, 1 black bass, 4½ lbs.
Allen Williams, Pecos, 1 striper, 12 lbs.
Mike Kinsey, Brownwood, 2 black bass, 4 lb. 6 oz. and 6 lb. 10 oz.
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R.A. Tidwell, San Angelo, 1 yellow cat, 20 lbs.

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CLASS SPONSORS OF the Eighth Grade for 1984-85 school year are Melissa Howard and Homer Stewart.

Board hears cost estimates

At their regular session, the BISD board of trustees met with Larry Donham, architect, who gave preliminary cost estimates for construction of a new school library and renovation of science facilities.

They also:

- * Interviewed elementary principal applicants and employed Shirley Coleman, current Professor of Education at Sul Ross University.

- * Employed Chris Miller, a graduate of Texas Tech, as vocational agriculture teacher.

- * Appointed Ron Sims as delegate to the Texas Association of School Boards Convention with Lisa Glenn appointed as alternate.

- * Approved application of USDA commodities. Heard principals' reports on TABS.

- * Certified Michael Hartman to serve on Region XV joint committee.

- * Contracted with Region XV for a library consultant.

- * Deleted the federally funded program aides due to lack of funding.

- * Continued student accident insurance with Keystone Insurance Company.

- * Renewed participation in National school lunch and breakfast program.

- * Heard legislative updates.

- * Reviewed correspondence and approved bills for payment.



THE OBSERVER/ENTERPRISE would like to apologize to Jann Tounget for the error as it appeared in last week's paper. Jann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tounget of Bronte, is the sophomore class favorite for 1984-85 at Bronte High School.



BRONTE MENU

Monday, May 20: Breakfast - Mixed cereal, apple-sauce, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Chicken fried steaks with gravy, creamed potatoes, and blackeyed peas.

Tuesday, May 21: Breakfast - Cheese toast, orange juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Pizza, corn and fruit cups.

Wednesday, May 22: Breakfast - Mixed cereal, peach juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Hamburger, French fries, Lettuce, tomato, pickles and onion, bun and ice cream.

Hot rolls served with lunch and milk served at all meals.

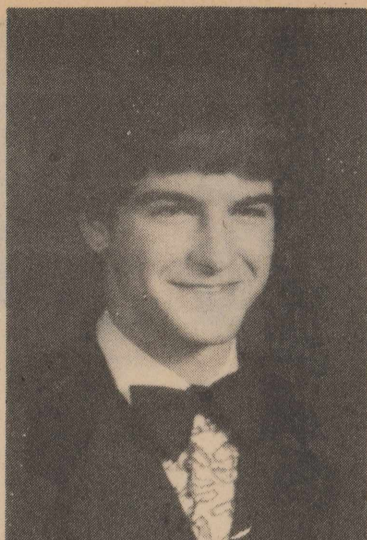


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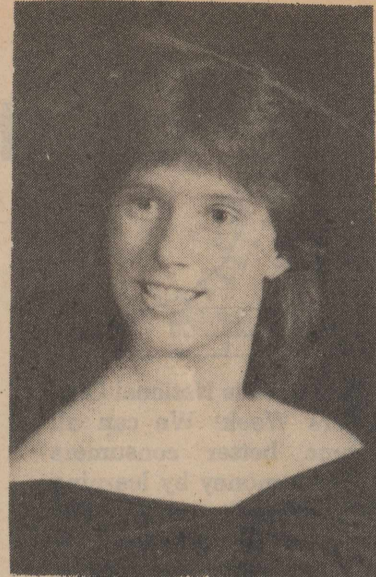
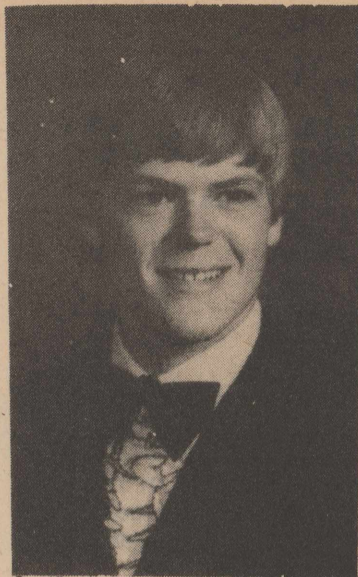


REPRESENTING THE BRONTE Longhorns as the Most Athletic Girl and Boy are Lesa Dyess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Dyess, and Blain McGinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid McGinnis.

Bronte Class of '59 makes reunion plans

The graduating class of 1959 from Bronte High School has made plans for their class reunion to be held Saturday, May 25, at the Senior Citizens Center. The noon meal will be "Pot Luck" and is to be served at 12:00 o'clock.

All of their parents are invited to the noon meal and their ex-teachers and acquaintances are cordially invited to come by the Center and visit with this group in the afternoon.



THE WITTIEST BOY and Girl of BHS - elected by classmates - are Blane Braswell and Beverly Robinson. Parents of Blane are Sharon and Dennie Braswell. Beverly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kay Robinson.

Homemakers sponsor bake sale

Young Homemakers of Bronte will sponsor a Bake Sale Friday, May 17 in front of Sav-On Food in Bronte at 3:30 p.m. to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Funds raised through the

bake sale will enable the programs of research and care to make further great strides and increase the life expectancy of CF patients. Please support this cause.

Earthworms may do wonders for soil outside, but don't let any stay in potted plants. As they burrow in and around roots, they sometimes do more harm than good.

Jenkins improves after surgery

Mrs. Ruth Jenkins, a resident of West Coke County Nursing Home, suffered a broken hip in a fall two weeks ago. Surgery was performed in WCCH by Dr. Tharwat Hamamcy, assisted by Dr. Terry Pulse.

According to family members, she is improving and anxious to return to the nursing home.

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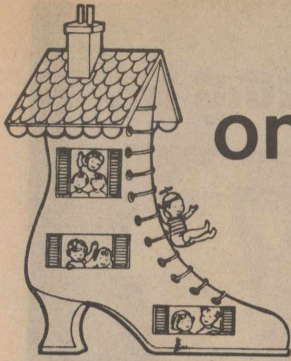
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YELLOW ONIONS LB. 13c	Pillsbury Pipin' Hot Bread Dough 10 oz. 89c	Rich's White Bread Dough 2-1 Lb. 99c
	Parade Amer. Singles Cheese 12 oz. \$1.29	



on the house

by Debra J. Reber

This week is National Consumers Week. We can all become better consumers and save money by learning good shopping skills. Too many of us purchase on impulse, and later regret those purchases. Here are some tips to help you make wise purchases.

Save money as you shop for food by using these trips:

* Compare eggs prices. If there's less than a 7-cent price difference between one size and the next smaller size in the same grade, you will get more for your money by buying the larger size.

* A half gallon of milk usually costs less than two quarts. The larger size is only a bargain if you use it before its expiration date.

* Choose meat by the cost per serving rather than cost per pound. Money paid for bone, skin and fat is wasted.

* Buy a whole chicken and cut it yourself rather than buying chicken parts.

* Refrigerated, cured hams are usually less expensive than canned hams.

To get the most for your money, you should be able to recognize quality clothing when you see it. Good quality means good fabrics, notions and construction.

One way to learn about quality clothes is to examine

expensive garments in a top-notch store before you sift through a mixture of items at a sale or discount store. Here are some tip-offs that tell you an item is of good quality:

* Good fabrics, especially natural fibers, including wool and cotton used either alone or in blends. Read the label for fabric content.

* Linings in skirts and pants.

* Precise match of plaids, checks or patterns at the seams.

* Even stitching in a matching color, with flat seams and no hanging threads.

* Well-made buttonholes and buttons of quality material, such as wood or bone, rather than plastic.

* Finished inside seams and ample hems.

Consumers are buying appliances that have many electronic features without considering future maintenance and service costs. Electronic circuit boards are more sensitive to power surges and fluctuations which may result in damage. So in addition to the extra cost of these features which can be as much as \$100, the cost of repairs and maintenance over the life of the appliance may be expensive.

...Postal Pointers...

by Coe Lewis, Postmaster
Robert Lee

Did you know?

There are 39,386 Post Offices, Stations and branches in the United States? 29,750 are Post Offices, 4,184 are classified stations and branches. 3,744 are contract branches and stations and 1,708 are community Post Offices.

U.S. population is 234.9 million people. Pieces of mail per person annually averages 560.

The postal service handled 40 million changes of address in 1984. The Postal Service issued 30 billion stamps in 1984 - enough to circle the globe 19 times.

In 1984 - the Postal Service handled 68.43 billion pieces of 1st class mail; 9.52 billion pieces of 2nd class mail; 48.25 billion pieces of 3rd class mail and 599 billion pieces of 4th class mail.

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Mrs. Mary Tubb celebrates 86th

Mrs. Mary Tubb celebrated her 86th birthday with a number of her family members coming from out of town to be with her. She attended church with family where she received many hugs and words of congratulations. Enjoying the day and luncheon were Mrs. Tubb's daughter, Ava Lou Davis from Killeen; her son, Mac Tubb of Abilene; her grandsons and wives, Vincent and Cindy Hanna and Kevin and Josilynn Tubb, all of Austin. Also, John Bill Brock and Crystal and Jerome Hanna, all of Robert Lee.



TERESA HARLIN AND Pammy Millican have been chosen as sophomore favorites at RLHS for 1984-85. Parents of the students are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harlin and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican

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Home energy audits offered

Home energy audits described as "simple, free and easy" are being offered to customers of West Texas Utilities Company.

The program is called QUEST---short for Quick Energy Savings Test--- and is designed to show just how energy efficient a home really is.

"QUEST is a vehicle through which our customers can find out how they can control their energy use," said Paul Sublett and Bob Boone, local WTU managers. "Most people could conserve more energy in their homes if they knew what to do."

QUEST actually is a quick energy analysis of a home. All a customer has to do is to obtain a questionnaire from the local WTU office, fill in the blanks, and send it back to WTU by postage free-reply mail.

The questionnaires are received by WTU's Customer Technical Services Department in Abilene for evaluation. With the customer's prior to 13-month electric billing, accurate analysis of the home energy efficiency can be made. A less accurate analysis can be done without the 13-month billing.

Nancy Johnson of Abilene, supervisor of residential audits, said a customer can expect to get results on a questionnaire back in about two or three weeks.

She said customers will receive a report consisting of three parts:

-- Estimates of monthly utility cost comparisons for similar-sized homes, occupancy and appliances.

-- Graphs indicating annual utility costs for an energy efficient home and for an average home.

-- Estimated potential dollar savings and ranges of cost for energy conservation measures which may be appropriate for the home based on information the customer supplied through the questionnaire.

It doesn't take long to fill out the questionnaire, but for proper results the customer should be as accurate as possible. Mrs. Johnson said.

QUEST is available to all WTU customers, but it does not supplant the more detailed Residential Conservation Service (RCS) audit that has been offered by all electric utilities for the past several years. The RCS audit is still available for a \$15 charge.

Marburger, Cmerek set wedding date

Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Marburger announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Julie, to Tommie Cmerek. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. August Cmerek of Miles.

Julie is a 1983 graduate of Miles High School and is employed at Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo.

Tommy is a 1975 graduate of Miles High School and is employed at Miles Co-op Gin.

The wedding date is set for June 15, in the St. Joseph Catholic Church, Rowena.

Julie is the granddaughter of Helen Kirkland of Bronte.



Julie Marburger and Tommie Cmerek



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Fowler reunion held in Robert Lee

The 4th Fowler Family Reunion was held recently at the Senior Citizens Building in Robert Lee.

There was a lot of reminiscing of times gone by and a lot of pleasant memories retold.

They ate, visited and did a lot of picture taking.

Everyone slipped away and fixed pallets. All went to sleep and got up early, had breakfast, and soon started packing.

The oldest was Helen Fowler and the youngest was Jonathan Daniel, young son of Danny and Robbie Ruff and the great-grandson of Helen Fowler and grandson of Robert and Pat Taft.

Those present for the reunion are as follows:

Henry and Murleene Mathews, San Angelo; Patricia and Sam Taft, Amarillo; Robbie Ruff and son, Jonathan Daniel, San Angelo; Brice and Ellean Fowler, Monahans; Sherry (Fowler) Kuykendall, Alvarado, TX.; Larry, Barbara, Mark and Vanessa Fowler, San Angelo; Roy and Mary Fowler, Alvarado; Charles and Eva Fowler, Chia II, Trena Fowler, San Angelo; Dellwyn and Sherry Fowler, Carwyn; Jason, Heide, Caleb, San Angelo; Sammie Jo Baker, Helen and Janis Fowler of Robert Lee; Elgene Mitchell, San Angelo; Danny Ruff, San Angelo came and visited after leaving the reunion at Mrs. Fowlers.

In all there were 32 family members there. Plans were made for next year at the same place, same time, the 1st weekend in May.

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THANKS to all our friends and family for the food, cards, and flowers and just for being there when we needed you. Roy Gene would have been so pleased that you all came to the cemetery to bid him farewell. He loved Coke County and all its people.

Mildred Havins Denman
 Theresa Denman Brady,
 and Children
 Bill Rial Denman
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GARAGE SALE: Friday 4:30 to 7:00; Sat. 8-12, bank parking lot. Girls and boys clothes, bikes, light fixtures, fan, kitchen items. Fran Pierce, Marilyn Bivins, Marifrances Mackey. 39-1tc

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CARD OF THANKS
 We truly appreciate the prayers, visits, cards and other acts of kindness while I was hospitalized.
 Thanks to E.M.S. and Dr. Terry Pulse and staff. May the Lord Bless each of you.
 Cecil & Frances Kemp
 39-1tp

CARD OF THANKS
 Thanks to all the wonderful people for the food and all the kind deeds done for us at the death of our brother, Buck Coleman.
 His sisters & brother & their families
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IN APPRECIATION
 We would like to take this opportunity to thank every individual, as well as merchants, who donated their time, efforts, money, and food to making what began as a small effort on our part to honor Robert Lee's Senior Citizens into a very nice and enjoyable Fish Fry while making a contribution to a worthy cause, the Fetal Monitor for WCCH. Bless all of you.
 Johnny & Loyd Sevier and families
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PATIO SALE: Friday only, 8 a.m. Storm and outside door, and misc. items. 406 W. 16th. 39-1tp

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 8 to 7 p.m. 1201 Childress. Clothing, baby bed, Avon, lots of other items. 39-1tp

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The County of Coke, The City of Bronte, and the City of Robert Lee intend to prepare an application for the 1985 Texas Community Development Program. As the lead agency, the County, City of Bronte, and City of Robert Lee will conduct a public hearing to discuss the past use of TCDP funds, the amount of funds available, and the eligible activities. The public hearing will be held May 20, 1985 at 10 a.m. at Coke County Courthouse Commissioner's Courtroom.

The County of Coke encourages individual citizens and citizen's groups to make their views known at this hearing. All interested persons are invited to attend and make their suggestions known.

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NOTICE

Of the Names of Persons Appearing as the Owners of Unclaimed Amounts Held By First National Bank Box C, 102 West Main Bronte, Texas 76933

Names of missing Depositors and Last Known Address..

Casey, Larry - Address Unknown; Cave, Jack, Box 194, Farmington, New Mexico 87401; Porter, Billy/Personal Account, Blackwell, Texas 79506.

Proof of ownership presented within 9 months following date published, unclaimed accounts will be paid to owner, if unclaimed will be subject to report to and conservation by the State Treasurer.

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In old Persia it was believed the moon was created on a Wednesday.

Farm Bureau update

Coke County Farm Bureau was organized in July of 1945 by Marvin Carter, Organizational Director of Texas Farm Bureau Federation of Waco, Texas. There were six directors, C.E. Arrott, president; Bryan Gartman, vice president; Mrs. C.E. Arrott, secretary; and David O. King, S.G. Danford, and V.V. Wojtek as directors.

The membership was around 50 members with \$6.00 as the dues, with the purpose to promote agriculture education, to help the farmers and ranchers analyze their problems and bond together to solve them. There was and is many services made possible through group association. The life insurance, car and home insurance, health insurance, accidental death insurance, and property protection program.

Sterling County was added to Coke County in 1974, making it Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau.

We have a membership of 837 families as of Nov. 1, 1984, with the dues at \$25.00 a family. The present directors are Billy D. Johnston, Water Valley, president; Robert Melvin Brown, Bronte, vice president; Robert Galloway, Bronte, secretary of board; and Charlie Boecking, Bronte; R.I. Brown, Tennyson; Roger Graves,

Tennyson; Alonzo Robbins, Bronte; W.E. Hartman, Tennyson; Finis Harmon, Robert Lee; Tom Price, Robert Lee; Bobby Roberts, Robert Lee; Allen Bloodworth, Silver; John Stephens, Robert Lee, board members.

There are two agents, George Demere, Water Valley, and George Brickey, Robert Lee. With one full time office secretary, Teresa Millican of Robert Lee, and two part time secretaries, Mrs. C.E. Arrott of Bronte, and Gaylene Van Dolah of Robert Lee.

Farm Bureau is an independent organization of farm and ranch families who use the organization to help analyze their problems and to formulate actions to solve those problems. The Farm Bureau is totally controlled by its members through majority decision and is financed by voluntary dues.

Farm Bureau's structure guarantees membership control. Members originate policies, and through their delegates, control state and national policies and election of officers and directors.

Policies that guide the organization originate at the grassroots level with each member given an opportunity to participate. They are adopted after discussion and exchange of ideas at county, state and national conventions.

Don't touch that dial

The telephone has been ringing off the wall. You decide to take the telephone off the hook, so you won't be disturbed. You could cause telephone service problems without knowing it, or interrupt your own telephone service.

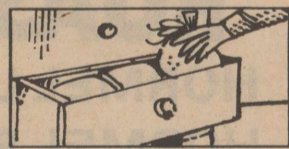
When you lift the receiver from its base, telephone equipment in GTE's central office provides a dial tone. If you take your receiver off the hook and do not complete a call, the telephone equipment is tied up for as long as the receiver is off the hook.

"Telephone switching equipment is designed to handle average calling levels," said E.O. Cambern, General Manager for General Telephone's West Texas Division. "This means that all customers cannot have a dial tone at the same time. So when you take your phone off the hook, you may be preventing someone else from getting a dial tone."

Some electronic switching

equipment in GTE's central offices is designed to put an off-the-hook telephone out of service. This is to prevent tying up dial tone equipment.

Camborn added, "If your telephone has been left off the hook, you should replace it immediately. Then, lift the receiver to see if there is a dial tone. If dial tone has not been restored in a reasonable time period, you should contact Repair to reinstate service."



Potpourri, which means "rotten pot" in French, is a mixture of dried flower petals, herbs and spices, essential oils and natural fixatives. It is used to freshen closets, drawers and rooms.



MISSY GRIM, DAUGHTER of Mrs. Kay Taylor and George Grim, and Harold Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Jameson were voted 1984-85 FFA Sweetheart and FHA Beau at RLHS.

Party honors Hester

Mrs. Lizzie Scott Hester was honored with a surprise birthday party at the Bronte Community Center May 4, celebrating her 80th birthday. A tribute was given entitled "This Is Your Life" as she was sitting in a white rocker near the party table, by her niece Dorthey Pruitt.

Mabel Elizabeth was born May 1, 1905 to Joseph Lee and Margarete Ann Rogers Scott, four miles north of Bronte in the Union Community. All of her life except 20 years, she has lived in Bronte.

She is now married to Luther Hester. She was the mother of one son J.W. (Sonny) Athey, deceased, four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy of Hobbs, N.M., her daughter-in-law.

A lovely blue silk arrangement centered the party table. A birthday cake de-

corated in blue flowers with fruit punch, was served to approximately 125 guest.

The receiving table displayed many pictures of days gone by and a unique money tree with cards and gifts from well wishers.

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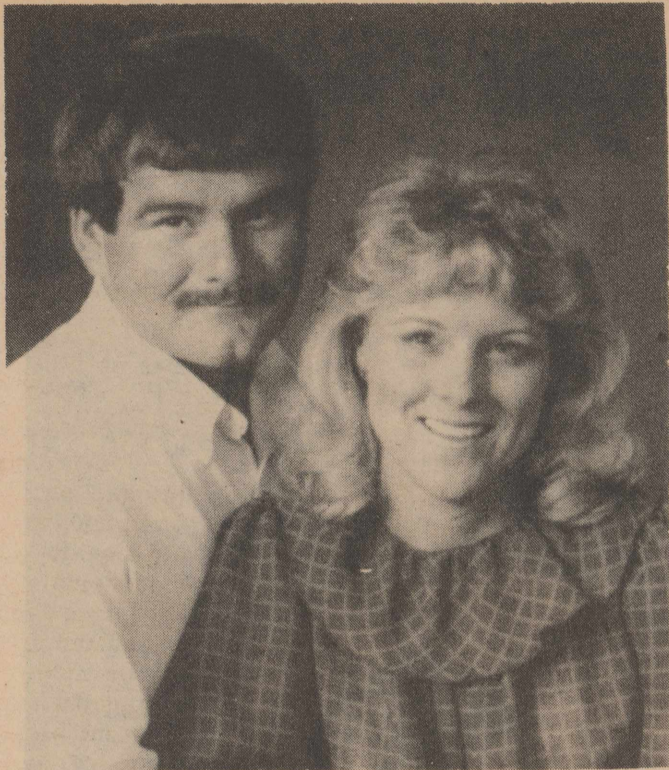
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Kelly Ann West, Micky Kent Baker

West, Baker to marry

Mrs. Joyce Braus and George West of Kingwood have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kelly Ann, to Micky Kent Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker of Robert Lee. The couple will exchange vows on July 13 at 7:30 p.m. in St. Ann's Catholic Church, Midland.

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Miss West, a graduate of Southwest Texas State University, is a publications teacher at Greenwood ISD. Baker graduated from Robert Lee High School and Angelo State University. He is a coach with Greenwood ISD.



COUNTRY AGENTS NEWS

by Tommy Antilley

TIME TO CHECK FOR CASEBEARERS

Pecan growers need to be on the look-out for pecan nut casebearers, those perennial pests that can destroy a pecan crop if not controlled.

Based on various prediction models and trappings, casebearers should be showing up in Coke County on about May 27.

Normally, casebearers damage nuts within a two week period.

To time spray applications for effective control, first check for eggs on a daily basis. Eggs are usually found on the tips of nutlets and are about the size of a ball in a ball point pen. These are white when first laid, then turn red over a three to five day period before turning white again after hatching.

Apply an insecticide the third day after the first eggs hatch to kill the larvae before they enter the nutlets. Since the larvae will hatch over a week-long period or more, a second application may be necessary.

Insecticides recommended for casebearer control include Diazinon, Pydrin, Malathion, and Zolone. It is also recommended to add zinc to any spray application to control rozette of pecans which stunts growth and reduces production.



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