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Turnout light in uncontested races

Bronte

Uncontested races resulted in a relatively light voter turnout at the polls in Bronte on Saturday. All incumbents in city, school and hospital positions were returned to their jobs for another term.

In the city election, voters gave Mayor J.T. Henry 104 votes and councilmen Ed Hart, 97, Wesley Gibbs, 96 and Harold Dunn, 92 votes. Holdover council members are Dorris Saunders and E.G. Collins.

Three hospital board directors for East Coke County Hospital District were re-elected with Eddie Alexander receiving 119 votes, LeDrew Arrott, 117 and Noel Percifull, 114. They will serve with Directors Mary Glenn and Stover Taylor.

School board incumbents are Lynn Phillips who received 120 votes and Jim Morrow, 118. They will be serving a three-year term. They will make up the BISD board of trustees along with Andra Arrott, Lisa Glenn, Ronnie Sims and Wayne Arrott.

Kelton slated at Bronte

The public is invited to hear American West novelist Elmer Kelton of San Angelo speak Tuesday evening, April 15, at seven o'clock in the Community Center at the Bronte County Park.

The program is being sponsored by the Texas Sesquicentennial Committee and the Sorosis Study Club of Bronte.

Special nominated ladies of the area will be honorees and presented certificates of appreciation for their years



Elmer Kelton

Robert Lee

Robert Lee's only contested election race last Saturday was for the board of trustees at the school. Incumbents Ray Aldridge and Jeffie Roberts were returned to their positions on the panel by 164 votes and 147 votes, respectively. New candidate Wayland Drennan received 101 votes as the third man on the 2-vacancy ballot.

In the City election, no opposition was recorded, allowing Wilson Bryan to receive 60 votes for the city mayor's seat. Council candidate Jim Naico garnered 59 votes and incumbent Alice Beaty drew 58 votes to fill 2 spots available on the board.

Bill Helwig with 114, and Barbara Chesney who gained 111 votes, were returned to their seats on the West Coke County Hospital District board as candidate Linda Arledge joined them as a new panel member with 139 votes.

Water District

County voters favored confirmation of the Coke County

of community service and neighborly love.

Guest speaker, Mr. Kelton, will review his latest published book "The Wolf and The Buffalo", depicting the life and times of the black soliders stationed at Fort Concho in the 1800's. Probably the best known novel by Kelton is "The Time It Never Rained", about the drought in the early 1930's, which won the Spur Award of the Western Writers of America as best novel in 1983.

The Keltons have a son and family, Steve, Sharon, Shane and Shea Kelton who live between Bronte and Robert Lee.

A reception will follow the program with punch and cookies to be served by members of the two organizations. Friends, families, and neighbors are extended an invitation to attend the Sesquicentennial program.

Underground Water Conservation District by a count of 216 to 64 votes against. The maintenance tax issue for the District passed with 159 votes for and 101 votes against. Unopposed permanent board members elected for the District were Royce Lee, at-large member; Arch Mathers, Precinct 1; Otis Smith, Precinct 2; Fred McCabe, Jr., Precinct 3; and W.C. Billingsley, Precinct 4.

Blackwell

With no declared candidates running, write-in candidates Roy Raney, Will Lenoir and Bill Jackson will be seated on the Blackwell City Council as a result of Saturday's election. The three indicated they would serve, although they did not file for the three council vacancies. The county showed Roy Raney received 44 write-in votes, Will Lenoir, 37 and Bill Jackson, 21. They will join Mayor R.L. Smedley, Jr. and Joel Shipp on the council.

The school district returned five incumbents and added two new board members. They were Ben Noble, 141 votes, Leonard Mulanax, 140, Russel Sneed, 132, Dan Hayes, 128, T.J. Oden, 122 as incumbents and new members Mack Lee, 168 and Wiley Moore, 155. The race also produced 16 write-in candidates.

In the Nolan County Fresh Water Dist., voters placed R.L. Smedley with 61 votes and Lee Tate, 58, in the two places in the board.

4-H Rifle team

Sunday, April 5, the Coke County 4-H Rifle Club met to practice all three shooting positions. Eight shooters were present. Three position firing scores were: Scot Milligan 166, Wes Horn 147, Jake White 121, John Fluhmann 86, Blake Pitcock 72, and Russ Horn 55. Standing, light rifle were Jason Benton 115 and John Williams 108. Jim Hereford was the instructor, assisted by Mike Fluhmann.



WORKERS AND VOLUNTEER help have gone up quickly with the outside walls and roof for the building in Robert Lee to be occupied by the Hayrick Masonic Lodge and the Order of the Eastern Star. Electrical, plumbing, and duct work is also showing good progress. The groundbreaking for the facility was held three short weeks ago on lots at Commerce and 9th Streets, donated by Gerald Allen for the Lodge Hall.

Court hears complaint

A complaint concerning the use of county equipment in Runnels County was the highlight of the recent commissioners' court meeting, held April 7. Cecil Ellis and Johnny Moore lodged a complaint with the court concerning the use of county equipment outside of Coke County. A letter signed by Ronnie Carlton concerning this subject was also presented to the commissioners. This subject will be discussed further at the next meeting of the court, to be held April 14.

In other action, commis-

sioners signed the receipt for the security pledge at First National Bank Bronte; approved burying of a phone line by GTE; and discussed the position of Emergency Management Coordinator, but took no action.

The court also approved replacement of the butane tank at the caretaker's house in Robert Lee; and set the fee for microfilm copies for abstractors. The Extension Agents' reports were reviewed, and after authorizing payment of current bills, the meeting was adjourned.

Tracksters rated among best

Coke County tracksters are ranked among the best in West Texas by the Standard-Times on their unofficial list of field and track performances which include all classes through 4A.

Todd Brooks of Bronte is ranked 9th at 11.06 in 100 meters. He is also on the 1600 meter relay team ranked 6th at 3:30.03 along with Stephen Lee, Pete Puentez, and Randy Draper. Sixth place in the 1600 meters

went to Kerry Lee of Bronte, 4:45.25.

Jim Bob Jacobs of Robert Lee is placed seventh with a 51.51 clocking in the 400 meters. Randy Stephens holds 6th spot in the pole vault with 13-7. In 6th ranking in the discus is Steer J.P. Skipworth with a 153-1 toss.

Both Longhorn and Steer squads have scored high in area meets during the current track season with great individual efforts.

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ELSIE ADAMS OF Robert Lee prepares to putt near a pin marked with 'flag' bloomers used during the Ladies Partnership Tournament last Saturday on the Mountain Creek Golf Course.

Partnership results told

Last Saturday's Ladies Partnership Tournament at the Mountain Creek Golf Course began early with coffee and donuts. Entries numbered 28 teams for the annual fun event. A Mexican theme prevailed around the Club House and course. The flags on the pins looked suspiciously like ladies' bloomers. Lunch was provided by the club during play.

Results of the tournament were:

Championship Flight - 1st, Shelly Bitner, Edie Glass; 2nd, Cindy Slaughter, Johnny Rowoldt; 3rd, Nonie Rusk, Eddie Conner.

Fish-o-rama slated for Lake Spence

Several boys from West Texas Boys Ranch will descend upon Lake Spence on April 25 and 26 for the first ever Boys Ranch "Fish-o-rama".

The event is being coordinated by the G.T.E. Employees Bass Club, and was designed to give the boys the opportunity to learn some top-flight bass busting techniques.

Each member of the Bass Club will take one or two boys out on the lake in their boat during a specified time period. At the end of the allotted time, the groups will return and prizes will be given in various categories.

Anyone wishing to donate prizes, or to help with the tournament in any way, can contact Lee Brewer at West Texas Boys Ranch, 915-949-1936, or more info., call Robert Dierschke, 915-949-1936.

Spring gobbler season to open

Coke County hunters can enjoy the last of the 'biggie' hunting seasons before next fall when spring turkey gobbler season opens on Saturday, April 12. Two turkey toms may be taken before the Apr. 27 close. Legal shooting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

High production of wild turkeys during spring and summer 1985 should make the upcoming season an outstanding one, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials.

Don Wilson, upland game program leader, said last year's hatch was the best since the bumper year of 1981, and probably the second-best on record. "Popu-

lations are up in most of the traditional turkey range across the state," Wilson said. "There will be good numbers of yearling gobblers to respond to hunters' calls."

Wilson pointed out that the upcoming season is the first in which the "swing"

turkey tag program is in effect. "If a hunter did not take a turkey in the fall, or got only one, he can take two during the spring season," Wilson explained. This resulted from an additional tag on the 1985-86 hunting licenses.

Wylie services held

T.M. Wylie Jr. passed away at 9:15 a.m. in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo, April 4, 1986.

He was born March 1, 1913, in Bronte, son of Thomas Milton and Geneva Gideon Wylie. He was married Sept. 6, 1936, to Mary May Craddock in San Angelo.

He was a lifetime Coke County resident and a Methodist, former school board trustee, hospital board trustee, Boy Scout Master, 4-H leader, and a member of the Hayrick Masonic Lodge No. 696.

He is survived by his wife of the home; children, Mike and Fran Wylie Lomas and Terry and Prescilla Wylie Bryan, all of San Angelo; grandchildren, David and Lisa Lomas Lewis of Brownfield, Teri K. Bryan and Frank Bryan, both of San Angelo; brothers and sisters, Tom and Dorothy Wylie Brown of Midland, Dick and Jo Wylie of Bryan and Jay and Marian Craddock of Colorado City, Bill and Car-

leen Craddock of Medina and Bob and Maxine Craddock Wulfjen of Richardson; mother-in-law, Lela Craddock of Colorado City; adopted family, John and Jeanette Jacobs, Bob and Jamie Boren, all of Robert Lee.

Memorial services were held at 4 p.m. Saturday, April 5, in Robert Lee United Methodist Church officiated by the Rev. Pam Bradford. Graveside services followed in Fairview Cemetery in Bronte, under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Wylie's favorite charities were the Concho Valley Home for Girls and St. John's Guest House.

Pallbearers were Maxie McClure and David Key, both of Robert Lee, C.R. Reed of Dublin, Woodrow Leonard, Royce Hayley, J.R. Knierim, all of San Angelo.

Honorary pallbearers were Chig Brown, O.B. Jacobs, West Thomas, Bob Boren, Bob Large, Hank Baker, all of Robert Lee, and Bub Lewis of San Angelo.

Richards presents Sorosis program

Nell Richards of Ballinger presented a program about multiple sclerosis to the Sorosis Study Club Thursday evening, April 3. Mrs. Richards, a victim of MS herself, used a video tape with other material to inform those present about the disabling effects of the disease.

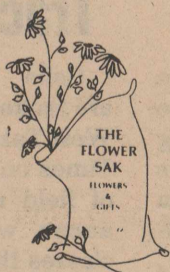
President Virginia Boecking conducted a short business meeting at which final plans for the April 15 program were completed. The Sorosis Study Club will co-host with the Sesquicentennial Committee a program and reception honoring outstanding women of the area and western novelist Elmer Kelton at the Community Center.

A salad plate was served by hostess, Pat Oglesby to three guests, Nell Richards and Azell Brunson of Ballinger and Peggy Hembree of Bronte. Also, club members Mmes. Boecking, Pat Rawlings, Rachel Robinson, Jean Fancher, Betty Lee, Mary Frances Glenn, and Dorthey Pruitt.

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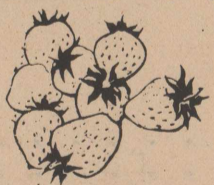
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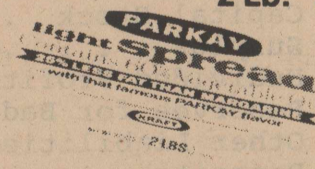
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Steers win home track meet

The large annual Robert Lee Track Meet is now history, having finished at dusk last Saturday evening. Each year it combines high school and jr. high teams and is noted as a well-run meet with lots of individuals contributing their time to its success.

Athletic Director Nelson Coulter expressed the school's appreciation to all volunteers who kept the meet running and operating smoothly.

With strong finishes in track and field events, the Robert Lee Steers nabbed first placed in their own meet with 104 points. Team members who placed in the various competition were:

- BOYS HIGH SCHOOL**
 Discus - 1st, Skipworth, 146'11 3/4".
 High Jump - 1st, Gardner, 6'4".
 Shot Put - 3rd, Skipworth, 47'1 1/4".
 Pole Vault - 1st, Stephens, 12'6"; 3rd, Herring, 12'0"; 5th, Runnion, 10'6".
 3200 M. Run - 3rd, Powell, 11:11.73.
 400 M. Relay - 3rd, Robert Lee, 45.89.
 800 Run - 3rd, Gartman, 2:09.46.
 110 H. Hurdles - 4th, Stephens, 16.90.
 400 M. Dash - 1st, Jacobs, 51.47.
 300 Int. Hurdles - 6th, Stephens, 44.83.
 1600 M. Relay - 1st, Robert Lee, 3:34.45.

The Robert Lee girls squad finished eighth with 37 points in the track meet. Their complete results were as follows:

- HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS**
 Shot Put - 4th, Metcalf, 33'3 3/4".
 Discus - 4th, Smith, 88'2".
 3200 M. Run - 1st, Clendennen, 13:40.19.
 800 M. Run - 6th, Gartman, 2:47.27.
 400 M. Dash - 3rd, Epper-son, 64.58.
 1600 M. Run - 4th, Clendennen, 6:25.69.
 1600 M. Relay - 4th, Robert Lee, 4:33.69.

The Robert Lee Dogies posted a 6th place finish at 34 points. The following results were recorded:

- JR. HI BOYS**
 High Jump - 2nd, Rogers, 5'4"; 3rd, Horn, 5'2".
 Long Jump - 5th, Horn, 16'4 1/2".

- 110 M. Int. Hurdles - 4th, Rogers, 20.02.
 400 M. Dash - 3rd, Horn, 60.33.
 1600 M. Relay - 4th, Robert Lee, 4:08.75.
 1600 M. Relay - 4th, Robert Lee, 4:08.75.
 Robert Lee Jr. Hi girls had a 5th slot finish with 55 points. Those who placed were:
- JR. HI GIRLS**
 Triple Jump - 4th, Padgett, 28'7 1/2".
 Discus - 2nd, Poehls, 70'5 1/2".
 High Jump - Boone, 4'8".
 400 M. Relay - 3rd, Robert Lee, 56.60.
 800 M. Run - 6th, Lopez, 2:56.25.
 100 M. Dash - 6th, Burroughs, 14.35.
 800 M. Relay - 3rd, Robert Lee, 2:05.58.
 400 M. Dash - 6th, Padgett, 74.63.
 1600 M. Run - 5th, Jame-son, 6:35.38.
 1600 M. Relay - 5th, Robert Lee, 4:57.95.

The Jr. Hi Boys & Girls District Track Meet will be held this Sat., April 12, at ACU in Abilene, Field Events start at 9:00, Running Events - 1:00.

Cheerleaders elected

Student body elections were held on Friday, April 4, at Robert Lee High School to elect cheerleaders for the 1986-87 school year. Named head cheerleader was junior Missy Grim, daughter of Kay Taylor and George Grim.

Others members of the group are Becky Clendennen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Clendennen, Lin Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Long, both juniors, Lisa Bower, freshman, dau-

ghter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bower, and Kim Hood, also a freshman and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hood.

RL Golf

Robert Lee golf coach Nelson Coulter announced that his boys squad placed 3rd on Tuesday at the Colorado City High School Invitational meet. The first four places in the 10 team field were Breckenridge 306, Hamlin 320, Robert Lee 331, and Bronte 332.

RL School Board elects officers

At a special meeting of the Robert Lee School Board of Trustees held Monday, April 7, votes were canvassed in the recent school board election. Incumbents Ray Aldridge and Jeffie Roberts were announced as election winners.

The board also reorgan-ized for the coming year, with the following officers elected - President, Jeffie Roberts; Vice President, Joe Flowers; and Secretary, Mary Herring. Other board members include Phil Ray, Donnie Robertson, Gaylon Pitcock, and Ray Aldridge.

Baseball Notice

Baseball season is upon us! If your child is interested in participating in the Robert Lee Baseball-Softball season, please notify one of the members of the Board of Directors: Robert Wink, Bill Hood, Roy Blair, or Beverly Burdett prior to April 14th so that we will have an approx-imate number of participants for drawing teams and sched-uling games.

If anyone is interested in coaching or helping to coach a baseball or softball team, please contact a Board Mem-ber.

The comma is the most frequently used punctuation mark in English and indicates a slight separation in ideas of construction.



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Other Bonds	7,027,888.32
Federal Funds Sold	1,400,000.00
Banking House	68,178.75
Furniture and Fixtures	28,969.63
Cash and Exchange	1,168,414.39
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-- Oak Creek Fishin' News --

April 7, 1986
News from Oak Creek,

There have been a lot of nice fish caught here at Oak Creek the past two weeks and there is no reason why it shouldn't continue for at least a while yet. Right now the crappie and white bass hold the spotlight but only because more fisherman are going after those fish now. Strings of 25 to 40 fish are rather common with crappie going as large as a pound and a quarter and white bass near two pounds per fish. There were a few big black bass and lots of small fish caught. Trotlines are counting for some excellent catches of channel and blue cat and a few yellows.

My wife, Darlene and I spent about three hours fishing for white bass last Tuesday and had a string of 35 fish to show for our efforts. Wednesday and Thursday produced the same results with good strings being

caught both days. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller from Dunn, Tex. returned to try the crappie again and found better fishing than when they were here some two weeks ago. We are not sure what the total catch count was but the last day netted 42 fish. The news must have gotten out for the lake had a crowd of fishermen visit over the weekend, and most caught some good strings of fish.

Johnny Houser Jr. took the largest black bass that was put on the scales here at the Sportsman's Lodge. As far as we know this was the second largest caught this year tipping the scales at 7 pounds 4 ozs. Johnny is back from Odessa and so is Mrs. T.E. Sheaver who got herself a nice black going 4 pounds even. Junior Taylor and Charlie Roland of Blackwell caught several black bass with Junior's best going 5 pounds 6 ozs. and Charlie's 4 pounds 4 ozs.

Often we are not able to put names with good strings of fish that are caught and last Sunday was no exception. Several mentioned catching a lot of fish and two came in at a busy time and reported their group had fish to eat while at the lake and they had dressed 57 crappie to take home. The James Turners of Big Lake just came in and reported they had 87 crappie iced down to take home.

If you are looking for a place to wet a hook you will have to do some looking to find a better place than Oak Creek right now. How long the lake will continue to offer the excellent fishing it is now is anybody's guess but it is good right now.

Ike Pate P.S. A crappie going over three pounds was reported caught, but at this writing it has not been verified.

Bronte seniors to meet

Bronte Super Seniors will meet on Thursday, April 17 for their regular monthly meeting.

A potluck lunch consisting of sandwiches, chips and dips, or desserts will be served at noon.

All seniors are urged to

bring any of the above and join the festivities.

Jan Hohensee, county extension agent will present a program at 11:30 a.m. to the group.

Games will be played at 10 a.m. and after lunch.

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Senior Citizen activities

Neta Schnabel, Senior Citizens coordinator for West Coke County, has announced the upcoming activities for county residents. On Thursday evening, April 17, the dance for all area Seniors 60 years old or older will be held in the new Recreation Hall in Robert Lee, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Volunteer

musicians will play country/western music for the occasion. Seniors are urged to attend and bring a friend. A free blood pressure clinic is

scheduled from 10:30 to 12 noon on Friday, April 18, followed by the Senior covered dish dinner in the Senior Citizens Building.

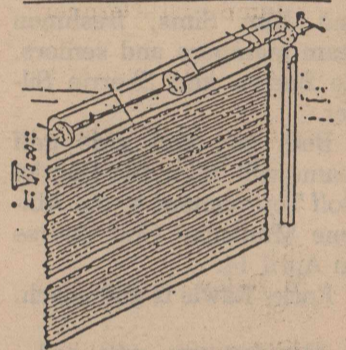
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Horns place well at RL track meet

Bronte Longhorn trackmen came in second place at the Robert Lee Relays and the Lady Longhorns placed third.

The boys tallied 72 points and had wins in the 400 meter relay and 100 meter dash. The 400-relay team posted a 45.02 time and Todd Brooks clocked 11.48 in

the 100.

The girls scored 58 points with Alysia Bilbrey winning first in the 200 meter dash with a 27.10 clocking and Carol Reyes making a good showing in field events.

GIRLS DIVISION

Shot Put - 3. Reyes, 35-2.
Discus - 2. Reyes, 89-3½.
800 m - 2. Janet Eubanks, 2:35.19.
100 m. hurdles - 2. Melanie Cooper, 17.31.
200 m. - 1. Bilbrey, 27.10.
1600 m. relay - 3. Bronte, 4:31.12.

Girls place second at Winters

The BHS girls' golf team brought home the second place trophy from the Winters Tournament Monday. The girls finished behind first-place Eastland. Other teams entered were Ballinger, Ranger and Winters.

Golfers are Anissa Gibbs and Kim Sims, freshmen team members and seniors, Ro Barren and Sherrie Silver.

Both boy and girls golf teams will enter the District Golf Tournament at the Abilene Municipal Golf Course on April 14.

Rocky Rawls is golf coach.

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BOYS DIVISION

400 m. relay - 1. Bronte, 45.02 (Todd Brooks, Pete Puentez, Stephen Lee, Randy Draper).

100 m. dash - 1. Brooks, 11.48; 4. Puentez, 11.8.

330 IH - 2. S. Lee, 41.43.

110 Hurdles - 5. David O'Banon, 17.8.

1600 m. run - 2. Kerry Lee, 4.56.

1600 m. relay - 2. Bronte, 3:35.3 (Brooks, S. Lee, Puentez, Draper).

Discus - 4. S. Lee, 128.

Long jump - 4. Puentez, 19-1½.

Science Fair results told

At the District XI State Science Fair at Angelo State University last Friday Lee Sonnenberg and Teresa Clevenger placed third in the junior high category. They received the U.S. Soil Conservation Agency's Agricultural Award for their entry, "Different Factors that Affect the Rate of Photosynthesis". Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sonnenberg and Mr. and Mrs. David Clevenger respectively.

In the High School Division, Sherri Eubanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

George Eubanks won first place in the Microbiology for which she received the American Society for Microbiology Certificate and the U.S. Army Outstanding Science Project Award. She also placed fifth overall and was awarded a finalist medal. Her entry was "Bacterial Resistance to Over-the-Counter Antiseptics".

Also, Tod Strickland won third place in Computer Science with his "Commodore 64 Voice Synthesizer". He is the son of Pat and Sharon Hamilton.

Band wins sweepstakes

Bronte Jr. High Band was Sweepstakes winners at the Cisco Band Festival on April 4. They made a Div. I (excellent) in both concert and sightreading.

The Sixth Grade Band received a Div. II rating in concert and sightreading at the festival.

Band Director Homer Stewart was well pleased with both groups. He also announced that the high school band will participate in the U.I.L. Concert and Sightreading contest at Sweetwater on Tuesday, April 15. The Jr. High Band

will participate in the U.I.L. Meet on Wed., the 16th in Abilene where they will compete in concert and sightreading.



Monday, April 14: Breakfast - Cereal, orange juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Steak fingers with gravy, creamed potatoes and mixed vegies.

Tuesday, April 15, Breakfast - Rice, pineapple chunks and cinnamon toast. Lunch - Pizza (beef & cheese), green beans, lettuce-tomato salad, and sliced peaches.

Wednesday, April 16: Breakfast - Scrambled eggs, grape juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Sliced turkey with brown gravy, buttered corn, English peas and gingerbread.

Thursday, April 16: Breakfast - Peach half and donuts. Lunch - Hot dogs, French fries, pork & beans, bun and pineapple pudding.

Library celebrates special week

The Bronte Elementary School Library celebrated National Library Week April 7-11, with special activities in the Library.

On Monday, all classes were invited to "Bring Your Own Bear Day" in the library. Many students brought their favorite bear, heard bear stories and then went on a Bear Hunt.

Wednesday, all classes were treated to Disney films in honor of Walt Disney Day. Among the movies shown was Mary Poppins.

On Friday, grades 3 through 6 participated in scavenger hunts in the library. Grades K through 2 had treasure hunts on the campus.

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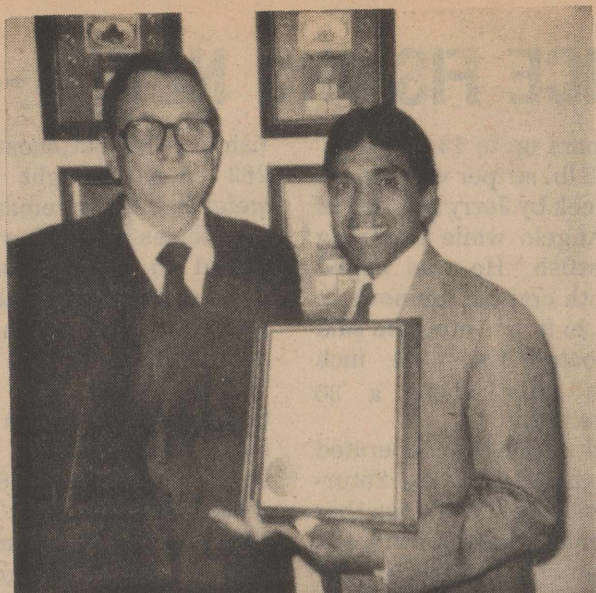
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NOAH 'JR.' PRUITT accepts his postal service award at a reception in his honor on the occasion of his retirement as Postmaster of the Bronte Post Office. The award was presented by San Angelo Postmaster Lonnie Monreal.

Junior Pruitt honored

A capacity crowd of friends and associates were present at the Noah L. Pruitt Jr. Appreciation Day celebration, honoring him upon his retirement as Bronte Postmaster. Pruitt retired on Feb. 28, 1986 after a 33-year tenure of federal service.

Among the distinguished guests were several postmasters and retired postmasters from a wide area of Texas, including San Angelo Postmaster Lonnie Monreal, who presented Pruitt with a Postal Service Award signed by the Regional Postmaster General.

The Young Adult Sunday School Class of Central Baptist Church, of which Noah is teacher, and his co-workers hosted the affair in recognition of his 46 years of combined business, community and government service.

A trio of serving tables in the hall were draped with navy blue cloths overlaid with lace. On the registration table were displayed photographs of the honoree and a floral centerpiece of varied shades of blue silk flowers. The stage area was decorated with an arch of greenery accented with white dove, wrought iron furniture and standing urns of palm fronds.

Serving as master of ceremonies for the program

V. M. Box services pending at RL

Services are pending with Shaffer Funeral Home for V.M. Box of Robert Lee. Mr. Box died at his home early Wednesday morning. He was released from a San Angelo hospital on Tuesday where he had been a heart patient.

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Bake Sale slated for Casey Thorn

The BHS Student Council will hold a benefit bake sale on Thursday, April 17. All proceeds will go to the Casey Thorn fund. Casey, son of Ron and Fayne Thorn, is undergoing medical tests at the Children's Hospital in Galveston.

Orders for baked goods will be taken through Monday, Apr. 14. Contact Bert Johnson at the high school office or Stefanie Robbins at 473-7051 or Janet Eubanks at 473-2691 to place orders.

Your help is needed and will be greatly appreciated.

Luckett family tours East Texas

Several members of the Luckett family traveled to East Texas over the weekend on their fourth annual Spring Trip. Billy Joe and Diane Luckett, Pat Oglesby, and Helen Murtishaw, all of Bronte, and Joy and A.J. McDaniel of San Angelo left early Saturday morning for Palestine and toured the Dogwood Trails Festival activities. Sunday they boarded the Texas State Railroad's Engine #400 train for a round trip run to Rusk through the scenic piney woods. A picnic lunch was enjoyed lakeside before returning to Palestine.

They also toured two restored homes built in 1890's, the Rose Gardens of Tyler, and visited in the home of a cousin in Frankston.

Pat said, "The beautiful woodlands and flowers would challenge an artist's palette."

Personal

Chuck and Vi Naidl of Robert Lee were pleased to have their son, George, and grandson George, Jr., 15, as visitors last week. The two are moving from Tempe, Arizona to Plano, Texas and will be nearer Mr. and Mrs. Naidl than in recent years.



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Sign up for Drivers Ed

Sign up for Drivers Ed is now underway at the high school principal's office at Bronte High School with classes to begin on Thursday, April 17 at 5:30 p.m. in Rm. 11. To be eligible, a student must be 15 years old on or before the first day of class.

Instructor of the course will be Jerry Horn of Robert Lee and the fee is set at \$85.00 per student. Anyone needing additional information regarding the course should call Mr. Horn at Robert Lee High School between 1:00-1:45 p.m. each school day.

ABC golf tourney results

The ABC golf tournament at the Singing Winds Golf Course April 6 attracted 45 players.

The first place team was composed of Bill Brock, Don Brock, Ed Martindale and Peggy Jackson. The group had a score of 61.

The second place winners by virtue of a card play-off

were Sue Caudle, Stewart Sussdolf, Don Hamilton and Tim Coulter with a 62.

Scoring 62 and taking third place was the team of Paul Talley, Billy Hamilton and Sharon Hamilton.

The next ABC tourney is scheduled for April 27 at 1:30.

Homemakers meet

The Bronte Extension Homemakers Club met on April 4 at the city hall with Betty Green as hostess. The opening exercise was "New Friends and Old Friends", and roll call was answered with, "What I'd like to do, but don't".

The program was on crafts, with members presenting a craft and a description of each.

Present for the meeting were Virginia Boatright, Marie Arrott, Annie Laurie McShan, Ella Clyde Black, Nettie Ritchey, Lela Parker and Betty Green.

Both Robert Lee and Bronte Clubs will attend a district meeting in Eldorado on April 23.

Annie Laurie McShan will be hostess of the next regular club meeting on May 2.

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Robert and Gayla Sanders

Pair team up at work

Robert and Gayla Sanders of Robert Lee are a husband and wife team with the West Coke County Nursing Home. Robert is full-time Maintenance Supervisor for both the hospital and nursing home, while Gayla is full-time bookkeeper for the nursing home and payroll clerk for both facilities. The couple moved to Robert Lee from the Lubbock area in 1982.

They are the parents of three lovely daughters, Shanton, Amanda, and Melissa, ages 12, 7, and 5 years old. Fishing, boating, and family outings top the list of hobbies and interests for the Sanders. Gayla also enjoys sewing for her family.

Robert and Gayla are both active in community affairs and attend the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Rodeo committees named

The CCRA organization meeting was held April 6, 1986 at 3:00 p.m. at the Bronte City Hall.

During this meeting some of the Rodeo Committee heads were appointed by President Tony Barrett. They are as follows:

Lynn White, Sesquicentennial Rodeo Parade; Mary Jane Cooper & Janel Vaughn, Concession; Jolene Barrett, Drawings; Brendi Gentry, Entry Forms & Programs; Gayle Bolding, Advertising; Tony Barrett, Awards.

Other committees will be appointed at a later date.

Betty Mundell gives club program

Alpha Kappa Pi met on March 26, 1986 in the home of Fran Lomas in San Angelo. There were eight members present when Betty Mundell gave the program on Texas Artists and a brief resume of the work of folk artist, Emma Lee Moss, local artist from San Angelo.

The next meeting will be the Cancer Drive which will be conducted door to door town-wide, starting at 5:30 on the evening of April 9th. The evening will end with the meeting at Dianne Simpson's to turn in the collections. Jeanette Jacobs and Edith Clendennen will be co-hostesses for the event.

PAINT CREEK MARINA

Debbie Payne, Odessa, 1 striper, 21 1/4 lbs.

Micheal & Donna Lawande, Hobbs, N.M., 2 stripers, 10 1/2 lbs. & 13 1/4 lbs.

Gene McQueen Midland, Several good catfish.

Eddie, Scott and Jimmy, 45 catfish and crappie, 1 blue cat, 4 1/2 lbs.

Leon Thomason & Paul Dempsey, Hobbs, N.M., 1 striper, 17 lbs. 2 oz.

Ernest Leyan and Oscar Holguin, Odessa, 1 striper 5 1/2 lbs.

Jeff, Ricky, Dodd and James, 9 stripers up to 16 lbs.

Russell Sanders, 1 black bass, 4 1/2 lbs.

Several good reports of Black Bass caught.

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Jeff Buxkemper, Ricky Davis, James Lee and Dodd McMillan, 9 stripers, total weight 69 lbs.

WILDCAT FISH-A-RAMA

Richie Owens, San Angelo, 1 black bass, 7 2/10 lbs.

Carl & Carol Wynick, Big Spring, 1 striper, 9 lbs.

Cory Williams (12 yrs. old), Odessa, 1 black bass. 4 1/2 lbs.

Edward Bara, San Angelo, 1 striper, 11 lbs.

Jim Shupe, Midland, Jack Gainer, Odessa, several good black bass & catfish up to 2 lbs.

Loren Reynolds, San Angelo, 1 striper 7 lbs.

GAS & GRUB #2

A.G. Harpers, 20 white bass, 2 stripers to 7 lbs.

Rusty Jameson, Silver, 1 striper, 6 lbs.

Roger Gilbert, San Angelo, 1 black bass, 4 lbs., 5 stripers to 11 1/2 lbs.

Gary Reeves, San Angelo,



English contains more words — 800,000 — than any other known language but it is doubtful that any individual uses more than 60,000.

3 stripers up to 13 1/4 lbs.

A 25 lb. striper was caught last week by Jerry Keating of San Angelo while trotlining for catfish. He was baited out with crappie minnows in about 25 ft. of water. He said he boated the 37 1/2 inch lunker after about a 30 minute battle.

Lake Spence cooperated with bass anglers last Saturday with beautiful weather and mild winds during the tournament hosted by the Castle Gap Bass Busters. Monty Ballinger of San Angelo was the big winner, taking the 1st place trophy and cash prize of \$500 for his 10 lbs. 10 oz. stringer of three bass. He also won the Calcutta for the largest tournament fish, a 6.87 beauty.

Although no real trophy

fish were caught, most of the 262 entries caught decent weighers. Many remarked at the scales that they were forced to change baits to discourage stripers and crappie, some of which were good ones.

This week's lake condition, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. says: water clear, 60 degrees, 30 feet low; black bass good to 6 1/2 pounds on dark worms; striper good on live bait drifting to 24 1/2; crappie fair, not hot and heavy yet on minnows; white bass fairly good moving towards the river on charrreuse slabs; catfish slow; Wildcat and Paint Creek ramps good. Humble Crossing ramp still good but water shallow.

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Burl Mayberry and Natalie Dunnam

Dunnam engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John B. (Jay) Dunnam of Big Spring announce the engagement of their daughter, Natalie Gay Dunnam of Bronte to Burl

Lynn Mayberry, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunn of San Angelo. The wedding is scheduled for August.

Mrs. Bragewitz' rites told

Nellie Irene Bragewitz, 83, died Friday at the Riverside Manor in San Angelo. Funeral Services were conducted at 10:00 a.m. Monday at the Bronte Church of Christ, with Roger Barron as officiant. Burial followed in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bragewitz was born Oct. 6, 1902 in Texas. She was raised in Coryell County and was married to Albert Bragewitz in Gatesville. They moved to Bronte in 1946 and she moved to Carlsbad four years ago. She was preceded in death by her husband and one grandson.

Survivors include one daughter, Artis Sharp of Carlsbad; two sisters, Ella Shedd, Abilene and Fanny Herrington, Evant; 2 grandchildren, Randy Sharp, Carlsbad, and Leslie Sharp, Crane; 7 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandsons.

Pallbearers were Ray Coalson, George Braswell,

Dennie Braswell, Roland Sowell, Darrell Sowell and Murl Andrews.

Halley's Comet

If you haven't gotten up early and seen Halley's Comet, your chances are just about over. Halley is racing toward Earth at a speed of 18 miles per second. The comet will be at its closest point to Earth April 11. By June 1, Halley will no longer be visible to the naked eye. If you miss Halley this time, you won't see it again for another 75 years.

Astronomers at The University of Texas McDonald Observatory have been keeping a close eye on Halley and watching its departure from the sun. Three of the astronomers will be available for interviews whether over the phone or in person April 7-11. They can be reached at (915)426-3263. They will be able to answer any question concerning Halley or McDonald Observatory.

RL Sesquicentennial planned

The Robert Lee Sesquicentennial Committee proudly announces that the master plan for Robert Lee's celebration of Texas' 150th Birthday is on schedule.

The gazebo in the Wilson

Bryan Mini-Park is nearly completed. Several individuals have expressed a desire to make a contribution to the Gazebo Fund.

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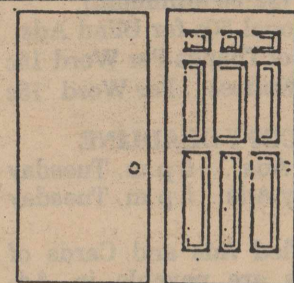
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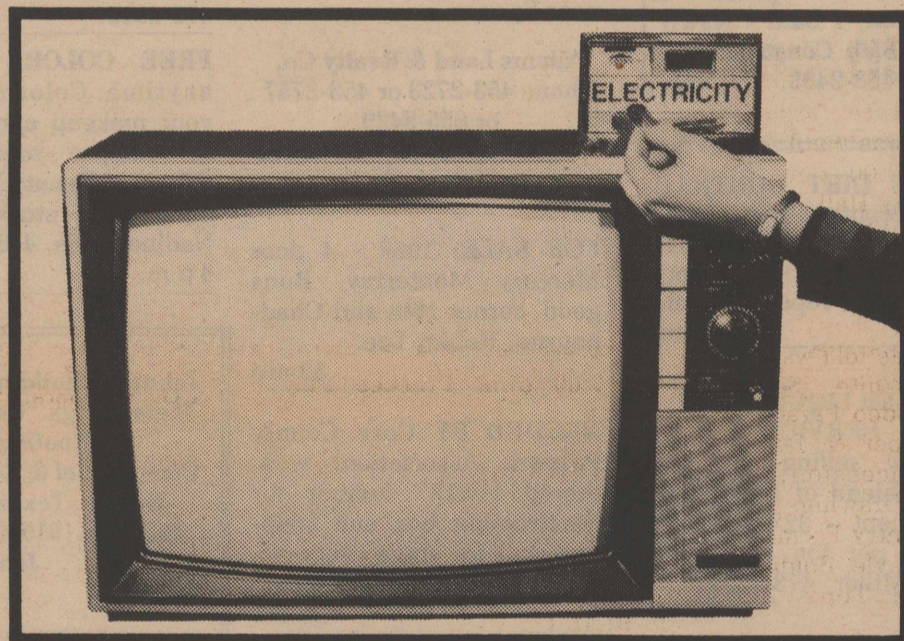
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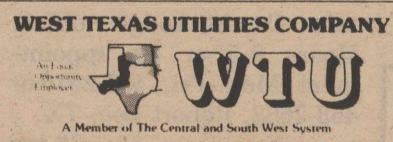
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SHAFFER FUNERAL HOME
 Bronte Robert Lee
 473-3131 453-2424
MONUMENTS
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
 The Observer/Enterprise has been authorized to announce the candidacy of persons listed below for the offices and in the elections indicated:

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
 MAY 3, 1986
 For Representative 17th Congressional District
 CHARLES W. STENHOLM

For County Judge
 AUBREY DENMAN

For County Commissioner Precinct 2
 BILLY JOE LUCKETT
 CHARLES TIMMONS

For County Commissioner Precinct 4
 JAMES G. MILLER
 JAMES A. TIDWELL

For County and District Clerk--
 ETTIE HUBBARD

For County Treasurer--
 PHELAN WRINKLE
 BOBBIE ARROTT
 JACKIE WALKER

For Justice of The Peace Precinct 2
 CECIL KEMP
 EARL D. 'PETE' NUTTER

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WE NOW HAVE
 tomatoes, strawberries, cactus, bedding plants, Bougainvillea, Hibiscus, Fantasia, large Fruitless Mulberry, Carolina Jasmine, shrubs, Honeysuckle, Impatiens, Thrift, Pansies and asparagus.
 New shipment of vegetables and other bedding plants. 32-tnc

GAS & GRUB #2
 Now Available
 Video Home Movies and VCRs
 For Rent
 Hiway 158 West 453-2146
 Robert Lee, Texas

GIDEON APARTMENTS - available - 2 bedroom & 1 bedroom, 453-2318 (days), 453-2196 (nights). 33-tnc

FOR SALE: Mobile Home, 14 x 70, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Located 405 West 10th, 453-2136. 31-tnc

BEEFMASTER BULLS for sale, 9 to 15 months of age. J.E. Quisenberry, 453-2428, Robert Lee. 34-2tc

EMPLOYMENT WANTED - Bronte Training Residence clients want to do yard-work or house-keeping. Please call Pat Hutton or Dean Royall, 473-6561. 33b-4tc

Problem Pregnancy?
 Free Testing/Counseling
 Strictly Confidential
 Pho. 658-4265 or 473-2816
 29b-8tc

WANT ADS Work Wonders!

GARAGE SALE - Fri.-Sat.-Sun. Turn off of Sterling City Highway onto Paint Creek Marina Road, next door to Rick's Retreat. Misc. items. 34-1tp

FOR SALE - 1966 Dodge with '71 motor, rebuilt transmission, good tires, good work car. 409 So. Jefferson Bronte, 473-7711. 34b-1tp

STEEL BUILDING Dealership with Major Manufacturer-Sales & Engineering support. Starter ads furnished. Some areas taken. Call (303) 759-3200 EXT. 2401. 34-1tp

HAVE 2 - 5500 side discharge evaporative coolers. Good condition, \$150 each. 453-2318, Robert Lee. 34-4tc

CARD OF THANKS

In our time of tragedy, it was wonderful and unbelievable how many people, friends, and even those we had never met, came to give sympathy and bring gifts. Our hearts are full of love and thanksgiving to the whole town of Robert Lee. You will always have a very special place in our hearts. May God richly bless you all.
The Tenuts--
Al, Trudy, James & Nathan
34-1tc

OWN YOUR OWN Jean-Sportswear, Ladies Apparel, Childrens, Large Size, Petite, Combination Store, Maternity, Dancewear, Accessories. Jordache, Chic, Lee, Levi, Izod, Gitano, Tomboy, Calvin Klein, Sergio Valente, Evan Picone, Liz Claiborne, Members Only, Gasoline, Healthtex, over 1000 others. \$13,300 to \$24,900 inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening etc. Can open 15 days. Mr. Loughlin (612) 888 6555. 34-1tp

How Do You Look In Your Bathing Suit?

Lose weight and increase your vitality for a great summer. To find out how, call 915-655-5569. 34-1tp

FOR SALE - 4 room house, needs some repair. Garden, pecan trees, \$15,000. 655-1903, 1628 E. Harris, San Angelo, Texas. 34-1tp

IN APPRECIATION

We would like to express our appreciation and sincere thanks to all the wonderful people who were so gracious to us with gifts of food, memorials, flowers, cards, and words of sympathy and kindness. A special thanks to the staff of West Coke County Nursing Home for the loving care of our dear mother and to the ladies of the Robert Lee Baptist Church for the delicious meal which they hosted for us.

Family of
Gertie Waldrop Rives
34-1tc

RESPONSIBLE PERSON

Wanted to own and operate candy vending route. Pleasant business with high profit items. Can start part time. Cash investment of \$3996 to \$12,996. Call 1-800-328-0723.

EAGLE INDUSTRIES
26 Years of Service
34-1tp

FOR RENT - 2 bedroom mobile home, end of Vicki Street. 453-4727, Robert Lee. 34-1tp

CARPOR SALE: Saturday only. Lots of clothing -- girls Jr. sizes (7 & 9); shoes (7 & 8); men's size Med. shirts, jeans, many household items. Connie Bryan 710 State St. (HiWay 277 So.), Bronte. 34b-1tp

THANK YOU for the votes and show of support I received in the Bronte City Election last Saturday.

Harold Dunn
34b-1tc

1979 COUGAR XR7 for sale by owner. Good running condition, good tires, \$1895. Harold Dunn, 473-4521, Bronte. 34b-1tc

NOTICE

Local Chapter #304 of Germania Farm Mutual Insurance Association will hold its annual meeting Monday, April 14, at 3 p.m., 803 Vicki Street, Robert Lee.

Signed:
J.A. Dunklin
Secretary
34-1tc

CARPOR SALE - Mon. and Tues., April 14 & 15, 9-6, 817 Alice, Robert Lee. 34-1tp

TAPPAN AVOCADO WALL OVEN for sale. 122 Cleveland, Robert Lee. 34-1tc

CITY OF BLACKWELL is now accepting bids on City mowing. Bids needs to be on single mowing. Bids must be in by May 5th. Mowing starts in April, minimum of 3, maximum of 5, for a year. We reserve the right to accept or refuse all bids. Contact R.L. Smedley, Mayor at 282-4421 or Barbara Hurt, City Secretary at 282-3401. P.O. Box 477, Blackwell, TX. 79506. 34b-2tc

HONDA 90 MOTORCYCLE for sale, like new. \$350.00, 453-2207, Robert Lee, after 5:00 p.m. 34-1tp

YARD SALE - Saturday, April 12, 8-3 p.m., furniture, clothes, shoes, toys, etc. Corner San Angelo Highway and East 6th, Janie Munoz, Robert Lee. 34-1tp

WANTED DEER LEASE - Responsible hunters, interested in game management, seeks a lease for 4-8 hunters. Call collect (915) 949-2125 after 7:00 p.m. or before 6:30 a.m. 34-tnc

WEEK-END HOUSEMAN-AGER needed at Bronte Training Residence. Work 11 p.m.-7 a.m. shift Friday and Saturday p.m. High school diploma required. Equal Opportunity Employer. 33b-4tc

BRONTE DIVERSITY CLUB GARAGE and BAKE SALE, Sat., April 12, 8:30 a.m. Exceptional sale. Variety of baked goods. Bank parking lot, Bronte. 34b-1tp

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF LELA FLORENCE ROBERTS, A MENTALLY INCOMPETENT PERSON

Pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Probate Code, Section 294, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of LELA FLORENCE ROBERTS, a mentally incompetent person, that on March 26, 1986, Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of LELA FLORENCE ROBERTS, a mentally in-

competent person, were issued to C.C. PHILLIPS, in a proceeding entitled "Guardianship of The Person and Estate of Lela Florence Roberts, Mentally Incompetent", being No. 1261 presently pending in the County Court of Coke County, Texas, Sitting In Matters Probate.

All persons having claims against the estate of LELA FLORENCE ROBERTS, a mentally incompetent person, which is being administered by the undersigned as guardian, are hereby required to present said claims in the manner and within the time prescribed by law.

The mailing address and residence of said guardian is Reservation Route, Box 96, Harper, Texas, 78631 in Kerr County, Texas.

Dated this the 26 day of March, 1986.

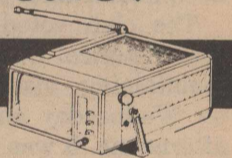
C.C. PHILLIPS
By: Wm. Keaton Blackburn
Attorney for C.C. Phillips
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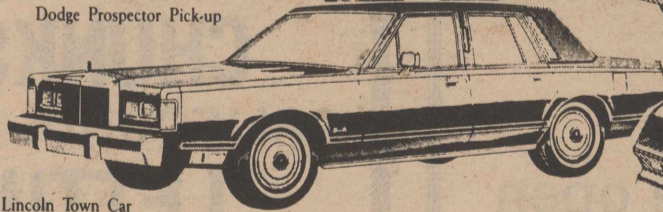
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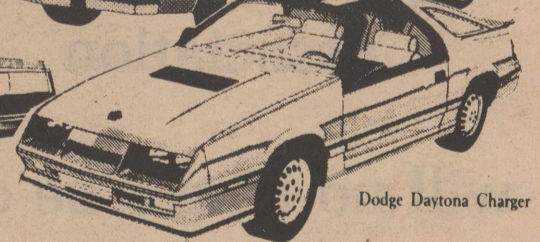
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Wish to thank all of you who have helped make our first year here in Bronte a success. Your support is greatly appreciated.

We cordially invite you to come by Sunday, April 13, after church for free cake and coffee.

Pho. 473-4891

211 N. State



Mr. & Mrs. Bill Grant, Jr.

Childress, Grant wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Childress of O'Donnell, announce the marriage of their daughter, Kathy, to Bill Grant, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Grant of Bronte.

The couple exchanged wedding vows Saturday evening, March 22, in a chapel on the campus of West Texas State University in Canyon with Rev. Bill Nolin officiating.

The bridesmaid was Theresa Carter of Panhandle and Karl Shubert of Raton, N.M., attended the groom as

best man.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of O'Donnell High School and Jesse Lee's School of Cosmetology in Lubbock. She is employed at Mane Tamers.

The groom is a 1981 graduate of Bronte High School and is presently a senior at WTSU majoring in Mechanized Agriculture. He is employed at VRI Veterinary Distributors.

Kathy and Bill are making their home in Amarillo.

Stamp Club meeting

The March meeting of the Robert Lee stamp club was held at the Post Office March 27 with twelve members present. It was reported that a cachet was in the process of being designed for a special cancellation day to be held later this year as a Sesquicentennial project.

The club voted to assist the Historical Committee in maintaining visiting hours on Wednesday and Sunday afternoons. It was also voted to adopt a logo for the Stamp Club and Bobbie Allen and Peggy Davis were appointed as the committee to review suggestions for the logo. Patsy Dunn was appointed

Hospitality Chairman.

Program Chairman Postmistress Lewis reported on a special cancellation being made daily during Ameripex '86 in Chicago. There will be a different theme for each day May 22 through June 1. She also announced the issuance of a new post card commemorating the "Settling of Connecticut" on April 19. Guttersnipes found in the recent stamp collecting booklet was also discussed.

Door prizes of Old Postal Bulletins were won by Ella Reeder, Bobbie Allen, Vivian Jacobs, and Eloise Guerrant.

Heart O' Texas Savings Association

will no longer be open on Saturday.

Lobby open 9-3 Monday -Friday

Window open 8-4 Monday-Friday



Robert Lee



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BONELESS RIBEYE STEAKS Lb. **\$3.19**

GOOCH FRANKS 12 oz. Pkg. 79c

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Mr. Coffee Filters 100 ct. box 83c

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DEL MONTE PEACH 16 oz. Can 73c

Del Monte Cut Green Beans 303 can 47c

Del Monte Sliced Carrots 303 can 43c

Log Cabin Kitchen 24 oz.

SYRUP **\$1.49**

Del Monte Sweet Relish 12 oz. Jar 99c

Old El Paso Chop. Grn. Chilies 4 oz. 53c

Chicken of Sea Tuna Grn. Label 6 oz. 75c

BOUNTY Big Roll

TOWELS **85c**

Delsey Bathroom Tissue 4 roll pkg. \$1.09

LIQUID JOY 32 oz. Bottle \$1.59

TIDE King Size Box **\$2.99**

Shedd Spread Country Crock 3# Tub \$1.75

PARADE BISCUITS 2 For 39c

TYSON CHICKEN 12 oz. Box

CHUNKS **\$2.79**

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LETTUCE **59c**

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