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County rodeo "kicks off" this weekend

All the area cowboys and cowgirls are "settin on go", as the annual Coke County Rodeo comes bustin' out of the chute this weekend. Performances will be held tonight and Saturday night beginning at 8:00 pm.

The annual rodeo is yet another example of the cooperation exhibited throughout the county in hosting an event of this magnitude. Although called the Coke County Rodeo, this is for the most part a playday event, and is directed primarily to youth horse events. And, it attracts kids with horses from all over the state. Each performance will last into the wee hours of the morning, with contestants competing in barrel racing, pole bending, calf roping, and many other events.

This year's Rodeo President is Marshall Millican, with Tony Barrett serving as Rodeo Chairman. Arena Director is James Vaughn, with Mike Smith set to announce this year's event. Rodeo secretaries are Jolene Barrett, Sheri Millican, Gayle Bolding, Beverly Burdett, and Karen Daves.

Junior Rodeo Queen for 1988 is Tracy Millican, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Wibby Millican. Runner-up is Bree Bolding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bolding.

Senior Queen for 1988 is Teresa Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughn. Runner-up is Joni Barrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barrett.

Flagbearers are: American Flag - Michael Woolley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Burdett; Texas Flag - Kim Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carver.

The club flag will be carried by Russell Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughn.

The Rodeo Association will operate the concession stand with hot dogs, sandwiches, frito pies, candy, soft drinks, etc.

Prizes for all events will be cash for first thru fourth places, including the jackpot team roping.

Admission will be \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children 6-12 years of age; 5 and under are free. Contestants only will not be required to pay for the night they are competing.

All area residents are invited to come out and enjoy the two nights of rodeo action and support these area youth.

COKE COUNTY RODEO

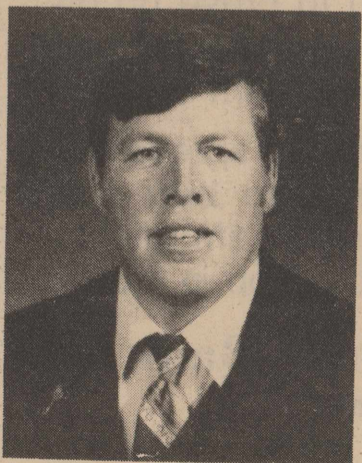
July 15 & 16

8:00 pm
each night



RL hires new principal

Jackie Dulon Tennison will assume his duties as Robert Lee High School principal August 1st, 1988. Mr. Tennison is currently serving as Assistant High School Principal of the Winters I. S. D. His previous teaching experience includes Vocational Agriculture teacher at Junction and Winters High



Jackie Tennison

Schools.

Mr. Tennison graduated from Clyde High School in 1971. He received his B. S.-M. S. T.-Mid Mgt. degree from Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

He and his wife, Marilyn, have two sons, Jackie Jr. who is 15 and James, 11 years old. The Tennisons are making plans to move to Robert Lee next week and will occupy the teacherage that has been recently vacated by the Kenneth Rasco family.

The Tennisons are members of the Winters First Baptist Church and own and operate a pig farm a few miles north of Winters. They are in the process of selling the farm and hope to complete the transaction before moving to Robert Lee. His interests include livestock, stockshows, playing softball,

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Chamber logo deadline set for July 22

The deadline for the logo contest sponsored by the Bronte Chamber of Commerce will be July 22nd. The logo will be used on Chamber stationery and town advertisements and should use symbols that incorporate features that best represent Bronte. Examples of local symbols include; Fort Chadbourne, Oak Creek Lake and its water sports, area wildlife such as Longhorns, Buffalo, and deer, the Kickapoo mountains, Colorado River, local golf course and other recreations, the Depot, Texas Theatre, etc.

All entries will become the property of the Bronte Chamber of Commerce, and will be judged by a select group of judges. The winning entry will be subject to artistic refinement, if necessary for reproduction purposes.

The winning entry will receive a \$100.00 savings bond, and the contest is open to anyone who is a resident of Coke County. All entries should be sent to the Bronte Chamber of Commerce, Box 516, Bronte, Texas 76933 by July 22, 1988, or delivered to the Observer-Enterprise in

Bronte or to Cumbie and Arrott Mercantile by that date.

Entries should be on a standard size sheet of typing paper, and you may send in as many entries as you like.

Also, include a slogan for Bronte if you so desire.

BE SURE AND ENTER THIS CONTEST --YOU MAY BE THE WINNER!!!

...Upcoming

Silver H'coming

The Silver Homecoming has been set for Sunday, July 24, at the Silver Baptist Church fellowship hall.

The homecoming association will provide meat, beans, bread, and drinks for the gathering. Those who attend are asked to bring vegetables, salads, and desserts.

Everyone is welcome to come early on Sunday and attend the church service at 10 a.m.

4-H Recordbooks

4-H Record Books are DUE Monday, July 18th. Record Books must be in the Extension office by 3:00 p.m. that day. Judging will be Tuesday morning, so this deadline must be met.

Senior Dance

West Coke County Senior Citizens will hold their monthly dance on Thursday evening, July 21, at 7 p.m. in the Rec Hall at Robert Lee. Although the dance is sponsored by the Senior Citizens group, visitors are always welcome. Volunteers will provide country/western music for the occasion.

Don't let your pets run loose!

Bronte City officials report an increased problem with animals running loose in the city. City ordinance requires animals to be on the property of their owners and not running loose.

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...Principal

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and assisting in the Little League baseball program.

He served as the advisor for the Winters High School Dairy Judging Team for several years and led the team to state for 4 years. The last year the team won state and advanced to the National finals where they placed 11th.

Jimmy Bickley retired after serving as Superintendent of the Robert Lee I. S. D. for 23 years. The Robert Lee School Board hired Jerry Gibbs, Robert Lee High School Principal for 16 years, as the new superintendent, leaving the vacancy for the High School Principal position.

The Way I See It

by Johnny Sevier

I have been following the problems the people in our neighboring city of Ballinger are having concerning their hospital. Like a lot of places before them, they are trying to save their hospital. Hopefully they will be more successful than any of the other small communities and maybe they can be, if they can learn some lessons from them and possibly profit from their mistakes. They already have one major problem that has been an obstacle everywhere which is: The doctors can't seem to get along with the hospital board and vice versa. As long as that situation exists, it is highly unlikely that anything will work. They will have to be able to put personality conflicts aside and mutually work for what is the best plan of action for their hospital. Too often, any one person unwilling to do this is going to destroy the operation before it gets started.

know, he has the right to know, how well you are doing it.

The last and most important thing that Ballinger has to consider and be sure of, is committing themselves to taxation. If everyone doesn't know by now, they should know. There is no such thing as a set tax that won't increase. There is no such thing as a temporary tax.

There is no tax that will decrease. So they will have to be prepared to live with that tax from now on, whether the hospital survives or not.

I, as a lot of people do, wish them the very best of luck. Believe me, they're going to need it. And that's the way I see it.

Another thing that will help them a great deal, and maybe more than anything, will be to keep the people informed as to where their tax money is going and for what, assuming that the community decides to create a tax base for the purpose of maintaining a hospital. If their hospital board is willing to be open and let people know both the good and the bad, then they will have a much better chance of making something work. When you spend someone else's money, that person not only wants to

Rodeo Association lists playday results

Coke County Rodeo Association's Playday results for June 18, 1988:

5 & Under
Barrels: 1st, Tessie McMullan, 2nd, Callie Bolin, 3rd, Whitney Millican, 4th John Burdett, 5th, Tim Abbott, 6th, Brooke McCutchen, 7th, Brady Bolding, 8th, Stewart Millican, Hon. Mention- Savannah Koenig.

Flags: 1st, Tim Abbott, 2nd, John Burdett, 3rd, Brooke McCutchen, 4th, Tessie McMullan, 5th, Brady Bolding, Hon. Mention-Whitney Millican and Stewart Millican.

Poles: 1st, Tim Abbott, 2nd, John Burdett, 3rd, Whitney Millican, 4th, Callie Bolin, 5th, Brooke McCutchen, 6th, John Burdett, 7th, Brady Bolding, 8th, Stewart Millican.

6 & 7
Barrels: 1st, Bree Bolding, 2nd, Chris Bolin, 3rd, Brandy Denton, 4th, Tracy Millican, 5th, Rebecca Daves, 6th, Dustin Daves.

Flags: 1st, Bree Bolding, 2nd, Brandy Denton, 3rd, Tracy Millican, 4th, Dustin Daves, 5th, Rebecca Daves.

Poles: 1st, Tracy Millican, 2nd, Bree Bolding, 3rd, Brandy Denton, 4th, Chris Bolin, 5th, Dustin Daves, Hon. Mention- Rebecca Daves.

8 & 9
Barrels: 1st, Kannan Millican, 2nd, Tina Abbott, Hon. Mention- Nikki Burdett and Brandi Brosh.

Flags: 1st, Kannan Millican, 2nd, Julia Gentry, 3rd, Brandi Brosh, 4th, Tina Abbott, 5th, Nikki Burdett.

Poles: 1st, Kannan Millican, 2nd, Tina Abbott, 3rd, Brandi Brosh, 4th, Julia Gentry, Hon. Mention- Nikki Burdett.

10 - 12
Barrels: 1st, Russ Vaughn, 2nd, Michael Woolley.

Flags: 1st, Russ Vaughn, 2nd, Michael Woolley. Poles: 1st, Russ Vaughn, 2nd, Michael Woolley.

13 - 15
Barrels: 1st, Teresa

Vaughn, 2nd, Melinda Gentry.

Flags: 1st, Teresa Vaughn, 2nd, Melinda Gentry.

Poles: 1st, Teresa Vaughn, 2nd, Melinda Gentry.

19 & Over
Barrels: 1st, Kim Koenig, 2nd, Mary McMullan, 3rd, Wyndell Brosh

Flags: 1st, Mary McMullan, 2nd, Wyndell Brosh.

Poles: 1st, Mary McMullan, 2nd, Wyndell Brosh.

Athletic physicals slated

Bronte

Bronte School will give physicals August 1st at 1:30 p.m. in the Elementary Teacher Lounge at the school. Physicals will be given to boys and girls who are participating in sports and to anyone who will be driving a school bus during the coming school year.

All 9th graders (boys and girls) and 6th grade boys (only) as well as new transfer students planning to participate in sports must have a physical.

Robert Lee

Ed Poehls, athletic director for Robert Lee Schools, has

set Wednesday, July 27 as the date for physicals for local athletes in all sports. A physician will be in the clinic at the school from 8 until 10 a.m. Those requiring physicals are the 7th grade boys and girls, freshmen boys and girls, and those students who have not competed in the Robert Lee sports program before this school year.

According to Poehls, bus drivers or other school personnel may also take advantage of the physicals at that time. Cost of the physicians visit is \$15 or students may use their own family physicians. Copies of the required school physical forms are available from Coach Poehls.

Eubanks honored at A&M

Janet Eubanks, a junior educational curriculum and instruction major from Bronte, has been named to the "Distinguished Student," list at Texas A&M University for the 1988 spring semester.

In order to be named a "Distinguished Student," a student must be registered

for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

Letter to the Editor

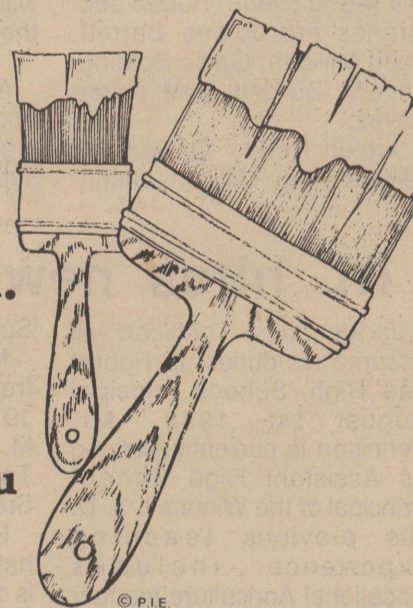
Dear Sir,
I am sending this check for my paper. I like to read the paper and find out what is going on around Bronte. That is where I have lived most of my life.

Thanks,
Olga Whalin

Personal

Pete Ditmore of Mission underwent surgery on Tuesday at Rio Grande Regional Hospital in McAllen. He is reported to be in good condition and is in room #362.

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Article alleges preferential legislation

Editor's Note:

The following article, **Soapbox** by Russ Mabry, appeared in the **Oil Rag**, a Midland publication, on June 1, 1988 and was submitted for reprint by a local businessman.

If the pursuit of truth is the most honorable of human activities, then the abuse of trust and power must be the most despicable.

Curious to me is the fact that those whose sworn duty it is to uphold the Constitution of The United State of America are continually conniving to pervert that sacred document, and the principles upon which it rests.

Hidden among the thousands of pages of the tax reform bill of 1986, there is a paragraph which reads as follows:

"For purposes of Section 2656(b) (8) of the internal revenue code of 1986, an individual who receives an interest in a charitable remainder unitrust shall be deemed

to be the only non-charitable beneficiary of such trust if the interest in the trust passed to the individual under the will of a decedent who resided in Tarrant County, Texas, and died on October 28, 1983, at the age of 75, with a gross estate not exceeding \$12.5 million, and the individual is the decedent's surviving spouse."

Would you like to know what this really means? Would you like to know who wrote it and buried it deep within the tax legislation?

This mumbo-jumbo describes only one person in all of these United States; that being one Geraldine Ballard, the widow of wealthy Texas businessman Joseph J. Ballard. She lives in a \$600,000 house in an exclusive neighborhood of Fort Worth, Texas.

The sole intent of the tax passage above was to relieve The Widow Ballard of the payment of \$4 million in taxes to the IRS, that, under existing law, was due from Mr. Bal-

lard's estate. This was a special one-time-only break, inserted into federal law, and indeed passed as an act of Congress for one, apparently, very special person.

And who do you think inserted this act of more-than-preferential treatment? It was none other than the most influential member of the House of Representatives of The United States of America, The Honorable (and I use the term in its loosest sense) Jim Wright, Democratic Representative from Texas.

Here is a man elected and empowered by his district to represent them in the affairs of this country -- to uphold the Constitution, which calls for fair and equal treatment of all citizens of this country, and preferential treatment for none.

The first ship to pass through the Panama Canal was the Alex Lavalley on January 7, 1914.



DOYLE CAULDER OF Bronte displays his 35 lb. yellowcat caught on a rod and reel last Friday. Jean Chew, his witness, holds the next biggest catch, a 15 1/4 lb. catfish.

Couple lands the "big un"

Doyle Caulder and Jean Chew of Bronte went fishing last Friday morning! They started at the bridge on Hwy 277 south of Bronte on the Colorado River and floated down to the low water crossing south of Maverick. The river was up due to water being released from Spence.

Using shad as bait for their

rods and reels, Caulder landed a 35 lb. yellow cat and a 15 1/4 lb. yellow cat as well as 40 other fish up to 6 lbs

According to Caulder, it was the biggest fish he had ever caught on a rod and reel. Caulder survived the trip but his rod and reel was in several separate pieces.

LAKE SPENCE FISHIN'

PAINT CREEK MARINA

James Montgomery of Ozona was the big gun at the West Texas Bass Classic on Lake Spence last Saturday. His 6.27 pound black bass was good for the whopping \$12,000 first prize. The prize money was increased when 549 entrants paid to fish and twenty places were paid. No local anglers placed in the contest. Sponsors Red and Harvey Pinkerton of Snyder designated \$1,500 for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Other catches at Lake Spence include:

Randall Bradshaw, Hawley, 1 striper, 15 1/2 lbs.

Gene Dozier, Andrews, 1 striper, 13 3/4 lbs.

Craig Bessent, Mineral Wells, 1 striper, 7 1/2 lbs.

Tony Hamm, Lubbock, 1 black bass, 3 lbs., 11 oz.

Danny Justice, 3 striper up to 8 lbs., 2 oz.

Gaylord Russell, Crane, 2 black bass, 3 lbs. and 5 lbs., 7 oz.

Casey Burnett (six years old), Seminole, several good perch and a nice black bass.

WILDCAT FISH-A-RAMA
Melvin Allison, Odessa, 1 striper, 13 3/4 lbs.

Roy McKendree, Big Spring, 5 striper up to 15 3/4 lbs.

Tom and Carol Whitmore, Odessa, 3 striper up to 4 lbs.

Gillihan Family, Big Spring, 50 crappie.

FISHING CONDITIONS

Spence lake conditions and fishing reports as reported by Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. are as follows:

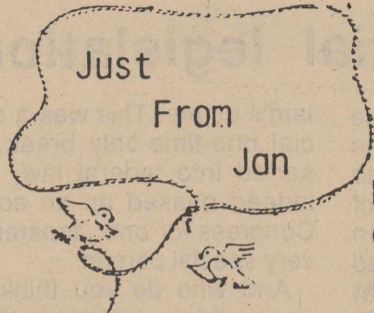
Water clear in main lake, muddy up river due to fairly good rains, 79 degrees, 22 feet below conservation level; black bass fair to 4 pounds on plastic worms and spinners; striper good to 18 pounds trolling Hellbenders and jigs, topwaters; crappie good with limits on minnows; white bass slow; catfish good to 18 pounds on trotline baited with nightcrawlers, minnows.

PUBLICATION COPY - COMMERCIAL BANK		STATE 035 (3-88) <607>	
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries)			
LEGAL TITLE OF BANK		STATE BANK NO.	
Robert Lee State Bank		1684-05	
Box 549		FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO.	
Robert Lee, Texas 76945		11 13 21827	
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Robert Lee	Coke	Texas	76945
		CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
		June 30, 1988	
Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
ASSETS			
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin			
		1	236
b. Interest-bearing balances			
		2	579
2. Securities			
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:			
a. Federal funds sold			
			845
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			
		N	
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income			
	6	559	
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			
		103	
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			
		N	
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4. a minus 4. b and 4. c)			
			6 456
5. Assets held in trading accounts			
		N	
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			
			131
7. Other real estate owned			
		N	
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies			
		N	
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			
		N	
10. Intangible assets			
		N	
11. Other assets			
			451
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			
			24 200
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)			
		N	
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12. a and 12. b)			
			24 200
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits:			
a. In domestic offices			
(1) Noninterest-bearing			
	2	638	
(2) Interest-bearing			
	19	021	
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs			
(1) Noninterest-bearing			
		N	
(2) Interest-bearing			
		N	
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:			
a. Federal funds purchased			
		N	
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase			
		N	
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury			
		N	
16. Other borrowed money			
		N	
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases			
		N	
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding			
		N	
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits			
		N	
20. Other liabilities			
			188
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)			
			21 847
22. Limited-life preferred stock			
		N	
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding			
	N		
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized			
		20,000	
b. Outstanding			
		20,000	
25. Surplus			
			200
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves			
			500
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			
			1 653
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)			
			2 353
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)			
		N	
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28. a and 28. b)			
			2 353
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28. c)			
			24 200
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:			
1. a Standby letters of credit, Total			
		N	
1. b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1. a conveyed to others through participations			
		N	
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.			
We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.			
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		DATE SIGNED	
<i>Willis W. Smith</i>		7-12-88	
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		AREA CODE/PHONE NO.	
Willis W. Smith, V. P. & Cashier		915-453-2545	
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.			
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	
<i>Willis W. Smith</i>		<i>Willis W. Smith</i>	
State of Texas		County of Coke	
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of July 1988			
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.			
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		<i>Cathy J. McHenry</i>	
		Signature Notary Public	

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**by Jan Hohensee
Coke County
Extension Agent**

**READING YOUR
INSURANCE POLICY**

Even when consumers do a good job of comparison shopping among companies for insurance coverage, they seldom take the extra step of reading the actual policy after buying it.

Why bother to wade through the often hard-to-understand terminology? Family financial experts say it could save you a few surprises if you ever have to make a claim on the policy.

An insurance policy is a contract which should be read, just like any other legal document.

Policy language can be difficult to understand, but it has evolved, in part, out of court cases. Precise language is needed so the policies will stand up in court.

If you know what to look for, reading a policy may be easier. The typical parts of a property/liability policy are:

- * Declarations page. The separate cover-sheet is fastened to the policy. It states the policy holder, property and liability to be covered, and types and amounts of coverages purchased, including deductibles.
- * Insuring agreement. The

section spells out the responsibilities of the policyholder, such as paying the premium, providing accurate information or following procedures for filing a claim. It also states the responsibilities of the insurance company to pay legitimate claims, represent covered parties in court or perform other services stated in the policy.

- * Conditions of the policy. The coverage provided by the policy, and the requirements of the policyholder and insurance company in the event of a claim are stated in this section.

- * Exclusions. This part describes properties and losses for which coverage is not provided in the policy, and lists conditions under which coverage doesn't apply.

- * Endorsement. Any written document which changes or modifies the policy in some way is an endorsement. Adding coverage, for example would require an endorsement.

Specialists advise consumers to read their insurance policies for a better understanding of exactly what it does and does not cover, before a claim becomes an issue.

**Farm Bureau to
sponsor contests**

The Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau Board of Directors will be sponsoring a Texas Farm Bureau Talent Find Contest and a Miss Texas Farm Bureau Contest the first week of August. Contestants must be between the ages of 16-21 as of September 1, 1988 and must be a Texas Farm Bureau member, or a member of a Texas Farm Bureau family, and must be amateurs.

All interested in entering the contests should contact the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau office at 453-2812 no later than July 22, 1988. Scholarships will be awarded to winners at District and State levels.

**Bronte girls
named to Belles**

Two Bronte girls will be part of the famed Wrangler Belles from Cisco Junior College this fall. Jill Strickland and DeAnn Parker participated in the tryouts and were selected to the drill team.

Their major performance in the upcoming year will be a performance in Washington D.C.

Both are 1988 graduates of Bronte High School.

Personal

Mrs. Billie Wallace of Odessa is showing steady improvement from a broken pelvis and other injuries suffered in a car/pickup accident on June 22. According to Robert Lee relatives, she will remain on a walker for some time yet.



**COUNTRY AGENTS
NEWS**

by Tommy Antilley

**WHEAT VARIETY
RESULTS**

Listed below are the results from a wheat variety test performed on the Arrott farm at Bronte. Remember, these are results from one year and under different conditions and moisture, rank of varieties could be different. During August there will be a wheat production meeting where varieties, fertilization, insects and diseases will be discussed in more detail.

Caddo	20.3	TAM 107	18.9
Mustang	20.0	Hawk	18.9
Chisolm	19.6	Siouxland	17.5
		TAM 195	17.5
		TAM 108	17.5
		Pioneer 2157	17.5
		Osage	16.8
		NK 812	16.5
		Thunderbird	16.1
		Milburn	15.8
		Wrangler	15.4
		Stallion	14.0
		Vona	13.6
		Mit	13.3
		TAM 101	13.3
		TAM 106	12.3
		TAM 200	11.6

Wallace anniversary set

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wallace of Robert Lee will be honored with a 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration, Saturday, July 16 from 2 until five in the afternoon, at the Senior Citizens building in Robert Lee. The reception will be hosted by their daughter and husband, Gayla and Donny Bradford, and grandchildren, Melissa and Justin Bradford, all of San Angelo.

Gib and Odessa Wallace were married July 17, 1938 in Clovis, New Mexico. Mrs. Wallace was a native of New Mexico while he was raised in Robert Lee. The couple made

their home in Pecos for 43 years and moved to Robert Lee in 1981. Mr. Wallace is a retired building contractor.

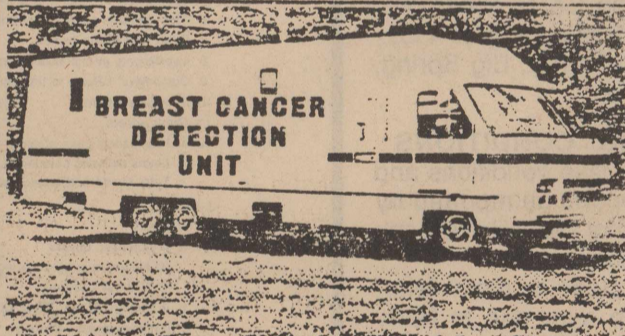
**Auston birthday
party detailed**

Mary Auston celebrated her July birthday at the monthly party at West Coke County Nursing Home, Tuesday evening. Activity director Joyce Wilson presented Mary with a gift and ice cream was served to 25 residents, as well as several guests. Edna Havins, Billy Newman, and Add Davis entertained the party goes with country music.

Historical dates in July

- 1 - Medicare first went into effect 1966.
- 2 - New Jersey grants Women's Suffrage 1776.
- 3 - Dog Days begin.
- 4 - Independence Day
- 5 - William Booth founds Salvation Army 1865.
- 6 - 1st all-talking movie 1928 (The Lights of New York).
- 7 - Arthur Conan Doyle, author, died 1930.
- 8 - 1st "Ziegfeld Follies" opened 1907.
- 9 - Howe, Inventor of Sewing Machine, born 1819.
- 10 - Arthur Ashe, Tennis great, born 1943.
- 11 - Skylab fell to earth 1979.
- 12 - Andrew Wyeth, artist, born 1917.
- 13 - Nathan B. Forrest born 1821.
- 14 - Gerald Ford, 38th President, born 1913.
- 15 - St. Swithin's Day.
- 16 - 1st Atomic Bomb tested 1945.
- 17 - Disneyland opened in California 1955.
- 18 - Red Skelton, comedian, born 1913.
- 19 - 1st Women's Rights Convention, Seneca Falls, N.Y. 1848.
- 20 - Armstrong & Aldrin, 1st men on moon 1969.
- 21 - Veteran's Administration founded 1930.
- 22 - Wiley Post completed 1st rond the world solo flight, 1933.
- 23 - Ulysses S. Grant died 1885.
- 25 - Puerto Rico granted Commonwealth Status, 1952.
- 26 - Egypt nationalized the Suez Canal, 1956.
- 27 - Atlantic telegraph cable completed 1866.
- 28 - World War I began 1914.
- 29 - Cape Cod Canal opened to traffic 1914.
- 30 - James Hoffa disappeared 1975.

**BREAST CANCER DETECTION UNIT
AVAILABLE TO AREA WOMEN**



**JULY 18, 1988
9 AM - 7 PM**

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According to the American Cancer Society, one out of ten women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast cancer.

Ninety percent of breast cancers are diagnosed by women or their physicians finding a lump in the breast. Women who are diagnosed with a lump large enough to feel have a 50 percent five year survival rate. A woman who is diagnosed as having breast cancer by mammography, before a lump can be felt, has a 97% five year survival rate and a 90% 10 year survival rate.

A mammogram can detect a cancer this small ● even before it can be felt.

The American Cancer Society has established guidelines for mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and The American College of Radiology. Those guidelines are:

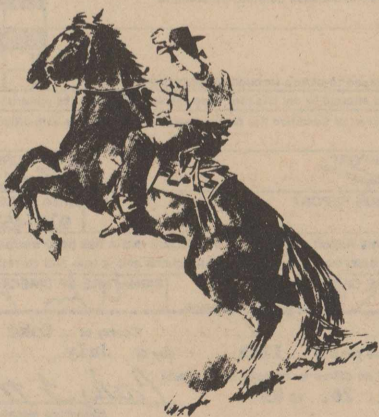
- I. 35-40 years of age - One baseline mammogram.
- II. 40-50 years of age - A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.
- III. 50 years of age and over - An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
- IV. Asymtomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk

factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

V. A symptomatic woman should have a mammogram at any age when she experiences a mass, nipple discharge, skin changes or unexplained breast pain. A screening mammogram is an x-ray of the breast using extremely low dosages of radiation (usually comparable to dental x-rays) and is designed to find very early cancers.

A female technologist who is highly trained in mammography will perform the examination. The charge for the screening mammogram is \$50.00. The Unit accepts cash, check, Visa, Mastercard and American Express.

Attend the
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COUNTY
RODEO**



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PARTS**
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453-2911

Singing Winds holds tourney, supper

Thursday June 30th, a nine hole ABC golf tournament was held at Bronte's Singing Winds Course. A pot luck supper was held afterwards. Sponsor was American Printing Company in Bronte. Results were: First place with a 31, Sue Caudle, Ed Martindale, James Tidwell Jackie Corley; Second place with 32, Mary Morrow, Mickey Pierce, Kevin Spiller, Ivy Spiller; Third place with 33, Mack Baker, Gayle Stillwell, Patty Wood, Royce Dean Clark; Fourth place with 33, Corky Collins, Kathleen Brasfield, Jan Wakefield, Mike Sietz.

July 2nd saw a 2 person, 27 hole golf tournament. Results were: Championship Flight-1st, J.W. and Sue Caudle, 96;

(determined by a card play-off) 2nd Adams and Adams, 96; 3rd Rick Harvey and Gayle Stillwell, 98.

First Flight- 1st Benny and Jackie Corley, 105; 2nd Lonnie Taylor and Kathleen Brasfield, 105; 3rd Gaston Thomas and Larry Carlyle, 105; (Determined by a card play-off).

Second Flight- 1st Jimmy Badgett and Collier, 109; 2nd Larry Abbott and Jerry Hohensee, 111; 3rd Richard Hembree and McTarrin, 111; (determined by a card play-off).

July 4th's ABC tournament was sponsored by Shakey's Pizza Parlor in San Angelo. Results were: First Place, 59,

Ed Martindale, Brenda Tidwell, Ottis Rolls, Jan Wakefield, Bruce Sonnenberg; 2nd, 62, J.W. Caudle, Peggy Jackson, Wacenor, Lee; 3rd, 62, Rocky Rawls, Kathleen Brasfield, Mickey Pierce, Gene Tuttle (sudden death play-off); 4th, 63, Mack Baker, Mary Morrow, Staut, Bill Flint.

The next tournament is an ABC scheduled for July 17. Sponsor will be Robert Lee State Bank and J & B Lumber and Hardware of Robert Lee. Tee time is 1:30 pm.

SS office needs name change info

Brides who will be using their husband's name, along with anyone else who has had a recent name change, should contact the San Angelo Social Security Office to arrange to have their name changed in Social Security records and to apply for a new Social Security card showing their new name, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo, said recently.

There is no charge for this service--it's free, Upp said. Although the name may be changed, the Social Security number will remain the same.

Unless the bride plans to use her maiden name after marriage, Social Security records should be changed so that earnings are correctly reported to the right record.

Evidence of identity showing both the person's old and new names will be required. Only original documents or copies certified of the issuing agency are acceptable. Uncertified photocopies are not acceptable, Upp said.

It will take about 2 weeks after acceptable evidence has been submitted to get the new Social Security card. It will show the person's new name, but the original Social Security number.

More information about applying for a Social Security card can be obtained at the San Angelo Social Security Office Located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 949-4608.



Alysa Lynne Bilbrey and James Scott Powers

Bilbrey, Powers to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bilbrey and Ms. Sheila Bilbrey, of Bronte, are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alysa, to James Bobby Powers of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Olsen of Bronte.

Alysa, is a 1988 graduate of BHS and plans to attend Central Texas Commercial College in Brownwood this fall.

James, a 1987 graduate of Bronte High School, is a sophomore biology major at Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

Social Security News

There are special provisions in the Social Security law designed to encourage blind and disabled supplemental security income (SSI) recipients to try to work. These provisions allow recipients to attempt to work without fear of losing all their SSI checks or Medicaid coverage. Also, recipients whose SSI checks were stopped because their earnings made their income too high to receive checks may be able to receive checks again if they find they no longer are able to work.

Recognizing that a disabled recipient's return to work may not follow a steady progression, the law allows the recipient to use SSI as a stepping stone to employment. Recipients may continue to receive some money from SSI while testing their ability to work. The amount received depends on the amount of earnings--as earnings increase, the SSI payment decreases or stops. A recipient who finds his or her work attempt is unsuccessful, however, may have payments started again, often without filing a new SSI application.

In addition, many blind and disabled recipients can keep their eligibility for Medicaid coverage even when their checks stop because their earnings make their income too high to continue receiving checks. To keep Medicaid coverage, a recipient must continue to be blind or disabled, meet all other non-earnings SSI eligibility requirements, depend on Medicaid coverage to continue working, and be unable to purchase similar medical care.

Blind or disabled recipients who work also are encouraged to develop a "plan for achieving self-support". This plan allows them to set aside income and/or resources for a work goal and can mean an increased SSI payment. Some examples of work goals include education, vocational training, starting a business, or purchasing work-related equipment.

More information about the SSI work incentive provisions can be obtained at the San Angelo Social Security Office Located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 949-4680.



LOOK WHO'S NEW!

Joseph Evan Gray

Joseph Evan Gray, son of Sheila and Steven Gray, arrived on June 19, three months ahead of schedule. He weighed just over 4 lb. at birth at Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford, England and was transferred to Croughton AFB Hospital until his weight reached 5 lb.

Steven Gray is stationed at the base in England while serving in the United States Air Force.

Joseph Evan's grandparents are Gene and Sue Harding of San Angelo and Les

and Geneva Gray of Robert Lee. His great-grandparents are Leta Stokes of Sterling City and J.B. Gray of Dallas.

Ross Scott Jones

Ross Scott Jones is the new son of Mary Anne and Scott Jones of Lake Jackson, Texas. He was born at 8:55 P.M. July 2nd in Women's Hospital in Houston, Texas, weighing 9 pounds and is 22 inches long.

Ross was greeted by his 3 year old sister, Keely, and his grandparents, Ruby and Bill Murray Jones of Robert Lee, Tx.

Affairs of Life



Dogs are considered man's best friend. Dogs have learned to serve one master.

Likewise, man cannot serve GOD and mammon. **Matt. 6:24 and Luke 16:13.**

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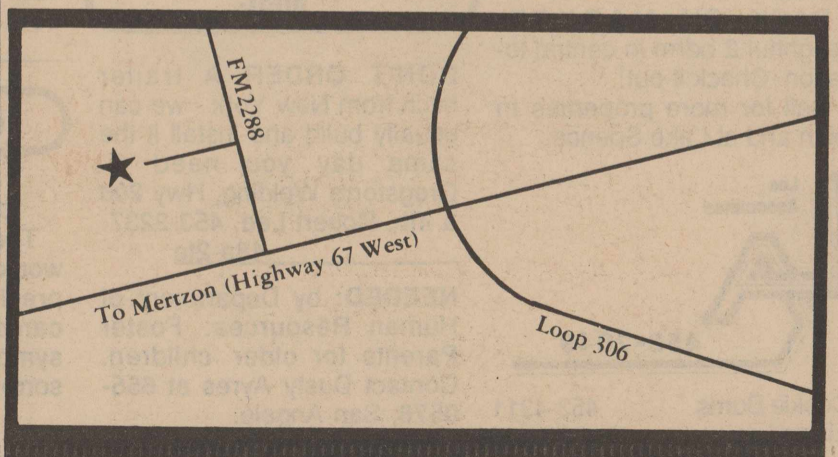
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655-9046

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 48a-2tc

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 47-3tp

PEARSON HOME for sale. Robert Lee. 453-2714 or 453-2717.
 39-tnc

COTTON COUNTRY COOKBOOKS, 13th edition, over 350,000 sold, available at West Coke County Nursing Home Gift Shop. Open 1:30-4:30 Mon.-Fri., west wing.
 47-2tc

TAKE YOUR PICK... ELEGANCE PLUS, 3 ac. double workshop & beautiful home!
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2 BEDROOM, 1 bath mobile home, approx. 24X24 Morgan bldg., fireplace, on 2 lots, Bayview.

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HOUSE FOR SALE
 2 BR, Den & Living Room-Dining Room combination about 3 blocks from the school. 2 carports and an extra lot. 123 NW Railroad. Call 473-3741, Bronte.
 48b-tnc

HOUSE FOR sale: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, living room, den, large kitchen. Big corner lot on Washington and Reilly, Bronte. For info. call 473-2707 or (817) 581-9650.
 47B-3tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Several one and two bedroom low income units, available now. For more information, contact Housing Authority of Robert Lee or call 453-2912, 453-2802.
 47A-tnc

TRAILER SPACES for rent - south side of Hwy. 158, 5 miles west of Robert Lee near Lake Spence. 453-2914.
 45A-tnc

MISC

DON'T ORDER A trailer hitch from New York - we can usually build and install it the same day you need it. Gregston's Welding, Hwy 208 & 4th, Robert Lee, 453-2237.
 48a-2tc

NEEDED: by Department of Human Resources: Foster Parents for older children. Contact Dusty Ayres at 655-0576, San Angelo.
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WE DO ALL types metal repairs. We repair aluminum boats and boat props. Gregston's Welding, Hwy 208 & 4th, Robert Lee, 453-2237.
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 22A-tnc

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 48a-2tc

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 47-3tc

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 44-6tp

GARAGE SALES

2 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 406 Alamo, Robert Lee, Friday 9 til 6, Saturday 9 til 1. Lots of children's clothes, baby items, and misc. items.
 48-1tp

MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Friday and Saturday. 10th and Hamilton, Robert Lee.
 48-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Harry Salser would like to express our appreciation for your flowers, cards, and expressions of sympathy during our time of sorrow.
 Roger Salser & Family
 48b-1tc

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THE FAMILY OF Bill Capps would like to thank the West Coke Nursing Home for all their care, and the ladies at the Baptist Church for the noon meal, and all other expressions of sympathy during the passing of our loved one.

The Family of
 Bill Capps
 48-1tp

THE FAMILY OF Grace Key Boykin appreciates everyone for their kindness, visits, prayers, flowers, food, cards, and memorials at the death of our loved one. A special thanks to the West Coke County Nursing staff and Dr. Kletter, whose love and care helped keep her in the county she loved until her 92nd Birthday.

To the members of the First United Methodist Church and the ladies who served lunch for the family,

To Rev. Pam Bradford and Mrs. Wilson Bryan, who provided the beautiful service and music,

Words cannot express our love and gratitude to each and every one. Your wonderful love and support helped ease our pain.

Thank you and May God Bless Each Of You.

The Family of
 Grace Key Boykin.
 48-1tp



Andrew Johnson was the only ex-President to be elected to the United States Senate.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Observer/Enterprise has been authorized to make the following announcements for the political offices in Coke County.

Unless otherwise specified, each candidate has paid for his or her announcement, and will serve as their own campaign treasurer. All political advertising, announcements, and printing is cash in advance.

UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE 17th Congressional District

Charles Stenholm

State Representative District 66
 Robert Junell

COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1
 George Newby

COKE COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3
 Tim Millican

COKE COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR/-COLLECTOR
 Kristeen (Kristy) Roe

COKE COUNTY ATTORNEY
 Bill J. Helwig

WE WISH TO express our appreciation for your continued kindness and thoughtfulness shown to us and our family. Your many gifts of prayers, food, cards, money, visits, calls, and other deeds will never be forgotten.

Cecil and Billie
 Schooley
 48-1tp

WE ARE FOREVER grateful for the care, love, and support shown us at the illness and death of our loved one. Thank you so much for the flowers, food, prayers, memorials, cards, and other gifts with which you comforted us.

The Family of
 David Aaron McCaleb
 48a-1tc

NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for Replacement of Raised Reflective Pavement Markers on various highways in various counties, will be received by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, District Office, Loop 306/Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas as follows:

July 21, 1988 - 10:00 a.m.
 Contract No. 078XXM5001 - Runnels County, etc.

US Highway 83, etc.
 All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bidders' conference which will be held at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, District Office Training Room, Loop 306/Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas at 10:00 a.m. July 15, 1988.

Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the District Maintenance Engineer's office at Loop 306/Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas.
47A-2tc

TERRI MEDRANO is back at Harper Hair Clinic in Robert Lee. Everyone Welcome. Thursday, Friday, and Saturdays, 9-1. For other appt., call 453-4702.
48-1tp

NEEDED

All interested in the Development of Community. Date: July 25th, Time: 7:00 pm, Place: Coke County Court Room. General Meeting - West Coke County Community Development.
48a-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Coke County Underground Water Conservation District will hold an Annual Budget Hearing from 10 am until 10:30 am on August 1, 1988 at the Coke County Courthouse.
48a-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with recent Federal Regulations concerning asbestos, the Robert Lee ISD has begun a building survey in order to safeguard the health and safety of its students and employees. This building survey will be conducted between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays during the month of July, 1988.

If the survey confirms the presence of asbestos, a concise plan will be formulated to deal with the problem in the most expedient and safe manner.

Robert Lee ISD requests that you observe all posted signs in order that the survey can be conducted quickly and without any danger to your health and safety.

Should you have any questions concerning the survey or the resulted actions, please feel free to contact George Grim at 453-2612 anytime.
47A-3tc

**NOTICE
CUSTOM SHREDDING -
14 ft. Bush Hog. James Miller,
473-7271 or 453-2063.**

31A-tnc

ACS drive nets \$3,200 in county funds

The American Cancer Society Coke County Unit congratulated all of the volunteers who helped with the residential and business drives in Robert Lee and Bronte recently. The citizens of these two communities donated a total of \$3,244 to be used in providing public education programs, services for cancer patients, and research grants. This figure is about \$900 short of the goal for this fiscal year which ends August 31.

Last year, the American

Cancer Society provided an estimated \$2,000 worth of services to cancer patients and \$3,000 worth of public education programs and materials. These figures represent what the services and educational materials would have cost each person if they had to purchase the items individually. Approximately \$1,300 from the Coke Unit was sent to the national American Cancer Society for use in research.

With the help of each and

every person in Coke County, the goal of \$4,125 can still be reached. Donations can be made in the form of memorial gifts or honor gifts. Memorial gifts should include the name of the deceased, the name and address of the person you wish to send the card to, and your name and address. Honor gifts should include the name and address of the person you wish to honor, the reason you wish to honor this person (ie. birthday, anniversary, or just because), and your name and address. All of these gifts should be sent to Cindy Bessent, Box 479, Robert Lee, Texas, 76945.

Cancer is a disease that could strike any one. Show your support and take one more step in the fight of this dreaded disease.

Social Security News

Most Social Security benefits to dependents or survivors of retired, disabled, or deceased workers end if the person divorces or marries, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo, said recently. But, benefits to disabled widows and widowers 50-59, and to widows and widowers 60 or older, can continue upon remarriage.

This same rule applies to disabled surviving divorced spouses 50-59 and to surviving divorced spouses 60 or older, Upp said.

Benefits to a child getting checks because he or she is under 18, or 19 if a student,

or disabled will generally end if the child marries. Checks to a spouse getting benefits on the record of a retired or disabled worker will end if the marriage ends in divorce unless the spouse is 62 or older and the marriage lasted 10 years or more.

Checks for a widowed mother or father getting benefits because she or he is caring for an entitled child will end if the parent remarries.

There is an exception to these general rules, Upp said. If an otherwise eligible person receiving benefits, she or he can continue to get benefits.

Benefits will also continue if a person receiving benefits as a widowed mother or father or adult disabled in childhood marries a person getting benefits as a retired or disabled worker. A retired or disabled worker's benefits are never affected if he or she marries or divorces.

More information about how divorce, marriage, or remarriage affect Social Security benefits can be obtained at the San Angelo Social Security Office located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 949-4608.

Personal

Pearl Ditmore celebrated the fourth of July in Benbrook with her daughter and son-in-law, Rheba and Clark Bowman. She rode to their home with Barbara Chesney, Irma and Turney Casey. The Caseys and Barbara went on to Joshua and spent the time with Cindy and Mike Ward. Cindy is Barbara's daughter. The group attempted to attend the Trade Days in Weatherford but got there in time to be in the middle of high winds and hard rain.

Personal

The children and grandchildren of Mr. & Mrs. LeRoy Elliott of Katemcy will host a reception in their honor on Saturday, July 16, from 2:30 until 5 p.m. in the Voca School House. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott will celebrate their 65th Wedding Anniversary on that date.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott made their home in Robert Lee for several years while Mr. Elliott served Coke County as a government trapper.

Personal

Mrs. Jessie Faye Russell was released from Abilene's Hendricks Memorial Hospital last Saturday to return to her home in Robert Lee. Mrs. Russell's condition has improved from injuries suffered in a car wreck between Abilene and Bronte the middle of June.

Short skirts fashionable now

Short skirts are fashionable now. If you're wondering whether to follow the short-skirt trend, here's a point to consider:

If you wore short skirts the first time around, you shouldn't the second, according to B. DeDarian, author of Knockout Knees and Great Legs in 30 Days, published by Price Stern Sloan.

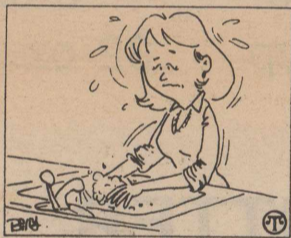


Dairy products account for 29 percent of all food consumed in the U.S.

Understanding Your Body

Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder

By Gary Tollefson, M.D., Ph.D. Professor, Department of Psychiatry St. Paul-Ramsey Medical Center St. Paul, Minnesota



Researchers have found that as many as seven million adults in the United States suffer from some form of obsessive-compulsive disorder at one time or another in their lives. A third of them develop the problem during childhood. The condition afflicts approximately 1 percent of the population in the U.S. People who suffer from obsessive-compulsive disorders are often unable to function satisfactorily either socially or professionally.

Obsessions are recurring and persistent thoughts, ideas, images or impulses that are not experienced as voluntary, but rather invade the mind. One of the most common obsessions involves aggressive or violent thoughts (often concerning a family member or lover) or fear of becoming contaminated by germs (from shaking hands or eating foods imagined to be infected). Compulsions are irresistible impulses to perform repetitive and intentional, although seemingly senseless, acts in response to an obsession. Although an individual usually realizes that a compulsive behavior is excessive and unreasonable (and perhaps not even related to the actual source of his or her anxiety), the person nevertheless performs the act over and over to reduce discomfort. The most common compulsions involve repeated hand washing, counting, checking and touching.

Once considered a sentence to lifelong suffering, obsessive-compulsive disorders are now treated more effectively than ever before. In general, following treatment, approximately 25 percent of patients recover, 50 percent improve. Supportive psychotherapy

has been employed in the treatment of obsessive-compulsive disorder with mixed results. It helps reduce anxiety and enables patients to cope with their problem; however, there are no carefully controlled studies that support its utility. Behavioral therapy has proved effective in many cases of ritualistic compulsions. In a method called exposure therapy, patients are exposed for prolonged periods to the situation that evokes their anxiety. Therapists then work with patients to help them resist carrying out their compulsions.

A third approach to therapy focuses on the possible biological abnormality that is associated with obsessive-compulsive disorder. Studies identify changes in the chemical content of the fluid that bathes the brain and spinal cord, altered electrical activity in the brain, disrupted sleep patterns and abnormal results in psychological tests.

Over the past decade, various drugs have been tested in treating obsessive-compulsive disorder. At one time or another, antipsychotic, antidepressant and anti-anxiety medications have all been tried and have proved to be effective in some patients.

In the final analysis, a combination of psychotherapy, behavioral therapy and pharmacotherapy may provide the best treatment for obsessive-compulsive patients. Since each patient is unique, treatment programs must be tailored to the individual.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF ROBERT LEE WATER CUSTOMERS

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has adopted requirements that all public water systems notify their customers about lead exposure. This notification is intended to educate and inform customer on this issue in light of the fact that your drinking water may be a potential source of lead exposure. This is being done even though the City of Robert Lee's water system is not in violation of the current standard. There are also other potential sources of lead contamination in the environment.

The following specific language is required by EPA in this notice:

The United States Environmental Agency (EPA) sets drinking water standards and has determined that lead is a health concern at certain levels of exposure. There is currently a standard of 0.050 parts per million (ppm). Based on new health information, EPA is likely to lower this standard significantly.

Part of the purpose of this notice is to inform you of the potential adverse health effects of lead. This is being done even though your water may not be in violation of the current standard.

EPA and others are concerned about lead in drinking water. Too much lead in the human body can cause serious damage to the brain, kidneys, nervous system, and red blood cells. The greatest risk, even with short-term exposure, is to young children and pregnant women.

Lead levels in your drinking water are likely to be highest:

1. if your home or water system has lead pipes, or
2. if your home has copper pipes with lead solder, and
 - if the home is less than five years old, or
 - if you have soft or acidic water, or
 - if water sits in the pipes for several hours

Ways to avoid potential lead exposure are to "flush" faucets before use and to use cold water for drinking and cooking. You may wish to have your home tap water tested for lead content by a competent laboratory. You may also wish to check to see if lead pipes, solder, or flux were used in your home plumbing.

Although the City of Robert Lee is in compliance with the lead standard, the following steps are in effect to further reduce the possibility of lead contamination.

1. Replace all lead jointed pipe as it is found in the distribution system.
2. Revised plumbing code to eliminate the use of solders and flux containing lead.
3. Monitoring PH, alkalinity, and calcium carbonate levels in treated water to prevent optimum lead conveying conditions.

For additional information contact the City of Robert Lee, P. O. Box 26, Robert Lee, Texas 76945 or call 915-453-2831.



Patricia Ann Wait and George Elliott Key

Couple to exchange vows

Patricia Ann Wait, daughter of Olive Geeron from Sioux City, Iowa and George Elliott Key, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis Key of San Angelo, will exchange vows Friday, July 15, 7 p.m., in the home of the bride-elect, 1603 S. Jackson in Amarillo. Rev. Harold Daniel of Polk Street Methodist Church in Amarillo will officiate.

WC EMS Contributions

The following contributions have been received by the West Coke County EMS for June, 1988.

MEMORIALS

For: Volah Ash
From: Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mathers; Turney and Irma Casey; Add and Joan Davis
For: Jessie Bagley
From: Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mathers
For: Robert Moore
From: Mr. and Mrs. J.Q. Counts
For: Leslie Bagwell
From: Barton and Winnie Waldrop; Larue and Finis Harmon
For: Thelma Rives
From: Turney and Irma Casey; Add and Joan Davis
For: Azalea (Walker) Ferguson
From: Arch and Helen Mathers

For: Ruth Moore
From: Add and Joan Davis
For: Howard Winans
From: Havins Family Reunion
For: Wayne Reed
From: Donald and Ruth Robertson; Zola Hatley; Juanice Jameson Miller
For: Nelda Brock
From: Melvin and Essie Childress; Vera Jameson; Lavelta and Ivey Eubanks; Zola Hatley; Ruth Brown; Juanice Jameson Miller; Opal Baker
For: Lexie Lewis
From: Add and Joan Davis
For: Grady Gilchrest
From: Opal Baker
For: David McCaleb
From: Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley
DONATIONS
From: Tommy and Lucy Williams

Bird returns from visit

Mrs. Ulmer Bird of Sanco has returned from a 3-week visit with her sister, Mrs. O.C. Holt and husband in Spearman. Preceding the visit was a Lill cousins' reunion (her mother's family) in Amarillo with 21 cousins present from Baytown, Tahoka, Spearman, Lubbock, Panhandle, Claude, Robert Lee, and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. An enjoyable side trip during her visit was a 4-day stay in Red River, New Mexico at the Holts' vacation home. Along with several other relatives, Mrs. Bird greatly appreciated the cool, damp weather and beautiful scenery of the mountains.

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PORK CHOPS to barbecue LB. **\$1.69**

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FLOUR 5# Bag **89c**

Parade Cut Green Beans 15 oz. can 39c

Parade Corn 15 oz. can 39c

Parade Carrots Sliced 15 oz. can 39c

Parade Whole Peeled

Tomatoes 15 oz. can 2 for 89c

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Heinz Keg of Ketchup 32 oz. bottle \$1.59

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Parade Bleach Gal. Bottle 79c

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