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## Farm Bureau announces queen contest winner

by Jeffie Roberts

Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau held its Queen Contest in the Sterling City Community Center, Friday, August 5, 1988.

Contestants, all of Sterling Center, were Becky Kearney, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kearney, who will be a junior in high school. Hayley Hughes, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hughes, will be a senior in high school. Renee Stewart, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stewart, will be a freshman at Texas A & M University, majoring in Animal Science this fall.

Miss Stewart was crowned Queen by Robert Brown of Bronte, President of the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau. She will compete in the District 6 contest in Big Spring, Thursday, August 11, 1988 at 6:00 p.m.

The local Farm Bureau presented Miss Stewart a \$100.00 check and a bouquet of red roses. Miss Hughes and Miss Kearney each received a \$25.00 gift certificate

and a red rose.

Edward Cumbie of Bronte, retiree of Texas Farm Bureau, was Master of Ceremony. Judges for the contest were Monya Waldrop of Bronte, Dee Dee Morris and Adele Morgan of Colorado City.

Mrs. Billy Johnson of Water Valley provided music for the contest. Refreshments were provided and served by employees and director's wives of Robert Lee and Bronte.

Those attending from Bronte and Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Waldrop, Glyn Hutto and Edward Cumbie, all of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. David Millican and David Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Copeland, Jerrod, Holly and Tiffany, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts, all of Robert Lee. George Demere, manager of the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau, was present and in charge of the contest.

Parents, family and friends of the contestants were also in attendance.



MISS RENEE STEWART, Sterling City, was named Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau Queen on August 5. Flanked by Edward Cumbie, Bronte (l), who served as MC and Robert Brown of Bronte, president of the local Farm Bureau, Miss Stewart was awarded a \$100 prize.

## Possession arrests made

An investigation of a reported suspicious van in a remote area of the county airstrip near Lake Spence last Tuesday evening led to the arrest of two men by Sheriff Marshall Millican and Deputy Jeff Barnes on charges of aggravated possession of marijuana over 200 pounds. James Eugene Shively, 42, of Ft. Worth and Robert James Banse, 38, of San Diego, California were arraigned before Peace Justice Opal Jacoby on Wednesday of last week. They remained in Tom Green County Jail this week in lieu of \$200,000 bail set for each suspect.

Millican said he and Barnes drove to the airstrip and while questioning the driver of a 1987 Ford van (Banse), they found a small amount of marijuana and arrested him. Suspecting he might be waiting for a plane, Sheriff Millican contacted the multi-agency narcotics task force based in San Angelo concerning the arrest. The two lawmen were advised to lock the van, move away from the vehicle, and conceal themselves and the

suspect. At about 7:20 p.m. a twin-engine Cessna 210 plane landed and Shively, the only occupant, was arrested. The plane contained 55 bales, 800 lbs., of suspected marijuana which could have a street value of \$1.3 million.

The task force, enroute to Robert Lee during the arrests, arrived and aided with the investigation. Ownership of the plane and van have not been established but will probably be confiscated according to law which states that any property used in illegal drug trafficking will be forfeited and sold. Proceeds will then be used by criminal justice departments to finance other narcotic investigations and prosecutions.

## Black b'day party

Ella Clyde Black of Bronte was honored with a party on her 83rd birthday. Those attending were Lorena Hicks, Dorothy Treadwell, Maurine Kelly, Irene Phillips, Geneva Minnick, Ernestine Powell, Sibyl Hester, Hazel Caulder, Annie Laurie McShan and Peggy Hembree.

## ...Upcoming

### Band Rehearsals

Bronte Band members are now officially in the new band hall, and ready for pre-school rehearsals. They will meet August 22, 23, 24 and 29, 30, 31, from 4:00-6:00 each afternoon.

Parents of these students are urged to attend the first Booster Meeting at 7:30 August 23 in the new band hall. A short business meeting will be held and the new facilities will be toured.

Since this will be the 100th anniversary of Bronte School, let's make this a memorable year. Does anyone remember the year of the first organized band here in Bronte?

### Runnels Baptists

The regular meeting of the Runnels Baptist Association will be held August 22 at Seventh Street Baptist Church, Ballinger.

The W.M.U. and Executive Board will meet at 5:30 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:30 p.m. The program begins at 7:00 p.m.

The program is to be on

Sunday School Emphasis. Charles Woodward, pastor of First Baptist Church, Bronte and Association Sunday School Director, is in charge of the program.

The public is invited to attend.

### Small Grains

There will be an educational meeting for small grain producers on Tuesday, August 16th beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Bronte Community Center.

Dr. Charles Stickler, Extension Agronomist, will discuss variety and fertility results from demonstrations and also have information on variety selection, fertilization, forage and grain production.

This should be a very informative meeting and all interested producers are invited to attend.

### C/W Musical

Area volunteer musicians will provide country/western music for the Senior Citizens dance on Thursday evening, August 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the

Rec Hall at Robert Lee.

Those 60 and over, plus their guests, from surrounding communities are welcome to come and enjoy the dancing and fellowship.

### Martin attends UT orientation

Margaret Martin of Bronte was one of four area members of the Silver-Haired Legislature who attended an orientation at the University of Texas in Austin last week. There the all-volunteer senior advisory senior council, 116 strong, received information on the 1989 session of the state legislature, and especially on upcoming issues concerning senior citizens.

The slate of speakers for the orientation included a number of state officials including Senator Hugh Palmer, who was one of the sponsors of the bill creating the Silver-Haired Legislature. Comptroller Bob Bullock, House Speaker Gib Lewis, and Attorney General Jim Mattox were also included on the program.



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## West Coke development projects told

A general meeting of the West Coke County Community Development was held July 25 at the courthouse in Robert Lee as a wrap-up in the organization's first year of existence. Members of the board feel some important strides have been made in community promotion.

Some of the beneficial projects include the recently finished brochures on Robert Lee and the area, compiled by Elane Francis, Tommy Antilley, and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. They are available now to businesses and individuals for distribution. Roads to both Wildcat and Paint Creek Marinas will be paved to the ramps in cooperation of the county, the board, city council and

CRMWD. The number of RV hookups has been extended in the county parks.

In the coming year, the WCCD group hope to work with the Pageant Association, as well as local businesses and other civic organizations on promotional projects.

President Randy Bessent announced that membership in the organization is due August 1. Dues for individuals are \$20 and the fee includes a spouse. Business dues are \$30 per year. If the community development group is to make strides in promoting the area, it must be supported by all local residents.

In other business, the constitution and by-laws were adopted by the members present.

Some of the coming pro-

jects to be discussed are a Labor Day dance and barbecue; city sign painting and repair; the support of a Big Buck Contest during the fall season; Christmas house and yard decoration contest in Robert Lee; a membership drive; and perhaps planning a "welcome, newcomers" package.

### Brasuels attend hunter's reunion

"Bear" and Pat Brasuel of Robert Lee recently attended a summer hunter's reunion at the Buffalo Ranch near Walden, Colorado. There were fifty-seven people present for the camp-out. The Brasuels reported there was lots of good food, a little fishing and plenty of the three R's - Resting, Relaxing and Reminiscing. Other Texans attending the event were the Eddie Martin family, the Ray Clark family and Jesse Clark, all of Mertzon. Hosting the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Story of the Buffalo Ranch, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Crowder and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowder of Walden, Colorado.

There are about 400 different kinds of ants in the United States alone.

## Obituaries

### Randle

Minnie Belle Randle, a 95-year-old resident of Panhandle since 1972, died July 23rd in Golden Age Care Center in Amarillo.

Funeral services were held July 25 in Panhandle First United Methodist Church with Rev. David Edwards, pastor, officiating.

Burial was July 26 in Acton Cemetery at Granbury with rites under the direction of Smith Funeral Home of Panhandle.

Mrs. Randle was born April 14, 1893 in Coke County. She was married to Devereaux Randle, who died in 1958.

She was a member of Panhandle First United Methodist Church, the Wesley Bible Class, Golden Age Fellowship and Lamesa Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include a daughter, Vione McGregor of Panhandle; two brothers, Allie Bilbo of Robert Lee and Otha Bilbo of Hobbs, NM; two sisters, Bessie Tallant of San Angelo and Kathryn McGuire of Robert Lee; three grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

The family has requested that memorials be given to Garretson Retirement Center or Panhandle First United Methodist Church.

### Elliott

Mack Taylor Elliott Jr., 69, of San Angelo died at 12:45 p.m. Thursday, August 4, in Angelo Community Hospital.

Service was at 2 p.m. Saturday, August 6, in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel with military graveside service at Belvedere Cemetery.

He was born June 8, 1919, in San Angelo and was a life-long resident. He retired as a mechanic at the Goodyear

Test Track. He served in the Navy in World War II and was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 1815.

Survivors include three sons, Tommy Elliott and Richard Elliott, both of San Angelo, and Jeff Elliott of Beeville; two daughters, Carol Harwood of Richardson and Jacque Wilson of Bronte; and eight grandchildren.

### Drake

Katie Catherine Drake, 88, formerly of Strawn, died Tuesday, August 2, in West Coke County Nursing Home in Robert Lee.

Graveside service was at 11 a.m. in Mount Marion Cemetery, directed by Edwards Funeral Home.

She lived in Strawn most of her life and was a member of the Ranger Church of God.

Survivors include one son, Curtis Drake of Point; one daughter, Edith Rolls of Bronte; two brothers, Frank Bell of Groves and Johnny Bell of Strawn; three sisters, Inice Hill and Bessie Scarborough, both of Ranger and Pele Osmond of Mexico; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

## VBS slated for Bronte

First Baptist Church of Bronte will begin their annual Vacation Bible School on Monday, August 15, at 9 a.m. The school, which continues through August 19, will have as its theme "Living for Jesus". This theme will be expanded through Bible study, games, crafts, and other activities.

Classes will be available for children ages 2 through those entering the 6th Grade. Directors for classes this year will be Mrs. Pam Randazzo, 2-3 year olds; Mrs. Susan Graves, 4-5 year olds; Mrs. Ida Lee Ellis, 1-3 Grade; and Mrs. Marty Blair, 4-6 Grade.

A special feature of this year's school will be a coloring contest that will be judged on Monday morning. Entry forms with the picture to be colored have been mailed out to most community children, but if one was not received, please call 473-2331 or 473-5661. Prizes will be awarded to 3 children in each age group for their coloring. If transportation is a problem, please call one of the phone numbers already

mentioned and rides will be provided.

Hours for the school are 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. each morning. Parents are invited to VBS Commencement exercises on Sunday evening, August 21, at 7 p.m. All children are invited to come and enjoy Vacation Bible School.

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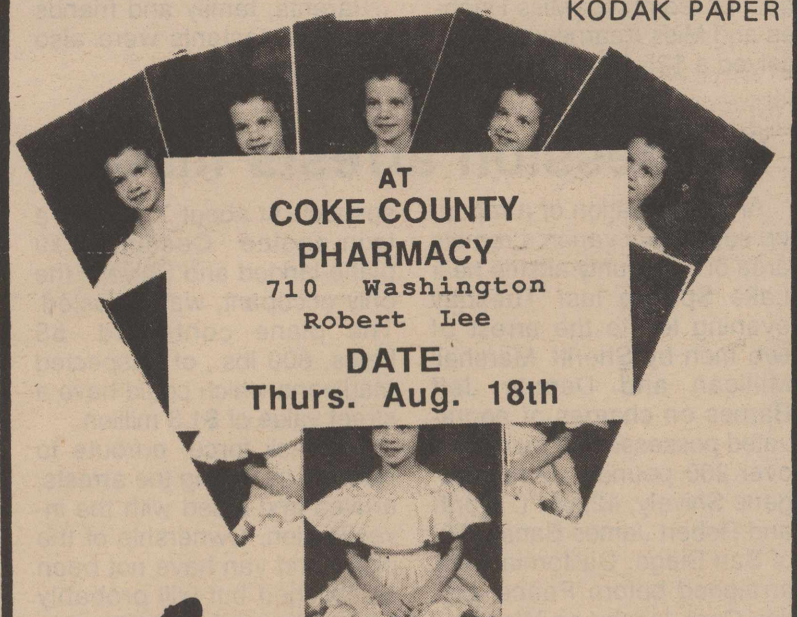
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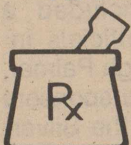
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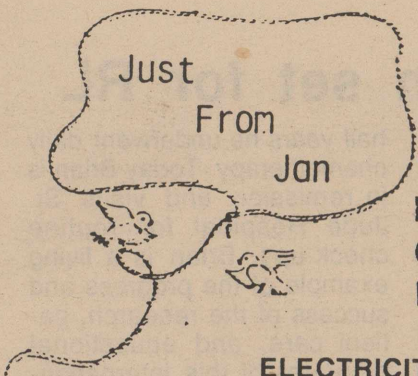


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by Jan Hohensee  
Coke County  
Extension Agent

**ELECTRICITY IS  
THE HIDDEN COST**

The money saved by freezing fresh produce or food bought on sale can easily be eaten up by energy costs if you don't make good use of your freezer.

A frost-free freezer costs about \$15.00 per month for electricity, depending upon its size and your local electric rates. You can keep your freezer from using more electricity than necessary by making sure it operates efficiently.

A freezer inside the home requires less energy than one kept in the garage because it doesn't have to work as hard to maintain its low temperature.

When the garage is the only space available, put the freezer against an inside wall, if possible, since it will be cooler there. If your garage has no ventilation, consider adding a roof vent for air circulation and lower temperatures.

A full freezer runs more efficiently than one that's half empty. If you use your freezer very little, consider pulling the plug on it, buying only what you need for a short period and storing it in the refrigerator-freezer.

Older freezers often use extra energy because they have leaky gaskets that let cold air escape. Test the rubber gasket by placing a piece of paper in the door and closing it. If you can pull the paper out without tearing it, the gasket needs to be replaced.

Depending upon the size of the freezer, rubber gaskets will cost around \$15.00 to \$25.00, do-it-yourself job.

Don't freeze foods you eventually have to throw away. If your family doesn't eat zucchini, for example, freezing quarts of it will simply be a

waste of money. Freeze foods you need and use most often and in amount you can use within the recommended storage time.

For best quality in frozen foods, checking the temperature of the freezer with a freezer thermometer to make sure it is at 0 degrees Fahrenheit or less.

Invest in moisture-vapor proof plastic bags and wraps, freezer wrap, freezer containers or heavy duty foil to prevent freezer burn. Don't try to cut corners by using old plastic bread bags or containers not meant for freezing since that will just reduce the quality for the food.

Also label the date on frozen food packages. Then keep a simple inventory of your freezer to tell you what's on hand and remind you to use packages of food within the recommended storage time.

**Personal**

Mrs. Bernice Kiker of Bronte is moving to Sheldon, Missouri to be near her nephew, Bobby Seltz and his son, Dwain. Bernice and Ed Sprenkle, past residents of Bronte, also live in that area.



Frederick the Great always insisted his coffee be made with champagne instead of water.

**News from  
Oak Creek**

Since I can't get my father-in-law, Ike, out of the boat long enough to give everyone a fishing report, I guess it's going to be left up to me.

Although the weather has been hot and dry, the fishing has been great. These last few weeks out at Oak Creek have really brought in some trophy size bass.

We've weighed several nice ones including a 8 pounder caught by Mike Green of Lubbock and a 9 lb. 2 oz. caught by Lee Womach of Odessa. Now you would think that the 9 lb. 2 oz. bass would be the big story, but Bob Knox of Midland, is one up on that. Saturday, he brought in a whopping 10 lb. 4 oz. bass. Nothin' to say but that he has plans of putting him on the wall. We had him back here in a tank for most of the weekend; and, oh, if only I could have charged admission at the door. Everyone wanted to get a peek at him.

We also weighed several between 4 and 6 pounds. Most of these fish are being caught in 4 to 8 feet of water, and in heavy cover.

Bass isn't the only good fishing. We've have some nice catfish caught off trotlines. The Bob Bennett Family of Odessa, spent the past week trotlining and came up with a lot of good fish, with the biggest going 12 lb. 4 oz. They had been baiting mostly with minnows.

A report of some nice stringers of white bass were being caught at night on minnows, but the crappie are still not being caught in any big stringers.

I hope to get Ike back at the typewriter in the next few weeks, but if these bass keep getting bigger, I may not see him again till winter sets in.

Ann Pate

**Board members elected**

West Coke County Community Development has elected board members for the coming year by write-in balloting. New members on the governing panel are Cookie Burns, Edna Havins, Richard Johnson, and Joan Davis. Remaining on the board are Leta Caston, Joe Grigg, Randy Bessent, and Elane Francis. The board elected officers at a called meeting Thursday, August 4, at the city hall. Elane Francis will serve as president of the group; vice-president is Randy Bessent; Edna Havins was elected secretary and Cookie Burns will hold the treasurer position. Joan Davis will serve as publicity chairman for upcoming events and Joe Grigg will be activities chairman.

The organization will sponsor a community event, a Labor Day Celebration on Saturday, Sept. 3, which will in-

clude local fair booths, (perhaps an auction), a barbecue, and a dance. Booths will open in late afternoon at the county park near the swimming pool. Items for a community project benefit auction are being solicited by WCCD members Jackie Walker and Hank Baker.

The Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department will serve a BBQ supper as a fundraiser. Ticket prices have tentatively been set at \$5 and \$3. Monies from the supper will go into the fund for a new fire truck. Later in the evening a newly-formed local band called **Sundown** will play for a dance on the tennis courts. Tickets will be \$2 per person for that event. All Labor Day Celebration activities will take place under large pecan trees at the park. Lawn chairs and quilts will be in order for the evening.

**VBS attendance noted**

The Central Baptist Church Vacation Bible School in Bronte concluded Friday night. An enrollment of 98 pupils with an average attendance of 88 for the five day period was noted.

The church credited everyone in the community, with their assistance, and allowing their children to attend to making their Vacation Bible School a great success.

**SDI, The Strategic Defense Initiative**

May be the most important issue in the 1988 Presidential election. Please read Common Sense About Strategic Defense, page 49 in August 1988 "Reader's Digest". In it the author, Tom Clancy, makes a plea for sanity in our military policy.

Strategic Defense Initiative does not propose a method of waging war. It is a means of defense in case our country is attacked. Mr. Clancy says he believes in SDI for a simple and profound reason: "It will make the outcome of a nuclear first strike against us much less certain and therefore far less likely..." He also says, "The objective is not to fight a nuclear war, but to prevent one."

We learn from his article (and other reliable sources) that SDI's essential task - to destroy ballistic missiles - has already been proved feasible, and it offers a sane substitute for the old "balance of terror" between us and the Russians, and that American scientists and engineers have already proven that we can build a formidable strategic defense system and that the SDI program has chalked up impressive accomplishments. The SDI does not require inventing a lot of new technology, but rather the use and refinement of known devices and methods.

He says: "Killing a ballistic missile is a relatively small task. In its boost phase, when it is full of warheads and fuel, it is an enormous target, easily destroyed with the same sort of warhead used to hit aircraft."

Why does Gorbachev demand that the United States stop the development and deployment of SDI while his government works frantically to perfect it?

Mr. Clancy reveals the fact the CIA estimates the Soviets have spent \$150 billion on strategic defense in the last decade, which is 15 times what the United States has spent on ABM research, and that 1400 Soviet land-based intercontinental ballistic missiles (ICBM's) are aimed at the United States. That they carry at least 6000 warheads - two to three times the number needed to wipe out all U. S. land-based strategic targets in a first strike.

Years ago the Soviets promised to conquer the world but predicted they would take America without firing a shot. Although many people seem to be deceived by Gorbachev's talk of change and his propaganda, there has been no change in Russia's conquest for world power and the plan for America to fall.

It is possible that our once-proud country, the strongest in the world, has lost its love of freedom and will allow far left leaders to strip the defense budget, destroy our carriers and other ships, our submarines -- in short -- many of our weapons, then refuse to deploy a defense that will not kill people but will destroy missiles?

Will we elect a president who seems to believe if we stop supporting a strong defense, destroy our weapons, and scrap SDI, that we will initiate an era of peace on earth? It won't work in this dangerous world. Making the United States weak and failing to deploy a sane defense can only leave our great nation a sitting duck at the mercy of those who have never known the blessings of a nation like ours. SDI is our best hope for peace.

Think about that when you vote. Moscow has an antimissile defense system. We have none. Let's elect a president who favors one for the U. S. and who wants to make America as safe as possible.

**George Bush supports SDI!**

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**VICTORY IN JESUS Revival**

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**Affairs of Life**



Study to show thyself approved unto GOD a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

11 Tim. 2:15; 11 Tim. 3:17 and John 8:32

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# ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

## 1989 RLISD school supplies listed

The Robert Lee I.S.D. School Supply List for 1988-1989 is as follows:

### KINDERGARTEN

- Crayolas
- School glue
- Regular pencils (not husky)
- 1 Spiral notebook
- 1 Tray watercolors
- 1 box Kleenex
- Old Shirt
- Towel or mat for rest time

### FIRST GRADE

- 2 Pencils
- 1 Eraser
- Crayons
- Rubber cement
- 1 pkg. assorted construction paper
- Scissors
- 1 box tissues
- Primary tablet
- Ruler
- School box

### SECOND GRADE

- Pencils, No. 2
- Pink eraser

- Ruler, 12 inch (showing U.S. standard and metric measure)
- Sharp point scissors
- Large glue
- Wax crayons (any size box)
- 1 box Kleenex
- Wide rule spiral notebook

### THIRD GRADE

- Notebook paper, loose leaf (8x10 1/2, 3/8 spacing)
- Holder for above paper (folding clipboard or thin loose leaf notebook -- not large ones)
- Pencils, No. 2
- Eraser
- Red Pencils
- Rule, 12 inch (standard and metric)
- Assorted construction paper
- Scissors
- Spiral Notebook
- Crayons (any size box)
- School box or cigar box

- 1 box Kleenex
- FOURTH GRADE**
- Wide-ruled notebook paper
- 3-ring notebook (no Trapper Keeper)
- 1 large spiral
- 2 pocket folders
- 7 subject dividers with tabs
- 2 red pens or pencils
- Several #2 pencils
- Map colors
- Crayons
- Elmer's school glue
- 1 large eraser
- Scissors
- Cigar box
- Wooden ruler with 3 holes
- Zipper pouch
- Kleenex
- 1 pkg. assorted construction paper

### FIFTH GRADE

- Wide-ruled notebook paper
- 2 small spirals
- 3-ring notebook (not a Trapper Keeper)
- 3 pocket folders
- Ballpoint pens (blue or black)
- Several No. 2 pencils
- 3 red pens or pencils
- Map colors
- Crayons
- Elmer's school glue
- 1 large eraser
- Scissors
- Cigar box
- Wooden ruler with 3 holes
- Zipper pouch
- Protractor
- 7 subject dividers with tabs
- 1 pkg. assorted construction paper
- Kleenex

### SIXTH GRADE

- 2 pencils with erasers
- 1 pen (blue or black)
- 1 pen, red
- Notebook paper
- Scissors
- Map colors
- Crayons
- Glue
- Ruler
- Protractor
- 1 - 5 subject notebook
- 1 box Kleenex

## Epperson placings noted

Stephen Epperson has spent his summer working on his golf game. He has been traveling the West Texas Pro Golf Association's Junior Tour, playing in tournaments in Sweetwater, Brownwood, Sonora, Midland, Snyder, Rankin and Abilene. He placed third at Sweetwater and fifth in another tournament. He finished second at the Rankin Country Club on July 25th. This second place qualified him for the all West Texas Junior PGA Championship tournament held at Ranchland Hills Country Club in Midland on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 9 and

10. He competed against 1st and 2nd place finishers from the 40 Junior PGA meets held this summer in West Texas.

Stephen was a member of the Robert Lee High School junior varsity golf team this past year. This team placed second at district and seventh of sixteen teams at regional. Stephen was also 2nd medalist at the Bronte High School golf tournament in the spring. Stephen will be a sophomore at RLHS this next year and plans to continue working hard on the golf team. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Epperson of Robert Lee.

## LOOK WHO'S NEW!

Ashlie Marie is the new daughter of Greg and Leslie Grim. She was born August 5, 1988 in Germany. She weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs. Ashlie is the granddaughter of Kay Taylor and George and Mary Grim of Robert Lee and Cheryl and Gary Ward of Odessa. Great-grandparents are Fern and Martha Havins of Robert Lee. Greg is serving a three year term in the Army sta-

tioned at Manneheim. He was recently promoted to an E4 with E Co., 4/8 Division.

### Personal

Eddie Merryman, his wife, Euda, and children, Cindy and Mike, of Baddurkhime, Germany visited Monday with his aunt and uncle, La Nell and James McClure of Robert Lee. They spent several days visiting family in Coleman. He is employed in a factory while his wife is a bank employee in the couple's hometown.

David, Janie, and David J. Fernandez of Houghton, Louisiana, the McClure's son and family, have also been in Robert Lee on vacation.

The McClures plan to visit their nephew and family in September, 1989 in Germany.

## Bike-A-Thon set for RL

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital announced today that Mrs. Terri Medrano will coordinate a Bike-A-Thon for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Robert Lee on October 1, 1988.

Founded by Danny Thomas in 1962, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the largest childhood cancer research-treatment-education center in America. St. Jude Hospital is non-sectarian, interracial and provides medical care for over 3,200 active patients. Currently, over \$140,000 is needed each day to keep the doors open. These funds come primarily from public contributions.

The Bike-A-Thon program this year is dedicated to Brian McCollister. Brian, a native of Louisiana, was diagnosed with leukemia in October, 1984. For the next two and a

half years he underwent daily chemotherapy. Today Brian is in remission and visits St. Jude Hospital for routine check-ups. Brian is a living example of the progress and success of the research, patient care, and educational programs of this internationally recognized hospital.

St. Jude's expressed their appreciation for the concern that Mrs. Terri Medrano has shown for their work, and hope the citizens of Robert Lee will support the Bike-A-Thon to help provide the funds that are needed to preserve the world's greatest assets... "Our Children".

A meeting to recruit volunteers to help with the Bike-A-Thon will be held Tuesday, August 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Robert Lee.

## Wink family gathering

Robert, Marsha, Jason, Lori, Anthony, and Cassidy Wink of Robert Lee along with Kay, Charles, Lisa, and Barry Ledbetter of Lubbock, and Cody McDonald of Lubbock were Saturday night supper guests of Robert's and Kay's parents, Leslie and Erma Wink in Robert Lee. The Ledbetters, accompanied by Cody McDonald went on to Waco where Barry, a shortstop and Cody, the pitcher were to play

in the State Little League tournament Monday at 8:30.

The boys, who play on the Mid-West team, beat Abilene last week in Snyder when four generations of family watched Barry Ledbetter play. Those attending were Les and Erma Wink; Douglas and Erma Lee Gartman; Roy, Judy, Tracie and Joe Blair; and Bill and Rhonda Hood and children, all of Robert Lee.

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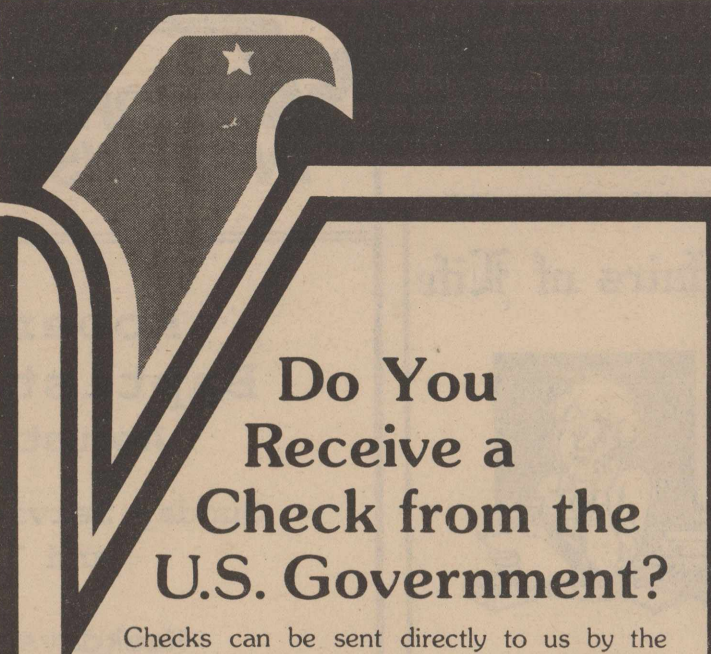
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## Staff attends workshop

The Bronte Yearbook Staff attended the Newsfoto Yearbook Workshop at ASU this summer. Many area schools attended the workshop. A contest was held for the best planned and most creative upcoming yearbook. The Bronte Staff won the contest and was awarded an eight-page spot color spread.

This year, the BHS yearbook will feature sponsorship pages where a person may pay for room at the bottom of the page of their choice to say something. (More information

will be given out during the time of yearbook sales in the fall).

The 1988-89 Yearbook Staff is composed of: Christy Bivins - editor; Kelly Scott - assistant editor; Julie Blair - Advertising Manager; Lee Sonnenberg - Business Manager; Brian Arrott - Sports Editor/Photographer; Cory Thorn - Photographer; and H.C. Stewart - Advisor.

You may pick up your yearbook in the BHS auditorium on Monday, August 15th from 1 to 3 in the afternoon.

## Elementary registration

Bronte Elementary School student registration (grades K-6) will be Wednesday, August 24th between 10:00 and 12:00. New students are required to bring certified birth certificates and shot records. All students are required to bring social security numbers.

Parents are welcome to buy lunch tickets at that time.

### BHS Registration

Any student, grades 9-12, who has not previously registered or attended Bronte High School, needs to register prior to September 1.

## Reunion held at Glen Rose

The annual reunion of the Jim and Rebecca Hughes, Edward and Minnie Hughes, Ritchey and Dudley families was held at Oak Dale Park at Glen Rose, Texas August 4 through Aug. 7, 1988. There were 71 registered from California, Oklahoma and several Texas towns.

cousins were also there.

The group enjoyed looking at last year's pictures and making more. A lot of cameras were clicking.

A niece and husband sang some songs and taped some. The group voted to have the reunion at the same place and same time in 1989.

Fred and Ona Hughes of Bronte hosted the reunion as usual. A guest of the Hughes was Velda Ezell of San Angelo.

Only four of the Jim and Rebecca Hughes' brother and six sisters were present. Several of the Ritchey and Dudley

## Recordbook winners told

District 7 Record Book Judging was held in Coke County July 28th. There were 151 books judged and 29 different categories entered.

Coke Country entries included:

### BEEF

Scott Antilley, Casey Antilley, and Debra Drennan.

### SHEEP

Lori Wink and Jaclyn Waldrop.

### SWINE

Audra Pitcock, Judd Pitcock and Jerrod Pitcock.

### FOOD

Laura Thomas and Stephanie Tuttle.

### CLOTHING

Kannan Millican

### AGRICULTURE

Blake Pitcock and Korey Pitcock.

### SHOOTING SPORTS

Jeff Wilkes and John Williams.

In conjunction with Record Book Judging, 4-Hers whose

books were entered enjoyed a Fun Day sponsored by the Coke County 4-H Clubs. 4-Hers participated in various games, swimming at the pool and a community service project for the Bronte and Robert Lee Nursing Homes.

4-H volunteer leaders and J & B Barbeque provided their time, support, and donations for the noon meal.

## V'ball scrimmage

Bronte's Lady Longhorn volleyball team will have an inter-squad scrimmage Saturday, August 13th at 10:00 a.m. in the Bronte Gym.

The public is invited to see the State Champions in their first action of the '88 season. They will play 3 games and there will be no admission.

# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

## Bronte school supply list announced

The Bronte Elementary School supply list is as follows:

### KINDERGARTEN

1 spiral notebook (25 page)  
8 lg. crayons (name on each crayon)

scissors  
Kleenex  
school supply box  
2 lg. pencils  
12 - #2 standard pencils  
\*watercolor set  
\*water-base markers  
\*5 oz. paste  
\*8 oz. Elmer's glue  
\*Do not put name on item.

They will be distributed to children as needed.

### 1ST GRADE

pointed scissors  
16 crayons  
1 lg. eraser  
2 lg. boxes of tissue  
2 - 8 oz. Elmer's glue  
1 dz. #2 pencils  
school supply box  
12" ruler  
1 bx. watercolors with brush  
1 set watercolor markers  
\*Please label your child's supplies. Put names on each item (even each crayon)!

2ND GRADE

pointed scissors  
ruler (inch, centimeters)  
11 - #2 pencils  
crayons  
clear tape  
watercolor paints (8 colors)  
2 (40 page) wide-ruled spiral notebooks  
soft pink eraser  
school supply box

pkg. of 10 markers (water base)

2 lg. boxes tissue  
notebook paper (wide-ruled)

notebook  
glue - 8 oz.  
\*Each item needs to be individually labeled.

### 3RD GRADE

12 - #2 pencils  
wide-ruled notebook paper  
2 red pencils  
3 folders with brads  
ruler (inch, centimeters)  
pointed scissors  
glue - 8 oz.  
crayons (24)  
soft pink eraser  
1 roll Scotch tape  
2 boxes tissue  
map colors (small box)  
school supply box  
1 pkg. water markers  
Trapper Keeper notebook  
1 - 50 pg. spiral notebook (wide-ruled)

### 4TH GRADE

crayons  
map colors  
loose-leaf notebook and paper  
pointed scissors  
bottle of Elmer's glue  
3 - #2 pencils  
blue ballpoint pen  
1 composition notebook  
1 lg. box of tissue  
12" ruler with metric  
clear tape  
red pen  
3 folders

### 5TH GRADE

crayons  
6-#2 pencils  
1 box map colors  
clear tape  
loose-leaf notebook  
loose-leaf notebook paper  
scissors  
1 bottle Elmer's glue (lg.)  
2 red pens  
blue ballpoint pen  
2 lg. box tissue  
12" ruler with metric  
3 folders with pockets,  
brads and 3 rings  
1 - 50 page composition notebook

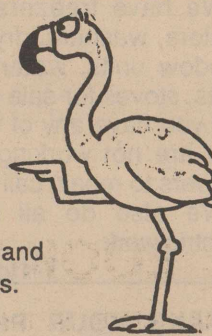
### 6TH GRADE

crayons  
pointed scissors  
1 box map colors  
loose-leaf notebook paper and notebook  
1 bottle Elmer's glue (small)  
3 - #2 pencils  
blue or black ballpoint pen  
1 composition notebook (large)

1 lg. box of tissue  
12" ruler with metric  
1 folder with pockets, brads and 3 rings  
clear tape  
hole punch  
dividers for notebook

**NOTE:** If at all possible, each child needs to bring an extra pair of tennis shoes to leave at school and wear in the gym (not required). They may either be old (clean) or new. It would be easier for kindergartners if their shoes had Velcro.

## OFFICIAL HUNTING LICENSE Pink Flamingo Society

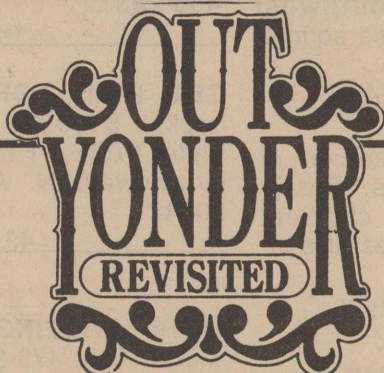


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Bring in any item with a pink flamingo on it and receive \$1.00 off each \$10.00 in purchases.

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a book by Ross McSwain



The stories in *Out Yonder, Revisited* are more than reprints of Ross McSwain's popular weekly column in the San Angelo Standard-Times.

Each story has been edited, reworked, and updated. Like most good writers, McSwain carries stories around with him long after they see print the first time. In *Out Yonder, Revisited* McSwain tells many of his best stories again, with new information and without the pressure of space or deadline.

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**FOR SALE - Redman** double wide 24 x 56 Mobile Home. Must be moved. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, CH & A, all appliances, \$25,500.00. 473-2036 or 473-4583.

50b-3tp

**FOR SALE - Quisenberry** Beefmaster Bulls, 15 to 19 mos. of age, \$900. Robert Lee 453-2428.

50-3tc

**FOR SALE BY OWNER** 3 BR, 2 BA home with CH-CA, large kitchen with center island and well established yard. Shown by appt. only. Teddy Millican, 453-2273, Robert Lee.

1-3tc

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We have freezers, refrigerators, washers, dryers, gas window units, water window units, stoves for sale or rent.

If you have any of the items that are not working or lawn mowers to repair, call us.

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1-1tc

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Call for more properties in town and at Lake Spence.

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## FOR SALE

**2 BEDROOM**, 1 bath, located on 2 lots, Bayview.

**2 BEDROOM**, 1 bath mobile home, Morgan bldg., 2 lots, Bayview.

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1-1tc

**ACCEPTING SEALED** cash bids on this nice, 3 BR home at 906 Childress in Robert Lee. Bids must be made by Sept. 19th. Owner reserves right to accept or reject any bid. Mail bid to John Sage, 635 Austin St., San Angelo, TX. 76903.

1-6tc

**OLD '63 6 cyl. Chevy LNB** pickup for sale or trade for anything of equal value that don't eat. See Les Gray.

1a-1tc

## 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

**PEARSON HOME** for sale, Robert Lee. 453-2714 or 453-2717.

39-tnc

**FOR SALE - Choice Suffolk** Bucks - ready for service. Dot Childress, Robert Lee, 453-2906.

1-2tc

**FOR SALE - 1987 Mercury** Cougar 22,700 miles - Fully loaded, \$9,950. 473-2036 or 473-4583.

50b-3tp

**FOR SALE - WW 2 Horse** Trailer, good condition, good tires. Call Bronte (915) 473-2811 or 473-3421.

1-1tp

**TERRI MEDRANO** at Harper Hair Clinic is running a special on perms w/style for the month of August, \$25.00. Appt. only, 453-2258 or 453-4702.

1-3tc

**FOR SALE: Peavey 12-**channel mixing console, \$300. Call 453-2692 or 453-2831, Robert Lee.

51a-3tc

**NO EQUITY**, take up payments of \$185/mo. on 14 x 60 mobile home. For information, call 282-4074.

51b-2tp

## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT - 2 BR**, 2 full bath mobile home, fireplace, furnished, ceiling fans, etc. Mary Smith, 453-2352.

1-1tp

**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

**HAVE TWO bedroom** trailer for rent, city water, with or without all appliances. Call 453-2221, Robert Lee.

1-1tc

**FURNISHED APART-**MENT for rent, bills paid. Refrigerated air conditioner. Call 453-2062, Norma Ruth, Robert Lee.

51-tnc

**FOR RENT - 2 bedroom** house with service porch; nice location, Bronte. 282-2901.

1b-tnc

## MISC

**LES GRAY'S AA REPAIR** Service-Mobile home repairs and service, power rotary sewer line cleaning. 453-2775, if no answer, call 453-2711 before 5:30 p.m.

50A-tnc

**WE BUY ALUMINUM** cans, 40c, per lb. Also scrap copper & brass. We will be in Robert Lee every Thursday from 12:00 to 2:00, southwest corner of courthouse square. Larada Metals Co.

51-4tp

**NEEDED:** by Department of Human Resources: Foster Parents for older children. Contact Dusty Ayres at 655-0576, San Angelo.

48b-tnc

**ALL TYPES HOME &** mobile home service and repair, including air conditioning, heating and plumbing. Also will do carpentry and painting. Loyd or Johnny Sevier, 453-2377.

22A-tnc

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49-4tp

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50A-2tc

**HOUSECLEANING - I** am looking for cleaning jobs in homes and offices. Call 473-7341, Bronte.

51b-2tc

**THOSE WANTING** pictures from the 1988 Pageant may order at Robert Lee City Hall. New blue Rabbit Twister t-shirts and caps also available. 453-2831

1-a-2tc

**GET PAID FOR** reading books! \$100.00 per title. Write: PASE - F132, 161 S. Lincolnway, N. Aurora, IL 60542.

49-4tp

**HORSESHOEING - Wayne** McCutchen, 473-3201.

1b-2tc

**OPENING - PART-TIME** L.V.N. for 11-7 shift. Apply in person. Bronte Nursing Home, 900 S. State, Bronte, TX., EOE.

51b-2tc

**LAWN CARE - Mowing,** tilling, trimming, fertilizing, and hauling. 473-7341 or 473-6261, Bronte.

51b-2tc

## 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

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1-1tp

## GARAGE SALES

**YARD SALE - Sat. Aug. 13,** 8 a.m. - ? Adult and Children's clothes, curtains, toys, etc. San Angelo Hwy. and East 6th, Robert Lee.

1-1tp

## CARD OF THANKS

**I WISH TO** thank all my friends and neighbors for their cards, visits, telephone calls, and other gifts.

May God bless you.

Joe Hester & family

1b-1tp

## NOTICES

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

31a-tnc



# CLASSIFIED ADS...

## NOTICE

The telephone number for Mr. & Mrs. J.D. Harmon, Robert Lee was omitted from the current directory. The number is 453-2763.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a Budget Hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m. on August 25, 1988 in the City Hall, Bronte, Texas.

The Budget for the City of Bronte for the fiscal year October 1, 1988 to September 30, 1989, will be adopted.

The public is invited to attend and participate in these proceedings.

Pat Martindale  
City Secretary  
1b-1tc

## NOTICE

Paint Creek Cemetery Association will meet at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 25, David Key home to discuss improvement and enlargement of cemetery.

1-2tp

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Robert Lee Independent School district offers vocational programs in Agriculture and Homemaking. Admission to these programs is open to all students enrolled in Robert Lee High School.

It is the policy of Robert Lee Independent School district not to discriminate on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national origin in its educational and vocational programs, activities, or employment as required by Title IX, Section 504 and Title VI. Robert Lee Independent School District will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Jerry Gibbs, at Robert Lee School, Robert Lee, Texas 915/453-2612, or the Section 504 Coordinator, Jerry Gibbs, at Robert Lee School, Robert Lee, Texas, 915/453-2612.

1a-1tc

## NOTICE

**ORDINANCE NO. 197** of the City of Bronte, Texas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the City Council of the City of Bronte, Texas, as follows, to-wit:

That the existing monthly rate or charge for service furnished by the sanitary sewer system shall be as follows:

Effective as of the September, 1988 billing:

Residential	\$ 4.00
Commercial	4.60
Church	5.40
Cafe,	
Restaurant	6.30
Service Station,	
Garage	7.80
Motel, Nursing	
Home	10.50
Laundry (8 or	
more machines)	15.60
Training Center,	
School	40.00

**Adopted and Approved this 4th day of August, 1988.**

E.G. Collins  
Mayor Pro Tem  
City of Bronte

Attest:

Pat Martindale  
Secretary, City of  
Bronte

1b-1tc

**BRONTE ISD** will hold its annual budget hearing at a Special Board Meeting Thursday, August 18, 1988, at 8:00 p.m. in the Bronte ISD Board Room to adopt a budget for the 1988-89 school year.

1b-1tc

The albatross has the greatest wingspread of any bird—11 feet from tip to tip.

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**BRONTE ISD** will hold a Special Board meeting to adopt a new tax rate at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 18, 1988, in the Bronte ISD Board Room.

1b-1tc

## NOTICE

**BUY "Art of Chokin"**, engraved plates, and jewel boxes at West Coke County Nursing Home Gift Shop. Open 1:30 to 4:30 Monday thru Friday.

51-2tc

## NOTICE

The Coke County Sheriff's Department is now taking applications for a resident deputy position for Bronte. Contact Sheriff Marshall Millican, 453-2717. EOE

1a-2tc

## Junell roping held at SC

Carey Foster of Sterling City and Mike Harper of San Angelo were the first place winners of the average at the Junell Campaign Team Roping held Saturday, July 30th at the Reed Arena in Sterling City.

Winners of the go were Zane Bowers and Clint Duggan. Other winners included second place to Shawn Adams and Joe Inskeep; third place to Sam Stone and J.W.

Powers; fourth place to Ross Benson and Bob Johnson; and fifth place to Rich Hanson and Terry Ford. A turnout of 235 teams made the roping a success.

Rob Junell, sponsor of the event, is the Democratic candidate for District 66 State Representative which includes Coke County, Mitchell County, Sterling County, and Tom Green County.

## Novelist to visit in RL

David Lindsey of Austin, claimed by Coke Countians as one of their own, will be in Robert Lee next week with his family visiting his father, Earl Lindsey of Robert Lee. He has been persuaded to come down to the Coke County Library to visit while he's in town. Lindsey, who is gaining fame as a mystery novel writer, will be at the library from 9 a.m. until 12 noon on Friday, August 19.

Lindsey was raised at Silver where his family lived while his father was employed by Sun Oil Company. He attended Colorado City schools and North Texas State University in Denton. He says he has always been interested in writing but was afraid he couldn't make a living in the unstable,

fickle profession. After a number of editorial jobs, he decided to give it a try. His first book, a spy adventure, **Black Gold, Red Death** was published in 1983. He hit upon the unique idea of a series of detective fiction novels with Stuart Haydon as the main character. Scenes of the fictions are set in Houston. Lindsey goes to the Houston police department, morgues, and etc. for realism in his work. He does not gloss over the violence recounted in his novels and defends his position on this as bringing authenticity to them.

He works eight hours a day on his writing, including necessary research and will finish a book in about a year. His fourth book in the series **In the Lake of the Moon**, was released in May and the novels have met with good success, however he has indicated he will put aside his Stuart Haydon detective series, at least temporarily. Work has already begun on a book which will not include the fictional character.

Lindsey will autograph books belonging to readers who already have copies of past releases. His recently released book will be available at the library next Friday.

Robert Lee Independent School district today announced its policy for free and reduced price meals for children unable to pay the full price of meals served under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast program. Each school and the office of the Robert Lee ISD has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by an interested party.

The following household size and income criteria will be used for determining eligibility:

### INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

Family Size	1988-89					
	Annual:		Monthly:		Weekly:	
	Free	Reduced-Price	Free	Reduced-Price	Free	Reduced-Price
1	\$ 7,501	\$ 10,675	\$ 626	\$ 890	\$ 145	\$ 206
2	10,049	14,301	838	1,192	194	276
3	12,597	17,927	1,050	1,494	243	345
4	15,145	21,553	1,263	1,797	292	415
5	17,699	25,179	1,475	2,099	341	485
6	20,241	28,805	1,687	2,401	390	554
7	22,789	32,431	1,900	2,703	439	624
8	25,337	36,057	2,112	3,005	488	694
<b>Each Additional Family Member:</b>						
	\$ 2,548	\$ 3,626	\$ 213	\$ 303	\$ 49	\$ 70

Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals.

Application forms are being sent to all homes with a letter to parents or guardians. To apply for free or reduced price meals, households should fill out the application and return it to the school. Additional copies are available at the principal's office in each school. The information provided on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and may be verified at any time during the school year by school or other program officials.

For the school officials to determine eligibility, the household must provide the following information listed on the application: Names of all household members; social security numbers of all adult household members or a statement that the household member does not possess one; total household income or the household's food stamp case number, AFDC case number if they currently receive Aid to Families with Dependent Children and the signature of an adult household member certifying that the information provided is correct.

Applications may be submitted at any time during the year.

Under the provisions of the free and reduced price policy, the Robert Lee ISD school officials will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the determining official on an informal basis. Parents wishing to make a formal appeal may make a request either orally or in writing to Superintendent Jerry Gibbs, Robert Lee ISD, HC 61 Box 303, Robert Lee, Texas 76945; 453-2612 for a hearing on the decision.

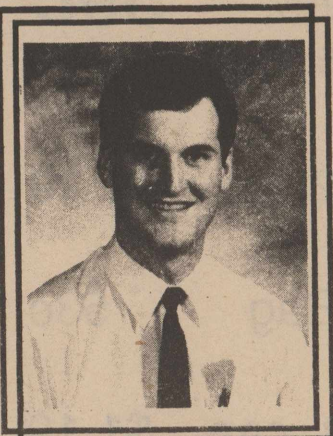
Households are required to report increases in household income over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed, or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for reduced meals or for free meals if the household's income falls at or below the levels shown above.

In certain cases foster children are also eligible for school meal benefits. If a household has foster children living with them and wishes to apply for them, the household should contact the school for more information.

The information provided by the household is confidential and will be used only for purposes of determining eligibility and verifying data.

In the operation of child feeding programs administered by the US Department of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

We invite you to hear...



**JOHN KETCHERSID**

of  
Abilene, Texas

## GOSPEL MEETINGS

AUGUST 10 THRU 14

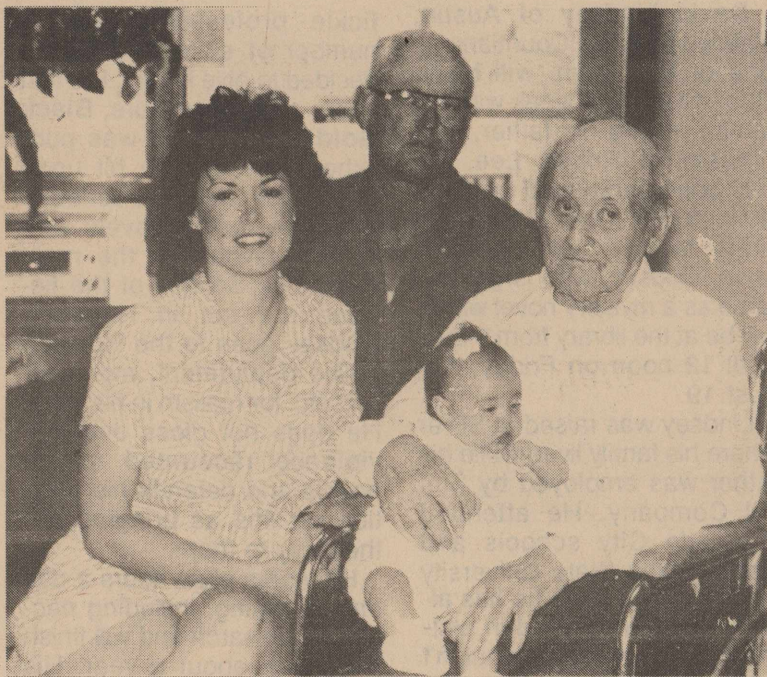
SERVICES: 7:30 p.m. each evening  
Wednesday through Saturday  
10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday

Everyone is cordially invited.  
Come and tell others.

**NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Robert Lee, Tx.





FOUR GENERATIONS OF the McCabe family were together recently to celebrate the 86th birthday of Fred McCabe, Sr. of Robert Lee. Mindi Drennan (l to r) of Welch, Fred McCabe, Jr. of Robert Lee, and Brittini Drennan of Welch joined Mr. McCabe at the West Coke County Nursing Home. The McCabes have ranched on the Divide many decades and helped settle Coke County.

### Baptists to hold revival

Roy Epperson, pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist Church, announced Monday the scheduling of the summer revival August 14 through August 19. Sunday services are set from 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. while weekday services will be held at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Evangelist for the **Victory in Jesus Revival** will be Jay Breland and the singer for the series will be Jerald Garner. For the convenience of those with small children, nursery facilities will be available each evening service for children 3 years and under.

Revival events will include specially designated nights during the services. **God and Country** emphasis and **Church Loyalty** emphasis will dominate Sunday and

Monday night themes. Tuesday evening will be **Children's** night with a corny dog supper for them, preceding the service. Emphasis will be on the **Youth** Wednesday evening, with a fellowship after the worship. **Adults** will be highlighted on Thursday evening and Friday night has been designated as **Music** night.

The public is encouraged to join the congregation at this series of revival services.

#### Personal

Mary May Wylie and Fran Lomas of Robert Lee recently returned from a trip to Montego Bay, Jamaica. The six-day holiday was spent at the Half Moon Resort with side trips to various points of interest.

#### ANN RICHARDS

Wants to run the great state of Texas.

She couldn't run a marriage -- I sure don't want her messing with TEXAS.

That dog won't hunt either, Ann.

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**ROAST** LB. **\$1.49**

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Cedar Creek Franks 12 oz. pkg. 69c

Ground

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Parade

**FLOUR** 5# Bag **89c**

Sunshine Hi-Ho Crackers 12 oz. box \$1.59

Joan of Arc

**PORK & BEANS** 15 oz. can **3 for 99c**

Parade White Hominy 15 oz. can 3 for 89c

Sunsweet Pitted Prunes 24 oz. bag \$1.98

Heinz Sweet Relish 9 oz. 79c

Garden Club

**APPLE BUTTER** 28 oz. jar **89c**

Garden Club Butter Pecan

Pancake Syrup 24 oz. bottle 89c

Comstock Cherry Pie Filler 21 oz. can \$1.45

Parade Instant

**TEA** 3 oz. jar **\$1.99**

Parade Bleach 1 gallon bottle 79c

Liquid Cheer Detergent 64 oz. bottle \$3.29

Delsey Bathroom

**TISSUE** 4 roll pkg. **99c**

Hi-Dri Towels Big Roll 59c

Parkay Stick

**OLEO** 1# Quarters **59c**

Parade Soft Spread Oleo 3# Tub \$1.39

Parade Sliced Single

American Cheese 12 oz. \$1.29

Country Cousin Frozen

French Fries 2# Bag 53c

Minute Maid

Apple Juice Frozen 16 oz. can \$1.19

Parade Chicken Nuggets or Breaded

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