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Sims visits county constituents

Dressed in the uniform of a West Texas rancher-- the khaki pants, hat, boots, tie held with the Holland spur-clip-- Senator Bill Sims could have been any one of a thousand as he strode into the county courtroom in Ro-

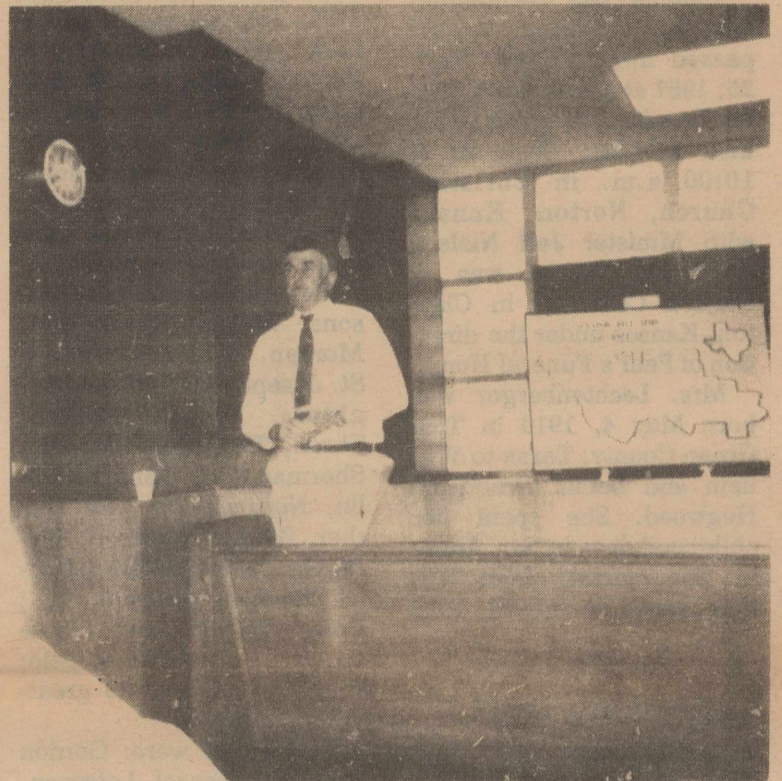
bert Lee Tuesday. He looked the part with good reason. His family has been engaged in ranching in the Paint Rock area for a lifetime. He still holds an executive position with the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Senator Sims was in Robert Lee as part of the tour he began Sept. 1 with the purpose of visiting each county seat in the 35 counties of his district. The 25th senatorial district he represents is the largest such district in existence anywhere. The sparsely populated area of West Texas had to include the 35 counties to reach the required 500,000 population for each senatorial district. Because of the vast region, he felt that his constituents were isolated from Austin and therefore Sims wanted to hold the get-acquainted public meetings.

Patti Ivey, Coke County Democratic Chairman, introduced the senator to a group of about 30 people. Sims is in his 5th year in the Texas Senate and has developed a basic, common sense understanding of the intricate workings of state government. He spoke at length on a variety of subjects--sketching an overview of his district, the recently-passed tax bundle and short explanations of the upcoming propositions and referendums for the Nov. 3 special election. Sims explained that his constituents vary greatly in their needs and interests. Many are family units but in the Comal County area of his district 33% or more residents are retired. He remarked with dry humor that he hears from these retirees often "and they don't always write to tell me how cute and smart I am either".

Senator Sims explained he voted for the tax bills because with as much as 50% reduction in tax revenues from oil and gas, the budget was cut drastically. A necessary large bite of taxes goes to prisons at about \$30 per day, per prisoner; Mental Health and Retardation takes \$36 per resident; education costs range from Coke County, for instance, \$3,500 per year to \$6,000 per year in Iraan.

He is presently on 3 committees-- Natural Resources, Economic Development, and Inter-government Relations.



SENATOR BILL SIMS speaks in the Coke County courtroom on Tuesday. The meeting was part of a get-acquainted tour in his large 25th senatorial district which includes 35 counties as shown on the map at his left.

Auxiliary hosts 'Hawaii'

The Special Events Committee of the West Coke County Nursing Home Auxiliary were hostesses for an imaginary trip to Hawaii as a treat for the residents of the nursing home. Monday night, September 28, the patients on the West Wing were entertained, and Tuesday night, the residents of the East Wing were treated.

The residents were given "boarding passes" as they reached their "gate" at the "Robert Lee International Airport" for a flight to beautiful Hawaii. Each woman was presented a fresh flower to wear in her hair, and each man had a rose pinned on his shirt. Some of the men were given coconut palm leaf hats to wear while "touring" the islands.

Pilots on the luxury airliner were Captains Randy Long and Jeff Price, while the hostess "stewardess" group, all wearing traditional Hawaiian dresses, leis of beads and flowers in their hair included Pauline Vaughan, Willie Gatlin, Dean Percifull, Joyce Rives, Dale Fields, Nina Brewer, Leta

Caston and Dorothy Brown. Roxie Ross went along as a passenger assisting with the other passengers.

The passengers were served Hawaiian refreshments after they were "airborne", and after arriving were given a sight-seeing tour of the islands of Oahu, Kauai, and the big island Hawaii.

They did not even need to "deplane" as the expert pilots were able to fly low enough for everyone to see the sights. (Slides shown and a commentary were filmed and taped by Bob and Vernay Lomas who resided in Hawaii two years. Robert Vaughan and Mary Bessent assisted in showing the slides.)

On the return trip the residents were shown souvenirs and other mementos acquired by the Vaughans when visiting in Hawaii.

One hour after departure the residents arrived back at the Robert Lee Airport after a very smooth flight, excited but ready to rest and remember their excursion. Some were reported having "jet-lag" the next day.

...Upcoming...

Clean Up

West Coke County Community Development Committee will sponsor a West Side Clean Up Oct. 11 through 18. Everyone is urged to clean up and haul off trash on their property. A group has volunteered to assist anyone needing help with hauling. The city is allowing free hauling to anyone that does not haul for hire. Volunteers will meet in back of the courthouse Saturday the 17th, at 10:00 to help finish out.

For assistance, please call Speedy Brasuell, 453-2664.

Elane Frances reported on the brochure to promote West Coke County.

Butch Davis gave a very inspiring speech on Robert Lee and what we have to be proud. Let's all do some Texas size bragging. Let's put Robert Lee out front. Talk It - Promote It - Be Proud.

Book Fair

Bronte Elementary School will be holding a Book Fair the week of October 19th to October 23. The Book Fair offers a wide variety of children's books and is open during the day from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The public is invited.

Rodeo Banquet

The Coke County Rodeo Association annual awards banquet will be held at the Bronte Senior Citizens Building at 6:30 p.m., Oct. 18, 1987.

All members are urged to attend the pot luck supper.

Post 381 dinner

The annual meeting of the Pammy Landers Post 381

will be held at the new Recreation Hall in Robert Lee on Tuesday, Oct. 13th at 6:30 p.m. according to Horace L. Scott, Post Commander.

A steak dinner will be served with a business meeting to follow. This being the most important meeting of the year, all members and wives are urged to attend.

Every member will be contacted and other veterans who desire information may contact either Mr. Scott, 453-2791, Post Adjutant Cecil W. Cherry, 453-2285 or Henry "Hank" Baker, 453-2765.

Bronte Chamber

The second organizational meeting of the Bronte Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday, Sept. 12th at 8:00 p.m. in the school library. Persons attending will hear the committees board nominations and will have the opportunity to nominate others and to vote on them.

Recommendations for a budget will be proposed.

All persons interested in the welfare and future of Bronte are urged to attend.

Craft Bazaar

It is time once again for the Craft Bazaar and Bake Sale sponsored by the Bronte Nursing Home.

This year it will be held at the Bronte Community Center on Oct. 24 from 9 until 5. Tables are available for reservations. If you would like to reserve a table, please call 473-3621 and ask for Dean or Pam. Any baked item will be appreciated.

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Obituaries

Lechtenberger

Johnnie Lee Lechtenberger, 77, of Norton, Kansas passed away Friday, Sept. 25, 1987 at the Norton County Hospital. Services were held Monday, Sept. 28 at 10:00 a.m. in Christian Church, Norton, Kansas with Minister Jeff Nielson officiating. Burial was in Clayton Cemetery in Clayton, Kansas under the direction of Paul's Funeral Home. Mrs. Lechtenberger was born May 4, 1910 in Tom Green County, Texas to William and Letha (Braddock) Hegwood. She spent her childhood days in San Angelo. She married John William Brown on July 31, 1929

EC Ambulance donations told

Donations to the East Coke County Ambulance Service for the period of Aug. 18, to Sept. 21:

MEMORIALS

- Clifford Barrett
- Virginia Boatright
- Mary Barrett
- Bronte H.D. Club
- Mrs. Pat Wilson
- M/M Benny Corley; Kathleen Black; Wayne Barnett; Virginia Boecking; M/M Cotton Morgan; M/M Bill Thomas.
- William Caudle
- Virginia Boatright
- Leo Wisley
- M/M Jr. Webb.
- Dail Smith
- M/M Stanley Daulong
- Charlene Craig
- M/M Ed Martindale.
- Helen La Grone
- M/M Jerry Landers.
- Hough Hester
- M/M Don Edmiaston

in New Mexico. They moved to Norton, Kansas in 1951. John passed away October 1971. Johnnie married William (Bill) Lechtenberger, Sept. 1, 1972 in New Mexico. They made their home in Selden, Kansas. Bill passed away April 4, 1980. Johnnie then moved to Norton in 1981, where she made her home until her death.

Survivors include two sons, William Brown, Fort Morgan, CO.; Loyd Brown, St. Joseph, MO.; three daughters, Wanda Holden, Thrall, TX.; Mary Doherty, Sherman, TX.; Lena Laughlin, Norton, KS.; one brother, Barney Hegwood, Sayre, OK.; three sisters, Myrtle Freeman, Graham, TX.; Dolly Gilbert and Janie Kruse, both of San Angelo; 17 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Gordon Brantley, Denzel Lofgreen, Ron Fisher, Emil Skrdlant, Jim Gordon, and Richard J. Pauls.

Personal

Several Tennyson and ex-Tennyson residents attended the funeral of Johnnie Lechtenberger in Clayton, Kansas, Friday, Sept. 25th.

Attending from Tennyson was Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Brown, Tom Green, Mrs. Bernice McCarty; from Angelo, Mrs. Ola Sue Manning; from Robert Lee, Grace Ditmore; from Fort Worth, Russel and Virginia Brown; from San Angelo, Emma Stewart; from Amarillo, Charles and Lou Westbrook; from Tyler, Flora and Homer Flanagan; and from Bronte, Ruth Hageman.

Blackwell Homecoming set Oct. 17

The annual Blackwell School Homecoming will be held Oct. 17, 1987.

Activities include: Registration, 1 p.m.- Homecoming Parade (downtown), 1:30 p.m.; Pep Rally, 2:30 p.m.; Exes business meeting (new gym), 3:45 p.m.; Barbecue supper (sponsored by Sr. Class), 4:30-6:30 p.m.; Introduction of players and parents (football field), 6:45 p.m.; High school football game (Blackwell vs. Ira), 7:30 p.m.

Halftime activities: Crowning of Football Sweetheart and Hero and presentation of Coming Home King and Queen.

Registration is important, a mailing list is made from this, and the class reps that are present to be considered for Coming Home King and Queen. This year, the classes to be honored- 1917, 1927, 1937, 1947, 1957, 1967, 1977.

Anyone would like to enter a float in the parade, please contact Janet Conrad Lisso at school 915/282-2311 or home, 282-2860.

The Jr. Class will be taking orders for the corsages. Contact a member of the Jr. Class or Lori Griffith at the school, 915/282-2311.

Attend the Exes business meeting in the new gym; business will be to elect officers, accept contributions for homecoming expenses,

and select the Coming Home Queen and King. The Volunteer Fire Dept.

will sponsor a dance following the game. The dance is to be at the fire station.

RLVFD retirees noted

Recent retirees from the Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department are Fred Beaty and George Lomas. Other retirees are E.H. Ivey, O.B. Jacobs, Joe Longoria, W.D. McAdams, J.E. Quisenberry, R.C. Sawyer, Calvin Wallace, and Maurice Yarbrough. Deceased retirees were Sam Williams and Fagan H. Parker.

All of these men have completed twenty years of volunteer community service through the fire department. Without this volunteer group, Robert Lee and the adjoining area would have no fire protection.

There is an urgent need for individuals to replace these firemen. There are presently only 14 members of the needed twenty-five members. Current firemen are John Carver, Richard Daves, Greg Fleming, Sid Long, Winton Milliff, Robert Sanders, Jamie Sawyer, Jesse Torres, Michael Torres,

J.C. Wallace, Jr., Gary Williams, Robert Wink, Ed White, and Bill Helwig.

The firemen meet every first and third Monday night at City Hall. Anyone interested in becoming a volunteer may attend a meeting, or get in touch with a fireman, or Edna Havins at City Hall.

4-H foods begins

Jan Hohensee, County Extension Agent - Home Economics, announces that the Foods & Nutrition project is about to begin. All 4-Hers interested in the project should contact the extension office by October 12th.

Dates to remember in the Foods Project:

- Oct. 12th - Deadline to enter Foods & Nutrition Project.
- Oct. 24th - Foods Lab Workshop.
- Nov. 7th - County Food Show.
- Nov. 21st - District Food Show.

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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Lady Horns up record to 2-0

The Lady Longhorn volleyball team upped their district record 2-0 as they defeated Water Valley here Saturday.

In JV action, Bronte took the match in two straight games 16-14; 15-5. Kelly Webb served 8 straight points in the first game. The JV's season record is 4-2 with their district record at 2-0.

The varsity match proved to be an exciting one. Water Valley took the first game 9-15. However, Bronte put on an offensive show with

key spikes and dinks by Tina Hines, Dorinda Scott and Melinda Parker to win 15-5. In the third and deciding game, the Longhorns had the Cats 10-13 before the Cats began their comeback and tied it all 14-14. Dorinda Scott served the final points to pull out an exciting victory. The Horns are 7-5 for the year and 2-0 in district.

They travel to Colorado City Saturday for 2:00 JV and Varsity matches. On October 13 Bronte travels to Miles for a district match at

6:30.

The Bronte Lady Horns varsity volleyball squad extended their district record to 3-0 Tuesday evening by defeating Miles at Bronte 15-10, 15-12. Their season record stands at 8-5.

Miles routed the Lady Horn's JV team in a 3 game series 15-4, 13-15, and 10-15.

The 2 clubs will travel to Colorado City on Saturday. The match-ups begin at 2 p.m.

Students invited to join FHA

FHA? What is FHA? Future Homemakers of America is a national organization of students enrolled in Home Economics classes in Junior High and High schools in the United States. Our main goal is to improve our roles in society through Home Economics education in areas of personal growth, family life, vocational preparation, and

community development. Any student who has taken or is currently taking a Home Economics course may join. (Hershel Walker was in FHA). Dues are \$8.00. October will be a busy month for

us. Something new this year is the FHA "Movie Night". Wednesday, October 21, we will travel to Wall, Texas to

attend a FHA Leadership workshop hosted by a region officer and a state officer. During the week of Halloween the chapter will sell

Spook-A-Grams. A Spooky Message and a surprise will be attached to the grams and delivered on Friday, Oct. 30 during school. Yes, you bet we will be having fun!

Attendance contest set

October is attendance month at Bronte I.S.D. During this time the average daily attendance is used by the state to allocate money to the school.

To encourage attendance the school is holding an attendance contest. The school is divided into four groups, K, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; 4th, 5th and 6th; 7th, 8th and 9th; and 10th, 11th and 12th. Each week the class from each group who has the best attendance record will re-

ceive a coke for each class member. At the end of the contest period, the class with the best overall attendance will receive a special bonus price.

This average attendance period determines how much money the school receives from the state. One student being absent one day costs the school in the area of \$100.00. The money received goes into the school system and benefits the entire school.

Jr. high volleyball

The Jr. Hi volleyball teams played Water Valley here Monday in a district match. The B team lost their match in two games. Misti Mackey served 9 points in the first game.

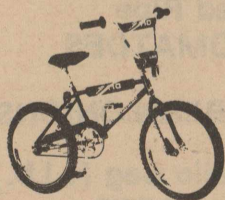
The A team upped their record to 3-1 winning 15-6; 15-6. Elaine Moore served 6 straight points in the second game. The A team is 3-9 in district while the B team falls

0-3. The Shorthorns play Sweetwater there Monday at 5:00.

FHA officers

The Bronte FHA is planning a better than ever year. Officers are Kelly Culp and Lee Sonnenberg, president; Molly Glenn, vice president; Misty Golson, sec./treas.; Eboni Taylor, reporter; Mrs. Lindy Welch, sponsor. Support your local FHA!

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Lana Webb promoted

Lana S. Webb of San Angelo was recently promoted to the position of Manager of Cost Accounting at Ethicon, Inc. She began her career at Ethicon Feb. 1983 as Inventory Accountant and has held increasingly challenging assignments with the most recent being Senior Cost Accountant.

A native of Bronte, Lana is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.N. Webb Jr. and a 1978 graduate of Bronte High School. She earned her Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting from Angelo State University summa cum laude Dec.

1981. While attending A.S.U. she was employed by San Angelo Radiology.

Prior to her acceptance of a position at Ethicon, she spent a year in the Accounting Department of Gulf Oil Co. in Midland.

Lana completed requirements for a C.P.A. license in June, 1985.

She serves on the United Way Allocations Committee and the American Cancer Society Board and is a Member of the American Institute of C.P.A.'s, Texas Society of C.P.A.'s and National Association of Accountants.

Runnels Baptists to meet

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet on October 19 for its 80th Annual Session. The annual meeting will be held at the Seventh Street Baptist Church, Ballinger.

The afternoon session will begin at 2:30 p.m. Reports will be given by association leaders. Representatives

from Texas Baptist Children's Homes, Universities, and Hospitals will speak.

The W.M.U. installation will begin at 5 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6 p.m. The night session will begin at 7 p.m. The afternoon session will include an address by J.V. Thomas, coordinator with the Church Extension Section Missions Division with the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

The evening session will include a report about the Annuity Program along with area committee reports. The annual sermon will be brought by Rev. Jerry Howe, pastor of First Baptist Church, Ballinger. Rev. Glenn Shoemaker, the moderator and pastor of First Baptist Church, Winters, will preside at all sessions. The public is invited to attend.

Band officers

Band officers were elected last week for the 87-88 Longhorn Band. They were: president, Brian Arrott; vice pres., Corina Juarez; sec., Misti Taylor; reporter-parl., Cara McCaleb; librarian, Julie Blair.

The class reps are 8th, Luke Robbins; Fr., Melissa Bivins; Soph., Jennifer Robinson; Jr., Christy Bivins; Sr., Jill Strickland and Melinda Parker.

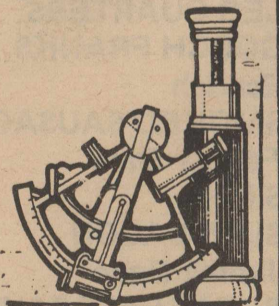
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Tuesday, Oct. 13: Breakfast - Bacon slices, grapefruit juice, biscuits, butter and jelly. Lunch - Chalupas, cheese, Toppings: jalapeno peppers, chopped onions, picante sauce, buttered corn, lettuce-tomato salad.

Wednesday, Oct. 14: Breakfast - Apple juice, French toast sticks, syrup. Lunch - Corny dog, sliced carrots, blackeyed peas, pineapple pudding.

Thursday, Oct. 15: Breakfast - Rice, applesauce, cinnamon toast. Lunch - Rib-b-que patties, pork & beans, coleslaw, peach slices.

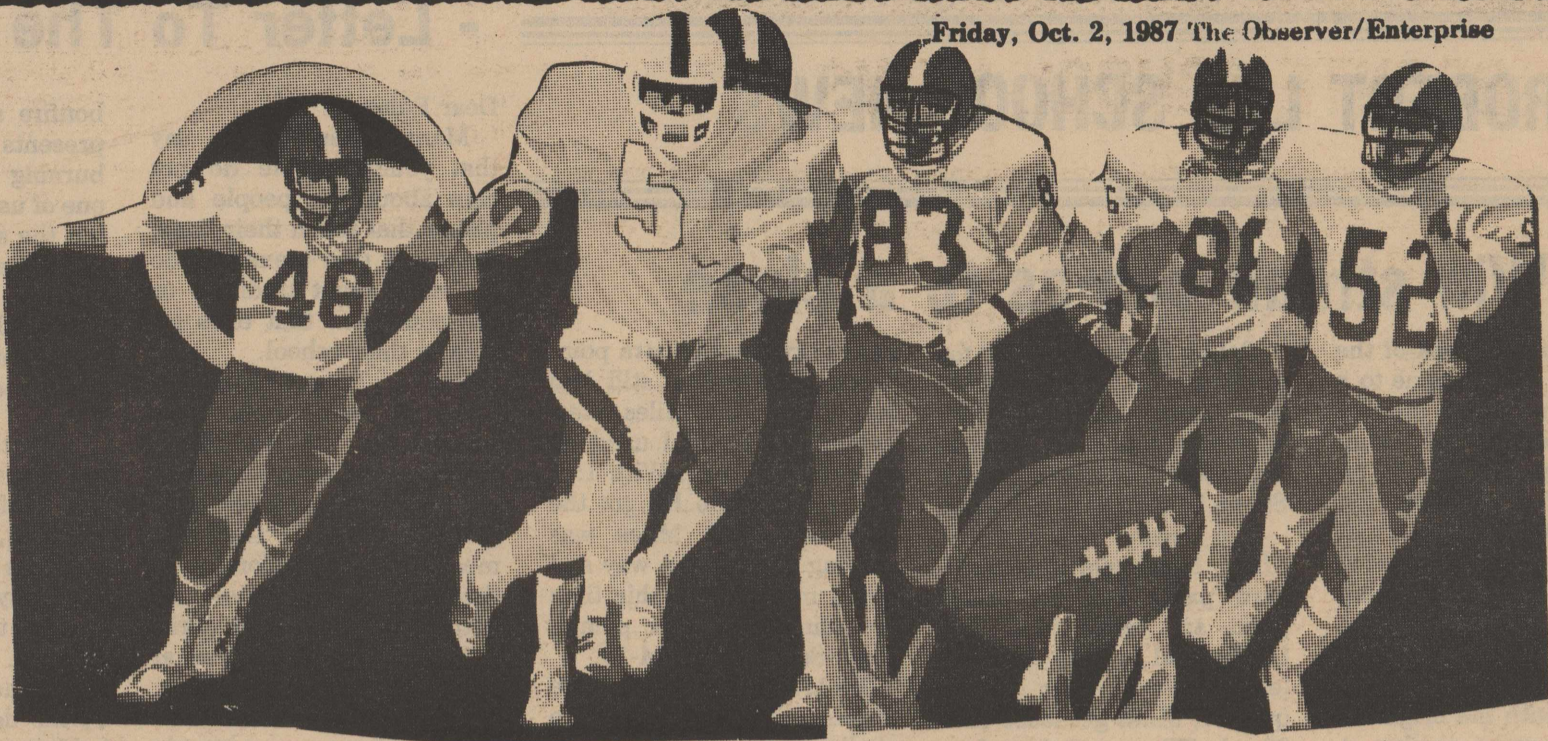
Friday, Oct. 16: Breakfast - Cheese toast, peach slices. Lunch - Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomato and pickle slices, brownies.

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DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Aug. 20	Big Lake - Scrimmage	Here	
Aug. 28	Haskell - Scrimmage	There	
Sept. 4	Jim Ned	Here	8:00
Sept. 11	Rochelle	There	8:00
*Sept. 18	Menard	There	8:00
*Sept. 25	Eden	Here	8:00
Oct. 2	Open Date		
*Oct. 9	Water Valley	There	8:00
*Oct. 16	Garden City	Here	8:00
*Oct. 23	Miles	There	8:00
*Oct. 30	Sterling City	Here	8:00
*Nov. 6	Irion Co.	There	8:00
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*District Games
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Roy & Judy Blair

The Observer/Enterprise

- Letter To The Editor -

ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Win streak comes to a close

The winning streak of the Robert Lee Steers came to a sudden end last Friday night. It seems that sometimes things get started on the wrong foot and never get better. Friday night was alot like that, as the Steers never really got the momentum going for them. The game seemed to be played on the Steer end of the field most of the night, with the brightest spot in the game coming at 6:22 left in the first half.

Robert Runnion passed for a 15 yd. TD to Jason Herring. Stevie Ebenstein kicked the extra point making the score RL 7-M-0. The Steers held on until halftime. The second half was all Miles. Miles scored on a six yard pass, but the extra point try failed and the Steers had a slim 1 point lead. Early in the fourth quarter, Miles got loose on a 36 yd. TD run. Robert Lee was now behind by 5 points

as the try for the extra point failed. Robert Lee still had lots of time, but Miles intercepted a pass and used up most of the clock. With 1:05 left in the game RL got the ball back, but Miles was playing pass all the way and again intercepted, this time returning it for six points. Final Score - RL 7-M-18.

Friday night (tonight) the Steers will be on the road to challenge Sterling City there at 8 p.m.

Dear Editor,

Many times, people say that young people do not care about the people and places that touch their lives. Some say that teenagers do not care about tradition or the sentiment that exes attach to their school.

But at Robert Lee, the teens do care about their school and its traditions. Homecoming means more to us than just another ballgame or dance. The true meaning of Homecoming is that everyone comes together for a reunion of spirit, the real spirit that lives at our school and in our hearts.

The exes don't come back to Robert Lee to see a parade or a decorated gym. They come back because that spirit that they got while attending school in Robert Lee still burns brightly in their lives. Whether a person is eight or eighty, that school spirit is a continual presence. It never dies.

And that is what the

bonfire at Homecoming represents. It is the spirit burning in each and every one of us. The fire many die, but the spirit never does.

After a week of building a bonfire, the students are drawn closer together, and last night, their efforts were destroyed.

After the mysterious burning of the wood gathered for the bonfire early Thursday morning, the citizens and students of Robert Lee spent Thursday afternoon hauling wood to the previous bonfire location. The feeling of despair was quickly overcome by the determination to uphold one of the major traditions of homecoming.

Working together, wood was collected for the new bonfire which turned out to be the best ever. Now the flame of school spirit at Robert Lee is burning over brigher. To the arsonists -- we say THANKS.

Epperson is select choir member

Nikki Epperson of Robert Lee has been named a member of the A Cappella Choir at Howard Payne University, according to Dr. Curtis Hamlett, HPU choral director.

The A Cappella Choir is "the select choir at HPU," Dr. Hamlett stated. "It is the only choir in the school of music whose membership is strictly by audition."

The choir performs literature from all periods of music, but its "hallmarks are spirituals and contemporary sacred anthems," said Dr. Hamlett. "We are asked to sing them wherever we go."

This year the choir will be performing fall and spring concerts, and two Christmas concerts in Brownwood. They will also be performing

for chimeout exercises and commencement. They will travel to Washington, D.C. for their spring choral concert tour, and "will sing all the way up there and all the way back," added Dr. Hamlett. Stops are planned in Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, and Virginia.

Howard Payne is a liberal arts university owned by the Baptist General Convention of Texas and located in Brownwood.

Miss Epperson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Epperson of Robert Lee. She is a soprano in the choir.

Deer seminar slated

A Deer Management Seminar for landowners and other interested persons will be held on Tuesday, October 20 in San Angelo. According to Bruce Deere, District Conservationist with the SCS in Robert Lee, the seminar will include such topics as Range Management for Deer, Deer Census, Proper Deer Harvest, Record Keeping, and Leasing and Marketing. Rancher Buddy Clark from Menard will relate his experiences of the past 12 years in a deer management program.

The seminar will be held at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center on Highway 87, northwest of San Angelo. The event will begin at 1:30 p.m. The indoor portion of the seminar will end at 5:30. After a supper break, those interested will meet again to gain experience on conducting a spotlight deer census to be held at the Angelo State University Ranch.

Seminar speakers will be

from Texas Parks and Wildlife, Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service and Angelo State University.

The event is being sponsored by the Tom Green Soil and Water Conservation District and the Texas Section Society for Range Management.

Deere emphasized that wildlife is becoming a more important part of many ranching operations, and suggested that landowners wishing to learn more about proper wildlife management should plan to attend.



Sheep will not drink from running water.



- Monday, Oct. 12**
Corndogs w/Mustard
Tator Tots w/Catsup
Pork & Beans
Chocolate Cake w/Icing
Milk
- Tuesday, Oct. 13**
Steak Fingers
w/Cream Gravy
Cream Potatoes
Mixed Vegetables
Hot Rolls
Fruit
Milk
- Wednesday, Oct. 14**
Beef Tacos w/Cheese
Lettuce-Tomato Salad
Corn
Peach Cobbler
Milk
- Thursday, Oct. 15**
Chili Frito Pie
w/Cheese
Pickle Slices
Chopped Onion
Ranch Style Beans
Banana
Milk
- Friday, Oct. 16**
Pizza
Lettuce-Tomato Salad
Corn
Chocolate Clusters
Milk

RLFHA meeting

The Robert Lee Future Homemakers of America met on September 23 for their first meeting. They elected officers for the 1987-88 school year. They also

discussed future activities for the coming year. They sponsored a victory line at half-time at Homecoming where balloons were sent off. The newly-elected officers are as follows:

- President, Karla Aldridge.
- Vice President, Sha-Shey Smith.
- Secretary, Amy Johnson.
- Treasurer, Theopa Rodriguez.
- Reporter, Sandie Saucedo.
- Sr. Rep., Tracy Hubbard.
- Jr. Rep., Jodi Waggonner.
- Soph. Rep., Shannon Skipworth.
- Fresh. Rep., Crissy Sherrill.

Dogies downed by Bullpups

The Robert Lee Dogies were downed by the Miles Bullpups October 1 by a 20-8 score.

Scoring for Robert Lee were Blake Pitcock for the touchdown on a 20 yd. run and Chris Marquez on a 3 yd. run for the extra point.

Playing good defense for the Dogies were Blake Pitcock, Danny Jackson, Pank Grigg, Chris Marquez, Michael Hayes and Dane Smith.

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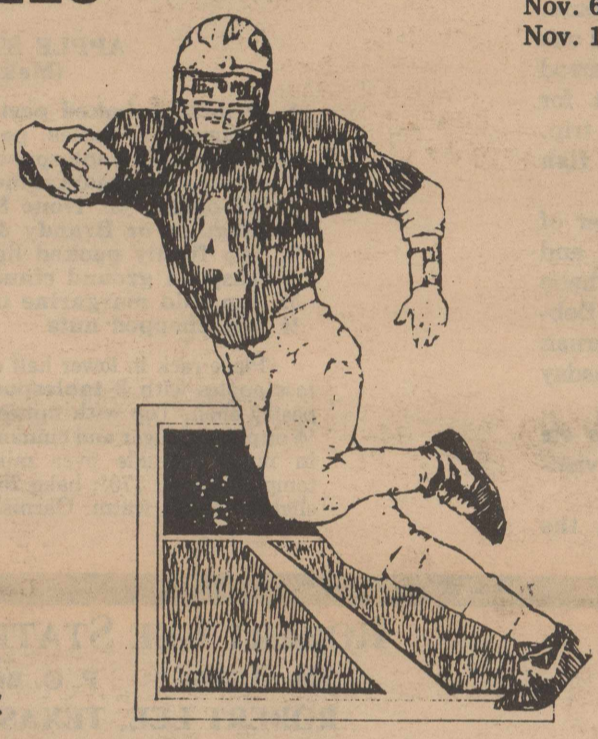
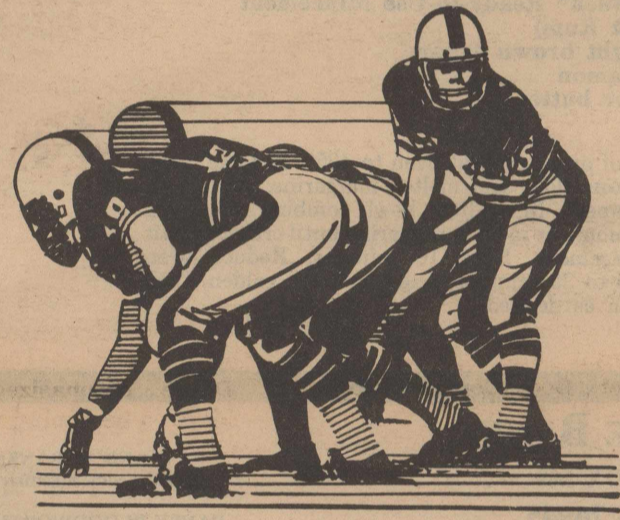
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1987 SCHEDULE

Sept. 4 Rotan	Here
Sept. 10 Thurs. Lakeview JV	Here
Sept. 18 Water Valley (D)	Here
Sept. 25 Garden City (D)	There
Oct. 2 Miles (H)	Here
Oct. 9 Sterling City (D)	There
Oct. 16 Irion Co. (D)	Here
Oct. 23 OPEN	
Oct. 30 Menard (D)	There
Nov. 6 Eden	Here
Nov. 13 Bronte (D)	There

(D) Denotes District Game
(H) Denotes Homecoming
All Games at 8 p.m.

FOOTBALL

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| Butane Sales Company,
Doug & Grace Ditmore | Allen Insurance Agency | Quail Park Home Spaces
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Chesneys host visitors

Recent visitors to Texas were David, Pam and Jarrod Hoover of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania. They visited friends in the Southlake-Grapevine area, stayed two days in the home of Cindy and Mike Ward in Joshua. Randal, Lela, and Zachary Jenkins of Mesquite joined them for one day and another day they were the guests of Bascom Chesney for lunch in Mineral Wells. Cindy and Pam are sisters and Lela is their step-sister.

The Hoovers toured the Texas Ranger Museum in Waco on their way to join Barbara Chesney, Turney and Irma Casey at the home of Fred Huddleston in San Antonio. The group toured the Alamo, San Jose Mission, Mission Espada, Insti-

tute of Texas Cultures, and the Buckhorn Saloon. Saturday evening, Fred Huddleston treated everyone to dinner on the San Antonio River. The boat traveled the River Walk area and at one point there was a show of Mecian folk dancing. The first group were young adults and the next group were 6-10 years old. A boat passed with a family of four dining and they had their own band for entertainment. It was learned the next morning that it was the King and Queen of Spain.

The Hoovers, Caseys, and Barbara returned to Robert Lee Sunday evening. While here the Hoovers visited Pearl Ditmore, great-grandmother of Pam, and Chris and Gladys Millican, grandparents of Pam, at the West Coke County Nursing Home. David and Turney fished one day with Pam and Jarrod joining them the next for Jarrod's first fishing trip. There was enough fish caught for a fish fry.

Buddy Millican, father of Pam, visited Monday and Tuesday evenings. Phebe and Rocky Heffernan, Debbie and Chelsie Heffernan were visitors Wednesday evening.

Jarrold celebrated his six month birthday while visiting Texas.

Barbara Chesney is the mother of Pam Hoover.

West Coke Auxiliary notes

Barbara Jameson, president of the West Coke County Nursing Home Auxiliary, presided over the Oct. 5 meeting and welcomed Colita Fenley as a new member. Various committees reported on projects including the bibs for residents and chairs for the lobby. The Brown Bag Sale going on at the group's Thrift Shop will run 2 more weeks at a reduced price. In other business, minor changes were made in the resident visitation schedule. More discussion on a VCR unit was heard, bills were allowed for payment, and \$34.00 was accepted from the receipt of Bean Soup Sales.

The public is welcome to attend the Nov. 2 meeting at the Nursing Home.



WAYLAND DRENNAN TOWS the winning float, a tractor with mascot Shannon Skipworth aboard, sponsored by the Robert Lee Booster Club in the Homecoming parade last week. The organization declined the honor and first prize went to 2nd grade; second prize was awarded to the AON Sorority; and the 4th Grade received the third place prize.

APPLE STREUSEL MINCE PIE (Makes one 9-inch pie)

- 1 (9-inch) unbaked pastry shell
- 3 all-purpose apples, pared and thinly sliced
- 1/2 cup plus 3 tablespoons unsifted flour
- 2 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted
- 1 (28-ounce) jar Nona Such® Ready-to-Use Mincemeat (Regular or Brandy & Rum)
- 1/4 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/3 cup cold margarine or butter
- 1/4 cup chopped nuts

Place rack in lower half of oven; preheat oven to 425°. In large bowl, toss apples with 3 tablespoons flour and melted margarine; arrange in pastry shell. Top with mincemeat. In medium bowl, combine remaining 1/2 cup flour, sugar and cinnamon; cut in cold margarine until crumbly. Stir in nuts. Sprinkle over mincemeat. Bake 10 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to 375°; bake 25 to 30 minutes longer or until golden. Cool slightly. Serve warm. Garnish as desired.

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September 30, 1987

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 6,166,357.93
C. D.s Purchased	2,380,000.00
U. S. Bonds	1,201,086.81
Warrants and State Bonds	1,837,970.37
Other Bonds	8,857,567.52
Federal Funds Sold	1,245,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	161,277.79
Cash and Exchange	1,052,656.81
Other Assets	380,112.51
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	\$ 23,282,029.74

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	500,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,538,904.45
Reserves for Bad Debts	62,082.63
Other Liabilities	324,728.85
Deposits	20,656,313.81
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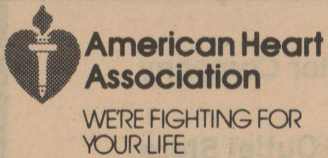
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Casey descendants reunite at Robert Lee

The Robert Lee Recreation Center was the site of the 11th annual reunion of Jerry and Martha Casey descendants Oct. 3, 1987. The couple were blessed with 11 children and the only surviving child, Martin Casey of Midland, was present.

The descendants of seven of the children were present as follows: Cleve, 7; Bell, 15; Hosea, 15; Lillie, 19; Addie, 5; Bessie, 6; and Martin, 7. A total of 74 relatives and 9 guests attended. There were 22 of the 29 surviving first cousins able to be at the gathering. Those attending listed by locations were:

Hesperia, California - Wayne and Opal McKee.

Clinton, Oklahoma - Lib and Bill Rosenbaum, Stephanie Mitchell, Lester Earl (Short) Vowell.

Midland, Texas - Martin Casey, Tommie McDaniel.

Mertzon, Texas - Dave and Eda Parker.

Junction, Texas - Pete and Clema Rampy.

Eustace, Texas - Frances and Bill Arnold.

Abilene, Texas - Mike and Mona Casey, Larry Casey.

Bronte, Texas - Otis and Flora Smith, Grady and Dian Coulter, Rocky and Phebe

Heffernan, Jesse and Valeria Parker, Jerry Parker, Josh Schoenfield, Nadine Webb.

Sterling City, Texas - Brenda Minikheim, Angela and Deanna Mueller, Renee Garcia.

Maryneal, Texas - E.J. and Jean Herring.

San Angelo, Texas - Linda Tuckness and Michael, Judy Cathey and Larry, Paula Havins, Cleo and Eloise Havins, Wells Havins.

Kingsland, Texas - Lynda Davis.

Haskell, Texas - Nelson, Janie, Summer and McKenzie Coulter.

Snyder, Texas - Bessie Bowman.

Robert Lee, Texas - Ruth Williams, Irene Maples, Barbara Chesney, Roy and Carrie Mabel Casey, Turney and Irma Casey, Bill Casey, Jackie Walker, Cova and Calvin Sparks, Billy, Barbara, Bobbi and Peggy Sparks, Gary, Nita and John Williams, Bob and Dale Fields, Phelan Wrinkle, Jimmy, Jackie, Jimmy Wayne and Joshua Varnadore, Frank Casey.

Guests of the Caseys were: Jim Latham, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ross, Marshall, OK.; Mo-

zelle Smith, Bronte; Thelma Watson, Pearl Ditmore, Myrph and Dorothy Havins, all of Robert Lee; Ann Corbet, San Angelo.

Each family brought their favorite foods for a covered dish meal and the tables were abundant with culinary masterpieces. Short Vowell gave our thanks and asked the Lord's blessings on our meal.

The business session was called to order immediately after the meal by Nelson Coulter, president. Uncle Martin was given special recognition and presented with a souvenir mug. A key chain was awarded to Wayne and Opal McKee for traveling the farthest. McKenzie drew the name of Larry Casey from all the adult family members that registered and he was presented with a framed cross stitched picture. Each of the gifts bore the insignia - Casey Reunion, Oct. 3, 1987 as a memento of the day.

Mike Casey reported on the Valley View Cemetery project. There are plans to complete the fence within the month of October. An applause of appreciation was given to all the men who

have worked on this project. The cemetery fund has received donations from Edna Havins, Otto Havins, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker, Josephine Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Arnold, Juanita Parker, Nadine Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowman, Kenneth Lackey, Myrph Havins, Wells Havins, and the Havins family reunion. There was an old fund being held by Dale Fields and it was included in the current fund. At present the balance is \$166.92.

It was reported by the Cookbook Chairman that the cookbooks had been compiled, printed, and delivered to all that had ordered them. There are extra books available for sale.

A love gift of money was taken up for Barbara Chesney in appreciation for the work and effort put forth toward a successful reunion, cookbook, and keeping the family history current. The slate of officers that served for 1987 were re-elected by acclamation to continue in their respective positions for 1988. They are Nelson Coulter, president; Bill Casey, vice president; Barbara Chesney, secretary -

treasurer.

The afternoon was spent taking snapshots, family group pictures, looking at picture albums which caused a lot of "Do you remember when" stories, and playing Trivia.

Roe recuperates

A.J. Roe is recovering at his home in Robert Lee from quadruple by-pass heart surgery in Medical City, Dallas on Sept. 14. Although he was beset by complications early, Mrs. Roe advised that he is doing very well. The couple were out of town for a month and made their headquarters at the home of their daughter, Mrs. James Brown in Plano.

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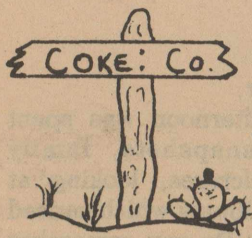
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The student body of Robert Lee ISD takes this opportunity to express their appreciation to all of those people who helped to make our Homecoming Bon Fire one of the best ever. Special thanks to: Tony Smith, Ray Aldridge, Butch Davis, Doug Wilkes & Chris Ertresvaag.

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Coke Hendry	Jeremy Ortega	Brandi Brosh	Terrell Roe	Rachel Pentecost	Angel Kuhl	Lisa Sanchez
Jason Sanders	Jeremy Eaton	Daryl Calder	Amanda Sanders	Walter Rhodes	Wendy Lamar	Pilo Saucedo
Nick Pinson	Shane Hendrix	Jerrold Copeland	Robert Smith	Ruben Torres	Chris Marquez	Shannon Skipworth
Eugene Albalonez	Jill Thomason	Danny Edging	Jamie Sullivan	Darron Pitcock	Stacy Oleksiuk	Kristi Smith
Mike Wells	Flor Barrera	Chad Goodman	Eric Torres	Jesse Valenzuela	Christie Payne	Felicia Sparks
Melanie Johnson	Melissa Sanders	Rissa Gregston	Jaclyn Waldrop	Jimmy Varnadore	Audra Pitcock	Tracy Torres
Jennifer Woods	Angela Abalos	Jackie Hopper	Harley Wagner	Kristy White	Veronica Salazar	Jason Wink
Shyla Cole	Whitney Montgomery	Cheryl Kapchinski	Larry Welch	John Williams	Cathy Smith	
Cindy Rhodes	Lydia Arroyo	Jason Kilgore	Eliza Arellano	Michael Woolley	Rebecca Sullivan	Cody Anthony
April Tinkler	Dawn Rhodes	Bobby Longoria	Bobby Atwood	Amy Ybarra	Nikki Tavarez	Debra Bell
Jessica Cowart	Amber Nichols	Kannan Millican	Laura Chesshir	Kathy Kapchinski	Vicky Torres	Lisa Bower
Cecelia Ortega	Apolonio Arellano	Heather Nichols	Hardin Dunham	Carla Bewick	Gail Wagley	Joel Herring
Latisha Bohannon	Kirk Bagwell	Starsky Oleksiuk	Jessie Flores	Carlene Bewick	Thomas Baker	Kim Hood
B.J. Bessent	Joseph Barrett	Michael Pentecost	Jeremy Fluhmann	Jason Bower	Jody Brasher	Michael Lee
John Gallimore	Ricky Bell	Jerrold Pitcock	Steven Grigg	Shelley Burrows	Sheree Burns	Luke Mason
Matthew Pitcock	Amanda Blair	Korey Pitcock	Wayne Hayes	Debra Drennan	Cris A. Clare	Theresa Moore
Lewis Saminego	Bree Ann Bolding	Jenita Rhodes	Christy Hendry	John Fluhmann	Rick Crain	Scott Ray
Daniel Cantrell	Jack (Nathan) Bosworth	Jennifer Scott	Angie Ibarra	Jennifer Goodman	Johnnie Emery	Stephanie Rogers
Audrey Arledge	Justin Brickey	Christopher Shandley	Michael Lamar	Shelbi Grim	Stephen Epperson	Johanna Service
Jamie Luna	Amanda Brock	Rachel Shook	Faith Manney	Wyatt Hopson	Brent Gibbs	Clint Smith
Shelly Maxwell	Jennifer Burdell	Jason Tavarez	Crystal Marquez	Danny Jackson	Lenny Jackson	Sharlene Smith
Rebecca Daves	Clifton Calder	Jennifer Tinkler	Tony Mashburn	Brent Jameson	Amy Johnson	Chad Teachout
Nicky Service	Andrew Crawford	Gilbert Torres	Blake Payne	Thad Metcalf	Ignacio Loza	Ericka Torres
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Kim Casey	Christopher Torres	Regina Luna	Serina Glenn	Aubrey Dunham	Wes Horn	William Smith
Kyla Long	Jason Torres	David Millican	Judith Griffin	Toby Dunham	Tiffany Jameson	Karen Smith
Chad Helwig	Shauna Valenzuela	Heather Millican	Michael Hodges	Pank Grigg	Rachel Lopez	Kelly Tomlinson
Brent Cole	Amanda Welch	Maria Minjarez	Wendy McPeek	Brandy Hayes	Warren Martin	Julian Torres
Sean Kilgore	Christopher Woods	Dawn Nichols	Scot Millican	Michael Hayes	Becky Padgett	Kristi Wrinkle
Andrew McCabe	Dona Bell	Brandy Padgett	Sheila Minjarez	Russ Horn	Theopa Rodriguez	Rosa Ybarra



COUNTRY AGENTS NEWS

by Tommy Antilley

GET LAWN IN SHAPE FOR SPRING

Homeowners can take steps now to get their lawns in shape for next spring.

Weed, disease and insect control along with fall fertilization can help get lawns off to a fast start next year.

Chinch bugs, white grubs and armyworms must be controlled during last summer and fall. Insect damage weakens turf and allows weeds to invade the lawn. Timely applications of insecticides such as diazinon or chlorpyrifos (Dursban) will control most lawn insect problems.

Fall fertilization maintains the lawn's green color and promotes early spring green-up. A dense, vigorous turf produced by proper fertilization also keeps winter weeds from invading lawns.

It is recommended to apply a complete fertilizer with a 3-1-2, 4-1-2 or similar ratio of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet.

If winter weeds have been a problem in past years, apply a preemergence herbicide (chemical weed killer) for additional protection against weeds. Products containing atrazine, benefin, bensulide, dacthal or similar materials provide preemergence control of many winter annual weeds. Some preemergence herbicides are available in formulations with fertilizers, which simplifies application.

Homeowners are cautioned to follow label instructions in regard to grass species and rates of application when using herbicides. Materials containing atrazine should not be used around trees and shrubs.

As far as disease control is concerned, apply a fungicide on St. Augustine lawns to prevent damage from brown patch. Not only is brown patch unsightly, but weeds will invade the lawn in disease-weakened areas. Also, spring recovery is delayed in areas damaged by brown patch.

Fungicides containing PCNB (Terraclor, Ortho Lawn Fungicide), benomyl (Benlate, Tersan 1991) or chlorothalonil (Daconil) control brown patch when applied according to label instructions.

It is recommended to raise the mowing height in October to 2½ or 3 inches for St. Augustine and 1½ or 2 inches for Bermuda lawns. The taller grass provides more cover and insulation for the growing points of the grass and reduces the chance for winterkill.

Another fall task for homeowners is to remove excess accumulations of grass clippings of tree leaves from the lawn. The excess debris from these sources increases thatch accumulation and creates a favorable habitat for insects and disease organisms.

Roping tickets on sale

Tickets go on sale Monday, Oct. 12, 1987 for the 34th Annual Invitational Calf and Steer Roping to be held in the Fairgrounds Arena in San Angelo Nov. 7th and 8th. All seats are reserved. Events start at 1:30 each day.

Featured Match Ropers will be Joe Beaver of Victoria, Texas and Roy Cooper of Durant, Oklahoma, roping 12 calves each for a purse of \$12,500.00 winner take all.

Forty calf ropers will compete on Saturday for a purse of \$16,500.00 and thirty-five of the nation's best steer ropers will compete on Sunday for a purse of \$34,750.

All tickets go on sale in the Stock Show and Rodeo office at 2017 West Beauregard in

the Village Shopping Center from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday, starting on October 12th.

Personal

Wayne and Opal McKee have been visiting in the home of Turney and Irma Casey for the past week. They reside in Hesperia, California. Opal and Turney are first cousins. While here they also visited with Ruth Williams and Irene Maples.

Bill and Lib Rosenbaum, Stephanie Mitchell, and Lester Earl (Short) Vowell of Clinton, OK, were also visitors on the weekend. Opal and Lib are sisters to Short.

Everyone attended the Casey Reunion while in Robert Lee.

WTU refund totals \$4.6 million

West Texas Utilities Co. customers will receive another fuel cost refund this month.

The refund, requested by the Company, was approved by the Public Utility Commission of Texas and will total about \$4.6 million. This includes actual over-collections of fuel costs from December 1986 through July 1987, plus interest.

The refunds will be credited to customer bills. A typical residential customer will receive a little more than \$7. This is the sixth refund made to WTU retail customers since the summer of

1985.

The fuel rates charged to customers have been adjusted with every refund, but the price of natural gas, WTU's main power plant boiler fuel during the period, has continued to decline.

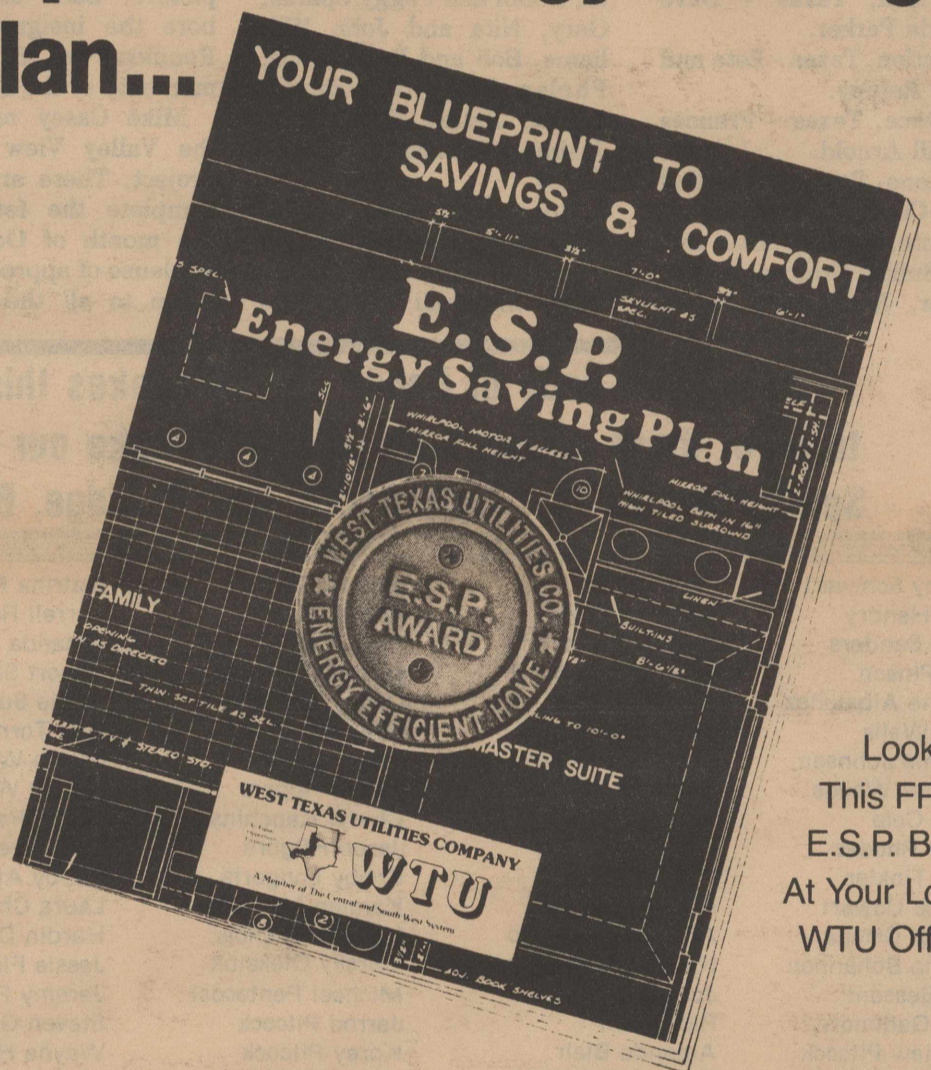
Meanwhile, WTU is expecting a decision by the PUC in November regarding the Company's request to increase its base rates. A hearing in the case ended September 16 and a final order from the three-member PUC is expected in time to apply any rate change on December bills.

The Company had requested an increased to add \$50.3 million in annual revenues, which would bring the new coal-fired Oklaunion Power Station into the rate base.

Personal

Mrs. Bonnie Robertson is a patient in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo and was listed in critical condition at presstime. A resident in West Coke County Nursing Home, she sustained a head injury Tuesday in a fall.

WTU's New And Improved Energy Saving Plan...



Look for This FREE E.S.P. Book At Your Local WTU Office.

WTU's New & Improved E.S.P. Program Will Pay* You Larger Cash Allowances for Installing:

- Electric Heat Pumps
- Energy-Efficient Air Conditioners
- Heat Recovery Units

Cash Allowances Available for:

- Single-family Homes (New & Existing)
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*To Qualify, You Must Meet The E.S.P. Requirements & Be Served By WTU.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

WTU

A Member of The Central and South West System

For More Information on the New E.S.P. Program, Call your Local WTU Office or Come by and Pick up Your FREE Copy of The E.S.P. Book.

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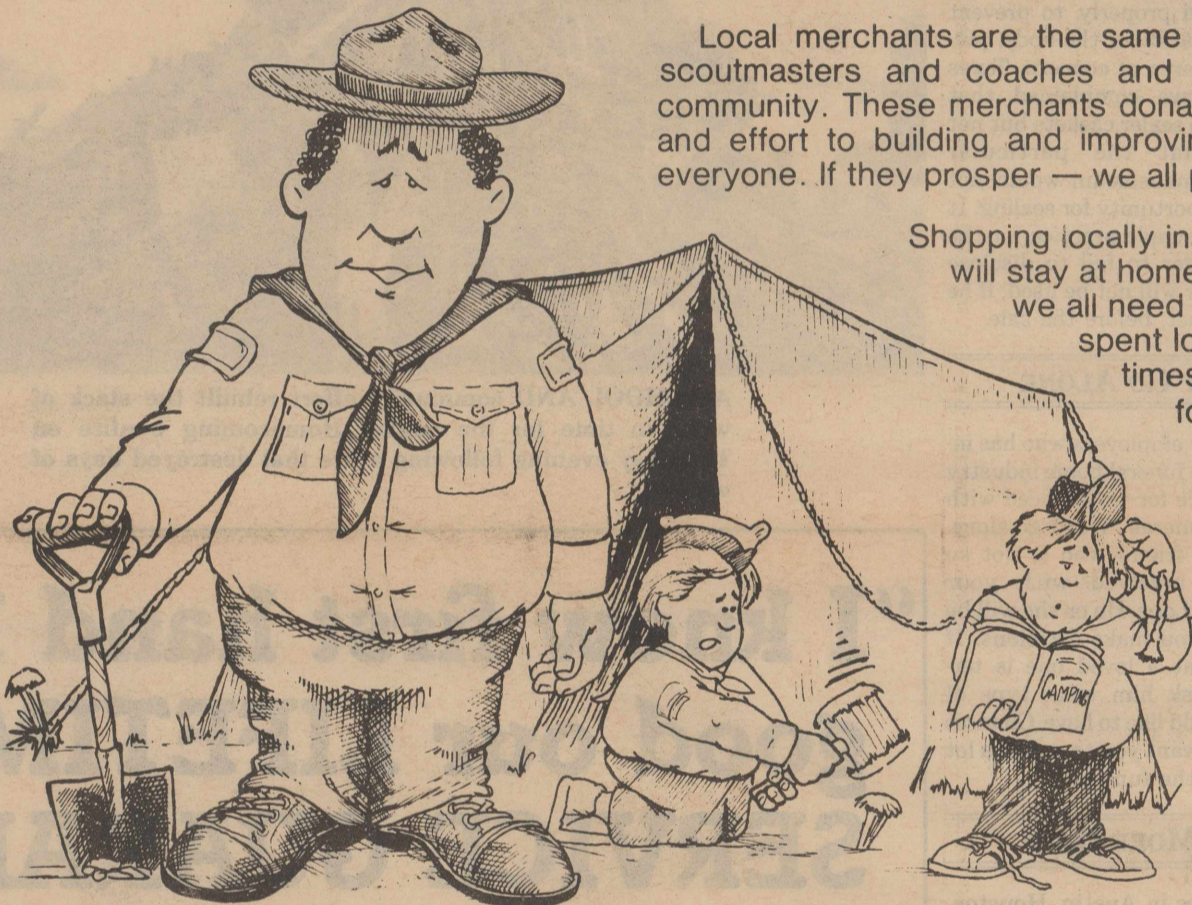
5 p.m.-9 p.m.

TUESDAY - SATURDAY

473-2027

Downtown Bronte

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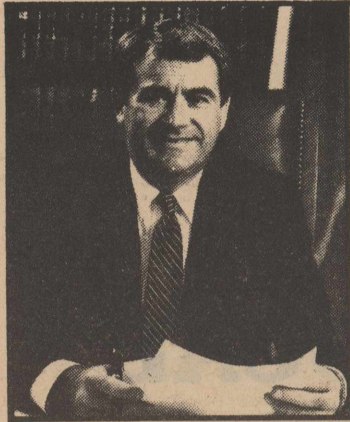
Shopping locally insures that your money will stay at home supporting the things we all need and enjoy. Each dollar spent locally is returned many times over in local services for you and your family.

Think about it! Do you want your money supporting parks and streets and services in some other city? And when is the last time a big city merchant took a local scout troop camping for the weekend?

Keep part of the dollars you

spend . . . SHOP AT HOME!

Ivey Motor Co.
721 Austin
Robert Lee 453-2816



CONSUMER ALERT

by
Jim Mattox
Attorney General

Making Funeral Arrangements

The task of arranging a funeral for a loved one is not a typical consumer transaction, but it is an area in which consumers need protection. A grieving widow or child is often pushed into buying services the deceased would not have wanted and the survivors can ill afford. For this reason, both the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and the Texas legislature have enacted laws to protect consumers buying funeral services.

CHARGES MUST BE ITEMIZED

In many instances, funeral homes have sold "package deals" to consumers without explaining the cost of each item. Under FTC regulations funeral providers *must* disclose the specific price for each of these services: embalming, transportation of remains, use of facilities, caskets, outer burial containers, immediate burials and direct cremations. State law requires many of the same disclosures. Funeral directors must present consumers inquiring about funeral costs with an itemized retail price list for most services.

DISCLOSURES REQUIRED BY LAW

In some cases, funeral homes have failed to disclose to consumers that embalming is not generally required by state law. My consumer protection attorneys have sued funeral homes failing to make this disclosure, and failing to inform consumers about lower-priced caskets.

Federal law requires disclosure of retail prices of all outer burial containers offered. In addition, funeral directors must make the following disclosure concerning cremations: "if you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an unfinished wood box or an alternative container. Alternative containers can be made of

materials like heavy cardboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering) or pouches of canvas."

SEALER CASKETS A CONCERN

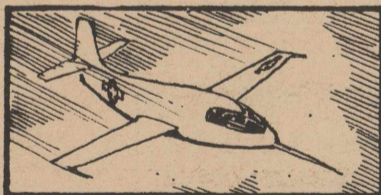
Sealer caskets, which are designed, when used properly, to prevent rapid deterioration of the body, present another area of concern. Texas consumers have complained that they were sold sealer caskets but not informed that the particular cemetery or mausoleum would not provide an opportunity for sealing. It is a deceptive trade practice for the funeral provider to fail to disclose that the sealer will not be used, if he knows that fact, before the sale.

DON'T GO ALONE

One of my employees who has investigated the funeral home industry has this advice for those faced with arranging a funeral: "Don't go alone. Take along a friend who is not so emotionally involved with your deceased loved one. He or she will be able to help you make decisions. If you know that a loved one is terminally ill, ask him what type of funeral he would like to have. Chances are, he won't want you to spend a lot of money on the funeral."

FOR MORE HELP

Our offices in Austin, Houston, San Antonio, Dallas, McAllen, Lubbock and El Paso are continuing to investigate consumer complaints concerning false advertising and numerous other consumer matters. If you have a complaint about a consumer matter, feel free to contact the nearest regional office and ask for a complaint form. The Attorney General's Office is the people's law firm. We're here to help you.



The Bell X-1 was the first plane to officially exceed the speed of sound. It was flown on October 14, 1947 by Major Charles E. Yeager. The plane was nicknamed "Glamorous Glennis."

IT'S YOUR HEALTH THAT COUNTS!
Hurley Pharmacy

Generic drugs used for savings with physician's permission.
503 S. State Bronte



PARTY OR PARTIES unknown prematurely torched Robert Lee's Homecoming bonfire last Thursday morning about 2 a.m. and reduced the wood heap to smoldering ashes.

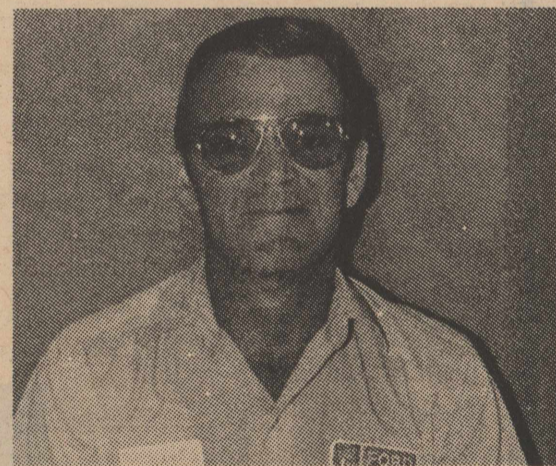


A SCHOOL AND community effort rebuilt the stack of wood in time for the annual Homecoming bonfire on Thursday evening following a fire that destroyed days of work.

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or call 453-2619
CHADBOURNE AND W. 9TH
ROBERT LEE TEXAS

- Postal Pointers -

by Vicky Hensley,
Officer in Charge
Robert Lee, TX 76945

We have received notification this past week that numerous zip codes for certain cities in Florida have been changed. In order to insure that your Christmas card list is accurate, please check your address book for the below listed cities. If you need a new zip code for one or more of those listed, give us a call or stop by our office. We will have to call Washington, D.C. for the correct codes, so we cannot give you the information immediately. We will return your call. When you give us the information, we will also need the street address, so have both available. The cities in Florida with new zip codes are:

- Anna Maria
- Aripeka
- Balm
- Boca Raton
- Bonita Springs
- Boynton Beach
- Bradenton
- Bradenton Beach
- Brooksville
- Center Hill
- Clearwater
- Coleman
- Cortez
- Crystal Beach
- Crystal Springs
- Deerfield Beach
- Delray Beach
- Dunedin
- Durant
- Elfers
- Ellenton
- Englewood
- Fort Lauderdale
- Fort Myers
- Fort Myers Beach
- Fort Pierce/Port St. Lucie

- Hobie Sound
- Indian Rocks Beach
- Indiantown
- Istachatta
- Jensen Beach
- Laccoochee
- Land O'Lakes
- Largo
- Laurel
- Lehigh Acres
- Longboat Key
- Mango
- Marco
- Myakka City
- Naples
- New Port Richey
- Nobleton
- Nokomis
- Okeechobee
- Oldsmar
- Oneco
- Orlando
- Osprey
- Ozona
- Palm City
- Palmetto
- Palm Harbor
- Parrish
- Pinellas Park
- Pompano Beach
- Port Richey
- Port Salerno
- Punta Gorda
- Safety Harbor
- St. Petersburg
- San Antonio
- Sarasota
- Sebring
- Stuart
- Sumterville
- Sun City
- Sydney
- Tallevast
- Tampa
- Tarpon Springs
- Terra Ceia
- Tribby
- Venice
- West Palm Beach
- Winter Haven

RL Stamp Club

The Robert Lee Stamp Club held their September meeting at the Robert Lee State Bank with eleven members and one guest, Vicky Hensley, present.

This was a special meeting designated as a "Swap and Shop" program where members could buy or trade philatelic articles that they had available. Vicky Hensley, Officer in Charge, at the local post office also reported on new issues available during the next six weeks including the new locomotive booklet and the Christmas stamps. She also had post issues available for sale.

A brochure from the U.S. Postal Service was distributed in conjunction with National Stamp Collecting Month in October. It described current philatelic items available for purchase. Wanda Smith designed a special cover which featured a special United Way Cancellation from the Abilene Station which was presented to each member along with a special United Way cancellation from the San Angelo Station.

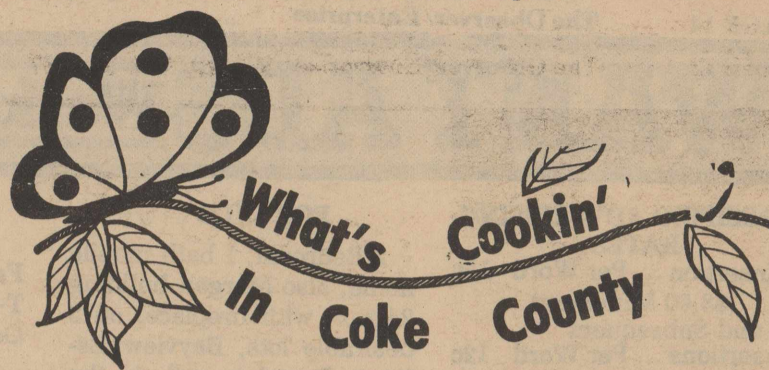
The highlight of the meeting was a social time with refreshments honoring Coe Lewis on her recent retirement. She was presented an engraved tray by the group.

Local breeders are ISA members

Don Fields and Troy Wimberley, local Beefmaster breeders, are members of ISA Cattle Company bull co-op that sold over 300 bulls in San Angelo, Saturday, October 3.

Their operation, Salt Creek Beefmasters, had the third high seller in the sale. The 20 month old bull sold for \$4400. Salt Creek had 9 bulls in this age category. The 9 averaged \$1911. In the yearling age group, the local breeders sold the second high selling bull for \$2500. Their 10 calves in this group averaged \$1355. The pair ranch near Robert Lee.

This was ISA Cattle Company's 15th annual fall Beefmaster bull sale. More than 70 buyers were registered from 9 states.



PEPPER & PORK STIR-FRY

- 1 lb. lean pork, cut into thin strips
 - 2 tsp. cornstarch
 - 2 T. soy sauce
 - Pinch of ground ginger
 - 2 T. peanut oil, divided
 - 1 med. yellow bell pepper, cut into 1/4 in. strips
 - 1 med. green bell pepper, cut into 1/4 in. strips.
 - 1/2 red bell pepper, cut into 1/4 in. strips
 - 1 slice ginger root, minced
 - 1 minced garlic clove
 - Hot cooked rice
- In medium bowl, toss pork with cornstarch. Add soy

sauce and ground ginger; combine well. Marinate mixture 10 minutes. Meanwhile, heat 1 T. peanut oil in wok or large skillet over medium-high heat. Add peppers and stir-fry about 1 minute. Remove peppers and set aside. Heat remaining 1 tablespoon peanut oil. Add pork and marinade, ginger root and garlic. Stir-fry until pork is cooked through, about 5 minutes. Add peppers and toss to combine. Serve over rice. Makes 4 servings.

Recipes
by Texas Dept. of Ag

Personal

Cayla Jeffrey of Silver celebrated her fifth birthday last week with a party at Papperoni's in San Angelo. Guests included Aunt Rosa, John, and Jessies Calcote of Eldorado; Chad Johnson and Misti Dusek of San Angelo; Patti, Mitchell, and Hope Cole, Edith; and her grandmother, Bamma Jeffrey of Silver. The party proceeded to Cayla's Aunt Dale Dusek's home on East 28th Street for cake and ice cream.

Edna Havins, Kay Taylor, and Shelbi Grim, of Robert Lee, and Jan Havins, Abilene, attended the wedding of Angela Havins and Craig Henry in Pleasanton, Saturday, October 3. They were joined there by Linda Havins, Dallas, and Melissa Grim, San Marcos. Angela is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Havins, Pleasanton, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins of Robert Lee.



Every year, foreign visitors spend about \$14 billion in the U.S.

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SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 a.m. EVENING WORSHIP 6 p.m.
WORSHIP 11:00 a.m. WED. BIBLE STUDY 6 p.m.
PH. 453-2613 Robert Lee, Texas

**NOTICE OF NEW TARIFF OFFERING
CENTRANETSM SERVICE**

General Telephone Company of the Southwest gives notice of its proposed new tariff offering, CentranetSM Service, which is to be offered in all company wire centers where such facilities exist to provide the service.

Centranet is a central office based service which provides PBX type features to multi-line business customers. Basic operating features include Direct Inward Dialing (DID), Direct Outward Dialing (DOD), Station-to-Station Dialing, Automatic Identified Outward Dialing (AIOD), and Touch Calling. The tariff is designed for Centranet customers with a minimum of 2 and maximum of 100 main station lines.

Effective with this tariff, ECENTREX Service will be limited to existing installations only.

The proposed new tariff offering has been assigned Docket No. 7652, and will become effective upon approval of the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Rates for service will be applicable to customers who subscribe to the service, therefore, there will be no effect on any other rates of the company. The new offering will increase the company's gross annual revenues by approximately \$423,013 or less than one percent annually.

The proposed rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are available for public inspection at the offices of General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this notice. The deadline to intervene in this docket is November 9, 1987.

A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

General Telephone

Clean Up & Haul Off

Oct. 11 - 18

Free Trash Disposal At City Dump

Contact 453-2664 for Needed Assistance in Hauling

Sponsored by:
West Coke County Community Development Committee

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(\$3.00 Minimum)
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Class. Ads ... 5 p.m. Tuesday
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Classified Ads and Cards of
Thanks are payable in Ad-
vance unless customer carries
regular account.

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BROWN BAG SALE
WCCNH
Auxiliary
Now thru Oct. 17th
All You Can Sack In
Bag for \$2.50
THRIFT SHOP
Robert Lee

USED TVs for sale. Hughes
TV, Bronte, 473-4601.

8b-tnc

LEASE LARGE Residence
on corner lot with option to
buy or can lease north side
only for lower cost. Whole
house for \$250 mo. or north
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51-tnc

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Best priced house in town!
SOMETHING'S HAP-
PENING at this 3 bedrm,
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24 x 24 with fireplace, on 2
desirable lots, Bayview Es-
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Contact
Becky Clendennen
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Phone 453-2723 or 453-2757
or 655-9429

38-tnc

FOR SALE - '64 Pontiac, call
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8b-2tc

HAY FOR SALE - 3 kinds,
firewood. Tim or Dolan Mac-
key, 786-2653 after 5:00 p.m.

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FOR SALE - '79 Wayside 14
x 70, 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 4
city lots in Bronte together or
separate. \$3000 down
\$210.24 a month. Take up
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Robert Lee, TX.
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8b-2tp

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FOR SALE - One 1980 El
Camino, new tires and seat
covers; Cream puff one 1972
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9-2tc

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bulls, age 16 months and
over, \$750. Call 453-2428,
J.E. Quisenberry, Robert
Lee.

8-4tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Several 2 Bed-
room low income units avail-
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contact Robert Lee Housing
Authority or call 453-2912 or
453-2909.

20-tnc

FOR RENT or sale - Unfur-
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heat/refrigerated air, fenced
yard. \$250/mo. \$200 depo-
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miles west of Robert Lee
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45-tnc

BEDROOM FOR RENT,
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9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - 406 W. 16th, Robert Lee, bar stools and other items. All day Friday - NOT before 8:30 a.m., Jessie Faye Russell.

9-1tc

GARAGE SALE - Fri., Sat., Sun. Turn on Sterling City Highway onto Paint Creek Marina Road, next door to Rick's Retreat. Tool Box for small Pickup, Metal Door for Mobile Home and more items.

9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Children's clothes, odds & ends. Saturday 9-3, 6 mi. south of Robert Lee, San Angelo highway. Marcella Blaylock.

9-1tc

GARAGE SALE - Childrens clothes, toys, misc. Fri. & Sat. 9-4, 403 18th Street, Robert Lee.

9-1tc

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Sat. & Sun. - 18 W. 7th, Robert Lee, James McClure, 453-2773. Antiques, glassware, electric appliances, furniture, heaters, odds and ends.

9-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

THANKS TO ALL the people for your visits, prayers, cards and food while I'm recuperating from my broken shoulder.

I appreciate every thing done to help me. The ambulance attendants were so gentle and kind.

Emogene Thornton
9b-1tp

THANK YOU so much for the cards, flowers, visits and prayers. Your love and concern will always be remembered.

Wendell & Jeanna Lee
9-1tc

NOTICES

NOTICE

We will be CLOSED for vacation from October 5 through October 18.

GREGSTON'S WELDING
Robert Lee
7b-4tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

On October 6, 1987, Coke County Commissioners authorized bids for 2 current heavy-duty standard production Motor Graders. A copy of the specifications may be obtained from the Coke County Auditor's office, courthouse Robert Lee, Tex. Bids will be opened October 19, 1987 at 10:00 a.m. in Commissioners Courtroom, Courthouse Robert Lee, Tex. Texas. For trade-in: one Caterpillar, Model 120, 1969 Motor Grader. See Finis Millican, Commissioner Precinct #3. One Huber, Model F-1500, 1974 Motor Grader for trade-in. See James Tidwell Commissioner Precinct #4.

Stover Taylor
County Auditor
Coke County, Texas
9b-2tc

NOTICE

Custom Shredding 14 ft. Bush Hog. James Miller, 473-7271 or 453-2063.

7b-tnc

NOTICE OF ELECTION [AVISICO DE ELECCION]

To the Registered Voters of the County of Coke, Texas:

(A los Votantes Registrados del Condado de Coke, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 3, 1987, for voting in the Special Election for the purpose of adopting or rejecting the twenty-five (25) proposed Constitutional Amendments and two (2) referendum propositions as submitted by the 69th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, and the 70th Legislature, Regular and 2nd Called Sessions of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese por lo presente que los sitios de votacion citados abajo estaran abiertos desde las 7 de la nanana hasta las 7 de la noche, el martes, dia 3 de noviembre de 1987, para votar en la Eleccion Especial para adoptar o rechazar las veinte y cinco (25) enmiendas propuestas a la Constitucion y las dos (2) propocisiones de referendum asi como fueron sometidas por la 69 a Legislatura en la tercera sesion que fue llamada y la 70 a Legislatura en la sesion regular y en la segunda sesion que fue llamada del Estado de Texas.)

LOCATION[S] OF POLLING PLACES:

[Localidad [es] de los sitios de votacion:]

Precinct 1 - Old Recreation Hall, Robert Lee, Texas.

Precinct 2 - City Hall, Bronte, Texas.

Precinct 3 - Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas.

Precinct 4 - Community Building, Tennyson, Texas.

Precinct 5 - Old Depot, Bronte, Texas.

Precinct 9 - Pecan Baptist Church, Robert Lee, Texas.

Absentee - County Clerk's Office, P.O. Box 150, County Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas.

Aubrey Denman
By County Judge
(Por el Juez del Condado)
9b-1tc



COLLECTION POINTS IN Coke County for the Battleship Texas Campaign are the new shop building behind the courthouse in Robert Lee and both county equipment yards in Bronte, according to Judge Aubrey Denman.

Preserve a Piece of Texas History

The Battleship Texas (BB-35)

- commissioned March 12, 1914 as world's most powerful warship
- only remaining dreadnought, a special class of battleship
- Battleship Texas' twin steam engines are registered as National Historical Engineering Landmarks
- only surviving battleship to fight in two world wars
- served with British fleet in North Sea during World War I
- was flagship of U.S. fleet between the wars
- supported invasions of North Africa, Normandy, Southern France, Iwo Jima and Okinawa during World War II
- Battleship Texas was known as a "lucky ship." During World War I she avoided an enemy torpedo. During the 1944 Normandy invasion, she was twice hit by gunfire, but one shell failed to explode. A sailor died in the attack - the ship's only battle fatality in two wars
- saved from destruction by Texas school-children, civic groups and Admiral Chester Nimitz at war's end
- berthed at San Jacinto Battleground State Historical Park since 1948

Recycle Aluminum Cans for the Battleship Texas

- Battleship Texas urgently needs major structural repair
- donating used beverage cans at a convenient Battleship Texas recycling center will help save this important piece of Texas history
- recycling aluminum creates jobs, fights litter, conserves natural resources, eases the burden on municipal landfills and saves precious energy

Save Battleship Texas is a statewide project to restore this historic battleship.



Save Battleship Texas

3527 Battleground Road
La Porte, TX 77571
Call Toll-Free 1-800-64 TEXAS

Finding old age contentment

Older people are advised to "stay active" as the way to be happy in old age.

While this formula may work for some, many older people do not feel like being active, busy and responsible to others. They may want to pull away and will be more content not doing what they did in the past. Or unforeseen circumstances may require the older person to redefine what having an active life

means.

Older persons are more likely to find contentment if they feel they can accept both the limitations and successes of their past and present.

Many elders reminisce to come to terms with their lives, and to accept or resolve past problems. When they do not work through these issues, discontentment may be one result.

Fears about old age may

also interfere with feelings of contentment. Although fewer than 20 percent of older people will experience severe physical and mental impairments, fear of living with great physical deterioration and losing independence is common.

The formula for contentment in old age will remain individual to each person, but it certainly is possible to achieve.



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- Ideal for fall feeding & starting new lawns.
- Proper fertilizer ratio for winter.
- Aids in root development, helps prevent winter kill.
- Added Iron and Zinc for late color.

CONTAINS:

18% Nitrogen, 6% Phosphoric Acid, 12% Potash,
1% Iron, 5% Zinc, 0.2% Boron, 0.5% Manganese.

APPLICATION RATE:

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6b-tnc

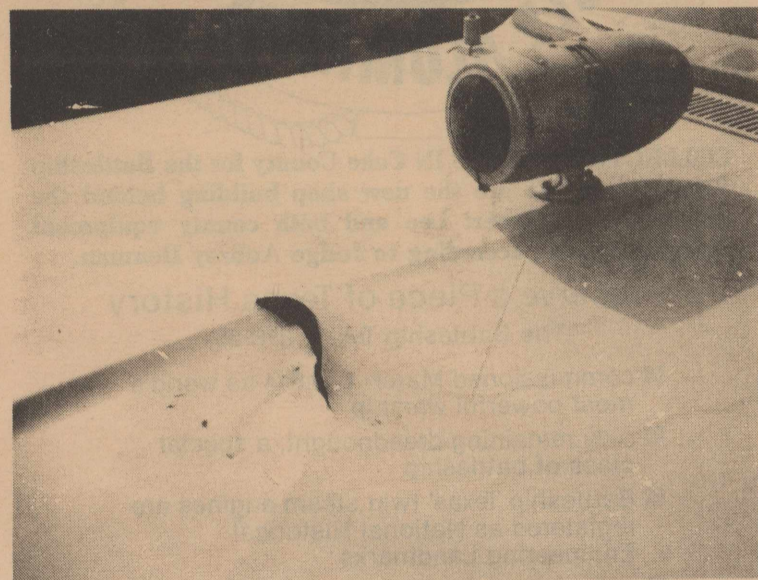
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9-2tp

GARAGE SALES

TWO FAMILY Garage Sale - Saturday Only, 323 State St. Bronte.

9b-1tp



ROBERT LEE VOLUNTEER Firemen battle a grass fire recently on the Cumbie Ivey Ranch about 2½ miles east of town. Cause of the blaze was unknown but speculation was perhaps bright sun may have magnified a drink bottle or other glass. Most serious casualty suffered was one of Robert Lee's firetrucks. The radiator fan came off and went through the truck's hood. Bronte Volunteer Firemen were called to come over and assist.

Oglesby returns from Alaska

Mrs. Pat Oglesby of Bronte returned home last week after an extended vacation with her daughter, Cathy Di Maria, and family in Anchorage, Alaska.

Pat cared for her two granddaughters, Christina and Toni Lyn, while Cathy and husband, Tony, were on a hunting trip for caribou, moose, and bear.

The couple were flown by plane to a lake 200 miles

north of Anchorage where they set up camp and hunted for six days. Game was spotted, but they were unable to make a kill.

"The 40 degree to 50 degree weather was nice and the fall foliage over the mountainside was beautiful," Pat reported. The Di Marias have resided in Anchorage for 7½ years. He is an electrical engineer for Rowan Drilling Co. and Cathy is a social worker in a nursing home.

INS hours told

The Immigration and Naturalization Service van, a mobile legalization office, will arrive in San Angelo Thursday, October 8, at 1 p.m. and depart Friday, October 9, at 12 p.m. The INS van will be open from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday and from 8 a.m. to noon on Friday. The van will be located at Angelo Plaza, 1644 South Chadbourne Street.

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 - *Family Hospital Policies
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Robert Lee, Texas

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Parade Barbecue Sauce

16 oz. Bottle 79c

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12 oz. Can \$1.89

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Big Roll 69c

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1# Tub **69¢**

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12 oz. Can 49c

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