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**FAIR VISITORS** — Top (center) is Mrs. Rhoda Smith, 81, who won a blue ribbon for her Bicentennial work. Mrs. Teddy Pitcock (left) and Mrs. L. O. Clark congratulate her. In the lower pic-

ture Mrs. Wilson Bryan explains the Bicentennial exhibit to Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowen. A crowd of more than 1500 attended the annual fair.

## Coke County Fair Has Successful Run

An estimated 1500 persons attended the fourth annual Coke County Fair which was held Friday, Saturday and Sunday in the Coke County Recreation and Show Center in Robert Lee. Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Sterling Lindsey, Coke County Extension Agents and sponsors of the Fair each year, declared this year's Fair "another big success."

Numerous exhibits were entered and lots of displays were set up for the observers to see and on each of the three days, large crowds came to look at the many pretty and interesting things on display.

In the antique and historical division, there were such things as: a 200 year old vase (Leola Scott) a hat pin 108 years old and a Bible over 150 years old (Marie Ferguson); a 1916 Model T jack (C. R. Barnhill); 1927 grocery special (Ruth Beal); butter mold over 100 years old (Mrs. Curtis Walker); 2 early 20 century cameras (W. I. Jones); Cavalry saddle (Eddie Derrick); there were old newspapers, old photographs, pottery and china, barbed wire, slate and pencil, books and many other interesting items.

The coronation of the Belles and Beaus was one of the Saturday night highlights as was the Western Band and the Square Dancing.

Three Belles and three Beaus from both Bronte and Robert Lee Schools were crowned during the coronation.

Quint Anthony and Amy Perciful, fifth grade for the Robert Lee Elementary School; Ted Walker and Renea Flanagan of the eighth grade for Robert Lee Junior High;

Ernest Burns and Rosa Sanchez, seniors, for Robert Lee High School.

Jay Harper and Sujane Parker of the sixth grade for Bronte Elementary School; Butch Carper and Barbara Dyess of the eighth grade for Bronte Junior High; Kyle Lee and Denise McClure, seniors, for Bronte High School.

A list of the hundreds of winners will be run in next week's paper.

## School Faced With Space Problem

The Bronte School Board of Trustees and administration admittedly have a problem on their hands: they are going to have to provide space and facilities in order to take part in the Title I program, a program of special education for remedial reading and other problem areas of students. It is a federal program but is administered by the state.

The school board has met three times in the last few weeks and the Title I program has been a major topic of discussion. Before the last meeting Supt. C. B. Barbee made a trip to Austin and reported his findings back to the board.

It seems that present housing and facilities of the Bronte School are not adequate to accommodate the program. Therefore a building program is under consideration to house the facilities and students who work under the program.

Barbee said the building could possibly be portable and the board was considering making it about twice the size required, or 30 x 60

## Longhorns Face Tough Menard Eleven Friday

The Bronte Longhorns will have their work cut out when they travel to Menard Friday night to take on the Yellowjackets. The Menard boys have sailed through three straight opponents and will be fa-

vored to topple the Longhorns from the ranks of the undefeated. Kick-off time is 8 p.m.

Menard opened the season by whipping Eden. They came back the next week to topple Rocksprings and last Friday night they edged Early 13-12. The Longhorns have had easy time defeating their first two opponents, Robert Lee and Eden.

The Menard lads for many years were easy prey for most teams but the Yellowjackets have come alive and developed some sting in recent years. Last year's team gave the Longhorns all they could handle before bowing 20-0. With this year's game being played at Menard, the Jackets could be doubly tough. But the Longhorn fans feel they have enough talent in their lineup to make it three straight wins for the year.

The Longhorns retained their No.

1 ranking in the Big Country Class B football rankings, but fell from 19th to 26th in the Harris Poll despite their lopsided win over Eden last week.

### District 3-B

In other games involving District 3-B teams last week it was Jayton 21, Aspermont 0; Bangs 26; Sterling City 0; Sands 0, New Home 0. Hawley, Loraine and Roby all had open dates.

This week's schedule finds Santa Anna at Hawley; Loraine at Garden City; Merkel at Roby; Sterling City at Buena Vista; Forsan at Grand Falls. Jayton and Sands have open dates.

### MENARD ROTARIANS TO SERVE BARBECUE

Members of the Menard Rotary Club will serve barbecue suppers before the Bronte and Menard football game, and all Bronte fans are invited to arrive early in order to partake of the barbecue feast which is being prepared by the Rotarians.

Serving will be from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Scout Hut which is about three blocks away from the Yellowjacket Stadium. Cost will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

Signs will be posted directing the way to the Scout Hut.

### Blackwell Rites For Mrs. Barnes

Mrs. Maggie Clara Barnes, 81, of Blackwell, died at 6 p.m. Monday at Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater after a lengthy illness.

Services were held Wednesday at 4 p.m. in the Blackwell United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Sweetwater Cemetery under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Barnes was born Sept. 23, 1894, in Mills County and was married to Malory Barnes Aug. 12, 1911, in Center City. They moved to Blackwell in 1918 where they were farmers and ranchers. He died Nov. 16, 1964.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. L. G. Walton of Sweetwater and Mrs. Maxie Barney of San Antonio; four sons, J. B. Barnes and Bryan Barnes, both of Blackwell, M. L. Barnes of Roscoe and R. T. Barnes of DeLeon; 13 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by three daughters and a son.



L. L. Wilkins

### Wilkins Retires After 34 Years

L. L. Wilkins of Bronte has retired from a long career as Soil Conservation Technician. He has completed 34 years with the Soil Conservation Service, with more than 27 of them working with the Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Wilkins was feted on two different occasions in connection with his retirement. County employees who work at the courthouse gave him a party on the day of his retirement. They presented him with a Cross pen and pencil set plus \$10 in cash. Then on Aug. 16, employees of the SCS who work in Area 19 gave him a retirement party and feed at the Rio Concho Manor in San Angelo. This group presented him with a gold watch and a plaque expressing appreciation for his years of service.

Wilkins started out with SCS in 1941 at Rising Star. After working there awhile, he moved to Big Spring where he stayed until 1948 when he moved to Bronte. Both he and his wife, Lola Belle, are natives of Brown County. They

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### CITY SALES TAX TAKES EFFECT OCT. 1

Local merchants and their customers are reminded that the 1 per cent sales tax for the City of Bronte will become effective Oct. 1. The tax was voted last April by a large majority.

The 1 per cent tax for the city will be in addition to the 4 per cent tax which is now being paid to the state by most customers, making a total of 5 per cent which will be added to most local purchases.

The First National Bank of Bronte has ordered some new tax schedules reflecting the new tax rate and The Enterprise expects to have them delivered before Oct. 1.

The bank will give the new 5 per cent tax tables to their customers as a public service.

Mayor R. T. Caperton said the Bronte City Council is hopeful the 1 per cent tax will furnish the city with sufficient revenue without having to resort to an additional property tax.

### VOLLEYBALLERS MAKE CLEAN SWEEP MONDAY

Bronte' volleyball team lost only one set during the past week, leaving the A team with a 3-1 record, while the B team sports a 4-0 season.

Only set lost thus far by the A team was last Thursday night when it was Bronte 15-9, Central 15-6 and Central 15-12. The B's took Central 15-5 and 15-3.

The teams went to Mertzon Monday night and made a clean sweep. The A's took games at 15-3 and 15-3. The B team won victories of 15-1 and 15-6.

### Junior High

The junior high A team won two straight against Irion County, 15-10 and 15-0. The junior high B team took wins of 15-5 and 15-4.

feet, in order to have space for other programs which now use needed classroom space in the regular building.

The Bronte School has approximately \$50,000 allocated to it for use under the Title I program, and if requirements for housing the program are not met, the school district stands to lose all these funds plus the ones which have already been set aside for teachers aids and special education workers who are already employed.

Barbee said that approximately 50 per cent of the cost of the new facility could be withdrawn from the Title I funds; however the remainder of the cost would have to come from local funds.

Barbee said the board has lots of details, such as location, type of construction, etc., to be worked out.

The board met in special meeting Sept. 4 and again Sept. 9 to discuss the matter.

Then during regular meeting on Sept. 11 in addition to discussing

the Title I program, the board:

- \* Approved the original tax roll of \$14,870,380 which if it is 100 per cent collectible at the \$1.70 per \$100 tax rate, would bring in a total of \$252,797.07.

- \* Authorized any two board members to sign payroll checks, as recently provided by law.

- \* Instructed Prin. James L. Gosson to use discretion in enrolling girls in the FFA and boys in the FHA program of Bronte High.

- \* Set adult lunch prices at 75c, which is 25c above the prices paid by students and meets federal requirements that adults must pay at least 22c more than students.

- \* Set a limit on physical exams of \$3 for students and \$10 for bus drivers.

- \* Discussed the use of school property by citizens of the community.

- \* Adopted revised job descriptions of professional personnel.

- \* Approved August bills.



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**P. O. Asks For Suggestions**

A nationwide Consumer Service Program designed to improve and broaden the quality of mail service was announced today by Postmaster Noah Pruitt Jr.

Beginning Oct. 1, the U. S. Postal Service will introduce a program at the Bronte Post Office and other offices across the nation to encourage mail users to register problems they may have with their mail service.

At the core of the program is a consumer service card, through which problems are identified and

which postal managers attempt to expeditiously resolve.

The Consumer Service Program reflects Postmaster General Benjamin F. Bailar's determination that mail services to the public will be "friendly, courteous and efficient, as well as speedy and reliable."

"Good service is a far broader concept than just fast mail handling, as important as that is," the Postmaster General says. "It is also built on employee courtesy, our responsiveness to customer needs, the sympathy and understanding we bring to your own expectations of what good postal service is all about."

Postmaster Pruitt urged customers in Bronte to bring their inquiries and complaints to the attention of postal people.

To make it easier for a customer to make a suggestion or complaint about postal service, the new consumer service card will be available from route carriers and at post offices.

According to Postmaster Pruitt, the card is two postal cards with carbon paper between them. "One copy goes to me so work can begin on the problem," he said. The other goes to Postal Service Headquarters in Washington for cataloging and analysis. The cards will help management spot problem areas and trends and take corrective action if necessary.

The card should take no more than two minutes to fill out. The postmaster also said he and his staff are willing to discuss any problems, including lack of courtesy, irregularities in deliveries or collections, collection box convenience and postal office hours.

"We want you to come to us with your problems," concluded Postmaster Pruitt. "The whole point of this service program is to bring your problems and gripes out into the open where we can attempt to resolve them."

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370 agents. Congratulating him are P. A. McMahan (left), executive vice president for the Southern Farm Bureau, and Carroll Chaloupka (right), president of the Texas Farm Bureau. Wayne Arrott, agency manager, also attended the meeting.

**COOL RAINY WEATHER PLEASANT CHANGE**

For the past two weekends, cool rainy weather has been the story as "Old Man Winter" gave warning that summer is over, autumn is here and winter weather is fast approaching.

The mercury has been dipping into the 40s early mornings but climbing back into the high 70s and low 80s by mid-afternoon.

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# Horns Topple Eden, 27-0

The Bronte Enterprise

September 26, 1975

The Longhorns of BHS lost no time in convincing the Eden Bulldogs they had come to play when they took the opening kickoff and in just four minutes had tacked 7 points on the scoreboard.

It happened Friday night when the Bulldogs hosted the Longhorns in non-conference game.

It was crisp blocking by the line and the sharp running of Billy Ren Lee, Kerwin Denton, Turney Coulter and Nelson Coulter that moved the ball 70 yards to the double stripe. N. Coulter had big runs of 8, 10 and 21 yards and T. Coulter dove it in from the 3. Denton booted it through the uprights and the Longhorns were out in front to stay, 7-0.

Wayne Coalson kicked off to the Bulldogs and Bob Rozell, the 197 Bulldogs to the 40, but Eden could not move and punted to Coalson; he returned to the 28. It was the Coulter boys who moved the ball for four 1st downs to the Eden

30. It was at this point that N. Coulter hit Randy Joe Parker with a strike to cross the double stripe. Denton's kick made it 14-0 and there was still two minutes left in the 1st quarter.

Following the kickoff the Bulldogs had just too much of Mario Gonzales, Clint Porter, Paul Cerwenka and N. Coulter and came up short of a 1st down. Tony Medders punted to the Bronte 25 to end the quarter.

## Second Quarter

Bronte picked two 1st downs, one a 15 yard run by Lee, before punting to the Bulldogs. Eden's passes fell incomplete, but on the 1st down following their punt, the Bronte lads fumbled the ball back to the Bulldogs. It was at this point that Eden got its first 1st down. Denton, Lee and Coalson put the restraining clamps on the Bulldogs and the ensuing punt gave the Horns possession. N. Coulter got 15 and Denton got 12 for a couple of fast 1st downs.

The remainder of the second quarter saw both teams fumbling, throwing incompletes and punting.

## Third Quarter

Porter kicked off to the 10 and the rejuvenated Bulldogs immediately made two 1st downs before the Longhorns took over on their

own 49. T. Coulter got a 1st down before the Horns were required to cough up the ball.

With 5 minutes left in the quarter Eden's punt died on the Bronte 41. T. Coulter and Denton moved the ball to the Eden 40. N. Coulter rolled out to the left, crossed the line of scrimmage, cut back to the right and sailed 40 yards to the goal line. Denton's non-miss made it 21-0.

Short gains, incompletes, fumbles and punts ran out the clock in the third quarter and through most of the fourth quarter.

An Eden punt ended up on the Eden 37. Lee, Denton and the Coulters pushed the ball for two 1st downs enroute to the 4. From that point Turney took a quick pitch from brother Nelson and went in untouched.

The strong armed hupper sailed the ball over the kicker's head but the 27-0 margin was sufficient. So, with 4:40 left in the game, it was time for the younger Horns to get into the contest. Reserve quarterback Mark Reyes had one nice 9 yard run, but the remainder of the game was a see-saw affair.

Bobby Frazee, Eliseo Sanchez, Randy Leigh, Donald Butler, Keith Eubanks, Kyle Lee, Eddie Angel, John Hibbs and Billy Hamilton aided the Longhorn cause.

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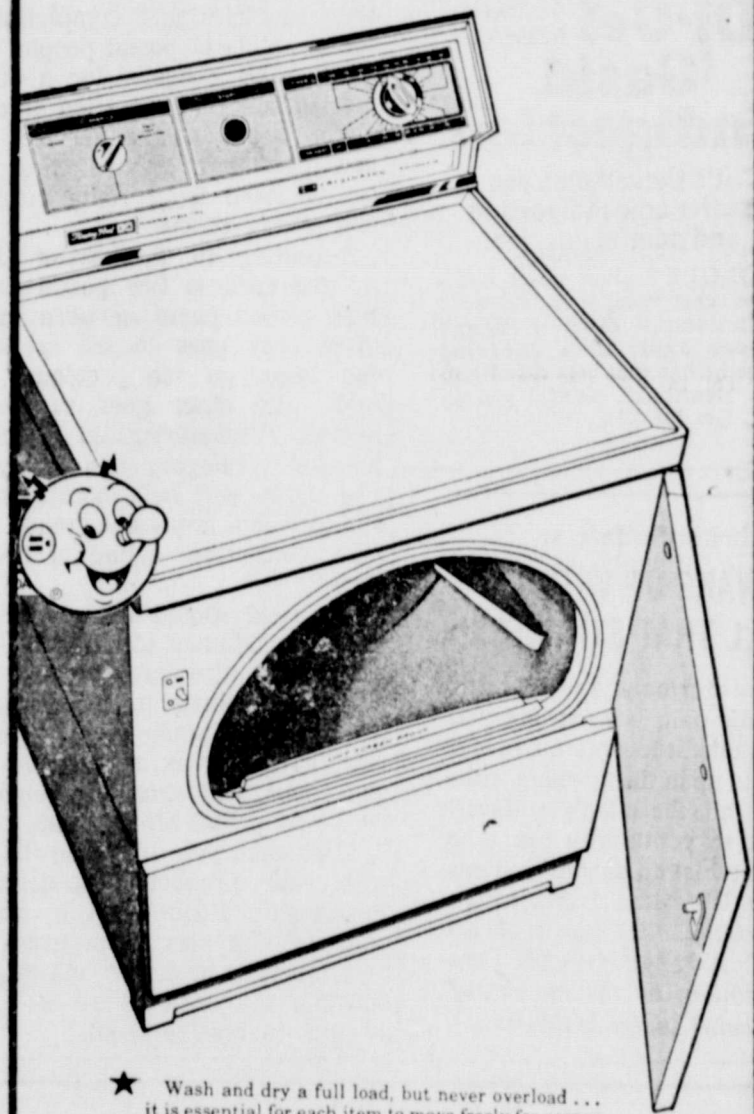
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Miss Kim Lenae Snelson of Arlington and 1st Lt. Robert Dee Bledsoe of San Antonio were united in marriage Aug. 9 at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Euless. Harold Elliott, pastor of the Parkview Baptist Church in Arlington, performed the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Snelson of Arlington.

**'69 CLUB DISCUSSES SUPPER, CARNIVAL**

In a meeting held Monday night in the home of Mrs. Glenn Sims, members of the '69 Study discussed a planned chili supper and Halloween carnival to be held in November. The Bronte Athletics Boosters Club will be a co-sponsor of the event which will be held at the school.

Mrs. Wayne Arrott gave the program on "Home Life."

Present were Meses. Arrott, Edwin Forehand, Bobby Hart, Dayton Jackson, James Koenig, Paul McGuire, Bobby Poole, Sims, Stover Taylor, Billy Tounget, Jimmy Mackey.

Everyone is invited to look forward to further announcements about the chili supper and carnival.

**MRS. BOECKING GIVES PROGRAM ON TRAVEL**

Mrs. Royce Lee was hostess to the Sorosis Study Club in her home Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Charlie Boecking presented the program, "Travel—Hawaii—50." She had toured the islands last summer on her vacation.

Three guests were present, Mrs. Bob Owen, Mrs. Russell Heaner and Mrs. E. L. Champion, and the following members: Meses: Clifford Barrett, Boecking, Royce Fancher, Clark Glenn, E. F. Glenn, Clyde Lee, C. O. Richards, Roy Robinson and the hostess, Mrs. Royce Lee.

The next club meeting will be Oct. 2 in the home of Mrs. Clyde Lee.

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**KARLA WALTERS SETS OCTOBER WEDDING**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin M. Walters who reside at Oak Creek Lake are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Karla Jeanne, to Ronald Douglas Grantham of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Grantham Jr. of Miles are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

Their plans are to be married at 7 p.m. Oct. 25 in the Trinity Baptist Church in San Angelo.

The bride-elect attended the Blackwell School and is a 1970 graduate of Bronte High School.

She attended Angelo State University where she was a member of the Angelett's Drill Team. She has been employed in radio advertising in San Angelo and will continue her studies at ASU where she is a senior student.

Grantham is a 1967 graduate of Central High School and received his BS degree from ASU. He taught in the San Angelo school system for two years and is presently employed with Mackey Floor and Tile.

They will make their home in San Angelo following their marriage.

Mrs. Sybil Hester recently spent a week in Portland visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Reed.



**New Tax Exemptions**

Rayne Michelle is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude M. Ricks. She was born Sept. 13 in Austin and weighed 9 pounds. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Doggett of Ballinger and the great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers of Bronte.

**LEA ANN BETTIS TO WED OCT. 3**

Miss Lea Ann Bettis and Bill Huffman will be married Oct. 3, according to an announcement made this week by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Jannie Bettis of Bronte.

The prospective bridegroom lives in San Diego, Calif.

The wedding is planned in the home of Miss Bettis' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cortese of Temple.

Miss Bettis is a former student at Bronte High School and is a graduate of Temple High School.

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**COUNCIL TO DISCUSS STOCK ORDINANCE**

All interested persons are invited to an open discussion forum on a proposed City Ordinance that will be discussed at the regular meeting at 1 p.m. Oct. 2. The proposed ordinance will deal with livestock in the city limits.

**SYMPHONY DRIVES MADE**

The San Angelo Symphony is having a membership drive Sept. 22 through 26. Adult memberships are \$12.50 and students \$6.25. Anyone interested should see Mrs. Clark Glenn. The membership includes four performances.

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**Classes Elect New Officers for 75-76**

Officers for the various classes and clubs of Bronte School have been named for 1975-76, as follows:

Seventh Grade: President, Lance Ball; vice president, Lisa Lee; secretary, Marty Dunn; treasurer, Tavia Teschendorf.

Eighth Grade: President: Donnie Hamilton; vice president, Donnie Jackson; secretary-treasurer, Mark Ball; reporter, Miles Brown.

Ninth Grade: President, Darron Koenig, vice president, Bruce Vaughn; secretary, Kyle James; reporter, Kathy Reyes; representative, Mark Reyes.

Tenth Grade: President, Bobby Taylor; vice president, Randy Parker; secretary-treasurer, Karen Arrott; reporter, Mike Bailey; representative, Robert Ball.

Eleventh Grade: President, Johnny Hibbs; vice president, Leah Barbee; secretary-treasurer, John Heaner; reporter, Shelley Cumbie; representative, Craig Lee.

Twelfth Grade: President, Dale Patterson; vice president, Kerwin Denton; secretary, Zena McCarty; reporter, Janie Raughton; representative, Laura Glenn.

Student Council: President, Nelson Coulter; vice president, John Heaner; secretary, Pauline Basquez; treasurer, Shelley Cumbie; parliamentarian, John Hibbs; reporter, Tonya Teschendorf.

Math Club: President, Billy Hamilton; vice president, Bobby Hamilton; secretary - treasurer, Laura Glenn; reporter, John Heaner.

Science Club: President, Craig Lee; vice president, John Heaner, secretary-treasurer, Bobby Hamilton; reporter, Zena McCarty.

Spanish Club: President, Eliseo Sanchez vice president, Kevin Gibbs; secretary-treasurer, Tonya Teschendorf; reporter, Clint Porter; song leader, Leah Barbee.

FHA Club: President, Paula McGuire; vice president, Carol Cervenka; secretary, Marian Clark; treasurer, Zena McCarty; reporter, Laura Glenn; songleader, Jodie Freeman; pianist, Leah Barbee;

historian, Sharon Dyess; parliamentarian, Denise McClure.

FFA CLUB: President, Dale Patterson; vice president, Kerwin Denton; secretary, Mike Bailey; treasurer, Turney Coulter; reporter, Kyle Lee; sentinel, Paul Cervenka.

Band Council: President, John Heaner; vice president, Mike Dyess; secretary-treasurer, Craig Lee; representatives, 12 grade — Laura Glenn, 11th grade — Paul Cervenka; 10th grade—Tanya Skelton, 9th grade—Suzanne Brunson, 8th grade—Donnie Jackson; drum major, Kim Caperton; twirlers, Leah Barbee, Denise McClure and and Tonya Teschendorf.

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**Gas Priced Like Apples\***

"How much are your apples?" only 29 cents, too." asks the housewife of the grocer, so Which is a long way, perhaps, of getting around to the point.

"Forty-nine cents a pound," the grocer replies. Natural gas in Texas sells for up to \$1.90 per 1,000 cubic feet. And Texans have gas.

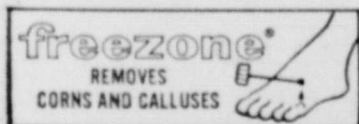
The housewife registers surprise and exclaims: "Henry's apples are only 29-cents." But in non-producing states, where the price of imported gas is controlled at 51 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, there is no new gas to be bought.

"Why don't you buy your apples from Henry?" responds the merchant. If we didn't have gas, our price would be 51 cents, too. But we couldn't buy gas either.

"He doesn't have any apples," she says. "If I didn't have any apples," the grocer explodes, "mine would be

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Bronte 27, Eden 0  
Sept. 26 Menard T 8:00  
Oct. 3 Hawley\* T 7:30  
Oct. 10 Sands\* H 7:30  
Oct. 17 Roby\* H 7:30  
Oct. 25 Loraine\* T 7:30  
Oct. 31 Jayton\* T 7:30  
Nov. 7 Ster. City\* H 7:30  
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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS  
 FOR**

**COKE COUNTY, TEXAS**

Sealed bids addressed to Mr. W. W. Thetford, County Judge, County Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas, will be received until 10:00 A. M., 10-6-75, and then publicly opened and read aloud, for work in accordance with plans and specifications and contract documents hereinafter mentioned.

All prices must be stated in both script and figures. The County intends to enter into a contract with the lowest responsible bidder. The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the price in the bids, the County reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable or unbalanced prices will be considered sufficient cause for rejection of any bid. The County reserves the right to delay its acceptance of any bid for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days after the aforesaid date set for opening bids, and it shall be a condition of bidding that no bidder shall be entitled to with-

draw his bid within said period.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding the local conditions and conditions under which the work is to be done.

Plans and specifications and contract documents may be examined without charge at the office of the County Judge in the Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas; and copies of said instruments may be obtained from the aforesaid County Judge, upon deposit of \$25.00 per set, which deposit will be refunded upon the return of all of said instruments in good condition within seven (7) days following the bid date; and otherwise said deposit will be forfeited. The successful bidder will be furnished without charge a sufficient number of sets required for construction.

**RECEIPT AND OPENING OF BIDS:**

TIME: 10:00 A. M.  
 DATE: 10-6-75  
 PLACE: Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas

OPENING: 11:00 A. M.  
 The proposals will be opened at this time and tabulation will be made by the County for consideration in awarding the contract. Bidding General Contractors are invited to be present.

Not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages for work of similar character in the City of Bronte, and County of Coke, and not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for

legal Holidays, Saturdays, Sundays and overtime work shall be paid to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed in connection with the foregoing contract.

**I. General Description**

Base bid:  
 Oone (1) 30 ft. x 40 ft. x 12 ft. high straight column, 26 gauge, colored, metal clad building with a 1 to 12 roof pitch Building must have one (1) 12 ft. x 12 ft. overhead type metal door, one (1) 30 x 70 walk-in swing type door, four (4) skylights equally spaced in roof and two (2) 20" roof vents with adjustable dampers. All of the above shall be erected complete according to plans and specifications.

**Options:**

1. Perimeter beam and column footing with required anchor bolts for the above 30 ft. x 40 ft. building. (Concrete mix shall be 5 sack and footing according to plans.)

2. Five inch concrete slab with No. 3 steel rebar on 12" centers, both ways, with footing and anchor bolts to accommodate the above 30 ft. x 40 ft. building. (Concrete mix shall be 5 sack with footing according to plans.)

The items shall bid as follows:

- Base bid
- Option 1.
- Option 2.

**II. General Conditions**

It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to examine the drawing, specifications and site of the

work and bid accordingly.

It shall be the responsibility of the contractor to furnish: (a) Workmans Compensation as required by law, (b) Public Liability in the amount of \$100,000.00 for each person and \$300,000.00 for each accident, (c) property damage in an amount of not less than \$50,000.00.

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**WILKINS RETIRES —**  
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are members of the Methodist Church and he has been active in civic work through the years.

They intend to continue making their home in Bronte.

No replacement has been as yet to take Wilkins' place in the SCS office. Eph Cummins and Pat Jung are the only two employees now in the office.

Wilkins received a letter from R. M. Davis, Administrator of the SCS in Washington, which stated in part: "Your retirement from the Soil Conservation Service is a significant milestone, making the completion of a career of effective federal service."

Edward E. Thomas, State Conservationist of Temple, wrote: "Your many service friends join me in wishing you happiness and good health in your retirement."

Wilkins told this newspaper: "There are mighty few farms and ranches in Coke County that I have not been over and worked on."

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