

County records will be topic of genealogical class

Genealogical information found in the county court-houses will be the main topic of the session, Monday, March 21st. Vital records, land records and tax rolls will be reviewed. Tracing an ancestor through these records can provide much information for the researcher of family history.

The classes are from 6 pm to 8 pm at the Coke County Library and are open to all. Attendance for each session is not necessary and newcomers are always welcomed. A repeat of classes

will also be held following the first series. Any questions should be directed to Fran Lomas at 453.2894 or Beth Prather at the library.

Historical

Commission holds meeting

The Coke County Historical Commission met on Monday, March 14, in the Coke County Commissioners Courtroom. The minutes and treasurer's reports were presented. A discussion of the progress at the Old Jail was held. It was determined that the project was about 1/2 completed with the repair and removal of pipes, the interior

painting, and the exterior painting of the roof and porch. The reconditioning of the windows has been completed.

A presentation was made to Bobbie Allen for her voluntary guardianship of one of Coke County's most historic buildings, the Old Jail.

The newspaper project is on hold with the West Texas Collection until such time as a student employee can begin transferring the Coke County newspapers to microfilm. The hope that a set of Bronte Enterprise papers will surface holds out. The only Enterprises cataloged are from 1950-57. If any one knows of

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Engagement Announced! Mr. & Mrs. Troy Millican are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Cayla Rena Millican, to Jerrod Mitchell Holt, son of Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Holt of Big Lake.

Cayla is the granddaughter of Jewell Wallace and the late J.C. Wallace, Foy & Lawana Askins, and the late Elton Millican. Jerrod is the grandson of Betty Keeler and the late S.B. Keeler, and the late John and Marj Holt.

Cayla graduated from Sterling City High School. She attended South Plains College and then Howard College. She graduated with a degree in Dental Hygiene and is currently living and working in San Angelo as a Registered Dental Hygienist.

Jerrod is a graduate of Reagan County High School. He attended South Plains College and then Texas Tech University, where he graduated Cum Laude with a degree in Interdisciplinary Agriculture. He is currently operating a cattle company with his family in Reagan County.

The couple will be joined in marriage May 21, 2011.

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