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Steers to Take on Miles Bulldogs in District Game

The Robert Lee Steers remains the only undefeated team in District 6-B West after their important win over the Eden Bulldogs last Friday night. This week they will travel to Miles for another district game, but should have no trouble

with the Bulldogs who have a 2-5 season record and 0-2 record in district play.

All Steer fans are invited to attend the pre-game pep rally at the school, as well as to attend the game at Miles.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS
Robert Lee 13, Eden 6; Bronte 45, Irion County 0; Santa Anna 36, Miles 28.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE
Robert Lee at Miles; Bronte at Eden; Irion County at Santa Anna.

Absentee Voting Now in Progress

Absentee voting is going at a pretty brisk clip compared to the usual number of applicants this far ahead of an election. County Clerk Mrs. Winnie Waldrop reported Tuesday afternoon that 18 persons had cast their ballots in her office and she had mailed out 27 ballots.

An unusual amount of interest is being exhibited in this general election, since there are two local races as well as state and federal offices on which to vote.

Much of the interest of Coke County voters has been brought about by two declared write in candidates. W. W. (Bud) Thetford is running for reelection as county judge against D. W. (Dub) Sims who defeated Thetford in the May Democratic Primary. Another declared write in candidate is Marshall Millican, who is running against the Democratic nominee Harry Palmer, for constable of Precinct 1.

There is also a great deal of interest in other races: Nelson Wolff, Democrat, and Tom Loefler, Republican are slugging it out for congressman of the 21st District to replace Bob Krueger. Krueger is running for U. S. senator, challenging Republican John Tower. Another race that is getting hot is for governor of Texas. Democrat John Hill is being challenged by Republican Bill Clements.

Races have also developed for offices of lieutenant governor, attorney general and railroad commissioner.

The election will be held Tuesday, Nov. 7.

RL Services Held For Mrs. Fowler

Mrs. Dale (Elsie Elkins) Fowler, 48, of Lamesa, died at 1 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, at Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring after a long illness.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Robert Lee Baptist Church with the Rev. Billy Bush of Northside Baptist Church of Lamesa officiating, assisted by the Rev. Roy Epperson of Robert Lee. Burial was in Robert Lee Cemetery under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Elsie Lee Elkins was born Feb. 28, 1930 in Coke County, daughter of J. D. and Emma Lee (Gunnels) Elkins. She attended Robert Lee School. She and Dale Fowler were married 17 years ago at Lamesa and had lived there since. She was a housewife and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Larry Walls of Sterling City and Terry Arnold of Andrews; two daughters, Dala Kay Fowler and Kelley Fowler both of Lamesa; her mother, Mrs. J. D. Elkins of Robert Lee; two brothers, J. F. Elkins and Johnny Elkins both of San Angelo; an uncle, Buford Elkins of Robert Lee; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dave Still of Abilene, Dean Elkins and Glen Simpson of San Angelo, Gene Naul and Irvin Cockrill of Louisiana, and Jesse Eads of Robert Lee.

Turn Clocks Back Saturday Night

Residents of Coke County will join the rest of the nation Saturday in changing their clocks from Daylight Saving Time to Standard Time. The change officially takes place Sunday morning at 2 o'clock, but anyone who does not want to be late Sunday morning should make the change before retiring Saturday night.

The proper procedure is to turn your clock back one hour. By doing this you will gain an hour and have a 25 hour day. You might be figuring out what to do with the extra hour, and a suggestion is that you do whatever you would have done with the hour you lost last April when the country began Daylight Saving Time.

Antlerless Deer Permits to Be Issued Nov. 9

Antlerless deer permits will be issued at the courthouse in Robert Lee on Nov. 9 by the Texas Parks & Wildlife Department. Anyone who wants a permit should apply on that date.

Anyone who is unable to be at the courthouse on Nov. 9 may secure a permit in any of the surrounding counties on designated days.

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Dogies Take 12-6 Win from Forsan

The Robert Lee Dogies took another victory Thursday, Oct. 19, when the Forsan Buffaloes came here for a game.

The final score was 12-6 in favor of the Robert Lee lads.

Things didn't start too well for the Dogies, as the Forsan boys went for a touchdown on their first possession of the football. The drive covered 65 yards and gave them six points. The try for extras failed.

The Dogies came back, however, and tied up the game on a 60 yard return by Kyle Gibbs who intercepted a Buffalo pass. The PAT

Dr. Shin Begins Practice In R-Lee

Dr. Un Kyo Shin has begun the practice of medicine in Robert Lee and will be associated with West Coke County Hospital. He reached an agreement with the hospital district board last week and already has begun his work here. The new doctor came here from Dallas.

Dr. Shin's office is located in the new clinic building at 710 Washington St., just behind the hospital. His office hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. His phone number is 453-2290.

Youth to Collect For UNICEF Fund

Young people of the United Methodist Youth Fellowship of Robert Lee will collect funds for UNICEF from 6 to 8 o'clock Wednesday night Nov. 1. The drive for money to finance the program is held each year at Halloween time.

UNICEF is an organization concerned with health problems of the world and helps provide safe water, vitamin capsules, vaccines and other health care needs for developing countries.

The Methodist youth group meets each Sunday night at the church.

After studying medicine at the Seoul National University in Seoul, Korea, Dr. Shin served his internship in the 63rd Army General Hospital in Taejon, Korea, and spent seven years as a medical officer in the Korean Army. After leaving the Army he had a private practice in Seoul for 17 years.

Dr. Shin arrived in the United States in February 1975 and received his medical license in Chicago, Ill. He then served as medical director for Norton State Hospital in Norton, Kans., and operated a private practice in Red Cloud, Neb.

In May 1978 the doctor and his family moved to Dallas. While there he worked with the Chambers Clinic and Goodwill industries and had a private practice in his home. He has received his Texas Medical license.

Dr. Shin is married and has four children: one is a student at SMU, one is a student at the University of Texas at Arlington, one is serving in the U. S. Army and a married daughter lives in Dallas.

Dr. Minh V. Ho of Bronte has been taking care of patients at West Coke County Hospital since Dr. Thuy D. Do gave up his practice in Robert Lee early in September and moved to San Antonio.

FFA Chapter Selling Fruit

The Robert Lee FFA Chapter is now taking orders for oranges, grapefruit, and apples, for delivery December 5-15. The oranges and grapefruit are tree-ripened from the Rio Grande Valley and the apples are from Washington.

The fruit is U.S. No. 1 in quality and is guaranteed by the Robert Lee FFA Chapter to be quality fruit. The

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News from West
Coke Hospital

The following admissions and dismissals were reported by the West Coke County Hospital:

Oct. 17: Alma Adkins admitted. Willie Mae Brown dismissed.

Oct. 18: R. L. Robbins Earnest Seay, Thelma Fry, Duane McCarty admitted. Margaret Webb, Gideon Crenshaw, Gladys Pierce, David Kennedy dismissed.

Oct. 19: Louise Brice admitted. Minnie Wrinkle dismissed.

Oct. 20: Yvonne Conner admitted. No dismissals.

Oct. 21: E. A. Brosh, Iva O. Bell, Willie Mae Brown admitted. Inez Minjarez, Artie Walls dismissed.

Oct. 22: Georgia Roe admitted. Duane McCarty, Iva O. Bell dismissed.

Oct. 23: Harmon E. Collins admitted. R. L. Robbins, Yvonne Conner, Bama Wyatt dismissed.

Oct. 24: Effie Carwile admitted. No dismissals

HISTORICAL MARKER TO BE
DEDICATED NEAR WHITNEY

Interested Coke County residents are invited to attend the dedication of a historical marker for the Smith Bend-Coon Creek Cemetery in Bosque County. The program will be at 2 p.m. Sunday.

Entrance to the cemetery is on FM 2114, 18 miles east of Clifton. Land was donated by the John J. Smith family and others who settled west of the Brazos River in the early 1850s.

A number of Coke County residents are descendants of the early settlers in the area.

ACCIDENT CONTROL---As an alternative to trick-or-treating, join other neighbors in staging a Halloween party where each family is responsible for a game and prizes. If trick-or-treating is a must, make sure children wear light clothing or reflective tape to be easily visible to motorists.

It's not necessary to clean the machine in public coin-operated laundries before using them. It's unlikely that these machines will transmit any diseases or germs.

"Drinking" is a culprit in at least half of all fatal highway accidents, reports Carla Shearer, health education specialist.

Clements For Governor

Federal Land Use Planning is a dangerous idea that will become a reality unless we elect responsible men to public office at all levels. Let's elect a governor who will fight to protect the rights of Texas landowners. Bill Clements opposes Federal Land Use Planning and believes that private ownership and control of land is a freedom to be guarded jealously.

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YOUR
VOTE

In order for us to uphold the integrity of the Democratic Party and the office of county judge in Coke County.

VOTE FOR RESPONSIBILITY, DEPENDABILITY AND MATURITY, AS WELL AS EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE.

RESPONSIBILITY to ALL the citizens of Coke County and not special interest groups.

DEPENDABILITY to do the task at hand.

MATURITY to work for cooperation within the county.

EDUCATION (diverse and extensive) B.A. (Psychology/Art), currently completing Master of Science at Angelo State University, Registered Medical Technologist (Bio./Chem.), Registered Radiological Technologist (Physics), currently completing BSN (University of the State of New York external degree program—nursing/education). In anticipating serving as your county judge, I changed some courses in order to have a minor in Education, with emphasis on Career and Occupational Counseling. I would like to be able to offer my services to the young people of this area with no cost to the county.

EXPERIENCE: National and state legislative chairman (ARCRT), Past President TSSRT. I have fought for your rights in Austin and Washington.

KNOWLEDGE is to understand taxation, expenditures and priorities.

ELECT

D. W. (Dub) Sims
COUNTY JUDGE

NOVEMBER 7 — GENERAL ELECTION

A Man With Promise — Not Promises

(Paid Pol. Adv. by D. W. Sims)

Steers Retain District Lead With Big Win Over Eden

The Robert Lee Steers were very happy and Eden was unhappy at the end of last Friday's contest between the Steers and Bulldogs. The Steers came out on the long end of a 13-6 and spoiled the Bulldogs' plans to show their gridiron prowess to a Homecoming crowd. The Steers almost shut out their hosts, as Eden was able to muster six points with only 10 seconds left in the game.

In spite of the Bulldogs' better showing in the statistics, the Steers were the team which crossed the double stripe two times. The yards rushing were almost even, with the Steers ahead six yards, but the Bulldogs piles up 112 yards passing to Robert Lee's 0. The Eden team made 14 first downs to the Steers' 10. Neither team was able to score in the first quarter, but in the

second period Brett Clark went 8 yards for the TD and Buddy Wallace kicked the extra point to make the score 7-0, as it remained until the fourth quarter.

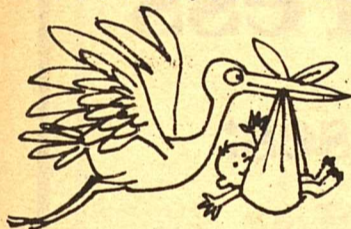
After nobody scored in the third quarter Clark carried the ball in from three yards out for the Steers' second TD. The PAT try failed and the score was 13-0 with 10:35 left in the game.

Eden's lone tally came on a one yard plunge with 10 seconds left on the clock, and the scoreboard said Robert Lee 13, Eden 6.

Clark was the leading ground gainer for the Steers with 33 carries for 156 yards. Terry Ross carried eight times for 31 yards.

In the turnover department Ricky Ross and Darron Williams each recovered Bulldog fumbles, while Kevin Roe had two pass interceptions and Clark had one.

Robert Lee		Eden
10	First Downs	14
170	Rushing Yards	164
0	Passing Yards	112
0 of 5	Passes	7 of 20
3	Interceptions	0
6 for 37	Punts	3 for 34
5 for 55	Penalties	4 for 60
2	Fumbles	2



LOOK WHO'S NEW

Bethany Janay is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Beal of San Angelo. She was born at 11:20 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 19, in Angelo Community Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 12 3/4 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Zeddie Beal and Mr. and Mrs. Willis W. Smith, all of Robert Lee.

Great-grandparents are

R. S. Epperson of Coleman, Mrs. Birdie Beal of Abilene, Mrs. Lois Mae Smith and Mrs. Thelma Mauldin both of Robert Lee. Mrs. John Pevehouse of Buckholts is the baby's great-great-grandmother.

FFA CHAPTER-

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oranges and grapefruit are available in 40 and 20 pound boxes. Forty pound boxes of oranges and grapefruit, mixed, are also available. The 40 pound boxes sell for \$8.50 and the 20 pound boxes sell for \$5.00. The apples are sold in 18 pound boxes for \$8.50.

Profits made from the sales will be used to finance chapter projects. Anyone interested in ordering fruit should contact any Robert Lee FFA member.

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LIONS CLUB MEETING

1 - 3rd Tuesday of each month - 7 P.M. Lions Club Community Center

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Hunting Adds to Rancher's Income

Hunting is big business in Texas. Nearly a million people buy hunting licenses in Texas every year. Ranchers are finding that leasing their ranches for hunting is becoming a major source of income. As hunting is becoming a source of income, ranchers are beginning to consider wildlife management a part of the ranching operation. Wildlife require protective cover. They need a place to hide from their enemies. They prefer to remain in secluded areas during the day and then venture out into the open during the evening, at night and during early morning hours. They need a place to bed down in the shade during hot weather and out of the wind and cold during winter.

One such wildlife management practice helps

in maintaining a protective cover and that is brush patterns. Brush patterns for wildlife are being designed and constructed during brush control. Brush patterns leave about 10 to 30% of brush in pastures. The brush is left to provide travel lanes, escape cover, loafing areas, and browse plants. These brush patterns are usually left on steep slopes and rough formations. On areas of uniform slopes, strips of brush are left from 100 to 300 feet wide, alternating with cleared strips normally not over 1/2 mile wide. Brush strips of 200 feet wide are usually left on both sides of rivers, creeks and drains.

Although game animals receive the most consideration in wildlife management, other wildlife such as the sciss-

ortail, cactuswren etc., also should be taken into consideration, since they too make up a very important part of the over all balance of nature. For more in-

formation on designing brush patterns for wildlife contact the Soil Conservation Service, Robert Lee, P.O. Box 85. Phone 453-2623.



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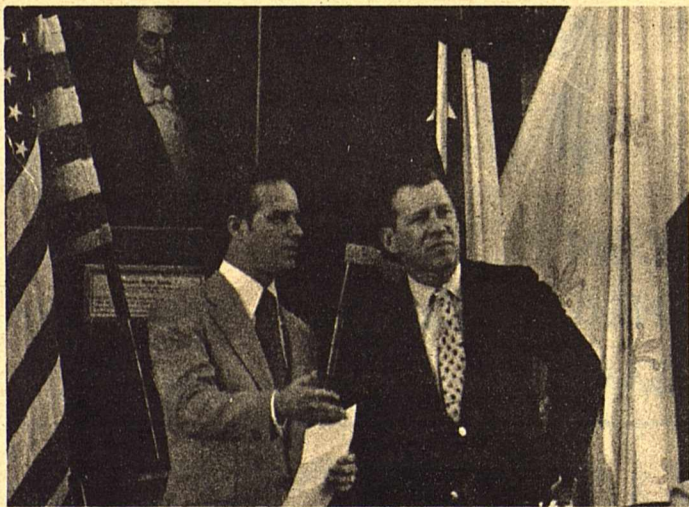
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A Common Sense Democrat

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ALPHA OMICRON NU HAS BUSY SCHEDULE

Members of Alpha Omicron Nu enjoyed an Italian supper at the home of Kathy Post, on Sept. 27. Guests for the evening were Susan Millican, Kathy Jobe, Hazel Abbott, Vickie Yeager, Susan Blassen-game and Laura Mathews. After the dinner, Lynne McIver gave the program on Italy presenting many interesting facts about the country.

Sheri Millican's was the setting for the next meeting on October 11. A model meeting was held to benefit the rushees. A Halloween party was planned for Oct. 30 at the Millicans'. Also due to several conflicts, the group decided to hold meetings on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. While the members enjoyed refreshments brought by Lynne McIver, Nita Gaye Williams gave the program on "Learning to Learn."

The club hosted the October Birthday at the nursing home Wednesday, October 18.

The next regular meeting was held at Debbie Shaffer's October 23. Nita Williams introduced new members, Vickie Yeager, Hazel Abbott, and Linda Link. Members also decided to have a booth at Christmas Light dedications. They will sell crafts they have done and baked goods.

Kathy Post gave the program on "Finding our Place." She gave a card presentation on finding your dreams and aspirations. All members enjoyed fellowship and refreshments served by Nita Gaye Williams.

Lunchroom Menu

Monday, Oct. 30: Chicken Tetrazinni; Green salad; Carrots and peas; Hot rolls and butter; Cookies and Milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 31: Chili-frito pie with cheese; Chopped onion; Sliced pickles; French fries with ketchup; Crackers; Peanut Butter Brownies; Milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 1: Pinto beans with meat;

Mixed greens: Potato salad; Corn bread and butter; Fruit cobbler; Milk.

Thursday, Nov. 2: Bologna-cheese sandwiches; Buttered corn; Sliced pickles; Cupcakes; Milk.

Friday, Nov. 3: Barbecue chicken; Green beans; Whipped potatoes Hot rolls and butter; Cranberry Jello; Milk.

REPORT YOUR NEWS!

NOTICE TO MY PATIENTS

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Are examples of detergent foods, the specialist explains.

REPORT YOUR NEWS!

Homecoming Planned at ASU

Coke County exes of Angelo State University are invited to take part in homecoming activities which are set for this weekend.

The occasion will mark the 50th anniversary of the university.

Festivities will get underway Friday night with a bonfire and carnival. Saturday's program will begin at 10 a.m. and highlight of the weekend will be the football game Saturday night when the No. 1 unbeaten Rams will meet Texas A&I. A dance following the football game will compete the homecoming activities.

PLAN FOR SPRING FLOWERING BULBS---For an array of landscape color from spring flowering bulbs such as crocus, snowdrops and winter aconite, plant now, suggests a landscape horticulturist. Most spring flowering bulbs should be planted in October and November so they have ample time to develop a good root system. But tulips should be refrigerated first at 35 to 40 degrees F. until mid-December.

Texas Theatre

BRONTE, TEXAS

HALLOWEEN SPECIAL

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EVENTS OF 1978

- DEBT:** Congress passed a budget for Fiscal 1979 which contained a deficit of 57.8 billion dollars. The spending of over 1/2 trillion dollars, which it authorized, amounts to about \$2,300.00 for each living American.
- WASTE:** The Department Of Health, Education and Welfare admits that it can not account for 7.4 billion dollars of its 150 billion dollar budget.
- INFLATION:** 11% this Spring, will probably end the year at this level.

EVENTS OF THE PAST TWO WEEKS

- STOCK MARKET:** Down!, for the week ending October 20, more than 59 points. This surpasses a record set in 1929, at the start of the Great Depression, and is the worst drop in 93 years.
- PRIME INTEREST RATE:** 10.25% as of October 23rd, 1978.

WHY??

- BECAUSE:** America's Defense integrity is being "SALTED" away overseas.
 - BECAUSE:** The Carter Administration continues its policy of non-leadership, which threatens to break the fence it straddles.
 - BECAUSE:** A politically "Democrat" and philosophically "Liberal" Congress has, once again, served up a rancid concoction which neither those seated to the "Right" or "Left" of the political table can stomach.
- AMERICA WILL ONLY SURVIVE BY THE INFUX OF "CONSERVATIVE" LEADERS INTO HER GOVERNMENT.**

Please Vote For "Conservatives"

Bill Clements, John Tower and Tom Loeffler

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**WRITE IN
Bud Thetford
FOR COUNTY JUDGE**

As a long time resident of Coke County, and because of my experience as a banker and in the area of taxes, I feel qualified to share with the voters of this county some thoughts about the election of a County Judge.

It is my opinion, and I believe the record bears this out, that Bud Thetford has done a commendable job of managing the affairs of this county during the several years that he has served you.

I believe the nomination of the Democratic candidate was made under unusual circumstances and, had the voters been fully aware of all the facts of the matter, at that time, Bud Thetford would have received the nomination on May 6th of this year.

I further believe that in these times of economic upheaval, change, simply for the sake of change, is an extremely dangerous course for our county to take, and experience would be a big asset in handling the duties of the office of the County Judge.

Please put false rumor and emotion aside and vote for Coke County's best interest on November 7th.

**Write In Bud Thetford
For County Judge**

Pol. Adv. Paid for by B. D. Snead and Other Interested Taxpayers

Tips to Help Save Energy, Money

HOUSEHOLD HEATING AND COOLING:

Get the right size furnace, water heater and air conditioner for your needs. A unit larger than is necessary merely wastes fuel.

With heating systems, set the thermostat as low as you can without sacrificing comfort. Seventy-two degrees is comfortable for most people; each degree over that uses 1½ per cent more energy.

Lower your thermostat at night by several degrees. A night setback clock does this automatically. When

your're away for several days or more, keep the temperature as low as you can without letting your water pipes freeze.

With cooling systems, keep your house at the minimum comfort level. Each degree cooler than 78 degrees uses substantially more energy.

At night, raise your air conditioner's thermostat by several degrees and while you're away, turn off the air conditioning.

Make sure your thermostat is away from heat or cold sources like windows, heating ducts, televisions, lamps, etc. Use an attic fan to help blow out hot air which may compete with your air conditioning system.

Clean your thermostat yearly by removing the cover and carefully blowing away any dust. Keep all air filters clean to make it easier for your furnace or air conditioner to do its job. Check them every 30 days.

Use insulating windows (combination or thermal pane) and doors to help prevent heat loss in winter. If your home is air conditioned, they'll help keep your home cooler.

Make sure you have effective weather stripping throughout your home to help avoid air leaks around all exterior windows and doors.

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Make sure your heat and/or cooling ducts are air tight.

Close the damper on your chimney when not in use. Otherwise, you could be losing valuable heat.

Make sure your home is well insulated. Installing insulation in the walls and ceiling will greatly reduce the energy needed to heat or cool your home. An R-11 rating is the minimum Federal recommendation for walls and R-19 for roof or ceiling area. See your insulation salesman for details.

For a possible energy savings, consider central air conditioning and a window unit in your bedroom. At night, turn off the central system and let the window unit cool your bedroom.

Since many appliances give off heat, try to use them most when the demands on your cooling system are less... early mornings, evenings and cool days.

Make sure all sun-exposed windows have draperies. Let the sun in on cool days and keep it out on warm days to help your heating or cooling system. Insulated or even just lined draperies can help reduce energy consumption substantially. So can awnings.

An extra blanket may allow you to set back your furnace's thermostat at night to save energy.

If your water heater has a vacation setting, use it. The pilot light will burn without igniting the burner to keep the water hot when no one is home.

Don't rely upon portable electric heaters to do full-time heating.

CORRECTION

In last week's story about county court cases, it was incorrectly reported that Rodney C. Gardner was found guilty of possession of marijuana. The Observ-

er regrets this mistake very much and is sorry for any embarrassment to the persons involved.

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Article 7.02 of the Texas Election Code guarantees that each voter may mark his or her ballot, at the Polls, without influence or intimidation.

If you wish to vote a "Split Ticket," simply mark the name of each candidate you wish to vote for, regardless of which party appears above the name, but do not make a mark beside the name of any particular "Party."

The Law provides that your ballot will be counted as one vote for each candidate you have selected.

VOTE THE WAY YOU PLEASE November 7th

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4-H Club Center To Be Dedicated

The Texas 4-H Center, completed in 1975 at Lake Brownwood, will be formally dedicated on November 8, 1978. Special ceremonies will begin at 11 a.m. and will include a "burning of the note" indicating the final payment on the \$1.5 million facility. A special plaque to be placed at the center will also be unveiled.

Attending the dedication ceremonies from Coke County will be Mrs. Fay C. Roe, former County Extension Agent. Keynote speakers on the program will be T. Louis Austin of Dallas, chairman of the Texas 4-H Foundation and chairman and chief executive of Texas Utilities Co. and Grant Shrum of Washington, D.C., executive director of the National 4-H Council.

The 4-H center is owned by the Texas 4-H Foundation which is a nonprofit educational organization that arranges for financial support of the 4-H program. The center is staffed by Extension Service personnel.

Purpose of the center, built solely from private funds, is to provide a setting for training both youth and adults in a wide range of areas but centering primarily on leadership. Since the center opened its doors in 1975, some 8,000 to 10,000 persons have received training annually.

The facility is open the year round, with the summer months devoted mainly to 4-H camps and the school months used for volunteer training. Any organization with an educational program may use the center.

Babysitters confronted with a sick child should call the parents immediately, a family life education specialist, urges. If that is impossible, call the child's doctor or your own doctor.

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THERE IS A Big Difference BETWEEN THE CANDIDATES FOR U. S. SENATE

KRUEGER'S VOTING RECORD Do These Votes Represent Your Views?

Bob Krueger voted FOR:

H.R. 8410 (Passed) LABOR LAW REVISION. Passage gives union organizers strong new legal weapons to use against employees and employers who resist unionization efforts.

H.R. 3744 (Passed) MINIMUM WAGE. Passage raises minimum wage from \$2.30 to \$3.05 per hour by Jan. 1, 1980. Increases in the minimum wage force employers to increase prices or lay off workers, particularly young and minorities.

H.R. 1746 (Passed) RHODESIAN CHROME IMPORTS. Bill halts imports of Rhodesian chrome, forcing U.S. to import higher-priced, inferior-grade RUSSIAN ore.

H.R. 6666 (Passed) LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION ACT. Provides your tax funds for enforced busing, boycott of private businesses, land use controls, homosexual demands, and many more liberal causes.

H.R. 7797 (Passed) FOREIGN AID GIVEAWAY. Totalled nearly \$7 billion, causing Congress to raise the debt ceiling to \$753 billion and adding to our half-trillion dollar deficit. Other representatives questioned the reasons for a bill that places foreign countries ahead of U.S. needs.

H.R. 687 (Passed) MORE HOUSE BENEFITS. Passage increased funds for representatives' home district offices between \$4,000 and \$14,000 above their \$56,500 annual salary, ostensibly for office rents, but funds can be transferred from rent accounts to newsletters, travel and any other expense imaginable.

VOTING RIGHTS ACT OF 1974 (Passed). Disenfranchised 54,000 voters in San Antonio alone, plus countless others all over Texas.

Bob Krueger voted AGAINST:

Amendment to H.R. 5262 (Rejected). INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. Amendment would have prohibited the use of U.S. funds by international lending institutions for aid to Cuba, Cambodia, Vietnam. Krueger voted against this amendment, i.e. - he was FOR funding Communist countries.

Amendment to H.R. 6666 (Rejected). LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION. Amendment would have terminated by Sept. 30, 1979 the Legal Services Corp. which provides money to activist attorneys, most of whom are engaged in supporting left-wing causes, often political in nature.

Amendment to H.R. 701 (Rejected). FARM-FOOD BILL. Amendment would have required food stamp recipients to pay for a portion of their allotment, thus cutting runaway growth of this program.

Amendment to H.R. 6900 (Rejected) MILITARY CONSTRUCTION. Amendment ^{would} have exempted military construction contracts from the Davis-Bacon Act, which sets a "super minimum wage" by importing urban wage rates to rural and suburban America, thus adding \$2-\$3 billion annually in unnecessary federal construction costs.

Amendment to H.R. 10 (Adopted). HATCH ACT. Amendment would have favored protecting government workers from coercion by union bosses and from many forms of political pressuring.

Substitute Amendment to H. Con.Res. 110 (Rejected). TAX RATE REDUCTION. Amendment would provide for a \$19 billion tax rate reduction, thereby providing needed relief for over-burdened taxpayers, and help curb runaway federal spending.

Substitute Amendment to H.Con. Res. 195 (Rejected). HOUSE BUDGET RESOLUTION. Amendment would have reduced revenues by \$5 billion, budget authority by \$26.5 billion, outlays by \$19 billion and deficit by \$14 billion. A yes vote would have been a vote to reduce federal spending and the inflation-causing deficit.

Amendment to H.R. 7555 (Rejected). LABOR/HEW APPROPRIATIONS. Amendment would have reduced OSHA appropriation by \$6.3 million. OSHA has cost business and consumers over \$14.5 billion, while having no statistical impact on workers' safety and health.

Sources: Roll Call Report - Congressional Record House Key Votes Issues Index for 1977

These votes will cost the U.S. Taxpayers billions of dollars.

American Conservative Union gives Krueger a 48% conservative rating on 30 key votes in 1977 and a Cumulative Rating on all votes of 56%.

Krueger's Absentee Record: 1976: 76% 1977: about 50% 1978: 77% Absent

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Extension Service Has 75th Birthday

In 1903 an educator and a group of townspeople got together to plan a crop demonstration on the Walter C. Porter farm near Terrell in Kaufman County. What followed revolutionized agriculture.

The educator was Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, a special agent with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. His work began a movement that has stood the test of time and is still heralded as the most successful teaching method in the history of agriculture not only in the United States but in a number of other countries.

Just as that first cooperative farm demonstration in 1903 provided an opportunity for people to help themselves, so the work of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service continues to disseminate sound information in the fields of agriculture, home economics, 4-H and youth work, community resource development and related areas.

At a special celebration of the 75th anniversary of cooperative farm demonstration work October 12 at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center here, speakers recalled the early efforts of Knapp and the successes that followed his work on the Porter Farm.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who had proclaimed October as Cooperative Farm Demonstration Month in Texas, said, "The spirit of community and individual involvement that was the key to the success of the first farm demonstration is still vital today for continued growth in the agricultural industry. We must all dedicate ourselves to the spirit of involvement that existed in 1903, to build on the foundation that was established then, and to build a land of opportunity and a greater state and a greater agriculture in the years ahead."

Briscoe pointed out that in every county in Texas today successful farm demonstrations are being conducted by the Extension Service to help farmers and ranchers improve their production and profits.

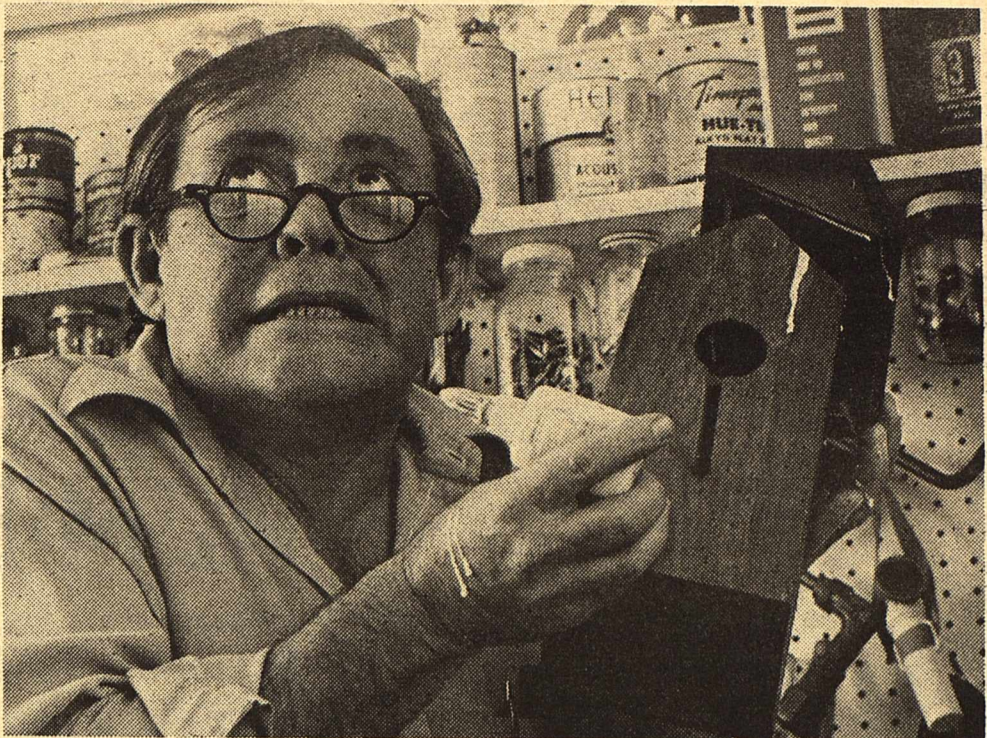
Briscoe was presented five pounds of a new Buffelgrass variety, Llano, to be used in a demonstration on his

Uvalde ranch and was officially named the "150,001st cooperative farm demonstrator."

The presentation was made by Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, Extension Service director.

Texas A&M University President Dr. Jarvis E. Miller praised the work of the Extension Service and cited a number of reasons for its success--forward thinking, dissemination of sound information, involvement of local people (through county program building committees). Partnership at the county, state, and federal level, and innovative and aggressive farmers and ranchers who have used Extension information successfully.

The special anniversary program concluded with brief ceremonies at the Porter farm.



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Bill Clements believes the people of Texas should have the power necessary to ratify or reject tax policies made by legislators.

To establish this power (of the people), Bill Clements will introduce an amendment to the Texas Constitution that would give the people of Texas this right.

Bill Clements' "Taxpayers' Bill of Rights" would:

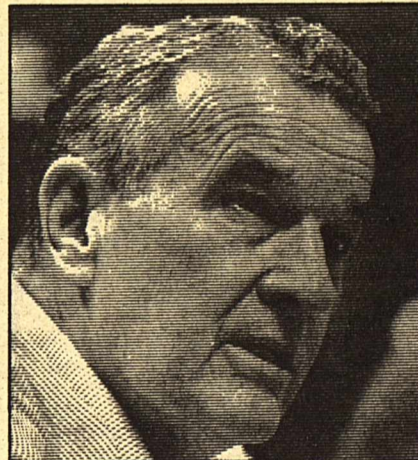
- Give Texans the right of initiative and referendum, a phrase that means we, the people, have a right to vote on the taxes to be levied on us.
- Place a ban on corporate or personal income tax in Texas.
- Require a two-thirds record vote of both houses of the legislature to pass a tax bill.
- Allow local taxpayers to call an election to ratify or reject a tax increase created by a local governmental unit.

Bill Clements believes in Texas and the people of Texas.

Bill Clements thinks that elected officials must work for the people and represent them properly.

As governor of Texas, Bill Clements will work *for* and *with* the people of Texas.

It's about time someone recalled that our form of government was conceived to be a servant of the



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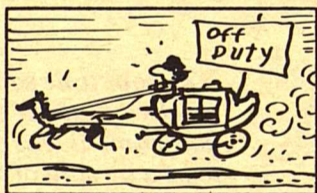
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Coke Kids Work For Bill Clements

Coke County young people took part in "Convoys for Clements" last Saturday as they sought to help Bill Clements in his race for governor of Texas.

Governor Ronald Reagan was in Texas Oct. 19 to kick off the special campaign in Fort Worth.

The kids distributed Clements literature and campaigned for their candidate in Bronte and Robert Lee.

Mrs. Keith Lloyd, chairman of the Clements campaign in Coke County, was in charge of the two carloads who worked in Robert Lee. Mrs. Jim Brunson and Mrs. Jack Cervenka managed the three car convoy in Bronte.

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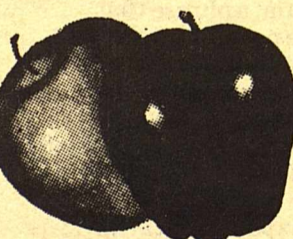
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