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Pioneer Day Set for Friday

Steers Hit Road Friday

The Robert Lee Steers will try their hand at playing football on the road Friday night when they travel to Abilene to play the Wylie Bulldogs. The Steers are hoping to make it two in a row by adding another win to their 32-0 shutout of Bronte last week.

A game with Wylie is always

ASC Committees Named for County

Farmers and ranchers of Coke County have elected a total of 15 ASC community committeemen and alternates in a mail election conducted earlier this month, according to Frank Percifull, chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee.

ASC community committees assist the County ASC Committee in administering farm programs in Coke County, such as wheat and cotton acreages allotments, feed grain bases and agricultural conservation cost-sharing measures. They also keep local producers informed of farm program provisions and regulations.

In addition, the newly elected community committees have an important responsibility in the near future of filling vacancies on the County ASC Committee and determining the chairman and vice chairman for the coming year, Percifull said.

The new ASC community committeemen will convene Sept. 25 at 1 p.m. at the ASCS office in a meeting open to the public. They will elect one county committeeman to serve a three-year term and two alternates to serve one-year terms.

After the vacancies are filled, the community committeemen will determine which of the three regular members of the County ASC Committee will be chairman and vice chairman.

Each of the three ASC communities are made up of three members and two alternates who serve for a one-year period. The candidate in each ASC community who received the largest number of votes is the committee chairman. Second highest is vice chairman; third is regular committee member; fourth and fifth received first and second alternates.

Following are the newly-elected ASC community committeemen in Coke County, listed in the order of chairman, vice chairman, member, first alternate and second alternate:

Community "A"—Arthur Runyon, J. W. Service Sr., T. W. Wiginton, J. L. Tinkler and Curtis Walker.

Community "B"—R. C. Lasswell, James W. Allen, H. L. Enzor, Preston Davis and Billy Joe Luckett.

Community "C"—Finis Harmon, Fred McCabe Sr., Roy Tinkler, James Counts and Cooper Chapman.

a tough proposition, dopesters pointed out, and the Steers are going prepared for a real battle. However, they do have confidence after last week when they got their defense to doing some real hard hitting and proved the defense can really work.

The Bulldogs have a 1-0 season, having played only one game, while the Steers are 1-1.

Last Weeks Results

Bangs took Rising Star, 12-6; Eldorado fell to Ozona, 16-0; Ma-

Lions Sell House Numbers in City

Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club had a successful day in their sale of numbers for houses in Robert Lee. The Lions are on a campaign to get every house numbered in the city.

Lion Boss Bill Beaty said the response to the sale was good and they hope to sell more numbers before the project is closed. Each digit for a number costs 25 cents. Thus, a four-digit house number would cost \$1.00.

The sale of the numbers is only the first phase of the operation and the Lions will return in two weeks to install the numbers for the purchasers.

Anyone who was missed and would like to have a set of numbers for his house should call 453-2724 or 453-2580.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Roane of Valley View and Mrs. Frank Roane of Maryneal. Sunday visitors in the Roane home were Mrs. Margerita Utzman of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, Richard and Jim Bob, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith, all of Robert Lee.

son swamped San Saba, 28-6; Menard fell to Wall, 11-6; Sonora shut out Junction, 27-0; and the Steers downed Bronte, 32-0.

This Week's Games

Bangs at Santa Anna; Eldorado at Llano, Mason will host Junction, Menard will host Early, Sonora will host Reagan County, and Robert Lee at Wylie.

Monroe Services Held at Midland

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Midland for James M. Monroe, 53, who died Sunday morning after a short illness. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland.

Mr. Monroe was a former resident of Coke County, having worked several years on the Harris Ranch.

He was born May 14, 1917, in Coleman County and married Eunice Ilene Stewart in December 1936. He had operated a service station the last three years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, James R. Monroe and Larry Joe Monroe, both of Midland; a daughter, Mrs. Roy Hoover of Midland; his father, E. H. Monroe of Talpa; three brothers, eight sisters and five grandchildren.

Attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rives.

Friday, Monday Rains Scattered Over Coke Area

A heavy rain covered a narrow east-west strip through Coke County last Friday afternoon, with the heaviest rainfall running in a line with the Colorado River. Robert Lee received 1.67 inches, which was enough to inundate the football field for the contest between the Robert Lee Steers and the Bronte Longhorns.

The rain traveled to the east and dumped 2.8 inches on Bronte, then built up to about 5 inches by the time it got to the Maverick Community in west Runnels County.

Less measurement but better distribution came with showers Monday night when heaviest rainfall reported was .6 inch at Sanco. Robert Lee had .28 inch. To the east it rained .5 inch, while Silver and the areas south and west of town all had .3 inch.

A norther blew into the area Tuesday night dropping temperatures into the 60's.

BAND OFFICERS NAMED

Officers of the Robert Lee Steer Band were named at a recent meeting, and include Cockie Hinnard, president; Salvador Longoria, vice president; Ernest Heiford, secretary-treasurer; and Donna Wallace, reporter. Kenneth Mitchell is director of the band.

Coke County Historical Survey Committee will host its annual observance of "Pioneer or Senior Citizens' Day" from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25, in the Conference Room of the Coke County Courthouse in Robert Lee.

"All senior citizens are urged to come participate and enjoy the fellowship," said Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, chairman of the committee.

The Survey Committee is not putting an age limit on those invited. Everyone who is interested in his county's heritage is cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Yarbrough said anyone who can is invited for the whole two hours, but anyone who can't stay is invited to come and stay five or 10 minutes, "or however long you can stay."

She added, "Come by, register, greet the visitors and have refreshments. Let the senior citizens know that you still appreciate them."

BETA CLUB ELECTS

Beta Club recently held a meeting and elected new officers for the coming year. They are Peggy Green, president; Beverly Shandley, vice president; Christi Roach, secretary-treasurer; and Jo Adkins, reporter. The Beta Club is a scholastic honor society.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jones and baby son of Hobbs, N. M., spent three days here last week visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones.

'71 Chevys Show Tuesday

Vaughan Chevrolet Co. of Robert Lee is planning on some big doings next Tuesday when they will show the new 1971 Chevrolets. Showing of the 1971 models will coincide with the 60th anniversary of the Chevrolet Motor Division.

Robert Vaughan and Ben Bessent, owners of the agency, will

have a number of the new cars on their floor for visitors to inspect. They will serve free refreshments throughout the day and will have free gifts for everybody who comes by to look at the new cars.

They issued a cordial invitation to everyone in Coke County and surrounding area to come

by to visit with them.

Vaughan said, "Our new cars reflect Chevrolet's intention to keep pace with the changing needs and preferences of American buyers."

He added, "From the most luxurious full sized Chevrolet ever built to our new Vega 2300 economy car, we have a 1971 automobile to match each customer's life style.

The regular Chevrolet and full size Chevrolet station wagons have the biggest change of any year in recent history. Chevelle has a new front end treatment, Monte Carlo gets added distinction, Nova has a larger base engine and there are refinements for the popular Camaro and Corvette models.

Chevrolet also offers an unparalleled choice of station wagons for 1971—three sizes of wagons, each with a different type tailgate.

Each of the eight car lines has special emphasis upon emissions control.

A large variety of power plants is available, suitable for each of the models and the customer's preference.

New mechanical and safety features combine with new slick styling and real good looks to make the 1971 line the best we have ever had, Bessent said.

Luxury abounds in

1971 Chevrolet Caprice Coupe



The 1971 regular Chevrolets are the most luxurious the division has ever built. There is greater glass area for improved visibility. Glass and body contours are more rounded. Flush lift-up door handles add to body smoothness. The Caprice gets added distinction with a special large grid grille, deep ribbed wheel covers and standard rear fender skirts. Wheelbase of regular Chevrolet is extended 2.5 inches for added riding comfort and increased rear leg room. The body has a new flow-through ventilation system and greater strength double-panel roof construction. The new chassis and suspension system give improved ride and handling. A power disc/drum brake system is standard. New Chevrolets go on sale Tuesday, September 29.



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Austin — State Republican and Democratic parties have put their appeals to Texas voters in writing—via the platforms drafted at their separate conventions last week.

Democrats, party veterans said repeatedly, "wrote the most progressive planks ever."

Republicans put the emphasis on attacking crime, campus disorders and drug use.

Highlights of the Democratic statement of party goals include:

* A far reaching vocational-technical education program, repeal of annual voter registration requirements and substitution of "registration by voting" every four years, opposition to a tax on groceries, a minimum foun-

ation program for policemen with state standards of qualification and pay, state civil service, expansion of unemployment insurance benefits.

* Increase in workmen's compensation benefits, creation of a public utilities regulatory commission, establishment of an office of consumer protection, elimination of the \$80 million a year welfare outlay ceiling, an increase in minimum wage, sweeping insurance reforms and creation of a state management research commission to promote governmental efficiency.

Republican platform highlights are:

* Legislation to end discrimination in state governmental em-

ployment and to insure equal pay for equal work, creation of single-member legislative districts, realistic technical and vocational courses commencing at junior high school level and offered in nearly all high schools, condemnation of forced busing of students to achieve racial balance;

* Opposition to a tax on groceries, later voter registration deadlines, inclusion of all insurance company income in calculating auto insurance rates, admission of oral confessions in trials, and life sentence without parole for murdering a policeman.

AFL-CIO "BACKS" DEMOS—Following the conventions, Texas AFL-CIO leaders "urged" support by labor of all statewide candidates of the Democratic party in the general election.

Decision, AFL-CIO President H. S. (Hank) Brown explained, left union members free to do as they pleased, since there was no formal "endorsement" carrying monetary support or mandatory vote.

Big labor's hang-up was in the U. S. Senate race. Some union spokesmen were reluctant to back Democrat Lloyd Bentsen but were likewise unenthusiastic about Republican candidate George Bush.

Committee of Political Education (COPE) gave "special recognition" to Gov. Preston Smith, Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, Agriculture Commissioner John White and Land Commissioner nominee Bob Armstrong.

MIXED DRINK STUDY URGED—Alcoholic Beverage Commission directed its staff to study liquor-by-the-drink laws before the mixed drink constitutional amendment is voted on Nov. 3.

ABC officials expressed concern that the liquor-by-the-drink law, if approved by the voters and Legislature, be tightly enforced.

Meanwhile, "Texans for Enforceable Liquor Laws," sponsors of the liquor-by-the-drink amendment, announced a statewide publicity and advertising campaign to put over its amendment.

"Texans Who Care" organization will conduct an opposition campaign.

OIL ALLOWABLE UP—Texas Railroad Commission bumped the state oil allowable for October to 87 per cent of potential.

This would be the highest since January 1949. Increase was granted on the understanding of strict compliance with the order directing record allowable.

Order provides for no violation of the no-flare regulations, no gasoline plant processing casinghead gas to flare gas in October, and a curb on excessive brine production.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROGRAM CHANGED — Texas Employment Commission has called attention to a new federal law which will result in the biggest single increase in worker coverage since the federal-state program began.

An estimated 400,000 Texas workers will be covered, and 100,000 more employers will be liable of unemployment insurance tax beginning Jan. 1, 1972.

Federal law provides for payment of extended unemployment insurance up to a maximum of 13 weeks in times of high unemployment. Federal government will pay half the extended benefits—once regular benefits are exhausted.

Bill also makes more jobholders eligible for benefits, makes more employers subject to insurance tax and increases the federal unemployment insurance tax paid by employers who already are covered by the law. About 100,000 jobs in non-profit organizations are added to the cov-

erage in Texas. These organizations employ four or more in 20 weeks of the current or preceding calendar year, and have the option of paying taxes or reimbursing the state for benefits paid.

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES—A person whose photograph is taken for speed enforcement or traffic surveying purposes has no actionable invasion of privacy rights, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has held.

TEXTBOOKS REJECTED — State textbook committee rejected four of six proposed literature textbooks written for minority group students in high school.

Committee chairman expressed disappointment that only one of five books recommended for 11th and 12th grades was specially written to appeal to minorities.

One committee member complained of language used in one of the controversial texts.

WELCOME

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Bill Beaty, Pastor

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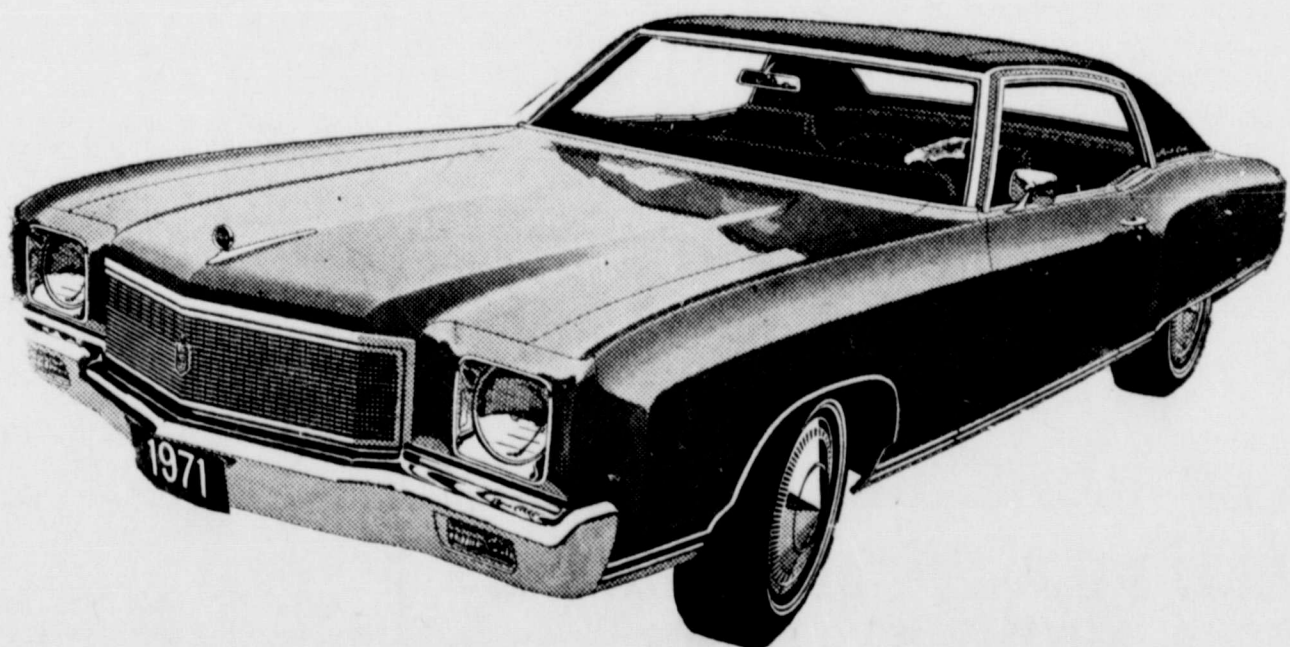
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BLACKWELL HOMECOMING SET FOR SATURDAY

A homecoming will be held at Blackwell High School Saturday, with a full afternoon and night of activities. All exes of Blackwell High School, as well as ex-residents of the community, are invited to attend.

The day's activities will be highlighted by a supper from 5 to 7 p.m. and a football game pitting the Blackwell Hornets against Novice at 8 p.m. The supper will be served by the senior class at \$1.25 per plate.

Other activities include a junior high football game at 3 p.m.; registration and visiting in the lobby of the new gym, from 4 to 7 p.m.; a pep rally at 6:45 p.m.; business meeting of exes at 7 p.m.; and refreshments after the football game.

A homecoming queen and Mr. Ex will be elected during the business meeting and they will be revealed at the half of the football game.

Gaylon Thorn is president of the Ex-Students Association; James Ware, vice president; Anita Hamilton, treasurer; Vonnie Watts, secretary; Troy Pillion and Wade Lewallen, in charge of publicity.

LOS CUERNOS MEET, ELECT NEW OFFICERS

First meeting of Los Cuernos was held Sept. 16 and the following officers were elected: Deone Derrick, president; Margaret Flanagan, vice president; Donny Mauldin, secretary; Richard Guerrant, treasurer; and Marcia Duncan, reporter.

A committee was appointed to investigate dues and future projects. Committee members are Jana Jeffries, Marsha Brown, Kathy McCutchen and Angela Reed.

Other members attending the meeting were: Perry McDonald, Jan Havins, Ynes Lara, Ernest Herford, Jessie Costilla, Alex Costilla, Jo Adkins, Bobby Mumford, Cristie Roach, Cookie Hinard.

Also Bob Wolfe, Rudy Gloria, Bimbo Wright, Danny Percifull, Frank Box, Janet Brasuel, Patti Hearn, Peppy Boykin, Kay McGinley, Donna Wallace and Mrs. Clarence Wiseman, sponsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burch of Snyder were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gregston and family. They all attended the wedding of Darvin Gregston Friday night and a Texas State Guard barbecue Saturday night.

Heart Association Active in County

The American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate, Inc., held its Annual Assembly in Dallas Sept. 18-20. Attending as a delegate from Coke County was Mrs. Kenneth Lackey, president of the local division. Delegates participated in workshops and heard reports on state-wide activities of the association.

New officers elected at the assembly included Dr. John R. Derrick of Galveston, president, and Jerome K. Harris Jr. of San Antonio, chairman of the board. Mrs. Cleo Wilson, R. N., San Angelo, E. Y. Murphy, San Angelo, and Dr. James Webster, Abilene, were elected Representative Board of Director Members from Region 5. It was reported that \$1,340,000 was raised in the 1970 Heart Fund Drive. This money will be used to support additional activities in the areas of research, education and community service to the people of Texas.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, Heart Fund chairman for 1970, announced the acceptance of Coach Darrell Royal of Texas to be the 1971 Heart Fund chairman.

Of special interest at the meeting was the presentation of an award to Sterling County for the highest per capita giving in the 1970 campaign.

Brought out at the meeting was the unfortunate fact that the fight against cardiovascular disease has not been won and "we must continue this battle against the No. 1 Killer." Everyone is asked to continue support of this cause.

A public education project of the local Heart Association was the distribution of "What to Do in the Case of a Heart Attack" at the Robert Lee-Bronte football game last Friday night. "More programs and projects are being planned to help you help your heart," Mrs. Lackey said.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heuvel had as their weekend guests, her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Buck of Washington, Tex., and their daughter, Linda Heuvel, who is teaching school in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Palmer returned home Sept. 15 after spending a week in Eagle Pass with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Palmer. While there they also visited across the border in Piedras Negras, Mexico.

NIECE OF LOCAL WOMAN KILLED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Wanda Glass, 14, of San Angelo was dead on arrival at a San Angelo hospital following a one-car accident Sunday night. She was a great-niece of Mrs. Pearl Schooley of Robert Lee.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning in San Angelo with burial in Belvedere Cemetery there.

Miss Glass was the daughter of Mrs. Eudora Billingsley and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eastman, all of San Angelo. She was a great-granddaughter of Mrs. Rex Lewis of Brady.

The accident occurred at the intersection of the old Ballinger highway and the Bronte highway, east of San Angelo.

Hospital News

Sept. 15: Mrs. Allie Bilbo admitted. Mrs. Lena Russell, Miss Iva Snead, George Conner dismissed.

Sept. 16: Mrs. Annie Mae Cox, Mrs. Ethel Green, Mrs. A. J. Roe Sr. admitted. Mrs. Marsh Gonzalez, Carl Hurley, Mrs. Sherman Williams dismissed.

Sept. 17: Mrs. C. J. Brooks, Mrs. Glenn Roach admitted. Mrs. Daisy Childress dismissed.

Sept. 18: Mrs. Allie Bilbo, Mrs. Glenn Roach dismissed.

Sept. 19: A. J. Roe Sr., Dawn Montgomery, Mrs. Richard Seagler admitted. Mrs. C. J. Brooks, Mrs. Annie Mae Cox, Arthur Gloria, Mrs. Bonnie Walker dismissed.

Sept. 20: Mrs. Mary Payne, V. V. Wojtek admitted. Dawn Montgomery dismissed.

Tuesday morning, there were 10 patients in the hospital and eight in the nursing home.

Crowd Gathers, Honors Visitors

A large crowd gathered Sunday in the home of Mrs. Edna Havins to visit with Charlie, Horace and Ernest Williams and Mrs. Monrovia Maner, who grew up here.

The visitors are the children of Sid and Mary Williams. They lived in Coke County and went to school at Indian Creek. They are cousins of the Williams, Davis and Wallace families. They have returned to Robert Lee few times in the years past, and not until 1968 had they been able to have a reunion with relatives and friends here.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williams, Murphy, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Monrovia Maner, Mr. and Mrs. Don Maynard and children, Abilene; Vestal Maner, Snyder; Tolbert Maner, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wallace, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wallace, Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, Valentine.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hatley, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jay, San Angelo; Laura Jones, Mabel Walker and Virginia Hood, Christoval; Gynna, Sammie and Jolynn Jay, Eldorado.

From Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams, Mrs. Pearl Schooley, Mildred Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Wallace and sons, Mitchell Davis, E. C. Davis, Robert Reese, Ernest Herford, Mrs. Joe Ross, Linda Gayle and Jo Nell Ross, Effie Roberts and Mary Beth Dodson.

The afternoon was spent visiting, picture taking and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox and family of Plano were guests in the M. A. Cox home over the weekend.

Robert Lee BCD Items of Interest

Miss Sheri Pitcock presented the program at Tuesday's BCD meeting and told of her attendance at the Farm Bureau-sponsored Citizenship Seminar at Baylor University in Waco. She was a guest of Prin. Garland Davis.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock of Sanco, Sheri spoke on what she learned of the meaning of this country and what it stands for. She also brought the seven steps in the plan of world communism to bring about the downfall of the United States.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, chairman of the Coke County Historical Survey Committee, gave a report on the marker dedication held Sunday in Sterling City. She announced Pioneer Day which will be held Friday at the courthouse. Mrs. Yarbrough announced that the ground floor of the county jail is going to be used for a county museum, and requested the word be spread that articles for display

are needed. The local chairman pointed out that many going museums had humble beginnings and grew into something of real value to the counties in which they are located. Anyone who has an article to donate to the museum should contact Mrs. Yarbrough or Elton Mims of Water Valley.

Jack Shelley of General Telephone Co. will bring a film presentation for next week's program.

President George Newby presided and 12 members and Miss Pitcock were present.

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Steers Ramble Past Longhorns, 32-0

By Ronnie Baker

What did I tell you? I said last week the Steers weren't that bad! The leather started popping again and the Bumble Bee defense stung the Longhorns into submission. The rain might have dampened some spirits, but the Steers were their old selves on defense. I could go on and on and on, but the Steers know what they did and that's enough said.

First Quarter

Bronte won the opening kickoff and Fields kicked to the Bronte 11 yard line, with a good return to the Steer 47 where the visitors had a 1st and 10. Two quick plays and Bronte made another 1st. Then trouble hit the Horns as they fumbled at the Steer 37 and James Hood recovered.

The Steers couldn't move and they punted from their 42 yard line and the Longhorns took possession at their 20. They lost back to their 14 and decided to quick kick. The ball carried to

the Bronte 45. The Horns held again and Fields kicked a high one to the Bronte 17 yard line. Bronte couldn't go from there and they punted to the 59 from where Mike Mumford returned to the Bronte 31.

The Steers made a 1st at the Longhorn 14 on good runs by the Millican boys, Waldon and Marshall. The Steers drove to the 6 where Mumford made a great fake to Marshall Millican outside and cut back through a big hole in the right side and went in standing up. The try for extras failed but the Steers led, 6-0.

Fields kicked off low to the Bronte 30 to insure no runback. The hard hitting continued and Bronte fumbled again at their 26 with Sid Burns recovering for the Steers. The Millican boys again pounded the middle for a 1st at the 13 and three plays later Marshall Millican crashed through a hole to score from the 4 yard line. The extras failed again and the Steers led 12-0.

Fields kicked off to the Bronte 20 and the Horns returned to their 30. A penalty put the ball on the 20. Bronte fumbled again and again James Hood recovered at the Bronte 15. After one play the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

The Longhorns held on downs and the Steers tried a field goal which was blocked and bounced back to the 30 yard line. Steers held again at the Bronte 29 and the Longhorns punted to their own 49. Bronte then held the Steers at the 41 and Fields punted high to the Bronte 10 yard line and they returned to their 32. Bronte fumbled again with Danny Percifull recovering. The Steers were too eager and fumbled it back on 1st down. The Steers held on downs and the Longhorns punted to the Steer 35 as the first half ended.

Third Quarter

The Steers received the second half kickoff with M. Mumford returning to the Steer 37. They

couldn't move and punted to the Bronte 20 with only a 5 yard runback. Bronte got hit again by the Bees and fumbled at their 30 with Bobby Mumford recovering. But again the Steers messed up on their handoff and fumbled it back at the 26 yard line.

The Steers held at the Bronte 30 and Bronte punted to the Steer 46 with no return. The Steers made a 1st at the Bronte 37 on a pass to Bob Wolfe, then another 1st at the 25. The Steers got to the 9 yard line and Bronte held on downs, aided by a penalty. But they couldn't move and punted to their own 27.

The Steers made a quick 1st at the 2 yard line on a 24 yard run by Waldon Millican with excellent blocking in the middle of the line by Mike Conley and Pat Lewis. Then Danny Percifull crashed the middle for the TD. Extras failed again and the score was 18-0. Fields kicked off with a return to

the Bronte 35 as the quarter ended.

Fourth Quarter

The Steers held on downs and on a bad snap on the 4th down, the Steers got the ball at the Bronte 25. The Steers quickly made a 1st at the 14. Then from the 4, Mumford rolled over left tackle for the score. Danny Percifull ran the extras and the scoreboard said 26-0.

Fields kicked off to the Bronte 20 with a return to their 31. Then the Horns got struck again as Marshall Millican picked of a sideline pass and scampered 35 yards for another Steer TD. The extra point try failed and the score was 32-0.

The subs took over and held the Longhorns well. The remainder of the game was just defense.

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By MRS. FAY C. ROE

There's just one ironic aspect of modern kitchen equipment. It's so easy to keep clean we often abuse it by taking it for granted! Too often spills and splashes aren't cleaned off right away or they are tackled with damaging abrasives. The stains and scratches that result can be avoided if you know just a little bit more about those wonderfully easy-to-keep clean surfaces.

For example, take porcelain enamel—actually a highly durable glass fused on metal—used for such varied equipment as range tops and sides, refrigerator linings, laundry equipment surfaces and sinks. Its surface is smooth yet porous, and acid-resistant, but NOT acid-proof. Translating this bit of "theory" into practice means that it's vital to wipe up any acidic spills such as vinegar, milk or fruit juice immediately. Such stains cause permanent dull spots. Then when the surface is cool, wash with sudsy water using a cloth or sponge, followed by a rinse. If eternal vigilance fails, never turn to an abrasive, because this can damage the glazed finish. Instead, use plastic or other non-abrasive scrubber. Warm water and chlorine or perborate bleach diluted according to package instructions may help remove stubborn stains. In addition to such first aid measures, porcelain enamel surfaces require regular washing with plenty of warm soap or detergent suds and rinses to keep them hygienically clean.

Another popular surfacing material is colorful laminated plastic, which often features such intriguing flora and fauna as leaves and butterflies beneath the surface. These plastics make charming room dividers, counter and table tops, and wall paneling. They are durable, resistant to stains, and also resistant to heat, but only up to a point. So play safe by placing a pad or hot plate between laminates and a hot object, by never using abrasives to clean them, and by not exposing them to bleaching products. Instead, treat them to daily wipings with a well-lathered sponge or cloth to keep them spotless at all times.

Remember that a clean kitchen is as important to your family's health as it is to your prestige as a tidy homemaker.

MISCELLANY

Ponchos Leave Fashion World Punched

The poncho does not seem to know its place. In town or on the beach; over gowns or pants; made of terry, cotton, nylon or wool; it is part of every wardrobe, fall or winter, summer or spring. Big and little girls wear

them, and there's no telling when the opposite sex will discover its comfort and free-swinging style.

Let Soap Banish Bugs From House Plants

Add house plants to the list of things which should be washed with soap and water. According to one entomologist, washing with soapy water and a soft brush or cloth may be all that's needed to remove aphids, mealybugs, and scale insects from broad-leaved plants.

Shirtings That Look and Feel Like Silk

If the men in your life are ready to relegate the white shirts to the Smithsonian you'll be pleased by a new idea in men's fashion. The latest shirtings in peacock colors and textures like fine silks and tapes are as sudsable as the plain whites. Their secret: the new fabrics are blends of polyester and rayon or cotton fibers which duplicate the "Hand," color intensity, and richness of silk. And all are safely washable.

Some of the patterns for more casual wear feature geometrics,

Renaissance figures, or boldness copied from American Indian designs. For the more cautious, there are richly-hued stripes and solids coordinated to work together in shirt and scarf duos.

COKE HD WOMEN ATTEND STATE MEET AT GALVESTON

Mrs. Fred McCabe Sr. of Green Mountain Home Demonstration Club and Mrs. J. C. Boatright of Bronte Club returned Friday evening from Galveston where they attended the Annual Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting. The Coke County ladies traveled from Ballinger on a special bus chartered by delegates from District VII.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe Jr. this weekend were their son, A. J. III, who is a student at Texas State Technical Institute in Waco; their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brown of San Angelo; Mrs. Anna Ray and Mrs. Thelma Ray of Hartsville, S. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Ambers Gibson of Dallas.

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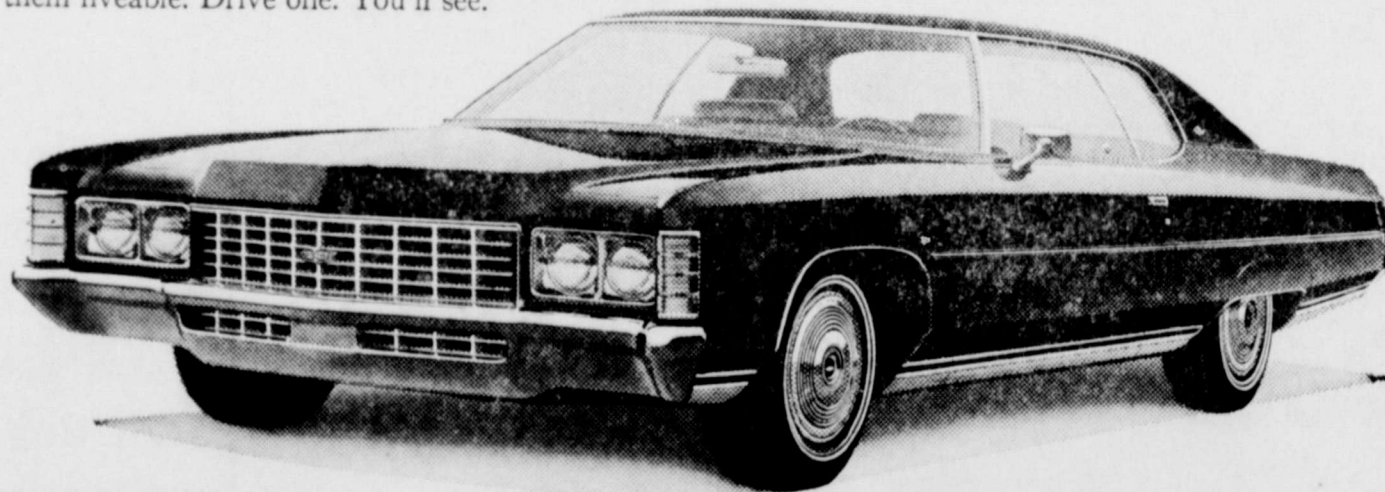
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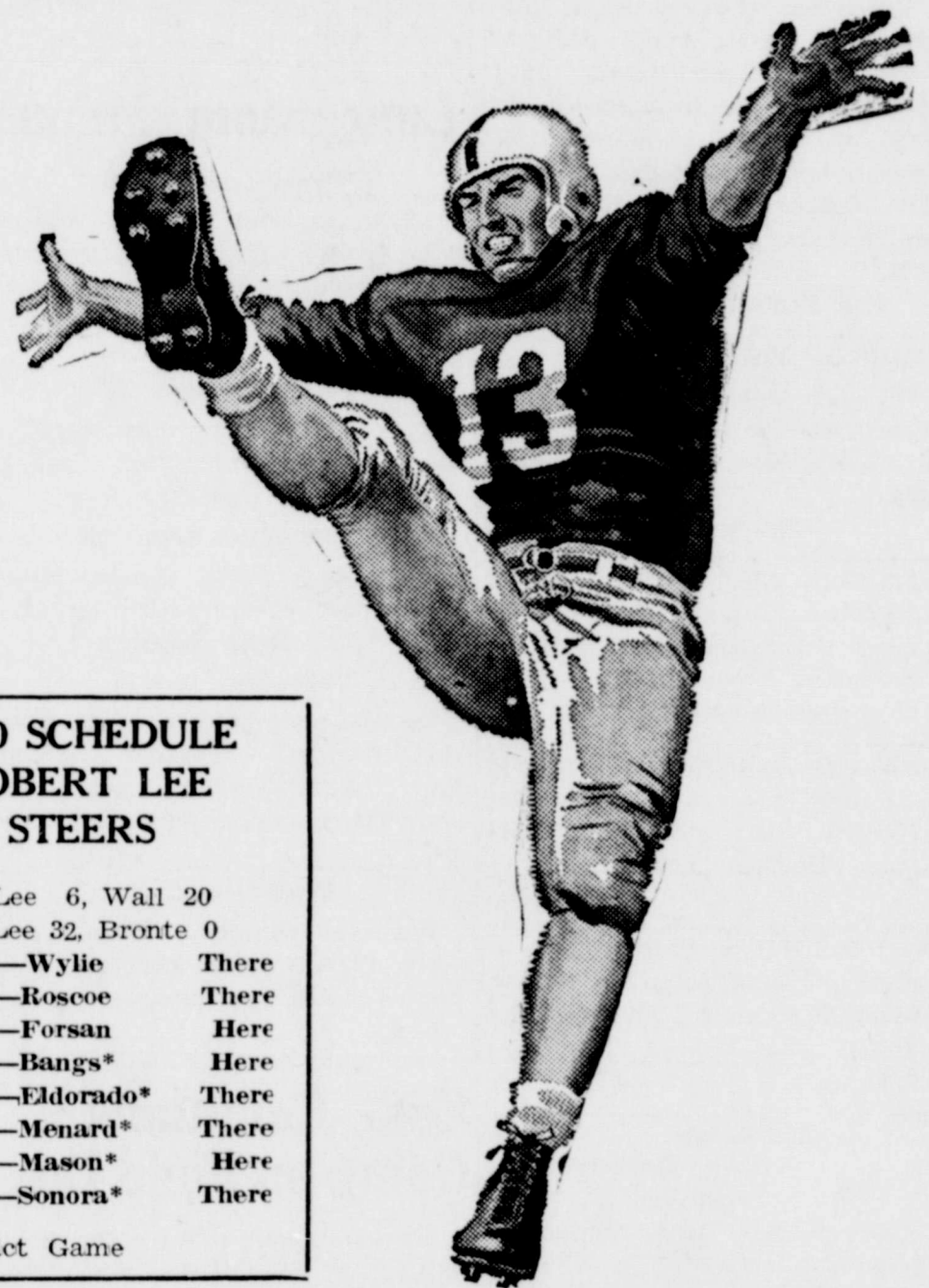
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Lunchroom Menus

Monday, Sept. 28

Macaroni and cheese, black-eyed peas with snaps, peaches with cottage cheese on lettuce, biscuits and butter, milk, pineapple upsidedown cake.

Tuesday, Sept. 29

Tuna Fish sandwiches, vegetable soup, combination salad, milk, banana pudding.

Wednesday, Sept. 30

Corn dogs, navy beans, pineapple and cheese Jello on lettuce, milk, peach cobbler.

Thursday, Oct. 1

Hamburger patties and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, celery sticks, hot rolls and butter, milk, jelly and raisins.

Friday, Oct. 2

Barbecue chicken, buttered potatoe, garden salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, peanut butter supreme.

Coke Countians Going on Field Day

Plans are complete for the field day to be held at the Soil Conservation Service plant materials center at Knox City Wednesday, Sept. 30, it was announced today by the Coke County SCS office.

D. K. Glenn, Joe Rawlings and Rex Brand are among those who plan to attend from the Coke County area.

W. E. Jacoby, SCS District Conservationist of Robert Lee, said guided tours are planned through the 60-acre center starting at 9 a.m. Bus trips will run continually until about 3 p.m.

To get to the center, Jacoby said, you go north of Knox City on Highway 283 about two miles then turn left on FM 1292 for 2½ miles. There are signs at both the turn-off and the center, he said.

Knox City has a new 3,200 foot all weather runway near the center for those who want to fly in. Transportation from the airport will be furnished by the Knox City Chamber of Commerce.

Grass seed dealers, seed growers, conservation district directors, research workers, wildlife enthusiasts, livestock producers and others interested in the search for better plants are invited to attend. The center serves both Texas and Oklahoma and a large crowd from both states is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ross visited over the weekend at Lake Thomas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ross and family.



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