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Everything's Set for the First Annual Coke County Fair

Steers to Try Roscoe Team

The Steers will hit the road Friday night for their first out of town game of the season. They will take on the Roscoe Plowboys

Tea Will Honor Grand Officers

Robert Lee Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, is sponsoring a tea Sunday afternoon, honoring Grand Officers of the chapter. The tea will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Adams.

Officers to be honored include Gerald C. Allen, Past Grand Patron and Member of Purposes and Policies Committee; Mrs. Cora Lee Darsey, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 5; Mrs. Winnie Waldrop, Deputy Grand Matron, District 5, Section 1; Mrs. Ione Allen, Chairman of Library Research; Mrs. Betty Goodman, Resolutions Committee; Mrs. Christine Roach, Time and Talent Committee.

Mrs. Jeffie Roberts is Worthy Matron of the local chapter and Bobby Roberts is Worthy Patron. The public is invited to attend the tea from 2 until 4 p.m.

REGISTRATION TIME SET FOR NURSE'S AIDE COURSE

Those who wish to register for the Nurse's Aide class which is being planned for Coke County should report to the courthouse Friday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Mrs. J. W. Martin, representative of the Bradford Center, Tom Green County Community Action Council, will be present to take applications from all persons who are interested. There is no charge for the course.

Vaughan Chevrolet Invites Public To Inspect New 1973 Chevrolet Cars

The new 1973 Chevrolets will be the main attraction in Robert Lee today (Thursday) when Vaughan Chevrolet will have 14 of the new automobiles and two pickups on display at their place in Robert Lee.

Robert Vaughan and Ben Besant, owners of the firm, said this week they are very pleased with the new cars and trucks. They issued an invitation to everyone in the area to come by an inspect the new vehicles.

Their visitors, in addition to seeing the new cars, will be served free coffee and donuts and there will be free gifts for everyone.

The 1973 group will have three product lines that are completely new from the ground up — the

at 8 p.m. Fans are urged to go along and support the home team.

Harris ratings show the Steers to be slightly favored over the Plowboys. Roscoe has a 1-1 record, losing their season opener but coming back last week to defeat Forsan 14-6.

The Steers should be well fired up after their season opener last week when they defeated the Bronte Longhorns 33-0.

Last Week's Results
Teams of District 9-A fared pretty well last week with five wins and two losses. It went like this: Robert Lee 33, Bronte 0; Eldorado 6, Ozona 34; Junction 13, Carrizo Springs 6; Mason 27, San Saba 0; Menard 7, Rock-springs 40; Sonora 41, Llano 0; Wall 67, Santa Anna 8.

This Week's Schedule
Robert Lee at Roscoe; Iraan at Eldorado; Junction at Burnet; Mason at Ozona; Early at Menard; Reagan County at Sonora; Wall at Jim Ned.

B Team Defense Whips Menard

By Ronnie Baker

Again the B team defense was the difference as they put on a display of hustle to outgo Menard 7-0 last week. They are good and they have pride. You can tell that by watching them.

The defense, as I said, was the difference as Mike Davis recovered three fumbles which were jarred loose by the odd bunch.

Jessie Costillo recovered one fumble and intercepted the pass that went 55 yards for a TD. Herford kicked the EP. They weren't the only ones out there, but the other guys named last week showed they like to hit.

Monte Carlo, the Chevelle and Chevrolet's pickup trucks.

The 1973 Chevrolets feature seven car series, from the top of the Caprice to the versatile Vega.

John Z. DeLorean, a General Motors vice president and general manager of Chevrolet, stated that "the '73 models are substantially improved in roadability, comfort and styling."

"In addition," DeLorean added, "Chevrolet dealers are undertaking a new service program called Service Supremacy, which should result in a giant step toward better service."

All told, Chevrolet will offer 47 passenger car models in '73, eight more than in the previous year.

CHARGE FOR SOCIETY ENGRAVINGS TO BE MADE

Due to the high cost of having engravings made from pictures so they can be printed, we must charge for all society type pictures.

In the past we have charged for a second picture, when both announcement and wedding pictures were printed.

We regret that this policy must be adopted, but it has to be.

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EXPLO '72 Due In Coke County

The opportunity of a lifetime will be offered to residents of the area Sept. 22, 23 and 24, when EXPLO '72 comes to Bronte. Marty Mayer, former Bronte teacher and director of the program, will be in charge of the special study and sharing time.

All ages of persons are invited to benefit from the study, but special emphasis will be placed on youth. Mayer urged all young people to attend. The meetings will be held in the Bronte School Cafeteria.

A special invitation is issued to the young people of Robert Lee to join in this new spiritual experience.

Schedule follows:
7 p.m. Friday: How to Experience God's Love.

9 a.m. Saturday: How to Experience the Abundant Life in Christ. (Bring a sack lunch.)

1 p.m. Saturday: Continuation of the study.

5:30 p.m. Saturday: Fellowship and evening meal.

7 p.m. Saturday: Sharing time and film of EXPLO '72 in Dallas.

1:30 p.m. Sunday: A continuation of Saturday night's meeting, plus How to Live by Faith.

The schedule is not rigid, said those in charge, for "we will play it by the Lord's ear."

Aim of EXPLO '72 is to train others how "to experience the abundant and consistent life in Christ."

NEW PASTOR HERE FOR BETHEL BAPTIST MISSION

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Cuellar moved here Sept. 11 from San Angelo. He is pastor of the Bethel Baptist Mission in Robert Lee.

Rev. Cuellar has been preaching at the local church for the past three months. They have a son, Travis, who is eight months old.

Jarvis Littlefield of Afton, Okla., was elected sheriff of Delaware County, near Oklahoma City. He had seven opponents and won 22 precincts out of 30. Mrs. Littlefield is the former Joan Bilbo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo of Robert Lee. The couple has four sons and one daughter.

Coke County's First Annual Fair will become a reality this weekend, when exhibits of many different kinds will be set up in the old gymnasium of Robert Lee School. A large number of exhibits, big crowds and a good fair are expected.

All exhibits must be in the exhibit hall between 2 and 4 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 21. Perish-

Coke Exhibits Win At Abilene Fair

Several Coke County residents participated in the West Texas Fair in Abilene last week. Most were successful and made a creditable showing for Coke Country in the Big Country Fair.

John Jacobs exhibited a young quarterhorse stallion that placed 5th in his class. In the cattle show Troy Millican, Lynn Gulley and Bob Gulley competed in the horned Hereford division. Troy place 9th with his heifer, while Lynn was awarded 7th and 10th places with his two entries. Bob Gulley placed 6th and 12th with two Hereford bulls and the two placed 14th as a pair in the large Register of Merit Hereford Show.

Bubba Duncan, Sue Lindsey and Lesa Lindsey participated in the swine show. Bubba placed 5th in the heavy weight crossbred barrow class and 5th and 6th in the tough heavy weight Duroc class. In the light weight Duroc class, Sue placed 1st and 2nd and Lesa exhibited the 7th place barrow. Sue's 1st place barrow on hoof was 9th in the carcass contest and top placing Duroc in the contest.

Several entries were made in the exhibits in the fair. Mary Elaine Lackey placed first in the youth division, "FunFair Fashions." Her entry was a two piece school dress. Lesa Lindsey placed first with a tote painted canister set. June Gulley placed third with a ceramic mug set. Mrs. Sterling Lindsey placed first on three entries — a needle-point cornice board, a needle-point pillow and a needle-point picture.

New Fords, Mercurys Go on Display Friday at Ivey Motor Co. Open House

New 1973 Fords and Mercurys will go on display Friday at Ivey Motor Co. in Robert Lee. The local Ford and Mercury dealer will have 15 new cars on display and the public is invited to come by and look them over.

Cumby Ivey Jr., owner of the firm, said this week that he was well pleased with the new cars and believes his customers will be impressed with their elegant styling and good looks.

"We want everybody in this area to visit us Friday and see the new cars," Ivey said. "Come by any time and have a free cup of coffee and donut with us," he added.

This year's new Fords have a fresh front appearance, new sheet metal, and unique features including an optional anti-theft

able items are an exception and must be in the hall by 9 a.m. Friday, when judging will start.

Following the judging, the hall will be opened to the public at 1 p.m. Friday and will remain open until 6 p.m. It will reopen Saturday at 10 a.m. and remain open until 4 p.m.

Youth Parade

A special feature of the fair will be a pet show and youth parade Saturday morning. Youngsters and pets will gather at the courthouse at 9 a.m. to set up the parade. They will march from the courthouse to the school. All sorts of pets as well as various vehicles and costumes are expected to enter the competition. Any young persons up to 12 years old is eligible to enter.

Much enthusiasm has been generated about the fair and town merchants are running an ad in this newspaper urging everybody to attend.

Dogies Lose Game To Big Menard

By Ronnie Baker

The Dogies were sort of out-matched in their game last week with a much bigger team from Menard. The final score was 28-8.

The Menard line averaged 125 pounds to the man and the backs were nearly as big. The Dogies put up a good battle for three quarters but the bigness finally got to them.

The Dogies scored in the 2nd quarter on a fumble recovery in the end zone and a pass to Bobby Duncan for the extras to make their 8 points.

SHOWERS FALL HERE

Robert Lee had .13 inch of rainfall last Wednesday and .26 inch in a shower that fell late Monday evening.

Mrs. Perry Mullis spent the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. S. G. Guthrie, at Brownwood.

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1972 SCHEDULE

Robert Lee 33, Bronte 0
Sept. 22: Roscoe, there
Sept. 29: Merkel, here
Oct. 6: Bangs, there
*Oct. 13: Wall, there
*Oct. 20: Sonora, here
*Oct. 27: Eldorado, here
(Homecoming)
*Nov. 3: Menard, there
*Nov. 10: Junction, here
*Nov. 17: Mason, there
*—District Game

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Steers Outgut Longhorns, 33-0

By Ronnie Baker

Definition—Outgut—To take two teams from Coke County, put them together and may the best team win.

Determination was the Longhorn strong point for almost a half, but the Steer power and aerial show put the Longhorns down, but not without the usual Coke County fight. The Steers displayed an assortment of attacks and with the lay off last week it took awhile to get cranked up. It ought to be in gear now, so go, go, go.

First Quarter

The Steers received the opening kickoff at their 49 on an on-side kick attempt. The Bronte defense held for short yardage and took over on downs on the Bronte 38 yard line. Bronte promptly fumbled and Alex Costillo recovered at the Bronte 43. Longhorns took over.

ing kickoff at their 49 on an on-side kick attempt. The Longhorns made a quick 1st at the Steer 44, but then, going to the air, they had a stray pass picked off by Rowaldt at the Steer 16. Again the Steers couldn't go and Mumford kicked to the Bronte 34 with no return.

Bronte went to the air again and again Rowaldt intercepted at the Bronte 45. The ball went back to Bronte quickly as the Steers fumbled at the Bronte 36.

The Longhorns made another 1st at the Steer 39 and going to the air again, Mumford intercepted at the Steer 40. The Longhorns held again and Mumford punted to the Bronte 20 with a return to the 29. The Horns made another 1st at their 39 on a penalty call as the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

The Steers held and Bronte punted to the Steer 20, with Abalos returning to his 44. Bronte stopped the Steers again and on the punt attempt, it was blocked and bounced back to the Robert Lee 21. Bronte fumbled at the 18 on their first play.

The Steers went to work as Rowaldt mixed his power running backs with some sharp passing and they moved for 1st downs at the 30, the 48 and the Bronte 42, a pass to Sockwell that went to the Bronte 10 yard line. Three

plays later Abalos crashed over from the 1 yard line. The extras failed and it was 6-0.

Abalos kicked off to the Bronte 15 with a return to the 24. The Steers held at the 20 and Bronte punted to their own 46, where it was fumbled and Bronte recovered at that point. The Longhorns made a 1st at the Steer 47 and then fumbleitis set in again with Abalos recovering at the Bronte 45.

The Steers struck again. With the ball at the Bronte 36, Rowaldt hit Randy Flanagan with a pass and with plain old determination, Flanagan dodged, jumped and fought his way to the goal line for another TD. Extras failed again and the score was 12-0.

Abalos kicked off to the Bronte 18 and it was returned to their 36. One play later the half ended.

Third Quarter

Bronte received the 2nd half kickoff from Abalos at their 17, returning to the 27. The Steers were all fired up now and threw the Horns back to the 11. Bronte punted to the Steer 40 with a return to the Bronte 47. The Steers made a 1st at the 37, then Bronte picked off a stray pass at their 25. Bronte got a 1st on their 42 on a penalty and another at the Steer 47. Again they fumbled and Costillo recovered at the Steer 44.

The Steers started another drive, as they powered and passed to the 8 yard line. From there Mumford gutted it off tackle and drove across to score. This time the extras were good as Abalos' kick is true and the score was 19-0. Abalos kicked off to the Bronte 5 and they got a good return to their 36. Bronte made a 1st at their 46 as the third quarter ended.

Fourth Quarter

The Steers held and Bronte punted to the Steer 15 with a return to the 19. The Steers made a 1st at their 30, then at the Bronte 49. Rowaldt hit David Beatty with a down and out pass. Beatty made a good catch and raced to the goal line to score. The extras failed and the score stood at 25-0.

The Steers kicked off to the Bronte 20 with a return to the 31. Bronte fumbled and Copeland recovered at the 30. The Steers moved for a 1st at the 19, then it was their time to fumble and the Longhorns recovered at their 11. But Bronte didn't want it and fumbled it back with Rowaldt recovering at the Bronte 21.

The Steers move for a 1st at the 7, then drew a penalty back to the 19. Short on downs, they tried a field goal which was short and Bronte returned it to their 14. The Longhorns made a 1st at their 26, then at the 37, but they were shaken loose from the ball again as Craig Bessent recovered at the Bronte 39.

The Steers made a 1st at the 14. From the 11 yard line Rudy Abalos circled right end to score for the Steers. A pass to Flanagan was good for the extras and the score was up to 33-0. Abalos kicked off to the Bronte 15 with a return to the 40. Two plays later the ball game was over.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Looney of Oklahoma are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Lula Brown, at Bronte. They visited with relatives and friends Sunday in West Coke Hospital and Nursing Home.

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Oklahoma Rites For Mrs. Vickers

Caddo, Okla. — Funeral for Mrs. William Leroy (Ruby Ellen) Vickers, 76, who died Wednesday at her home, were held Friday at 11 a.m. at the Coffey Funeral Chapel in Durant, Okla., with burial in Caddo Cemetery. Wayne Brooks, Church of Christ minister, officiated.

She was born Ruby Ellen Gilbert, Feb. 9, 1896, in Russellville, Ark. She was married Nov. 7, 1925, to William Leroy Vickers in Little Rock. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Pat Cochran of Midland and Robert Hugh Cochran of Denton; one step-son, Benton Vickers of San Angelo; four daughters, Mrs. J. P. Fisher, Mrs. Roy C. Elliott and Mrs. J. C. Windham of San Angelo and Mrs. Curtis Sockwell of Robert Lee; two brothers, two sisters and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

BACK FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wylie have returned from a two weeks' vacation which took them through nine midwestern states. They made the trip in their pickup with a camper.

They said they saw lots of pretty crops. Some of the high points of their trip were visits to prehistoric Indian Mounds in Iowa, the Corn Palace at Mitchell S. D., and a ride on the last paddle wheel ferry on the Missouri River.

They traveled in Missouri, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Palmer were Saturday guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Palmer of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Dean Williams of San Angelo were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mullis and children of Kermit were weekend guests here, visiting his father, Perry Mullis, and other relatives.

Overnight guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Flanagan were his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Salters of Comanche.

CATTLE SPECIALIST TO GIVE PROGRAM TUESDAY NIGHT

John Beverly, Extension Service reproduction specialist, will present a program in the Robert Lee Recreation Hall Tuesday night, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m.

"We think this is a real opportunity to gain some added knowledge that will help add a calf or two on a regular basis to most herds," said County Extension Agent Sterling Lindsey.

Beverly is one of the leaders in the nation in this field. The past two years he has been chairman of the planning committee for the State Beef Cattle short course at Texas A&M and has worked with most of the leaders in the nation who are concentrating on beef cattle reproduction.

STEER ROPING AT POST TO BENEFIT BOYS RANCH

A steer roping is scheduled for Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 at the OS Ranch, south of Post, to benefit West Texas Boys Ranch.

J. O. Rudd, wagon boss for Coke County, urged everyone in this area to attend the show. Admission price is a \$3 donation to Boys Ranch.

Rudd said donations for the Boys Ranch are badly needed, as money has been coming in slowly.

PERSONALS

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heuvel and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Millican were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Uvalde.

A. J. Bilbo was admitted Wednesday to Shannon Hospital and was scheduled for major surgery today (Thursday).

Kitten Dean arrived home Monday from Austin for a week's visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. Wilson Bryan.

PARKS INFANT'S RITES HELD AT BALLINGER

Graveside rites were held at 10 a.m. Monday in Evergreen Cemetery, Ballinger, for Jackie Flo Parks, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Parks of Ballinger. She died at 5:05 p.m. Saturday in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo.

The mother is the former Jo Alice Evans, a former resident of Coke County.

Survivors include the parents; a brother, Jay Parks; a sister, Jana Parks; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morgan of Ballinger; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Evans of Hondo; a great-grandmother, Mrs. Alice Preslar of Robert Lee.



ROBERT LEE OBSERVER

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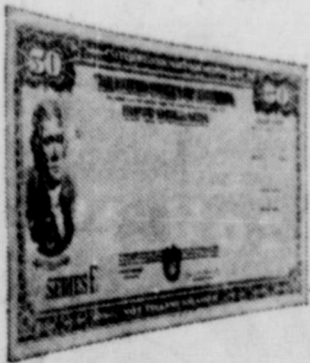
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Robert Lee BCD Items of Interest

Postmaster Hugh Lewis gave a brief talk at Tuesday's BCD meeting on postal services and some of the changes that have been made recently to offer better service.

Lewis said Post Office officials are pushing airmail due to fact that 96 per cent of all air mail is delivered in two days. He said use of air mail and zip codes do more to increase speed of delivery than anything else.

He stated that third class or junk mail is handled only when the employees have some slack time. This helps make air mail, first and second class mail move faster.

Present plans are for first class mail to continue its present rate of 8 cents and 11 cents for air

mail. Second class mail is on a five year gradual increase in rates.

Lewis said the public needs to know that Saturday mail leaves for San Angelo at 12 noon. Sunday and holiday mail leave for Abilene only at 6:30 p.m. with none going to San Angelo.

Mrs. S. E. Adams announced the Eastern Star tea Sunday and W. D. McAdams announced the County Fair this weekend.

Supt. Jimray Bickley announced a Junior High ball game with Wall here at 6 p.m. Thursday. The B team game will follow at 7. The Steers go to Roscoe Friday.

Vice President Bill Allen presided and 14 members were present.

COKE COUNTY WOMEN ATTEND STATE HD MEETING

Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Bronte Home Demonstration Club member and THDA chairman, and Mrs. R. L. Page returned Friday from the State Home Demonstration Association Meeting in Houston. Mrs. Page is chairman of the Coke County Council.

Theme of the 46th Annual Meeting, held in the Astroworld Hotel, was "Stairway to Harmony." There were 632 persons attending the convention.

Mrs. Boatright was selected to serve on the State Health Committee for 1973-74. She will assist with planning activities for the Health Committee of each club in the state. This is an honor for Mrs. Boatright who has been active in Home Demonstration work for a number of years.

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FISHING REPORT from Lake Spence



The following report from Lake Spence covers Sept. 15-18:

A. R. Owen, San Angelo, 10 channel cat, 3 lbs.; Melvin Arnold, Odessa, 1 striped bass, 6 lbs.; Tip Tippet, Odessa, 1 striped bass, 2½ lbs.; George Rogers, San Angelo, five black bass, 2½ lbs.; K. D. Robertson, Odessa, 10 black bass, 3 lbs.; Chilly Tinkler, Robert Lee, 10 black bass, 4½ lbs.; Robert De Woodie, Odessa, 10 black bass, 3 lbs.; James Jennings, Odessa, five blacks, 3 lbs.; Terry Scott, Odessa, 10 blacks, 3 lbs.; W. P. Tadlock, Odessa, eight black bass, 3 lbs.; Ralph Hickman, Odessa, 6 white bass, 1½ lbs.; Mrs. Ralph Hickman, five blacks, 3 lbs.

Also J. L. Henderson, Odessa, five white bass, 1½ lbs.; G. M. Jobe, Odessa, 3 lb. striped bass; David Roe, San Angelo, five black bass, 3 lbs.; Tammy Duran, Odessa, 30 channel cat, 3 lbs.; Lee Cearley, Odessa, 3 lb. strip-

er and seven white bass; Ale White, Big Spring, 10 crappie, 1½ lbs.; Buddy Carpenter, Odessa, 6½ lb. striped bass.

PROJECT FIND TO HELP OLDER AMERICANS

Project FIND, a nationwide campaign to identify and enroll older Americans eligible for Federal Food Assistance Programs, moves into its second, or follow-up, phase this week with the American Red Cross responsible for helping those who qualify to obtain certification for food stamps or commodities.

The Coke County Chapter of the Red Cross announced this week that Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett will serve as project manager of the program in which trained volunteer workers recruited by the Red Cross will assist candidates in this area to apply for food assistance.

Anyone who needs assistance in making application for food is requested to contact Mrs. Luckett.

World Book Encyclopedia

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Cyclo Teacher
Dictionary, Atlas

Mrs. Wilson Bryan
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WELCOME

Robert Lee
Baptist Church
West 11th and Chadbourne
Bill Beaty, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rogers of Lamesa visited here Friday with Will Tubb who is a patient at West Coke Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Askins and Chuck were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Askins and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth.

Mrs. Bonetia Robertson is spending some time visiting in Portland, Tex., with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hester.

Wilson Carwile of San Angelo spent the weekend at Sanco visiting with Effie and Henry Carwile and with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Carwile, who is a patient at West Coke Nursing Home.

Observer want ads are very effective and cost very little.

Ballet Classes To Begin in Robert Lee

Registration Will Be Held
Saturday, Sept. 23

From 2 to 4 P.M.

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Starting at Age 3

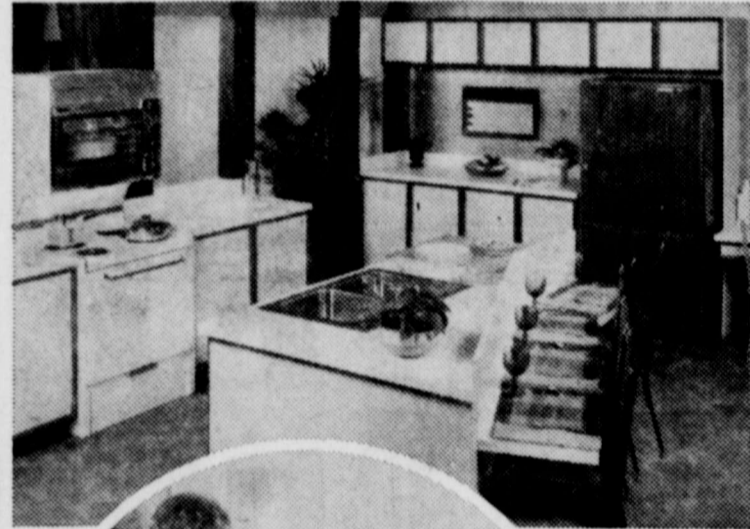
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Automobiles We Will Have
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 SATURDAY 8:00
 and SUNDAY 1:30
 Barbra Streisand
 "On a Clear Day You Can See Forever"
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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all who sent me cards, letters and flowers and came to see me while a patient in the hospital. Thanks to the dear sweet nurses who were so good to do for me and Dr. McDaniel for helping me so much. May the good Lord bless each and everyone.
 Love, Mrs. Lillie Crum.

WANTED: Ironing, \$1.50 mixed dozen. Phone 453-2495. 1tc

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Screwworm Cases Still Increasing

By Sterling Lindsey

Coke County screwworm numbers increased sharply last week with a total of 55 cases being confirmed. The previous week was light by comparison with 22 cases confirmed.

For the year, the number of cases reported and confirmed now stands at 230. Many cases were not found or samples taken. It is estimated the actual number sustained to be more than 700 cases for the year.

No doubt the remainder of the year will be rough for the operators calving, lambing, shearing, etc. Spraying can give some relief, but does not insure complete protection. However, a few operators, using systemic insecticides such as Co-Rol, ruelene, Ronnel, etc., have gotten fair to good control for a period following spraying. The horn fly and lice are bad now, also. Spraying could give some relief from all three. Be sure to follow the directions on the label for best results

SADDLE CLUB HAS EXCITING PLAY DAY

Coke County Saddle Club had a play day Sept. 9 with 12 persons entering three events. Winners were announced as follows:

Key Hole
 Pee Wee Girls: 1. Kathy Ensor; 2. Jana Ragsdale. Int. Girls: 1. Mary Lee McCoy; 2. Barbara Ann McCoy. Pee Wee Boys: Tom Ensor. Junior Boys: Marvin Ensor. Senior Men: 1. J. Lee Ensor; 2. Roy Braswell.

Poles
 Pee Wee girls: 1. K. Ensor; 2. J. Ragsdale. Junior Girls: 1. Wyndell Skinner. Int. Girls: 1. B. A. McCoy; 2. M. L. McCoy. Pee Wee Boy: 1. T. Ensor. Senior Men: 1. J. L. Ensor; 2. R. Braswell; 3. Jim Skinner. Senior Women: 1. Jeanette Skinner.

Barrels
 Pee Wee Girls: 1. J. Ragsdale. Junior Girls: 1. W. Skinner. Int. Girls: 1. B. A. McCoy. Senior Women: 1. J. Skinner. Pee Wee Boys: 1. T. Ensor. Senior Men: 1. J. L. Ensor; 2. R. Braswell; 3. J. Skinner.

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 ROYAL PIE CHERRIES, 300 can - 2 for 59c

STOKELY'S CREAM STYLE

Corn 303 can 19c

DEL MONTE CRUSHED or SLICED PINEAPPLE, natural juice, No.1½ can - 2 for 57c

DEL MONTE FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 can - 3 for 89c

SALAD DRESSING

Miracle Whip qt. 69c

SILK BATHROOM TISSUE - 4 roll pkg. 39c

Gladiola Flour 55c

KEEBLER'S COOKIES. 39c asst. pkg. - 3 for 89c

Hunt's Snack-Pack Gelatin - - - 4 pkg. crt. 32c

BORDEN'S SLICED SINGLES AMERICAN CHEESE - - - 12 oz. pkg. 65c

MEAD'S BISCUITS - - - 3 for 29c

HORMEL OLEO, 1 lb. quarters - 3 for 59c

MEXICAN or ENCHILADA

Patio Dinners 89c

BANQUET FROZEN DINNERS - - - 2 for 89c

GANDY'S PURE ICE CREAM - ½ gal. crt. 79c

GANDY'S FROZAN - - - ½ gal. crt. 39c

CARROTS, 1 lb. cello bag - - - 2 for 25c

CABBAGE, firm green heads - - - lb. 9c

PICNICS 49c 45c

LEE'S WHOLE HOG SAUSAGE - 2 lb. bag \$1.55

BACON 1b. 89c

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Fairtime Funtime

Hi Ho - Hi Ho



Fairs Part of Ancient History

The First Annual Coke County Fair which is scheduled for this weekend in Robert Lee is not the first to be held. Fairs are almost as old as history.

Fairs first came as a peaceful means of carrying on trade between different tribes. Tribal wars were forgotten when different peoples met on the fairground to hold contests and trade their produce and wares.

Ancient Greece and Rome held fairs and the famous (or perhaps now infamous) Olympic Games

were formerly held in connection with Greek fairs. Fairs spread throughout Western Europe and there is a record that a fair was held in France in the year 692.

The Italian traveler, Marco Polo, tells in his writings of fairs which were held in ancient China were so elaborate and colorful that Western Europeans couldn't believe the immensity of the gatherings.

In the British Isles, fairs have been held for more than 2,000 years. Ireland and Scotland ap-

parently had the edge on early fairs. Ireland's history records pagan religious rites which were nothing more than country fairs, and even some of today's citizens can recall the Irish ballad about the Ludlow Fair.

In Merrie Olde England, the first big fair was the Stourbridge Fair which was sponsored by the town of Stourbridge and Cambridge University. At these fairs a message from the king was read to start off the festivities. The king urged the people to "keep the king's peace and make no fray, outcry, shrieking or other noise." Rules about honest weights and measures were also read. Some people doubt the effectiveness of either procedure, since good fellowship and the making of a little extra money were always the way of conducting a fair.

Fairs were known to North America before it was discovered by Europeans. The Aztecs of Mexico held fairs at the end of each week to honor their gods and to conduct a special fair court of law. The greatest fair took place in Mexico City in front of the temple. Cortes' soldiers, who saw the fair, were astonished at its size, orderliness and cleanliness. There were separate sections for each kind of goods, and strict rules about honesty were followed. Items on exhibit and for sale included stone implements, cloth, chocolate, tobacco and garments of feathers.

In America, the Berkshire Agricultural Society, which was organized by a country gentleman named Elkanah Watson, put on a fair called the Berkshire Cattle Show in 1810. Prizes were given for many other products besides livestock.

For the first time women took an active part and exhibited their

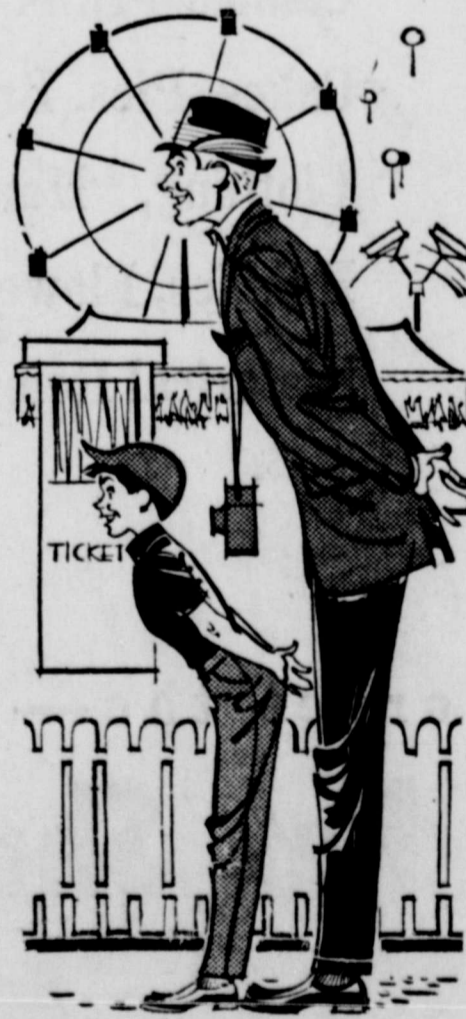
jellies, pickles, mincemeat and other household goods, and received prizes and medals.

This type of fair became a part of the American way of life during the 1800s and continues even until today. Corn huskings, quilting bees, horse races and many other contests have been developed through the years to add spice to county fairs.

Fairs have done much to improve the agricultural development of this country. Friendly competition among neighbors and

friends has been a prime mover in making American agriculture the most productive in the world.

American farmers and ranchmen, and their wives, dearly love to produce a better jar of jelly, a better fat lamb, a more productive stalk of cotton, or a prettier piece of crochet work than anybody else in the county. The first annual Coke County Fair can only make us try a little harder to bring back something a little better for the Second Annual Coke County Fair in 1973.



**Come One
Come All**

TO THE FIRST ANNUAL



COKE COUNTY FAIR

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 AND 23

Friday Hours: 1 to 6 P.M. — Saturday Hours: 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

In The Old Gym - Robert Lee Schools

See the Exhibits . . .

Hundreds of Items

For Both Adults and Youth

Canned Fruits and Vegetables

Cakes, Pies, Bread, Candies

Clothing, Handwork

Hobbies, Flowers

Historical Items

Cotton, Grains

Forage Crops

Sorghum, Corn

Vegetables, Fruits

Antiques

And Many Others

Don't Forget the —

Pet Show and Youth Parade

Saturday Morning — Starts at 9 o'Clock

The Parade Will Begin at the Courthouse and End at the School

Our Congratulations —

We sincerely congratulate all the persons who have worked to make the First Annual Coke County Fair a reality. They all deserve our thanks for bringing about this important event. The Coke County Fair is symbolic of the productivity of our area and we should be proud to show what we have grown on our land and what we have made with our hands. It will be a fine show and we hope every person in Coke County attends. And, of course, we hope hundreds of visitors come by to see the many things produced here. They might also catch a glimpse of the good life which is available to them, just in case they might want to move here.



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Mr. & Mrs. W. D. McAdams

Bryan's Ready Mix Concrete

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Mrs. Winnie Waldrop
County Clerk

Mathews Lumber & Hardware

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Coke County Butane
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fields

Roach's Dry Goods

Add Davis Grocery, Sta. & Trailer Park
Mr. and Mrs. Add Davis

Ross Conoco Service Station

Mr. & Mrs. Weldon Fikes

Bahlman Cleaners
Mrs. P. E. Mahon

Roy's Construction Co.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bazor

Robert Lee Observer

Jones Barber Shop

Reba's Beauty Salon

Lunchroom Menu

Monday, Sept. 25
Barecue sausage, Creamed potatoes, garden salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, fresh oranges.

Tuesday, Sept. 26
Meat loaf, buttered rice, fruit Jello on lettuce, hot rolls and butter, milk, peach upsidedown cake.

Wednesday, Sept. 27
Pinto beans with salt pork, spinach, buttered potatoes, corn bread and butter, milk, and apricot cobbler.

Thursday, Sept. 28
Hot dogs with chili, buttered hominy, cole slaw, potato chips, milk and chocolate pudding.

Friday, Sept. 29
Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, green beans, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, mandarin orange salad.

DATES CHANGED

Jack Phillips and Alton Pyburn, representatives of the Farmers Home Administration, from the Farmers Home Administration of Sweetwater, will be in their office at the courthouse next week on Wednesday instead of Thursday. They will be here on Sept. 27 instead of Sept. 28.

PACK 452 SPONSORING GUN SAFETY PROGRAM

Dea One of Pack 452 is sponsoring a Gun Safety Program for Coke County. The program is in connection with President Nixon's and Governor Smith's proclamations of Sept. 23 as National Hunting and Fishing Day and the scouting program theme, "Citizens," for September.

The following news release from Austin was released this week stating:

Gov. Preston Smith has signed a proclamation declaring Sept. 23 as Texas Hunting and Fishing Day in recognition of the contributions of Texas' hunters and fishermen to conservation and outdoor recreation.

The Governor said, "I urge all of our citizens to join with sportsmen-conservationist in a rededication to the wise use of our natural resources and their proper management for the benefit of future generations. Further, I urge all citizens to visit sportsmen's clubs on Texas Hunting and Fishing Day to learn more about conservation and outdoor skills."

Hunting and fishing license sales in Texas provided more than \$5,700,000 for conservation in 1971.

An Observer want ad will do it.

Hospital News

Sept. 12

Elsie Latham, Mrs. Eugene Gloria, Ouida Scott admitted. Mrs. Marshall Bevan, E. C. Davis, Mrs. V. M. Box, M. L. Smith dismissed.

Sept. 13

H. W. Lanier dismissed.

Sept. 14

Mike Fluhmann, Ouida Scott, Clarence Mitchell dismissed.

Sept. 15

Louis Martinez, Mrs. J. D. Mumford, Russell McBroom admitted. Mrs. Eugene Gloria, Mrs. Roy Braswell, Mrs. Bryan Gartman dismissed.

Sept. 16

Albino Gutierrez, Louis Martinez dismissed.

Sept. 17

Jack Looney, Mrs. O. D. Adkins, Cleve Casey admitted. Russell McBroom, Mrs. Roxie Reeves, Jim Robertson dismissed.

Sept. 18

Mrs. Michael Owens, Mrs. J. D. Harmon, Mrs. Willie Carper admitted. Jack Looney, Mrs. J. D. Mumford dismissed.

On Tuesday morning there were nine patients in the hospital and 27 in the nursing home.

THERE'S HOME TOWN NEWS IN THE HOME TOWN ADS.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

Sept. 21, 1972

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Pruett of Colers, Calif., spent last week here visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Clawson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker were guests Sunday in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker and children, of San Angelo.

Visiting in Austin last week in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson, were Mr. and Mrs. Dave King.

HELP YOURSELF AND YOUR COUNTRY BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

Mr. and Mrs. James Fields of Abilene spent the weekend here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fields and Mrs. Bill Green.

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MINNOWS — WORMS
BLOOD BAIT — SHRIMP

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We invite you to buy direct from us and eliminate a salesman's commission. Compare our prices and quality of work.

It's 1973, and Chevrolet roofs are opening, seats are swiveling, bumpers are retracting, hatches are flipping up.

Did you ever have so much to talk about that you didn't know what to say first?

We're happy to report that's us for 1973. But since everything must begin somewhere...



Isn't it romantic?

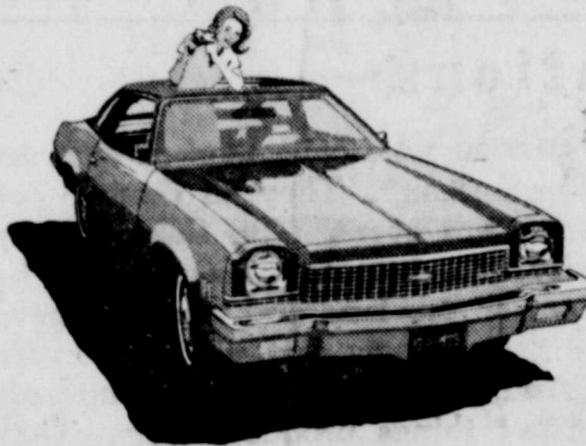
You see that rectangle beaming at you from above? That's a moonroof. Not to be confused with a sunroof. (Although many people will undoubtedly be caught using it like one.) A power roof is available on Chevelle and Monte Carlo; a manual one on Nova.

Bumpers are exciting?

This year's are something to get

stirred up about. One of our new bumpers, for example, is built around twin hydraulic cylinders. So on minor impact, the whole system retracts to cushion the shock.

It's standard on all big Chevrolet, Chevelle and Monte Carlo



New Malibu Colonnade Hardtop Coupe.

models. Nineteen different models to choose from.



New Nova Hatchback Coupe.

Look what we hatched

You know us for our little Vega Hatchback. Now dependable Nova has one. Which literally makes it half trunk with the backseat down. It's a feature as practical as Nova itself.



We've been thinking about your legs

One of the few things people asked us to improve in our popular Chevelle was leg room in the backseat. Well, your knees will be pleased with the '73s. There's almost 3 1/2 more inches in the sedans.

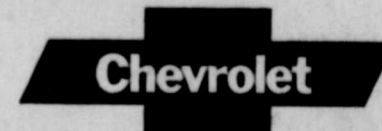
So what else is new

Naturally this is only a taste of what's new for '73.

Among other things, we're introducing larger gas tanks for longer cruising range, a new Exhaust Gas Recirculation system, a hatchback for wagons, and a highly refined flow-through power ventilation system.

Plus a reading light for front seat passengers, improved suspension systems, engines that give you performance combined with gas economy, reclining seats and scores of dramatic styling changes.

We invite you to see it all at your Chevrolet dealer's.



Building a better way to see the U.S.A.



(above) Caprice Coupe. Our new uppermost Chevrolet. Its luxury, comfort and quiet ride rival the most expensive cars you can buy.

(below) Monte Carlo S Coupe. America's newest road car. With the handling of the finest European cars, and the looks and comfort of an American car.

