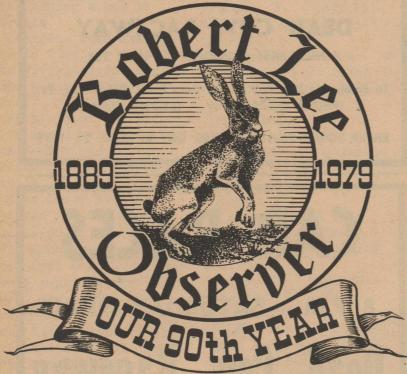
Robert Tee Observer



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Robert Lee Observer Now In 90th Year of Publication

Did you notice a change in our flag this week? The flag of a newspaper is usually the top line that sets forth the name, date and other information.

We decided since The Observer is the oldest continuous business in Coke County and is now in its 90th year, we would dress up a little to celebrate the occasion.

The change really should have been done in the first issue of July, but when one is 90 years old, it's easy to put off to next week the making of change.

Our emblem marking the 90th year of the Observer was drawn by Keith Corley, San Angelo artist and former resident of the Norton and Blackwell communities.

The enlarged version of the emblem printed above will not be run every week, but we do plan to run the small one during the coming year. The Observer was founded at Hayrick and was moved to Robert Lee when the county seat was moved. It has been operated in the county seat of Coke since that time.

We plan to run a short history of the paper in the next few weeks.



LOOK WHO'S NEW

Steven Lance is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Evans of Carlsbad, Texas. He was born July 17 in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo and weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. Janet Evans of Mertzon and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Randolph of Carlsbad. Great-grandparents are Mrs. S.S. Evans of Mertzon and Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Bilbo of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Barbara Billings is visiting with her mother, Mrs. J.C. Harwell, this week.

COUPLE HONORED ON 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bates were honored wit a Silver Anniversary at their home on Lake

The event was hosted by their daughter and her husband, Debbie and Billy Hefner of Odessa, their son, Mike Bates of Odessa, and grandsons Jason and Jerod Hefner of Odessa.

Forty friends and relatives attended the celebration. Out of town guests were from Odessa, Burkburnett, Breckenridge, Lubbock, Big Spring and Jal, N.

Frank Bates and Glenda Maxey were married July 24, 1954, in Odessa by Dr. C.A. Johnson.

REPORT YOUR NEWS

"Ole Coke County" For Tonight, Saturday

first performances of "OLE COKE COUNTY--Home of the Rabbit Twisters" last Friday and Saturday nights were loud in their praise of the historical musical pageant. The production wi-11 be presented again Friday and Saturday nights of this week, and even larger crowds are expected to be on hand for the final two performances for 1979. A report on a popular area TV program dubbed the Coke County production as being in a class with the famous production of "Texas" which is produced at Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo. The main difference it was stated, was not in the quality of the presentation, but only in the quantity of the cast, props, equipment, etc.

The pageant will start Friday and Saturday at 8:30 p.m. and will be presented in the Mountain Creek Amphitheatre at Robert Lee. More than 150 persons are in the cast. Tickets are \$4.00 for adults (those who are 13 and over). \$2.00 for those who are 6-12 years old, and children five and under will be admitted

The pageant was written by Lucile Bryan,

Those who attended the formation contained in a history of Coke County written by Mrs. Jessie Yarbrough. Mrs. Bryan wrote the script and most of the music

128 Are Present For Homecoming Sunday At Silver

A large crowd of approximately 128 persons attended the Silver Homecoming last Sunday.

The invocation was given by the Rev. H.L. Bloodworth, of Silver, and those attending were treated to a barbecue meal and a period of visiting.

A short business meeting was held following the noon meal with Tommy Hendry, president of the Homecoming Association for this year, in charge. J.P. Jameson was elected to serve as president for the 1980 Homecoming with his wife, Marie, to serve as secretary-treasurer.

Persons attending were from Snyder, Wilson, San Angelo, Colorado City, Sundown, Sulphur Springs, Sterling City, Early, Midland, Wall, Carlsbad, N.M., Denver, Colo., Plano, Robert Lee and Silver.

The Homecoming is held on the fourth Sunday in July each year with the 1980 gathering schedulwho used much of the in- ed for Sunday, July 27.

with some assistance from Bonita Copeland and Doak Snead.

Don Masters, former San Angelo television celebrity, is narrator for the two-hour show. Live ragtime piano music by Leroy Moore of Ballinger and fiddle music by Arnold Samuelson of Robert Lee are provided.

Coke County Pageant Association, producer of the pageant, still would like to have more paid memberships in the organization. Several types are available and may be purchased at the city hall in Bronte or Robert Lee. All donations to the association are tax deductible. Everyone is invited to attend the pageant this weekend, Mrs. Bryan said. "We are proud of the production," she added, "and want to share it with everyone in the area and particularly in the county." A concession stand will be open during the presentation.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fowler and daughters, Sherry and Karen, of Alvaredo were recent guests of his mother, Mrs. Helen Fowler, and Janis.

Mrs. Jackie (Marilyn) Smith of Stephenville spent last week in Robert Lee with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wallace Jr. and Buddy. Her husband joined her Friday for a weekend visit in Robert Lee and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith, at Roscoe, before returning to Stephenville.

Kevin Walker of San Angelo is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker.

Recent guests of Mrs. Mary Tubb and Jerome Hanna were Robert Hanna and his two daughters, Mrs. Nellie Ziegler and Mrs. Hubert McMichael, all of Yazoo City, Miss., and Ava Lou. Davis of Killeen.

Robert Hanna is Jer- . ome's grandfather.

party Saturday, July 21, 12 New Housing Units Approved for Robert Lee

The Department of Housing and Urban Develop- located across the strment has approved 12 new housing units for the Robert Lee Housing Authority. The information was received Monday in a letter to Mrs. Golda Smith, executive director of the housing authority.

The letter stated that a Houston firm, Fitch, Holdridge, Bisone & Holcomb, will be developer of the project and will be responsible for it until construction is completed and approved. Then the new housing will be turned over to local management.

The new units will be eet west of the present Robert Lee housing project.

Eight of the units wi-

11 be two bedroom homes,

with two of them constructed to accommodate handicapped persons. The other four units will have one bedroom. Mrs. Smith said she was pleased to have the project approved, since many months have passed since application was made. She said she had no idea when actual construction will start.

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News from West Coke Hospital

July 17: Ella Duncan admitted. Martha McCut-chen, Harmon E. Collins dismissed.

Mary Leach admitted.

Jessie Parrish, Ellis Sims dismissed.

July 18: Peggy Lumsdon admitted. Charles Edward Lumsdom dismissed. July 19: J.Q. Counts admitted. Louise Funderberg, Peggy Lumsdon dismissed.

July 20: Mary Thomas, lic meeting in the Helen Fowler admitted.

J.Q. Counts dismissed.

July 21: No admissions. Lee at 8:30 a.m.

No dimissals.

More information

July 22: Nora Bridges, be announced later.

Bernice Bell admitted.
Helen Fowler dismissed.
July 23: Dewitt Snead,
Mary Leach admitted.
Jessie Parrish, Ellis
Sims dismissed.

LOEFFLER DUE AUG. 16 Congressman Tom Loeffler will be in Coke County, Aug. 16, it

was announced Tuesday.
Plans are not complete,
but the congressman does plan to hold a public meeting in the district court room in the
courthouse at Robert

More information will be announced later.

County Sales Top \$5.5 Million In First Quarter

Gross sales in Coke County for the first quarter of 1979 totaled \$5,514,788, according to a report issued this week by the office of Comptroller Bob Bullock. The sales were made by 78 reporting outlets in the county.

After allowable deductions of \$4,494,657 and the addition of use tax purchases the amount left subject to the four per cent state and one per cent city sales tax was \$1,027,474.

As usual Harris County led the state with \$12. 4 billion. Dallas County was second with \$7.5 billion in sales.

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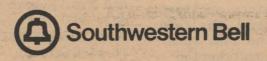
JULY 27 and 28
Beginning at 8:30 P.M.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective August 3, 1979.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 6.09 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.





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'64 Study Club Assists with Coke Pageant

The '64 Study Club, T.F.W.C., is active in assisting with and participating in the Coke County Pageant Association's production of the historical musical pageant "Ole Coke County" - Home of the Rabbit Twisters. The final production for the year is tonight July 27, and Saturday night July 28 at the Mountain Creek Amphitheater in Robert Lee. The ampitheater is owned and operated by the pageant association and is located in the area of the parks and recreation center.

The '64 Study Club voted as one of their projects for the bicentennial year 1975-76 to assist club president at that time, Lucile Bryan, in producing a historical play. This has been one of the club's main projects each year since.

Mrs. Bryan has written the pageant based on a book written by another club member Mrs. Jessie N. Yarbrough. She has, along with Bonita Copeland, composed most of the music for the pageant and serves as director of the entire musical.

Of the study club's 26 members there is 100% participation in pageant and/or the pageant association. Members serve as officers in the association, participate in the pageant as singers, choir director, sell memberships and tickets, take care of the programs, and serve on various other committees such as telephone and communication. Alice Beaty, club member, drew the "Rabbit Twister", and designed the cover for the programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and Joy and Mrs. Jack Mahon all of Eagle Lake, were weekend guests of Mrs. Evah Mahon and attended the Taylor family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Eubanks.



CLUB MEETING

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

Dr. Dan Smith Releases Book

"Food Services," a book by Dr. W.O. "Dan" Smith, has been released by McGraw Hill Book Company.

Smith is an associate professor of distributive education at Angelo State University.

Published as part of Career Competencies in Marketing Series, the work is aimed at junior colleges and high schools which offer training programs for food service employees.

The manual's content ranges from human relations and communications to advertising and management.

Serving as consultants in the production of the book are Jo Hickman of Reagan High School in Austin and Roy Patterson of Estacado High School in Lubbock. Both are teachers of distributive education.

Smith, who joined the ASU faculty in 1974, has co-authored a publication studying the aspects of distributive education teacher programs nationally. Also, he has published professional and instructional journals.

He holds a Ph.D. in vocational education from the University of Minnesota. He previously taught at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, the University of Georgia and in Arlington Public Schools in Texas.

Dr. Smith is the son of Owen and Hazael Smith of Goldthwaite, former residents of Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon
Fikes had their daughters and families home
over the weekend. Included were Mr. and Mrs.
Jimmy (Marion) Stewart
and family and Mr. and
Mrs. Wesley (Farrell
Jean) Washam and children, all of Midland,
and Mrs. David (Elaine)
Miller of Fort Worth.

Four of the grandchildren, Deana and David Baker and John Mark and Jamie Washam, all of Midland, are spending a week with their grandparents.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Zera Fields and Don were Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown and Don Earl of Cleburne, Connie Brown of Fort Worth, and Beth Moore of Cross Plains.

Southside Church of Christ

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 A.M. EVENING WORSHIP ... 6:00, P.M. WORSHIP ... 7:00 P.M. — THE FRIENDLY CHURCH — WHERE THE BIBLE IS TAUGHT

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Answers Given on Control of Fleas

By Sterling Lindsey

We have received a

few calls about fleas in the yard and in some cases, in the home. We had a perfect spring for flea development. The recent rains probably gave another hatch, particularly if you have them in your lawn. Fleas are blood feeders in the adult stage and can become a health problem. In the immature stage, fleas feed on organic matters in the soil. The larvae worm stage of the flea hatches from a samll egg into a pearly white worm about one-sixteenth of an inch long. F1eas produce a new generation every two weeks to two months, depending on weather conditio-

Successful control procedures must include both population reduction and continuing preventive measures. This two-phase control program must inlcude good sanitation and chemical applications as follows: 1. Chemical control of adult fleas on pets and in and around the home is the first order of business. This all must take place at the same time. Wash pets with a medicated soap or dust them with an approved flea preparation. Extend residual kill with a flea collar. It may be desirable to contact a licensed exterminator to treat infested carpets. Use propoxor (Bagon), for spot sprays in the home. Use ronnel, malathion or dursban as an area spray.

2. Treat infested yard areas with carbaryl (Sevin), propoxor (Baygon), ronnel or diazinon. Be sure not to contaminate food stuff or pet feed.

3. Give special attention to treating resting or bedding areas used by pets. Replace old bedding material.

4. To rid fleas from the home, begin with a good cleaning before applying insecticides. Vacuum carpets and remove any debris from cracks and crevices. Be sure to properly discard trash collected in

the vacuuming process. 5. Retreatment of infested premises is extremely important to keep fleas under control Retreat at 10-14day intervals until flea problems have been eliminated. A thorough effort will reduce the number of treatments required.

As with all chemicals. be sure to read the label on the chemical container and follow the label insturctions.

If you would like a bulletin or leaflet on fleas, drop by the County Extension Office and ask for L-1738 "F1eas".

Ticks are very similar to fleas in predation and enviornment preferences. I would keep on the look out for ticks if you have a

pet around the home. We have mentioned the white grub in a previous article - we would like to again mention that now is the time to be checking for white grub infestations. The adults (June bugs) began laying eggs in the soil several weeks ago. The first hatch into white grubs occured between July 10-15. but, some June bugs are still laying eggs. Check your lawn at weekly intervals. Dig in several locations in your yard (preferrably one square foot at each location). If you find two or more grubs per square foot, chemical control measures are suggested. Treat your lawn according to instructions with dursban or diazinon.

If you would like a leaflet on white grub control, give us a ring. We will be glad to mail you a copy.



Things go better when you're ready for whatever happens. A good while before an important occasion inspect the outfit you'll wear. Not having to make frantic, last-minute repairs will help the evening get off to a better start.



Things should also go better in marriage if you're ready for the effects of aging or of occasional stress. To be sure you'll have extra lubrication when you need it to make marital relations more pleasurable, keep greaseless, nonirritating ORTHO* Personal Lubricant on hand.



often believed good luck to dream of onions.

Duncan Reunion Draws Crowd

Decendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. P.J. Duncan, early Coke County residents, met Saturday and Sunday, July 21 and 22, for their annual family reunion at the Robert Lee Park and Recreation Center.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Duncan and Jeff, Mrs. Kelleye Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie J. Duncan, Jeannie and Lynn, Mrs. Janice Fitzgerald and Jill and Ginger, of San Angelo; Mr. Ocie Duncan of Fort Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bert Hare of Amarillo; Mrs. June Baker of Abilene; Mrs. Virgil (Daisy) Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. James Proffitt, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Ellison and Jason, Jeffery and Jeremy, Mrs. Daisy Lee Kane of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Cap Wall, James and Petey Thomason and Tamera, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris of Aztec N.M.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Millard Meek of Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jowers, Danny, Donny and Crystal of Big Springs; Billy Meek of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reese, Carl and Kenna of Euless; Mrs. Pat Webb, John Laws of Conroe; Mrs. Terri Acklin and Bryan, Johnny Squirres of Fort Worth; David Weathers of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Don Bell of Lovington,

Several family friends came by to visit.

HEUVELS VACATION Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heuvel recently returned home after vacationing 2½ weeks with their daughters and other relatives.

They drove to La Porte and visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fields and son, Brad, and were joined by Mrs. Fields

and Brad on a flight from Houston to Philidelphia, Pa. The group went on to West Chester, Pa. where they visited their other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Behan and daughter, Erin, for 10 days. While there, they reportedly enjoyed historical sight-seeing in the West Chester area.

Before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Heuvel also visited relatives in the Houston and Brenham areas.

The World Trade Center towers are 103 feet taller than the Empire State Building. Chicago's Sears Tower is 101 feet taller still, making it the world's tallest building.

ROE'S HAVE VISITORS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Roe Jr. over the weekend were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, Justin and Ashley, of Plano, and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Roe III and Amber of Aurora, Colo. Joining them for a Sun- Mrs. Lendy Devoll and day night visit were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dean, Ronnie Devoll and fam-Annisa and Jennifer of Big Spring. The Roe family attended the Si- Devoll and daughter of lver Homecoming Sunday. Littlefield. Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Roe Jr. have returned from a three weeks' trip to

New Mexico. They attended the International Airstream rally in Las Cruces the first week, then spent two weeks sightseeing, including a visit to Santa Fe, the capital of New Mexico.

Visiting several days recently with Mr. and Lisa were Mr. and Mrs. ily of Edmond, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie

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Vaughan on Savings Assn. Board

Robert D. Vaughan, Mayor of Robert Lee and stockholder of Heart O'Texas Savings Association, has been named a director of the association and will oversee the branch office recently opened in Rob-

Vaughan was born and raised in Victoria. He spent several years as chief clerk and dispatcher for Barnsdall Pipe Line Co. in South Texas. He moved to Eastland in 1941 and owned and operated a Western Auto Store until 1952 when he moved to Robert Lee as the Chevrolet dealer here and retired in January of this year.

Vaughan served as mayor of Robert Lee from 1962 to 1968. During his term the city acquired a new sewer system, the low rent housing district and a considerable update on the water system. He again took the job as mayor when Wilson Bryan, mayor, was forced to resign the office due to press of business.

Vaughn has served as a director of the Upper Colorado River Author-

ity for six years and also as a member of the Chevrolet Dealer's Dallas Zone Council. He is a member of the First are 65 years old and United Methodist Church, over. If you were 65 a past president of the BCD, and while in Eastland, was president of the Lions Club. During the war Vaughan was civilian manager of the Post Exchange System at North Camp Hood, Gatesville, having supervision over 19 PX's and 2 field PX's, approximately 200 employees serving from 25,000- Monroe Family 50,000 soldiers. Vaughan has four years of college, the last two at Texas Tech. He majored in structural and hydraulic engineer-He and his wife Paul-

ers: Eileen Watson of Arlington, Mary Bessent of Robert Lee, Vernay Lomas of Delhi, La., and Paula Vaughan of Waco. Vaughan says that he is proud to represent and serve the Heart O'Texas Savings Association that is dedicated to serving the people of Central and West Texas since 1890.

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ATTENTION ROBERT LEE SCHOOL TAX PAYERS

Recently the Governor signed another tax relief law which will benefit all those who years of age on or before Jan. 1, 1979, you should come by the school tax office and sign an application for this tax benefit. Cut off date is July 31, 1979. This benefit is in addition to the applicati- holding a public hearon signed earlier for homestead benefits.

Has Reunion

Descendents of Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe met for their family reunion Saturday and Sunday, July 21 and 22, at the Recreation Hall in Robert Lee.

The 28 persons present represented the Monroe, Burson, Page and Gilmore families and attended from Silverton, Cleburne, Fort Worth, Arlington, Weatherford, Cross Plains, San Angelo, Abilene, Odessa, Santo and Robert Lee.

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NOTICE BY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

July 27, 1979

I, Reba Roberts, Tax Assessor-Collector for the Robert Lee ISD, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244 c, V.T.C.S., have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three (3) percent by the Board of Trustees of the Robert Lee ISD without ing as required by Article 7244c, V.T.C.S. That rate is as follows: \$1.39 per \$100 of

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It takes its cue from Spanish paella, combining lowcalorie rice with healthful seafood, chicken and green peas, seasoned in the traditional manner and best presented cold and garnished with red, fresh tomatoes.

PAELLA SALAD

- 1 package (6 ounces) frozen cooked, peeled, and deveined shrimp
- 3 cups cool cooked saffron rice* 1 can (8 ounces) minced clams, drained
- 1-1/2 cups diced cooked chicken 1-1/2 cups each sliced celery and cooked green peas
- 1/2 cup diced green pepper 1/3 cup sliced green onions with tops
- 1 cup mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons dry white wine 3 tablespoons capers, optional
- /2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon each garlic powder and pepper

2 medium fresh tomatoes, cut in wedges Thaw and slice shrimp in half lengthwise. Combine with rice, clams, chicken, celery, green peas, green pepper, and onions. Blend mayonnaise with remaining ingredients

except tomatoes. Pour over shrimp mixture and toss lightly. Chill. Use tomatoes for garnish or toss with salad before chilling. Makes 8-1/2 cups, or 6 to 8 servings. * Cook rice according to package directions in chicken broth with a pinch of saffron, turmeric, or paprika.

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Robert Lee State Bank



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July 27, 1979

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More Than 100 Awards Presented To Coke County Rodeo Winners

More than 100 awards were presented to winners in the Coke County Rodeo which was presented Friday and Saturday nights of last week in the roping arena at Bronte.

Contests were conducted in five age groups in divisions for girls and women and boys and men.

Kathy Ensor and Tracie Tomlinson were honored as Senior and Junior Rodeo Queens, respect-

Miss Ensor also received the All-Around Girls award while Kevin Eschberger of Miles received the All-Around Boys award. Runner-Up Girl was Patty Bloodworth and Runner-Up Boy was Bill Palmer of Blackwell. They all received saddle blankets as awards.

The other awards presented winners were: first, buckles; second, halters; third, headstalls; fourth, curry combs.

The rodeo is sponsored each year by the Coke County Rodeo Association. This year's president is J. Lee Ensor. Awards through fourth place included the

following:

8 AND UNDER GIRLS BARRELS: 1. - LaTricia Palmer, 2. - Lori Bloodworth, 3. - Sally Smith, 4. - Paige Knight. FLAGS: 1. - Sally Smith, 2 & 3. (tie) -Lori Bloodworth, Paige Knight, 4. - LaTricia Palmer. POLES: 1. - Lori Blood-

worth, 2. - Sally Smith, 3. - Paige Knight, 4. -LaTricia Palmer. 9-12 GIRLS

BARRELS: 1. - DeeAnn Comolli, 2 & 3. (tie) -Patty Bloodworth, Tracie Tomlinson, 4. -Tonya Scott.

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GIRLS (13-15) BARRELS: 1. - Jana Mc-Mullen,

FLAGS: 1. - Jana McMullen, 2. - Renee' Blackwell.

GIRLS (16-19) BARRELS: 1. - Kathy Ensor, 2. - Wyndell Brosh, 3. - Jana Ragsdale, 4. - Janet Roland. FLAGS: 1. - Lisa Devo-11, 2. - Kathy Ensor, 3. - 3. - Wyndell Brosh, 4. - Jana Ragsdale. POLES: 1. - Kathy En-

sor, 2. - Lisa Devoll, 3. - Wyndell Brosh, 4. - Janet Roland.

LADIES 20 & OVER BARRELS: 1. - Janice Burnett, 2. - Jannie Brunson, 3. - Judy Palmer, 4. - Carolyn Eschberger

FLAGS: 1. - Janice Burnett, 2 & 3. (tie) -Carolyn Eschberger, Jannie Brunson, 4. -Judy Palmer.

POLES: 1. - Carolyn Eschberger, 2. - Jannie Brunson, 3. - Janice Burnett, 4. - Judy Palmer.

8 AND UNDER BOYS BARRELS: 1. - Kevin Eschberger, 2. - Kelly Tomlinson.

FLAGS: 1. - Kevin Eschberger, 2. - Kelly Tomlinson.

POLES: Tie for first -Kevin Eschberger and Kelly Tomlinson 9-12 BOYS

BARRELS: 1. - Bill Palmer, 2. - Craig Comolli, 3. - Ronnie Carlton, 4. (tie) - Chuck Askins, Russell Stone. STEER RIDING: 1. -Tommy Reeves, 2. - Kerry Lee, 3. - Troy Lee, 4. - Craig Comolli. POLES: 1. & 2. (tie) -Bill Palmer, Craig Comolli, 3. - Russell Stone, 4. (tie) - Chuck Askins, Ronnie Carlton.

13-15 BOYS BREAK AWAY ROPING: 1. - Bill Palmer, 2. -Casey Nesbit. BULL RIDING: 1. - Lee

16-19 BOYS TIE-DOWN ROPING: 1. -Jim Palmer, 2. - Richard Long, 3. - Rusty Allen, 4. - Buddy Wallace. BULL RIDING: 1. - Powell Box, 2. - Tracey Nesbit, 3. - Larry Rol-

RIBBON ROPING: 1 & 2. (tie) - Clay Allen, Jim Palmer, 3. - Rusty All-

20 AND OVER MEN TIE-DOWN ROPING::1. Larry Bates, 2. - Bo Wilson, 3. - Marvin Ensor, 4. - Marshall Millican.

GOAT ROPING: 1. - Bo Wilson, 2. Marshall Millican, 3. Bobby Palmer, 4. (tie) - Troy Millican, Wilbern Millican. RIBBON ROPING: 1 & 2. (tie) - Marshall Millican, Larry Bates, 3. -

James Allen, 4. - Bobby Palmer. ALL-AROUND GIRL: Kathy Ensor, Bronte.

ALL-AROUND BOY: Kevin Eschberger, Miles. RUNNER-UP GIRL: Patty Bloodworth, Robert Lee. RUNNER-UP BOY: Bill Palmer, Blackwell. These all received sa-

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By C. Hoke Leggett

Who's the big decisionmaker in your family? Maymaybe you think your spouse is.

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federal regulations are add- (OSHA) has proposed rules ing \$666 to the price of the for controlling noise in the average new car? More than workplace. To comply with eight cents a pound to the these rules will cost industry price of ground beef? Ten \$18-1/2 billion in capital dollars and seventy-five costs and about \$1 billion cents a day to a patient's a year in operating costs. Yet hospital bill? As much as a study commissioned by \$2,500 to the cost of a OSHA showed that earmuffs typical new house?

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Government regulation: getting worth what we're paying?

year. And it's no wonder. where no dust-related health But a lot of the decisions federal regulatory agencies substantiated. OSHA's rush that directly affect the air in fiscal 1979 amounts to to regulation-unless halted

or even the kind of house But I believe every thinking thousands of people to lose you build aren't being made American needs to ask if all their jobs. you or your spouse. of these regulations are They're being made for really necessary? Do their revealed that for every 100 you by an army of more benefits outweigh their workers, the number of than 100,000 government costs? Du Pont, for in- work days lost to injuries or regulators in Washington. stance, estimates that by And they're costing you 1985, it will be spending \$1 plenty: they're costing you billion a year to meet all of rules came into existence! in terms of tax dollars; in its environmental requireterms of the prices you pay ments-and yet threefor products, and the pro- fourths of the money it will ducts you can't find at spend between now and any price. And they're cost- 1985 for pollution control ing you in terms of your will yield no practical bene-

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estimates that government OSHA has announced an regulations currently cost overly stringent standard for of the National Cotton

be you think you are -or in the U.S. about \$600 a even in nontextile sectors, The combined budget for problems have ever been by the courts—will cost over We need some regulation. \$2 billion and could cause

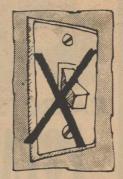
Ironically, a 1975 study work days lost to injuries or illnesses had actually increased since OSHA and its

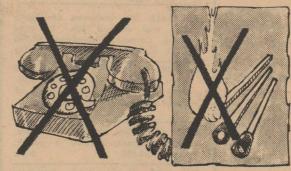
People who work for the Council on Wage and Price Stability—which monitors the inflationary impact of regulations—are frank to say that their experience has convinced them that this country is paying far too much for what it's getting in the way of benefits from regulations.

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