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Steers defeated in regional play

By ROY IVEY

Robert Lee's boys basketball season ended Friday night at South Plains College in Levelland when the Steers fell to Sundown 50-42 in the first game of the Class B-Region I Tournament.

The loss capped a successful season that included the District 16-A championship and a 25-5 record under basketball coach Ed Poehls.

Neither the Steers nor Sundown played well in Robert Lee's final outing, according to Coach Poehls. "We shot 35 percent from the field -- six percentage points below our average," he said. "Our free throw shooting was also below average."

"We were way too passive," Poehls said. "We didn't take the ball to them enough.'

But Sundown had troubles of its own. "They had a lot of foul trouble and didn't do well in the second and fourth quarters," said Poehls. "We outscored them in the second and fourth." Sundown also outrebounded the Steers 24-10 as Jimmy Skinner led the Robert Lee effort with five.

The Steers ran into problems in the first and third periods. "Neither one of us scored in the first four minutes of the second half and then Sundown hit several in a row" said Poehls. "After that, they (Sundown) settled down." Robert Lee scored four points in the third quarter after going into halftime trailing 20-19 with a 13-point second-period effort.

Leading scorer for the Steers points and Kirby Rasco was close added three and Gary Palmer hit

was Jimmy Skinner with 11 with 10. Bobby Boone hit eight, Eddie Hood and Greg Grim scored four each, Darryl Mulkey two points.

"I want to compliment the kids for their hard work and dedication throughout the season," said Poehls. "We also appreciate the parents' efforts and backing during the year.'



The cookies are here! The thirty-second annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale officially began Friday at 4:00 p.m. Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes and Senior Girl Scouts from the 16 counties in the West Texas Scout Council's jurisdiction will be out until March 24 selling cookies.

There are seven varieties of cookies offered this year. They are Thin Mints, Shortbread, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Peanut Butter Patties, Nutty Chocolate Chip, Caramel deLites, and Almond Fudge Creme.

The money earned from the Cookie Sale, the largest moneyearning project of the Girl Scouts, has a three-fold purpose. For the Council, the money goes towards maintaining Council properties and facilities; Camp Boothe Oaks, The Girl Scout Camp located in Sweetwater. For girls within the Council: Cookie Currency may be used for Wider Opportunities, on both the national and international levels. And for troops, the money earned goes toward special projects and activities.

Mountain Creek ABC tourney held

The first ABC tourney of the 1984 golf season was played in nice weather last Sunday, one day before the snow changed all that.

Sponsored by the Mountain Creek Golf Club, entries numbered 30 players.

Ray Meacham, San Angelo, Mickey Pierce, Bronte, and Jackie Walker of Robert Lee fired a 66 to take 1st place.

Second place went to Randal Caussey, Wall, Ernest Ybarra, Robert Lee, and Zane Shipman of San Angelo who shot a 68.

Challenging them for a close third with 69 were Bob Morgan of San Angelo, Clarence Tinkler, San Angelo, and Tony Smith of Robert Lee.

Calvin Sparks, Sr., Johnny Koenig, and Carl Cummins of Robert Lee were the lucky winners in the golf ball drawing.

Bivins, Gardner named Child Welfare Board

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in a regular meeting March 5. The court was called to order by County Judge Aubrey Denman and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Commissioner Millican.

Item one on the agenda was the appointment of Child Welfare Board members to fill the vacancies created by the resignation of Ron Exum and Leta Caston. Commissioner Newby motioned that Gary Bivins and Rodney Gardner be appointed to fill these vacancies. Commissioner Millican seconded and all voted in favor of these appointments.

Item II - The motion was made by Commissioner Tidwell and seconded by Commissioner Millican to participate in the establishment of the Juvenile Detention Center to be built in San Angelo, by paying to San Angelo an annual fee of \$600.00 plus approximately \$50 per day per person when Coke County uses the facility

by Commissioner Luckett and it was seconded by Commissioner Newby that Coke County participate in the Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Supplemental Food Program which provides nutritious foods for pregnant and nursing women, infants and children up to the age of five years who qualify under this program. The vote was unanimous.

Item IV - A letter was read by Judge Denman concerning a grant which Coke County has applied for to update the airport board in Robert Lee and it was the desire of the Commissioners that plans proceed toward the securing of this grant in the amount of \$25,000.00.

Item V - The monthly reports of Tommy Antilley and Debbie Reber were presented for the courts review and they were approved on the motion of Commissioner Newby with Commissioner Luckett seconding the motion. All voted in favor of approval. Item VI - The possibility of economizing on the electric bills, by placing a heat pump in the County Attorney's office to be used at night and on weekends instead of the present heating and cooling system was discussed. The County Attorney, Billy Helwig has offered to pay onehalf of the cost of the heat pump which is estimated to cost approximately \$600.00 for a 13,000 BTU unit. Commissioner Millican made the motion that the county purchase and install this unit with the County Attorney paying onehalf the cost of the heat pump. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Luckett and all voted in the affirmative.

KIRBY RASCO HITS basket for the regional basketball tourn-Robert Lee in the Steers' 50-42 loss to Sundown last weekend in

Scouts holding Family Night

Robert Lee Boy Scout Troop bring his parents to the Scout Hut 461 will have a Court of Honor and family night Monday at 7 p.m. in the Scout Hut at the County Park in Robert Lee.

Several members of Troop 461

to see what is available.

The evening will open with a wiener roast and that will be followed by a short discussion of

ament.

Item III - The motion was made

Five seek hospital posts

In the upcoming Hospital Directors elections, Bill Helwig, J.Q. Counts, George Brickey, M.L. (Pete) Smith and Barbara Chesney have filed to be placed on the ballot. They are running for the expired terms of T.M. Wylie Jr., Wayne McCabe and Steve Oleksiuk.

As of Wednesday morning, nothing has changed on the filings for the city and school elections.

will receive recognition for achievements in the Scouting program and the evening will also include an introduction to Scouting to prospective members.

Any boy who is now 11-yearsold or will soon be is invited to

the Scouting program by Scoutmaster Roy Ivey.

Highlight of the program will a candlelight ceremony in which badges of rank will be presented to boys reaching a higher level of proficiency in the Scouting program.

Sun blanks satellite TV beams

If a favorite show on a satellite caused by a natural phenomenon. afternoon, don't panic. It'll be back on in a minute.

Virginia Whybrew of C&H Services, which serves Coke County residents with cable television said that a letter received from Home Box Office subscription television explained why the TV has been going blank about 3:15 p.m.

According to HBO, it happens every spring and fall and is

cable channel blanks out in the The sun lines up with the communications satellite and earth receiving stations. That, combined with sunspot activity, causes the program to blank out.

> The phenomenon, called a sun outage period, occurs from Mar. 3-12 beginning at approximately 3:15 p.m. every day and lasts from 1-12 minutes.

> So, until March 12, "please stand by."

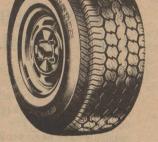
More than 100 attend musical

Well over 100 "listeners" turned out to pat their feet to Coke County country and western music last Thursday night at the new Rec Hall. The monthly musicals have been set up for the first Thursday of each month.

Last Thursday's get-together also combined a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Felix Dozier whose home burned on Feb. 8. The couple received a large number of lovely, useful gifts.

A big group of musicians, including Larry Spivey and his Country Jokers, were present to "pick and grin". Coke County has lots of musical talent and anyone wanting to perform is invited to bring their instruments (or come to sing) on April 5 at the new Rec Hall.





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Scot Long

Long makes TT dean's list

One hundred and sixty students in the College of Agricultural Sciences at Texas Tech University have made the Dean's List or President's List for the 1983 fall semester.

To make the dean's honor roll, students must complete a minimum of 12 semester hours with a gradepoint average of 3.5 or above on a 4.0 scale. The president's honor roll recognizes students who had a perfect 4.0 gradepoint average.

Students making the lists included Michael S. Long of Robert Lee on the Dean's List.



I am somewhat perplexed by allegations directed at our present County government in last week's Observer by a paid political advertisement.

During approximately the past 22 years, my father-in-law has been trying to teach me that "If you can't say something good about someone, then best not say anything at all."

I don't believe politics grant me the privilege to violate this principle. And, I for one believe the current Commissioners Court are doing, and have been doing a credible work. The same can be said for our City government.

Also, I join with the Citizens For Better Government in encouraging all qualified voters to come out and vote on election day April 7.

Sincerely, Bascom Chesney P.S. This letter is unsolicited.

Storage building hit

The Coke County Sheriff's Department reported a onevehicle accident which occurred Saturday night in Robert Lee.

Kenneth Means of Bronte received minor injuries after he lost control of his vehicle at 17th and Bishop and hit a storage building

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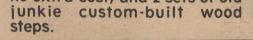
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Joe Ash has recently completed the construction of a crossfence and a pond for livestock and water on his ranch east of Bronte. Dividing the larger pasture will enable each pasture to be rested a part of the growing season each year. This will help grasses such as K.R. bluestem and sideoats grama develop strong root systems and produce more high quality forage. A good cover of grasses such as these help prevent soil erosion and allow more water to soak into the soil.

The pond if 18' deep, and consists of about 5300 cubic yards of storage. These are a few of the practices Ash is applying in his land improvement program. Cost-share will be received on the pond as a part of an LTA contract through the ACP program.

Have you been looking for a way to reduce your feed bills? Mary Colvin of Blackwell has what she believes to be an answer. "You need to have the right number of cows for your place, and move them between pastures", says Mary. She adds that "my cows do better, and the grasses have a chance to grow. When my grass has a chance to grow, that's cheap feed."

Mary has been operating a one-herd two-pasture switch back system for many years now. The result is evident as you look around. Native, high quality grasses such as blue grama,

Notice of Rate Change Request

General Telephone Company of the Southwest, 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 rates in Texas, effective March 28, 1984

The proposed changes in rates will affect all the Company's 829,291 Texas customers who represent all customer classes, and are designed to increase the Company's gross intrastate revenues by \$84,777,000, or approximately 13.34 percent annually

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be plains bristlegrass, and sideoats grama can still be found; as can blue panic, an introduced grass easily grazed out. Mary is not without feed bills, she has protein blocks available almost year round and feeds hay and supplement as needed to make it through the winter months. However, says Mary, my cheapest way is to keep my numbers low enough for grass to grow. She adds "paying for feed is as much work as putting the stuff out."

Many benefits can be achieved with a rotational grazing system. Contact our conservation district representative for further information.

TSTI offers course series

Texas State Technical Institute, in conjunction with the American College of Real Estate, begins its second series of courses, Saturday, February 25.

Real Estate 101 (Principles of Real Estate I) will be offered again this weekend. The thirty hour course costs \$155 and will be completed in two weekend sessions.

Other core courses will be offered throughout the spring, all of which will apply to the 180 hours required to apply for a real estate salesperson's license.

Each course costs \$155 and is taught in weekend sessions. All classes are taught by qualified brokers and attorneys.

For a complete catalog and course schedule, contact the Office of Special Projects at (915) 235-8441, ext. 287.

25 N. Chadbourne

Mrs. Vowell services Mar. 4

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Viva Roberts Vowell on Sunday, March 4, at the Northside Church of Christ, with J.C. Wallace officiating. Burial followed in the Robert Lee Cemetery, directed by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Vowell, 87, died at 3:35 p.m. Friday, March 2, in the West Coke County Hospital.

She was born at Stockdale Aug. 22, 1896, the daughter of Fatima Jane and Merritt Stroud. The family moved to Robert Lee when Mrs. Vowell was very young and engaged in stock farming south of the Colorado River. She attended Robert Lee Schools.

She was married to Eddie Roberts on Feb. 4, 1921 in Robert Lee, where she taught school for a number of years. Later she managed hotels in Ozona and Odessa.

Mrs. Vowell was preceded in death by her husband, Eddie Roberts, one daughter, Luda Clark, and one son, Burl Stroud Roberts.

Survivors include one daughter, Wilma Scott, of Bronte; 7 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Grandsons serving as pallbearers for the services included Don Reichenaw, H.C. Reichenaw, Ray Caldwell, Steve Hines, Tommy Bennett, and Eddie Clark.



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Lake Spence Fishing News

PAINT CREEK MARINA Winners of February contest: Black Bass

1st, Ronald Shoulter, 5 lb. 11 oz., (\$50.00); 2nd Corlis Kirkland, 4 lb. 4 oz.; 3rd Roy Karr, 4 lb. 1 oz.

Striped Bass

1st Arley Barnett, 21 lb. 11 oz. (\$50.00); 2nd Doyle Graham, 17 lb. 9 oz.; 3rd Arlene Hopper, 17 lb.

Also: Darryl Sorey, Odessa, 5 Stripers, (largest 11 lb. 7 oz.). Johnetta Lawrence, Odessa, 1

black bass, 6 lb. 6 oz. Claude Fowler and Jack Hunt, Carlsbad, N.M., 4 stripers, total weight 28 lb. 14 oz.

Gary Payne, Odessa, 1 striper, 7 lb.

Mike Conley, San Angelo, 6 black bass, (largest 4 lb. 8 oz.), total weight 13 lb. 5 oz.

Shirley Braden, Garden City, 1 striper, 9 lb. 15 oz.

Bill Faith, Abilene, 1 small mouth bass, 4 lb. 5 oz.

Doug Watts, Monahans, 3 black bass, largest 6 lb. 15 oz., total weight 16 lb. 13 oz.

Keith Rainer (7 yrs. old), Odessa, 1 black bass, 6 lb. 2 oz. Jimmy Teston, San Angelo, 2 stripers, 9 lb. 11 oz. and 6 lb. 1 oz.

A.V. Greenroyal, Amarillo, 1 striper, 16 lb. 9 oz.

Jean Kennedy, Big Spring, 1 striper, 20 lb. 4 oz.

Donal Barner, Odessa, 1 striper, 12 lb. 10 oz.

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Mark Brunson, 1 black bass, 4 lb. 4 oz. John Blair, Lubbock, 1 black bass, 5 lb. 4 oz.

West Coke Hospital News

West Coke County Hospital District reports the following the admissions and dismissals.

Feb. 28: Verna McDorman admitted and no dismissals.

Feb. 29: Zellah Walker admitted. Verna McDorman, Ronda Wojtek and Joe Mackey dismissed. Ronald Walton expired.

March 1: No admissions or dismissals. March 2: No admissions and

Viva Vowell expired. March 3: No admissions or

dismissals. March 4: No admissions or

dismissals.

March 5: Virginia Haley admitted and no dismissals.

Bilbrey scores 221 in shooting

Kerri Bilbrey fired a 221 in three position shooting, Sunday, March 4, 1984 at Coke County rifle range.

Other junior shooters had good scores in Kneeling and Prone position. In prone: Warren Brasher 75, Jeff Cole 74, Brent McPeek 67, Stephen Epperson 45, Stevie Oleksiuk 44, Jody Brasher 44, and Jason Wink 41. In Kneeling: Warren Brasher 52, Jeff Cole 31 and Brent The mourning is over for the death of Triangle Grocery & Bait. We have taken our black arm bands off.

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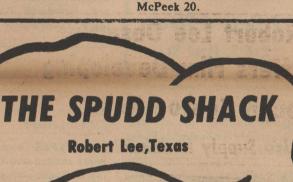
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FOR U.S. CONGRESSMAN **17TH DISTRICT Charles Stenholm** (Re-election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE **66TH DISTRICT Dick Burnett** (Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY **51ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT Gerald Fohn** (Re-election)

FOR SHERIFF COKE COUNTY, TEXAS **Marshall Millican** (Re-election)

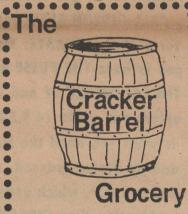
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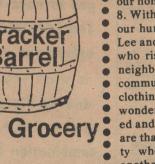
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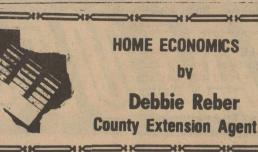
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Fitness - it's the buzz word of the 1980's. It seems that everywhere we hear the advice to exercise, shape up, trim down or keep fit. In the past decade physical fitness has become a high priority goal for countless Texans, young and old, male and female. But in spite of the growing emphasis on exercise and diet, fitness is a goal few people achieve.

How many of us have begun exercise programs at one time or another in our lives? Did our commitment to maintain the exercise last and develop into a healthy habit? Or after losing a few pounds and inches or when the seasons changed or you began to work later did your motivation to exercise regularly just seem to fade away? If so, you're not alone. It's a problem many people experience. How can we deal with the desire to exercise regularly and make it a lifetime habit? Let's consider some guidelines that should help to make fitness a habit that will be hard to break.

Have vou ever experienced the "lead in your feet" syndrome? You're trying to convince yourself that you want to be playing tennis or jogging but your feet won't movel You've probably forgotten to warm up! All fitness programs should include 5 to 10 minutes of warm up exercises before the actual work out or training period. Then following your exercise session a 5 to 10 minute cool down lets your body gradually return to normal and helps prevent muscle cramps and sudden dizziness. In general, the more strenuous the fitness activity the longer and more vigorous the warm up period should be. A warm up period helps to raise body temperature and make the muscles and joints more flexible so they move more easily. It decreases the likelihood of straining or pulling a cold stiff muscle. A good rule of thumb is to use the main principal body joints through their full range of motion. (Refer to Hand-

out 1) Stretching exercises should be done slowly and deliberately allowing the muscles to relax and let go. Vigorous bouncing, bobbing and pulling in an attempt to stretch out tight muscles defeats your purpose. It confuses the muscles by sending out conflicting messages. When doing stretching exercises (for example: bending or twisting at the waist or touching your toes) more slowly; when the first sign of tension occurs, hold that position for several seconds, then relax. Repeat the exercise several times.

The next phase of an exercise program after warm up is called the training period. It's important here to remember that the key to any physical fitness program is to plan a reasonable schedule. Begin slowly, gradually building up endurance and speed. Always avoid overdoing it! If you do too much too soon, your muscles will become sore and there is a possibility of injury. And if your muscles ache the next day, you're not going to want to exercise. Don't set expectations too high for yourself

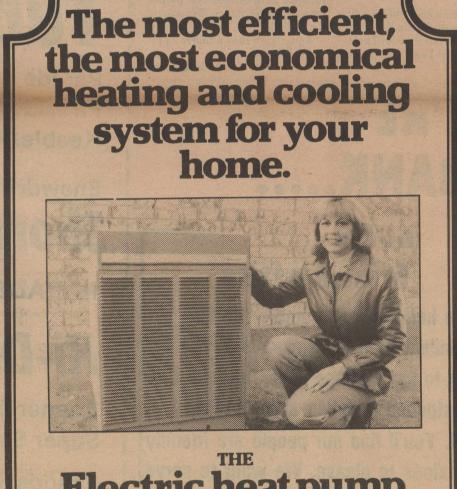
at the beginning or you'll become discouraged and discontinue your new routine altogether.

Although it's important to push harder as you progress. improvements should be made one step at a time. Muscle cells grow just so fast. Your circulation and breathing capacity will improve just so quickly. Let your body set the pace. If you want to make physical activity a part of your life, make your experiences enjoyable.

The third and last phase of an exercise program is the cool down. This allows the body muscles to relax. Cooling down is really just warming up in reverse. It gently returns your body to a less active state, helps prevent muscle cramps and sudden dizziness. The best way to cool down is to simply slow down your activity. For example, if you've been jogging, walk for a few minutes; if you've been swimming slow down your pace through the water. Or you could do some of the stretching exercises included in handout 1 to cool down. About 5 to 10 minutes should be devoted to cool down. You know you have cooled down enough when your heart rate is back to within 20 to 30 beats of your resting heart rate.

SHAPE UP SENSIBLY exercise classes will be taught in the Old Recreation Building from 5:15 to 6:00 Tuesday and Thursday afternoon through March and April. The first class will be March 8. Please call the Extension Office to register.







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Hereford in Sun **Oil commercial**

Doug Herford, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Herford of Robert Lee, appeared in a Sun Company advertisement shown on all three major television networks on February 20 during the Iowa Caucus news specials.

Sun Company is beginning a new advertising campaign that will feature Sun employees.

Doug is working on the offshore platforms after transferring there from the Silver Gas Plant last November. The commercials

Lees celebrate **50th anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lee of 3117 Webster St. in San Angelo were honored last Friday evening on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Their children hosted a family dinner at Zentner's Daughter's Steak House.

Mae J. Stilwell was married to Steve G. Lee Feb. 24, 1934 in Tucumcari, N.M. The couple moved to Texas in 1945. Mr. Lee was engaged in oil field work as a driller and pumper until his retirement from Tucker Drilling Company in 1975.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee lived in Robert Lee for several years in the '50's. Most of their children were born here and they attended Robert Lee Schools. They moved to San Angelo in 1957.

Mrs. Lee's hobbies are sewing, quilting, and painting. Mr. Lee is enjoying his retirement fishing and hunting.

Their children are Wilbert Lee, Bobby Lee, both of Dinuba, CA., Billy Lee of Grand Prairie, Thomas Lee, Eddie Lee, and Jewel Yarbrough.

took two days to film and he can be recognized in the fast moving activities in which he appears by the headset he is wearing.

The 30-second ads will run a total of 164 times on all three major networks during their coverage of major election events, including primaries, conventions, election night, and the inauguration.

The first ads of the three-year, \$20 million campaign were shot in the Santa Barbara Channel off the coast of Ventura, California.

Doug said the filming and the appearing in the commercial was an interesting and exciting experience.

Blood Pressure Clinic Saturday

Our monthly free Blood Pressure Clinic will be held Saturday, March 10, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m., at the West Texas Utilities building. Called the "silent killer", high blood pressure often projects symptoms of other diseases before its detection. Many don't realize they are having problems until damage is done. Keep yours checked regularly!

Sunday, March 11 will mark a training session for our group from 2-5 p.m.

The next regular board meeting will be held at the Ranch House at 6:30 p.m.

Our group still has Corn Gold Sausage for sale. This good lean sausage is in pre-formed patties for your convenience. See any of the EMT's.

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