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Christmas Lighting Event Planned Saturday Night

Saturday will be a busy day for residents of Robert Lee and the surrounding area. A night of festivity is planned in connection with the formal lighting of the new Christmas lights and decorations which have been purchased for the city. Earlier in the day, there will be a dedication program for the newly renovated building which houses the Coke County Library. The event is being sponsored by Alpha Kappa Pi sorority, whose members raised the money for purchasing the new Christmas lights. A parade starting at 5:30 p.m. will kick off the night's program. The parade is mostly for youngsters in the area. It will start at Bahlman Cleaners and continue into the downtown area. Participants will be judged on costumes and originality of transportation, and prizes will

Awards Made At 4-H Program

The Coke County 4-H Awards supper was held in the Robert Lee School lunchroom on Monday night, Nov. 6, with 60 club members, parents and guests in attendance. A total of 91 awards, year pins and leader certificates were presented to the members and leaders for their accomplishments during the past year. The program was conducted by the 4-H Club members with Bob Fields, County Commissioner, Precinct 1, assisting with the awards presentations.

The 1978 County Gold Star Girl and Boy selections were Cindy Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Walker, Jr., and Scot Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Long.

Due to a shortage of space in this week's paper, the complete list of winners and some pictures of the event will be carried over until next week.

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be awarded to winners. No vehicles with motors will be allowed in the parade. Robert Lee-Silver Lions are sponsors of the parade.

The next item on the program is the actual turning on of the new lights at 6 p.m. The lights were purchased with funds raised in a number of money raising events sponsored by Alpha Kappa Pi. The sorority asked the help of everyone in raising the funds and a large number of individuals and business firms responded with generous donations.

Several booths will be set up over town Saturday night. Latest information said booths will be sponsored by Girl Scouts, Eastern Star, '64 Study Club Alpha Omicron Nu, Firemen's Auxiliary and the Quarterback Club.

Robert Lee business firms which have announced they will remain open for the convenience of customers include Roach's, Western Auto Store, Niece Jo's Fabric Shoppe, Mathews Lumber & Hardware, Fran-Cilla Flowers and Dawn Floral. Most business firms are also taking part in a drawing for prizes which will be awarded to lucky winners during the evening.

Everyone is urged to register for the prizes at the participating stores.

SANTA IS COMING

The highlight of the evening will be a visit by Santa Claus. He will be here to visit with all the kids in the area and will distribute free candy. Alpha Kappa Pi members will make individual pictures of youngsters with Santa for everybody who wishes to purchase them.

During the evening a community choir will provide Christmas songs and the junior high and high school bands will play.

Sponsors of the night of activities have requested that no cars be parked on Main Street during the evening, in order to reduce traffic problems.

Steers Battle Gorman For District 6-B Title

The Robert Lee Steers, district 6-B West champions, will go up against the Gorman Panthers, 6-B East champions, at 7:30 p.m. Friday to determine who wins the district pennant for 1978. The game will be played in Elmer Gray Stadium at Abilene Christian University.

Everything shaped up just right last Friday night for the Steers to win the district championship. Going into last Friday night's contests, Robert Lee, Bronte and Santa Anna were in a three

way tie for the top spot in district. In order for the Steers to take the pennant, they had to whip Irion County, which they did, and the Bronte Longhorns had to down Santa Anna, which they did. The games last week left Robert Lee and Bronte with 4-1 district records and left no doubt that the two best football teams in 6-B are in Coke County. Santa Anna and Eden

finished with 3-2 records, Irion County had a 1-4 record, and Miles finished with a 0-5.

The Panthers will be a worthy opponent for the Steers, as they have a 8-2 season record, same as the Steers. However, their district record is 5-0 after they gave Blanket a 26-0 shellacking last Friday.

All Steers fans are urged to attend the game in Abilene. The Steers need and deserve the backing of everyone in this contest for the district championship.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Robert Lee 38, Irion County 12; Bronte 34, Santa Anna 8; Eden 47, Miles 13.

Homecoming A Big Event

Homecoming activities for Robert Lee School kicked off last Thursday night as the annual bonfire lighting took place following the Dogies' victory over Mertzon. A large crowd was on hand to boost the Steers toward a win in the upcoming game with Irion County as the band performed and the cheerleaders led spirit yells.

Friday's events began with the Homecoming tea at 1 p.m. hosted by the Beta Club. This was followed by the parade which started downtown at 2:30 and traveled to the school. The Junior Class float was judged as first place winner, second place went to the Freshman Class and the Seniors won third. Cars furnished by Vaughan Chevrolet carried Mr. and Miss RLHS and the Homecoming Queen candidates in the parade.

The pep rally which followed the parade also drew a large crowd to the gala decorated school gym. Along with band performances, spirit yells and skits, speeches were given by the Senior football

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Thanksgiving to Be a Holiday

Most all business firms and offices in Robert Lee will be closed Thursday, Nov. 23, in observance of Thanksgiving. A few businesses will remain open to accommodate holiday travelers and local customers.

Among the places which will be closed are county and city offices, the post office and Robert Lee State Bank.

Everyone is urged to shop and take care of business matters ahead of time so as not to be inconvenienced by the closing.

SPECIAL SERVICE

A community Thanksgiving service will be held at 7 p.m. Nov. 23 in the United Methodist Church in Robert Lee.

The Rev. Roy Epperson, pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist Church, will be the speaker for the special service.

Dogies Take Win From Mertzon

The Robert Lee Dogies completed their 1978 football season Thursday of last week when they hosted a team from Mertzon and won a 36-12 victory over the visitors.

Kyle Gibbs led his team by scoring four touchdowns, and tackling a Mertzon ball carrier in the end zone for a safety, running for extra points. Everett Wilson went in for the other TD.

Gibbs went across the double stripe on runs of 3, 20, 1, and 10 yards. Wilson's counter came on a 1 yard plunge which was set up by a 45 yard pass play from Quint Anthony to Scott Stephens.

The Dogies had a successful season and finished with a 7-2 record.

Band Gets Top Rating in Marching

The Robert Lee Steer Band was awarded a Division I rating for their superior performance at the UIL Marching Contest held Wednesday of last week in Abilene.

The band will carry the top rating in marching as part of its record for the year. Scores in the marching contest will be combined with those made in concert and sight reading contest which

will be held in the spring. Bands receiving Division I ratings in both contest will receive Sweepstakes Awards for their year of work.

RLHS twirlers Robbie Gartman and Karen Rasco also received Division I ratings for their performances. The top rating qualifies them to compete at the state level.

Mark Jenkins is director of the Steer Band.

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HOMEcoming--

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boys, Supt. Bickley and Coach Jerry English who also gave recognition to each senior player. They are Clay Allen, Terry Ross, Mike Wilkes, Buddy Wallace, Wes Sawyer, Kevin Roe and David Lackey. Guest speakers were Craig Bessent and Mike Davis, exes of RLSH and the Steer squad. Susan Blasingame, sponsor for the pep squad and cheerleaders, was presented

a bouquet of roses. The presentation was made by head cheerleader, Renea Flanagan. Half-time activities at the RL-Irion County football game included the crowning of the 1978-79 Homecoming King and Queen. Selected to receive these honors were Lori Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Robertson, and Clay Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen. Returning to crown them were the 1977-78 King

and Queen, Billy Matlock and Cindy Bessent, who also presented each with gifts and roses to the queen.

Mr. and Miss RLHS, Buddy Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Jr., and Karen Rasco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rasco, were also honored at half-time and were presented gifts from the Student Council by Vice-president Kerry Gartman. Other half-time events included fine performances by the Steer Band, led by Band Director Mark Jenkins, and the Mertzong Drill Team. Also those of the Class of 1928 present were recognized.

Highlight of the weekend events was the Steers' win over the Irion County Hornets as they played before a large crowd of exes and other fans.

Homecoming activities for this year were ended with a dance at the Recreation Center following the ball game.

Clemmer Funeral Held in Oklahoma

Daniel L. Clemmer, 75, died at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 8, at West Coke County Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were held at the First Methodist Church in Willow, Okla. Nov. 11 with the Rev. Arden Smith officiating. Burial was in the Willow Cemetery. He was born Dec. 11,

1902, at Rochester and was married to Pearl Williams Jan. 3, 1922 at Munday. They had lived in Granite, Okla., 41 years.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Dale of Midland, Danny of Shamrock and Richard of Kermit; one daughter, Mrs. Bill (Golda) Brown of Robert Lee.

**SINCERE THANKS
TO EVERYONE**

Even though I was defeated in the General Election on Nov. 7, I want to express my thanks to everyone who voted for me. Your support and friendship are deeply appreciated.

HARRY PALMER
Constable, Precinct 1

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BASKETBALL PLAY GETS UNDERWAY

The 1978-79 basketball season has started, but activity will begin in earnest next week.

Junior high boys and girls will play Miles there Monday beginning at 6 p.m.

High school teams will host Talpa Tuesday night with action beginning at 5 p.m. Playing will be the boys A team and A and B girls teams

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MARSHALL MILLICAN



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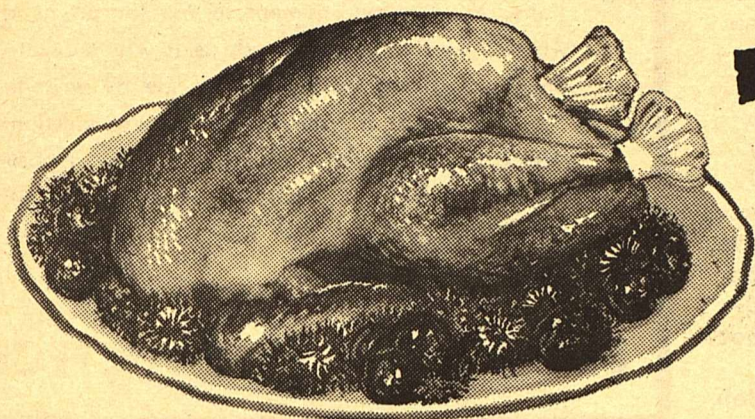
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An open house will be held from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. and those who

cannot make it to the program are invited to drop by any time during those hours. Refreshments will be served.

The library is a fulfilled dream of many persons in Robert Lee who have worked long hours to see the library a working and helpful reality for

the county. Coke County Library Association members have worked for grants, secured money from the county, and carried out a number of money raising events to raise the necessary funds to get the library set up. It was originally in the old Coke County jail building, but has since been moved to its new home at 706 Austin Street.

The building was donated to the library association by the J. O. (Hoggy) Rudd Estate. Volunteer workmen have made a miraculous change in the old building, renovating it both inside and outside. Wayne Mashburn and Bob Boone have led the volunteer workers in the remodeling project.

Money for the remodeling came from donations of money and from fish fries organized and led by Hank Baker.

Linda Boone, librarian, said this week that more than 10,000 volumes are housed in the building and are available for use of the public.

Members of the association include Dorene Mashburn, president; Gay Sawyer, secretary-treasurer; Hank Baker, Mary Bessent, Jo Nell Yarbrough, Elizabeth Reed and Jessie Yarbrough, all of Robert Lee. Members from Bronte are Fredia Hart, Sharon Braswell, and Marie Arrott. Virgie Arrott is a director from Tennyson.

PAPERS COMING OUT EARLY NEXT WEEK

Coke County's newspapers will be published a day early next week, due to the Thanksgiving holidays.

The Bronte Enterprise and Robert Lee Observer will be printed on Wednesday instead of Thursday. The papers probably will not reach readers until the regular time, since Thursday will be a holiday for post office workers.

Deadline for news and advertising will be moved up from the regular Tuesday date to Monday. Cooperation of everyone is asked in meeting the early deadline.

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BUD & MADELEINE THETFORD

THANKS TO ALL OF YOU

Thank you, friends, for your vote and support in the General Election. It has been a pleasure to serve you as County and District Clerk, and I am deeply grateful to you for allowing me this privilege. I shall always welcome the opportunity to share your views in matters concerning this office and will be happy to assist in any way I can. Again, thank you for your vote. I am look-forward to serving you another term.

MRS. WINNIE WALDROP

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK



You're the winner!

My most heartfelt thanks to those of you who gave so much of your time and efforts to my campaign. Without you, there is no possible way we could have enjoyed the great moment of victory on Tuesday evening.

Kathy and I will be visiting with you soon, but for now, we want you to know that the real winners this year are the conservative people who are the backbone of the 21st Congressional District—and you are the ones who have so much to celebrate.

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I am humbly grateful to all the wonderful citizens of Coke County for your vote and support in my race for County Judge. My wife joins me in expressing our thanks to you.

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Steers Humble Irion County 38-12 To Take District 6-B West Title

The Robert Lee Steers won a victory over Irion County last Friday night, 38-12, to earn a shot at the District 6-B championship. The win gave the Steers an 8-2 season record and a 4-1 district record.

The Robert Lee team rolled up a huge 425 yards rushing and 108 yards passing, for a total of 533 yards gained.

Terry Ross was the top scorer for the Steers with three trips across the double stripe for touchdowns and one run for two extra points. Kerry Gartman drove in on keeper

plays for two tallies and Brett Clark scored the other TD.

Ross' touchdowns came on a 15 yard pass completion and on runs of 47 yards and three yards. Gartman carried the ball over the goal line on two one yard plunges. Clark's counter came on a 19 yard run.

Clark was the leading ground gainer with 222 yards in 17 carries. Ross gained 146 yards in 15 carries; Gartman made 59 yards in 14 tries; and Edwin Wilson carried one time for 1 yard.

Ross was the only Steer to intercept a pass during the game.

Robert Lee		Irion Co.
27	First Downs	11
425	Yards Rushing	67
108	Yards Passing	137
4 of 13	Pass Completions	12 of 22
1	Interceptions	0
3 for 29	Punts	9 for 33
3	Fumbles	0
7 for 68	Penalties	7 for 65

Service at Big Spring for J. B. Lilly

J. B. Lilly, 78, of Sand Springs, father of Mrs. Victor (Iris) Conner of Robert Lee, died at 10 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7 in a Big Spring hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday in Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel in Big Spring with burial in Trinity Memorial Park. Eric Dickey, minister of the Sand Springs Church of Christ, officiated, assisted by Herbert Love of Odessa.

He was born March 3, 1900, in Brown County and was married to Myrtle Hughes June 1, 1918, in Throckmorton County. She died Oct. 31, 1959.

He married Blanche James Nov. 21, 1976. He had lived in Big Spring since 1943 and was a superintendent of Ralph Fair Oil Co. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife; five sons, Emmitt Lilly of Lometa, M. A. Lilly of Sand Springs, J. D. Hughes of Phoenix, Ariz., Oliver Hughes of Big Spring and Frank Hughes of Odessa; two daughters, Elaine Hocker of Saratoga, Calif. and Iris Conner of Robert Lee; a stepson, Newlin C. James of Stanton; two brothers, Frank Lilly of Lake Arthur, N. M., and H. P. Lilly of Abilene; two sisters, Vera Moore of Paragould, Ark., and Linnie McLain of Olney.

Pallbearers were E. C. Casey, Bill Hyden, Lonnie Anderson, Jack

COUNTRY MUSIC JAMBOREE

A country music jamboree will be held Saturday, Nov. 18, at the Old Recreation Center in Robert Lee.

Everyone is invited to attend the musical which will start at 7:30 p.m.

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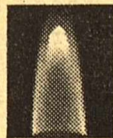
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FOR SALE: Zenith 23 inch color TV, beautiful fruitwood cabinet. Works fine; we just need a smaller one. Ben Oglesby, 473-2801 or 473-2001.

GIRLS' WINTER COATS For Sale. "Real Bargains." Size girls' 14, Jr. 7. 453-2417. 1tc

GARAGE SALE: Saturday after 2, all day Sunday. Kenmore sewing machine, antique rocker, clothes — men's, women's children's. 109 W. 8th. 1tp

FOR SALE: 8 x 35 Charter Camper-Trailer. Central heat, 19,500 BTU refrigerated air. 205 W. 17th. Phone 453-2494. 20-1nc

BARRELS FOR SALE. Walter Tinkler, 453-2326. 20-2tc

BUYING DEER SKINS. DINK'S EXXON. 20-1nc

FOR SALE: Washing Machine, 2 speed, 5 cycle, good condition. Bedroom suite, bookcase headboard. Upright piano. Dinette chairs. 205 W. 17th. 1tp

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, in the Courthouse in the City of Robert Lee, Texas, until 10:00 A.M. on Monday the 4th day of December 1978 for the purchase of the following Road Machinery:

One (1) used 120 Caterpillar Motor Grader with 12 foot Moldboard.

The County will offer as part payment on the above described machinery the following used machinery.

One (1) used 12 Caterpillar Motor Grader with 12 foot Moldboard.

For further information, contact Commissioner Precinct No. 3, Jett Hood, Robert Lee, Texas. Phone No. 453-2891.

The Commissioners' Court of Coke County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waiver any technicality.

Notice is also given that it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, to pay all or a part of the contract price in interest-bearing time warrants, and it is the intention of the Commissioners' Court to pass an order on December 4, 1978, authorizing the issuance of interest-bearing time warrants against the Road and Bridge Fund of said County in an amount not to exceed Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00), bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Six per cent (6%) per annum, and maturing at such time or times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not to exceed three (3) years from their date, for the purpose of evidencing the indebtedness of Coke County to be incurred in purchasing road machinery for use on the roads of said County.

The County will make arrangements for the Contractor to dispose of the warrants herein mentioned at not less than par, and the Contractor must agree to deliver the warrants at such price to the party with whom the County has made such arrangements.

By Order of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas.
Weldon Fikes
County Auditor
Coke County, Texas.

20-2tc

'If I Should Die' Coming Sunday

"If I Should Die," a dramatic movie about death, will be shown at 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19, at the Robert Lee Baptist Church. Everyone is invited to attend, said the pastor, the Rev. Roy Epperson. The movie brings together some of the world's most respected Christian doctors, the-

ologians and psychologists to investigate the subject and how it relates to the Bible.

The 46 minute film reveals how no one is immune to the sting of death—its grief or sorrow; yet, through personal testimonies the film shares a living hope for man.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A BRANCH OFFICE AND OF HEARING THEREON

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Savings and Loan Commissioner of Texas by: HEART O' TEXAS SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, San Saba, San Saba County, Texas, for the approval of a branch office of said association, such branch office to be located at:

403 W. 10th Street

Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas

Notice is further given that hearing on the application is set for 9:00 a.m. on Monday, December 4, 1978 in the offices of the Savings and Loan Department, 1004 Lavaca, Austin, Texas, pursuant to authority and jurisdiction granted by Art. 852a, TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN. The particular sections of the statute involved are 2.13 and 11.11. The particular rules involved are 056.01.00.003 through .013 and 056.02.00.003 and .004. Such rules are on file with the Secretary of State, Texas Register Division, or may be seen at the Department's offices.

The applicant association asserts; that operation of the proposed branch office will not unduly harm any other association operating in the vicinity; that there is a public need for the proposed branch office; that the volume of business in the community in which the proposed branch office will operate is such as to yield a profit to the association in a reasonable time and certain other assertions per rules 056.02.00.003 and .004.

Anyone desiring to oppose this application may do so by writing the Commissioner at Post Office Box 1089, Austin, Texas 78767 and so indicating, or by appearing at 9:00 a.m., Monday, December 4, 1978 in the Department's offices and voicing opposition when the application is called.

If no opposition is registered prior to or at the time the application is called, hearing may be dispensed with; if opposition is registered and existing when called, hearing on the application will be continued to a later date for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence from the parties and to accumulate a record of pertinent information and data in support of the application and in opposition to the application. ISSUED in Austin, Texas, November 6, 1978.

L. ALVIS VANDYGRUFF, COMMISSIONER
Texas Savings and Loan Department

THANK YOU, VOTERS OF PRECINCT 3

I want to thank all my friends for your support and your votes in the Democratic Primary and the General Election.

Your encouragement and support were an inspiration to me. I am looking forward to serving as your Justice of the Peace, and pledge to do my best to make you a good official.

I respectfully request your help, suggestions and cooperation when I take over this office in January 1979.

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7:30 P.M.

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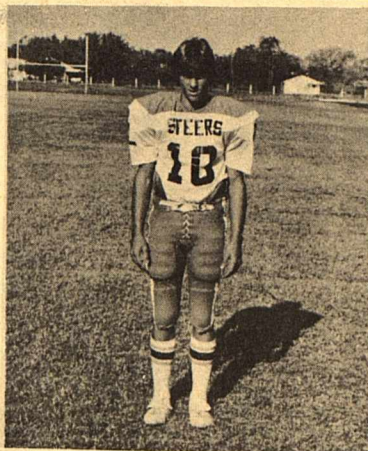
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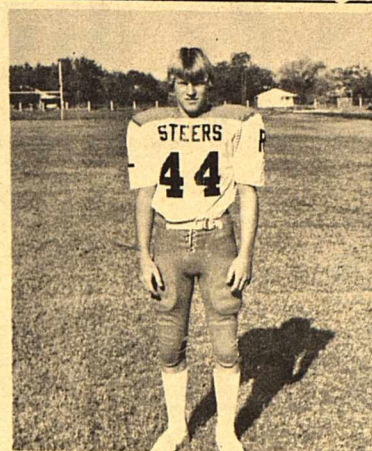
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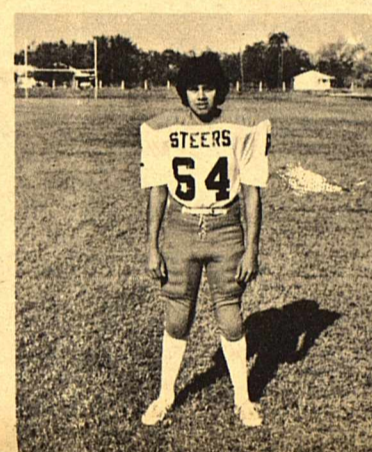
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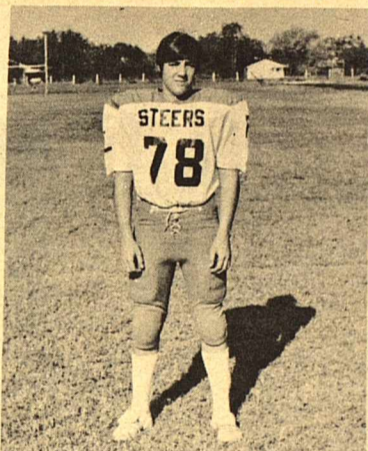
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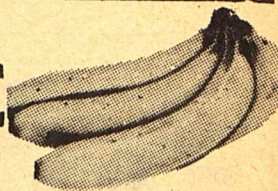
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POTATOES 10 lb. bag 85c

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Celery Stalk Each **29c**

FRESH CRANBERRIES 1 lb. bag 59c

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300 Can **2 for 89c**

KARO WHITE SYRUP 32 oz. bot. \$1.19
HUNT'S PEACHES 29 oz. can 69c

HORMEL OLEO, 1 lb. quarters 2 for 89c
MEAD'S BISCUITS 2 for 33c



TOPPING 9 Oz. Crt. **49c**

Shortening Mrs. Tucker's 42 Oz. Can **\$1.39**

Gandy's WHIPPING CREAM 8 oz. 49c

DELSEY BATHROOM TISSUE 4 rolls 89c

SOUR CREAM 8 oz. 49c

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Flour Gladiola 5 Lb. Bag **69c**



WISCONSIN LONGHORN CHEESE Lb. **\$1.69**

BAKER'S COCONUT 7 oz. bag 67c

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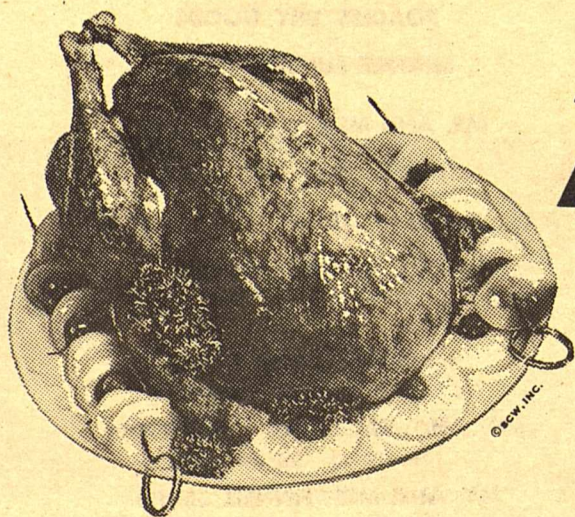
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