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Steers, Longhorns Meet Friday



Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross Are Honored With Golden Anniversary Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross of Robert Lee were honored Sunday with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. The festivities were held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Wallace.

All of the couple's nine children hosted the event. They are Mr. and Mrs. E. G. (Edwina) Wilkerson of McCamey; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ross, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ross, Lake J. B. Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ross, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ross, Denver City. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer (Barbara) Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Royce (Alice) Wallace, all of Robert Lee.

The couple has 26 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Granddaughters who served in

the houseparty were Debra Ross, Jo Nell Ross and Linda Ross, who registered guests, and Wanda Wilkerson and Jo Adkins at the serving table.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross were married in West Fork, Ark., Sept. 12, 1920, by Justice of the Peace J. P. Wilson. They lived in Arkansas for a short time, but have lived most of their married life in West Texas, and have been in Coke County the past 41 years.

Mrs. Ross, the former Alice May Ford, was born in Johnson County, Texas, July 12, 1900. Mr. Ross was born in Henderson County, Texas, Sept. 15, 1898.

Mr. Ross has worked as a farmer, mail carrier, grocery clerk, service station operator, lumber yard manager and presently is Justice of the Peace for Precinct 1 of Coke County.

A large crowd of relatives and friends called Sunday to congratulate the Rosses.

VISITORS COMING SUNDAY

Hocace, Ernest and Charlie Williams and Monrovia Williams Manor will spend the day in Robert Lee, Sunday, Sept. 20. Lunch will be served in the home of Mrs. Edna Havins. Relatives and friends are invited for lunch, or to come and visit in the afternoon.

2½ Inches of Rain At Simpson Ranch

Sunday p.m. and Monday morning rains dumped up to 2½ inches of moisture. Heaviest rainfall reported to the Observer was the 2½ inches on the Simpson Ranch north of Robert Lee. Sanco community was not far behind with 2 inches.

Robert Lee received 1.48 inches, while only a trace fell at Silver and south of town.

J. W. Service reported 1½ inches northeast of Robert Lee, and M. A. Cox, east of town, had the same amount. Sloan Boone at Edith had .4 inch.

The proverbial Coke County football championship will go on the line Friday night when the Bronte Longhorns come to Robert Lee for a game with the Steers. The teams no longer play each other in district play, but have continued sharp rivalry

since the Robert Lee Steers went into Class A football.

Both Robert Lee and Bronte opened their 1970 schedules last Friday night and both lost the opening round. Robert Lee ran against Wall and fell, 20-6, while Bronte traveled to Fossan, only to nurse a 17-6 loss all the way home.

So, both the Steers and the Longhorns will be looking for their first win Friday night.

Game time is 8 p.m.

The Longhorns took the Steers last year, 12-0, while in 1968, the Steers were on the long end of a 30-15 score.

Dogies to Meet Shorthorns Here Thursday Night

The Robert Lee Dogies will open their 1970 season tonight (Thursday) when they host the Bronte Shorthorns. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Long time rivals, the Dogies and Shorthorns contest promises some real live football action for all fans who attend.

The Dogies have an eight-game schedule ahead of them. It follows:

- Sept. 17: Bronte, here, 7:30
- Sept. 24: Wall, there, 6:00
- Oct. 1: Roscoe, here, 6:00
- Oct. 8: Eldorado, here, 6:00
- Oct. 15: Roscoe, there, 6:00
- Oct. 22: Eldorado, there, 6:00
- Oct. 29: Bronte, there, 7:00
- Nov. 5: Wall, here, 6:00

Coach Sam Bean submitted the following roster of players:

Don Sparks, QB; Craig Bessent, QB-FB; Harvey Wojtek, QB; Jim Craig, E; Tim Boykin, HB; Mike Percifull, FB; James Beaty, E; Lane Shandley, E; Mike Davis, FB; Lyn Sockwell, HB; James Reid, T; David Millical, T; Mike Walker, G; Marvin Simpson, T; Walter Flowers, C; David Wilkes, G; Kent Cole, G; Joe Costilla, G; Poly Abalos, G; Bobby Lange, G; Ricky Mashburn, T; Tom Jones, C-T; Ron-

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Last Rites Held For Green Preslar

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday for Green Preslar, 81, Coke County pioneer stock farmer. The last rites were conducted in the First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee, with burial in Sanco Cemetery, under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. Preslar died at 5:30 p.m. Monday at Clinic-Hospital in San Angelo after an illness of eight days.

Born Dec. 15, 1888, at Carlton in Hamilton County, Mr. Preslar came to Coke County in 1889, the year the county was organized. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Preslar. He lived in the Sanco Community most of his life, except for about three years he lived in San Angelo. He was a stock-farmer and moved to Robert Lee about a year ago after selling his farm.

Mr. Preslar was one of the
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Lion Club to Sell House Numbers

Robert Lee-Silver Lions will take orders for house numbers Saturday morning beginning at 9 o'clock. Each number will cost 25 cents; thus a four-number house would cost \$1 or a three-number house, 75 cents.

The Lions emphasized that the sale is an attempt to get all the houses in town numbered and not primarily a fund raising project.

Members of the club will come back in two weeks and install the numbers free of charge. If a resident doesn't know his house number, the Lions will secure it at the city hall.

Freddie White, a past president of the local club, will be in charge of the project. He reminded all Lions to meet in front of West Way Grocery at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. They will make a house to house canvass.



The 1971 Ford LTD is highlighted by this new front end treatment featuring a forward-thrusting center grille section and dual exposed headlamps. This LTD two-door Brougham includes a new, standard high back bench seat which eliminates the need for separate headrests. Ford's new side impact protection system, flush door handles, concealed windshield wipers and a new two-tiered, coved instrument panel also are standard features of the 1971 Ford.

New Fords, Mercurys On Display Friday

New 1971 editions of Ford and Mercury motor cars will go on display Friday at Ivey Motor Co. in Robert Lee. Cumbie Ivey Jr. said he expects to have about

15 of the new models on hand. He invited everyone in the area to come by and inspect them and enjoy free refreshments.

Ivey said he was extremely proud of this year's new Ford and Mercury line. He especially invited everyone to come and see Ford's new Pinto, the newest and smallest of the Ford line.

Ford's 46 models in six lines for 1971 range from the all-new Pinto and hot selling Maverick in the economy market to the restyled Ford and elegant Thunderbird. And the most completely changed Mustang since this car started it all in 1964 will kindle anew the interest of sporty compact buyers.

"1971 stacks up as nothing short of a vintage hardware year in the auto business," Ivey said. "Our product line-up not only includes a new entry in a new size for us, but exciting changes in Mustang and Ford as well. This significant investment in new design and engineering changes should add momentum to recent indications of an upturn in auto sales.

"The action in '71 is bound to
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Austin — Just when highway construction in the state is at an all-time high, the Texas Highway Commission has cancelled the regular December lettings of highway contracts.

Commission blames the contract moratorium on the recent holdback of part of Texas' apportionment from the Federal Highway Trust Fund. Action came at a time when, because of favorable weather, highway construction was at its highest. For the past two months, pay-out for construction completed by Texas Contractors has set new records in dollar volume.

Contractors were paid \$42.6 million in July for work completed in June and \$46.3 million in

August for work completed in July. Payments represented work on 501 contracts in June and 593 contracts in July.

Federal Aid Highway Act of 1968, as approved by Congress, provides that states should receive \$5.4 billion for the 1971 fiscal year from the Highway Trust Fund. Amount allocated, however, was reduced by the Administration. Highway Commission Chairman Dewitt Greer said, to \$4.6 billion nationally and resulted in a reduction of the Texas share from \$275 million to \$210 million—\$65 million less than was expected.

Proceeds in the Federal Highway Trust Fund are derived from special taxes levied on motor ve-

hicle users. Fund was set up in 1956 to provide a stable source of revenue for the construction of National System of Interstate and Defense Highways.

Cancellation of the December bid letting is the first since World War II, Greer said. The Commission Chairman said the reduction has come because the condition of the finances of the Federal Government has required that it borrow money from the Federal Highway Trust Fund for government operation even though the trust fund was established for the specific purpose of building the highway system from highway user revenues.

Greer said the "motor vehicle users of this country, who pay these dedicated taxes, have every right to expect the Federal Government return to the highway system these revenues, in accordance with agreements made 14 years ago."

HOSPITAL TROUBLES IN TEXAS — State Rep. R. H. "Dick" Cory and House Speaker Gus Mutscher made a trip to Washington seeking better interpretation of recent Social Security regulations which threaten to close 158 of the state's hospitals.

Most are in rural areas and are having extreme difficulty complying with new regulations such as the one requiring them to have registered nurses on duty around the clock. A Texas nursing shortage of 10,000, plus the difficulty of finding nurses willing to live in smaller communities, contribute to the problem.

Hospitals which do not comply with the regulations are in danger of having Medicare payments terminated, which would in turn force them to close their doors. Representative Cory, who is chairman of a special Speaker's Committee on Texas Health Care, noted that Texas, because of sparse population in wide areas of the state, has 40 per cent of the nation's Class 7C hospitals.

Another fear of the Committee is that if the small hospitals close their doors many physicians will move away due to lack of hospital facilities.

IMMUNIZATION LEGISLATION UPCOMING — Gov. Preston Smith says he'll ask the 62nd Legislature, which convenes in January, to pass legislation requiring immunization against several communicable diseases before a child may enter Texas schools.

Governor proposes compulsory immunization against measles, polio, whooping cough, tetanus and—in the wake of the epidemic in San Antonio—protection against diphtheria.

Smith said figures available to him for 1968, the latest year for which complete data is available, indicate that Texas has the highest incidence rate in the nation for measles and polio, the second highest for diphtheria and the fourth highest for whooping cough. Tetanus is not an epidemic disease, but a single injection generally immunizes against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus.

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINIONS — A non-profit, charitable organization which conducts a driver training program must be licensed to do so by the Texas Department of Public Safety, says Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin. The exceptions are training or classes conducted by colleges, universities, high schools and junior high schools for regularly enrolled students.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

* Justice of the Peace is not entitled to collect a fee for actions transferred or dismissed without trial from his court.

* Commissioners Court may

authorize travel expenses of an expert witness to appear at an HEW Committee hearing in Washington, D. C., to give evidence of the need of federal funds in certain poverty areas in the county. Commissioners Court may also authorize travel expenses for Chairman of a County Historical Survey Committee necessary to the performance of his duties in that capacity; and Court has power to create a Museum Board to manage a County Museum and pay travel expenses of the board members in carrying out their duties in those capacities.

DRAFT QUOTA DOWN — October draft call for Texas is 674—down from 704 in September, says Col. Charles M. Duncan, acting state Selective Service Director.

October quota for pre-induction physical and mental examinations is 4,285, a decrease from 7,171 in September. Texas' induction quota of 674 is the

state's share of a national call for 12,000 men for the Army.

Duncan said no man maintaining "a bona fide family relationship with a child or children" and who qualifies for class 3-A will be ordered to report for examination.

Short Snorts

Dr. David Wade, Commissioner, Texas Department Mental Health and Mental Retardation, predicts that high hospital room rates, not enough doctors and the high cost of advanced medical technology will result in some form of national health insurance within two to five years.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department warns hunters that it not only is illegal to discharge firearms from public roads, it also is unlawful to use firearms in road rights-of-way.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane and Myna Kay visited Sunday in the home of relatives, the Boyd Smith family, in San Angelo.



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By MRS. FAY C. ROE

Food Budget

To be a wise food buyer and have a well fed family — start with a plan and a budget. As the family food buyer, you have a responsibility to yourself, to your family and to other consumers. Wise food shopping begins at home—with a spending plan—a budget. In America, about 18 per cent of a family's spendable income goes for food—so a food plan is important in planning how you spend your money.

A plan must be tailor made to suit your family, its needs, its ways of living and the things it considers important, and its values. The amount you spend on food cannot be determined on how much the Jones spend, or Uncle Henry or an imaginary family. The amount you spend for food varies with your husband's job and if you work outside the home... the number and ages of children and their interests.

Your family's likes and dislikes in food and special food needs. The way your family spends its leisure time, family customs, food storage facilities, the section of the state you live in, the season of the year it is, the types of stores you shop in. All these things affect food prices and therefore how much you spend for food. That's a lot to consider. It takes time and effort to be

a good money manager. With practice, though, it becomes easier to control your food bill, and to cut down on your food expenses. Here are some cost-cutting pointers: check weekly specials in food store advertisements and keep informed. An alert informed shopper can save \$1 to \$2 out of every \$10 she spends on food. So you can see it pays to watch for specials and to keep informed on new products and services and new legislation and regulations. Prepare a grocery list before you go to the store. Keep non food items such as light bulbs, stationery, kitchen tools and toothpaste off the list. These items can mount up quickly and add 20 per cent to your food bill. Compare costs and buy food in the form that gives the most servings for the money you spend—compare fresh, frozen and canned items. Limit perishable food purchases to amount that can be used while they are in top quality. And prevent food waste by storing them correctly and cooking them to retain nutrients.

Consider family likes and dislikes when food shopping. After all, a 10 pound stack of turnips for a dollar isn't a good buy if your family won't eat turnips. What you do as a food shopper makes a difference—a difference to you and your family, to the manufacturer, to the retailer and ultimately to the economic life of the country.

Each time you buy a product, you cast a vote in favor of it. So you and every other consumer influence the kind and quality of products on the market, the kind and quality of food advertisements, and kind and amount of protection you have. As a responsible consumer, be informed, report preferences and wants, likes and dislikes; inform proper agencies of dishonesty, fraud and law violations and deal fairly and not abuse services.

And now, with a plan, with information and with awareness on your side, you are on the right aisle to becoming a wise food buyer.

Fashions for Fall 1970

Quickly Said for the Young

Small, neat head... long hair pulled back to nape of neck and covered with crocheted snood. Prairie shirt... body tight cotton shirt either striped or printed in a tiny floral pattern. Puffed shoulder... long sleeve with puffed shoulder seam giving a stand-up fullness to sleeve. Cinched waist... wide belts worn at the waist with grommet or lacing trim and big, important buckles. Gaucho skirt... mid-calf length skirt with divided hem, sewn into pants, very narrow across the hipline, flares at hem. High boots... skin-tight boots, fitting like stockings, should be of a stretchy material for smooth look. Small covered head... knit cap pulled low on forehead down to ears covering short cropped hair or long straight hair worn very neat. Turtleneck tunic sweater... ribbed body sweater pulled down to longer length reaching mid-thigh. Hip belt... leather or suede belt placed on hips emphasizing pulled down look. Pleated skirt... action-pleated skirt 4 inches above knee in pattern, plaid or double knit. Over-the-knee sock... knee sock covers the knee to an inch below hemline. Knees for Fall 70 should not be seen. Oxford shoe... a heavy shoe that laces with slightly higher klunky heel than we've known before.

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Marker Dedication To Honor Pioneer, Dr. P. D. Coulson

Dedication of a historical marker erected in Sterling County will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. in First Methodist Church of Sterling City. The marker was erected in memory of Dr. P. D. Coulson, Confederate soldier and early day judge in both Sterling and Coke Counties.

Since Sterling County has no active historical survey committee, the Coke County committee asked permission to erect a marker at Dr. Coulson's grave in Montvale Cemetery four miles east of Sterling City.

Following the program in the church, the audience will move to the cemetery where the marker will be unveiled by grandchildren of Dr. Coulson.

Garland Davis, principal of Robert Lee High School and member of the Coke County Historical Survey Committee, will serve as master of ceremonies.

The program will be as follows:

Organ prelude by Mrs. Reynolds Foster; presentation of the flag, Carl Bagwell and Jeff Eubanks, members of Troop 461, Boy Scouts of America; America the Beautiful, led by Mrs. C. E. Arrott, member of Coke County HSC, with Mrs. Foster at the organ; invocation, Ulmer Bird of Sango, member of Coke County HSC; introduction of special guests; history of Dr. Coulson, Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, chairman of Coke County HSC; Memories of Dr. Coulson, Gerald Allen, president of Robert Lee State Bank and former employee of Dr. Coulson; dedication of marker, Elton T. Mims of Water Valley, member of Coke County HSC.

The remainder of the program will be at the cemetery and will consist of the unveiling of the marker and the benediction.

Funds for the marker were provided by Dr. Coulson's grandchildren.

The inscription reads:
Dr. P. D. Coulson
(October 4, 1839-December 10, 1925)

Born near Morganton, Tenn. He enlisted May 22, 1861, as Private in 3rd Tenn. Inf., Confederate Army. Promoted to Surgeon with rank of Major, 1862, he saw much action—First Manassas, Shiloh, Corinth, Vicksburg, Atlanta, other battles. Was twice wounded.

Came to Texas after Civil War. Served as first County Judge of Sterling County in 1890s. County Judge of Coke County 1907-1910.

Married Etheldra Ann Johnson. Had four sons, four daughters. Recorded—1970.

The public is invited to attend the dedication program.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker were their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wayne Walker and family, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Caulder and children of Groves.

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MOTHER OF MRS. HOOD DIES IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Cora Cathey Davis, 91, of Fort Worth died Monday after an illness. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Davis-Morris Funeral Chapel in Brownwood with burial in Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Mrs. Davis was the mother of Mrs. Jett Hood of Robert Lee.

She was born in Coryell County Oct. 9, 1878, and had lived in Fort Worth the past 36 years.

Survivors include five daughters, three sons, three brothers, two sister, 25 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

SISTER OF LOCAL MAN DIES OF WRECK INJURIES

Mrs. John C. Storey, 60, Spur, died Tuesday afternoon from injuries she received in an Aug. 28 car-truck crash near the city limits of Lawn.

Mrs. Storey was a sister of J. O. McGinley of Robert Lee.

Funeral was held Sept. 9 in the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater. Burial was in Hylton Cemetery.

Survivors are her husband of Spur; three daughters; one son; 16 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; her father; three brothers and one sister.

Robert Lee BCD Items of Interest

A number of subjects were discussed briefly at Tuesday's meeting of the BCD. President George Newby presided at the meeting where 15 members and one sustaining member, Jack Shelley of General Telephone Co. were present.

It was announced that work has been done in making more readable the welcome signs on the San Angelo, Bronte, Sterling City and Colorado City highways. Metal strips were welded behind the letters, to make them stand out and be more easily read.

Postmaster Hugh Lewis announced that city mail delivery will start Sept. 19.

A discussion was held on the BCD's sponsoring an award to a senior high school student each year. A committee, made up of Garland Davis, Bill Tom Reach and Bill Allen, was appointed to make a study of requirements, etc.

Principal Davis announced a full weekend of football is in store for local fans. The Bronte Shorthorns will play the Robert Lee Dogies here Thursday; the Bronte Longhorns will be here Friday night to take on the Steers; and the B team will go to Sterling City Saturday. Davis also announced that Monday is a school holiday.

Bill Beaty, president of the Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club, invited everyone to attend club meetings on Tuesday nights.

Jack Shelley said he would bring a 30-minute movie for the BCD program Sept. 29.

Principal Davis announced he would bring Sheri Pitcock next week to make a report on her attendance of the Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar this past summer at Baylor University.

Lunchroom Menus

Monday, Sept. 21

Holiday.

Tuesday, Sept. 22

Barbecue beef on bun, buttered corn, combination salad, potato chips, milk, banana pudding.

Wednesday, Sept. 23

Meatballs and spaghetti, lime Jello salad, English peas, hot rolls and butter, milk, chocolate cake.

Thursday, Sept. 24

Pinto beans with salt pork, mixed greens, corn bread and butter, milk, cherry cobbler.

Friday, Sept. 25

Pork chops and gravy, creamed potatoes, garden salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, pink applesauce.

Observer want ads are very effective and cost very little.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Roy Walker and her daughter, Mrs. Wayland Drennan and Ricky of Christoval visited several days recently in the homes of relatives at Corpus Christi, Aransas Pass, Padre Island and Austin.

Visiting several days here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. King were their daughter and here family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson and children of Austin. Other visitors over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker and children of Odessa.

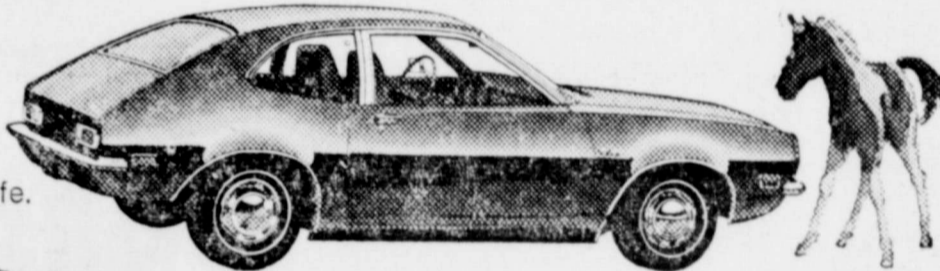
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Steers Drop Opener To Wall, 20-6

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

Sept. 17, 1970

By Ronnie Baker

The Steers stayed out to pasture too long, it seems, as the Wall Hawks came to town and demolished them in the first half. The Bumble Bee defense never got aroused until the second half, also. Actually, it was a lack-luster ball game as the Hawks didn't look that good. Don't get me wrong, the Steers aren't that bad, but something was wrong and until the second half they just didn't have it. Then it was too late. Don't give up, folks, this was the first ball game and there will be some difference from now on.

First Quarter

The Hawks took the opening kickoff and returned to their 21. Wall got the first break as they got a 1st down on a 4th down penalty, at the Wall 36. But the Steers held and Wall punted to the Steer 31. Wall held at that point and in a rapid pace they made three 1st downs to the Steer 29. On the 1st down the speedy Wall halfback circled left end and cut back up field for a TD. The kick was good for the extras and Wall led 7-0.

Wall kicked off to the Steer 20 and with excellent blocking Marshall Millican broke through and raced toward the goal, but the speedy Wall halfback hauled him down at the 11 yard line. But the Steers couldn't go any further and Wall took over on downs as the 1st quarter ended.

2nd Quarter

The Steers held at the Wall 14 and Wall punted to the 50 yard line with a return to the Hawk 43. Again Wall held the Steers and Fields punted to the Wall 24. Then disaster struck again on the first play. A pass to the speedy halfback and 76

yards later, he scored another touchdown for Wall. The extra kick failed and the score was 13-0.

Wall kicked off to the Steer 10 with the return to the Steer 31. Wall held at that point and Fields kicked to the Steer 40 yard line. Again Wall started a drive that carried to the Steer 6 yard line. Then the other speedy halfback of Wall circled right end to score. The kick was good and the score was 20-0.

Wall kicked off with a return to the Steers 30 yard line. The Hawks held again and Fields punted to the Wall 30, with a return to the Steer 36 yard line. Wall made a 1st at the Robert Lee 25, but then they fumbled with Danny Percifull recovering at the Steer 17. The Steers made a 1st but then Wall held and Fields again kicked to the 34 as the first half ended.

3rd Quarter

Wall kicked off to the Steer 30 and Percifull returned to his 43. Wall held again and Fields punted to the Wall 20 and the ball was returned to the Steer 41. The Steers held and took over on downs at their 34. Wall then held and Fields punted to the Wall 30 where it was fumbled and Bubba Duncan recovered the ball. The Steers racked up a 1st on the Wall 19. Then Walden Millican made another 1st on the 8. From the 2 yard line, Mike Mumford crashed in for the first Steer TD. The extras failed and the score was 20-6.

Fields kicked off to the Wall 10 and the return was to their 33. Wall made a 1st at the Steer 49 and then the Steers held and the Hawks punted to the Steer 27, with no return, as the

quarter ended.

4th Quarter

The last quarter was nothing but a defensive ball game, as neither team could muster a drive and the ball was kept near midfield the remainder of the game. The Steers made three 1st downs and Wall made two. They stayed between the 35 yard lines for the rest of the game.

Forums to Study Problems of Aging

Community Forums scheduled throughout the nation for the week of Sept. 20-26 will serve as a prologue to the 1971 White House Conference on Aging. Coke County forums will be held in Robert Lee School auditorium on Sept. 21 at 2 p.m., and in Bronte School auditorium Wednesday, Sept. 23, at 2 p.m. All interested persons are invited to attend. "The County Committee on Aging is sponsoring the Forums," said Mrs. J. C. Boatright, chairman of this group. Others assisting Mrs. Boatright will be Coke County Extension Agents Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Sterling Lindsey.

Everyone is invited to participate in the forums in Coke County. However, only senior citizens will be allowed to express themselves on their needs. A special invitation is extended to women's clubs, Lions clubs, church groups, etc.

Such subjects as income, health, nutrition, housing, transportation, employment and retirement, education, roles and activities and spiritual well-being will be discussed.

RL Cub Scouts Have Cubmobile Races

Robert Lee Cub Pack No. 461 had Cubmobile races Saturday on Eucl Street. Five boys entered their vehicles in the contest.

Buddy Wallace won the first place trophy and two ribbons; Vic Conner took three ribbons; Wesley Sawyer won two ribbons; Randy Collins was awarded two ribbons; and Kevin Roe received one ribbon.

Other Cub Scouts who served as pit men were Wade Davis, David Lackey, Ricky Ross, Terry Ross, Brian Wright, Marty

Caston, Monroe Killam and Lynn Gulley.

Judges were Gene Hinnard and Garland Davis. Sam Williams was flagman. Local officers who helped were Sheriff Melvin Childress, Deputy Sheriff Jesse Parker and Game Warden R. L. Flanagan.

Cubmaster James Deen and Denmother Mrs. Victor P. Conner thanked everyone who helped in any way to make the races a success.

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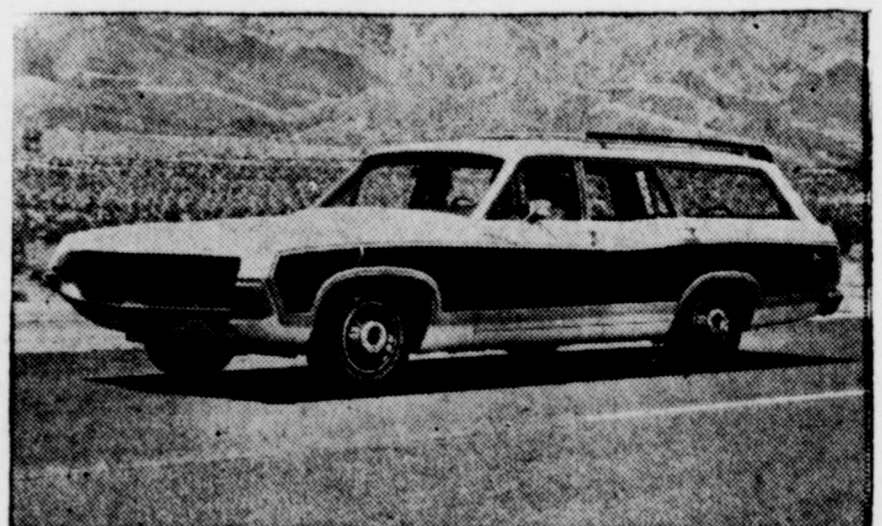


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PERSONALS

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Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shandley and children of Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Shandley of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shaw of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hurley and children and Mrs. Opal Clark of San Angelo.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hamilton and children of Midland;

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hamilton and son of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hamilton of Santa Fe, N. M.; Miss Marilyn Hamilton, of the U. S. Navy and stationed at Corpus Christi.

W. J. Palmer of San Angelo visited in Robert Lee Friday in the homes of his sisters, Mrs. C. J. Brooks and Mrs. Curtis Walker.

Mrs. J. C. Wallace Jr. and children visited in Lubbock Sunday in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Palmer are spending a week visiting their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer at Eagle Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Boone of Colorado City were weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Boone. They all went to Midland Sunday and visited in the John Doggett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown and Don Earl of Burleson visited here over Labor Day weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fields.

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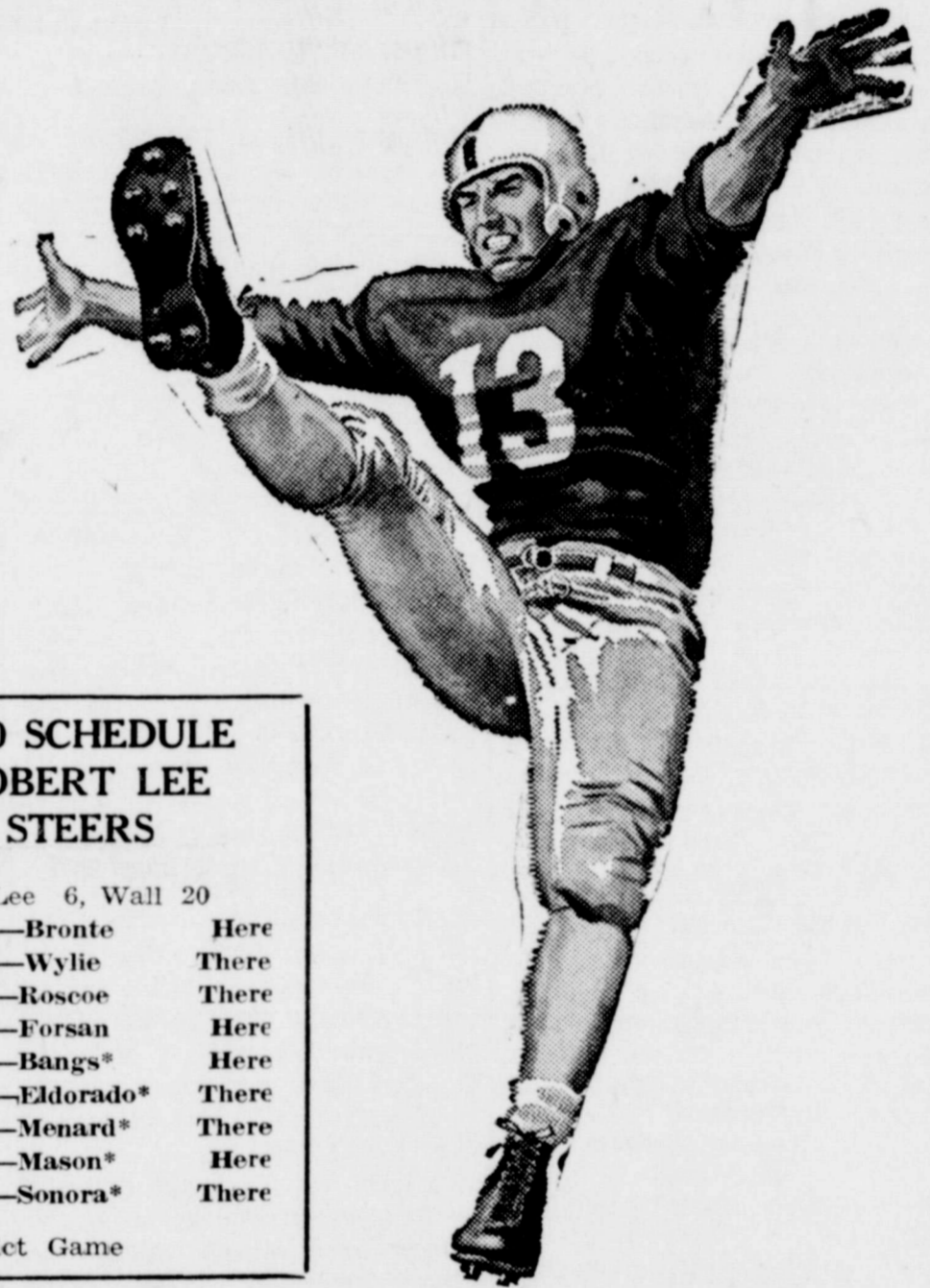
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Sept. 25—	Wylie	There
Oct. 2—	Roscoe	There
Oct. 9—	Forsan	Here
Oct. 16—	Bangs*	Here
Oct. 23—	Eldorado*	There
Oct. 30—	Menard*	There
Nov. 6—	Mason*	Here
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DOGIES, SHORTHORNS —

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nie Calder, G; Eddie McDaniel, T; Doug Herford, T; George Abalos, B; Manuel Abalcs, E; Vince Hanna, E; Terry Sparks, E.

Mentors for the team are Coaches Bean, Larry Blair and Kenneth Rasco.

This year's junior high cheerleaders are Theresa Percifull (head), Anna Kay Rowoldt, Susan Wallace, Sheila Roberts, Rosa Sanchez and Cheri Baker.

B Team Schedule

Schedule for Robert Lee B team was released this week and is as follows:

Sept. 19: Sterling City, there, 8:00
 Sept. 24: Wall, there, 7:30
 Oct. 1: Roscoe, here, 7:30
 Oct. 8: Eldorado, here, 7:30
 Oct. 15: Roscoe there, 7:30
 Oct. 22: Eldorado, there, 7:30
 Nov. 5: Wall, here, 7:30

PRESLAR FUNERAL —

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last survivors of 13 children in the pioneer family. He married Buena Alice Gartman at Robert Lee Dec. 25, 1907. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1957. He was a longtime member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Howard D. Preslar of Borger; two daughters, Mrs. T. K. (Louise) Whiteside of Robert Lee and Mrs. J. B. (Floryne) Evans of Rising Star; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Nolan Pentecost, Henry Carwile, J. L. Carwile, Otis Campbell, Teddy Pitcock and Douglas Gartman.

NEW FORDS, MERCURYS —

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be in the small car arena," Ivey said, "and our little Pinto is going to be right in the thick of the battle for this market. Combined with Maverick in both the two-door and new four-door version, we've got a one-two small car punch that gives us the strongest entry in the industry in this important market."

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Hospital News

Sept. 8: Mrs. Lena Russell, Louis Minjarez admitted. Oda Benton dismissed.

Sept. 9: V. V. Wojtek, Perry Mullis admitted. Louis Minjarez dismissed.

Sept. 11: Mrs. Jim Herford dismissed.

Sept. 12: Miss Iva Snead admitted. Robert Herron, V. V. Wojtek dismissed.

Sept. 13: Mrs. Grace Howell dismissed.

Sept. 14: Mrs. Serman Williams, Mrs. Bonnie Walker, Mrs. Marsh Gonzalez, Carl Hurley, Arthur Gloria admitted.

Tuesday morning, there were 13 patients in the hospital and eight in the nursing home.

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