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Steers Host Water Valley Coke Commissioners Adopt Tax Rate Of 34c Per \$100 Valuation

Members of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County adopted a tax rate of 34 cents per \$100 valuation when they met Monday of this week.

The huge decrease from last vear's county tax rate of \$1.04 may be a help to oil companies who operate in Coke County, and possibly to a few other taxpayers. but will prove to be of little help to most taxpayers who own real estate in the county, due to the big increase in valuations which have been brought on by the county's participation in the uniform appraisal of property in the county

In other business at the Monday meeting of the court the commissioners:

*Okaved a new policy, after hearing a report from County Attorney Bill J. Helwig, to approve a request from the Tom Green County jailer to allow Tom Green officers to appoint attorneys for indigent prisoners. It was recommended that this provision be okayed and Coke commissioners approved it after considering the transportation charges and drain on the time of personnel of the sheriff's office in transporting prisoners back and forth if the action were taken in Coke Coun-

*Passed a resolution which will allow Coke County students to obtain loans for use in attending college. The resolution does not

4 Amendments **Carry in Coke**

Four of the seven proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution which were voted on Tuesday, carried in Coke County. County Clerk Mrs. Winnie Waldrop reported that 366 persons voted in the county's six voting boxes.

The amendments voted on were: No. 1 would authorize issuance of bonds to improve certain areas of cities, towns, etc. No. 2 would authorize issuance of patents on certain land which had taxes paid on it for at least 50 years, but did not have a clear title. No. 3 would allow creation of a state finance management committee. No. 4 would authorize the state to set aside surplus funds for development of water resources. No. 5 would exempt livestock and poultry from ad valorem tax. No. 6 would allow some tax relief for homeowners. No. 7 would authorize issuance of bonds for the Veterans Land Program.

obligate the county to stand good for any loan.

*Accepted a plat presented by George Weir on a division of Property near Lake Spence, but excluded the county from maintaining streets on the property.

*At the request of Bill Helwig. conveyed a quit claim deed to Jimmy Bell from the county on a lot. or lots, in south Robert Lee that had at one time been deeded to the county.

*Passed an order to require General Telephone Co. to contact Coke County commissioenrs prior to submitting applications to the court for approval of easements needed for anticipated work of the company.

*Approved a request of Mapco Pipeline Co. for an easement to cross county roads in two places and use county right of way for a pipeline.

*Discussed the matter of county citizens who live outside the city limits of Bronte to dump trash at the Bronte dumpgrounds. Action on the matter was tabled.

*Heard a report from County Judge D.W. Sims of his and Sheriff Marshall Millican's meeting with the Jails Standards Commission in Austin. Judge Sims reported they were told if required work was completed and the salary for an additional deputy sheriff who would also be qualified as a certified jailer was approved, the holding jail at Bronte probably would be allowed to continue to operate. No final approval will be made, however, until improvements now in progress have been made at the Bronte jail.

Judge Sims said the commissions' court had a busy day Monday and the above-mentioned matters were thoroughly discussed

50 Years Ago

On last Friday, Lester Keenan brought 7 cultivators and 3 hoe hands to the field of G.E. Gray and cleaned up 50 acres of cotton. It was much appreciated by Mr. Gray who has been bad sick for 8 days. Those who helped were Lester Keenan, W.D. Markham, Joe Allen, Mr. Hunter and sons, Henson and Weldon Fikes, John Hamilton, Ray Ledbetter and three Mexicans.

To Finish 1981 Season



Royce D. Clay. **Meeting Set** At Southside

Southside Church of Christ will hold a short meeting beginning Sunday, Nov. 8, and continuing through Wednesday, Nov. 11. A noon luncheon will be served Sunday

Sunday services will begin with Bible classes at 10 a.m. and worship services at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Evening services Monday through Wednesday will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Speaker for the meeting will be Royce D. Clay, presently serving the 500 member congregation at 14th and Main Streets in Big Spring. He has served churches in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico and has been guest evangelist at approximately 70 gospel meetings during the last 20 years.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the special services, according to church elders.

Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey spent the weekend with their grandsons and their families. They visited Friday night and Saturday with Turney Coulter and family at Stanton, and Saturday night and Sunday with Nelson Coulter and family at Rankin. While at Rankin they made the acquaintance of a new great-granddaughter, McKenzie Coulter.

complete their 1981 football sea-Valley Wildcats come here for a district game. The Steers will be looking for a win on which to wind up their schedule.

Coach Jerold Epperson said the Wildcats have had a rough season and "they're hungry for a win." He pointed out that the Water Valley team has shown great improvement through the season and "we're going to get with it.'

He added, "If we don't come out and play better ball than we have in some games this season, we could wind up on the short end of the score.

However, the Steers are hun-

Miss Gregston Found Dead Wednesday

Wanda Ganell Gregston, about 30 years old, was found dead in a bath tub full of water at her home in Robert Lee Wednesday morning. She was found by her mother who had been to Bronte, and returned home about 11 a.m.

The Robert Lee ambulance was called and Gene Hinnard, who answered the call, picked up Dr. Zae Zeon, and they went to the Gregston home where Dr. Zeon pronounced Miss Gregston dead.

The doctor was reported to have theorized that she possibly had a heart attack, became unconscious and drowned. Sheriff Marshall Millican said the victim died from natural causes and there was no evidence of foul play

Miss Gregston lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gregston. Her father was working in the yard at the home when the incident occurred.

At press time Wednesday, funeral arrangements were pending at Shaffer Funeral Home.

The Robert Lee Steers will gry for a victory, too, after their loss last week to Sterling City. son Friday night when the Water They are expected to come out fighting in season finisher.

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Ster. City	3	1

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Loraine		1	3
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Last Week's Results: Loraine 7. Water Valley 6; Sterling City 14, Robert Lee 0; Roscoe 40, Roby 0.

This Week's Games: Water Valley at Robert Lee; Loraine at Roscoe; Roby at Sterling City.

Apparently Roscoe is in the driver's seat for the district title, but a upset by Sterling City could change the whole picture.

UIL District Realignment Announced

Coke County schools will be in the same district again for the 1982 football season. Both Robert Lee and Bronte will be in the South Zone of the new District 7-A. Announcement of the realignment was made Tuesday by UIL officials.

The big district will have 14 teams, eight in the South Zone and six in the North Zone.

Teams in the South Zone will include Robert Lee, Irion County, Bronte, Sterling City, Eden, Garden City, Greenwood, and Water Valley. North Zone teams will include Roby, Roscoe, Loraine, Forsan, Sands and Klondike.

A couple of changes in classification of interest are involved in the shuffle. Miles is moving up to Class 2-A and Forsan is dropping back to Class A

Officials of schools in the district met at Sterling City Monday to work out details of the district changes, which will be effective for the next two years.

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Coke County voters approved Nos. 2, 5, 6 and 7, but turned thumbs down on Nos. 1, 3 and 4. Here's how the vote went in Coke County:

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No. 1	119	219	fr
No. 2	250	97	w
No. 3	96	241	0
No. 4	149	202	ta
No. 5	277	82	n
No. 6	193	149	d
No. 7	198	154	d
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Coke County's 366 voters was not a turnout to brag about, but it was a considerably higher percertage of the qualified voters than voted in many places over the state.

Finger waves, 10c, Commercial Hotel, Lorien Day.

D.E. Gilbert has sold 5 new cars since he came here a month ago. The last sale was a 4 door to El Higgins, mail carrier.

Say, folks, Robert Lee Cemetery needs attention and some way of financing it to keep it looking like something. Some of these days somebody is going to nrow a cigarette over that fence om the highway and have the hole graveyard on fire. Bronte ver here's got a man hired to ake care of theirs and looks real ice. When people drive by, what o you suppose they think? Why, urn, let's do something about it. There are graves up there, cain't tell they are graves. Some looked all around up there for N.L. Halbert's grave the other day and he hasn't been dead long. --Editor

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Members of Robert Lee Baptist Church will be conducting a People Search in neighborhoods in Robert Lee on Sunday, Nov. 8. The People Search is a reli-

Dogies whip Forsan Lads 28-0

The Robert Lee Junior High Dogies gave the junior high Buffaloes of Forsan a good licking when they came here for a game Thursday of last week. Final figures on the scoreboard gave Robert Lee a 28-0 victory.

The first touchdown came on a 10 yard pass play from Kevin Johnson to Dale Hodnett. Two extra points were made by Hodnett.

The second counter was made by Johnson who went in from 10 yards and then ran the PAT, to make the score 16-0.

Jim Bob Jacobs made the third

TD for the Dogies on a sensational 97 yard run. Try for extras failed. Score: 22-0.

The final score of the game was made by Mike Sanchez on a 3 vard run. Try for extras was no good, and the final score was 28-0

Coach Max Anthony said he was proud of the Dogie team's performance. "It was a very good team effort by all team members," he said.

The Dogies were scheduled to wind up their 1981 schedule last night (Thursday) when they were set to travel to Irion County.

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gious survey being taken by Southern Baptists to locate people who are not members of any local congregation.

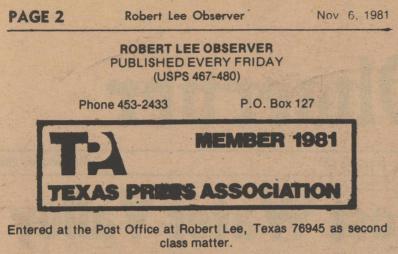
Other Southern Baptist churches throughout the state also are canvassing communities during October and November as part of the Baptist General Convention of Texas' 1981-82 Church Growth Thrust.

The thrust is an effort to promote growth in existing Texas Baptist churches and to start new churches in the state.

A sample survey card is published in this edition of the Observer which can be filled out and left on the front door if a family does not wish to be disturbed.

Volunteers will be conducting the People Search from 1:00-3:00 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 8.

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Editor and Publisher Ben Oglesby

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Dwala Casey Makes Good Very Quickly With S&L Association

Dwala Casey of Robert Lee evidently has made quite an impression on her bosses during the few months since Heart O'Texas Savings Association has been operating in Robert Lee. Since the firm opened its branch office here and Mrs. Casey was named assistant vice president and branch manager, she has received two promotions and a transfer to work in all the company's branch offices.

The company headquarters in San Saba and has eight branch offices in cities ranging from Austin to San Angelo and out into the rural areas.

Mrs. Casey now is a vice president and regional director of the company which is one of Texas' oldest savings and loans associations. Her new duties will provide her an office in the company's building in San Angelo and she will work with all the other branches of the company.

She said this week that she had been working on setting up branch offices of the company during the last several months, but now, in her new position, she will be working more in setting up home loans for customers.

Mrs. Casey's replacement in the Robert Lee office, located on North Highway 208, is Kay Pitcock. Assisting her is Mary Beth Drennan, who has been named savings counselor for the firm. Mrs. Pitcock has been working for the company since January. She is an assistant vice president and branch manager.

Mayor Robert Vaughan is a member of the board of directors of Heart O' Texas Savings Association.

Mt. Creek Golf Club News

Twenty-two piayers entered the ABC Golf Tournament on Saturday, Oct. 31. The weather played along with Halloween Day as it turned blustery with high, cold winds.

First place was taken by Scottie Chastain of San Angelo, Frank Percifull and Bob Boone, both of Robert Lee and I.G. Gomez of San Angelo with a 66.

Second place was won by Bob Morgan and Jeff Webster, both of San Angelo and John Carver of Robert Lee, scoring 68.

Tallying a 69, and winning third on a play-off were Clarence Tinkler, San Angelo, Bill Blair and Fern Havins, both of Robert Lee.

Next scheduled play at the local course will be the annual ABC Turkey Shoot on Saturday, Nov. 21 at 1 p.m. In that tourney, each member of the top three teams will be awarded turkeys for ABC Tournament prizes.

TO THE GREAT NORTHWEST

by Mrs. Russell T. McBroom

The next day is a little bit hazy in my memory. I guess after all the sights of the day before, there was nothing much to register. Open grassy meadows or valleys alternated with rugged mountain scenery all across Montana, the Idaho panhandle, and Washington. A few things stand out. Once a whirlwind began beside the road ahead of us. Surprisingly, the whirlwind was white as with snow, but the soil was black. Soon we began to see white sand in the barrow ditches and against fence posts. Recognize it? It took us a while to realize it was ash from Mt. St. Helens. I don't know where we first saw it, but it got deeper as we went farther into Washington, then just stopped. Another thing I remember is following the Clark Fork River for 150 miles, and stopping Alberton, Mont. for a "musty" ice cream cone. Eat one and you "must" have another. We crossed the Columbia River about half way between Spokane and Seattle in as ugly country as I've seen anywhere, then went through the beautiful Snoqualmie Pass and the surrounding forest. We arrived at Linda's house in Seattle just before sundown, glad for a chance to rest.

Wednesday, Sept. 16, was the day Chanda had been looking forward to since we left home. Linda and I took Alice and Chanda across Puget Sound to Poulsbo to see her daughter Kay Quillan, Kay's husband, Randy, and her son Chris. After spending the day, Linda and I went back to Seattle. That trip included two 30-minute ferry rides on the Spokane, a lovely ship which never goes anywhere, but carries hundreds of people to work every. day.

On Thursday Linda gave an impromptu party so I could meet some of her friends. I really enjoyed meeting them, but should have written their names down immediately.

Friday was a very full day. We took the Canadian ferry Princess Margurite to Victoria, B.C. (That was when I was really impressed with the luxury of the Spokane. The Princess was so far inferior!) We toured the island in a horse-drawn carriage, the Tallyho, then toured the parliament building. The island is lush with flowers and hanging baskets everywhere. After tea in The Empress, we headed back for the Princess and the ride home. The sail was great, but it was too cold to stay on deck and it was too hot to breathe inside. It was fun to watch the gulls and killer whales.

The next day Linda and I visited the Japanese gardens near Lake Washington Underground Seattle, and the Weyerhauser headquarters where Linda works. I was impressed. In all the national parks and forests we had seen, there were vast areas where the trees are dying from insect damage, but on Weyerhauser property there is no such damage. Damaged trees are harvested as soon as damage starts, so it can't spread. All good things must come to an end, so six o'clock Sunday morning found me on my way to the ferry to Poulsbo to pick up Alice and Chanda for our trip home. I was glad it was so early, because I'm not very good at driving and navigating at the same time. That early in the morning the traffic was light enough that I found my way without undue problems. Our trip that day was without significance, even though we were traveling through beautiful country. Our only stop except for gas was at Kelso, Wash. for church, as we ate in the car as we

drove. Turning east at Portland we followed the Columbia River about a hundred miles, passing Bridal Veil and Multnoma Falls; I could only "shoot" them in passing. Bedtime caught us at Baker, Oreg. so there we stayed.

Chanda had been in forty nine states, so we planned to cut across the northeast corner of Nevada and spend the night in Salt Lake City or Provo, Utah. However our plans changed again and we spent the night in Ely, Nev. Now Chanda has not only been to Nevada, but has slept there. The highway out of Baker runs through Boise and Twin Fall, Idaho, and we were lucky enough to see the falls--and get a shot of them.

Since Alice had never been to the Grand Canyon, we were routing ourselves in that direction with the intention of seeing all we could along the way. Our choice was through Cedar City, Utah and Page, Ariz. We also chose the route through Cedar Breaks National Monument, where we saw the most beautiful aspens of the entire trip; along with vast lava flows and a lovely mountain lake. Also there were many miles of Vermilion Cliffs. We stopped at the tourist center at Glen Canyon Dam to take pictures of the gorge and some dinosaur tracks. From there to the Grand Canyon the road passed through beautiful painted desert country where Navajos had built little booths to sell their jewelry. Pictures you have seen of the canyon tell much more than words can, so I'll not even. try to describe them. There was a gorgeous sunset as we left the park to find a motel.

When we started out the next morning, the sun was directly in our eyes. As we often do, we complained about it. Sure enough, in a very short time the sun began to hide its face, and soon after began to cry. We tried to apologize, but the tears fell faster and faster until it became a downpour--the first real rain we'd seen on the entire trip. It continued past Flagstaff hard enough to make us change our plans to go down Oak Creek Canyon. There was some compensation when it cleared up enough for us to see Montezuma's Castle, the tallest of the cliff dwellings; but I'll just have to go back to see Oak Creek!

We spent the night in Tucson with our niece, Sadie Nan Hill and her husband. We had to visit fast, because they both work and we had to leave early the next day.

Since Sadie Nan works in that direction, she led us out of town and to the highway, and we were off again.

Another side trip we made was to Tombstone. One can't really say he's been to Arizona until he's had his picture made with the Earps and Doc Halliday.

The next two nights we spent in El Paso visiting in the home of Rex Scoggins, another nephew. Also we saw Rex's daughter Elaine and her family, another niece. Mary John George, and John and Earnestine Copeland. Rex took us to Juarez for shoping and sightseeing.

Even if there had been anything to see between El Paso and Robert Lee we wouldn't have stopped to see it. We had gone more than 5000 miles in three weeks and had seen so much that nothing else mattered.



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Texas Baptist are interested in meeting people who are not members of any church. Volunteers from Robert Lee Baptist Church will be going from door-to-door on

not members of any church. Volunteers from Robert Lee Baptist Church will be going from door-to-door on Sunday, Nov. 8 from 1-3 p.m. to survey local neighbors. If you do not wish to be disturbed, please clip and place the sample card on your front door. This will allow volunteers to remove the card and move on to the next house. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

PEOPLE SEARCH FAMILY CARD

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LaNell Flowers and Stephen B. Dean

LaNell Flowers, Stephen Dean Plan Church Wedding in January

Robert Lee have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, LaNell, to Stephen Benton Dean. Miss Flowers and Dean, both of Midland, will be married and graduated from A.S.U. in

ROBERT LEE GRADUATE RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Buddy Wallace, graduate of Robert Lee High School. was recently selected a recipient of the L.M. Hargrave Book Scholarship for the 1981 fall semester at Texas Tech University in Lub- Lake Spence bock

The scholarship was given primarily on a basis of scholastic achievement. Buddy is a sophomore majoring in agriculture Littlefield - 8 black bass to 4 lbs. education. He is an active member of the Collegiate Future Farmers of America and the Agriculture Economics Associa- Spring - 10 crappie caught on tion. He plays intramural footbal' for the AECO Association. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wallace Jr. of Robert Lee.

ROBERT LEE GRADUATE RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Clay Bloodworth, graduate of 41/2 lbs. on minnow. Robert Lee High School, was recently selected a recipient of he T.L. Leach/L.M. Hargrave Agriculture Education Scholarship for the 1981 fall semester at Texas Tech University in Lubbock The scholarship was given primarily on a basis of scholastic achievement. Clay is a sophomore majoring in agriculture education. He is an active member of the Collegiate Future Farmers of America. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bloodworth of Silver.

1st & 3rd Tuesday

of each month-7 P.M.

LIONS CLUB COMMUNITY

CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Flowers of Friday. Jan. 15, 1982, in the Robert Lee Baptist Church. The couple will reside in Midland after their marriage.

Miss Flowers is a 1976 graduate of Robert Lee High School 1980. She is employed by Union Oil of California in Midland.

A 1974 graduate of Midland High School, Dean is employed by Rocky Mountain Trucking Company there.

Fishing News Wanoreck's Paint Creek Marina

Jerry Roberts and Lee West, caught on rattletrap lure near "Old Smokey'' Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Clark, Big minnows in Salt Creek 8 ft. deep.

Wade and Ted Johnson, Midland and Seminole - 3 crappie, 3 white bass, 3 black bass, 12 blue cat. 8 channel cat.

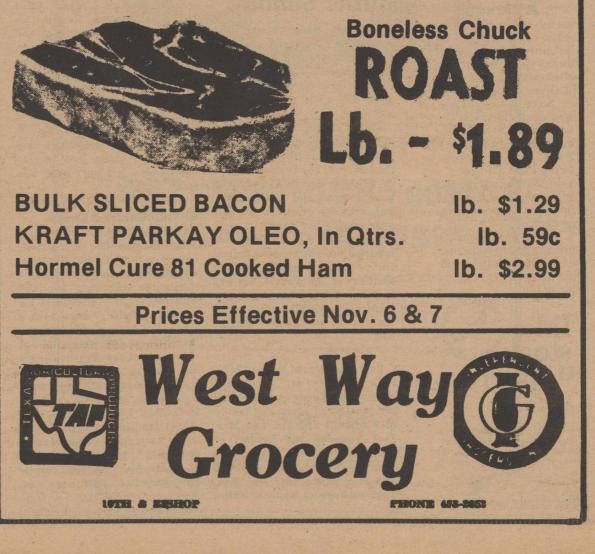
Capt. Ray Huffman and Marilyn White, Lubbock - 1 black bass

Mr. Cooper, Midland - 12 crappie to 1 lb., minnows for bait, caught in Salt Creek



DEL MONTE PUMPKIN 303 size can 53c Del Monte Cut Green Beans, 303 can 2 for 89c DEL MONTE SPINACH, 303 Size Can 2 for 89c







LIONS CLUB MEETING

Skinny's Hillside Robert and Larry Davis, Odessa - 1 yellow cat 10 lbs.

Visiting in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kegans, Bax and Kacey of Leonard, last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beaty. While there, they enjoyed the Halloween Carnival with their grandchildren. They also attended the performance of the Cooper-Leonard High School drill team, sponsored by Mrs. Kegans, and toured the new modern school facility. Mrs. Beaty declared the new school "fabulous". The Leonard school was completely destroyed by fire last year.

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YEARBOOKS FOR SALE

Friday, Nov. 13, is the last day to purchase copies of The Corral, Robert Lee School yearbook. Anyone who wishes to purchase a copy of the 1982 edition should see Mrs. Winnie McPeek, yearbook sponsor, or any member of the annual staff.

Services For Lucy. Clinton

Mrs. Lucy (Midge) Clinton, 62, died at 1:20 p.m. Oct. 28 in Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. James Sanders of Robert Lee officiating. Graveside services were at 4 p.m. in Paint Creek Cemetery in Edith.

Mrs. Clinton was born in the -Friendship Community, Dec. 13, 1918, the daughter of Josie Gallard and Tom Robertson. She was married to Buck Clinton in 1932. He died in 1973. She was a homemaker and had lived in Robert Lee for seven years. She was a member of the Emmanuel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Carol Quicksall of San Angelo and Debbie Bradberry of Arlington; a sister, Dorothy Weddle of Del Rio; two brothers. Elton Robertson of Notrees and Harold Anthony of Del Rio; and four grandchildren.

"Experience is the name everyone gives to their mistakes." Oscar Wilde



Save for the silver lining.

here's an old song that advises you to look for the silver lining. Certainly a good piece of advice. But here's some



Luke Anthony

Bowie Service For L. Anthony

Funeral services for Luke Anthony, 66, of Bowie were held Saturday, Oct. 31, in the First Baptist Church of Bowie, with the pastor. Dr. Ronnie Armstrong, officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery under direction of Burgess-Fry Funeral Home of Bowie.

Mr. Anthony, who was the father of Coach Max Anthony of Robert Lee, died Thursday, Oct. 29, in the Bowie Hospital.

He was born Jan. 4, 1915, in Love County, Okla., had lived in Bowie 30 years and was custodian for the Bowie Public schools. He was married to Louise Jopling Dec. 13, 1936 in Okla.

Mr. Anthony was an Honorary Lone Star Farmer of the Bowie FFA Chapter. He and his wife were honored last year at the school's all-sports banquet and he was given the Boys Sports Booster Award for the 1980-81 school year.

He had been the timekeeper for Bowie School's football and basketball games for 30 years. He missed only one game during this time, when schools of the state were being integrated and an official was sent from Austin for that season's first game.

Survivors include his wife of Bowie; two sons, max Anthony of **Robert Lee and Kenneth Anthony** of Henrietta; three brothers, Woodrow Anthony of Bowie, Joe Anthony of Tulsa, Okla., and Vinton Anthony of Del Rio; and five grandchlidren.

Vacant House Burns Sunday

A small frame house was completely destroyed by fire early Sunday night. The house tions, and research is currently was located in the Bayview



Checking with the Brucellosis Committee, calf vaccinations for the first three quarters of fiscal year 1981 totaled 5,705,976 compared with 4,692,444 during the same period last year, an increase of 21.6 percent. Most states vaccinated more calves this year, with ten vaccinating fewer.

The largest increase was in Puerto Rico, where 937 percent more calves were vaccinated so far this year. Most of the high incidence states increased calf

Missouri increased numbers vaccinated by 365 percent with 259,354 calves vaccinated. Alabama increased vaccinations by 77 percent and West Virginia. Florida and Texas all vaccinated more than 50 percent more calves.

As far as Texas is concerned, vaccination of heifer calves has continued to climb. The annual projection for 1981 is 53.2 percent compared to 24.6 percent for 1980. This is due to the acceptance and approval of the reduced dose of Strain 19. Another plus is that they can now recommend vaccination up to 12 months of age in non-infected herds.

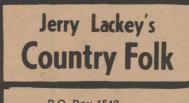
The cooperation program in Texas is providing free vaccine and the state of Texas pays veterinarians-- about 748 of them -- if they are certified to vaccinate.

As of May 1, there are 134 counties in Class A (the western half of the state) and 105 counties in Class B (the eastern half). There are 54 counties in the western half with no known infection. Some have been clean for 2 or 3 years.

In addition to the standard tests, the central Texas lab will begin evaluating an automated ELISA test system in conjunction with Texas A&M University.

SURFACE MINE RECLAMATION

While thoughts of strip mining conjure up visions of desolate moonscapes, proper mining and reclamation methods can dispel those visions, says an agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Reclamation involves various leveling, soil preparation and seeding operaunder way to refine these operations for reforestation. About a million acres of Texas land are suitable for surface mining and have already been extensively leased. Most of these lie within the coastal plains and include woodlands, grazing land and some cropland.



P.O. Box 1542 San Angelo, TX 76902

Texas A&M has been conducting research on the ELISA test and it has exhibited the capability of early detection of infected animals in non-vaccinated cattle.

Fifteen livestock producer committees have been named by commissioners of the Texas Animal Health Commission to assist in implementation of the accelerated program. Each committee has 12 members and represents one of the 15 areas of the TAHC.

This action is considered a major step forward by John Armstrong, chairman of TAHC. All the committee members are actively engaged in some form of livestock production.

The USDA has produced several new radio promotional spots with Tennessee Ernie Ford. These are similar to the Grandpa Jones tapes used in the past. They are being distributed to all stations in 12 southern states and to farm networks in the rest of the country, a total of about 3,500 stations.

Ford encourages cattlemen to vaccinate, test, quarantine and take as many precautions as necessary to insure that they don't get brucellosis in their herds.

4-H AIMED AT EDUCATION 4-H. the youth development program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, is aimed at educating young people. 4-H can help youth between the ages of 9 and 19 develop intelligent behavior by providing them information or knowledge, a positive self-concept and an awareness of their social setting, says a 4-H and youth specialist with the Extension Service. Through individual projects, group activities and adult volunteer leadership, the 4-H program attempts to help boys and girls acquire skills that will lead to self-directed and lifelong learning.

COTTON SET-ASIDE

With a lot of cotton and low prices this year, the government may create a cotton set-aside program--a program in which farmers would be paid not to grow cotton on a certain amount of land. Such a program would be optional, of course. Based on past experiences, a 15 percent setaside would result in only a 3 to 5 percent decrease in production, points out an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. This reduced production would roughly increase cotton prices by 5 percent.

Green Thumb Workers Meet

Green Thumb workers from seven counties met Tuesdav at the Eden Multi-Purpose Center to learn some "tricks of the trade" when it comes to finding permanent jobs in their home communities.

The workers participated in a 'Job Hunt'' session to teach them how to re-assess their job interests and to promote themselves to local employers.

The nearly 50 Green Thumbers who attended the session are now working under the sponsorship of non-profit community organizations such as schools, senior centers, libraries, museums, community centers, colleges and housing programs.

The Green Thumb program stresses the needed rural community services when it places a worker with a sponsor. A primary goal of the program is to assist workers in finding permanent non-Green Thumb employment to meet their individual needs.

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Green Thumb, an equal opportunity employer, is the oldest federal senior citizen employment and placement program in the nation. Sponsored by National Farmers Union, Green Thumb has been active in Texas since 1970 and now has workers in 107 counties.

Local workers and sponsors attending the training session were Margaret Martin, Geneva Minnick and Lois Wallace. all of Bronte.

West Coke Hospital News

The following admissions and dismissals have been announced by the West Coke County Hospital:

Oct. 27: Mary Vaughan and Bessie Walker admitted. No dismissals.

Oct. 28: No admissions and Edna Terry dismissed.

Oct. 29: No admissions or dismissals.

Oct. 30: Henry Varnadore and Sara Lara admitted. Mary Vaughan and Buster Pierce dismissed. Oct. 31: No admissions or

dismissals. Nov. 1: No admissions and

Emma Thornton dismissed.

Nov. 2: Mike Davis admitted and no dismissals.

WATER VITAL TO RANCHING

Plenty of good quality water well-distributed over a ranch is essential for balanced forage and livestock production, says a range specialist with the Texas

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vaccinations.

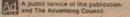
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Robert Lee firemen responded to the alarm about 7 p.m. but the building had collapsed before they arrived. The fire was reported by Mrs. Lillian Counts who lives nearby. She said the fire was seen by relatives as they were leaving her home.

Fire Chief J.C. Wallace Jr. reported that the house is believed to be owned by Buster Matheny of San Angelo, but was unoccupied. "No damage estimate was available and cause of the fire is unknown," Wallace said.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Schooley Sr. were their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Simon and family of Wautauga and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schooley and Bradley of Burleson. The H.C. Schooleys returned their visit last weekend and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allen and family at Burleson

ENVIRONMENT HAS BIG IMPACT ON FAMILIES

Environment has such a major impact on families that it actually affects family behavior, says a family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Environment literally sets the states for how children and families live, grow and change. It forms the larger world of each child and adult-confronting them with pervasive forces and pressures that individual families have no control over, including various socioeconomic, physical and manmade elements. Meeting these various environmental challenges depends on coping skills--of families as groups and an individuals.

STOCKER CALVES NO AUTOMATIC PROFIT

High costs relative to livestock prices offer a dim outlook for owning and grazing stocker calves this fall and winter, believes an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas 'A&M University System. Rather than the usual practice of grazing stockers until May or June, stockmen might consider removing calves early enough to harvest a grain or forage crop, grazing calves until late winter and then shipping them, shifting calves from wheat to other small grains, and spreading the price risk with multiple purchases or marketings of calves. she explains.

Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Watering facilities contribute to daily grazing behavior of livestock and influence grazing distribution. Water for livestock comes from three main sources-rain water, surface water and underground water. Developing these sources include drilling a well. constructing a tank or reservoir, or piping water. Cattle should travel no more than two miles round-trip for water--less with rough or brushy terrain. Provide one watering facility for every 50-60 head of livestock in a continuously grazed pasture.

WOOL OUTPUT UP

Wool output this year is estimated at 104 million pounds, up three million pounds over 1978, the latest year reported, says Ann Vanderpoorten, a clothing specialist. Part of the increase is credited to people's need for warmer clothes since they've turned their thermostats down,

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TOPS OF COKE COUNTY--Winners of the Coke County 4-H 1981 Gold Star Awards are Frankie Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, and Douglas Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs.

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Bobby Roberts. Announcement of their selection for the coveted honors was made at the annual **Coke County Awards Program** held Oct. 27 in Robert Lee.

4-H Club Members, Leaders Are Honored at Achievement Supper

The Annual Coke County 4-H Club Achievement Supper was held at the Robert Lee School lunchroom Tuesday night with 78 members, parents and guests in attendance. One-hundred twelve 4-H Club members and leaders were recognized for achievement during the past year with Frankie Walker and Douglas Roberts receiving the coveted County Gold Star Awards.

Frankie Walker and Bruce James were mistress and master of ceremonies. The invocation was given by Kirby Rasco and Lin Long led the recitation of the motto and pledge. Bud Johnson gave the welcome and Jana Gartman introduced special guests.

Gene Hinnard was in charge of the award presentations to the honorees listed below

Donnie Grant and Ricky Drennan presented the year pins: First Year--Kim Hood, Ericka Clendennen, Dorinda Scott, Johanna Service, Robyn Lee, Melissa Arrott, Chree Williamson, Misti Taylor and Michele Parker; Second Year--Tracy Hubbard; Third Year--Debbie Flowers, Nikki Epperson, Lin Long and DeAnn Parker; Fourth Year--Jana Gartman; Fifth Year--Melanie Epperson and Douglas Roberts; Eighth Year--Ollie McCarty and Bud Johnson; Tenth Year -- Frankie Walker.

County Awards were presented by Mark Hambright in the fields of achievement to the Contest: Craig Grant (10th high persons indicated: Achievement

Michael Cervenka, John Cervenka. Rick Drennan and Douglas Roberts: Sheep--Stephen Lee; Shoot Sports--Kim Caston, Phillip Stephens, Yvonne Charles and John Walker; Teen Leader--Frankie Walker; Gold Star Awards--Frankie Walker and Douglas Reberts.

DISTRICT AWARDS

The following District winners were presented awards by Kim Caston and Douglas Roberts:

District Fashion Revue--Senior Division. Frankie Walker, Blue Ribbon: Junior Division, Michele Parker, Red Ribbon, Melanie Epperson, Red Ribbon.

District Foods Show--Senior Division, Ollie McCarty; Junior Division, Kim Hood, Blue Ribbon, Debbie Flowers, Red Ribbon, Lin Long, Red Ribbon, Nikki Epperson, Blue Ribbon.

District Soil Judging Team--Senior Division, First Place--Bruce James, Donnie Grant, Bud Johnson (top three individuals) and Wayne Sprenkle -- Placed sixth in State 4-H Contest with Bruce James as seventh high individual: Junior Division. Second Place--Craig Grant, Randy Gartman (third high individual), Stephen Lee and Ronnie Carlton.

District Livestock Judging Team--Junior Division, Third Place--Craig Grant (fourth high individual), Corby Kelso, Doug Tounget and Waylan Ensor. This team won first place at the ACU

EXTENSION EXTRAS

By Mary Anne Lackey

Mrs. Darolyn Downing, electric living consultant with West Texas Utilities, will present a Christmas program Nov. 10, at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. The program will be held at the **Recreation Hall in the City Park** at Robert Lee.

The title of the program this year is Season Sampler. It will feature new food ideas and decorations. Recipe booklets will be provided, free of charge, for those in attendance.

The Bronte Extension Homemakers Club will sponsor an Arthritis Clinic Nov. 19. Mrs. Savanah Belcher from the Arthritis Foundation will lead the program with the help of three medical doctors from San Angelo. The program will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Bronte.

4-H RIFLE CLUB SCORES REPORTED

Jim Herford, 4-H Rifle Club leader, reported the following scores chalked up Oct. 31 by club members at the rifle range on the Joe McCutchen Ranch between **Bronte and Robert Lee:**

1. Travis Walston 57; 2. Kerri Bilbrey 44; 3. Vicki Ellis 43; 4. Scott Henson 43; 5. Shane Kelton 41; 6. Tina Hines 41; 7. James Badgett 33; 8. Gary Blair 30; 9. Danny Mulky 26; 10 Claudette Walker 17; 11. David Hyche 10; 12. Misti Epperson 10.

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Move Made To Revive Museum

establish the Coke Count Museum on a going organizational basis, a well attended meeting of the Coke County Historical Commission, voted at their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday, Oct. 27, to establish an executive committee with that in view. The committee is to consist of

seven members, three of whom are to be the officers of the commission and four to be chosen from the citizenry outside of the commission. The commission will sponsor the museum, working through this executive committee, until such a time as a museum association can be formed to take over its administration.

that of the Coke County Pageant Association, to operate independently of the commission as soon as possible.

The chairman, Ulmer Bird, pointed out that the State Historical Commission advises anyone seeking to establish a county museum be sure ahead of time that there is sufficient interest to warrant the undertaking.

The actual sponsoring of the jail house project by the commission will be determined by whether or not there is that kind of interest, which will make it possible to accomplish this -interest among the citizenry generally, Bird said.

There is not at present any

In a move to re-open and financial campaign, but some definite steps need to be taken by this proposed joint executive committee.

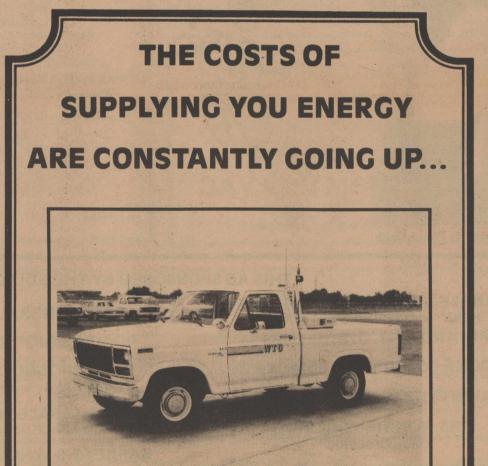
The old jail has for some years been designated to the Coke **County Historical Commission by** the county court, and it is in the hands of the commission for that use.

The County Historical Commission members were enthusiastic in the move to activate the museum, and it has priority for now, in the program and the efforts of the commission, Bird said.

It was brought out in the discussions in the commission meetings that people from out-The ultimate aim is to create an side the county are constantly association along lines similar to coming through wanting to see the museum. Members of the commission feel there is a definite need for a place to portray the colorful history of Coke County for everyone to see.



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--Patty Bloodworth, Waylan Ensor, Amy Percifull and DeAnn Agricultural--Pammy Parker: Millican, Corby Kelso, Craig Grant and Jan Tounget; Citizenship--Doug Tounget, Michele Parker, Rachel Metcalf, Jana Gartman, Debbie Flowers and Kirby Rasco; Clothing--Misti Taylor and Chree Williamson; Conservation of Natural Resources--Brantley Robertson, Ronnie Carlton and Donnie Grant.

Also, Consumer Education Nikki Epperson, Robyn Lee and Tracy Hubbard; Food-Nutrition--Dorinda Scott, Kim Hood, Ericka Clendennen and Melissa Arrott; Horse--Melanie Cooper, Jennifer Robinson, Terry Millican, Donya Cooper, Marla Shields and Melinda Gentry; Leadership--Blake Braswell, Randy Gartman, Frankie Walker, Bruce James, Lin Long, Johanna Service and Bill Grant Jr.; Veterinary Science --Bud Johnson, Carrath Metcalf and Randy Stephens; Dress Revue--Melanie Epperson; Beef-- Year--Gina Grant.

individual), Douglas Roberts, Doug Tounget and Waylan Ensor (high individual).

District Range Judging Team--Senior Division, Second Place --Frankie Walker (third high individual), Dianna Tinkler, Terry Millican and Brantley Robertson.

District Rifle Team--Tied for third place--Phillip Stephens (fifth high individual), Douglas Roberts, Rob Shields and Shannon Hart.

ADULT AWARDS

Adults were presented awards by County Extension Agents Mary Anne Lackey and Sterling Lindsey.

James E. (Jim) Herford and Pam Parker received the 1981 4-H Leader Awards and Jackie Walker was winner of the 1981 4-H Leader Special Recognition Award.

Project Leaders receiving awards were: First Year--Mary Beth Drennan; Third Year--Pam Parker and Jeffie Roberts; Fourth Year--Margaret Epperson; Eighth Year--Louise Johnson; Ninth

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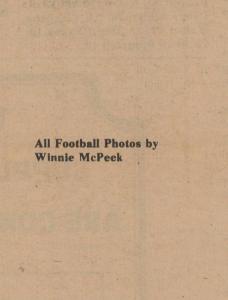
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Becky Ross In **Wool Contest**

Becky Ross is entering the Make-It-Yourself-With-Wool-Contest on Nov. 14. She is using this contest as a homemaking project under the teaching of Mrs. Eloise Guerrant.

The contest will be held in the Houston Harte Center on the Angelo State University campus. The fashion show begins at 2 p.m. Becky is being sponsored by Butane Sale, Co. of Robert Lee.

LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday, Nov. 9: Pigs in the blanket, cheese stick, baked beans, French fries with catsup, milk and applesauce.

Tuesday, Nov. 10: Frito pie with cheese, lettuce wedge, corn, chopped onion, crackers, banana and milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 11: Chili mac with cheese, spinach, beets, cornbread with butter, milk, fruit cobbler.

Thursday, Nov. 12: Bologna, cheese sandwiches, tator totts with catsup, corn, milk and cupcakes.

Friday, Nov. 13'; Chicken-A-La-King, lettuce wedge, hot rolls with butter, milk and pineapple chunks.

Mrs. G.E. Hall is spending a few days with her son and wife, Sheriff and Mrs. Hershall Hall, of Ballinger. Mrs. Hall is recuperating from recent major surgery in St. John's Hospital in San Ange-



D'Linn Blair D'Linn Blair Divide Queen

D'Linn Blair, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Blair of Noian was crowned Elementary Queen at the Divide Halloween Carnival Saturday night. D'Linn represented the third grade.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blair of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. David Linn of Nolan. Great grandparents are Mrs. C.B. Linn of Sweetwater, and Mrs. Buell Moore of Nolan.

Mrs. Opal Ellisor is a new resident of Robert Lee, recently moving here from Kerens to be near her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Runnion, and family. She is looking forward to spending some time with her grandchildren, Robert and Leigh Ann.

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Steers Drop 3-A Game To Sterling City, 14-0

By Stan Ray

The Robert Lee Steeres had another tough game Friday night at Sterling City when the Eagles beat down the Steers and took a 14-0 victory. In winning the game the Eagles from Sterling removed the Steers from any hope of winning the district 3-A pennant and advancing to further glory on the 1981 gridiron.

The Eagles had a total of 271 yards against the Steers. Jim Skinner led the Steers with 40 yards of his own to make up a big part of the 72 yards the Steers managed to make during the night of trying hard.

The Eagles came out swinging hard and scored 6 right off the bat, but the PAT was not good. They scored a second time during

Phillips, Friend Save Woman

Everybody wonders at some time or other how their children will react in the "outside" world when they grow up. Were they listening to anything they were taught? These questions were answered in one case recently as Bobby Phillips, a 1981 RLHS graduate, was involved in an incident in San Angelo.

On a recent Sunday afternoon, Bobby Phillips and a friend, Douglas Washington, were leaving nearby tennis courts, after several games, in the vicinity of Shannon Hospital. They observed a group of people gathered around a woman on the ground. The 62-year-old woman was apparently suffering breathing difficulties and a heart attack. No. action had been taken by those present, so the boys immediately began to administer CPR and called for an ambulance. They continued the emergency technique until it arrived. The ambulance attendant credited them with saving the woman's life.

Washington is a nurse's aid, employed by a San Angelo hospital and CPR as part of his training.

Phillips had been in scouting for many years under Scoutmaster Gene Hinnard. The scouts have been instructed many times ATTEND FUNERAL by Hinnard and Red Cross Instructor Sam Williams.

He is the son of J. Weldon Phillips and the grandson of Mrs. Effie Phillips, both of Robert Lee.

Recently spending several days with her daughters and husbands were Mr. and Mrs. Dave King. They visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Wilkerson of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas of Arlington. On Saturday night, they attended the wedding of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson

their next possession and the PAT was good, so the score was 14-0 from that point on.

The Steers held them throughout the rest of the game, but the tough Eagle defense kept the Steers from scoring, also.

It was a very defensive game from the second quarter on. With most of the second quarter ticked away. Long interecepted an Eagle pass at the 11 where Skinner ran it out to about the 40. Before the Steers could finish the drive, the half ended,

The two teams fought neck and neck during the second half, but it looked as though the Steers were going to get a break when Abalos recovered an Eagle fumble on their 31 yard line. Due to a fumble on the Eagle 27 yard line, however, the Steers could not capitalize on the opportunity. The game continued at see-saw style, as the Steers were never able to score, and ended: Eagles 14, Steers 0.

The Steers now have a 4-4-1 record for the season and a 3-2 district record.

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S. Long, 2 for 16 yds. PASSING ATTPS. & YDS.

E. Hood, 10 for 2 comp., 1 int. Fumbles lost: Hood, 3 for 2;

Sanchez, 1 for 1. Fumbles recovered: Abalos, 1.

Interceptions: Long, 1. Punts: Rasco, 3 for 30 yds. avg.; Torres, 1 for 35 yds. avg.

HUNTS IN COLORADO

"Geep" McBride of Matapeake Ranch returned last week from a three-week hunting trip to Colorado. Hunting on the ranch of a family friend, he reported it snowed several times while he was there. He came home with a 10 point elk after several hard hunting trips. Large game was scarce and the bull was killed on the last day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Watson were called out of town because of the death last week of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Leeta Dallison of El Reno, Okla. Mrs. Dallison died Monday night after a long illness and was buried last Friday in Crescent, Okla. The Watsons returned home on Saturday night.





Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skinner this week are her sister, Mrs. Shirley Winger, and son, Larry Jr. of Gonzales. Mrs. Winger's husband, Larry, is on a hunting trip to Colorado with a group of friends from Sonora. He called her to say he had killed a three-point buck mule deer which field dressed 262 lbs.

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