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## Oil Valued at \$23.4 Million

### AD-LIB-BEN

The terrible action of this week against Sen. Robert F. Kennedy is but the latest in a long series of shameful occurrences for which this country is becoming notorious.

Time was when the assassin's bullet was commonplace in our neighboring countries to the south, but it is fast becoming more prevalent north of the Rio Grande.

The assassinations of well known persons during the last few years is saddening to us. Regardless of how we feel about a person's politics, his ambitions, or his personal traits, we feel more strongly that nobody deserves to be gunned down.

It seem to us the whole mess is but a dark and sickening reflection of the permissiveness which has swept our country since World War II.

Coddling confessed criminals, encouraging riots and demonstrations, looking the other way when laws are broken, all these mistakes have brought us to where we are today.

The Supreme Court of this country must bear much of the guilt for our lack of law and order; the executive and legislative branches of our government have often taken the soft approach to hard problems which needed stern attention.

Many high churchmen, and some churches, say it's okay to break the law if you feel the law is unjust. This is the most idiotic statement of policy we ever heard come from supposedly intelligent persons. We can think of no rule, regulation or law which pleases everybody.

Civil disobedience is fine, they say, if you are willing to pay the consequences. Any two year old child knows it's okay to break the rules if he's willing to pay the consequences. Undoubtedly, the persons who pulled the trigger on President John F. Kennedy, Martin Luther King and Sen. Robert F. Kennedy were willing to pay the consequences or they would not have performed their dastardly actions. So that makes it right?

Encouragement, either active or passive from high as well as low places is what is causing the demonstrations, riots, burning, looting and murdering which are running unchecked over this once proud land.

We feel it is high time somebody (or everybody) took a firm stand against the sickness which is killing us only too fast. Since when did it become impossible to control a few hundred unruly students? Why bother to send riot squads into troubled areas if they are instructed not to hurt anybody? Why bother to have courts if their main function is to set criminals loose on an unsuspecting public?

All these questions need to be answered honestly, not for the benefit of low-lifers who use their freedom only to trample on the rights of others.

Failure to recognize our weaknesses at an early date can lead only to the same decadence and anarchy which history tells us has sounded the death knell for many great nations.

### Cpl. Tommy Hallmark Honored by Marines

Corporal Tommy A. Hallmark, U. S. Marine Corps, has been selected as Marine of the Month at the Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ariz.

His father, R. L. Hallmark of Bronte, recently received a letter from the battery executive officer stating that Corporal Hallmark had received the honor. The young Marine is the nephew of Mrs. Zell Moore, also of Bronte.

The letter, from J. H. Nelson, battery executive officer, read as follows:

Dear Mr. Hallmark:

It is with much pleasure that I am writing you concerning your son, Corporal Tommy W. Hallmark.

Each month the batteries of this Battalion nominate a member of their command to represent them in competition for Battalion Marine of the Month. The Marine selected by the Battalion then enters competition at the station level. The Marine of the Month is chosen on the basis of military proficiency, bearing, attempts at self-improvement and other similar characteristics which a Ma-



Cpl. Tommy Hallmark

rine displays during the course of his normal duties.

Your son has been selected at both the Battalion and the station level as Marine of the Month. He is an outstanding Marine and we in the battery are very proud to have him with us. A nomination in itself is an honor; a selection is doubly so.

Congratulations.  
Sincerely yours,  
J. H. Nelson

A copy of the Battalion Bulletin announces Corporal Hallmark's selection, said, in part:

"Corporal Hallmark is extremely conscientious about his appearance and work. This fact makes him a model Marine with regard to dress and dedication to duty, working late to complete a job and making suggestions for improvement are examples of this splendid Marine's outstanding performance."

Hallmark, former student in the Bronte High School, served a hitch in Vietnam shortly after he enlisted. He was wounded in action against hostile forces and decorated for his outstanding contributions to the resistance of his unit against the enemy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richards celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary Tuesday. They are here from Florida visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wylie.

### Masterson Back As Local Pastor

The Rev. Austin Masterson was returned to his pastorate here as appointments were read at the close of the 110th annual conference of the Southwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church. The conference met in Austin Wednesday through Saturday last week. This will be Masterson's sixth year as pastor of the local Methodist Church.

Mrs. C. E. Arrott also attended the conference as a lay delegate. Appointments were read by Methodist Bishop O. Eugene Slater.

Other appointments of interest here include the reassignment of the Rev. Kermit Gibbons as district superintendent of the San Angelo district; the Rev. Bobby Palmos, Robert Lee; G. Robert Grimes, Coker Methodist Church in San Antonio; Auburn S. Neely, Pleasanton; Lawrence K. Brown, Uvalde; A. Lin Loeffler, Aransas Pass and James W. Campbell, Rockport.

#### Davis to Speak

Garland Davis, principal of Robert Lee High School, will be the speaker at next Sunday morning's service, Masterson announced this week. He will be out of town attending a Layman's Retreat at Kerrville. A local layman, Elmer Hurley, was speaker last Sunday at Robert Lee.

Masterson also announced that reports will be made at Sunday evening's service by Mrs. Arrott, Steve Badley and Hurley.

#### ATTENDING SCHOOL

Clint Low, Jr., math teacher in Bront High School, is taking some advanced work at the University of Houston. Low is taking the three weeks course on a fellowship from Humble Oil & Refining Co.

Oil and gas wells provide approximately \$23.4 million a year of Coke County's economic output, according to statistics released this week by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

Based on most recent U.S. Bureau of Mines production figures, the Association compilation showed that Coke County produced crude oil valued at \$18.9 million

in 1966 and natural gas worth \$4.5 million.

Texas oil production in 1967, responding to demands for more domestic crude as a result of the Israeli-Arab conflict, totaled 1,050,000,000 barrels, a statewide increase over 1966 of about 5 percent. Production last year varied widely among state Railroad Commission districts, however, ranging from 3.5 percent below 1966 to 15 percent above.

"Production from Coke County last summer helped prevent any oil scarcity for U.S. consumers at a time when one-third of the world's supply was cut off," said Corbin J. Robertson, Houston, Association president. "We must keep in mind, however, that it may be difficult for Texas fields to sustain production in future emergencies if the discovery of new reserves continues to lag, due to lack of exploratory drilling."

The annual study showed that Coke County ranked 54th among Texas counties in total value of its production of some 6.4 million barrels of oil and 45.6 billion cubic feet of natural gas.

Texas oil men, according to Rinehart's yearbook, drilled 40 wells in the county, risking some \$3 million. Forty-five percent of them were dry holes, costing about \$1.3 million.

County landowners and others with mineral interests cashed royalty checks totaling about \$2.9 million during the year. Likewise, the county's flow of oil and gas generates \$1.2 million a year in production taxes paid by producers and royalty owners to the state treasury.

Reports from the Texas Employment Commission show some 112 persons directly employed by the oil and gas industry in the county with an annual payroll of \$824,000.

Plants which convert crude oil and natural gas into useful products also add to the value of a county's output. The Oil and Gas Journal lists two gas processing plants, with a total capacity of 125 million cubic feet a day for the county.

### Dubose Funeral Held Saturday

Funeral services for Will DuBose, 82, long time Bronte resident, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church in Bronte. The pastor, the Rev. Harry Morris, officiated, assisted by Cecil Cox, Bronte Church of Christ minister. Burial was in Fairview cemetery here under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mr. DuBose died at 11:55 a.m. Thursday in Bronte Hospital after a long illness.

He was born Sept. 11, 1885, in Gonzales and was married to Lula Rogers Nov. 5, 1914 in San Angelo. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his wife; two half-brothers, Edgar DuBose of Hunt and Dewitt DuBose of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Fannie Hardin of Kerrville and two step-sisters, Mrs. Minnie Wooten of Hunt and Mrs. Clara DuBose of Kerrville.

### LESLIE WOULLARD TAKES TEACHING JOB AT ACC

Leslie Woullard, long time Bronte resident, has accepted a position as associate professor of English at Abilene Christian College. This past school year he has been an instructor in English at Angelo State College.

Before moving up to college level teaching Woullard taught in Eldorado Public Schools.

Woullard said this week that he and his aunt, Miss Ada Woullard, have moved back to Eldorado for the summer. Miss Woullard has been living at Baptist Geriatrics Hospital in San Angelo during the past school term.

### HAVE VISITORS

Visiting with the Ernest Seays Tuesday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Evatt of Bayard, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seay of San Angelo. Mmes. Jones and Evatt are daughters of the Seays.

### Smith Wins in Coke By Margin of 4-1

Coke County went along with the rest of the state last Saturday when voters cast a big majority of their ballots for Preston Smith for governor.

Smith carried the county by more than four to one, receiving 452 votes to Don Yarborough's 105. These figures are unofficial and give the lieutenant governor a margin of 347 votes over his opponent.

Latest unofficial returns released by the Texas Election Bureau show that Smith won a resounding victory by carrying 217 of Texas'

254 counties. Yarborough carried only 36 and one county finished in a tie.

Smith received 754,654 to Yarborough's 621,487, a margin of 137,167 votes.

Voting by boxes in Coke County was as follows:

	Smith	Yarborough
Box		
Robert Lee	190	42
Bronte	180	51
Tennyson	30	3
Green Mt.	30	4
Absentee	20	3
Total	452	105

### LVN DIVISION HAS MEETING AT BRONTE BAPTIST CHURCH

Division 58 of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Texas held a regular meeting Tuesday night at First Baptist Church in Bronte.

Dr. E. L. Hoag, radiologist of Abilene, was speaker for the program.

Mrs. Martha McAllister was elected alternate to the President's Council at the state workshop June 6-9 in Lubbock. She will meet with the state nominating committee June 6.

Planning to attend from Bronte are Division President Mrs. Brady Mills and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw. Mrs. Murtishaw is state secretary and Mrs. Mills is a member of the state board of directors.

Next regular meeting of the division will be a picnic July 2 in the Winters Park. A board meeting will also be held that night.

### HERE ON LEAVE

Wayne Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hester, has been home on leave this week. He reports back to his duty station at Fort Belvoir, Va., June 11.



**WASHINGTON**

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17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C.—IN 1970 A NEW CENSUS of an estimated 206 million people will be taken in the United States.

PRE-TEST QUESTIONS ARE NOW BEING TRIED out in South Carolina and Wisconsin. A certain number of people in the State of Connecticut have already answered all or part of the approximately 100 questions submitted to them to test reaction and response.

Some of the questions proposed for the 1970 census are too embarrassing to put in public print. Some of them compare to Dr. Kinsey's Report of a few years ago and definitely invade the privacy of the individual.

TEST QUESTIONS GOING into the states on a trial basis include:

- Do you share your bathtub or shower?
- What is your telephone number?
- How much rent do you pay?
- How many hours did your husband work last week?
- How many babies has your wife had?
- Do you walk to work or take a taxicab?
- How much money did you make last year?

Over the last several years some in Congress and others outside Government have proposed that there be established a National Data Center which would use the Census Reports as a basis for a dossier file on every American.

No one argues that there should not be a census and, in fact, there are good and substantial reasons why the right kind of census should be taken every five years instead of ten. There is a vast difference, however, in accounting for the number of people, their age, sex and occupation, and those which invade privacy and to which people should not be subjected.

The U.S. census is authorized by the Constitution and must be conducted for necessary purposes. We, of course, must know what our population is and, in fact, this is what the Constitution originally provided. Originally, it was intended for the purpose of apportioning the U. S. House of Representatives. To quote the authority contained in the Constitution suggests the simplicity intended: "The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such a manner as they shall by law direct." Of course, this leaves room for an expansion of information in accordance with the times, but the times never require people to reveal intimate data about themselves which is not the Government's business.

In addition, they want to impose on those who refuse to answer for any reason, a fine of \$300 and a jail term of up to 60 days. The vast majority of people would probably not object to some form of compulsory requirement to respond to essential questions.

For the purpose of identifying the citizens of our Country and to serve the interest of business which needs certain information, it is suggested that seven questions on a simple form, mailed to each household, should meet the requirements. These are: Name and address; relation to head of household; sex; date of birth; race or color; marital status; and visitors in home at time of Census.

Instead of this simple requirement, the pre-test forms and those

which may be submitted unless legislative action prohibits it, will contain more than 100 questions.

A bill now before the congress would require this basic information on each individual but would permit the answer to numerous other questions on a voluntary basis.

One after another who have studied this question in depth feel that much more accurate and useful data would be obtained if given on a voluntary basis. Market research firms have found that any element of coercion tends to invalidate the results of survey research. Certainly, the same thing would apply to the Government's effort to pry into the private lives of every citizen.

**Mary Jane Morrow and Donal Cooper Are Wed In Church Ceremony**

Miss Mary Jane Morrow was married to Donal Clay Cooper in a double ring ceremony read at 7 p.m., Monday, June 2, in Central Baptist Church. The pastor, the Rev. Wayne N. Stout, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrow of Bronte and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cooper of Bronte.

Given in marriage by her brother, Jim Morrow, the bride wore a floor length white satin wedding dress, accented by lace, with full chapel train of lace and a shoulder length veil of tulle. She carried a cascade bouquet of white Frenched carnations and English ivy.

She was attended by Cynthia Robinson, who wore a street length dress of blue lace with blue tulle veil and carried a nosegay of white pom-poms with blue tulle and ribbons.

David Gentry served as best man. Merritt Scott and Tony Barrett were ushers.

Wedding music was played by Norma Pruitt, who also accompanied Bennie Carol Oglesby who sang "Whether Thou Goest" and Janet Lee who sang "The Twelfth of Never."

The ceremony was performed under an arch entwined with lemon leaves and gardenias, tied with blue bows, with wedding bells at the center.

A reception followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church. Receiving guests with the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Westbrook, aunt and uncle of the bride, of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cooper.

The bride's table was laid with a white cloth over blue and centered with the bride's and maid of honor's bouquets. A three tiered wedding cake, mints and punch were served by the bride's sisters, Laura Morrow of Lubbock and Lisa Morrow.

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, the couple will live in Bronte.

The bride is a student in the Bronte schools and has been an active member of the basketball and volleyball teams and was drum major of the Longhorn Band for one year. Mr. Cooper is a graduate of Bronte high school and is employed in the oil field.

The rehearsal dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cooper in their home Saturday night.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST

**Mrs. Keeney To Serve As OES Worthy Matron**

Mrs. Olive Keeney will be installed as Worthy Matron and E. G. Collins as Worthy Patron of Bronte Chapter 1045 of the Order of the Eastern Star in a ceremony next Monday night, June 10.

A practice session for the installation has been called for tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m.

Other new officers to be installed include: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark, Association Matron and Patron; Mrs. Willie B. Millikin, secretary; Noah Pruitt, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. T. O. Spiller, conductress; Mrs. E. G. Collins, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Mattie Higginbotham, Chaplain; Mrs. Faye Chispek, Marshall; Mrs. R. W. Rees, organist; Mrs. Marvin Bryant, Adah; Mrs. Art Revell, Faith; Mrs. Royce Lee, Esther; Mrs. Tom Luttrell, Martha; Mrs. Tom Luttrell, Martha; Mrs. Tom Green, Electa; Mrs. Noah Pruitt, Jr., Warder and Royce Lee, Sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKown spent the weekend of May 25 with their son and family at Espanola, New Mexico, and attended graduation exercises for their grandson, Larry McKown.

Mrs. Willie B. Millikin accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Bobby Clark and a group of girl scouts from Abilene to Austin and the MemisFair in San Antonio the first of this week.

**PEACE CORPS TO TEST SATURDAY, JUNE 15**

Cooke County resident interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps Placement Test at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, June 15, at Room 2201, in the new Post Office building at Abilene.

The Peace Corps uses the Placement Test, which takes about an hour and a half, to determine how an applicant can best be utilized overseas. The test measures general aptitude and the ability to learn a language, not education or achievement. The test requires no preparation and is non-competitive — an applicant can neither pass nor fail.

The Application form, not the Placement Test, is the most important factor in the selection of volunteers. Persons interested in serving in the Peace Corps must fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before taking the test. Applications may be obtained from local post offices or from the Peace Corps, Washington, D. C. 20535.

12,000 Peace Corps Volunteers are currently serving in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands, working with the people of those nations in self-help projects in agriculture, health, education, and community action. Many more Volunteers are needed for projects which will begin this summer and fall.

**S.S. REPRESENTATIVE HERE ON JUNE 7**

Don Minyard, claims representative for the San Angelo Social Security office, has scheduled his June visit to Bronte. He will be at the City Hall from 9:30 until 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 7. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at that time.

Peggy Corley has been at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Corley. She was on vacation during the spring semester and the summer term of school at Texas Tech, where she is a senior student.



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# BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

by Mrs. Herbert Holland

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Balkum and Janice were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bitner Sr., Mrs. E. T. Balkum, of Veribest; Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Bitner Jr., Bryan and Shelly of Monahans; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baca, Mrs. Johnny Story and Karylne Owens, Miles. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Helwig of Miles visited the first of last week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Howell and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Tennyson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown, Miles and Debbie, all of Blackwell and Curtis Dyess of Bronte.

Sunday visitors in the Herbert Holland home were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Smith of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. John Wheat and daughter and Lucious Adams of Odessa, Mrs. Ethel Morgan, Mrs. Edna Harris and Sallye of Maverick, Mrs. Joe B. Lee of Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence of Ballinger.

Sandra Lee left Sunday to visit an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pitchford and children, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Lee and son, all in Hennesy, Okla. The Bobby Pitchfords, Mr. and Mrs. Belly Turner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pitchford, Okla., visited here last week with Mrs. Joe B. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were hosts to the Jolly 8 club Friday night. Progressive 42 was played. Sandwiches, cookies, cake squares, party snacks, punch and coffee were served to Luther Nixon, Mmes. Laura Nesbit, Bert Hester, Minerva Roach, Messrs. and Mmes. D. W. Turner, Carl Florence, Vernie Smith, Rob Springer, George Coleman and Holland. The club will meet with Mrs. Roach June 14.

Mrs. Jeff Harris, Sallye Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Donham and

Bill Routh went to the HemisFair last weekend in San Antonio. They also toured the Alamo there. Mrs. Harris and Sallye left Wednesday for Lubbock where Sallye will attend summer school at Texas Tech. Sallye will be an August graduate of Texas Tech.

Mrs. Bennie Lee Stubblefield, Worthy Matron of Norton Chapter 28, OES, presided at the regular meeting Tuesday night. A memorial program was given by Mrs. Wade Carter. Worthy Patron, Henry Pruitt, was recognized for his May birthday. Hospitality hostesses Mmes. Stubblefield and Inez Daniel served refreshments to 21 members and visitors from the Bronte chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Brashear of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith Sunday.

Janice Balkum left Tuesday to enroll in summer school in Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Balkum hosted a progressive domino party. Cookies, cake, candy and punch were served to Mmes. Cora Busbee, Minerva Roach, A. B. Morgan, Messrs. and Mmes. Carl Florence, Vernie Smith, Charlie Brown, Herbert Holland, Willard Caudle and Balkum.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle attended a supper Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Oates in San Angelo. The supper honored the Oates' son-in-law, Harold Keele, who was leaving for Panama. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Caudle, Glenda and David of Bronte, Mrs. Harold Keele and Tammy, Mrs. B. Keele and Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas attended a family gathering in Paint Rock Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen White. The event honored Johnny White, who has just returned from the Navy. Mrs. Ella White of Fort Worth was also there.

Sammy Morgan of Houston, enroute to Los Angeles, Calif., visited his mother, Mrs. Ethel Morgan Saturday.

Mrs. Herman Miller was dismissed from a San Angelo hospital Tuesday after being treated for pneumonia. Mrs. Glenn Bigler of Amarillo visited her Friday.

# NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Dana Kay Cunningham

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott were Mr. and Mrs. Osa Goble of Grape Creek and Mike Moore of Abilene. Moore was guest preacher at Tennyson Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker spent Sunday in San Angelo with the Herman Yancy and Roy Lee Baker families and also visited Clyde Cockburn in a Christoval Nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker were in San Angelo Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Liefeste. They also visited Oscar Brown in Baptist Memorials Hospital.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark have been Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor of National City, Calif., Mrs. Weldon Hester and children of Weatherford and Mrs. Willie Dunn of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green attended funeral services for Harry S. Schlagle at Crowell Saturday before last and also visited Mr. and Mrs. B. M. McElroy. Sunday they visited his aunt, Mrs. Dose Davis, Mrs. Emma Box and Willie Lee Box of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rolls and Otis have returned from their vacation. They visited his mother, Mrs. C. B. Rolls in Aransas Pass; his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Curtiss in Odum and another sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Pierce and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butler, all in Houston. They watched a ball game between the Cubs and Astros in the Astrodome.

Chester Derrick of Odessa spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. C. D. Derrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore attended the Ditmore reunion at

Caddo Lake near Marshall.

Mrs. Jack Corley honored her mother, Mrs. B. R. Davis, of San Anggelo, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Others attending were Mrs. Sara Buford of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrow and Becky, Mrs. James Tidwell, Shylene and Jimmy, all of Bronte.

Mrs. Osa Goble of Grape Creek and Mrs. James Arrott called Sunday afternoon. Larry Corley is home on leave from Fort Leonardwood, Mo.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown were Woodrow Howell of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman of Bronte. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garner of Sherman visited them Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Adair and children of Houston came Saturday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Adair. Their other son, J. T. Adair, also of Houston, arrived Monday for a visit.

## MISS KENNEDY GRADUATE AT OKLAHOMA

Norman, Okla., June 4 — Miss Susan Raye Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kennedy of Bronte, received a Bachelor of Music Education degree in commencement exercises at the University of Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy attended the exercises held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 2, in Oklahoma Stadium.

Dr. George L. Cross, University of Oklahoma president, who is retiring June 30, presided.

Baccalaureate degrees were conferred on 1,714 graduates. A number of master's and doctor's degrees were also awarded.

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Bob Harrison retired from the San Francisco 49'ers and took up farming. Barbara Harrison took up teaching at Oliver Street Elementary School, and Scott (age 2) took to whooping it up on his rocking horse. All three live in a vine-covered home in Stamford, Texas — one they remodeled to Gold Medallion operation 2 years ago. "It's such wonderful living," Barbara says. "I just couldn't do without my electric home laundry and that wonderful summer air-conditioning. When we turn it on, we never want to go outside in the heat!" Everything is clean and comfy — thanks to total electric living!

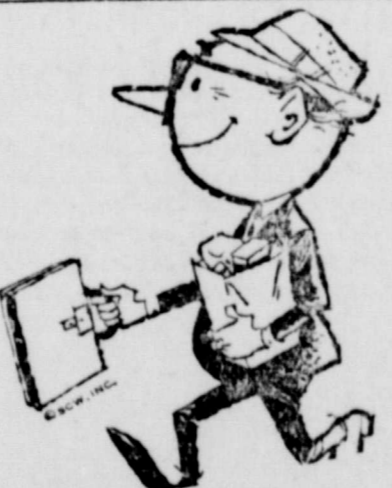
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By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

## Decker Homecoming

About 100 persons were present for the eighth annual Decker homecoming held last Sunday at the park north of Blackwell. A picnic lunch was served at noon.

A. C. Morton of Sweetwater was re-elected president; Homer Hendrix of Nolan was elected secretary and Mrs. Ethel Duncan of Roscoe elected treasurer.

Roy Prim, 80, of Sweetwater was the oldest person present and Alma George of Phoenix, Ariz., came the longest distance. Out of state persons present were Mrs. George of Phoenix; Sy O. George, Sanders, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sanders, Hobbs, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ottinger, Albuquerque, N. M.

Others registered included Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mathers, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Haggerton, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ramzel, Amarillo; Mrs. Mary Francis (Sneed) Najver, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. John Sedberry, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Ball, Miss Zinda Ball, Fluvanna; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar George, Andrews.

Also Dennis Burns, Misses Edna and Zola Burns, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hendrix, Nolan; Mrs. Allie George, Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whittington, Mrs. Ethel Duncan, Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith, Roby; Mrs. George Norton, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. (Bill) Pate, Peggy, Penny and Patricia Pate, Snyder; D. E. (Dalton) Childers, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roane, Mr. and Mrs. Elmoe Alexander, Silas Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Jay George, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Crain, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Colyer, Lisa and Allen and Mrs. Mattie Rogge, Maryneal.

Also Jewell George, Mrs. L. D. Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hargrave, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Moore, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Marchant, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Morton, Billy and Devanghn Morton, all of Sweetwater.

Registered from Blackwell were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Minton, David and Cathy, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tipps, Julie, Jill and Jo Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thorn, Mrs. Vera Bryant, Mrs. Willie Burwick, Mrs. Artie Walls, Mrs. Savannah Thompson, Mrs. Sliger, Mrs. Mayme George, Ruby and Fletch Pinckard.

## Russell Family Reunion

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Russell of Blackwell had a reunion last weekend at the Gray's cabin south of Blackwell. About 50 persons attended.

Children of the couple present included Will Russell, Ventura, Calif.; Mrs. Tom Russell and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Russell, all of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Geach Russell, Portales, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dickinson, Riviera; Mr. and Mrs. George Russell, Mrs. Ruth Walls, and Mrs. Lela Huff, all of Blackwell.

Other relatives present were Mrs. James Newton, Springfield, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Cloven Walls and children, Mrs. Charles Walls and children, Evant; Mr. and Mrs. John Blair, Monahans; Mrs. Iva

Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hall and children, Midland; Tee Patterson, Ft. Worth; Vernon Patterson, Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Bill Neely and children, Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Farmer and children, Merkel; Miss Dee Moore, Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harris of Blackwell. A lot of friends also called on the family group.

Mrs. R. W. Rogge spent this week with her sisters, Mmes. E. E. Bryant and Ruth Walls. Will Russell took Mmes. Rogge and Bryant to Blanket Wednesday to attend the funeral for a cousin, Mrs. Melvin Carey.

Mrs. Clarence Minton, David and Cathy visited last Thursday and Friday in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Waggoner, Terry, Dianna and Billy Clyde of Oklahoma City were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCain, Sherri and Christi of Sun Valley, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Steven Hollabaugh, Phil and Wayne of Roby, have been visiting their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Birl Holleman, Dale and David. Mrs. Holleman and children are visiting this week with her parents in Shallowater. He will go for them Saturday and spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Thorn of San Angelo visited Tuesday evening with her mother, Mrs. Artie Walls, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thorn. They are moving to Gillette, Wyo.

Mrs. J. Roy Sanderson attended graduation exercises at Central High in San Angelo May 29. Her grandson, Bobby D. Harris, was a graduate. He has a scholarship to attend McMurry College in the fall and is working this summer at the Butman Methodist Camp.

Mrs. A. S. Hendry, Mrs. Bobby Sanderson and Linda Kaye attended the wedding of Miss Patsy Ann Wustlinger to Johnny Pat Beck Saturday in Winters. The bride

is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wustlinger of Wingate and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Richard Beck. The couple will live in Winters.

Attending summer school in San Angelo are Edward Poehts, Bill Morris, Tommy Hipp, R. W. Callan, Mmes. Bobby Sanderson, Ross Tipps and Jimmy Jeffrey.

Mrs. Flora Johnston and her granddaughter, Marian Finley, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Griffin and Leslie in Segovia.

Mrs. Joe Joiner and children of Euless are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Richards and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shefer and children, Donald, Susan, Mack and David have moved here from Sweetwater. We welcome them.

## ROGERS REUNION

The annual Rogers family reunion will be held Sunday in the Bronte Park. The relatives are descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. H. Rogers. Members and friends of the family are invited to come. A covered dish lunch will be served at noon.

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lammers went to Waco last weekend to attend funeral services for her sister, Mrs. Eddie Berlinger of Valley Mills. Mrs. Berlinger died Thursday in a Waco hospital. She had been in bad health for about three years. Funeral services were held Saturday morning.

## GATOR TOPS CLUB

The Wingate Gator TOPS club met May 27 in the Humble recreation hall and again on June 3. Mrs. Wayne Owens was named Queen for the first meeting and Mrs. Birl Holloman for the second one. Mrs. Pat Pritchard is Queen for the month.

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June 6, 1968

## Percifulls Have Two Sons Graduate

Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Percifull, a relief to have the boys both finish college. They have a daughter, Dee Ann, who will be a junior in Bronte High School next fall.

Waymon A. (Pete) Percifull graduated from Colorado State College at Greeley, Colo., while his brother, Denzel Percifull, graduated from Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Pete took a B. S. degree with a double major in biology and chemistry, and is working for the Forest Service at La Veta, Colo. Denzel received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in public administration and accounting. He has already started a job at Houston with Gulf Oil Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Percifull went by Lubbock where they picked up Denzel and all attended the commencement exercises at Greeley.

Mrs. Percifull said it was quite

Marla Rees has been home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rees. She is a senior student at Texas Tech in Lubbock and is returning there to attend summer school.

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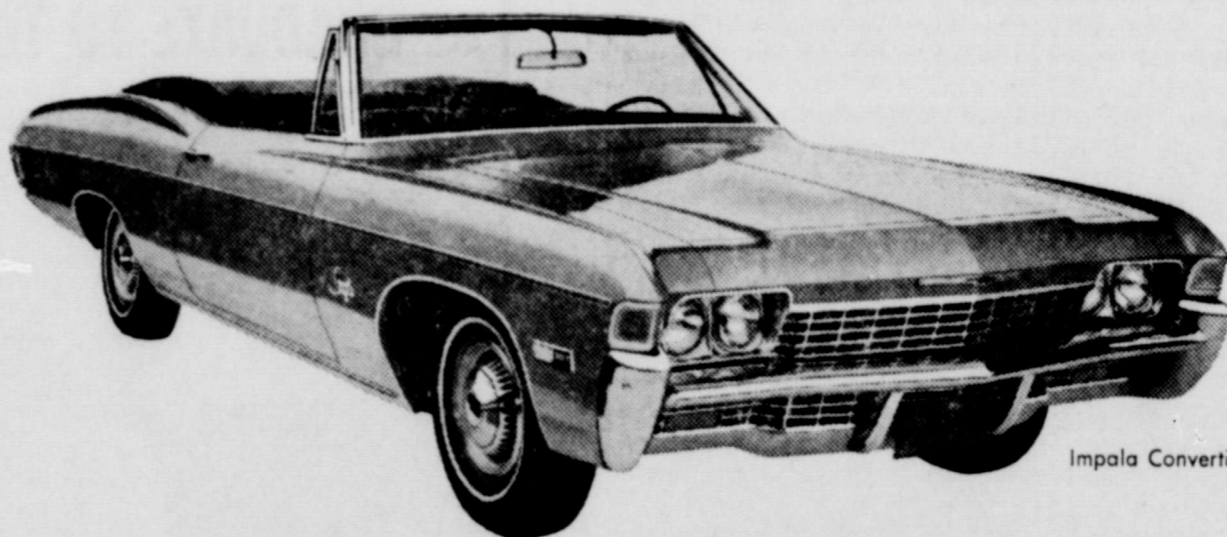
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**Freezing Foods**

A meal on a moment's notice; fresh corn in December; deer from last fall's hunt — all compliments of the home food freezer.

Freezing is one of the simplest, most popular methods of preserving foods at home. It retains the natural color, flavor, texture and food value of most fruits, vegetables, meats and baked goods.

The quality of the food frozen can vary with freshness of product used, methods of preparation, packaging and conditions of freezing.

For successful freezing, select good-quality products. Freezing will not improve low grade food. Fruits and vegetables should be ready for table use.

Frozen meat, poultry, fish and eggs equal the fresh products in nutritive value. Retaining this value of fruits and vegetable depends largely on the treatment before freezing, storage temperature and method of cooking and serving.

Handling the food promptly also retains quality.

Undesirable flavors and appearance can be caused by improper packaging. The selection of container depends on the type of food and personal preference.

But all materials should be moisture-vapor proof to prevent evaporation and retain the highest quality in frozen foods.

Authorities recommend rigid containers of glass, aluminum or plastic; and sheet wrappings of moisture-vapor resistant plastic films, freezer aluminum foil, heavily waxed paper and laminated papers.

But, do not use ordinary waxed papers, household aluminum foil and cottage cheese or ice cream cartons.

All packages should be air tight. Freezer burn, a surface discoloration on meat and poultry, often results when meat or poultry dry inside the packaging.

Give special care to foods which may become rancid, a result of natural fats and oils being exposed to atmospheric oxygen. These foods include fish, shellfish, beef, pork, meat, poultry, cherries, peaches, strawberries and asparagus.

Freeze fruits and vegetables at 0 degrees F. or below. Meat should be frozen in a commercial plant at -5 to -20 degrees F. for best results.

Since how rapidly heat can emerge from the product is more important than air temperatures, space packages of unfrozen food at least one inch apart. Put no more unfrozen food into a freezer than will freeze within 24 hours.

As a general rule, the quicker a product is frozen -0 degrees F. or lower — the better its quality.

For quickest freezing, place packages against freezing plates or coils.

Storage temperature matters. For example, many foods noticeably lost quality and vitamin content when stored at about 25 degrees F. in an "open-at-one-end" household refrigerator freezer.

Frozen foods undergo slow changes in storage and will not retain quality indefinitely. For best results, store them at 0 degrees F. or below.

Freezing does not sterilize the product, but the low temperature prevents the growth and development of harmful yeasts, molds and bacteria. Many micro-organisms are killed by freezing storage but some survive.

**Travel Tips**

If traveling is in your summer plans, these disposable aids may lighten the load and permit you to take a variety of products. Among throwaways are nail polish remover pads, insect repellent packets and individual envelopes

Rep. Dick Cory of Victoria contended that such a provision in the revised constitution would insure its defeat when the matter is put to a vote.

Dr. Janice May, government professor at the University of Texas, said Cory and Brown are overlooking the realities of the current system of judicial selection.

"Right now two-thirds of all our judges are initially named by appointment from the governor. Then, as a matter of practice, they run for re-election and are almost always retained in office," she said.

**CONNALLY WIN CERTAIN**— Governor Connally's control of the State Democratic Convention in Dallas on June 11 apparently will be by overwhelming majority.

Will Davis, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, says 215 of the 254 county conventions passed resolutions endorsing Connally's favorite son candidacy, and 22 more are sending uninstructed delegations to the state convention.

**SPECIAL SESSION** — There will be a hot time in this old town... extending from the June 4 opening of the special legislative session until whenever it ends... and that is anybody's guess.

Main business, of course, is passing a \$2,500,000,000 appropriations bill to finance state government for the 1969 fiscal year beginning Sept. 1 and approval of about \$125,000,000 in new taxes.

Governor Connally has recommended general revenue spending of \$465,200,000. That would require \$123,800,000 in additional state taxation. Legislative Budget Board proposes a budget of \$471,000,000 from the fund over which the legislature has direct control, which would boost the tax bill to \$129,600,000.

**NEW COLLEGES URGED** — Public hearings will be held here June 15-July 10 on major new Higher Education Coordinating Board staff recommendations for creating six new state colleges to care for expanding big city enrollments.

Proposed program would cost \$201,000,000 over 1973-1977. Staff also advised enrollment restrictions for existing schools after 1972. Full coordinating board is expected to pass on recommendations at July or August meeting.

New colleges were proposed to open in 1973 in these cities: San Antonio; Midland-Odessa (offering junior, senior, master's degree work only); Dallas-Fort Worth area (also upper-level work); and Houston (second campus of University of Houston).

Upper level facility was recommended for Corpus Christi in 1974. A third University of Houston campus is seen as needed by 1977.

Staff suggested an alternative would be for the state to contract with private institutions to enroll students.

Ronnie Lee has returned home for the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lee. He is a senior student at Baylor University, Waco, and plans to take some summer courses at Angelo State College.

Glenn Sims was here a few days last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Sims, Sr. He is attending Baylor University in Waco and will complete requirements for his degree at the end of the first summer session.

Austin, Tex. — Texas' Constitutional Revision Commission has completed its series of winter and spring work sessions, rewriting the Texas charter of government. It will not meet again until August.

Any fair analysis of the status of constitutional revision in Texas would have to be based on a note of pessimism regarding the chances for ultimate acceptance of the committee's work to date.

Main problem for the 25 revisionists to overcome was created when the Commission was established — by a divided legislature — in the spring of 1967.

Originally the Commission was to be formed by a joint House and Senate resolution. However, the Senate refused to go along with the plan to the House acted alone. Speaker Ben Barnes named a House Committee. But Lt. Gov. Preston Smith declined to make any appointments. Gov. John Connally gave considerable moral support to the Committee, but now he is a "lame duck" and will not be governor when the Commission submits its report to the Legislature next January.

In terms of the substantive proposals for a new constitution, the Commission have been far from decisive at this point.

Reports have been heard from various subcommittees on the executive branch, the judiciary, political subdivisions, taxation and other topics.

These reports have been given tentative approval by the Commission as a whole, but on all votes it was made clear that decisions made now can be reversed during the next slate of meetings this coming fall.

One of the most heated debates in the brief history of the commission came from a recommendation for the appointment of the judges on the Texas Supreme Court and the Court of Criminal Appeals by a five-man commission. Voters would either approve or remove them. At present these judges are elected by the people.

Two members of the Commissions were particularly forceful in their argument against this proposal.

H. S. (Hank) Brown of San Antonio, president of the Texas AFL-CIO, opposed the measure as being a dangerous trend for a democratic society. Brown argued that the people have a right to elect their judges.

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**NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

A meeting of the Board of Equalization of Bronte Independent School District will be held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, June 19th, 1968, at the school. This hearing is specifically set up for hearing and discussion of oil, mineral, utility, industrial and manufacturing properties in the district. Persons having business with the board are invited to attend.

**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that there will be a budget hearing for the City of Bronte, Texas, at 7 p.m., Thursday, June 6, 1968, at the city hall. Purpose of the hearing is to set up the budget for the city for the fiscal year, April 1, 1968, to March 31, 1969. All interested persons are invited to attend.

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One of the nation's oldest, regularly-scheduled statewide 4-H events was held on the campus of Texas A&M University Tuesday and Wednesday, June 4 and 5. It was the state 4-H Roundup.

Coke County represented District VII at the State Roundup with two entries in the State Food Show and an entry in the State 4-H Club Quarterhorse judging contest. Results were not available at press time Wednesday.

Sheri Pitcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock of Sanco, was entered in the Vegetable Preparation division of the State Food Show; and Connie Blaylock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blaylock of the Valley View community, competed in the Bread division of the Food Show. Both club members were blue ribbon winners in their respective divisions of the district contest.

The Coke County 4-H Club Horse Judging team won second place in the District VII contest, earning the right to go to the State event. Team members are Joy Cervenka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Cervenka of Maverick; Marshall Millican, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Millican, Friendship community; Teddy Millican, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican of the Edith community;

and Lonnie Bloodworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of Silver. Lonnie was third high individual in the district contest, and Joy tied for fourth high individual.

Delegates were accompanied to College Station by Mrs. Fay C. Roe, Barbara Blaylock and Sterling Lindsey.

State 4-H leaders said about 1,600 4-H members were expected as well as some 500 county Extension agents, adult 4-H leaders and friends. They were expected from every part of the state.

The traditional barbecue officially opened the program Tuesday evening, followed by the first general assembly with presentation of awards to individuals and business concerns as the program. Strong supporters of 4-H on district and state levels were recognized. The Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation provided the awards.

Previous training and hard work was put to the test Wednesday as winners were to have been determined in 31 different judging and team and individual contests. Each of the participants had already won honors in county and district contests. The two high scoring teams from each of the 12 Extension districts of Texas were eligible to participate in the Round-up contests.

**ROPING CLUB NOTICE**

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