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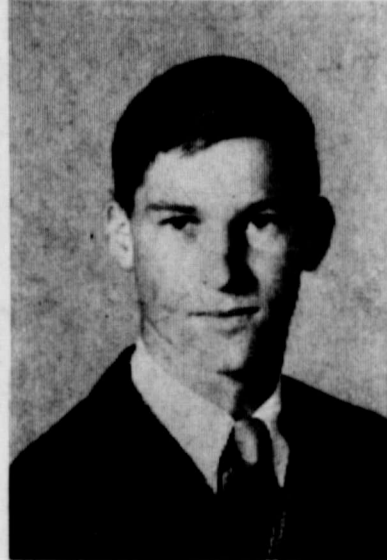
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City Mail Delivery in Bronte?



FRESHMAN FAVORITES — Michelle Golson and Gary Skelton were picked by their classmates as class favorites. Michelle plays basketball and plans to participate in volleyball and tennis. She is a member of the Band, Future Home-



makers and Student Council. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Golson. Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Skelton. He played football last fall and is now playing basketball. He will run track when the season starts. Gary is a member of Future Farmers.

MOD Golf Tourney Planned Sunday

Annual March of Dimes Golf Tournament played each year between golfers from Robert Lee and Bronte will be held Sunday. Tee off time for the ABC tournament will be 12:30 p.m. at the Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee.

Golfers from the two Coke County towns will play for a rotating trophy, as well as for golf balls for winners.

Proceeds from the meet will go to Coke County March of Dimes. Entry fee is \$5.

In the event weather is too bad for the tournament, it will be played the following Sunday, Feb. 22.

Robert Lee won the last MOD tournament which was played in October 1968. A total of \$120 was raised and turned over to the March of Dimes. Forty players, 27 from Robert Lee and 13 from Bronte, entered the last contest.

Congressman Omar Burleson announced Monday that he has been advised by Postmaster General Winton M. Blount of a major new postal service program that will expand home deliveries to an additional 4 million Americans — principally in small communities — for the first time.

Under the program, persons living more than a quarter mile, but less than half a mile from 18,700 post offices that do not have city delivery are now eligible to receive the delivery at home. Previously, they have

been compelled to go to the post office for their mail.

Since they live less than half a mile away from a post office, they have not been eligible to get rural delivery service prior to Mr. Blount's new order, the Congressman explained. And because they live near a post office that does not have city delivery they have missed out there too.

Congressman Burleson said he had been advised that the Postmaster General is issuing instructions in the postal bulletin Thursday making the service available to the 1.2 million families living in the eligible areas — 4 million individuals.

The only requirement to obtain the service is that it must be requested of the postmaster, and a majority of those living in the area must desire the service.

The expansion will be achieved by such steps as extending shorter rural routes and adding delivery stops to some routes. In other instances, "star" or contract routes may be used to provide the service; in some locations it may be necessary to establish new rural routes, the Postmaster General advised the Congressman.

"Mr. Blount's order provides for one of the most significant advances in service in many years," the Congressman commented, "I am particularly pleased that the order will benefit communities in our 17th Congressional District."

He listed the following areas in Coke County which will be made eligible for this service expansion under the order: Bronte and Robert Lee.

Bronte District Has 314 Students

The number of scholastics in Bronte Independent School District is slightly down compared to last year. In the census recently completed by the school, 314 school age children were enumerated, while there were 333 last year.

Mrs. Clark Glenn, census trustee, said this week that the starting first grade next September probably will be a large class, since 31 six year olds were counted.

Henceforth, the school census has been taken every year, but from now on it will be taken only once every five years. The change was brought about by a new school law passed by the last Texas Legislature. Allocation of state money to local schools will be based on average daily attendance, rather than on the census. Mrs. Glenn pointed

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Officers to Tighten Law Enforcement

Bronte city council is having a copy of a new city ordinance published in this week's Enterprise to set forth locations of stop and yield signs in the city. Mayor Royce Lee said in addition to fulfilling requirements of law, the ordinance is being published so citizens can study intersections where stop and yield signs are located. In a few cases the signs have not been erected, but they will be in the near future.

The mayor warned that Bronte citizens should pay strict attention to the intersection signs, for those who run them are likely to be issued a traffic violation ticket and fined.

Highway Patrolman Bobby Hart has pledged his help in enforcing traffic laws in the city, and other law enforcement officers will be patrolling the city at various intervals throughout each day.

Mayor Lee said the city council doesn't want to see anybody fined, but they do want to see traffic laws enforced and Bronte made a safer place.

Mayor, Three Councilmen To Be Elected

Bronte city council met last Thursday night and called a city election to be held April 4. A mayor and three councilmen will be elected on that date.

Council members whose terms expire are Mayor Royce Lee and Councilmen Martin Lee, Billy James Clark and Cecil Kemp. Holdover councilmen who have another year to serve are Jerry M. Parker and Ben D. Snead.

Royce Fancher was appointed election judge, with Noah Pruitt Sr. named alternate judge. Two clerks will be appointed by the judge.

Anyone who wishes to run for any of the posts which are becoming vacant should contact City Secretary Mrs. Helen Kirkland for necessary forms. March 4 is the deadline for filing for the places.

BANK TO CLOSE FOR HOLIDAY FEBRUARY 23

First National Bank in Bronte will close Monday, Feb. 23, in observance of George Washington's birthday. The holiday actually falls on Sunday, Feb. 22, so Monday will be taken as a holiday.

E. F. Glenn, executive vice president, asks that all the firm's customers take note of the closing so they will not be inconvenienced.

Junior High Boys Take Top Honors In Miles Tourney

The Bronte Junior High boys basketball team took championship honors at a tournament at Miles last weekend. The lads took three straight games to win the big trophy. The Bronte girls team lost their first two games and were eliminated from the tourney.

The boys took a 34-28 win from Christoval in their opening game. Fred Buie was high pointer with 10, closely followed by Kim Barrett with 9. Alan Barbee and Jim Dan Raughton both had 5, Tony Mackey 4, and Marvin Waldrop 1.

In the second game, the Short-horns topped Wall by a two point margin, 39-37. Buie was high again with 10, while Barbee and Mackey both made 9, Raughton 8, and Barrett 3.

The boys played Eola in the final game for the championship trophy. They took the contest, 37-32. Buie stuck to his 10 points to lead the scoring, Mackey made 9, Barrett 8, Barbee 7, and Raughton 3.

In Highland Tourney

The junior high boys and girls will be entered in a tournament at Highland this weekend. They will meet Hobbs in their opening games Thursday, with the girls playing at 5 p.m. and the boys at 6 p.m.

The Pee Wee boys and girls teams will enter a tournament next weekend at Wingate.

AD-LIB-BEN

How about that news story we are running this week about city mail delivery for Bronte and Robert Lee? We never thought we would see the day when we had house to house delivery here, but it looks as if it might not be too far off.

Daily delivery would be a real accommodation to some citizens, and particularly to elderly citizens who do not drive.

However, the thing we are wondering is how this new proposal will fit in with the post office's program to save money and get in a break-even status. Frankly, we don't think it will ever be possible to make the P. O. a paying proposition, but there has been a lot of talk about it, both in and out of Washington. We'll just have to wait and see about this newest proposal.

We missed mentioning some more football honors a couple of weeks ago for two members of the Bronte Longhorn football team. Keith McCutchen and Willie Zuniga were named by the Standard-Times as members of their Super Team for all this area of West Texas. The selections were made from all sizes of schools, and the honors didn't go to many players in Class B school. Congratulations to these two outstanding Longhorn football players.

Mrs. Ben Oglesby and Mrs. J. W. McCullough of Midland attended funeral services for their uncle, John D. Young, last Thursday in Austin.

Boys Schedule Games To Prepare for Regional

The Class B Bronte Longhorns might not have been too popular up in Taylor County Wednesday morning after they gave the Class A Wylie Bulldogs a 71-58 drubbing Tuesday night. The game was played at Roscoe as a practice game for the teams, both winners of their respective districts. The Bulldogs went through District 6-A play without a defeat, but couldn't keep up with the mighty Longhorns.

Willie Zuniga led his team in scoring with 22 points. Keith McCutchen sank 18, Randy Barbee 17, David Scott 11, and Danny Cooper 3.

The Bronte boys and girls

teams wound up regular district play last Friday night when they took wins from Water Valley. Score in the boys game was 84-51. McCutchen was top scorer with 20, closely followed by Barbee with 18 and Zuniga with 16. Cooper had 13, Scott and Gary Skelton both made 6, Donnie Thompson went for 3 and Lynn Lawhon had 2.

The girls took an easy 59-32 win from the Water Valley lassies in their season finale. Kathy Kiker was leading scorer with 15, followed by Jolene Vaughn with 13, Norma Pruitt with 12, Linda Carlton 9, Michelle Golson 6, and Susan Arratt 4.

Practice Games Set
Coach James N. Raughton has arranged practice games for his team in preparation for regional competition which will start March 2 or 3. The Horns will meet the champions of District 12-B, which was in a three way tie among Miles, Paint Rock and Mertin at last report.

This Friday the locals will go to May for a game at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, they will meet Throckmorton at Central Catholic gym in Abilene at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 20, is open, but Raughton hopes to match a game. Tuesday, Feb. 24, May will come here for a return match at 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 27, Talpa will be here.

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AUSTIN, Tex. — A feud between big city and rural school districts over the cost of education is expected to go to the federal court soon in a major lawsuit.

Dallas, Ft Worth and Houston school boards questioned the "financial fairness" of collection and distribution of the state's minimum foundation funds.

They claim the distribution formula favors rural districts. A bill to correct this brought a storm of protest from rural districts during last year's legislative session. Best the legislature could come up with under the circumstances was a bill creating an 18-member committee to recommend "a fair and equitable basis for a division of financial responsibilities between the state and the various local districts of Texas."

Suit will seek statewide uniform property tax valuations. Action is due to be directed against the State Board of Education.

Meanwhile, the Texas Research League pointed out that aid to local school districts is the most expensive obligation of state government and most important determinant of future tax requirements.

Expansion of the foundation school program and teacher pay raises voted last year will increase state expenditures for public elementary and secondary education by \$345 million in the current biennium and will produce an additional 50 per cent increase in total state costs during the next six years.

Cumulative total increase in state aid for a six-year period is calculated at \$1.6 billion in new state funds. Higher salaries account for 65 per cent of this. Research League predicts that the legislature will have to raise \$298 million in new funds for public schools next year, \$270 million more in 1973 and \$186 million more in 1975.

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LICENSING EMPHASIZED — Department of Public Safety is launching a statewide program emphasizing driver licensing. A study showed that many of the serious traffic accidents involved unlicensed drivers.

Col. Wilson E. Speir, DPS director, said the drive is in conjunction with Gov. Preston Smith's coordinated traffic safety program. Studies revealed that 9.6 per cent of drivers involved in fatal accidents were unlicensed. Here's what the program will undertake immediately:

- *To urge all drivers to see that they are properly licensed.
*Provide for periodic, frequent license checks by patrolmen.
*Develop special training schools for those who need more knowledge and skill to qualify for driver licenses.
*Urge employers in large plants and business establishments to encourage employees to obtain proper licenses, particularly those moving to Texas from other states.

Safety groups and local agencies will be called on to aid.

TICKETS LINE UP — Opposition is assured in virtually all statewide races in either the primaries or the general election. Here's how the May 2 primary Ballot will look:

Senate: Ralph Yarbrough and Lloyd Bentsen Jr., Democrats; George Bush and Robert Morris, GOP.

Governor: Preston Smith (and maybe Ralph Hall depending on court action), Demo; Paul Eggers and Roger Martin, GOP.

Lt. Gov.: Ben Barnes, Demo; Byron Fullerton, GOP.

Attorney General: Crawford Martin and David Brown, Demo; Edward Yturri, GOP.

Comptroller, Robert Calvert, Demo; S. L. Abbott, GOP.

Treasurer: Jesse James, Demo; Robert Koennecke, GOP.

Land Commissioner: Jerry Sadler, Fred Williams and Bob Armstrong, Demo; Harry Triplett, GOP.

Agriculture Commissioner: John C. White, Demo; Daniel C. Heath, GOP.

The remainder of the ballot will contain no Republican opposition and Democratic candidates are:

Railroad Commissioner: Ben Ramsey and Connie Lawson.

Supreme Court (place 1): Jack Pope

Supreme Court (place 2): Ruel Walker

Supreme Court (place 3): Hawthorne Phillips, Matt Davis and James G. Denton.

Court of Criminal Appeals: John F. Onion Jr. for presiding judge.

Court of Criminal Appeals: Earl W. Smith and Truman Roberts.

H D Agent's News Dept.

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

If you count each grocery penny, balance your food budget and your family's diet by cutting costs within each of the four food groups, these ideas may help balance nutrition and bargains.

Meat: We need two or more servings from this food group each day. Count as a serving: two-three ounces lean cooked meat, poultry or fish without bone; two eggs; one cup cooked dry beans or peas; four tablespoons peanut butter.

To save on meat money buy weekend meat specials; buy dressed chicken whole rather than cut-up; and select variety meats.

Milk: Use two to four servings a day. A serving would be one eight-ounce glass fluid milk; two cups ice cream; one and a half cups cottage cheese or two one inch cubes Cheddar type cheese.

Save in this department by using nonfat dry milk and save up to one-half of your milk bill, serve milk shakes and fewer soft drinks, grate hardened ends of cheese and use to top casseroles.

Bread - Cereal: Eat four or more serving a day. One serving equals one slice of bread, an ounce ready-to-eat cereal or a half cup cooked cereal, pasta or rice.

Save here by preparing bread and cereal products at home. They usually cost less than ready baked breads and ready prepared cereals.

Vegetable-Fruit: We need four or more servings daily. Count as a serving a half cup vegetable or fruit; or a portion as ordinarily served such as a medium apple, a half cantaloupe or juice of one lemon.

Save in this food group by taking advantage of fresh seasonal items; and by buying frozen vegetables and fruits if they cost less a serving than fresh or canned.

Wardrobe Plans

To combat soaring clothing prices, plan your clothing purchases carefully and they can take you anywhere.

Make the most of your clothing dollar and buy multipurpose clothes. Suits or dresses with simple line and little trimming lend themselves to accessory changes for different types of activities. Separates which are in fashion now can be switched around for variety.

Buying clothing just because it has a low price tag may be expensive in the long run unless you really like it and it fits into your wardrobe plan. A few good items that you wear frequently and that always make you feel well dressed are better buys than a number of cheaper clothes.

Styles change so quickly that it hardly pays to have a large wardrobe. A few dresses in the current style can be worn often enough for you to get your money's worth. Next year they may become second best as you add one or two new items to the wardrobe.

Be fussy about a good fit. Your clothes will not only look better, but wear better, too. Save some of your clothing money for a good-fitting foundation garment so that your clothes will look better on you.

Upholstered Group's New Look

American designers have produced the majority of new sofa and chair groups, sofa beds and recliners shown in the New Year's first furniture market in Chicago. A classic style, the Tuxedo arm, appears frequently. A version of it is used for sofas, love seats, rattan groupings and arm chairs.

Styles for upholstered groups

range from American clean-line modern and Bauhaus Modern with exposed wood frames, to Spanish - Mediterranean, traditional and Early American-Colonial.

Recliners also run the gamut in design. There are push-back styles with reclining and foot-rest action combined or with separate controls for each action.

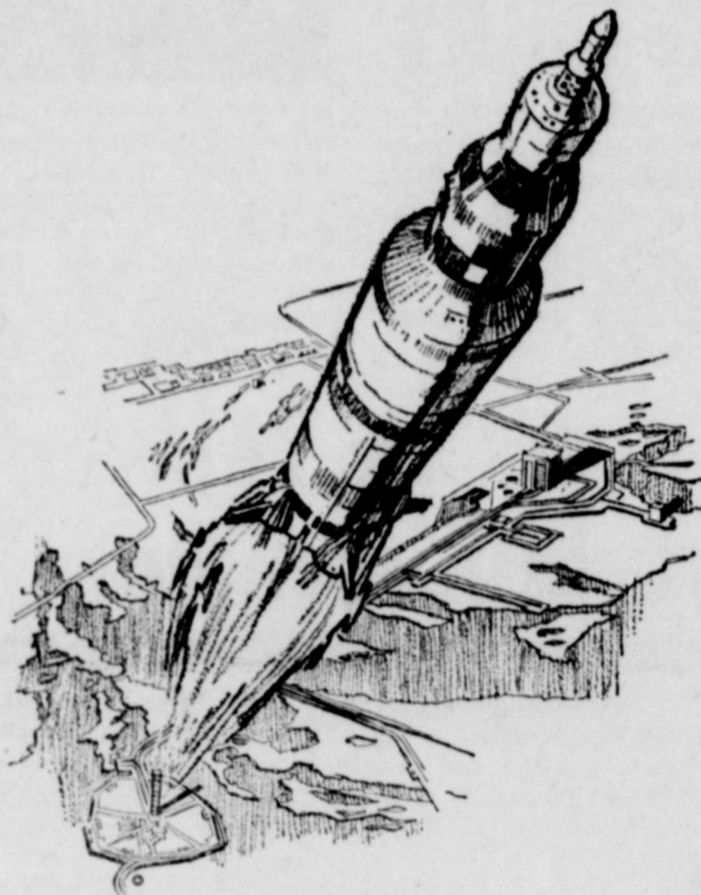
The majority of fabrics are treated to resist soil unless there are olefin fibers present. These have a natural resistance to grime. The fabrics are in hearty textures, velvets, matelasses and Jacquard weaves.

Colors range from sparkling pastels; rich, deep color; bright tones of coral and bittersweet, and mink brown, to the putty shades. Big, bright florals give a more informal look to a traditional sofa.

ANNUAL PARTNERSHIP TOURNEY SET AT R-LEE

The annual partnership tournament sponsored by Mountain Creek Golf Club will be held June 20 and 21, it was announced this week. Area golfers are invited to start making plans for the tournament.

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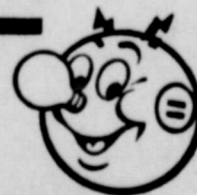


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By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

GARRARD-LANIER

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Garrard of San Angelo announce the engagement of their daughter, Glenda Diane, to Jerry Thomas Lanier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lanier of Blackwell.

The wedding is planned for 7 p.m., Feb. 28 in United Methodist Church in Blackwell.

The bride-elect is a senior student at Central High School in San Angelo. She will transfer to Waco to complete her studies. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Blackwell High School and a student at James O'Connell Technical Institute at Waco, where they will live after their marriage.

The W.M.U. met at the Baptist Church Feb. 5 with Mrs. O. T. Colvin presiding. Mrs. Gordon Montgomery gave the call to prayer and the prayer for missionaries. Mrs. L. L. Johnson was in charge of the lesson on "Stewardship Enriches Life." It was announced that Mrs. E. K. Finley will conduct a book study on home missions Feb. 27 beginning at 9:30 a.m. A luncheon will follow the program. Mrs. Montgomery will preside March 5 for a morning program on Week of Prayer for Home Missions. Others present were Mes. Ninnie Kinard, Willie Burwick and Vera Bryant.

Visiting in the T. J. Oden home have been her mother and sisters and a brother and family, Mrs. H. M. Rose and Mrs. Faye Ford of Bells, Mr. and Mrs. Burr Patterson of Denison and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rose and family of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odom of Iraan were recent visitors in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Holland.

Mrs. Maxine Barney of San Antonio spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ware went to Euless last weekend to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ware, but were called home by the death of her uncle, Gid Ainsworth of Water Valley. He died suddenly at his home Friday. Funeral services were Sunday afternoon in San Angelo. Burial was in Foster Cemetery in Sterling City.

The Methodist F.S.C.S. met Monday in the home of Mrs. L. W. Sweet, Mrs. Josie Hipp, president, presided. Mrs. Sweet gave the program on "China in Change." Fruit cup cakes topped with whipped cream, cookies, pretzels, hot spiced tea and candy were served to those named and Mes. W. Y. McRorey, Bobby Sander-

son, Ross Tipps, Juanita Rogers, Fannie Mae Wilson, Rockey Thompson, Lee Alderman, W. F. Stout.

Mrs. A. D. Shaffer and Allen have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ragland in Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chew and Mr. and Mrs. John Chew and Jodie spent the weekend in Stephenville with Mrs. Sarah Chew. The John Chew family will leave next Monday for Louis, Delaware, where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaston visited with Mrs. Lea Gaston Sunday.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harrist were her daughter, Mrs. Bill Neely, and children of Snyder.

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

The Rev. John Early of San Angelo will preach at 11 a.m. Sunday at Maverick Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle went to Brownwood Saturday where they visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson and Mrs. Addie Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Scarborough, Rusty, Kaylynn and Mickey spent the weekend in San Angelo, where Kaylynn rode in a rodeo. She is a member of the West Texas Junior Rodeo Association. She won 2nd in the barrels and flags in her division. The rodeos are held at the E. A. Chaney arena in San Angelo. The next rodeo will be March 7 and 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Miller of San Angelo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Davis of Bronte visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee and children came out from San Angelo Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Lee. The group went fishing and had a picnic at the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Denner and Barry of Munday and Terry Denner of Angelo State University spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith. Monday, the Smiths went to Sterling City to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Saunders and Mike, and to help Mrs. Saunders celebrate her birthday.

L. B. Horton Sr. of San Angelo was an overnight guest Monday in the Bomar Horton home.

Tony Holland and his roommate, David Braden of Kerrville, students at Angelo State University, were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland.

Judy Ogilvy was on the sick list and out of school most of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Springer hosted the Jolly 8 Club Friday night. Games of 42 were played. Sandwiches, dips, chips, cake, candy and drinks were served to Messrs. and Mes. Vernie Smith, Herbert Holland, A. B. Hadley and Springer. The club will meet with Mrs. Cora Busby Feb. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee entertained with a barbecue steak supper Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Coates and David, all of San Angelo, Luther Nixon of Ballinger and the Lees.

Bill Herron and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gathings of Odessa spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Herron.

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Lunchroom Menu

Monday, February 16

Chili with beans, cheese wedge, cabbage slaw, crackers, chocolate sheet cake.

Tuesday, February 17

Barbecued chicken, potato-in-jacket, creamed carrots and peas, congealed salad, walk-to-school cookies.

Wednesday, February 18

Hamburger steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, spinach, Waldorf salad, rolls, butterscotch pudding with topping.

Thursday, February 19

Ham, candied sweet potatoes, seasoned green beans, tossed salad, roll, peanut butter cookies.

Friday, February 20

Stuffed wieners, diced potato salad, pinto beans, cabbage-carrot salad, cornbread, jello with fruit and topping.

Recent guests of Mrs. W. C. Duncan were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan and family of Lubbock.

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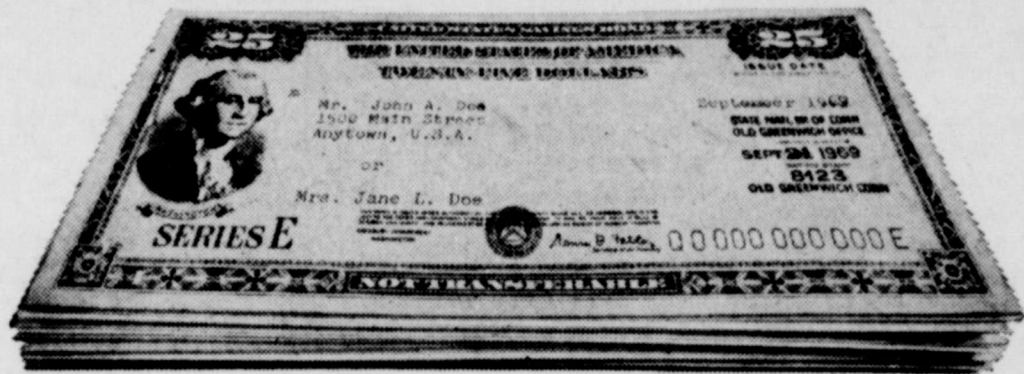
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Ballinger Service For E. H. Spann

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Allen Davis Funeral Chapel in Ballinger for Eugene Harold Spann, 64, longtime Maverick community resident. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery at Ballinger.

Mr. Spann died Monday afternoon in Bronte Hospital after a short illness.

He was a farmer and had lived at Maverick since he was a child.

Survivors include two sons, Harold Spann of Hurst and L. V. Spann of Colorado Springs; two brothers, A. R. Spann of Eden and McKinley Spann of Fort Worth, and two grandchildren.

Funeral Held for Upton Mathers, Coke Ranchman

(From Robert Lee Observer)

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. for Upton Mathers, 47, who died Monday at his home here in Robert Lee. The services were held at Southside Church of Christ with the minister in charge, assisted by Bill Roach of Wellman, formerly of Robert Lee. Burial was in Robert Lee Cemetery, under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. Mathers was born July 17, 1922, in Coke County. He lived here all of his life except for a period of service in World War II and 12 years in Oklahoma. He was married to Kathryn Ryan Aug. 28, 1948, in Winslow, Ariz. He was a rancher and was engaged in the business all his life, including 12 years while the family lived in Oklahoma.

Mr. Mathers had suffered from a heart condition for some time and only a few weeks ago underwent heart surgery in Houston. He had returned to his home and apparently was recovering satisfactorily when he suddenly became ill and died.

He was a member of the Church of Christ, and was a veteran of World War II, having served as tail gunner in the Air Force.

Survivors include his wife; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers; three sons, Rodney, Kenneth and Delbert, of the home; a daughter, Sue Lynn of the home three sisters, Mrs. J. L. Kuhn of Clarendon, Mrs. George Pennington of Midland, and Mrs. L. E. Higgins of Robert Lee.

Pallbearers were Jack Denman, John Gregston, James Craig, and Furst Moore, all of Robert Lee; Demp Chesser and Virtheil Garrison, both of Oklahoma.

MISSSES LANDERS, BRYAN ATTEND ASU SEMINAR

Paula Landers and Cathy Bryan will represent Bronte High school at a TSSA Seminar which was scheduled for Thursday. Each year two outstanding students in the junior class are selected to attend the seminar.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton and children of Big Spring were here Sunday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton and Mrs. Helen Kirkland. Mrs. Jack Belcher of Odessa returned home Sunday after a three week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caperton.

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Miss Debbie Gentry

Debbie Gentry to Wed James H. Harcourt

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Gentry have announced the engagement of their daughter, Debbie Kay, to Sgt. James H. Harcourt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Harcourt of Walnut Creek, California.

Miss Gentry is a 1969 graduate of Bronte High School and is now attending Commercial College of Abilene.

Her fiance, a 1967 graduate of Pleasant Hill High School in Pleasant Hill, Calif., is stationed at Dyess AFB, Abilene.

The wedding is planned for May 9.

SERVICES HELD FOR KIN OF BRONTE RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stroebel were in Austin Tuesday to attend funeral services for her brother-in-law, Dr. M. E. Bowen. Dr. Bowen, a resident of San Angelo, died Sunday in Austin, apparently of a heart attack.

Dr. Bowen was in Austin to attend funeral services for his mother, Mrs. W. W. Mosley, on Saturday, and became ill Sunday morning.

He was a veterinarian and was employed with the U. S. Department of Agriculture in San Angelo. He was a retired Army lieutenant colonel and was a 1939 graduate of Texas A&M. He was a Lutheran.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, two brothers and a sister.

DAVID GLENN MAKES DEAN'S HONOR LIST

David R. Glenn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn of Bronte, made the Dean's Honor list during the fall semester at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Those who make the list must maintain an average of at least 3.0 based on a 4.0 grade system.

Glenn's certificate was signed by Lorrin Kennemer, dean of the Division of Arts and Sciences. He is a geophysics major at Tech.

DIVERSITY CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. GLENN

The Diversity Club met last Thursday night in the home of Mrs. D. K. Glenn. Mrs. Charles Ragsdale was in charge of the program on Belgium. In addition to her talk, she showed articles of clothing from there.

A refreshment plate was served to Meses. Otis Smith, Cecil Kemp, J. T. Henry, C. E. Clark, Ragsdale and Glenn.

MISS BRONTE AND MOTHER ATTEND ANGELO DAR TEA

Miss Linda Carlton, recently named Miss Bronte and winner of the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizenship Award, and her mother, Mrs. Russell Carlton, attended a DAR tea in San Angelo Tuesday afternoon. The tea was held to honor winners of the awards in various schools in this area.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrow are parents of a son born Jan. 31 in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. The new baby weighed 8 pounds, three ounces. He has been named John Jacob. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley. The Morrows also have a daughter, Becky, three years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strickland of Fort Worth became the parents of a baby daughter Feb. 9. She weighed 6 pounds at birth. Local relatives have not yet learned the baby's name. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hurley, all of Bronte.

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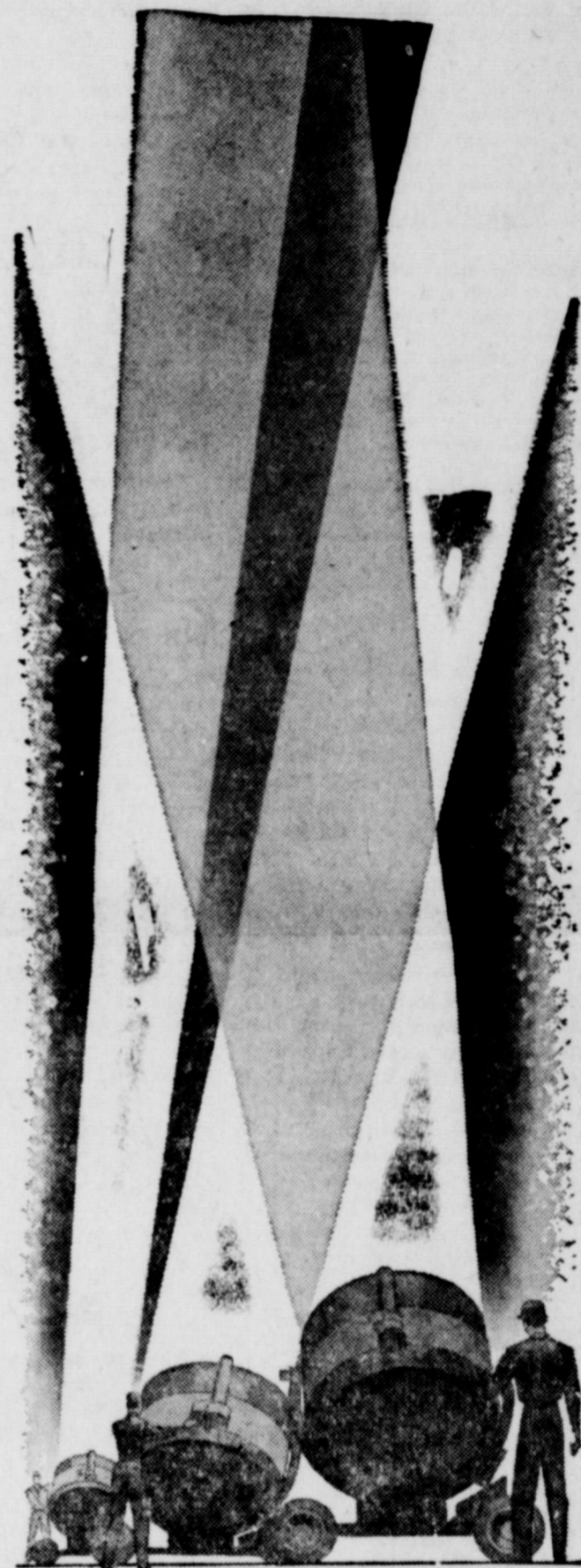
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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Janet Thomas

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green visited with their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Harrell of Sonora, in San Angelo recently. Mrs. Green also visited with Mrs. Katy James, who is in Shannon Hospital following a broken leg and surgery. Mrs. Dose Davis, aunt of Mr. Green, is in a Santa Anna Hospital.

Mrs. Willie Gunn of Sweetwater is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark. Mr. Clark attended a singing at Eden Sunday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams were their granddaughter and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Gary Wagner and family of San Angelo.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Thomas recently were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reeves of Bronte.

Mrs. Jack Corley, Jimmy and Shelene Tidwell and Becky Morrow visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham and Sarah Buford. They also visited the Museum.

Mrs. Roy Baker has been a patient in the Bronte Hospital. Visiting in the Baker home this week have been Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Baker, Lee and Teresa and Wayne Hegwood, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rolfs visited Friday and Saturday in Odessa with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keeney, Cindy and Bubba.

Thetford Heads Easter Seal Drive

The 1970 Easter Seal Appeal will open in Coke County on Monday, Feb. 23, according to Judge W. W. Thetford, who serves as Easter Seal Representative for the county.

Judge Thetford said that Easter Seal Appeal letters would begin arriving at homes in the county about March 1.

As Easter Seal Representative, he is the local contact to request rehabilitation services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. These services include physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing program and special information services to help solve the many problems faced by the families of handicapped children and adults.

Last year 20,378 handicapped people received help from the Texas Society, Thetford explained. But the costs of providing expert professional care are rising, and more money than ever will be needed, he said.

Funds help support 20 centers in Texas, where crippled children and adults are treated, regardless of their ability to pay. Walkers, wheelchairs and related services are provided to those who cannot provide for themselves.

"Since 1929 the people of Texas have always responded to our needs, and I feel certain they will make it possible to increase Easter Seal services to crippled Texans throughout the coming year," Thetford said.

Legal Notice

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED TRAFFIC SIGNS INSTALLED OR TO BE INSTALLED IN THE ENTIRE CITY OF BRONTE

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the safety and welfare of persons traveling through and in the City of Bronte; and necessary for the safety and welfare of all citizens of Bronte to recognize and realize that the traffic signs listed, attached hereto and made a part hereof, which are in place at the listed locations for all citizens' observance and obedience, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the city council of the City of Bronte to call to the attention of all persons that this list of traffic signs within the corporate limits of Bronte will be presented to The Texas Department of Public Safety in the San Angelo District office for their information and knowledge in enforcing the law,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRONTE:

Section 1. That this sign Ordinance and/or notice could be and should be amended as the traffic and public needs require.

Section 2. That every licensed driver should know the penalty for violation of any and all the below mentioned traffic signs without said council having to set them out individually.

Section 3. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance or traffic sign posted or shall fail to comply with requirements of traffic laws in the City of Bronte shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable to a fine and upon conviction of any such violation shall be fined any sum of not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$10.00, plus court costs.

Section 4. The City Secretary is authorized and directed to order publication of this Ordinance in the official paper for the City of Bronte as required by law.

Section 5. This Ordinance has been in effect and is a simple reminder to all persons, and shall become extremely effective and shall be in force from and after the publication thereof.

PASSED 2-5-70

APPROVED 2-5-70

ROYCE LEE, Mayor
HELEN KIRKLAND, City Secretary

Stop Signs on Washington Street on South and on North side of Holmes Street

Stop Sign on North and South Side of Main Street

Stop on Howard at Washington

Stop on Jackson at Washington

Stops on Jackson at East Railroad

Stops on East Railroad at Main
Yield sign on Oliver at East Railroad

Yield on East Railroad at Holmes

Yield on Holmes going west at West Railroad

Stop at Holmes going east at West Railroad

Stop both directions on Oliver at West Railroad

Stop on West Railroad at Main

Stop on Jackson going east at West Railroad

Stop on Jefferson at Main Street (Need one sign)

Stop on McCaulley at Jefferson

Yield on Jefferson at Barclay

Stop on Jefferson at Barclay

Stops on Woods at Main

Stop on Lombard at Main

Stop on Fayette at State Highway No. 158

Stop on Hickman Road at State Highway No. 158

Kay and State has no sign but will be installed

Hudson Avenue and State has no sign but one will be installed

Stop on Reilley at State

Stop on George at State

Stops on Barclay at State

Stops on Holmes at State

Stops on McCaulley at State

Stops on Oliver at State (2 signs needed)

Stop on Main at State (stop light)

Stop on Howard at State, 1 sign on west

Stop on Trammel going west at State

Stop on Jones going west at State

Stop on Franklin at Oliver

Stop on Franklin at McCaulley

Stops on Franklin at No. 158 east

Stop on Randell at Oliver

Yield at Cumbie and Oliver

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Notice Taxpayers

Beginning Jan. 13th, I will be in my office at Robert Lee on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and at Bronte Friday and Saturday. Please bring your copy of last year's Income Tax Returns with you as we will need them for reference.

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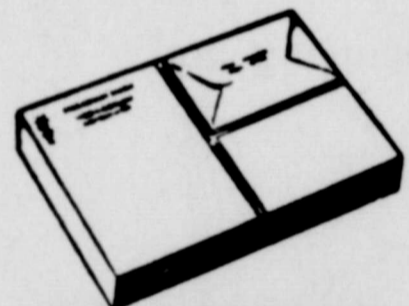


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Political Announcements

The Enterprise has been authorized to announce candidacy of persons listed below for the offices indicated. The names are submitted for consideration of voters in the Democratic Primary in May. Where more than one person is seeking the same office names will be listed in the order in which they were received.

For Associate Justice
Third Court of Civil Appeals
BOB SHANNON

For County Judge
W. W. THETFORD

For County and District Clerk
MRS. WINNIE WALDROP

For County Treasurer
MRS. JERRY THOMASON

For Commissioner
Precinct 2
JESSE PARKER
BOBBY VAUGHN

For Commissioner,
Precinct 4
JACK CORLEY

For Justice of the Peace
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 Mrs. E. L. Caperton and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all our many friends for all the kindnesses shown us during our recent sorrow. We appreciated the food, cards and everything you did for us. Our special thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Harris and the hospital staff.
 The Family of Pete Reyes
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FOR RENT — 3 bedroom house, one bath, six years old. Available about April 1. Located on Washington Street. C. E. Bruton. 5-4tc.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that Coke County will receive sealed bids in the office of the County Judge until 10:00 A. M. Monday, March 2, 1970, for the following:

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For further information, contact Commissioner of Precinct, No. 4, Robert Lee, Texas.

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Weldon Fikes, County Auditor
 Coke County, Texas
 Publish Feb. 12 & 19

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The '69 Study Club met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Billy Joe Lockett. Mrs. James Koenig was in charge of the program which was entitled "Women's Responsibility to Fashions."

The following members were present: Mmes. Ben Hambright, Elroy Butler, Roy Wayne Stout, Martin Lee, Fred Alley, Noel Brevard, Don Bailey, Wayne Arrott, Cecil Toliver, James Badgett, Glen Skelton, Koenig and Lockett; also two guests, Mrs. Wendell Lee and Mrs. James Tidwell.

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