

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Tuesday Is Election Day

### Minnicks Buy Country Store

Mrs. Vernon C. Lammers has sold her Country Store to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Minnick of Houston. The new owners will take over operation of the business Sunday, Nov. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Minnick said they will continue to stock a complete line of groceries and sundry items, so as to be able to supply as many needs of their customers as possible. They said, in fact, that they expect to increase the inventory of the store.

Mrs. Minnick is the former Geneva Clifton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Claude Clifton. She is a sister of Mrs. J. L. Brunson. Mrs. Minnick said Wednesday, "It's nice to come home." The couple has one son who is a student in the University of Houston. They are members of the Church of Christ.

Lammers Country Store is an outgrowth of a small grocery and station business established across the street from the present location in 1958 by Mrs. Lammers and her late husband, Vernon C. Lammers. They operated the business in its former

location until three years ago when they purchased and remodeled the old church building and moved across the street.

Mr. Lammers died March 18, 1970, and Mrs. Lammers has continued to operate the store since that time.

She said she regrets very much having to give up the store, but feels under the circumstances it is the best thing to do. She said that she appreciated the patronage of all her friends and customers during the past 12 years, and added that she felt sure they would enjoy trading with Mr. and Mrs. Minnick. She said she plans to continue making her home in Bronte.

The Minnicks invited everyone in the area to come by and get acquainted and said they would appreciate all the business given them. Readers are invited to look at the ads placed in this edition by Mr. and Mrs. Minnick and Mrs. Lammers.

### C. R. Smith Store Liquidating Stock

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith will begin a liquidation sale Friday when the entire stock of their dry goods store will go on sale. They said prices will be drastically cut and all the merchandise will be disposed of prior to closing their store.

Included among the sale items are hundreds of blouses which they had left when they sold their sportswear factory to the Horace Taylor family. Also included will be hundreds of yards of piece goods.

They are running an ad in this week's Enterprise listing some of the items which will be available at special prices.

The Smiths are planning on retiring when they complete the closing out of their stock.

### SERVICES HELD THURSDAY FOR TRUMAN A. BARBEE

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Rule Baptist Church for Truman Alford Barbee, 58, of Rule. He was a brother of C. B. Barbee of Bronte. Burial was in Rule Cemetery.

Mr. Barbee died Tuesday afternoon in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after a brief illness.

Survivors include his wife, a daughter, three sisters and five brothers.



Bill Franklin

### Franklin Named El Paso Firm VP

One of Texas' leading mutual fund producers, Bill Franklin, has joined El Paso's Pioneer Financial Services and Viking Funds as national vice president and sales manager.

Franklin, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. (Pete) Nutter of Bronte, grew up here and is a graduate of Bronte High School. He is married to the former Colleen Varnadore of Robert Lee. They have three children, Paul, 13, Jan, 10, and Phyllis Ann, 7.

Franklin attended San Angelo Junior College and Texas Tech and served two years in the U. S. Army before beginning his career in the world of finance.

He joined Southwest Union Life Insurance Co. of Dallas in 1960. He later opened a general agency in San Angelo and in 1966 joined Financial Programs, Inc., of Denver, a mutual fund and investment company, which he left to take the position with Pioneer.

Pioneer Financial Services, a wholly-owned subsidiary of El Paso's Coaches of America, Inc.

In his first year with Financial Services he led in sales and

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Tuesday is election day in Texas and Democratic candidates for top offices in the state have Republican opposition in most cases. Also to be voted on are seven amendments to the Texas constitution.

Perhaps the hottest race to be decided is the U. S. Senate seat now held by Ralph Yarborough. Lloyd Bentsen, who defeated Yarborough in the Democratic Primary, is being sharply contested by Republican Congressman George Bush of Houston.

Hundreds of thousands, perhaps millions, of dollars are being spent for TV and radio advertising in this race, and the Republicans feel it is a choice plum in their effort to gain a majority in the U. S. Senate.

Also spending lots of money are the candidates for governor. The Democratic incumbent Preston Smith is being challenged by

Republican Paul Eggers.

Most dopesters feel that the senate and governor races are the only two statewide races in which the Republicans stand a chance to make a real showing.

However, contested races are on tap for lieutenant governor, attorney general, state comptroller, state treasurer, commissioner of general land office and commissioner of agriculture.

### Amendments Hot, Too

Considerable interest is being shown in the amendment voting. Probably the hottest contest is on the matter of repealing the liquor by the drink law of Texas, which is No. 2 on the ballot.

Also creating much interest is No. 3, which proposes to change the method of assessing agricultural and timber lands. It would make possible an assessment based on capability of the land to produce, rather than on market value.

A sample ballot is being printed in this newspaper, in order for readers to familiarize themselves with the candidates and amendments to be voted on.

Elections in Coke County will be held in the following places with judges and alternates as indicated:

Precinct No. 1, Rec Hall, Robert Lee, Mrs. Patty Ivey and Mrs. Willie Clark.

Precinct No. 2, Boecking Garage, Bronte, Matthew Caperton and Royce Fancher.

Precinct No. 3, Courthouse, Robert Lee, Frank Percifull and Mrs. Jessie Yarborough.

Precinct No. 4, Schoolhouse, Tennyson, J. P. Arrott and Mrs. Lora Bell Brown.

Precinct No. 5, City Hall, Bronte, Noah Pruitt and Calvin McCutchen.

Precinct No. 8, Schoolhouse, Silver, H. L. Bloodworth and Mrs. Ernest Clendennen.

Precinct No. 9, Community Center, Green Mountain, D. O. King and Conrad Millican.

### Blackwell Man Seriously Injured

Robert Dewey Nabors, 21, of Blackwell is in serious condition in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. He was injured when hit by a car Saturday about 1 a.m. in Blackwell.

Two men were arrested and charged with felony offense of failure to stop and render aid. They are Roy Mark Clark, 26, of Abilene and Alvin Lee Bynum, 23, of Nolan. Bond was set at \$3,000 each by Justice of the Peace C. F. Rose of Roscoe.

Sheriff Joe Slater of Sweetwater said the car which allegedly struck Nabors was driven by Clark and that Bynum was a passenger in the car.

The two men were arrested shortly after daybreak Saturday morning at a house near the intersection of FM 53 and Highway 277. The men had apparently walked to the house after their car broke down. The men were jailed in Bronte and later transferred to Sweetwater.

### Small Crowd Here For Homecoming

A small group was present for the homecoming last Friday night. Following the meeting in the school lunchroom, the group attended the ball game between Bronte and Hawley.

In the business meeting Martin Lee was elected president of the Ex - Students Association. Delbert Coalson was named first vice president and Roy Stout is new second vice president. Mrs. Mike Luttrell was re-elected secretary and Mrs. Jerry Parker was named to serve another year as treasurer.



HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES —A lot of royalty was on the football field last Friday night in celebration of homecoming. On the left, Melissa Lee is crowned Band Sweetheart by



Band Beau Tony Mackey. Jeff Waldrop and Lindy Butler were crown bearer and flower girl. Center picture shows Jolene Vaughn being crowned Homecoming queen by Danny



Cooper, co-captain of the football team. Her crownbearer was Bruce James and flower girl was Camille Badgett. On the right Susan Cumbie re-

ceives the crown as Football Sweetheart from co-captain Mike Arrott. Bill Grant was her crownbearer and Lisa Lee was flower girl.

# Don't Forget To Vote!

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Susan Arrott

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Mrs. Tom Williams and Bill Green celebrated their birthdays and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary last weekend at Low-wake Inn. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott, Tim and Deana of Ballinger, Jim Arrott and Charlotte Foster of

San Angelo and Tom Williams. Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Elliott and children visited the Harry Abernathys in Water Valley, and Sunday, the J. R. Boatrights of Sweetwater visited them.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott spent the weekend with the Dee Arrott family in Hereford. Sunday afternoon, the Arrotts visited the Monroe Arrotts in Miles, along with Eula Akins and Lexia Mims of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hendricks of Rowena visited Monday in the Louis Baker home.

Attending the Ethicon open house Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Graves Jr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited in Bangs Sunday afternoon with Mrs. B. G. Sweet, Jim, Tim and Deana Arrott spent some time with them last weekend.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Chandler of San Angelo visited Friday with the Tom Greens.

Attending the funeral of Mrs. Albert Grace in Gordon were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley, Mr. and Mrs. James Tidwell and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Corley.

W. T. Crawford and Frances visited with the Buck James family Friday.

Spending Thursday night with the Leon McCaitys were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Albrighton of Kerrville.

The W. H. Thomases visited Sunday with Mrs. Celia Franklin in Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reeves in Bronte.

The J. C. Boatrights, Tom Williams and Jack Corleys played 88 at the James Arrotts Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moxlow and Becky and Mr. and Mrs. James Tidwell and family went to Lubbock Saturday for the Texas Tech-SMU football game.

Weekend visitors in the Roy Baker home were Wayne Hegwood, the Roy Lee Bakers, Mike Smiths and Hexman Yanceys, all of San Angelo.

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Seven Amendments to Be Voted On by Texans

Texans will go to the polls Tuesday, Nov. 3, and vote on seven amendments to the constitution. These seven make a total of 320 which have been proposed since the constitution was adopted in 1876. Of the 320 proposed, 195 have been adopted.

The Enterprise is presenting below a short analysis of each amendment prepared by the Texas Legislative Council. Each amendment is stated, then followed by arguments for and against.

Amendment No. 1

Relating to removal, retirement, or censure of justices, judges, and justices of the peace under prescribed circumstances.

FOR: 1. Every judge is charged with the equitable enforcement of law. The responsibilities of the judges of lower courts are no less sacred than those of the justices of the appellate courts; therefore, they should be answerable to the same rules dealing with retirement, removal from office, and public censure or private reprimand.

AGAINST: 1. Except in rare instances, the judges named in Subsection (6) are elected by the people and therefore answerable to the people at the polls. Therefore, the expansion of the article is unwarranted. Increasing the power and scope of the commission might also lead to "witch hunts," and such action could subsequently discourage qualified persons from seeking election to the bench.

Amendment No. 2

To authorize the legislature to enact a mixed beverage law regulating the sale of mixed alcoholic beverages on a local option basis.

FOR: 1. The proposed amendment is not a wet-dry issue because the sale of alcohol has already been sanctioned by a majority of the residents of the state; also, a non-binding referendum during the 1968 primary elections resulted in a 40,000-vote margin for mixed beverages out of a total vote of 1.4 million.

2. The proposed amendment would not force mixed drinks on any locality since it requires that any mixed drink law be on a local option election basis.

3. Adoption of the proposed amendment and passage of subsequent enabling legislation would lead to stricter control of liquor sales to minors, an end to the subterfuge of private clubs, a decrease in alcohol consumption, a reduced crime rate, and fewer traffic accidents.

AGAINST: 1. The proposed amendment would make alcoholic beverages more readily available.

2. The proposed amendment would lead to an increase in crime and in traffic deaths.

3. Although enabling legislation for the proposed amendment could be designed to raise needed new revenue through the taxation of mixed beverages, this revenue would be negligible in comparison with resulting problems such as broken homes, juvenile delinquency, drunk-driving, criminal assaults, and other crimes.

Amendment No. 3

Authorizing the legislature to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm, and forest lands based on the capability of the lands to support the raising of livestock or to produce farm and forest crops.

FOR: 1. Farm real estate taxes per acre have increased by more than 22 per cent, accord-

ing to data compiled by the Economic Research Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, and there is a need for the tax relief for owners of such property which the proposed amendment would authorize.

2. The constitutional amendment approved by the voters in 1966 has not provided tax relief urgently needed by farmers and ranchers who use for agricultural purposes land which has greatly increased in value due to its potential use for other purposes, such as urban development. The proposed amendment would enable the legislature to provide such relief.

3. The present system of assessing forest lands for ad valorem tax purposes is inequitable and unrealistic. Timber is not recognized as a "farm product" exempt from taxation as are other growing crops. Timber is accordingly taxed with, and in addition to, the land. The result is that tree farmers pay an ad valorem tax each year on their land on the current year's "crop" (represented by the

growth of the trees), and on the crop product in each prior year since the stand of timber was planted. The tree farmer does not recover any portion of these tax payments until the trees are harvested some 20 to 50 years after they are planted. The proposed amendment would authorize the legislature to provide a fairer system of property valuation for taxation of forest lands.

AGAINST: 1. Enabling legislation for the proposed amendment has not been passed; therefore, the voter has no idea how far the legislature may go in providing property tax considerations to the owners of farm, ranch and timber lands.

2. The proposed amendment could result in a tax ceiling for rural lands while urban Texans would be in a different category.

3. Lower property valuations resulting from implementation of the proposed constitutional amendment might reduce tax revenues of county, school and other taxing districts. This could possibly handicap these political

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Vote FOR Amendment 3

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

- Q. Does this amendment help "hobby farmers" or "weekend ranchers"?
A. No. It is designed to help the true producer of crops, livestock and timber. At time of sale or change in usage, the land could be assessed at "market value."
Q. Would passage of the amendment encourage corporate farming?
A. No. There is nothing that drives the small or independent farmer off his land faster than being taxed more than his crops will produce.
Q. Would taxes be decreased as result of the amendment's passage?
A. None of the partisans for Amendment No. 3 hold hope for any tax reduction. Florida, New Jersey and Kentucky among many other states have enacted laws whereby land is taxed according to its productivity instead of "market value" without impairment to tax roll requirements.
Q. Does passage of the amendment contemplate establishment of state level control over tax assessing?
A. No. This amendment establishes a Constitutional requirement that agricultural lands shall be taxed on a productivity basis.

Article VIII Section 11 of the Constitution of The State of Texas reads:

"Where Property Is to Be Assessed — All property, whether owned by persons or corporations, shall be assessed for taxation and the taxes paid in the county where situated, but the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote authorize the payment of taxes of non-residents of counties to be made at the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts. And all lands and other property not rendered for taxation by the owner thereof shall be assessed at its fair value by the proper officer."

Amendment No. 3 does not and the Legislature cannot change this provision.

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subdivisions in performing essential governmental functions and services unless other sources of income are found.

Amendment No. 4

To reconstitute the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission.

FOR: 1. The governor, attorney general and chairman of the Board of Control do not have the time to consider all of the details imposed upon them as ex officio members of the State Building Commission.

2. The governor has recommended the creation of the three-man appointive commission as proposed by the amendment in the belief that a commission so constituted could function more efficiently.

AGAINST: 1. Since the State Building Commission makes recommendations concerning the expenditure of large sums of public money, it would seem inadvisable to change its present membership of elected officials responsible directly to the people to an appointive membership which is answerable to the voters only through the governor.

2. After terms of the initial appointees under the proposed amendment have been terminated, succeeding members of the State Building Commission would serve full six-year terms. The long tenure which would be provided for members of the State Building Commission, in contrast to the two-year elective terms of two of the ex officio members (the governor and attorney general) as the commission now exists, could possibly open the way for abuse in the spending of state funds before the natural expiration of terms would permit new appointments.

Amendment No. 5

Authorizing any county to issue road bonds in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county under certain conditions.

FOR: 1. Construction and maintenance of sufficient roads

and turnpikes to meet the traffic needs of rapidly growing Texas have been hampered by the constitutional debt limit and the requirement of a two-thirds vote of the qualified electors. The proposed Amendment No. 5 would alleviate this situation.

2. The proposed amendment's requirement that bonds may be issued only on approval of a majority vote provides adequate assurance that tax burdens cannot be increased without full knowledge and majority consent of the individuals affected. At the same time, the amendment modifies present requirements enabling a minority of only one-third of the voters to override wishes of the majority.

AGAINST: 1. The majority vote requirement would make it too easy for a bond election to pass. When bond elections are called with the timing selected to assure turnout of only those in favor of an issue, a majority of the voters could, in fact, be disenfranchised.

2. The liberalized debt limit in the proposed amendment is much broader than it appears, and the reduction in the number of voters required for approval of the

extended indebtedness could open the door to the squandering of taxpayers' money.

Amendment No. 6

To increase the value of the homestead exempt from forced sale from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

FOR: 1. Under present property values, a 200 acre exemption on rural land is a more favorable exemption than the \$5,000 now permitted by the constitution for an urban homestead or a business homestead. Also, since the exemption depends on value at the time of designation as a homestead, the rapid increase in values in recent years has created great inequities for comparable property of the same current value which would be alleviated by the adoption of the proposed amendment.

2. It has been 100 years since the homestead exemption was set at \$5,000, and conditions and economic demands have changed so greatly since that time that the intent of the constitution to protect the home and earning capacity of the citizen is no longer effected through this small exemption.

AGAINST: 1. Since homestead exemptions are often abused by

violating the intent of the constitution and permitting the hoarding of extensive assets beyond the reach of creditors with just debts, a larger exemption of \$10,000 as proposed by Amendment No. 6 could increase the opportunity for abuse.

2. The social security and welfare programs of today have lessened the need for protection of the family home.

Amendment No. 7

Authorizing the legislature to provide for consolidating offices and functions of government and for performance of governmental functions by contract between political subdivisions in any county.

FOR: 1. Adoption of the proposed amendment would permit counties to do away with costly duplication of services by consolidation, under which one governmental unit could be authorized to make assessments for all political subdivisions through an equal and fair assessment ratio, thereby providing more equitable apportionment of ad valorem taxes. Such consolidation would also result in coordinated plan-

ning to meet the demands of growing metropolitan areas.

2. Under the proposed amendment enabling legislation would be permissive and subject to approval of voters in the political subdivisions involved.

AGAINST: 1. Adoption of the proposed amendment would be the first step toward overcentralization of government at the county level. It could result in too much authority resting in the hands of a few.

2. The countywide area could assume expensive responsibilities in providing various services primarily or exclusively to the cities, thus increasing unfairly the countywide tax burden.

Delbert Coalson, Horace Taylor and Noah Pruitt Jr. have returned from a hunting trip near Eagle, Colo., on the western slope of the Rocky Mountains. They brought home one buck.

Mrs. Lula Brown is in Balinger Memorial Hospital where she is recovering from a broken bone in her foot.

# Why Preston Smith ?

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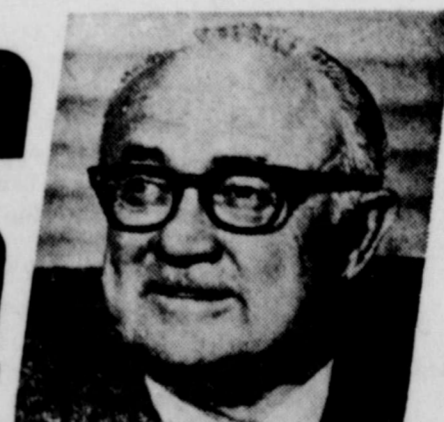
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# Hawley Upsets Longhorns, 23-13

The Longhorns started out like a Mack truck last Friday night but pretty well fizzled as they took a 23-13 licking from the Hawley Bearcats.

### First Half

Danny Cooper took the opening kickoff to the 34 yard line. Then, on the first scrimmage play of the ball game, Cooper pitched out to Mike Arrott, who picked up some good blocking and went 66 yards for a touch-down. Only 20 seconds of the game had elapsed at the conclusion of this play. Bobby Skelton kicked the EP and the Horns were ahead, 7-0.

Cooper kicked off and the Cats ran three plays and had to kick. It was blocked on the 35, and the Longhorns were in excellent field position. Arrott passed to Cooper for 5, and Kim Barrett went for 6 and a 1st on the 24. Barrett and Arrott carried for another 1st on the 13. Cooper, Skelton and Arrott then went to the 3 for another 1st. But a fumble and penalty put the ball back to the 20 and another fumble gave the ball to Hawley on the 20.

The Bearcats went for 1st downs on their 35 and the Bronte 46, 32 and 21. Next series gave the ball back to the Longhorns as Joe Basquez recovered a fumble on the 12.

The Horns couldn't go, however, and Arrott quick kicked on 3rd down. It was short and took a Hawley bounce to give the Cats the ball on the Bronte 25. Big Jim Hendon started going through the Longhorn line and made a 1st on the 13 and another on the 3. He added 2 more yards and Gary Womack kept for the Hawley counter. EP try was good and Hawley led 8-7.

The Bronte boys fumbled the kickoff and Hawley took over on their 43 yard line. Use of Hendon through the middle pulled the Bronte line up so tight that Womack was able to use passes and end runs to move the ball in for another Bearcat TD, and the extra points gave the visitors a 15-7 lead.

Steady gains were made by Arrott, Barret, Cooper and Skelton and a long pass to Basquez gave the Horns a 1st on the 20, but a pass was intercepted and the half ended stertly.

### Second Half

The Bearcats took the kickoff and marched back up field to the Bronte 22 yard line. The line tightened and the visitors tried a field goal but it was blocked and Bronte took over on the 27.

The ball changed hands a couple more times before the end of the 3rd quarter and Bronte early in the fourth stanza had a 1st and goal on the 8. A pass to Basquez was good, but the

EP try failed to make the score 15-13.

The Bearcats dominated the remainder of the game and late in the quarter moved the ball to the 8 yard line of Bronte. A pass to Chuck Leach was good for another TD and McCarty ran the extras to make the score 23-13.

An onside kick was recovered by Hawley and they kept the ball until the final whistle sounded.

The Longhorns are idle this week.

## Last Rites Held for Mrs. Albert Grace

Funeral services for Mrs. Albert Grace II, 47, of Gordon and former Bronte resident, were held Sunday in First United Methodist Church of Gordon. Burial was in New Gordon Cemetery.

Mrs. Grace died at 4 p.m. last Thursday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene after a sudden illness.

The Grace family lived at Bronte for several years while he was employed at the Fort Chadbourne Gasoline Plant of Lene Star Gas Company.

Mrs. Grace, the former Myra B. Huskey, was born Sept. 18, 1923, in Moran. She was married to Albert Grace II on June 2, 1940, in Moran. She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Bronte Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs. Bennie (Jackie) Corley of Crane; two sons, Albert Grace III of Iowa Park and Tommy Lee Grace of Gordon; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Huskey of Moran; four sisters, two brothers and four grandchildren.

## FISHING NEWS

By Ike Pate

Fishing at Oak Creek Lake this past weekend was just a little better than good. It was one of the few times this time of year when fishermen could enjoy good weather and good fishing at the same time.

A group of Andrews fishermen took a lion's share. Al Brown, Leo Osterhout, Bob Zugg and Bill Hart caught 22 fish with a total weight of 106 pounds. Three of the yellow cat weighed 30, 29 and 8 pounds each. Nineteen channel cat weighed from 1½ to 8 pounds.

C. T. Carr of Andrews took nine bass in about an hour late Saturday. Average weight was just over 2 pounds.

We have a number of fellows who fish Oak Creek quite often that rate among the top bass fishermen in the state. They tell me, almost without exception, that when they go after big bass, Oak Creek is their top pick of any lake. With the spawn we had this past spring I can't see how Oak Creek can help but remain one of the top lakes for a long time to come.

According to the Parks & Wildlife Dept., we have a good population of yellow cat, and if you look at the number that have been caught the past year, we can't disagree. So, it looks like the folks who prefer to trotline fish will have a hard time finding a place that beats Oak Creek.

## Last Rites Held for W. M. McCutchen

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. for William Madison McCutchen, 85, Coke County pioneer stock farmer. The last rites were held in Robert Lee Baptist Church, with the pastor, the Rev. Bill Beaty, and the Rev. Horace Bloodworth of Silver officiating. Burial was in Robert Lee Cemetery under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. McCutchen died at 5:30 p.m. Sunday in West Coke County Hospital. He had been ill two and one-half weeks.

Mr. McCutchen was born in Gatesville July 24, 1885. He came to Coke County in 1889, the year the county was organized, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCutchen. His father was an early day tax assessor in the county. He was married to Miss Eva Rushing July 1, 1906, at Robert Lee. She died Dec. 13, 1962.

Mr. McCutchen operated his stock farm in the Graham Valley community until recently. He had served as school trustee for Sanco, Edith and Graham Valley. He was a member of the Sanco Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, J. D. McCutchen of San Angelo, Wayne McCutchen of Amarillo, Madison McCutchen of San Antonio and Bill McCutchen of Roswell, N. M.; five daughters, Mrs. J. W. (Ruth) Service of Robert Lee, Mrs. LaVerne Cole of Roswell, N. M., Mrs. Lendy (Yvonne) Devoll of Robert Lee, Mrs. Bob (Hilda) Adkins and Mrs. Bobby (Joyce) Hood, both of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. Pearl Childress of Mesa, Ariz., and Mrs. Grace Murtishaw of Bronte; 26 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and a large number of nieces, nephews and cousins.

## H D Agent's News Dept.

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

### Onions

Spotlighting the daily meal is no trick. But any homemaker can create an adventure in good eating with a handy supply of onions.

Onions rank number one when it comes to flavoring potato dishes, casseroles, souffles, meats and salads. But onions don't just taste good — they're nutritious, too. One of the most important vegetables in the diet, onions contain important minerals, such as calcium, phosphorus and iron, plus a sufficient supply of vitamin C. In fact, one onion has as much vitamin C as two apples, one banana, one orange or one tomato.

In selecting onions, look for

firm ones which are dry and have small necks. Onions should be covered with papery outer scales and should be reasonably free from green sunburn spots and other blemishes. Avoid onions with wet or very soft necks; they are usually immature vegetables or are affected by decay. Also avoid onions with thick, low woody centers in the neck or with fresh sprouts.

The best way to purchase onions is to buy them often. Onions, which should be kept in a cool dry place, cannot withstand home storage conditions that frequently vary.

Preferred onion sizes may vary according to use. Small sized onions are best for boiling whole, stewing or creaming. Medium onions are best for serving stuffed, and the larger ones are best to serve as slices on hamburgers and other sandwiches.

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# CUMMBIE & MACKKEY

## HEART ASSOCIATION HAS MONDAY MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the American Heart Association, Coke County Division's board of directors was held Monday night.

A film, "Why a Heart Association?" was shown by David Watson, regional director. Plans were discussed to distribute pamphlets entitled "Hearts and Hunting" during the next few weeks.

Mrs. Irene Newell of Robert Lee was elected secretary and Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett of Bronte was appointed publicity chairman for Bronte.

## Services Held for James E. Mitchell

Funeral services for James Edward Mitchell, 54, of Abilene were held Wednesday morning in Pioneer Drive Baptist Church of Abilene.

Conducting the funeral was the Rev. Jack Riddlehoover. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery at Bronte at 2 p.m. Masonic rites were conducted at the graveside and Elliott's Funeral Home of Abilene was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Mitchell died at 4 p.m. Monday in Dyess AFB Hospital following an apparent heart attack about noon.

He was born June 14, 1916, in Joppa, Tenn and was married to Emmagene Brooks in Bronte, June 7, 1947. He had resided in Abilene since 1958. He retired as a tech sergeant from the Air Force in 1960.

Following his retirement from the service he had been employed by the Abilene State School, McMurry College and for the past four years by Civil Service at Dyess AFB.

He was a member of Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, Bronte Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rite Temple in Dallas, and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include his wife; a son, James David, and a daughter, Cathy, both of the home; his father, J. E. Mitchell of Robert Lee; a brother, Marion E. Mitchell of Midland; five sisters, Mrs. Mildred Roach of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Mattie Braswell, Mrs. Marjorie Harwell and Mrs. Jerry Thomason, all of Robert Lee, and Mrs. Irene Edwards of Garland.

A brother and sister preceded him in death.

Pallbearers were Albert DeFoor, Cecil Vinson, Roy Matthews, A. H. Watts and Jack Henderson, all of Abilene; H. A. McDaniel of San Angelo; D. Y. Roberts of Corpus Christi; and O. L. Pittman of Bronte.

## Patterson Services Held at Slaton

Ola E. Patterson, 85, former Blackwell resident, died Wednesday Oct. 21, at 7 a.m. in the Mercy Hospital in Slaton after being hospitalized 77 days.

Funeral services were held Friday, Oct. 23, at 10 a.m. in the Westview Baptist Church in Slaton where he was a member. The pastor, the Rev. Clinton L. Eastman, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Jack Riley, pastor of the Avenue D Baptist Church in Snyder.

Graveside rites followed at 4 p.m. in Blackwell Cemetery with Englund Funeral Home of Slaton in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Patterson was born Aug. 17, 1885, in Pidcoke, Tex., in Coryell County. He was married to Bertha Viola Raney Nov. 7, 1905, in Pidcoke. She preceded him in death, Aug. 6, 1941, in Hermleigh.

He was a farmer and rancher before his retirement.

He was married to Rose Blyxom of Slaton Jan. 10, 1960, and had lived there since that time.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Grady Patterson of Slaton and J. B. Patterson of Snyder; five daughters, Mrs. Rocky Thompson of Blackwell, Mrs. Ben Henderson of Hermleigh, Mrs. Warren Linn of Spur, Mrs. Lula Mae Cagle of Garland and Mrs. Billy Blythe of Snyder; one brother, Sam Patterson of Gatesville; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Hagen and Mrs. Dollie Sexton, both of Gatesville; 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

No. 000

## GENERAL ELECTION

Coke County, Texas

November 3, 1970

## SAMPLE BALLOT

No. 000

GENERAL ELECTION  
Coke County, Texas  
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### INSTRUCTION NOTE:

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an X in the square beside the candidate's name.

You may vote a straight ticket (that is, vote for all the candidates of a certain party, and for no candidates outside that party's column) by placing an X in the square beside the name of the party of your choice at the head of the party column. (If you use this straight-ticket method of marking, do not mark squares beside the names of individual candidates.)

Note: Voter's signature to be affixed on the reverse side.

Candidates for:	<input type="checkbox"/> Democratic Party	<input type="checkbox"/> Republican Party	Write-In
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U. S. Representative, 17th Congressional District	<input type="checkbox"/> OMAR BURLESON		
Governor	<input type="checkbox"/> PRESTON SMITH	<input type="checkbox"/> PAUL EGGERS	
Lieutenant Governor	<input type="checkbox"/> BEN BARNES	<input type="checkbox"/> BYRON FULLERTON	
Attorney General	<input type="checkbox"/> CRAWFORD C. MARTIN	<input type="checkbox"/> EDWARD M. YTURRI	
Comptroller of Public Accounts	<input type="checkbox"/> ROBERT S. CALVERT	<input type="checkbox"/> S. L. ABBOTT	
State Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> JESSE JAMES	<input type="checkbox"/> ROBERT F. KOENNECKE	
Commissioner of General Land Office	<input type="checkbox"/> BOB ARMSTRONG	<input type="checkbox"/> HARRY TRIPPET	
Commissioner of Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN C. WHITE	<input type="checkbox"/> DANIEL C. HEATH	
Railroad Commissioner	<input type="checkbox"/> BEN RAMSEY		
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1	<input type="checkbox"/> JACK POPE		
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2	<input type="checkbox"/> RUEL C. WALKER		
Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3	<input type="checkbox"/> JAMES DENTON		
Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals	<input type="checkbox"/> JOHN F. (Jack) ONION, JR.		
Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals	<input type="checkbox"/> TRUMAN ROBERTS		
State Senator, District 24	<input type="checkbox"/> DAVID RATLIFF		
State Representative, District 66	<input type="checkbox"/> GEORGE BAKER		
Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, District 3	<input type="checkbox"/> BOB SHANNON		
County Judge	<input type="checkbox"/> W. W. THETFORD		
County and District Clerk	<input type="checkbox"/> MRS. WINNIE WALDROP		
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County Commissioner, Precinct 2	<input type="checkbox"/> JESSE M. PARKER		
County Commissioner, Precinct 4	<input type="checkbox"/> JACK CORLEY		
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1	<input type="checkbox"/> ROY P. ROSS		
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2	<input type="checkbox"/> CECIL W. KEMP		
Constable, Precinct 2 (Unexpired Term)	<input type="checkbox"/> SAM SISSOM		

### PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Instruction Note: Place an X in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment relating to the removal, retirement, or censure of Justices, Judges, and Justices of the Peace under prescribed circumstances.

1.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      Repeal of the prohibition against open saloons found in Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

2.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to provide by law for the establishment of a uniform method of assessment of ranch, farm and forest lands, which shall be based upon the capability of such lands to support the raising of livestock and/or to produce farm and forest crops.

3.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment reconstituting the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission.

4.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment authorizing any county, on the vote of a majority of its qualified taxpaying electors, to issue road bonds in an amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property in the county.

5.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment increasing the value of the homestead which is exempt from forced sale.

6.  AGAINST
- No.  FOR      The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for consolidating governmental offices and functions and allowing political subdivisions to contract for performance of governmental functions in any county.

7.  AGAINST

# HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Fall Festival Nov. 17

The annual Harvest Festival of Blackwell School will be held Tuesday, Nov. 17, starting at 7 p.m.

Candidates for royalty at the festival include the following:

1st grade, Linda Garvin and Gary Roland; 2nd grade, Mary Jane Tucker and Javier Regino; 3rd grade, Jill McNeil and Blake Holland; 4th grade, Billie Perkins and Mark Clark; 5th grade, Brenda Sissom and Terry Francis; 6th grade, Sharron Lynn and Lynn Pate; 7th grade, Valarie Tankersley and Terry Poehls; 8th grade, Lucille Perkins and Vance Taylor; 9th grade, Debra Pate and Don Boyd; 10th grade, Diane Tucker and Matt Clark; 11th grade, Debra Thompson and Joe Tubbs; 12th grade, Helen Hibbs and Kenneth Crain.

A duke and duchess will be named for grades 1 through 6, a prince and princess from the 7th and 8th grades and the king and queen of the festival will be chosen from grades 9 through 12.

### Honor Roll

Blackwell School officials have released the honor roll for the first six weeks of the 1970-71 school term, as follows:

Grade 12: A—Paula Tucker, B—Cindy Robertson, Helen Hibbs, Randy Cave.

Grade 11: B—Joe Tubbs.

Grade 10: B—Matt Clark.

Grade 9: B—Barbara Saunders, Don Boyd.

Grade 8: B—Rebecca Clark, Becky Hall, Debra Hibbs, Lucille Perkins.

Grade 7: B—Valarie Tankers-

ley, Terry Poehls.

Grade 6: A—Sharron Lynn, B—Charlie Roland, Johnny Hibbs, Patricia Tankersley, Jackie Mitchell, Denise Patterson.

Grade 5: none.

Grade 4: A—Mary Ely, Richard Sneed, B—Billie Perkins, Larry Roland, Mark Clark.

Grade 3: A—Blake Holland, Jill McNeill, B—Susan Hamilton.

Grade 2: A—Sharon Sneed, Marcy Messick, B—Mary Jane Tucker.

Grade 1: A—Linda Garvin, B—Carol Jo Dudley.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Lea Gaston were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knott and Rachel of Midland, and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gaston and children, also of Midland.

Mrs. Altie Walls has as her visitors her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Walls Jr., and their friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin, all of Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wallace and Terry were Saturday visitors of her mother, Mrs. LeRoy Chew, and Mr. Chew.

Mrs. Bill Stone and daughters visited last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ninnie Kinard and her brother and family, the Michael Kinards, all of Abilene.

### WSCS Meets

The Methodist WSCS met Monday afternoon at the church with seven ladies present. President Miss Juanita Rogers presided.

Mrs. Terry Barrett gave the second study of the Psalms for the program.

Present were Mmes. T. A. Carlisle, R. Q. Spence, Bill Perkins, Rogers, Bobby Sanderson, Barrett and L. W. Sweet.

Mrs. Flora Sanderson has been visiting in Clovis, N. M., with her son, Vernon Patterson, and his wife. Other visitors in the Patterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Baldy Patterson of Tucson, Ariz.

Patients in the Bronte Hospital include Miss Mandy Taylor, Mrs. Henry Raney, Mrs. R. V. Copeland, Mrs. Lela Shamblyn and Bob Galloway. Oxford Raney is a patient in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene and John Hipp

is a patient in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Chew and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hargrave and children of Lubbock visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chew.

### WRINKLE FAMILY REUNION HELD AT TENNYSON

The descendants of Cass Tolen Wrinkle met at the Tennyson Community Center Oct. 18 with the following present:

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown and daughter of Hearne; Rev. David L. Brown, Mrs. Flora Brown and Lucille Brown, Richland Springs; Evelyn Mangum and Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wrinkle and children, Muleshoe; Terrell Ott, Earth; Mrs. Leon Hollan and children and Bonnie Clark and children, Abilene; Jimmy Wright, San Angelo; John, Lillie and Carroll Leathers, Odessa.

From Bronte were Mrs. Opal Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. George Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Best, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wrinkle, Mrs. Dean Pope and children, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ensor, Mrs. Altha Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Seitz, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hughes, Mrs. Claude Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wrinkle and children, Elbert Wrinkle and Wilbur Wrinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt Jr. spent the weekend in Waco visiting their daughter, Norma, who is a freshman at Baylor University. It was a big weekend in Waco, as homecoming was observed and the Baylor Bears defeated the Texas Aggies in a football game.

### MRS. STOVER TAYLOR HONORED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Stover Taylor was honored Oct. 19 with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. James Allen.

Decorated cake squares, punch and mints were served with plate favors of decorated booties topped with miniature dolls from a table centered with a stork carrying a baby.

Assisting at the table were

Tam Grigg and Cathy Bryan.

Games were played by the 30 guests attending.

Hostesses were Mmes. James Tidwell, Roland Sowell, Russell Carlton, Pat Bryan, George Brasswell, Guy Strickland, Elmer Champion, James Raughton, Jack Cooley and Allen.

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Operation Sunday, Nov. 1

Mr. and Mrs. Minnick come to Bronte from Houston where they have been serving as managers of an apartment motel. Mrs. Minnick is the former Geneva Clifton and was born and reared in Bronte. She is a sister of Mrs. J. L. Brunson. The family are members of the Church of Christ. They have one son who is a student in the University of Houston.

We will continue to stock a complete line of groceries and sundry needs in order to fill a real need in the Bronte community. We will be open seven days a week from early to late. We promise courteous service at all times and we will try to have in stock the merchandise you need. We invite you to come by and get acquainted. We would like to know all of you and we certainly will appreciate your business.

# Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Minnick

# BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Bomar Horton spent last weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. John Dvoracek at West and attending the State Fair of Texas.

Herman Hoelscher flew to Sacramento, Calif., last Tuesday to be with his wife who is recovering from a broken back suffered in a fall. She was visiting her sister when the accident occurred. Her daughter, Mrs. Bill Fowler reported she is improving and is able to walk a little.

Bobby Fowler of Ranger Junior College was home last weekend with his parents, the Bill Fowlers.

Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Holland were Mr. and Mrs. Cap Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland. The Cap Hollands went from here to Big Spring where he reported for a weekend of duty in the Air Force Reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Davis of Bronte were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Felts of Ft. Worth spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn and picked up his mother, Mrs. Lina Felts, who had been visiting here for two weeks. The Doyle Gleghorns of Miles were Thursday supper guests, also. Mrs. Felts and Mrs. Gleghorn are sisters.

Bill Fowler went to Brownwood Monday to attend the convention of the State Teachers Association. He teaches electronics in Central High, San Angelo.

Visiting Tony Holland Sunday were Debbie Morgan and Lynda Jones of San Angelo.

Sunday visitors of the James and Herbert Hollands were Mr.

and Mrs. Aubrey Cox and Mrs. Eddie Cox, all of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Larry Saunders and Mike of Sterling City spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith.

## Know Your Neighbor Club

Mrs. Herbert Holland was hostess last Thursday to the Know Your Neighbor Club. A Halloween motif was used at the party. Games of 88 were played and a refreshment plate was served to Mes. Bomar Horton, Charlie Brown, Vernie Smith, Cora Busby, Menerva Roach and the hostess. Mrs. Brown will host the November meeting. Afternoon winners were Mes. Busby, Horton and Smith.

## Jolly 8 Club

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hester of Miles hosted the Jolly 8 Club, using a Halloween theme for the party. Mrs. Lucy Wendland and Mrs. Cora Busby were winners in the progressive 42 games. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mes. Vernie Smith, Rob Springer, George Jansa, Herbert Holland and George Coleman; also Mrs. Wendland, Mrs. Busby, Mrs. Jennie Ridley, Mrs. Menerva Roach and Sam Wright. The club will meet with the Hollands Nov. 6.

Visiting the Charlie Browns last week were her sister, Mrs. Dollie Gilbert, and Mrs. Harvey Gilbert of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Denham of Houston visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Edna Harris, at Maverick. They all attended the football game in Lubbock Friday.

Spending the weekend with Mrs. Ethel Morgan were Mrs. Ted Hartis and girls of Fort Stockton.

## 49th Anniversary

Oct. 14 was the 49th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle. They were married Oct. 14, 1921, in Hagan community. They have lived in the Maverick community and have resided at Brookshire about 30 years. They operate a farm and dairy.

The Caudles belong to Tennyson Baptist Church. They have two children, J. W. Caudle of Bronte and Mrs. Florene Oates of San Angelo; three grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Esquirrel received word last Tuesday of the death of his mother in Del Rio. The family, with his sister, Mrs. Frances Valez of San Angelo, left that afternoon for Del Rio. They returned home Monday.

## Newlyweds in Austria

Word from Mr. and Mrs. David Canfil, who are honeymoon-

ing in Europe, said they were in Salzburg, Austria. They did not intend to stop there, but missed their train connections. It was such a beautiful spot they stayed two days. They plan to go on to Vienna, Madrid and points in Portugal, Morocco and North Africa. They have been gone six weeks and haven't said when they are coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Beard of San Angelo were here at their ranch home part of last week.

The community had a nice shower of .3 inch Thursday night.

Rev. H. J. Halford will preach Sunday afternoon at 3 at Brook-

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shire Baptist Church.

Rev. John Early will preach

at Maverick Baptist Church Sunday at 11 a.m.

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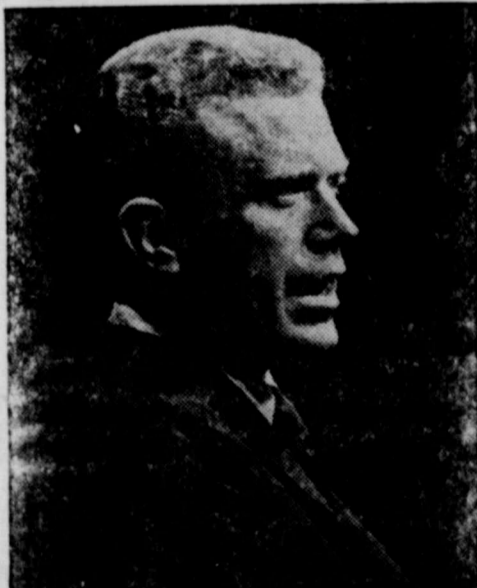
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We want to express our sincere appreciation to all our friends in the Bronte community for their many expressions of sympathy during our recent sadness. The flowers, food, cards and other expressions of your concern will always be remembered.

Merl Richards and Family  
Sisters of Tige Richards

**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to thank all my friends of Bronte and Tennyson for their many expressions of concern while I was in the hospital.

Mrs. Pauline Conger  
44-1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

I am deeply grateful to all my friends in Blackwell and Bronte for their many expressions of sympathy in the loss of my father, Ola E. Patterson, in Slaton, Texas. All the cards, letters, flowers, food, visits and other expressions of your concern meant so much to me. Your love and concern will always be remembered.

Mrs. Rocky (Savannah)  
Thompson

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to thank everyone for the many beautiful cards I received while hospitalized, and I appreciated all the very thoughtful acts of kindness very much.

Mrs. Peggy Glascock

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**MRS. MARTIN SPEAKS  
TO DIVERSITY CLUB**

Mrs. J. W. Martin was speaker at a meeting of the Diversity Club last Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Otis Smith.

Mrs. Martin spoke on "Women in Community Action." She discussed the many facets of her work with the community action program in Coke County. The program is an agency of the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Mrs. Smith led the pledge to the flag and the club collect. President Mrs. Cecil Kemp presided for a brief business session.

A refreshment plate was served to Mmes. James Allen, F. P. Brown, Clifford Clark, D. K. Glenn, J. T. Henry, Kemp, H. M. Kirkland, R. C. Lasswell, Martin, O. R. McQueen, Charles Ragsdale, Leslie Rolls, Collins Sayner, Smith, George Thomas and Joe George Wilkins.

**OIL NEWS**

Eugene A. Roberts Jr. of Dallas has staked a 4,500 foot wildcat 1 3/4 miles northeast of the McCutchen (Cisco) Field and 4 1/2 miles southwest of the Rawlings multipay field north of Bronte. The test is No. 1 Lula Hines.

The wildcat has been spotted 2,640 feet from the south and 467 feet from the west lines of Section 420, Block 1A, H&TC Ry. Survey.

**SHORTHORNS LOSE FIRST  
GAME TO ROSCOE**

The Roscoe Clodhoppers came out on the long end of the 22-16 score when they invaded the local stadium last Thursday for a game with the Shorthorns.

Louis Martinez and Jim Dan Raughton scored for the Bronte lads.

Thursday of this week, the Shorthorns were to play their final home game of the season with the Robert Lee Dogies. Kickoff time was 7:30 p.m.

Final game for the Shorthorns will be in Eden next Thursday, Nov. 5, at 6 p.m.

**HELP YOURSELF  
AND YOUR COUNTRY  
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**Richards Funeral  
Held Last Week**

Funeral services were held last Thursday for Silas B. (Tige) Richards, 70, of Rising Star. Last rites were held in Bronte Church of Christ, with burial in Old Fort Chadbourne Cemetery. Earlier services were held in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Rising Star. Tot McCowan, Abilene minister, conducted the local service.

Mr. Richards died Tuesday of last week in Mims Hospital in Comanche.

He was born Oct. 24, 1899, in the Fort Chadbourne community and lived there most of his life. He was the son of the late Med and Nancy Richards. He was married to Iver Merl Eads in Robert Lee on Sept. 14, 1935.

Survivors include his wife and two sisters, Mrs. T. S. Armstrong of Abilene and Mrs. Oscar Moore of Portales, N. M.

Pallbearers were his nephews, including Harold Armstrong of Abilene, Don Armstrong of San Antonio, Doyle Moore of Portales, N. M., Rogene Moore of Lovington, N. M., Grant Richards and Arnold Stout, both of San Angelo, Dolf Richards of Winters, Sam Richards of Brownwood, Jesse Eads of Robert Lee and Larry White of Rising Star.

**BILL FRANKLIN —  
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was a member of the President's Club and Millionaire's Club for four years. The two clubs are in recognition for sales of over one million dollars.

He is a charter member of the International Mutual Fund Council, an organization of million dollar producers, for four years. The Council has only 137 members over the world. He also is a member of the International Association of Financial Advisors and while with Financial Programs was known as the top producer among over 3,000 of the organization's employees.

**COURT HOUSE WILL BE  
CLOSED ELECTION DAY**

The courthouse will be closed for the general election next Tuesday, Nov. 3.

The Highway Patrolman who gives drivers license tests will not be in the county on that day either.

**Texas Theatre**

Sat. 6:30 — Sun. 1:30  
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Lettuce 19c**

**LB.  
Bananas 12 1/2c**

**DELICIOUS LB.  
Apples 19c**

**TEXAS LB.  
Oranges 15c**

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