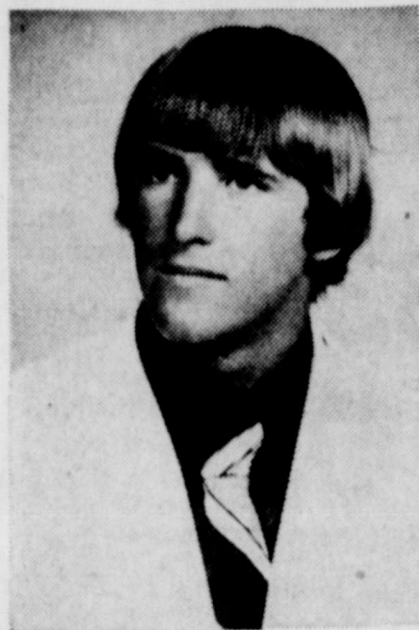


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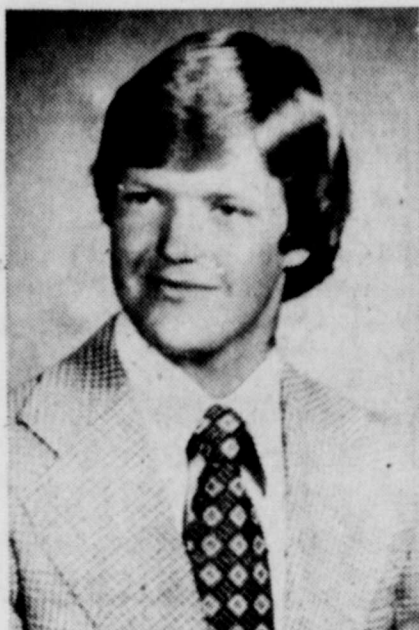
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Wayne Alexander—Valedictorian



Alan Barbee—Salutatorian



Debra Hibbs—High Girl

## Honor Graduates Named

### Two Accidents Occur During Past Weekend

Two automobile accidents over the weekend badly damaged three vehicles and seriously injured one person.

Mrs. Barney Modgling was seriously injured about 7 p.m. last Friday when the 1964 Buick driven by her husband was in a collision with a 1975 Panteca sports car driven by Steve Edwin Merrill of Abilene. The accident occurred at the intersection of Highway 277 and Oliver Street. Mrs. Modgling was thrown from the car in which she was riding when it came to a halt upon hitting a steel pole at the corner of Webb's Chevron Station. Both cars were extensively damaged.

The other accident was a one car rollover which occurred about 3:35 p.m. Sunday five miles south of Bronte on Highway 277. A 1975 Chevrolet Vega driven by Kenneth E. Nash of San Angelo ran off the road and overturned. Passengers in the car were his wife, Jerilyn, and his son James Matthew, about 1 year old. Nash suffered head injuries and his wife sustained back injuries and broken bones. The baby was not hurt. The automobile received "very extensive damage."

Highway Patrolman Bobby Hart investigated both accidents.

### Funeral Held Monday For Albert Bragewitz

Funeral services for Albert Joe Bragewitz, 73, were held at 3 p.m. Monday in the Bronte Church of Christ. Winters Church of Christ minister Paul Wallace conducted the services. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. Bragewitz died at 9:45 p.m. Saturday in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

He was born July 8, 1901, in Williamson County and had lived in Coke County since 1946. He was married to Nellie Irene Manos Sept. 4, 1921, in Evant. He was a retired railroad worker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Artie Sharp of San Angelo; one brother, Charley Bragewitz of Leon Junction; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Cathey and Mrs. Louise Moore, both of Waco; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ray Coalson, C. E. Bruton, James Allen, Courtney King, Stover Taylor and E. L. Champion.

Wayne Alexander is valedictorian of the 1975 Senior Class of Bronte High School, Alan Barbee is salutatorian and Debra Hibbs is high girl. Alexander, whose four year average was 90.450, is the son of Mr.

and Mrs. Eddie Alexander. Barbee, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Barbee, had an average of 89.731. Miss Hibbs, who had an average of 88.902, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hibbs.

These three students will be honored with special awards at the commencement exercises on May 23.

#### BAND BOOSTER MEETING

The Longhorn Band Booster Club will meet Monday at 7 p.m. in the Band Hall. All members are urged to attend.

#### GOLF ASSOCIATION TO MEET

A meeting of the Coke County Golf Association has been called for 7:30 p.m. Friday (today) at the city hall. All members are urged to attend as some important matters are on the agenda.

#### SWINGERS GO ON TOUR

The Swingers, Bronte High School Stage Band, went on a tour Tuesday. The group performed for students at Blackwell, Trent and Jim Ned. They will present a program on KCTV May 13 at 5 p.m.

#### MISS PARKER DIRECTOR IN ANGELO FESTIVAL

Miss Ida Lee Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Parker of Bronte, is one of the directors of the Spring Festival in San Angelo. The production, presented by students of the various elementary schools, will feature songs and dances of the American scene, from about 1920 to the present time.

The program will be presented at 7:30 p.m. on May 5, 6, 8 and 9 at Central High School. The public is invited and there is no admission charge.

## Annual Spring Concert May 6

Bronte School Bands will present their Spring Concert Tuesday, May 6, at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Theme of this year's production is "Festival of Music."

Besides the musical program annual awards will be made, including the John Phillip Sousa Award to the outstanding high school bandsman, the Director's Award to the outstanding junior high band member, and others, said Director Louis Thornton.

### Mile Relay Team Headed for State

The Bronte Longhorn tracksters qualified the mile relay team for the state meet by capturing first place at the regional meet held in Brownwood last Saturday. The team was composed of Paul Cervinka, Alan Barbee, Nelson Coulter and Jim Dan Raughton, and had a time of 3:34.5 to edge out Alvord and Cherokee.

The Horns finished fifth in the final team standings with 30 points. Besides the mile relay team, the only other points scored by the locals came in the 330 yard intermediate hurdles with Barbee finishing third and Raughton fourth. Cherokee captured the team title with 56 points.

This is the first time in several years for the Longhorns to qualify anyone for the big meet in Austin. The meet will be held May 9 and 10.

The program will start with the Fluteophone Band of the fourth grade; next will be the performance by the Fifth Grade Band, followed by the Junior Band. The big Longhorn Band will be next on the program and the finale will be several numbers by the Swingers.

Thornton said everyone is cordially invited to attend the concert. Admission price for adults will be 50 cents and students will be admitted free. The Band Booster Club will operate a concession in the school lunch room.

#### SCOTCH TOURNEY SUNDAY

There will be a Scotch tournament at the local golf course Sunday, starting at 1:30 p.m. All golfers are invited to participate.

## Longhorn Golf Team Takes Regional Title

The Bronte Longhorn golfers captured the Region II title by shooting a two day total of 682, to edge out Mozelle's 690. The tournament was held last Thursday and Friday at the Brownwood Country Club. The win places the Horns in the state meet to be held May 9 and 10 on

the Jimmy Clay Municipal Golf Course in Austin. This marks the second time in three years for the local team to make it all the way to state.

The Longhorns shot a 342 the first day at Brownwood and came back on Friday to fire a 340. Wayne Alexander led the Horns each day, posting a 77 on Thursday and an 81 on Friday. His 158 total placed him in second place for individual medalist behind Cole Word of Meridian who had a two day total of 154.

Other members of the team and their scores were: Jim Dan Raughton, 85-86-171; Wayne Coalson, 90-85-175; Bobby Bailey, 90-88-178; Nelson Coulter, 93-92-185. The low four scores count as the team total.

Alexander, Raughton and Bailey are seniors, while Coulter is a junior and Coalson a sophomore.

#### No. 2 Team 7th

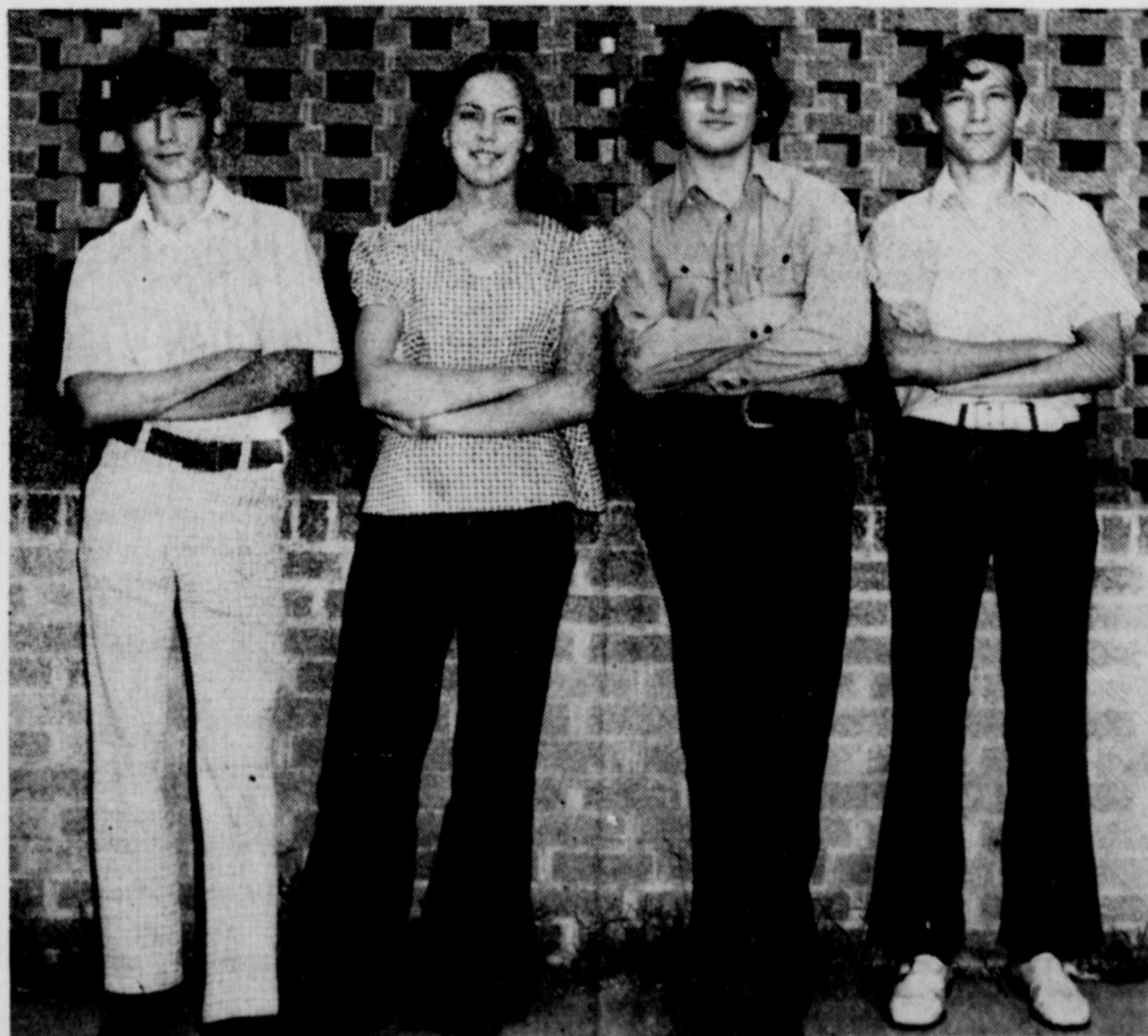
The No. 2 Longhorn team also fared quite well at the regional meet, finishing in a tie for seventh place with a total of 767. Randy Parker paced this group with an 88-84-172. Mike Gonzales had 93-88-181; Randy Leigh, 100-102-202; Johnny Hibbs, 105-107-212. Parker, Gonzales and Leigh are freshmen and Hibbs is a sophomore.

### Cheerleaders and Band Leaders Named

Cheerleaders, twirlers and the drum major have been elected at BHS.

Leading the Longhorn Band will be Kim Caperton who will serve again as drum major. Twirlers will be Leah Barbee, Tonya Teschendorf and Denise McClure.

Elected Wednesday as cheerleaders were Karen Arrott, Sherrie Coalson, Donna Glenn, Janie Raughton and Marla Thompson.



AT STATE MEET — These four students left Thursday for Austin where they will compete in the State UIL Literary Meet. The Bronte literary team took first

place honors in the Region II competition and qualified four entrants to go on to state in seven events. They are, from left, Bob-

ber Sense and Science; Janie Raughton, Typewriting and Spelling; John Heaner, Science and Ready Writing; and Billy Hamilton Number Sense.



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**JUNIOR 4-H CLUB TEAM TAKE FIRST IN DISTRICT**

The Coke County 4-H junior livestock judging team won first place in the District 7 Judging Contest held in San Angelo last week. Dianna Tinkler was fourth high individual in the contest, two points behind the leaders. Carolyn Simpson and Kerry Gartman were 10th and 12th among the 55 persons competing. Lynn Gulley was the fourth member of the team. Fourteen teams competed in the junior division. Coke County scored 1223 points with Coleman and Gillespie Counties scoring 1207 for a second place tie.

The senior judging team was not so fortunate, placing seventh in the contest. Team members were Vicki Gartman, Marvin Simpson, Lesa Lindsey and Denise McClure.

Other club members participating were Kyle Lee, Kyle James, Edwin Wilson, Bud Johnson, Bill Grant Jr. and Clay Bloodworth.

**TWO BRONTE STUDENTS INDUCTED INTO ALPHA CHI**

Rhea Nell King and Larry C. Weaver of Bronte are two of the 70 students at Angelo State University inducted recently into Alpha Chi, the national honor society for juniors and seniors.

The initiation was presided over by Ms. Joanne Gass, president, and the induction was performed by the faculty Advisory committee of Delbert Tarter, Dr. Perry Gragg and Dr. Gordon Creel. Prentiss C. Windsor, associate professor of English, retired, at ASU, and a former member of the Alpha Chi Advisory Committee, addressed the group.

The students inducted into Alpha Chi have maintained a grade point average of 3.50 and higher and have attended ASU for at least three semesters.

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**BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS**

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. John Early will preach Sunday morning at the Maverick Church.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dyess and boys of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown and children.

Ranchers of the community have been busy vaccinating cattle the past week. Some cattle have been lost because of a disease the veterinarian called a new kind of blackleg.

Mrs. James Holland visited Mrs. Earl Lawhon in Miles Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Holland visited last Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers in Bronte. Mrs. Holland is in Big Spring this week with her mother, Mrs. Dee Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown were hosts to the domino party last Tuesday night. After the games, refreshments were served to Messrs and Mmes. Bomar Horton, Herbert Holland, Vernie Smith and Brown. The club will meet May 6 with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burk spent Friday night with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wojtek of Abilene.

Herbert and Mary Holland visited Homer Clark Thursday at Bronte Nursing Home and he went on with them to the John Petty Ranch near Silver where they have some cattle.

Mrs. Grace Lee had a birthday Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Morgan returned last Wednesday from a visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Herrin and girls, of Fort Stockton. Her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Hambright of Ballinger visited her Saturday and they attended a bridal shower in San Angelo.

Randell Underwood of Winters spent the weekend with Billy Ren Lee.

Gene White spent the weekend in Ranger with his parents.

Chester Derrick and son Carl spent most of the past week here at the Derrick Ranch. They were busy shearing sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Tennyson visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith Friday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Smith and children, Mrs. Ella Smith and Miss Julie Johnson, all of San Angelo. Their grandson, Mike Saunders, of Bronte spent Saturday with them. His mother, Mrs. Larry Saunders, came for him. Last Sunday the Smiths were in Junction visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sissell and Mrs. Bell Smith.

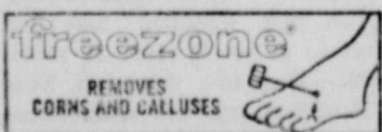
Mrs. Bomar Horton killed a rattlesnake in their feed lot last week. She saw a big one in their pasture but it got away.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were Mrs. Florence Roberts and Shannon Roberts of Tennyson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Tennyson, Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown and Debbie, Mrs. Myrtle Hambright of Ballinger and Mrs. Ethel Morgan.

Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn visited her son, Doyle Gleghorn, Friday night.

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**BRONTE HD CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. TRUMAN PARKER**

The Bronte Home Demonstration Club met April 18 in the home of Mrs. Truman Parker, with eight members present.

Mrs. Parker served refreshments to her guests and they made plans for club activities during the coming year.

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By Mrs. Rocky Thompson

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President Mrs. Cecil Smith presided and during a business session Mrs. Jennings Lewis was elected vice president and Mrs. Bruce Buchholz was presented a gift for her work when she was president

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of the group.

Mrs. Lee Alderman gave the program entitled "The Health for the Whole Person." She was assisted by Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Elna Sweet.

Refreshments were served to the members named above and Mmes. Austin Jordan, John McRorey, Savannah Thompson, Abe Lanier and R. Q. Spence.

Next meeting will be May 11 with Mrs. Alderman.

Therell Burwick is still a patient in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo and is reported to be improving.

Sixteen children were present for the After School Bible Study Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Ben Noble served refreshments and Mrs. Billy Burl Holland and Mrs. Jerry Ware served as teachers.

Visiting Mrs. Lea Gaston during the weekend were Cliff Gaston of Sterling City, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Durham and children of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gaston and children of Midland, Mrs. Beulah Chapman of Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson of Sweetwater, Jerry Watts of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Brewer of Ovalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Snow of Carlsbad, N. M., visited over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Snow.

Mrs. Gladys Copeland is a patient in the Bronte Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Pratt of Lubbock visited friends in Blackwell Saturday through Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dabney Harris of Sweetwater visited her sister, Mrs. Lula Palmer, last Sunday. Mrs. Palmer is home from the Bronte Hospital and reported improved.

Roy Sanderson and Charlie Cave are patients in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mrs. Vivian Taylor is still a patient in the Bronte Hospital.

A prayer retreat and salad luncheon was held April 24 at Camp Booth Oaks at Sweetwater. The 11 persons from Blackwell attending included the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Ely and Mmes. Everett Finley, Richard Banks, Gordon Montgomery, Olin Corley, Ben Nobles, Billy Burl Holland, Linda Francis, Thelma Smith, and Bama Slinger. The guest speaker was Mrs. Billy Frazer, a missionary from Brazil. The gathering replaced the regular meeting of the WMU of the the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chew re-

turned home Friday night from Stephenville where they attended funeral services for his mother, Mrs. Sarah Chew, 90. The services were held Friday afternoon with burial in the Hico Cemetery. All their children and their families returned home with them for the weekend, including the Bill Belfields of Amarillo, Frank Hargroves and George Chews of Albuquerque, N. M., the Johnny Chews of Dallas, and the Elvin Chews and Mrs. Ansel Shoup and children of Abilene. This was the first time Mr. and Mrs. Chew had had all their children and grandchildren home at the same time in several years.

Mrs. Lea Gaston's visitor Tuesday afternoon was her grandson, Kelton Gaston of Odessa.

### MRS. R. Q. SPENCE HOSTS EUTERPEAN CLUB MEETING

The Euterpean Club of Blackwell met April 17 in the home of Mrs. R. Q. Spence.

Club President Mrs. Terry Barrett named the following committees for the ensuing year:

Program: Josie Hipp, Rhoda McCarley, Marie Romine and Idella Carter; Constitution and By-Laws: Essie Smith and Opal Jordan; Social Service: Gracie Spence and Gladys Copeland; Notification: Mary Louise Alderman and Georgia Lewis; Hospitality: Bertha Smith; Awards: Elna Sweet.

Mrs. Jennings Lewis gave the program on Prayer.

Refreshments were served to two guests, Mrs. Mildred McRorey and Mrs. Maxine Bruce of Pecos, an aunt of Mrs. Barrett. Members present were Mmes. Cecil Smith, Lewis, McCarley, Barrett, Bobby Sanderson, Carter, Jordan and Spence and Miss Bertha Smith.

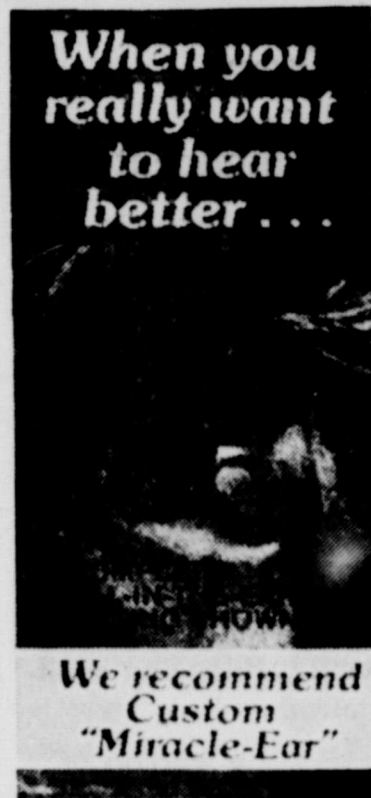
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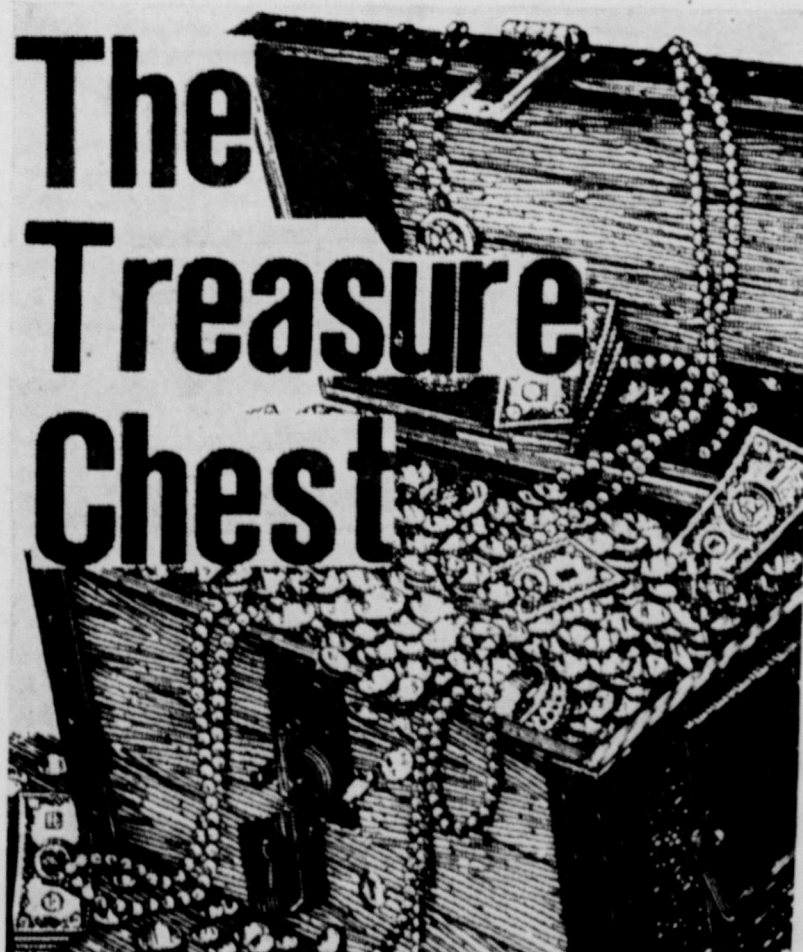
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Little League Squad  
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Bruce James, Kendall Gibbs, Cody McClure, Bud Johnson, Lance Ball, Darryl Jackson, Joey Luckett, Jana Ragsdale, David Caudle, Dennis Koenig, Darrel Sowell, Tim Coulter, Bobby Zuniga, Trey Weathers, and Bill Carper.

Bill Grant is coach of the team and Bill Jackson is manager.

The Bronte Baseball Boosters Club supports three teams in Bronte: Senior Little League, Little League and PeeWee League. The club effort requires money and anyone who has not been contacted and would like to make a donation can contact Jackson, Grant, Grady Coulter, Roy Ball or Mike Hale.

A club spokesman said all donations will be spent for baseball equipment for the teams and everyone's help will be appreciated.

Stephen Patterson Weds  
Miss Carrie Anne Dickey

Miss Carrie Anne Dickey and Stephen Neil Patterson were united in marriage April 26 in a ceremony performed in the Carlisle Baptist Church at Price Tex. The Rev. Singletary performed the wedding rites.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dickey of Troup and the Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Patterson of Bronte.

Wedding music was provided by Miss Becky Huddler, organist, and Dwight Huddler, soloist.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, J. L. Dickey.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Frances Woodall of Price, and bridesmaids were Becky Black of Pottsboro, Jan O'Stean of Creola, Ala., and Bobbi Dickey of Troup. Flower girls were Susan Dickey and Rachel Black, while Phillip Patterson served his brother as ring bearer. Candlelighters were Shannon McKissack of Kilgore and Roy Allan Smith of Athens.

Dale Paterson of Bronte was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Tony Black of Pottsboro, Mike O'Stean of Creola, Ala., and Dickie Woodall of Henderson. Ushers were Stanley Brown and Tony Blundell of Tyler.

The couple will reside in Tyler.

MRS. SIMS HOSTS J.O.Y. CLASS

Members of the J.O.Y. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met April 22 in the T. F. Sims Jr. home.

During the business session it was decided to make the classroom more attractive. Mrs. Truman Parker accompanied the group in a song service.

A luncheon plate was served to Mmes. Aubrey Denman, Fred Hughes, T. O. Spiller, Francis Seltz, Truman Parker, Dan Smith, Wornock Hipp, Bob Butner, Buford McShan, Jesse Parker, C. R. Smith, Garland Black, M. J. Dixon and T. F. Sims Jr., and Miss Ella Clyde Black. Miss Judy Black was a guest.

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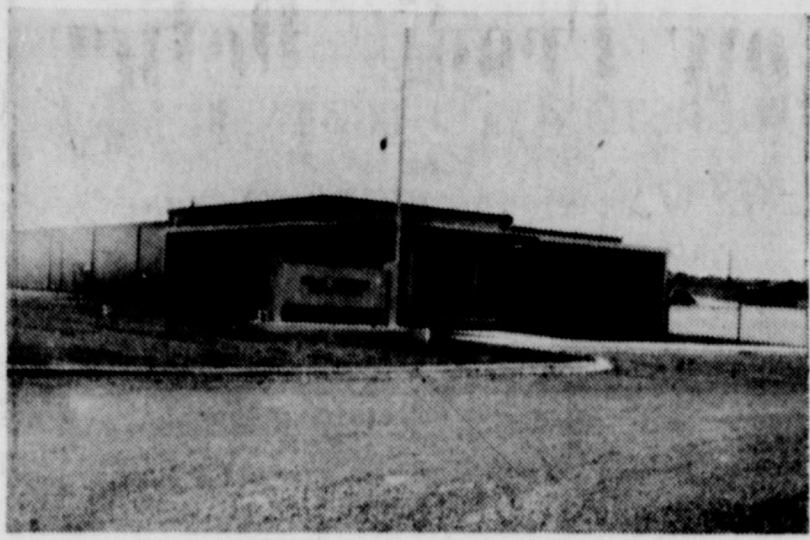


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The Texas Highway Department has invited the general public to an Open House at the recently completed Coke County Maintenance Section Office and Warehouse Friday from 2 to 5 p.m. The new facility is located on State Highway 158 east of Robert Lee.

Maintenance Foreman John E. Stephens will have personnel available to show the public facilities and equipment and explain the operations of the maintenance section.

Highway Department officials said this Open House will afford an opportunity for the residents of Coke

County and Highway Department personnel to become better acquainted.

The new structure has 9,000 square feet under roof and is concrete masonry construction. It has a built up gravel roof. Contract price of the building was \$168,600.

Included in the facility are a reception room, maintenance foreman's office, meeting and training room, employee lockers and rest rooms, records storage, shop area, wash rack, equipment storage area, and material storage area.

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**Super Stars Winners In Basketball Games**

The Sesame Street Super Stars won the basketball tournament held this week at Bronte School, the third division of an intramural sports program for elementary school girls. The first two tournaments were in dodge ball and newcomb.

In the first round played Tuesday SSSS downed the Alpha team 13-8, and the Kiddle Kadets beat the Bluebonnets 14-8. Scoring for the Super Stars were Virginia Basquez with 9; Caroline Taylor 2; Denise Hite 2. Sujane Parker made all 8 points for the Alphas.

Leslie Nixon hit 10 for the Kiddle Kadets and Jan Frazee had 4. Connie Bryan made all of the Bluebonnets' 8 points.

In the playoffs Wednesday the Super Stars took first place by defeating the Kadets 10-8. Scoring for the winners were Basquez with 8 and Hite with 2. Frazee and Nixon each made 4 for the Kadets.

In the other game the Bluebonnets downed the Alphas 23-20 to win third. Bluebonnet scorers were Bryan with 19 and Lesa Dyess with 4. Parker hit 16 for the Alphas and Pam Singleton hit 4.

The fourth division of the intramural games will be a track meet and possibly will be held next Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the new track.

Ribbons have been given to individuals and trophies will be presented to each high point student of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th grades.

A wiener roast at the Bronte County Park is planned following the track meet.

The intramural program is under the direction of Coach Zula Sweeten. High school girls are assisting with the coaching.

**Bands Participate In Junior Festival**

The Junior Band of the sixth and seventh grades and the Fifth Grade Band participated in the Junior Band Festival last Saturday at Monday.

The Junior Band received a Division II rating in both concert and sightreading, while the fifth graders received a Division II in concert and Division III in sightreading.

**Junior Band Ratings**

The following students were rated as indicated for their performances in solo and ensemble:

Marty Dunn: flute I, Piano II; Twirling I; Connie Littlefield: flute II; Emily Bettis: alto sax II; Melinda Barrett: alto sax II, piano I, twirling I; Ollie McCarty: alto sax I; Tavia Teschendorf, twirling I; Kathy Ensor: twirling I; Tanya Lee: twirling I; Brian Champion: cornet I; Trey Weathers: cornet II; Jay Schoenfield: snare drum II; Stacy Bettis: snare drum I; Jana Ragsdale: cornet II.

Ensembles—Barbara Dyess and Patricia Angel, clarinet duet II; Miles Brown, Lindy Butler and Brian Champion, cornet trio II; Tanya Lee, cornet, Lisa Lee, alto sax duet II; Lance McCarty and Mark Ball, snare drum duet II.

**Fifth Grade Honors**

Solos—Valarie Nixon: Clarinet II; Leslie Nixon: clarinet II; Camille Badgett: clarinet I; Bruce Vaughn: alto clarinet I; David Caudle: cornet II; Connie Bryan: piano II; John Halamiczek: alto sax I, piano II.

Ensembles—Camille Badgett, clarinet, Jo Ella Forehand, alto sax, Sheila Lee, flute, trio, I; Connie Bryan and Sujane Parker, cornet duet, II; David Caudle and Tom Ensor, cornet duet, III; Wayne Sprengle and Larry Aguero, cornet duet, II; Jan Frazee and Denise Hite, twirling duet, I.

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PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER TITLE 12, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 161.

**ASSETS**

Cash and due from banks (including \$1655.59 unposted debits)	\$ 884,915.96
U.S. Treasury securities	292,015.63
Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	1,363,594.48
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	502,808.96
Other securities (including \$6,000.00 corporate stock)	6,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	675,000.00
Loans	2,341,454.25
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	32,706.84
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$6,098,496.12</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,637,256.99
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,286,218.59
Deposits of United States Government	3,871.99
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	489,513.27
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	97.50
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$5,416,963.34</b>
Total demand deposits	\$2,904,106.42
Total time and savings deposits	\$2,512,856.92
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$5,416,963.34</b>

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Equity capital-total	\$ 681,532.78
Common Stock-total par value	50,000.00
No. shares authorized 500.	
No. shares outstanding 500.	
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	481,532.78
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 681,532.78</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$6,098,496.12</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$5,342,840.57
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	2,350,409.85
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	46,602.83

I, Kay Daulong, Asst. Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kay Daulong, Asst. Cashier

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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## 15 Persons Employed By County Section

The Coke County Maintenance Section is the newest of the nine sections within the 13 counties comprising District 7 of the Texas Highway Department. District headquarters are in San Angelo.

The Coke County unit employs 14 men, which represents a sizeable payroll for the county.

James R. "Bobby" Evans, who is from Bronte, is District 7 Maintenance Engineer. He said the Coke County Section was created Sept. 1, 1974, to more efficiently and effectively serve Coke County and relieve the heavy work load and long distances required to serve this area from Runnels, Sterling and Tom Green offices. Evans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans who reside east of Bronte.

Foreman of the Coke County Section is John E. Stephens who had

over 15 years experience with the department in Eden before being promoted to his current position last September.

John P. McClure Jr. is assistant foreman.

Under the supervision of Stephens is a secretary and 13 maintenance technicians to care for the 203 miles of highways and seven roadside parks within the Coke County area.

The objective of the maintenance section, according to Evans, is "to provide a smooth ride on highway surfaces and to keep pavements in a good state of repair; to provide signing, delineation, pavement markings and traffic control devices to adequately inform and guide traffic for both day and night driving; to mow right of way for safety and appearance consistent with state mowing policies; to protect the capital investment of bridges by adequate repairs; and to remove roadside hazards and overlay low skid surfaces to reduce the accident potential on the state highway system."

A life long resident of Concho County, John Stephens has met the challenge of his move to Coke County, according to his supervisors, and in the last eight months has become a part of the area.

Texas Highway Department personnel serving under Stephens include:

Peggy W. Jackson, secretary, and the following maintenance technicians:

Gilbert G. Basquez, MT III (crew chief)

Gary D. Bilbrey, MT II

Richard W. Bryan, MT I

Jesse Eads III, MT I

Ynes Lara, MT I

Audrell M. Littlefield, MT II

Othol K. Long, MT I

John P. McClure Jr., MT III (assistant foreman)

Robert H. Reyes, MT II

Michael D. Ross, MT I

Rex D. Saunders, MT I

Roland R. Sowell, MT II

Bobby L. Wornack, MT I

Each maintenance section works directly under the district maintenance engineer. The district shops and warehouse provide equipment repair and equipment and material purchases for the various sections.

The Austin office of the Texas Highway Department has several divisions which support the districts, such as personnel, insurance and maintenance operations, with general policy and guidelines.

## MIKE EZZELL TO HEAD CHILD CARE COMMITTEE

The Texas House of Representatives Health and Welfare Committee has named Rep. Mike Ezzell to chair a subcommittee on child care facilities.

Before consolidating or eliminating any proposals, the group will study the eight bills currently pending in full committee. The measures seek to define, license, accredit and register child care facilities and child placement agencies under the Department of Public Welfare.

Other members on the subcommittee are Carlos Truan of Corpus Christi, Connie Vaughan of Garland, Buck Florence of Hughes Springs and Tim Von Dohlen of Goliad.

## Little League 1975 Schedule Announced

Little League baseball play will get underway Friday (today with two games. Only five teams have been organized this year, so only two games will be played on Tuesdays and Fridays during the season. The Robert Lee Cardinal team will not be fielded this year and teams originally scheduled to play them will have a bye for the day.

Teams this year are the Bronte Yankees, Robert Lee Indians, Carlsbad Mets, Sterling City Giants and Sterling City Astros.

The schedule follows with the team listed first denoting home team:

May 2: Indians vs. Astros; Mets vs. Yankees.

May 6: Indians vs. Giants; Astros vs. Yankees.

May 9: Giants vs. Mets; Yankees vs. Indians.

May 13: Yankees vs. Giants; Astros vs. Mets.

May 16: Giants vs. Astros; Mets vs. Indians.

May 20: Astros vs. Indians; Yankees vs. Mets.

May 23: Giants vs. Indians; Yankees vs. Astros.

May 27: Mets vs. Giants; Indians vs. Yankees.

May 30: Giants vs. Yankees; Mets vs. Astros.

June 3: Astros vs. Giants, Indians vs. Mets.

June 10: Indians vs. Astros; Mets vs. Yankees.

June 13: Indians vs. Giants; Astros vs. Yankees.

June 17: Giants vs. Mets; Yankees vs. Indians.

June 20: Yankees vs. Giants; Astros vs. Mets.

June 24: Giants vs. Astros; Mets vs. Indians.

All games will start at 8 p.m. and play will continue until the game is over. There will be no time limit.

Gary Sam Williams is president of the Colorado River Little League; Allan Rowold is vice president; and Mrs. Winnie Waldrop is secretary-treasurer.

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