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## 1964 Longhorns Will Start Workouts Monday at 6 A.M.

Workouts for the 1964 Bronte Longhorns will start Monday, according to Coach Cecil Toliver. The getting-in-shape sessions will be held twice daily at 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. All boys of the school district who expect to play with this year's Longhorn squad are expected to be present for the first meeting Monday morning, Toliver said.

## Last Rites Held For Mrs. Richards, Pioneer Woman



MRS. TAD. RICHARDS

Last rites for Mrs. Tad Richards, 81, were held Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Bronte. Mrs. Richards died at 4 p.m. Saturday.

The Rev. Lester Vinson, former First Baptist pastor here, and the Rev. Murrell Johns, present pastor, were in charge of the service. Burial was in old Fort Chadbourne Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Richards was born July 18, 1883, in Taylor County. She and Mr. Richards, who died Dec. 2, 1961, were married Aug. 16, 1901 in Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards were prominent in the ranching business here for many years after moving to their home just across the line in Rannels County, in the Oak Creek community, in 1922.

For many years they hosted the annual March of Dimes dance for this area. Many thousands of dollars were collected for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis through the parties sponsored in their big barn. The Richards were presented a plaque stating the appreciation of Coke County Chapter of the National Foundation for their efforts on its behalf.

The Richards barn was also the site for Mr. Richards' annual birthday party for many years. Hundreds of people attended this annual affair, to eat barbecue and visit with the many old timers who were always present.

The family lived for short periods in New Mexico, at Divide and Blackwell before moving to their home in Oak Creek community.

Mrs. Richards is survived by one son, Ralph Richards of Bronte; two daughters, Mrs. Shalor Copeland of Strawn and Mrs. Claude Roland of San Angelo; a sister, Mrs. Dovie Williams of Arenas Valley, N. M.; 10 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Guy Strickland, R. C. Simpson, J. L. Brunson, E. D. Black, Bill McKown and Charles Sims.

The coach said the first week of workouts will be in shorts, rather than in full football gear. All boys should bring a T-shirt, shorts and football shoes to the first session.

Toliver said that boys who come out for football must have a physical examination before they will be eligible to participate in the workouts. Boys who go to Bronte Hospital for examinations need not carry blanks with them. However, any of the players who wish to secure physicals at other places should contact the coach and secure one of the blanks which must be filled out and signed by the examining physician.

An athletic supply salesman will be at Bronte school today (Thursday) at 4:30 p.m. and Coach Toliver said boys who need new football shoes should be on hand at that time to place their orders.

The Longhorns have some tough competition ahead of them for the 1964 season. Both conference and non-conference schedules have been changed from last year. Non-conference teams not played last year include Eden, Jim Ned and Santa Anna, while Jayton is a new member of the conference.

Schedule for the coming season is as follows:

- Sept. 11: Ozona, here.
- Sept. 18: Eden, there
- Sept. 25: Jim Ned, there.
- Oct. 2: Santa Anna, here.
- Oct. 9: Bangs, here.
- Oct. 16: Open.
- \*Oct. 23: Hermleigh, there.
- \*Oct. 30: Loraine, here.
- \*Nov. 6: Jayton, there.
- \*Nov. 13: Trent, here.
- \*Nov. 20: Robert Lee, there.
- \*—Conference games.

Non-conference games will begin at 8 p.m., and conference games, which start Oct. 23, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

## Blackwell School To Open Fall Term Monday, Aug. 24

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Blackwell School will open for the 1964-65 school year at 8:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 24.

The faculty is now complete. New faculty members include Mrs. LaRue Broussard, who will teach language arts and music in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades and possibly a Spanish course in high school; George French will teach secondary math; and Mrs. Nancy Hodges will teach commercial courses.

Other faculty members are: Mrs. Bernice Corley, 1st grade; Mrs. Nola Shedd, 2nd; Mrs. R. E. Johnson, 3rd; Mrs. Gladys Sims, science and math in 4th; 5th and 6th; Mrs. Ernestine Harris, social studies.

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## Final Plans Being Made for 75th Anniversary Celebration

It was announced this week that John Ben Sheppard of Odessa has accepted an invitation from the city council to be present and appear on the program at Bronte's Labor Day celebration of Coke County's 75th anniversary. Sheppard, former attorney general and

## Jaycees Announce Two Contest for Anniversary Party

Bronte Jaycees announced this week that they will sponsor two contests in connection with the celebration of Coke County's Diamond anniversary.

A queen mother for the area will be selected and honored at the program and celebration on Labor Day. It is expected that an elderly lady who has lived in this area a long time and who has made a definite contribution to the area will be selected for this honor.

The queen mother for the occasion will be selected by judges from letters to be written by anyone who wishes to recommend a candidate for the honor. John Boyles is chairman of the committee.

A few rules have been set up to govern the contest as follows:

1. Must have lived in Coke County for at least 20 years. This does not necessarily mean she must be living here now.
2. Candidate must be available to attend the celebration.
3. Person making nomination must be responsible for seeing that winner is present for celebration.
4. All nominations must be in the form of a letter addressed to Bronte Jaycee Chapter, Bronte, Texas.
5. Deadline for nominations will be Aug. 29, 1964.
6. Persons submitting nomination should set forth in letter any reason why his nominee should be selected for queen mother.
7. Candidates do not necessarily have to be a mother.

In keeping with the celebration of Coke County's Diamond Anniversary, the Jaycees seek to honor some older woman who has contributed significantly to the betterment of the community and area.

### Beauty Contest, Too

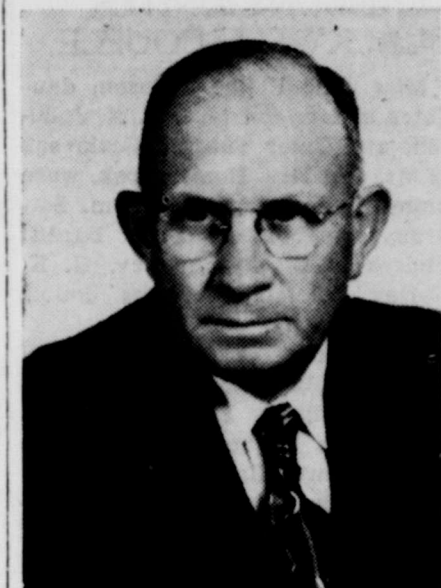
The Jaycees will also sponsor a beauty contest in which Miss Bronte will be selected for special honors at the Labor Day celebration.

The Miss Bronte contest will be held the Saturday night before Labor Day (Sept. 5) in the school auditorium. Three finalists will

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participate in the Diamond Jubilee celebration. They will sponsor a beauty contest and a queen mother contest. Young ladies of the area will be eligible to participate in the competition in the first event, while older women will be eligible to take part in the second. Details of the Jaycee plans are being announced in another story in this week's Enterprise.

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A. J. KIRKPATRICK

## RL Rites Held for A. J. Kirkpatrick, Former Publisher

Funeral services for A. J. Kirkpatrick, 71, former editor and publisher of the Robert Lee Observer, were held Monday at First Methodist Church in Robert Lee. In charge of the final rites were the Rev. Dempsey Salter, Robert Lee Methodist pastor, and the Rev. Bill Beaty, pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Burial followed in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens of San Angelo. Masonic graveside rites were conducted by Hayrick Lodge. Williams Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Kirkpatrick died at 11:50 Friday in West Coke County Hospital. He wasn't feeling well earlier in the morning and decided to check in the hospital. He and his wife arrived at the desk and were talking with nurses when the fatal attack struck him. He had been in ill health with a heart condition for several years but remained active.

Adrian John Kirkpatrick was March 30, 1893, in Pawnee City, Neb. He was married to Gail Marie Owen June 17, 1920, in Allison, Iowa. She died Sept. 25, 1953. He was married to Mrs. Violet Eaton Oct. 28, 1955 in Robert Lee.

Mr. Kirkpatrick was a long time newspaperman in Iowa and Nebraska before he came to Robert Lee in 1946. At that time he bought

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It is expected that other organizations may decide between now and Labor Day to sponsor events in the annual celebration. Coke County Golf Association officials have been discussing the possibilities of holding a tournament on the weekend of the celebration.

Aubrey Denman is in charge of providing food for the big crowd which is expected for the celebration. The usual menu of barbecue, beans, green salads, bread, onion, pickles, iced tea and coffee will be followed, according to Denman. He said that donations to foot the bill on food will be appreciated, and may be left or mailed to him or to The Bronte Enterprise. Denman added that 600 pounds of meat will be cooked in anticipation of the big hungry crowd which is expected.

Denman also said that a lot of help will be needed in preparing the food, particularly about 5 p.m., at which time the meat will be ready to slice and salad ready to mix. Women of the community are requested to bring cakes, pies and other desserts. All other food will be furnished.

The Labor Day celebration in Bronte has grown each year since it was started, and it was decided this year to combine it with observance of Coke County's 75th birthday.

## Ida Lee Parker Wins Dress Revue Two Years in Row

For the second year in a row Ida Lee Parker of Bronte has won the honor of representing District 7 in the State Dress Revue which will be held in October in Dallas.

Coke County 4-H members brought home two blue ribbons from the District Seven Dress Revue held last Thursday in San Angelo.

Miss Parker, daughter of the Truman Parkers, who live north of Bronte, won the honor of representing Coke County and District 7 in the State Revue. Ida Lee modeled a cranberry wool shift and coat she made during the 4-H Clothing Workshop in June. She was first alternate in District 7 in 1962, a blue ribbon winner in 1963 and participated at the State level in 1963.

Elaine Fikes, Robert Lee 4-Her, modeled a pink skirt, with a pink and white checked blouse and shorts. She was also a blue ribbon winner. Elaine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fikes. She has been active in Foods and Clothing and was a red ribbon winner in 1962 in District Favorite Foods.

Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith of Robert Lee, adult leader, was awarded a pair of shears by West Texas Utilities Company in recognition of her work as an adult leader.

The District Dress Revue, an annual affair, was sponsored by

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## Jan Wilkins Coke FB Queen

Jan Wilkins of Bronte was selected as Coke County Farm Bureau Queen at a contest held Monday night in Bronte School Auditorium. Jan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe George Wilkins. She will represent Coke County at the district contest which will be held in Big Spring.

Peggy Boykin, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Boykin of Robert Lee, was named junior queen of the county Intermediate queen selected was Kay Roberts,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Artell Roberts of Robert Lee.

Joe Collins, public relations representative of General Telephone Co., served as master of ceremonies at the program. Farm Bureau President Ben Boykin presided.

Other entrants in the senior division of the queen's race were Dawn Boykin, Joe Alice Evans and Ida Lee Parker. Dianna Baker was the only other contestant in the intermediate division, while others entered in junior competi-

tion were Mandy Jo Harmon, Rosanne Boykin, Susan Berry and Kay Bery.

Entertainment was provided by Jo Alice Evans, who gave a twirling exhibition; Margie Oglesby, who was accompanied by Ida Lee Parker, with a vocal solo; the Blaylock Gang, who sang a couple of folk songs; and Lee Fry who played the guitar and sang a solo.

Gifts were presented by Farm Bureau to all the contestants and to the entertainers.



## Golf Tournament Starts Tuesday

A handicap golf tournament is tentatively scheduled to get underway at the local course Tuesday, Aug. 18. All members of Coke County Golf Association, except school students are eligible to enter the competition.

Contestants will be allowed to use their handicap in the play. All entrants must have played at least two nine-hole rounds during the last month turned in to Handicap Director George Latimer. These two rounds will be figured into normal handicaps of those participating.

Entrance fee is \$3.00.

Tournament Director John Boyles said he hopes to have at least three flights of 10 contestants in each. Prizes will be awarded to first and second place winners in each flight.

Play will begin Aug. 18, provided entrants have made arrangements and details can be worked out by that time. It will take approximately two weeks to run off the tourney.

Boyles said that contestants should contact him to get their names on the roster. He urged early signing up and said, "Please help make this tournament a huge success. It will be the first of this type ever held here, and we want it to go off without a hitch."

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Olga Whalen spent last weekend in Fort Worth with her son, Joe Blake Whalen, Mrs. Whalen, Linda Kay and Gary. Linda Kay returned home with her grandmother to spend two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Collins, Janie and Elaine moved from Bronte last Friday to Kerens, where they will make their home. He is employed by Lone Star Gas Co. and transferred to the plant there.

Lonnie Grimes of Barksdale was a recent visitor with his brother, Frank Grimes, and Mrs. Grimes, and his sisters, Mmes. John Taylor, Mamie Epperson and Nora Bridges.

Mrs. J. B. Glenn, Janeen and Bryant have returned to their home in Amarillo after spending several days with relatives. Frances Glenn and Tommy Glenn Sims returned with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Belcher, Doug and Becky of Andrews are in Bronte this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton, while Mrs. Caperton is improving in the Sterling City hospital.

## LOCAL NEWS

Friday guests of Mrs. B. F. Bridges were Mrs. Ruby Grimes and Mrs. Ruth Hoffman of Merkel and Mrs. Minnie Wedmeyer of Bobilian.

Mrs. Bill Luckett and Joey returned home Sunday after a two-weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunklin, in Phillips. Bill and Debbie went after them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gathings of Odessa spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Herron.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan and girls, Cindy, Cathy and Connie of Pleasanton visited Mrs. Bryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Luckett and other relatives and friends in Bronte last week.

Mrs. A. L. Rogers spent last Monday in Sweetwater visiting her son.

## CEREMONY UNITES BLACKWELL COUPLE

Miss Jade Elaine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Johnson, and Omer Thaxton Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cook, were united in marriage at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 8, at First Baptist Church in Blackwell. Rev. G. K. Corley officiated for the double ring ceremony.

Miss Connie Craig was maid of honor; Robbie Cook was best man and Mrs. Boyce Eidson of Sweetwater was organist. Jerry Ware and Tommy Hipp were ushers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of white embroidered lace over peau de soi satin. The basque waist had three quarter length sleeves, a scooped neckline, and a back bow of satin with streamers flaring to the hemline of the softly belted floor length skirt. A shoulder length veil of silk illusion floated from a tiara of simulated pearls. The bouquet was of white carnations and roses. She wore the traditional something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue. A penny minted in the year of the brides birth and one minted in the year of the bridegroom's birth was worn in the brides slipper.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Refreshments were served to seventy wedding guests. Misses Sharon Montgomery and Jonila Harris presided at the table and Miss Charlotte McRory registered guests.

The couple will live in Blackwell after a brief wedding trip. He is a graduate of Blackwell high school and is employed by Dugger Herring Drilling Co. of Abilene. The bride is a junior in Blackwell high school.

## VACATION IN MISSOURI

Mrs. O. L. Shurley and Vicki have returned from a week's vacation which took them to Fair Grove, Mo. They were accompanied by Mrs. John Midkiff and three sons of Midkiff. The party went first to Fort Worth, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shurley and children and visited Six Flags over Texas. They went on to Fair Grove, Mo., where they visited another daughter, Mrs. S. B. Wilson and family. They toured Sheppard Hills where they saw a play, visited Silver Dollar City and the Ozark Mountains. They returned home Saturday night.

Tom Adair of San Saba visited last week with his brother, J. I. Adair. Mrs. Vernon Rutherford of ConCan and her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Shelton and Janet of El Paso spent the weekend with the Adairs and Mrs. Mary Rutherford. Other guests in the Adair home Sunday were the Charlie Phillips and Bill Weatherby families of San Angelo.

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## New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Fleming of San Angelo are parents of a son, born July 31, in Shannon Hospital at San Angelo. The new boy weighed nine pounds, 3½ ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Whitt of Bronte and Mrs. Mamie Fleming of Mason. The Fleming family also has two daughters, Delryn Rae and Deborah Gayle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd George Minter of Bartlesville, Okla., were visitors this week in the home of Dr. and Mrs. John R. Harris and family. Minter is chief attorney for Phillips Petroleum Corporation. He and Dr. Harris were graduated together in 1940 from Oklahoma Baptist University.

## WESTERN JAMBOREE SLATED FOR TENNYSON

A jamboree of western and country music is scheduled for this Saturday night at the Tennyson community center. The get-together will start at 8 p.m. No admission charge will be made.

To be sponsored by the Tennyson community association, the jamborees are planned for the third Saturday night of each month. New talent is welcome, said Eddie Garvin, one of the workers for the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Glenn and Donna of Brownwood spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn, Eddie and Gene, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel and Edwyn.

Kenneth Fletcher of Ballinger was a recent visitor with the J. W. Martins. He is awaiting orders to sail for Viet Nam to work for the U. S. Government.



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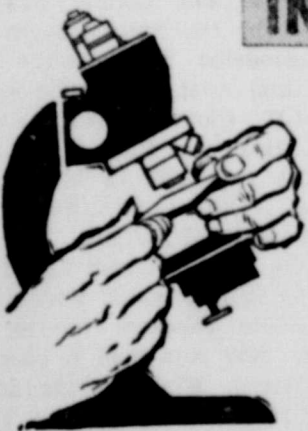
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NEWS FROM TENNYNSON

By Mrs. Barney Griffin

Candy Beth Wagnor, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, is reported slowly improving in Shannon Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Larkin of Jal, New Mexico visited the Williams Sunday.

Cheryl and Ronnie Gibbs of San Angelo spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Howard. George Howard is in San Angelo this week visiting the Presley Gibbs family.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sheffey, Carla and Clifford, and Bill Wooten, all of San Angelo.

Karen, Diana and Susan Arrott spent the week in Christoval visiting their grandparents, the O. T. Weavers.

Lee Fry of Eldorado visited the L. J. Sonnenbergs Saturday. The Sonnenbergs visited Mrs. Hattie Tinkler and Mr. and Mrs. Chilly Tinkler in Robert Lee Sunday. Mrs. Tommy Scott, daughter of the Sonnenbergs left Friday for New Jersey and from there will fly to Frankfurt, Germany to join her husband who is stationed there.

The Roy and Lewis Baker families attended a family reunion at Knickerbocker last weekend.

Monday guests in the B. D. Dunn home were Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Neel of Abilene, Mrs. Cullen Luttrell and Mrs. Elnora Donaldson of Sonora.

Manuel Reyes and James Phillips made a big catch Sunday and Monday mornings at the Phillips lake on his ranch southeast of Bronte. One yellow cat weighed 42 pounds and the other 43 pounds.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George James were Rev. Robert Ritchey, San Angelo, Tom Green and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cornelius.

The barn, corrals and other farm buildings on Warren Ables place were destroyed by fire Sunday. His place is just north of Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson visited Sunday and Monday with the Joel Webb and Glen Williamson families at Nolan.

Mrs. Tom Green and William visited the Emery Walker family in Midland and the Bill McCarty family in Odessa Sunday.

Mrs. George Knockie and children of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gifford of Christoval were Saturday guests in the Bert Cornelius home.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hook were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Griffin and boys, the Bill Hooks and Charles Jones families, all of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feil.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feil visited Sunday in Grapecreek with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wuemling.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huffaker were Mrs. Bob Finley of Austin, Mrs. C. A. Womack of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Velma Womack and Mrs. Permelia Reed of San Angelo.

Tennyson quilting club met last Friday in the community center.

Mrs. Jack Corley was hostess. Present were Mmes. Charlie Brown, J. C. Boatright, Wallace Montgomery, James Arrott, C. T. Arrott, W. H. Thomas, Tom Green, Robert Brown, James Tidwell and children, Judy Thomas and children, Molly Cornelius, Roy Baker; also Mr. and Mrs. Gene Halamicek and son, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker, Cindy, Margie and Cheryl Baker and J. C. Boatright.

This Saturday night, Aug. 15 is community night at the Tennyson school house.

Recent guests of the Barney Griffins have been Mrs. Walter Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin, Ernest Griffin and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gray, all of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Davis and son, Ana and Cherie Livingston, all of Big Lake.

Recent visitor of the James Phillips have been their daughter, Mrs. Joe Renfro, and family of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holland, accompanied by her niece and nephews, Dona Kay, Danie Ray and Mike Cunningham of Coleman returned Friday from a weeks trip to Beaumont. They visited his brother, Raymond Holland, and also went sightseeing around Austin, Galveston and Sabine Pass.

BACK FROM VACATION

Mrs. Vera Thomas, local teacher has spent most of her summer vacation away from home.

She spent the first few weeks in Alpine attending school, then left for a vacation trip on July 4. She first went to Albuquerque, N. M., to visit her sister, Mrs. Alfred Bennet and family. While there they visited Blue Mountain Lake

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where they found good fishing for rainbow trout.

She went on with the T. A. Mitchells to their home in Los Angeles. Points of interest she visited in California included the wax museum of movie stars, Disneyland, Marine Land and the Big Bear Lake and mountains where they

went to Santa Claus Village and "saw the old man himself." She also witnessed a baseball game between the Dodgers and Houston which Houston won.

Mrs. Thomas said she had really enjoyed the summer but most of all seeing her friends on her return to Bronte.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10 proposing an Amendment to Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Subsection to be known as 51a-2; giving the Legislature the power to provide, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for direct or vendor payments for medical care on behalf of individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance and who are unable to pay for needed medical services; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such medical payments; providing that the amounts paid out of state funds shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds for such purposes; providing that certain means relating to the correction or remedying of abnormalities of vision shall be included within such medical care service or assistance; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Subsection to be known as Subsection 51a-2, which shall read as follows:

"Subsection 51a-2. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by General Laws and to make payment for same, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient, for direct or vendor payments for medical care on behalf of needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for

needed medical services. The payments for such medical assistance on behalf of such needy individuals shall be in such amounts as provided by the Legislature; provided, however, that the amounts paid out of state funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds for such purposes; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision.

"The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States, such financial aid in the form of medical assistance on behalf of the needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age or over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services, as such Government may offer not inconsistent with restrictions herein set forth."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1964, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize vendor payments for medical care on behalf of needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age and over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such medical assistance; and pro-

viding that the amounts paid out of state funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize vendor payments for medical care on behalf of needy individuals sixty-five (65) years of age and over who are not recipients of Old Age Assistance, and who are unable to pay for needed medical services; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such medical assistance; and providing that the amounts paid out of state funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount that is matchable out of Federal funds; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and held as required by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Texas.

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## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Congratulations to Jerry Landers for the first bale of cotton in this community. He got a \$25 bonus in Ballinger for bringing in the first bale of cotton in Runnels county. It was ginned at the Brunson gin, having 2300 pounds of seed cotton, and getting a bale weighing 574 pounds.

Mrs. Kate Slaughter returned last week after a week's visit in Austin with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Beard. While there the group visited Mrs. Neal Beard in San Antonio.

Mrs. C. A. Ritter and Mrs. J. H. Rieberg of Miles visited Mrs. Carrie Holland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence of Ballinger have bought some land from the Herbert Hollands and are having a 10-room home built on the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were Sunday dinner guests of the Bert Hesters in Miles. Mr. Hester was dismissed from a San Angelo hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Ted Herring and children of Logan, Oklahoma have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morgan for ten days. The Morgans returned home with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas visited his mother, Mrs. Susie Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas in Big Spring Saturday.

Mrs. Arla Van Holden of Lubbock and Mrs. Sudie Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin and children of Chicago are here visiting his uncle and aunt, Bill and Laura Martin. Sam was born

in this community, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin. It had been about 30 years since he had visited here. Miss Laura Martin leaves soon for Gary, Indiana, where she teaches school and where Mrs. Jack Martin and her family lives.

Mrs. Kate Slaughter spent the weekend in Ballinger with Miss Annie G. Baker.

Mrs. J. W. Borders is visiting in Hart with her daughter, Mrs. Lorenza Lee, and family.

Tuesday guests in the Herbere Holland home were Mrs. Jerry Landers and granddaughters, Pam and Patricia Brown of Houston; Mrs. Susie Garlington, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Prinzing, Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary and Mrs. Pearl Kennedy of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradberry and children of Midland visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bradberry. Leta Kay remained for a visit with her grandparents.

Mrs. I. M. West of Roundrock came Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gaddy. Other recent guests in their home have been Mr. and Mrs. Si Mack and children of Tuscon, Ariz. Mr. and Mrs. Gaddy and Mrs. West spent Sunday in Miles visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Rosser.

### Family Reunion Planned

Plans for the Hoelscher-Buxkemper family reunion Sept. 6 are being made. Herman Hoelscher of this community is the fourth generation of the nine generation family. The sixth annual reunion is expecting some 4,000 persons to be present at Fredericksburg. In the family tree book are recorded nearly 7500 descendants from Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hoelscher Sr., who with four sons settled near Fredericksburg, Texas in 1846. A daughter from Germany, Elizabeth Buxkemper, arrived in 1848.

### Bill Alexander Services

Services for Bill Alexander, 82, were held Thursday of last week in San Angelo with burial in Mt. Victory cemetery at Brookshire. Bronte masonic lodge conducted the graveside rites.

He died Wednesday, Aug. 5, in a San Angelo hospital.

He was born Oct. 24, 1881 in Dewitt County. He was married to Miss Jessie Lee Stephenson in 1912 in the Brookshire community. He had lived in the community since 1907 until a few years ago when he moved to San Angelo.

Survivors are a son, Norban, five daughters, Jessie Merl Boatright, Mrs. Ellis Wade, Mrs. Jim Harris, Mrs. Jerry Johnson, all of San Angelo and Mrs. Almon Crotwell of Savannah, Ga., and six grandchildren.

Jimmy McCullough of Midland is here this week visiting his aunt, Mrs. Ben Oglesby, and family.

Sgt. and Mrs. Sam Seay of Lubbock came by last weekend on their way home from Temple and visited the Ernest Seays. He reported that his aunt, Mrs. Ila Coleman, of Temple, is considerably improved after a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seay visited in Snyder Sunday with Bob Parson, 97, who is improving after being ill. They also stopped by the Gaston reunion which was held at Blackwell Sunday.

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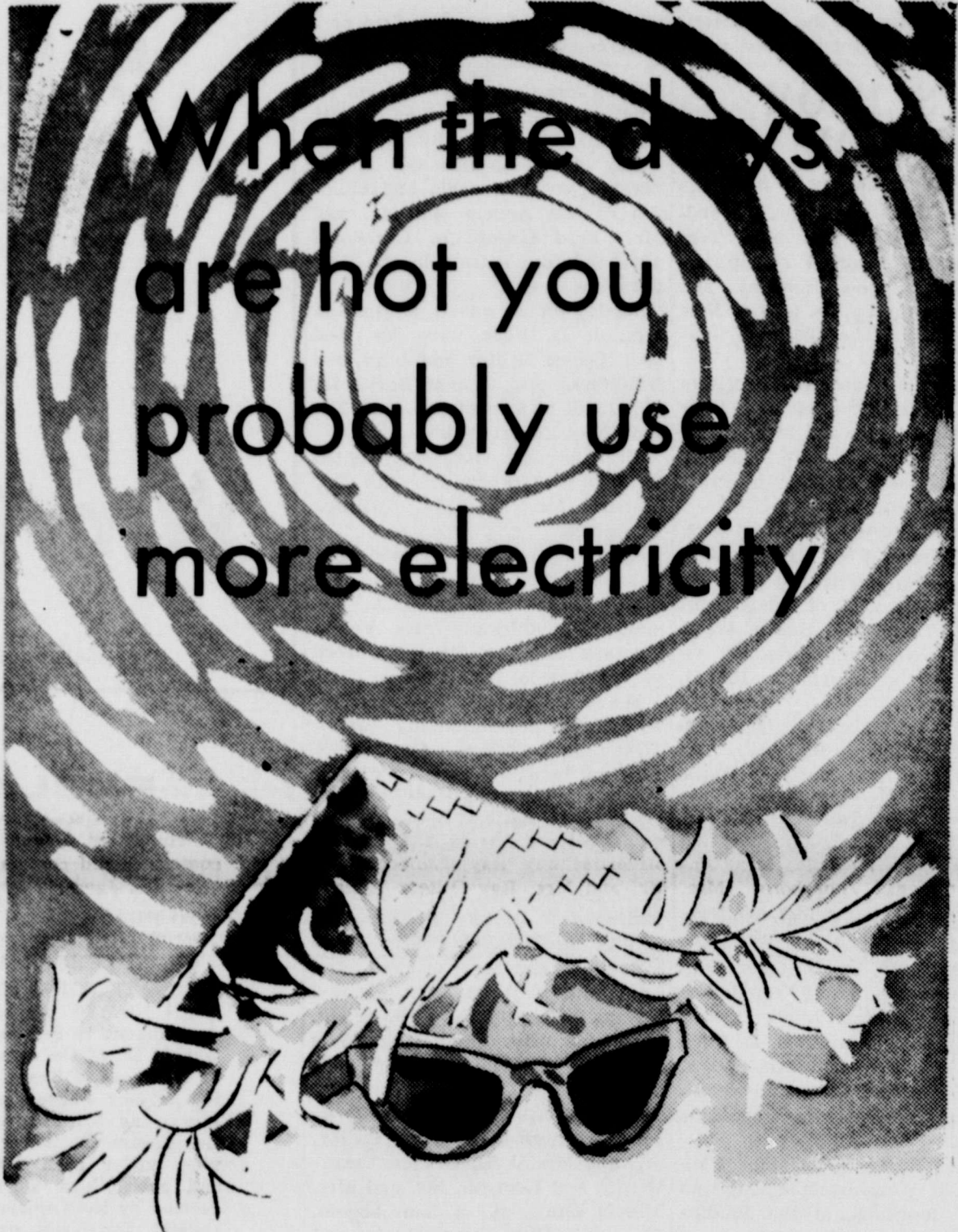
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## Bronte, Blackwell Firemen Given \$75

Both the Blackwell and Bronte Volunteer Fire Departments are \$75 better off because of their answer to a fire alarm recently.

Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Co. has presented \$75 checks to the two departments for helping in fighting the fire which destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendry recently.

O. T. Colvin, agent for the FB company, said it is a policy to present a check to any fire department which helps fight a fire on property owned by persons who carry Farm Bureau insurance.

## Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius Celebrate Their 50th Wedding Anniversary

By Mrs. Barney Griffin

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday night, August 9 at the Tennyson school house. A barbecue supper was served to about 75 people. Mr. Cornelius was born in Brown county in 1890 and Mrs. Cornelius was born in Hamilton county in 1890. They have lived on their farm south of Bronte since 1926.

The gift table was covered with a crochet cloth made by Mrs. Cornelius. Also on the table was a vase given to Mr. Cornelius by an aunt 65 years ago.

Present for the occasion were their son, H. C. Cornelius, and his family of Austin; their daughter, Mrs. Fred Gifford, and family of Christoval; and their granddaughter, Mrs. Bill St Johns, and boys of Austin.

Other out of town guests present were Mrs. Tammy Huckaby, Mrs. Martha Ann Yous, Mrs. Ava Yous, all of Gatesville; Mrs. Annie Timmons, Jonesboro; Mrs. Hollie Pace, Zephyr; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dyess, Winters, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gaston and Carla and Clifford Sheffey of San Angelo.

Many friends from Bronte and Tennyson were also present.

## Sandusky Family Has Annual Reunion Aug. 9 In Bronte County Park

The annual reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Sandusky and their families was held Sunday, Aug. 9, at the county park in Bronte. The date commemorates the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sandusky.

Nine of the ten children of the couple were present for the reunion. A total of 111 persons attended, including various branches of the family and a host of friends.

Barbecue with all the trimmings was enjoyed at noon, and watermelon was served in the afternoon.

The Sandusky children present included: Mrs. W. N. Watson of Duncan, Ariz.; Mrs. L. W. Beaty, Mrs. A. M. Wynne and Austin Sandusky, all of Bronte; Mrs. Ora Lee Hines of Coolidge, Ariz.; J. D., W. R. and Ed Sandusky, all of Merkel; and Jess Sandusky of Bromide, Okla. Elmer Sandusky, the other son, who live in Arkansas, was unable to attend.

Mrs. Roy D. Hallmark and children of Midland spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Minnie B. West. The older two girls, David Ann and Judi Lynn, returned home with their mother, after spending six weeks here with their grandmother, while she was recuperating from an infected knee.

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## LVNs Hear Abilene Doctor on Diabetes

Regular meeting of Division 58 of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association was held Thursday, Aug. 6 in the Winters City Hall.

Mrs. Martha McAlister, president, conducted a short business session. The ways and means items to be sold by members to committee reported on several raise funds. Resignation of Mrs. Emma Serratt from the board of directors was accepted.

Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw of Bronte, program chairman, introduced Dr. Edward H. Martin of Abilene, who spoke on "Diabetes and Its Control." He gave a brief history of the discovery of diabetes following with many facts about latest theories and practices in diabetes, relating the many types of treatments and medications being used today.

A social hour followed. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Martin, Abilene; Mrs. Ruby Nell Rouges, R. N., instructor of the Winters School for Vocational Nurses; Miss Jo Crim, R. N., Balingier, member of the the advisory council; Mrs. Fred Young, Mrs. Marcine Smith and Mrs. Pauline Richardson of Winters.

Next regular meeting of Division 58 will be Sept. 3 in Bronte.

## ICE CREAM PARTY FRIDAY

Methodist Junior MYF is sponsoring an ice cream party, beginning at 6 p.m. They are offering "all the ice cream and cake' you can eat" for 50c. The ice cream will be home made and the party will continue as long as the ice cream and cake last.

Visitors in the E. L. Caulder home last weekend were Mrs. Doyle Caulder and children, La Marque; Leonard O'Rear, Balmora; Delbert Adams and Ronnie, Millenda; Jay Ray, Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Rear, Aniak, Alaska.

## JAYCEES ANNOUNCE — Continued from Page 1

be chosen and the winner will be announced at the Labor Day party on Monday.

Candidates for Miss Bronte will be sponsored by business firms or individuals, who must put up a \$2.50 entry fee for their candidate. The money will be used to buy prizes for contestants.

Contestants must be between the ages of 15 and 20, must be single and must be residents of Coke County.

The contestants will battle each other for the Miss Bronte honor by performing and showing their talents in singing, dancing, pantomime acting, joke telling, or even reading comic books. "In other words," one Jaycee said, "all contestants must perform at the contest on Saturday night."

Following the talent performance, the contestants will be expected to change into evening gowns. They will then be paraded across the stage for the judges to consider their points of queenly feminine beauty.

Jaycee Beauty Contest Committee chairman George Latimer said, "We are hoping for a good many contestants and a large crowd for the beauty contest and the selection of Miss Bronte. We need a large crowd out to help the Jaycees in their efforts to help Bronte."

Latimer said no admission charge will be made to the parade of talent and beauty, but that donations will be asked to help defray expenses of the contest.

Other talent, as well as the young ladies who enter the contest, will perform to give the audience a well rounded program, Latimer said.

Any merchant who wishes to sponsor a contestant for the Miss Bronte contest should contact Latimer, Boyles and Jaycee President Wayne Dunnam.

## Methodists to Have Special Program

A special program is scheduled for Sunday night at First Methodist Church in Bronte. Harold Kilpatrick, executive secretary of the Texas Council of Churches, will be speaker for the evening.

Prior to the program, everyone is invited to attend a covered dish supper, beginning at 6 p.m. The evening program will begin at 7 p.m.

Kilpatrick, a Comanche native, was formerly a real estate man in San Antonio. When the Texas Council of Churches was organized

in 1953, he was called to serve as its executive secretary, with headquarters in Austin. He is a Presbyterian layman.

In 1959 Kilpatrick received an honorary degree of doctor of humane letters from Austin College and in 1960 Texas Christian University bestowed on him the doctor of laws degree.

Following his talk he will be available for questions regarding the relationship of the Texas Council to the National and World Councils of Churches.

## CLOSING NOTICE

Due to an emergency, we will be closed this coming Sunday, Aug. 16, as well as our usual closing day on Monday, Aug. 17.

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dies in the 4th, 5th and 6th; Tony Ham, 7th and 8th social studies and junior high coaching; Don Dulin, high school social studies, driver education and head coach; Mrs. Willie Bell Cornett, high school English; David Smith, science; Frank Brownfield, vocational agriculture and Mrs. Kathreyn Dyess, homemaking. Superintendent is Jim Bickley.

The school calendar for the year shows the following holidays: Labor Day, Sept. 7; Thanksgiving, November 26-27; Christmas Dec. 24 through Jan. 3; Easter, April 16 through 19; school dismissed May 14, 1965.

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West Texas Utilities Company and Hemphill Wells Co. It was held in the Crystal Room of the Cactus Hotel.

Attending from Coke County were Mesdams Fred Beaty, Weldon Fikes, Truman Parker, W. W. Smith; also Misses Kaye Roberts, Daphne Roe and Gladys Waldrop.

**SCOTCH FOURSOME**  
A Scotch Foursome will be held Sunday at the Bronte golf course. Golfers who wish to participate should be on hand at 1 p.m. A secretary for the golf association will be elected before play begins.

D. W. Sims is now registered with the American Medical Technologists. He took his final exam in Austin August 1. He was accompanied by Glennwood Marburger of Wall. D. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sims of Bronte and a graduate of Bronte High school.

**Longhorn Club To Meet Friday**

A meeting of Bronte Longhorn Club has been called for Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Bronte Park. James Wells, outgoing president of the football booster club, invited and urged everyone who is interested in a good Bronte Longhorn football team to be present for the meeting.

Plans will be made and officers elected for the forthcoming season.

The Longhorn Club's largest contribution to the local football team during the years of its existence has been filming of games. However, a great number of other expenses which are not borne by the school athletic program are also paid from dues of club members.

Several work nights are scheduled late each summer to get the football field ready for the action, which will begin this year on Sept. 11 with a game here with the Ozona Lions.

**BAND PRACTICE TO START MONDAY**

Band Director R. H. Hornbeck has announced that the band will start practicing Monday. Twirlers are requested to be at the band hall at 8:30 a.m., and all other members of the band should be there at 9:30 a.m.

Any new students who are interested in playing in the band should attend the first meeting.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Thanks to Dr. Harris, the hospital staff, Bro. Stout, and all my friends who were so thoughtful. Maggie Hageman 1tp

**CARD OF THANKS**

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the Observer and operated it until 1960, when he sold it to John King.

He was a veteran of both World Wars I and II, having served in the Aleutians during World War II. He was active in Coke County Barracks of World War I veterans and was serving at adjutant of the group at the time of his death. He was also a member of the Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge and the Eastern Star.

Active in Democratic Party politics for many years, Mr. Kirkpatrick had served as Precinct chairman at Robert Lee and as a Coke County delegate to several State Democratic Conventions.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Tommy O. Kirkpatrick of Al-

buquerque, N. M.; two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Dausch and Mrs. Jimmy Hillman, both of Pittsburgh, Pa.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. J. W. Service Jr. of Rboret Lee; a brother, Will Kirkpatrick of Atlanta, Ga., who was editor of the Atlanta Journal for 40 years; two sisters, Miss Florence Kirkpatrick of Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. Joe Gifford of Pawnee City, Neb.; and 16 grandchildren. Pallbearers were Ben Oglesby of Bronte, and J. W. Service Sr., Cumbie Ivey Sr., Melvin Childress Weldon Fikes and Wilson Bryan, all of Robert Lee.

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