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Senior Baccalaureate Set



Shelley Cumbie



Becky Morris

Ten Blackwell Seniors Finish

Ten seniors of Blackwell High School will graduate Friday night when Commencement Exercises will be held in the school auditorium. The program will begin at 8 p.m.

Members of the class are Thomas Loren Bledsoe, William Randolph Chapman, Rickey Gene Conradt, Marilyn S. Jarvis, Treva Jean Phariss, Darwin Eugene Scott, Richard Wayne Scott, Retha Merle Sissom, James Earl

Thompson and James Robert Watts.

Eighth graders will graduate into high school at the commencement, also. They include Joe Bell, Tanya Wayne Brown, Larry Payne Francis, John William Hamilton, Sharon Hazel Lynn, Jackie Joanne Mitchell, Flent K McNeill, Kent J McNeill, Jacqueline Denise Patterson, William Lynn Pate, Charlie Ray Roland Jr., Timothy Lee Scott, Patricia Ann Tankersley and Gideon Hall Ware.

Everett Beaver will give the commencement address and Bill Hamilton, board chairman, will award the diplomas.

Treva Phariss is valedictorian of the class and Tommy Bledsoe is salutatorian.

The complete program is being printed elsewhere in this newspaper along with pictures of the seniors and congratulations from their friends.

JOE HESTER HOME

Joe Hester was released from the hospital Saturday after being treated for a hand injury sustained in a roping accident. He lost a major portion of the hand, but is making a good recovery.

Visitors in the Hester home during the past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hester of Dallas, Donald Hester of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Blakney of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Colvin and Wayne Hester of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ware of Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hester and Rickey of Weatherford and Mrs. Jerry Proctor of Bronte.

End of school activities will get underway in earnest Sunday night when the Senior Baccalaureate Services will be held in the school auditorium at 8 p.m.

Eighth Grade Promotional Program will be held next Thursday night and the Senior Commencement will be Friday night of next week, both at 8 p.m.

The Rev. Russell Heaner, pastor of First United Methodist Church, will be the speaker at both the Baccalaureate and the Eighth Grade Program. John Hartzell, psychology instructor in Denison High School and former English teacher at BHS, will deliver the Commencement address.

The baccalaureate program will have the processional and recessional, "Priest's March," played by Sarah Heaner. Michelle Golsen, class president, will give the invocation. Louis Thornton will lead the congregation in singing "Come, Thou Almighty King." Brad Reed will read the Scrip-

tures and Sandra Stroebel will play a clarinet solo, "Etude."

Prin. James L. Golsen will introduce Mr. Heaner. The benediction will be a vocal rendition of "The Lord's Prayer" by Steve Patterson, accompanied by Larry Hooper.

Funeral Thursday For Mrs. Henry

Funeral services for Mrs. S. B. (Oma May) Henry, 80, were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Bronte's First United Methodist Church. Officiating was the pastor, the Rev. Russell Heaner, assisted by Melvin Placke, Bronte Church of Christ minister. Burial was in Fairmont Cemetery in San Angelo under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mrs. Henry died Monday at 11:50 p.m. in Bronte Nursing Home.

She was born Sept. 24, 1892, in Williamson County and married S. B. Henry November 25, 1911, in Vernon. They came to Coke County in 1969. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Maurice Henry of Casper, Wyo., and J. T. Henry of Bronte; one daughter, Mrs. Minnie Lee Watkins of Odessa; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Charlie Lowe, Everett Lowe and Reily Lowe, all of San Angelo; Wayne Henry of Lometa; Clifford Clark and Marvin Bryant, both of Bronte.

FIRST BAPTIST NOTES

A service in Spanish will be conducted at First Baptist Church Friday at 7:30 p.m. Robert Cuellar, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Mission in Robert Lee, will be the speaker.

The Runnels Baptist Youth Rally will be held at the Robert Lee Baptist Church Saturday at 7:30 p.m. Steve Stroope of Hardin-Simmons University will be the speaker.

The Runnels Baptist Association meeting will be held Monday at the Miles Baptist Church. Dr. James Cooper will be the speaker.

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.

Eighth Grade

Becky Coalson will play the prelude and recessional for the Eighth Grade Program. Becky Morris will give the invocation and Leah Barbee will play a piano solo, "Consolation." Principal Golsen will present awards and introduce the speaker. Eighth grade band members will present special music. Supt. C. B. Barbee will present promotional certificates and Shelley Cumbie will give the benediction.

Tim Lee is president of the Eighth Grade Class; vice president is Donald Butler; secretary, Shelley Cumbie; treasurer, Sherri Cooper; reporter, Don Alberts; sponsors, Mrs. Louis Thornton and Wayne King.

Class colors are maroon and white; class flower is the red rose and class song is "The Impossible Dream."

Ushers for the Eighth Grade Program will be Karen Arrott, Tonya Skelton, Randy Parker and John Paul McGuire.

Eighth Grade honor students are Shelley Cumbie, first honor student, with an average of 97.750, and Becky Morris, second honor student with a grade average of 97.125. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cumbie and Rev. and Mrs. Harry Morris, respectively.

Next week's issue of The Enterprise will be the annual senior Edition. It will contain some features about the 1973 graduating class.



New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Robbins of Fort McKavett are parents of a son, Jonathan Luke, born May 15 at 2:57 p.m. in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. He weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces. He has a sister, Stefanie. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robbins of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Watson of San Angelo. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Robbins of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. George Boucher of San Angelo.

Karmen Kuykendall is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Kuykendall. She was born May 10 at 2:30 p.m. in All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth and weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces. She has a sister, Kristi, 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn of Bronte and Mrs. Eva Kuykendall of Eldorado. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Mattie Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. M. Russell, all of Bronte.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Belcher, Doug and Becky and Al Achord, all of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton and children of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Caperton and Kim of Bronte; and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Coleman of Ballinger. Their other son, Matthew Caperton, and his family were unable to come since he was hospitalized in Big Spring.

Corley to Play In Coaches' Game

Davis Corley, defensive tackle for the Texas Tech Red Raiders during the 1973 football season, will be one of four Southwest Conference stars who will play for the West in the 13th annual Coaches All-America game. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley of Bronte and a 1968 graduate of Bronte High School.

Noseguard Donald Rives of the Raiders will also play for the West. Rives hails from Wheeler, so both of them are small town boys who made it big in Southwest Conference football.

Corley was an outstanding end for the Longhorns for four years and was a member of the team that won two bi-district titles and one regional pennant. During his senior year the Longhorn team was classed by sportswriters as the best Class B football team in the state.

News Items from The Baseball Field

The Yankees played the Giants Friday night on the home field and were defeated 16-5. Mark Reyes, Jeff Waldrop and Donnie Jackson pitched.

The Yankees lost to the Robert Lee Cardinals 6-5 in seven innings of play Tuesday night at Robert Lee. Jimmy Tidwell, Donnie Jackson and Jeff Waldrop took care of the pitching.

Tonight (Friday) at 8 o'clock the Yankees will play the Carlsbad Mets here.

The Baseball Boosters thank Clark Glenn and Doug Snead for contributions.

Board Has Busy Night

The Bronte School board of trustees met Thursday night of last week and Glenn Skelton and Russell Carlton were sworn in to serve another three year term on the board.

In other business the board:

- * Drew names of persons authorized to purchase used sewing machines from the homemaking department.

- * Named James Allen as an alternate on the Board of Equalization to replace Joe Rawlings.

- * Approved the sale of a 1958 half ton pickup.

- * Approved the use of data processing service from the Education Service Center in San Angelo.

- * Approved a student insurance program for 1973-74.

- * Agreed to lease Hayrick School land (five acres) to J. W. Labenske.

- * Agreed to accept two separate bids on a 1966 48 passenger school bus.

- * Studied updated information on new tennis, track and vocational agriculture facilities.

- * Reviewed the fact that the

NYC program expired in April.

- * Heard correspondence from director of transportation of TEA in regard to permission to sell a school bus and combine two bus routes.

- * Approved lunchroom agreement for 1973-74.

- * Accepted the resignation of Jana Dahmen as second grade teacher.

- * Agreed to leave both libraries open from 3 to 5 p.m. on Thursdays during summer months. Both librarians volunteered their services to keep them open.

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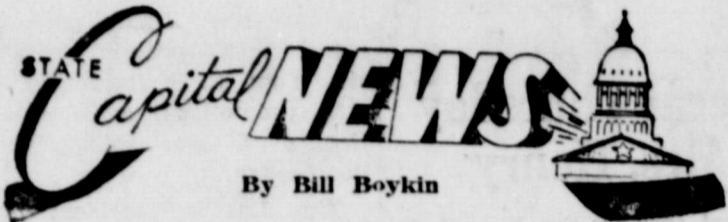
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Austin — Daring more federal court challenges, the House Reapportionment Committee has advanced a "redistricting" bill that makes virtually no changes in present representative districts.

The Committee bill, approved 12-8, would retain multi-member House districts in all but the three metropolitan counties of Bexar, Dallas and Harris.

Rep. Joe Wyatt of Bloomington, the sponsor, said he would accept an amendment on the House floor to give Tarrant County single member districts like those in the three larger counties.

Chairman Rep. Fred Head of Troup favored dividing all urban counties, which now have two or more representatives, into single member districts. Committee action, in effect, took control of the

bill from Head on the floor. A three judge federal court in January 1972 ordered single member House districts for Bexar and Dallas counties and gave the legislature until July 1 to rewrite a 1971 reapportionment scheme.

Representatives were warned before the vote that if the U. S. Supreme Court upholds the 1972 ruling, it is likely to order single member, individual House districts in all urban counties.

The bill as advanced further did not meet federal court disapproval of a 9.9 per cent population spread between the smallest and most populous Texas House districts.

However, Wyatt contended the Supreme Court in a Virginia case later upheld a 16.4 per cent deviation.

UNNECESSARY "ENERGY"
ADS — The House Natural Resources Committee held a hearing on HSR 131 last week — a measure that requests advertisers to "not use advertisements to urge the public to use more power or energy than is reasonably necessary."

House authors are Representatives Ben Grant, Marshall, and Woody Denson, Houston.

Grant testified before the Committee that his bill was not intended to regulate advertising of energy companies in Texas — but to urge advertisers to "teach or persuade the public to conserve or decrease the use of energy and to avoid all wasteful uses of power."

He cited some of the copy used by Conn Edison — a major utility in the East.

A spokesman for the Southwest Electric Power Company told the Committee that his company was against the bill because they did not feel the state should "get into the business of curtailing adver-

tising."
 "We have a surplus of power," he said. "Conn Edison has a shortage. We need to urge our consumers to use more electricity in the winter for heating purposes. We have the power available, and we need to sell it in order to pay for our bonds."

"Our consumers use our power supply in the summer when air conditioning is needed," he continued. "But we need to 'sell' them on wintertime power consumption through our advertising programs. We don't think the state legislature should get into advertising controls in Texas."

Grant said he was merely trying to encourage advertisers to avoid waste of energy, and that he would oppose "mandatory" regulations also.

The bill was sent to the Oil and Gas subcommittee of the Natural Resources Committee.

VENDING MACHINE FIRMS EYED — The attorney general's office and 14 other government agencies are investigating operations of 11 vending machine corporations in five cities.

Visitorial letters were served on the firms requesting that books and records be made available for inspection.

The Department of Public Safety, State Comptroller, State Securities Board, Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission and law enforcement agencies in the cities are cooperating in the probe, coordinated by the Attorney General's Organized Crime Strike Force.

Firms are located in Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth, Grand Prairie and San Antonio.

RECORD WHEAT HARVEST REPORTED — Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reported the first wheat harvest of 1973 in Frio County averaged 26 bushels an acre, a record high.

The Texas wheat harvest is expected to reach 83,200,000 bushels this year, double the 1972 yield, from 3,200,000 acres, White estimated. Major harvest in North Texas won't start until late May and won't reach a peak until June.

CONVENTION DISCORD RAISED — Senate planners for the 1974 constitutional convention were angered by House efforts to dominate the arrangements committee.

The House adopted a resolution calling for 16 members of the convention planning committee and only five senators. Senate spokesmen said the proposal will never be accepted.

Meanwhile House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. said he does not condone circulation of a petition endorsing him as convention chairman. Both Lt. Gov. Hobby and Daniel have acknowledged they are interested in the chairmanship, although they say they are not campaigning. Several House members have endorsed Daniel.

Short Snorts

A proposed constitutional amendment providing for annual legislative sessions and a \$15,000 salary for lawmakers has been cleared for a Nov. 6 statewide election.

Both houses of the Legislature also have agreed to a bill overhauling workmen's compensation laws and raising maximum benefits to \$63 a week starting Sept. 1.

The House passed bills to restore the death penalty for certain crimes, to lower the first offense penalty for possessing up to one ounce of marijuana to a misdemeanor (punishable by up to six months in jail and \$1,000 fine), and to allow competitive auto insurance rates.

Legislation giving 18-20 year olds full majority rights was amended in the House to restrict drinking and abortions until age 21.

Bail bond reform has been approved by the Senate.

H D Agent's News Dept.

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

Ever wonder why peanuts and peanut foods are so popular with Americans of all ages and, at any occasion that calls for food?

Flavor? Texture? Versatility? The peanut "personality"? Each is reason enough.

But the real justification for eating peanuts is nutrition. They are an important source of protein—26 per cent. Analysis by the U. S. Department of Agriculture shows that peanuts also contain significant amounts of niacin, thiamine, phosphorous, food energy and fats.

Add these facts to the abundant supply of peanuts from last year's harvest and the listing of peanuts by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service among plentiful foods.

It all adds up to a grand occasion to serve peanut foods often.

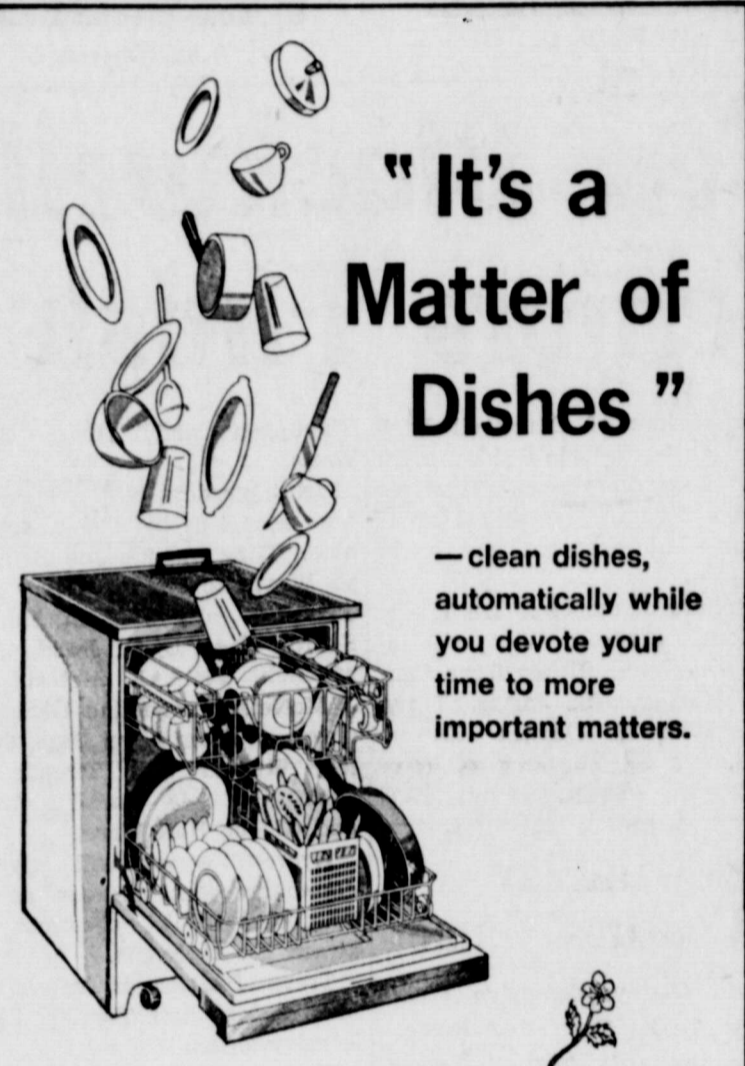
In looking for new ways to serve peanuts, consider Chocolate Flake Cookies. You'll need:

- 6 cups corn flakes
- 1½ cups peanuts
- 2 squares bitter baking chocolate
- 1 lb. sweet chunk chocolate

Melt the bitter and sweet chocolates in double boiler and pour over flakes and nuts in a large mixing bowl. Stir with wooden spoon until all flakes are coated. Then drop on cookie sheet, covered with wax paper. Cool until hard. Eat and enjoy.

Other plentiful foods are cranberry sauce, cranberry juice cocktail, dry beans, split peas, orange juice—frozen and canned, grits, corn meal and eggs. To save money on your grocery bill use these items in your menus during May.

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John C. White, Commissioner

Farm Prices Decline... Red Meat Production Increases... Cook-Off Contest is May 19.

What goes up must come down; at least that is true for farm prices. The all-farm products in-farmers as of April 15 is down 10 dex of prices received by Texas points from the previous month. The livestock and livestock price index was down five per cent from a month ago.

Hog prices averaged \$34.50 per cwt., down almost \$7 from a month ago. Beef cattle at \$45.60 per cwt. are down \$2.50 from a month ago. Calves at \$56.80 per cwt. are \$6.60 under a month ago.

Sheep at \$16.90 per cwt. are \$2.10 under last month. Lambs at \$36.10 per cwt. are \$4.50 below a month ago.

Turkeys and eggs showed price increases during the recent month. Turkey prices averaged

33 cents per pound compared to 28 cents a pound a month ago. Egg prices reached an average of 58 cents per doz. compared to 53 cents a month earlier.

Wool and mohair prices remained unchanged from a month ago.

In crops, wheat was up four cents at \$2.20 per bushel. Grain Sorghum was down a penny at \$2.76. Corn at \$1.73 was down two cents a bushel.

Despite price increase during 1972, livestock producers did not achieve full parity. No category of livestock achieved full parity throughout the year.

The average price of cattle, calves, hogs, sheep and lambs in Texas during 1972 was \$35.85 per cwt.

The average parity price for those categories of livestock during 1972 was \$42.06 per cwt., thus the average price the farmer received was more than \$6 under the average parity price during 1972.

RED MEAT production in Texas during March showed a nine per cent increase above a month earlier.

Cattle slaughtered during March in Texas totaled 300,000, which is

up 31,000 over the month ago. During the first three months of 1973, a total of 865,000 head of cattle were slaughtered in Texas.

Average live weight of cattle slaughtered was 934 pounds compared with 928 a month ago.

Hog slaughter in Texas during March was down 6,000 compared to a month ago.

TWENTY-four state finalists will compete in Austin May 19 in the annual grain fed beef cook-off, coordinated by the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The contestants will be competing for the grand prize and category prizes of \$200 each. The three categories of the contest are: tender cuts, such as steaks; less tender cuts, such as stew meat; and variety cuts, such as liver and kidney.

Winning recipes will be published.

Sponsors of the cook-off are the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, the Texas Meat Packers Association and the Texas Cow Belles.

HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rocky Thompson

A pink and blue shower was held honoring Mrs. Edward Poehls Saturday afternoon in the Baptist parsonage.

The table was laid with a white crocheted cloth over blue. The centerpiece was a white stork with streamers and a tiny doll and bottle. Plate favors were pacifiers made of jelly beans and mints.

Mrs. Joe Conratt introduced the honoree's out of town guests and also conducted games. Refreshments were served to 32 guests.

Hostesses were Mmes. Conratt, James Connel, Bill Hamilton, Mathie Romine and Jerry Ware.

The Second Saturday Night Gospel Singing was held Saturday night at the Methodist Fellowship Hall with 21 attending.

Omega Coterie Meets

The Omega Coterie of Blackwell met last Thursday night in the Oak Creek Lake home of Mrs. Terry Barrett for a family night supper.

Dinner was served to members. Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Ollie Hogue, Mrs. Elma Sweet and Miss Bertha Smith. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Garrett, Austin Sands of New Orleans, La. and Mrs. Savannah Thompson. This was the last meeting of the year for Omega Coterie.

Mrs. Artis Walls' Mother's Day visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mathers of Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathers of Robert Lee, Mrs. Arlene Nardine of Van Horn, Jack Mathers of Truth or Consequences, N. M., and Bonny Mathers of Alamogordo, N. M.

Mrs. H. L. Pyborn of Brownwood and Mrs. Johnny Thompson of San Antonio visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee.

Mother's Day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Vaughan were Mr.

and Mrs. Byron Vaughan Jr. and children and Mrs. Larry Gilliland and children, all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Honas Holland of Brownwood visited Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Minta Grimes, and she returned home with them for a visit.

Cosby to Graduate

The Rev. Stan Cosby, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, will graduate from McMurry College Sunday at 3 p.m. The commencement will be held at the Abilene Civic Center. Cosby invites everyone to attend.

Revival in Progress

A revival began Monday night at the Methodist Church with Dr. Hubert Thomson of Canyon serving as evangelist and George Ratliff of Sweetwater as song leader. Everyone is invited to attend.

UMW Meeting

A meeting of the women of First United Methodist Church was held Monday in the home of Mrs. Stan Cosby, with seven members and one guest present.

Mrs. Cosby brought the program entitled "God Loves Us! Do We Believe That?"

Refreshments were served to Mmes. T. A. Carlisle, Josie Hipp, Juanita Rogers, Cecil Smith, Savannah Thompson, Bobby Sanderson and the two guests, Mrs. Robert Thomson of Canyon and Miss Linda Kaye Garvin.

Mission Friends met Tuesday morning at First Baptist Church with nine children and two teachers attending.

Girls in Action met Wednesday afternoon of last week with 13 girls and two teachers attending. They practiced for a program they will give in the future.

WMU Program

The WMU met May 10 at the church with eight women attending.

The program, titled "Come to the Pacific Northwest" was given by Mrs. Vera Bryant.

Attending were Mmes. Thelma Smith, Vera Bryant, Willie Burwick, E. K. Finley, Jackie Steed, Flora Johnston and Ninnie Kinard.

Thoughts

From The Living Bible

"Honor your father and mother (remember, this is a commandment of the Lord your God); if you do so, you shall have a long, prosperous life in the land he is giving you. You must not murder. You must not commit adultery. You must not steal. You must not tell lies. You must not burn with desire for another man's wife, nor envy him for his home, land, servants, oxen, donkeys, nor anything else he owns. The Lord has given these laws to each one of you from the heart of the fire, surrounded by the clouds and thick darkness that engulfed Mount Sinai. Those were the only commandments he gave you at that time, but he wrote them out on two stone tablets and gave them to me."

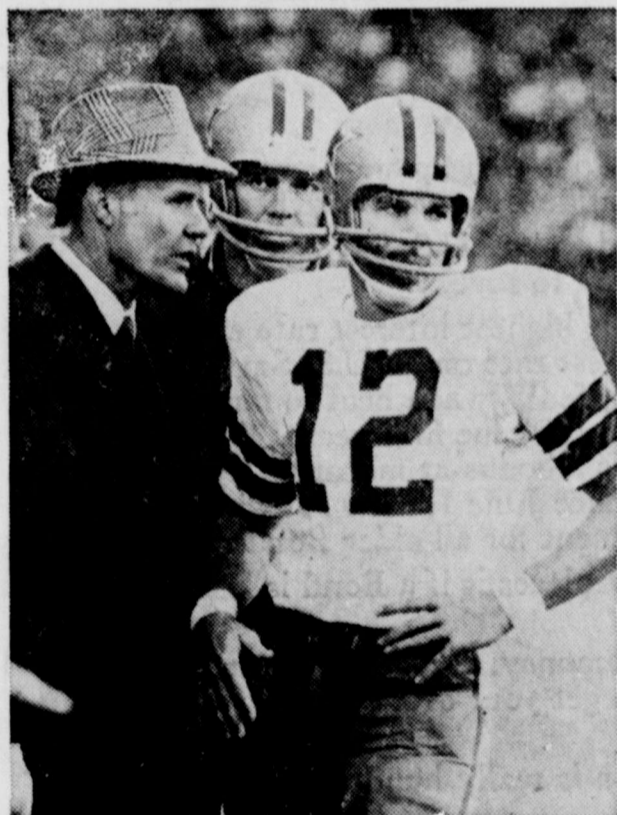
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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. John Early will preach Sunday at 11 a.m. at Maverick Baptist Church. Maverick church members are grateful to Brookshire Baptist Church members for the use of their pews and other equipment.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown last Sunday and helping her celebrate her birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and Velda of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Saller of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilbert and children and Mrs. Bill Gilbert and daughter, all of San Angelo. The Charlie Browns visited Wednesday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kruse and Youna Butler of Amarillo visited last week with the Robert Melvin Brown family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith in Miles. They visited the Larry Saunder family in Bronte Wednesday evening and the Robert Browns of Tennyson visited them Sunday night.

Charles Ray Brown of Ozona has

been promoted to supervisor of the Texas and New Mexico Gas Co.

Robert Melvin Brown, who is employed at WTU's Oak Creek Plant, is in McCamey this week helping overhaul a plant.

Domino Party

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were hosts to the domino club Tuesday night. The ladies won over the men in games of 88. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith and the Hollands. The club will meet with the Smiths May 22.

Mrs. Willard Caudle stayed the first of the week in San Angelo with her daughter, Mrs. Verlin Oates, who had surgery.

Mrs. Vernie Smith suffered a painful accident Sunday when she stuck a paring knife through her finger.

Visiting the Herbert Hollands Wednesday were Mrs. David Canfil of San Angelo and Lucille Foster and Mrs. Dee Foster Sr. of Big Spring and Debbie Holland and Mrs. James Holland. The Hollands visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holland Thursday at St. John's Hospital where he has been on the critical list, but is reported improved.

Mrs. Ethel Morgan spent Saturday night in San Angelo with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morgan and Missy.

Recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Culp and girls were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cogsdil of Hobbs, N. M.

Rain showers fell most all day Monday.

Spending Wednesday with Mrs. James Holland and the Tony Hollands were Mrs. David Canfil of San Angelo and Mrs. Dee Foster Jr. of Big Spring. Mrs. Holland's mother, Mrs. Dee Foster Sr. of Big Spring, came to stay while her daughter recuperates from surgery. The Vernie Smiths visited Mrs. Holland Friday while she was in St. John's Hospital. They also visited Roy Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Honea and daughter and Chester H. Derrick and son of Odessa spent the weekend at Mrs. Ollie Derrick's ranch home.

Seven rattlesnakes were killed on the James Holland place last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gleghorn of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Gilmer, Mr. and Mrs. Mug Stephenson and Meta Kay of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn and Butch of Miles and Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Blake.

The John Clarks spent Thursday night with the Charlie Browns.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Gilmer were through Bronte one day last week and visited with Mrs. Pat Bryan. The Clarks were on their way to Odessa for a visit with the children.

J. I. Adair is critically ill in Shamon Hospital in San Angelo.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Zena McCarty



Miss Janet Lee

Janet Lee, Gary M. Richards Announce Engagement; Ceremony Planned Aug. 10 at First Baptist Church

Miss Janet Lee and Gary M. Richards will be married Aug. 10 in First Baptist Church in Bronte, according to the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Richards Jr. of Baytown are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

Miss Lee is a graduate of Bronte High School, attended Baylor University and will be an August graduate of Texas A&M University with a bachelor degree in education.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Lee High School, Baytown, attended Lee Junior College and is a graduate of Texas A&M University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in education.

Visiting Mrs. Neva McKee recently have been Mrs. C. McKee of Tulane, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McKee of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dean McKee and Michael Eldridge of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hogan and Julie of Three Rivers, Calif.

An Enterprise Want Ad will sell it!

Visitors of the Robert I. Browns recently were Mr. and Mrs. Wes Martin of Alpine and Mrs. Floyd Brown of Bronte. Sunday, the Browns visited Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle in Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott attended church Sunday in Bronte Nursing Home. Mrs. N. M. Arrott was given a bouquet of flowers for being the oldest mother in the nursing home.

Family members gathering at the Arrott cabin the past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arrott, Mrs. LeDrew Arrott and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Arrott and girls, Jack Arrott, Houston Arrott and Jimmy Arrott of San Angelo, Buck Arrott of Orient and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith and Melody of Miles.

Recent visitors in the Burgess Dunn home were Mrs. Cullen Luttrell of Sonora, Mrs. Nell Parish of Orient, Mrs. Jerry Proctor of Wilmett and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark visited Friday with the Floyd Gibsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck James visited the W. T. Crawford Saturday in San Angelo.

Visitors of Mrs. Katie James the past week were Lottie Berrey and Mrs. Claude Duffie of San Angelo, Mrs. Edward White, Mrs. J. P. McClure and Mrs. Bill Magness.

Recent visitors of the L. J. Sonnenbergs were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sonnenberg and daughter, Mrs. Mathew Scott, Mrs. Mattie Tinkler and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sonnenberg.

The Louis Hills visited Mrs. T. E. Demobille Sunday.

Visiting the Louis Baker Sr. family the past week were Mrs. Fannie Muston, J. W. Muston of Houston and Milton Baker.

Bill Green and A. D. McCarty attended the grand opening of the UTPB "Chargers" Library, where a chess tournament was held. Both men entered the tournament and said they "held their own but could have done better."

'69 STUDY CLUB HAS FINAL MEETING OF YEAR

Members of the '69 Study Club met Monday, May 14, in the home of Mrs. James Arnold Tidwell for their last meeting of the club year. A social hour was enjoyed after a short business meeting.

Refreshment plates were served to: Mmes. Bob Wrinkle, Don Bailey, Martin Lee, C. N. Webb Jr., Bobby Hart, Ben Hambricht, Elroy Butler, Wayne Arrott, Edwin Foréhand, James O. Koenig, Larry Saunders, Don Alberts and Tidwell.

J.O.Y. CLASS MEETS

The J.O.Y. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met May 10 in the home of Mrs. Aubrey Denman, the class teacher.

Six members were present for singing of hymns and an evening of Christian fellowship. The business period was used for group discussion. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale and children of Fort Stockton were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins and Joy Lynn spent Mother's Day in Clyde with her mother, Mrs. Joe Byrd.

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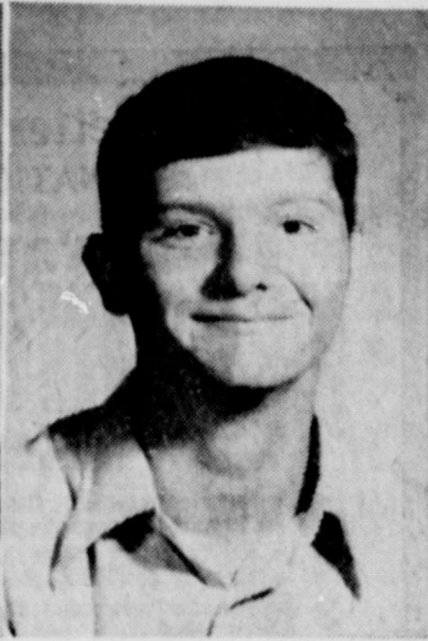
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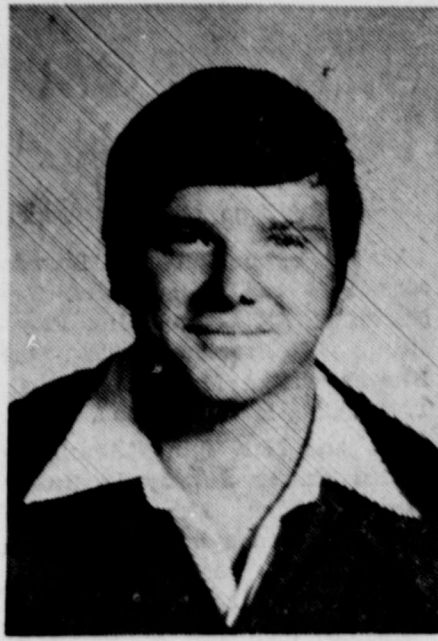
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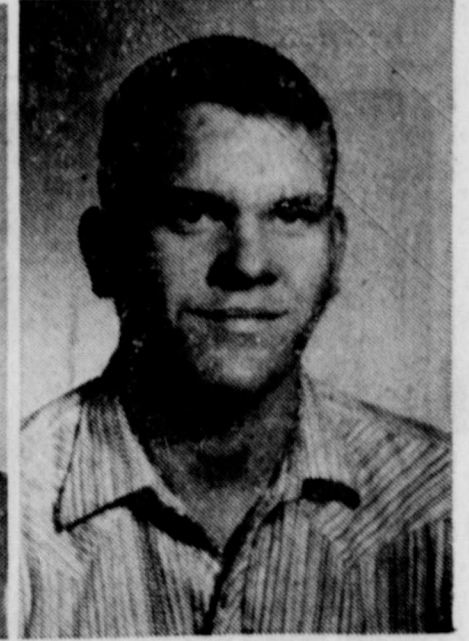
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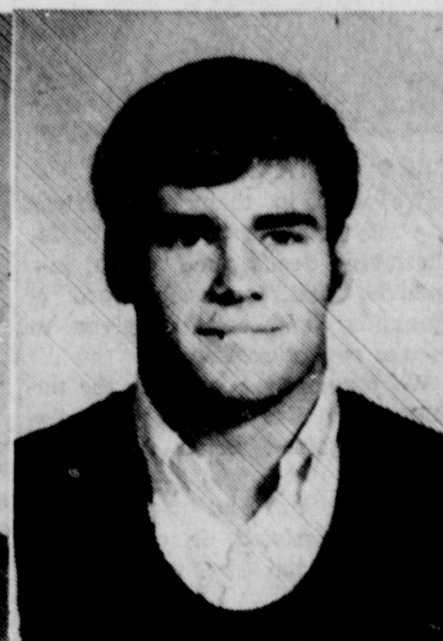
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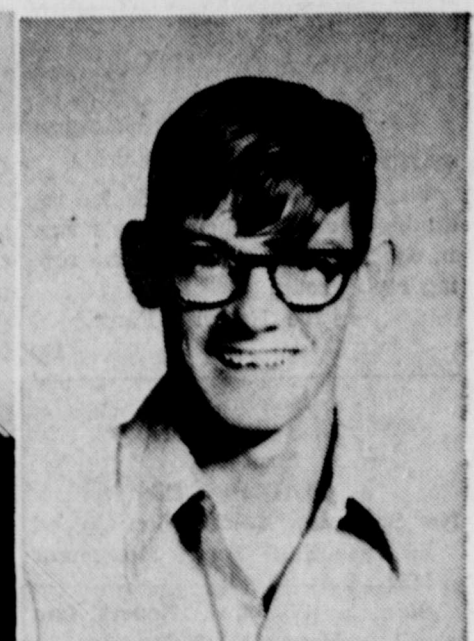
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Commencement Exercises

BLACKWELL HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1973

8:00 P. M.

- Processional Mrs. Louis Sweet
- Invocation The Rev. Stan Cosby
United Methodist Church
- Salutatorian Address Tommy Bledsoe
- Valedictorian Address Treva Phariss
- Songs Choral Group
- Introduction of Speaker James E. Connel
- Commencement Address Everett Beaver
- Certify Eighth Grade Jerry Church
School Principal
- Eighth Grade Certificates Bill Hamilton
Board Chairman
- Presentation of Graduates James E. Connel
- Awarding of Diplomas Bill Hamilton
- Benediction The Rev. Stan Cosby
United Methodist Church
- Recessional Mrs. Louis Sweet

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1973

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- Tanya Waynette Brown
- Larry Payne Francis
- John William Hamilton
- Sharon Hazel Lynn
- Jackie Joanne Mitchell
- Flent K McNeill
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"Don't paste my casket with certificates for charities, and professional chair endowments, and the hundred and one do-gooder agencies ghoulishly squeezing through the door of the funeral parlor for a handout. If you are going to be big hearted... do it on your own time... and don't wait for death to open up your heart to the needy and the sick.

I believe flowers are proper and right at the time of death, beautifully symbolic of the brief human life, grown by God and thereby so precious to Him, even at its fading. So, no matter what others say, send ME Flowers. And don't use my last mortal remains as a charity income tax deduction."

(Pd. Adv.)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each friend of every member of our family for their kind deeds, food, cards, memorials, and for each word of sympathy and comfort given us in our recent sorrow.

We especially appreciate the untold number of people who helped and guided Brian during his lifetime.

To the known and unknown people who assisted or offered assistance, at the lake, we give special thanks.

May the Lord bless you in such hours when they come to you.

Paul, Joyce and Bruce Pruitt and Family Members
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CARD OF THANKS

We want all the members of the Bronte Longhorn Band and the general public to know how much we appreciated the good behavior of band members on the trip to Six Flags. Everyone was so well behaved that it was a pleasure for us to go along on the trip.

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A meeting of the Board of Equalization for Bronte Independent School District will be held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, May 24, in the board meeting room at the school. This hearing is specifically set up for the purpose of discussing and setting up tax valuations on oil, mineral, utility, industrial and manufacturing properties in the district. Persons who have business with the board are invited to attend.

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NURSES CELEBRATE 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF DIV. 58

Members of Division 58, LVNA of Texas celebrated their 13th anniversary May 3 with a dinner in Ballinger School Cafeteria.

Speaker for the evening was Lois Dunlap, executive director of "Uncle Sam in Action" of Abilene. Dunlap related information regarding the activities of the "Uncle Sam in Action" organization, stating that about 400 assembly and public appearances have been made in the past two years.

The program is designed to stimulate more interest in patriotism, instruction in ways to be a better citizen, and to encourage better moral standards. He stated that many of the programs are given in public schools. In closing the speaker challenged those present to do their part at home, at work and in other or

ganized groups by setting a good example with respect for authority, support for government leaders, and, most of all, concern for those about us.

Eleven members of Division 58 and five members of Division 15, Abilene, were present. Other guests included visitors from San Angelo, Winters, Robert Lee, Bronte and Ballinger.

Mrs. Lottie Farris of Ballinger, Division 58 president, conducted a short business session prior to the dinner program.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton of Dallas and Mrs. Tommie Hames of Crosbyton spent Mother's Day with the ladies' mother, Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham.

Mrs. Sybil Hester recently spent some time with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Reed, and their families in Corpus Christi.

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