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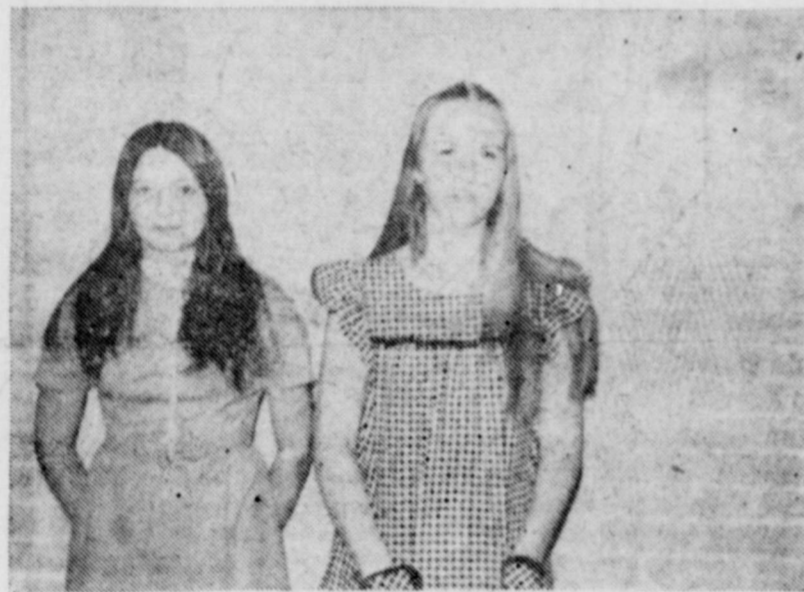
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## Students Compete at Region



**THE BRAINS** — Entering literary events at the regional level in Lubbock this weekend are, from left, Jim Dunnam, alternate in Boys Informative Speaking; Larry Hooper, Boys Persuasive Speaking, Ready Writing, Spelling and Plain Writing and Typewriting; Janie Raughton, Spelling; Michelle Golson, Shorthand; Kim Caperton, alternate in Spelling; Brian Pruitt, Science and Number Sense.



**TENNIS CHAMPS** — Shalon Cooper, left and Jean Ann Raughton will represent District 9-B at the regional tennis tournament this weekend in Lubbock.

## Band Wins Sweepstakes

The Bronte Longhorn Band took Division I (superior) rating in both areas of competition at the University Interscholastic League Concert and Sightreading Contest held Tuesday in Abilene. The two top ratings, plus another Division I rating last fall in the UIL

### Lions Broom Sale To Be Saturday

The annual broom sale of the Bronte Lions Club will be held Saturday when members will conduct an all-out drive to sell quality blind-made products to residents and local businesses. The articles are all manufactured by blind workers in Lighthouses for the Blind which are located throughout Texas. Money derived from the sale will go to the blind workers and to the Lions Club for use in its community projects.

The sale will be held on the corner where First National Bank is located and customers are invited to stop there and pick out the merchandise needed. A house to house canvass of the city is

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Marching Contest gave the Bronte Band the coveted Sweepstakes Award.

The Longhorn Band was the only one in Class B competition to receive the top rating in all three contests. Ratings for other schools were Trent III and II; Rochester, III and I; Jayton, I and II. Concert ratings are listed first and sightreading ratings second.

Band Director Louis Thornton was jubilant over the high grades made by his band. He said the Sweepstakes Award is every directors ambition.

Thornton announced the band will present its annual spring concert May 1 at 7 p.m. He also announced that the band will represent Bronte at the Six Flags Over Texas Band Festival on May 10 and 11. Approximately 75 bands will be present and take part in the concert contest.

The band is planning several money raising activities during the next few weeks to raise funds for the trip to Arlington. Thornton said, "We need all the help and cooperation we can get and will appreciate the assistance of everyone."

### Bronte Golfers Regional Winners

The Bronte High School golf team took first place honors Wednesday and Thursday in the regional tournament held in Lubbock. The boys wound up the two days play with a team score of 671, two strokes below Bocker's 673. Jayton finished in third place. Wayne Alexander took runnerup medalist honors with a two day score of 152.

Winning the regional tournament will give the Bronte team a place in the state contest which will be held in Austin.

Individual scores by Bronte team members were: Alexander 152; Jim Dan Raughton 170; David Chapman 173; Bobby Reyes 175; Mark Duncan 176.

### Funeral Held for Elbert Wrinkle

Funeral services for Elbert Wrinkle, 73, were held Thursday at 3 p.m. in Central Baptist Church with the Rev. M. E. Patterson, pastor officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. C. R. Blake, pastor of the Tennyson Baptist Church. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mr. Wrinkle, a retired stock farmer, died at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday in Bronte Hospital after a long illness.

He was born Jan. 6, 1900, in Goldthwaite and came to Bronte from Sherwood in 1920. He was a longtime member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are a son, Wilburn Wrinkle of Bronte; three brothers, D. T. Wrinkle of Cottonwood, A. L. Wrinkle and Bill Wrinkle, both of Bronte, and a number of nephews and nieces.

Pallbearers were Milton Bryan of Ballinger, Billy Charles Wrinkle of Rankin, Bob Wrinkle and Charles Simes, both of Robert Lee, and Garland Spencer and Rupert Robbins, both of Bronte.

### BAND BOOSTERS TO MEET

The Band Booster Club will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, April 17, at 7 p.m. This meeting is an important one as officers for the next year will be elected. All members are urged to attend.



**BRONTE VOLLEYBALLERS** — Bronte High School girls volleyball team is in Levelland for the UIL regional tournament. From left, team members are Maria Thompson, Denise McClure,

A good representation of Bronte High School students will be in Lubbock this weekend for regional UIL contests. In addition to those were were scheduled to



**LONER** — Gary Skelton is the only track entrant from Bronte in the regional meet this weekend. He will compete in the 220 yard dash and discus.

### New Officials Named to Boards

Some new faces will show up on the city council, school board and hospital district board as a result of elections held by all three bodies last Saturday.

Glenn Skelton led the balloting in the trustee race with 119. He is an incumbent. Running second was Joe Ward with 117 and Russell Carlton received 104. Carlton is presently on the board, but Ward will be a new member.

Others on the ballot were A. D. McCarty who polled 103 votes and Grady Coulter who had 54.

Both new aldermen will be new to their job. Louis Thornton got 115 votes and L. O. Clark received 103. The other candidate for alderman was Dennis Abair who received 48 votes. Thornton and Clark will take the places of Bill Thomas and Jerry Parker who did not run for reelection to the city council.

C. E. Bruton received 125 votes for reelection to the board of directors of East Coke County Hospital District. Glenn Sims col-

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leave Thursday or Friday, the golf team went to the South Plains Tuesday for play Wednesday and Thursday. Also, the girls volleyball team was scheduled to leave Thursday for Levelland where the regional contests will be played.

Bronte's lone track entrant going to regional is Gary Skelton who will represent this district in discus and 220 yard dash. The discus event will be at 10 a.m. Friday and 220 prelims will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday.

Literary events winners who will represent this district at regional include: Larry Hooper in four events, Persuasive Speaking, Ready Writing, Spelling and Plain Writing and Typewriting; Brian Pruitt, in Number Sense and Science; Janie Raughton, in Spelling and Plain Writing; Michelle Golson, in Shorthand. Kim Caperton will serve as an alternate in the spelling event and Jim Dunnam is an alternate in Boys Informative Speaking. Literary events will be held Saturday on the Texas Tech campus.

Jean Ann Raughton and Shalon Cooper, who make up the girls doubles tennis team, will represent the district in regional competition to be held on the Tech campus.

Skelton and Coach Gerald Sandusky will stay at the Country Inn Motel; literary contestants and their sponsors and tennis contestants and Coach James Golson will stay at the Sands Motel; and the volleyball team and Coach Zula Sweeten will stay at the Levelland Motel.

### Volleyball Team In Regional Play

Bronte High School's volleyball team left Thursday at noon for Levelland where members will compete in the regional tournament at South Plains College. The girls gained a berth in the regional tournament by defeating Miles Tuesday night in a bi-district playoff. Their first game in the regional meet will be played Friday at 9 a.m.

In the games Tuesday night the local girls downed Miles 15-7 and 15-7. Scoring in the first game were Sherrie Coalson with 8; Sue Ann Lee 4; Mary Ellen McGuire 2; Julia Flores 1. In the second game it was Denise McClure 7; Lee 3; Norma Thompson 2; and McGuire, Coalson and Maria Thompson 1 each.

#### Juniors Win Too

The junior high team also outdid the Miles girls in three games out of four. Score in the first tilt was 15-6 in Bronte's favor. Scoring were Lana Webb and Karen Arrott with 3 each; Shelene Tidwell, Sherri Cooper, Leah Barbee and Shelley Cumbie 2 each; Kim Glascock 1.

Bronte took the second game 15-11. Tidwell was high pointer with 5; Barbee 4; Cooper 2; Tonya Skelton, Becky Morris, Cumbie and Ronda Denton 1 each.

Miles downed the girls in the third game, 16-14. Scoring for Bronte were Cooper with 9; Cumbie 2; Tidwell, Arrott and Glascock 1 each.

The Bronte girls took the last game 15-12, with Morris making 7; Webb 4; Glascock 2; Cooper and Arrott 1 each.

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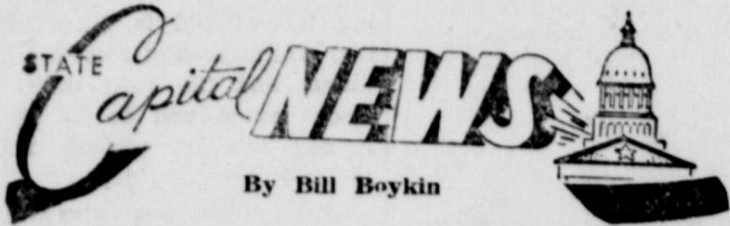
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Austin — The first of major reform bills before the 63rd Legislature — strengthening of "open meetings" requirements — has reached the desk of Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

The House quickly accepted Senate amendments, sending the measure (HB 3) on to the Governor.

Meanwhile, the Senate passed a version of the "shield bill" to protect newsmen's sources of information from forced disclosure — except on State Supreme Court order. The Senate revision providing that citizens may bring mandamus action to reveal sources doomed the bill (HB 10) to conference committee delay.

A second reform bill (HB 8) backed by House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. — to require detailed reporting of contributions and spending in speakership races — also landed on the Governor's desk. The senate passed it with only minor amendment, and the House concurred.

Sponsors of the new open meetings law term it a marked improvement over the present statute, although it would still permit closed executive sessions of governing agencies for these purposes:

Discussions of personnel matters including evaluation, consultation with attorneys on pending or contemplated litigation or settlement offers, talks about real estate purchase, exchange, lease or sale, negotiated contracts for gifts or donations, and school

strategy plans for consultation with employees. Social functions could be kept private as long as no official action is taken and no formal agenda items are deliberated.

Fines up to \$500 and jail terms up to six months are provided for known violations.

The House approved Daniel's final reform bill (HB 4), voting 140-3 to set up a State Ethics Commission to supervise tough new campaign finance reporting.

**RIGHT TO REPLY BILL HEARD IN SENATE** — Houston Senator Walter Mangden's bill which would require newspapers to provide a "right to reply" to political stories and editorials was heard by the Senate Jurisprudence Committee last week.

Senator Mengden copied the bill after the Florida law — which has been ruled unconstitutional by a County Judge in Daytona Beach, Fla., and a Circuit Court and Appeals Court in Dade County Florida. The Daytona County decision is now on appeal in the Florida Supreme Court.

The Houston Senator quoted so-called "attacks" on him by newspapers in his district, and felt he was entitled to reply to those attacks in the news columns of the newspapers. He cited the "equal time" doctrine of the broadcasting media under existing Federal law.

His measure, SB 541, would require newspapers to publish free of cost any reply a candidate "may make thereto in as conspicuous a

place and in the same kind of type as the matter that calls for such reply."

Mengden did not have enough votes to get the bill out of committee, but Senators present did vote 5-2 not to send it to subcommittee and 5-2 to approve the bill and send it to the full Senate for a vote. Senate rules required seven votes to report a bill out, and many of the Senators were not in the meeting at the time of the vote.

The bill was opposed by the Texas Press Association on the grounds that it was unconstitutional.

**INSURANCE CUT BILL OFFERED** — State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie has recommended legislation which he said may reduce auto insurance rates.

The bill would permit some competition in ratemaking, though not wide open competition.

Texas is the only state which retains the system of fixed rates set on a yearly basis by the state regulatory agency.

**SCHOOL PLANS AIRED** — Alternative plans for overhauling the public school finance formulas and rechanneling nearly \$2 billion in public spending received a five hour House committee hearing.

Rep. Dan Kubiak of Rockdale, the Education Committee chairman, predicted best features of four bills will be incorporated into one and reported back to the House by April 19 or April 26.

A U. S. Supreme Court ruling last month that the Texas system of financing its schools is not unconstitutional virtually assured no final action on a reform plan this session. But a House test vote on one of the overhaul proposals is anticipated.

**BUDGETS NEAR SHOWDOWN** — Biennial state budgets totaling more than \$9.7 billion are nearing action stages in the House and Senate.

Committees have wrapped up their showdown decisions.

Governor Briscoe has insisted on a two year appropriations bill down the line, although budget writers are undecided how to handle uncertainty over federal welfare requirements and availability of federal funds.

**Short Snorts**

Texas bank deposits are at a new high, but the index of business activity declined four per cent in February according to a University of Texas bureau of business research analysis.

The governor endorsed the right of citizens to sue environmental polluters.

Briscoe, in his first big test of muscle with the Legislature, threatened to veto police-fire collective bargaining legislation unless a clear local option feature was attached.

A House sub-committee has endorsed a bill to allow minors to obtain contraceptives and treatments for pregnancy without parental consent.

Eighteen year olds can serve on juries under a bill cleared by the Legislature.

A federal task force attempted to brief state officials on a new presidential budget ceilings and revenue sharing proposals but didn't provide many specifics.

Parks and Wildlife officials will consider new hunting and fishing regulations for 1973-74 at a meeting here April 26.

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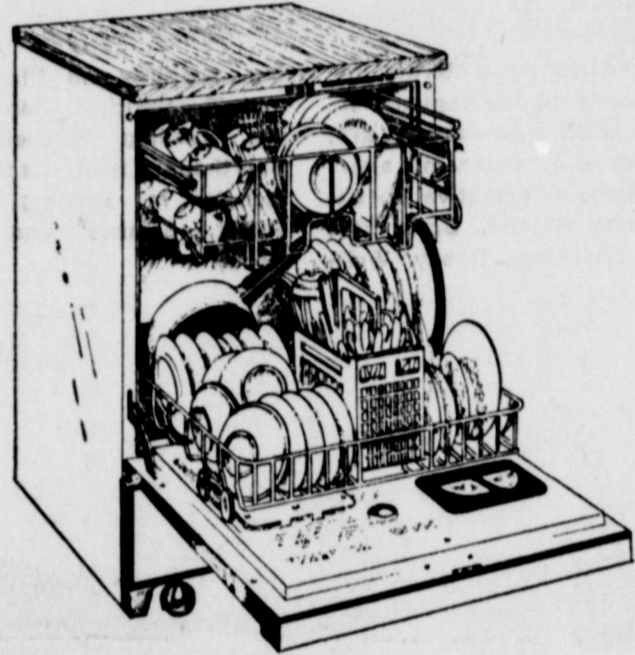
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A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

# Farmcast

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John C. White, Commissioner

Fantastic as it may sound, food today is still a bargain. Put the situation in its proper perspective and you realize this is true. While we complain about the high cost of food, most of the world population's major concern is finding enough food to stay alive.

While we complain that beef steak and hamburger and bacon and broilers "are out of sight financially," two-thirds of the world's peoples are happy if they can find a piece of bread or any

## Minimum Tillage New Technique

Reduced air pollution, lower farming costs — these are two goals of a new farming technique being used by Texas conservation farmers. Called minimum tillage, the system limits cultural operations to only those essential to crop production.

Eph Cummins, district conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service at Robert Lee, said with minimum tillage farming, crops are planted directly into a mulch left undisturbed from the previous crop. Competition is controlled with herbicides. This system leaves a year long cover on the soil surface. Cover from dead stalks and leaves is one of the best known methods of reducing wind and water erosion.

Farmers using the system can eliminate three to five tractor trips across a field per crop. This not only saves time but it also reduces production costs. Some of these savings, however, are offset by herbicide costs.

Cotton yields generally have been increased by minimum tillage, especially on sandier soils. Grain sorghum yields have been about the same or slightly less.

Cummins listed three other major advantages of minimum tillage:

1. **Conserves moisture.** The protective mulch of crop residues keeps the soil cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter. This reduces evaporation.

2. **Better seedling survival.** Surface residues protect young seedlings from wind damage or from being covered by soil dislodged during heavy rains.

3. **Increase wildlife food and cover.** Stalks, leaves and scattered seed left on the soil surface greatly benefit quail, dove and deer.

Most farmers adapt equipment on hand for minimum tillage farming. Flex planters, coulters, and packer wheels are usually mounted on double or triple tool bar hook-ups for planting in surface mulchs.

Soil Conservation Service technicians, working through the local Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District can help farmers plan minimum tillage farming systems.

scrap of meat to help them survive from one day to the next.

Because of the production efficiencies of agricultural producers, food in this country is in abundant supply and is of top quality. We are the only nation in the world that can produce enough for ourselves and have leftovers for the rest of the world.

This has not come about by accident. It is the quiet revolution that has been going on around us without fanfare or notice by consumers. Ample food production is this nation's greatest blessing. Agricultural producers have constantly been increasing production. This is one of the major reasons food is still one of the best bargains in our economy today.

Consider these facts as they relate to farm prices before blaming the farmer for high costs of food:

Farm prices for food are up only six per cent from 20 years ago.

The farmer gets only 40 cents out of each dollar spent on food; the rest goes for transportation, processing, packaging and marketing.

During the last quarter of 1972 the average American family

spent only 15.8 per cent of his income after taxes for food. Even with increases in early 1973, the level is about 16 per cent. Compare this with 23 per cent 20 years ago.

Farm production costs have more than doubled in the past 20 years; hired help is up two and a half times higher than 20 years ago while farm machinery has more than doubled.

Average wage rates per hour of non-farm production workers averaged \$1.33 per hour; in 1972 they averaged \$3.65 per hour; in 1973 it was up to \$3.78 per hour.

While retail food prices went up 33 per cent from 1965 through 1972, per capita income was increasing 62 per cent.

SINCE 1950 if prices received by farmers for cattle had risen at the same rate as first class postage, cattle would now bring \$72 per hundred pounds. Had cattle prices risen at the same rate as hospital care costs, cattle would now bring \$179.69 per hundred pounds.

Although farm prices have shown some increases in recent months, agricultural income is still below the rest of the economy. Parity — that figure used to show how agriculture is faring with the rest of the economy — is about 80 per cent, still 20 per cent under the rest of the economy.

The prices the cattlemen get today for their livestock are only slightly higher than they were receiving 20 years ago.

Only six commodities are currently above parity; all others are at price levels below that ratio.

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### Wind and hard work help make clean air . . .

According to a recent survey of urban pollution, the 10 cities with the cleanest air — not "squeaky clean," but cleanest — all have two things in common: natural ventilation, provided by regular winds, and active citizen organizations dedicated to fighting pollution. Three of the top 10 are in Texas — Dallas, Houston, and San Antonio, which came out number one. The other seven are San Francisco, California; Boston, Massachusetts (the only East Coast city to make the grade); Seattle, Washington; Kansas City, Missouri; Memphis, Tennessee; Columbus, Ohio; and, in the same state, surprisingly, Toledo, located on the edge of over-polluted Lake Erie. The cities were rated by the Mitre Corporation, which, on contract to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), determined a National Air Quality Index which measures both particulate matter (such as dust, mist, ash, smoke, and fumes) and pollutant gases.

Every city, except Boston, depends on natural gas for both heating and electricity generation; all but Houston have eliminated incineration as a method of destroying garbage, choosing landfill as the alternative. These, however, are not without their drawbacks. There is a serious shortage of natural gas, for example, and unless new supplies are found,

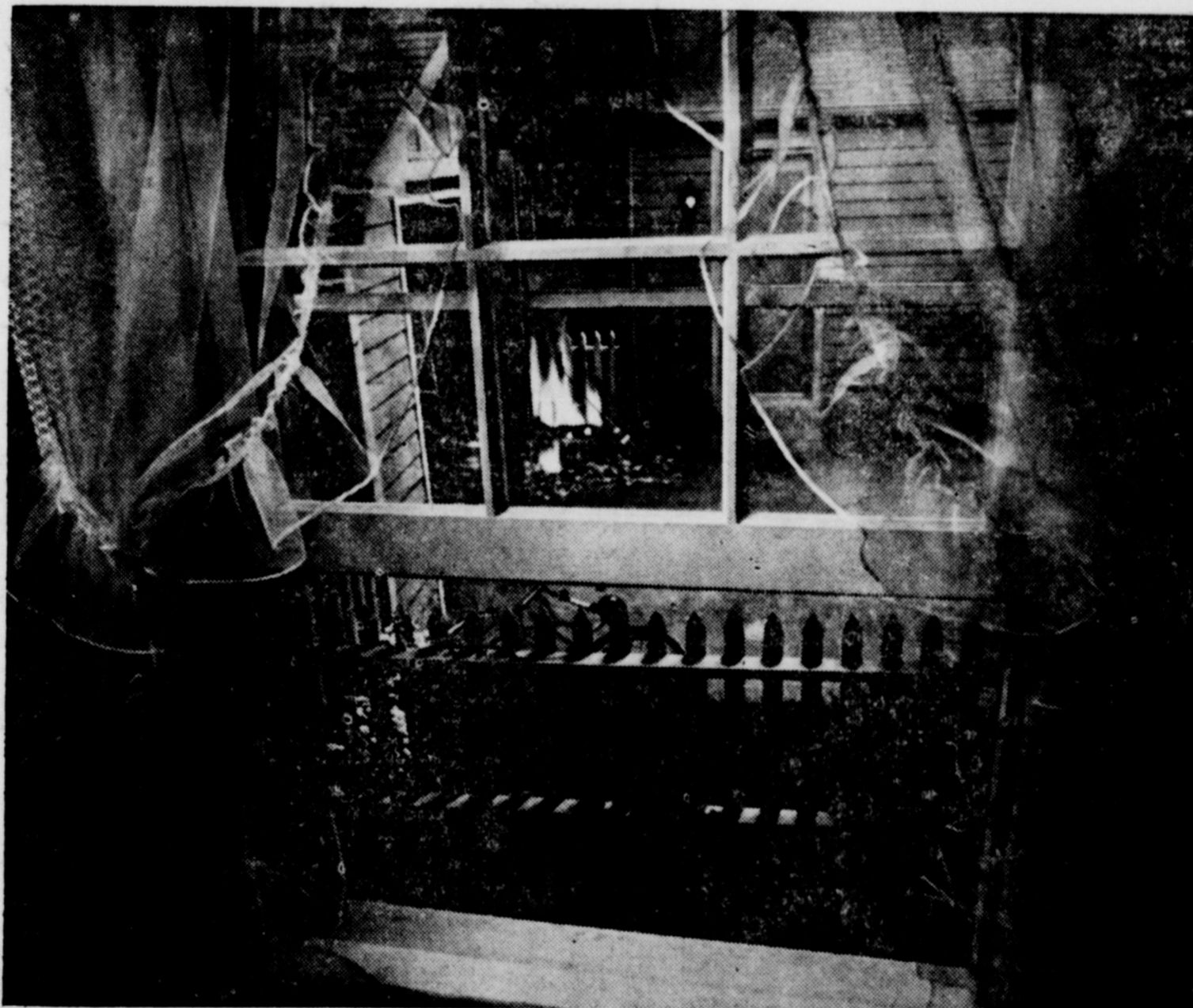
its consumption may have to be restricted. And sanitary landfills often present problems of earth settling and ground seepage. Besides, many cities are running out of sites that can be filled in with garbage.

Undaunted, and convinced that alternatives can be found when needed, the top 10 have taken long strides in reducing industrial emissions and are planning action against the nation's number one polluter — the automobile. Many also have established centers for recycling glass, cans, and paper. Columbus, for example, has 10 such centers — organized by a group called Waste Watchers.

If your city isn't on the list, and you'd like it to be, try writing your local government air pollution control office, or the local branch of the League of Women Voters, or the National Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association. If you can't find a local office to contact, write either: The League of Women Voters, 1730 M Street N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, or National Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, 1740 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10022.

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# NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Zena McCarty

The Robert I. Browns visited with Mr. and Mrs. James H. Manning and children at George AFB near Victorville, Calif. TSgt. Manning is on assignment to go to Korea in December. The family plans to stay in Texas while he is away. On the way to California, the Browns visited the Ed Hoeckendorfs in Midland. Points of interest which they visited while

away were Calico Mountain, the Old Silver Mine Ghost Town, Magic Mt., Ventura and the beach and the Roy Rogers Museum in Victorville.

Tom Green is at it again. This time the story goes that his game hen found an opening into his pickup camper and began setting a nest of eggs. The hen has now hatched eight chicks, but not before she accompanied Green on numerous trips to the farm, to the river for fishing, and one trip to San Angelo. At first he didn't know she was setting in the camper—then the idea grew on him and he pampered her and she proudly remained queen of the camper

until her brood hatched.

Mrs. A. N. Rawlings and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rawlings attended a wedding shower for Linda Meador in Abilene last weekend. They all stayed with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore went to Eldorado Sunday where an early birthday dinner honored Mr. Ditmore in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnis. The Raymond Ditmores of Abilene also were present.

Burgess Dunn is home from the Bronte Nursing Home and is improving.

Mrs. W. T. Green and Mrs. A. D. McCarty visited Mrs. Katie James Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gann of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feil visited the W. Wuemlings at Grape Creek.

Weekend visitors of Lance and Nancy McCarty were Bill Grant of Bronte and Shonda Elliott.

Ricky and Nicky Patton of San Angelo stayed from Thursday to Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hill. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Patton visited Sunday afternoon and took the boys home.

Mrs. Creek and children visited Mrs. Katie James Sunday.

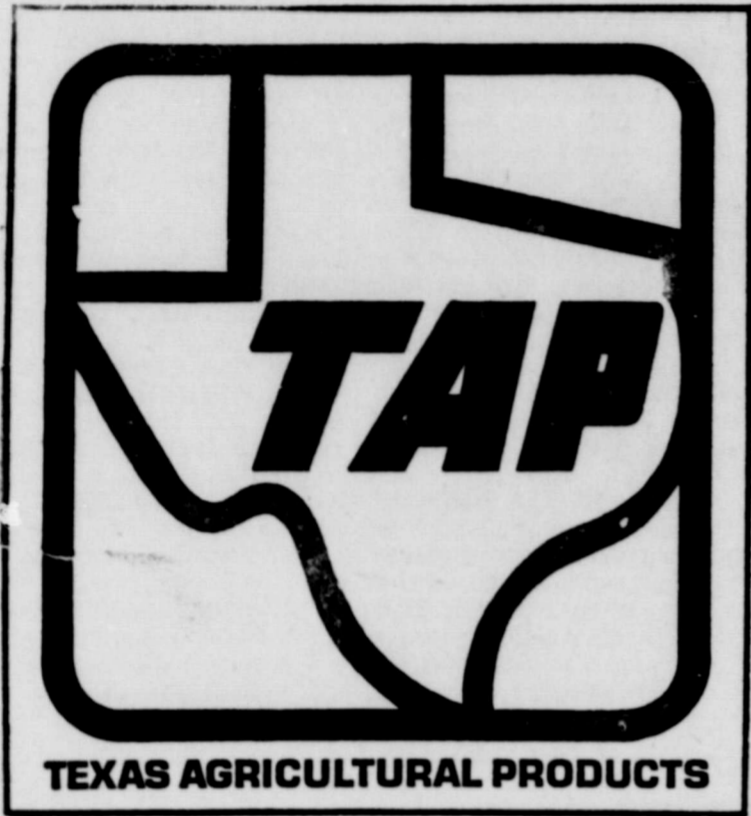
Friday visitors of the W. H. Thomases were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reeves of Bronte and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas and children of Eden came for a visit.

The Jack Corleys visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vanzandt in San Angelo Friday evening.

Sunday visitors of the Roy Bakers were Melvin Teague and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kelley and Jackie of Miles, Louis Baker Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hendricks of Rowena visited Saturday.

Visiting the A. D. McCartys Sunday were Mrs. Jim Coppedge and Pamela.

Word was received that Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle, mother of Mrs. Robert I. Brown, is in Hendrick's Hospital in Abilene.



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## Youth Rescues Drowning Boy

Joe Fred Easley, 13, of Bronte was responsible for rescuing a boy from Whitewright who almost drowned in Oak Creek Lake on April 1. The local youth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Easley. The name of the Whitewright lad was not learned, but he was at the lake with his parents and grandparents when the incident occurred. He got into deep water and had gone under two times. Joe Fred jumped in without removing his clothes or shoes and swam to the boy. He pulled the youngster out before any of his relatives could get to him.

## '69 STUDY CLUB HAS MEETING IN ANGELO

'69 Study Club members held their meeting Monday night in San Angelo. The group first dined at Furr's Cafeteria.

Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett was in charge of the program and took the members to the "House of Velvet" where many paintings were viewed. The Filburns, in whose home the art gallery is located, have imported paintings, frames of any size and variety, and Mr. Filburn's paintings done on both canvas and velvet.

Those attending were Mmes. Martin Lee, Luckett, C. N. Webb Jr., Bonnie Hambricht, Glenn Skelton, Bobby Hart, Wayne Artrott and Donald Bailey.

## Miles Winner In District Track

Miles was the big gun in the District 9-B track meet held last Thursday in San Angelo. The Bulldogs stacked up 102 points to take the top spot. Bronte came in seventh and Gary Skelton placed second in two events to gain spots in regional competition this weekend in Lubbock.

Skelton and Alan Barbee chalked up 32 points for BHS.

Events in which the Longhorns placed were:

100 Yard Dash: 3. Skelton; 5. Barbee.  
330 Yard Hurdles: 5. Barbee.  
220 Yard Dash: 2. Skelton, 23.3.  
Shot Put: 3. Skelton.  
Discus: 2. Skelton, 118-6.

## Mrs. Gailey New NAPNES Prexy

Marguerite H. Gailey, LVN, AA, Ph. D., past president of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Texas, and currently employed as Personnel-Inservice Director and Assistant Nursing Home Administrator of Baptist Memorial Geriatric Center in San Angelo, has been elected president of the National Association for Practical Nurse Education and Service, Inc., for the 1973-1975 term. She has just completed serving four years as first vice president of NAPNES. Mrs. Gailey is the first Texan ever to serve in this capacity, and the second LPN/LVN in the nation ever to be elevated to the presidency of the national organization.

Mrs. Gailey is well known in Bronte, having been employed at Bronte Hospital several years ago. She is a member of Division 58 of LVNA which includes Bronte, Ballinger, Robert Lee and Winters.

Mrs. Gailey, a native of San Angelo, is past chairman of the Council of State Presidents of NAPNES. She has served as a responsible leader in such organizations as PTA, Girl Scout, Home Demonstration Club, Toastmistress Club, Business and Professional Women's Club and the Rebekah Assembly where she became past president in 1970 and received the Decoration of Chivalry, the highest recognition accorded women by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. She has been active in many phases of the work of her church, the First Baptist Church of San Angelo.

Mrs. Gailey is a college and business college graduate, a graduate of Air Service Command Supervisory Training School, and holds an honorary doctorate degree in philosophy. She has been active in medical and nursing fields since 1950. In 1952 she became a Licensed Vocational Nurse and has served in all areas of nursing. Immediately before assuming her present position Mrs. Gailey was assistant to the director of nursing at Baptist Memorial. She is listed in Who's Who Among American Women, Southern Personalities, and Two Thousand Women of Achievement and was the recipient of the 1969 Leadership of America Award.

After serving as a member of the organizational committee for Division 58, LVNA, Bronte-Ballinger, Mrs. Gailey was elected first president of the division. She served two years on the State Nominating Committee and was active in the Council of Presidents before being elected to the State Board of Directors. In 1964 she became president of LVNA of Texas. The 3500 member organization, as well as the State of Texas, is honored by the election of Mrs. Gailey as president of the National Association with which it is affiliated.

## Book Parade Scheduled for Saturday

The '69 Study Club will sponsor a Book Parade Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Bronte School. Following the judging, the youngsters will parade to the downtown area at approximately 10:30 a.m.

To enter the event a child should read a book and plan a costume like one of the characters in the book.

There will be three divisions

for boys and three for girls: Division I, kindergarten and first grade; Division II, second and third grades; Division III, fourth through sixth grades. Prizes will be awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bell of Texas City spent last weekend here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bell Jr.

## An Open Letter:

I am taking this means of saying "thank you" to everyone for their warm support and for their vote in our school trustee election. I am so pleased at the response that I plan to again enter a race for public office at an early opportunity. In the meantime, I hope to meet everyone and personally express my gratitude.

A. D. McCarty

## BRONTE LIONS CLUB ANNUAL

# Broom Sale

Saturday, April 14

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# HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rocky Thompson

### Lunchroom Menu

Monday, April 16: Pizza, corn, lettuce and sand tarts.

Tuesday, April 17: Ham, creamed potatoes, English peas, celery, bread and Jello.

Wednesday, April 18: Sandwiches, lettuce, pickles, potato chips and oatmeal cookies.

Thursday, April 19: Beans, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, donuts and corn bread.

Friday, April 20: Porcupine meat balls, salad, green beans, bread and cobbler.

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a steak dinner March 26 at the Humble Camp Rec Hall, honoring Mrs. E. T. Ware on her becoming a KOP. Eleven members and one guest were present.

Mrs. Oran Powell was crowned "Queen of the Year." Games were led by Mrs. Roselee Aabo.

Attending were Mmes. Ware, Powell, Aaro, Bill Hamaton, Maue Acaine, Margie Donica, Shirley Hall, Edward Poehls, Maxine Pritcnard, Pete Beck, Gienda Bryan and one guest, Mrs. Jean Owens.

Mrs. Lada Palmer is a patient in Bronte Hospital.

### WmU Meets

The WMU met at the First Baptist Church Thursday afternoon of last week with nine ladies attending and Mrs. Thelma Smith presiding.

Following the business session a Stewardship Program was given by Mrs. Lewis Johnson.

Attending were Mmes. Smith, Vera Bryant, Willie Burwick, Johnson, E. K. Finley, Eula Nabors, Jackie Steed, Oran Powell and Ninnie Kinard.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevenson were their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox Jr. of Eastland; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Henman; and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Cerveny and children, all of Weatherford. They all helped Mrs. Stevenson celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Lea Gaston visited Wednesday through Saturday with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaston at Maryneal.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor and Mrs. Ray Lee visited Saturday with Mrs. Vivian Taylor who is a patient in Shannon Hospital.

Mrs. Bruce Holland and children visited Saturday afternoon with Miss Montie Bagley in the Bronte Nursing Home.

Mrs. Daisy Henderson is a patient in Bronte Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Van Zandt, Mrs. Bama Sliger and Mrs. Vera Bryant attended a singing at Maryneal Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Alexander. At intermission, Mrs. Bryant was honored with a surprise birthday party on her 77th birthday.

### Honored on Birthday

Angela Ware and Robin Michaelis of Wingate were honored with a birthday party Saturday afternoon, on their fourth birthdays by their mothers, Mrs. Jerry Ware and Mrs. Nancy Michaelis, in the home of Mrs. Ware.

A lady bug theme was used in invitations and cakes.

Refreshments were served to Don Ware, Michael Michaelis, Brad Connel, Troy, Tammy and Betty McAllister, Dana Ware, Charlena and Dalton Powell and Allison Alcorn of Winters, and the honorees, Angela and Robin, and

to several adults.

The children hunted Easter eggs, painted rocks and pined eyes on the lady bug.

### UMW Meets

The UMW met Monday in the home of Mrs. Lee Alderman. Mrs. Stan Cosby was co-hostess.

A short business session was held with Mrs. Cecil Smith presiding. Program was entitled "Personal Mission," given by Mrs. R. Q. Spence, assisted by Mrs. Josie Hipp.

Refreshments of carrot cake, pink lemonade and snack crackers were served to Mmes. T. A. Carlisle, Austin Jordan, Hipp, Cosby, Elna Sweet, R. Q. Spence, Savannah Thompson, Smith and Alderman.

Sunday visitors of the Oran Powell family were their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnes of San Angelo; Mrs. Powell's sister, Mrs. A. O. White and Terry of Divide; Mrs. Damon Owens and children of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Heard, Lou Ann Wells of Divide, and Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis and children of Blackwell.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ware and children were Hank Martin of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Cook, Shelia and Bryan of Midkiff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raney, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Raney of Bronte and Mrs. W. A. Hazelwood of Sweetwater spent the weekend in Austin with Mrs. Hazelwood's son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hazelwood Jr., who hosted a reunion for the Raney's and their sisters.

"The Teen Group" from Abilene Christian College were present at the 6 p.m. services Sunday at the Blackwell Church of Christ. After the regular services the group presented special music. Several from Blackwell Methodist Church attended. "The Teen Group" was 25 who came to sing.

Mission Friends met Tuesday morning at the Baptist Church with 14 children and two teachers present.

Girls in Action met Wednesday afternoon with 16 girls and two teachers present.

J. O. Raney and H. C. Raney of Bronte received word Monday of the death of their brother-in-law, Dr. Phillip Wray of Dallas. Funeral services are pending at Cates-Spencer Funeral Home in Sweetwater. Mrs. Wray is the former Leona Raney of Blackwell.

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## Blackwell Junior-Senior Banquet Held

By Mrs. Rocky Thompson

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet for Blackwell High School was held March 30 at 8 p.m. at Luby's Cafeteria in San Angelo.

The program began with the welcome given by Shelia Romine and response by Tommy Biedsoe. Mary Beth Johnson gave the invocation.

After the dinner was served the Class Prophecy was given by Barbara Saunders and the Last Will and Testament was given by Marilyn Jarvis. Mary Beth Johnson recited "The Remember When" and the benediction was given by Jim Bob Watts. Master of ceremonies was Tom Tate.

Members of the senior class who were honorees at the banquet are: Jim Bob Watts, Ricky Gene Conradt, Tommy Bledsoe, James Earl Thompson, Randy Chapman, Eugene Scott, Richard Scott, Retha Myrl Sissom, Marilyn Jarvis and Treva Phariss.

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Proverbs 26:20-24

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Our Newsletter

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

A modern day town meeting can describe the annual legislative seminar sponsored by the New Braunfels Chamber of Commerce. A few days ago the seventh such meeting took place in that city's beautiful and spacious community center, with Herb Petry as moderator. Several hundred attended.

Such meetings are most commendable. The March 23 session attracted such dignitaries as Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who addressed the community luncheon; Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby; Speaker of the House Price Daniel Jr., and others.

Questions and answers featured the all day legislative sessions. Participants include: Senators Betty Andujar of Fort Worth, Pete Snelson of Midland, and Nelson Wolff of San Antonio, along with State Representatives Benny Bock of New Braunfels and Tim Von Dohlen of Goliad.

Congressman Henry Gonzalez and I formed the panel to answer questions relating to the Congress. Jack Ohlrich of New Braunfels acted as chairman of the day's function.

One gets the impression from such gatherings that people are able to obtain answers to many live questions, and the occasion serves to stimulate interest in the search for better solutions for the issues of the day at all levels of government.

An addition to the usual agenda this year was a Constitutional Revision panel, composed of Leon Jaworski, past president of the American Bar Association; Dean Page Keeton, Texas University Law School president; and former U. S. Senator Ralph Yarborough.

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ASSETS

Cash and due from banks (including \$5,117.27 unposted debits)	\$ 557,851.47
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Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	562,741.39
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Other securities (including \$6,000.00 corporate stock)	6,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	600,000.00
Loans	1,897,823.12
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	24,538.97
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$4,983,762.57</b>

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Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,468,356.07
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Total demand deposits	\$2,772,221.23
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**RUNNELS BAPTIST ASSN. TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT**

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet Monday, April 16, at First Baptist Church in Ballinger. The WMU and board meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. and supper will be served at 6:30. The evening program will start at 7 p.m. and conclude at 9 p.m. The program will be a Vacation Bible School Clinic.

An Enterprise Want Ad will sell it!

**ELECTIONS —**  
Continued from Page 1

lected 127 votes to win a place on the board. He will replace E. F. Glenn who didn't run for reelection.

Royce Lee picked up 305 votes for county school trustee at large. Lewis Heuvel of Robert Lee received 17 writeins for the position. Jim Morrow is the new county trustee from Precinct 2, receiving 85 votes, and C. E. Arrott got 26 votes to reelect him from Precinct 4.

**BROOM SALE —**  
Continued from Page 1

also planned. An ad in this issue of The Enterprise lists all the items which will be on sale. Readers are requested to go over the list and check the items needed.

Sales of blind-made products have been held here for many years and always have been most successful. The Rev. Harry Morris, president of the club, invited all area residents to patronize the Lions Club Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale and Lindy Butler visited Sunday in Fort Stockton with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale, and children.

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**BHS Sportsmen To Be Honored**

All participants in high school athletics will be honored Monday night when the annual All-Sports Banquet will be held. The affair will be held in the old gym, beginning at 7 p.m.

Jerry Phillips, boys basketball coach at Sonora, will be the main speaker on the evening's program. Glenn Skelton, president of the Bronte Athletic Booster Club, will serve as master of ceremonies.

Following the catered meal, will be the program. All participants in high school athletics will be recognized.

Glenn Sims entered Shannon Hospital early Wednesday for treatment of an old back injury. He was to be put in traction for several days.

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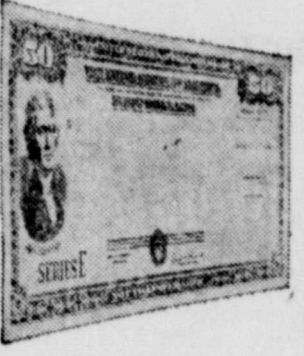
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