

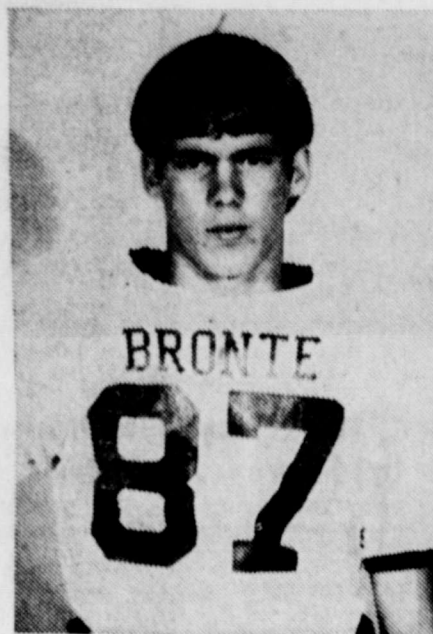
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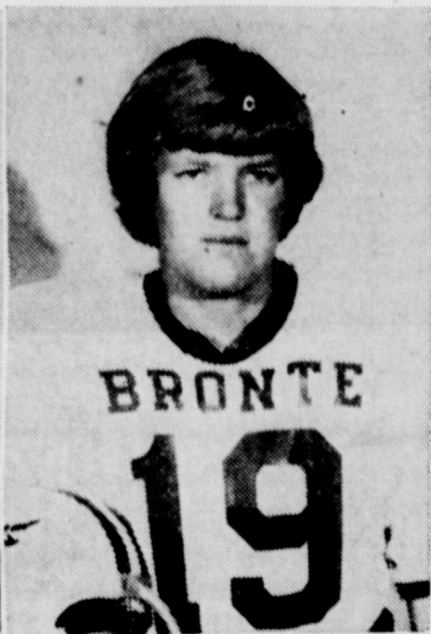
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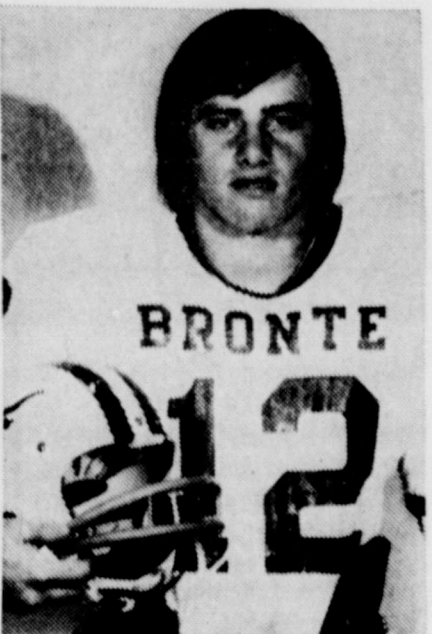
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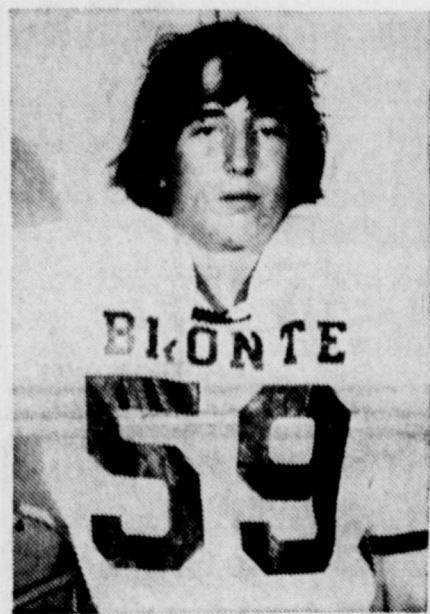
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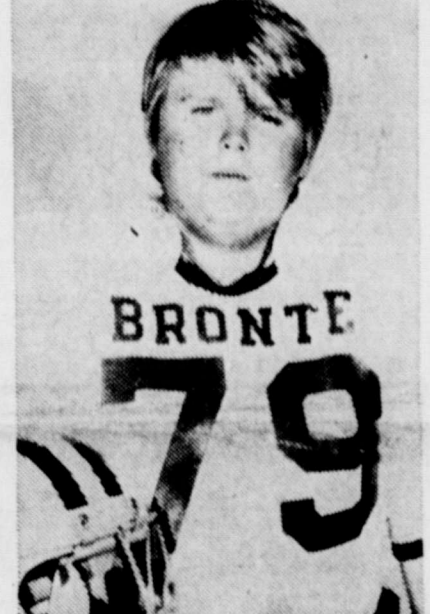
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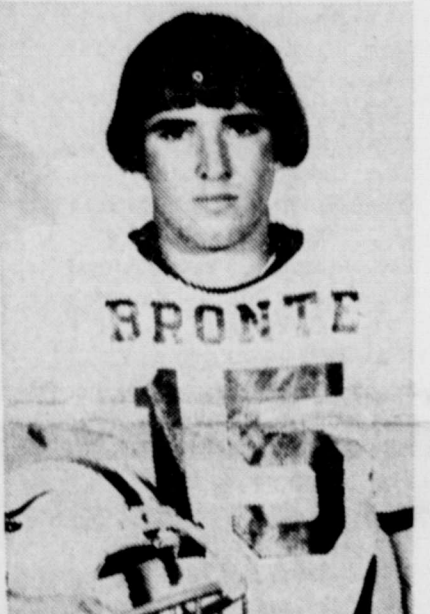
Nelson Coulter



Kit Carlton



Clint Porter



Wayne Alexander

Honors were heaped on the 1974 Bronte Longhorn team during the past week when District 3-B all-district teams and Class B all-West Texas teams were announced.

The Longhorns were selected for 11 of the 22 spots on the first offensive and defensive teams. Five Longhorns were named to two-way positions with a spot on both teams.

Sophomore Clint Porter was offensive and defensive tackle; junior Nelson Coulter, quarterback and defensive end; senior Kit Carlton, center and linebacker; senior Jim Dan Raughton, receiver and defensive back; and senior Alan Barbee, running back and defensive back.

Senior Wayne Alexander made up the other slot captured by the Longhorns when he was named a defensive back.

The complete District 3-B selections were:

First Team — Offense

Center: Kit Carlton, senior, Bronte.

Guard: Steve Burleson, senior, Rowley; Norman Hall, senior, Jayton.

Tackle: Clinton Porter, sophomore, Bronte; Bud Stevens, ju-

nior, Foran; Ronny Hord, senior, Sterling City.

Receiver: Jim Dan Raughton, senior, Bronte; Allen Kealey, senior, Jayton.

Quarterback: Nelson Coulter, junior, Bronte.

Running Back: Alan Barbee, senior, Bronte; Mark Fincher, ju-

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Robert Dee Bledsoe

Cantata Planned At First Baptist

A Christmas Cantata will be presented by churches of Bronte Sunday night at the First Baptist Church. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

The entire program will be musical, with no preaching scheduled.

A social will be held following the program for all the youths of the community.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Bledsoe Receives Degree in Nursing

Robert Dee Bledsoe, son of Mrs. J. D. Taylor of Blackwell and Col. (ret.) T. D. Bledsoe of San Angelo, will be commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army Nurse Corps following graduation on Dec. 20.

He participated in the Army Nurse Corps program for the last two years at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth to fulfill requirements for his baccalaureate degree in professional nursing. He will report to the Academy of Health Science at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio in January.

Robert is a 1969 graduate of Blackwell High School and received an Associate Degree in Nursing from Angelo State University in August 1972. While attending ASU and TCU, he was honored for scholarship and received recognition for being on the Dean's Honor Roll.

Christmas Dance Set Monday Night

A Christmas dance for the young people of the area will be held Monday night in the Recreation Center in Bronte Park. Music will be furnished by Dakota, a group composed Rodney Gardner and Joe Basquez, formerly of Bronte, Bill Hitt and Dennis Young. They specialize in country western and rock.

The affair will start at 8 p.m. and be concluded at 12 midnight. Price of admission is \$1.50 per person or \$2.50 per couple.

A number of adult sponsors will be on hand at all times and adults are invited, also.

A spokesman said all teens are urged to attend for a night of good fun and good music.

Boys 1st In Local Tournament

Bronte's first high school basketball tournament in many years was termed a big success as top honors went to the Longhorns and the girls team took second place. Blackwell boys came out in second place and the girls from Robert Lee were winners of the girls big trophy. Meritzen boys and Christoval girls won consolation honors.

Friday Funeral For Mrs. Emerson

Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Emerson, 81, will be held at 3 p.m. today (Friday) in the First Baptist Church in Bronte. Officiating will be the Rev. C. R. Blake, former pastor of the church, and the Rev. M. E. Patterson, pastor of Central Baptist Church. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

Mrs. Emerson was born April 14, 1893, in Hamilton County, but had lived in Coke County most of her life. She was a charter member of the Bronte Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include two brothers, R. S. Walton of Bronte and D. C. Walton of Tyler; four sisters Mrs. J. A. Caldwell, Mrs. D. D. Kiker and Mrs. W. D. McDonald, all of San Angelo, and Mrs. H. W. Snyder of Snyder.

Palbearers will be Elroy Butler, W. H. Maxwell Jr., Pete Gentry, Charles Sims, Don Edmiston and E. F. Glenn.

Boys Division

The boys took an easy 74-34 decision from Christoval in their opening game. Wayne Alexander was top scorer with 20; Alan Barbee had 17; Jim Dan Raughton 11; Kit Carlton 8; Marvin Ensor 6; Bobby Bailey 5; Nelson Coulter 4; Randy Parker 3.

The Horns won their second game with Roscoe 62-32. Top point maker was Barbee with 13; Alexander, Coulter and Raughton all hit for 10; Bailey 7; Carlton 6; Ensor 6.

In the finals it was Bronte 67, Blackwell 48. Raughton hit 21 to lead the scoring for his team; Barbee made 13; Alexander 12; Bailey 12; Coulter 7; Ensor 2.

Helm of Blackwell was high man for the game with 24; Ely 10; Jarvis 6; Connel 6; Francis 2.

Girls Division

The Bronte girls whipped Christoval 58-38 in their opening contest. Shelley Cumbie was top scorer with 20; Kim Glascock hit 12; Sherrie Coalson 10; Shelene Tidwell 9; Leah Barbee 6; Norma Thompson 1.

In their second game the girls whammed Roscoe 59-28. Coalson was the big gun with 27; Barbee had 13; Cumbie 11; Debra Hibbs 6; Glascock 2.

In the championship finals, the girls fell to Robert Lee 56-48. Coalson had a big 31; Glascock 7; Barbee 6; Hibbs 4.

The Bronte girls got revenge Tuesday night for the defeat Robert Lee handed them Saturday. The local lassies hosted the girls from the west side and defeated

them 54-43. Coalson made 22; Cumbie 11; Barbee 11; Hibbs 10.

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DAKOTA — The music group shown here will play for the Christmas dance Monday night in the Bronte Recreation Center. From top they are Bill Hitt, drums and vocal; center left, Joe Basquez, lead guitar and

vocal; center right, Dennis Young, bass and vocal; bottom right, Rodney Gardner and Dennis Young, guitar and lead vocals. Dakota has become a very popular group over a wide area of West Texas.

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Cinnamon Streusel Cake Holiday Treat

(Editor's note: The following recipe was submitted by Connie Lee, home economist for Adams Extract Co. of Austin and the wife of Royce L. Lee, formerly of Bronte. Mrs. Lee said this makes a delightful cake.)

- BATTER**
- 1½ cups Sugar
 - ¾ cup Shortening
 - 3 large Eggs
 - 4½ cups Flour
 - ¼ tsp. Salt
 - 1½ tsp. Baking Soda
 - 2 Tbls. Baking Powder
 - 1 tsp. Adams Almond Extract
 - 1 Tbl. "Adams Best" Vanilla
 - 1 Tbl. Adams Lemon Extract
 - 4 tsp. Adams Butter flavoring
 - 2¼ cups Buttermilk

- STREUSEL**
- 1 cup Sugar
 - 4 tsp. Adams Purified Cinnamon
 - ½ tsp. Adams Purified Nutmeg
 - 2 Tbl. Margarine, softened
- GLAZE**
- 5 tsp. Milk
 - ¼ tsp. Adams Almond Extract
 - ¼ tsp. "Adams Best" Vanilla
 - ½ tsp. Adams Lemon Extract
 - ½ tsp. Adams Butter Flavoring
 - 1½ cups Confectioner's Sugar sifted

BATTER: Preheat oven to 375 F. Cream sugar and shortening. Beat in eggs one at a time. Sift and measure flour; sift again with salt, baking soda and baking powder and set aside. Add almond extract, vanilla, lemon extract and butter flavoring to buttermilk and blend well. Add milk to batter alternating with flour; beat until smooth. Pour ¾ of batter into a 10 inch stem pan that has been lightly greased but not floured. Crumble ¾ of streusel over batter in pan; cover with remaining ¼ of batter and ¼ of streusel. Bake one hour or until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean. Allow cake to cool 30 minutes before removing from pan. Turn cake out and invert to streusel side up.

STREUSEL: Combine sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg. Blend in softened margarine. Crumble as

directed in batter directions.
GLAZE: Combine almond extract, vanilla, lemon extract and butter flavoring; add to confectioner's sugar and blend well. Drizzle over cooled cake.

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HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Mrs. Ina Mae McDonald and Mrs. Irene Ellis of Austin visited Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Lula Palmer and friends here. Another visitor was Mrs. Ray Alderman of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Sanderson left Thursday for Houston and a Christmas visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Anderson and children. Mrs. Anderson recently had surgery and was reported improving satisfactorily.

Mrs. Lea Gaston, Mrs. Beulah Chapman and Mrs. Mathie Romine visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gaston and children. Mrs. Clifford Gaston reported that her mother, Mrs. Lovie Parker of Snyder is improving since she fell Nov. 20 and broke her arm and hip.

Mrs. Sarah Alsop and Mark Hanna are patients in the Bronte Hospital and Mrs. Minnie Lamkin has been taken from Bronte Nursing Home to the Bronte Hospital.

Oscar Henderson has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Daisy Henderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brice.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Wilson visited Wednesday through Sunday with her grandson and family the Bill Wilsons of Nolan.

WMU Meeting

The WMU met at the First Baptist Church Dec. 12 with eight ladies attending. President Mrs. Harold Ely presided and Mrs. Thelma Smith gave a stewardship program entitled "Women of the New Testament."

Attending were Mmes. Ely, Ve-

ra Bryant, Olin Corley, E. K. Finley, Burwick, Gordon Montgomery, Smith and Ninnie Kinard.

All of the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Sanderson were home for Thanksgiving, including Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kiker, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard and daughter, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Anderson and children, Houston; and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sanderson and children, Blackwell. Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Harris, Arlington; Gary Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Frosty McKee and baby, Lubbock; Mrs. Alene Giles, Sterling City; and Mr. and Mrs. John English, Blackwell. They all attended services at the United Methodist Church Sunday morning and the McKees' baby was christened by Dr. English.

Twenty children attended the After School Bible Study Dec. 9. Teachers were Mrs. Olin Corley, Mrs. Thelma Smith and Mrs. Ben Noble. Mrs. Vera Bryant accompanied the children in their song service. They practiced for their Christmas program which will be held at 6 p.m. Dec. 22 at the First Baptist Church.

Visitors of Mrs. Flora Sanderson during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Patterson of Tucson, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Patterson of Amarillo.

UMW Meeting

United Methodist Women met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Elna Sweet with 13 present. President Mrs. Bruce Buchholz presided and Mrs. Sweet gave the program, "Ask About the Stars," written by Charles Robinson of ASU. She was assisted by Mmes. R. Q. Spence, John McRorey, Josie Hipp and Cecil Smith. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Lee Alderman, Fannie Mae Wilson, Jennings Lewis, Savannah Thompson, Austin Jordan, Buchholz, John English, Wanda Krezer, Spence, Hipp, McRorey, Smith and Sweet. Next meeting will be Jan. 13.

The Blackwell Community Sing was held Saturday night in the school auditorium with 50 present.

A Christmas program is scheduled for Friday (today) at 9:30 a.m. in the school auditorium. The public is invited.

Classes at Blackwell School will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 20 and will resume Jan. 6 at the regular time.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Norman and baby of Wilmore, Ky., visited here over the weekend. A former pastor here, Rev. Norman preached Sunday morning at the United Methodist Church.

Mmes. Savannah Thompson and Fannie Mae Wilson attended the Christmas dinner and tree held Monday night by Bronte HD Club in the Community Center.

Mrs. Vance Taylor and Mrs. Bruce Holland visited Thursday in Jayton with Mrs. Taylor's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Bill Perkins and children.

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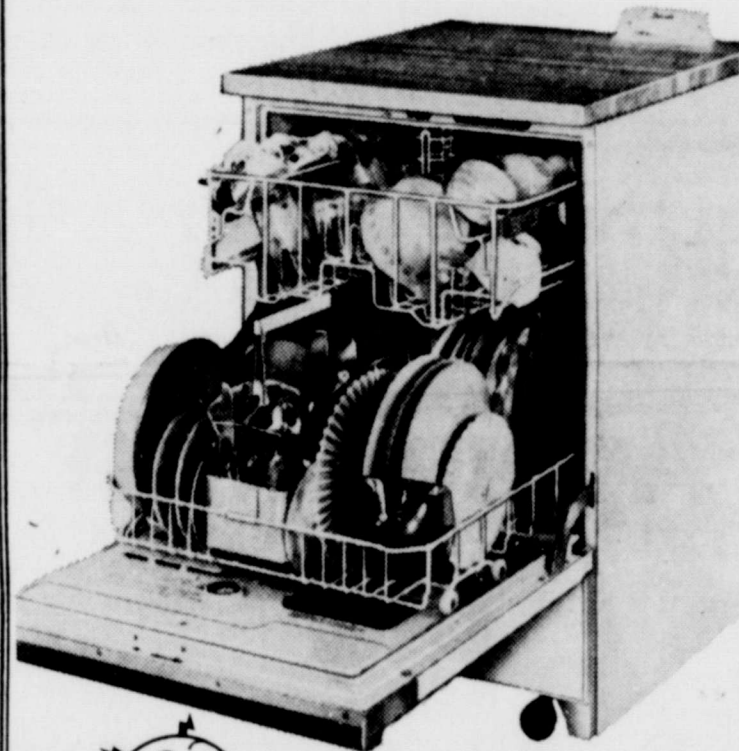
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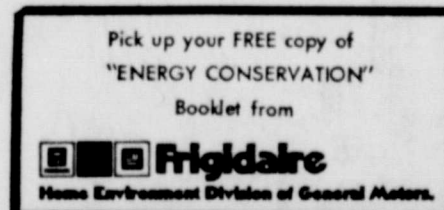
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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

A nice crowd enjoyed the Christmas tree Saturday night at Maverick Baptist Church. The group sang carols, refreshments were served and Santa gave everyone a bag of fruit and candy. Gifts were passed out from the Christmas tree which was fixed up by the young people of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ogilvy spent Sunday and Monday in San Angelo with her parents and at the bedside of her grandmother who is critically ill.

Spending Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. James Holland were Mrs. Marie Allen and Ronnie and John Johnson of San Angelo. Monday night the Hollands attended graduation exercises of their son, Tony, who had completed a Dyna Group course. Mrs. Holland and Mrs. David Canvil and Tryphonia spent Tuesday in Big Spring with Mrs. Holland's mother, Mrs. Dee Foster, who had just been released from a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith visited in San Angelo Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown. They attended the Tuesday funeral services for Lonnie Saunders in Winters.

Mildred Cope of Norton was transferred Friday from Bronte Hospital to Shannon Hospital. She was reported improved Saturday.

Mrs. Corene McCarty entertain-

ed Tuesday night with a party at her home. Games were played and refreshments served to Mmes. Bill Feil, Tom Green, Buck James, Herbert Holland, Robert Melvin Brown, Robert I. Brown, J. C. Boatright, Lewis Elliott, Leslie Reed, Bernie Lee McCarty and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown and girls of Iowa Park spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feil, and the Leon McCarty family.

Mrs. Gene Halamieck has been employed in the computer and bookkeeping department of Hempden-Wells in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Homer Clark last Sunday in Bronte.

Gene White visited in Ranger during the weekend.

Miss Ethel Hardy was recently admitted to the Manor Nursing Home in Bullinger.

EASTERN STAR HAS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Bronte Chapter 1048, Order of the Eastern Star, met in regular session Dec. 9 and had a Christmas party. Willie B. Milligan, Worthy Master, and Charles Ragsdale, Worthy Patron program, presided.

Hostesses for the social hour were Betty Green, Willie B. Milligan and Dian Coulter.

Earl D. (Pete) Nutter has been hospitalized in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo for several days.

An Enterprise Want Ad will sell it!

SENIOR CITIZENS HAVE PARTY

Thirty-nine persons attended a pot luck supper and program held Tuesday evening of last week for Bronte area senior citizens. The affair was hosted by the Coke County Advisory Board for the Aged.

Mrs. Margaret Martin, Coke County social worker for Tom Green County Community Action Program and Concho Valley Council of Governments, did her well known Minnie Pearl act following the supper.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

ORDER FOR ELECTION OF DIRECTORS, COKE COUNTY KICKAPOO WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1.

This 19th day of November, 1974, came to be considered by the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, the matter of calling an election for the purpose of electing three (3) directors for said district to serve a term of two (2) years from the second Tuesday in January, 1975; and it appearing to said directors of said district that it would be advisable to hold said election of directors on the 14th day of January, 1975, the same being the second Tuesday in January, 1975, and that the directors of said district issue an order therefor and cause public notice to be given as required by law.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, said Directors do hereby order that on the 14th day of January, 1975, at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, County of Coke, State of Texas, an election shall be held for the purpose of electing three Directors of said District.

That the polls shall be open for such election at the City Hall in the City of Bronte, Texas, located in said district, from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on the day of election; and the following officer to hold said election hereby is appointed, to-wit, Noah Pruitt, Presiding Judge. Said Presiding Judge is hereby given authority to hold said election. No person shall vote at such election unless he is a resident voter of said district and also a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas. All votes of such election shall be by ballot, and voters desiring to vote for Directors of the District shall vote for three persons each of whom shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age, a resident of said District and an owner of taxable property in the District.

On or before the fifth day after such election, the officers holding such election shall make due returns, in triplicate, of all the votes cast for Directors of said District, and deliver one (1) return to the President of the District and one (1) to the Secretary.

Public notice of this Order shall be given by publication thereof in The Bronte Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Coke County, Texas, the publication of this Order being once a week for two consecutive weeks, with the first publication being at least twenty (20) days prior to the election and not more than thirty-five (35) days prior thereto.

WITNESS THE HAND of the President and Secretary of the Directors of Coke County Kickapoo Water Control & Improvement District No. 1.

Carroll Robbins
President
Royce Fancher
Secretary



New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Crain of Blackwell became parents of a baby daughter, Kelli Angela, born Dec. 3 in Shannon Hospital at San Angelo. She weighed 6 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kothetek of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crain of Blackwell. Mrs. Crain is a teacher in Divide School at Nolan and Mr. Crain is employed by Nolan County.

GIRL SCOUT REPORT

The Bronte Junior Girl Scouts met Tuesday afternoon and completed Christmas presents they made for their parents. Later they went to the nursing home and sang Christmas carols for the folks who live there. They enjoyed the singing very much and didn't want to leave. —Caroline Taylor, reporter

Water District Calls Election

An election has been called for Jan. 14 to name three directors for the Coke County Kickapoo Water Control and Improvement District No. 1. The voting will take place at the City Hall in Bronte with Noah Pruitt Sr. serving as presiding judge.

Terms of Preston Davis, Royce Fancher and Carroll Robbins will expire next month. Davis and Fancher are running for another two year term on the board, but Robbins declined to run again. James Allen has been petitioned to run in Robbins' place.

Holdover directors who have another year to serve are L. W. Duncan and Louis Galloway.

Main business of the water district is the operation of the flood control dams on the Kickapoo Creeks north and west of Bronte. Directors pointed out how well the structures worked during the extremely heavy rains of early fall. In spite of the unusual rainfall, no flooding was reported.

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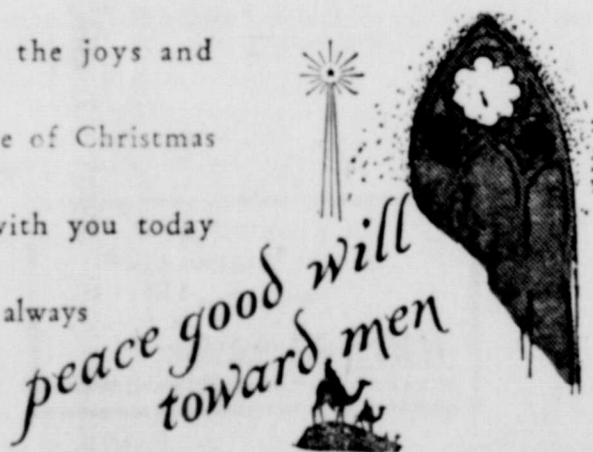
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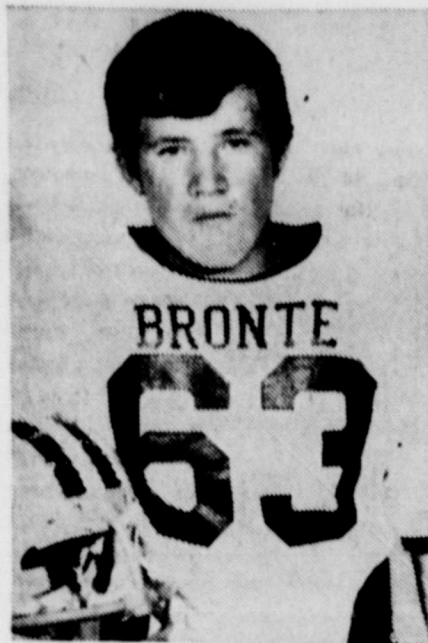
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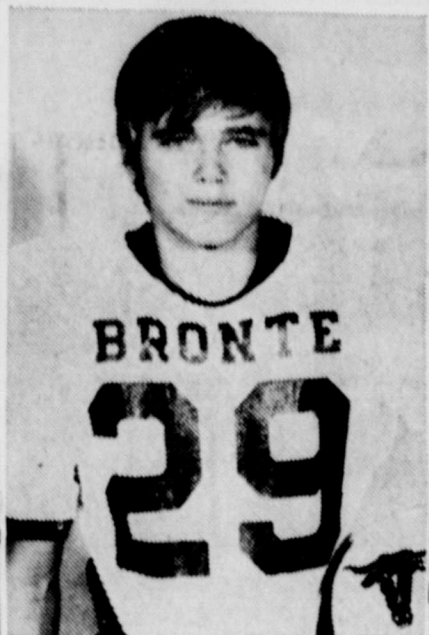
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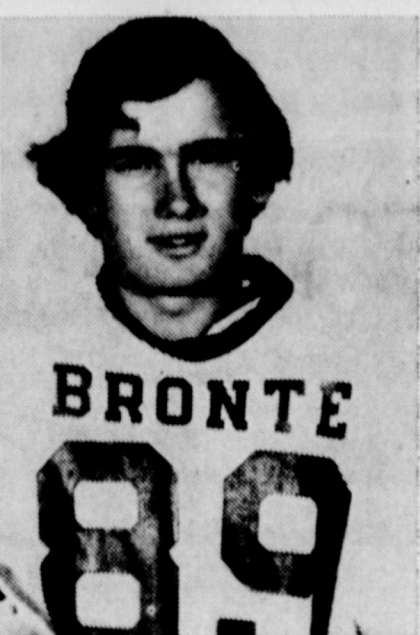
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Kerwin Denton



Marvin Ensor



Bobby Bailey

ALL-DISTRICT TEAM —
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rior, Jayton; Jeff Copeland, junior, Sterling City.

Honorable Mention — Offense

Center: Tim Yeats, senior, Forsan; Bruce Vinson, senior, Hawley; Mike Lee, senior, Lorraine; Tom Kilpatrick, senior, Sterling City.

Guard: Shad Holcomb, senior Roby; David Zant, senior, Sands; Ross Hord, sophomore, Sterling City; Kerwin Denton, junior Bronte.

Tackle: Phil Ray, junior, Hawley.

Receiver: Bob Bailey, senior Bronte; Jeff Merket, sophomore Lorraine; Jay Jennings, junior, Roby.

Running Back: Wesley Thixton, senior, Forsan; Landon Soles, senior, Forsan; Tony Puck, junior, Hawley; Gilbert Brown, senior, Roby; Russell Davis, senior, Sterling City.

First Team — Defense

Guard: Steve Burleson, senior, Hawley; Renny Hord, senior, Sterling City.

Tackle: Clinton Porter, sophomore, Bronte; Brad Stevens, junior, Forsan; Allen Kelley, senior, Jayton.

End: Nelson Coulter, junior, Bronte; Jeff Copeland, junior, Sterling City.

Linebacker: Kit Orrton, senior, Bronte; Landon Soles, senior, Forsan; Russell Davis, senior, Sterling City.

Secondary: Jim Dan Raughton, senior, Bronte; Alan Barbee, senior, Bronte; Wayne Alexander, senior, Bronte.

Honorable Mention — Defense

Guard: Victor Rodriguez, senior, Sands.

Tackle: Ray Hurd, senior, Hawley; Freddie Webb, senior, Roby.

End: Marvin Ensor, senior, Bronte; Donnie Croft, senior, Forsan; Bobby Kelley, junior, Jayton.

Linebacker: Kerwin Denton, junior, Bronte; Ralph Miranda, sophomore, Forsan; Wesley Thixton, senior, Forsan; Bruce Vinson, senior, Hawley; David Fincher, senior, Jayton; Mike Lee, senior, Lorraine.

Secondary: Ricky Harp, senior Hawley; Alex Garcia, senior, Jayton; Ralph Chavez, junior, Lorraine; Tony Munoz, senior, Sterling City.

All-West Texas

The Standard-Times Class B All-West Texas team selections were announced Wednesday, with Boone and Elken leading the list.

Alan Barbee led the bunch, being named first team kicker and running back and second team defensive back. Other Longhorns on the first teams were Raughton, wide receiver and defensive back; Porter, defensive lineman; and Kit Carlton at linebacker.

Second team selections included Coulter at quarterback; Carlton at center; and Alexander at defensive back.

BOYS WIN TOURNEY —

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In the JV game Robert Lee handed the Bronte girls a 31-30 defeat in a squeaker. Glascock was high with 13; Karen Arrott made 12; Tidwell 5.

The Longhorns had an easy win over the Steers, 68-25. Raughton was high with 19; Alexander hit 17; Barbee 14; Bailey 8; Ensor 6; Carlton 2; Coulter 2.

In the JV game the Robert Lee team came out on top 18-11. Turner Coulter made 5, and Parker, Randy Lee and Dale Patterson each made 2.

The A teams are participating in the Robert Lee tournament this weekend and will play today (Friday) at 4 and 5:30 following wins over Sterling City Thursday.

Christmas Week Paper Out Early

Work on next week's Enterprise will start today (Friday) and the paper will be finished Monday and placed in the mail for distribution Tuesday.

Material for this paper should be in by Friday, Dec. 20, in order for it to come out in the annual Christmas edition.

Anyone who wants to run a greeting ad is invited to call 473-2001.

The edition will consist mainly of letters to Santa and greeting ads.

There will be no paper printed Jan. 2 in order for the staff to have some time off and to catch up on some printing orders.

BILLY HAMILTON FIRST AT BIG SPRING CHESS MEET

Billy Hamilton won first place at a chess tournament held recently in Big Spring. He won six games out of seven to cop the championship honors.

Billy's twin brother tied for third place, but strangely he was the one contestant who won over Billy.

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AND YOUR COUNTRY
BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

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CARDS OF THANKS

per word 5c — (Minimum \$1.00)

Classified ads and cards of thanks are payable in advance unless customer carries a regular account. \$1.00 minimum charge if posted in ledger.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone in Bronte who thought of us during our recent stay in Stanton due to the loss of our father, Mr. E. A. Baugh. We especially wish to thank the merchants of Bronte for the lovely arrangement of white gladiolus for the funeral.

Ona and Fred Hughes

1tc

WILL BUY OLD JUNK CARS, pay \$15 to \$30 according to parts left on them. Ellis Sims, across from Gulf Station. 33-tfc

TOY POODLES: White, males and females, 3 months old. AKC registered. \$50.00 each. Phone 453-2452 at Robert Lee. 2tc

WANTED: Cook and Nurse's Aide. Bronte Hospital. 35-tfc

**Monuments
Grave Markers
Lettering
YARD PRICES**

No Salesman Commission Added
Representing Birk Monument Mfg. Co.
Sam L. Williams, Robert Lee
Phone 453-2525

FOUND near golf course: Small Black Puppy. Come by 706 Meadow Lane or phone 473-6381. Then come to Enterprise and pay for ad. 1tc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick, 1900 sq. ft. living area, 2 1/2 acres. Contact Glenn Sims, 473-4551 or 473-4111. Martin Lee Agency. 49-tfc

RANGEMASTER MOLASSES has No. 1 Quality Liquid Feed. Save money this winter. Contact Thurston McCutchen, 453-2812 or 453-2403.

FOR SALE: 1969 GMC Pickup, standard shift, gooseneck trailer hook-up. L. J. Sonnenberg, Tenneson, phone 473-3924. 2tp

HOUSE FOR RENT: Call at 107 Franklin St. 45-tfc

PROVIDE PROTEIN, minerals, vitamins, salt for 10c per day per cow this winter with Triple "F" Feeds. High phosphorous minerals. Parks Thomas, Maryneal, 288-3778. 44-52p

First Application Relieves Itchy Skin Rash

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Medicated Zemo quickly relieves itching, irritated skin. Then Zemo helps nature heal and clear red, scaly skin rashes externally caused. For fast relief, get Zemo Ointment or Liquid.

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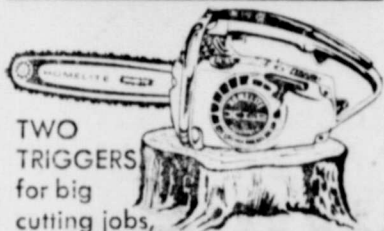
ZEMO relieves itching fast because its special 'anti-itch' medication soothes inflamed surface tissues. Get relief with the first application of soothing, medicated ZEMO—Ointment or Liquid. **zemo**

Di-Gel QUICKLY RELIEVES 'Gasid Indigestion'

...it's those times you suffer acid indigestion and painful gas, too.

DI-GEL® gives more complete relief because it does what plain antacids can't. It reduces excess acid; also contains Simethicone that gets rid of gas, too. Heartburn, painful gas go fast. Get DI-GEL.

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ONLY \$119.95
with 12" bar & chain
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Look for your local Homelite dealer in the yellow pages
CARRY CASE OFFER EXPIRES
DEC. 31, 1974

NOTICE

We plan to vacation during the month of January. Our store will be closed from Saturday night, Dec. 21, through the entire month of January.

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Complete Stock of Film and Cameras

STONE'S Ballinger

DROP BY SATURDAY

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REGULARLY IN THE
THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE
TO REACH THE MOST CUSTOMERS

The Enterprise is the most widely read newspaper in this area. If you really have something to offer your customers, it will pay you to carry on a consistent advertising campaign.



Call 473-2001

FOR INFORMATION and ASSISTANCE

The Bronte Enterprise

**COKE HEREFORD BREEDERS
DO WELL AT SWEETWATER**

Four Coke County registered Hereford breeders recently consigned 12 bulls to the 52nd Sweetwater Area Hereford Association show and sale. Each one of the Coke County breeders' animals were close to the top in the placings. Sixty-three bulls and 20 females were in the sale.

The Grand Champion and high selling bull was exhibited by Bob and June Gulley. The bull, BJG Anxiety Diamond 110 was first in the summer yearling class and later won over all other class winners. He was sold to Sonny Harrell of Snyder.

Champion pen of groomed bulls was won by N. C. Pentecost. E. R. Compton of Abilene purchased these bulls. Other Pentecost bulls stood first, second and third in the two year old class and another bull was fourth in the junior yearling class.

Two bulls consigned by Edward Cumbie won the Reserve Champion pen of groomed bulls and were sold to Lance Sears of Sweetwater and The Mitchell Cattle Co. of Uvalde.

Mrs. Evelyn McKinley had the third place bulls in the groomed pen class and another bull was fourth in the summer yearling class.

Tom Burrus of Bronco was the judge for the show.

OIL NEWS

Two new locations were announced Wednesday for Coke County field, one in Jameson and one in Wendkirk.

Clinton Oil Co. of Midland No. 3-A Chappell is projected to 6,600 feet in the Jameson (Strawn) Field. Location is seven miles southwest of Silver and drillsite is 660 feet from the southwest and 1,980 feet from the southeast lines of Section 24, Block 15, SPRR Survey.

Anardarko Production Co. of Jacksboro No. 11 H. G. Wendland is a proposed 4,000 test in the Wendkirk area.

The test is 15 miles southwest of Bronte and spots 10,100 feet from the southwest and 330 feet from the southeast lines of E. Girke Survey No. 465.

BRONTE LODGE

No. 962, A. F. & A. M.



Meets first Monday each month, 7:30 p.m. Members urged to be present. Visitors welcome.

JACK GLASCOCK, W. M.
J. T. HENRY, Secretary

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Odrinex can help you become the slim, trim person you want to be. Because Odrinex contains the most effective reducing aid available without a prescription!

One tiny Odrinex tablet a half hour before meals suppresses your appetite - you eat less - down go the calories - down goes the weight! With the Odrinex Plan, clinically tested, you will eat sensibly - no starving - no special exercises. Safe and effective when taken as directed. You must lose ugly fat or your money will be refunded - no questions asked. Get rid of excess fat and live longer with Odrinex.

**East Coke County Hospital District
BALANCE SHEET**

June 30, 1974

ASSETS

GENERAL FUND		
Petty Cash		\$ 100.00
Cash in bank		1,161.48
Accounts receivable	\$ 16,384.27	
Less allowance for doubtful accounts	887.14	15,497.13
Prepaid expenses		665.52
Inventory, expendable		3,665.00
Total General Fund		\$ 21,089.13
INTEREST AND SINKING FUND		
Cash in bank		\$ 7,762.50
Total Interest and Sinking Fund		\$ 7,762.50
PLANT FUND		
Land		11,084.20
Building	\$268,820.70	
Less accumulated depreciation	17,921.19	250,899.51
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	\$ 46,242.52	
Less accumulated depreciation	8,031.34	38,211.18
TOTAL ASSETS		\$300,194.89 \$329,046.52

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES

GENERAL FUND		
Accounts payable	\$ 3,882.60	
Employment taxes payable	1,343.72	
Employee insurance payable	71.83	
Accrued expenses	5,052.86	
Warrants payable	33,651.28	
Fund deficit	(22,913.16)	
Total General Fund		\$ 21,089.13
INTEREST AND SINKING FUND		
Accrued interest payable	\$ 4,837.50	
Reserved for interest and sinking fund	2,925.00	
Total Interest and Sinking Fund		\$ 7,762.50
PLANT FUND		
Bonds payable	\$215,000.00	
Plant fund balance	85,194.89	
Total Plant Fund		\$300,194.89
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES		\$329,046.52

ANALYSIS OF FUND BALANCES

Balance July 1, 1973		\$ 53,420.95
Add Excess of income over expenses year ended June 30, 1974	\$ 9,415.05	
Adjustment to record June 30, 1974 inventory	3,665.00	13,080.05
Less Adjustment for interest on warrants payable applicable to prior periods		(1,294.27)
Balance June 30, 1974		\$ 65,206.73

SUMMARY OF FUND BALANCES

General Fund	\$ (22,913.16)
Interest and Sinking Fund	\$ 2,925.00
Plant Fund	85,194.89
Total	\$ 65,206.73

L. O. CLARK,
Administrator

Last Rites Held For Leslie Carlton

Leslie Carlton Sr., 80, a long time Maverick and Norton resident, died at 7 p.m. Sunday in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo after a long illness.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon in the Allen Davis Funeral Chapel in Ballinger, with the Rev. Ray Elliott, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Ballinger, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Bronte.

He was born April 29, 1894, in Dale Valley in Travis County and came to Runnels County in 1903. He married Mona Schuman Nov. 28, 1925, in Norton. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a longtime Runnels County farmer and rancher.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, LeLand Carlton and Russell Carlton, both of Maverick; two daughters, Mrs. Otis (Mildred) Sinden and Mrs. Malcolm (Frances) Loving, both of Abilene; one sister, Mrs. Maggie Sharp of Ballinger; and eight grandchildren.

Chester M. Bird Dies at S'water

Chester M. Bird, 68, of Blackwell died at 6:35 a.m. Sunday in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater after a long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Monday in McCoy Chapel of Memories with burial in Slaters Chapel Cemetery at Nolan. The Rev. Melvin Byrd, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated at the service and military rites were conducted at the graveside.

Mr. Bird was born June 21, 1906, in Quitman. He was a veteran of World War II. He was a retired employee of Lone Star Cement Co. of Marysvale, and had lived in Blackwell since 1930.

Survivors are three brothers, John Bird of Nolan, Clydius Bird of Garland and Elvis Bird of Dallas; four nephews and four nieces.

HOSPITAL HAS PARTY

Employees of the Bronte Hospital had their annual Christmas party Dec. 17 at the hospital. A good sized group enjoyed the refreshments and gift exchange.

Texas Theatre

Saturday, Dec. 21 — 6:30 P.M.

"Cotton Pickin'
Chicken Pickers"

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Brace® holds this inverted cup and saucer together because Brace has a patented formula of 3 plastics that get stronger when exposed to liquids. So mouth moisture actually helps hold dentures longer. And Brace tastes cool.



To Our Friends, Customers and Everyone:



May the spirit of this Christmas
bring joy to you and yours

At the Approach of the Glorious—
Christmas Season

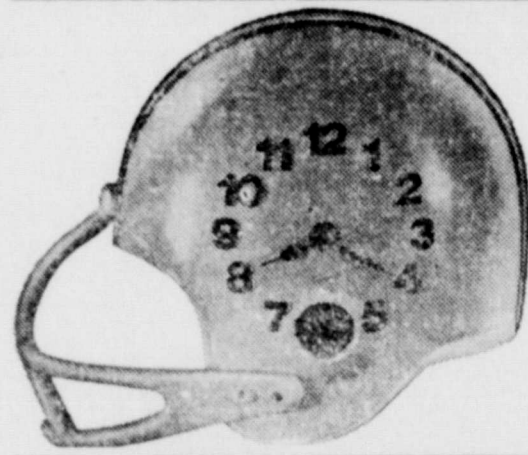
WE MUST COUNT OUR MANY BLESSINGS

We are thankful for your friendship and we hope to continue to serve you during the years ahead. We trust that His Holy Spirit will be the center of your life and that you can know the real spirit of Christmas.

Another Free Turkey Drawing!

Come in and register for a Turkey to be given away Tuesday, Dec. 24, at 4:00 P.M. You do not have to be present to win.

4 Big Days of Specials FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY & TUESDAY



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HAMS, half or whole - lb. \$1.05

BEEF CHUCK ROAST - lb. 75c

GOLD CREST HENS

Turkeys lb. 63c

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GANDY'S — Mix or Match —

HALF & HALF, reg. 50c — Special pt. 39c

WHIPPING CREAM, reg. 50c — ½ pt. 39c

SOUR CREAM, reg. 53c — Special ½ pt. 39c

The Above Specials Are on a First Come First Served Basis
While Supply Lasts.

REG. \$2.19 — 32. OZ. SPECIAL
COCA COLA or MR. PIBB, 6 bot. ctn. \$1.59

Plus Deposit

REG. 54c MRS. BAIRD'S SPECIAL
BROWN & SERVE ROLLS - 44c

REG. 89c DAVIDSON BROTHERS GRADE A SPECIAL
LARGE EGGS - doz. 79c

REG. 71c CHICKEN OF THE SEA SPECIAL—6 OZ.
CHUNK LT. TUNA - 61c

REG. 93c SPECIAL—QUARTERS
PARKAY OLEO - lb. 73c

REG. \$1.09 HEINZ SPECIAL
SWEET PICKLES - 24 oz. 89c

REG. 27c NOW ONLY
Scented Christmas Candles - 15c

REG. \$1.35 SPECIAL—1 LB.
FOLGER'S COFFEE \$1.09

CALIFORNIA NAVEL
ORANGES - - - lb. 21c

DELICIOUS
APPLES - - - lb. 35c

CELERY - nice lge. stalk 25c

POTATOES - 10 lb. bag 89c

COME SEE SANTA

Saturday, Dec. 21, between 3 and 4 p.m. Mom, bring the kids in to visit with Santa Claus.

SIMS FOOD STORE

Pauline, T. F., Lavonne, Glenn, Dora, Leonard, Royce Dean & Bill