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Candlelight ceremony unites Robbie Stauffer, Billy Breithaupt

In a lovely candlelight ceremony performed on Saturday, May 28, Miss Robbie Gail Stauffer of Rockdale became the bride of Billy Breithaupt of Rockdale. The four o'clock afternoon wedding vows were repeated in the First Baptist Church of Rockdale with the Rev. Father Tom Hanus of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rockdale, former pastor at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Eagle Lake, and Pastor Richard Leggett officiating the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stauffer of Rockdale and granddaughter of Mrs. Alma Doss and Mrs. McQuinn, both of Rockdale. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Breithaupt of Eagle Lake. Grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Weimar.

For the special occasion, the church altar area was decorated with a pair of spiraling brass candelabra holding tall white tapers. Also adding beauty to the scene were two pink and white floral arrangements and four massive ferns. Playing chosen wedding selections at the organ was Mrs. Donnie Betchan of Rockdale, who also accompanied the soloists, Joy Graham and Royce Lawrence, both of Rockdale. "You and I," "Surround Me with Love" and "The Lord's Prayer" were sung.

Registering the wedding guests in the church foyer were Debbie Korenek and Shari Spence, both of Rockdale. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in an ivory gown of shimmering chiffon. The entire bodice was of imported Alencon lace and accented by ivory seed pearls. It featured a natural waistline and a full flowing skirt and chapel length train. The look was completed by a veil held in place by a halo of silk flowers. The bride carried a massive cascading bouquet of white roses, stephanotis, pink sweetheart roses, baby's breath and ivy.

Bridal attendants
 Kelli McCoy of Thorndale attended the bride as matron of honor. Bridesmaids - were Shirley Seaholm, sister of the groom, of Eagle Lake; Retta Stauffer, sister of the bride; Marlene King, Lisa Spencer and Donna Noack, all of Rockdale. Flower girls were Tanya Henske, niece of the groom, of Agua Dulce and Danette Stauffer, niece of the bride, of Rockdale.

The attendants and flower girls wore formal gowns of frost rose taffeta featuring off-the-shoulder puffed ruffles. Bridesmaids carried round nosegays of pink and white variegated flowers with long white ribbons. Flower girls carried pink baskets of rose petals. Serving the groom as

best man was a friend, Clifford Garner of Rockdale. Groomsmen were Jerry Henske, brother-in-law of the groom, of Agua Dulce; Bonnie Stauffer, brother of the bride; Kenny Alford, cousin of the bride; Charles Upshaw and Craig Dehault, all of Rockdale. Ringbearer was Lange Dehault of Rockdale.

Ushering wedding guests were Johnnie Kaderka, cousin of the bride, of Houston; Ralph Gertson, Jr., brother-in-law of the groom, of Eagle Lake; James Dean and Pat Kovar, both of Rockdale. The groom and his attendants were attired in gray tuxedos.

The mother of the bride selected a formal gown of frost rose knit featuring a sheer chiffon cape for her daughter's wedding. For her son's wedding, Mrs. Breithaupt chose a formal gown of blue violet knit designed with a pleated skirt and sheer chiffon cape. Both wore orchid corsages.

Reception follows
 Following the ceremony the newlyweds were guests of honor at a reception, barbeque dinner and dance at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Rockdale.

Wedding bells and streamers decorated the hall with the highlight of the reception area being the bride's table, which was covered with a white tulle cloth and overlaid with Chantilly lace. It held the bride's cake which featured a three-tiered white confection over a flowing fountain surrounded by four heart-shaped cakes. Pink sugar-spun flowers trimmed the cake which also featured the traditional bride and groom figures on one tier and a pair of wedding doves on top. Also on the table was a crystal punch bowl. Dividing the two was a silver candelabra holding tall pink tapers.

The groom's table was attractively laid with beige lace and centered with five brass candelsticks holding brown tapers. The groom's cake was a German chocolate cake featuring a boat and water skier. Coffee was served from a brass coffee service. Members of the house party included Linda Henske of Agua Dulce and Connie Gertson of Eagle Lake, both sisters of the groom; Leah and Lori Brannon, cousins of the bride; Debbie Stauffer, sister-in-law of the bride; Jean Alford, aunt of the bride; Rita Garza, Brenda Survik and Linda Survik, all of Rockdale.

Mother Nature contributed a beautiful moonlit and cool evening of last week (July 23, 1983). Jo Ann and Kenneth Mahalite were assisted in hosting the reception and dinner marking their Silver Wedding Anniversary by their daughters, Lana and Lori Mahalite, and Lisa Hoffman and husband Thierry, and the grandson of the bride, Kevin Hoffman.

Guests were greeted by the honorees on the walkway in front of the rambling country home at the Circle K Ranch. Photos of the wedding day for Jo Ann Konvicka and Kenneth Mahalite, were displayed on the registration table along with a beautiful arrangement of multi-colored summer flowers.

The Circle K grounds were immaculate for the occasion with an abundance of blooming plants and foliage. Also a large number of plants and flowers sent by friends and relatives to the honored couple were displayed on tables within the home. The large lake adjoining the ranch provided a cool background for the reception area which was highlighted by a beautiful large gazebo, a recent addition to the Circle K facilities. Tables at which the guests were seated were also placed on each side of the spacious concrete area. At one end of the popular Country Cruiser musical group played selections for listening and dancing throughout the event. Near the center of the reception area and the end opposite from the musical group were located refreshment areas.

Bob Staff Catering of El Campo served a sumptuous fried chicken dinner which also included potato salad, rice salad, cole slaw, beans, pickles, onions, bread and iced tea. Everyone had nothing but compliments for the delicious meal. Dancing and visitation continued until the candles for the guests to bid the honorees adieu and to thank them for a very delightful evening and to wish them many, many, years of happiness.



Susan Hatchett and David Tomchesson plan wedding

Thomas H. Hatchett and Mrs. Lou Ellen Hatchett of Friendswood, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Dianne, to David Myron Tomchesson of La Porte, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tomchesson of Eagle Lake.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of La Porte High School and her fiancé is a graduate of Rice High School in Altair.

The wedding is planned to take place at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Eagle Lake on September 24, 1983.

Those present to help her celebrate were: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gibson, Jerry Wayne Gibson and Leslie, all of Bryan; John and Faye Kerney of La Marque; Mrs. Martha Roberts of Houston; and Dick and Albert Janik of Eagle Lake.

During the afternoon many of her friends came by for a visit. She wishes to thank everyone for the lovely cards, phone calls and flowers.

Students attend FB seminar
 Steven Self, son of Mr. and Mrs. Durward Self of Columbus; Dana Hoelscher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoelscher of Weimar; and Sheila Dabney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoelscher of Weimar, all of Garwood attended the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship seminar for junior and senior high school students July 18-22 on the campus of Angelo State University in San Angelo.

They were chosen to represent Colorado County because of their leadership ability, scholastic achievement and character, said Leon Hatterman, county Farm Bureau president.

FB Queen, Talent Find contest to be held in La Grange Aug. 2

The District 11 Farm Bureau Queen Contest and Talent Find will be held August 2 at 8 p.m. at the La Grange High School Auditorium.

Janet Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Anderson will represent Colorado County in the talent find competition. She is a junior at East Bernard High School where she is active with the band. She enjoys working with animals, especially horses, swimming, water and snow skiing and helping out with church work.

Janet will be competing with other counties in this area.

The winner of the talent find contest will advance to state competition to be held at Houston in December in conjunction with the Texas Farm Bureau convention.

Wharton man president of new cattle alliance

A group of enthusiastic Texas purebred cattle leaders met July 12 in Houston and formed "Texas Purebred Cattle Alliance." Breeders representing twelve beef breeds and three dairy breeds, as well as representatives from national purebred associations, marketing groups, and livestock shows were at the meeting.

This group of livestock breeders and enthusiasts agreed unanimously that the purpose of this organization would be "to form an alliance of all purebred associations and purebred breeders to promote and protect the purebred cattle industry in the state of Texas."

The decision to establish the alliance was the result of many individuals and associations responding to the recent brucellosis crisis and the need for political influence.

Garwood and Nada Community News

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The Garwood Lions Club held their regular meeting last Wednesday evening. Lion Billy Hefner introduced the speaker, Supt. Harold King of Rice High School. He discussed the school budget and the sources from which the school receives money. Since rice harvest season is about to start the next regular meeting will be August 10.

Mrs. R. B. Shaw's guests last Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seale and sons, Bryan and Kyle, of Houston.

Mrs. Alex Orsak and Mrs. Lucy Buzek of El Campo visited Mrs. Laura Littleton one day last week. Mrs. and Mrs. Fritz Weselski of Wharton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weselski, Jr. Enjoyed by everyone was a sing-song opening of presents and cards and a birthday cake, made in the home.

Hawkins of Houston have just returned from a five day sightseeing tour of Lake Tahoe and Nevada. Some of the interesting things they saw was the mid side, the 1000 acre fire and many other interesting sights around Lake Tahoe. When they left there they had the first frost of the season. They also saw some beautiful Cathedral.

Mrs. Lillie Herron, formerly of Garwood, now residing in the Heritage House, celebrated her 90th birthday Saturday, July 16. Helping her celebrate were her daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Stallman and Mrs. Doris Mae Schrepper and many grandchildren. Her roommate, Mrs. Edith Morrison, also attended.

Enjoyed by everyone was a sing-song opening of presents and cards and a birthday cake, made in the home.

Everyone is invited to the First Pontifical Mass by Bishop Bernard Ferdinand Popp, D.D., a Latin-English High Mass at 3 p.m. Sunday, July 31.

4-H News
 The Eagle Lake Ambulance Corps training session for July will be an "in-service" session on the new ambulance forms which will be implemented this week.

All members are urged to attend so that the forms will be filled out correctly and with the least amount of inconvenience to the Corps members.

Record books
 Record books are an important part of 4-H. They enable us to record good and bad experiences in 4-H project work, enabling us to watch ourselves grow.

With each project, 4-H members list goals they wish to accomplish, record expenses and/or money saved and record what goals they have accomplished, their feelings and experiences.

Thirty record books were entered at the county level this year, which is quite an improvement over last year. Nineteen went on to district competition.

Blue and red ribbons were awarded to each entry and the top winners in each category will receive a record book project pin.

Blue ribbon winners will also participate in an overnight awards trip to Wimberly, July 26-27. Congratulations to all 4-H members who entered a record book and good luck to our district participants.

Lisa Bartlett, Suzanne Belota, Chris Coerver, Jessie Manciaz, Randy Manciaz, Monte Moreck, Emil Staff, and Lynn Staff were winners of a red ribbon. Those receiving red ribbons and advance to District are: Melissa Kiesel, Patrick Kutac, Lisa Poppe.

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Area students receive degrees

There were 3,831 graduates receiving degrees at the May 14, 1983 commencement exercises for the University of Houston.

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Kathy Reuther Jan-kowiak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Faykus of Eagle Lake and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Jim Janish of Nada.

The new mother is the former Evelyn Faykus. A very happy 91st birthday to Mrs. R. B. Shaw on July 26.

Lamaze classes
 to start Sept. 5

Childbirth Unlimited (Lamaze) classes will begin September 5 at 7 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital.

Contact Nelma Strey, R.N. or Jane Tacker, R.N., 234-5571, at the hospital if you are interested.

Cheer clinic set for August; cheerleaders to go to camp

The Rice High School varsity cheerleaders have been working hard this summer and will attend the NCA cheerleading camp at San Antonio, Texas, August 1. During the week-long stay at camp they will be evaluated on ability and enthusiasm.

Upon their return, the cheerleaders again will conduct a cheer clinic beginning August 8 through 12, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Eagle Lake Middle School. During the same week a clinic will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Garwood School. The fee will be \$8 for ages 5 and up.

Cheerleaders for the 1983-84 school year are: Janice Hyek, Sandra Korenek, Carol Rhodes, Beverly Rucka, and co-head cheerleaders Bettie Garcia and Rachelle Hunt. They hope Raiders fans will support the clinic and get ready to cheer for the mighty Raiders. Proceeds from the clinic help to finance the All Sports Banquet in the spring.

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