

# OBTUARIES

## Msgr. Werner Andrew Bockholt

January 23, 1920 — September 8, 1992

Rev. Msgr. Werner Andrew Bockholt, 72, of Frelsburg, passed away Tuesday, September 8, 1992, at his residence.

He was born on January 23, 1920, in Westphalia to Henry J. and Caroline Heese Bockholt.

Bockholt entered St. Mary's Seminary in La Porte but his attendance there was interrupted by the need for knee surgery stemming from old football injuries. He was told he would never walk again. While recuperating, in the early 1940s, he studied banking, economics and insurance. He worked for Catholic Life Insurance and established some records of service that still stand today.

He returned to the seminary to serve humanity through the priesthood. He was ordained on May 18, 1950, the Holy Year, having the distinction of being the first priest to be ordained at St. Mary's Cathedral in Austin.

After starting with three temporary assignments during the summer of 1950, including Sacred Heart Parish in Lott, St. Joseph's Parish in Marlin and St. Mary's Parish in Waco,

Bockholt reached his first permanent parish assignment at St. Mary's Parish in Lockhart in late 1950. He served in Lockhart for three years and then went to Assumption Church in West, where he served until 1959 when he came to St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Frelsburg and the mission church of Immaculate Conception in Industry.

In his 33 years of service he accomplished many things. As a spiritual leader, he converted many to the Catholic faith. He was known as a builder at the parishes he served. He built a new church in Industry and also the Catholic center and religious education building.

In Frelsburg, he built a new rectory, the Dining Center and remodelled the dining hall which also served as a religious education center. These were only a few of the improvements he made. From Frelsburg, Bockholt administered the funding of the infirm priests' home and accomplished the national legislation necessary to allow Catholic clergy to join the Social Security System.

Survivors include two sisters, Mary Herzog of Lott and Clara Fuchs

of Westphalia; two brothers, Msgr. Herbert H. Bockholt of Raymondville and Frank G. Bockholt of Robstown; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Mass of Christian burial for the Rev. Msgr. Bockholt, was held on Sept. 11 at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Frelsburg celebrated by the Most Rev. David E. Fellhauer, Ph.D., JCD, Bishop of the Victoria Diocese. Co-celebrants were the Rev. Msgr. Herbert H. Bockholt, the Rev. Msgr. Ben Mazurkiewicz and the Rev. Jesse Eureski. Henneke Funeral Home of Columbus directed the funeral arrangements.

Also attending was the Most Rev. John E. McCarthy, D.D., Bishop of the Austin Diocese and 65 other priests from the surrounding dioceses.

Interment followed in St. Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Simon Wilder, John Labay, Albert E. Donald and Ernie Noska, Eddie V. Pilcik, Delbert Kulhanek, Charles Fuller, Bill Wilson, Justin Wostarek and Bill Hajek.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

## Edmund Andrew Radack

Edmund Andrew Radack, 75, of Houston, was laid to final rest in Calvary Cemetery at Forest Park Westheimer last Thursday, September 10, 1992.

He closed his eyes to a peaceful rest in the M. D. Anderson Hospital at around 9 a.m. Tuesday, September 8, following a lengthy illness.

Edmund was a frequent visitor here in the homes of relatives. His wife was the former Evelyn Mae Frnka and he had many friends in this area.

He was affectionately known, was an avid golfer, hunter and fisherman and was the founding president of the Meyerland Little League program. He graduated from Texas A&M University in 1938 with a petroleum engineering degree.

Radack served with the U.S. Air Corps with the rank of Captain during World War II. He retired from Dresser-Atlas in 1982 after 30 years of outstanding service in the oil and gas industry.

His greatest joys in life were his children and grandchildren. He is survived by his devoted wife of 49 years, Evelyn Radack of Houston; three sons, Thomas A. Radack and wife Marissa of Cypress, California; Harris County Commissioner Steven M. Radack and wife Sherry of Houston; and Gerald R. Radack of Houston.

Also surviving are seven grandsons: James and Michael Radack of Denver, Colorado; Jeremy, Nicholas, Steven and Andrew Radack of Houston; and Collin Radack of Cypress, California; a sister, Elva Radack Wisakowsky and husband Emil of San Antonio; a sister-in-law, Marilyn Radack of Houston; and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, September 10, in St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Houston with the Rev. Edward B. Rehkopf, S.J., celebrant. Rosary was

recited Wednesday evening in Earthman Funeral Home which was in charge of arrangements.

In lieu of usual remembrances, the family requested memorials be made to the Memorial Program, University of Texas System Cancer Center, M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, 1515 Holcombe Blvd., HMB 197, Houston, Texas 77030.

Among those from this area attending services were local relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Frnka, Jeff Frnka, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frnka of Eagle Lake; Mrs. Ernest Frnka and Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Mathis, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mathis of Bay City; Mrs. Terry Osborne of Sugarland; Miss Shirley Frnka of Goliad; Miss Dawn Frnka of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Skip Neal and children of Dayton.

Friends in the area extend deepest sympathy to the family in the loss of this loved one.

## Thomas Cruden 'T.C.' Roberts Sr.

January 29, 1911 - September 13, 1992

Thomas Cruden "T.C." Roberts, Sr., age 81, of Houston, passed away Sunday, September 13, 1992, at his residence, following a lengthy illness.

He was a native of Goliad, Texas, born January 29, 1911, to Light David Roberts and Lorena May Korthauer Roberts.

The family moved to Eagle Lake when T.C. was a child. He attended local schools, distinguished himself in athletics and graduated from Eagle Lake High School with the Class of '29.

On August 5, 1934, he and Martha Janik were married in East Bernard. His career spanned a lifetime of involvement in agriculture, particularly the Rice Industry. Learning the industry from his father at an early age, T.C. moved his family to Houston in 1942 and went to work for the American Rice Growers Co-op. He retired in 1977 as warehouse foreman, after 35 years of dedicated service.

Preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Florence May Carter, survivors include his devoted wife of 58 years, Martha Janik Roberts of Houston; sons and daughters-in-law, Thomas C. Jr. and Patricia Roberts, Tampa, Florida; Richard and Joyce Roberts, Concord, California; Gene and Sue Roberts of Spring; eight

grandchildren, six great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were held in Eagle Lake 2 p.m. Tuesday, September 15, from the Dulany Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Joe Stotts, Pastor of Brass Baptist Church of Houston, officiating.

Graveside services and interment followed in the Lakeside Cemetery. Pallbearers were sons, Thomas C. Roberts Jr., Richard Roberts and Gene Roberts along with Louis Kopecky, Jerry Gibson and Jim Purcell.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

## Mayme Epps Schade

Mayme Epps Schade, 85, of Columbus passed away Thursday, September 10, 1992.

She was born in Mexia and moved frequently during her childhood because her father was a railroad employee.

She obtained her teaching certificate at Southwest Texas State Teachers College. In 1932, she married Oscar Schade and they had a daughter, Gladys Kathryn Schade Hicks.

Schade was an active member of St. John's Episcopal Church Altar Guild, vestry member of St. John's, member and past president of District 3 UDC Shropshire-Upton Chapter,

member and docent of Magnolia Homes Tour and member of the Columbus Garden Club.

She was also devoted to visiting and helping older citizens and generously gave her time to people in need.

Survivors include her sister, Gladys Gold of Eagle Lake; a son-in-law, Donald E. Hicks of Colorado Springs, Colo.; three grandchildren, Donald E. Hicks Jr. of Richardson, Melissa Schade Hicks Argo of Colorado Springs and Thomas James Hicks of Garland, and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mayme Schade were held at St. John's Episcopal Church in Columbus on September 12 with the Rev. Joseph Spitzer officiating. Henneke Funeral Home, Columbus, was in charge of the arrangements.

## Raymond W. Stancik

September 7, 1907 - September 8, 1992

Raymond W. Stancik, 85, of La Grange and formerly of Columbus passed away Tuesday, September 8, 1992, at the Columbus Community Hospital.

He was born on September 7, 1907, in Oldenberg to Venzel and Julia Vojtek Stancik. On July 9, 1966, he married Daisy Cernosek.

He was a retired mechanic and school bus driver for Columbus Independent School District.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Earline Foster Stancik; parents; and four brothers and sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Daisy Stancik of La Grange; a son, Edgar L. Stancik of Columbus; three step-daughters, Francis Kana and Lil Tiedt, both of Houston and Rosalie Stevenson of La Grange; three step-sons, Richard and Edwin Cernosek, both of La Grange and Edwin Cernosek of Houston; 14 step-grandchildren; and 11

step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Raymond Stancik were held on September 10 at Henneke Funeral Home in Columbus with the Rev. Scott Herren officiating.

Interment followed at Odd Fellows Rest Cemetery in Columbus. Pallbearers were Melvin, David and Ronnie Stancik, Roger and Robby Tiedt and Gary Cernosek.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

## Heritage House News

By Gladys Owens, Activity Director

Heritage House residents welcome our newest volunteer, Jossie Blount. She will be holding crafts on Saturdays with the help of some of our junior volunteers. Jossie and her daughter, Christina Blount, Michelle Schmidt, Monica and Jennifer Alley, and Sharla Waddell, started their class this past Saturday which was very much enjoyed.

We have only had replies from four families on our Family Council Interest Form. Please think about being a part of our Family Council. It will only take about an hour your time every three months to do so.

Everyone got a chuckle from the picture we captioned last week. Carolyn Ferrill and Joshline Scott work at the Heritage House, they are not residents as stated with the photo. We thank Sonny Wains for playing the piano for Grandparents Day Sunday evening. Sonny is always just a phone call away and his music will always be wonderful.

Sunday worship service was conducted by Rev. David Mann of the First Baptist Church.

Administrators' News  
You never have a second chance to make a first impression. The employees in the laundry, housekeeping, and maintenance departments at Heritage

House deserve recognition for their performance in making a difference in the quality of life at the facility.

Heritage House will express its gratitude to these professionals for their contributions to long-term care during Environmental Specialists Week, Sept. 20-26.

The men and women who ensure that the facility is always clean and attractive, who keep our equipment and physical plant running smoothly, and who take care of our residents' clothing are important to us.

The impressions our visitors and family members have of this facility are a reflection of the commitment of these professionals. Through hard work, they contribute a great deal to the quality of life of our residents.

Heritage House employs six environmental specialists in its housekeeping, laundry, and maintenance departments. Each one is to be commended — not only for the pride they take in performing their jobs, but also for the extra energy they expend to reach out to the residents in friendship and love.

At Heritage House, we are very fortunate to have these staff members. They not only keep the residents' homes clean, but they add warmth to the surroundings by the courteous manner in which they present their service.

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Fever Blisters: Half of Adults Affected

Fever blisters or "cold sores" are fluid-filled blisters that occur on or around the lip or nose. Blisters result from contact with a contagious virus referred to as type 1 herpes simplex virus. The virus, which enters the body most often by way of the mouth or nose, typically infects children before the age of five.

Blisters may or may not occur for many years. The virus lives in nerve tissue and triggers infections (blister formations) during periods of stress or reduced resistance to infection. Typically, blisters become encrusted and heal within one to two weeks without leaving a scar. One experience indicates that about half of all Americans age 20 to 40 have experienced at least one fever blister infection.

While fever blisters cannot be cured or prevented, nonprescription medicines help relieve pain and protect the skin. Protections such as allantoin, cocoa butter, glycerin, and shea butter oil in emollient creams may help soften blisters and prevent cracking of the skin or crust. Products containing local anesthetics such as benzocaine, lidocaine, camphor, and menthol may reduce lip and nose pain. The Handbook of Nonprescription Drugs suggests that those who "associate cold sores with sun exposure may benefit from the application of a sunscreen or ultraviolet ray blocker in the form of a lipstick."



By Dr. Eric R. Tepper, Podiatrist

### FEET FIT FOR SKATING

Ice skating and roller skating have at least one thing in common: They depend on healthy, fully functioning feet. Any imbalance of the foot can mean problems. That's where an orthotic insert can help. An orthotic can be placed in the foot rests inside the skating boot in a neutral position, in which the foot's bones and joints are free to control movement during skating. Without this position, feet and edge control are reduced and the foot collapses with each turn. Falls, cramps and accidents increase. Every foot is different, and an orthotic is a prescription device that must be designed to fit a particular need. Only a genuine orthotic can correct an individual's abnormal foot function and minimize problems.

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P.S. Severe tendon damage can result from skating blades or wheels that are incorrectly placed under the foot.

## Nawara, Glueck united in marriage



Garwood School has Open House

Wednesday, Sept. 9, was the fall open house for Garwood School. The Garwood Association of Parents (GAP) sponsored a hamburger supper at 6 p.m. to start the evening's activities. Classrooms were opened at 7 p.m. followed by the ribbon cutting ceremony for the new classroom addition. There was outstanding parent and student participation.

Pictured above, Rice School Board members Kate Labay and Fritz Leopold officially open the new classroom addition.



Garwood students Chance Waligura, Davis Atkins and Morgan Perry were winners in the GAP sponsored drawing held in the library during open house at the school.

## Sheridan library operated by volunteers

Summer is over and school calls the children back. The Sheridan Memorial Library has involved the children and youth throughout the summer with its morning and afternoon story hours. Young readers participated in the "Discover the New World of Reading."

Involvement is what made the summer program a success. The special volunteers who assisted with the activities were Darnell Varley, Beverly Houser, Nancy Chabreck, Sharla Hinz, Connie Laake, Kathy Board,

Ginger Stiehler, Loretta McCloud and Carolyn Brisco.

The program was also helped by the involvement of parents, grandparents and babysitters who brought the children to the library activities.

The preschool story hour will continue each Tuesday this fall at 10 a.m. Regular-hour library volunteers are Martha Polach, Joyce Ohm, Jeanne McCrain and Mary Lou Criswell.

The library has received the following memorial donations: in memory of Laura Belle Toups by Larry and

Margaret Marie Nawara and Christopher Edward Glueck were united in marriage on Saturday, Aug. 8, 1992, at St. Roch's Catholic Church in Mentz.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henneke of Frelsburg and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Theo Motl of Frelsburg and the late Mr. and Leo Henneke of Bernardo. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glueck of Bernardo and grandson of Mrs. Adela Fojt of Bernardo and the late August Fojt, and Mrs. Laura Mae Glueck of Bernardo and the late Ellis Glueck.

The double ring ceremony was officiated by Rev. George Henninger. Lectors for Holy Mass were Linda Crawford and James Glueck; Responsorial Psalm, Curtis Glueck; Intentions, Danette Glueck. The Offertory Gifts were presented by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maetz, godparents of the groom.

Mrs. Cynthia Sunderman was organist and vocalists were Mrs. Vickie Glynn and Mr. Brian Korla. Altar servers were Greg Glueck, brother of the groom and Jay Glueck, cousin of the groom.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents, and escorted down the aisle by her parents and children, April and Jaczy.

She selected a gown made of candlelight satin, overlaid by sciffli lace. The fitted bodice, with a drop waist and chiffon yoke above a sweetheart neckline, was adorned with appliques, pearls, and iridescent sequins. The bodice featured long fitted sleeves of chiffon and lace with appliques, pearls, and sequins. The skirt fell to the floor and swept to a cathedral-length train. The bride also wore a

Darnell Varley; in memory of Everett Hearn by Larry and Darnell Varley; in memory of Herbert Kincheloe by Larry and Darnell Varley; in memory of Grady Judd by Larry and Darnell Varley; in memory of "Skeeter" Henry by David and Loretta McCloud; in memory of Henry Zbrnek by Harvey and Connie Laake; in memory of Alma Foster by Bill and Lillian Gohlke, and C.W. and Mary DeShazo; monetary donations by Larry and Darnell Varley and Lavo and Ruth Brisco.

The reception, dinner and dance were held at the Veterans Memorial Center in Columbus. A catered meal was served by Staff's of El Campo.

The bride's cake was a five-tier white confection supported by silk burgundy and pink floral covered columns. A white lace heart with the bride and groom in the center topped the cake.

The groom's red velvet cake was decorated bearing the Texas A&M insignia and a farming scene. The groom's cake was cut by Roxanne Ubalte.

The House Party consisted of Jo Ann Nelson, Cindy Kallus, Candace

the music provided by Family Tradition. The grand march was led by Bernetta and Jeffrey Cook, godmother and cousin of the bride. The couple enjoyed a honeymoon in Colorado.

Misses Petras of La Grange, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Danette Glueck of San Antonio, Jenni Glueck of Bernardo, both sisters of the groom, Tisha Miller of Sealy, niece of the bride, and Raymie Kana of Columbus, friend of the bride.

Junior bridesmaid was April Nawara of Frelsburg, daughter of the bride, and flower girl was Candace Petras of La Grange, niece of the bride.

The bride's attendants wore dresses of burgundy moire bengaline with sweetheart necklines, drop-waist bodices with full tea-length skirts and puffed sleeves. The attendants' dresses were all made by the groom's mother, Mickey Glueck. They carried matching bouquets of the bride, also made by Mrs. Henneke.

The groom was attired in a Twilight Parisian full dress tuxedo by Christian Dior. His boutonniere was a single white rose accented with iridescent baby's breath and pearls. Ring bearer, Jaczy Nawara of Frelsburg, son of the bride was attired identically to the groom.

Mike Hnatt of Santa Fe, friend of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Curtis Glueck, Doug Glueck, and Jeffrey Glueck, of Bernardo, all brothers of the groom, and Leslie Little of Brenham, friend of the groom.

Serving as ushers were John Glueck of Bernardo, Michael Lapham of Schulerburg, and David Olivarez of Houston. Groomsmen and ushers all wore grey Parisian full-dress tuxedos.

The mother of the bride wore an elegant ivory lace two-piece suit. The mother of the groom also wore a two-piece suit with a pink chiffon skirt and floral lace jacket. The fathers of the bride and groom wore grey Parisian tuxedos.

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Fri., Sept. 18: BR: cinnamon roll or cereal, fruit; SB: pig-n-blanket, later tots, fruit; LR: hamburgers, fries, pinto bean, burger salad.  
Mon., Sept. 21: BR: French toast, syrup, sausage or cereal, juice; SB: BBQ ribs, fries, fruit, oatmeal date squares; LR: taco boats, corn, lettuce, tomato, cheese, carrot sticks.  
Tues., Sept. 22: BR: donut, or cereal, fruit; SB: stromboli, rice, beef salad; LR: hot dog w/ chili & cheese, baked beans, fruit.  
Wed., Sept. 23: BR: cinnamon toast, or cereal, juice; SB: steak fingers w/ gravy, fries, fruit, hot roll; LR: hamburgers, fries, pinto beans, lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion.  
Thurs., Sept. 24: BR: biscuit, sausage patty, jelly or cereal, juice; SB: cheese enchiladas w/ chili and cheese on top, fries, fruit, bread; LR: baked chicken, seasoned rice, green beans, mix fruit, hot roll.  
Fri., Sept. 25: BR: pancakes, syrup, or cereal, juice; SB: chicken nuggets, fries, fruit, hot roll; LR: beef stroganoff over noodles, mix vegetables, fruit, hot roll.  
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