

# The Bronte Weekly Enterprise

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## BIONTE-MARIE CONSOLIDATION ELECTION

Dear Editor:

As most everyone is aware, the Bronte and Marie school districts will vote on Saturday, October 7, 1939, on the question of the consolidation of the Marie District with the Bronte District. The main thought that comes into most people's minds in a situation of this kind is whether the incoming district will be a benefit or a liability to the receiving district. With that question in mind, I quote for your consideration some estimated figures on the financial side.

Estimated income from the Marie District:

State per capita apportionment	\$630
Local tax	720
State salary aid	700
State transportation aid	425
Total estimated income	\$2455

These estimates have been made with an expected 20 per cent cut in all forms of State Aid and an 80 per cent tax collection.

Estimated expense to the Bronte District:

Salary for one teacher	\$990
Transportation expense	800
Total estimated expense	\$1790

The estimated expense balanced against the estimated receipts leaves a balance of \$665 on the income side. I feel that this is a fair estimate as the possible reductions in the income have been subtracted while the estimated expense has been figured at the minimum. These figures are based on a minimum of thirty scholastics while the Marie district has forty-nine on their rolls this year and with a prospect of having more next year.

Very truly yours,

BOB B. COVEY,  
Supt. Bronte Schools.

From the above indisputable facts The Enterprise cannot believe but that the vote in the Bronte school district will be solid for consolidation. Let everyone read the above figures given by Supt. Covey and then go to the polls and make it one hundred per cent in favor of Marie coming in and get the benefit of our fine school facilities, provided, of course that they want to come in.

## QUESTION BOX

You have heard of a spineless cactus, a horseless carriage, a headless horseman, and a wireless line, but whoever heard of a womanless wedding?

For correct answer to today's quiz, see The Womanless Wedding sponsored by the Bronte P. T. A. and the Woman's Progressive Club, at the high school auditorium, tonight, (Friday) at eight o'clock.

## FINANCIAL HINT:

To all those wishing to invest

a small amount in a big evening of fun and laughter, the P. T. A. and Progressive Club, we suggest you attend the Womanless Wedding, Friday evening, (this evening) at eight o'clock. Bring the whole family for fifty cents—pleasant evening guaranteed.

Worried Willy: "Is it ever correct to have a womanless wedding?"

Emily Post: "Yes, especially, if sponsored by two such worthy organizations as the Bronte P. T. A. and the Woman's Progressive Club."

## JUNIOR STUDY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. GLENN

Mrs. James Glenn was hostess to the Junior Study Club Thursday the 21st.

The Federation song was sung by everyone. Then the roll was called by "What our Club can do or what some other club has done." Interesting suggestions were given by each one present.

The hostess turned the meeting over to the president for the business meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Roe Williams.

Reports were made by sickness and finance committees Mrs. Curtis Smith gave an interesting report on the executive meeting which was called by Mrs. D. K. Glenn last week. A park seems to be the definite aim of all the members. The members plan to do their utmost toward that angle.

Mrs. Clitis Smith was appointed chairman of a selected committee to get the park project started.

The hostess then took charge of the program. "Reading of Constitution and By-laws was by Mrs. Roe Williams.

"Parliamentary rules", were read by Mrs. Curtis Smith. Mrs. Smith presented each member a slip of paper on which they were to give their opinions concerning the parliamentary rules. The "Club Collect" was given by Mrs. Otis Smith. The program ended by the hostess reading the next program and serving refreshing dishes of ice cream and pie.

Those present were Mrs. James Glenn, the hostess, Mesdames D. K. Glenn, Cumbie Ivey, B. D. Mackey, O. R. McQueen, J. M. Rippetoe, Clytus Smith, Curtis Smith, George Thomas, Roe Williams, Otis Smith, Miss Nell Lowry ad a visitor, Mrs. Willie Thompson.

## OLD TIMER ILL

The many friends of Grandpa Bob Covey are wishing him a speedy recovery from his latest attack of picnicitis, and are hoping that he will be able to attend the wedding of his favorite granddaughter, Georgia Thomas, whose marriage is to take place on Friday night of this week.

## POET'S CORNER

Come one, come all,  
To the best show of the fall—  
To make you laugh 'til you cry  
A Womanless Wedding sponsored by  
The Woman's Club and P. T. A.  
At eight o'clock on Friday.

—Author Unknown.

## PROMINENT BRONTE COUPLE TO BE UNITED IN MARRIAGE FRIDAY

On Friday evening at eight o'clock, the wedding of "Miss" Georgia Thomas and Short "T" Pruitt will be solemnized in the spacious auditorium of the Bronte high school.

As both parties are well known and universally loved in Bronte-land, a large circle of friends are expected to attend this outstanding event.

The bride will wear a white Chapman creation and will carry a bouquet of garden flowers. The Reverend Hardy, father of the bride, is looking forward to the time when he can give "her" away. Preceding the entrance of the bridal party and throughout the ceremony, loud bangs of nuptial music will be rendered by Roy(ena Eaton, pianist, and Madame Jay Tee Henry, soloist.

After the ceremony the bridal pair will reside in their respective homes on church street.

## BRONTE P. T. A. AND WOMAN'S PROGRESSIVE CLUB SPONSOR

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All Star Cast of 25 Sheroic Actors—Consisting of:  
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Bride's Mother ..... FLUTHENA HIGGINBOTHAM  
Bride's Baby Sister ..... GERALDINE DAVIS  
BRIDEGROOM ..... SHORT T. PRUITT  
BRIDE'S FATHER ..... REV. C. R. HARDY  
BRIDE'S BROTHER ..... MARLIN MACKEY  
Bride's Sisters (twins) — Jo Wilkins, Leeleva Comptor  
Bride's Grandfather ..... BOB B. COVEY  
Bride's Attendants — Cumbiette Ivey, D(orothy, K(atherine) Glenn, Theresa F. (lowera) Simms, Roycell Hayley  
J. (une) B. (eatrice) Mackey, Bud (wina) Maxwell,  
USHERS ..... ROBERT LAMBERT, CURTIS SMITH  
BEST MAN ..... M A C P O W E L L I  
Ring Bearer ..... "Little" Everetta Brutor  
FLOWER GIRL ..... ROSETTE WILLIAM  
Train Bearer—Jo Georgia Wilkins, "Bud" Leeleva Comptor  
M I N I S T E R ..... H. O. WHIT  
MASTER OF CEREMONY ..... CAROLL RATLIF  
P I A N I S T ..... ROYENA EATON  
SOLOIST ..... Madame Jay Tee Henr  
DIRECTOR ..... MRS. GEORGE THOMAS  
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Admission ..... 10 and 20c Family Tickets ..... 50

The Woman's Progressive Club and the P. T. A. are both organizations for the betterment of civic condition and the promotion of child welfare. In view of the excellent work being done by these two groups, can you afford not to attend the entertainment which they are sponsoring on Friday evening of this week?

## SOPHOMORES ORGANIZE

The sophomore class of the Bronte schools met Wednesday morning, September 27, 1939 and organized by electing their class officers and class mothers. Mrs. J. T. Henry, sponsor, acted as chairman.

The election was as follows:  
President, Paul Rogers; Vice-President, Kenneth St. Clair; Secretary-treasurer, James Keeney; Reporter, Darlene Brunson; Group mothers, Mrs. Leonard Keeney, Mrs. J. O. Brunson, Mrs. J. T. Eldridge.

## FUTURE HOMEMAKERS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Future Homemakers First Year Club met and elected officers for the forthcoming year.

The freshmen elected Katherine Rawlings, President; Imogene Hudman, Vice-president; Ora Myrtle Ivey secretary, and Jo Marie Chumley, reporter.

There were two chairmen elected; Maurine Miller, manager; Billie Alexander, program chairman. Each chairman elected three for their committee. The club will have their regular meetings every other Wednesday from 9:00 until 10:00.

At a later meeting a constitution was adopted and a program was enjoyed by all members.

## BAND CLUB ORGANIZED; OFFICERS ELECTED

The Band Club was organized and the following officers elected: President, Edward Williams; Secretary, Jayne Cumbie; Librarian, Jeanne Gideon; Treasurer, Joe Rawlings; Reporter, Marjorie Percifull.

The social committee consists of James Keeney, Jeanne Gideon, and Jayne Cumbie. There are 20 members in the band this year. The band looks forward to a greater and more successful year.

## HOMEMAKING CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Homemaking II year club the following officers were elected: President, Lilly Marie Brooks; Vice-president, Ruby Dale Eldridge; Secretary, Jenell Moore; porter, Sarah Van Zandt, gram committee, Wilma Cal

At a meeting held in Homemaking Department tember 20, Annie McCut was elected to draw up a constitution. Gladys Palmer elected Chairman. Verb were selected as the club flower and pink and white as colors.

## JUNIORS ORGANIZE

The 1939-40 Junior class Bronte High school held its meeting Tuesday September under the direction of Superintendent B. B. Covey for the purpose of electing a class sponsor. Miss Juanita Mings, Spanish and English teacher, was chosen by the juniors as sponsor.

At a later meeting the following class officers were elected: President, Norman Bruer; Vice-president, Dwain Pr; Secretary, Geraldine Mite; Treasurer, Vernon Glenn; porter, Marjorie Percifull.

Mrs. Percifull, Mrs. B. Modgling and Mrs. Bru were selected as room mothers.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that bales of cotton were ginned in Coke County from the crop 1939 prior to Sept. 16 as compared with 886 bales for crop of 1938.

Mrs. Charley Rogers, an C. B. and wife, returned from a ten days trip that them to Madisonville, Houston Galveston and other places. Went primarily to visit Mrs. ers mother who was ill.

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# EVERYBODY

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**October 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7**

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# Everybody In

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WHERE ELSE TO OUR WEEK OF SOLID ENTERTAINME



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**FRANKLIN'S**



Word comes of the birth of a little baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wyatt of Eola, September 21, 1939. The little lady has been named Sarah Jane. Mrs. Wyatt will be remembered as Miss Blanche Caudle. The many friends of the mother extend congratulations and best wishes for "Miss Sarah Jane."

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Morrison and little son, Roscoe, from Wingate and Elmer Bryant from Wilmeth were callers at The Enterprise office Saturday. Mr. Morrison called to place an ad about his seed wheat. Call again, friends.

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS

**TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY  
 CONSTABLE OF COKE COUNTY,  
 GREETING:**

You are hereby commanded to  
 summon Ruby Rosser McCarty,  
 and husband Mr. McCarty,  
 whose name is to plaintiff's at-  
 torney unknown, and all the  
 heirs and or assigns of W. H.  
 Rosser, deceased, by making pub-  
 lication in the manner provided  
 by law to appear at the next  
 regular term of the 51st Judicial  
 District Court, of Coke County  
 Texas, to be held at the court

house thereof in the city of  
 Robert Lee, Texas, on the Sec-  
 ond Monday, in October 1939,  
 and being the 9th day of October  
 1939, then and there to answer  
 a petition in a delinquent tax  
 suit filed by the Bronte Inde-  
 pendent School District, of Coke  
 County, Texas, suing in its own  
 behalf and also in behalf of Coke  
 County, Texas, and all political  
 subdivisions of said County  
 whose taxes are assessed by the  
 assessor and collector of taxes  
 of the Bronte Independent  
 School District, the City of  
 Bronte, and Coke County,  
 Texas.

Said suit having been filed in  
 said Court on the 14th day of  
 September 1939, and numbered  
 on the docket of said Court No.  
 1503, and wherein the Bronte  
 Independent School District is  
 plaintiff and George Rosser,  
 Mrs. M. P. Coleman, M. P. Cole-  
 man, Graves Rosser, Ruby Ros-  
 ser McCarty, and husband Mr.  
 McCarty, and all the unknown  
 heirs and or assigns of W. H.  
 Rosser, deceased, are defendants,  
 and impleaded as defendants are  
 Coke County, Texas, and all  
 political subdivisions of Coke  
 County.

Said suit is a suit to collect  
 taxes on the following described  
 real estate, which is located in  
 the Bronte Independent School  
 District in Coke County, Texas,  
 to-wit:

Lots Number 1, 2, and 3, in  
 Block No. 86.

Lots Number 5 and 6, in  
 block Number 79, all in  
 the City of Bronte, Texas, ac-  
 cording to the map or plat of  
 said town or city of Bronte,  
 Texas, as the same  
 appears on file in the office of  
 the County Clerk of Coke Coun-

ty, Texas, and in the name of  
 W. H. Rosser, deceased.

Said taxes being delinquent  
 for the following years, to-wit:  
 1929, 1930, 1931, 1933, 1936,  
 1937, and 1938, and being in the  
 total amount of taxes, penalties,  
 interest, and costs of \$49.93,  
 which amount is due said Bronte  
 Independent School District.

HERIN FAIL NOT, but have  
 you before said Court on said  
 first day of next term thereof  
 this writ, with your return  
 thereon, showing how you have  
 executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal  
 of said Court, at office in the  
 City of Robert Lee, Texas, this  
 18th day of September 1939.

**WILLIS SMITH**  
 Clerk of the District Court  
 of Coke County, Texas.

By Beatrice Taylor, Deputy.  
 Issued this 18th day of Sept.  
 1939.

**WILLIS SMITH**, Clerk,  
 District Court  
 Coke County, Texas,  
 By Beatrice Taylor, Deputy  
 (SEAL)

**BLACKWELL NEWS**

By Mrs. Chas. Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet  
 Jr., and son of Lofton, Okla-  
 homa have been visiting in  
 Blackwell.

**Methodist Missionary  
 Society Meets**

The Methodist Missionary So-  
 ciety met at the Methodist  
 church Monday afternoon. A  
 program was given on Steward-  
 ship, with Mrs. R. B. Kirk as  
 leader. Others on the program  
 were Mrs. C. H. Bolin, Mrs. Ro-  
 bert Post and Mrs. P. G. Dab-  
 ney.

Others present were Mrs.  
 Frank Youree, Mrs. T. A. Carl-  
 isle, Mrs. I. T. Huckabee, Mrs.  
 I. N. Polk, Mrs. Henry Raney,  
 Mrs. Arnold Richards, Mrs. Ox-  
 ford Richards, Mrs. J. W. Leach,  
 Mrs. Austin Jordan, Mrs. Delos  
 Alsup, and Mrs. George Hartin.

**Home Demonstration Club  
 Meets With Mrs. Bryan**

The Home Demonstration  
 Club met in the home of Mrs.  
 Emmett Bryan. Miss Varina  
 Stenson, Home Demonstration  
 agent met with the club.  
 Porches and homes were dis-  
 cussed, after which delicious  
 cookies and tea were served to  
 Mrs. Joe Davis, Mrs. Mrs. Ro-  
 bert Post, Mrs. Arnold Richards,  
 Mrs. Eli Patterson, Mrs. Roy  
 Sanderson, Mrs. Leroy Stone,  
 Mrs. Chas. Ragsdale, Miss Sten-  
 son and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with  
 Mrs. Robert Post. The date has  
 been changed to ever first and  
 third Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

Edwin Sweet has entered the  
 State University at Austin.

Blackwell's team won the ball  
 game Friday with A. C. C.  
 Academy. The score was 31 to  
 5. Blackwell will play Sylvester  
 at Sylvester Friday.

The P. T. A. will have their  
 first meeting October 5, at 3:15  
 o'clock. Every parent is invited  
 to come.

Mrs. Cecil Hargrave and son  
 Bobby underwent tonsil opera-  
 tions Saturday at the Sweet-  
 water Hospital. Both are at  
 home now and doing fine.

Sunday will be rally day at  
 the Methodist church. It will be  
 the starting of a new Sunday  
 school year.

**A Correction**  
 In the Blackwell news column  
 of last week the statement was  
 made that the Hylton school had  
 consolidated with the Blackwell  
 school. This was a mistake, as  
 there was no vote on the issue.

**MARRIED**

At the editor's home, Monday  
 evening, September 25, 1939,  
 the writer officiating, in the  
 presence of a few relatives and  
 friends, Mr. Desmond L. Rags-  
 dale and Mrs. May Estelle Pow-  
 ers Crabb were united in mar-  
 riage. Both parties reside at  
 Guion, Texas.

The bride is one of the popular  
 ladies of her home community  
 and her friends wish her all hap-  
 piness.

The groom is a brother of  
 Charles Ragsdale of Blackwell  
 and is one of the fine young men  
 and successful farmers of his  
 community.

The Enterprise joins with the  
 friends of these two excellent  
 people in wishing them increas-  
 ing happiness as they enter life  
 together.

**MISS MODGLING  
 RETURNS TO COLLEGE**

BELTON, Sept. 25 (Spl.) Miss  
 Iva Dell Modgling, daughter of  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. Modgling, has  
 returned to Mary Hardin-Baylor  
 College for her senior year of  
 work. Formal opening exercises  
 will be held on September 29 to  
 mark the ninety-fifth session of  
 the college which will celebrate  
 its centennial in 1945.


# Lessons On Thrift

STORING FOR THE FUTURE

We eat and digest and energy store;  
 Sometimes we need less; sometimes more.  
 The wise course of nature is always to save,  
 So a surplus of strength we all times may have.  
 If you would prepare and wise nature heed,  
 You would also prepare for your future need.  
 The lessons of nature show we should give  
 Attention to saving that we may live.  
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**GRAMMER GRADE NEWS**

The Intermediate grades of the Bronte school are off to a flying start in all of the departments.

Language Arts groups are learning of the great-outdoor-world, exploring with the Texas Indians, broadening views on our ways of living and flying the printways for greater speed and efficiency.

Social Science groups are enjoying the customs of peoples beyond the seas, as well as the present day happenings in our own land.

Art groups tell us autumn is here with "falling leaves" and the "rabbits' tread."

Music is a delight; even writing scales is fun with the jolly little note climbing about on the staff.

Physical Education period is filled with games and exercise that will make us so big and strong the scales climb upward at each monthly weighing in the Health groups.

Arithmetic is not forgotten in the program, but Mr. Teague and Miss Duckworth think perhaps some of us have forgotten arithmetic, but soon they will see that we know  $4x6$  plus makes 28 points in a football

game. Each class in the department has organized, selected sponsors, and officers. Soon we will be busy with extra curricula activities as well as regular work.

**Class Officers for the 5th grade:**  
Sponsor—Miss Jo Bill Duckworth.  
Pres.—John W. Johnson.  
Vice-pres.—Billie Gideon.  
Secretary—Sammie Good.  
Treasurer—James A. Taylor.  
Reporter—Bonnie Jo Brock.  
Grade Mothers—Mrs. T. R. Hallmark, Mrs. J. A. Taylor, Mrs. W. P. Johnson.

**Class officers of the 4th grade:**  
Sponsor—Mrs. Robt. Lambert  
Pres.—Dorothy Ruth Stephenson.  
Vice-Pres.—Dolan Mackey.  
Secretary—Stella Roberts.  
Treasurer—Homer Leathers  
Reporter—Peggy Joyce Chisholm.  
Grade Mothers—Mrs. G. E. Chisholm, Mrs. J. A. Stephenson and Mrs. W. Wrinkle.

**Class officers for the 7th grade:**  
Sponsor—Mrs. D. Hull.  
Pres.—Bobbie Jean Forman.  
Vice-Pres.—Mary Beth Cumbe.  
Sect'y.—Dorothea McDaniels.  
Treas.—Lester Leathers.  
Reporter—Ruth Stevens.

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Motion Pictures Are Your Best Entertainment  
—Air Conditioned—

Friday and Saturday Sept. 29-30  
James Cagney—Rosemary Lane  
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—with—  
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Tuesday Only—October, 3rd  
Ganet Gaynor  
Douglas Fairbanks  
—in—

"THE YOUNG IN HEART"  
Also—Comedy

**ALAMO THEATRE**

Robert Lee  
Friday and Saturday Sept. 29-30  
"MYSTERIOUS RIDER"

Sunday 1:30 Matinee and  
Monday October 1-2  
Erroll Flynn — Ann Sheridan  
—in—

"DODGE CITY"  
(In Color)

Wednesday Nite October 4th  
"TOUGH GUYS  
IN SOCIETY"

Grade Mothers—Mrs. M. C. Buford, Mrs. E. A. Bell.

**Class officers for the 6th grade:**  
Sponsor—Mr. Clifford Horn.  
Pres.—Louise Kinney.  
Vice-Pres.—Marcelle Smith.  
Sect'y.—Zelma Jean Lites.  
Treasurer—Edith Eldridge.  
Reporter—Mary Lou Pittman  
Grade Mothers—Mrs. G. C. Kinney, Mrs. J. E. Eldridge, Mrs. Frank Keesee.

**Eighth Grade Officers:**  
On September 27, 1939, Mrs. Henry, sponsor of the eighth grade called the house to order. They elected the following as officers of the club.

President—J. L. Hudman.  
Vice-Pres.—Homer Ivey.  
Sect'y.—Katherine Rawlings.  
Reporter—Imogene Hudman.  
The class elected Mrs. Henry Hudman, Mrs. Mark Chumbly, Mrs. Milton Wylie, and Mrs. Buck Ivey for their room mothers.  
—Imogene Hudman.

Those who missed assembly Tuesday morning missed a treat for the Primary Department entertained!

The department has had a good opening with an enrollment of 84.

**BRONTE BOY SCOUTS TO COMPETE WITH ROBERT LEE TROOP**

Boy Scout Troop 52 of Bronte challenges Robert Lee Scout Troop 50 in various skating events to be staged October 13, 1939 at the Bronte Skating rink.

The general public is invited to come and skate and witness the exhibitions in Scoutcraft, and numerous contests. Give the scouts your support by being present on this date.

**BUYS THE PAIRISH STEAM LAUNDRY**

Mrs. S. O. Jackson who owned and operated the Jackson grocery and service station in the west part of town on the Robert Lee highway having sold same to Mr. Tabor of East Texas, bought the Pairish Laundry, from Mr. and Mrs. John Pairish and has taken charge of same.

Already Mrs. Jackson has made some substantial improvements on the laundry property, chief of which is to install a butane gas plant.

Speaking to The Enterprise editor relative to her new venture Mrs. Jackson stated she was going to have a laundry plant second to none—that she would always give good service and hence invited the people all over the Bronte trade territory to patronize her laundry.

Mrs. Jackson has an announcement in this issue of The Enterprise relative to her laundry—read it and see for yourself what Mrs. Jackson says.

**Laundry Announcement**

To all my friends and the public generally: I take this way of announcing that I have bought the Pairish Laundry from Mr. and Mrs. John Pairish and have taken charge of same. Having sold my grocery and service station business to Mr. Tabor of East Texas and Mr. Edwards they have taken charge of same. I had to have something to do. So I bought the laundry.

**My Policy**

Will be as it was in my former business—that of giving the very best service possible in the most courteous way. I have already made some improvements and will continue to make improvements so I can keep my laundry right in the forefront.

**Amounts Due**

I wish to ask those who owe me in my grocery and service station business to call and pay the amounts they owe. Either pay Mr. Edwards or call and see me at the laundry. Friends, I need now every bit that is due me and I will appreciate your paying your account.

**Thank You**

I want to "thank you," out of my heart, each and all, for your loyalty to me through the years and I want you to know that I will appreciate your patronage of my laundry.

**Mrs. S. O. Jackson**

**P. T. A. HOLDS FIRST MEETING OF YEAR**

The P. T. A. held its first meeting of the year Tuesday September 26, 1939.

Speakers for the occasion were Mrs. C. T. Womack, 1st vice-president of the 6th Dis-

trict, San Angelo; and Mrs. Frank Lassing, President of the Tri-County Council, San Angelo. Both talks were enjoyed by all.

Room honors were awarded Miss Duckworth's room. Tea and refreshments were served by the Home Ec. students.

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**Store SALE Wide**

**SHORTENING** 4 Lb. Carton **39c**

**SUGAR** Pure Cane, Cloth Bag. 10 Lb. **59c**

**FLOUR** Bewley's Best 24 Lbs. **79c**

**Coffee** Star State. Vacuum Packed. Lb. **.25**

**Sausage** PURE PORK. Lb. **.15**

**Steak** Tender, Juicy, Fat Round, Loin, T-Bone pound **.25**

**Bacon** Swift's Sliced Sugar Cured. Lb. **.25**

**MENS Handkerchiefs** 3 for **10c**

**GRAPES** White or Red. **Lb. 5c**

**WOOL THREAD** 2 oz. skein. **25c**

**Dresses** Girls, sizes 7 to 14. **Ea. 39c**

HIGHEST PRICES Paid for your Produce. The prices are Going Up on some produce items now so bring on your EGGS, CREAM, BUTTER, AND CHICKENS.

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