WHAT GOES ON

By Jane Nunnally

Mrs. George Wrinkle wil be hostess for a shower to be given tomorrow at her home from two o'clock until seven. It's in honor of the Walter Scotts, and everybody in the county is invited.

The T. E. Tidwells and Bobby Tomlinson took in Austin over the weekend. The Tidwells visited relatives, Bobby visited Geneva and Mary Lee five. Davis, and Geneva returned with them to spend a few days in Bronte with her parents, the W. B. Tomlin-

The Fort Chadbourne carnival went off in fine shape, according to the sum of \$203.36. This money will be used to send 4-H girls to A&M College and also to send three WHD ladies to the State Home Demonstra- duals. tion Meeting at Galveston.

The ladies want to thank all those who helped and took part on the

San Antonio Monday, where they were buying more merchandise for their store.

Sorry to report that Mrs. W. C. McElrath of Coleman died at her CELEBRATE home there last Monday at 2 o'clock. She is the mother of Mrs. H. R. Gassiot of Bronte, and had not been well for some time. Funeral services were held last Tuesday at 5 o'clock, and were in charge of the Stevens Funeral life.

Members of the Union WHD Club, who had a party in the City Park Monday night, are emphatic in saying that they weren't the ones who messed up the park. When they left, it was in fine shape, but they did say that as they were leaving, they noticed a car coming in, and feel that maybe its occupants were the ones doing the damage. At any rate, neither the members nor their children were re-

E. Bruton and of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crume. She is Everett's sister, and Mrs. Crume is her mother. Everett took her home last Sunday, and also had a day's visit with the White Auto of Superhead and Mrs. Josie Rogers of Superhead and Mrs. Josie Rogers Store group in Wichita Falls, where some 100 dealers were buying their Christmas merchandise. There's lots of new goods coming out, according to Everett, who indicated he was there to get his share of the new METHODIST CHURCH

Members of the Coke County WHD Council met last Thursday, August 7, in Robert Lee, when delegates were which was planned for next Wednesheld in Galveston.

Chosen delegates were Mrs. Tom Rives, THDA chairman, Mrs. Taylor date will be announced later. Emerson, and Miss Gladys Waldrop. Alternates selected were Mrs. R. L. Page, Mrs. A. C. McAulley, and Mrs. W. Labenske.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mitchell have gone to Knoxville, Tenn., to visit with his two brothers and sisters and other relatives, many of whom he has not seen in 24 years. They will also visit with Mrs. Mitchell's family at Roxboro, N. C., folks she hasn't seen for some 30 years. It promises to be a grand occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Offield and two little sons of Littlefield were the recent guests of Mrs. H. L. Eaton of Bronte. Also here were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Offield of Dickens City. He is Mrs. Eaton's brother.

She was also pleased to have all her children home, including Mrs. Odessa Kightlinge of Denver, Colorado; Frank Eaton of Houston; Mrs. Mae Pendergast and children, Wanda, Gale and Dale, of Abilene; Jack Eaton from San Angelo; a grandson, Jimmy Wilson and his wife, who is from overseas. While it was hot weather for company, Mrs. Eaton was surely glad to have them all there.

LEGION HAS OUTING

Members of the Bronte American Legion post enjoyed an outing last week in the Bronte City Park.

"We also collected, then and there, the sum of \$425 to be used towards building our hut," Buck Coleman said.

With that amount, the building fund now totals more than \$500, Buck with a squash that was some squash, noted. He is the newly-elected post

Some 90 persons were there, and according to Buck, "we left the Park diameter measuring the 51/2 inches." in good shape, cleaning up all our trash before going.

with the turnout.

BOBBIE JACK WHITE IS KAREN-GAYL HOSPITAL'S FIRST NEW BABY

Bobbie Jack White, weighing some 8½ pounds, made his appearance last Tuesday night, August 12, at 10 o'clock in the new Karen-Gayl Hospital in Bronte.

He's the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of the Olga community, and is their second child. They also have a little girl, Neta Carolyn, who is

Mrs. White is the former Miss Ruth Branham of Blackwell.

Mother and child are reported to

be doing "just fine."
Since Bobbie Jack is the first baby to be born in the new hospital, he all the reports, and made the ladies and his parents will receive many free and valuable prizes, donated by the merchants of Bronte, as well as some Robert Lee firms and indivi-

Congratulations and best wishes to you, Bobbie Jack, and while you can't read it as yet, you'll have a year's free subscription to the Bronte En-Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith were in terprise, Coke County's finest news-

BLANKENSHIPS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blankenship of Houston, formerly of Bronte and well-known here, started out last Monday invited to come hear him deliver the Heb. 10:25. on a journey - a sentimental journey

Their four daughters honored them with an open house at their home.

Mr. Blankenship, 86, was born at Bryant Station in Milan County, and Mrs. Blankenship, 80, was born near Willis in Montgomery County. They were married at Bryant Station in

For most of his life, Mr. Blankenship was a farmer in Madison County,

but is now retired. they left it in good shape.

Mrs. Carl Miller of Burkburnett has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.

E. Bruton and of Mr. and Mrs. C.

were present for the occasion, are Mrs. rest will be furnished for breakfast. L. R. Hale of Houston; Mrs. Sanford Brown and Mrs. Frank Brimberry of

of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Blankenship are planning to visit their friends in Bronte some time next month.

Rev. Alvin R. Mauldin, Pastor

The Methodist Church barbecue, elected for the state meeting to be day, has been postponed due to the C. E. Arrott. hot weather, and due to the absence of members who are not in town. The

Sunday school will be held at the will be a Children's Church this Sun- petoe and family. day, and evening services will be held

Services at Tennyson will be held Sunday at 9:45.

Attend church somewhere Sunday

HOMEMAKING COURSE AVAILABLE FOR WOMEN VETERANS

Women who have served in any phase of the armed services of World War II may enroll in a homemaking course. This information was released today by Miss Marie Strange, State Supervisor of Homemaking for Veterans', Austin.

Women veterans who are eligible and wish to make application for enrollment may contact the local Coordinator, James C. Parrish of the Runnels County Vocational School. The Homemaking course is designed on the general plan as for men veterans requiring scheduled class hours and subsistence allowance.

J. H. VINSON RAISES GIANT SQUASH

and then some.

The vegetable measured 51/2 by 33 inches, with the straight through according to President Gordon G. Valley View Baptist Church.

It was planted last May, Vinson reported, and also weighed 15½ pounds. of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Westbrook, Reagan, Sterling, Irion, Tom Green, gust 12.



JUDGE E. C. GRINDSTAFF

JUDGE GRINDSTAFF TO SPEAK SUNDAY FOR BAPTISTS

Judge E. C. Grindstaff of Ballinger, Runnels County judge, is to be guest speaker next Sunday morning at the Bronte Baptist Church.

Rev. C. R. Blake is to be at Silver conducting a service, and has asked the Judge to fill his own pulpit.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE
By C. B. Blake

The Judge is president of the Runnels County Baptist Brotherhood, an able speaker, Sunday school teacher, morning message.

MRS. THOMAS HOSTESS TO BRONTE, JR. WHD

Members of the Bronte, Ir., WHD Club met last Wednesday, August 6, in the home of Mrs. Vera Thomas, with Mrs. Hollis Stevens having

charge of the opening exercises.

Mrs. Clifford Clark won the prize on a guessing game contest, when she guessed the most countries.

Plans were also made for the Christoval encampment, to be held August 20-21, when Club members are to the temptations of the week. bring a covered dish for luncheon the first day. Eggs, oranges, and the

The motion was made to send Mrs. church-going. - Baptist Standard. Taylor Emerson as a delegate to the Galveston meeting, and Mrs. Clifford Clark was named as alternate.

Mrs. Emerson demonstrated the Thomas gave pointers on the latest styles for this fall.

Present were Mmes. Taylor Emerson, C. E. Arrott, Clifford Clark, A. E. McAulley, A. E. Gentry, Hollis

The next meeting will be with Mrs.

same time, 10 o'clock, and morning her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ber- Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sylvester. The worship will be at 11 o'clock. There nard, and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Rip- Mauldins left for Avoca last Wednes-

CAROL DEAN WESTBROOK

RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

Singleton.

LATEST OIL NEWS . . .

No. 1-A W. I. Tubb - This north extension to the west side of the Jameson field flowed naturally 215.30 barrels of 47.4 gravity pipeline oil on a 24-hour Railroad Commission test ending last Wednesday morning, thus making it the seventh completed

Gauging was through a 1/4-inch choke on 2-inch tubing set at 6,478 feet with 960 perforations at 6,310-6,470 feet in 5½-inch casing cemented at 6,490 feet, 10 feet from the bottom. 700 pounds was the flowing casing pressure, and flowing tubing pressure was 300 pounds, with a gasoil ratio of 1,890-1.

No. 2 W. I. Tubb - This well was drilling in lime at 5,360 feet, while crewmen were fishing for drill collars. No. 2 H. H. Jameson - Now drilling at 3,155 feet in lime.

No. 4 Fred Jameson - Now making hole at 749 feet in redbeds and lime It is the south offset to No. 1 H. H.

"Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another."

Theme: Church Attendance. What my absence did. It made some question the reality

of religion. It made some think I was a pre-

It made many think I regarded my

spiritual welfare and that of others is a matter of small concern. It weakened the effect of church

It made it harder for the pastor

It discouraged the brethren, there-

fore robbed them of a blessing. It made it harder for me to meet

It encouraged the habit of non-

Weekly Sermonette will be some clip- telephone. She also took two younger way. pings far too valuable to lie in my files unused. I'll try to give due credit house. renovating of buttons, and then Mrs. to whom it should be given.-C. R. B.)

Stevens, R. S. Walton, Alfred Taylor, and George Thomas.

were guests in the Tomlinson home in about seven minutes, but the walls ter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schlagal and and roof had all caved in by the time daughter, Sue, were guests of Mr. and some watermelons they had raised, the volunteers had arrived. and all enjoyed the good feast.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin R. Mauldin Mrs. P. R. Littlefield and daugh- and family are expected back tonight ters, Yvonne and Novelle, from Pales- from a visit to Avoca, where they tine, spent part of last week visiting were guests of her sister and family,



LAVERNE PATTON

was selected the most popular girl in the class. She is a member of the Belton, August 14 - Miss Carol Tennyson Baptist church. She will Dean Westbrook, Tennyson, and Miss major in home economics at Mary Layerne Patton, Ballinger, have been Hardin-Baylor, and plans to teach awarded Fannie Breedlove Davis after graduation.

scholarships from District 16 of the The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. El-Texas Baptist Woman's Missionary mer Patton, Ballinger, Miss Patton Union, for the 1947-'48 school year at is a graduate of Ballinger High School, J. H. Vinson, who farms on Frank Keeney's place, was in town last week begins September 12. The two girls In high schol she was a drum majorwere selected from a group of appli- ette, and was also a member of the cants in 18 counties in West Central band. She was "Who's Who" in Texas, which comprises the district, Homemaking. She is a member of

> Counties in District 16, from which Miss Westbrook is the daughter the two girls were chosen, include, editor of the high school annual. She Comanche, and Coke.

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On August 23 go to the polls and vote "yes" for the College Building Amend-

Remember the crowded conditions of our 16 state colleges last year.

Remember the thousands of GI's and other deserving young men and women who were turned away from our colleges because these colleges lacked building facilities.

Remember, if this amendment is not passed no other plan is proposed for the relief of these colleges.

And remember that passage of this amendment will not cost tax-payers a single additional penny. The amendment reallocates the state ad valorem taxes; it does not create any new taxes.

WALTER SCOTT HOME DESTROYED BY FLAMES

The home of Walter Scott, located 41/2 miles north of Bronte on the Sweetwater highway, burned to the ground last Monday at noon, when a kerosene stoxe exploded, soon en-

veloping the house in flames. No insurance was carried on the five-room home, but damage was estimated at several thousand dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott were not at home, but their daughter, Dorothy It gave the devil more power over Faye, who was ill in bed, heard the explosion in the kitchen and stopped a passing motorist, who drove into Bronte and notified the telephone of-

An extremely high wind fanned Next week - What My Presence the flames, so that only the piano and Mrs. Avant Harrell and Buryl, E. L.

The Lee Roberts of Robert Lee The Bronte fire truck made the run Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hurst and daugh-

Efforts were made to pump water from a mud tank near the home, but day, and they brought us a birthday the suction hose, falling into the mud, quickly packed the pump with mud, and while volunteers worked feverishly, very little water was pumped through the fire lines.

Bronte's need of a trained fire department personnel was very evident to spectators. While volunteers present were more than willing to help in every way possible, they succeeded mainly in getting in each other's way, one opening and closing valves, while another just behind him closed and opened them, only to have the process repeated time and again.

After the truck returned to town, the pump was cleaned out, with several quarts of mud being removed from the blades. Upon then being tested, the pump exhibited a pressure of 125 pounds, which is normal with the booster tank, thus showing that the mud had fouled up the pump.

It was later returned to the scene of the fire, when James Weaver Scott played the hose on the burning embers and extinguished them.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Joel Webb, son of the Clarence Webbs of Tennyson, was released from the Karen-Gayl Hospital on August 6, Clark Glenn went home on mons, and Mrs. Myrtle Hart of Miles, the 7th, and Gale Huffstutler, greatly improved from his auto accident, Class, enjoyed a covered dish lunchwas released on August 8.

Mrs. Jess Coppedge was released on August 9, while Miss Annie Baker War of Maverick went home on the 12th, as did Homer Carwile of Edith.

Now in the hospital are Mrs. Floyd McCarty and Chester Hugh Derrick of Tennyson, Mrs. Ruth Coleman, and

TENNYSON TOPICS . . .

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Bessie Mae, Bobbie Joe, and Kenneth went to see Mrs. Bessie Bruce, their aunt, at Christoval. She's under a doctor's

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wrinkle visited with his sister, Mrs. Robert Brown and her children, Russel and Ola Sue, last Wednesday.

Wanda Sanders and Frances Key of san Angelo have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore.

Mrs. Robert Brown and Russel reurned Tuesday from Barnhart. They ame in on the train, and he is work-

ng on an oil rig. Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hegwood of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilbert and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brown, William Lee, Lloyd Lynn, Lena Faye, Mary, Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown, Charles Ray, and Melvin last Thurs-

Lee Allen Stewart returned from

Big Lake, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoeckendorf and Edwin Ray of Midland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green, Grace, William Jessie, her mother, Mrs. T. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Howell, Woodrow, Bernie Lee, J. A., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman, and others. Mrs. Brown went back with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conger, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latham and Tommy honored their sons, Hervey and G. W. with a barbecue supper Wednesday evening at Ben Ficklin. Present were Betty Sue Pittman, William Thomas, Martha Boatright, J. B. Arrott, Carol Dean Westbrook, Raymond Ditmore, Jewel Dean Latham, G. W. Conger, Bessie Mae Clark, L. E. Conger, Joan Masterson, Duane Conger, Tommie Jean Conger, Hervey Latham, Wil-

liam Lee Brown and J. B. Clark. Mrs. Sam Gaston and son, Sam, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Farmer.

Frances, Mary, Peggy, Gloria, and Henry Wuiemling have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil and children, Robert, Corrine, and Linda. (Note: For the next few issues, the fice of the blaze. The Scotts had no Robert returned with them to Mid-

children to safety from the blazing The L. Y. Harrells had all their sons for Sunday dinner, including Mr. and Mrs. Alto Harrell, Sonny, Mr. and some of the front room furnishings Harrell, and Mrs. Robert Lowrance and daughter, Syble Irene.

Mrs. W. T. Green, Grace, Dorothy Harrell and William Jessie last Sunpresent. It was a wheel chair and it will fold up. They also had a chicken dinner. Mrs. T. A. Brown and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoeckendorf and son, Edwin Ray, also ate dinner with them.

Robert Brown came to take Mrs. Brown and children back to Barnhart. Mrs. W. T. Green and the writer and Mrs. Brown all went to Angelo, last Thursday.

L. Y. went to Robert Lee twice

on business this week. Mrs. Zack Tounget and children. Billie Patricia, and Jerrie, all went to visit her sister, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bury Wade of Comanche.

Tom Kevil of Odessa stopped by Tuesday to chat with friends. Billy Mack and Mary Tom Was-

ham of Sweetwater, Bernice Caldwell of Snyder, and Paul Gean Smith are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman and children, Duane and Epsie Joe of Bronte and Grace Green and Bernie Lee Howell went to Ben Ficklin, Sunday to see the boat races. And Tuesday they visited the Greens.

Mrs. R. B. Gordon of Tennyson Mrs. Laura Atwell, Mrs. C. H. Coleman, Mrs. S. D. Childress, Mrs Sommembers of the Methodist Women's eon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto

Wanda Jean Brashers of San Angelo is visiting with J. M. Stewart, and Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Stuckey are also

their guests.

Mrs. I. McGinty of Buchanan Aubrey Denman, who underwent an Lake has been a guest in the home appendectomy at 3 o'clock on Au- of her sister, Mrs. Will Price and Mr. Price for the past three weeks. The It was a good meeting, with new ideas and a fine response, Buck noted, as he expressed himself well pleased of the squash was really a giant piece as he expressed himself well pleased of the squash was really a giant piece her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the her Senior class, and was assistant as the squash was taken to prove the squ

BRING HOME THE BACON

The man who always comes home with the bacon Knows what he's about, is seldom mistaken. He may not live in the greatest of style, But he gets what he needs that's really worth while.

He always has money saved up in advance,

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Nice selection of Linoleum RUGS, 9x12's	\$9.85
AIR CONDITIONERS, were \$49.95, now	\$42.50
LITTLE BROWN JUGS, were \$3.95, now	\$3.49
LOOK! - DAISY CHURNS, for only \$2.95	-LOOK
20-Qt. Burpee Pressure Cooker,	\$14.95
Presto PRESSURE COOKER	\$11.45
Mirro-Matic PRESSURE COOKER,	\$11.45
BIG CLOTHES HAMPERS,	\$2.19
Baby's HIGH CHAIR, were \$9.95, now	\$7.75
Fine LAWNMOWER, was \$24.95, now	\$17.45
3 Sizes of COPPER TUBING, only 14c	per fcot

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CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS TONIGHT

Minister Reuben Stanley of the Santa Rita Church of Christ in San Angelo will be the featured speaker REUNION as the Bronte Church of Christ be-

clock from now through August 24, boat riding, and swimming. it has been announced.

And according to C. E. Bruton, lowing: there'll be dinner in the park each Sunday, with friends and members in-

Arkansas will lead the singing, and mar Roberts. both he and Minister Stanley are From Bronte-Mr. and Mrs. Ray known as outstanding men in their

The public is cordially invited to attend each and every service, where a warm welcome awaits all who come.

NEW FREEZER LOCKER

The International Harvester Freezer Cabinet is now on display in the Berryhill, manager.

It can be cleaned quite easily, and has a cold control with 10 positions. Its compressor unit housing is easily removed, and it boasts a floating lid with finger tip control, for ease of using by the housewife.

The sealed unit is separate, and can be removed if desired," Raymond guarantee of one year on the box and president, each member answered roll said, "while it carries an unconditional a 5-year guraantee on the compres-

The latch can also be locked, and la home. it will contain 385 pounds of mixed food and 440 pounds of ground meat. Current used is only 60 kwhours per

You'll see from their ad elsewhere in the paper that the company now has two owners, A. B. Cary and Raymond Berryhill, as Sid Pearson, formond Berryhill, as Sid Pearson, for-merly associated with the organiza-tion has sold his interest to the following members and children: Mmes. Lela Parker, Thresa Wrinkle, tion, has sold his interest to the other two men.

The Runnels Baptist Association

First Baptist Church in Ballinger. Baptist Church in Winters, where Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Gardner, with the

SANCO SOCIETY...

By Billie Joe Gartman

The Baptist meeting started last Friday night with a nice attendance. Rev. Fred D. Blake of Robert Lee and Rev. McClanahan of Abilene are in charge of services. Ralph Calfey of Trent is leading the singing, and everyone is invited to attend.

Janette Lassiter is visiting with her uncle and aunt, the Jack Hulls at Big Spring.
Billie Dave Allen is visiting with

her sister, Mrs. Ray McDonald at San

Mrs. J. L. Carwile, Sr. returned last Friday from visiting her son, Herman, and his family at Carlsbad, N. M. Her granddaughter, Vernell, returned for a few days visit.

The I. H. Devalls visited their

daughter, Mrs. Lowrance Jackson of Abilene last weekend.

Mrs. L. B. Marlin, Ruby Doris, L. B. and Douglas visited Mrs. Belva McCutchen last Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. L. S. Bird this week are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Killam, Roy, Fay, and Edna Lee of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Killam, Jimmy, and Julia Nell of Abilene.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Adkins are Mrs. Roy Mayhall and their granddaughter, Billie Gwin Humble

Leo Prine returned Saturday from Happy, where he has been working. Key. Ulmer Bird has returned atter spending some time at San Antonio. And Mrs. Bird has returned home after visiting her parents at Pan-

Mrs. Alva Hughes and boys of Edinburg and Mrs. Claude Baker of Kerrville returned home after spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Prine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Adkins and Joy went to Blackwell last week to a picnic where the Montgomerys had family reunion. One of her brothers was there from Arizona.

Sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Adkins, who are moving to Post. Mrs. Fred Campbell of Robert Lee visited with Mrs. L. W. Campbell last

Monday. The H. J. Gartmans visited with the L. J. Gartmans at Silver, and we're sorry to report that H. J. Gartman is now on the sick list. No connection between the two, of course.

COALSON FAMILY

The Coalson family reunion was gins its revival services tonight at 8 held on Sunday, August 3, at the Frank Coalson cabin located on the Services will be held each morn-shores of Lake Sweetwater. There ing at 10:30 and each evening at 8 was lots of fun, plenty to eat, motor

Among those present were the fol-

From Sweetwater - Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin Teel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Teel, Mrs. J. E. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Merrit, student in Abilene Dewey Teel, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Rob-Christian College whose home is in erts and son, G. L., Jr., Edd and La-

> Coalson, Delbert and Cecil, A. E. Coalson, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coalson, Juanetta and James Arthur.

> From Snyder-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts, Arthur, Jr., and John Frank; Douglass McGlaunn, Arel Favor, and

Tommie Ivison; Also Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coalson, Douglas and Gloria of Abilene, Mrs. Agnes Evoris and B. T. of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Baillio and Ballinger Truck and Tractor Co., girls, Bobbie and Vonetta of Rotan, where it may be purchased for the Mrs. Joe Hitt, Jim, and Ira B. of Mcsum of \$340, according to Raymond Caulley, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Bankhead, Anita Joyce, and Lanell of San Of all-steel construction, it has 11 Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnston cubic feet of space, white enamel and Charline of Avoca, and Mr. and finish, and bottom is thoroughly Mrs. Frank Coalson, Yvonne and Serwood of Abilene.

UNION WHD MEETS

By Lela Parker

The Union WHD Club met on Friday, August 8, with Mrs. Homer Phillips and Mrs. Susie Jackson.

After being called to order by the call by telling what it took to make a home, as the program was on "The

Nettie Mae Lammers and Thresa Wrinkle gave readings about home, and Mrs. Phillips had charge of the

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Leotha Wrinkle and Mrs. Elbert Wrinkle on Friday, September 12.

Ice cream and cake were served to Lora Phillips, Susie Jackson, J. C. Lammers, Nettie Lee Coalson, Louise Ivey, Johnnie Pearl Beavers, Mickie Walker, F. S. Higginbotham, Nettie Training Union Rally will be held Mae Lammers, Lula Dubose, Ruth Sunday afternoon, August 17, at the First Baptist Church in Ballinger.

Sandusky, Helen Bennett, H. A. Gary, A. M. Wynne, and James Arthur And on Friday, August 22, an all- Coalson, Joyce Wrinkle, and Nellie

Robert Cecil Mitchell and Martha other State workers, will be on the program. All members are cordially invited.

Sutton were issued a marriage license on August 7, according to county clerk Willis Smith.

WE THANK YOU!

Our appreciation and gratitude annot be expressed in words to each of you for the priceless and lovely shower you have given our small hospital.

Each and eyery, large and small gift is so practical and useful. Especially do we appreciate the cash which was donated and will be used in the most beneficial place for your needs there, as well as our own.

Thank you, too, for the gifts that are still coming in, for each one will be put to use immediately.

We also appreciated the loads of beautiful flowers that decorated the hospital.

The response and reception you gave us on our opening day boosted our morale to the top. It meant everything to us-it was proof to us that you were accepting it as "your" hospital too, which is the way we want it.

We plan to continue trying to keep and to put equipment there that will, with Dr. Harris' help, benefit you and save lives.

In trying to show some appreciation, we promise to give you the best service possible in nursing, care, and food.

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HERE'S BLACKWELL . . .

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mrs. Joe Smith and son, Jerry, of Demming, N. M., are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Glovenia Caraway is visiting their families. n Robert Lee this week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole and fam-

ily of Coolidge are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy McLendon. Mrs. Chester Jordan returned Friday from Fort Worth, where she has and children, Rayma, J. O., and Don,

J. A. Jordan, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hipp are announcing the arrival of a new son. Bobby Hargraves of Douglas, Ariz. visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tubbs.

Mrs. Will Chew is spending the week at Crane, N. M.

Mrs. Ross Reaves is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sonny Bartie and husband and new daughter, all of Bryan.

Marion Newsome of Winnsboro, Clumbus Johnston, Lena May Lay-Butts, all of California. mon, and Betty Laymon of Anson. Wanda Lee Lackey is visiting now

in Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Nabors and daughter and J. A. Oden attended a family reunion at Comanche this

Calif., is visiting in Blackwell, Abilene, and Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ware are visiting in Decatur.

reatments in a Sweetwater hospital. The Methodist meeting is progress ing nicely with Rev. John English doing the preaching and Rev. Cecil Tune leading the singing.

Mrs. Howey Glass and son, Dan of Sterling City are visiting here this

Mrs. Kelly Richards and daughter, Dorothy, and Mrs. Howey Richards of San Diego, Calif., visited in the Arnold Richards and Ben Richards homes in Abilene last Tuesday.

STYLE SHOW HELD

According to Miss Mary Pearl Bearden, Coke County HDA, the recent style show attracted a lot of attention, and many fine selections were exhibited. Winners in the girls' division were as follows:

Dressy Dresses - Marlene Arrott, Eula Fay Smith, Norma Jean Gentry, and Nelda Ann Sheppard. Marlene will represent Coke County in the State Dress Review to be held at College Station in the 4-H Round-up on

School Dresses-Janet Dean, Donna Jameson, and Eula Fay Smith. Bedroom - Brunch coat, pajamas,

and slides, first place was won by Nelda Ann Sheppard.

Playsuits - Donna Jean Jameson, Ester Louise Allen, Eddie Sue McAulley, Elna Jameson, Billie Fred Jameson, with other entries including Susie Jameson, Jo Dell Walton, Melba Rives, Melva Dean Gartman, Jennie Lee Burns, and Norma Jean Gentry. In this contest, ribbons were given through five places, and prizes

for the first through third places. Winners in the WHD division were

Dressy Dresses-Mrs. Tom Reives, Jr., Miss Gladys Waldrop, Mrs. J. W. Labenske, Mrs. Tom Schooler, Mrs. O. W. Chapman, with other entries including Mrs. Willis Smith, Mrs. V. C. Lammers, Mrs. Floyd Harmon, and Mrs. Gray.

Street and Sport Dresses-Mrs. Barton Waldrop, Mrs. John Coalson, Mrs. Glenn Waldrop, and Mrs. Homer Phillips.

House Dresses - Mrs. Pat Reives, Mrs. Ray Coalson, Mrs. Helen Bennett and two little daughters, three and five years old.

The contest was held in the Alamo Theatre in Robert Lee, and judges included Mrs. Fred McDonald, Mrs. McNeil Wylie, Billie Jean Duncan, and Louise Hicks.

MRS. NUNNALLY HOSTESS FOR WSCS

Mrs. Jeff Dean had charge of the program when members of the Methodist WSCS met last Monday afternoon at the church at 3:30.

After singing a hymn, the group was led in prayer by Mrs. Alvin R Mauldin, who also talked on the

orphan's home. Pollyanna gifts were exchanged, and refreshments of brownies and ice cream were served to Mmes. B. E. Modgling, Jeff Dean, Lum Lasswell, B. F. Bridges, A. L. Carlile, Alvin Mauldin, G. W. Crume, S. A. Kiker,

and the hostess. The Board of Stewards of the Methodist Church met Tuesday night for their regular session.

HAYRICK CLUB NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Waldrop

The Hayrick WHD Club met on Wednesday, August 6, with Mrs. B. W. Waldrop.

It was an evening ice cream sup-per in the form of a "Family Night" for the friends and neighbors and

The group played games, sang, and enjoyed music furnished by the nephews of Mrs. J. A. Waldrop.

Members and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bagwell been visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coalson and sons, Delbert and Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale and Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rob-Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Ragsdale and son, and Mrs. B. P. Ragsdale attended a family reunion at Lake Abilene last Sunday.

Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Labenske, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Waldrop and sons, David and Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Waldrop and Mrs. B. W. Waldrop and Mrs. Cledys drop and son, Lyndon, Misses Gladys Waldrop and Mary Pearl Bearden; and the following visitors: Dan Mid-dleton and Mrs. J. A. Waldrop of Hayrick, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rives and daughter, Marjorie Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives and daughter, Melba, all of Friendship, Miss Ruth Ann Taylor of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Warrington and sons, Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Payne had as Harvey of San Angelo, Billy and Edtheir weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. ward Butts of San Angelo, Alen Butts, all of California.

The next meeting wil be on September 4, in the home of Mrs. W. G.

Walker Bernard and Bob Rogger of Conroe hopped over to Bronte in Cessna for a two or three hour visit Mrs. Howe Richards of San Diego, last Thursday evening. Walker was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bernard, and his sister, Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe and family. It was the first time for Walker to see the new Mrs. Earnest Ware is undergoing Karen-Gayl Hospital, and he thought it was sure a fine one.

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In a letter addressed to Mayor H. O. Whitt and dated August 13, 1947, Bronte's fire chief, Ed Nunnally, has submitted his resignation.

The letter went on to say that "you may recall I agreed to accept that responsibility until the fire truck was put into shape."
"With the help of local garages,

the truck is now in as good a shape as can be expected under the circumstances, and since it is now in fulfilled.

I shall be most happy, of course, Dial 3648 1004 S. Oakes him in becoming acquainted with the know anything about it after all. mechanics of the truck, if he should need such assistance.

I do appreciate the cooperation I

Truck Repaired truck had been in a state of collapse In carrying out the responsibilities as- mous rabbit twister, is unhappy. for many months. The editor, who had "popped off" several times in the paper about having the truck repaired, was then appointed to do just that (either put up or shut up) by the City Council on January 22 of this year.

In a month's time, Caperton's and Wrinkle's garages had fixed the truck up, with the aid of the McGuire Bros. Welding Shop. These men had evidently not heard that "it's no use to try, the truck cannot be fixed."

It may also be recalled that the pump had bursted, the radiator and cylinder head and motor block likewise; hose had bursted; the booster tank had three inches of mud in the bottom; timing gear case had bursted; booster reel was reversed; a new battery was needed; cut-off valves were replaced; hose was replaced, and the pump was repacked.

Truck In Use The truck was still in the garage when the McGuire Bros. shop burned down on February 3, on February 25 it arrived at the J. B. Pairish home after the roof had caved in, and on August 11 it arrived at the Scott home after both walls and roof were caved

It has been used to put out at least two trash fires, has watered the baseball diamond, pumped out J. W. Anderson's cistern, pumped water out of a ditch at the ball field so water pipes could be repaired, and is in as good a shape as possible, all things considered.

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not met with wide response. Six Win-signed to him by the City Council, ters firemen came on February 7 to he has tried to do just that. explain the use of the pumper, and "I am happy to have had the op

Personnel has not been lacking, hearted support and co-however, in case of fire, at which all times to my successor. times help has been most abundant. Practice sessions, however, have not

been over crowded. The chief has been under a barrage of criticism ever since his appointgood condition, I am tendering my ment to the position. It has been said resignation, feeling that the job to that he thinks he knows it all, that bit twister, is hard up-for he's havwhich I was appointed has now been he is too bossy, that he tries to tell ing to use Ballinger meat in his Amervolunteers what to do, that he likes ican Cafe instead of Coke County to show off by driving up and down rabbit meat! to work with my successor, and help the street, and that he really doesn't

truck in order, and this has been ed him to run out of his supply of have had from the City Council, and done. During the past several months Coke County rabbits, fried and otham confident that the next man will he has received instructions from the erwise. Winters, Ballinger, and San Angelo fire department members on methods -they have no more Coke County It may be recalled that the fire of fighting fires and using the truck. rabbit meat to eat, and Cabe, the fa-

were met by four Bronte men, including R. W. Rees, Cecil Kemp, James ple of Bronte, "Nunnally said "and I shall be glad to offer my wholehearted support and co-operation at

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