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## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. Robert Wilson of Abilene was  
the guest of the Hurlen Lees last  
weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Webb and Mrs.  
Burleson visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank-  
lin Thomas Sunday.

Rev. L. B. Smith of Winters visited  
the Herbert Hollands Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and  
children of Miles spent the day with  
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Michulka Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wilde of San  
Angelo have moved to the commu-  
nity. They visited the Boatrights Sun-  
day.

Ernest Cox and Mrs. Cox of Bronte  
visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited  
Mr. and Mrs. John Machowsky in  
Ballinger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Hedges and  
Cathie are in Arizona. They return-  
ed to Arizona with Mr. and Mrs. B. V.  
Hedges who were here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rogers and  
Janell, of Harper, visited Mr. and  
Mrs. J. C. Boatright last weekend.  
The T. G. Gleghorns were guests of  
the Boatrights Saturday night. Martha  
Boatright and Louise Montgomery of  
San Angelo were also guests.

Mrs. Marguerite Bowlby of San An-  
tonio is here visiting her brother, C.  
A. Doose, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lowery and  
son, Robert, of San Angelo and Rev.  
L. B. Smith of Winters visited the  
Jim Clarks Sunday.

Guests of the Dee Fosters Sunday  
were Mr. and Mrs. James Holland  
and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. R.  
Gartman and Roby, and Mrs. Willard  
Caudle and J. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and  
family visited the J. C. Boatrights  
Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lelan Carlton and son visited  
Mrs. James Holland Saturday. They  
spent the night with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Franklin Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited  
the Charlie Brown family Tuesday  
night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland visit-  
ed Mrs. Zetha Ables and family at  
Miles Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas  
visited Mr. and Mrs. James Holland  
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman and  
Roby of Big Spring are visiting Mr.  
and Mrs. Dee Foster and Mr. and  
Mrs. James Holland.

Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mrs. J. C.  
Boatright and Mrs. Herbert Holland  
attended the quilting at Mrs. Hazel  
Toungets at Tennyson Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman, Mr.  
and Mrs. James Holland visited Mr.  
and Mrs. Jack Herring near Ballinger  
Thursday night.

Mrs. John McKowen and son of  
Tennyson visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil  
Michulka Thursday night.

Floyd McCarty was admitted to a  
San Angelo hospital Thursday for  
surgery.

Herbert Holland attended the auc-  
tion in Winters Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary visited  
in San Angelo Wednesday with Mr.  
and Mrs. E. C. Baucum and Mr. and  
Mrs. Arthur McGuffen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson of  
San Angelo spent the weekend with  
the Floyd McCarty.

Willard Lee of Hobbs, New Mexico  
is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Ellis Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown were  
in San Angelo Wednesday. Her son,  
Will Hegwood, returned with them  
for a visit. Sunday afternoon, they  
visited Mrs. Sudie Brown and the  
Tom Green family at Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle and  
J. W. were Ballinger shoppers Satur-  
day.

There will be church services at  
the Methodist church Sunday.



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## COKE COUNTY PEOPLE BUY SAVINGS BONDS

The people of Coke County bought  
\$86,117.50 worth of U. S. Savings  
Bonds during 1948, according to a  
year-end report by Harry Owens of  
Dallas, state director for Savings  
Bonds, to T. A. Richardson, County  
Savings Bonds chairman. During the  
same period, the people of Texas  
bought \$196,448,587.50 worth of  
these securities.

Mr. Owens said that Texans now  
own more than \$1.5 billion worth of  
Savings Bonds which earned \$42-  
372,000 in interest during the year.

To illustrate the practical aspects  
of thrift, as represented by the Sav-  
ings Bonds program, Mr. Owens  
pointed out that the annual interest  
from bonds held by Texans, if con-  
verted into residential construction,  
would build 4,237 homes costing  
\$10,000 each, or, if considered in  
terms of higher education or wage  
and salaries, would give a four-year  
college education to 14,124 students  
at the rate of \$750 per year, or pro-  
vide an income of \$225 per month for  
a full year for 15,693 persons.

Mr. Owens said that of the state's  
total bond sales last year, Series E,  
the "people's bond," accounted for  
\$139,591,216.25, or 71 per cent.

"There are more Savings Bonds in  
the hands of the people today than  
ever before," he said. "Almost 70 per  
cent of all bonds ever issued are still  
in the possession of their original  
owners. The sale of Series E bonds  
in Texas alone during 1948 was \$4,  
940,447.50 more than for 1947."

New residents of Bronte are Mr.  
and Mrs. J. M. Cameron, recently of  
Midland. Mr. Cameron does brick  
and stone work and specializes in store  
fronts. He was born at Maverick and  
has lived around there and at Bal-  
linger most of his life.

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## MYF GROUP ATTENDS RALLY IN TRINITY

The Young People of the Methodist  
Church in the San Angelo District  
held a Rally in Trinity last Sunday  
from 3 to 5 o'clock. The local Method-  
ist Church was represented by Billie  
Jean Millikin, Bobby Clark, Dorris  
Adair, Doyle Adair, Alvin Mauldin,  
Jr., Le Drew Arrott, Bobby Tomlin-  
son, and Colene Arrott.

No evening program was planned  
for the local Church last Sunday due  
to the Rally program, but the group  
will meet next Sunday at 7 p. m. as  
usual.

J. B. Macky has been confined at  
home with the flu this week.

L. T. Youngblood is driving a new  
Buick.

Mr. Carl Scott has been visiting the  
Frank Keese family.

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Esther Williams and Peter Lawford in  
"ON AN ISLAND WITH YOU"  
In Technicolor - Also Cartoon  
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18 - 19  
Edgar Buchanan and Anna Lee in Mark Twain's  
"BEST MAN WINS"  
Also Cartoon

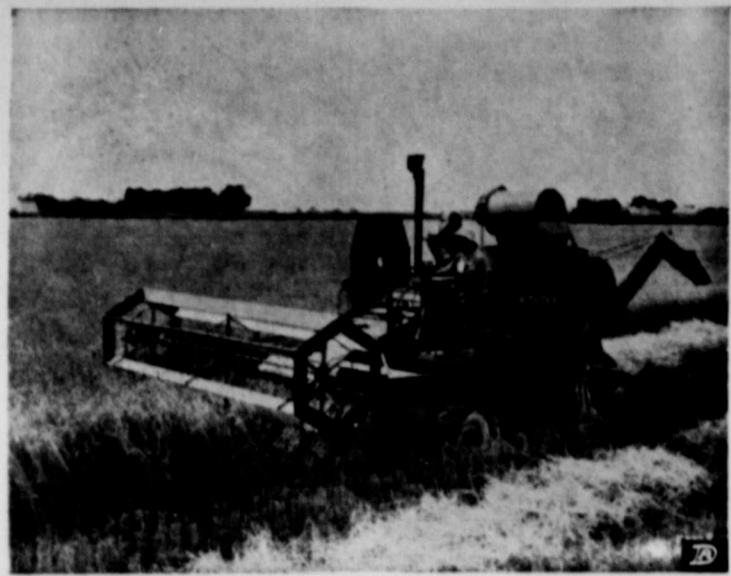
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pastures. 5-room house and bath.  
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**HEALTH OFFICIAL SAYS QUARANTINE LAWS SHOULD BE OBSERVED**

In a statement on controlling com-  
municable diseases issued by the  
Texas State Department of Health,  
Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer,  
states that if every case of suspected  
communicable disease were seen  
promptly by the family physician and  
definitely diagnosed, thousands of  
susceptible persons would be protect-  
ed from these disabling diseases.

"The theory that it is a good thing  
for children to have these catching  
childhood diseases and get them over

with, has long since been proven an  
error which may actually endanger a  
child's life," says Dr. Cox. "The long-  
er he can avoid having these diseases,  
the better it is for him. Every child  
should be protected by immunization  
against all diseases where an immu-  
nity can be established."

Prompt diagnosis, isolation and  
good medical care give the patient  
the best chance for a satisfactory re-  
covery without the serious complica-  
tions that sometimes accompany even  
the milder forms of communicable  
diseases. Dr. Cox emphasized that  
obeying the public health laws regard-  
ing isolation and quarantine protects  
not only the patient, but helps to pre-  
vent the spread of the disease to other  
persons.

"The state health departemnt," Dr.  
Cox said, "does everything within its  
power to protect the health of the  
people of Texas, but the cooperation  
of every individual in protecting his  
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will do more than anything else to  
successfully check the spread of com-  
municable diseases among our  
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