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Bronte Bank to Open in Newly Remodeled Quarters Friday

Thursday was moving day for the First National Bank. The bank was moving into its beautiful new quarters and plans were to be open for business this morning (Friday) in the downstairs part of the building.

L. T. Youngblood, president of the bank, said that the bank

AD-LIB-BEN

If there's one thing that tries men's souls (and women's too) its moving a household. That's what happened to us last week. We moved everything from tricycles and swings to old scrap-books we made in the first grade. Guess its probably a good thing to move occasionally because its the only time we ever see a lot of important junk we just can't bear to throw away. Before the end of a moving day, however, everyone wears out, tempers get short and I guess it's pretty hard on the kids too. For, instead of cutting each others throats as we'd like to do, we just yell louder at the kids.

And from the Hillsboro Evening Mirror: "The weather last Sunday was too bad to get the kids to church and almost kept them from the movies in the afternoon."

Everyone is thankful for the fine rains we have been getting the past few weeks. We drove to Lubbock weekend before last and had even forgotten that wild flowers used to grow along the highways. Flowers of every color were on the roadsides, pastures are coming out and West Texas, three months ago like a desert, is once more beginning to look as it should.

Delegates Report Fine Time at Lions Convention

J. A. Stephenson, president-elect of the local Lions club, Wade Rees, secretary-treasurer elect; H. A. Springer, director, accompanied by Mrs. Springer and Mrs. Rees went to Corpus Christi on May 6 for a Lions convention.

The delegates report a wonderful convention and hearing addresses by such notables as S. A. Dodge, president, Lions International; Dr. R. A. Self, Dallas, candidate for International director; District Governor James L. Mogford; Governor Elect Geo. Jones; Marlowe Fisher, secretary, Texas Lions Clubs; Herb Petry of Carrizo Springs, former president, Lions International; Rev. J. N. Goldston, San Angelo. Also Lamar McBride, State Representative Lions Crippled Childrens Camp of Kerrville.

The ladies were entertained on Friday by a luncheon and style show at the new Corpus Christi Country Club and on Saturday by a boat trip and luncheon.

The group report a wonderful, inspiring trip and they returned Sunday night, having stopped in San Antonio, to visit Mrs. Tannie Luttrell, who is ill.

will have a formal opening with in the next few weeks and that the officers and directors of the bank will issue an invitation to everyone to inspect the newly remodeled quarters.

An ad in this paper tells of the new services of the bank, including safety deposit boxes. The bank has not offered this service in the past.

Floor space has been more than doubled. The building formerly occupied by the Bronte Pharmacy was consolidated into the old bank building and the entire structure was remodeled. A new vault was added and new furniture and fixtures installed.

The publisher of The Enterprise plans to run a special bank section the week of the formal opening, telling the entire story of the First National Bank in Bronte.

Mrs. Phillips to Present Pupils in Piano Recital

Mrs. Walter Phillips will present her piano students in a recital Monday night in the local gym. It will begin at 8 p. m.

Her pupils include Patricia McCutchen, June and Jean Moore, Linda Gaston, Kay Powell, Ida Lee Parker, Peggy Corley, Miss Joy Mullins, Alonzo Robbins, Ronnie Cole, Royce Lee and S. J. Rose.

Bill Maxwell will present two of his violin students, Modene McGuire and Rudy Phillips.

Mrs. Young's first grade will appear on the program and the Jr. high ensemble will present some numbers.

Stanley Phillips and Peggy McCleskey will do some guitar numbers.

The public is invited to attend and there will be no admission charges.

CANCER CRUSADE TOTAL

\$463.28 had been deposited to the Coke County Cancer Crusade fund on Wednesday of this week, well exceeding the \$400 county quota. Drive workers, however, hope to raise \$500 and expressed belief that the amount would be reached. Some small amounts remain to come in here and County Chairman A. J. Kirkpatrick of Robert Lee said that he would have some more to turn in within a few days.

Of the amount reported, local workers had deposited \$266.50 and Robert Lee officials had turned in \$196.78.

Ballinger Firemen to Present Lions Program

Representatives of the Ballinger Fire Department will demonstrate operation and uses of a Resuscitator - Inhalator - Aspirator machine at the Bronte Lions Club luncheon meeting next Tuesday.

Bronte Fire Chief Steve Badley was invited by local Lions to discuss the machine before the local group and the Ballinger Fire Department gladly agreed to bring their machine out for a demonstration.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR MRS. GADDY

Funeral services for Mrs. W. N. Gaddy, 44, were conducted on Tuesday, May 11, at 2:30 p. m. from the First Baptist Church. In charge of services was Rev. Maynard R. Rogers, Baptist pastor, assisted by Rev. J. E. Fuller, pastor of the Bronte Methodist church, Rev. Jim Houghton, pastor of the Norton Baptist church and Rev. Charles Mitchell, pastor of the Union Methodist church at Grandfalls.

A choir, composed mostly of Bronte and Grandfalls faculty members, sang "Blessed Assurance" and "Abide With Me." A solo, "Beautiful Isle" was sung by Jim West, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Gaddy.

Burial followed in the Fairview cemetery here under direction of Clift Funeral Home.

Modena Black Gaddy was born in Marrie Community of Runnels County on October 24, 1909, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Black. She completed her school work in this community and at Simmons University in Abilene. She taught school at Barnett and Blanton in Runnels County for a period of seven years in the two communities.

As a young lady she united with the Methodist church at Marie, and later united with the First Methodist Church of Bronte where she remained a member until a year ago when she united with Union Methodist Church at Grandfalls, where her husband last year became principal of the high school.

She was married to Wilburn N. Gaddy, also of the Marie community on December 16, 1933 at Wingate.

After an illness of several years she died at the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo at 11:20 p. m. Sunday, May 9.

She is survived by her husband; her three children, Kitty Sue, student at McMurry College, Abilene, Sherry Lou and Reginald Lee Gaddy; her mother, Mrs. J. Black of Bronte; one sister, Mrs. Frank Flynt of Ballinger and one brother, Osmo Black of Bronte.

Pallbearers were Curtis Bryan, San Angelo; C. N. Patton, Norton; Cone Robinson, Norton; Travis Moreland, Odessa, Gordon Creel, Coahoma; Vershel Smith, Grandfalls; C. B. Wheeler, Grandfalls and J. L. Carroll, Bronte.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAM TO BE GIVEN FOR P.O. CLERK HERE

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for Substitute Clerk at \$1.36½ per hour for employment in the Bronte Post Office.

Further information and application forms may be obtained at the Post Office or from the Regional Director, Eighth U. S. Civil Service Region, Room 809, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas.

Applicants will be notified of the exact time and place of the exam. Applicants must be at least 18 years old and not past their 50th birthday.

Usual Civil Service Veteran's preference will apply to this examination.

Up to 2 Inches of Rain Received Here

West Texas and Coke County have received more good rains since last week's Enterprise was published, adding to the belief that maybe at last the drouth is broken.

Coke County received up to 2 inches and at least 1½ inches was reported over most of the county. The Enterprise gauge in

town showed a total of 1.85 inches.

Rain started falling Sunday and continued intermittently until Tuesday. Moisture fell slowly for the most part and did a lot of good. The only thing that could be called violent was a strong straight wind Monday morning. No damage has been reported.

Oak Creek Lake's watershed received about two inches of water, bringing the lake level up about three feet. Water Supt. Otis Smith said the lake lacked only 11 feet of being full.

Official weather forecast on Thursday morning indicated that the rain is over. However, skies were cloudy, and the weatherman may be wrong.

Bronte Postoffice To Be Second Class After First of July

Mrs. Carrie G. Williams, local postmaster, announced this week that the Bronte postoffice will be advanced to second class rating, effective July 1. Second class rating is given after postal receipts for a year exceed \$8,000. Mrs. Williams said she had been able to tell for several months that the receipts would exceed the \$8,000 figure.

A postal inspector was here Friday and Saturday, making routine inspection and getting things lined up for the change-over. The Bronte post office was given a 100 rating following his inspection.

Mrs. Williams said that the main items of new equipment will be a cancelling machine and a new safe. Other smaller items will be installed, which are necessary for the operation of a second class office. More details of the change will be printed in The Enterprise as they are learned.

Baccalaureate At Blackwell Sunday Night

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Baccalaureate sermon for the Blackwell senior class will be delivered by Rev. David Hamblin, pastor of the Methodist church. The sermon will be Sunday at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Members of the class are Sue Copeland, Charles Brewer, Emma Hipp, Ray Johnson, La Nell Kinard, Billie Ragsdale, Charlie Roland, Betty Sue Self, Walter Sweet, Shirley Talley and Vonnice Watts.

Ushers will be Anna Idell Stoepler, Billie Carr, Melba Ballard, Martha Henson and Glenna Tubb.

The program included the processional, Mrs. R. V. Copeland; Invocation, Rev. R. L. Cooksey; song, Euterpean club; the Baccalaureate address; song, Euterpean club; benediction, Rev. Robert Oglesby and the recessional by Mrs. R. V. Copeland.

HORNETTE WINS HONORS

The Blackwell school newspaper, the Hornette, won honors at the University of Texas Inter-scholastic League Press Conference in Austin Saturday.

The Hornette was given an award of merit in journalism by the University League Press conference, recognizing the paper for the work done by its staff during the 1953-54 school year.

The Hornette was one of 13 papers to receive this award.

Dance Recital to Be Presented Next Thursday Night

Pupils from the Price School of dancing will be presented in a Recital next Thursday evening, May 20, at 7:45 o'clock in the Bronte school auditorium. "Show Time", the fourth annual review presented by the Price School will feature pupils from Bronte, Winters, Robert Lee and Blackwell in various forms in the art of dancing including tap, ballet, toe, acrobatic and jaz idiom.

Dancing, in the Price School, as in all reputable schools, is studied as a fine art. And in the perusal there of is derived the benefits of physical exercise, mental development, muscular coordination and an appreciation of various forms of music, rhythm, grace, poise and discipline of mind and body, besides actual enjoyment. These are a few accomplishments of the pupils in addition to their actual dancing capabilities which they would like to show the public next Thursday night in "Show Time," the climax of their dance term which began last September.

Featured dancers of "Show Time" include Marla Rees, Beth Ivey, Tommy and Suzanne Hickman, Margie Oglesby, Eddie Glenn, Dana Eubanks, Marcie and Joan Neel, Betty Sweet, Jo Alice McDonald, Bonnie Quisenberry, Diane Samuelson, Dickie and Deane Bellis, Joycie Patterson, Kathy Preslar and Shirley Hickman.

Sharing honors with the above "veterans" are David Sims, Eric Samuelson, Lisa and Laura Morrow, Jeanie Hatch, Bennie Oglesby, Janet Lee, Barbara Stevens, Rhea Jean McCutchen, Kitten Dean, Jeanie Warren, Olita Miller, Janet Caperton, Freda Henson, Ann Burpo, Brent and Brenda Clark, Louise Miller and Lee, James and Ray Vinson.

Admission at the door will be 25 cents for school children and 50 cents for adults. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp have spent much time in Ballinger this week at the bedside of his father, Frank Kemp, who is critically ill of pneumonia. He is in the Ballinger hospital.

Baptist Announcements

Sunday School at 10 a. m. invites every member of the family to one of the classes at the Bronte Baptist church. Vetal Flores is Sunday School Superintendent.

Rev. Maynard R. Rogers will preach in the 11 o'clock worship service on "What is a Disciple?"

Everyone is cordially invited to 7 p. m. Training Union with classes for every age. Jack Lee is Training Union Director. A Baptismal service will begin the evening worship service at 8 p. m., followed by the pastors' message, the third in the series on "Our Homes" entitled "Our Home and the World Outside." Rev. Rogers especially urges parents to hear this message in which he will tell what parents don't know about Comic Books and television. He states "You will be shocked."

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

The pupils of the fifth grade had an enjoyable and profitable visit in Ballinger, Wednesday, May 5.

Don Atkins, Runnels County Sheriff, lead the group on a tour through the various county offices in the court house and through the jail. Afterwards the group went to the park for a picnic lunch and a short program.

Before returning to Bronte they visited the Ballinger junior high school and cafeteria.

The group was accompanied by their teach, Mrs. Johnson, and the following mothers: Mrs. Allen Sherrod, Mrs. James Allen, Mrs. J. B. Mackey, Mrs. Zack Tounget, Mrs. John Coalson, Mrs. Alma Wright and Mrs. Maggie Davis.

The fifth grade has a new pupil, Donald Lee Moore, from Snyder.

WHD Council Has Monthly Meeting

Three clubs, six voting members, the chairman and Miss Black were present for the WHD Council meeting. Reports were given by Bronte, Sanco, Friendship and Hayrick.

Home Demonstration Clubs have agreed to help promote Texas Lamb Week by serving lamb May 17-22.

COMBINATION FRUIT GRILL

- 6 lamb patties
- 6 slices bacon
- 6 slices pineapple
- 6 pear halves
- 1 4-oz. package cream cheese
- 3 large cooked potatoes
- 1 small head cooked cauliflower
- 2 tablespoons butter
- Salt and pepper

Have ground lamb shaped into thick patties and each wrapped with a slice of bacon. Place patties on broiler rack in pan. Insert broiler pan, allowing 2 inches between heat and patties. Broil patties on one side, turn and place on top of pineapple slices. Add to the grill pear halves which have centers filled with a cream cheese ball, potato halves and cauliflowerettes that have been dipped in melted butter. Place in broiler until meat is cooked and fruit and vegetables are lightly browned. 6 servings.

Council will pay 4-H girls expenses to 4-H Round-Up at College Station in June. Home Demonstration Bake Sale May 29, at 9 a. m.

Mrs. Taylor Emerson is at her home after spending some time in the Bronte and Shannon hospitals, recovering from injuries received in an auto accident. She is taking treatments once each week at the San Angelo hospital.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. L. M. Jones and children were her sisters, Mrs. Homer Matthews and boys of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Bill Scott of Tatum, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Clytus Smith spent the weekend in San Antonio on business.

Guests in the home of Mrs. C. C. Smith last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Smith and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herring and children, Mrs. Beulah Tubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sheppard and children.

Mrs. Joe Hoherd of Temple and G. C. Keeney of Waco are visiting here with their brothers

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and other friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Keeney and children of San Angelo spent Mothers Day here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Keeney and Mr. and Mrs. Will Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Leck and baby went to Dallas last weekend where they visited Mrs. L. A. Duke.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott Mother's Day were Mrs. Cam Lilly of Ozona, Stroud Roberts of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clark and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Pate, Jim and Clyde, Mrs.

R. A. Stroud and Fatima Anne of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Walker of Oklahoma City visited recently in the homes of his mother, Mrs. Mary Walker, and his sister, Mrs. Clarence Doggett. Mrs. Walker stayed over for a few days visit.

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O. C. FISHER ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY



O. C. FISHER

Representative O. C. Fisher, of San Angelo, who certified his name for re-election last February, has authorized a formal announcement of his candidacy.

A staunch proponent of a balanced Federal budget, Fisher has been a Southern leader in the House in the fight against non-essential spending and for a sound fiscal policy.

We need more relief from burdensome taxes, Fisher reminds, but there can be no honest tax relief in the form of increased exemption or reduced rates if it has to be done on borrowed money. Tax reduction simply becomes tax postponement if the amount of the relief has to be replaced by the Government borrowing that much more money, adding it to the public debt and passing it on to our children and grandchildren to pay.

The public debt is already \$273 billion, with 10 cents out of each tax dollar now required just to pay the interest on it.

Gained Seniority

Fisher, a native of Kimble County, served as County Attorney, State Representative and as District Attorney before his election to Congress. Opposed twice since then, the people have re-elected him overwhelmingly each time.

Now in his 12th year, the West Texan already ranks seventh from the top in order of seniority in the 22-Member Texas membership in the House. Fisher was recently chosen chairman of the Texas delegation in Congress. Seniority adds influence and stature to Congressmen.

He is a member of the important Armed Services Committee, having been selected to take Lyndon Johnson's place on that committee when Johnson was elected to the Senate.

DEVOTED TO AGRICULTURE

In Congress Fisher has devoted himself to the legitimate interests of all phases of farming, livestock and agriculture.

Last July Fisher brought six members of the House Agriculture committee to West Texas on a look-see tour of the drouth area. Shortly after that the committee reported a drouth relief bill which was promptly enacted. It authorized speedy sale to drouth victims of Government owned feed and also liberalized loans in the disaster area.

Rep. Fisher has crusaded for water and soil conservation. He has been a leading advocate of up-stream flood prevention practices, and has plugged for flood control dams on a number of rivers in this district.

"Water is too precious to be drained into the ocean," he has said. "It must be conserved. The best place to start is as near as possible to where it falls. Prudently conserved and utilized, it is the Nation's most valuable resource."

For Reduced Foreign Aid
In his stand for a balanced

budget and economy, Fisher has been critical of much of foreign aid in recent years.

"I uit voting for general economic aid two years ago," he recalls. "I supported the Marshall Plan. We were assured it would end its job by 1952. Here it is 1954 and it's still going on, though reduced. Our own people need some more economic aid in the form of tax reduction, water conservation, and flood control, and many other projects and purposes."

Fisher believes that any such foreign economic aid should be selective and limited to situations where it is clearly to our own self-interest and where the recipient country is fully cooperative with us and our purposes.

Fights Subversives

Fisher has been a militant foe of communists and subversives, in and out of Government. He testified for the Government in the trial of Harold Christoffel, Milwaukee labor leader who was convicted for lying about not being a Communist. Fisher's committee exposed scores of other subversives in key defense industries.

Crossed Party Lines

Fisher crossed party lines to vote with the Republicans for the Tidelands bill, of which he was a joint author. The enactment of that bill will eventually mean hundreds of millions of dollars to Texas school children. He also crossed party lines last year to help cut \$12 billion from the budget requests submitted to Congress by President Truman before the latter left office in January.

Because of his independence

and Texas conservatism, Fisher has been a target of certain left-wing groups. Last year he was singled out by the Americans for Democratic Action — ADA, a liberal political group, for having what ADA termed the "least liberal" voting record at the 1953 session of Congress.

Unperturbed by such attacks, Fisher said he considered it a compliment. "I would never want to be judged by ADA standards," he commented. "They fought our Tidelands legislation bitterly; they want to abolish segregation completely; they want to remove all restraints from labor union bosses and they want to spend the Nation into bankruptcy. They are just too far to the left on a lot of issues."

Fisher has lived his entire life in the 21st Congressional district. Known for keeping in close touch with the people and the problems in the district, he also engages in livestock raising and farming on his place in Kimble County. A graduate of Baylor University Law school, Fisher is married, has a daughter and a two year old grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reed of Breckenridge visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson, last weekend.

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Bill Thomason has been visiting at Bronte and Maverick this week. The Thomasons are living at Thrall, Texas.

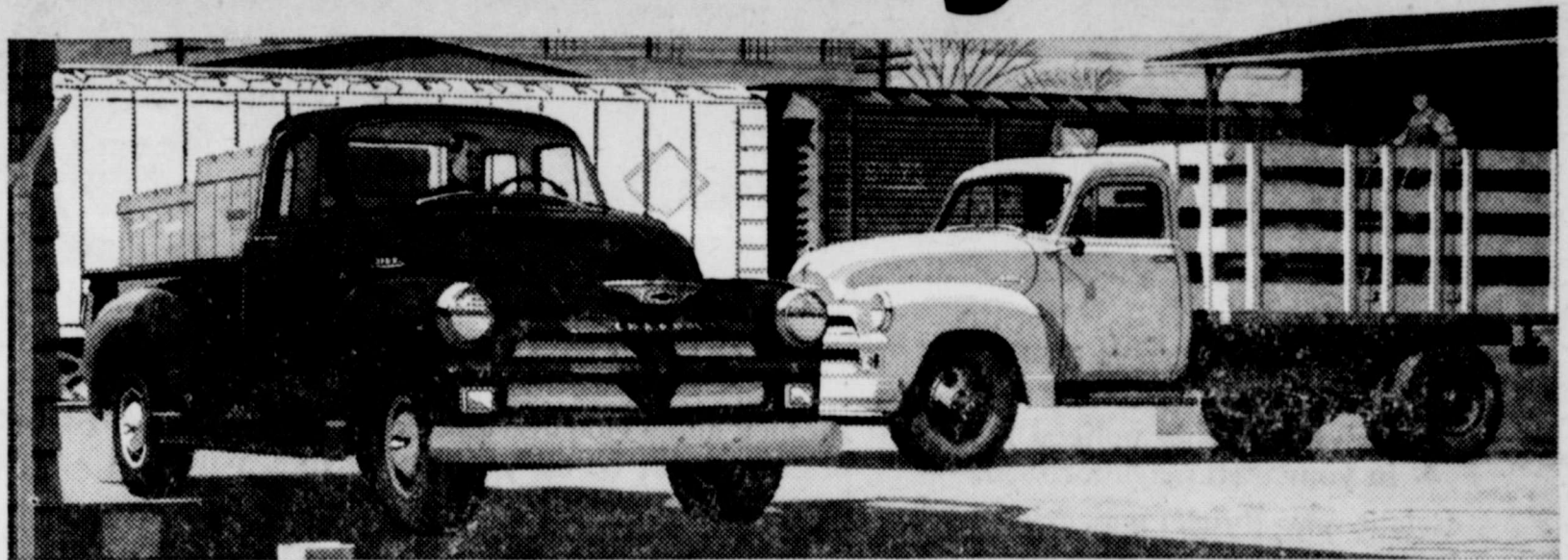
Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Decie of Alpine came Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Wiloughby.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. John Gaston

Intended for last week

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green and William spent Saturday fishing and boating at Lake Nasworthy. They were supper guests in the Bill Burleson home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Flora and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman of Bronte visited their mother, Mrs. Sudie Brown, Sunday afternoon.

Visiting the Hamp Thomases recently were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson, of San Angelo.

I heard about Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Harrells new storm cellar. If those thunderstorms continue, we'll all know where to go next time!

The little 1-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Gaston was injured last week while he and his mother were attending the fourth graders field trip in San Angelo. The little boy walked into the swing that his sister, Linda, was in and received a broken collar bone and other minor cuts and bruises. He was taken to a hospital in San Angelo and released in the afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests in the John Gaston home were Mrs. J. M. Rutherford of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Cowan, Larry and Mary Evelyn, and Mrs. Frank Farmer of West, Tex. Mrs. D. J. Corley, Mrs. Claude Cotten of San Angelo and the Kirk Dyess family visited them later in the day.

Mrs. James Arrott was hostess to a party Tuesday afternoon. Cold drinks and cookies were served to the following: Mmes. J. W. Latham, Ben Brooks, Christine Corley, Effie Corley, D. J. Corley, J. B. Arrott, Bobby Arrott, Bobby Vaughn, Hollis Stevens, Claud Ditmore, Clarence Arrott, Miss Bessie Stewart and the hostess.

Sunday dinner guests in the Jack Corley home were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lowery, Jimmy and Vicky, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Van Zant and family, Crane; Mrs. Douglas Beauford, Cheral and Lana, Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hammons, Mrs. Charlie Williams and Penny, Mrs. K. C. McAdams, Shelia, Mike and Corky, all of Colorado City, and the Marvin Corleys.

Attending the quilting in the Ben Brooks home last Thursday were Miss Bessie Stewart, Mmes. Montie Little, Otto Finck, Louis Baker, Roy Baker, Clarence Derrick, Homer Cornelius, D. J.

Marvin and Jack Corley, Claude Ditmore, Albert Davis, John Gaston, L. Y. Harrell, Zack Tounget, Hamp Thomas, John Clark, W. H. Feil, Elbert Carper, J. W. Latham, I. N. Howell, James Arrott, Dan Hale and Mrs. Pearl Dilleshaw of Fort Worth. Next meeting will be on May 13, with Mrs. John Gaston.

News Items From Coke County SCS

Leslie Nell Wink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wink, and Dorene Harmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harmon, placed second and seventh in the regional essay contest of the Save Soil and Save Texas Awards Program. These girls have been invited to attend an awards dinner May 29 in Alpine.

TRY OUT NEW CROP

About thirty or thirty-five landowners cooperating with the Coke Soil Conservation District are planning to seed 400 acres of guar this year. A. V. Sheppard has announced. These district cooperators are seeding the guar on a trial basis to find the value of guar as a soil building crop as well as making an economic return, he said.

Guar is a summer growing legume that promises to be a very good crop in West Texas to fit in with a cotton, grain sorghum,

and small grain rotation. The crop can be seeded, cultivated and harvested with the same equipment used to seed, cultivate and harvest grain sorghum. The crop will respond to soil type and moisture about the same as cotton.

Besides being a soil building crop, guar promises to make an economic return equal to or exceed combine maize. Pounds of seed production will equal or exceed combine maize. The seeds are used to make glue and extract a valuable oil, according to Sheppard.

Marvin Simpson is seeding about 120 acres of blue panic grass. Blue panic grass is a summer grass semi-cultivated perennial grass that is proving to be very valuable as a summer forage crop. The seeding of the blue panic is a part of Simpson's conservation plan that he is applying as a cooperator with the Coke Soil Conservation District. Wilson Bryan and W. A. Halamecek are also planning a seeding of blue panic.

Foster S. Price, has recently completed three ranch ponds on his Lower Ranch northwest of Edith. The construction of the three ponds is a part of Price's complete coordinated soil, water and range conservation plan that he is applying on his ranches as a district cooperator with the Coke Soil Conservation District.

Church of Christ to Supply Lad with Clothes

Bronte's church of Christ has agreed to care for the clothing requirements of Ferrell Kennedy, age six, of the Tipton Home in Tipton, Oklahoma.

Children of the Tipton Home are clothed six months at a time, spring and fall; and the church here has recently sent the requested items for the boy for spring.

A spokesman for the church said, "We are indeed happy to have a place in this child's life. His requirements are so small, and the returns from money spent are greater than any other investment that could be made. This project will do us more good than it will the boy."

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Soil Conservation District News

Foster S. Price completed three ranch ponds last week on his lower ranch west of Edith. The construction of these ponds is a part of Price's complete coordinated soil and water conservation plan that he is applying on his ranches as district cooperator with the Coke Soil Conservation District. These ponds will provide adequate livestock water for better distribution of grazing of livestock. Personnel of the Soil Conservation Service assisted Price with staking, designing, laying out, and checking of these ponds.

The Board of Supervisors of

the Coke Soil Conservation District made an interesting field tour to Brownwood and Brady April 13 to observe the flood prevention work that has been applied on Deep Creek, C. N. Webb, chairman, has announced. This work is being done by the Brady-San Saba Soil Conservation District, the Lower Colorado River Authority, and the Soil Conservation Service working with the local landowners of the Brady San Saba Soil Conservation District.

Guar would be a good crop to use to replace some of the acres diverted from cotton in 1954, is the statement made by A. V. Sheppard, Work Unit Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service assisting district co-

operators plan and apply soil and water conservation practices. Guar is a summer growing legume that will grow on about the same moisture as cotton or grain sorghum. The guar can be seeded any time from April 15 to July 15 depending on moisture. Experimental data shows that cotton and grain sorghum will produce up to 1/3 more per acre on land following guar as on land following cotton and grain sorghum respectively.

BLACKWELL BANQUET HELD IN SAN ANGELO

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Blackwell Junior Class members honored the Senior Class at the annual banquet on Friday, April 23. The affair was held at

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the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo with the theme "Down Memory Lane."

Ed Hollowell, Junior president, issued the welcome to the seniors and other guests. Senior president Walter Sweet, gave the response.

Martha Henson, M. C., introduced Frank Jackson, Tom Green County superintendent, who gave the address. Rev. Kay Corley of Blackwell gave the invocation.

Martha Henson and Edd Hollowell carried the guests on a tour down Memory Lane and they saw a few events of the senior's first school days. Junior

girls sang "School Days" and "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep Thee". Piano selections were played by Glenna Tubb, Miss Joy Mullins and Mrs. Lewis Sweet.

Class prophecy was read by Anna Stoepler and the farewell to the seniors was given by Edd Hollowell.

Guests included junior and senior class members, their parents, Misses Mary Lanott and Joy Mullins, Mrs. Mardell Snead, Mrs. Kay Corley, George Stoepler and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McBride, all Blackwell faculty members. Mrs. McBride is the junior class sponsor.

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April 15, 1954

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 492,973.79	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	8,200.00	Surplus Account	100,000.00
Building Fund	16,566.00	Undivided Profits	32,384.57
Gov. Bonds	\$ 480,000.00	Deposits	2,526,252.68
Other Bonds	349,067.66		
Warrants	16,130.70		
Cash	\$1,345,699.10		
	\$2,190,897.46		
Total	\$2,708,637.25	Total	\$2,708,637.25

The Officers and Directors will extend to the general public an invitation to join us in a tour of the bank's modernized quarters. The announcement will be made at a later date.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. John Gaston

Everyone is invited to the Coke County Jamboree tonight at the Tennyson school house. Admission is free. Cake, coffee and Cokes will be sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphey visited her mother in Robert Lee Sunday.

The Lonzo Harrells, Sybil, Amil and Pauline spent Sunday in Sonora visiting their son and family, the E. L. Harrells.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart Sunday were the Pete Connors of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Wilely Latham and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Stewart and family, all of San Angelo.

Mrs. C. A. Myers and Mrs. Walter McCain of San Angelo visited the Tom Greens Sunday.

Visiting the Hamp Thomas family over the weekend were Mrs. Ben Reeves of Bronte, Mrs. John D. Lucas, James, Mitchell, Doreene and Sammy of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conner and Eddie Lee, Stanton, Mrs. Eugene Thomas, Big Spring and Pete Thomas of San Angelo.

Charlie Poulter of San Angelo attended services at the Methodist church Sunday and led the singing.

Dinner guests in the Marvin Corley home Sunday were his mother, Mrs. D. J. Corley, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphey, Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott and Dee, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Arrott and daughter, Lubbock; J. B. Arrotts and Jim Bob, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latham, Hervey and Tommy and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley and family.

The Grady Gaston family spent Sunday in Paint Rock with her grandmother.

The John Clarks and Gene Stewarts have new television sets.

Elizabeth James was honored with a party on her 11th birthday, May 4, in her parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis. Cake and punch were served to Brenda, Jackie, Mary, Larry, Davie, Benny and Peggy Corley, Randy

and Shelton Boyd, Linda, Mike and Janelle Gaston, Russell Brown, Lanelle and William Lee Brunson, Donna and Penny Garrett, Mrs. Dan Cockburn, Dennis and Danny, Mrs. Harriet LeNoir and Gayle, Mrs. Louis Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and Roy Lee, Mrs. Grady Gaston and Mmes. Jack and Marvin Corley.

Political Announcements

The Enterprise is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries.

FOR CONGRESSMAN
21st Congressional District—
Sam Connally
O. C. Fisher

FOR COUNTY JUDGE—
Jeff Dean

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR—
Paul Good

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK—
Weldon Fikes

FOR COUNTY TREASURER—
Gertrude Gray

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
Frank C. Dickey, Jr.

FOR COMMISSIONER,
Precinct No. 2—
Howard Brock

FOR COMMISSIONER,
Precinct No. 4—
Claude Dittmore
Chester Derrick

FOR CONSTABLE,
Precinct No. 2—
T. F. Sims, Sr.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct No. 2—
Monroe McCutchen
C. E. Bruton

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton left Friday to attend funeral services for her brother-in-law, Jack DeBoard. The funeral was conducted Saturday in Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allen were up from Karnes City Tuesday, looking after business matters and visiting friends. They are on two weeks vacation and were enroute to Abilene but will visit around the area for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Eubanks and son, Bryan, of Hondo spent

the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Eubanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tige Richards of May, Texas were in Bronte over the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Jess Eads and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Cullen Clark spent several days last week in San Angelo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keefer. She went to be with her father who underwent major surgery at Shannon Hospital last Friday morning. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

BRONTE HOSPITAL RE-DECORATED

Work on repainting the interior of the Bronte Hospital is being completed this week. All the rooms, the lobby and the halls have been given a new coat of paint. New tile has been laid in the halls and lobby floors.

This recently completed work makes the inside of the hospital like new. The colors are about the same as were used before the redecorating.

Mr. and Mrs. George Braswell and sons spent Sunday in Snyder with relatives.

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CRACKERS, Premium - Lb. 25c
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BETTY CROCKER
ANGEL FOOD CAKE MIX - 53c
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CARROTS - 11c
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Club Steaks - 45c SAUSAGE - 49c
LB. LB.
FRYERS - 45c STEW MEAT 15c
ALL MEAT LB. JEWEL 3 LB. TIN
FRANKS - 39c Shortening - 59c

Pruitt's Store

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HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Oden honored his father, J. A. Oden, with a birthday dinner Sunday, celebrating his 83rd birthday. Out of town visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Boyd and daughter, Mrs. Weston Parrish of Vera, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oden and children of Westbrook, Mrs. Otha Eddleman of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beam and children of Sweetwater, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Lee of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reaves and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nobles and son, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden and children, all of Black-

well.

COOKSEY'S MOVING

Rev. R. L. Cooksey, pastor of the Baptist Church, has resigned and accepted the pastorate at the First Baptist Church at Leander. Rev. Cooksey and wife and children will leave next week. His father and mother will also move with them. The Blackwell people regret losing the Cookseys, but wish them good luck in their new home.

Mrs. Robert Tubb underwent surgery at the Young Hospital in Sweetwater Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnes, J. B. and Johnny visited relatives in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders had as their guests Sunday, her brother, Carl Coleman, and family and Mrs. Coleman's father,

Sam Smith of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Palmer had as their guests, Mrs. E. Jones of Dallas, Mrs. Dabner Harris and Mr. and Mrs. George Mosley and sons of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Kelly Richards visited relatives in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jordan have had as their guests, her sister, Mrs. J. M. Morse of Texarkana.

Mrs. Jodie Van Zandt visited her parents, Mr. and Bill McCurdy, at Sweetwater Sunday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Billy Magness are the parents of a daughter born Monday in the Winters hospital. Pvt. Magness is home on a 10-days leave from Massachusetts to be with his wife and daughter. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lofland of Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Magness of Hylton.

Mrs. Pauline Wadley of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shamblin Sunday. Her daughter, Jan, returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Spence had as their guests Sunday, their children, Bobby Dean Spence, HM-3, and wife and daughter of Lindale, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ware and son of Sweetwater; and Mrs. Spence's mother and sister, Mrs. Matie Young and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ally of Sweetwater and Mrs. Nell Yarbrough of Lubbock. Bobby Dean and family will visit ten days. He is on the USS Thomas E. Fraser, DM24, and when in port is stationed at Charleston, S. C.

The Challenger Class met Monday afternoon in the Baptist Fellowship Hall for a class meeting. After the business meeting Mrs. Bill McRorey conducted games. Mrs. S. P. Smith was chosen Queen for a Day. She was presented with a gift in appreciation of her choir work. Then she was presented with gifts for her son, Clarence and his fiance, Miss Edith Fick of Rosebud, Texas. Miss Fick will get her degree from TSCW at

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Progressive Business And Civic-Minded People of San Angelo And Vicinity

This department has been worked up largely as a reflection of public opinion. No person has written of themselves or their business. All articles have been compiled by a representative of The Bronte Enterprise as he saw conditions. These people are all leaders in their various lines of endeavor and the cooperation of those citizens in San Angelo who helped make this department possible is sincerely appreciated.

J. G. Bunyard

One of the more progressive business men of San Angelo and a man who deserves the respect and good will of a great many residents of the city is capable, friendly J. G. Bunyard of J. G. Bunyard & Sons, whose wide knowledge and long experience in the electrical contracting business has raised him into a position of prominence in his line. It is because of this that J. G. Bunyard & Sons, has earned a reputation for reliability—second to none.

Mr. Bunyard is also civic-minded and has always been ready to contribute his time and energy to any plan which promises to benefit this entire district. And the people of San Angelo may regard with particular satisfaction the many services which he has performed for the community in the interest of progress and civic betterment.

We urge our readers to look to J. G. Bunyard as a progressive business man of whom we may well be proud. His devotion to the city has been constant and his achievement well merited. We wish for him further success.

Stratton B. Cralle

In making this review of progressive San Angelo business men, it is fitting that we should include some of those men who, by their aggressiveness, have definitely established themselves in the business and civic life of the city.

Such a man is Stratton B. Cralle, General Manager of The Concho Concrete Company, who also deserves an additional word of praise for being more than just successful. He is a consistent and enthusiastic booster of the community, and in his way has done much to advertise the city.

Mr. Cralle has pursued the progressive policy of stepping up his business ahead of the times, thus setting a pace for which he has earned the reputation of being a go-getter who does not sit back and wait for the business to come to him.

We are glad to pay tribute to Stratton Cralle and to point out to our readers that his sincere desire to be of service coupled with his aggressive methods are largely responsible for the standing of The Concho Concrete Company in the San Angelo area.

C. Cullin Cole

It is a well-known fact that a man's true character must come through in his work; whether in business or professional activities or in public life. So when a man conducts himself in such a manner as to cause the public to recognize in him certain qualities, over and above the average, he is deserving of a few words of praise. Such a personality is C. Mullin Cole of The Cole Repair Shop, Schwinn and Rollfast Bicycle sales & service, and Allstate Motor Scooter rental.

In addition to being one of the city's more progressive business

men, Mr. Cole was never one to shirk his civic duties. More than that he enters cheerfully and with enthusiasm and optimism into those civic affairs in which he has time to take a part. And seldom does he fail to find time to do his share.

Cullin Cole deserves his share of credit for being one of those progressive citizens of San Angelo who has contributed so substantially to the onward progress of his city. It is a pleasure to include him in this group.

E. U. Fritz and Alton O. McEver

To be a consistent and persistent booster of the home community often takes courage and plenty of optimism. It is because of their unflinching faith in the future of San Angelo and the surrounding country and their unflagging efforts to promote its development, that E. U. Fritz and Alton O. McEver are selected now for this brief tribute.

Mr. Fritz and Mr. McEver have proven very ably that they are restaurant operators of unusual ability, for it is largely to their ideals of service coupled with a determination to serve only the very best of food that The Little Mexico Restaurant holds its high position in the public's favor. And their personality and energy in directing the operations of the business are important factors in their outstanding success.

We are glad to pay tribute to Alton McEver and E. U. Fritz and to point out to our readers that theirs is the guiding influence responsible for the splendid service and delicious foods to be had at The Little Mexico Restaurant in San Angelo, as well as their place of business in Beaumont and their recently opened restaurant in Orange.

Glynn Reichert

Glynn Reichert, who just a short time ago assumed the operation and management of The B & B Produce Company, located at 701 Orient, in San Angelo, quite readily demonstrated his executive ability by his quickness to appreciate the obligations and responsibilities of his new endeavor and to conduct his affairs accordingly.

Although he has been operating the produce business for a comparatively short time, he has already made many new friends and business associates for The B & B Produce Company.

Mr. Reichert is an active, energetic man whose sincere and friendly personality and desire to be of service is rapidly earning a place for him in this district. He has already taken an interest in community activities and in due course of time will assume his full share of civic responsibilities.

Glynn Reichert deserves a word of praise for having so quickly established himself in his new venture, and requests that his many friends, along with the many others that have not, as yet, met him personally that they visit his new and modern place of business.

W. T. and Frank Powell

Every progressive and successful business man in San Angelo contributes in some manner to the growth and progress of the city. And two men who are always willing to do their part in both civic and business activities are W. T. and Frank Powell of The Concho Valley Feed Company, who are well known and have many friends and business associates throughout this entire district.

The prominent part that The Concho Valley Feed Co., is playing in the business and rural life of San Angelo and the surrounding country, mirrors the progressiveness and ability of such men as they. Furthermore, the Powells have at all times been steadfast in their devotion to the city, and the surrounding country, and on many occasions have lent their support to the successful promotion of meritorious civic projects.

San Angelo and this district are fortunate to have such men as Mr. Powell and his son Frank, in positions of responsibility and service and this newspaper feels that it merely reflects public opinion in paying this brief tribute to two of the city's more progressive business men.

H. G. Wallace, Jr.

As manager of one of the district's more prominent wholesale grocery firms, and as a leader of recognized ability in community life, H. G. Wallace, Jr., stands out today as one of the best liked men on the panorama of San Angelo activity. His friends are numbered by the hundreds and all of them are of the lasting fibre which comes of worth-while associations, both in the world of business and in the realms of neighborhood life.

The H. O. Wooten Grocery Company has been a strong factor in the growth and progress of San Angelo; and Mr. Wallace's own efforts, in many instances, have been the stimuli behind the outstanding accomplishments of the company. The case is a fine example of a man weaving his own personal prominence into an executive's life, with lasting benefits to both organization and individual.

We take pleasure in expressing these few words of commendation to a man who is doing so much to promote the growth and progress of this entire district.

Dick C. and Glenn C. Cunningham

San Angelo owes much to those progressive citizens who have taken an active part in the growth and progress of the city and who have helped to make it the business center for this part of the state. In mentioning some of these men, it is only fair to include Dick C. and Glenn C. Cunningham of The Dix Key Shop, doing business in the same location since 1940, whose outstanding knowledge of the locksmith and lawnmower repair business, backed up by their many years of experience, has brought them to the forefront in their particular field.

The Cunninghams also do their share in furthering community affairs and deserve a great deal of credit for their success in both business and civic activities.

They are wholly deserving of our sincere praise and these few words of commendation are but a just recognition for the many activities they have conducted on behalf of the general welfare of the community.

The honest and successful conduct of their business affairs is but a reflection of their characters. We trust that Glenn and Dick Cunningham will continue to serve San Angelo and vicinity for many years to come.

Donald L. Smith

The progress of any community hinges to a great extent upon the activities of the more progressive men in the world of business. This is as true in this locality as in any other sector and local leaders are to be congratulated for their part in the general advancement of this section of the state. And one of the more progressive lumber men of San Angelo who should thus be congratulated is Donald L. Smith of The Bowman Lumber Company Inc., who is widely known and universally liked.

Few men have such a thorough knowledge of every phase of the lumber game. And to say that Mr. Smith knows the business from A to Z, is in no way an overstatement. The honesty which has always characterized his every transaction has gained for him the respect and confidence of the many men and firms with whom he does business.

The successful career of Donald Smith illustrates the merits of integrity, ability grounded in experience and coupled with the added asset of a pleasing and sincere personality. We wish him many more years of continued success.

Omer Dreiling

Because this is a period of growth and expansion for San Angelo, those progressive business men who had the foresight and ability to lay their plans so as to be able to take advantage of those conditions are entitled to more than ordinary acclaim. We are, therefore glad to pay tribute to Omer Dreiling of The San Angelo By-Products Inc., and San Angelo Rendering Co., for he has become a well known figure in the business and civic life of the city.

Mr. Dreiling's persistent optimism and steadfast belief in the continued prosperity of the people of San Angelo and vicinity are characteristics which are deserving of our highest praise.

He has also always shown a willingness to do his part in civic advancement and has contributed his bit, in one form or another, to projects promoted for the welfare of his city. We believe that men like Omer Dreiling are entitled to our sincere praise, both because he has achieved success in his private affairs and because he is willing to contribute to the public good.

Vernon B. Shipman

A drive-in operator of San Angelo who has based his success upon the belief that the public will appreciate good food, well prepared and appetizingly served, is Vernon B. Shipman of Shipman's Drive Inn, whose many friends and customers, by their daily patronage of his popular eating place, attest to the soundness of his policy.

It is not only because of the

successful management of his business that Mr. Shipman has come to be recognized as an asset to the community; but it is also because of his policy of "looking ahead" and endeavoring to sponsor or take part in those community activities which will, in some manner, benefit the city of San Angelo and the people as a whole. He is another of those men who has shown his appreciation for his success by a willingness to contribute his time and efforts to the promotion of city projects.

It is men such as Vernon Shipman whom we are privileged to include in this review and to publicly give him due credit for his success in business and civic affairs.

Dorman L. Chapman And Gilbert A. Theriot

It is a privilege in this San Angelo—review of progressive men and firms that have been such a great aid to the growth and development of this section of the state to place such men as Dorman L. Chapman and Gilbert A. Theriot of The Ace Builders Company, on an equal plane with all others in this rank. In the past few men have exceeded them in contributing their time and energy to the onward progress of San Angelo and the surrounding country.

Mr. Chapman and Mr. Theriot are generally recognized as two of the more progressive building material supply dealers of this district, and still retain that distinction in the admiration and respect of their wide circle of friends. Also their interest in and the valuable assistance they have rendered to many projects of a civic nature reflect the principles which they have always so successfully applied to their business affairs.

We congratulate Gilbert Theriot and Dorman Chapman on their records and we sincerely hope that their careers will be as useful and completely successful in the years ahead as they have been in the past.

Spiro Vallatos

Spiro Vallatos is one of the more successful restaurant operators of San Angelo who, by maintaining a standard of service and high quality foods, has made The Bus Terminal Cafe one of the more popular eating places in the community. We are glad to give him credit for his success in a field which is so highly competitive.

It is also a pleasure to give him credit for taking part in community affairs and lending his assistance to various activities and public drives. When to take part in such matters he always does so without ostentation, but in a quiet manner which lends dignity to his cheerful acceptance of his share of the civic load. It is a pleasure to be associated in the promotion of community activities with such a man as Mr. Vallatos.

This review of progressive and civic-minded people of San Angelo would not be complete were we to fail to include Spiro Vallatos. His is the kind of success which deserves recognition and we wish him many more years of the same.

R. A. Wagner and Frank A. Grounds

Due to the efforts of a group of wide awake business and professional men, the city of San Angelo has attained a dominant position in the commercial life of this section of the state. And two of the men who have justly

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earned credit for being progressive members of that group are R. A. Wagner and Frank A. Grounds of The Wagner Office Equipment.

It is because of the successful operation of such a business as theirs that the city of San Angelo has earned the reputation of being one of the more progressive communities in West Texas.

Mr. Wagner and Mr. Grounds have been conspicuously successful in spite of the fact that they have repeatedly neglected their own private affairs to devote a part of their time and efforts to the successful promotion of civic projects.

It is considered a privilege to include Frank Grounds and R. A. Wagner in this San Angelo review and to publicly give them credit for their success in business and for their many contributions to the general welfare of the city.

Mrs. L. V. Hillyer

A city grows and prospers by reason of the public spirited men and women who take an active interest in its development. San Angelo has its share of these civic-minded people, and one who is deserving of recognition is friendly, likeable Mrs. L. V. Hillyer of The Fabric Shop.

Her business ability, coupled with a thorough knowledge of her business have been major factors in maintaining The Fabric Shop in a position of leadership in the San Angelo area. She has, not only in her business activities but also in her attention to civic duty assumed an active part in community affairs.

She has always been ready and willing to contribute her time and energy to the promotion of any project promising to benefit the community as a whole, and often sacrificed her personal interests to be of assistance to the city, and her efforts are deserving of commendation and support.

We congratulate Mr. L. V. Hillyer on her past achievements which, in our opinion, indicate a similar successful career in the years ahead.

Bill H. Breit

Recognized as one of the more progressive business men of San Angelo, Bill H. Breit of The Ace Loan Service Inc., located at 39 West Twohig performs a real service for the people of his city and his contributions to civic betterment are too well known to require repetition in these columns. His personal success has been achieved, in a large measure, because he never misses an opportunity to further the service he renders to the public. A policy which has, and continues to build up good will for The Ace Loan Service Inc., throughout this entire district.

Mr. Breit is deserving of praise and this small tribute is but a just recognition for the many services which he has performed in the way of both business and civic activities. Also his reputation for the successful conduct of his business affair is no greater than his reputation for the honest practices which characterize his every transaction.

We congratulate Bill Breit on his splendid record and trust he shall continue to serve the people of San Angelo and vicinity.

D. D. Jackson and L. J. Marberry

In every community there are a number of business and professional men who can be pointed

ed out as having taken a three-fold part in the onward progress of their city. Two well known business men of San Angelo who belong in this category are D. D. Jackson and L. J. Marberry of The Excel Exterminators, located at 24 South Main, serving the public since 1934.

Their leadership in their line of business is recognized throughout this entire district. Their furtherance of civic activities and support of those organizations whose main objectives are directed along lines of civic betterment and community progress is well known to their immediate associates.

Mr. Jackson and Mr. Marberry are men who are equally well liked and respected by their intimate friends, and their associates. They are loyal to the community, thankful for their success in business, and have shown their appreciation by their contributions to various civic movements of benefit to the city.

We congratulate L. J. Marberry and D. D. Jackson for being good citizens, progressive business men and boosters of their home community.

W. C. "Billie" Gilbert

In paying tribute to some of the more progressive business men of San Angelo, we would be remiss in our duty should we fail to include W. C. "Billie" Gilbert of The Billie Gilbert Garage whose business ability is no greater than the 'know-how' and mechanical skill which has contributed to his well known success in the automotive repair and maintenance business.

He has also contributed generously to the welfare of his city and the community for many miles around. And his civic spirit is evidenced by the many services which he has performed and will continue to perform in the interest of the people as a whole.

Mr. Gilbert is a man of wide acquaintance, whose many friends admire and respect in him those virtues which inspire confidence and promote good feeling. And his upright business methods are a credit to his inherent sense of fair play.

We congratulate Billie Gilbert on his splendid record of service and trust he shall continue to assist us for many years to come.

Frank Richerson

In making this review of progressive San Angelo business men it is appropriate that we include those men who have taken an active part in the exploration and development of the petroleum resources of the state. In doing so, we would be censured if we failed to include Frank Richerson of The Varel Mfg. Company.

Mr. Richerson is that solid type of citizen whose fairness and friendliness and sincere desire to be of service are accountable for a large measure of his success. As time goes on, his personal interests have become more closely interwoven with the business and civic affairs of the city. As a result he has, quite naturally, become accepted as a man who can be called upon and who will cheerfully do his part to further the development of those community activities to which he is best fitted to lend assistance.

Frank Richerson has, by the conduct of his business and his attention to civic affairs, earned the friendship and good will of his fellow citizens. He is to be complimented for his activities and we only express the desire of his many friends and associates in wishing him continued success.

Ralph E. Downs

Ralph E. Downs of The Texas Hotel and San Angelo Art Co., has won the universal respect and good will of the people of San Angelo and the surrounding country for the progressive manner in which he has kept his hotel and art company in the forefront of the business and civic life of this entire district. Also for the efficient and friendly willingness he has displayed in accepting his share of responsibility in aiding civic projects.

Mr. Downs is not the kind of man who makes himself conspicuous by the manner in which he conducts himself, either in business or other matters. Yet his quiet reserve and air of confidence marks him as a man of sound judgment whose opinions and advice are sought after and listened to with respect.

We compliment Ralph Downs for the successful management of The Texas Hotel and Angelo Art Co., also for his constructive advice and help on those civic affairs in which he has found time to interest himself. He is a man whom many are proud to call friend.

W. J. Russell

W. J. Russell of The Fish Market has a well earned reputation for progressiveness because he has consistently forged ahead in his business, never letting up in his efforts to make the service he renders to the people more valuable. This invariable policy has made The Fish Market outstanding in its field, a fact that is well known to the public in the San Angelo area.

But Mr. Russell has accomplished much more than just making a success of his business and private affairs, and we take this opportunity to pay tribute to him for devoting what time he could spare to the general welfare, not only to his own city but this entire district as well.

It is such men as he, who are both successful in business and appreciative for their civic obligations that are deserving of recognition. We take pleasure in giving W. J. Russell the credit for his accomplishments which his friends and associates have so long accorded him.

M. G. Franklin

In compiling this review of progressive San Angelo business people, we have endeavored to select those citizens who, by the manner in which they have conducted themselves and their businesses, have earned for them positions of leadership in their various fields of activities. Such a man is M. G. Franklin of The Franklin Furniture Store, who is well known, and has many friends and customers throughout this entire district.

Mr. Franklin's main interests have not been solely confined to his own business and private affairs, but have also included his contributions in one form or another, to those projects of a civic nature which come within the scope of his activities.

M. G. Franklin is a man of wide experience whose exploits in the business and civic life of San Angelo and vicinity merits more than a passing attention and the writer is privileged to pay this brief tribute to a man who well deserves more credit than is accorded him here.

Prentiss Daviss

Logically a man who has earned the reputation of being one of San Angelo's more progressive boat and outboard motor dealers, would in so doing, have earned the friendship and good will of a great many people throughout

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this entire district. A man who justly deserves that distinction is modest, efficient, friendly Prentiss Daviss, wholesale distributor in eighty one counties for Champion Motors, and dealer in this area for Lone Star Boats, located at 2300 Sherwood Way.

Mr. Daviss is the type of man who would be an asset to any community, not only because of the successful conduct of his business plays a definite part in the general civic scheme but because the ultimate measure of his value to his city and this district lies in the fact that he is untiringly zealous and remarkably successful in the promotion of civic progress.

We congratulate the people of San Angelo for numbering among their more progressive citizens such a man as Prentiss Daviss and we also express the wish that he will enjoy many more years of success.

Virgil L. Latham

We take pleasure in this San Angelo review to call the attention of our people of one of the more progressive oil men of this district. That personality is Virgil L. Latham of The Delaware Drillers Inc., who is rendering a valuable service to the oil producers of this entire area.

The production of petroleum in this section has been one of the greatest single factors in the growth and progress of San Angelo and this district, and Mr. Latham is a man who has taken an important part in many phases of oil field activities.

He is a resident of San Angelo and has a large circle of personal friends throughout this entire district. He is also a man who has considered his civic responsibilities in a serious manner and is always ready and willing to help in the promotion of any project which promises to benefit the city and this district.

We congratulate Virgil Latham for the part he is playing in the development of the petroleum resources in this part of the state and wish him many more years of successful operations.

C. B. Ostrander

C. B. Ostrander of The Charles Motor Company, is one of those progressive Ford Sales & Service dealers of San Angelo who has consistently forged ahead in his business. He has also put his shoulder to the wheels of civic progress whenever concerted help was needed in furthering enterprises promoted for the general welfare of the community.

Mr. Ostrander was never a man given to wishful thinking. Because his methods are those of direct action and whether the problem at hand is one concerning his own business or that of a civic nature, he attacks it with optimism and vigorous enthusiasm. Add to this his acknowledged business ability and his keen sense of values and it is easily understood why he is almost invariably successful in business or other matters.

We feel that it is our duty to call the attention of our readers to these worth-while characteristics of C. B. Ostrander and to pay him a well-deserved tribute for his straightforward business methods and for the unselfish interest he has shown in public welfare.

Norman Darst

It is fitting in this review of progressive San Angelo business men that we acquaint our readers with the man to be credited

with having maintained The Concho Valley Pecan Company, now located at 55 East Washington Drive, in the enviable position it holds in the business and civic life of this area. That personality is Norman Darst, whose genius for organization and for converting new ideas into actual deeds has played a vital part in the distinctive reputation which the company now enjoys throughout this entire district.

Mr. Darst has found time, in addition to his business interests, to give thought and energy to community projects. He is a citizen whose talents have been steadfastly devoted to the best interests of the city. He has been successful in his own business and in the promotion of the general welfare of the community.

We are glad to pay this brief tribute to him and to say that this district owes much to the many benefits which Norman Darst and The Concho Valley Pecan Co., have rendered to the people of this entire area.

James M. Hill

The city of San Angelo has assumed its place of importance in this section of the state because of the efforts of farseeing business and professional men who have helped in developing its industry or in some manner, extended the trade advantages of the locality. One of the men who has taken an important part in many progressive movements is James M. Hill, well known and reliable building contractor and The James M. Hill House Factory.

Mr. Hill has devoted his share of time and energy to the growth and development of San Angelo and this district and it is fitting at this time that we attempt to express in a small way, our appreciation for his unselfish contributions to the general welfare of the community.

He is a man of wide acquaintance whose many friends admire and respect in him those virtues which inspire confidence and promote good feeling. His upright business methods are but an outward reflection of his inherent appreciation for fair practices. We congratulate James Hill on his splendid record of service and wish him continued success.

A. W. Gee

We wish in this edition to pay tribute to A. W. Gee of The Skating Rink of San Angelo, for his many services to the city, and his splendid record of achievements in the business life of this entire section.

Mr. Gee probably has as wide a circle of friends as any other man we could name, because he is just naturally the kind of man who makes friends with almost everyone, and always conducts himself in such a manner as to deserve the respect and good will of all who know him.

San Angelo is fortunate in being able to number, among its more progressive business people, citizens of this type.

He is always ready and willing to lend his support to the promotion of any project which promises to benefit this entire district.

He may depended upon, and his services to the people are too many in number to be described here. It may be sufficient to say that we consider A. W. Gee an asset to the community, and a progressive business man of whom his city may be proud.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Charlie Phillips, Editor

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MRS. SIMS NEW PRESIDENT OF SOROSIS CLUB

New officers were installed at the Friday night meeting of the Sorosis Study Club. Mrs. Robert Hugh Sims was installed as the president, to serve for two years. Out going president is Mrs. E. F. Glenn.

Other officers installed include Mrs. Royce Fancher, vice president; Mrs. Royce Lee, treasurer; Mrs. Clyde Lee, secretary; Mrs. Bob Wilson, reporter and Mrs. Joe Rawlings, parliamentarian; As each officer was installed she lighted a candle at the point of a star.

The club met in the home of Mrs. Sims with Mrs. Fancher as the co-hostess. Old and new business was discussed and the next meeting will end the club year.

Refreshments of frosted punch, assorted cookies and salted nuts were served to Mmes. Jesse Parker, Edward Cumbie, E. F. Glenn, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, W. D. McDonald, Bill McKown, Charlie Phillips, Roy Robinson, Bob Wilson and the hostesses.

Brunson Family Has Reunion on Mother's Day

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brunson had all their children and their families home for Mother's Day.

Those present were: Mrs. Ruby Thomas, Billy, Donny and Mike of Big Spring, Texas; Bill Brunson of Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brunson, Barbara and Linda of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williamson, Buster, Marion Jay of Wylie; Mr. and Mrs. Rance Brunson and Donna Jean of Mertzon.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn, James Lynn and Jolene; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Evans, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Pate Brunson and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Heide Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cole, Gary and Ronnie, Irvan Brunson, all of Bronte.

Two visitors were also present, Mrs. McMullen and granddaughter, LaTrix McMullen of Snyder.

Dave Brunson returned home with Bill to Beaumont for a few days visit.

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PTA INSTALLS OFFICERS

Final meeting of the Bronte PTA was held Tuesday night in the high school gym. Mrs. J. D. McIntire, president, was speaker and her subject was "The Common Denominator."

Officers for the coming year were installed with Principal Al Durbin reading the ceremony. The new officers are: Mrs. McIntire, president; first vice president, Mrs. Tom Taylor; second vice president, Mrs. Charlie Phillips; third vice president, Mrs. James Arrott; fourth vice president, Mrs. James W. Allen; secretary, Mrs. Carroll Robbins; treasurer, Mrs. H. M. Kirkland and Parent-Teacher Publication Representative, Mrs. Louis Bridges.

Officers were presented with corsages in appreciation of their work.

Mrs. J. L. Carroll was leader for the night and special numbers were presented by Thomas Knox and his high school band.

Backwell Seniors Are Honored at Banquet

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Blackwell High School seniors were complimented at a banquet last Friday night in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist church sponsored by the WSCS.

Artists from McMurry College furnished the program and the after dinner speech was given by William Clark, head of the McMurry speech department. Miss Margaret Grisham presented accordion numbers accompanied by Mr. Servando Trevino. Mr. Trevino also gave numbers on the Miraba.

Methodist pastor David Hamblin gave the invocation and the welcome. Walter Sweet, president of the senior class, gave the response. The entertainment was climaxed by the class singing "Tip-Toe thru' the tulips", Mrs. David Hamblin at the piano.

The banquet table was T shaped depicting a Dutch theme. Miniature Dutch windmills, boys and girls featured the table decorations. Programs and menus were hand painted windmills.

Bonnie Saunders, Wanda Nell Cook and Gienna Tubb, dressed as Dutch lassies, served the group.

Mrs. Bob Woods Hostess To Eureka Craft Club

Mrs. Bob Woods was hostess to the Eureka Craft Club which met Monday, May 10. Mrs. Kate Cox gave the opening exercise and Mrs. J. R. Johnson had the program on "Spring Styles."

A salad plate was served to Mmes. John Coalson, A. E. Coalson, Kate Cox, C. W. Holmes, S. O. Jackson, Leslie Lammers, J. H. Turner and Mrs. Woods.

Next meeting of the group is May 24.

Mrs. Emory Bell, Mrs. Monte Smith, formerly Jean Bell, and her daughter of Inglewood, California, spent last week visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mattie Glenn, and other relatives and friends.

"SAFETY" STUDIED BY PROGRESSIVE CLUB MEMBERS

"Safety" was the theme for the Progressive club when they met in the home of Mrs. O. H. Wiloughby last Thursday afternoon. Bob Brookshire, Highway patrolman from San Angelo, was the speaker.

Refreshments of strawberry ice cream and fruit and angel food cake were served to the guests, Mmes. Ralph Lewis of Wilcox, Ariz., Albert Rawlings, Sr., Collins Sayner, A. S. Whatley and Otis Smith and to the following members: Mmes. Edna Butner, Joe Carter; W. C. Duncan, Claude Gentry, W. J. Gideon, C. C. Glenn, F. S. Higginbotham, Charles Keeney, J. D. Leonard, T. C. Price, L. E. Smith, Annie Wilkins, L. T. Youngblood, Sid Evans and the hostess.

Mother's Day Reunion In Caulder Home

A Mother's Day family reunion honoring Mrs. Onie Adams was held at the Lewis Caulder farm near Bronte. A buffet dinner was the high point of the gathering, with a fishing expedition being part of the activities.

Attending from Midland were Mrs. Onie Adams; Clyde Adams, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Adams and family; Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolton and Betty Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen and family; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams and Dickie; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McGuire and family, T. D. McGuire and Verle W. Adams.

Present from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Millican and family; Mrs. Susie Caulder and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Caulder and family of Bronte.

Also Pfc. Doyle Caulder, on leave from Marine Corps, El Torro, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Eads and family of Snyder. A total of 45 persons were present.

YOUNGBLOOD SPEAKS TO DIVERSITY CLUB MEMBERS

"What's New in Washington and Business Trends of Today" was the subject for a discussion by L. T. Youngblood. He spoke before members of the Diversity club when they met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Annie Wilkins with Mrs. Joe Geo.

Wilkins as hostess.

Refreshments of strawberry ice cream and angel food cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood, Mrs. Wilkins and ten members.



New Tax Exemptions

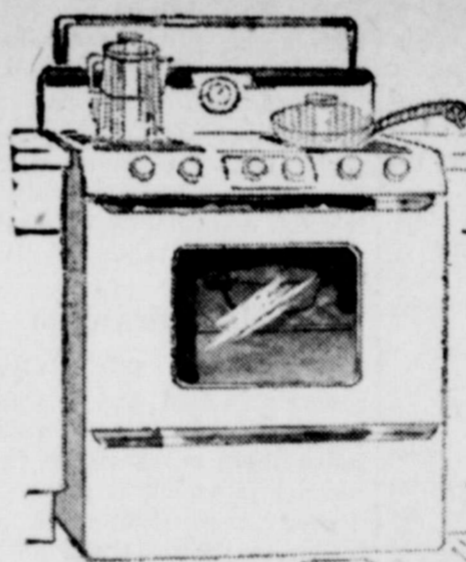
A son, Gene Butner, was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn at 4:45 a. m. Monday, May 10 in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces. He has two brothers, Don and Eddie. Grandmothers are Mrs. Edna Butner and Mrs. Mattie Glenn, both of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ivey of Robert Lee are parents of a daughter born at 12:55 p.m. Sunday, May 9, at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The little girl weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces and has been named Susan Janelle. She has a brother, Roy Gene. Grandmother is Mrs. Pete Nutter of Bronte and O. C. Ivey is her great grandfather.

Pvt. and Mrs. Joel Webb have a new daughter, born at 11:30 a. m. Friday, May 7, in the Bronte Hospital. She has been named Brenda Kay and weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Webb of Tennyson.

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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. John Early visited in the Willard Caudle home Sunday after church services. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Oats Mary and J. W. Caudle of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith and Wayne of Ballinger.

High light in the community this week is the oil derrick on the G. L. Cook ranch. We hope they get oil this time, maybe so, going 7000 feet.

Another good rain fell in the community Monday night and Tuesday.

Mothers Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn were Mr. and Mrs. Authur Gleghorn of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn, Ollie and Gary of Miles and Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges.

Mr. and Mrs. Mug Stephenson visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCarty in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther near Abilene Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Hedges and girls of Maverick and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott and Jim of Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Landers and Linda visited Mrs. Susie Garlington and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence last Sunday at Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Landers visited that afternoon in Sweetwater.

Albert Tucker of San Angelo visited in the community Monday.

Mrs. Sudie Brown of Tennyson and a daughter of Big Spring visited the Charlie Browns on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hester and family of Winters were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Holloway of Coleman and Mrs. George Blackman of Ballinger visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Dee Cox were Sunday supper guests.

The sewing club met with Mrs. Hurlin Lee Thursday afternoon. The group tacked a quilt during the afternoon. Refreshments were served to Mes. Jerry Landers, G. L. Cook, Willard Caudle, J. C. Boatright, J. O. Landers and Linda, Charlie Brown, James Lee and two visitors, Mrs. Sudie Br wn of Tennyson and her daughter of Big Lake. The group will meet with Mrs. G. L. Cook Thursday, May 20.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay over the weekend were her brother, G. T. Roach of

Austin and R. W. Roach of Freer. Attending a cooking school at San Angelo last week were Mes. Jim Clark, J. C. Boatright, B. V. Hedges, J. B. Arrott and Herbert Holland.

Burial of the infant son of Rev. and Mrs. Barefield of Brownwood was in the Mt. Victory cemetery here Friday afternoon. Mrs. Barefield is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Earnest James, formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright were called to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. John Macowsky, who is in a San Angelo hospital. She is reported to be better.

Jolly Breakfast club met with Mrs. Frank Reichert Saturday with Mes. Bill Willmann, Bert Hester, Wesley Prinzing, J. W. Clark, Doxie Lauder, Al D. Richards and Dick Peiser present.

Susan Lynn is the name of the new grand daughter of Mrs. Luther Nixon. She was born May 1 in a San Angelo hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Foy Wilson. She weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mrs. Mug Stephenson was in the group accompanying the seniors on their trip. They left Wednesday.

J. L. Stephenson came out from San Angelo last week to help Marvin with his planting.

Mrs. Luther Nixon was honored on her birthday with a fish supper Saturday night, given by Mrs. Willard Caudle.

Harp and Piano Artists to be Here

On Wednesday morning, May 19, at 9:45 o'clock, Mrs. C. G. Titsworth, III, and George Eason of San Angelo will present a varied program of harp and piano music. The program will be held in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Titsworth received her master of music degree from NTSTC, majoring in harp and piano. George Eason, who is seen over KTXL-TV programs, received his bachelor's degree in music from NTSTC and is quite an accomplished pianist.

The program promises to be a treat, especially to those who have never heard harp music.

There will be a small admission charge of 10 cents for first to fourth graders; 15 cents for those in the fifth to eighth grades; and 20 cents for high school students and adults.

LIVESTOCK LOANS

The Farmers Home Administration still has money for loans for making crops or replacing livestock. If anyone is interested in this type of loan they can contact Mr. Paul C. Shillingburg at the County Agent's Office each Thursday.

Blackwell Elementary School Program Set For Tuesday Evening

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Elementary commencement exercises at Blackwell will be held next Thursday, May 20 at 8 p. m.

The program includes: processional, Sue Copeland; Invocation, Rev. Kay Corley, Salutory, Melba Chew; Class History, Kay Phillips; Class Prophecy, Linda S. Edmonds; valedictory, Myrna McCoy; Presentation of Diplomas, George Stoeppler and recessional, Sue Copeland.

Candlebearers will be Karen King and Jerry Ware. Mrs. Juanita Smith is class sponsor.

ONE ACT PLAYS

The Blackwell PTA will sponsor two one-act plays Friday night, May 14, at the school. Mrs. McBride's speech class will give the plays.

Students in the plays are Ann Stoeppler, Melba Ballard, La Nell Kinard, Howard Tucker, Ernest Boyde, Edd Hollowell, Betty Sue Self, Glenna Tubb, Martha Henson and Walter Sweet.

The public is invited. Admission will be 35 and 15 cents.

ELEMENTARY PROGRAM

Blackwell elementary grades will present a program next Tuesday, May 18, at the school house. The first grade will give a play "Mr. Owl's Warning."

The second and third grades will give the Chicken Reel and two songs. The fourth and fifth grades will have a patriotic exercise and two plays.

Sixth and seventh grade students will present a skit and three songs.

OIL NEWS

Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Oswald Everett, Section 70, Block 1-A, H&TC Survey, has been abandoned at 6,948 feet in Cambrian sand.

The wildcat was drilled five miles northwest of Blackwell.

A drillstem test was taken at 4,928-48 feet in the Cambrian with the tool open for two hours. Recovery was 60 feet of water-cut mud, and 6,100 feet of salty sulphur water.

Hospital News

May 5 — B. A. Bell, Mrs. D. Cole, Mrs. Joel Webb admitted. Kenneth Wright dismissed.

May 6 — Mrs. A. D. Sherrod, Miss Maggie Lilly admitted. Ruby Overstreet, Mrs. Claude Word dismissed.

May 7 — Mrs. L. G. Deans, admitted. Daughter born to Mrs. Joel Webb at 11:15 a. m.

May 8 — Mrs. J. M. Huckaby, Mrs. C. S. Alderson admitted. Mrs. Clarence Doggett and daughter, Mrs. A. D. Sherrod dismissed.

May 9 — Mrs. Wm. Fletcher, Darrell Eastman admitted. Mrs. L. G. Dean dismissed.

May 10 — Marvin Hoelcher, Kenneth Davis, Danny Parker, Bobby Phillips admitted. Mrs. D. Cole dismissed.

May 11 — Virgil Cole admitted. Mrs. William Fletcher dismissed.

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STUDENT TRANSFERS
County Judge Jeff Dean, who is ex-officio County School Superintendent, announces that transfer of pupils to other districts must be made prior to June 1, according to a new law. Previously August 1 was the deadline for making student transfers.

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CARD OF THANKS
We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed.
The Gaddy Family. 1tp

HOME ON LEAVE
After completion of boot training at the Marine Corps Depot, San Diego, California, Pfc. Doyle Caulder has spent a ten days leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Caulder. After visiting here and with relatives and friends in Midland, Pfc. Caulder will report for duty at El Torro, California.

BRONTE BOYS WIN 19-B
Bronte won the District 19-B boys high school softball title at Wall last weekend while Miles took the girls division.

Bronte defeated Mertzon 10-4, after trimming Wall in the first round 9-6. Mertzon gained the final round with a win by default from Miles.

Bronte grade school boys last out in the first round to Wall, 19-5 and Bronte girls were eliminated in the first round of play by Wall, 36-11.

Oil News

Humble Oil & Refining Co. has filed application to drill two offsets to its No. 5 Olive May Keeney, opener and lone Cambrian producer in the Bronte multipay field, two miles southwest of Bronte.

The test will be drilled to 5,000 feet with rotary, with operations beginning when permits are approved.

Humble 20 R. E. Hickman, Act. 2, ¼-mile east and slightly north of No. 5 Keeney, is 330 feet from the northwest and 2,000 feet from the northeast lines of 5-C&MRR. It is on a 303.36 acre lease.

Humble 6 Keeney, one location north and slightly east of the No. 5 Keeney, is 1,650 feet from the east 1,980 feet from the east and 1,980 feet from the south lines of 453-1A-H&TC. It is on an 87.77-acre lease.

Humble 5 Keeney was finished April 16 for a daily flowing potential of 552 barrels of 52.4 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 142-1. Production was from between 5,334-346 feet on derrick floor elevation of 1,838 feet.

Sid Katz Exploration et al of San Antonio have filed application to drill a 7,000-foot Cambrian wildcat in Coke County four miles southwest of Bronte and 3 3/8 miles southwest of Humble Oil & Refining Co. 5 Olive May Keeney, recently completed opener of Cambrian production in the Bronte multipay field. It will be the No. 1 Dovie F. Rawlings et al.

Rotary drilling will begin immediately.

Location, on a 150-acre lease, is 3,300 feet from the north and 660 feet from the east lines of 23-Casimera Rubio survey.

The prospector is 3¼ miles east northeast of the Wendland field, which produces from the Ellenburger at an average depth of 6,250 feet and 1 7/8 miles southeast of the Wendkirk field, which produces from the Cisco at an average depth of 3,962 feet.

Deepening application has been filed with the Railroad Commission for The Shamrock Oil & Gas Co. 10 H. G. Wendland, southwest of Bronte.

Original permit depth was for 6,500 feet. New proposed depths calls for 7,000 feet. This is calculated to make it a Cambrian Sand test. The field produces from the Ellenburger at an average depth of 6,250 feet.

The wildcat is located 5,603 feet from the south and 6,571 feet from the west lines of Section 22, Jose Antonio Gutierrez Survey.

WILDCAT ABANDONED
Harlan Ray & D. R. Harris I R. H. Reeves, wildcat 1 mile south of Blackwell, 2-T&P was plugged and abandoned at 6,712 feet in the Ellenburger, elevation unreported.

Midwest 1 Simpson, 5,447 feet in shale. The project topped the

Jennings sand at 5,440 feet, minus datum point of 3,510 feet.

Ashmun & Hildard 1 Bridges was 5,000 feet in lime and shale earlier this week.

Katz 1 Rawlings was drilling at 1,385 feet in lime and shale Wednesday.

Currey, Shield and Currey No. 1 J. M. Mackey, Runnels County Cross Cut discovery in J. Meyers survey, Abst. 384, located five miles west of Norton, flowed 46 barrels of oil, no water, on the first four hours of potential test.

Flow was through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations between 4,239-4,224 feet in 5½-inch casing cemented at 4,296 feet, the total depth. The Cross Cut was topped at 4,230 feet on elevation of 1,767 feet. Pay section was treated with an unreported amount of acid and fracture fluid.

One location south of the 1 Mackey, a 4,500-foot rotary wildcat is to be drilled as Thomas D. Humphrey & Sons, Ltd., of Dallas No. 1 Mrs. Lola Ash.

Drillsite is 800 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of John Myers Survey A-384. Drilling will begin at once.

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