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Hundreds See Snake Show

Bronte Teachers Are All Re-Hired

Supt. C. B. Barbee reported this week that all teachers now employed in the Bronte school system were reelected by the board of trustees at its March meeting.

Administrators of the school including Barbee, High School Prin. James L. Golson, and Elementary School Prin. James Raughton had their contracts extended one year at earlier meetings of the trustees.

AD-LIB-BEN

Danny Valdes, Big Spring Herald photographer, was awarded second place in the Texas AP Managing Editors annual news-writing and photo contest, for a picture he took last Spring. The photo, which was widely circulated in newspapers showed tracksters plowing through ankle deep water as they ran around the track at Howard County Junior College. The photo is pretty much of a closeup of David Glenn of Bronte.

Valdes, a native of Cuba, took second place among scores of entries in the sports class under 75,000 circulation.

Those Bronte High athletes really get around.

We heard Wednesday morning that a Bronte couple were victims of window peepers Tuesday night. This despicable infringement on other people's rights can lead to serious consequences. Peeping Toms have been shot while looking into the windows of private homes, and the victims are within their right when they fire at the culprits.

We have no way of knowing the age of the local window peepers. If they were youngsters they should be made to realize they may wind up in the hospital or the cemetery with a case of lead poisoning.

If they were grownups, they should know better or else they are sick, and should be treated

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Teachers reelected and their present assignments included: Mrs. C. B. Barbee, grade 1; Mrs. George Thomas, 2; Mrs. James L. Golson, 3; Mrs. Jerry Lawhon, 4; Mrs. J. M. Raughton, 5; Mrs. J. T. Henry, 6; Mrs. Royce Fancher homemaking; Russell Fuller, band and music; J. T. Henry, vocational agriculture; Miss Linda Jones, commercial and English; Clint Low, science and math; Cecil Toliver, coach, physical education and science; Darrell Windhaus, Spanish and social studies; William E. Green, English.

In addition to their administrative duties, Golson has teaching assignments in math, and Raughton in coaching and social studies.

The board also elected Mrs. Willie Mae Glenn as full time librarian for next year. She has been serving part time this year.

Coke Heart Fund Collects \$552.30

Coke County's annual Heart Fund drive is shaping up into a big success, according to Mrs. Kenneth Lackey of Robert Lee, who is county fund chairman.

Mrs. Lackey said Tuesday that a total of \$552.30 has been reported to her.

Nurses of Bronte Hospital made the drive in Bronte and raised a total of \$345.30. Their drive is complete. The Rev. A. S. Masterson served as chairman of the campaign on the east side.

Mrs. Lackey said the drive is not quite complete in Robert Lee and the west side of the county. A total of \$207 had been turned in up to Tuesday morning. She said anyone who has not been contacted and wishes to contribute to the fund may mail his money to her or leave it with W. D. McAdams at West Texas Utilities office.

Mrs. Lackey said she hopes to complete the campaign in the next few days. She expressed her appreciation to everyone who has helped make the drive and to everyone who contributed.



SUNDAY WINNERS — Neil Calder, left, took first prize of \$50 for the most pounds of snakes delivered at the Sunday session of the Rattlesnake Roundup. He is from Robert Lee. Bob Ragsdale, center,

Bronte, was second and won \$25. Joe Scott, right, San Angelo, had a 62 inch rattler to take \$10 for the longest snake. Ragsdale also won \$10 for delivering a snake with the most rattles (18).



SATURDAY WINNERS — Winners of Saturday's prizes at the Rattlesnake Roundup were, from left, Vernon Maddox, second place and \$50; Manuel

Reyes, first place and \$175; Carlos Walker, third place and \$15. All the Saturday prizes were given for number of pounds of snakes delivered.

DAVIS CORLEY ON AREA BASKETBALL QUINTET

Longhorn Davis Corley, the tallest man on the 1967 Longhorn basketball squad, was named to the Class B All-Area Second Team by the Abilene Reporter-News. Corley was center for the team.

Other members of the second team included Monte Pilon of Blackwell and Ronnie Poehls of Norton.

Avoca hogged the first team, placing three men in the top cage group of this area, while Old Glory and Fluvanna each placed one.

Long Holiday Announced

Supt. C. B. Barbee announced this week that students and teachers of Bronte Schools will enjoy almost a week away from classes during Easter holidays.

School will be dismissed at 2:35 p.m., Thursday, March 23, and will commence again at 8:10 a.m., Wednesday, March 29.

A shorter Easter vacation was set up on the original school calendar, but due to the fact that "no days have been missed due to epidemic, bad weather, or having gone to the State Basketball Finals" the holidays were reset, Barbee said.

Hundreds of persons attended the annual Rattlesnake Roundup sponsored last weekend by the Bronte Jaycees. Although the crowd was not as big as the year before, the show was termed a success by the sponsors.

The big money for the most pounds of snakes turned in Saturday went to Manuel Reyes of Bronte who received \$175 for his 265½ pounds of crawling reptiles. Second place and \$50 went to Vernon Maddox of San Angelo for having 144 pounds, and Carlos Walker of Wingate got \$15 and third place for his 133 pounds of snakes.

Sunday winners were Neil Calder of Robert Lee, who pocketed \$50 for delivering 121 pounds, and Bob Ragsdale who had 78 pounds and received \$25. Ragsdale also brought in a snake with 18 rattles and received \$10 for winning in that category. Joe Scott of San Angelo received \$10 for having the longest rattler brought in during the two day hunt. His big snake measured 62 inches.

Cecil Fox of Spur gave regular lectures on snakes, their characteristics and habits during both days of the show. He also demonstrated how to milk the venom from the reptiles.

Rattlesnake steaks and other refreshments were served by members of the Zeta Delta HD Club.

Bronte Floral Sets Open House Sat.

Bronte Floral, located in the Ditmore Building on Highway 277, will have an open house Saturday. The business, which recently was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Alexander, was formerly operated as Ditmore Floral by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ditmore.

Mrs. Alexander issued an invitation to all the residents of the area to come by and see their recently acquired business. They have completely re-arranged and added to the stock, and she will have a large number of floral creations on display Saturday.

Refreshments of coffee, punch and cookies will be served to all visitors, and a large rubber plant will be given as a door prize to some lucky persons who registers during the day.

The Alexanders offer this area a complete floral service, specializing in flowers for funerals, weddings, parties, and other occasions.

Board Asks Community Center Study

Bronte County Park board in a meeting Tuesday night voted to request Coke County Commissioners Court to investigate a program of permanent improvements for the county. Included in the proposed program would be a new jail at Robert Lee, a new community center at Bronte and such improvements and additions to the community center in Robert Lee as are needed.

E. F. Glenn, chairman of the park board, emphasized that the board is particularly interested in a community center as part of the county park system at Bronte, but he added that his

group does not have enough information at hand to be for or against the matter. For that reason, a resolution was passed requesting the commissioners court to look into needs of the county and cost of financing them.

In other action approved at the meeting, the board and representatives of Coke County Golf Association who were present agreed that a committee from both bodies would work together in drawing up a set of rules which would apply both to the park area, as well as to the golf course. After this compilation of rules is completed, the

list will be submitted to the commissioners court for approval.

Two Piece Suits Okayed

One suggestion decided upon Tuesday night by the park board members who were present included approval of girls' and women's two piece bathing suits. W. Thetford, Commissioner How- only one piece bathing suits were approved for female swimmers unless they wore a T-shirt over the top of the suit. The approval of two piece suits, however, does not allow for bikinis.

Another suggested rule was that the swimming pool and oth-

er park facilities requiring the presence of the park caretaker or his helpers be closed during all church services, approximately five hours per week.

This suggested rule, however, does not prohibit use of the park for family reunions or use of other facilities on Sundays and Wednesday nights, if their use does not require the presence of the park caretaker.

Mayor Royce Lee made a short talk outlining the advantages of having "fine recreational facilities," and urged park board members and others present not to cease their efforts in trying

to improve them and to meet the needs of residents of this area.

"I know of several families living in Bronte who considered our park and pool, our baseball field, and our golf course in making their decision to settle in Bronte," the mayor said.

Park board members present were Glenn, W. H. Maxwell, Joe Rawlings, L. J. Sonnenberg, J. T. Henry and Mayor Lee. Others present were County Judge W. at the local pool. Heretofore, ard Brock, Supt. C. B. Barbee, Clyde Lee, Ben Oglesby, Clint Low and caretaker Dick Cooper,

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CURRENT LEGISLATION STUDIED BY LVNA MEMBERS

A report on current legislation concerning the Licensed Vocational Nurse was given by Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw with Division 58, LVNA of Texas, met March 2 at Harris Clinic in Bronte. The legislation involves Senate bill 242 and House bill 592. A discussion period followed. Mrs. Brady Mills and Martha McAllister also gave a report on the president's council meeting. Mmes. Mills, McAllister and Murtishaw were in Austin the weekend of Feb. 25 for the council meeting and a workshop on the legislation.

A new broad member, Mrs. Estelle Hampton, of Ballinger was announced. Mrs. Hampton will fill an unexpired term on the board.

The next board meeting will be April 6 at the West Coke Nursing Home in Robert Lee at 6 p. m. followed by the regular April meeting at 7:30 p. m. The speaker will be Mrs. Herman Baker of San Angelo, who will speak on "Lay Discussion of Neurological Organization from the Institute of Achievement of Human Potential."

MRS. OTIS SMITH HOSTS DIVERSITY CLUB MEETING

Mrs. Otis Smith hosted a meeting of the Diversity Club recently. Mrs. O. R. McQueen showed a film to emphasize her program on Texas Day.

A salad plate was served to Mmes. C. E. Clark, Vetal Flores, Cecil Kemp, Helen Kirkland, R. C. Lasswell, Charles Ragsdale, Leslie Rolls, George Thomas, McQueen and Smith.

Blackwell Services For Carlos Kinard

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Funeral services for Carlos C. Kinard, 61, were held at Blackwell First Baptist Church Tuesday. The Rev. Clarence Minton, pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. G. K. Corley.

Burial was in Blackwell cemetery with Spill Funeral Home in charge. Graveside services were conducted by the Hylton Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Kinard died in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo at 11:58 p.m. Sunday after a lengthy illness.

He was born Feb. 21, 1906 in Concho County near Eola and moved to Taylor County in 1916. He moved to Arizona in 1918, later moving to Blackwell where he had farmed and ranched.

He married Ninnie Michaels in Sweetwater Dec. 26, 1933. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Blackwell and of Hylton Masonic Lodge, where he was a past Master. He was also a past district deputy of the 78th Masonic district.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Bill Stone, Oklahoma City; one son, Michael Kinard of Abilene; one brother, Ed Kinard of Wingate; two sisters, Mrs. W. R. Bell of Tuscola and Mrs. O. L. McDaniel of Ballinger and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Buell Moore, Dewey Nabors, Grant Linsley, Robert Oliver, Lee Lackey and Walter Saunders.

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3rd Program On Money Management Is Scheduled By Extension Service

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

There may be no statistics to prove it, but it's a safe bet that just about every family that succeeds in staying ahead of the bills uses some kind of money management plan.

Of course, there are plans and there are plans. In some families, sound money management is accomplished by talking over proposed expenditures and keeping a sensible balance between income and outgo. Most families use some form of financial records—ranging all the way from a simple account book to complex ledgers where the amount of money available for each type of expense is carefully spelled out.

Many still prefer some variation of the familiar envelope system. Dad brings his pay home in cash, which is then parceled out into as many envelopes as there are major items of family

expenditure. Simple as this system sounds, it has a number of drawbacks—apart from the obvious risk involved in keeping substantial amounts of cash around the house.

This system probably made better sense in the days when money generally was earned—and spent—on a week-to-week basis. But nowadays more and more people are paid about twice a month, and some—such as teachers and government workers—just once a month. A similar pattern can be seen on the spending side of the ledger as well.

If you are interested in learning more about planning for spending you are invited to hear Miss Joy Arrington, specialist in home management from A&M Extension Service, will give the program on Tuesday, March 21,

at 2 p.m. in the courthouse conference room. This program will be the third in a series being organized by Mrs. Fay C. Roe, local Home Demonstration agent. The meetings are free and the public is invited.

MARGI OGLESBY MAKES HONOR ROLL AT TRINITY

A news release from Trinity University in San Antonio shows that Margi Oglesby was one of 264 students who made the honor roll for the fall semester. A grade point average of 2.4, based on 3.0 system, is necessary to make the honor roll.

Trinity has an enrollment slightly over 2500 students.

Miss Oglesby, who is a junior psychology major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oglesby of Bronte.

M. F. Cotten of Blackwell, shift engineer of the West Texas Utilities Oak Creek plant, recently observed his 15th anniversary with WTU.

CHEVY'S BONANZA SALE



Watch Lorne Greene, star of Chevrolet's "Bonanza", each Sunday night on NBC-TV.

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Some sales offer stripped down, bottom-of-the-line cars at low prices. But look what your Chevrolet dealer's offering during March. Five popular accessories and options on a handsome Impala V8 Sport Coupe, or if you prefer, a 2-Door or 4-Door V8 Bel Air Sedan. And best of all, you're getting the car you want at a price you can afford in plenty of time for traveling this summer. Just check the extra low price with your dealer. Hurry.

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Sheep And Goat School Scheduled

By **STERLING LINDSEY**

A school planned for the sheep and goat producers will be held in the Courthouse in Ballinger on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 21 and 22.

All operators are invited to attend the meeting. Such subjects as accelerated lambing, creep feeding, health, grazing systems, outlook information and other topics will be presented.

The program will start at 9 a.m. and is scheduled to end at 3:30 p.m. both days.

Sterling Lindsey, county agricultural agent, plans to attend one or both days and invites anyone desiring to attend to contact him.

Read the classified ads.

ROYCE LEE HOME FOR WEEKEND

Royce Lee, student at Schreiner Institute at Kerrville, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lee.

Lunchroom Menus

Monday, March 20
Soup, cheese sandwiches, pickles, banana nut cake.

Tuesday March 21
Green enchiladas, red beans, cabbage slaw with pineapple, cornbread, peanut butter cookie.

Wednesday, March 22
Fish sticks, oven fried potatoes, cream peas and carrots, lime jello with fruit rolls, coconut macaroons.

Thursday, March 23
Cornpone pie, boiled potato in jacket, tossed vegetable salad, corn bread, fruit bars.

H D Agent's News Dept.

By **MRS. FAY C. ROE**

Sewing Machine Care

If you expect your sewing machine to give you the greatest service and satisfaction, you can't neglect proper care. To guarantee perfect operation, homemakers need to clean, oil and lubricate their machines periodically.

Refer to the instruction book for specific care information and always for motor care instruction.

After you have completed a garment, remove lint and fluff from the take-up lever, thread guides, tension discs, bobbin case an machine surface with a soft, clean cloth. If necessary, dampen the cloth to clean the machine surface, but don't use a detergent.

Then with a lint brush clean the feed dog and hook or thread-handling areas under the throat and slide plates. After each cleaning apply a drop of sewing machine oil to these areas. For specific oiling points, refer to the sewing machine instruction book. After oiling, always sew a few lines of stitching on a scrap of material to remove excess oil. Every few months, clean the area behind the face plate and oil the top and bottom of the machines in the oil holes.

If the machine is to be stored, clean all exposed parts and areas behind the face plate. Swab these parts with a lint brush saturated in sewing machine oil to protect the machine from rust. Rust damage is more likely to occur when the machine is stored in a small closet than when the machine is kept open to the air. Keep a small piece of fabric under the pressure foot with the needle down through it to protect the foot and feed from damage. When the pressure foot is down, the pressure spring is released and its life prolonged. Also excess oil will be carried into the fabric by the needle rather than accumulating on the needle.

Water Softeners Save Soap

Soft water or softened water can help homemakers save money because less soap is needed. It also helps prevent soap curd deposits on clothing.

Homemakers who want to know how much water softener to use may try this test. Put one gallon of hot water in a container with one-half teaspoon of softener. Stir until it is completely dissolved. Always put the softener into the water and agitate the chemicals before adding the soap.

Prepare three clean quart jars. Put two cups of the hot water solution in each. Then add one-eighth teaspoon of soap to the first jar, one-fourth teaspoon of soap to the second, and one-half teaspoon of soap to the third jar. Shake each jar vigorously for ten seconds to create a mass of suds. Let them stand for five minutes. If the suds stand up for five minutes, the water is softened. If the one-half teaspoon of softener does not soften the water, repeat the test using one teaspoon water softener per gallon.

Repeat this test for each specific brand of soap or detergent used. It's important to use accurate measurements of water softener to a given quantity of water.

Correct proportions of soap or detergent in soft or softened water, adequate water temperature, correct wash cycle, and thorough rinsing combine to clean clothes satisfactorily.

The little things add up. Careful measuring of all cleaning materials means better cleaning, better management. Look at instructions on cleansers and fi-

gure out how you might plan more wisely with each.

Home Economics Briefs

The latest wrinkle in washable window coverings is a flame resistant treatment which cuts down on kitchen fire hazards. This is being applied to curtains made of blended natural and synthetic fibers in an openwork weave.

An allowance loses its education value if a parent dictates exactly how a child is to spend his money.

Make a sour cream dessert by blending together one cup of cultured sour cream, two teaspoons grated orange peel, and two teaspoons sugar. Serve on squares of cake.

The key to keeping nuts fresh is to store them in a cool place. Nuts should be kept in tightly

covered containers or aluminum foil packages in the refrigerator or freezer.

Schedule

Thursday, March 16 — Office.
Friday, March 17 — Sonora
Saturday, March 18 — Frederickeburg, 4-H Council.

Monday, March 20 — Office
Tuesday, March 21 — Office, 2 p.m., Planning for Spending, Miss Joy Arrington home management specialist.

Wednesday, March 22 — Office, Friendship and Green Mountain HD Clubs.

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Easter Seals Fund Growing In Coke

Bill Allen, Coke County's Easter Seal Representative reported today that the 1967 Easter Seal Appeal for the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas is going well. Mr. Allen serves as Easter Seal Appeal treasurer for Coke County.

The 1967 Easter Seal Appeal will help finance the Easter Seal Society's rehabilitation program for children and adults in Texas. Last year the Society helped 16,031 disabled persons through its program of assistance in finding and making effective use of services for the disabled and their families.

The Easter Seal Society helps support 23 treatment facilities in Texas where children and adults are treated regardless of ability to pay. These centers offer physical therapy, medical diagnosis, speech and hearing programs and related services to help the disabled build happier and more useful lives.

As Easter Seal Representative for Coke County, Mr. Allen is the person to contact for services from the Easter Seal Society. He can be contacted at Robert Lee State Bank, Robert Lee, Texas.

When contacted for services, Mr. Allen will request the Easter Seal Society to investigate the needs of the disabled person and will ask that the Society advise the handicapped person of the best resources available to help him.

Mr. Allen added that additional contributions to the Easter Seal Appeal should be sent him as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins and Joy Lynn left Wednesday for Houston where Mrs. Wilkins will have a medical checkup for her eyes. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins Jr. and family. They plan to return this weekend.

My Neighbors



"No ma'am—we don't have a 'to heck with it all' category."

GIRLS LOSE TO RL

Bronte girls volleyball team lost their first round of district competition Tuesday afternoon when they dropped two out of three games to their visitors from Robert Lee.

TIME TO BUY LICENSE TAGS

County Tax Assessor Collector O. B. Jacobs this week warned Coke County vehicle owners that now is the time to buy vehicle license tags. Deadline for purchasing the tags is March 31, and they must be on cars and other vehicles on April 1.

Jacobs said Wednesday morning that his office has sold 550 passenger car license plates. He added that he and his office deputies are looking for the usual last minute rush, but "we're always glad to sell as many as we can before the last day."

Karl Hoblitzelle Dies In Dallas

Funeral services for Karl Hoblitzelle, 87, were held Friday morning at Park Cities Baptist Church in Dallas. Mr. Hoblitzelle, a businessman of many interests and with many philanthropies, died Wednesday afternoon at his home in Dallas.

Burial services were held Monday in St. Louis, Mo., his birthplace.

Mr. Hoblitzelle was well known in the Bronte area, as he had extensive oil holdings in Coke and Runnels counties, and had been a frequent visitor here in past years. His interests here have been handled by Royce and Clyde Lee of Bronte both of whom attended the funeral.

Starting out when he was a young man in the entertainment business, Mr. Hoblitzelle amassed a chain of motion picture theaters, which he sold out in 1930 to RKO and Paramount Corporations. The depression forced the companies into financial difficulties, and he assumed management and was again head of the Interstate Circuit in 1935. He sold the Interstate Circuit to United Paramount in 1951 but retained management rights of his 165 theaters.

In addition to his theater and oil holdings, Mr. Hoblitzelle was head of Hoblitzelle Properties, Inc., which has large real estate and other business holdings in the Southwest. He was chairman of the board emeritus of Republic National Bank of Dallas, and was head of Hoblitzelle Foundation, which finances many projects of an educational, scientific, literary and charitable nature.

He is survived by one sister and several nephews and nieces.



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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller of Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Balkum Monday night. Their guests Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Helwig of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Bitner of Veribest. The Balkums attended a quarter horse show in San Angelo Wednesday night and the fat stock show and rodeo Friday night.

Mrs. Carl Florence and Mrs. Susie Garlington visited Mrs. Etta Marks and Bailey Bell in the Bronte hospital Wednesday; also with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Paula.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sikes spent part of last week in Brownwood visiting his mother, Mrs. Bee Sykes, and his son and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Sikes and boys.

Janice Balkum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Balkum and a student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, was elected projects chairman for the Tech Home Econom-

ics club for next year. She attended the Texas annual meeting of the American Home Economics Association at the Rice Hotel in Houston last weekend. The sponsor and eighteen girls went by train.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith of Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sikes Sunday. Their Monday night supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rayborn and children of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ogilvy and Judy spent Thursday through Sunday at their ranch here. Visiting them for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomason, Wink; Vicki McDermot, Odessa; Bill Weatherby, Big Lake and Thomas Ogilvy San Angelo.

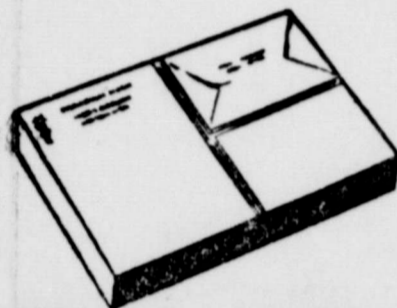
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ash of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Large of San Angelo and Mrs. Etta Marks spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers. Mrs. Marks was admitted to Bronte hospital.

Miles Brown of Blackwell was a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown last weekend. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown, came for him Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hester were hosts to the Jolly 8 club Tuesday night at their home in Miles. A St. Patrick's theme was carried out. The group played progressive 42. Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mmes. George Coleman, L. T. Balkum, Charlie Brown, Carl Florence, Herbert Holland and Hester. The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland Friday night.

Rev. John Early will preach at Maverick Sunday and a basket lunch will be spread at noon. This will be the Easter observance for the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hoelcher and children of Dallas spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hoelcher. The Stanley Hoelcher family is moving to Waco where he will be employed by an optical firm.



PERSONAL STATIONERY

THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

Miss Nell Mackey Funeral At Norton

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. in Norton Methodist Church for Miss Nell Mackey, 93, who had resided in Runnels County for the past 70 years.

Officiating at the services were the Rev. Paul Wiseman, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ballinger and the Rev. Bill Swindler, pastor of Ballinger Seventh Street Baptist Church.

Burial was in Norton cemetery under direction of Allen Davis Funeral Home.

Miss Mackey died at 4:30 a.m. Tuesday in Winters Hospital.

She was born April 4, 1874, in Murray County, Ga., and came to Texas in 1897 with her parents the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mackey. The family settled in the Norton community, and she continued to live there the remainder of her life.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Charlie Roper of Post and a large number of nieces and nephews. Among them are J. B. Marlin, Barrett and Jim Mackey, and Mrs. Howard Brock, all of Bronte.

She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Pallbearers were Bill B. Stultz of Ballinger, Paul Pruitt, Harley Hilliard, Curtis Barrett, Clarence Lee and Marlin Davis all of the Norton community.

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ABSENTEE VOTING UNDERWAY IN CITY AND SCHOOL ELECTIONS

Absentee voting is now in progress in both the city and school elections which will be held in early April.

Persons who cannot get to the polls on election day may vote absentee. They will have to go to Robert Lee to the county clerk's office to vote in the school trustee election, and to the city hall in Bronte to vote in the city councilman election.

Mrs. Helen Kirkland, city secretary, said she was not expecting many absentee votes in the city election, inasmuch as three candidates are running for three vacancies.

On the city ticket are Horace Grigg and Marvin Bryant, who are seeking two year terms, and Bill Clark who is seeking to fill the one year term vacated when Buddy Reed resigned from the council. Clark and Grigg are now serving on the council. The city election will be held Tuesday, April 4.

There is more competition in the school trustee election, as five candidates will be out for two places on the board. This election will be held Saturday, April 1.

Conda O. Richards, present president of the board, is the

only candidate who is now serving as a trustee. Other candidates include David W. Crockett, Norman R. Kiker, C. M. Howard and Harold Moon.

Also to be voted on April 1 are county trustees. Only the incumbents are on the ticket, and include D. K. Glenn for trustee at large for the entire county, Noah Pruitt Sr., trustee for Precinct 2, and C. E. Arrott, trustee for Precinct 4.

Brady Team Tops At Bronte Tourney

Brady took top honors in the invitational golf tournament held here last Saturday. The Brady school team and Ballinger came in with a 289 after 18 holes, and the Brady lads won on the second hole of a sudden death playoff.

Third place in the competition went to a second team from Brady, who had as one of its members, Dayton Archer, who was medalist of the meet with a 4 over par 66.

Bronte High School's team came in fourth.

Other schools entered were Robert Lee, Coleman, Loraine and Blackwell. Thirty-two golfers participated.

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HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met at the church Friday for the Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer program for Home Missions.

Mrs. Clois Versyp presided for the program "As You Go." She was assisted by Mmes. S. P. Smith, E. K. Finley and Clarence Minton. Mrs. Willie Burwick gave the closing prayer.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon to those mentioned and Mrs. Vera Bryant.

Several ladies attended the workers conference at First Baptist Church in Sweetwater on March 6.

Rev. Minton gave the Home Missions program for Wednesday night meeting.

Methodist WSCS met Monday in the home of Mrs. Lee Alderman. Mrs. R. Q. Spence, president, called the meeting to order with the "Thought for Today." Mrs. T. A. Carlisle gave the devotional. The program on affluence and poverty was given by Mrs. R. E. Patton on "What Help for the Jobless?" Mrs. Patton also gave the closing prayer.

Cake and punch were served to the above and Mmes. W. Y. McRorey, Allen Sweet, Therrell Burwick, Joseph Ward, Henry Raney, Bobby Sanderson, and one guest Mrs. Rockey Thompson.

Johnny Hall is ill in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Farmer and children of Merkel spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harist and Ferrell.

Mrs. W. C. Doggett and Mrs. Ronnie Doggett of Pecos visited last weekend with Mrs. Faye Cate and Charlotte. They also visited Mrs. Sallie Watts, who is ill in Bronte Hospital. She is the

mother of Mmes. Cate and W. C. Doggett.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Maples had as their visitors last Thursday their granddaughter, Mrs. Willis Lewis and Mr. Lewis of Winters.

Mrs. Artie Walls spent last week in Robert Lee with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Walker and family and with her son, Charlie Walls, and family.

Junior and Vance Taylor of Winters spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee and Mrs. Nish Taylor and their aunt, Miss Mandy Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hipp had as weekend visitors their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Linsley, Pat, Paul and Jerry of Dallas. They also visited relatives at Shep.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Carlisle were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom G. Carlisle of Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rogers of Snyder were Sunday visitors in the Clarence Minton home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Robinson of Tuscon, Ariz., are here with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Maples, who is seriously ill in Bronte Hospital.

Sp. 4 Raymond E. Parker of Ludeningsburg, Germany, is home visiting his wife, the former Ada Beth Sedberry, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gaston. He is enroute to Ft. Hood. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Gaston of Frankfurt, Germany. G. K. Gaston has also been here on 30-day leave while his parents were both ill in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater. They are home and reported improving.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB HAS "TEXAS" PROGRAM

A program on "Texas" was given by Mrs. A. N. Rawlings when the Woman's Progressive club met in the home of Mrs. J. Madera. Roll call was answered with "a famous Texas" and a Texas poem was given by Mrs. Genie Fort.

A salad plate was served to the thirteen members present.

BRONTE SIXTH IN MERKEL TRACK MEET

Bronte track and field men went to the Merkel track meet and won sixth place with 23 1/2 points. They were far outdistanced however by 1st place winner Rotan who made 123 points on the Cooper High Track. Wylie was second with 103, while Merkel, Roscoe and Trent had 59 1/4, 58 and 57. Ten teams were entered.

Brian Richards won a 3rd

place in the shot put. David Glenn placed 6th in pole vault; Douglas McCutchen was 5th in discus and 6th in 220 yard dash; Davis Corley was 3rd in broad jump and 4th in high jump. The 440-yard relay team came in 5th.

Bronte will enter the Eldorado meet next Saturday.

Mrs. Jimmy Irwin and Andrea of Lubbock spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Keeney.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Dana Fay Cunningham

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green were Ruth Martin, Alice Adams and Rev. Johnny Sherman of San Angelo. Rev. Sherman was speaker for Tennyson Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who was attending a teachers conference.

William J. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green, is now working in Wichita Falls. He has been in Louisiana.

Karon Gibson of San Angelo spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. C. M. Howard, and family.

Visiting during the weekend in the James Arrott home were grandsons, Jim Bob and Timmy Don Arrott of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Weaver of Christoval spent Sunday with them.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark of Odessa.

Mrs. H. W. Smith of Lubbock was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sheffy of San Angelo spent Sunday with them.

Weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams was her brother, Jack Larkin, of Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Waggoner of San Angelo have a new daughter, Kyra Lynn, who weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz. at birth in a San Angelo hospital. Mrs. Waggoner is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

Weekend guests of Mrs. G. H. James were Mrs. J. B. Deans and girls of Big Spring and Kathy Chambers of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil spent Sunday at Grape Creek with Mr. and Mrs. W. Weumling.

Felix A. Dunn and W. G. Tyree of Dallas visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Dunn.

Ollie Woullard and Mr. and Mrs. Ragan of Odessa were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Huffaker. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harwell of Ballinger were their guests Wednesday evening and the Don Daniel family of San Angelo were guests during the weekend.

Larry Corley of Denton and Jackie Corley of Fort Worth were here for a weekend visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley. The Corleys, Larry

and Davis were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. B. R. Davis in San Angelo. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Konnie Buford of Fort Worth, Mrs. Charles Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Williams of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. VanZandt and Robert of Crane and Mrs. Sarah Buford and Lana.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Baker of Sweetwater were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker.

William Thomas of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Thomas over the weekend. His wife is visiting in Florida.

Schedule of Church SERVICES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Blackwell, Texas
Clarence Minton, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Church 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Church 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

TENNYSON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. David Kimberly, Pastor
Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service 6:00 p.m.

BRONTE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Cecil Cox, Minister
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship 10:50 a.m.
Young People's Class 5:00 p.m.
Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study and Worship 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

A. S. Masterson, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 10:55 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 p.m.
Worship 7:00 p.m.
WSCS Circle 1, 2nd & 4th Monday
WSCS Circle 2, 2nd & 4th Tues.

Wednesday

Choir 6:30 p.m.
Prayer-Study Group 7:30 pm.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Wayne N. Stout, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Training Service 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Monday

W.M.A. 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Harry Morris, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Church 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Church 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

SPRING REVIVAL PLANNED BY BLACKWELL BAPTISTS

Blackwell First Baptist Church will begin their spring revival next Sunday, March 19 to continue through Sunday, March 26. Services will be held daily at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. There will be no morning service on Saturday and Sunday services will be held at the usual times.

The Rev. Clarence Minton, pastor, will do the preaching and Royce Porter of Sweetwater is to lead the singing.

Minton said everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hughes and Guy of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes last weekend.

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rites held for relatives of BRONTE PERSONS

Funeral services were held March 7 in San Angelo for James Powell Evans, a brother of Sid Evans of Bronte.

Last rites for Mrs. Ethel Nichols were held March 9 in Robert Lee. She was a sister of B. D. Snead of Bronte.

Funeral services were held March 6 for Mrs. Alice Jones, an aunt of James L. Golson of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fountain, David and Dale, of Waco spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McGuire.

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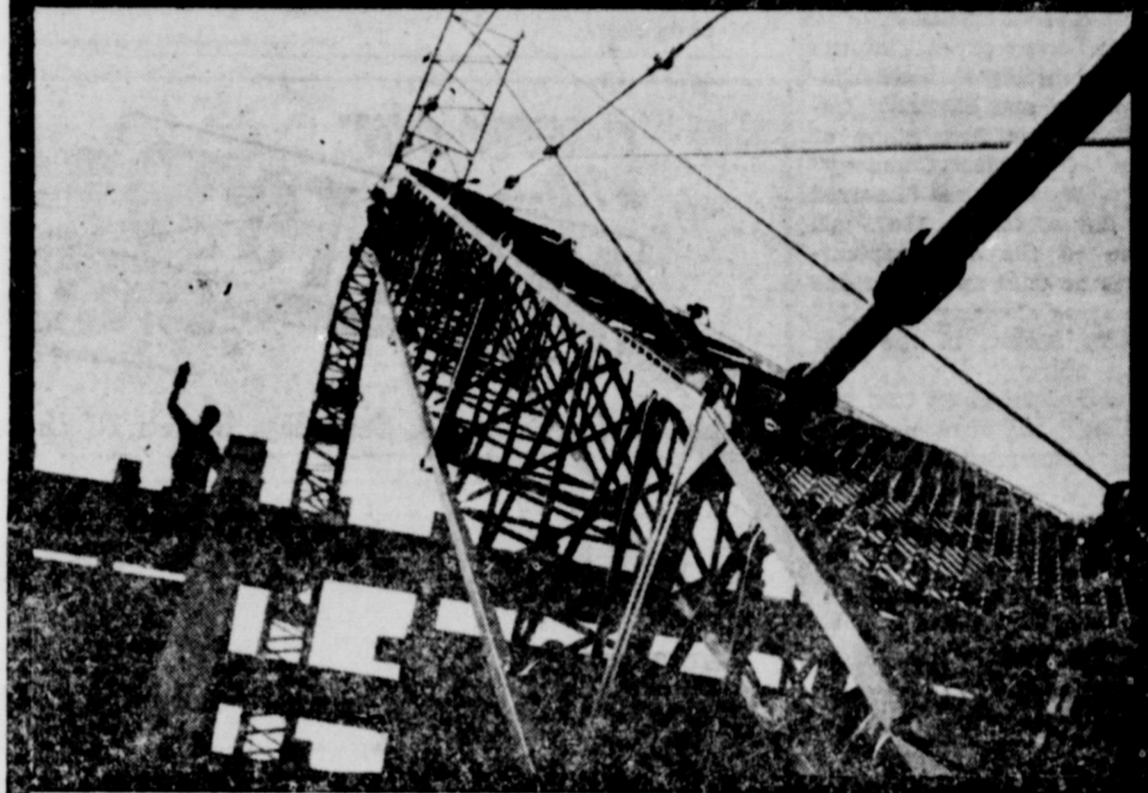
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The City Council
Royce Lee, Mayor

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between Emmett Caperton and Matthew Caperton, under the firm name of "Caperton Chevrolet Company" of Bronte, Texas, was dissolved on the 1 day of March, 1967. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged, at 112 South State Street, in the City of Bronte, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that the business under the firm name of "Caperton Chevrolet Company" of Bronte, Texas, shall continue as a corporation, at 112 South State Street, Bronte, Texas.

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Clarence succeeds Hawley C. Allen of Robert Lee in this important position. Mr. Allen is retiring after filling the president's job for many years.

Clarence and his son, LeDrew, carry on a successful farm and ranching operation in Coke County, and are busy people, as they serve in many civic jobs for the good of their church and community. We want to congratulate Mr. Arrott on his selection as president of the Federal Land Bank Association.

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Funeral services were held for J. T. Thomas, 60, at 11:30 a.m. Monday at Johnson's Funeral Chapel in San Angelo. Ruben Stanley, Church of Christ minister, officiated. Graveside services were held at 3 p.m. in Evergreen cemetery in Ballinger.

Mr. Thomas, of San Angelo and formerly of Brookshire community, died Saturday afternoon in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo after a short illness.

He was a retired painter and had lived in San Angelo 15 years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Don Thomas of San Angelo and Al Thomas of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Zack Murray of San Angelo and Mrs. Shirley Piper of Fort Worth; three brothers, Hampton Thomas of Tennyson, Eugene Thomas of Big Spring and Franklin Thomas of Bronte; two sisters, Mrs. D. L. Haralson of San Angelo and Mrs. Earl Fort of Levelland; and 10 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Aaron Mikeska, Gary Mikeska, Pete Thomas, W. C. Coleman and Halley Teague all of San Angelo and Bill Thomas of Bronte.

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