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Three Elections Called April 1



VALENTINE FUN — Steve Parker, left, and Vic Haselden are enjoying the festivities at the Valentine party Friday night at Bronte Nursing Home. It was one of a series of parties to be held there for all senior citizens of the Bronte area.

Senior Citizens Have Fun at Valentine Party; More Occasions Are Planned

About 40 persons were present at a Valentine party for senior citizens held at Bronte Nursing Home last Friday night.

Leonard Fletcher, pianist; Rev. C. R. Blake, guitarist; and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Boyer of Winters, pianist and vocalist, provided music for the occasion.

Games of bingo were played, under direction of Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Boyer and Mrs. Cecil Kemp.

Sims Food Store, White Auto Store, Carlton's Barber Shop, Cumbie and Mackey and Margaret's Flowers and Gifts furnished prizes for the games and a floral centerpiece.

Assorted cookies, furnished by the Diversity Club, and punch were served from a tea table laid in white with a centerpiece of a red heart with red carnations. Valentine favors completed the Valentine theme.

Mrs. J. W. Martin, representative of the Community Action Program, coordinated the party and reported that a party a month will be held at the nursing home. She emphasized that all citizens of the community who are 65 or over, are invited to these parties. They are not restricted to residents of the home, she said.

Juniors to Present "Bolts and Nuts"

"Bolts and Nuts," the junior class play for this year, will be presented in the school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. tonight (Friday). This year's production is being sponsored by Mrs. Royce Fancher and Bob Shields.

Admission prices are 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults.

The students in the play and the characters they portray are: Michelle Golson, Benita Bolt; Gin Snead, Lattie Sparks; Vicky Minjares, Rebecca Bolt; Mary Ellen McGuire, Martha Grubb; Gary Skeelton, Twinkle Starr; Larry Hooper, Dr. Hippocrates Joy; Stephen Patterson, Henry Goober; Brian Pruitt, Phineas Plunkett; Jan Magness, Miss Prunella Figg; Randy Gibbs, Cadwaller Clippy; Sandra Stroebel, Mrs. Gertie Glossop; Danny Carper, Wilbur Glossop; and Mark Duncan, Jack Gordon.

Prop men are Brad Reed, Willie Sanchez and Arthur Martinez. Mark Murtishaw is prompter.

Bond Election Drawing Near

The election to determine whether or not bonds will be issued to sealcoat and repair the county's paved streets and roads is slated for Saturday, Feb. 26.

The election was called after petitions were presented to the Commissioners' Court, asking for the \$200,000 bond election.

Also included in the project are several additional blocks of paving and some bridges in the rural areas of the county.

Seven polling places will be set up over the county.

Coke County has no bonded indebtedness at the present time, as the last of several bond issues was paid off in 1969. Only indebtedness of the county is approximately \$62,000 owed on machinery warrants.

County officials have been informed by financial advisors that a tax increase of 10 cents per \$100 valuation would be necessary to retire \$200,000 in 15 years, or 13 cents per \$100 to retire them in 10 years.

Junior High Girls Finish 1972 Season With 15-2 Record, Win Miles Tourney

The junior high girls basketball team closed out their season last weekend by winning the championship of the Miles tournament. They had a 15-2 record for the season. The Bronte junior high boys placed third in the meet.

Sherrie Coalson and Janie Raughton won spots on the all-tournament team.

BANK AND POST OFFICE TO CLOSE MONDAY

First National Bank and the U. S. Post Office will be closed next Monday, Feb. 21, in observance of George Washington's birthday. It is one of the mandatory holidays for the bank. Other businesses are expected to open as usual.

BASEBALL BOOSTER MEETING

The Baseball Club will meet next Tuesday night, Feb. 22. All members are urged to be present at 7 p.m. in the city hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes spent Sunday in Stanton with her father, E. A. Baugh.

Bronte voters will participate in three election on Saturday, April 1. Elections have been called for school trustee, reported in another story in this paper, for East Coke County Hospital District board members and for a mayor and three city councilmen for the City of Bronte.

It is thought that polling places

VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE HERE

Applications for Voter Registration Certificates are available at The Bronte Enterprise office. Persons wishing to vote this year must be registered at least 30 days prior to the election date. First elections to be affected by the new registration will be those for city, school and hospital district post, all on April 1.

There is no charge to register to vote, but everyone, including those over 65, must register. All persons 18 years old and over are eligible.

Readers are reminded that a number of important elections are coming up this year and everyone should be prepared to vote.

for all three elections will be set up in different places in the Bronte City Hall, and a school trustee polling place will be set at Tennyson.

In the hospital district election, the terms of the chairman, Rev. C. R. Blake, Dwain Pruitt and Ledrew Arrott are expiring. Deadline for filing for the posts is March 5. Mrs. Willie B. Milliken will be election judge.

In the city election, voters will select persons to fill offices now held by Mayor Martin Lee and Aldermen Tommy Lee, James Badgett and Elroy Butler whose terms are expiring. Deadline for filing for these offices is March 1 at the City Hall.

Golson, Raughton Terms Extended

Contracts of High School Principal James L. Golson and Elementary Principal James M. Raughton were extended at last Thursday night's meeting of the Bronte School board of trustees. The contracts were extended one year to Aug. 31, 1974.

A school trustee election was called for April 1. Terms of Dale Thompson, an appointee to the board, Delbert Coalson and R. T. Caperton are expiring this spring. All three have filed for reelection. Supt. C. B. Barbee said that forms for filing by a candidate or petition forms are available in his office. March 1 is the deadline for filing in the office of County Judge W. W. Thetford. Voting will be held in the City Hall at Bronte with Mrs. Otis Smith as election judge, and at Green's Store in Tennyson with

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Mrs. Phillips Has 90th Birthday

Friends and relatives honored Mrs. Mary E. Phillips of Bronte on her 90th birthday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. S. Kiker of Rotan, on Sunday, Feb. 6.

Mrs. Phillips and one of her sons, W. S. Phillips of San Angelo, share the same birthdate, Jan. 13.

Mrs. Phillips has nine children and all of them attended, except one daughter, Mrs. Cliff Van Ciel of Sacramento, Calif.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCutchen and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Beaver, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ivey, Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Phillips and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherby, Karen, Sherry and Lisa, Mrs. Ethel Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Phillips, Mrs. Gertrude Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Keith McCutchen, Mrs. Larry Abbott, Amy and Sterling, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCutchen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter of Abilene; Robert Bailey of Hamlin.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carter and Reba, Mrs. O. S. Kiker, Mrs. John Lewis Ashton, Mrs. Mina Huckaby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kiker, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gruben, Mr. and Mrs. Odell McQueen, Mrs. Donald McQueen, Julie and Lynette, and Mrs. Curtis McQueen, all of Rotan.



Mrs. Phillips and Money Tree

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Austin — The complex question of financing May and June primary elections is heading for a final legal test.

Comptroller Robert S. Calvert asked Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin for an official opinion on Secretary of State Bob Bullock's plan to pay for the party primaries with state funds.

Bullock forced the issue to a head last week by handing Com-

troller Calvert \$73 worth of initial pre-primary bills and asking him to pay them.

Calvert balked and took the matter to Martin for advice.

"I will not pay anything out of the treasury for this unless I have a written opinion from the attorney general or an order of the court," said Calvert. He added he does not think Martin will advise him to pay the bills sub-

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mitted by Bullock.

"If the vouchers are, for some reason, not approved, I intend to place this question before the Texas Supreme Court at the earliest possible moment so that the entire matter of primary financing can be adequately, equitably and finally resolved," Bullock stated.

He moved with court authority to formulate rules for the primaries after a three judge federal court Jan. 20 struck down the filing fee law relied on to finance the spring elections. Gov. Preston Smith proposes to transfer to him more than \$1 million for paying primary bills if the plan is finally cleared by legal authorities.

Rep. Rayford Price of Palestine accused Smith and Bullock of pre-empting prerogatives of the legislature, and said the governor should call an immediate special session to give lawmakers another whack at resolving the problem. Reps. Price Daniel Jr. of Liberty and Jim Nugent of Kerrville defended Smith and Bullock and charged Price was trying to further his House speakership campaign. Daniel and Nugent are also seeking the speakership.

PRIMARIES CROWDED — A total of 55 candidates for statewide office entered the Democratic primary before the Feb. 7 filing deadline. There are contests for every office on the statewide ballot except four judicial places.

Republicans fielded only 10 state office candidates — and seven of them are running for governor. There are 10 Democratic candidates for governor, five for U. S. Senator, nine for lieutenant governor, three for attorney general, nine for comptroller, seven for treasurer, two for land commissioner and four for railroad commissioner.

Republicans have only one candidate each for U. S. Senator (incumbent Sen. John Tower), treasurer and railroad commissioner.

Former Sen. Ralph W. Yarborough and Barefoot Sanders of Dallas are the leading Democratic candidates for senator. Governor Smith, Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, Dolph Brisco of Uvalde and State Rep. Frances Farenthold of Corpus Christi will stir most of the action in the governor's race. Three state senators and a newspaper executive are battling for a run-off spot for lieutenant governor.

HOSPITAL FUNDS APPROVED — Loan guarantees with interest subsidies totaling more than \$23.8 million have been approved by the Texas Board of Health for 14 Hill-Burton hospital construction projects. Another \$450,000 was set aside for one hospital pending completion of a feasibility study of its new building program.

COURTS SPEAK — Texas Supreme Court ordered a district court trial of an Andrews property owner's suit to force his local school board to tax bank stocks.

The High Court also held a 57 year old woman who received a broken leg after being butted by a "petting zoo" goat cannot collect damages from Six Flags Over Texas.

The State Court of Criminal Appeals reversed convictions of three El Paso men for possessing obscene material (girlie magazines) for purpose of sale.

For the second time, the Court of Criminal Appeals reversed lower courts and ordered a new trial for a man arrested with a truck load (567 cases) of cigarettes which had no state tax stamps.

The Third Court of Civil Appeals ruled out a suit by parents of a blind boy who drowned at a school for the blind swimming pool against the institution.

DRAFT LOTTERY CUT-OFF IS 200 — A temporary draft lottery cut-off number of 200 has

been set for the 1972 first priority group.

Col. Melvin N. Glantz, state director of Selective Service, said the number is subject to downward revision as manpower needs change. Local boards were authorized to reclassify all draft registrants of the first priority group for 1972 with lottery numbers 201-365 in Class 1-H.

Short Snorts

Bids on a proposed new \$20 million highway department headquarters near the state capitol and governor's mansion will be taken in May.

The U. S. Supreme Court refused to delay single-member district elections in Bexar and Dallas counties this year.

Cigarette tax revenue increased \$4.1 million—to \$19.9 million—from December 1970 to December 1971.

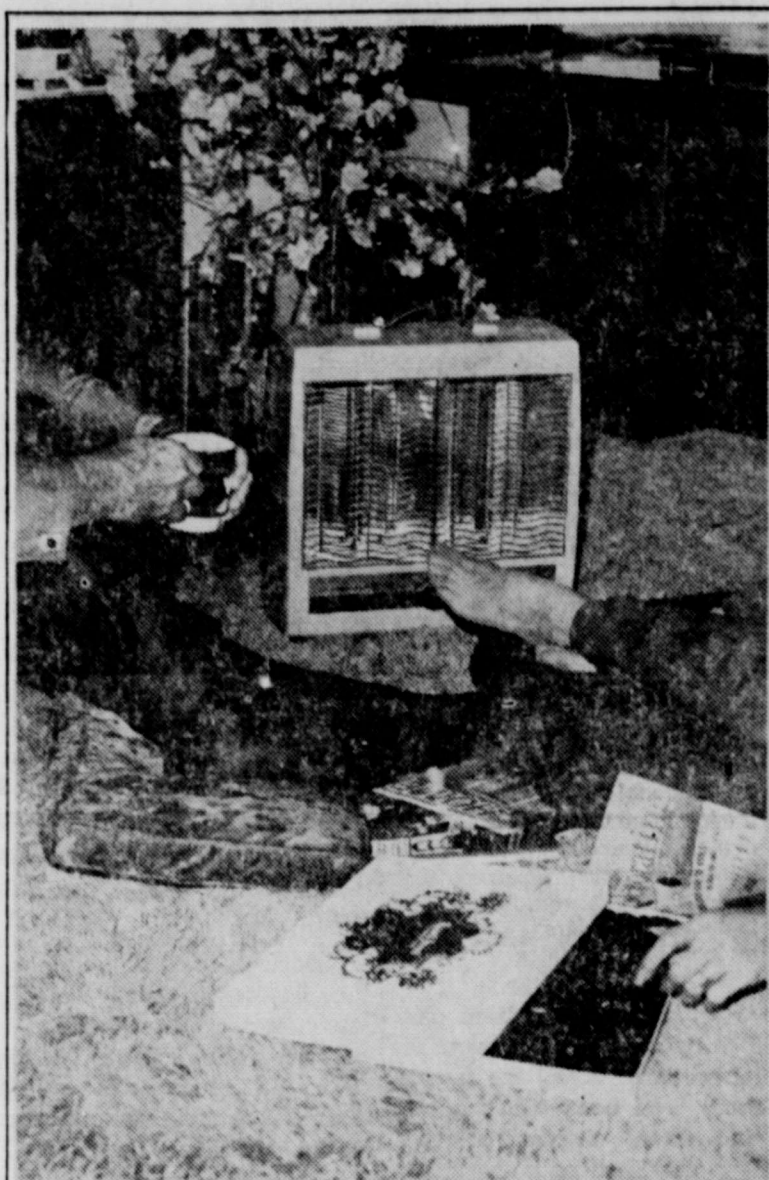
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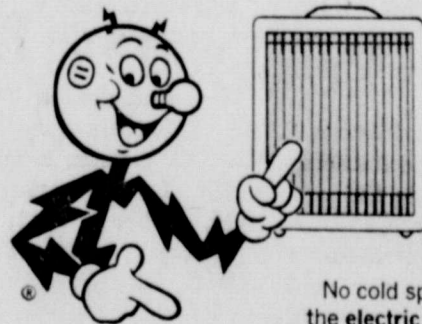
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By Mrs. Rocky Thompson

Injured in Viet Nam Word was received last Sunday by Mrs. Richard (Dick) Bell that her husband had been injured in Viet Nam. His mother, Mrs. J. R. Thompson of Blackwell, also received word of her son's injuries. He called Thursday night from Fort Ord, Calif., and said he would be flown to Fort Hood, Tex., last Friday for hospitaliza-

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tion. Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Thompson planned to go to Fort Hood.

Debbie Hipp of Midland is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Josie Hipp, and her great-grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Mae Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Younger of Sweetwater visited recently with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crain. Other visitors in the Crain home were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Crain of Maryneal; also Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Moore, Pat and Mike of Nolan.

Attending the Mission Friends school Tuesday were Michael and Robin Michaelis, Rhonda Gayle and Raydale Walls, Don and Angela Ware, Allison Allcorn, Deece Hindman, Jackie Sissom and Mmes. Jerry Ware and James L. Clark.

The WMU met at the Baptist Church Feb. 10. Mrs. James L. Clark presided and presented the Bible study. Others present were Mmes. Willie Burwick, E. K. Finley and Thelma Smith.

Bob Jordan, a patient in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo, is reported improving. Others ill include Mrs. Callie Branham, who is a patient in Bronte Hospital; Mrs. Ora Lackey in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene and Mrs. Marguerite Chapman is reported improved in a Sweetwater hospital.

RELATIVES HERE FOR HEGWOOD RITES

A large number of relatives were here last weekend to attend funeral services for Wayne Hegwood, 66, Saturday in Johnson's Funeral Home in San Angelo.

He was a brother of Mrs. J. W. Brown of Norton, Kans., and Mrs. Charlie Brown.

Visiting over the weekend in the Charlie Brown home were Mrs. J. W. Brown, Tom Green and William and Robert I. Brown of Tennyson; Mr. and Mrs. Budie Stewart of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman and Mr. and Mrs. Tug Boatright of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melvin Brown, Debbie and Miles; William Lee Brown of Fort Morgan, Colo.; and Mrs. A. V. Holden of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and Velda came by enroute to San Francisco, Calif., and also visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dyess. Mrs. A. C. Dyess went with them. They planned to visit points of interest along the route.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marshall were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomason and family and Miss Mary Carlson, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles of El Paso; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomason of Midland. Sunday visitors in the Marshall home were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Faubion of Ballinger.

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SPANISH SERVICE FRIDAY

There will be a service in Spanish Friday night at First Baptist Church. It will begin at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Runnels Baptist Association Youth Rally will also be held at First Baptist Church on Saturday night beginning at 7:30 p.m. Paul Hall, evangelist, and Joe Schoefield, song leader, both of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, will be in charge of the evening services.

On Monday night, the Runnels Baptist Association Music Festival will be hosted by First Baptist Church in Ballinger. The musical program starts at 7 p.m. A youth choir from Bronte will participate.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

I know all the readers of your paper know my position with reference to war and killing.

The Commandments say, "Thou shalt not kill," and since you all know I am plugging for Senator McGovern for the Presidency, may I emphasize the fact that had we had a McGovern for President the last two administrations, we would still have at home and alive the 36,000 dead, plus many more thousands maimed for life, plus the billions cost of carrying on a war that benefits no one but the profiteers. If we could convert this expense into savings, we could reduce the national debt instead of increasing it.

May God help us to see the light and vote for a man who will stop this craze for profit. Everyone knows that if you take the profit out, there would be no war. Furthermore, if you stop the war you will stop about 90 per cent of the crime that has involved our nation the last two administrations.

Just remember, when you kill, whether it's white, black or brown, it's some mother's son and he is as dear to her as your son is to you.

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The matter boils down to our being willing to pay a little to protect and improve this street and road improvement which began in 1954. Since that time we have invested over a half million dollars in paving. Isn't this investment worth protecting and preserving in the years ahead. We think that it is, particularly at the small cost it is now being offered to us — and we certainly can't see that it will get any cheaper. We urge all of our readers to use their good business sense and figure this matter along the lines of dollars and cents and cast their votes on Feb. 26 in favor of the bond issue.

In spite of the fact that this newspaper has cast its lot as being unalterably in favor of the bond issue, it is still (and will always be as long as the present management is in charge) an open forum for discussion of the issue. If there should be someone among the citizens of Coke County who is interested enough to stick his neck out, for or against the bond issue, we would be delighted to hear from you. We will be glad to publish your letter to the editor, but you will have to sign your name for us to publish it. However, we will withhold your name from the paper if you request it.

We think it would be extremely fine to hear from our readers—be they for or against the issue at hand—and we would like to compliment anybody in advance who will let us know how he feels about the bond issue election. We have stuck out our neck before during nearly 24 years of operating a newspaper in Coke County. Sometimes the exposed neck has been warmly embraced — and on occasion it has been chopped off

almost too close for survival. But we would like to hear from you, whether you agree with us or not.

It would also suit us fine if there might be among us persons who would like to spend a buck or two to run an advertisement, either for or against. We would be glad to take your money and present your views in next week's paper—which is the last one before the Feb. 26 election.

GOLSON, RAUGHTON —

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Mrs. Tom Green as election judge.

The board also purchased 12 acres of land from Valley West Estates at \$300 an acre. Barbee said the land will be available for any possible expansion of school facilities, such as construction of a track and tennis courts or possible relocation of the football field.

The board also discussed program changes, additional staffing and other matters. Both the school principals met with them and took part in the discussion.

JR. HIGH GIRLS WIN —

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Bronte and the game with 16 points. Nelson Coulter had 9; Chris Ward 6; Joe Bob Ragsdale 4; Kevin Gibbs, Tim Scott, Billy Lee, Craig Lee and Mark Lee, 2 each.

They lost their first game Saturday as Ballinger outscored them 52-21. Coalson again was high with 11; Scott made 6; Ragsdale and M. Lee made 2 each.

Playing for third place it was Bronte 47, Wingate 30. Coulter was high pointer with 13; Ward and B. Lee made 9 each; C. Lee and M. Lee had 3 each, and Coalson was responsible for 4.

This tourney closed the season for the team.

Pee Wees to Wingate

With the Pee Wee basketball tournament at Wingate this weekend, the basketball season will end at Bronte School. The fifth and sixth graders were scheduled to meet Miles Thursday afternoon with the girls playing at 5 p.m. and the boys at 6. Both teams will play again Saturday, regardless of whether they win or lose in the first round.

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GMA GIVES PROGRAM — The Girls Missionary Auxiliary was in charge of the program at Central Baptist Church last Sunday night. Taking part from left, were, Mrs. Carl Blair, sponsor, Barbara Dyess, Susan Geist, Tamara Chapman, Karla Pope, Karen Blair, Donna Scott, Shelly Geist and Carla Dyess. In front is Gail Stout, who was crown bearer.



CROWNED QUEEN — Karen Blair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blair, was crowned queen at last Sunday night's service at Central Baptist Church, presented by the GMA. She was escorted by Stephen Patterson, and Gail Stout, in front, was crown bearer. In the GMA program, the girls progressed through various steps. Completing maiden steps were Carla and Barbara Dyess, Tamara Chapman, Susan and Shelly Geist. Taking Lady in Waiting step were Tamara Chapman and Donna Scott. Karla Pope and Karen Blair took the Princess step and Karen Blair progressed on to Queen.

New Cattle Breed Introduced in Coke

Something new in the cattle industry was introduced recently into Coke County when Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson of Silver and Mrs. Marion Bassham and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Northcutt of Colorado purchased a cow and calf of Simmental breeding. The animals are located on the Jahew Jameson Ranch near Silver.

The ranchers plan to use the two animals as a basis for The Silver Simmental Association. The cow is half Simmental and half Hereford and her calf is three-quarters Simmental and one-quarter Hereford. The animals were purchased at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show for \$7,500.

Wilson said this week they are highly impressed with the good qualities of the Simmental blood line. He said they plan to use nothing but the best breeding stock to build their herd. Most breeding of the Simmental blood line is by artificial insemination, as there is a great demand for the animals as sires and very few have been admitted into this country. At the Fort Worth sale 12 purebred calves were sold, the highest going for \$40,500 and the average bringing \$24,000.

The Simmental breed is a native of Switzerland, where they make up more than 50 per cent of all cattle in the country. They have a reputation of high producers of meat and milk and have very docile dispositions. The cows mature at 1,450 to 1,800 pounds, while grown bulls weigh 2,400 to 2,800 pounds. A 1,200 pound steer can be produced in 12 to 14 months and average gain from birth to maturity averages 2.9 pounds per day.

Wilson said visitors are welcome to come by the ranch and see the new cattle.

An Old Fashion RECIPE

(Continuing this week are some items of interest from our 100 year old cookbook. We hope our readers are enjoying them.)

Mock-Turtle Soup

Clean and wash a calf's head, split it in two, save the brains, boil the head until tender in plenty of water; put a slice of fat ham, a bunch of parsley cut small, a sprig of thyme, two leeks cut small, six cloves, a teaspoonful of pepper, and three ounces of butter, into a stew pan, and fry them a nice brown; then add the water in which the head was boiled, cut the meat from the head in neat square pieces, and put them to the soup; add a pint of Madeira and one lemon sliced thin, and Cayenne pepper and salt to taste; let it simmer gently for two hours, then skim it clear and serve.

Make a forcemeat of the brains as follows: put them in a stew pan, pour hot water over, and set it over the fire for a few minutes, then take them up, chop them small, with a sprig of parsley, a saltspoonful of salt and pepper each, a tablespoonful of wheat flour, the same of butter, and one well-beaten egg; make it in small balls, and drop them in the soup fifteen minutes before it is taken from the fire; in making the balls, a little more flour may be necessary. Egg-balls may also be added.

To Keep Off Mosquitos

Rub exposed parts with kerosene. The odor is not noticed after a few minutes, and children especially are much relieved by its use.

Rules for Eating

While it is a fact of no unusual observation among intelligent physicians, that eating heartily and under bodily exhaustion, is not infrequently the cause of alarming and painful illness, and sometimes sudden death. These things being so, let every family make it a point to assemble around the table with kindly feelings—with a cheerful humor, and a courteous spirit; and let that member of it be sent from it in disgrace who presumes to mar the reunion by sullen silence, or impatient look, or angry tone, or complaining tongue. Eat ever in thankful gladness, or away with you to the kitchen, you "ill-tempered thing, that you are."

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Modgling spent from Sunday until Wednesday in Pampa visiting in the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowers, and with the Bowers' son and his wife.

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WSCS HAS MEETING

Methodist WSCS met last week with Mrs. M. Russell. Mrs. Henry Raney gave the program on "Africa." Refreshments were served to the 10 members who were present.

Ben Barnes Train Due Through Area

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes begins a three day "whistle stop" campaign tour in his campaign for Governor of Texas next Tuesday Feb. 22. He will be accompanied by his wife, Nancy, and Dallas Cowboy football stars, Bob Lilly, Walt Garrison and Dan Reeves, plus an entourage of news media representatives.

Barnes plans about 30 stops in the three days of train campaigning from Amarillo to Houston. The trip begins with a rally in the depot at Amarillo and ends with a Houston rally Feb. 24.

Area supporters of Barnes and everyone interested are invited to meet the train at its closest stops. The train will arrive in Snyder Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. for a 20 minute stop. Next stop in this area will be made at 3:30 p.m. in Sweetwater for 20 minutes. The train will arrive in Coleman at 5:15 p.m. for a 15 minute stop.

Barnes said, "We are going to take this campaign right to the people and discuss the issues with them where we can look them in the eye."

The train will be made up of four cars plus the engine, and along some parts of the route it will be the first passenger train to run in several years.

Overnight stops will be made in Brownwood, Temple and Houston.

An Enterprise Want Ad will sell it!

Cub Scouts Given Award for Display

Bronte Cub Scouts, Pack 425, received certificates of "proficiency" for their scouting anniversary month window displays downtown. Displays are set up in the windows of The Bronte Enterprise and West Texas Utilities Co.

Continuing their observance of the month, the Cubs are planning a Pinewood Derby next Thursday, Feb. 24, at 7 p.m. at the scout hall. They will race cars they have made. Prizes will be furnished by the Evening Lions Club and the public is invited to attend.

Den 1 last week had a review of the history of scouting and Mark Lee, den chief, led the Cubs in an enactment of "The Story and Dance of Baloo," Rudyard Kipling's book and record story.

In their meeting this week, they took good will items to the Bronte Nursing Home and conducted their meeting there. They presented the flag ceremony, the pledge and salute to the flag. Bruce James and John Hallamicek played the piano and the entire group sang "America." They were accompanied by Rev. Fred Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hallamicek and Mmes. J. W. Caudle and Buck James.

Other members of Den 1 are David Caudle, Ricky Alley, Kendall Gibbs, James Renfro, Martin Basquez, Fred Brown and Joey Lockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp have been in Lubbock this week where he has been attending a school for Justices of the Peace.

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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. John Early of San Angelo will preach at the 11 a.m. service Sunday at Maverick Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnson and Mrs. Dee Foster Sr. of Big Spring spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Holland. Other guests during the weekend were Eugene Clark of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. David Canfill of San Angelo and the Herbert Hollands. Clark and Mrs. Foster also visited in the Herbert Holland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith met their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Larry Saunders and Mike of Sterling City, in San Angelo Wednesday to help Mrs. Saunders celebrate her birthday. Weekend guests in the Smith home were Mrs. Marshall Benner and Barry of Munday. They were met here by another son, Terry Benner, a student at ASU. Barry left Monday for Army duty at Fort Polk, La. The Smiths went to San Angelo Sunday evening to visit a brother-in-law, Bethel Yoes, who was in the hospital and scheduled for surgery Monday.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ogilvy and Thomas were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lott and Steven of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rumsey of Sweetwater, Herbert Tiner of Odessa, Bill Tiner of ASU in San Angelo, Donna Spence of TCU in Fort Worth, Deanna Harris of Odessa and Bob Weatherby of San Angelo.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn of Miles and Gary Gleghorn of Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Mug Stephenson and Meta Kay of San Angelo visited them Sunday afternoon. On Monday night the Gleghorns attended a birthday party and supper for Yater Boatright on his 83rd birthday at the Doyle Gleghorn home in Miles.

The Vernie Smiths were hosts to the domino party Tuesday night, with the ladies winning games of 88. Present were Messrs. and

Mmes. Charlie Brown, Herbert Holland and Smith. The Browns will be hosts Feb. 22.

Mrs. Charlie Lee and her sister, Mrs. Annie McGregor, went to Odessa Sunday of last week to visit Mrs. Lee's granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David McDaniels. Their baby is seriously ill in the hospital there.

Bobby Fowler, student at Ranger College, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fowler and Billy.

Mrs. Ted Herrin, Susie and Betty and a friend, all of Fort Stockton, spent the weekend with Mrs. Ethel Morgan at Maverick. Mrs. Morgan returned home with them to spend the week.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Carlton were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Bomar Horton, Mrs. Grace Lee and Bailey Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomas and daughter of Bronte.

Mrs. Willard Caudle was dismissed from the Bronte Hospital one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Mug Stephenson and Meta Kay of San Angelo visited them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Holland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Morgan, in San Angelo Saturday night.

Gene Beard spent the weekend at home. The Beard family attended a sweetheart banquet at the Harris Ave. Baptist Church in San Angelo Friday night.

Hargrove-Ogilvy Wedding
Miss Jackie Sue Hargrove became the bride of Thomas Ogilvy in a ceremony Saturday night in Hillcrest Baptist Church in San Angelo. The Rev. Weldon Harris, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Hargrove of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ogilvy of the Brookshire community.

Wedding music was furnished by Miss Hattie Mae Dunlap, organist, and Miss Donna Spence, soloist.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Debbie Hargrove, sister-in-law of the bride. Bridesmaid was Miss Kathy Hargrove, the bride's sister.

Herbert Tiner of Odessa served as best man. Gary Hargrove

of San Angelo was groomsmen. Ushers were Bill Tiner of Odessa and Robert Emerson of San Angelo.

The bride wore a formal princess style gown with lace appliques trimming the bottom of the skirt, neckline and sleeves.

A reception followed in the Fellowship Hall of the church. In the houseparty were Mrs. Mike Lott of Dallas and Mrs. Jerry Rumsey of Sweetwater, sisters of the bridegroom, and Miss Julie Colton of San Angelo.

Mrs. Ogilvy is a graduate of San Angelo Central High School. He is a graduate of Odessa Permian High School and is a senior at Angelo State University. After a wedding trip to Clouderoft, N. M., they are living near Van Horn, where he also is engaged in ranching.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner in their home.

'69 STUDY CLUB MEMBERS HAVE VALENTINE DINNER

Members of the '69 Study Club and their husbands had a "dine and Dutch" Valentine party Monday night, Feb. 14, at the Bonanza Steak House in San Angelo.

After the meal, the group returned to the school lunchroom and had dessert of cherry pound cake, whipped cream, nuts, coffee and cold drinks. Hostess for the event was Mrs. Wayne Arrott. A drawing for the hostess gift followed.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Arrott, Bob Wrinkle, Louis Thornton, Bobby Hart, Glenn Skelton, J. O. Koenig, Jimmy Lee, Ed Forehand, Elroy Butler, Martin Lee, James Arnold Tidwell and Don Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn and Gene and Tony Mackey were in Austin last weekend where he attended a meeting of County Democratic Committee chairmen. An association of county chairmen was formed during the business sessions and the visitors were entertained with various social functions.

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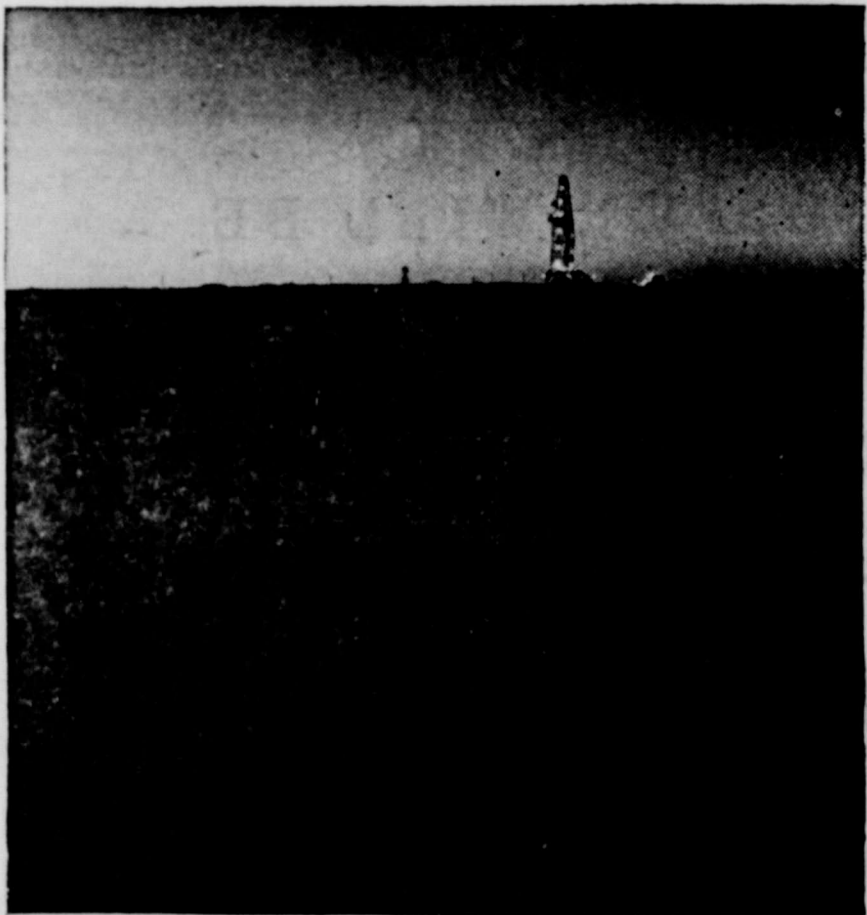
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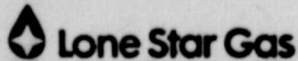
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WASHINGTON
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Washington — Probably a lot of people are becoming a little weary of hearing about the big hassle over congressional and legislative redistricting. Although the matter is settled for the time, we are bound to hear more about it in the future and, particularly, at the next regular session of the state legislature.

More strict reapportionment of congressional districts became necessary by a Supreme Court ruling in 1964. Frequently referred to as the "one man, one vote" ruling, its purpose was to make congressional districts more closely reflect the distribution of our national population. It was necessitated in part by the drastic shift of our population from rural to urban surroundings. Redistricting is the responsibility of state legislatures. They are responsible for maintaining the integrity and continuity of congressional districts. The Constitution of the United States provided a census every 10 years. The Supreme Court has told the states they must redistrict to reflect the "one man, one vote" ruling but, of course, there is no such thing as an exact proportion in every case. Even if a plan was "on the nose" today, it would be off next week. So what is "reasonable" should prevail. Our state legislature did a good job of reapportioning congressional districts in its last session but it did not suit a three-judge federal court in Dallas. Not only did they void the action of the legislature but "legislated" their own plan.

Senator Lloyd M. Bentsen expressed concern that the court's recent redistricting plan for Texas disturbed further than necessary the political institutions of the state than is required by the constitution. Acting as an amicus curiae (friend of the court) the senator requested the Supreme Court to stay a decision rendered by the three-judge federal court in Dallas. He expressed the thoughts of many that the power of redistricting should rest with the legislature as set forth in the constitution and not with federal courts.

Certainly, continuity of congressional districts was not maintained in the court's plan when it sliced Tarrant County and San Antonio in half; cut Knox, Haskell and Brown County in two and moved counties in and out of congressional districts with total dis-

regard for "community of interest" and other practical aspects involved.

The stay has been granted and the 1972 elections will be held in districts drawn by the legislature but what will happen when the Supreme Court reviews the case next fall is anybody's guess. I is highly likely, however, that the Legislature's plan will be maintained for another two years, allowing for consideration at its next regular session in 1973.

The stay has accomplished one thing — it has given all concerned time for rational and less hurried thinking on the matter — a necessity when it comes to reapportioning a state the size of Texas. It will give our legislature time to rework and, if possible, improve its plan to comply with the ruling handed down by the Federal court, which has assumed jurisdiction over it.

In all reasonableness, it appears that the districts as drawn by the legislature will remain until the regular session of the legislature when it may have to submit another for the court's approval, as distasteful as that is to those of us who feel our legislature is eminently qualified to carry out its responsibility for redistricting given it under the Constitution.

**H D Agent's
 News Dept.**

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

Take a hint from the Chinese. They've long known the benefits of serving rice.

Rice is an all around menu favorite. It's a leader in popularity and adds interest to a host of dishes.

Rice takes the award for eye appeal, whether served as a "scoop" or a "bed," in a fancy mold, shaped into a ring, as a border for flanked steak or as a casserole topper.

Rice is versatile, being equally at home whether prepared as an entree, vegetable, dessert or salad. Rice gets along superbly with meats, poultry, seafood and countless fruits and vegetables. Convenient, too, rice remains easy to use and store.

Buy long grain rice for salads, stews, curries, chicken, fish and meat dishes. But keep on hand plenty of short grain rice for puddings and dishes where the grains need to cling together.

Follow these tips for sure success in cooking rice:

1. Measure the amounts of rice and liquid used.
2. Time cooking accurately.
3. Keep cover "tight" during cooking to prevent loss of steam.
4. Fluff cooked rice with a fork or slotted spoon to allow steam to escape.

Food Briefs

BRUSSELS SPROUTS are the aristocrats of cabbages. These doll sized cabbages cook best in a covered pot with a minimum of

rapid boiling in salted water for eight to ten minutes. Look for hard or firm, compact and fresh Brussels sprouts of bright appearance with a good green color. Avoid puffy sprouts and those with wilted yellow leaves. The vegetable got its name because it was first grown on a large scale around Brussels, Belgium. It has remained in international markets since 1793. Brussels sprouts are highly nutritious, especially in vitamin C.

LOOKING FOR LOW CALORIE FOODS? Look in the fresh fruit and vegetable bins at your supermarket. Fruits and vegetables, both fresh and processed, provide only nine per cent of the calorie consumption in this country. So, it's smart to eat fresh fruits raw, without adding sugar, sauces or pastry, to maintain the original low calorie count of the fruits.

MANY FAMILIES today face the double dilemma of being squeezed for time and money. Chicken answers both problems. For speedy cooking, cut pieces such as the breast and thighs ahead of time. Cut the breasts in-

to nuggets and freeze in units just the right size for one dinner for your family. When needed, just saute them quickly in butter or margarine, or cook in a Chinese stir-fry with vegetables. Thighs cook quickly without cutting into pieces. As for economy, chicken is a great value even when you are paying a little more for meatier pieces such as breasts.

CALLING ALL COOKS! Got a new recipe for chicken? How about entering it in the National Chicken Cooking Contest sponsored by the National Broiler Council in conjunction with Ac'cent International, Inc., Best Food, a Division of CPC International, Inc., Wearever Aluminum, Inc., and Alcoa Wrap. A first prize of \$10,000 and a second prize of \$5,000 will be given among many others. State winners will have all expenses paid to Birmingham, Ala., for the national cook-off, plus a \$100 prize. Get your entry blank at your supermarket or send a self-addressed, stamped envelope, to National Chicken Cooking Contest, Suite 1100, 551 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10017.

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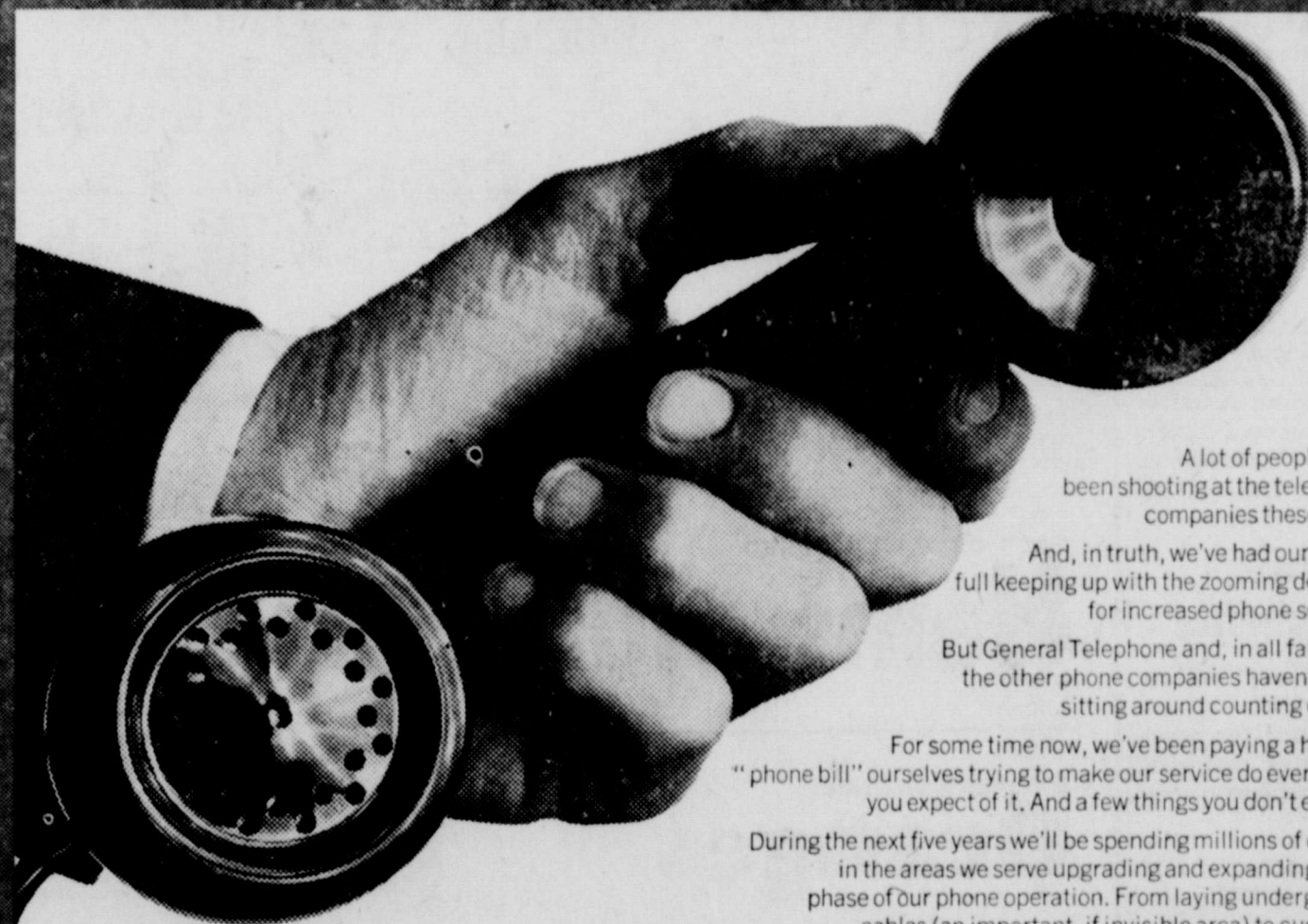
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By Susan Arrott

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Tom Benge of Millersview and Lewis Elliott visited Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott. J. B. Arrott and Wayne Arrott and Karen had dinner with them Saturday and celebrated Mr. Arrott's birthday. Last week the Arrotts visited the W. A. Smiths and Monroe Arrotts in Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Arrott at Orient.

The Roy Bakers visited in Eldorado with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker Jr. and in Christoval with Clyde Cockbern and Mrs. Cornelius, who are residents of the Golden Years Nursing Home.

The Robert Feil family of Fort Stockton visited the Leon McCarty and Bill Feils during the weekend. Luther Albrighton of Kerrville visited the McCarty's on Sunday and the Feils visited the W. Wuemlings at Grape Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wagner and children were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Foley of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCraig and Jeffrey of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright Tuesday. Mrs. Boatright attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary honoring Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vaughn in Bronte Sunday.

BROWNIES TO HAVE FIRST MEETING TUESDAY

An organizational meeting for a new Brownie Troop will be held Tuesday at First United Methodist Church. The meeting will be from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. and all first, second and third grade girls are invited to attend.

Interested persons have been working for some time in trying to get a Brownie Troop organized in Bronte. Mrs. Martin Lee and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale are troop leaders.

They said the troop is in need of outgrown and discarded Brownie uniforms and asked anybody who has them to call one of the leaders.

DIVERSITY CLUB HAS HEART MONTH PROGRAM

Mrs. Leslie Rolls was hostess for a meeting of the Diversity Club last Thursday night in the Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church.

Mrs. C. E. Clark presented the program emphasizing National Heart Month.

A refreshment plate was served to Mes. Collins Sayner, Otis Smith, D. K. Glenn, H. M. Kirkland, Charles Ragsdale, James Allen, Clark and Rolls.

Earl F. Glenn, president of First National Bank in Bronte, attended a school on banking at Texas A&M University the first of this week.

African Student Methodist Speaker

Josh Owusu, athlete from Ghana, Africa, and a student at Angelo State University, will be the guest speaker during the morning worship hour Sunday at First Methodist Church.

Owusu set an Astrodome record last weekend in a winning jump of 25 feet, 9 inches in the long jump competition at the fourth annual Astrodome-Federation Indoor Track Meet. The old record was 24.7.

Owusu is also the defending champion in the high jump in the Astrodome with a 6-8 last year, and in the triple jump. He did not enter the high jump last weekend and there was no triple jump event. He was also a member of the Rams' mile relay team.

Methodist pastor, the Rev. Fred Brown, said the public is cordially invited to hear this young Methodist and the service will begin at 11 a.m.

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