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Bronte-School-News

PLAY TO BE PRESENTED

The Junior class is presenting "The Linkers," March 19.

Although it is a modern comedy its inception grew out of a study of the Life of St. Francis of Assisi. It is not a historical play about St. Francis but rather the spirit of that noble life is put into a modern setting. Laughter and sorrow prevail throughout the play. Come and see if you have gone through the same struggles this family is going through.

The cast is as follows
 David Whitney, Johnnie Clapp.
 Jack Whitney, Jack Chisholm.
 Ethie Whitney, his wife
 Ruby Eubanks.
 Marjorie Whitney, his daughter
 Lorraine Crimm.
 Jeremy Whitney, his brother
 Joe Lee.
 Jane Seymour
 Vanna Ruth Caperton.
 Tinker, Morton Caudle.

The intermediate grades are enjoying the new music recordings.

The Choral Club is putting on the polishing effects in anticipation of winning a place in the county meet.

The interscholastic league work is well under way in all departments.

The Sanco boys and girls playground ball teams were defeated by the local teams Monday afternoon.

SELLS FARM; LEASES

Oran Keese has sold his 320 farm, two miles north of town to Sam Gray.

Mr. Keese has leased the W. W. Wiygle place four miles east of Bronte. Mr. Keese wanted more pasturage for his sheep.

METHODIST WOMEN MEET

Mrs. S. A. Kiker was hostess Monday afternoon to the Methodist Missionary Society.

The regular monthly program began with a devotional by Mrs. Floyd Bridges.

Mrs. B. E. Modgling gave a talk on "Spiritual Life and Message." Stewardship numbers were given by Mrs. S. A. Kiker and Mrs. T. C. Price. "David Livingstone in the Jungles of Africa" was given by Mrs. Jess Percifull and Mrs. Crume.

Besides those on the program the hostess served refreshments to Meses O. W. Chapman, Milton Wylie, Fred McDonald and two visitors, Meses. Walter Phillips and McCleskey.

ENROLLMENT FOR CCC

According to C. J. Sweeney, Administrator for the Texas Relief Commission at Abilene, word has been received that there will be an enrollment the first of April for youths for CCC Camps.

"The same requirements of eligibility as formerly are in force, i. e., the applicant must distance from some government be from a family receiving assistance, and between the ages of 17 and 29, and able to pass a physical examination." Mr. Sweeney further stated, "Actual quotas have not been established, and will not be until an accurate estimate can be made of the number of boys available. Consequently, all those who desire to go at the next enrollment should immediately call at their county welfare office and make application."

The present session of Congress has appropriated funds for continuing the CCC program for several months, and there is of the President's major program no doubt that it will remain one of the nation's. Those boys who apply themselves will receive promotion and increases in pay that able to earn in private employment.

P. T. A. MEETS

The Parent Teachers Association met in regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.

A short program was given by the intermediate grade pupils after which Rev. J. H. Thompson gave a devotional.

"Does Cooperation Count in Character Growth?" was discussed by Mrs. Milton Wylie.

After the business session the intermediate teachers were hostesses to those in attendance, being assisted by the home economics girls who served refreshments from a lace laid table centered with an imitation grass plat around and over which was scattered peach blossoms and tiny easter eggs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson of Ballinger attended the Workers meeting of the Runnels County Baptist Association, in Bronte, at the Baptist church, Bronte, Tuesday at the Baptist church, throughout the day. Mr. Patterson gave The Enterprise a brief but most pleasant call. It was Mr. Patterson's first visit to Bronte and he expressed himself as pleased with the appearance of Bronte everywhere. All right, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, if you choose to come to Bronte to make your home, come right on—you will be "welcome as the flowers in May," for, there's 'lots o' room for all of your kind in this fine, little town.

LOCAL SCOUTS ARE IN SCOUT CIRCUS

Last Friday afternoon Mr. Waldo B. Fletcher, scoutmaster, and Mr. O. C. Brinell, assistant scoutmaster, took the following scouts: J. P. Lambert, Robert Brunson, Carl Best, Archie Pittman, Bobbie Modgling, Orbie Ray Kiker and Jay Brock to San Angelo to participate in the Scout Circus.

Over three hundred scouts participated in the circus. The events were all very fine but the First Aid and Pioneering and Communications. The Settings for the First Aid demonstration followed an electrical storm in which a number of people were injured. The scouts bandaged the broken limbs and cuts and on improvised stretchers of poles and scout shirts of their own making the scouts carried the injured off to get medical attention.

In the Pioneering exhibit two flag towers approximately 15 feet high were converted on the stage into a bridge holding ten boys and were made of small logs.

The Communications demonstration traced its history from the time of the pantheon runner to the radio and airplane. The telephone system on a miniature scale was set up, model airplanes and radio signalings with flags, Indian signs, wireless the two crier and postman on horse back, and every other conceivable method of communication was on the stage at once.

Twice during the evening the Grand Entry and Finale, all the participants were on the stage at once and with the slogan of the circus, "One Out of every four male citizens a Scout" made a very impressive picture as to the value of Scouting, as the boys pronounced the Scout Benediction.

Troop 52 invites all boys between the ages of 12 and 19 to participate in Scouting. There is the Explorer and Sea Scouting for boys 15 and over in turn to aid in seeking the training the boy wants. Then all boys between 12 and 15 enter the Main Troop for Scout Work in general. The boys between 9 and 12 enter in the work as cubs and form packs, their guidance comes mainly from their parents. This is the ten year program of scouting which is

COTTON CHECKS RECEIVED

47 of the Coke County cotton checks were received in the County Agent's office, March 10, amounting to \$5,937.54. We are expecting the rest within a short time.

Please do not call at the County Agent's office until you receive a card stating that your check has been received.

H. E. Smith,
County Agent.

BACKWARD, TURN BACKWARD

The Senior Prep Baptist Young People's Union enjoyed a gala evening of entertainment, Monday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Stuckey.

The idea of doing everything backward was well carried out as the guests parked their cars in the back yard, entered the back door dressed with clothes on back part in front, and seated themselves facing the walls with backs turned towards each other.

Much fun was manifested as the guests walked and ran backward in playing games.

A time of hilarity was enjoyed as refreshments were served.

Those present for the backward affair were: Misses Dorothy Ruth Wylie, Mary Ruth Youngblood, Goldie Gray, Nona Caudle, Claretta and Inella Bruton, Katherine Whitt, Mozelle Higginbotham, Easter Walls, Alma Jane Cumbie, Bernice Louzelle Brock, Winnie D. Modgling, Wanda and Ronda Muston, Marjorie Percifull, Clementina Parker, Mary Lee and Delilah Phillips, Hortense Pruitt, Anna Mae Abbott, Vanna Ruth Caperton, Ruby Eubanks, Laverne Gaines; Messrs. Noel and Dean Percifull, Elbert Stephenson, John Abe Myers, Junior Cumbie, Edward Cumbie, Winston Modgling, Bobbie Modgling, Vernon Muston, E. H. Ivey, R. T. Caperton, Billie C. Baker, Earl Frank Glenn and Jack Chisholm.

Editor's note: In keeping with this "backward affair" The Enterprise did not print this item last week, due to lack of space, which we regret.

being referred to so often and which the Council is trying to put into practice. The cooperation of the parents and business men is greatly appreciated.

KEYES-McCUTCHEN

Saturday evening, March 6, 1937, at six o'clock, in San Angelo, Rev. B. O. Wood officiating, Benjamin Keyes and Miss Oda Lee McCutchen were united in marriage.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCutchen of Robert Lee, and is one of Coke county's fairest and most gracious young women. Cultured and capable, she is eminently fitted to be the companion of the one to whom she has given herself in marriage.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Keyes of Bronte.

Born and reared here, everybody knows "Jack," as he is called by all. He was educated in the Bronte school, being a member of the 1935 graduating class. Since finishing school, Mr. Keyes has been engaged in the livestock business on the ranch a few miles southwest of Bronte.

The marriage of these two fine young people bring together two of the earliest pioneer families of this part of West Texas. Their grandfathers were close and intimate friends.

The Enterprise joins the many friends of these happy young people in wishing them bon voyage as they set sail upon the seas of life together.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS MEET IN REGULAR SESSION

The Camp Fire Girls under the sponsorship of Miss Helen Myers met Tuesday afternoon for the following program:

Camp Fire Ideals—Mary Joe Robbins.

Ideas of Camp Fire—Betty Joe Glenn.

History of Honor System—Alma Jane Cumbie.

TWO MARRIAGES

Saturday afternoon, March 6, 1937, Justice H. M. Robinson officiating, Mr. C. L. Hallmark and Miss Billie Ray Havens, both of Robert Lee, were united in marriage.

Some time in the night, Saturday, March 6, 1937, Justice H. M. Robinson was awakened from his peaceful slumbers and united in marriage Mr. Jodie Van Zandt and Miss Vernell McCurdy, both of Fort Chadbourne.

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THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

D. M. WEST
Publisher-Manager

"UNCLE BILL" ON "DRINKING AND DRIVING"

"If you drink, don't drive; if you drive, don't drink. A new proposed law is going to make it mighty hard for the drunken driver. When convicted, it will be jail or the pen for him. He can't pay out with his money."—"Uncle Bill" Kellis in the Sterling City News-Record.

Now, that is a strange, strange deliverance, coming as it does from "Uncle Bill" Kellis, one of the most ultra legal liquor advocates, in the campaign to repeal the eighteenth amendment and make this country "wet as the Atlantic," again, according to one of the wet propagandists of national repute, who was a "democrat," and whose fortunes "Uncle Bill" followed until the man in question repudiated the democratic party.

In the first place, the above is one of the most ultra pro deliverances we have yet read. It says, conditionally, that a man shall not drink—now, "Uncle Bill," much as you have despised sumptuary laws, and have said that no law should tell you what you shall eat or drink, what is this you now advocate, namely: "if you drive you shall not drink?"

But, be it sumptuary or not, be it regarded as abridgment of men's individual rights or not, the law you are advocating, "Uncle Bill," is wholesome and good—for, there are others who have rights, the same as the man who claims the right to drink intoxicating liquor. And one of those rights of others is to be protected against the man who reserves the right to drink liquor. You recall, of course, "Uncle Bill," that with the repeal of the eighteenth amendment, thus giving the liquor business the respectability of legal sanction, it was argued by legal liquor advocates that it was too harsh and cruel to send a man to the penitentiary for making and selling liquor illegally. But, now, since we have had a year or two of experience with legal liquor, we are finding it so intolerable, that there is agitation, now, to send a man to the penitentiary, should he take a drink, get in his car and go out and get caught—right are you, "Uncle Bill"—that kind of a law really "has teeth in it." But, not more so than it should have.

And, I come now to say the two things I want to say in this article:

First, it must be clearly demonstrated to you by this time, "Uncle Bill," and the other clean, sincere antis who conscientiously believed that the return of legal liquor would be a panacea for all the evils that liquor has brought upon the land—that with the return of liquor to the respectability of a legal status, "eutopia" would come, and there would be no more bootleggers and no more drunkards—that by restoring liquor to a legal status and let the eating places of the country become the dispensers of intoxicating liquor, and not have the "awful" (?) saloons any more and let the young girls of the land take the places of the white-aproned, "bay-windowed" bartenders, there absolutely would never be another evil sentiment or influence emanate from the liquor business. Many of your leaders, "Uncle Bill," fed the younger part of the voting populace that kind of pabulum, and many of those who were not old enough to remember what a curse the whole liquor business is, whether legal or illegal, believed and voted for the return of liquor to legal respectability, thus letting this great country, whose people boast and glory in "Old Glory" take the place of the bootlegger and manufacture the accursed stuff, the effects of which are so dangerous that the same power that now makes the deadly potion says to its citizenry: "If you even drink the deadly and dangerous liquor we distill, and get out and raise your head among your fellows, provided we catch you, straight to the penitentiary, we will send you." Then, too, back in those days, you recall, "Uncle Bill," there was the search and seizure law, by which officers could search the premises of a man if the officers had reason to believe that liquor was being sold thereon. What a cry went up, all over the land! And under the plea that "a man's home is his castle," and hence should not be invaded without legal warrant, the law was repealed. But, now, since we have given liquor legal sanction and respectability, we find its effects upon society so vitiating and hurtful, we have reinstated the search and seizure law. As you well know, "Uncle Bill," not a single good thing, you honest antis believed and promised has come true—but instead the conditions everywhere have grown more dangerous and more revolting in their moral aspects until the situation is intolerable. One of our exchanges in its last week's issue says: "The liquor business is always an outlaw, and no matter how generous laws are made, it will break them. The National Administration four years ago stated that if we had repeal, and men could get liquor legally when they wanted it, there would be no drunkenness bootlegging, and lawlessness, yet all these 'eliminated vices' have increased 100 fold."

The next thing I have wanted to say in this article is that the permanent abolition of the whole liquor business in this country is as certain as as that day comes after the night. It may not come due to the spiritual or moral bad effects of liquor. A man may be Christian or infidel, Jew or gentile, Catholic or protestant—none of these things necessarily will have a bearing on the question. But, under the conditions of modern life that obtain, purely the economic aspect of liquor will necessarily force the people of this republic to abandon the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage. And such men as you, "Uncle Bill," and other fearless editors of the smaller country newspapers, and the smaller dailies who will not sell themselves for the "tainted money" of liquor-makers, are going to be the ones who lead in this fight for economic freedom from a national blight in which even economically there is nothing but "evil and evil continually."

Take a "soda pop" on us, "Uncle Bill" and "go after them."

THE NORTH NORTON SCHOOL CHUM

NEWS BRIEFS

All Interscholastic Contestants Named

All contestants to represent the North Norton School have been selected and final preparations are being made for attendance at the Runnels County interscholastic Meet to be held at Winters Friday and Saturday March 12 and 13.

On Friday, tennis and all literary events are scheduled. Representing North Norton in tennis activities are Alvis Leonard, junior boys' singles; Mitchell Robinson and David Gulley, junior boys' doubles; Georgia Faye Henry and Francis Bryan junior girls' doubles.

Literary contestants are Calvin Bryan, story-telling; Wilma Louise Watkins and Merrill Herring 4th and 5th spelling; Alvis Leonard and Milford Henry, 6th and 7th spelling; Georgia Faye Henry, ready writing; Coy McNeill, junior boys' declamation; Georgia Faye Henry, junior girls' declamation Alvis Leonard and Milford Henry, Three-R.

On Saturday, March 13, the school will be represented in junior boys' playground ball by Milford Henry, Alvis Leonard, L. C. Underwood, Mitchell Robinson, Coy McNeill, David Gulley, James Leonard, Weldon Wade, Curtis Ray, J. B. Murphy and Weldon Lee Henry.

School Wins Baseball and Loses Tennis Matches.

The North Norton School divided victories with the Oak Creek School in playground ball and tennis matches conducted on the fields of the latter on Tuesday afternoon, March 2.

The Norton playground team defeated the Oak Creek players in a score of 14-9. Batteries for the victors were Leonard and Gulley. Leonard scored a home run on three base hits. Other outstanding batters for North Norton were C. R. Wade, W. W. Wade, Henry, Bryaan and McNeill.

Alvis Leonard lost the singles match in tennis to the Oak Creek netter in two sets. Georgia Faye Henry and Francis Bryan were defeated by the Oak Creek girls in two sets of 6-3; 9-7.

Athletics Matches Scheduled

Tennis fans in the community will be given opportunity the coming week to witness a return tilt between Oak Creek and North Norton tennis teams on Tuesday on the local court.

Tentative plans are made by the North Norton playground ball team to return a game at Norton on Monday or Wednesday of the week.

Lets Get Acquainted

We present the "five little boys," a "quint" of third graders:

Billie Jean Leonard, a frail but industrious lad, vies for scholastic honors. Billie Jean wants to be a "mechanic" some day.

Calvin Bryan is another "pride" of the teachers. He has the talent for good conversation, and he watches his English! He, like many other young West Texans, thinks "El Rancho Grande" presents the "life" for him.

Jon Kirksey McNeill has attractive brown eyes which "sparkle with mischief" at times. Jon is quick-witted and lively; he thinks life on the farm is desirable.

Robert Condra is the quiet boy in the class. He likes to be friends with everyone, and is very sensitive to criticism. Play-

ground ball is a favorite past-time for Robert.

Wade Wilson is the "blue eyed" lad of the group. Wade is a good ball player and a "good sport."

What Would Happen If—

David Gulley went on a "sit-down" strike?

Alvis Leonard got too hoarse to talk?

Georgia Faye Henry did not know the lesson?

Coy McNeill remembered the assignment?

Curtis Ray Wade forgot to smile?

Merrill Herring agreed with the girls?

Herbert Martin got angry?

Mitchell Robinson learned to

MAVERICK

Everyone has been busy this week preparing for the County Interscholastic Meet which is to be held at Winters March 12-13. We had the tryouts in the literary events. The following will represent our school in literary events—declamation, Ernest McAulay, Cowan Hutton, Melba Davis and Margaret Cowan; music memory: Marion Landers, (Continued on page three)

like arithmetic?
Myrtice Little could not write letters?

Onita Faye Wilson lost her sunny disposition?

The postman failed to bring mail to the teachers?

Marlyn Henry lost all "his girls?"

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MORE SCHOOL NEWS

Johnny Bryant, Annie Louise Borders and Earstest MacAulay; picture meory: Dorothy Todd, John Anna Cowan and Billie Burson; spelling: Annie Louise Borders, Earnestine McAulay, Dorothy Todd, Billie Gene Burson, Fredna Tannehill, and Marie Landers; story-telling: Lavere Lee.

Monday, March 1, 1937 the Maverick tennis players went to Oak Creek. The players were Earnest MacAulay and Ralph Todd for doubles, and Jack Lee for singles. The girls were Annie Lois Borders, Agnes Buckelew and Imogene Hutton. Earnest MacAulay and Ralph Todd defeated the Oak Creek tennis team and Jack Lee defeated the Oak Creek single player; Agnes Buckelew and Annie Lois Borders defeated the Oak Creek girls in tennis doubles and Imogene Hutton lost to the Oak Creek single player.

Mazeland boys' and girls' baseball teams came down Monday. The Maverick boys won 16-4. The Maverick girls were defeated, the score being 19-15. Maverick boys' and girls' baseball teams went to Pumphrey Wednesday. The boys' played a nice game. The score was 3-1 in favor of Pumphrey. The Maverick girls beat the

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Pumphrey girls by a score of 17-14.

Chapel Program

Friday afternoon the choral club and rhythm band gave a short program at chapel. The students all enjoyed our program and hope that they will repeat this often.

Here and There

The Church of Christ women gave a "sunshine bag" to Mrs. Farris of Maverick, February 28. Mrs. Farris has been confined to her bed for several months. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Leora Todd has been visiting relatives in Ballinger the last few days.

Raymond Lee, a pupil in the the Maverick High school, has been confined to his bed for several days. He has double pneumonia. We hope he may soon be back in school.

Mrs. Tunnel has returned from a visit to relatives in Dallas and Belton.

The children of Mrs. J. L. Lee Sr., who is still seriously ill, have been in the community the past few days.

The entertainment of the Parent Teachers' Association was postponed because of the illness of Mrs. Lee.

The weather has been so bad

this week that a number of our pupils has been kept from school.

The Freshman class will edit the paper next week.

WILMETH

School News

The following students that made the honor roll at the end of the fifth month ending February 26 are:

- Virgie Low—1st grade.
- Jane Casey—1st grade.
- Geraldine Prichard—2nd grade.
- Dan T. Overman—3rd grade.
- Sadie Ray Proctor—3rd grade.
- Betty Ruth Barker—3rd grade.
- Beulah Ann Smith—4th grade.
- Charlie Smith—6th grade.
- James Ballew—7th grade.

The school bus was unable to make its route Thursday; however it made the route Friday morning but did not return Friday afternoon.

Our tennis teams of Mazeland are looking forward to a success in the county meet at Winters Friday. The doubles is composed of Audra V. Ballew and Willie Cleo Drake. The single team is Edith Ruth Durham.

The girls and boys team is entering the county meet Saturday. The ball teams are smaller this year than they were last year, but they are looking forward with great pride, and are hoping they make a great success.

We also have the following entries in the county meet—jun-

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- o GEO. T. WILSON o
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ior declamation, spelling, number sense, and story-telling.

Group pictures were made of Mazeland School last week. Everyone is enjoying the pictures very much, especially the ball teams.

Community News

Rev. Hubert Crain filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday. A large crowd attended the evening service.

Mrs. Ellen Condra visited her brother in Bronte Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Ballew and daughter Lillian, Audra V. Ballew, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wheeler spent Sunday in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Joel Bulsterbaum.

Don Lewis, in the home of Mrs. Ellen Condra, has been seriously ill with the flu.

Tommy Jo Gooch spent Saturday night with Dorothy Turner.

Principal A. G. Koenig went on a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Condra visited relatives in Blackwell, Saturday.

Miss Kate Barker attended the Fat Stock Show in San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. King Barker attended the Fat Stock Show in (Continued on last page)

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MORE SCHOOL NEWS
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San Angelo Sunday.

Frankie Berryman spent Sunday with Harold Boozer at Ovalla.

W. E. Horton, Dug Stum and Norris Anderson attended the Fat Stock Show and rodeo at San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rampy

is to be wholly a sophomore affair. The class is being directed in its activities by Miss Gladys Lehman.

Try Out Held in Ready Writing

The tryout in ready writing was held Friday. Those competing were: Shiela Nix, Estelle Willis and Elizabeth Clifton, high school; Elva Joyce Fickling, Wanda Zel Hambricht and

held this last week covering a period of three days. The team will be: Edna Compton, Laura Stuckey, Leta Lewis, Jessie Gulley, Marie Nix, and Doris Phillips. The substitutes are Louelle Morgan, Bernice Rutherford and Thelma Ferguson. Miss Pearl Locke is the coach.

Juniors to Present Another Play

The junior class will present another play, entitled "The Wild Oat's Boy" on Friday night, March 26, 1937. Mr. A. C. McGlatbery is directing the play and the cast consists of 13 characters.

Extempore Speakers Have Try Out

The students entering in extemporaneous speech held a try out Monday morning. Speakers were: girls—Vesta Stewart and Jenna V. Setser; boys—Cecil Ash and Luther Smith, Jr. Jenna V. Setser won in the girls' division and Cecil Ash in the boys' division. Miss Gladys Lehman coaches this event.

Mazeland, Norton Teams Play

The Mazeland and Norton grade school boys and the Mazeland and Norton grade school girls played playground baseball at Mazeland Tuesday. The Norton boys won by scores of 7-5 while the Mazeland girls won by 13-12.

Norton and Miles to Play

The tennis, soft ball, volley ball teams of Norton will engage in their respective games Wednesday afternoon at Miles. Both girls' and boys' teams are expecting to go.

Those Dignified Seniors

Jessie Ama Gulley has attended Norton High School four years. She has been a pep squad member for two years. Last year she debated with Jean Mitchell and sang in the choral club. She also played singles in tennis and won in the Centennial Chorus singing. Jessie had the highest voice range of any of the girls entering and is liked by all. She lives about on a half mile from the North Norton school house.

J. D. Kevil has attended Norton Hi all of his high school days. J. D. is the smallest person in the senior class. It is said that he slipped away from the crowd at a theatre party once, returning a few minutes later to get in for a dime while the rest of the group had to pay the adult price. J. D. is liked by all in spite of his smallness and his nick name, "Pee Wee." He lives near Marie.

"BROOKSHIER BEEHIVE"

Rev. Harwell James of this community held the religious services Sunday morning in the Brookshier Baptist church. The night services were conducted by Rev. Ernest Cox.

Report cards of the Brookshier School were issued last Wednesday. Those on the Honor Roll for the fifth month (making an average of 90 or more) were: First grade—Delma Cothran, Louella Dean, Billie Joe Eldred. Those in the upper grades, Odell Cothran and Laverne Dean made the two

highest averages, 87 and 84 1-2 respectively.

Mrs. J. P. Duffy was a visitor in San Angelo Monday. A successful rabbit drive was conducted throughout this district Tuesday of this week. Dalton Duffy visited in San Angelo Monday.

OAK CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. D. Palmertree visited in the home of G. W. Palmertree and mother Sunday. Eleanor Phillips and Bob Vaughn are the only pupils who have not missed a day from school. They are trying not to miss a day. The one who wins will receive a prize at the end of school.

Mrs. L. L. Ballew visited Mrs. Marvin Phillips Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. W. Turner of Norton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark, Saturday.

Gray McKown of Oak Creek visited in the home of Mrs. W. F. McKown Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tubbs and children were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tubbs of Wilmeth Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Turley went to Bronte Sunday.

The Hyder children were absent from school the latter part of last week—but they are back in school now.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lockett shopped in Winters Saturday.

Jim Adair and family from near Bronte visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rutherford Sunday.

Rev. Smith, the Methodist minister, preached at Oak Creek Sunday afternoon.

Lola Joe Gooch and Dorothy Turner who live at Wilmeth visited Oak Creek friends Sunday. The Bahlman boys and the Tubbs girls did not attend school Friday on account of the rain.

Mrs. W. M. Tubbs and children spent Saturday night with

TEXAS THEATRE
BRONTE, TEXAS

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
March 12-13

"LITTLE MISS MARKER"
(Re-issue of a Blue Ribbon winner.)

EXTRA! Buck Jones in
"THE PHANTOM RIDER"
(New Serial—also Comedy)

Tuesday Only
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With Edmond Lowe, Gloria Stuart, Reginald Owen.
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ALAMO THEATRE,
Robert Lee, Texas

Sunday & Monday March 14-15
"WINTERSET"

Wednesday March 17
Bank Night

"Laurel and Hardy"
in
"OUR RELATIONS"

W. H. Maxwell is recovering from a serious spell of illness. Mr. Maxwell spent a time in a sanitarium at Santa Anna.

DOG STRAYED OR STOLEN

From my home last Monday, a black female bull, with a white streak on her nose. Any information about this dog will be appreciated.

Mrs. M. A. Scott.

Attention, Poultry Raisers

See Hudman's Feed Store, Bronte, for Eggstractor. Guaranteed to eliminate all worms, all external parasites, double

CLAY BUILDING MATERIAL COMP'NY.

904 Hutchinson Avenue

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This progressive Lumber Company of Ballinger has maintained an excellent business because of their most satisfactory service. People throughout this section have learned that this company can fill their every need in the lumber field at fair prices.

All their building materials are of selected quality, guaranteeing the customers the greatest of values.

The management of this concern has been in the lumber business for many years and knows it from every angle. They have established an enviable reputation throughout a large territory

because of their willingness to answer questions and generally aid all who come to them for advice.

Their honesty and fair dealings with their patrons has become a tradition in this section.

We extend our sincerest compliments to them on the excellent products which they handle, and the high esteem in which they are held by all who know them. Make this concern your

headquarters for all kinds of high quality building materials, at prices which are most reasonable, whether your order be large or small.

spent the week end at Cross Plains.

W. E. Horton and Norris Anderson spent two days on the Concho river fishing this week.

"STRAWS FROM THE EAGLE'S NEST"

School Press Officials Named

The sophomore class named the officials for their high school paper, "The Hi School Static" in a press conference meeting. Clifton, Editor-in-Chief; A da

Barbara Turner, ward school.

The winner in high school was Elizabeth Clifton. The grade school winner was Barbara Turner. Miss Gladys Lehman is the instructor for this contest and the themes were judged by Mrs. W. E. Elkins.

Debaters at Work

The debate teams for the interscholastic league question are busy with their final preparation for the county meet. The girls' team is Jean Mitchell and Jessie Gulley; the boys' are Ad-

SWEETWATER HATCHERY

End of W. 4th St. Phone 2722 Sweetwater
ALL POULTRY SOLD IS BLOOD-TESTED

Having satisfactorily served many of our readers for years and being an excellent institution, they deserve the good will and patronage of all our readers.

They use the latest of improved incubators and have supplied thousands of healthy chicks to people all over the surrounding territory. Their wide experience in this important business has made their hatchery known to poultrymen as a most reliable place to order baby chicks. Their chicks are sturdy and full of pep and those who purchase from them invariably re-order from this hatchery when they are in the market again.

Visitors are always welcome

and the management is never too busy to show you through the hatchery, answering questions and giving information that will be of much value to you. Prompt attention is always given to orders through the mail or telephone.

Custom hatching of chicks is given careful attention at prices that has built up a large and satisfied patronage in this department.

It affords us pleasure to refer this hatchery to our readers, and after a purchase from them you will be convinced that chicks from the Sweetwater Hatchery are of the highest value.

The officials are: Elizabeth Patton, Associate Editor; Jack Compton, Sports Editor; Imogene Taylor, Jokes Editor; Ella Mae Jennings, Society Editor; Phyllis Roper, Poetry Editor; James Sanders, Comics; Mary F. Tackett, Art Editor; Joan Conger, Advertisements.

The first issue will be released one day this week. The paper

riel Crockett and Bill Morgan. Mr. W. E. Elkins is debate coach and the question is: "Resolved that the Manufacture of Munitions Should Be a Government Monopoly."

Try Out Held in Volley Ball

A tryout in volley ball was

SCOTT WRECKING COMPANY

West Broadway Phone 2371 Sweetwater

This well known establishment is one of the most progressive in this territory, and has saved its patrons many a dollar.

One of the outstanding features of their business is the carrying of a large line of used parts and tires for all makes and models of cars. No matter what you want in this line, this firm will have it. They save you considerable money on any purchase and often times the part you buy will be just as good as new. This also saves sending to the factory for parts which is often necessary when purchasing as to parts for an old model car.

Such is the type of business

the Scott Wrecking Company conducts and their honest dealings have brought them an ever increasing business from the surrounding country.

The Scott Wrecking Company is also headquarters for autoists for many miles around, who wish a first class paint job on their car at a very reasonable price.

They also do body and fender work and if you have had the misfortune of damaging your car in a wreck, just call 2371, Sweetwater or bring your car to them and they will put it in first class condition for you at a fair price.

Mansell Bros. Hardware Company

John Deere Implements, Tractors, Combines, Grain Binders

Here you will find the greatest of values in Farm Implements and now is the logical time to make your purchases. Prices are the lowest they have been in years. Their complete line of John Deere Implements, Tractors, Combines and Grain Binders need no recommendation from us as they have been serving the farmers needs for many years and have proved them-

selves among the best to be had on the market.

By being fair in all their business dealings, and giving the best of service to all their customers, this firm has built up a large business throughout this part of the state. Their interest in you does not end with a sale as their line of implements carry a guarantee of satisfaction to the customer. A com-

plete line of repairs for all the farmers' needs are either carried in stock or can be obtained for you on short notice.

The manager of this concern has gained much favor with the people of this section because of his pleasant and honest business methods. This firm invites you to call on them when in Ballinger and talk over your needs with them.

L. L. Massey 4tpd.