

THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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No. 32

Rawlings Well Produces 74 Barrels in Official Test

Bronte's oil well, the Hickok & Reynolds, Inc. and Dan Auld No. 1 E. C. Rawlings, made 74 barrels of oil on an official test the first of the week. The well was perforated at 4,370 to 4,390 feet in the Palo Pinto lime for the production.

The Rawlings well was put on the pump Sunday after several days of swabbing. It made 40 to 45 barrels per day on the swab, and showed considerable increase on the pump.

Unofficial reports say that two off-sets to the Rawlings well will be started in the next few days. One will be drilled by American Republic on Jess Percifull's land, just north of the Rawlings land. The other will be on the Hickman land, between the Rawlings land and town. It will be drilled by Humble.

Sun Oil Co. No. 7 Mathers was drilling at 6,217 feet in lime.

Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Millican drilling in cement in a sidetracked hole at 5,263 feet.

Sun Oil Co. No. 9 Jameson flowed 24 hours through a one-half inch choke and made 81.3 barrels of oil and 6.78 barrels of basic sediment and water.

Sun Oil Co. No. 2 Walker drilling at 5,308 feet in shale.

Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Cargile had reached a total depth of 6,882 feet in Ellenburger dolomite. A test was made with no show. Further tests are planned.

Bronte Schools To Open September 6

Supt J. L. Carroll announced Wednesday that Bronte public schools will open September 6. The superintendent also announced that work is now underway toward repainting and repairing the school property. This repair work includes the school rest rooms.

Cooks to be employed in the school lunch room were announced as follows: Mrs. Pat Beavers, Mrs. Monroe Alexander, Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, and Mrs. W. P. Waldrop.

Supt Carroll stated that Coach W. N. Gaddy has been checking up on athletic facilities and making plans to begin fall football practice. The new coach is expecting a good sized squad of hard working boys out for practice, and he believes they will develop into an outstanding team for Bronte High School.

BRONTE DEFEATED IN FIRST GAME OF PLAYOFF

By B. D. Franklin
Lowake beat Bronte 13-11 Sunday in Lowake in a game that saw Bronte outlast by 17 to 15.

Annie Card led the attack with 14 hits. Bon Spoons and Merle Proctor each got a home run.

Sunday, Bronte and Lowake play a double header in Bronte. The game will be played at 2:30 at the high school field. Bronte must take both games of the double header or be out of the play off.

Ozona drubbed Robert Lee 10 to 3 in Robert Lee Sunday and they will wind up their part of the opening round next Sunday in Ozona with a double header.

Miles defeated the Goodfellow Field Skyhawks 16 to 4 in a non-league game Sunday on the Miles diamond.

WOOL CONTEST OPEN TO GIRLS AGE 14-22

Texas girls are eligible to enter the "Make it Yourself with Wool" home sewing contest. This contest is for girls 14 to 22 years of age and is being conducted by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association in cooperation with the American Wool Council.

The contest is directed toward promoting home sewing and designing with virgin wool material and is for two age groups, 14 through 17, and 18 to 22 years of age. Three divisions in the contest will be coats, suits and dresses.

Entry blanks and rules for the contest may be obtained in August and September through the state directors and area chairmen. Area contest style shows will be held the first two weeks in November in nine Texas towns. The style show for San Angelo is scheduled for November 1 and will be under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Noelke, 404 S. Bishop St., San Angelo. Local girls who are interested may secure other information from Mrs. Noelke at that address.

Area winners will be eligible to enter the state contest style show to be held in San Angelo on December 7 and the six best garments from there will be sent to the national fashion show at San Antonio in February, 1949.

COALSONS ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Members of the Coalson family gathered in Sweetwater Sunday, August 1, for the annual reunion of the family. Fifty-two persons were present for the affair which was held at the Frank Coalson cabin on Sweetwater lake.

Guests were there from Sweetwater, Abilene, Roby, Odessa, Dallas, Houston, Snyder, San Angelo, Bronte and Eunice, N. M.

Those going from Bronte were Mr. and Mrs. John Coalson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coalson and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Bankhead and family of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bankhead from Eunice, N. M., and Gene Bankhead from San Angelo visited in Bronte before the reunion and went to Sweetwater with the Bronte group.



MRS. RICHARD ARMSTRONG

Clark-Armstrong Wedding Is Solemnized

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

The marriage of Miss Ida Ruth Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark of San Angelo, formerly of the Brookshire community, and Richard Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Armstrong of Corpus Christi, was solemnized Saturday evening, July 31, at 9 p. m. at the home of the bride.

The Rev. Edgar Tatum, pastor of the Temple Baptist church of San Angelo, read the single-ring ceremony before the candle-lighted stand decorated with assorted flowers. A color scheme of blue and yellow was carried out in house decorations.

The bride wore a street length dress of soldier blue with grey accessories. Her corsage was of yellow carnations. For something old, she wore a cameo belonging to her grandmother. For something borrowed, she carried a white Bible belonging to Betty Fay Strebak.

Her sister, Homalie Clark, was maid of honor. She wore a white street length dress and gold accessories. Her corsage was of red roses.

James Holland, cousin of the bride, was best man.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the home of the bride. Yellow punch with blue ice cubes, blue and yellow sandwiches and a three-tiered wedding cake was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark, Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brooks, Dee Baker and Eva Sullivan.

The bride is a graduate of Bronte high school and has been employed by Western Union of Corpus Christi.

The groom is a graduate of Corpus Christi high school and is employed by the Ferguson Manufacturing Co. at Corpus Christi.

For going away the bride chose a light blue street length dress with grey accessories. After a short wedding trip to the Carlsbad caverns and other points of interest in New Mexico the couple will be at home in Corpus Christi.

17 YEAR OLD BOY TO SPEAK AT BRONTE METHODIST CHURCH

George Mitchell of Houston, temporarily employed here with the Advanced Exploration Company, will speak at the 11 o'clock hour in Bronte Methodist Church Sunday, August 15. His subject will be "Dog Tags" or "Identifications". All young people are cordially invited to attend and take part in the service. Adults are asked to be there and back the youth. George will be leaving next week for a short vacation trip before entering Southwestern University at Georgetown.

TENNYSON

9:15 a. m., Morning Worship

BRONTE

10:00 a. m., Church School
11:00 a. m., Morning Worship
8:15 p. m., Evening Worship

KTXL INITIATES NEW SERIES OF PROGRAMS

Radio station KTXL of San Angelo has initiated a new series of programs, designed to serve listeners in this area. The programs, which are on the air five days a week from 9 until 9:15 a. m., are entitled "Your Home Town Reporter."

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS...

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

The Methodist revival closed Sunday night after all day services at the church. Services were held Sunday morning by Rev. Myrle Eastman. A singing was held in the afternoon and Rev. A. L. Cox of Brady preached in the afternoon. A large crowd attended the services and the dinner at noon.

Miss Carl Dean Westbrook of Tennyson spent Thursday and Friday nights with Martha Boatright.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Rose and children, T. G., Raymond, Leon and Betty Ruth, attended the birthday supper Sunday night of Mrs. Rose's brother, Gus Redman at Norton.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther of near Abilene, Rev. Dee Cox and Mrs. Cox and sons, and Rev. A. L. Cox and Mrs. Cox of Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Holloway and children of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary. Rev. L. B. Smith of Winters spent Sunday afternoon in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster are in Big Spring visiting relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. James Holland and Jr. also spent the weekend visiting in Big Spring. While there, they all attended the barbecue Sunday held by the World War I Veterans of Company "D". This is an annual affair at the Big Spring city park. Mr. Foster served in the company.

Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Mrs. Charlie Brown, and Mrs. Herbert Holland attended the quilting at Tennyson at Mrs. Sudie Brown's last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Oats and daughter Mary of San Angelo, Luther Nixon, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle and son, J. W., attended the Blanco reunion at Lubbock Saturday and Sunday, August 7 and 8.

C. A. Doose of San Angelo was a supper guest of the J. C. Boatrights Monday night.

Rev. Dee Cox and Mrs. Cox and family and Rev. and Mrs. Eastman and daughters had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones Tuesday at Miles.

Mrs. John Williams and son of Midland and James and Bobbie Blocker of Texline visited Mrs. William's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Zachary, here Sunday.

Rev. A. L. Cox and Mrs. Cox of Brady attended the Methodist revival here Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Myrle Eastman and daughters, Janis and Merl Ann, Rev. and Mrs. Dee Cox and children and Mr. and Mrs. James Holland had supper with the Herbert Holland on Tuesday evening, Wednesday, the Eastmans and Coxes were supper guests of the Alford Rose family. Thursday, they had dinner and supper with the Edd Holdens and Friday they visited with the Irving Hortons. Saturday they ate dinner with the Charlie Browns.

Mrs. Carrie Holland of Miles visited her son, Herbert Holland, last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Julia Bryan left Saturday for Mineral Wells to visit friends.

Mrs. D. R. Gartman and son, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster, and her sister, Mrs. James Holland, returned to her home at Big Spring Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Greenland and Mrs. Ella McDowen of Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caltrk Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Myrle Eastman and daughters spent the night with the Johnnie Brown family Saturday night.

Arlavan Holden is employed at the West Texas Packing plant in San Angelo.

San Angelo shoppers Friday included Mrs. Floyd McCarty, Mrs. Jim Clark, Mrs. J. C. Boatright, and Mrs. H. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary entertained Rev. and Mrs. Eastman and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Cox and family with an ice cream supper Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited Mr. and Mrs. Boatright Thursday at Miles.

Homer Clark and Cecil Lowery of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and Uncle Walter Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Latham and son of Tennyson visited the Herbert Hollands Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers, Jr. Bell and Cladell Richards of Bronte were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herring last Thursday night.

Tax Valuations Are Raised; Rates To Be Lowered Soon

MRS. PRESTON DAVIS WINS SET OF SILVER

Mrs. Preston Davis of Rt. 1, Bronte was the proud recipient last week of a set of Rogers silverware as a result of winning the first prize in the Rogers 1847 Treasure Hunt sponsored by Nathan's Jewelry in San Angelo. Prizes were offered for the most pieces of the oldest Rogers silverware entered in the contest.

Mrs. Davis entered knives and forks which had belonged to her grandmother, the late Mrs. Dave Augustine of San Angelo, and which had been passed on to Mrs. Davis' father, the late J. S. Augustine of Sterling. Mr. Augustine gave the silverware to Mrs. Davis some three years ago. Mrs. Davis said that only the forks were accepted as an entry, however, because the knives were plain handled and could not be easily identified. The forks, with which she took first prize, had been in her family about 65 years and were of the 1847 pattern, "Threaded."

The winner chose a set of 1947 "Remembrance" as her gift prize. She said that she had not really expected to win when she entered but that she was very proud of her new silverware.

FINANCIAL REPORT ISSUED BY OFFICIALS

The City of Bronte had a total of \$25,110.34 cash on hand on August 1, according to Mayor H. O. Whitt. Broken down into funds the money is distributed as follows:

Waterworks fund, \$327.95; Sinking fund, \$570.00; General fund, \$103.80; Street and Alley fund, \$516.98; Police fund, minus \$18.25; Bond fund, \$22,723.84.

HORN-MILLS WEDDING READ AT PARSONAGE

Miss Lola Marie Horn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Horn of Maverick, became the bride of Brady O. Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mills of Bronte, in a ceremony read Saturday night, August 7 in the Methodist parsonage here. Rev. Alvin R. Mauldin, pastor of the Bronte Methodist church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride was dressed in a street length aqua dress with white accessories. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Frazier of Maverick. The groom is a veteran of World War II.

The couple will be at home in Bronte.

MAULDINS HONORED BY CONGREGATION

It was a pleasant surprise to the Methodist Parsonage family to be the happy recipients of a generous and diversified shower of foods following the evening service, Sunday, August 8.

In addition to the gifts of food a good sized purse was presented to the pastor to be applied on a suit. Those present for the service brought their gifts to the parsonage and were served punch and cookies by the hostesses: Mmes. Ava Maxwell, T. F. Sims, Sr., B. F. Bridges, Alfred Taylor, Noel Percifull and H. O. Whitt.

In the period of fellowship, the pastor, Rev. Alvin R. Mauldin, expressed sincere thanks to the many friends who have been so kind.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Percifull and son of Tehachapi, Calif., arrived here Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Percifull, and his brothers and sisters.

Cecil Montgomery, owner of the Bronte Sand and Gravel company, has purchased the D. M. McQueen home and is remodeling it. He also plans to move another house on the property.

Miss Ada Woullard left this week for a three weeks' stay at Galveston.

Bob Knierem and grandson, Richard Wayne Rees, left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Arizona to visit relatives. They will return the last of next week.

Tax valuations in Bronte are being raised, and a lower tax rate is going to be worked out in the near future, according to Mayor H. O. Whitt. The city council voted to act as a board of equalization in the new move to raise valuations and lower the rate.

First meeting of the board was held Tuesday night, August 10, and some work was done on the project. Present plans call for a raise in valuations to face value, determining the amount of money needed to run the city and then set the tax rate according to the need.

"In most instances the valuations will be raised, but it is a sure thing that the tax rate will be lowered," the Mayor said. Purpose of the change is to make the city tax rate more attractive to new businesses and residents. Whitt said that with new people coming into town with the thought of establishing a new business, they are interested in the tax rate, not the valuations. Therefore, it will encourage new people to move into town.

Another reason for the change, Whitt said, is the fact that the city is going to have to do something in the near future about the local water supply, and enough money cannot be raised with present valuations to finance a reservoir the size needed by the City of Bronte. However, the Mayor said that with the water supply adequate, as it is now, there is no big rush in building the proposed reservoir. Consequently, it is intended to wait and see what develops on the project which has been proposed on Oak Creek north of here.

Mayor Whitt stated that if UCRA builds a dam across Oak Creek, as it seems they may, a great saving to taxpayers can be effected by using the facilities they develop.

"I don't think we are going to hurt anybody," declared the Mayor, "but we are going to have to put out some money if Bronte stays in the fight of building a town."

It is anticipated that the re-hashing of valuations will be completed in the near future and cards will be sent to each property owner, stating the amount at which his property has been valued. After cards are sent out, a meeting of the board will be held to hear and act on any grievances which taxpayers may have.

G. A. BEST FAMILY HAS REUNION SUNDAY

Thirty-eight persons attended a family reunion of the G. A. Best family Sunday in the city park. The group enjoyed a picnic lunch and spent most of the day at the park. Thirty-seven of those present were members of the family.

Present for the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Best, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sims, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sims, Rev. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Everet Best, R. L. Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. George Wrinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Wrinkle, Charles Sims, David Gulley, Kathryn Wrinkle, Juanita Wrinkle, Johnnie Sims, Joyce Wrinkle, Billy Wrinkle, Jean Wrinkle, Mickey Wrinkle, Sugar and D. W. Sims, Jimmy Wayne Best, Wilburn Wrinkle, Bobby Wrinkle and Alvin Allen, all of Bronte.

Out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. White, Jr. of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hart of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Best observed their 58th wedding anniversary in May of this year. They have lived in Bronte since November, 1898.

ENTERPRISE OFFICE CLOSED FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oglesby left early this morning for Del Rio where they will attend a two day meeting of the West Texas Press Association. The Enterprise office will be closed Friday and Saturday for that reason. Scheduled on the program at the convention are speeches by top-flight newspaper men, panel discussions on a dentertainment both in Del Rio and in Villa Acuna, Mexico. They will return tomorrow night.

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TENNYSON TOPICS . . .

By Billie Tounget

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Tounget, Billie, Patricia and Jerry spent Friday fishing at the E. E. Wade place.

Clarence Webb, jr., has been seriously burned by gasoline but is doing better.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Westbrook and Eddie visited Joyce at Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell and Buryl of Barnhart visited the L. Y. Harrells Sunday.

Bill Bureson and Mr. Bradley of San Angelo visited here Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Lowery and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd of Hico visited the Jack Corleys last week.

R. H. Baker has gone to East Texas to be at the bedside of a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius visited in the Bert Cornelius home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Tounget and family spent the day Sunday at the Ballinger city park. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wade, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong and Calvin McKinzy of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tounget, Priscilla and Michael of Miles, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wade and William of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hamrick, Edwin, Darwin, Garry and Martha of Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Ola Sue and Russell of Rankin are visiting here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cornelius have returned home from a weeks vacation east of here.

Mrs. R. L. James of Christoval visited the George James family Sunday afternoon. Dorothy James returned home after visiting in Christoval.

Erve Little has returned home from a visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. Lois Roach and children of Angelo spent Tuesday in the Otto Finck home. Betsy, Audrey and Jerry returned home with here for a visit.

Mrs. Laura Sharp and Mrs. Willard Sharp spent Tuesday in the Ben Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hogaman and children of Bronte and Mrs. I. N. Howell visited Mrs. Sudie Brown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Brown and children visited in the W. T. Green home Sunday evening.

Mmes. Claude Ditmore, C. D. Derrick, Johnnie and Charlie Brown, Tug Boatright, Herbert Holland, Marvin and Jack Corley, E. D. Little, Ben Murphy, Adaline Carper, Zack Tounget, Betty Green, Myrtle Bell, Josephine Westbrook, Charlie Myers, I. N. and Mary Howell, R. B. Caldwell, Fred Conger, J. W. Latham enjoyed the quilting which was held in the Sudie Brown home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy were dinner guests of Mrs. Montie Little Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil and Robert were Angelo shoppers Wednesday. Corine and Lynda returned home after visiting at Midway.

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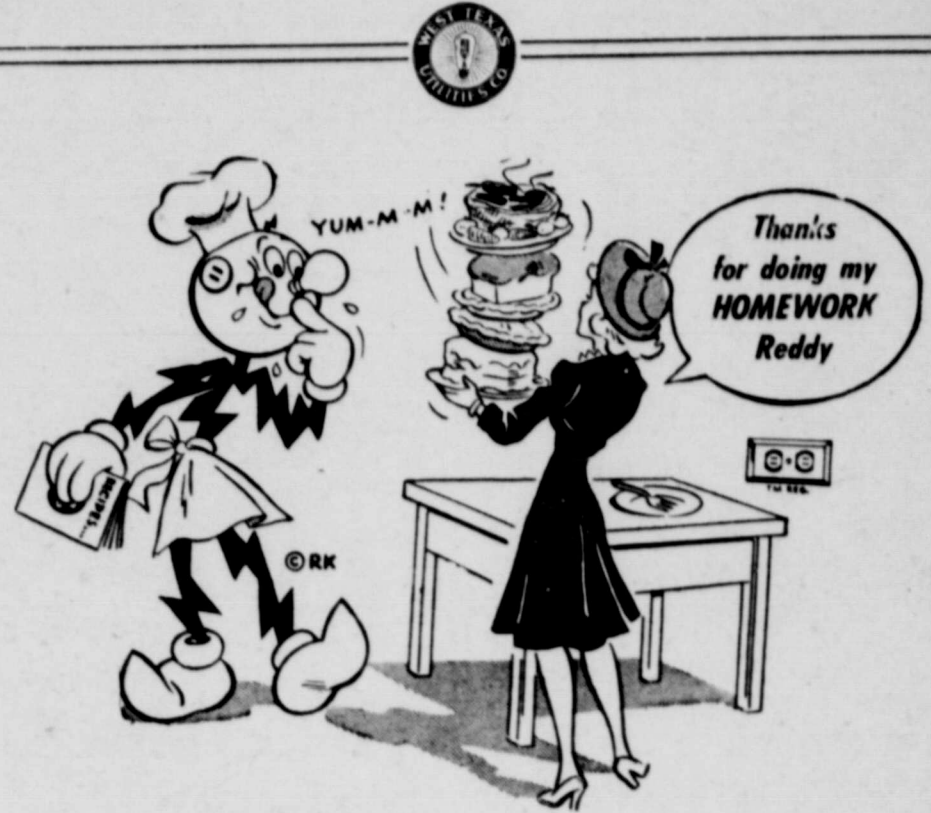
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HERE'S BLACKWELL ...

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Thomas Montgomery and wife and daughter from Douglas, Arizona are visiting relatives in Blackwell.

Bert Kinard and wife and son from Casa Grande, Arizona, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hickman have returned from a vacation thru parts of Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. Odom, wife and son from Iraan and John Holland spent their vacation in Colorado state.

Mrs. Vanzandt, who is ill in the Sweetwater hospital, is reported doing nicely.

Oscar Lee Henderson, son of Mrs. Daisy Henderson, has returned from Germany, where he was stationed a year with the U. S. Army. He gets his discharge August 15.

Sgt. J. T. Peters, who has been visiting his parents, returned to his base in Massachusetts Tuesday, August 10.

D. J. Black of the U. S. Navy spent his furlough with his mother here and returned to his base August 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lanier celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home Sunday, August 8 with all their children present. Present for the day were Clay Lanier and wife and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton from Itasca; Hube Lanier from Fort Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Wayne McRosery from Carrizozo Springs, daughter and husband; Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Moore from Houston; a son, Joe Lanier and family from Sweetwater; a son, Abe Lanier and family of Blackwell; nieces of Mr. Rob Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and son of Bradshaw, Mrs. Coner of Bradshaw, Mrs. Gover of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly and Beta Burton of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reaves are the proud parents of a baby girl that was born July 31.

Mrs. J. W. Youngblood was called to Greenville, Mississippi where her mother is reported to be seriously ill.

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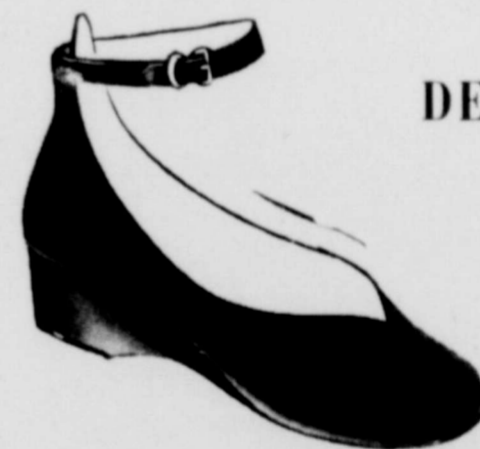
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FOOD FOR THOUGHT
By Rev. Alvin R. Mauldin

Just suppose there was an organized effort to do away with the Church. Which side would you be on? Several years ago some of the local citizens in the community where I was pastor were very much incensed over Hitler's having closed a Church that refused to go along with his program, yet those same citizens were indifferent to the Church in their own community. Sunday holidays, unnecessary Sunday labor, and general indifference will hurt the Church worse than an organized program against it could. Jesus said, "The Sabbath was made for man." Is my program for Sunday such that it will insure the most lasting satisfaction to myself and others concerned?

4-H CLUB GIRLS STUDY CANNING

Miss Mary Pearl Bearden, home demonstration agent, met with the Bronte 4-H club girls on August 3, at the home of Mrs. H. A. Springer. Miss Bearden gave a demonstration on canning tomatoes by the hot water bath method of canning.

During the business hour, leaders were chosen for the next meeting. Songs and games were played for recreation.

The next meeting will be on August 17 from 2 until 4 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Springer, at which time a demonstration will be given on the preparation of refreshments for a picnic. The 4-H club work is supported by tax funds and the opportunity to belong is open to girls between the ages of 10 and 20 years.

Miss Bearden also gave hints on how to keep record books, and she suggested that the girls keep records and dates on all home projects, such as labeling and dates on canned articles. Kodak pictures of girls illustrating some project are useful in the scrap book, also pattern pictures, and scraps of material of clothing. Club activities illustrated by pictures are also useful.

Those present Tuesday were Felma Brunson, Jo. Dell Walton, Judy and Angela Anderson, Wanda Bell Sneed, Mary Jane Powell and Carol Lynn Tomlinson. Karen Roberts of San Angelo was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton went on a fishing trip to Christoval Wednesday.

RUNNELS COUNTY GINS FIRST BALE FRIDAY

Niel Stewart of the Norton community ginned the first bale of the 1948 cotton crop reported in this area Friday in Ballinger at the Bill Moore gin. A bale was also ginned Friday in Mitchell county by John Dearen at the Mitchell county gin.

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