# THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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#### Cold Wave Covers Area With Coating Of Ice; Leaves Considerable Moisture

storm which covered all of West Texas day and part of Wednesday, keeping and included this vicinity. The storm temperatures below freezing most of

#### Our Washington **News Letter**

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

American Laborite

the average age of the new member- places and poles were broken off in way to dispose of excess water withship being one year older than the a few places. old Congress. The average age jumped from 51 to 52 years. Seven of the not yet reached their 35th birthday.

two new Members shares honors with passable. one other Member in being the youngest in the House. He is Lloyd Bensten of McAllen, successor to the late and lamented Milton West. Bensten is Wednesday afternoon and there were rangeland; reseeding range or pasture 27, has been serving as a County indications of more to come. Judge, and indications are he will be a sound and valuable Congressman. NEW LOOK

There's a new look in alignments ARE MADE FOR COKE and in committee make-ups. It's quite FARMS AND RANCHES different from what it was in the 80th Congress, which the Republicans controlled, and also different from the 78th and 79th, both under Democratic direction. The main difference stems annual report of progress within the from expected increased influence of district. Labor on legislation.

leaders will throw a lot of weight cooperating with the Coke County cropland. around in this Congress. That is, SCD, had prepared complete soil and they're saying Labor will control more water conservation plans. These plans, these practices should first secure the individual Members than in the past. prepared by the operator with the Phil Murray, CIO President, called on assistance of the Coke County SCD. House leaders a few days before Con- include many conservation practices gress met and was reported to have fitted together into an overall conserdemanded that no new Members who vation farm plan to suit the needs of had voted for the Taft-Hartley labor each individual farm or ranch. The law be added to the Ways and Means total amounts of each practice plan-

only one of six new Democrats added follows: ot the Committee having voted for the | Practice

assigns new Members to other com- Cover cropping in the make-up of other committees Terraces where legislation must originate. An Field diversions Feet attempt to put Rep. Stanley of Vir- The Coke County Board of Superfailed in the Democratic caucus, evi- program and plan of work prior to dently largely because he did not have entering into a Memorandum of Unthe blessing of Labor.

#### THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS

the Union message, appealed for har- nical assistance in the planning and mony and cooperation. His report was applying a complete coordinated soil generally well received, much more and water conservation plan. The ago. Along with many constructive a Work Unit at Robert Lee in Februproposals, the President set the stage ary, 1948 and this report covers for some hot battles by urging some progress during the fourth and dryest 

Among these was his demand that in the San Angelo area. Even soil Texas and other coastal States be and water conservation must wait for stripped of any claim to the minerals rain. under the adjacent tide lands. All of this oil along the Texas gulf goes to our State school fund, and was expressly reserved to our State when SCS. The Coke County SCD Board we were admitted to the Union. Last of Supervisors is made up of five year the House passed a bill express- active farmers and ranchers elected ly quitclaiming any Federal claim to by the resident land owners of the such minerals, but it died in the Sen- District, one from each of the five ate. Prospects for such legislation be-

ing enacted this year are not good. the President plugged, which are not Blackwell; W. E. Burns, Edith, and acceptable to many of us, included W. B. Yarbrough, Robert Lee. socialized medicine, socialized housing: Federal control over lynching, poll taxes, racial segregation, and alleged employment discrimination be- POSSIBILITIES OF cause of race or religion. Opponents COMMUNITY CENTER insist these matters are for the States

gram, a balanced budget, a vigorous mittee to do this work.

The Bronte schools were dismissed, struck late Sunday after a day of 70 the time and going as low as 20 degrees.

Bus transportation and highway traffic through Bronte practically ceased and communications lines were new solutions for the ills of the day that the toll lead line from here to in the offing, the wheels of the 81st Sweetwater was down and that sev-The old bromide about "mossbacks" and REA lines between Bronte and

Members are over 75, while 13 have numerous minor accidents were re-ennial grasses; subsoiling to permit ported between Blackwell and Sweet- better penetration of water; drilling of Silver, long-time friend of the de- Ann Taylor admitted. Speaking of ages, one of Texas water before the highway became im- or digging wells for livestock water;

### CONSERVATION PLANS

The Coke County SCD Board of Supervisors met last Tuesday, January

Capital dopesters are saying Labor reported that 48 farmers and ranchers, ing, furrowing or chiseling of non-ter, Mrs. Henry Briscoe of Robert tor of the Blackwell Methodist church, ned and the amounts applied on the BRONTE: Murray's wishes were respected, ground are reported by Mr. Allen as

Unit Planned Applied Contour farming Acres 6,397 914 TENNYSON: The Ways and Means Committee Crop residue mgt. Acres 5,155 6,492 Acres mittees, and Labor leaders naturally Range improve. Acres 36,857 1,822 want to be able to have a direct voice | Seeding of range Acres | 211 | 24.3 Miles 174.8 12.8

ginia, a farmer, on the Committee, visors spent 18 months preparing their derstanding with the Secretary of Agriculture whereby the Department of President Truman in his State of Agriculture agreed to furnish techso than on a similar occasion a year Soil Conservation Service established

Assisting to Board of Supervisors in preparing their annual report was E. J. Hughes, District Conservationist, zones of the District. They are: R, B. Allen, Chairman, Silver; C. N. Among other measures for which Webb, Tennyson; W. C. Shamblin,

At the regular meeting of the local States. Mr. Truman called for \$4 billion Lions club Wednesday at noon, R. in new taxes, and for repeal of the W. Rees moved that the club investi- mum of 51,772 new instructors. Taft-Hartley law. He asked that the gate the possibilities of acquiring a old Wagner Act be revived, with a building from Mathis field to be used show that 31,689 teachers will leave our colleges are giving considerable solation matches and the Divide girls ages, and the County Judge shall refavored a strong national security pro- pointed Rees as chairman of a com- the classroom for other reasons.

foreign policy in the struggle for Present at the meeting were Ed during the war years, will soon be repeace, sound farm legislation, REA Cumbie, L. T. Youngblood, C. E. flected in huge increases in attend- Austin last Wednesday. Judge Dean able to return. expansion, water and soil conserva- Bruton, W. L. Carroll, H. W. Whitt, ance in schools throughout the nation. said that in addition to attending the Dink Lanier, son of Mr. and Mrs. tion and development of our water Norman Kiker, J. T. Henry, R. W. Texas, alone, will need nearly 16,- school meeting he also visited the Abe Lanier, underwent an appendix power and other natural resources for Rees. Sam Spruell, Charlie Boecking 000 to take care of the increased en-

## Tyler Men Ask for Permit to Drill Tuesday and the Blackwell schools dismissed Monday afternoon as a result of the severe cold wave and ice storm which covered all of West Texas day and part of Wednesday, keeping

#### COKE IS ALLOTED \$62,900 FOR 1949 FARM ASSISTANCE

Coke county has been allocated

Although no injuries or accidents bermuda, vine-mesquite or buffalo ests at Sanco. were reported at the local hospital, grasses or by seeding adapted perinstalling pipelines for livestock water: On the brighter side, Mr. Rogge construction of earthen dams or First Baptist church of Robert Lee, Murphy, admitted; Wallace Ross disreported that three-quarters of an inch spreader dams; elimination of destrucof moisture had been received by tive plants on non-crop pasture and First Methodist church of Robert Lee. land by deferred grazing; construction of fireguards on non-crop pasture and rangeland; establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes, or mixture of grasses and legumes; growing a green manure or cover crop of summer legumes; establishing 11, in Robert Lee to prepare their a satisfactory cover of winter legumes and ryegrass seeded in the fall; turning under a satisfactory growth of in 1946 to Mrs. Mattie Bell Keyes of afternoon at three o'clock for C. W. R. B. Allen, chairman of the board, sweet clover; application of potash and superphosphate, and contour list. He is surv

Farmers interested in carrying out

#### THE METHODIST CHURCH

Alvin R. Mauldin, Pastor

10 A. M., Church School 11 A. M., Morning Worship 7 P. M., Evening Worship 7 P. M., Youth Fellowship

3 P. M., Preaching Service

### Coke Pioneer Is

Funeral services were conducted down to most of the nearby cities. T. \$62,900 to be used as assistance to Wednesday for Daniel Richard (Dan) will be located on a two-acre tract 3 under lease. H. Rogge, local manager of the San farmers in carrying out needed con- Campbell, 79, of Robert Lee who died and drilling is to be started on or be- Another location has been staked With many new faces and as many Angelo Telephone Company, reported servation practices during the 1949 at his home there at 3:30 Tuesday fore July 31. afternoon. He had been in ill health 1949 practices which have been for two years. Campbell was a pioneer Congress began to grind last week. eral poles were broken down. He said listed for Coke county farmers are as of this county, a well-known banker and is of a great deal of interest to Dan Auld No. 1 O. R. McQueen and In the House there are now 263 that ice about 3 inches in diameter follows: construction of terraces for and rancher and was one of the origi-Democrats, 171 Republicans and one formed on the telephone wires on the which necessary outlets and water nal members of the board of directors divide north of Blackwell. Telephone ways are provided; construction of di- of the Upper Colorado River authorversion terraces to control excess wa- ity. He had served the Robert Lee running Congress can keep talking, Ballinger were broken in several ter; establishing a vegetative water- State bank for 40 years as director, president and was cashier at the time Jan. 7: Mrs. J. D. Roe and A. L. out causing erosion and by sodding of his death. He held ranching inter- Cain dismissed; W. J. Scott and Wal-

> Services were held at the home at ceased, officiating. He was assisted and Rev. Ross Welch, pastor of the missed

Interment was in the Sanco cemetery under the direction of the Clift and Mrs. Jeff Pruitt admitted. Funeral Home. The Masonic lodge conducted the graveside rites.

He was born October 15, 1869, at Hendersonville, Tennessee and came to Waco, Texas with his parents while still a boy. He moved to Coke county when he was 19 and had been a resident since that time. He was married

Abilene, and two nephews, Fred and hospital O. H. Campbell of Robert Lee.

and Bryan Gartman, all of Robert Lee. | Blackwell.

#### HOSPITAL NEWS

admitted and A. L. Cain re-admitted. the new location and that if weather lace Ross admitted.

Jan. 8: Miss Eunice Lilly and 2 p. m. with the Rev. H. L. Bludworth Donna Lynne Welch dismissed; Joyce

Jan. 9: Mrs. Walter Phillips and by the Rev. Fred Blake, pastor of the Fred Murphy, infant son of W. K.

> Jan. 10: Joyce Ann Taylor dismissed and Russell Carlton, V. E. Beasley Jan. 11: W. J. Scott and Mrs. Walter Phillips dismissed.

#### FORMER BLACKWELL RESIDENT BURIED THERE SUNDAY

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Funeral services were held Sunday Oden, Sr., 86, of Knox City, formerly He is survived by his wife; one sis- of Blackwell. Rev. E. N. Goode, pas-Lee; two nieces, Mrs. Jack Lassiter officiated with Rev. Clyde Rick, pasof Sanco and Mrs. Leona Yarbro of the Blackwell Baptist church, M. G. Reed, Ellenburger discovery. assisting. Mr. Odom died in an Austin

Mr. Odom was born on a ranch on Pall bearers were J. S. Craddock of the Medina River near San Antonio. Colorado City; O. B. Jacobs, Jack When he was 16 years old, he moved Walker, Willis Smith, Gerald Allen, to Fort Chadbourne where he lived Fred McDonald, Jr., Freeman Clark for several years and later moved to

He was married to Sallie McCut-Mr. and Mrs. Delos Alsup have had cheon of Kentucky. A daughter, Mrs. as their guests, two of her sisters, Mrs. Jack Howe, of Albuquerque, New Mary Mathews and daughter of Mexico, survives this union. Follow-Sweetwater and Mrs. Shy Thompson ing the death of his wife, he married Miss Clyde Ransome of Ballinger. following her death, he married Mrs. widow; one step-daughter, Mrs. Joe the County Judge of Coke County, County Judge and Ex-officio Coun- birth rate," the Teachers' Association Curry Odom of Stephenville, Morris School District Funds for the next Odom, Jr. of Killeen, Bill and John County and Coke County Common of Irion and Joe B. of Polson, Mon- Two (2) years in accordance with Ar-Superintendent J. L. Carroll, Robert "The state must find an additional tana; three nieces, Mrs. John Curry ticle 2544 (2440 Revised Civil Stat-Lee Superintendent B. C. Goodwin 4,500 teachers to replace those teach- and Mrs. C. P. Sheppard of Ballinger utes, 1925, of Texas at the February and Assistant County Superintendent ers with emergency certificates who and Mrs. Conda Wyley of Fort Chad- Term, Beginning on the 14th day of Hugh Lewis, Jr., returned from Austin are on a temporary basis. During the bourne; eight grandchildren; three February, A. D. 1949, Said Court will

ing was to study needs of Texas That the estimated nearly 52,000 cemetery under the direction of to be selected as the Depository of chools and work out plans for meet- new teachers is a minimum figure was Newby-Davis Funeral Home of Bal- said County

report made by Miss Waurine Walker Texas is growing industrially far eral months ago, Bill Odom of County desiring to bid shall deliver of Waco, first vice-president of the more rapidly than the average per- Stephenville was unable to attend the to the County Judge on or before the Texas State Teachers association and Should the state continue to attract Montana, was also ill with a hand at which the selection of the Deposiassociation committee on teacher and industry as successfully as it has durinjury and was unable to come to the tory is to be made a sealed proposal,

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson and son, Curtis, and family at Artesia, New of a depository. There is already a tremendous It is impossible for our schools to Mexico. While there, Charles has un-

last week.

classes. It is not fair to the pupils. winning first place. They defeated may be selected as such Depository to Texas will have to find a bare mini- Finding tens of thousands of new the Blackwell team 22-19. The Black- give the bonds required by law, the teachers is a problem of concern to well boys were second place winners. Surveys of the National Committee everyone and a problem to which The Robert Lee boys won the con-

city limits of Bronte was taken this located in the city. Location is 55 week when R. L. Moore and L. V. feet from the north and east lines of Buried Wednesday Hitt of Tyler filed an application with lot 1 in the Der addition in section the Texas Railroad commission to drill 451, block 1-A, H&TC Ry. Co. sur-No. 1 Vernon C. Lammers. The well vey. Moore and Hitt have lots 1 and

in the Bronte field. It is Placid Oil This new location would bring a Co.'s No. 1 Robert Forman. It is an a north offset to Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 2 R. E. Hickman. Reports Thursday morning said that equip-Jan. 6: Miss Eunice Lilly of Norton ment was at work building a road to permits a rig will be moved in Friday (today). This well will be the seventh in the new Bronte field.

A rig of the George Callahan Drilling Company last Sunday was skidded to location of Hickok & Reynolds and Dan Auld No. 1 Dr. R. J. Warren. Progress on this well was not known

Both the No. 2 Hickman and No. 1 McQueen were shut down Thursday awaiting suitable weather for running official tests of the wells.

A meeting of the Railroad commission will be held February 2. At that time spacing in the Bronte field and for townsite drilling will be determined. This meeting is the result of Humble's application for an allowable and field designation for its No. 1 Hickman. Bronte citizens are planning to send a large delegation to this meeting and present their case for drilling on the townsite. At the present time the Bronte field is attached to the Tennyson field, which was opened by Southern Minerals No. 1 Only temporary allowables have been set so far, for the porducers in the field west of Bronte.

Rumors have been going around the past week of several more locations having been staked, but no official information was available on this at press time Thursday. Poor communications with Midland and other sources of oil news makes all

#### NOTICE OF BIDS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY:

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Said bids shall be accompanied by a certified Check for not less than One-half of One per cent of the Counas a guarantee of good faith on the Texas, itself, is now short several Texans have every right to expect Mr. and Mrs. Pat Crane and son of part of the bidder and that if his bid should be accepted he will enter into bond as herein provided and upon amount of such certified check shall go to the County as liquidated damadvertise for bids, said Court Reserving the right to reject any and all

IEFF DEAN County Judge, Coke County, Texas

#### Coke County School Men Return From Edna Shaw. He is survived by his NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by Austin Meeting; More Teachers Needed Wilkins of Knox City; five sons, C. W. Texas, for Depository of said Coke

ty Superintendent Jeff Dean, Bronte officer said. Friday of last week after attending a meeting of school officials from over forced to lower their teaching stand-

The local school men stated that a dous growth industrially. Texas State Teachers' association and son realizes.

Walker's report follows: Texas schools must have a mini- dicate. mum of 51,772 new teachers in the Those factors made the future of next ten years. That is 5,000 more great concern, especially in Texas, than the total of teachers now in the because most schools in the state are Charles, are visiting another son, schools. They number 46,400.

shortage of teachers and the profes- absorb additional pupils in any num- dergone an appendix operation. sion is not proving sufficiently at- ber. Another recent survey disclosed Mrs. Owen Calvin underwent surtractive to induce enough people to that nearly half of the schoolrooms gery in a San Angelo hospital one day ty's revenues of the preceding year

thousand qualified teachers. National high standards in education, but we Sweetwater spent the weekend with and state surveys disclose that in the cannot improve it as long as our Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ware. next decade 1,277,714 new teachers are not fully qualified and will be needed throughout the United they are required to teach oversize Saturday night with McCauley boys failure of said banking corporation, association, or individual banker that

as a community center for Bronte. the Texas schools during the next ten thought. This year there were twelve won first place from the Blackwell On the brighter side, the President Lion president Edward Cumbie ap- years. They will die, retire or quit teaching positions open to every stu- girls. Highland girls won consolation.

the entire state. Purpose of the meet- ards due to the shortage of teachers."

indicated because of Texas' tremen- linger.

professional standards, sums the Texas ing the last seven or eight years, our funeral. school situation up pretty well. Miss schools will have thousands of more pupils than any of the surveys in-

now badly overcrowded.

are already overcrowded.

the classroom for other reasons.

The birth rate, rapidly accelerated colleges trained to teach school.

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Mrs. James Little is in an El Paso hospital. She and Mr. Little visited GIVEN under my hand and seal

rollment due alone to the advanced State Comptroller's office.

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The treasures of nature are stored all around, Deep down in earth much mineral is found,

It seems to be hidden so that we may Not waste it too much, let it get away,

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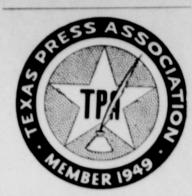
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#### **BRONTE ENTERPRISE** TO DO JOB PRINTING

Ben Oglesby, editor of The Enterorise, went to Stamford last Friday to bring back some printing equipment which will be used to print job work. It is hoped that the new machinery will be in operation by next

The newspaper will continue to be printed at the Talley Press in San Angelo but The Enterprise will be able to print all sorts of job work including letterheads, statements, envelopes, stationery and many other jobs in Bronte. This new equipment will give us the opportunity to serve our customers faster than before and will be more convenient for our

Arnold Ball was a business visitor Abilene Wednesday

#### **TENNYSON** TOPICS . . .

By Billie Tounget

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of San Angelo, nounced. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bell, Rich and D. Little Sunday.

has been visiting in the L. Y. Harrell zation.

Mrs. Tounget and children were in Ballinger Saturday. They visited the Earl Wades. Mrs. Cotton of San Angelo visited sister, Mrs. M. A. Scott.

ne Gastons here Thursday evening. Mmes. Barney Westbrook and Robert Brown took Joyce Westbrook back the hospital in Dallas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin James of Angelo visited in the Bert Cornelius nome Sunday.

Faye Goss spent Saturday night with Miss Jane Farr of San Angelo. Miss Farr is visiting in the Tounget ome this week.

The Charlie Brown family visited Mrs. Sudie Brown, Grace and Berna Lee Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Bessie, Bobby and Kenneth, Mrs. Mary Clark f Bronte and Mrs. James Gilmore and Dianne visited in the Harold Garett home Saturday. It was John's irthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Beshire and amily and Mrs. Pete Conner of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carwile and Ann spent Sunday in the M. Stewart home

Mrs. Harold Garrett, Donna and Penny spent Sunday with Mrs. James Gilmore and Dianne

Lena Brown was a Sunday dinner guest of Patricia Tounget. Flora Brown visited her in the afternoon. Audry and Mackie Roach of San Angelo spent the weekend in the Otto Finck home

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wade and William of Bronte visited the Toungets Thursday evening.

The quilting club met with Mrs. Tounget Wednesday. Attending were: Mmes. Bert Cornelius, Jack and Marvin Corley, Herbert Holland, Tug Boatright, Charlie and Sudie Brown John Clark, Dan Hale, I. N. Howell, R. B. Caldwell, Robert Brown, W. H. Feil, James Arrott, John Gaston, Harold Garrnett, Ben Murphy, Charlie Myers, and Edd Fiveash, and Misses Bessie Clark and Grace Green. Next neeting will be January 19 in the ohn Gaston home. It will be an all-

Bro. and Mrs. Lee Roy Stucky and hildren have moved from the com-

Mrs. George Wrinkle and Loretha, uanetta Coalson and Dorothy Faye Scott of Bronte visited in the John Clark home Wednesday evening.

Billie Tounget was a dinner guest of Clayton Latham Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green and Wil-

iam were visiting over the weekend but the writer failed to find out where

Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers and Sandra of San Angelo visited in the George James home Sunday. Mmes. Ben Murphy and Claude

Ditmore visited Mrs. R. B. Caldwell Mr. and Mrs. Rube Gordon visited Mrs. Sudie Brown, Grace Green and Berna Lee Howell Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Westbrook

and Eddie visited relatievs at Miles Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Meador are

isiting in Amarillo. I. N. Howell and Zack Tounget are here with their families this week. Bro. C. B. Baker held services at the church Sunday. Services were well attended.

#### FOOD FOR THOUGHT

By Rev. Alvin R. Mauldin

In the nineteenth chapter of Second Kings there is told a story "of what a good man does in time of trouble. Hezekiah was in great distress. The army of Sennacherib was upon him, and he was not able to cope with it. In his distress he did three things:

"First of all he went to the Lord's house and took his burden there. When trouble comes, some people quit coming to church and brood over heir troubles at home. But that is no time to forsake the assembling of ourselves together. We need each

"The second move he made was to send for his pastor. For forty years Isaiah had been court preacher and pastor in the capital of the nation. He knew human life and knew how o sympathize.

"Finally, Hezekiah took his burden directly to the Lord in prayer. He laid it before Him, sought relief, and found it. This we have a perfect right to do when trouble comes. Talk it out with God. One of two results will follow - God will remove the burden or give us grace to bear it. -(Upper Room).

#### WSCS POSTPONES MEETING THIS WEEK

Due to inclement weather, the Methodist WSCS did not meet at the Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Brown scheduled time last Monday but will of Bronte spent the weekend with the meet next Monday, January 17, at 2:30 P. M. The place will be an

The organization is beginning Tommy of Bronte, and Bro. and Mrs. new year and officials urged that C. D. Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. E. every Methodist woman become a member. There are 1,300,000 mem-Mrs. Sonny Weldon of San Angelo bers and workers in the entire organi

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers of Charlotte, Texas recently visited his

Leroy Scott of Jal, New Mexico, was visiting in Bronte last week

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Rev. Robert Wilson of Abilene was the guest of the Hurlen Lees last

lin Thomas Sunday.

the Herbert Hollands Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wilde of San 372,000 in interest during the year. to the Rally program, but the group Angelo have moved to the community. They visited the Boatrights Sun-

Ballinger Saturday.

Hedges who were here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rogers and a full year for 15,693 persons. Janell, of Harper, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright last weekend. The T. G. Gleghorns were guests of the Boatrights Saturday night. Martha \$139,591,216.25, or 71 per cent. Boatright and Louise Montgomery of San Angelo were also guests.

A. Doose, and family.

L. B. Smith of Winters visited the Jim Clarks Sunday.

Guests of the Dee Fosters Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James Holland and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman and Roby, and Mrs. Willard Midland. Mr. Cameron does brick Caudle and J. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and family visited the J. C. Boatrights Wednesday night.

Mrs. Lelan Carlton and son visited Mrs. James Holland Saturday. They spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited the Charlie Brown family Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mrs. Zetha Ables and family at Miles Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas isited Mr. and Mrs. James Holland

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman and Roby of Big Spring are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster and Mr. and Mrs. James Holland.

Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mrs. J. C Boatright and Mrs. Herbert Holland attended the quilting at Mrs. Hazel Toungets at Tennyson Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman, Mr. and Mrs. James Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herring near Ballinger Thursday night.

Mrs. John McKowen and son of Tennyson visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil

Floyd McCarty was admitted to a San Angelo hospital Thursday for

Herbert Holland attended the aucon in Winters Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary visited San Angelo Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Baucum and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGuffen. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson of

San Angelo spent the weekend with the Floyd McCartys. Willard Lee of Hobbs, New Mexico

visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Browe were San Angelo Wednesday. Her incher, Will Hegwood, returned with them or a visit. Sunday afternoon, they visited Mrs. Sudie Brown and the Tom Green family at Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle and W. were Ballinger shoppers Satur-

There will be church services at he Methodist church Sunday



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#### COKE COUNTY PEOPLE BUY SAVINGS BONDS

The people of Coke County bought \$86,117.50 worth of U. S. Savings RALLY IN TRINITY Bonds during 1948, according to a The Young People of the Methodist year-end report by Harry Owens of Church in the San Angelo District Dallas, state director for Savings held a Rally in Trinity last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Less Webb and Mrs. Bonds, to T. A. Richardson, County from 3 to 5 o'clock. The local Method-Burleson visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank- Savings Bonds chairman. During the ist Church was represented by Billie Rev. L. B. Smith of Winters visited same period, the people of Texas Jean Millikin, Bobby Clark, Dorris bought \$196,448,587.50 worth of Adair, Doyle Adair, Alvin Mauldin, these securities. Jr., Le Drew Arrott, Bobby Tomlin-

Mr. Owens said that Texans now son, and Colene Arrott. children of Miles spent the day with own more than \$1.5 billion worth of No evening program was planned Mr. and Mrs. Emil Michulka Sunday. Savings Bonds which earned \$42,- for the local Church last Sunday due

To illustrate the practical aspects will meet next Sunday at 7 p.m. as of thrift, as represented by the Sav- usual. ings Bonds program, Mr. Owens Ernest Cox and Mrs. Cox of Bronte pointed out that the annual interest visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn from bonds held by Texans, if converted into residential construction, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited would build 4,237 homes costing Mr. and Mrs. John Machowsky in \$10,000 each, or, if considered in terms of higher education or wage Buick. Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Hedges and and salaries, would give a four-year Cathie are in Arizona. They return- college education to 14,124 students ed to Arizona with Mr. and Mrs. B. V. at the rate of \$750 per year, or provide an income of \$225 per month for Frank Keesee family.

Mr. Owens said that of the state's total bond sales last year, Series E, the "people's bond," accounted for

"There are more Savings Bonds in the hands of the people today than Mrs. Marguerite Bowlby of San An- ever before," he said. "Almost 70 per tonio is here visiting her brother, C. cent of all bonds ever issued are still in the possession of their original Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lowery and owners. The sale of Series E bonds son, Robert, of San Angelo and Rev. in Texas alone during 1948 was \$4. 940,447.50 more than for 1947.

New residents of Bronte are Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cameron, recently of and stone work and specializes in store fronts. He was born at Maverick and has lived around there and at Ballinger most of his life.

For January 14, 1949

MYF GROUP ATTENDS

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L. T. Youngblood is driving a new

ome with the flu this week.

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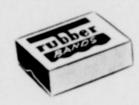
M. O. McCUTCHEN

Mr. Carl Scott has been visiting the

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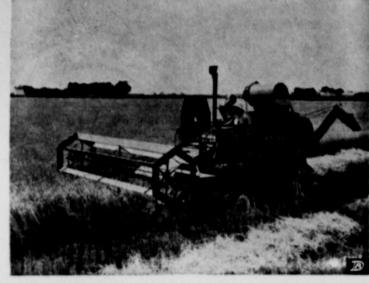
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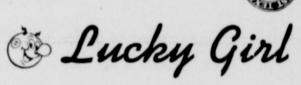
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