

# THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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About 130 persons were present last Sunday for the Open House at the enlarged and remodeled Bronte Hospital. The new wings were added on the existing structure at a cost of approximately \$17,000, giving

residents here the most modern in hospital facilities. The entire staff of the hospital were on hand Sunday to show visitors through. Punch and cookies were served.

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## 165 ENROLL AT BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

School began Monday morning at Blackwell with an enrollment of 156. Fifty-three were registered in high school and 103 in the grammar school.

The faculty is complete with the exception of a math teacher and Mrs. Robert Brown will substitute until one can be hired.

Coach Elgin Dietz will begin football practice this week with a 6 man team. Superintendent George Stapler has had everyone working last week to get ready for the opening of school.

The PTA will meet tonight, Friday, Sept. 5.

## 103 Attend Parker Reunion

Members of the family of J. P. Parker of Sweetwater met in the Ballinger park Sunday, August 24, for the annual reunion. His five sons and two daughters and their families were present in the group which included 103 persons.

The family also celebrated the 60th birthday of the older brother, Lee Parker.

Attending were J. P. Parker Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Parker and Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brice and Nina Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Parker and girls, all of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Tip Parker and family, Lonnie Parker Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parker and son, Mr. and Mrs. Estel Parker and son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ebner and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. James Hulo and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young, all of San Antonio.

And Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker and Gene of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker of Iowto Park.

Also Mrs. Lee Williamson and rankin and family, all of Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Parker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Euell Hatman and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McCormick and family, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Parker and girls, Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley and family, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brice, Stanley, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hartman and sons, Los Angeles, Calif.; Alton Weidner, Ballinger and Wendell Tekell, Winters.

Attending from Coke county were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brice and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Singleton and girls and Mrs. Bonnie Pate and Nelda, all of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brice and Shirley of Robert Lee.

## Birthday Party For Morris Overstreet

A birthday party was given recently for Morris Overstreet on his 14th birthday. Games were played and the party was held in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Overstreet. Mrs. H. O. Hester and Ruby Overstreet assisted with the entertaining.

Refreshments were served to a number of his friends including Bobby Brock, Wanda Kirkland, Douglas Looney, Patricia McCutcheon, Robert L. Moore, Eloise Hester, Jerry Parker, Wanda Webb, Bill Mitchell, Joan Webb and Jerry McShan.

## COKE 4-H BOYS TOUR DAVIS MOUNTAINS

Twenty-five boys and two adult leaders along with the County Agent set out Tuesday, August 26 for the Davis Mountains on their vacation trip. The first stop was the Balmorhea Swimming Pool for a swim in the largest outdoor swimming pool in the United States.

The party moved on to Simpia Canyon for the night and the next day visited Indian Lodge and the McDonald Observatory. Wednesday evening the boys did some mountain climbing and exploring and spent the night in Madera Canyon. Thursday the group continued on around the Davis Mountains Scenic loop and then hit the trail back home.

Making the trip were Wayne Blair, Lloyd Sparks, Tommy Jett Hood, Don Blair, Bobby Hester, Jerry Harmon, Milburn Wink, Kenneth Wink, Martin Lee, John Petty, Sammie Joe Duncan, Joe Harmon and Pinky Gentry.

And Aubrey Don Denman, Lannie Denman, Kenneth Clark, Morgan Russell, Jerry Hurley, Jimmy Lee Terry Frank Bryan, Jerrel Clint Harmon Bud Gentry, Frederick Ashworth, Gail Lamers and Byron Russell.

Adult leaders were Floyd Harmon and Allen Sparks.

## Ice Cream Social Honors Boys Going To College

A social given in the home of Mrs. Claude Beaver last week honored Marlon McCutchen, John Paul Riley and Jack Neal Vaughn who left Sunday for Ranger, where they will attend college.

Present for the ice cream supper were Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McCutchen, Malon, Rita, Harold, Jerry and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Phillips, Tommie Ruth and Mickey; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beaver and Mary Ann; Mrs. Gertrude Gray, Jimmie, Jack, Patty Sue and Barbara; Mrs. Mary Lips, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ivey of Robert Lee.

Also Joyce Wrinkle, Ruby Overstreet, Cora Beth Whatley, Sue Robertson, Jane Powell, John Paul Riley Jack Vaughn J. Lee Ensor and Eddie Roy Braswell.

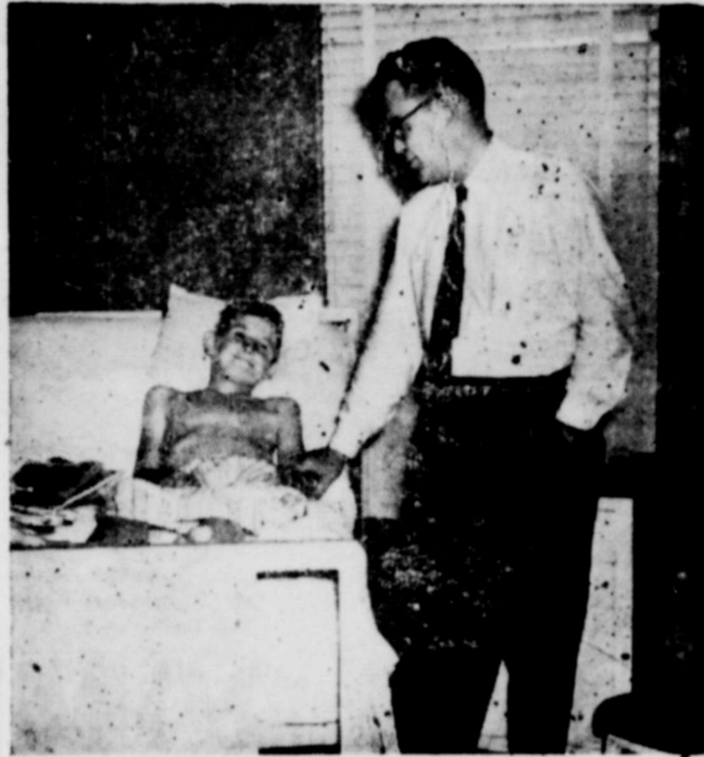
## JACK PRICE GETS M. E. DEGREE

Jack Price of Bronte was among the graduates at Sul Ross State College at Alpine on Thursday, August 21. Price received a Master of Education Degree. He has been grade school principal and assistant coach in the Bronte schools for the past four years.

## BAGWELLS MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bagwell and family recently moved to McGregor Texas in order to be near their daughter, Deborah, who is in Gonzales Warm Springs Hospital, recovering from polio. Leon is working at a furniture store there.

Mrs. J. W. Bagwell spent last weekend there with her son and family and they went to Gonzales Sunday to visit Deborah. Mrs. Bagwell reports that her grand daughter is still paralyzed in her arms and legs and that they expect her to be hospitalized for at least six more months. Visitors are allowed in the hospital only on Sunday afternoons for



Ronnie Cole and Dr. John R. Harris have become good friends during Ronnie's long stay in the hospital. Ronnie, after being accidentally shot through the chest, was given one of the new rooms when the new wings were completed.

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## HD WOMEN RETURN FROM KINGSVILLE

Gladys Waldrop and three delegates, Mrs. W. G. Cresap, Mrs. Tom Rives and Mrs. J. W. Labenske returned Thursday from a three day meeting in Kingsville, where the Texas Home Demonstration convention met.

There were 856 women registered at the A&I college where the convention was held. A tour over part of the King ranch was made Tuesday and the delegates were taken through the mansion, which was the ranch house. In the house everything was antiques, and the rugs, carpets and saddle blankets are woven on the ranch by Mexican employees. All have the ranch brand woven in the material. The delegates said that beside the front walk is a mounted bull dog chained to a post which is very real and vicious looking.

The group was served refreshments and, that evening, enjoyed a barbecue supper.

Convention officials and the delegates considered the meeting a success and Coke County delegates reported a nice time.

## L. E. Dunagin In Basic Training

Larkin Eugene Dunagin, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Dunagin of Bronte, is completing his AF basic airmen indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the world's largest air force base, site of Air Force basic training, for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of AF's Officer Candidate School. Dunagin's basic training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

## CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to Dr. John R. Harris and his staff, and all the people who were so kind, good and thoughtful in the long illness and death of our sister, Mrs. Maude Sims. The family. Itp

## LIONS TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY

Members of the Bronte Lions club will meet next Tuesday night, September 9, in the school lunchroom, according to Rev. J. E. Fuller, president of the club. The Lions have been inactive during the summer months because of lack of a place to meet.

Fuller said the local organization will meet next Tuesday night and again on Tuesday night, Sept. 16, but that meetings are scheduled for the first and third Tuesday nights of each month, beginning in October.

All Lions are urged to attend the meeting which will begin at 7 p. m.

## Claude Ray Ash Receives M. S. Degree At Tech

Claude Ray Ash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Ash, was among the graduates at exercises held at Texas Technological College on Wednesday, August 27. Ash received a Master of Science degree in animal husbandry. Mr. and Mrs. Ash went to Lubbock for the commencement exercises.

His thesis was entitled "Comparative Feeding Value of Hydraulic-Processed, Expeller-Processed, and Solvent Extracted-Processed Cotton Seed Meal for Fattening Lambs."

Ash is a 1947 graduate of the Bronte High School and received his B. S. Degree from Tech in 1951. He said that he has not yet made plans as to what he will do.

## Diversity Club Has First Meeting In Smith Home

The Diversity club held its first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Otis Smith last Thursday night. The president, Mrs. Cecil Kemp gave the opening address.

Guessing games were played and the new club yearbooks were distributed as prizes. Club programs for the year were then discussed.

Cocoanut cake and lime sherbert were served to Meses. C. E. Arrott, Charles Boeking, Clifford Clark, Vetal Flores, Robert Forman, D. K. Glenn J. T. Henry, Cecil Kemp, J. B. Mackey, O. R. McQueen, Wade Rees, J. M. Rippeo, Collins Sayner, George Thomas, A. S. Whatley, Otis Smith and Joe George Wilkins. Thomas, A. S. Whatley, Otis Hostesses were Meses. Smith, Boeking and Arrott, the yearbook committee.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Youngblood and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carter are vacationing in the North and East. They planned to visit in Detroit, Chicago, New York.

## 321 Enrolled in Bronte Schools

Classes got underway this week at the Bronte schools with 321 pupils enrolled. Supt. J. L. Carroll said that 242 are enrolled in grade school and 79 in high school.

Carroll said this is about

## B. F. Bridges & Son Top Junction All-Breeds Sale

B. F. Bridges & Son, well known Rambouillet breeders of Bronte, came out on top at the Fifth Annual All-Breeds Sheep Sale in Junction last Friday. Louis Bridges said they received \$50 for two ewe lambs and \$45 for one. The sheep were bought by Marvin J. Couey of Junction.

The Bridges sold six rams and five ewes at the sale besides the three top animals.

They also delivered two eight-month old ewe lambs to the Sears Sheep Foundation, which will be given to boys in Kimble County.

Louis said that they were mighty proud to top the sale at Junction, but that he would rather have done it some time when the market wasn't quite so low.

He said that some of the animals brought to the sale did not receive a bid, and that other fine animals went for market prices.

B. F. Bridges & Son ranch just south of the Colorado River here. They have had outstanding success in the Rambouillet business, having shown grand champion animals in several shows in the State.

## Tad Richards Celebrates On His 73rd Birthday

Coke and Runnels countians and hundreds from over the state all look forward to Tad Richards annual birthday party and barbecue which this year took place last Tuesday night. Hundreds of his friends collected at his ranch northeast of Bronte to help him celebrate his 73rd birthday and to partake of the well-known Richards barbecue.

After the barbecue, guests were entertained with dancing in the big Richards barn which has a hardwood "hay loft", 40x100 feet, especially suited for dancing.

Richards was born in Runnels County, three miles east of Oak Creek, and although he has lived most of his life in Runnels County, he and his family have long been identified with the early settlers around Bronte. He and Mrs. Richards observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary in 1951.

He has been in the ranching business all of his life, and in March of 1950, gave another of his famous parties to celebrate the discovery of oil on his land. Tad's friends include all kinds of people—politicians, oilmen, ranchers, farmers, businessmen, cowboys and just about everybody in this section of the country and they were all on hand Tuesday night to wish him a "happy birthday."

## MRS. DINK BEAVER IS W. M. A. PRESIDENT

The Kickapoo W. M. A. met in regular session Tuesday with 17 members and six children present.

New officers were elected for the coming year. They are President, Mrs. Dink Beaver; vice-president, Mrs. Marvin Leck; 2nd vice President, Mrs. Frances Pruitt; 3rd vice president, Mrs. Dswain Pruitt; Secretary, Mrs. Claude Beaver; Assistant secretary, Mrs. Junior Pruitt. The teacher is Mrs. C. W. Coleman, song leader, Mrs. Pat Beaver and reporter, Mrs. Joe Lee Scott.

The ladies of the W. M. A. invite all their members and friends to attend the meetings.

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the same enrollment the school had last year at the beginning of the session. He expects about 40 or 50 more students in the next month or so.

A water tank and pressure pump have been installed at the school to take care of the water situation, and water is being hauled from Robert Lee.

The Longhorn football squad is working out daily and nightly, getting in shape for their first game, which is with Robert Lee, next Friday night.

## LABOR DAY BRINGS COOLER WEATHER

Bronte citizens are grateful for the Labor Day holiday Monday, for it marked the end of a 30-day period of 100 degree temperatures.

For at least 30 days the temperature has soared above the 100 degree mark with Monday's temperature climbing to a record breaking 109 before the first nother of the season hit the area unexpectedly, breaking, temporarily, the heat wave. The norther was accompanied by high winds and sand, but no rain so the two year old drought continues.

## P. T. A. NOTICE

Mrs. D. K. Glenn, president of the Bronte PTA announced that the first meeting of the organization will be held next Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. All the faculty and school patrons are urged to be present.

## Working at Enterprise Mrs. Charlie Phillips

Mrs. Charlie Phillips began work this week at The Enterprise office. Mrs. Phillips will help in gathering the news and other office work.

She is well known in Bronte and will appreciate everyone helping her by turning in their news.

Anyone with local news for the paper may come by the office or call 56.

## BILBO EMPLOYED AT BRONTE PHARMACY

A. J. Bilbo, long time Robert Lee resident and formerly owner of the Bilbo Drug Store there, has accepted a position with the Bronte Pharmacy, J. M. Rippeo, owner, announced this week. Bilbo has been in the drug business since 1918 and operated the store at Robert Lee for ten years. He was born and reared at Sanco.

The new druggist started work here Tuesday morning. He will continue to live in Robert Lee.

## BROTHER DIES

Notice was received of the death of J. W. Gilreath Sunday night. He was the brother of Mrs. G. A. Best and M. G. Gilreath. He was also a former resident here. The body was taken to Burkburnett, Texas for burial. His local relatives were unable to attend the services.

## GETS WATER WELL

One local resident thinks perhaps he has solved some of his water problems. L. F. McCutchen has drilled a water well at his home in the west part of town and said he got quite a bit of water. He also said it seems to be good water.

The water shortage has plagued the entire town in recent weeks, but the west part of town has been hardest hit, being without water much of the time.

## OFF TO COLLEGE

Three local boys this week left for Ranger Junior College where they will enroll for the fall semester. They are Marlon McCutchen, John Riley and Jack Vaughn. Some of the boys are planning to enter football training this fall.



Dedication services were held last Sunday at the new Tennyson Baptist Church. The church has been remodeled and an addition built on. The entire building was given a stucco

finish. It houses a sanctuary, five Sunday School rooms, kitchen and fellowship Hall.

An all day program marked the services with Rev. J. H.

Martin, former pastor, delivering the dedication address. Residents of the community are justly proud of the new building.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Proctor are on vacation in Ft. Worth, Canyon and Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vaughn were in Ballinger on business Tuesday.

**Hospital News**

August 28: Mrs. J. E. Davis admitted.

August 29: Mrs. E. T. Lowrance, Earl Davidson of Edith, Mrs. Laura Woods of Winters, Mrs. Dora Kirkland admitted. Roscoe Baker dismissed.

August 30: Mrs. Randal McCutchen, Londa Garvin admitted.

August 31: Barbara McDaniels admitted.

September 1: Clinton Hurt, Homer Vaughn dismissed. David McDaniels admitted.

September 2: Landa Garvin, Mrs. J. E. Davis of Blackwell, G. C. Casey of Robert Lee dismissed. Miss Alma Dahmann admitted.

September 3: Earl Davidson, Mrs. Laura Woods, Mrs. Dora Kirkland and Mrs. E. T. Lowrance dismissed. Mrs. Earl Box, Mary Jo Blue, Miss Delaine Loftin of Wingate admitted.

**25TH ANNIVERSARY**

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of San Angelo celebrated their 25th anniversary last Wednesday, August 27, with a dinner at their home on Travis street. The cake was made by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bobby Jo Smith of San Angelo and was decorated with the inscription Wilma Gray-Joe Smith, 1927-1952 written in silver.

After dinner their son, Bobby Jo Smith, showed some pictures of the family. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jo Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Levi McRorey, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith, Mrs. Lon Smith, Nate Smith, Miss Bertha Smith, Mrs. Delos Alsop, Mrs. Maurine Smith and Mr. Charles Ragsdale, all of Blackwell. The Smiths have two more sons who were unable to attend, Jerry of San Angelo and Sgt. Wayne Smith of Monroe, La.

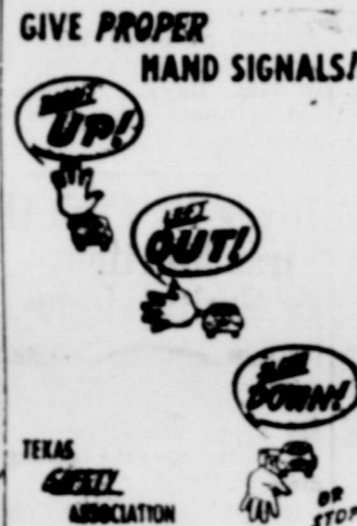


# WELCOME Teachers

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By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thorn and son of Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thorn and sons of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Williams of Waco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Craft of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. George Russell over the weekend. Their son, Ronald, returned home with them after spending the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Othella Vest and children of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hargrave and son of Big Lake spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Annie Hargrave.

Mrs. W. L. Chew is visiting Mrs. Chas. Joe Moore in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Louis Smith and daughter of Midland spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and Dixie.

Mrs. Joe Davis has been ill in the Bronte Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Alsop had as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Wilson and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Holly and daughter of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Griffin of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montgomery and daughters, Mrs. L. H. Montgomery visited relatives in Brownfield and Hereford over the weekend.

Mrs. J. D. Holden and son of Austin and Mrs. Otis Curry and children of Tahoka have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reaves.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Corley had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and children of House, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jordan and Miss Bertha Smith have been visiting in South Texas. While there, they visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson of Rivera, who took them over into Old Mexico. Bobby and Tommy Womack of Sweetwater spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnes.

Dorothy Hollowell of Sweetwater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hollowell of Maryneal, entered the polio ward in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday. She was a 1952 graduate of Blackwell high school and valedictorian of her class.

J. C. Hubbard and family of Ft. Worth visited in Blackwell

### Lucky You by Dick Shaw



Lucky you—you ignored speed limits and lived

Tuesday, J. C. was a former resident of Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Therrell Watts of Luling has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna and other relatives in Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sheppard of Buffalo Gap and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Raimey of Brownwood visited Mrs. D. T. Hunt Monday. Mr. Shepard built the first residence in Blackwell in 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitaker had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Slater of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Slater of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Slater and Mrs. W. T. Hollowell of Sweetwater and Mrs. J. T. Brice and two nieces of Bronte.

#### WSCS

The WSCS met in the home of Mrs. P. G. Dabney Monday afternoon. Mrs. Austin Jordan led in prayer. Mrs. Dabney gave the devotional. Mmes. H. C. Raney and T. A. Carlisle gave the first lesson in the new study "The Rights served to one guest, Mrs. Horace Lemonade and spice cake were served to one guest, Mrs. Horace Ratliff of Yuma, Ariz., and Mmes. D. T. Hunt, Jennings Lewis, T. A. Carlisle, J. W. Leach, Maude Waggoner, Austin Jordan, H. C. Raney, Chas. Ragsdale and the hostess.

### About People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Billingsley and children and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Billingsley and family of Abilene visited in Bronte Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gray of San Angelo were guests in the home of Mrs. R. R. Ash Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark were visitors in Waco during the Labor Day weekend.

Visiting in the home of the Bill Looneys are their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carlton and baby of Raymondville.

Guests in the Jim Williams home over the weekend were Mrs. William's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wells of Freer, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilder visited in the Bill Looney home the past week. Mrs. Wilder is a sister of Mrs. Looney.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson were out of town for the weekend and



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other places before returning to their home in Garland.

A get-together was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Riley Saturday night for their son, John Paul. Marion McCutchen, Jack Vaughn and several friends and neighbors were present.

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SWIFT'S SLICED ENDS BACON	2 LBS.	29c
PURE LARD	3 LB. CTN.	69c
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SWIFT'S ORIOLE BACON	LB.	49c
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**Bronte Enterprise**

**C. E. Arrott To Speak At Meeting**

C. E. Arrott of Bronte, president of the Coke County Farm Bureau, will appear on the program for the sub-district meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation which will be held at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo Saturday of next week, Sept. 13. The meeting will begin at 10 a. m. and will be concluded at 3 p. m. All interested farmers as well as Farm Bureau members are invited to attend. Arrott will discuss "County Board Member's Responsibility on Membership Enrollment" at the meeting.

J. Walter Hammond of Tye, Texas, will be in attendance at the meeting as will Marvin Carter, Federation organization director, and O. R. Long, Field Representative, American Farm Bureau Federation.

C. H. DeVaney of Coahoma, state director for this district will preside. In announcing the sub-district meetings President Hammond emphasized the importance of county leaders meeting with the state officers and staff members to discuss current issues and policies vital to farm and ranch people. Mr. Hammond will discuss the organization's program of work this year and the responsibilities of local leaders. Mr. Lane will present the enrollment plan which has been developed by the State organization and recommended to counties for use in their annual membership enrollment drive scheduled for the week of October 10-17.

The sub-district meetings have been planned to discuss four major things, Hammond said. (1) State and National issues pertaining to agriculture; (2) to have expression from local leaders; (3) how to raise money to finance state government; (4) plans for enrolling 75,000 members in 1952.

**BARBARA GRAY IS PARTY HONOREE**

A birthday party was given Tuesday for Barbara Gray by her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Gray. This was her ninth birthday. Games were played and refreshments of punch and cake were served. Those present included: Mrs. Mary Phillips, Mrs. O. S. Kiker, Mrs. Jane Hornbeck, Bobbie Hornbeck, Loretta Jones, Nona Rippetoe, Rudy Phillips, Jerry McCutchen, Tommie and Mickey Phillips, Patty Gray, Johnny McIntire and the honoree.

**ENTERS NURSES TRAINING**

Cora Beth Whatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Whatley, entered the School of Nursing at the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo last Tuesday.

The student nurses will attend classes at San Angelo College during the fall semester. During the spring semester, they will attend college one-half day and start training at the hospital for one-half day. Her training will last for three years.

Miss Whatley graduated from the Bronte high school last spring and was a popular and well-liked member of her class.

**RUSSELL FAMILY REUNION**

By Mrs. Charise Ragdale  
The Russell reunion was held Sunday at the park five miles north of Blackwell. All the Russell brothers and sisters were present except one brother, Cas Russell.

Brothers and sisters present Oscar of Maryneal, George, Mrs. Wylie McRorey and Mrs. Oswald Everett, all of Blackwell, J. P. of Sterling City, Mrs. Ed McAuley and Mrs. Lee Richards, both of Bronte and M. Russell of Clyde.

Others present for the family gathering included Mrs. H. E. Sanford, Ville Platte, La.; Mrs. W. Carter, Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Russell and son, Midland; Mrs. P. P. Russell, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Craik and Ramon Robinson, Fort Worth. And Ed McAuley, Lee Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Price, Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Wartgrave, Mary and Morris, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Adams, Maryneal; Mr. and Mrs. John G. Adams, Jr. and Raymond Chase, Amarillo.

Also Oxford Everett, Linda Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McRorey and children, Wylie and John McRorey, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McRorey, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Copeland, Mrs. George Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Silger, R. H. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ragdale, all of Blackwell; Mrs. M. Russell of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Davis of Bronte.

**MOVING TO EDITH**

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lowrance are moving to Edith this week. They will operate the store at Edith which they have leased from J. T. Thetford. Mr. Lowrance will be acting postmaster. They plan to take over management next Monday.

**About People You Know**

Mrs. D. M. Ott is in the Shannon hospital in San Angelo, having been admitted there earlier this week for medical treatment.

T. H. Christian from Tucumcari, New Mexico was in town this week visiting friends and attending to business. He was formerly a resident of the Ft. Chadbourne community.

Butane Service Co. this week bought a new GMC truck to add to their fleet of butane trucks.

Visitors in San Angelo Wednesday were Mrs. W. S. Phillips, Mrs. O. S. Kiker of Rotan and Mrs. E. H. Good of Ashland, Kansas. Mrs. Good and Mrs. Kiker are visiting relatives here.

Spruell's Cafe opened again yesterday after being closed for a few days for repairs and rest. Visiting in the Vernon Lammers home last weekend was Carolyn Cato of Houston.

Doyle Adair of Lubbock is home for a several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Adair and other relatives. He has been attending the summer semester at Texas Tech College and will enroll for the fall semester later this month.

Vance Winn and Gerald Sandusky will enroll this week at San Angelo College. Vance attended that school last year and Gerald attended A&M during his freshman year.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wade are new residents of Bronte having moved here from Sonora. He is employed by the Atlantic Pipe line and the couple are occupying one of Jimmy Allen's tent houses.

Bill Terry's family have been on vacation in the mountains of New Mexico.

Ruby Overstreet spent last week on her aunt's ranch near Eldorado.

A large number from here attended the reunion for the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Luttrell last Sunday in the Abilene State Park. A complete list of those present was received too late for this issue and will be run next week.

**BROWSINGS BROOKSHIRE**

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lee of Levelland spent the weekend here with the Ellis Lee and Jodie Hedges families. Sunday they were all dinner guests in the Lee home.

Visiting the J. Boatright's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Boatright, Bobbie and Wilson, and J. A. Baldwin of Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Boom Holland of Ballinger and S/Sgt. W. E. Powell who is stationed in San Antonio. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Macowsky and daughter of Norton, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Holden visited them Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited in Big Spring Sunday. Mrs. Marcus Davidson and Bobbie, who have been visiting there, returned home with them.

Howard Gleghorn spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudlee Labor Day were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith and Wayne of Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gleghorn of Ballinger.

Herbert Holland and Macus Davidson spent 3 days in Fort Worth last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark in San Angelo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges went to Crane Tuesday where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burks and family and will help them move to Corpus Christi where Mr. Burks will go to Baptist University.

Mr. and Mrs. Brashear of Ft. Stockton visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary Sunday. Two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose of San Angelo visited them Wednesday.

tended the ball game at Ballinger Monday night.

Herbert Holland and Roy Lummus were in Pecos last Monday. Tug Boatright, J. P. Tounget, T. G. Gleghorn and Ernest Cox attended the Brotherhood meeting at Lake Brownwood last week.

**SEWING CLUB**

The sewing club met Thursday at the school house with Mrs. Willard Caudlee as hostess. The group embroidered and gifts were exchanged.

Cookies and punch were served to Mines, A. V. Holden, Charlie Brown, J. C. Boatright, T. G. Gleghorn, B. V. Hedges, Jodie Hedges and Cathy and the hostess. The next meeting will be September 11 with Mrs. Charlie Brown as hostess.

**Shivers Asks Speed In Drouth Relief**

Governor Allan Shivers has assured Washington officials that Texas personnel will be available to help in the drouth relief program for Texas farmers and ranchers and at the same time he called on federal agencies to get the relief program underway without further delaying activities.

Almost two weeks ago, Governor Shivers requested President Truman to declare Texas a "drouth area." Following a meeting of farmers, ranchers, bankers and state and federal officials in the governor's office, Shivers asked President Truman to aid Texas farmers and ranchers under U. S. Public Law 876 so that they could be moved into Texas at reasonable prices and other necessary help given to drouth-stricken areas. He told President Truman: "Many of the small farmers and ranchers are desperately in need of assistance."

Truman passed Governor Shivers' request over to Administrator Raymond M. Foley, of the Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency. The Governor then commented that he hoped the Washington Administration would not play politics in an election year while Texas farmers and ranchers were in dire need.

Governor Shivers has repeatedly told Administrator Foley that Texas has no state funds appropriated for obtaining drouth assistance such as securing out-of-state hay for basic herds.

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<b>SWIFTNING</b>	1 LB. CAN 79c	FRESH GROUND Hamburger Meat	LB. 54c
<b>VAN CAMP TUNA</b>	CAN 27c	MIDWEST HORMEL Sliced BACON	LB. 48c
<b>MILK</b>	2 TALL CANS 29c	SWIFT'S CHEESE	2 LB. BOX 81c
<b>NEW CROP PINTOS</b>	2 LBS. 23c	COUNTRY STYLE SAUSAGE	2 LB. SACK 79c
<b>SUN SPUN SALAD DRESSING</b>	QT. 56c	SWIFT'S CURED BACON SQUARES	LB. 33c
<b>PILLSBURY CAKE MIXES</b>	BOX 39c	FRESH CURED JOWLS	LB. 26c
<b>HEINZ BABY FOODS</b>	3 CANS 25c	SUNSPUN OLEOMARGARINE	LB. 22c
		FRESH TOMATOES	LB. 19c
		LEMONS	DOZ. 29c
		BANANAS	LB. 12 1/2c

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