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Boy Scout Drive Nets \$158 To Date; \$900 Is Needed

Good Rain Helps Crops, Pastures

Rains which fell last week, were short lived but brought new hope to this drouth stricken area and did lots of good for farmers and ranchers.

Light showers fell Thursday but the greatest amount of precipitation fell Friday morning around 3 in a thundershower and electrical storm. Rain measured from an inch to 2½ inches throughout this area. About 1½ inches were received here in town.

Some reported stock tanks full, creeks ran and the Colorado River had about a 2 foot rise for the first time in several months.

Skies cleared Sunday with a norther and skies have remained clear and winds chilly all week.

AD-LIB-BEN

There's good news tonight. A legal notice in this week's Enterprise is asking for bids on the paving project in Bronte. The bids will be opened and the contract let Feb. 25. Plans and specifications call for paving 111 blocks or 7.567 miles.

Along with this paving deal come a problem of curbs and gutters for those wanting them. W. W. Grief, engineer employed by Coke County to see that this job is done right, says that if enough residents here want to run curb and gutter that it can be done for only \$1.50 per running foot. This price includes running the paving from the edge of the 30 foot strip on to the curb, usually five more feet.

This price may seem like quite a bit of money, but Mr. Grief assured city council members that this price is much lower than it would be if you were to hire a contractor to do the work for you later. We hope that a great number of property owners take advantage of the opportunity to have this additional work done. It will not only greatly improve the appearance of the street and adjoining property, but will greatly increase the life of the paving.

We were visiting in the office of a printer some time ago and saw this sign on his wall:

"This is a printing office, cross roads of civilization, refuge of the arts against the ravage of time; armory of fearless truth against whispering rumor; incessant trumpet of trade. From this place words may fly abroad, not to perish on waves of sound, not to vary with the writer's hand, but fixed in time, having been verified by proof. Friend, you stand on sacred ground. This is a printing office."

It reads well, doesn't it? We had no idea that this salt mine was such a hallowed place. Frankly, we don't believe that a printer wrote this.

The new Kickapoo church building construction has been going rapidly the past few weeks. Church members hope they will be able to use the church by April 1. The new building is located a block east of highway 277.

A total of \$158.00 had been collected Thursday for the Boy Scout Drive in Coke County. The drive was inaugurated Tuesday morning with a kickoff breakfast at the Baptist Church for workers. Mrs. I. C. Oden, Mrs. T. F. Sims, Jr. and Mrs. John Harris were in charge of the breakfast arrangements.

Plans were made for raising the County quota which is \$900.

Bronte Lions, who sponsor the local scouts, voted at their Tuesday luncheon not to sponsor the Boy Scout Police Day this year. Plans were made for the Scouts to be in town Saturday in order for them to solicit donations from the persons not already contacted.

C. N. Webb Named State SC Director

C. N. Webb of Tennyson, chairman of the Coke County Soil Conservation District, attended the State Supervisors meeting recently held in San Antonio. Mr. Webb was elected to the office of Director of the State Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

B. St. George Tucker has completed construction of a pond for livestock water, diversions and an erosion control dam on his River place South of Robert Lee.

Terraces have been constructed on Mrs. Goda Roanes farm west of Robert Lee. The farm is being operated by Oscar Kresta. D. K. Glenn of Bronte reports that land planted in guar last year was plowing much better than land planted in other row crops.

Several farmers in the district plan to plant more guar this year. Pat Havins, Bob Walker, H. L. Bloodworth and Ray Coalson harvested two to four hundred pounds of guar per acre last year.

Last Rites Held for Henry T. Gray, 94

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Graveside rites for Henry T. Gray, 94, of Goldsmith, were held at the old Fort Chadbourne cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Jim Bell, pastor of the Blackwell Methodist church, officiated.

Mr. Gray was born in Arkansas Dec. 4, 1861 and was married to Andrew Alice Snow in 1866 in DeWitt, Eastland Co., Texas.

A pioneer of Coke and Nolan counties, he is survived by four sons, T. O. Gray of Houston, H. A. Gray and L. D. Gray, Jr. of Deming, N. Mex and O. B. Gray of Overton; five daughters, Mrs. J. W. Thompson of Goldsmith, Mrs. D. H. Alsup, Blackwell, Mrs. Paul Kelly of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Noble Whitaker of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Joe Smith of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. Maud Harris of Knox City, Mrs. J. L. Armstrong of Plains, Tex; 19 grandchildren and 29 great grandchildren.

Mr. Gray passed away Feb. 4 at Goldsmith.

Pallbearers were Ernest Ware, Charles Ragsdale, Ollie Johnson, Ed Smith, Harve McPeters and Roy Sanderson.

Services were under direction of Hubbard Funeral Home of Odessa and assisted by Clift Funeral Home of Bronte.

Curbing Construction Talked By City Council Members

Bronte's city council has had two meetings the past week. Regular meeting was last Friday when the council attended to routine business and met again with representatives of the General Telephone Co.

Euston Woullard, telephone company representative of Sonora, met with the council and again asked that the group act on a rate increase for Bronte. Mr. Woullard was told that the same offer which was made a few weeks ago still

TWO INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

Two indictments were returned by a Coke County grand jury during the opening day of a new District Court term Monday. They are A. L. Bailey, 35, and James Turner, 27, both of San Angelo.

The pair are alleged to have beaten up a driller on the Guy Mabee rig a few weeks ago at the Bob Hickman lease, southeast of Robert Lee. Turner has been charged with assault and battery, while Bailey was indicted for aggravated assault.

Judge Joe L. Mays issued an order that the men are to be tried in County Court, since their crimes are classed as misdemeanors.

Serving as grand jurors were D. K. Glenn, foreman, Tom Wiginton, B. A. Austin, Bobby Baker, W. D. McDonald, Raymond Schooler, J. L. Carwile, Melvin Childress and R. C. Lasswell.

The Grand Jury completed its work in a couple of hours, but will be subject to recall if necessary later in the term. District Attorney Aubrey Stokes presented evidence for the state.

Final papers were granted to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe of Bronte for adoption of a daughter, whom they have named Melodee Sue. The baby was only a few weeks old when she came into the Rippetoe home on March 16, 1954. Judge Mays was due to return to Robert Lee Thursday forenoon to hear a land title case, involving Johnson Estate oil land in the west end of the county. The judge was due back in San Angelo early Thursday afternoon when a grand jury was to be impanelled to investigate Harry Washburn's connection with the car bomb murder of Mrs. Harry Weaver.

Bronte Boys and Girls Win North Half of District 20-B

Bronte boys and girls wrapped up the north half championships by defeating the Robert Lee boys and girls here last Friday night.

Bronte boys now meet the south half district winner, Mertzon, in a two-of-three playoff for the district 20-B title. First of the series will be played at Mertzon, Friday night, Feb. 11 and the second game will be here next Tuesday night, Feb. 15. If a third game is necessary, the time and place will be decided later.

Paced by Arble Phillips Friday night the boys swept to a 21-9 margin at the end of the first half and pushed it to 39-26 by halftime.

stands. This rate increase would give the phone company approximately 50 percent more revenue and would become effective when a new dial phone system is installed.

In another meeting Tuesday night, the council met with W. W. Grief, engineer for the paving project in Bronte. Grief told members of the council that his firm is practically through with the engineering on the paving project. He said that bids could now be received. Coke County commissioners are running a notice to bidders in this issue of The Enterprise and bids will be opened and the contract let Feb. 25.

A copy of the plans and specifications will be on file at the city hall in a few days and anyone interested may go by and look at them.

Grief discussed the matter of laying curbs and gutters along

School Officials Need Your Help

Bronte School officials need the assistance of parents who will have children start to school for the first time next year.

Supt. O. K. Wolfenbarger said this week that only 15 pre-school children have filled out census blanks at his office so far. He believes that there are 20 or more in the school district who have not signed up.

The trouble with not reporting to school officials if you have a youngster who will be in the first grade next year is that the school will lose \$68 on every child who goes unreported.

Supt. Wolfenbarger has to make his report to Austin before March 1. From this report, state officials will determine how much state aid Bronte Schools get next year.

If you have a child or know of a child who has not filled out his census blank, Mr. Wolfenbarger will appreciate it if you will come by his office. He said if anyone who cannot come by will let him know by phone or letter that they have a pre-school child, he will be glad to bring the blank to their home to be filled out.

Twenty children times \$68 is \$1,360. The Bronte Schools can use that money. How about being sure that your child is counted?

with the paving. He recommended that persons who plan to lay curb and gutters do so before the paving is completed.

Streets being paved where the property owners do not wish to lay a curb and gutter will have an asphalt slab 30 feet wide. Present plans are to run the paving the additional feet to meet the curb when property owners wish to make this additional investment.

Council members decided that March 1 would be the deadline for signing up to get curbing done by a contractor selected at a later date by the council. Persons who are interested should contact any member of the council for details on the matter. A deposit of 25 per cent of the estimated cost will be required before the job is begun.

Grief told members of the council that if a sufficiently large number of property owners could be signed up to have curbing done, he was sure a contractor would take the job at \$1.50 per running foot.

By getting one contractor to do all the work, a substantial saving can be made, Grief said.

The engineer told those present at the meeting that he hoped a large number of persons would sign up to have their property curbed, since it would look much better, as well as make the paving last longer.

Grief's firm estimated that the cost of the paving project will total \$77,639.90. The contract will call for 90 working days to complete the project.

DIMES TOTAL REACHES \$3,321

A total of \$3,321.08 has been reached for the Coke County March of Dimes, according to Mrs. Charlie Boecking, campaign director.

\$2,057.56 was collected on the west side of the county and \$1,283.52 on the east side of the county.

Mrs. Boecking said that about \$60 in expenses remain to be paid out of this amount. Drive officials expressed their pleasure over the amount raised, which was more than last year. Most of the money is in, they believe. A womanless Wedding at Silver last week raised over \$400 for the March of Dimes.

CHEVROLET SALES

Caperton Chevrolet Company report the sale of the following new units during January. Passenger units went to Mrs. Jim Brown, Richard Beck, C. P. Oliphant, Allen Bryan, Bill Wrinkle, B. A. Bell, E. D. Osborn, Joe Blake Whalen, T. F. Sims, Jr., W. L. Pettus, Floyd Bagwell.

New commercial units were sold to Conda Richards, Joe Rose, H. D. Talley, Paul McLendon, J. L. Hicks, Humble Oil & Refining Co., and Mrs. Arthur Broome.

REPORT FROM JP COURT

Justice of the Peace C. E. Bruton reported that he had 14 cases filed in Justice Court for Precinct 2 during the month of January plus two cases in small claims court.

Reddy Kilowatt Changes Billing

Reddy Kilowatt, West Texas Utilities Company's versatile service symbol, now greets customers on the monthly service statements in a new manner beginning this week, on handier more convenient post card statements. WTU's local office here in Bronte mailed out the new cards for the first time Feb. 1 instead of the long statement form used so many years.

Inauguration of the new statement form was decided on after lengthy study and investigation which showed the new method would provide a more convenient statement for the customer and a more efficient system for the Company.

H. A. Springer, WTU's local manager said, "The new post card statements are prepared on long sheets of heavy paper that feed through machines in a continuous run much as newsprint runs through a printing press. The machines figure the statements, print them, and separate them for mailing automatically. The 2c postage is printed on each statement at the time the statement is figured and the information is printed on the statement. Use of a mailing permit eliminates the need for stamping the statements separately."

Springer said every effort has been made in preparing this new statement form to keep it as simple as possible and to present all the information the customer desires. He pointed out that the new statement interprets service charges

in both kilowatts of electric power used and hours Reddy Kilowatt worked in the home; that is, kilowatt hours of electric service.

It was pointed out that the new statement is basically a simpler and modernized form of the old statement. There has been no change in rates or manner in calculating the statement. The due date and delivery date remain the same as before.

"This new billing system," said Springer, "is a result of one of the many studies and plans which the Company constantly has under consideration in their efforts to hold the line and keep electric rates at the pre-war level while the cost of everything has gone up and up."

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wolfenbarger of Colorado Springs, Colo. are visiting his brother, A. R. Wolfenbarger.

Methodist Church Notes

The local Methodist church, along with thousands of other Methodist Churches over the land, is engaged in the Nation-Wide Church Attendance Crusade, which extends from January to Easter.

The theme for the period is "God is Our Strength." Attendance in the local church is being registered every service. Several people each Sunday are working to fill one church pew, at least, with worshippers who will be present. Leaflet materials are being distributed to the membership. Systematic visiting will be engaged in, as the period advances. Special music in the services is being stressed, as an attraction for church attendance.

Next Sunday, Feb. 13, will be Race Relations Day, when the general theme of Brotherhood will be stressed. Visitors are cordially invited

Local News

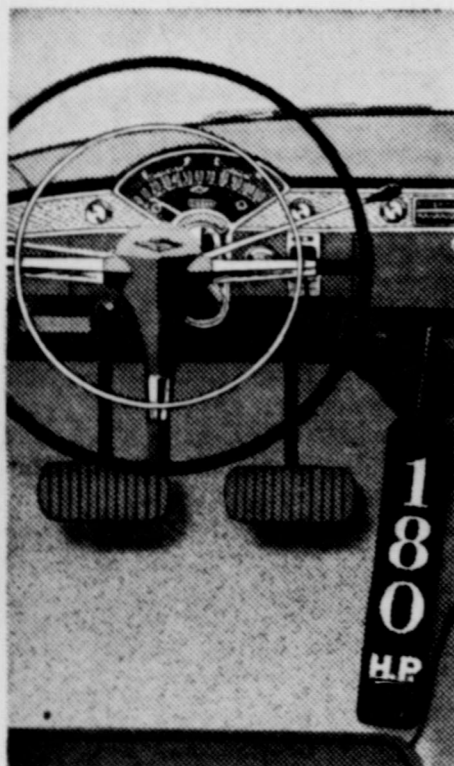
Dewey Luckett left Monday for Big Spring where he will resume work for Wood Drilling Company after being off for three months. He has been recovering from injuries received in a drilling rig accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Alexander had their daughter, Mrs. Dick Webster of San Angelo, Mr. Webster, and Eddie Roe and J. L. Alexander home for the weekend. Eddie Roe and J. L. both were listed on the first semester honor roll at San Angelo College.

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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tounget and children of near Miles visited the Hurlin Lee family Saturday evening.

Mrs. G. L. Cook with her niece of San Angelo visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George

Roach in Rising Star Saturday. The Roaches returned home with Mrs. Cook for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn in Miles Sunday.

Everyone is pleased over the good rain during the weekend. We received close to 2½ inches.

Mrs. G. L. Cook and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mrs. Jerry Landers Monday in the Bronte hospital. She was dismissed Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stephenson attended the Bronte Junior-Senior Banquet Saturday night in San Angelo.

Mrs. J. C. Boatright and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn visited Mrs. Willis Smith Saturday afternoon in Balingier. Mrs. Smith was dismissed Saturday morning from the hospital there after undergoing surgery two weeks ago. Se is reported to be doing well.

The Charlie Brown family has a new TV set.

Mrs. Pete Hubble said Tuesday she had word that morning from her sister in San Angelo announcing the arrival of a new baby girl.

W. Y. and Wilson Boatright were out from Miles visiting the Herbert Hollands Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay visited in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Stephenson was hostess to the sewing club at her home Thursday afternoon. The ladies quilted and pieced quilt blocks.

A refreshment plate of pimento cheese sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cookies and iced tea was served to Mmes. G. L. Cook, J. B. Arrott, James Lee, Herbert Holland, Grace Hedges, Willard Cau-

dle, J. C. Boatright and the hostess. The club will meet Feb. 17 with Mrs. Caudle.

The Jolly Breakfast club met with Mrs. Al D. Richards Saturday. Present were Mmes. Doxie Laidler, Bill Willmann, Dick Jones, Bert Hester. They will meet next with Mrs. Frank Reichert.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jim Rasco is spending this week in Andrews with her daughter, Mrs. Bryan Baker. Mr. Baker is to be out of town for the week...

Out of town guests in the F. S. Higginbotham home over the weekend were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyers of Houston.

Mrs. J. H. Turner spent 10 days in Snyder visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Turner, and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton are leaving Saturday for Wichita Falls where they will attend the

spring merchandise showing for the White Auto Store.. They will go on to Bonham to visit Mrs. Bruton's parents before returning to Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Butner of Bonham were in Bronte for the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. McCutchen and other relatives.

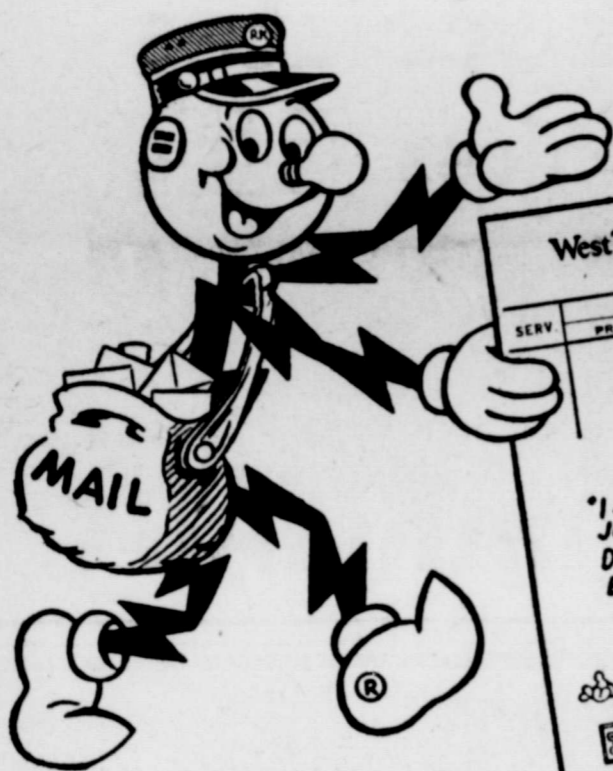
Mrs. C. C. Smith spent several days in Abilene last week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Beulah Tubbs.

San Angelo visitors last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Whitt. They visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Smith and children of San Angelo were over Sunday visiting with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Smith and other relatives.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. John Gaston

Everybody around here is very happy over the moisture we have received the past week. About 1½ inches of rain has fallen since last Thursday.

J. W. Latham of Fort Worth spent the weekend at home with his family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Webb were in Austin last week on business, returning by way of Killeen, where they visited with the Joel Webb family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burleson of San Angelo were Sunday dinner guests with the Tom Greens.

Mrs. Clarence Derrick, who is employed in San Angelo, spent the weekend in Tennyson.

Visiting Mrs. Gaston and Sam on Sunday were Mrs. Claud Cotten, Walter Gaston and children, of San Angelo, and the Grady and John Gaston families.

Mrs. Otis Mayben was hostess to a party at the school house on Feb. 1. Games were played and refreshments of cake, coffee and punch were served to Mmes. Marvin Corley, Ben Murphey, Bill Richardson, Robert Brown, Elbert Francis, Pearl Kennedy and the hostess.

The trip to Houston last week put Jack Corley in bed for a few days, but we are glad to report he is much improved.

Janelle Gaston spent Thursday night with Maria Lou Rees in Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson spent Saturday afternoon with relatives in Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker left Thursday for Abilene to visit Mrs. Harriet LeNoir and the Richard Baker family.

D. A. and Loran Neel of Robert Lee motored down to visit the Burgess Dunns Sunday. The Neels have a new Chevrolet station wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Clark of

Odessa spent the weekend in the John Clark home.

Burgess Dunn and Marvin Corley attended the Rabbit Races in Miles Sunday afternoon. The races were sponsored by the Runnels Co. March of Dimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius spent the weekend with the Fred Giffords at Christoval.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman and children of Bronte visited relatives here Sunday.

Visiting Claude Ditmore over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnis and children of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ditmore and Ray of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaston and children visited with the Howard Brocks in Bronte Friday evening.

Recent visitors in the B. D. Dunn home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Paul Jane and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratliff of Bronte.

Louis Baker made a trip to Houston over the weekend, accompanied by his son, Louis, Jr. of Abilene.

Church of Christ Ladies Meet
Ladies of the Bronte church of Christ met in the home of Mrs. John Gaston Tuesday for their regular work day which is the second Tuesday of each month. Used clothing was collected and mended to be distributed to the needy and a quilt was finished.

Present were Mmes. A. M. Wynne, Albert Bragewitz, J. R. Johnson, C. E. Bruton, Bill Pugh, J. W. Latham, D. J. Corley, Bert Cornelius, Foy Moore, S. O. Jackson, A. E. Coalson, John Coalson, J. H. Turner, Jack Corley and the following guests. Mmes. J. M. Rutherford, Lutie Dunn and Marvin Corley.

MEETS WITH WATER BOARD

L. T. Youngblood was in Austin early this week, along with other UCRA directors. They went to talk with the state water board in regard to a permit for a dam on the Colorado River below Robert Lee. The original permit for the dam has expired. Several cities in this area, including Ballinger and Abilene, have expressed interest in such a dam for municipal water.

Mrs. Denton Smith of Andrews is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word.

Hospital News

Jan. 31: Mrs. Jerry Landers and Mrs. J. M. Huckaby admitted. Cecil Glenn, Claude Ditmore and Doug McMillan dismissed.

Feb. 1: Mrs. Jim Adair admitted. Mrs. George Braswell dismissed.

Feb. 2 — Helen Chew, Blackwell, Mrs. A. S. Hendrey, Blackwell, admitted. Mrs. Jessie Gutierrez, Mrs. Henry Clark, Rev. C. W. Coleman dismissed.

Feb. 3 — Mrs. E. L. Caperton, Mrs. Leroy Bryan, Winters, Mrs. Floyd Fancher, Billy Echols, Blackwell admitted. Mr. E. T. Lowrance, Mrs. Donald Phillips, Abilene, W. H. McKown, Mrs. J. M. Huckaby, Wingate, dismissed.

Feb. 4 — E. J. Smith, Levi Romertson admitted.

Feb. 5 — Luther McCutchen, Floyd Bridges, Mrs. W. C. Green, Blackwell, Elaine Fikes, Robert

Lee, admitted. Mrs. L. T. Youngblood, Mrs. Floyd Fancher, E. J. Smith dismissed.

Feb. 6 — Austin Coulter admitted. Elaine Fikes, Robert Lee, Mrs. Jim Adair, Billy Echols, Blackwell, dismissed.

Feb. 7 — Mrs. R. R. Phillips, Blackwell admitted. Johnny Ro-

binson baby, Norton, dismissed. Bill Thornal, Abilene, admitted and later dismissed.

Feb. 8 — Mrs. C. J. Henry, Blackwell, Floyd Bagwell, Mrs. J. W. Warner admitted. Mrs. E. L. Caperton, Mrs. W. C. Green, Blackwell, Mrs. Jerry Landers dismissed.

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- CHILI, Hormel - - No. 2 45c
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- MORTON'S BLACK PEPPER - 1½ Oz. 9c
- MORTON'S SALAD DRESSING - Pt. 19c
- PINEAPPLE, Dole - Flat Can 15c
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- CATSUP, Libby's - 14 Oz. 19c

- Lettuce - HEAD 10c
- RUBY RED Grapefruit - LB. 10c
- CELLO PKG. Carrots - 11c
- CELLO PKG. Celery - 25c
- LB. Seed Potatoes 5c
- SKINLESS LB. Cured Jowls - 29c
- LB. Pork Roast - 39c



- PURE PORK SAUSAGE, Home Made - Lb. 35c
- STEW MEAT - - - Lb. 17c
- BACON, Swift's Premium - Lb. 59c
- BACON, Hormel Midwest - Lb. 43c
- SWIFTNING - 3 Lb. Tin 79c
- ARM OR SEVEN BONE FEED LOT CATTLE BEEF ROAST - - - Lb. 29c
- GROUND BEEF, Fresh - Lb. 29c
- HORMEL 2 LBS. LB. Margarine - 39c Fryers - 49c

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Mrs. A. S. Whatley, Editor

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February 11, 1955

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The month of February has gotten off to such a nice start. We had the wonderful rain that every body was glad to get. In fact, we were real proud the "ground hog" saw his shadow if that is what it caused.

There are more important dates in Feb. than nearly any month in the year. It starts its celebration on the 12th. As my Dad always said that all important men were born on that day, he adn Abraham Lincoln. Then comes the 14th, Valentine Day. A lot of wives and sweethearts will be expecting a gift. The man of my house is very thoughtful in lots of ways and does a "lot" of dishwashing for me but as far as gifts are concerned, he doesn't know that there is but two dates that he is supposed to shower me with a gift and that is Christmas and my birthday. So if he were to surprise me with a valentine box of candy, I would die of a heart attack and I'm not ready to die, so we will go right on living on the 14th just like any other day.

Then comes an important date on the 20th of Feb. I bet few of you know that the first practical invention was on that date. The first machine for making toothpicks was patented that day in 1872. Goodness, how would we go through life without the good old toothpicks. Truthfully, I didn't know this either until I read it in a little book.

I read something else that I didn't like tho. It said that "if you are not smart at 40, you are seldom smart at 60, man, woman, elephant or goose." I'm not telling my age but I was real disappointed as I had hopes of becoming very intelligent" in my old age.

Ever since I came to Bronte several ladies have made these unusual stuffed peppers. They were so different from my recipe and I thought it would be nice to pass on to you. But they couldn't give me any accurate measurements as they "put it", it was more of a pinch of this and a little of that.

But I tried it out and have worked out some fairly accurate measurmenets. So this is the way it goes.

Stuffed Peppers

4 med. slices of cornbread. Crumble this and put enough water over it to soften the bread.

Add 1 medium onion chopped and 1/2 lb. ground meat. (Chopped left over meat may be used.) To rush the cooking process cook meat a few minutes and pour stock over the bread.

2 eggs, preferably boiled and chopped.

Salt and pepper to taste.

1 small can of tomato sauce or tomatoes may be used.

4 tablespoons bacon drippings 1/2 can of left over corn is good to add to this.

Mix all this together well and use this mixture for stuffing your peppers.

If you do not care for so much pepper, you may put a layer of the mixture and slices of peppers and another layer until you have used one or two peppers. This is enough to give it a good pepper flavor.

MISS LA JEAN WORD, BILLY JOE LUCKETT MARRIED FEB. 6 AT METHODIST PARSONAGE

The First Methodist Church parsonage was the scene for the wedding of Miss La Jean Word to Billy Joe Lockett last Sunday, Feb. 6, at 5 p. m. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lockett.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. C. Craig, pastor of the Methodist church.

For the single ring ceremony, the bride wore a navy blue suit, blue and white accessories and a white gamelia corsage.

Miss Ruby Overstreet was the bride's only attendant and wore a beige dress, navy accessories and a blue carnation corsage.

Dewey Lockett attended his brother as best man.

Immediate members of both families attended the wedding.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico, the couple will make their home in Big Spring. He is employed by Wood Drilling Co.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Lockett are graduates of Bronte High School. Mrs. Lockett has been attending buisness college in San Angelo.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET HELD AT SAN ANGELO HOTEL

Members of the Bronte Junior and Senior classes held their annual banquet last Saturday night, Feb. 5, in the Cactus Hotel, San Angelo.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the ballroom. Guests numbered sixty-seven, including the faculty, board members, puniors and seniors.

Johnny Smith gave the Invocation and Linda Lasswell welcomed guests with Ann Adams giving the response.

Mrs. Gray Baker gave a solo, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Chet Holcombe. Mrs. Jeff Dean of Robert Lee was the main speaker of the evening.

The program was brought to a close with Leslie Caperton giving the benediction.

After the banquet many attended the Prom and a lovely evening was reported by all.

PTA MEETING

A regular session of the Parents Teachers Association was held Tues. night in the High School Gym with Mrs. Charlie Boecking as leader. Three numbers by the band, directed by Thomas Knox, was given to the group.

Miss Sue Garmany gave a talk on "We, The People Promote the General Welfare" followed by a brief history of the Parent Teach-Association by Mrs. D. K. Glenn. Mrs. George Thomas gave the closing prayer.

At the social hour a Silver tea was held by the Freshman and Sophomore mothers and their sponsor, Mrs. Royce Fancher.

Weekend guests in the Jim Williams home were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wells of Freer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Arn and children of San Angelo spent the weekend here with Mrs. Fred McDonald, Sr.

B. J. Reeves spent this week in Stanton. Mrs. Reeves will leave today to join him and they will visit their children.

MRS. BAKER HOSTESS TO SOROSIS CLUB

Mrs. Grady Baker was hostess to Sorosis Club members in her home last Thursday night. "How to Have a Greener Lawn" was discussed by Mrs. Clyde Lee.

A short business meeting was conduted by Mrs. Royce Fancher. Club members voted to spend \$50 on more street signs for Bronte.

Strawberry cake and ice cream roll, nuts, mints, coffee and Cokes were served to Mmes. Roy Robinson, Royce Fancher, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, J. B. Morrow, Jesse Parker, Ben Oglesby, Edward Cumbie, W. D. McDonald and the hostess.

Next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Morrow.

Diversity Club Meets In McQueen Home

Regular meeting of the Diversity Study Club was held last Thursday night in the home of Mrs. O. R. McQueen. The program for the evening was "Mode of Today's Home." Mrs. J. B. Mackey showed color slides of "Your Home Charming" with Mrs. Cecil Kemp acting as commentator. "Planning and Buying for a New Home" was given by Mrs. Joe Carter.

A plate of chicken salad, potato chips, olives, fruit cake and spiced tea was served to Mmes. Arnold Ball, Robert Forman, D. K. Glenn, R. C. Lasswell, Ernestine Powell, R. W. Rees, H. A. Springer, George Thomas, A. S.

Whatley, Joe George Wilkins, W. C. Craig, Kemp, Mackey, Carter and the hostess.

Mrs. A. S. Whatley was winner of a door prize which was some Celanese material.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gentry visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Black, over the weekend in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wells and sons spent several days in Freer the last of January visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack M. Wells. While there they attended a retirement party that was given Mr. Wells, who had been working for the Humble Co. for more than 24 years.

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FRESH PORK ROAST - Lb. 39c

BRICK CHILI - Lb. 42c

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'REVOLT IN BERLIN' TO SHOW AT FIRST BAPTIST FEB. 20

Exclusive East Berlin shots of the world-shaking uprisings of June 17, never before seen in this country, highlight Providence-Barrington Bible College's second film "Revolt in Berlin" to be shown at First Baptist Church on February 20 at 7:30 p. m.

"Revolt in Berlin" is a timely, informative drama - documentary film based on the titanic struggle between Communism and Christianity. It has been filmed on both sides of the Iron Curtain and therefore is authentic.

For the facts David Ferrin, the producer, went to Berlin. To get them he braved the threat of Russian soldiers. But he was lucky enough to buy exclusive footage showing East German youth going through illegal war maneuvers - pictures actually taken for the Communists by an East Berlin photographer who had fled to the West.

The fictional element of this fast-moving, 16 MM, black and white film carries the persuasive message that Christianity is the only real answer to Communism. It centers around a young German



girl grown up under both the Nazis and Communists, but who is led to Christ by a young former Stars and Strips reporter who fell in love with her during the last war and now returns to Germany to win her hand.

Imogene Kelly, a student at Providence-Barrington Bible College, portrays the young German girl Walter Covell, promotion manager of WJR-TV, plays the role of the reporter and both are supported by Mrs. Ethel Barrett, a well-known radio and TV personality.

The purpose of the film is twofold: To present documentary evidence of the threat of Communism, and to win souls to Christ. The Gospel story is woven throughout the film.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Caperton have purchased the former Joe Carter home on Church Street. They moved into their new home on Monday of this week.

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Lunchroom Menu

Monday, February 14
Barbecued beef, mashed potatoes, pork and beans, pickles, biscuits, cooked raisins.

Tuesday, February 15
Beans and salt pork, macaroni and cheese, canned tomatoes, cole slaw, corn bread, cake.

Wednesday, February 16
Hamburger steaks, blackeyed peas, whole kernel corn, salad, biscuits, fruit cobbler.

Thursday, February 17
Salmon croquettes, white beans, spinach, tomato slices, corn bread, peanut butter cookies.

Friday, February 18
Pinto beans, hot tamales and cheese, cabbage and apple salad, rolls, peaches.

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. H. Richardson of Los Angeles, Calif. and Mrs. W. A. Beasley of Chase, La. are here visiting their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Coulter.

Mrs. Will Gideon left last Wednesday for a month's vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Jeanne Favor and sons in Chicago, Ill. Her daughter will be gone for 10 days to South America while her mother is there to stay with her sons.

NOTICE!

Although there is no Ordinance against the keeping of animals, "OTHER THAN HOGS" in the city it has been brought to the council's attention, that people keeping these animals in the City, "MUST KEEP THE LOTS AND BARNS CLEAN," so that the proper sanitation may be maintained.
Ernest Ivey, Mayor

NOTICE OF BIDS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, for Depository of said Coke County and Coke County Common School District Funds for the next Two (2) years in accordance with Article 2544 (2440) Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, of Texas at the February Term, beginning on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1955. Said Court will receive proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in said County that may desire to be selected as the Depository of said County.

Any Banking Corporation, Association or individual banker in said County, desiring to bid, shall deliver to the County Judge on or before the first day of the Commissioners' Court at which the selection of the Depository is to be made, a sealed proposal, stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker offer to pay on the funds of the County for the term between the dates of such bids and the next regular term for the selection of a depository.

Said bids shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the County's revenues of the preceding year as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid should be accepted he will enter into bond as herein provided, and upon failure of said banking corporation, association or individual banker that may be selected as such depository to give the bonds required by may be selected as such Depository shall go to the County as liquidated damages and the County Judge shall re-advertise for bids, said Court reserving the right to reject any and all bids proposed.

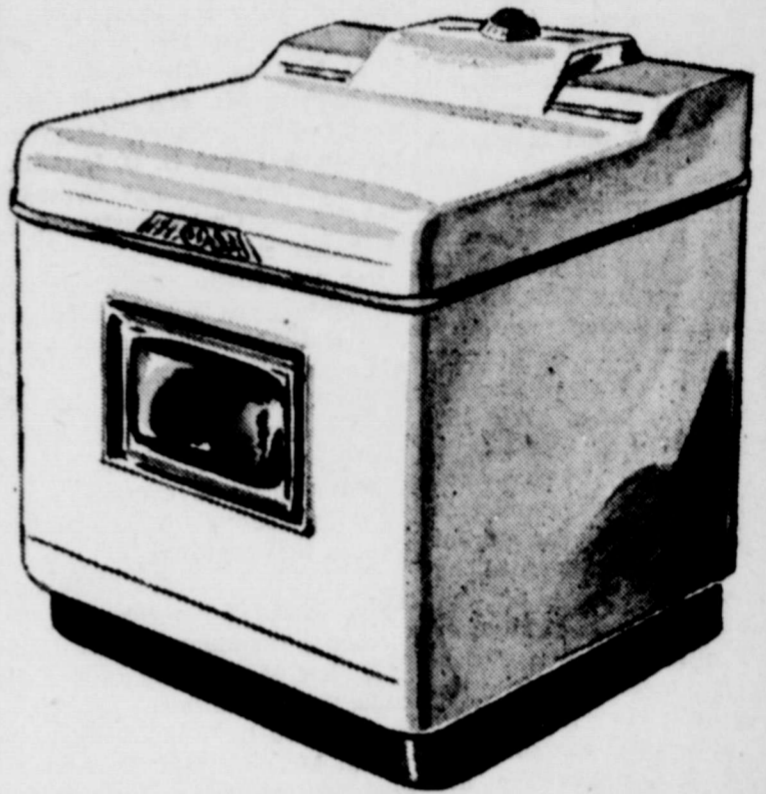
GIVEN under my hand and seal of office this 18th day of January, A. D. 1955.

Jeff Dean
County Judge,
Coke County, Texas.

(Seal)...

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton had their two daughters, Mrs. Bon Spoons of Priddy and Mrs. E. O. Nicholas of San Angelo, here one day this week. While they were here, each one was presented with a new Chevrolet by the Brutons.
In Bronte visiting over the weekend was Ervin Shields of Noodle Creek. He was visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bun Shields.

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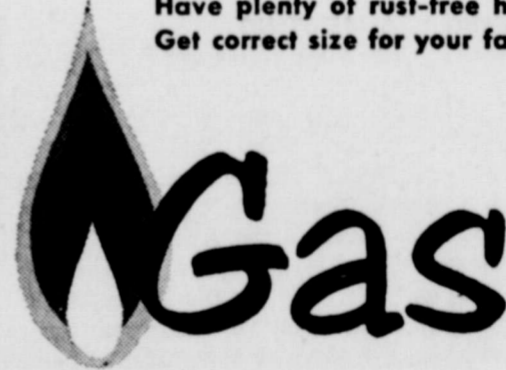
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HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. Ben Richards of Lubbock has been a guest in the home of his son, Kelly Richards, and Mrs. Richards.

Mrs. Henry Ware underwent surgery in the Sweetwater Hospital last week.

Those who are ill in the Bronte Hospital are Mrs. Claud Green, Mrs. Raymond Phillips and Helen Chew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Chew.

Mrs. R. T. Whitehead is ill in the hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. John English and friends, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hollingsworth, of Lubbock have been guests in the H. C. Raney and Roy Sanderson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dean Spence and daughter of Abilene spent the

weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Spence.

Mrs. Lilly Wimberly has been ill in the Winters Hospital.

Mrs. Ernest Ware has taken over the Lakeside Cafe that Mr. Ratliff owned. Mr. Ratliff had to retire due to ill health.

PTA Meeting

The Blackwell PTA met Monday night at the school house. Mrs. Abe Lanier presided.

The Blackwell Band made their first appearance. Band director is Lee Page of Abilene.

The eighth grade sang two songs accompanied by Miss El Wanda Davies. Wade Lewallen gave a poem "The Girl Next Door." Rex Reagan sang two songs, "Penny Candy" and "I Want a Date," accompanied by Neva Reagan.

Miss Mary Lanott gave a talk on "Economic Security". Nolan Co. Superintendent Coffey Welch spoke on "Consolidation of Rural Schools and how Blackwell Can Keep Their School." Mrs. Joe Benson and Mrs. L. W. Sweet both talked on talents of local people and how they can be used to benefit the school and the community.

Miss Mary Nell Bowen gave "We the People." Mrs. Abe Lanier and the home making girls served hot cocoa, coffee and cookies to the group.

Feb. 15 Deadline To Apply For Aid In Drouth Relief

Paul C. Shillingburg, County Supervisor, of the Farmers Home Administration office in Nolan and Coke Counties said the following telegram has been received from the National Office:

"Effective midnight February 15, 1955, no further applications for assistance under the Emergency Feed Program will be approved by County Committees. Arrangements will be made for committee meetings to be held on February 15 as may be necessary to act on any applications which are then on hand. Federal funds may be used for making payments under hay contract only for deliveries of hay through March 31. Approved applicants will continue to have 120 days to use purchase orders issued for grain."

To further clarify the above ruling, applications for grain may be taken through February 15, 1955, that will supply the applicant with

grain for a period of sixty days from the date of the application. Applicants who have previously qualified for feed assistance for a period extending beyond February 15 may reapply on or before that date. In such instances applicants may qualify for hay for an additional period not to extend beyond March 31, 1955, and for grain for an additional period not to extend beyond 60 days from the date of reapplication, taking into consideration in each instance the amount of feed on hand and that previously authorized, and period covered by previous application.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids for constructing approximately 111 blocks, or 7.567 miles, of City Streets in Bronte, Coke County, Texas, addressed to the Commissioners Court of Coke County, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Judge in Robert Lee until 2:00 P. M. February 25, 1955, and then publicly opened and read.

The right is reserved, as the interest of the Owner may require, to reject any or all bids, and to waive any technicalities on bids received.

Each bidder must submit a statement of his experience, financial resources and all equipment available for this job along with his bid.

Plans, specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the office of the Engineers, W. W. Greif & Associates, either in McCamey or Robert Lee, Texas, upon the deposit of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per set and payment of one dollar (\$1.00) for postage and mailing costs if plans are to be mailed. The entire deposit will be refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to the Engineer not later than 48 hours prior to bid opening time; or (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to the Engineer not later than five (5) days after the time that bids are received.

Plans and specifications are on file and may be examined in the office of the County Judge and the County Clerk at the Courthouse in Robert Lee, Texas.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT
COKE COUNTY

By Judge Jeff Dean
Robert Lee, Texas

The Bronte Enterprise

February 11, 1955

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark had her sister from Winters visiting them over the weekend.

Two families who have been living in Bronte for several months moved to Odessa last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan and girls and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Husse and children.

Capt. and Mrs. Roy T. Pryor and Cathy of Panhandle were in Bronte for the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Collins and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Tidwell and son spent the weekend in Canyon with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Tidwell, Jr.

Mrs. Mary Walker spent the weekend in San Angelo where she was called by the serious illness of her mother-in-law.

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KIMBELL	2 NO. 300 CANS	
	SPAGHETTI, Tomato Sauce -	25c
	SUGAR - - - 5 Lbs.	45c
KIMBELL'S	WHOLE SWEET POTATOES -	26c
MORTON'S	1/2 OZ.	
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	TIDE OR CHEER - Lge.	29c

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PORK CHOPS, Fresh -	Lb.	45c
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BACON - - - -	Lb.	43c
FRESH COUNTRY EGGS -	Doz.	42c
T-BONE STEAK - -	Lb.	50c
PICNIC HAMS, Hormel -	Lb.	40c
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The T. C. Baggett Family.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Harris and the nurses for their kindness during my recent stay in the hospital. I also want to thank my friends and neighbors for their kindness.
Luther McCutchen

CARD OF THANKS
The family of H. T. Gray wish to express their appreciation and thanks to their many friends of Blackwell and vicinity for their kindness during their recent bereavement.

ATTENDS MINISTERS' MEET

The local pastor, Rev. W. C. Craig, attended the 20th annual session of Ministers' Week, at SMU in Dallas this week. The lectures began Monday night, and closed at noon Thursday. More than 1,000 ministers and laymen annually attend these special lectures from the entire South Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church, an area in the southwest covering 8 states.

The Fondren Lectures on Missions were given by Bishop A. Frank Smith of Houston. The Peyton Lectures on Preaching were given by Rev. George F. McLeod, of Union Theological Seminary, New York City. The Jackson Lectures on the Bible were delivered by Rev. Henry J. Cadbury, of Harvard University.

This Ministers' Week Program is sponsored each year by the Perkins School of Theology of S. M. U. and this week marks the 40th year in the life of the School of Theology.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gray of Overton came for a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Walton. Mr. Gray was here to attend funeral services for his father Sunday at Fort Chadbourne.

District Scout Meet Held Here

The Colorado River District Round Table was held recently in the American Legion Hall with twenty-four persons present. Purpose of the round table was to stimulate interest in cub packs, scout troops and explorer units in this Boy Scout District.

Scout Richard Rees, along with his fellow troopers, gave a demonstration of an ideal opening ceremony for a troop meeting. This was followed by an introduction of those present.

O. K. Reynolds, who is in charge of scouting in this area, gave the group some games and demonstrations and Jack Frey of Pack 30 in Ballinger explained the Webelos Den. The future activities of scouting in this area were discussed and this was followed by an appropriate song under the direction of Joseph A. King. Another meet-

ing is planned at Silver on March 3 at the Sun Oil Recreation Center.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. I. C. Oden, Mrs. John R. Harris, H. A. Springer, Richard Wayne Rees, Rex and Ann Harris, Tommy Glenn Sims, Charles Oden, Victor Ivey, C. E. Bruton, Joe Rose, T. F. Sims, Jr., Ernest Ivey, Rev. Maynard R. Rogers, D. K. Glenn, Rev. W. C. Craig, D. R. Carson and L. B. Carder of Silver, J. P. Flynt, Jr., Jack Frey, and O. K. Reynolds, area director, all of Ballinger, Jack Grey of Robert Lee, Buddy Wyman, Camp Ranger of Camp Sol Mayer, Menard and Joseph A. King, district commissioner of the Colorado District, Paint Rock.

Those attending the banker's convention last Friday in San Angelo included Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn, Mrs. Edna Butner, L. T. Youngblood, Mr. and Mrs. Collins Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carter and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Willoughby.



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