

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Girls Win District By Beating Mertzon

Bronte girls basketball team will meet the Sterling City team next Tuesday night, March 1, for bi-district honors. The game will be played in the Lakeview gym at San Angelo at 7:30 p. m. and a large crowd of Bronte fans are expected to follow the girls there for the game. Admission will be 25 and 50 cents. Winner of this game will represent this region in the Regional tourney at Brownwood soon.

Winners of the district title, by virtue of two straight wins in a two of three series, the Bronte girls have lost only four games in 27 starts this year. They lost two games to Westbrook, one to Laké View and one to Sterling City, their opponents next Tuesday night. This game was played at the Christoval tournament finals with Sterling City nosing the local lasses out by only one point.

In the first game with Mertzon on Tuesday night of last week, Bronte won 56 to 49 on the home court.

Last Thursday night they traveled to Mertzon to win 59-35. The locals led all the way, 19-6 at the end of the first quarter; 30-16 at halftime; 34-20 at the end of the third period and 59-35 at the end of the game.

Mary Ann Gray accounted for 34 points for Bronte. Scooter Snead made 14 and Joe Ann Rusk scored 11.

## AD-LIB-BEN

Your presence is needed this weekend at the Basketball Tournament at the Bronte School gym. Proceeds from the tourney are going to the Boy Scouts. A number of high powered teams are entering and some A-1 basketball will be up there for those who go.

We've made lots of mistakes in newspapers in the past, but the worst we've made to date was a short story last week reporting the death of Fred Graham, who was critically injured in a car wreck south of here before Christmas.

It seemed to be common knowledge around town last Tuesday and Wednesday that he had died from his injuries and we made some effort to verify the facts but were unable to do so. Not being able to find out any of the facts we ran the short item that he had died. This is mighty poor newspapering and we blame nobody but ourselves. We should have known that the story was true and not just started by idle gossip before we ran it.

This part of the story we have verified. Mrs. Graham called to Bronte the first of the week and reported that he is still in the Dallas hospital, maybe slightly improved, but still critically ill. She said that he will be moved to an Andrews hospital this weekend.

To anyone who was inconvenienced and particularly to Mr. Graham's family, we sincerely apologize and hope that he continues to show improvement.

Driving is a lot like baseball — it's the number of times you get home safely that counts.

For Mertzon Jo Ann Harkley hit 6 points; Wanda Wuestinger 12; Jewel Wanreck 11 and Sue Hartgraves 6.

Starting lineup for Bronte included Rusk, Snead and Gray as forwards; Ann Adams, Flora Mae Brown and Wanda Tomlinson, guards.

Coach Grady Baker started the season with three regulars from last year's team, Rusk, Gray and Brown. In the 27 games Mary Ann Gray has scored 710 points.

## SIGN FOR CURBS BY MARCH 1

Up to Thursday morning, 18 persons had signed up to have curb laid around their property before paving is completed. Amount of footage to be curbed could not be determined for sure, as some of the signers had not made known the amount they wanted.

Estimated cost of the curbing is \$1.50 per running foot. This includes stand-up curb and gutter. Total width will be 18 inches.

The city council in a special meeting Monday night, voted that curbs shall be laid ten feet from property lines, leaving the space between for sidewalks, utilities poles, trees, etc.

The council also decided that where curbs already exist that new curbs should be laid in line with them, so far as it is practical.

March 1 is the deadline to sign up to have the curbing done. Everyone who wishes to sign up is urged to do so before that date. Plans are to get the curbs and gutters laid before paving is completed, so that the new paving can be joined with the curb.



FIRST WOMAN JUROR from Bronte is Mrs. Otis Smith who is serving this week hearing the suit of John Burroughs and S. E. Adams vs. Ervin H. Halfman. Suit is to cancel lease on 740 acres of land.

Earlier in the week, Mrs. J. S. Ferrell and Miss Zelda Caraway way of Robert Lee sat on the jury which heard the case of C. R. Richards vs. C. J. Henry, a damage suit.

## Red Cross Drive Begins March 1

Annual Red Cross drive for funds for Coke County is being planned, to start March 1, according to Charlie Boecking, County Chairman. Claude Word has been named County Fund chairman.

Word and Boecking are trying this week to get committees and workers lined up and anyone who will volunteer to help is asked to contact one of them.

Quota for Coke County this year is \$985.

More details of the drive will be announced next week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary last Tuesday. Their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nicholas of San Angelo entertained the couple for supper.

## City Election Called for April 5; 2 Councilmen to Be Named

Regular city election for Bronte has been called by the City Council. It will take place on Tuesday, April 5, and will be held at the City Hall. Two new aldermen will be elected. The terms of H. A. Springer and Leonard Fletcher are expiring.

Despite the fact that the election is more than a month away, not too much time remains for persons to file as candidates for the office. In order to have their names printed on the ballot a can-

didate must file 30 days before the election, which is March 6.

Any person living in the city is eligible to put his name on the ticket by filing it with Mayor Ernest Ivey or at the City Hall.

Ivey's term has another year to run as do the terms of councilmen Charlie Boecking, Ben Oglesby and Joe George Wilkins.

## UCRA To Ask For Permit For Dam On Colorado River

Directors of the Upper Colorado River Authority voted to present another application March 7 to impound waters of the Colorado River.

The proposed site would probably be in Coke County and has been referred to as the Robert Lee Dam.

L. T. Youngblood, president of the UCRA, and Gerald Allen, secretary, were instructed to attend the hearing by the Board of Water Engineers at Austin March 7, presenting a new petition for water impoundment.

The old permit expired because its terms were not carried out. It called for starting construction of a dam within two years and completion within eight years. The permit was dated July 1, 1947. It called for impounding 670,000 acre feet with a runoff of 156,000 acre feet annually and caring for irrigation of 58,000 acres in Coke, Runnels and Tom Green counties.

The new one is reduced, calling for 500,000 acre feet impoundment and 132,000 acre feet runoff, the reduction being due to yielding 24,000 acre feet to Lake Thomas.

The directors also voted to adopt a social security for employees other than officers and directors, and to reduce the amount of bonds required for bank depositories from \$120,000 to \$50,000 each. The Robert Lee State Bank and the Bronte First National Bank are depositories now.

## COURT CASES DECIDED WITH WOMEN ON JURY

Three women served on the jury this week for the first time in the history of Coke County. Miss Zelda Caraway and Mrs. J. S. Ferrell were selected on the jury to hear the damage suit of C. R. Richards vs. C. J. Henry. The damage suit was a result of an accident which occurred when Richards was helping Henry with some windmill work at his ranch near Blackwell. Richards asked damages of \$17,500. The jury's verdict allowed him \$325.

Mrs. Otis Smith was called in Wednesday on the jury for the lawsuit of John Burroughs and S. E. Adams vs. Ervin Halfman. Adams and Burroughs were seeking to cancel the lease which Halfman had on 740 acres of land southwest of Robert Lee. Plaintiffs claimed that Halfman had not abided by terms of his lease. The case was expected to go to the jury late Thursday.

District Judge Joe L. Mays is presiding.

When asked about her first day of jury duty, Mrs. Smith reported that it was long and tiring but that the 11 other jurors were certainly polite.



DISTRICT CHAMPS — Bronte's girls basketball team that won the Dist. 20-B championship by taking the first two of a two-of-three series from Mertzon last week.

Pictured on the bottom row are the two co-captains of the team, left, Mary Ann Gray, for-

ward and Flora Mae Brown, guard.

On the second row, left to right are Coach Grady Baker, Scorekeeper Frances Ann Carlton, Guard Barbara Miller, Forward Jo Ann Rusk, Guard Patricia Tounget, Guard Linda Lasswell, Forward Jane Powell, For-

ward Wanda Belle Snead and Manager Jo Roland.

On the back row, left to right, are Guard Patsy Brock, Forward Rickie Dell Hester, Guard Wanda Tomlinson, Guard Ann Adams, Forward Jo Ann Gentry and Forward Iris Mae Brice.

### Air Force Seeks Re-Enlistments

According to M/Sgt. Massey, head of the local USAF Recruiting Station, the Air Force's 1955 re-enlistment program is re-emphasizing the prestige, authority, and leadership of noncommissioned officers.

Sgt. Massey said that a recent policy guide was published by US-F, calling for NCO job assignments of increased complexity and responsibility, more commensurate with experience and ability.

The directive calls for fuller utilization of NCO's in the supervisory structure of the Air Force through greater delegation of authority.

As an outgrowth of the new policy, more attention is being given by the Air Force to the basic social and economic needs of airmen, including efforts to provide adequate housing for both single and mar-

ried airmen. It also calls for continuing support to the individual and his family, emphasizing educational, recreational and social programs and facilities.

"The policy also recognizes the importance of each airman as an individual and can be interpreted as another step being made by the Air Force to carry out Secretary Talbott's desires in achieving a volunteer Air Force second to none," concluded M/Sgt. I. P. Massey.

Further details on enlistments and re-enlistments are available at the Air Force Recruiting Station located at Room 204, Rust Building, San Angelo, Texas.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding Saturday night of Ginger Clark and Billy Jack Gentry were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrison and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hayley, Miss Rosa Lee Holland, Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner, Phil and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Berryhill, Betty and Delphane of Ballinger and Mrs. S. B. Henry of Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe and girls spent the weekend in Weatherford visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Bernard.

### WORK STARTS ON NEW COKE COURT HOUSE

Work started Monday on the construction of Coke County's new court house. A. Z. Sturges is the superintendent in charge of the project. Suggs Construction Co. of Big Spring was awarded the contract Feb. 2 on their low bid of \$270,818. A bond issue of \$300,000 was voted last fall for the new court house.

Work was begun when Fern Havins, Robert Lee dirt moving contractor, brought in two bulldozers to clear off the site. Trees, sidewalks and the stone fence were pushed off and excavation of the basement is now underway.

The basement to be located under the southeast quarter of the building will have dimensions of 40 x 75 feet and will be 12 feet deep.

Concrete walls for the basement will be run as soon as possible, after which work will start on wall footings for the building, Mr. Sturges said. First floor of the new court house will be two feet above ground level.

Union scale will be paid all workers, ranging from \$1 for common labor to \$2.20 for carpenters.

Mr. Sturges has hired a few local men, but does not expect to have any more jobs until after the basement concrete has been run.

The project is expected to require a year's time.

### 1955 CAR TAGS NOW AVAILABLE

New 1955 motor vehicle licenses went on sale in Coke County last week. More than 50 had been issued up to Wednesday.

The 1955 tags are more attractive with black letters and numerals on a deep orange background.

Passenger car tags in Coke County will have an FT prefix, instead of the FN lettering which we have become accustomed to the past year. Coke was allotted 1,600 passenger car licenses and they run from FT 6250 to FT7849.

Commercial truck licenses have a IY prefix and run from 10 to 324. There will be 450 licenses available for farm pickups. They have a prefix of 5R and run from 2850 to 3299.

Auto licenses are delinquent April 1, but folks in the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector Paul Good are ready and willing to serve you now and not wait for the last minute rush.

### LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Whitt had their son, Hubert, Jr. of Jal, New Mexico to visit them over the weekend. Also their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Fleming and girls of San Angelo.

Visitors from San Angelo last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dergen who visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stevens. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry and Linda spent Sunday in San Angelo visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry and the men's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Henry, who were there from Lampasas.

Visiting in the Foy Moore home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Philly and daughter of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens of Snyder.

Mrs. Richard Hembrey and baby of Odessa spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McShan. Mrs. McShan and Miss Ella Clyde Black carried her home on Saturday, returning to Bronte on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Moore went to Vernon today to attend a retirement party for an Humble employee who had 30 years of service with the company.

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AGENTS

# Coke County Quarterly Statement

From October 1, 1954, to December 31, 1954

Fund	Balances		Receipts	Disbursements	Balances	
	Oct. 1, 1954				Dec. 31, 1954	
Road and Bridge	\$ 30,386.54*		\$ 34,474.20	\$ 19,966.21	\$ 15,878.55*	
General County	24,360.76		54,965.96	9,347.30	69,979.42	
Court House and Jail	52,938.14		54,859.53	18,286.40	89,511.27	
Jury	33,524.81		10,972.90	581.39	43,916.32	
Officers Salary	5,232.16		15,743.01	8,129.94	12,845.23	
Farm to Market	57,097.21		50,320.74	9,128.28	98,289.67	
Road and Bridge Spec.	15,573.27*		33,915.72	28,154.69	9,812.24*	
Road Bond No. 1 Sinking	17,331.83		0	0	17,331.83	
Road Bond No. 3 Sinking	13,578.35		0	0	13,578.35	
Lateral Road	6,524.24		0	0	6,524.24	
Social Security	2,176.13		0	966.38	1,209.75	
Coke Co. Bond Acct. Pct. 1	245,714.97		0	5,561.30	240,153.67	
TOTALS	\$458,478.60		\$255,252.06	\$100,121.89	\$593,339.75	

NOTE—\* Indicates Over-Drawn.

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF COKE, ss

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Weldon Fikes, County Clerk, Coke County, Texas, who being duly sworn, says that the within and foregoing is true and correct statement as taken from the Quarterly Report of the County Treasurer of Coke County, Texas.

Weldon Fikes, County Clerk,  
Coke County, Texas

Sworn and subscribed before me this 10th day of February, A. D. 1955.

J. L. Tinkler  
Notary Public in and for Coke County, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Whitt are leaving tonight by train for Washington, D. C. on a 10-day vacation. They will meet their son, Lamar, there. Lamar is receiving his discharge from the army and the three plan to tour several states before returning home.

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## San Angelo Show And Rodeo To Be Best In History

This year's Rodeo at San Angelo, March 3rd thru 6th, will be the best ever featured. In addition to the five standard events are wild cow milking, square dancing on horseback, Air Force Kadence Kadets, the famous Budweiser Clydesdale 8 Horse Hitch, Palmetto Polo, and Ken Boen, the clown, featuring 4 acts including the old gray mare and Arkansas traveler.

A new feature has also been added to the Fat Stock Show — The Club Calf Sale, Saturday, Mar. 5, at 12 noon. These calves are being sifted and are only top quality calves. Tickets are reduced if bought before Wednesday noon, March 2nd. \$10.00 season grandstand tickets for \$8.00, \$8.00 season bleacher tickets for \$6.00, and Thursday only grandstand tickets for \$1.50. Tickets may be purchased at the B. C. D. office, in the Cactus Hotel, or write Box 712, SanAn gelo.

From a local interest standpoint, exhibiting from Coke County are: Mary Beth Schooler, James Harmon, Larry Hudson, Kenneth Wink, Larry Lindsey, Benny Corley, Dee Arrott, Morgan Russell, Wayne Bridges, Eddie Glenn, Jesse Ray Ensor, Curtis Walker, Leslie Nell Wink, Butch Arnold, Jimmy Arnold, Tommy Lee, Richard Spencer and Brenda Corley.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST

## SCHOOL NEWS

Trustees of the Bronte School will meet tonight to select seats for the auditorium in the new school building.

Bronte School representatives attended Student Council and a Texas Safety Education meeting at Big Spring last Tuesday. Those going were Principal Garland Black, Jimmie Tomlinson, 8th grade; Robert Moore, 9th grade; Richard Wayne Rees, 10 grade; Leslie Caperton, 11 grade; Frances Ann Carlton and Glenna Fletcher from the 12th grade. Students reported the meeting very informative.

The Junior Class met with Mrs. Henry last Monday and selected class rings for their senior year.

## PERSONALS

In Big Spring for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw. They were visiting their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Eubank.

Mrs. Allan Bryan and girls of Odessa were in town last Tuesday to attend the wedding shower of Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullins spent several days last week with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullins, Jr. in Brownwood. Mr. Mullins, Sr. went down on Saturday and they returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Luckett and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett spent last Sunday in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. W. D. Flanagan of Brownwood is here for a several weeks visit in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Samford who are employed with the Atlantic Pipe line Co. and have been living in Bronte the past year, were transferred to Temple last week.

J. B. Mackey and Edward Cumbe were in San Antonio last Friday and Saturday where they attended a Hereford sale.

Roberta Herron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Herron, underwent major surgery last Friday morning at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She is reported to be recovering nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Leathers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herron of Odessa were down for the weekend. Mrs. Leathers remained for a few days to stay with her sister while she is recuperating.

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### DISTRICT YOUTH RALLY

A District Youth Rally of the MYF of the Methodist church was held in San Angelo last Sunday beginning at 2 p. m. The youth of that church gave the group a play "I Belong."

A banquet was held at the Cactus Hotel and Bishop Smith spoke to the group at the night service. Attending from the local church were MYF sponsors, Mrs. Carroll Robbins and Mrs. W. C. Craig and the following members: Patricia McCutchen, Wanda Kirkland, R. J. Millican, Don Glenn, Stanley Phillips and Ronnie Robbins.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gravitt and children of San Angelo spent Sunday with her parents, the J. A. Percifull.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McMeans and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Clark motored to Abilene last Sunday to visit the McMeans daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams.

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CHURCH GRAPE JUICE - 12 Oz. Bot. 19c  
KOUNTY KIST SWEET CORN - - 2 for 25c  
DIAMOND CUT GREEN BEANS - 2 for 25c  
MILK, Tall Cans - 2 for 25c  
PET INSTANT DRY MILK - - - 27c  
HORMEL CHILI CON CARNE - 19 Oz. 45c  
TUNA, Van Camp - - - 25c  
BRICE PICKLES, Sour or Dill - Qt. 27c  
CATSUP, Libby's - 14 Oz. Bot. 19c  
RITZ CRACKERS - 1 Lb. 33c

HEAD LETTUCE - 12c  
LB. Bananas - 12½c  
CELLO PKG. Carrots - 11c  
SKINLESS LB. Cured Jowls - 29c  
LB. Pork Roast - 39c

# MEAT

SWIFT'S JEWEL - 3 Lb. Tin 69c  
PURE PORK SAUSAGE, Home Made - Lb. 35c  
BACON, Swift's Oriole - Lb. 41c  
STEW' MEAT - - - Lb. 25c  
CLUB STEAKS - - - Lb. 47c  
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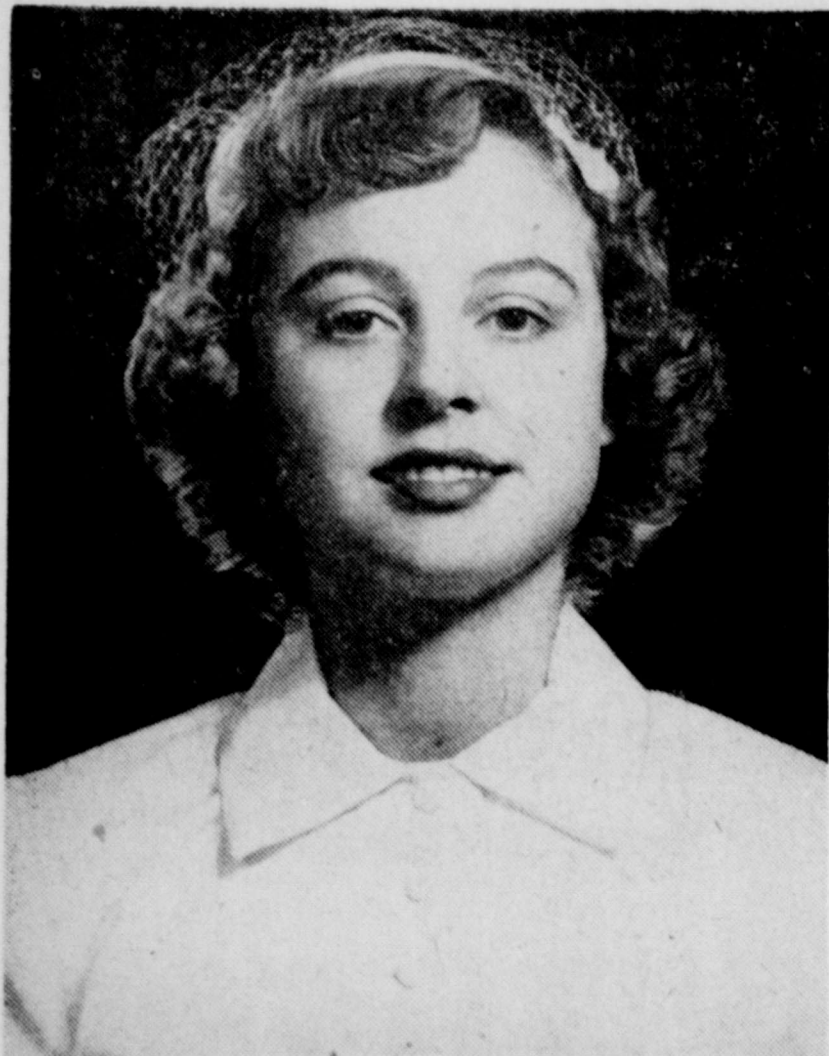
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# SOCIETY

Mrs. A. S. Whatley, Editor

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MRS. BILLY JACK GENTRY

## MISS VIRGINIA CLARK AND BILLY J. GENTRY ARE WED FEB. 19 AT METHODIST CHURCH

The First Methodist Church was the scene for the candlelight wedding of Ginger Clark and Billy Jack Gentry which took place last Saturday evening. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gentry. Rev. W. C. Craig performed the double ring ceremony. A program of traditional nuptial music was presented by Mrs. Walter Phillips at the organ and Mrs. Grady Baker, vocalist.

Baskets of white gladioli flanked by candelabra with taper were on each side of the altar.

When given in marriage by her father, the bride was wearing a princess dress of white faille. She carried a Bible topped with a white orchid and carried a white hand-

kerchief belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Hayley.

Miss Rita McCutchen, friend of the bride was maid of honor. Mrs. Bobby Clark, her sister-in-law, and Miss Helen Morrison, cousin of the bride, were bridesmaids. They all wore identical dresses of blue faille and carried white colonial bouquets.

Candle lighters were Linda Henry and Jerry Turner, a cousin of the bride.

Brothers of the bride and bridegroom, Bobby Clark and Pinky Gentry, acted as ushers.

A reception followed in the Fellowship Hall at the church. Mrs. Maud Stotzel and Mrs. A. E. Gentry, aunts of the groom, assisted in serving at the tea table.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gentry are graduates of Bronte High School and he attended Texas Tech in Lubbock. She is employed at the Court House in San Angelo and he is working with the Highway Department here. They will make their home in San Angelo.

## EUTERPEAN CLUB WILL HAVE GUEST DAY

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale  
The Euterpean club met in the home of Mrs. R. V. Copeland with Mrs. O. T. Colvin as co-hostess last Thursday. Mrs. Charles Ragsdale conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Clifton Gardner was leader for the afternoon. Mrs. P. G. Dabney gave a talk on "Mental Health."

The next meeting will be guest day, March 17, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Hickman. Mrs. Cluad Beal of San Angelo will give a piano recital. Mrs. Beal is a sister-in-law of Mrs. P. G. Dabney.

A salad plate was served to Mmes. L. W. Sweet, W. A. Hickman, H. C. Raney, Frank Brownfield, Clifton Gardner, Roy Sanderson, George Stoepler, P. G. Dabney, Austin Jordan, W. W. Youngblood, Chas. Ragsdale and the hostess.

## Miss Hawkins Supplies Program for Diversity Club Meeting Feb. 18

The Fellowship Hall of the Methodist church was the scene for the meeting of the Diversity club last Thursday night with Mrs. George Thomas as hostess. Miss Eudora Hawkins of the West Texas Utilities Co. in Abilene brought the program to the group on "Youth Conservation, giving the needs of youth today and showing the film "Make Way for Youth."

A George Washington theme was carried out in decorations and refreshments, including a red and white floral arrangement. Cherry short cake topped with whipped cream, nuts and coffee were served to four guests, Miss Hawkins, Mmes. F. S. Higginbotham, Edna Butner, O. H. Willoughby, and the following members: Mmes. C. E. Arrott, Clifford Clark, Vetal Flores, Robert Forman, D. K. Glenn, R. C. Lasswell, O. R. McQueen, J. R. Rasco, Carroll Robbins, Collins Sayner, Otis Smith, T. F. Sims, Jr., H. A. Springer, A. S. Whatley, W. C. Craig and the hostess.

## OLGA HD CLUB MEETS

The Olga Home Demonstration club had its second meeting Feb. 21 in the home of Mrs. Bob White. Mrs. Fay C. Row, H. D. A. met with the group and brought them a discussion on club work. Mrs. Walter Moore also gave an interesting report. Committees were appointed for the coming year and plans for the March 11 meeting in the home of Mrs. Walter King, were discussed. Foods from Mexico will be made and served.

Refreshments were served to eleven members and Mrs. Roe. Mrs. White showed everyone through her new home.

Snyder visitors here for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dan Labenske and Debby. They were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Labenske.

WATCH for CINEMASCOPE at Texas Theatre.

## MRS. MORROW HOSTESS TO SEROSIS STUDY CLUB

"Our Dream Home" was the subject of a panel discussion among Serosis Club members last Friday night. Mrs. Edward Cumbie led the group discussion in the home of Mrs. J. B. Morrow.

Several games were played by club members before refreshments of cherry pie, topped with ice cream, coffee and chocolate were served. A George Washingtons birthday theme was carried out.

Present were one guest, a sister of Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Westbrook from San Angelo and Mrs. Clark Glenn and the following members: Mmes. Louis Bridges, Edward Cumbie, E. F. Glenn, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, W. D. McDonald, Bill McKown, Jesse Parker, Roy Robinson, R. H. Sims, and the hostess.

The club will meet again on Friday, March 4, for a Texas Day program in the home of Mrs. W. D. McDonald.

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# CUMBIE & MACKAY

## what's what by whatley

Every week when you read my column, you expect to read nothing but a lot of nonsensical chatter, but today I am going to take on a serious note for a change. I feel certain that everyone is aware that today is "World Day of Prayer." Even in our hustle and bustle times, I do hope that everyone will take time out for prayer. It may not be convenient for us all to go to a church some place but we can thank God in the quiet of our home for this wonderful country in which we live.

Many millions of people will be assembling throughout the world on this day "Where Prayer is Want to be Made." There are thousands of people that are not as fortunate as we to have all the good food, clothing and conveniences. Children are starving in many lands and it is up to us to see that many are fed for physical and spiritual growth.

My heart goes out to those we read and hear about who are so eager for the Bible but the cost is so great that they are unable to own one. To think that we let ours gather dust on our shelves and go untouched for so long.

The Women of the National Council of Churches of Christ started this great day observance 69 years ago. It always take place on the first Friday in Lent. Purpose is to unite Christians everywhere in a continuous chain of Prayer. The first in this 24 hour service will be held in the Tonga Islands and the last in the St. Lawrence Islands of Alaska. Donations will be taken everywhere and be sent to help schools, churches and hospitals throughout the world.

In keeping with this day, I have a very unusual recipe to give you that is called the "Scripture Cake." This was given to me by Mrs. I. C. Oden and she says it is very good. You will have to go to the Bible to find out what the ingre-

dients are. I hope you will enjoy looking this up.

### Scripture Cake

4½ cups — I Kings, Chapter 4, verse 22.  
1 cup (M) — Judges, Chapter 5, verse 25.  
2 cups — Jeremiah, Chapter 6, Verse 20.  
2 cups — I. Samuel, Chapter 30, Verse 12.  
2 cups — Nahum, Chapter 3, verse 12.  
2 cups — Numbers, Chapter 17, verse 8.  
2 tbsps. — I Samuel, Chapter 14, verse 25.  
1 tsp. — Leviticus, Chapter 2, verse 13.  
6 — Jeremiah, Chapter 17, verse 11.  
½ cup (W) — Judges, Chapter 4, Verse 19.  
2 tsps. — Amos, Chapter 4, verse 5.  
2 tsps. II. Chronicles, Chapter 9, verse 9.  
Mix as any cake and bake in a loaf pan for one hour at 325 degrees.

### WHD CLUB MEETING

Mrs. Walter Whalen was hostess to the Bronte WHD club Wednesday, Feb. 23. Roll call was answered by 5 members and one guest, Mrs. Clifford Clark, and the hostess.

Mrs. I. C. Oden was elected as delegate to council to be voted on to go to a District meeting in Kerrville April 19.

Mary Ruth Stephens resigned as president. Mrs. Stevens won the floating prize.

Next meeting will be March 2nd in the home of Mrs. W. Hipp.

### AUTO INSPECTION DUE

Automobile owners are advised that they should have their vehicles inspected soon in order to avoid the last minute rush. Deadline for having the inspections made is April 15.

A report early this week indicated that of the 2310 vehicles registered in Coke County, only 681 or 29.30% have been inspected.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

The regular City Election for the City of Bronte will be held the first Tuesday in April, the same being the 5th day of April, 1955, at the City Hall.

Purpose of the election is to elect two aldermen to the City Council. Any eligible person may have his name printed on the ballot by filing it with the Mayor 30 days before said election date.

Ernest Ivey  
Mayor, City of Bronte.

### BLACKWELL STOCK SHOW RESULTS ANNOUNCED

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale  
Following are the results of the FFA Stock Show held last Saturday at the Blackwell School.

#### Light Wt. Crossbred

1. Wayne King. 2. Bobby Lanier. 3. Elain Chew. 4. Tommy Estes. 5. Elvin Chew. 6. Jimmy Hipp. 7. Jimmy Hipp. 8. John Tubb. 9. James Byrd. 10. Tommy Hickman. 11. Wayne Estes. 12. James Byrd. 13. Tommy Estes. 14. Tommy Estes. 15. James Byrd. 16. Jimmy Hipp. 17. Jimmy Hipp.

#### GILTS

1. Tommy Estes. 2. James Welliamson. 3. Ernest Boyd. 4. Elvin Chew. 5. Clinton Wheeler.

#### Barrows

1. Rex Reagan. 2, 3, and 4. Glen Williamson.

#### Fine Wool

1. Wayne King. 2. Bob Henson. 3. Wayne King. 4. James Byrd. 5. Wayne King. 6. Harold Armstrong. 7. Harold Armstrong. 8. Tommy Hickman. 9. James Byrd. 10. Harold Armstrong. 11. Bob Henson. 12 and 13. Tommy Hickman. 14. Wayne Estes. 15 and 16. Tommy Estes. 17. Wayne Estes. 18. Tommy Estes. 19. Wayne Estes.

#### Heavy Crossbred

1 and 2. Wayne King. 3. James Byrd. 4 and 5. Wayne King. 6. Bobby Lanier. 7. Tommy Estes. 8. Harold Armstrong. 9. Rex Reagan. 10. John Tubb. 11. Jimmy Hipp. 12. Tommy Estes. 13. and 14. Rex Reagan. 15. Wayne Estes.

### The Bronte Enterprise

February 25, 1955

#### Pen of Three

1. Estes; 2. Harold Armstrong. 3. Wayne King. 4. Rex Reagan. 5. Tommy Hickman.  
Frank Brownfield is Blackwell VA teacher.

## HERE'S BLACKWELL

#### By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Ragsdale had as their weekend guests her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson and children of San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. D. T. McDonald and Mrs. R. H. Reaves of Austin spent the weekend with relatives in Blackwell.

Wanda Nell Cook is ill in the Bronte Hospital.

Connie Craig, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Craig has been ill in a San Angelo Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloven Walls and children of Milburn, Okla., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Walls of Blackwell and relatives in San Angelo.

Mrs. Rocky Thompson had as her weekend guests her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson and daughter of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson and children of San Angelo.

Cpl. Clibourne Roland, who is stationed in Korea, called to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Roland Saturday. Just before calling he said he talked to Pfc. Tom V. Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Copeland, who is also stationed in Korea. Both boys are doing fine. They are serving in the

army.

There will be a dental examination for all of Blackwell school students at the school Friday, Feb. 25 at 1 p. m. Dr. Jones of Sweetwater will be in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tubb, Mrs. Josie Hipp and Mrs. Ernest Eidson attended the funeral of Mack Henry at San Angelo last week. He is an uncle of Mrs. Tubb and Mrs. Eidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ware had as their guest Sunday her mother, Mrs. Walter Aimsworth of Snyder.

Mrs. Burl Montgomery and children of Del Rio have been visiting relatives in Hynton and Blackwell.

Walter (Sonny) Sweet, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet was named on the first semester engineering honor roll at Texas Tech College in Lubbock. He was among 213 students passing all subjects with a grade average of B or better. Walter, fresman petroleum engineering major, graduated from Blackwell High in 1954.

Mrs. Charles Clark and daughter of Milford, Oregon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson had as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson and son of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson and children of Forsan.

The WSCS met in the Fellowship Hall at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon. Mrs. P. G. Dabney, study leader, introduced a new study "Under Three Flags" by Stephen Neill. The study is on India, Pakistan and Ceylon.

CINEMASCOPE is coming to Texas Theatre.



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## CUMBIE'S FOOD MARKET

## Court of Honor To Be Held Here March 7

A Court of Honor for Scouts of Troop 52, Bronte, is to be held on Monday, March 7, at 7:30 p. m., at First Methodist Church. According to Committee Chairman, Maynard R. Rogers, this promises to be the largest Court of Honor ever to be conducted for Bronte Boy Scouts.

The following awards are to be presented, having completed their merits under the leadership of the Scoutmaster, Oscar Dorsey. Star rank to Richard Wayne Rees; First Class to Neal Black, James Andrews, Jimmy Brunson and Ron-

nie Cole; Second class to the following sixteen boys:

Earl Calder, S. J. Rose, Billy Eubanks, Joe Davis, Johnny Grimes, Danny Ray Scott, Don Andrews, Alonzo Robbins, Leon Brice, Tommy Luttrell, Larry Robinson, John Holcombe, Doyle Rogers, Kenneth McCutchen, Jerry McCutchen and Robert Littlefield.

Tenderfoot awards are to be issued to Douglas Rogers, Kenneth Calder, Eddie Glenn, James Coalson, and Jimmy Ed Mackey.

Scout pins will be presented to Troop committeemen including Rev. W. C. Craig, R. W. Rees, N. L. Pruitt, Jr., Joe Rose, J. B. Mackey, C. E. Bruton and H. A. Springer. Presentation of Committee pins will be made by chairman Rogers.

Speaker for the occasion will be H. C. Grafa, Insurance executive

from San Angelo, who is vitally interested in scout work. Mr. Grafa has helped many years to promote Concho Valley Council of Boy Scouts of America. He appeared on a previous Scout program here.

The public is cordially invited to attend and parents in particular are urged to be present for this occasion.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. William Fletcher spent Sunday in Sweetwater visiting the formers' brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fletcher. They brought Miss Addie Fletcher home after she had been hospitalized there the past 10 days.

Mrs. H. E. Sanford of Ville Platte, La. is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richards.

## Hospital News

Feb. 16 — Mrs. C. T. Mills, Mrs. Charles Lampkin of Blackwell admitted. W. T. Davis, Ft. Chad Humble Camp, Levi Robertson, Robert Lee, dismissed.

Feb. 17 — Betty Lou Thomas, Winters, Wanda Nell Cook, Blackwell, admitted. Frank Keeney, M. L. Barnes, Blackwell, dismissed.

Feb. 18 — Mrs. Sid Evans Rev. N. T. Gault, Norton, Rudy Phillips Mrs. Denton Smith of Andrews admitted. Son born to Mrs. Smith at 11:32 p. m. Mrs. C. W. Coleman, Floyd Bagwell, Mrs. Chas. Lampkin, Blackwell, dismissed.

Feb. 19 — Earnest Pointer, Jr. admitted. Mrs. C. T. Mills, Annette Phillips, Ft. Chad. Humble Camp, Mrs. Uvon Ford, Norton, dismissed. Mrs. Robert Herring admitted.

Feb. 20 — Betty Lou Thomas, Winters, Rudy Phillips, Earnest

Pointer, Jr. dismissed.

Feb. 21 — Mike Simons, Mrs. Joe Rose, Mrs. Howard Brock, J. T. Jones, Maverick, Jack Belcher, Denver City, admitted. Wanda Cook, Blackwell, Mrs. A. J. Rawlings dismissed.

Feb. 22 — Mrs. A. D. Fields admitted and son born at 1:25 p. m. Mrs. A. J. Brewer, Winters, admitted.

Mrs. B. G. Timmons received word this week that her brother, J. C. Scott of Lamesa, has suffered two strokes and is critically ill in a hospital there.

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## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Woods of Albuquerque, N. Mex., and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and child and Mrs. A. J. Essary here from Wednesday until Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Holloway, Mrs. Lola Dickson and children of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGuffin of San Angelo came for the week end in the Essary home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Anderson and children of Eden were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hubble. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Arentfield and children of San Angelo visited them.

Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mrs. Carl Florence in Ballinger Hospital Thursday morning.

Mrs. Etta Marks returned to her home in San Angelo Friday after spending the week here with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and Judy visited Mrs. Lillie Lee in Ballinger Sunday.

Attending a birthday supper at Miles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Boatright were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary visited her brother, Will Wheeler of Hex who is ill in St. John Hospital last week.

Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and children of Fort Stockton spent Sunday and Sunday night with the Charlie Brown family.

Mrs. Georgia Mae Nixon of Arlington has been in the community visiting the Jerry Landers and Hurlen and James Lee families.

Attending the Brotherhood meeting last Tuesday evening at Miles Baptist Church were Willard Caudle, J. C. Boatright, J. P. Tounget and T. G. Gleghorn.

Weekend guests of the Herbert Hollands were Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Cox, Lois and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs.

James Holland and children and Dee Foster of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gleghorn of Ballinger visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn Monday evening.

Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nixon were Mr. and Mrs. John Bradshaw and son, Johnnie of Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle.

### Sewing Club

The Sewing Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Willard Caudle as hostess in her home. The group pieced quilt blocks. Secret pals were revealed and new secret pals drawn.

Refreshments of cake, punch and sandwiches were served to one visitor, Mrs. Etta Marks, of San Angelo, a new member, Mrs. J. P. Tounget of Miles and Mmes. G. L. Cook, Jerry Landers, J. B. Arrott and son, M. D. Stephenson, Herbert Holland, Hurlen Lee, Grace Hedges, James Lee, J. C. Boatright, and the hostess. The club will meet March 3 with Mrs. Herbert Holland.

Jolly Breakfast club met with Mrs. Frank Reichert. Present were Mmes. Al D. Richards, Herbert Holland, Doxie Lauder, Dick Peiser and granddaughter, Pug, Wesley Prinzing and Bert Hester. The club will meet Saturday with Mrs. Holland.

## Lunchroom Menu

Monday, February 28

Stew, cheese slices, pork and beans, pickles, crackers, cake.

Tuesday, March 1

Beans, macaroni and cheese, canned tomatoes, cole slaw, corn bread, grapefruit sections.

Wednesday, March 2

Goulash, potato salad, carrot strips, fruit cobbler.

Thursday, March 3

Salmon croquettes, white beans, spinach, beet slices, corn bread, cake.

Friday, March 4

Bar-B-Q franks, pinto beans, cabbage, apple and cheese salad, rolls, peaches.

## Joy Lynn Wilkins Writes Prize Winning Essay on Saving Soil



Joy Lynn Wilkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins, and a sophomore in Bronte High School, won first place honors in the essay contest sponsored by the Board of Supervisors of the Coke County Soil Conservation District. The essay is a part of the Fort Worth Press Contest and all essays entered in the local contest have been mailed to the state contest.

### WHY WE MUST CONSERVE OUR SOIL AND WATER

By Joy Lynn Wilkins

Thousands of years ago the earth was created by a Divine Being and people were placed here with an abundant supply of soil and water. From the soil would come their food, clothing, and shelter. Today many tons of soil are gone because, the people whom God intended to conserve it, have neglected their duty. Everything that is necessary for us to live comes from the soil. Without the soil and water our civilization could not exist. Many tons of soil are lost each year by wind and water erosion. Much of this can be avoided by practicing the correct way of farming and ranching. This means holding more rainfall on the land to save moisture for crops. It means farming on the level ground around the slopes to prevent soil washing. It means growing more soil building crops. It means protecting range land and pastures from overgrazing. This is necessary to stop soil erosion.

"Give us this day, our daily Bread." These words are familiar to everyone yet we are prone to forget the source of the Bread.

If we continue to waste the soil through carelessness, what will happen to the generations of people to come? Where will they get the necessities for life? If we practice soil and water conservation now, we are paving the way for the later generations, assuring them of the privileges we enjoy so much today.

We must protect and conserve our natural resources because, after all, they do not belong to us. They are only loaned to us and we should show our thanks by taking care of them. We should show our thanks by taking care of them.

All that we are, except for our spiritual and physical heritage, comes from what we eat, drink, and breathe. The soil in which our food is grown largely determines our health, our intelligence, and our character. We must conserve our God given heritage.

### SENIOR BAKE SALE

Members of the Bronte senior class will sponsor a bake sale Sat., Feb. 26, at the West Texas Utilities office. They will have pies for sale for 75 cents and cakes for \$1.50.

Mrs. E. F. Glenn and Marilyn and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham left Thursday for Houston where Mrs. Glenn is taking Marilyn for a check up. Mrs. Higginbotham will visit her two daughters and husbands Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes.

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CARROTS, Cello pkg 10c

GOOCH FULLY COOKED  
PICNIC HAMS - Lb. 34c

CHUCK  
BEEF ROAST - 29c

FRESH  
GROUND MEAT - Lb. 29c

FRESH LB.  
STEW MEAT 17c

HORMEL MIDWEST  
BACON - - Lb. 43c

COUNTRY STYLE  
SAUSAGE - 2 lb. sack 67c

WISCONSIN LONGHORN  
CHEESE - Lb. 44c

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PUFFIN  
BISCUITS - 2 Cans 19c

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**FOUND** — Man's billfold. Owner may claim by identifying and paying for this ad at the Bronte Enterprise office.

**WILL HAVE** field seed for sale as soon as it rains. J. L. Keeney. Prices will be right. 8-3tp

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our many friends for the lovely flowers and the nice food and help in many other ways during the illness and death of our loved one.

There was little we could do for him except to make him comfortable, for which we are very thankful to Dr. Harris and his nurses, and for their kindnesses to him and to us.

Just let us say that we have never been so appreciative of Bronte and Coke County.

Your true friends,  
Mrs. A. C. Coulter and Grady

**BLACKWELL 55 CLASS**

The Intermediate Sunday School Class sponsored by Mrs. Jim Bell gave three skits from "Jeep Tracks." Those taking part were John Tubb, Charles McCarley Kathryn Phillips, Joan Cook, Betty Sweet, Sue Edmonds, Melba Chew and Billie Jo Phillips.

Members and visitors present were Mmes. W. L. Chew, J. W. Leach, C. M. Rogers, T. A. Carlisle, H. C. Raney, Austin Jordan, L. W. Sweet, Wyley McRorey, Jim Bell, Charles Ragsdale, Leroy Chew, R. Q. Spence, Mrs. Dabney served spiced tea and cookies to the group.

**WAITING** for CINEMASCOPE? Soon at Texas Theatre.

**Mrs. Billy Joe Lockett Honored with Shower**

Mrs. Billy Joe Lockett, the former La Jean Word, was honored last Tuesday afternoon with a display shower at the home of Mrs. Joe Carter. Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Carter and in the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Claude Word, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. G. D. Lockett.

Twenty-four guests were registered by Mrs. Don Edmiston. They were served from a tea table laid with a cut work cloth over pink with a spring scene making the centerpiece.

Mrs. W. H. Maxwell assisted in serving cake squares, mints and nuts and Mrs. Hollis Stevens presided at the punch bowl.

Others in the house party were Mmes. J. B. Mackey, T. F. Sims, Jr., Chet Holcombe, O. R. McQueen, and H. A. Springer. Other hostesses included Mmes. Tex Ward, W. W. Millican, Wornock Hipp, Bonnie McAulay and T. G. Collins.

**MIDDLE AGED FACING MORE HEALTH FOES**

From a health standpoint, life after forty begins to be more complicated for the average individual. According to information from the State Department of Health, the principal health foes confronting people in middle age are heart disease, cancer, kidney disease, high blood pressure, hardening of the arteries, apoplexy, diabetes, and arthritis.

Middle aged people of today are healthier than were those of preceding generations, and the present generation, when they reach middle age, should enjoy even better health than their parents of today.

Medical care in middle life has two important phases. The first is going to the doctor at regular intervals for a complete physical checkup, whether or not there have been symptoms that suggest the need for medical attention. The second is the prompt attention to any illness which may mean the difference between prompt recovery and continued good health and prolonged invalidism. It is difficult to say which of these phases is the more important.

It is logical that men and women who faithfully pursue the habit of regular health examinations and who follow the advice arising from them tend to live longer, more satisfactorily, and freer from disease than those who simply take a chance and go to the doctor only when pain or disability forces them to give up their normal activities. Many diseases of middle age respond to treatment in early stages whereas if neglected until later stages they often cause permanent invalidism and even death.

For persons over forty especially the State Department of Health recommends regular physical examinations and prompt medical attention for any and all illnesses.

**Oil News**

Pumping unit was set on Hickok & Reynolds 2 McQueen-Forman this week by Dewey Cox's gang from Ranger. No official test had been run on the well at press time yesterday but it was estimated that the test would make 40 to 50 barrels in 24 hours. Total depth is 4607 feet in Capps Lime.



Bill Pugh from the Bronte Church of Christ will conduct a Gospel Meeting at Mvaerick March 7 through 11th. Services are at 7:30 each night.



**New Tax Exemptions**

Charles Ray is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Denton Smith of Andrews. He was born at 11:32 p. m. Friday, February 18 in the local hospital and weighed 8 pounds and 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith of Harrison, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sid Evans are parents of a son, Kerry Sidney born at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 19 in the Bronte Hospital. The little boy weighed 8 pounds and 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brunson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans, all of Bronte.

A son was born at 1:25 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Fields. The baby weighed 8 pounds and 6 ounces at birth in the Bronte Hospital. He had not been named Wednesday.

**MORE COLD WEATHER**

A norther which blew in early last Saturday, bringing the winters coldest temperatures, failed to yield any moisture over tis area. With temperatures dipping to 17 degrees a couple of nights early this week, days have been fair and cool. A new cold front, which entered the area Thursday morning early, and which was supposed to set off thunder showers, also failed to produce anything except slightly cooler temperatures.

**TRAINING SCHOOL**

The Methodist Church at Robert Lee was the scene of the northern zone leadership training school Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week. Three courses were offered, one for children's work, instructed by Mrs. Marvin Simpson of that city; a course on youth work by Mrs. Boyd Harris of Eden and one on organization and work of the local church by Rev. Warren Ellis of Robert Lee.

Attending from here Wednesday night were Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark, D. K. Glenn, A. S. Whatley and Mmes. George Thomas, George Braswell, Carroll Robbins, Buddy Kirkland, Grady Baker, Walter Phillips and B. E. Modgling.

**BRONTE will have CINEMASCOPE!**

Since the agreement of March, 1953, the Chinese and Japanese Red Cross Societies have cooperated in the repatriation from China of over 26,500 Japanese nationals to Japan.

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1 & 2  
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- DIAMOND  
**PORK & BEANS - No. 300 10c**
- WHITE, CHOCOLATE, HONEY SPICED  
**CAKE MIX, Betty Crocker - 35c**
- DOG FOOD, Frisky - 3 for 34c**
- STOKELY'S  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL - No. 2 1/2 39c**
- JELLO, Assorted - 3 for 25c**
- MORTON'S  
**BLACK PEPPER - 1 1/2 Oz. 10c**
- SUGAR - - - 5 Lbs. 45c**
- BUFFALO 4 3/4 OZ.  
**TOMATO PUREE - 4 for 15c**
- IRELAND CHILI - No. 2 51c**
- PET OR CARNATION  
**MILK, Large - - 2 for 25c**
- OLD FASHIONED  
**QUAKER OATS - 3 Lbs. 42c**



- FRESH COUNTRY EGGS - Doz. 33c**
- SLAB SLICED  
**BACON - - - - Lb. 43c**
- FRANKS - - - - Lb. Cello 45c**
- FULLY COOKED  
**PICNIC HAMS - - Lb. 40c**
- STEAK, Loin or T-Bone - Lb. 50c**
- MRS. TUCKER'S  
**SHORTENING - 1 Lb. Can 25c**

HEAD LB.  
**LETTUCE - 10c BANANAS - 13c**

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