The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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June 14 is Flag Day and we believe exeryone who has a flag should fly it on that day . We don't want to sound like a flag waver, but we firmly believe that possibly citizens of the United States today pay too little attention to things of a patriotic nature. We're a little bit inclined to accept all the fine conditions here in the U.S. and think much too little on how they were brought about.

Incidentally, if you have a flag that is a little dirty and needs cleaning up, take it down to A. B. Lammers at the Lammers Laundry. He will wash it for you free of charge. He has an ad in this issue of The Enterprise stating that he is offering this free service.

All this rain we've been having is certainly wonderful, but even such a fine thing as rain bring problems. You've undoubtedly noticed in your own yard that weeds aren't having a bit of trouble growing these days. Far be it from us to criticize someone for having a weedy yard, but they do look better when they are cut regularly. We aren't planning on having so much trouble keeping our yard now that the neighbors have bought a power mower.

The man who brags that he has a head on his shoulders sometimes has a point there.

We have some new help at The Enterprise, not really new, but Eddie Alexander is back with us after a year at San Angelo College. Graduate Tonight With his help, we're planning on having a little leisure time to use for such things as getting acquainted with the family again, getting a haircut occasionally and other such things that we've neglected in the nine months he has been gone.



Cora Beth Whatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Whatley, who will graduate this weekend from San Angelo College and from the Shannon School of Nursing.

Thursday evening, May 26, she received her Degree of Associate Arts from S. A. C. On Friday, May 27, she will receive a graduate black stripe and pin from the nursing school.

During her three years training, Miss Whatley has been a member of the Student Faculty Association, serving on various committees such as annual staff, school paper, sports committee and chairman of the Social Committee during her senior year. She was treasurer of the senior class, a nominee for school favorite and is a member of Lamba Tau Sorority.

Nine Seniors At Blackwell High

Nine seniors will graduate from Blackwell High School in Commencement exercises beginning at 8 p. m. tonight, May 27, in the

school auditorium. Capt. Joe B. Jordan, Jr., of the U. S. Air Force, will deliver the commencement address. Honor students will make the customary addresses. They are Edward Hollowell, valedictorian and J. L. Hicks, salutatorian. ing class include Melba Ballard, The Rev. J. Alvis Cooley, pastor Ernest Boyd, Martha Henson, Wel-

Barney Carter Opening Up Well in City Limits

through the easy part up to Wed- Wednesday: "I believe we have drilling block. nesday afternoon, having gone the old hole under control." He down to 5200 feet in abuot 50 hours. said further that he was going to The well is being drilled by Bar- "have some pictures made of it" ney Carter of Tyler. He is opening before any further drilling was the oil boom was going strong in up the dry hole which was drilled done. A Schlumberger truck was the Bronte Field. by T. W. Murray and Louis Mabee sitting on the lease when the reporin June, 1949, on the property of ter was there.

Barney Carter No. 1 Youngblood L. T. Youngblood. Up to the time this story is being written, no is located 75 feet from the east and actual drilling has been done. All 25 feet from the north lines of lot the work had been toward opening 2, block 43 in the City of Bronte. When asked if the operation was It is in City Drilling Unit 17. Mr.

Bronte's oil well had gone going all right, Mr. Carter said Carter has 41 lots leased in this

The hole was abandoned by Murray and Mabee at 5,210 feet in 1949. It was originally drilled when

No. 21

Mr. Carter received his permit to drill the test in July, 1954. It was extended for six months in January, 1955. His permit allows him to drill to 5,600 feet or a lesser depth if commercial production is discovered.

Nearest production to the test is in the Bronte Field west of town.

SCHOOL ENDS **TODAY WITH ASSEMBLY AT 9**

An assembly program at 9 a. m. this morning, followed by handing out report cards, will be the official end of the 1954-55 school term. The public is invited to attend the assembly program in the gym, at which time awards for the past school year will be made.

Graduation activities have taken the spotlight for the past week. Rev. Clyde W. Coleman delivered the Baccalaureate address at the First Methodist Church last Sunday morning.

On Tuesday night, 25 eighth grade students graduated into high

NOTICE!

Supt. O. K. Wolfenbarger has asked the Enterprise to announce that school buses will run today as usual. School will be dismissed shortly before noon and buses will take the children home at that time.

school with Johnny Smith, local

Boy Scouts Want To Work for You

Troop 52 hope to go to Camp Sol Meyer on June 5-11. Inasmuch as it will cost each scout \$12.50 for the week of camping, they are seeking all the jobs they can get meet their troops' expenses.

The scouts are reporting Saturday, May 21, at 8:30 a. m. for work. They offer to work at 50c per hour. "All the scouts are working so that all the boys can go," said Scout Master Oscar Dorsey. "It is definite that 21

Progress Being Made on New **Texaco Station**

Work on the new Texaco station on Highway 277 is progressing nicely this week and the owners Soon; Your Help Needed expect to have the station completed within 60 days. The new station is owned by Burk Construction Co. of San Angelo. They have leased it to the Texas Company for 15 years with an option for another 10 years.

going, as far as reservations are concerned." Anyone, whether in a place of business or at a residence, who wishes to help these between now and Camp time to boys by giving them employment Saturday, are asked to contact D. K. Glenn or contact the scouts at the Red & White Sims Food Store. Camp Sol Meyer is located near Menard and will be directed by Mr. O. K. Reynolds, well known as one of the very best of Scout leaders and highly regarded by Scouters of this area. The Scouts will also need to bor-

row some tents. Local persons who have tents of any size that they will lend to the scouts, should call D. K. Glenn or Scoutmaster Dorsey.

Cancer Drive to End

Total collections for the Cancer Fund in Coke County were \$326.35

21 Boy Scouts from the Bronte boys from Bronte Troop 52 are

Last Rites Held For O. S. Kiker, 51

Last rites for Orbin Sparks Kiker, 51, of Rotan were read from the First Methodist Church in Rotan last Saturday at 10:30 a. m.

of the church, officiated, assisted don Henson, Anna Stoepler, Glenby the Rev. W. C. Craig, pastor of the Bronte Methodist Church.

Graveside services and interment were in the Fairview cemetery here, under direction of the Weathersbee Funeral Home of Rotan.

Mr. Kiker died suddenly of a heart attack Thursday afternoon at his Rotan home. It is said he collapsed upon arising from an afternoon nap.

He was born in Bronte March 27, 1904 and married the former Miss Lizzie Phillips of Bronte Dec. 24, 1923. The couple moved to Rotan in 1937 where he has owned and operated a bakery.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Mrs. S. A. Kiker of Bronte; one daughter, Mrs. Bettie Carter of Rotan; one son, Orbie Rav Kiker of Houston: two brothers, Dave Kiker of San Angelo and Chester Kiker of Bronte; and four sisters, Mrs. Carroll Robbins, Mrs. Walter Phillips and Mrs. Barney Modgling, all of Bronte, and Mrs. Harold Good of Ashland, Kan-685

na Tubb and Howard Tucker. Awards will be presented and diplomas awarded.

had been in M. D. Anderson Hospi- west and south sides. He said tal in Houston where he underwent that the estimated cost of the proexhaustive physical examinations. perty would run \$20,000.

The Burk Company purchased Other members of the graduat- the land for the property from A. be reached. F. Ball of Bronte. It was the former site of the Gulf Service Station operated by Bill Wrinkle and Charles Sims.

The old building was completely torn down and building under construction will be completely new. County Judge Jeff Dean was A representative of the Burk Co. scheduled to return Thursday to said that the station will be mohis home in Robert Lee. Mrs. dern in every respect, with tile rest Dean flew to Houston Wednesday rooms, latest in washing and greato accompany her husband on the sing facilities and large concrete with them. trip. For the past six weeks he driveway going to pavement on the

this week, according to Earl F. Glenn of Bronte, Fund treasurer. Final canvass of the Bronte business district will be made today or

Workers were also at work in Robert Lee and it is hoped that the drive can be ended this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Allison, Chris-Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rodgers in Brownfield over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Allison of Muleshoe visited with them Saturday and Mr. Lee Allison returned home

Mrs. J. B. Mackey underwent major surgery Thursday morning in a San Angelo Hospital.

Bronte High School student, delivering the principal address.

Members of the eighth grade class were Delores Bateman, Tommy Bell, Dean Black, Ellen Brock, tomorrow and workers hope that Ronnie Cole, Ray Eubanks, Albert the Coke County quota of \$500 can Grace, Epsie Jo Hageman, valedictorian.

> Roy Max Hester, Francis Johnson, Jettie Kirkland, Ronald Maddox, Consuela Martinez, Modene McGuire, Joan Neel, Janson Pair-

ish, Ruthie Phillips, Ronnie Robtine and Mr. Lee Allison visited bins, Grace Rogers, S. J. Rose, Ida Nell Shields, salutatorian. And Linda Smith, Jimmy Tom-

linson, Joy Walls and Juanita Wrinkle.

The exercises were held at the First Baptist Church.

Commencement Exercises

Commencement exercises for 21 graduating seniors were to have been held last night in the High School auditorium. Dr. B. O. Wood, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in San Angelo, was the commencement speaker.

Seniors include Bill Maxwell, valedictorian, Jo Ann Rusk, salutatorian, Ann Adams, class president, Arbie Phillips, Stanley Phillips, Billy Ray Scott, Myrlene Markham, Harold Joe Denton, Dene Hester, Iris Brice, Beauford James, Glenna Fletcher, Dennie Braswell, Dale Luckett, Alma Pearl Evett, Rudy Gutierrez, Francis Ann Carlton, Mary Ann Gray, R. J. Millikin, Harold Mc-Cutchen and Kenneth Scott.

Bronte Receives More Rains

Bronte residents have received two more nice showers in the past week. About a half inch of rain fell Sunday night and from .4 to .6 inches of moisture was received early Thursday morning, bringing the total to as much as nine inches in the last two weeks in some parts of this area.

The farming and ranching situation looks better now than it has

in years. Some farmers have not been able to get in their fields yet, but most of them are busy getting seed in the ground.

Pastures are looking better than they have in sometime and feeding will be coming to a halt very shortly. The extreme west part of Coke County is the only part that has not received plenty of rain. The Tennyson area has not had as much as the area in and north of Bronte, but grass and weeds are greening up there. A small twister was reported at Tennyson and Brookshire last week on Wednesday afternoon. Damage was mostly confined to outbuildings.

Weather forecasters were predicting Wednesday that more showers would be forthcoming in the next few days.

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Here's Blackwell

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

C. M. Rogers has been ill in the Young Clinic in Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Russell and son of Portales, New Mexico, are for the pledge program. Mrs. J. visiting in the B. N. Walls and



Reserve System

Nolan Butler has been ill in the

The WSCS met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church. Mrs. Austin Jordan, president, presided. Mrs. T. A. Carlisle was leader W. Leach brought the devotional. Others helping with the pledge program were Mrs. R. Q. Spence

rey, D. T. Hunt, P. G. Dabney and Charles Ragsdale.

sons of El Paso and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson.

Methodist Conference at Lubbock this week. Mrs. Bell will join him. the latter part of the week.

Teachers Re-elected All the teachers have been reelected to their positions in the Blackwell Schools. Those accepting are: Mrs. Bernice J. Corley, 1st grade; Mrs. Nola B. Shedd, 2nd grade; Mrs. Jean Echols, 3rd and 4th grade; Miss El Wanda Davies, commercial; Miss Mary Nell Brown, English; Frank Brownfield, vocational agriculture; Joyce Dewbre, homemaking; Clifton Gardner., secretarial studies and coach; George Stoepler, supt.

Those who have resigned include, Mrs. Gladys Mae Sims, math and science; Miss Mary Lanotte, 5th and 6th grades and Miss Joy Mullins, homemaking. Miss Mullins place is being taken by Miss Joyce Dewbre, a graduate of

May 27, 1955 | Local Shriners **At Ceremonial**

On Friday and Saturday of last week more than two thousand Nobles of the Mystic Shrine congregated in San Angelo for their semi-annual Ceremonial at Suez **Femple**

Friday's activities were confined to registration, a get-together and business details, followed by a banquet at the Cactus Hotel at 6:30 p. m. More than 300 Nobles and their ladies attended. Principal address was made by Noble Galloway Calhoun, a past grandmaster of the grand lodge of Texas and a past imperial potentate of all Shrine bodies in the United States. He is, at present, chairman of the Board of all the 17 hospitals for crippled children which are maintained by the order. The address was enjoyed by all present.

Attention was called to the fact that the Shrine Crippled Children program does not call on the general public for contributions but is maintained solely by the Shrine organization. Any crippled child, regardless of race, color or creed eligible to enter the Shrine hospitals for treatment.

Saturday was devoted almost en-

travel the burning dessert sands to Mecca, the destination of all novices or candidates for the Shrine.

A parade at 11 a. m. was followed by a barbecue lunch at the City Gym for the Nobles and Novices. The ladies were entertained at otner places. At 2 p. m. the ceremonial, first section, was held at the temple. The second section

was held at 3:30 at the Gym. A dance at the St. Angelus Hotel closed the festivities.

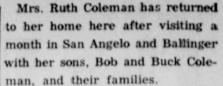
Attending from this vicinity were Messrs, and Mmes. Claude Gentry, C. N. Webb, Taylor Emerson, Bailey Bell, L. T. Youngblood, Charlie Boecking, Bud Maxwell, A. E. Bell, Jr., Jap Stephenson, Sam Seay, Bud Bell and Skinny Adams, a former Coke Countian.

SCHOOL WORKERS ELECTED FOR 55-56

Workers in the Bronte school for next year were named at a trustee meeting last week Mrs. Floyd Collins was re-elected as secretary for the schools.

Bus drivers next year will be Mrs. T. E. Tidwell, Mrs. Pete Gentry, T. G. Gleghorn, Albert Davis and B. G. Timmons. J. I. Adair and Monroe Alexander were re-hired as building custodians.

Mrs. Mary Walker will serve as tirely to fun-making and the cere- supervisor in the lunchroom and monies of initiation of new Shrin- her assistants will be Mrs. T. E. ers. There was a class of 75 to Tidwell and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn.



McAfee Daniel is here visiting friends this week. He has recently been discharged from the U. S. Army after serving in Europe for some time. He will remain here until after commencement. He is making his headquarters at the J. T. Henry home.





George Russell homes. John Harmon has been ill in the Winters Hospital.

Bronte Hospital.

and Mrs. Austin Jordan. Others present were Mmes. L. W. Sweet, Jim Bell, Wyley McRo-

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Snow and

Bob Kirk and daughter of Abilene are the guests of Mrs. Daisy Rev. Jim Bell will attend the

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Travel & Accident	J. & W.	SIMSFOOD		
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News From Tennyson

By Patricia Tounget

Mary Wimberley of Mertzon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Halamicek and Gene of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Teague and children.

Bro. and Mrs. Lee Roy Stuckey and children of Christoval visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Steuart Sunday.

Those attending the quilting at Mrs. Robert Brown's Thursday were Mmes. Otto Finck, James and J. B. Arrott, Marvin, Jack and D. J. Corley, John Clark, Adeline Carper, Otis Mayben, Tom Williams, J. W. Latham, Louis and Roy Baker, Albert Davis, Charlie Brown, W. H. Feil, I. N. Howell, Ben Murphy, Floyd Gibson, John and Grady Gaston, C. D. Derrick, Sudie Brown and Miss Bessie Steuart. The quilting group will disband for the summer months.

Messrs. and Mmes. Homer Cornelius, Bert Cornelius, Tom Williams, Robert Brown and families attended the Nolan County jamboree Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Steuart and Lee Roy of San Angelo visited Mrs. Sudie Brown and the J. M. Steuarts Sunday.

> For Life, Hospitalization and Polio Insurance, See

> > B. D. SNEAD

At First National Bank

Little Kathy Brown was honored on her fifth birthday Thursday when her mother, Mrs. Robert Brown, entertained with a quilting in their home.

High winds last Wednesday afternoon did considerable damage in the community. Outbuildings were blown down at the Adeline Carper, George James and Nettie

Hale homes. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Dyess and family at Norton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wimberley and family of Mertzon.

Patsy Teague is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. E. E. Wade and Barbara of San Angelo visited Mrs. Zack Tounget and Ken Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howell, Mike and Johnny of Odessa spent the

weekend with Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Howell.

Janice Dyess of Norton is visiting Ola Sue Brown.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends who were so kind while I was in the Bronte Hospital. I also want to express my appreciation to Dr. Harris, the nurses and hospital personnel for their kindness and San Angelo Friday to visit Mr. and good treatment.

Mrs. Barney Modgling. 21-1tc

Miss Ada Woullard and her nephew, Leslie Woullard, have returned to Bronte to spend the summer months. He is a teacher in the Eldorado Schools.

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Johnny Smith of Bronte filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Everyone seems to be happy over the good rains we received last week, amounting to as much as 5 inches in places. A lot of hail was reported and Wednesday, a small twister blew barns, chickken houses down around several places. This week, we received 1/2 inch of rain. Farmers are getting ready to start planting.

Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay last week were her sister, Mrs. Addie Cook of Temple; a niece, Mrs. Aletha Andrews and son of Brownwood. On Sunday, Mrs. Cook's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roach, spent the day with the Cook family.

Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Mrs. Eddie and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester of Bronte went to Abilene Tuesday. Tom Brown of Midland came by for a visit with the Herbert Hollands Wednesday. On Thursday James Holland and Cecil Bostic of near Cisco visited them.

Mrs. Willard Caudle went to Mrs. Verlin Oats and Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brown and baby of Shreveport, La., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers and his parents at Winters. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence of Balinger visited the Jerry Landers family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGuffen of San Angelo spent the weekend with the A. J. Essarys.

J. W. Caudle spent the weekend with Johnny Smith at Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook received word of the death of an aunt, Mrs. Alice Goodman, Sunday. She died Sunday at her home in Fort Worth. Funeral services were held Monday and burial was in Milford cemetery

The Joliy Breakfast club met

The Bronte Enterprise

Saturday with Mrs. Doxie Laudder. Present were Mmes. Bert Hester, Bill Willmann, Frank Reichert, Herbert Holland, J. W. Clark, Al D. Richards, Dick Peiser, Wesley Prinzing and the hostess. The club will meet Saturday with Mrs. Prinzing.

Saturday, May 21, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary. The Herbert Hollands observed their 33rd wedding anniversary Friday.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that BAR-NEY CARTER, an applicant, pursuant to the provision of the Ordinance known as the "Bronte Oil and Gas Ordinance" did on the 23rd day of May, 1955 ,file with the City Secretary an application for a permit to drill and operate a well upon Bronte Drilling Block Mae Donaldson, Mrs. J. B. Arrott No. 17. Said application and map showing the lands comprising said Drilling Block and the exterior boundaries thereof are in file in the office of the City Secretary and are at said office subject to the examination of all person during regular office hours. A hearing upon such application will be held at the City Hall by the City Council on the 2 day of June, 1955, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and at such continued hearing or hearings, if any, as the City may in its discretion des-

Helen Kirkland City Secretary.

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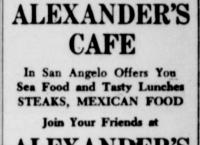
First Baptist Church

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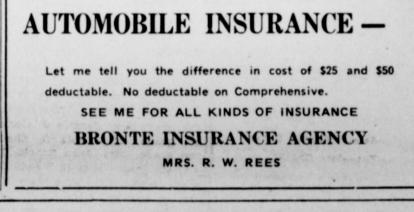
Sunday School Sunday at First Baptist Church for every member of the family. Worship service is at 11:00 a. m. Training union is at 7 p. m. in which 12 adults, 11 intermediates and 10 juniors are to be presented awards earned in a recent Bible Study Week. All to receive their awards are urged to be present. Evening evangelistic service is at 8:00 p. m. The pastor, Maynard R. Rogers, will bring both messages in Sunday's worship services.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Herron went to Odessa for a weekend visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Leathers and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herron.

Mrs. W. P. Rogers and children, Pat and Mike, are here from Monahans this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bagwell.



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Grocery Specials

The Bronte Enterprise

Methodist Bible School Starts Monday, May 30

Vacation Church School at the First Methodist Church starts next Monday, May 30, and goes through Friday, June 3. Tentative schedule Follow Jesus," by Crosby. Teachfor the morning sessions is 8:30 to 11:00 o'clcok

Four groups have been provided for

Kindergarten course is

'Stories About Jesus," by Brumley. Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw, Mrs. Bill Thomas and Mrs. Joe McCutchen are the teachers The Primary course is "Love

One Another" by McDowell. Mrs. George Thomas and Mrs. Hollis Stevens are teachers. The Junior Course is "We would

The

ers are Mrs. I. C. Oden, Mrs. Louis Bridges and Mrs. W. C. Craig. The Intermediate course is

"God's World and Ours," by Grif-

May 27, 1955 | fiths. Teachers are Mrs. Carroll | worship program following the | Parents night program will be Robbins and the pastor, W. C.

> Craig. Several other committees and schedule. Children and Intermed- Church at 10 a. m., then come back ates from the other churches are to the Church to register and re- are: cordially invited to attend the Methodist School.

Norton Downs Bronte Longhorns

Bronte High School Baseball team lost to Norton High School 7-9 in a game played last week. Pitching for the local high school was Rudy Gutierrez and Arbie Philips. Coach Black said Norton was due to return the game this week, but is unable to do so due to their senior trip.

Playing for Bronte was Kenneth Scott, Stanley Phillips, Aribe Phillips, Bill Tounget, R. J. Millikin, Joe Ramirez, Harold Denton, Harold McCutchen, Leslie Caperton Jim Brunson and Dean Scott.

Leading the hitting for the Longhorns were K. Scott and H. Mc-Cutchen, who got 3 hits in 4 times at bat.

COUNTY POLIO MEETING

Annual meeting of Coke County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis will be held at 1:30 p. m. Friday, June 3, in the conference room of the First National Bank in Bronte. Purpose of the meeting will be to elect ofticers and outline work of the chapter for the coming year. Dr. John R. Harris of Bronte is the Coke County chairman. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Baptist Vacation Bible School to Begin June 4

Annual Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church will get underway with an interesting program planned for each day. Registration will be taken in a brief

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home.

sive, will receive tags at the begin- ages 10, 11 & 12, and Mrs. Edward ring of the parade. The school Cumbie of Intermediates, ages 13, will be conducted June 6-10, Mon- 14 & 15. The pastor, Rev. Mayday through Friday, from 8:30 to nard R. Rogers, will serve as principal. 11:30 a.m.

SA

Town Parade on Saturday, June 4, held at the church Friday night, 10:00 a. m. All boys and girls June 10, beginning at 8:00 p. m. are asked to take part in the pa- Bible stories, handwork, missionhelpers will have part in the total rade starting from First Baptist ary activities, and fun are in store. Superintendents of the school Mrs. Aubrey Denman of ceive refreshments before going Beginners, ages 4-5; Mrs. Garland Black of Primary, ages 6, 7 & 8; All children, ages 4 to 15 inclu- Mrs. M. R. Rogers of Juniors,

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But this family's trips are over, Picked a dang'rous spot to pass-Then they saw death's angel peekin' Through the broken windshield glass.

Ain't gonna need this car no longer, Ain't gonna need this car no more-Had no time to fix the brakes up, Had no time to fix the door, Had no time to fix the steerin' Or to drive with more restraint-Ain't gonna need this car no longer, They've been taken to meet the Saint . . .

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WELCOME To The **Ballinger City Park**

Swimming Pool Opens Saturday, May 21, 2 P. M. Swim in the Finest and Largest Swimming Pool

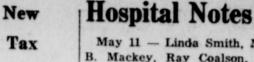
In West Texas

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> **CITY COMMISSION BALLINGER, TEXAS**



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wojtek are parents of a son born at 5 p. m. Tuesday, May 24, in Coke County Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds and has been named Jerry Wayne. He has a brother, Larry Charles, 4 years old. Grandpar- Jimmy Saunders, Blackwell, Miss ents are F. C. Wojtek, Sr. of Ro- Maggie Lily, Norton, Aletha Murtibert Lee and Mrs. and Mrs. Jess shaw, Royce Dean Clark, Bob Wil-Liles of Bronte.



Exemptions

May 11 - Linda Smith, Mrs. J. B. Mackey, Ray Coalson, Silver, admitted. Sharon McCutchen, D. L. Estes, Orient, Patsy Pittman dismissed.

May 12 - Mrs. John Pettit, Blackwell, Dixie Sharp admitted. L. E. Smith dismissed.

May 13 - Mrs. Clarence Doggett, Mrs. D. M. Ott admitted. son dismissed.

May 14 - B. E. Caruthers admit-, The Bronte Enterprise ted. Mike Teague, Tennyson, Ker-

Robert Lee, S. J. Rose admitted. Ray Coalson, Silver, dismissed. May 19 - Mrs. J. B. Mackey,

admitted. Linda Smith, Mrs. J. F. Hughes dismissed.

May 20 - Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Norton, Mrs. Bryant Bishop, Winters, Nolan Butler admitted. Mrs. C. S. Doggett, Beth Ivey, B. E. Carruthers, Blackwell, dismissed. May 21-David Faulk, Mrs. Thad Walls, Robert Lee, admitted. Divie Sharp dismissed.

May 18 - Miss Laverne Darter, May 22 - B. H. Denson, Winters, son dismissed.

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admitted. Miss Laverne Darter, Robert Lee, dismissed.

May 23 - Mrs. J. L. Hambright, Norton, R. E. Hickman, Larry Conquest admitted. Mrs. J. B. Mackey transferred to San Angelo. Nolan Butler, Blackwell dismissed.

May 24 - Ed Hickman, Edith. Mrs. John Pettit, Blackwell, admitted. Grace Rogers, Mrs. Thad Walls, Robert Lee, dismissed.

May 25 - Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Larry Max Conquest, B. H. Den-

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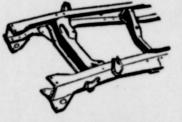
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Clarence Doggett. Beth Ivey,

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mitted. Mrs. Doc Larkin, Mrs.

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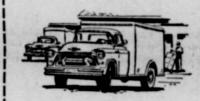
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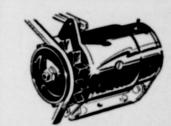
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PERSONALS

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Craig left

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Editor's Note: We're sure that you will mis this week's What's What Column. Mrs. Whatley has gone to Graford to be with her fater, W. G. Moon, who is critically ill. We hope that he will be much improved and that she will be able to be back with us next week. Readers will also miss this week the large number of locals that Mrs. Whatley has been turning in.

We don't know if the following is the recipe which she intended to run this week but we found it on her desk and we're running it anyway. The recipe was secured from Mrs. O. K. Wolfenbarger, who, in turn, had gotten it from a friend of hers in San Angelo.

BANANA NUT CAKE

1/2 cup butter (1/4-pound) 1½ cups sugar (white gran.) 2 large bananas (mashed)

1/2 tsp. soda

- 1 tsp. Baking Powder
- 4 T. buttermilk
- 1/2 cup nuts (chopped)
- 1 3/4 cup flour (sifted 5 times)
- 2 eggs beaten separately
- 1 tsp. Vanilla

tsp. salt (lastly fold etaoin 1/4 tsp. salt

Cream butter and sugar together. All egg yolks, bananas, milk with soda dissolved in milk, alternate milk and flour with baking powder in flour, nuts, vanma and nuts. Lastly fold in well beaten egg whites.

Grease and flour pans and bake in two layers in quick oven.

Use 7 minute frosting, using a part of frosting between layers, sprinkled with nuts, finely chopped.

Miss Mary Reyes Honored at Shower

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cameron of Monday morning to attend the an-Holden, Missouri announce the ennual Southwest Texas conference, gagement and approaching marin session this week in San Anriage of their oldest daughter, Jean, to Dave R. Gassiott of San tionio. They plan to return to-Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. night. Rev. Craig announced that R. Gassiott of Silver, Texas. The regular services will be held Sunwedding will take place in the late summer. the usual hours.

Miss Cameron graduated from Holden High School in 1954 and is a freshman student at Central Missouri State College in Warrensburg. While in High School she was president of the Glee Club and Band and at present is organist for First Baptist Church in Warrensburg and is active in other church

work. Mr. Gassiott is a Bronte High School graduate, attended John Tarlton College, Stephenville and Hardin Simmons University. After four years in the U.S. Air Force he attended one term at Central Missouri State College and is now training as assistant manager at Montgomery Ward's in San Angelo.

Miss Cameron spent her Easter vacation from CMSC with her fiance and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gassiott, 1309 Richard St., San Angelo.

MRS. W. C. SHAMBLIN IS EUTERPEAN CLUB HOSTESS

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mrs. W. C. Shamblin was hostess to the Euterpean club Thursday afternoon for their last meeting until fall. Mrs. Charles Ragsdale, president, presided. She was also leader for the program on the Bible.

Mrs. P. G. Dabney gave the devotional. Mrs. W. W. Youngblood gave a talk on "How the Bible is Building Israel."

A refreshment plate to Mmes. Frank Brownfield, Geo. Jordan, W. W. Youngblood, H. C. Raney, L. W. Sweet, P. G. Dabney, Ragsuale and the hostess.

Emma Hipp to Marry Harley Waggoner

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mrs. Josie Hipp of Blackwell is announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Emma Hipp, who lives at 601 Oak Street in Sweetwater, to Harley Waggoner of 607 E. 3rd St., Sweetwater, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waggoner of Hylton. The wedding is to take place on Saturday, June 11, at the home of Miss Hipp's grandparents, Mr. and through Alabama to pick up Mrs. Mrs. Robert Tubb in Blackwell. Miss Hipp was graduated from

lene. She is employed at Cameron Beauty Shop in Sweetwater. Mr. Waggoner was also gradua-

ted from Blackwell High School and is employed at Sweetwater by day at First Methodist Church at the Lone Star Gas Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and children left on a two-weeks vaca- left Wednesday for a few days ren and Mrs. Ida Hall of Roscoe: tion trip last Friday. Mrs. Baker trip. Mrs. Caperton and children Mrs. Lillian Carlton of Ballinger, and children were to visit her par- will visit her mother at White- Mr. and Mrs. Grady Richards, Mr. ents near Carthage while he con- right while he attend a gather- and Mrs. Floyd Modgling, Mr. and ing of Chevrolet dealers at Postinued on to visit relatives in Philsum Kingdom Lake.

A gathering of the Caperton family took place here last Sunday in the E. L. Caperton home. The group all brought picnic lunches for the noon meal. A sister of Mr. Caperton, Mrs. W. W. Rosser, of Moundville, Alabama, arrived last Wednesday for a several weeks visit here. She was accompanied to Bronte by another sister, Mrs. Genie Fort of Del Rio, who had been visiting in Ohio and came back Rosser.

FAMILY GATHERING

The Capertons decided Sunday Blackwell High School and from that they would have their annual Scoggins Beauty Academy in Abi- family reunion Sunday, June 5, in the old Maverick school house.

Others present for the Sunday get-together included Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Caperton and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Caperton of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Clift Lester of Midland. Mrs. Lizzie Wood of Ballinger, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Caperton and Mrs. Russel Haney and child-

> Mrs. Ben Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Caperton and children.





A shower, honoring Miss Mary Reyes, bride-elect of Mr. Louis Stoepler, Clifton Gardner, Austin Minjarez, was given at the home of Mrs. Simon Olivas last Sunday. Refreshments were served to about O. T. Colvin, R. V. Copeland, Chas. 25 guests

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Simon Olivas and Mrs. Ru- Miss Henson and dolph Minjarez, sisters of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Frank Fuentes.

The table was decorated with a hand made crocheted table cloth and a miniature bride and groom.

For entertainment games of bingo were played and Mrs. Paul W. R. Ashton of Nolan on Satur-Minjarez won first prize and Miss day evening, May 14. Locadia Gutierrez won second.

Last Diversity Club Meeting with Mrs. Clark

Last meeting of the year for The Diversity Study Club was held last Thursday night in the home of Business College in Abilene on Mrs. Clifford Clark. The program June 13. was on "Inside TV."

vorite TV Star"; Mrs. D. K. Glenn May 25 for assignment on Guam. spoke on "Interesting TV Programs" and Mrs. J. T. Henry had the part on "History of Liberace's Musical Career."

Strawberry short cake and iced punch were served to Mmes. Ve- Loy Wrinkle and Marion Mitchell tal Flores, D. K. Glenn, J. T. Hen- families. Mrs. Wrinkle accompanry, Cecil Kemp, R. C. Lasswell, O. | ied them home and spent the week R. McQueen, R. W. Rees, Collins here. Mrs. Brown Freeman ac-Sayner, Otis Smith, H. A. Springer, George Thomas, A. S. Whatley, W. C. Craig and the hostess.

Troy Ashton Married By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Miss Martha Jean Henson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Henson of Shep became the bride of Troy Ashton, son of Mr. and Mrs.

The ceremony took place at Ballinger in the home of the Baptist minister, the Rev. Cagle, who performed the ceremony. The bride will be graduated

from Blackwell High School on May 27, and will enter Draughon's

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Mr. Ashton is in the navy and is Mrs. Otis Smith gave "My Fa- due to report in San Francisco

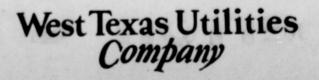
> Mr. and Mrs. George Wrinkle and her mother, Mrs. S. O. Jackson, made a trip to Pecos last weekend where they visited the companied them as far as Odessa where she visited her daughter and family.

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Bennie Gilbert Rites at Houston

Billy Wayne Hipp

Graduate at Tech

Billy Wayne Hipp and Joe Russell

Ash of Bronte will be among the

620 members of the graduating

Class at Texas Tech College, Lub-

Both students will receive a B.

bock, next weekend.

And Joe R. Ash

(Editor's Note: The story below was sent to Bronte and concerns the recent death of Bennie B. Gilbert, Sr. It includes more details about Mr. Gilbert's life."

Benjamin Brown (Bennie) Gilbert, well-known hotelman in Houston and throughout the state, had in hotel circles today that his af- has an animal husbandry major. in the evening by the baccalau- nies Saturday, May 28, at 10 a.m. fable nature, efficiency and sincerety had made him a "million friends and not an enemy anywhere."

Mr. Gilbert, who knew the hotel business from bellboy to managerial positions, died after a brief illness. He was 59.

He started his career as a bellboy in the Galvez Hotel in Galveston at the age of 15, but during World War 1, he went overseas and served for 18 months with the Army Quartermaster Corps.

Before coming to Houston 16 years ago, he was with the Statler chain in California and the Plaza in San Antonio. He knew all phases of the business and had worked for the Belmont, Ambassador Hotel Apts., the Ben Milam and Lamar Hotels, all of Houston. At the time of his death he was a room clerk for the Houston Hotel.

He was born in Huntsville where he lived until going to Galveston. As a boy, he became a baseball enthusiast and once managed a team in Huntsville.

His wife is the former Esther Ruth Rosenbaum of Houston, to whom he was married 16 years ago. The couple lived at 5241 Claremont.

Mr. Gilbert had been a longtime member of the Hotel Greeters Assn., and held membership in the Houston chapter.

His only son, Ben Gilbert, Jr., is manager of the Broken Arrow Ranch in Santa Fe, N. M.

Besides his wife and son, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Pearl Boynton of Bronte, and a brother, Virgil Gilbert of Robert Lee.

Services were held in Fogle-West Martuaries Chapel with Rev. R. G. Commander officiating. Burial was in Forrest Park Cemetery.

Memorial Day Homecoming At

Hipp, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. | The Bronte Enterprise Hipp, will graduate with a major

in Agronomy. Dean W. L. Stangel has announced that there are eighty-nine candidates for degrees in the Division of Agriculture.

Four graduation exercises and the traditional President's reception will climax activities on the Texas Tech campus during the final week of the 1954-55 school year.

The President's reception is the knack of making people like S. degree in Agriculture. Ash, scheduled between 3:30 and 5 him wherever he went. It was said the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ash, p. m. Sunday and will be followed commissioned in special ceremo- each. - Nettie Hale.

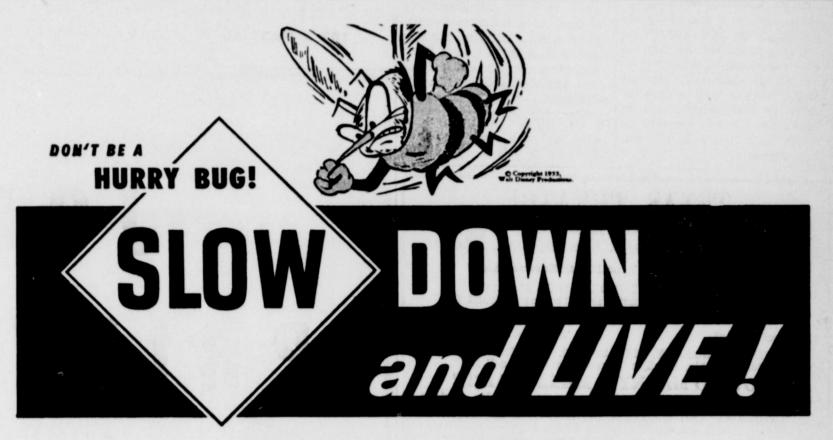
reate service. Dr. John Anderson, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Dallas, will deliver the address at 8 in Jones Stadium. Dr. Logan Wilson, president of the University of Texas, will give the official commencement address Monday May 30 at 8 p. m. concluding graduation activities. Army ROTC Cadets who will be

in the Aggie Auditorium. Guest speaker will be Marshall L. Penmngton, Tech vice president. Hipp will receive a commission in the Infantry.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank my friends who so kindly came in and built my Hipp is also one of 34 Texas Tech barn back after the storm last Wednesday. A special thanks to

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An Appeal for 101 Days of Safe Driving

During the summer months-from Memorial Day through Labor Day-highway traffic fatalities are high. So high that the Governors' Conference has endorsed a nation-wide safe driving program during the 101 days between the two holidays.

Only you, the motorist, can make this campaign a success . . . If you, and every other highway traveler, will resolve to drive at a safe speed, to follow the recommendations of Safety Associations for safe highway driving, literally hundreds of lives will be saved

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Sanco Sunday

Homecoming, set for Sunday, May 29, at Sanco, will open at the Baptist Church in this community at 10:00 o'clock in the morning.

Basket lunch will be spread under the tabernacle. Neighbors and old friends will mingle informally during the noon hour and for awhile afterward. Those who wish to decorate graves at the cemetery or to inspect the improvements made there recently will have the opportunity to do so in the afternoon.

The morning program will consist of songs and special numbers, an appreciation of the pioneer founder's of the community, by Mrs. A. F. McKinley, devotional message by Rev. H. L. Bloodworth of Silver, former Baptist pastor at Sanco, and recognition of former residents present, especially of the oldest native of Sanco, the oldest former resident, and the oldest person now living in the community.

The Sanco Cemetery Association and The Sanco Community Association sponsors of the homecoming will give a brief report.

The community was established in 1887, and its post office is the oldest in Coke County still in operation.

The homecoming occasion is for all residents and former residents, their friends and relatives, as well as all others interested.

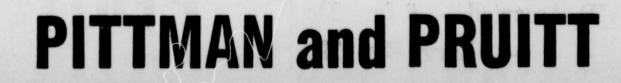
during this summer's travel. One of them may be your own.

Wherever you drive this summer, PLEASE DRIVE SAFELY

Safety Associations recommend that you follow these simple rules for a safe vacation trip:

- Observe all posted speed limits; don't hurry, ever.
- Regulate the speed of your car to highway and traffic conditions.
- · Don't drive too long-stop when you're tired.
- Observe all highway caution warnings-slow down for curves, when descending steep hills, etc.
- Don't drink when driving.
- · Follow the golden rule of traffic courtesy: give other motorists the same consideration you'd like for them to give you.

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