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Simpson and Porter Re-Elected; Black Resigns As School Head

At a regular meeting of the Bronte School board of trustees last Thursday night Supt. Garland Black resigned his position as head of the local school system. At the same meeting Norman Porter and Joe Simpson were re-elected for another year as elementary and high school principals.

Black has served as superintendent of the local schools for the past four years, succeeding O. K. Wolfenbarger. In requesting that he not be considered for re-election, Black told the board that he had other plans for next year, but would finish out his present con-

AD-LIB-BEN

The forthcoming election to raise taxes for the Bronte school deserves the serious consideration of every voter living in this district. Not only will the outcome of this election have an immediate effect on every taxpayer in the district, it will also have an effect on our school and town and each one of us individually for many years to come.

We believe it is of great importance that this election carry. We believe that the present school board and present school administration has carried on school operation as economically as possible without impairing the quality of the instruction our children are getting.

It seems that with rising costs the way they are, the only way we can maintain our standards is for the school to have more money with which to operate. One thing is absolutely certain — that is we cannot continue to operate the school and go deeper in debt each year. We either raise more tax money or lower our standards to meet the finances. If voters turn down the tax increase and decide that we can do without some of the essentials which we now have, it is most likely that the days of the Bronte school are numbered. Lots of people think that the big shots in education are gunning for the little schools anyway, and any relaxation of present standards will only give them the opportunity they are waiting for.

At any rate, if we want to keep our school we are going to have to increase the money which is available to run it.

Think it over — would you rather pay more taxes or have our children go to school in a neighboring town.

We got our hand called on a statement made in this column last week when we stated that Pruitt's Store had been our oldest regular advertiser. Victor Wojtek of the Texas Theatre wrote that he and his brothers had been running an ad regularly since they opened the Texas in November, 1936. We believe Mr. Wojtek is right, because we recall only one issue of the Enterprise when they didn't have an ad, and that was not their fault. We simply didn't get the copy in time to run it.

The Enterprise has quite a few, but not enough, such regular advertisers. They are the boys who are the backbone of any newspaper, large or small — the ones we can count on week after week. And they are also the ones who receive the most benefit from the money they spend for advertising.

All papers that we know any-
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tract. During Black's tenure as superintendent, standards of the Bronte school have been raised sufficiently high that both the grade school and high school have been recognized by the Southern Association of Elementary and High Schools.

Board members, in accepting Black's resignation, stated they felt he had earned their highest recommendations while serving at Bronte. Black told The Enterprise that his decision to resign was made after much consideration of the matter. He asked this newspaper to express his appreciation and gratitude to all the men who have served on the school board during his term here for the many favors and considerations they have shown him. He also expressed thanks for the cooperation of all teachers and school employees who have served with him.

The Bronte superintendent worked at Brady, Pleasanton and Midland schools before coming here five years ago as high school principal and coach. He has had 21 years experience in the public schools of Texas as well as one year as assistant coach at Oklahoma City University, after he graduated from that school.

Black grew up in Roby, but spent his last year in high school at Abilene, graduating there in 1932. He lacks only one year's work obtaining a degree in law, and received his Master of Education degree in 1952 from Howard Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Black and their three children are active in community affairs in Bronte. He takes an active part in civic work and Mrs. Black is a member of the Sorosis Study Club. They are active members of the First Baptist Church. Their children are Dean, Neal and Judy.

New Baptist Pastor Begins Work in Bronte

Rev. Lester Vinson moved in this week to take charge of his new position as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bronte. He will preach his first sermon as pastor next Sunday.

The new pastor is a native Texan reared in Runnels County and attended Winters High School. He is a graduate of Hardin Simmons University, taking a BA degree in 1952. He also attended the Southern Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

Vinson is veteran of the U. S. Navy during World War II, and later served as a home missionary to Spanish speaking people in Texas for six years. He has held pastorates at the Circlewood Baptist Church in Tuscaloosa, Ala., and in the Chaplin Baptist Church at Chaplin, Kentucky.

Mrs. Vinson is the former Peggy Mayfield of Sweetwater. She is also a graduate of Hardin Simmons University, receiving a BA degree in 1949. She has served as WMU president; and choir director of the Nelson Baptist Association.

The Vinsons have two children, Jeanny, 8, and Eddie Paul, 5.

Mrs. Vinson and the children are making their home in Abilene at the present, but will move to Bronte as soon as the remodeling of the parsonage is completed.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST.

Funeral Services Held Friday for Mrs. G. A. Best

Funeral rites were held at 10 a.m. last Friday, Feb. 13, for Mrs. G. A. (Emma Jane) Best, 86. She died Wednesday, Feb. 11 in the Bronte Hospital after a long period of illness.

Funeral services were held at the Kickapoo Baptist Church with the Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor, and the Rev. E. L. Jones of Lamesa officiating. Burial was in Fairview cemetery under direction of Cliff Funeral Home.

Mrs. Best, who was known to all her friends as Aunt Emma, was born Emma Jane Gilreath, June 4, 1872. She was the daughter of the late J. H. and Mary Jane Graves Gilreath. She was married to G. A. Best May 4, 1890, in Erath County. She had moved with her parents to Bronte in 1889. Mrs. Best had been a member of the Baptist Church since she was 16 years old and was a charter member of the Kickapoo Baptist Church of Bronte. Her hobby was piecing and quilting quilts.

Survivors include three sons, Alvie and Evert Best of Bronte and Jess Best of San Angelo; three daughters, Mrs. A. K. Williams of Jacksonville, Mrs. A. L. Wrinkle of Bronte and Mrs. H. M. Box of Lamesa; two brothers, M. G. Gilreath of Bronte and Robert Gilreath of Hamlin; two sisters, Mrs. Laura Burrows of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. E. R. Turpin of San Angelo; 25 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren, and five great-great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons, Bill Wrinkle of Midland, Charles Sims of Bronte, Carl Best of San Angelo, Jimmy Best of Sweetwater, R. C. White of Midland and Harold Smith of Arlington.

DEAN BLACK ASKED TO ATTEND BAYLOR

Baylor University Backfield Coach H. Fry was in Bronte last week to see and talk with Dean Black about attending the Waco school. Black, the son of Supt. and Mrs. Garland Black, was a four-year regular for the Bronte Longhorns.

Dean was all-district two years and all-area (Abilene) end in 1957. He is a nephew of Jack Black, now of Iraan, who was an all-Southwest Conference tackle at Baylor in 1937-38 and an all-state player for Abilene High in the early thirties.

Carnival Makes \$670

Bronte Parent-Teachers association grossed \$670 from the Valentine Festival last Saturday night. Some expenses are yet to be paid but officials said that all of the bills are small and the PTA probably will clear around \$600. Most of the merchandise and food was donated by school patrons, and Bronte, San Angelo and Ballinger merchants.

The event was well attended and most of the concessions were sold out before the end of the evening. Cakes and pies that were left from the luncheon were auctioned for good prices by Edward Cumble.

Linda Henry, daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry, was the winner of the \$10 first prize in the talent show. She played a medley of popular numbers on the organ. Pam Beck, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beck, won second prize of \$7.50 for

School Tax Election Coming Up Feb. 28

An election to vote on raising taxes in the Bronte Independent School District has been called for Saturday, Feb. 28. Balloting will be held in the Bronte City Hall and will be on the proposition of raising the operation and main-

tenance tax from 75c to \$1.50 per \$100 valuation.

The election was called after the board received a petition asking that the matter be submitted to voters of the district.

Need for a raise in the school's income has become apparent the past two years when its operating and bond retirement payments exceeded the available funds. Board members estimate that the deficit will amount to approximately \$40,000 by the end of the current fiscal year, Aug. 31.

No election will be held at this time on the bond retirement tax, which is already set at the rate of 50c per \$100. If the forthcoming election carries, it will set the entire school tax rate at \$2.00 per \$100.

Actually, board members say, fixing the maintenance and operation tax at \$1.50 allows the trustees to set the rate each year at a figure to meet the school's anticipated needs, not to exceed that amount. Trustees are hopeful that after the present deficit is paid off, the rate can be lowered some.

Increasing costs of operation including a teacher pay raise two years ago are given as the main cause of the deficit. However, the school's allocation of state money has been lowered considerably and oil property valuations have been lowered, both contributing to the school's financial difficulties.

March of Dimes Raises Over \$2500 In Coke County

Coke County's March of Dimes drive went over in a big way this year with a total of \$2550.85 turned in by local residents. Matthew Caperton of Bronte, who was chairman for the county's campaign this year, said he was more than pleased with results of the campaign.

Expenses connected with the drive this year amounted to \$143.20, leaving a net of \$2407.65.

Caperton listed the chairmen and amounts turned in by various communities in the county as follows:

Robert Lee, L. C. Ivey, Jr., \$26.51.
Divide, Mrs. Fred McCabe, \$27.00.
Walnut, Mrs. Fred McCabe, Jr., \$37.50.

Edith, Lew Heuvel, \$68.00.
Wildcat, Sue Millican, \$42.00.
Silver, John Stewart, \$231.26.
Bronte, M. G. Caperton, \$1176.98.
Ft. Chadbourn, Mrs. C. O. Richards, \$90.50.
Tennyson, Mrs. James Arrott, \$51.10.

Caperton expressed his appreciation to all the workers and to all who contributed to the March of Dimes.



New Tax Exemptions

Karen Sue is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lynn Modgling of Windthorst. The baby was born Saturday, Jan. 30, in an Olney hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Modgling of Weatherford. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Modgling of Bronte and the great-great grandmother of the baby is Mrs. S. A. Kiker of Bronte.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Frank Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Ward, Bailey Bell and Pete Gilbert went to Big Spring Sunday to visit Frank Grimes, who is being treated for a broken hip in the Veterans Administration hospital there. They report that Mr. Grimes is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Smith of Abilene were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, and Linda.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton went to Priddy Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bon Spoons and family and to help Johnny Spoons celebrate his 14th birthday. The Brutons have a new Chevrolet station wagon.

Jerry McShan and Aubrey Don Denman have gone to South Dakota where they are to be employed on the J. B. Glenn ranch.

Alfred and Karen Blair of Eldorado spent Saturday night of last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dink Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle of Cisco were in Bronte Sunday visiting relatives.

Ralph Dunklin made a weekend trip to Athens to get the Dunklin children, who had spent two weeks with their grandparents there.

Rev. and Mrs. Ira Harrison were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. B.

G. Timmons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn have moved from Big Lake to Sweetwater. He is employed by the Pool Well Servicing Co.

Mrs. W. J. Eads has returned home after spending a week at the bedside of her brother who is critically ill in the hospital at De Leon.

Doyle Rogers was here from Garden City last weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers.

Mrs. B. J. Russell and son of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Morgan last week.

Mrs. Mabel Myers spent the weekend in San Angelo as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliphant and children have moved to Houston where he is taking an engineering course at the University of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Corley and Peggy had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy at Tennyson. It was Mr. Murphey's 75th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Isabel went to Wall last Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilde and family. John Mayfield of San Angelo was a guest in the Isabel home last week and Mrs. Pauline Conger was their overnight guest on Tuesday.

News From Tennyson

By Mrs. John Gaston

Dee Arrott left early Monday with County Agent Sterling Lindsey for San Antonio where they attended the livestock show and Dee entered the calf scramble. They returned to Bronte that night and Dee spent the night with his aunt, Mrs. Alene Latham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Webb left Tuesday morning on a trip to Austin and Temple where he will attend meetings of the State Association of the Soil Conservation.

Mrs. Bert Cornelius, who has been ill, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Smith, and family in San Angelo.

The Tom Greens, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hill, Larry and Bruce, and William Green of San Angelo were Sunday guests for dinner in the Wallace Montgomery home in Orient.

Attending the Bronte-Mertzon basketball game in Mertzon Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley and Mary.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. S. W. Gaston and Sam were Mrs. Claud Cotten, Walter Gaston, Marilyn and Buddy, Susan Muenzler, and Bubba Crunk, San Angelo and the John Gaston family.

Mrs. Betty Green says that Friday, the 13th, was her lucky day, after she and her mother, Mrs. Sude Brown escaped injury in a car truck collision. A large ranch truck skidded on the slick pavement and crashed into the Green car near the corner of Main and Pulliam in San Angelo. Mrs. Brown was not hurt and Mrs. Green escaped with only a few bruises.

Mrs. J. B. Arrott and boys, and Mrs. J. C. Boatright were dinner guests of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. H. Hester in Bronte last Monday.

Attending a musical in the Clarence Derrick home in Tennyson Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius, Bert Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick, Wilma nad Shirley of Andrews and Robert Brown.

Annual Youth Banquet Held Last Thursday At Baptist Church

"Starlight Fantasy" was the central theme carried out at the annual youth banquet last Thursday night in the Fellowship hall of the Baptist Church.

Entrance to the hall was spotlighted, covered with foil and "Starlight Fantasy" was written in glitter in large letter. Ceiling of the banquet hall was decorated to resemble the sky at night, complete with the moon, stars, milky way and satellites. Banquet tables were laid with white cloths with centerpieces of blue candles, decorated with glitter, and sputnics.

The menu read: Chicken a la Jupiter, spudnics, garden comets, satellite salad, rocket rolls, solar

delight and jet fuel.

The program began with a prayer by Eddy Spiller, followed by the Welcome by Rev. Ira Harrison. Jimmy Ed Mackey and Dana Eubanks entertained with vocal numbers and the intermediate group gave a choral reading, followed by musical numbers by Martha Gallant and Tommy Seymore.

Principal speaker of the evening was Don Timberlake, student at Hardin Simmons College, Abilene. The benediction was given by the new Baptist pastor, Rev. Lester Vinson.

Out of town and special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Timberlake and Rev. and Mrs. Harrison of Abilene, Martha Gallant of Ballinger, Tommy Seymore of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene and Rev. Vinson.

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UNCLE HUIE from HOG CREEK says

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I see by the papers where the U. S. Army and Navy is our biggest owners of fine grazing land. The Army has got three million acres and the Navy one hundred thousand acres. The Army has did away with the cavalry so I reckon they're holding on to that grazing land fer retired Generals. I don't know what the Navy aims to do with theirs unless they're gitting ready to retire battleships to pasture. It's a sight in this world, Mister Editor, some of the things them fellers up in Washington git away with.

I think one of the things that's wrong with this country today is that this generation ain't got no whittlers left in it. Back when I was a boy a feller always carried his knife and whittled while he was thinking or making a deal. I recollect onct when my grandfather bought a armchair at a auction sale that had one arm whittled plum off. It had come from a bank and folks set in it while they was dickering fer terms with the banker. I think the country would be better off if them Congressmen did a little whittling on that expensive furniture they got up there. A armchair now and then would cost the taxpayers less than three million acres of grazing land.

We had a little social note come to light up at the store Saturday night. My neighbor and his wife is celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary next week. Neighbor Ed said he told her he'd kill a nice fat calf fer the occasion but his old lady allowed as how she didn't see no reason fer killing a innocent calf fer a mistake they made 35 year ao.

Some of the fellers Saturday night was mighty worried about inflation and saying them Congressmen ought to do something about it. In my opinion, they don't know no more about it than the rest of us. The manufacturer blames it on labor and labor blames it on the manufacturer, and the retailer blames it on the wholesaler and the wholesaler blames it on Russia, which is where me and you and Congress come in and there ain't nothing left to do but enlarge the stadium and hope fer the best.

All I know about inflation is that I ain't no better off under it than I was before, in fact I ain't been no better off since I can remember, but it's my opin-

MONTHLY COUSINS PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham of Robert Lee hosted the monthly Arrott's Cousins party. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Arrott of Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Arrott of Orient; Mr. and Mrs. LeDrew Arrott, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott, all of Bronte.

Supper was served and several games of 42 were played. High score went to Mrs. LeDrew Arrott and low score to Mrs. Milton Arrott. The traveling prize was won by Gene Adams. Next party will be March 7 at the Vaughn home.

ion that prices is going to stay high just as long as folks has got any money or credit left. If the folks in this country would follow my lead and git rid of their money, we'd git rid of high prices. What else we'd git rid of in the process, I ain't so shore.
Yours truly,
UNCLE HUIE

LOCAL NEWS

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hester were Mrs. Buster Hester, Bobby Hester of Texas A&M College, Mr. and Mrs. George McClung, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hester of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Yarborough of Snyder, Mona Casey, Mabel Mundell, Marie Hester, Mrs. Sue McGallion and boys, all of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Eubanks went to San Angelo Monday on business.

Vicki and Debbie Freeman of Odessa are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Freeman, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reaves are home after a week's visit with their children in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt have gone to Jacksonville to attend the annual Bible conference sponsored by the North American Theological Seminary and Jacksonville College (Baptist). They will also visit in the home of their son, Rev. Francis Pruitt, and his family while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp made a weekend trip to San Antonio to visit their daughter Carolyn, who is a student at Trinity University there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Morgan recently made a trip to Alamogordo, New Mexico where they visited the white sands museum and park. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Word at Andrews.

T. E. Tidwell, Mrs. Doug Stevens and children, James Arnold Tidwell and Brenda Corley went to Lamesa Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Theron Tidwell and family.

Miss Julian Herndon of San Angelo spent last weekend with Mrs. Ernestine Powell and Kay.

B. A. Bell is on a sick leave from his duties as mail carrier, due to a leg ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lasswell of Lubbock spent the weekend here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lasswell and in Blackwell with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rees McCarley.

NOTICE TAXPAYERS

Change in Schedule

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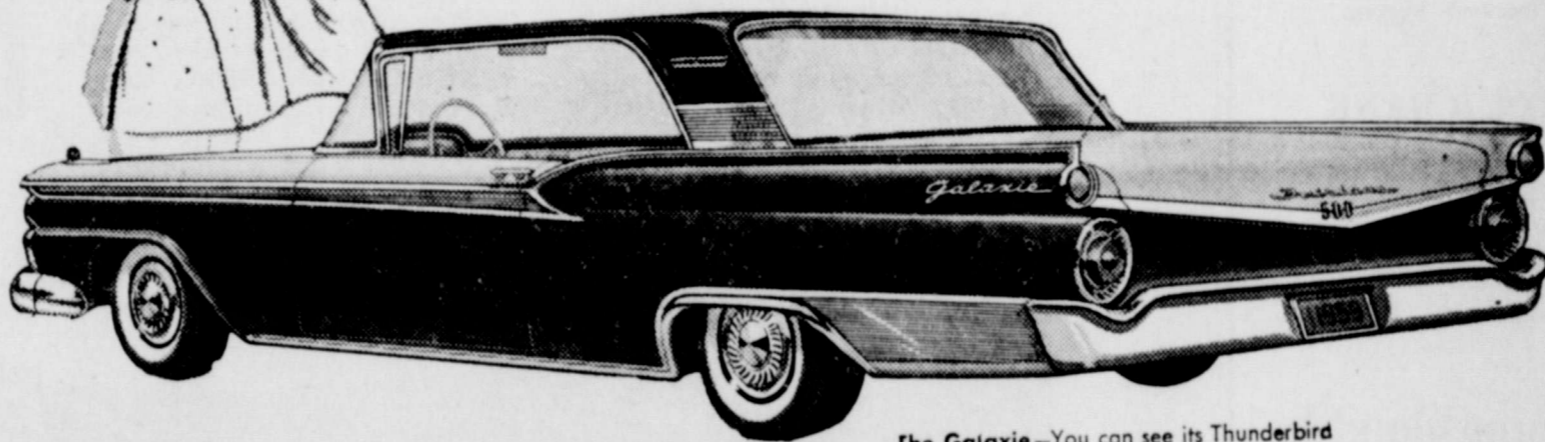
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By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Blackwell boys won second in the Highland basketball tournament last weekend. Highland boys won first. In the girls' division, McCauley girls won first and Hobbs won second. Mary Ruth Lindsey and Michael Kinard won honors on the all-star district tournament team.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Smith and children of San Angelo were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.

Mayor Austin Jordan went to Austin Monday to meet with the State Highway Commission on matters concerning state highway 70 and 71.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waggoner and son of Oklahoma City, Okla. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Palmer and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waggoner at Hylton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale have as their guests her mother, Mrs. L. J. Watson of Bensenville, Ill. and Mrs. Watson's grandson, Scott Weber of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Faught and children of Jal, N. Mex., have been

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Story and children of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Alsop.

The senior class and their sponsor, Supt. George Stoepler, will make a trip to Austin Feb. 25 and 26. They plan to visit the Capitol and then go on to San Marcos and San Antonio.

Blackwell FFA made a good showing in the county and district shows in Sweetwater recently. Wayne King took champion fine wool and Reserve Champion crossbred at Sweetwater. Larry Estes placed with a lamb and Bill Presler placed 4th with a calf. King also placed in the Abilene show.

Blackwell will have its stockshow on Saturday, Feb. 28. Show time is 1 p. m.

Basketball Sweetheart

Nelda Scott has been chosen as Sweetheart of the boys basketball team. She is a junior and has lettered two years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Scott of Blackwell. She was also chosen junior class favorite.

The girls' basketball team chose John Tubb as their hero. He has been an outstanding player this year. He is a senior student and is a four year letterman in both basketball and football. He is a member of the National Honor Society. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tubb, Route 1, Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard and son of Fluvanna spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanderson.

Walter Stapp is ill in the Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater.

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. J. W. Caudle of Hardin Simmons, Abilene, preached his first sermon as pastor of the Baptist Church Sunday. Sunday school will be at 10:15; preaching at 11 and evening service at 7 p. m. each Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas spent the weekend in Brownwood with their son, Dean Thomas, and family.

Mrs. Tom Donaldson of Lucerne Valley, Calif. left Thursday after a month's visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Boatright, and family, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther in Bronte. The Hesters accompanied her to Sterling City where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Donaldson. She went on to California on Saturday.

Homer Clark of Big Spring spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark.

Jim and Tim Arrott of Tennyson spent the weekend here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCanliss of San Angelo visited the Herbert Hollands Sunday afternoon. Jerry Landers and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited them Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bradshaw of Ballinger were recent guests in the Luther Nixon home Hurlin Lee of Bronte visited them Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle were Lonnie, Victor and Patricia Hedges of Abilene and Willie Dean Stephenson of

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Goldsmith.

Mrs. Jack Dean of Campwood is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Tom Setser, and family at Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugenia Saldana and children spent the weekend in Fredericksburg with relatives.

Mrs. Jerry Landers returned Friday from Houston where she visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brown. Mrs. Brown is recovering satisfactorily after surgery. Mrs. Landers came by San Antonio Thursday where she spent the night with her son, J. O. Landers, and family.

Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay visited friends in Ballinger Monday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Barr.

J. L. Stephenson was a visitor in the community Monday.

Some of the farmers have started farming and sowing some grain. About .3 inch of rain was received here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland attended Rebekah Lodge in Miles Tuesday night. After lodge the hostess served refreshments to 24 members. A valentine motif was carried out in refreshments.

Mr. Tom Setser of Norton and Mrs. Jack Dean of Campwood visited Mrs. Herbert Holland Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Susie Garlington returned to Ballinger Wednesday after visiting here ten days with her son, Jerry Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee and son came out from San Angelo to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Saturday. They also attended the valentine festival at Bronte Saturday night.

G. L. Cook is improved some this

week, according to Mrs. Cook. He has been seriously ill in a San Angelo hospital for eight weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn received word Saturday night of the death of his sister, Mrs. Maude Patterson, 82, in Dallas. The Gleghorns went to Dallas Sunday and attended the funeral Monday morning. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were hosts at a 42 party at their home Thursday night. After the games, coffee, cold drinks and angel food cake were served to Messrs. and Meses. Arthur Foster, George Coleman, Rob Springer, Bert Hester, Bill Keeling, Mrs. Wesley Prinzing and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dean Stephenson and children of Goldsmith are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cope, at Norton.

J. W. Caudle was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther of Bronte and Mrs. Tom Donaldson were their guests Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ogilvie and children of San Angelo spent the weekend here on their ranch.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SPEAKER

James E. Priest of Beaumont will be speaker for evening services at the local Church of Christ next Sunday. The public is invited to attend. Minister Priest is well known here as he preached for a meeting here last summer. Plans are for him to be here in a similar effort this year.

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Bonita Robertson, Kenneth Hester Marry in Valentine Day Ceremony

A pretty Valentine Day wedding took place in Robert Lee Saturday, Feb. 14, when Miss Bonita Robertson became the bride of Kenneth Hester. The ceremony was performed at 2 p.m. in First Baptist Church with the Rev. R. W. Blackmon of Bronte officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Bonetia Robertson of Robert Lee and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hester of Bronte. Both have recently held positions in Odessa. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Wilton Robertson, of Notrees. Mrs. Charles Dumas was her sister's maid of honor and Matthew Caperton, cousin of

the bridegroom, was best man. Claudia Robertson, niece of the bride, was flower girl. The ushers were Donny Robertson, brother of the bride, and Dennis Braswell of Odessa.

Baskets of red and white gladiolus and red candles were used in the decorations. Mrs. Jeff Dean sang "Always" and wedding music was played by Ann Smith.

The bride's dress was of white lace over taffeta, of ballerina length and pointed sleeves trimmed with seed pearls. She carried an orchid corsage on a white Bible.

The matron of honor wore a red princess style satin dress and her corsage was of white gladiolus.

Following the wedding a reception was given by the bride's mother in the church dining hall. Valentine colors were carried out in decorations of the dining table where punch and cake were served. The attractive tiered wedding cake was baked by Mrs. Pat Rives. When the couple left on a brief honeymoon trip to points in South Texas the bride was wearing a beige net dress trimmed with pearls.

The bride is a graduate of Robert Lee high school and attended Merriman School of Business. She is employed at Odessa by Cooper-Bessemer Corp. as clerk-receptionist.

The bridegroom graduated from Bronte high school and served two years in the navy. He attended

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Texas Tech at Lubbock and is now employed as maintenance mechanic by General Tire and Rubber Co. at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hester will reside at 2200 Richmond in Odessa where they purchased a new home and have furnished it for their occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Timmons and Jean went to Odessa to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Timmons and family.

Mrs. J. A. Culpepper of Lometa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keeney, this week.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mills were Mr. and Mrs. D.

L. Brunson, LaNell and William of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Brady Mills and girls.

Rev. Lester Vinson and family were luncheon guests Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Spiller. They were guests Saturday in the T. F. Sims home.

Mrs. Raymond Sikes and daughter and Mrs. Dixon and daughter, all of San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Spiller and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carroll Leathers and John Robert and Ann were here from Odessa for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Herron.

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FOURTH GRADE CLUB
The Fourth Grade Club met in regular session Feb. 13, 1959. The president, Bob Bell, called the meeting to order. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and the treasurer gave a report. A Valentine program followed:

Poem, "Welcome St. Valentine," Roy Lee Baker; poem, "On February 14th," Judy Hollingsworth; song, Saint Valentine's Day, Frances Glenn, Linda Garyk, Jackie Garrett and Lillian Strickland; poem, "Frosty Valentine," Jackie Garrett; play, "Inside Out," group of Fourth Grade children.

Following the program, Valentine boxes were opened and the Valentines were admired by all. The room mothers served refreshments.

Matthew Caperton and Bob Vaughan of Robert Lee are attending a Chevrolet meeting in Mineral Wells Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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SHOWER FOR LATHAM BABY

The Humble Recreation Hall was the scene for the shower for David Jay Latham, new son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Latham. Guests were registered in a book shaped like a baby buggy. The table was laid with a white cloth over blue, centered with a pink baby buggy on a mirror reflector.

Baby buggy shaped cookies and spiced tea were served to a large number of guests. Hostesses were Mmes. Horace Griggs, Melvin Placke, Horace Taylor, Norman Porter, Foy Moore, Jack Bailey and L. W. Beaty.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Alene Latham went to Robert Lee Saturday to visit her son, Hervey Latham, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blake Whalen of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whalen Sunday. Their daughter, Linda, returned home with them after spending the weekend with her grandparents.

Mrs. W. W. Millikin was among the 125 women who attended the meeting of women office personnel of West Texas Utilities Co. at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fletcher and Dale from Sweetwater were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vic Haselden.

Mrs. Nannie Thetford has gone to McCamey where she is visiting relatives this week.

Douglas Snead is home from Dallas after being hospitalized there following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford McShan attended funeral services for Paul Richardson in Ballinger Thursday. He was a cousin of Mr. McShan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robbins and boys were here from Fort Stockton for a weekend visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lasswell, Mrs. Calvin McCutchen and Douglas, Mrs. Walter Moore and Mrs. H. M. Kirkland went to San Angelo Sunday to attend an open house honoring Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Fields on their 25th wedding anniversary. The Fields' children, Mrs. R. V. Brimer and John Fields, arranged celebration.

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thing about need more good advertisers, like the ones we have mentioned above. The lack of them was the reason more than 300 weekly newspapers in the United States closed their doors completely or moved into larger fields in 1958.

Voters to Elect Two New Trustees In April Election

Bronte's school board has called an election for the first Saturday in April to elect two members to the board. Terms of Board President Hurlin Lee and Edward Cumbie expire this year and the voting will be to fill those vacancies. The election will be held in the city hall at Bronte.

Neither Cumbie nor Lee has announced intention of their plans of running for re-election.

Persons may have their names placed on the ballot by contacting the school board secretary, Allen Sherrod, or by filing their names with the county judge. Also friends of a candidate may file his name by presenting a petition with at least five signatures either to the county judge or to Sherrod.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Adair received word this week that their son, Doyle Adair of Houston, has been named a Certified Public Accountant. He took the examinations last faal and was notified this week that he had passed the examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams of San Angelo served cocoa and cookies courtesy of Gandy's Creamery at the Sims Food Store Friday and Saturday. It was in honor of the ninth anniversary of the food store.

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