

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Meeting Called to Study Rabies Problem in County

(From Robert Lee Observer)

County and city officials have arranged for a public meeting next Monday when a definite program will be set up to combat the serious rabies outbreak which has spread through Coke County.

Dr. George A. Martin, veterinarian of public health of the State Health Dept. at Austin, will be here to advise local authorities on what action may be taken to eradicate the terrible disease.

Dr. Martin has had wide experience in this work and assisted in stamping out rabies in other communities in recent years. City and county officials, medical doctors, county agents, government trappers and all persons interested are invited to be present.

The meeting has been set for 1 o'clock next Monday afternoon at the district court room in Robert Lee.

The Coke County Commissioners in session Monday discussed the rabies situation and requested the county agents to head a committee and report to the court next Monday. The matter was taken up by the Robert Lee BCD at its meeting Tuesday when County Judge W. W. Thetford and Commissioner Fern

### 20 REPORT FOR TRACK TEAM

Twenty boys reported this week for training for Track teams. The teams are entered in track meets at Eldorado and Bangs within the next few weeks. The district meet will be held April 11 in San Angelo.

Track coach Garland Black said he had six lettermen returning from last year's track teams: They are Dean Black, Benny Corley, Albert Grace, Ronnie Cole, Ray Eubanks and Steve Colvin.

## AD-LIB-BEN

Rabies is getting to be an ever-increasing danger in this area. From reports received here in the last few weeks, it appears that it is more prevalent in the west part of the county than it is in the immediate vicinity of Bronte. However, we heard only this week that a rabid fox had been killed north of town and that a cow, southeast of town, was believed to have had the disease.

With the large number of stray dogs which are running loose in Bronte chances for the disease to crop up right here in town are increased a great deal.

Through the efforts of interested persons in Robert Lee, a meeting has been called for next Monday to work out a plan of attacking the outbreak. We certainly feel that Coke County Commissioners should do whatever is necessary to prevent this dread disease from spreading further.

We now the chances for getting rabies here in town would be lessened a great deal if all dogs and other pets were vaccinated. Those which are not given shots should be dispatched at once to wherever good dogs go when they die.

**SMALL FRY DEPT:** Kim Campbell, young son of the Methodist preacher here, suggested that his new puppy should be named "Rodeo." Explaining his unusual selection of a name, he said he thought it would be nice because a lady who got another of the puppies was going to name hers "Juliet."

Havins were urged to push the matter without delay. Judge Thetford phoned the State Health Dept. Tuesday afternoon and talked with Dr. Martin, who said he would come from Austin for the conference next Monday.

About 30 persons in the Robert Lee area are now taking anti-rabies serum after they had been exposed to rabid animals. The treatment consists of 14 consecutive daily injections.

Latest group exposed was the Fred Ashworth family west of Edith where a milk cow died of unexpected rabies. Taking treatments are Mr. and Mrs. Ashworth and three sons, also her father, George Powers, a brother-in-law, Roy Hood, and Hulan Harris, high school ag teacher.

County Agent Sterling Lindsey, Delmir Sheppard and Ell Hatley feared they may have been exposed to rabies while treating Mr. Sheppard's horse which died. They are taking anti-rabies serum.

## HAVE YOU SEEN A GOLDEN CAT?

A big golden colored tom cat named Rusty is missing this week and his owners are searching intently for him.

They are interested in finding Rusty because he's a nice kitty, but they are even more interested in finding him because he bit their little daughter last week.

Rusty belonged to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Campbell and last week when their little daughter, Annette, started to pet him, he bit her. Of course, with the rabies scare which is worrying everybody around here now, the Campbells were watching Rusty very carefully to see if he developed any symptoms of rabies.

But now he's gone and they have no way of knowing what happened to him. They asked The Enterprise to urge anybody who has seen a cat which might be Rusty to get in touch with them.

## Funeral Held Here Wednesday for Garland Williams

Funeral services for Garland James Williams, 40, were conducted Wednesday, March 4, at 3 p. m. from Bronte First Baptist Church. Rev. Lester Vinson, pastor, officiated.

Burial followed in Fairview cemetery here under direction of the Clift Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Robert Hickman, Frank Hearne, T. F. Sims, Pete McDonald, W. A. Hickman, Clark Glenn, Hiram Brock and Charles Sims.

Williams died about 9:30 p. m. Monday, March 2, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams. He had been in ill health for some time.

He was born March 23, 1918 at Tennyson. He finished high school in Bronte in 1935 and served from June, 1941 through June, 1946 in the Army Air Force. He had been a member of the Bronte Baptist Church since 1929.

He is survived by his parents; a brother, Alfred Williams of San Angelo; a sister Mrs. Lavera Berg, Port Washington, New York; two nephews, two nieces and his grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Larkin of Bronte.

## Rabbit Drive Set For March 10th At Maverick

A rabbit drive is scheduled for Tuesday, March 10 in the Maverick community. Everyone is invited to participate in the annual hunt. A number of Bronte merchants have bought shells to donate for use in the rabbit roundup.

In charge of the drive are Leland Carlton, Lester Lee and Alton Bradberry.

A barbecue dinner will be served free of charge at noon to all the hunters.

Everyone who wishes to take part in the sport is asked to be at the Maverick School house at 8:30 a. m.

## Tax Rate Election Carries Nearly 3-1

### School Candidates Must File Today

Only two names had been submitted up until Wednesday morning as candidates for trustees for the Bronte School. The school board filed a petition to place the names of Hurlin Lee and Edward Cumbie on the ballot. Both are presently serving on the board.

Deadline for candidates to file is Thursday (today), as the new law governing school trustee elections says that all candidates' names must be filed with the county judge or secretary of the school board at least 30 days before the date of the election.

Anyone who wishes to run for one of the two vacancies should file his name, or names may be filed by a petition signed by five qualified voters.

The trustee election will be Saturday, April 4, in the Bronte city hall.

### March 9 Deadline On City Candidates

Monday is the deadline for candidates to file for a position on the ballots to be used in the city council election which will be held Tuesday, April 7. At press time Wednesday, no candidates had filed for the councilman positions.

Terms of Bob Wilson and Matthew Caperton expire this year. Holdover councilmen are Mayor J. A. Stephenson, Bill Thomas, H. A. Springer and C. E. Bruton.

The city election will be held in the city hall with D. K. Glenn serving as election judge.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Haselden were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fletcher and Dale of Sweetwater, Mrs. Turner of El Paso and Mrs. Hadley Richards of Robert Lee.

The election held last Saturday to raise the maintenance and operation tax rate for the Bronte School district carried nearly three to one. Election Judge D. K. Glenn reported the vote as being 166 for raising the tax rate and 57 against.

The new rate of \$1.50 per \$100 will go into effect next fall when tax statements for 1959 taxes are sent out. The tax rate for bond retirement of 50 cents per \$100 will remain the same, making the total rate \$2.00 per \$100.

Members of the Bronte School board of trustees said they were grateful for the support shown by the voters of the district.

## Last Rites Held Here Saturday For Frank Wright

Last rites for Frank E. Wright, 64, were held in First Baptist Church here at 3 p. m. last Saturday, Feb. 28. Rev. R. F. Simmons, Baptist minister from Monahans, officiated. Interment was in Fairview cemetery here with Clift Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Wright died Friday, Feb. 27, in the Bronte Hospital.

He was born Aug. 18, 1894 in Brown County, the son of the late Jim Wright and Celia Wallace Wright.

He is survived by his wife; three sons, A. D. Wright and Elzie Wright, Monahans, Floyd Wright, Odessa; seven daughters, Georgia Wright of Bronte; Mrs. Lydia son, Monahans, Mrs. Sylvia Kiser, Lingle, Boyd, Mrs. Dorothy Hud-Grand Junction, Colo.; Mrs. May Lancaster, Old Ocean, Tex., Mrs. Ruth Young, California and Faye Wright of Bronte; 27 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

### KICKAPOO CHURCH MEETING IN PROGRESS THIS WEEK

A revival meeting is in progress this week at the Kickapoo Baptist Church in Bronte. Rev. Charles W. McKamy of Houston is doing the preaching for the meeting.

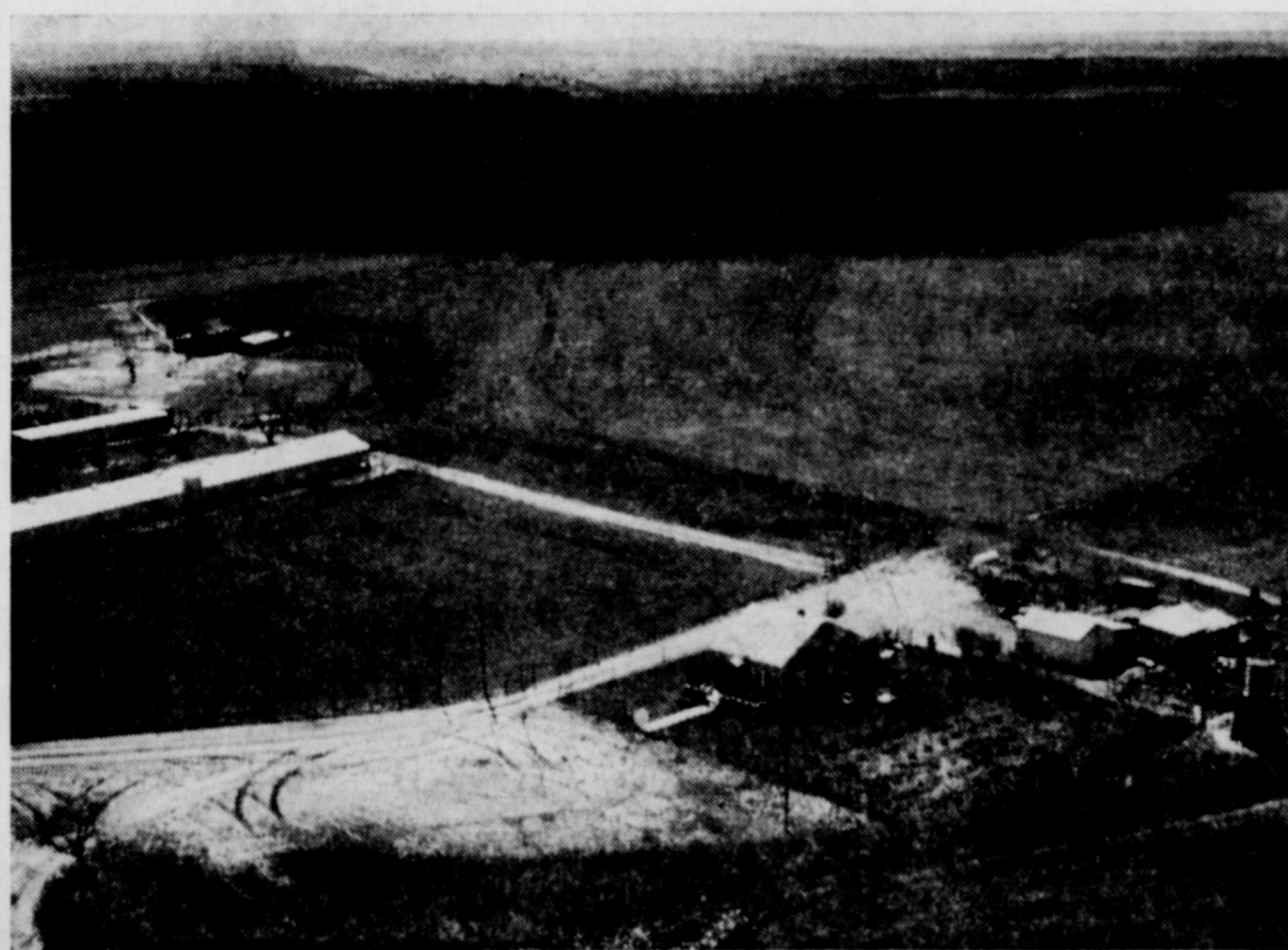
Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor, said this week that everybody is invited to attend the remaining services. The meeting will be concluded Sunday night, March 8. Services are held each morning at 10 o'clock and evening preaching services are at 7:30. The evening services are preceded by a prayer service at 7.

Rev. Blackmon said an all-out effort is being made to break attendance records at Sunday school this coming Sunday. He said a goal of 130 has been set.

### TO HOLD MEETING

Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor of the Kickapoo will be out of town next week holding a revival meeting at the Northside Baptist Church in Santa Anna. The services will begin March 8th and last through the week.

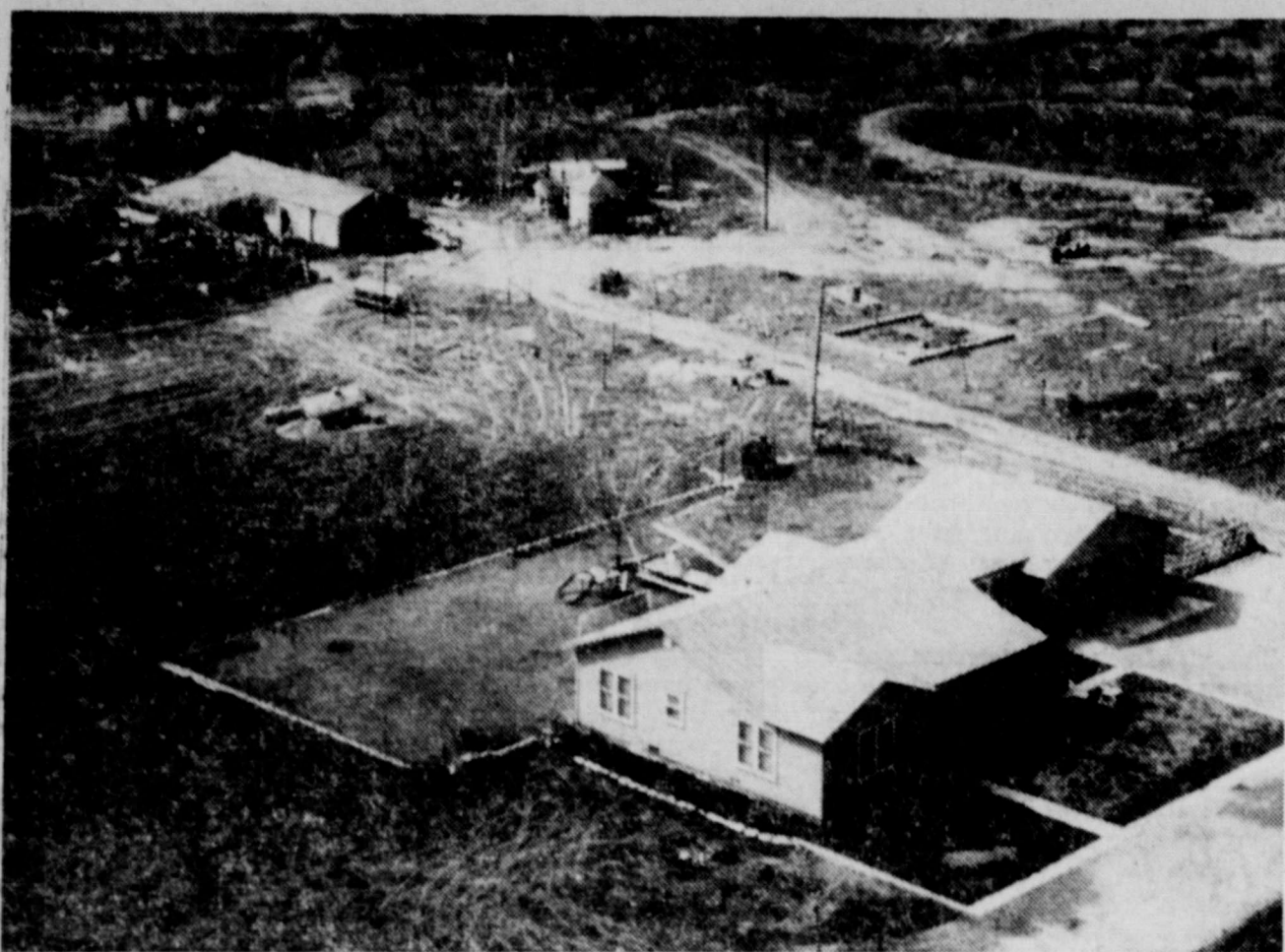
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Caperton and family of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton of Lubbock. Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton remained for a week's visit with the Capertons and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kirkland.



Who Lives Here?

## "Mystery Farm of the Week"





### Otis Smith Owns Mystery Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith own the Mystery Farm Home pictured in last week's Enterprise. The home is located 1 mile north of Bronte and was built by the Smiths in 1949.

There are 131 acres in the tract of land on which the house is located. Smith has owned it for 10 years. However the farm was first settled in the 1880's and the land is part of the former Will Cumbie land. Smith also has 697

acres at Hayrick, 238 acres of which are in cultivation. The cultivated acreage is in the soil bank and all of it is included in the Great Plains Conservation program, with the recommended practices being carried out. All the cultivated acreage is terraced.

Mrs. Smith is the former Flora Cowley and the couple was married in 1930. They belong to the Baptist Church and he is a member of the Masonic Lodge. They have one daughter, Mrs. Harold (Jean) Sheppard of Odessa and three grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Glenn and children of Abilene were in Bronte last weekend visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Abbott and Kyle of San Angelo spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McCutchen and Keith while Mr. Abbott was off work due to an infected hand.

government, and are among the strongest supporters of the Agricultural Extension Service sponsored organization.

Here in Coke County there are 105 boys and girls enrolled in seven 4-H clubs. The seven clubs work together under the 4-H council which is made up of the presidents and elected delegates from each club. Newly elected Council officers are Dee Arrott, Tennyson, Co-chairman; Danel Dixon, Bronte, Co-chairman; Prescilla Wylie, Robert Lee, Secretary-treasurer.

Activities of Council include the planning of activities and year-books and the discussion and voting on all business of a county wide nature.

The local clubs have set up exhibits in Bronte and Robert Lee in observance of National 4-H week. Included in the Exhibits are garments made by 4-H girls in Clothing Workshops last June.

Miss Estell Lee Gailey of San Angelo spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Marguerite Gailey.

Kerry Evans from Spearman has been visiting friends and relatives this week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sid Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tounget and family of Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. Hurlin Lee Sunday afternoon.

### Mrs. Otis Smith Leads In Program for WMU

Sixteen ladies were present for the Monday program of the Week of Prayer for Home Missions sponsored by the W. M. U. of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Otis Smith was in charge of Monday's program which included the following parts: "Rescue the Perishing", Mrs. Lester Vinson; "Duty Demands

It", Mrs. Verna Allen; "Lift Up the Fallen", Mrs. R. E. Cumbie; "Still He is Waiting," Mrs. Aubrey Denman.

Mrs. Garland Black was in charge of Tuesdays program on "Tell the Isolated Inhabitants". The parts were given by Mrs. Charlie Knierim, Mrs. L. E. Smith and Mrs. Hiram Brock.

Daily programs will continue through this week.

### GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS 4-H WEEK

By CAROLE L. HOOPER

By proclamation, Gov. Price Daniel has designated the week of February 28-March 7 as 4-H Club Week in Texas. The week is also being observed nationally.

"In 1914," Governor Daniel said, "the United States Government invested in the rural youth of our nation through the 4-H club program. Since that time, more than 20 million young people have received the benefits of this vast program and become 4-H alumni. These alumni are engaged in farming, ranching, homemaking and a variety of other occupations. Throughout Texas and the Nation a special salute is extended to them."

In a letter to the 111,000 4-H club members in Texas, the Governor said, "Since the 4-H club program was organized 50 years ago, members of your organization have made outstanding contributions to the material wealth of Texas and the Nation. More important, as young people, you represent the richest resource of our State.

"I extend sincere congratulations to each of you on your fine accomplishments of the past year and join the people of Texas in saluting you, your parents, adult leaders and friends who make this program possible.

"Please accept my best wishes for 1959 and the years ahead. May you continue to build yourselves, your homes and your communities and thus help build our State and Country. The future holds bright promise for our land, and as 4-H club members you have a vital share of this future."

More than 1,000,000 Texas young people have been 4-H members during the past 50 years. Today, 4-H alumni are leaders in business, industry, the professions and



### CONGRATULATIONS, 4-H'ers!

The observance of National 4-H Club Week, this week, is an opportunity to salute the more than two million 4-H boys and girls who are taking important strides toward finer citizenship. Whether it be learning better care and operation of farm equipment or mastering a homemaking skill, 4-H members acquire initiative, responsibility and leadership. We commend them for their dedication to the fourfold development of Head, Heart, Hands and Health through the 4-H program.

### BRONTE FEED & SUPPLY

## SHOP - SHOP - SAVE FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS

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GUM - - 4 for 15c

SWIFTS JEWEL 3 LB. CAN  
SHORTENING - 69c  
(LIMIT)

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JELLO - - 3 for 25c

MARYLAND CLUB 1 LB. CAN  
Coffee 77c

6 Oz. Instant - - 99c  
(LIMIT 1 EACH)

TALL CAN  
MILK - 2 for 29c

KOUNTY KIST 12 OZ. CAN  
CORN - 2 for 29c

PICNIC HAMS - Lb. 33c

CHUCK  
BEEF ROAST - Lb. 41c

FRESH LB.  
GROUND MEAT - 43c

FRESH LB.  
STEW MEAT - - 31c

WISCONSIN LONGHORN  
CHEESE - Lb. 46c

HORMEL MIDWEST  
BACON - Lb. 43c

KIMBELL  
BISCUITS - Can 9c

SUN SPUN  
OLEO - - Lb. 19c

CELLO PKG.  
CARROTS - - - 9c

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HEAD  
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## Junior Study Club Meets with Mrs. Lee

The Junior Study Club met Tuesday night, Feb. 24, in the home of Mrs. Martin Lee.

Quiz games were played and after a short business meeting, sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and Cokes were served. The serving table was decorated with a centerpiece made up of a net tree made to represent a spring adorned with corsages, which were given as favors.

Present were Meses. Norman Porter, Jimmy Brunson, R. C. Huntley, C. N. Webb, Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Lee.

## Mrs. Percifull Hosts WSCS Ladies Group

Mrs. Jess Percifull was hostess to the WSCS Monday, March 2, in the parlor at First Methodist Church. The Rev. Jimmy Campbell gave the third lesson in a four-part study on the book of Isaiah.

Punch and cookies were served to Meses. J. E. Quinn, Will Cresap, J. W. Bagwell, S. A. Kiker, B. E. Modgling, D. W. Whittenburg, J. W. Ledingham, Edna Butner, T. F. Sims, Sr., B. F. Bridges, J. A. Baldwin and the hostess.

## Blackwell Show Held Saturday

The Blackwell FFA annual livestock show was held Saturday, Feb. 28. The showing was held in the bus barn and included four classes of swine and three classes of sheep. Billy Bob McMullan, vocational ag. teacher of Snyder, judged the animals.

The grand champion hog of the show was a heavy weight Hampshire belonging to Jerry Ware. Wayne King won the championship in the sheep show with his first place fine wool lamb. Reserve champion show was shown by Tommy Hickman with his second place heavyweight, and reserve champion lamb was exhibited by Larry Estes with a light-weight crossbred lamb.

Placings through fifth place in each class are as follows:

Fine wool lambs: 1. Wayne King, 2. Larry Estes, 3. Courtney King, 4. and 5. Mack Boyd; light weight crossbred lambs: 1. Larry Estes, 2. Courtney King, 3., 4. and 5. Bill Preslar; heavyweight crossbred lambs: 1. Wayne King, 2. Bill Preslar, 3. Wayne King, 4. Larry Estes, 5. Bill Preslar; senior gilts: 1. Larry Estes, 2. Gayland Thorn, 3. Estes, 4. Albert Sneed, 5. George Chew; junior gilts: 1. Jerry Ware, 2. A. D. Shaffer, 3. Estes, 4. Jimmy Cate, 5. Shaffer; lightweight butcher hogs: 1. Tommy Hickman, 2. Estes, 3. Estes, 4. Duwayne Carpenter, 5. A. D. Shaffer; heavyweight butcher hogs: 1. Jerry Ware, 2. Tommy Hickman, 3. Shaffer, 4. Carpenter, 5. Cate.

Members of the chapter have 19 lambs entered in the show at San Angelo next week.

## ATTEND RALLY AT NORTON

Attending the Training Union Rally at the First Baptist Church in Norton Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Lester Vinson, Mrs. Aubrey Denman, Mrs. T. O. Spiller, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crunk, B. J. Clark, Tommy Seymore, Peggy Corley, Jeanna Denman, Jan Wilkins. The group won the banner for having the highest attendance present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Corley and Peggy attended the Green Mountain musical Saturday night.

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At First National Bank

## Here's Blackwell

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lewallen have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bagley and daughter of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cavin and children of Memphis, Tenn. and Mrs. Nancy Bagley, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cavin.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Vest of Odessa, Mrs. Jessie Reed, Mrs. Daizy Henderson of Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Bronte attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Earp at Abilene Monday. Mrs. Earp is an aunt of Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Henderson and Mr. Vest.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Ragsdale had as their weekend guests her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson and children of San Antonio.

Those from Blackwell that are ill in the Bronte Hospital are Mrs. Jodie Van Zandt, Mrs. Maude White and Bud Carruthers. Walter Johnson is ill in the Young Clinic in Sweetwater and Hill Stapp recently underwent surgery in a Sweetwater Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn and daughter in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Carlisle have as their guests his sister, Mrs. C. H. Bolin of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Corley of San Angelo are parents of a son born Feb. 27. They have one daughter. Rev. and Mrs. Kay Corley of Blackwell are grandparents.

Mr. L. W. Sweet was called to

Dallas Saturday to be with his brother Alen Sweet who was injured in a car wreck Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ragsdale of Buffalo Gap and Mr. and Mrs. Loy Ragsdale of Abilene visited

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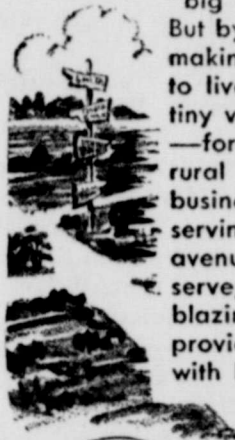
in the Charles and Desmond Ragsdale homes Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Harris and children spent Sunday with Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Blanchard at Fluvanna.

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UNCLE HUIE from HOG CREEK says

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:  
I see by the papers where this scientist in the Pentagon building says if them space gadgets can land men on the moon, it'll be easy to explore Mars from there. He has the opinion that we'll find some sort of folks living on Mars.

Now I ain't got no objection to a feller having an opinion, because you newspaper folks has 'em all the time whether you got any facts on hand or not. But if them science fellers thinks folks is living on Mars they ought to keep quiet about it. They ought to turn their attention to inventing better striking matches and easier riding cultivators and let Mars alone.

We can't even run the world we got, let alone taking on another one. Right now half the world we got is starving to death and luxury is about to git the best of the other half. And we don't git through with one war till we start stockpiling fer the next one.

And fer all we know, the folks on Mars ain't no better off than us, and about the second or third trip we make up there, after we git communications established, the Government on Mars will be trying to git a loan from us. And after we finish financing the world we got, I don't think we could stand another one. Of course, there's a chanct that the folks on Mars is in better shape than we are, and in that case we might swing a loan from them. But that's mighty risky and I think we'd be playing the percentages if we'd let Mars alone.

We had an exciting session up at the store Saturday night. My neighbor's grandpa is visiting him and he was the center of atraction. He's 94 year old and can shake out more philosophy than a long-haired wet dog can shake out water. Grandpaw says that with all these wonder drugs and vitamin pills, this generation coming on now ain't got no excuse fer ever dying. He allowed as how if he'd had them things when he was coming along he'd live to be older than Methuselar.

Grandpaw told the fellers that he'd been going to church regular fer 80 year and not onct had a preacher ever writ him a letter asking about his immortal soul without adding a postscript requesting he git his pledge paid

up. But he's a mighty religious feller, said he tried to live so's the preacher that preached his funeral wouldn't have to ask the Lord's forgiveness fer lying. That's a pritty good creed, Mister Editor, and I think I'd trust Grandpaw with my pocketbook.

Yours truly,  
Uncle Huie

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hames of Crosbyton were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blair and children of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Scott and daughter of Denver City were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Beaver.

Ten ladies from the Church of Christ met at the Humble Recreation Hall Monday, Feb. 2, and quilted a quilt for the Medina Orphan's Home in Medina. Since it was an all day affair, a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed during the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jopling of Junction were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lammers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and children have moved to Odessa. Mr. Johnson has just returned from six months in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lingle of Azle were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lammers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rogers and children were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fletcher.

ATTEND YOUTH MEETING

Attending a District Young People's meeting Sunday at Western Hills Baptist Church in San Angelo were the following persons from the Kickapoo Baptist Church in Bronte:

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Blackmon and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt, Sr., Miss Mary Pruitt, Mrs. J. W. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Andrews and Tricia, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt, Jr. and Norma Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Seltz and Bernice Frances and Dean Beaver.

The assistant manager of the Texas Baptist Orphanage at Waxahachie showed slides of Baptist workers and of the home.

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. J. W. Caudle of Abilene visited Sunday in the T. G. Gleghorn, G. L. Cook and Jim Clark homes.

Mrs. Willard Caudle was a Wednesday dinner guest of her daughter, Mrs. Verlin Oates, and family in San Angelo. She also visited Mrs. J. L. Stephenson, Mrs. Willie Dean Stephenson of Goldsmith was also a guest in the Stephenson home.

Friday night supper guests in the J. C. Boatright home were Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Boatright and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boatright San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Boatright and Wilson, Miles; Miss Bobbie Gene Boatright, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn, Ollie Mae and Gary, Miles; Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther, Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott, Tim and Jim, Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers visited her aunts, Mrs. Oscar Hayes and Mrs. Joe Ash, both of whom are in Bronte Hospital, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bradbury and Mrs. and Mrs. Alton Morgan of Maverick visited in the Landers home Monday night. They played 42 and dominoes. Mrs. Landers went to San Angelo Tuesday where she visited her mother, Mrs. Etta Marks.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nixon visited Mrs. Elmer Bryan in Bronte Hospital last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and Mrs. Herbert Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie McNutt in Miles Wednesday afternoon.

The community received a good shower of rain Thursday afternoon at the Holland place .7 inch was gauged.

Mrs. Luther Nixon visited her mother, Mrs. Jack Isabel in No-vice Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith of Ballinger were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle Saturday night.

Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, Mrs. J. C. Boatright visited Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn in Miles Sunday afternoon.

G. L. Cook is home after being hospitalized in San Angelo for 67 days. He said Sunday afternoon he was doing fine and happy to be home. His two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mrs. Jewell Trigg and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lewis of Fort Worth are here visiting with them.

J. W. Caudle, Lonnie, Victor, Patricia and Vicki Hedges spent the weekend in the Willard Caudle home.

Mrs. Velma Hall from Happy is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Susie Garlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland

attended a meeting of the 42 club Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Prinzing.

Homer Clark came from Big Spring for a weekend visit with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn visited in Bronte, Balinger and San Angelo Saturday. They attended a movie in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee and son of San Angelo were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright went to San Angelo Sunday where they were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks Boatright. Guests of the Boatrights Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther.

T. G. Gleghorn, Luther Nixon and J. C. Boatright attended the Brotherhood meeting at Drasco last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Baucom of Muskogee, Okla., were recent guests of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Essary, and Mr. Essary. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Essary visited in their home last Sunday.

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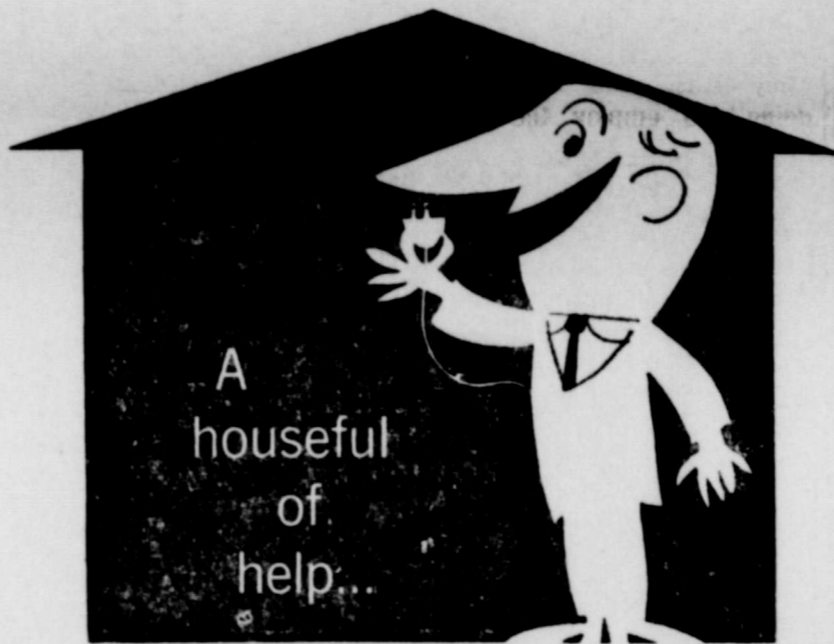
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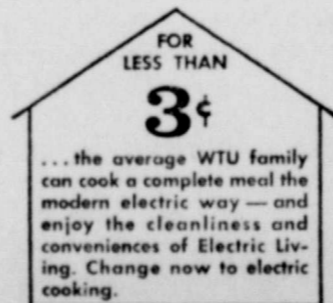
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## County Officials Attend Course At A&M College

College Station, Feb. 28 (Spl).—County judges and commissioners from 100 Texas counties attended the three-day County Judges' and Commissioners' Conference held on the campus of Texas A & M College (February 24-27).

Attending from Coke county were Judge W. W. Thetford and Commissioners Fern Havins, Howard Brock and Claud Ditmore. The Conference was sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the County Judges' and Commissioners' Association of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mills of San Angelo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Modgling.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton were honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nicholas, in San Angelo. Mrs. Bruton's birthday was last week and Mr. Bruton's was Wednesday of this week.

## County Agents News Column

By STERLING LINDSEY

This week 4-H'ers all over the world are celebrating National 4-H Club Week. You will see the green four leaf clover with the four white H's displayed by members everywhere. The four H's designating development of head, heart, hands and health, call for a well rounded program of work and wholesome recreation.

Using the farm, home and the community as laboratories for practical learning, 4-H club work is conducted by local extension agents, parents and local leaders.

Take time out for a look at the 4-H program in Coke County during this week. If you see a girl or boy you know doing a good job with her or his demonstrations, offer your congratulations. If you can, pay your neighborhood club member a visit. He or she will be glad to have you.

Club work by the 4-H'ers in the county includes attending meetings, and accepting responsibilities, having demonstrations at home, performing public demonstrations and entering judging contests. You are possibly familiar with many of their varied activities, but are not aware of many others, such as their work on leadership, record keeping, safety, electricity, landscaping, gardening, and wildlife, to mention a few.

Work among the 4-H club boys in the county is varied and includes many types of demonstrations. There are some 85 boys in 4-H club work in the county with an estimated 65 home demonstrations. Many of these boys and others perform club activities and employ leadership practices. They work to be on judging teams and become proficient in various fields. They learn skills and "learn by doing" to employ the 4-H club motto.

Some of the 4-H club boys that are due congratulations on their work are Dee Arrott, James Pentecost, Gaylon Pitcock, Robert Wink, Kenneth Wink, and Eddie Glenn with their calves; Dee Arrott, Bobby Blaylock, Jimmy Wells, Benn Boykin, Bill Burson, Malcolm Johnson and Sidney Eubanks with their lambs; and Dee Arrott, Robert Wink, C. L. Sparks, Bobby Blaylock, James Pentecost, Gaylon Pitcock, Mike Krall, Clyde Byrne, William Ray Hood and Douglas Phillips with their swine programs.

Other 4-H club boys performed demonstrations and/or entered the district judging contests. James Calder, Gussie Thomas, Tony Dean, and Russell Brown took part in electric demonstrations. Bill Roach performed a gardening demonstration while Pat Wilks, Gerald Sorrels, Tommy Lee and Donald Spiller entered judging contests along with several club members that were named above.

Several 4-H girls have conducted livestock demonstrations this year. Kay Wink and Kathy Preslar had calf demonstrations, while Dawnie Boykin, Kay Wink, Prescilla Wylie and Juanita Johnson had swine demonstrations. Girls feeding lambs were Dawnie, Juanita, Rhea Jean McCutchen, Melinda Perciful and Cynthia Davis.

These boys and girls and others are learning to do clearer thinking. It's part of their pledge. They do this by taking part in local club meetings, learning to lead and follow and they do it by carrying out many kinds of constructive activities in home economics and agriculture. They learn to keep records, organize their work, and think through problems. Through your help and cooperation, your assistance, they will be some of the leaders of tomorrow.

James Vernon Andrews was home from Texas Tech last weekend.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham and girls of Robert Lee visited Saturday with Mrs. Alene Latham. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphey of Tennyson spent Friday with Mrs. Marvin Corley.

Mrs. Bert Lammers of Lubbock was a weekend visitor in Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Knierim of San Angelo were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knierim. R. R. Petty of Nolan, who taught vocational agriculture here in 1933, was a visitor in Bronte this week.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Colvin included his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colvin, Sr., Alice; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sutton and sons, Midland and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Colvin and children, Snyder.

## The Bronte Enterprise

March 5, 1959

## More Tables For Park at Bronte

More picnic tables are under construction at the county park in Bronte. Aubrey Denman, park caretaker, said the Progressive Club and the Sorosis Club have put up money for two more tables and when they are completed, a total of nine tables will be available for picnickers.

Denman said that more sponsors are needed if additional tables are to be built. Materials for three tables were furnished by the county while the Diversity Club,

Sorosis Club, Butane Service Co. and Gulf Service Station each sponsored one of the tables already completed.

Denman said the annual Easter egg hunt at the park will be held again this year. All kids in the community are invited to be at the park at 3 p. m. when the hunt will begin.

Denman also pointed out that lights are available any time for persons who want to play tennis at night on the park court.

Marlon McCutchen and a friend, Joe Benoit, of Goldsmith are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McCutchen.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
PURSUANT TO AN ORDER issued by the City Council of Bronte, Texas, notice is hereby given that a City Election will be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of April A. D. 1959, at the City Hall, City of Bronte, in Coke County, Texas, for the following purposes, viz: of electing two city aldermen.  
J. A. Stephenson  
Mayor of the City of Bronte, Texas.

Word has been received that the conditions of Doug Belcher of Andrews is much improved. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Belcher and has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harwell were weekend guests of the Floyd Modglings.

**SIXTH GRADE CLUB**

The Sixth Grade Educational club met in the sixth grade room. Tricia Andrews, president, presided. The program was given by Ronne Lee, Jim Morrow, Glenda Nelson, Margie Oglesby and Gerald Parker.

Beth Ivey was elected club reporter.



**New Tax Exemptions**

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Flannery, Jr. of Robert Lee are parents of a son, Mark James, born Wednesday, March 4, in the Bronte Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces. The couple has a son, Frank Boyd and a daughter, Jolyn. Grandparents are Mrs. E. B. Flannery, Sr. of McAllen and Mrs. James Right of Edinburg.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

Feb. 24 — Mrs. Cullen Clark, Joe Carter admitted. Ysidro Valdez, Mrs. Fannie Beard dismissed.

Feb. 27 — John Able, Mrs. Jodie Vanandt, Mrs. Joe G. Wilkins admitted. Roger Bryan, Mrs. Cullen Clark, Antonio Olivas, Mrs. Melvin Lasswell dismissed. Frank Wright expired.

March 2 — Bud Carruthers dismissed.

March 3 — Douglas Smith admitted. Otis Williams, Mrs. Cullen Clark dismissed.

March 4 — Mrs. E. B. Flannery admitted.

**News From Tennyson**

By Mrs. John Gaston

Sunday visitors in the George James home were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Deans and girls, Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Beauford James and baby, San Angelo; George James, Jr., Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. James, Christoval; and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McClure.

Sunday visitors in the Burgess Dunn home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Paula of Bronte.

Claude Ditmore was admitted to the Bronte hospital Sunday.

Recent visitors in the Erve Little home were Mrs. Annie Butler and Mrs. Mae Baker, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ray Bell of Barnhart, Richard Bell and family of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Leathers of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson Saturday.

Weekend visitors in the Clarence Derrick home were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick and girls of Andrews.

Attending the funeral of J. N. Baugh in Hobbs, New Mexico last week were Miss Bessie Stewart, Mrs. Alene Connor, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carville of Sanco. Mr. Baugh was a cousin of the Stewart family.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ditmore are driving a new Chevrolet.

Sunday visitors in the W. T. Green home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Storey and son of Miles, and William Jessie Green of San Angelo.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ditmore and boys of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ditmore, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Shelly and children of San Angelo.

Guests for dinner in the Charlie Brown home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graham of Eden.

Johnny Gaston spent the weekend with the Grady Gaston family in San Angelo.

Sunday visitors in the Robert Brown home were Kirk Dyess and boys of Norton and J. C. Dunlap of San Angelo.

Saturday visitors in the Hamp Thomas home were Mrs. Dewey Baggett and Douglas, Mrs. Pete Thomas, Miss Edith Hook. San Angelo; Myrna Richardson, Miles; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, John Gaston and Janelle, and Robert Feil. Mr. and Mrs. John Gaston and children visited the Grady Gaston family in San Angelo Saturday.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. S. W. Gaston and Sam were Mrs. Claud Cotten, Walter Gaston and Buddy, Grady Gaston and boys, San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson visited the Joel Webb family in Nolan Sunday.

**Blackwell Methodists Have Open House**

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Open house at the new educational building of Blackwell Methodist Church was held Sunday from two until four p. m. More than 80 guests were registered.

In the receiving line were Rev. and Mrs. Jerrell Sharp, Dr. and Mrs. Tubert Thompson, Mrs. Austin Jordan, Mrs. C. H. Molin, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Carlisle and Henry Raney.

Miss Betty Sweet was at the guest register and ladies of the church alternated at the tea table. Spring flowers decorated the rooms.

Former pastors that were present included Rev. Cal Wright of Colorado City, Rev. and Mrs. Billy Porterfield and daughters of Anson and Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett and children of Wylie.

Miss Lydia Mathews of Amarillo spent the weekend in the R. W. Rees home.

**Lions Club Slates Broom Sale Here**

Bronte Lions Club has scheduled another broom and mop sale for Saturday, March 14. The sale will be held in cooperation with a group that sells items made by blind persons.

The Lions sponsor this sale each year, and through the sales, are able to raise money for their local activities as well as to help the blind.

Included in the merchandise which will be for sale are several kinds of brooms, mops, brushes, floor mats, dust cloths, dish cloths, etc.

R. T. Caperton, one of the Lions Club committee members, said that a house to house canvass of the town will be made offering the merchandise for sale.

A complete list of the items available will be published in an ad in next week's paper.

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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Springer and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jordan of San Angelo spent last weekend fishing at Buchanan Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Robbins and boys of Fort Stockton were weekend visitors in Bronte.

Mrs. K. M. Cook and children, Patricia and Kenneth Ray, of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Gilreath.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Faulk of Winters went to Artesia, N. M., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Latham and son this weekend and came back via Bronte to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker of Sweetwater visited Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Lester Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raley, Olan and Minnie of Junction spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Monahan where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Glenn.

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