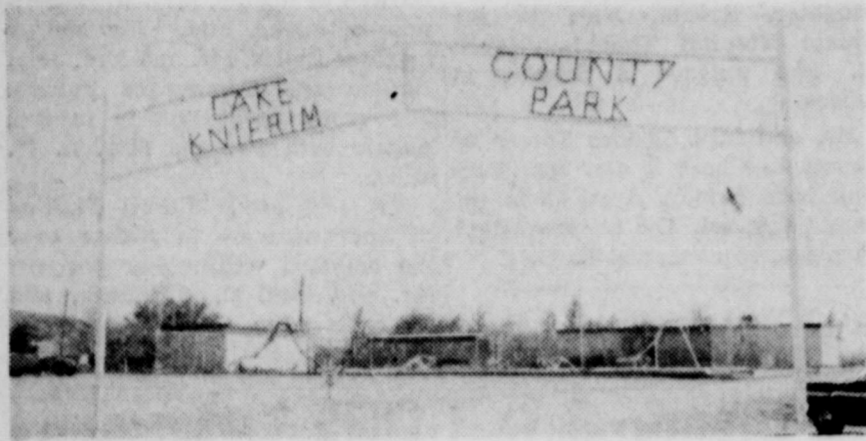


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NEW SIGN — Here is the new sign which has been erected at the entrance to the Bronte Park.

Improvements Made at Park

Aubrey Denman, Bronte park caretaker, announced this week that the local swimming pool will open to the public on Friday, May 13. He said the pool can be made available before that time for special functions, provided he is notified prior to the time it is wanted.

Park Improvements

Some outstanding improvements have been made at the Bronte County Park during the past few months, getting it ready for the coming summer season.

The first thing a visitor will notice is the new entrance to the park. A steel archway has been set up at the entrance with the following lettering on it: "Lake Knierim — County Park." The lake which is in the park was built when Robert Knierim was mayor of the town and it is named for him.

Denman, said that probably the biggest improvement in the park is not visible to the visitor. He was speaking of the new water lines which run over the recreation area. The new lines make city water available to all the picnic tables in the park.

Another improvement is a new flagpole which has been erected near the northwest corner of the swimming pool. Of particular interest to swimmers is the new slide which has been purchased and will be placed so swimming pool patrons can slide into the

Relatives Attend Scott Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keese, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott and Brenda, Mrs. Ray Coalson and Mrs. Faye Scott were among those attending funeral services for Mrs. Keese's father, J. C. Scott, at Wellington Monday, April 11. Mrs. Keese had been in Wellington for some time.

Mr. Scott, 79, a retired farmer, died at his home there Sunday, April 10. He had never recovered from a broken hip received in a fall four months ago, and in recent weeks, his condition had become progressively weaker.

The services were conducted from the First Baptist church at 2 p. m. by the Rev. Glenn Hickey. Burial was in North Wellington cemetery. Pall bearers were grandsons.

Mr. Scott was born in Bell County January 27, 1881 and grew up in that area. On August 20, 1906 he was married to Miss Luella Fulcher of Bronte, where they made their home until they moved to Collingsworth County in 1915. Upon retiring from farming in 1949, he and Mrs. Scott moved into Wellington. He was a long time member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; four daughters; three sons; 13 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

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New Pharmacy To Be Built North Of Harris Clinic

Construction is scheduled to start immediately on a building which will house a prescription pharmacy. The building will be located immediately north of the John Harris Clinic.

Dr. John R. Harris said Tuesday that he will build the building and has leased it to Wayne Patterson of San Angelo for ten years. He said the new firm will strictly be a prescription business.

Patterson is a long time resident of San Angelo and is a registered pharmacist. He is married and has one daughter who is a student in the University of Texas.

Dr. Harris said the building will follow the same general style of the clinic and hospital. Lewis Sweet of Blackwell has the contract on the new building. Present plans are to have the building ready for occupancy May 15.

Bronte has been without a prescription service for several months, since Central Drug discontinued that part of their business.

Judging Teams Go to Lubbock This Weekend

J. T. Henry, Bronte vocational Agriculture teacher, said this week he will take two judging teams to Lubbock Friday to participate in judging contests Saturday at Texas Tech.

On the dairy cattle judging team are Larry Robinson, Jimmy Ed Mackey and Jerry McCutchen. The livestock judging team is made up of Dee Arrott, Jack Corley and Eddie Spiller.

The contest at Tech is the qualifying contest to determine which teams will be eligible to enter the state contest later in the season at Texas A&M.

Bronte's livestock judging team has done well this year, with some outstanding accomplishments, both as a team and individually. The team placed 6th in a contest in March at San Angelo and took second at the tough Sul Ross College contest April 2.

200 Attend Egg Hunt At Bronte County Park

An estimated 200 persons were present Sunday for the annual Easter Egg hunt at the Bronte county park. Aubrey Denman, park caretaker, said all the kids participating seemed to have a good time at the hunt. Bronte Lion club sponsored the event.

Winners of the prize eggs were Phelan Jo Freeman in the preschool age group; Norma Lynn Pruitt in the primary group, and Linda Geryk in the junior group.

Denman has built a 3x24 foot barbecue pit which will be ideal for large gatherings. A 16x30 foot canopy has been erected at the site of the new pit.

Grass at the park is coming out nicely and the area is a beautiful mass of green. A great number of area residents are already taking advantage of the facilities and 10 to 20 cars can be seen in the park most any night.

Other facilities includes, basketball, tennis and volleyball courts. Nine picnic tables are available. Six of these tables have been sponsored by local business firms and organizations. Those who have purchased materials for tables include Bill and Charles Gulf Station, Butane Service Co., Women's Progressive Club, Diversity Club, and the Sorosis Club has sponsored two tables.

Ball Field Going Up Near Park

Much progress has been made, but there is still lots of work to do on the ball park which is being built in Bronte near the county park. Bill Thomas, who is working on the project, said Monday that much help is going to be needed before the park is completed. The ball park is located on the north side of the park road, east of the American Legion Hall.

Most of the pipe for the backstop and dugouts has already been set and other work done. The big job left to do is building the fence and erecting lights. Thomas said he is hopeful that a large number of men in the community will make plans to assist when everything is ready to complete these two jobs.

Plans now call for 48 lights to be erected, at a cost of approximately \$2,000. "We're going to have a nice field that is well lighted," Thomas said.

He also stated that a large number of persons here have been contacted and have contributed to the new park, but he added that more money will be needed and contributions will be appreciated.

Dedication Sunday at First Baptist Church

A special all-day service will be held at the First Baptist Church Sunday. The church building has been paid for and a dedication and note burning service will be held. Several former pastors are expected to attend. Among them will be Rev. Vernon Price, of Denison, who was pastor here when the building was constructed. He will preach the dedication sermon at the morning services.

The congregation will move to the Bronte county park for a dinner at 1 p. m., and will return to the church at 2:30 p. m. for the afternoon program.

Rev. Lester Vinson, present pas-

tor, has issued a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the special services.

Following the afternoon services which end at 4 o'clock, an open house will be held at the pastorium, which has been recently remodeled.

Following is the program of activities for the day:

10 a. m., Sunday school; 11, dedication service; 11:25, dedication sermon by Rev. Vernon Price 1 p. m., dinner at local park; 2:30, special musical program; 2:45, greeting and Scripture reading; 2:55, greetings and prayer; 3 p. m., history of the church by R. E. Cumbie;

Sam Spruell Killed By Electric Shock

Sam Spruell, 53, well known Bronte man, was killed instantly Monday afternoon when he was accidentally burned with electricity

from a 7,200 volt power line. Grant Linsley, 65, of Shep, who was working with Mr. Spruell, was seriously burned and is in Winters hospital.

The accident occurred about 1:30 p. m. on the Ed Stevens ranch near Happy Valley. The men were putting up a windmill tower and were setting one of the legs when wind blew the piece of angle iron into the nearby power line. When the electric charge grounded through the men, Stevens, who was working nearby, heard a crackling sound and went to help the men, who were glued to the piece of iron by the electric charge. He managed to get them loose from the iron and is credited with saving Linsley's life.

An ambulance and doctor were called from Winters, and efforts were made to revive Spruell with artificial respiration, but they failed.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at the Kickapoo Baptist Church, with Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor, and Rev. C. R. Blake of Welch, former First Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview cemetery under direction of Clift Funeral Home. Bronte Masonic Lodge was in charge of the graveside rites.

Survivors are his wife, Lelia; one brother, Douglas Spruell of Waco; an aunt, Mrs. Mary Kennedy of Waco; three uncles, Marvin Spruell of Waco, Sam Spruell of Aquila and Spears Spruell of Buchanan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Spruell were married here in 1947. They had been in the cafe business most of the time since their marriage, and had operated cafes at several different sites in Bronte. Prior to their marriage Mr. Spruell lived in Fort Worth.

Last Rites Held For L. Henderson

Funeral services for Larkin Henderson, 60, were held at 10 a. m. Monday, April 18, from the Clift Funeral Chapel here. Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor of Kickapoo Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in the Fort Chadbourne Cemetery with Clift Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

A retired farmer and veteran of World War II, Mr. Henderson died Thursday, April 14, in the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He had been in ill health for several years.

He was born Sept. 9, 1899 in Coke County and had lived here most of his life until about three years ago when he moved to Ackerly to live with his sister, Mrs. Ollie Mae White.

He is survived by two brothers, A. T. Henderson of Bronte and Ben Henderson of Hermleigh; and four sisters, Mrs. Naomi Hayes, Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. Della Brandon, Robert Lee; Mrs. Verbie Burns, Ravenden Springs, Ark., and Mrs. White of Ackerly.

FRANKLIN TAKES NEW JOB

B. D. Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nutter, has resigned his position as sports writer on the Akron (Ohio) Beacon Journal to take a position as sports editor at Alamogordo, N. M. He has been in Ohio since July, 1959. He has been in Bronte this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nutter and friends, and will report for work on his new job Monday.

Little Leaguers Meet and Organize

Thirty-seven boys were bid on last Thursday night at a Little League organizational meeting at the First National Bank. Nineteen of the players were bought by the Giant team and 18 went to the bids of the Yankees.

Vernon Glenn, player manager for the League, said that he is sure there are more boys of Little League age who would like to play with the group during the coming baseball season.

Managers named were R. C. Huntley and Sid Eubanks for the Giants and James A. Tidwell and J. W. Jones for the Yankees.

Presently the Yankee roster is composed of Roy Lee Baker, Victor Brock, Rodney Coppock, Alex Fuentes, Robert Galloway, David Gentry, David Glenn, Wayne Hester, Larry Jones, Royce Lee, Wayne Lowrey, John Murtishaw, John Palmer, Sid Richards, Tad Richards, Merritt Scott, Gary Strobel and Bob Strickland.

The Giants squad is made up of Jimmy Baggett, Jimmy Bailey, Bob Bell, Darwin Caswell, Gary Cole, Davis Corley, Larry Corley, Sid Eubanks, Domisio Fuentez, Mason Glenn, Don Hageman, Douglas McCutchen, Ronnie McFarlin, Jerry Parker, Donnie Patton, Steve Shaver, James Smith, Doak Snead and Mike Terry.

Glenn said that any boy who did not turn in a birth certificate last year will be required to do so and should bring their certificate to him at the First National Bank.

Bronte Students Will Attend Regional Meet

Eight students from Bronte high school will attend a regional Interscholastic League meet this weekend at Stephenville. They qualified for regional competition in the recent district meet at San Angelo.

Jean Moore will compete in poetry reading and shorthand; Deannie Allen in declamation and shorthand; Gwen Kirkland in ready writing; Carol Ann Sherrod will go as an alternate in shorthand.

Four boys will enter track events at the meet. They are Tommy Boecking, Kenneth McCutchen, Buddy Walker and Benny Corley.

3:05, recognitions; 3:15, note burning service; 3:20 key note message by Rev. B. T. Shoemaker of Winters; 4, dismissal prayer; 4:5-30, open house at pastorium.

The building which will be dedicated Sunday was started in 1950 and completed early in 1951. It consists of an auditorium 36x59 feet, and an education section which is 36x70 feet. The structure is L-shaped, with the auditorium forming one wing and the education building the other. The present building replaced a structure which was 46 years old when it was torn down in 1950.

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UNCLE HUIE from HOG CREEK says

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:
I ain't got out much this week to git any news first hand and all I know is what I been reading in the papers. And I ain't got any of that confirmed official yet on account of not getting to town Saturday.
But several little items struck me as unusual and I aim to take 'em up with the fellers next Saturday. Fer instant, I see where the Tonga Islands out in the Pacific has a population of 40,000 and has got no taxes, no public debt, and no juvenile delinquency. I think steps should be took at onct to bring civilization to them pore islands. It's plain that they ain't got none.
And I was mighty interested in that piece about a Baltimore dentist breaking a patient's leg while pulling a wisdom tooth. The wisdom in most people don't go that fur down but I reckon this is a unusual feller in Baltimore.
I see where them Congressmen is still talking about reducing tax-

es. This is normal fer the Congress in a election year. It's hard to believe that this nation was founded to git away from taxation and today that's about all we got. The American Revolution started over one tax and now we got enough of 'em to keep a revolution going till the end of time.
Congress spends about half its time talking about taxes and the other half talking about inflation. I've done give up on taxes and I ain't losing no sleep worrying about inflation. In 1933, fer instant, I was broke and had to eat sardines fer a week. In 1960 if I eat sardines fer a week I'd be broke again. Inflation or deflation, it's the same difference the way I see it. In the end I don't reckon it makes much difference one way or the other. In this world of today man is begotten in an hurry and forgotten in a hurry and judging from what the preacher says at the funeral and the newspapers says in his obituary, he has lived the good and full life. If he has managed to have a TV rod on his roof and a two-toned car parked in front of his house, I reckon the preacher and newspapers is right.
I think it's a waste of time fer Congress to keep making new laws trying to cover the situation. We got so many laws now that the new ones is meeting the old ones coming back. And then my preacher says the big trouble with this country is that there ain't enough respect fer the law. The big trouble is that we got so many laws there just ain't enough respect to go around. Them Congressmen has been solving our financial problems, including the national debt, fer years with a revolving mirror and I don't see why we need any more laws fer that operation.
Yours truly,
Uncle Huie

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HD District 7 Spring Meeting Held in Llano

The Texas Home Demonstration Association, District 7, held its annual spring meeting on April 12, in the First Methodist Church at Llano. The Llano county HD women were hostesses.
Two hundred and fifty-seven women were present, representing 16 counties.
The meeting was called to order at 10 a. m. by the vice-president, Mrs. Thomas Egan, and the invocation was given by Rev. Dick Lowery.

The program for the morning began with the singing of the T. H. D. A. song, "Ever Onward", led by Mrs. Edgar Holly. The devotional was given by Bandera County. The ladies were welcomed by City Manager R. V. Derrick and Judge R. P. McWilliams. The response was given by Mrs. R. A. Frieske. High point of the morning was the message given by Mrs. Irby Tucker White, state secretary, in which she reminded the ladies that many of our greatest patriots and statesmen have come from rural homes. This was followed by a demonstration on good Citizenship by Blanco County and Tom Green county reminded the ladies of the importance of Civil Defense.

The program for the afternoon began with the McCulloch County ladies telling the need for a good Recreation program and was followed by State Senator Louis Crump's address on "Women's Legal Rights in Texas." Nolan County gave the planks of their platform on Health and Safety. Schleicher County proved Education can be fun and Concho County reminded the group how much children need 4-H.

Mrs. Maynard Gaynes of Coleman County defeated Mrs. Gladys Box of Llano County in an election for vice-president of the district. The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p. m.

Ladies from Coke County who attended this meeting were Mmes. Pat Rives, C. E. Arrott, Curtis Walker and Glenn Waldrop and Miss Carole Hooper, home demonstration agent. — Mrs. Glenn Waldrop.

HOSPITAL NEWS

April 12 — Don Huffaker, Dave Brunson, Mrs. Alex Fuentez, Mrs. George James dismissed.
April 13 — Mrs. Ysmale Mejia, Mrs. Dennis Rogers admitted. Mrs. Louis Buckalew dismissed.
April 14 — Mrs. H. V. Jones, Mrs. H. E. Thorn, Mrs. Lucy Denton admitted. Mrs. Milton Bryan dismissed.
April 15 — Mrs. Tito Torres, Mrs. Jimmy Villegas, Mrs. H. E. Denton, Mrs. Delbert Coalson, Mrs. W. A. Hester, Mrs. Tennie J. Allen admitted. Mrs. H. E. Thorn, Mrs. Ysmale Mejia dismissed.
April 16 — Mrs. Tommy Bell, Clifford Garrett admitted. Mrs. D. M. Ott, Mrs. Jack Bailey, Ben Murphy dismissed.
April 17 — Mrs. Tito Torres dismissed.
April 18 — Steve Clark, Gilbert Basquez, Mrs. S. O. Jackson, Mrs. Antonio Martinez, Jr., Joe Martinez, Mrs. L. C. Overman, Mrs. John Gordon admitted. Elbert Wrinkle dismissed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ysmale Mejia of Blackwell are parents of a new daughter, Sandie, born in the Bronte Hospital Thursday, April 14. She weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Todoro Torres of Robert Lee have a new son, Fermin, born Friday, April 15 in the Bronte hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Read the classified ads.

LOCAL NEWS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Modgling through the holidays were Mrs. Charles Oliphant, Mike and Charles Robert of Houston, Mrs. Russell Haney and Mrs. Myrtle Harwell of Roscoe, Mrs. R. L. Coffman of Silver, Mrs. Lilly McCulloch of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowers and Tommy of Pampa. The group spent Sunday in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. Milford Phillips of Andrews were in Bronte over the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, and other relatives.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. Douglas Ditmore

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith in Miles recently were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arrott, Mr. and Mrs. LeDrew Arrott and family, and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn and children.

Easter guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Westbrook were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westbrook and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and son of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stewart and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Westbrook of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Ray of Miles.

Guests in the Tom Williams home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fulgham, Friona, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter, Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Larkin, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Larkin and Clea of Jal, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Alford Williams, Reva Beth and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cathey, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas and boys have had as their recent guests Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Franklin of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs.

J. L. Stephenson, San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Griffin, Jerri Nell and Marcie Carper were Rets. Tommy Hamner and Mike Denham of Ft. Riley, Kans., Odell Brice and Patsy Woods. The soldiers are formerly of Ballinger and after their leave, Tommy will be stationed in Germany and Mike will attend OCS in Missouri. Other young folks visiting at the Griffins Sunday night were Grady Becksworth, Jay Sharp and Greg Whalen.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McClure were R. L. James of Christoval and Mrs. Oscar Isbell of Brookshire.

Attending the quilting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Thomas were Mes. Studie Brown, Oscar Isbell, John Clark, Roy Baker, Ben Brooks, Wallace Montgomery, Robert Brown, J. C. Boatright, Dan Teague, Floyd Gibson, Otto Finck, Charlie Brown, Claude Ditmore, C. D. Derrick, Douglas Ditmore, Willard Caudle and Vernon. The next meeting of the quilting club will be with Mrs. John Clark.

Recent guests of the Kenneth and John Clarks were Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Welch and girls, Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bagwell and Mark Wayne, San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Isbell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore spent Saturday in San Angelo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sheffey.

Clifford Garrett was visiting during the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, when he became ill and was taken to Bronte Hospital. His illness was diagnosed as mumps.

Easter Sunday guests of Mrs. Studie Brown were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stewart and Leo, Lee Allen Stewart and Patsy Manning of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, Mr. and Robert Brown and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hageman and Don and Beth Hageman of Bronte, Mrs. Charles Westbrook, Mrs. Oscar Isbell, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green and William, Mrs. Laura Brown and Mrs. Mary Miller of Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil have returned home from Kansas where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brown and Linda. Mrs. Brown and Linda returned home with them. Sunday guests in their home were Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCarty of San Angelo, Pete Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown.

Attending a lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beauford James in San Angelo were Mr. and Mrs. George James, Sr. Mrs. James remained in San Angelo to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Deans.

Mary Corley spent Monday in Bronte with Peggy Corley. Peggy has the mumps.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley Monday were Mrs. Gladys Davis and Mrs. Douglas Buford of San Angelo. Shelene Tidwell of Bronte spent the weekend with the Corleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Webb and Brenda of Nolan went to the Jr. Rodeo at Sweetwater Saturday. The Gibsons spent Sunday with the Webbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown made a recent trip to Cisco to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle Mike, Curtis and Kirk Dyess of Norton were Saturday night guests of the Browns.

The Community get Together

The Bronte Enterprise

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will be held Saturday night and everyone is invited to attend and bring cake, punch or coffee. It was postponed last Saturday because of the Baptist revival.

About 70 persons turned out for the Easter Sunrise Service. About 50 climbed the mountain. Some came from Eldorado, Abilene, San Angelo, Midland and Bronte.

Present for an Easter family gathering at the Elton McGinnis home in Eldorado were Messrs. and Mes. Claude Ditmore, Douglas Ditmore, Tennyson; Raymond Ditmore and boys, Abilene; Albert McGinnis and family, Bill Crump and family of Ralls and Floyd McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Harrell and Beryl Jr., of Robey recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ditmore, Mike and Roy came from Abilene to spend Saturday and Sunday nights with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott and Dee were Rev. and Mrs. Ritchie and Doug and Rev. and Mrs. Billy Hill and Bruce of San Angelo.

Easter Reunion

Attending an Easter reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker were:

Messrs. and Meses. Louis Baker, Sr., Eldorado; Ben Brooks, Roy Baker and Roy Lee, Tennyson; Louis Baker, Jr. and family, Midland; R. T. Baker and girls, E. C. Baker, Abilene; O. B. Graves and boys Evert Cowley and family, Dan Cockburn and boys, all of San Angelo; Earnest Hendrick of Miles; and B. Baker, San Angelo and Mrs. E. J. Tucker and family of Blackwell.

Public Invited to Flower Show

The public is invited to several events next week sponsored by the San Angelo Council of Garden Clubs. They include a flower and fashion show on April 22 and 23 at the Armory at 451 Caddo St. and a tea and book review on April 25 at St. Luke Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene will be the guest reviewer. The flower and fashion show will be from 3:30 to 8:30 p. m. on April 22 and from 10 a. m. until 6 p. m. on April 23.

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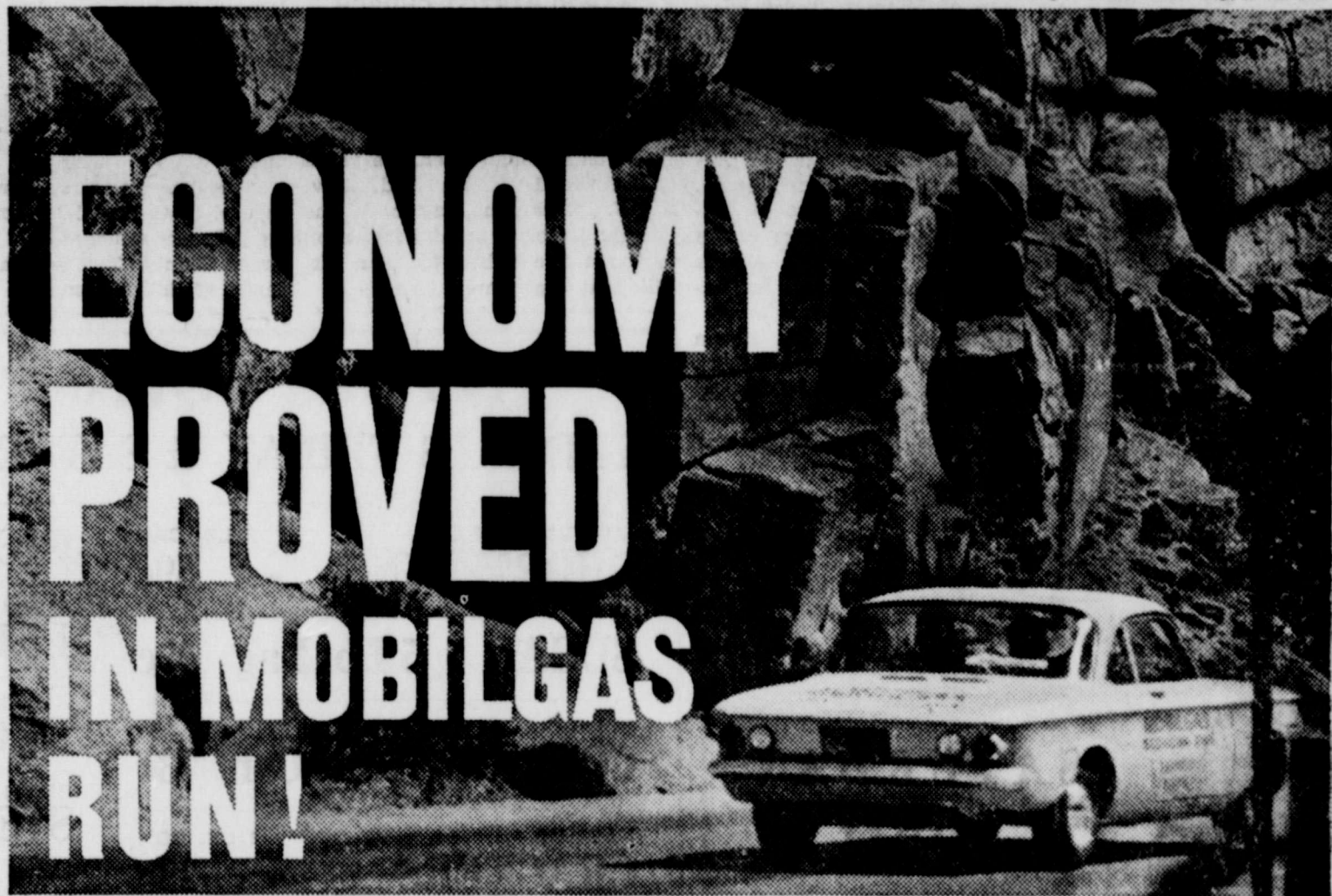
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Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Gentry of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and girls of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Haley of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hamon of Lawn. Mike, year-old son of the Gentrys, was christened Sunday morning in services at First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herron spent Easter weekend in Odessa with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herron and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Leathers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullins, Jr. and children of Dallas spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullins. They all attended Easter services at First Methodist Church where the former's three month-old son, Randall Eugene, was christened.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Percifull were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gravitt and children, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Percifull and Gay, Carl Robinson and Mrs. J. C. Slaughter, all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton and Karen of Lubbock and Mrs. Jack Belcher and children of Andrews were Easter holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and children spent their Easter vacation in Brady, Field Creek and Llano. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Taylor, and her sister, Mrs. Lee Craft, and family in Brady; with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Von Simpson in Field Creek, and other relatives in Llano. Joey Simpson, who had spent a week with his grandparents at Field Creek, returned home with them. They were also accompanied as far as Bradf by Mrs. Lula Brown, who visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Richards and family left last Thursday to spend the Easter holidays in Artesia, New Mexico with the A. J. Deans family. The Deans are former Bronte residents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry and Linda went to Fort Worth Saturday for an overnight visit with Mrs. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulk, Linda, Bruce and Paul came from Midland last Thursday for an Easter visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Adair. They returned to Midland Sunday.

Jettie Lou Kirkland is spending this week in Lubbock with her sister, Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wrinkle and son of Stinnett, Texas spent the Easter weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wrinkle.

Capt. and Mrs. James R. Boies and Guy of San Antonio were weekend guests here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keesee.

Rev. Bob Grimes went to Galveston and Houston the first of the week to visit E. J. Smith, who is hospitalized at Galveston, and other friends in the Houston area.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Phillips of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pairish and Janson and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brock and daughter.

Visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Joplin and Mrs. Lem Joplin and her husband, who is in the hospital, were Mrs. E. C. Bishop of Yuma, Arizona, Mrs. Roy Wannocott of El Paso and Grante Joplin and children of Nederland. Sunday guests in the T. D. Joplin home were Miss Alda George, Mrs. Irene Baldrige, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walter and Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Hale and David, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Meador and children of Abilene spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Rawlings.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Scott and son of Alpine spent the Easter holidays in Abilene and Bronte visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wells and children visited Friday and Saturday with relatives and friends in San Saba.

Mrs. Mabel Deppe returned to San Antonio on Monday, April 11, after visiting a month here with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Scott, and other relatives. She also underwent surgery in Bronte Hospital during her visit here. A large group gathered in Mrs. Scott's home during the weekend of April 10. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Deppe and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Athey and children of Roswell, N. M. Mrs. Scott's brother, A. E. Rodgers, and wife of Hobbs, N. M., spent Monday through Wednesday of that week with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Baker and Marissa of Andrews spent their Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rasco.

Guests over the Easter holidays in the Monroe Alexander home were J. L. Alexander of Fort Worth, Mrs. Doris Conley and daughter of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander and daughter of Sweetwater.

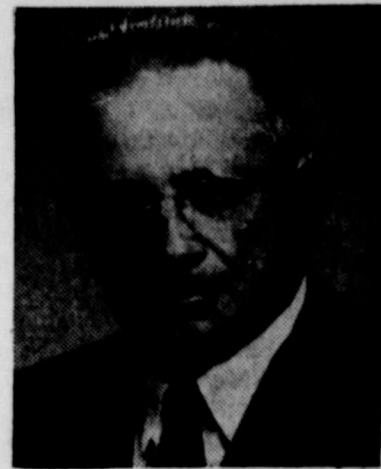
SPECIAL SERVIE FRIDAY AT KICKAPOO BAPTIST CHURCH

John W. Elliott, Baptist missionary to Brazil, will be in Bronte Friday and will speak at the Kickapoo Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Elliott is back in the United States on furlough after five years in the Brazil Mission field. Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor of the church, issued a special invitation to the entire public to hear Mr. Elliott at that time.

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William Davenport, Angelo Lawyer, Is Candidate for Judge of 51st District



WILLIAM DAVENPORT

William Davenport, a candidate for District Judge of the 51st Judicial District, is 68 years of age and has practiced law 41 years.

He is a Methodist and a Sunday School teacher for 25 years. A man of clean habits, he is in vigorous health.

He married Nettie Ketchum, whose grandfather Ketchum was killed by Indians on the North Concho River in 1869.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport are parents of four children. Thomas, an attorney, died of service connected disability in 1949 while serving as county attorney of Tom Green County. William, Jr., retired Air Force master sergeant, lives in California.

John, also an attorney, served six years as assistant attorney general. He resides in Austin and is now general counsel for Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners. The daughter, Mary Ellen, 21, is a senior at the University of Texas majoring in journalism. She works as assistant editor of the women's department of the Austin Statesman.

In presenting his candidacy to the voters, Mr. Davenport says he will:

1. Preside with the attitude that the law is your FRIEND, not your ENEMY.
2. Call the civil and criminal docket at least once each month.
3. Have a jury ready and subject to call each week.
4. Pick a jury in a half a day rather than to take 4 or 5 days, requiring lawyers to ask general and hypothetical questions—to the venire as a group, and require lawyers to turn in a list of these questions before the case is called to trial.
5. Co-operate with the bar and every law enforcement agency to get a better system of law enforcement.
6. Recommend and promote passage of State Legislation establishing a County Court at Law for Tom Green County. This will save thousands of dollars annually and re-

move a long standing log jam in our judicial system.

7. Oppose to the utmost the practice of making criminals of our citizenship in order to operate government agencies — such as making one or the other of each two persons involved in an accident pay a fine, in cases which usually should be civil, not criminal. He contends, also, that leasing of our streets to the public as parking lots is unconstitutional. If elected judge, and these questions are properly raised, by habeas corpus or otherwise, he will so hold.

PUBLIC INVITED TO FILM ON MAKING OF CHINA

Miss Amie Cornick, owner of the Spode and Wedgewood Shop in San Angelo, will be in Bronte next Tuesday. She will show films to the Homemaking classes of the Bronte Schools on the making of wedgewood and Spode china.

Mrs. Royce Fancher, homemaking teacher, said the colored film will be shown at 2 p. m. in the dark room of the school and issued an invitation to the public, to attend. She said she felt the films would be of special interest to club women here.

Mrs. Clay Williamson of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brunson, here Tuesday.

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Comes in eight sizes — 500 bushel to 3100 bushel. Safe for storage in any climate or region. Stronger, with fewer bolts because of 6 ply ribs. The only Grain Bin with vertical corrugated walls. Easier to erect, less labor because of fewer bolts. Smoother floor and walls prevents lodging of eggs and larvae.

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Bronte Feed & Supply

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**SATURDAY
APRIL
23**

Yes, it's getting that time of year and you'll want one of the nice cool straw hats we have in stock. Many styles to choose from.

We handle Stetson along with a number of other well known brands.



PRICED \$1.98 TO \$10.00

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STOP - SHOP - SAVE

SPECIALS FRIDAY & SATURDAY, April 22 & 23

SWIFTS JEWEL 3 LB. CAN
SHORTENING - 59c

SUGAR - 5 Lb. Bag 49c

FOLGERS
COFFEE - 1 Lb. Can 73c

NABISCO 1 LB. BOX
CRACKERS - 29c

GUM - 4 for 15c

SUPREME CREME SANDWICH
COOKIES - 2 Lb. Bag 49c

JELLO - 3 for 25c

LETTUCE - Lb. 17c

CELLO PKG.
CARROTS - 2 for 15c

PICNIC HAMS - Lb. 29c

CHUCK LB.
BEEF ROAST - 49c

FRESH LB.
GROUND MEAT - 49c

FRESH
STEW MEAT - Lb. 36c

PACE
BACON - 2 Lbs. 89c

GOOCH
WIENERS - 2 Lbs. 69c

GOOCH
SAUSAGE - 2 Lbs. 79c

BISCUITS - Lb. 10c

OUR VALUE
OLEO - Lb. 15c

CLOSED ALL DAY ON SUNDAY
LET'S ALL GO TO CHURCH

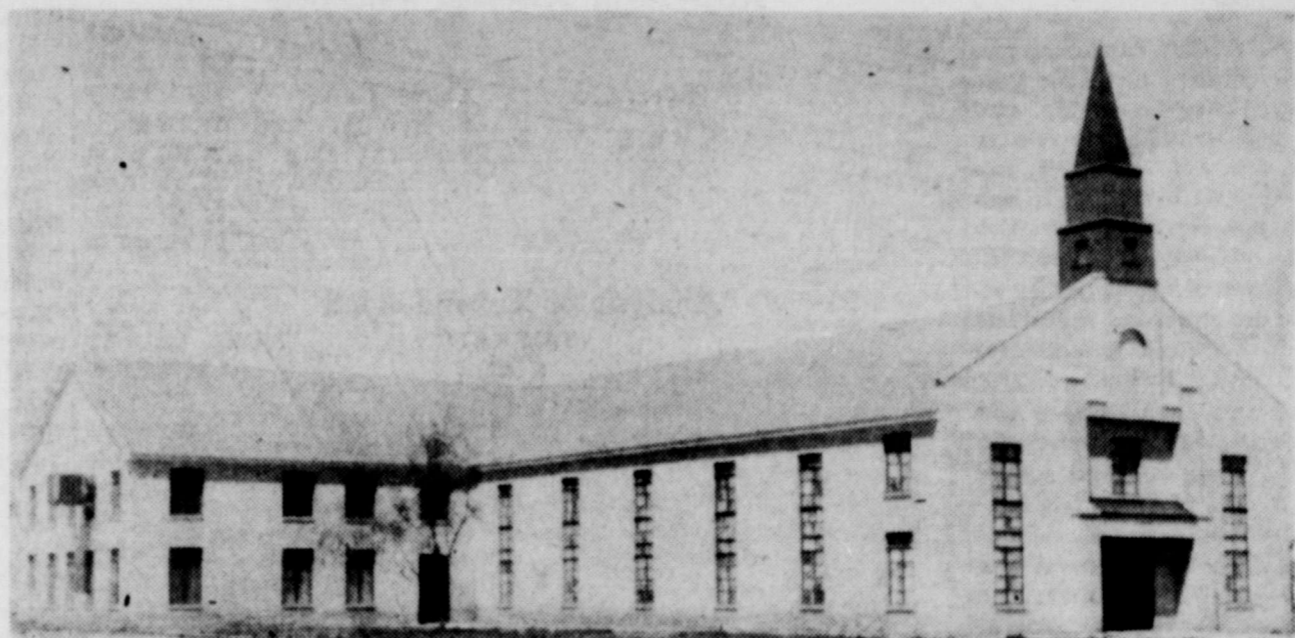


SIMS FOOD STORE

First Baptist Church

BRONTE, TEXAS

**Special
Dedication
And**



Note Burning Service

Sunday, April 24, 1960



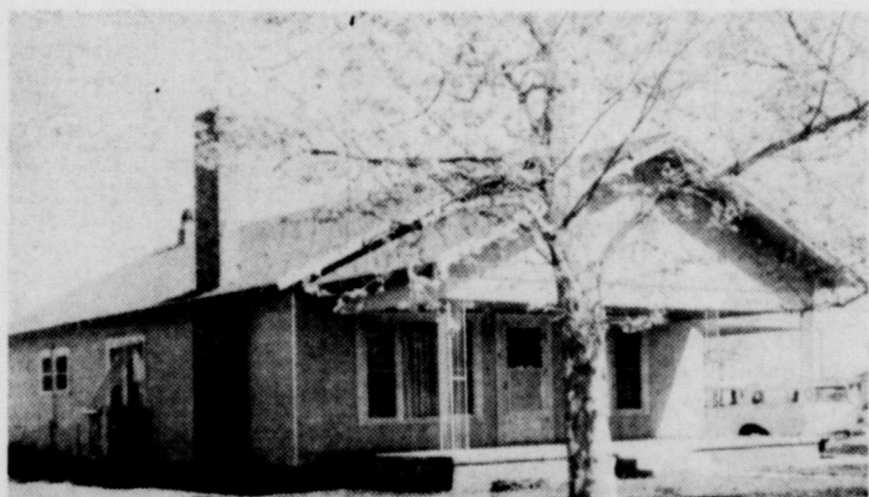
REV. LESTER VINSON
Pastor



REV. VERNON PRICE
Dedication Sermon Speaker



REV. B. T. SHOEMAKE
Key Note Speaker



THE NEWLY REMODELED PASTORIUM

**ALL MEMBERS AND FRIENDS
OF THE CHURCH ARE INVITED**

Program

- 10:00 Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 Dedication Service, All the Church Participating
- 11:25 Dedication Sermon, Rev. Vernon Price
- 1:00 Dinner on the Grounds of Our Local Park
- 2:30 Special Musical Program
- 2:45 Greetings and Scripture
- 2:55 Greetings and Prayer
- 3:00 History of the Church, Mr. R. E. Cumbie
- 3:05 Recognitions
- 3:15 Note Burning Service
- 3:20 Key Note Message
- 4:00 Dismissal Prayer
- 4:00—5:30 Open House at Pastorium

HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Ratliff had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finley of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratliff and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sawyer, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanderson had all of their children home for Easter dinner. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard and son of Fluvanna, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Anderson and sons of Midland, Bob Sanderson and Rev. and Mrs. Bob Harris and children of Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Copeland visited their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hipp and daughter at College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Palmer had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waggoner and son of Hylton, Mr. and Mrs. Dabner Harris of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sweet and son of Corpus Christi spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet at Blackwell and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Self at Shep.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reaves had as their weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Curry and children of Tahoma and Mrs. J. D. Holden of Austin.

Mrs. Joe Oden and sons of Levelland visited in the T. J. Oden.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson and Dewey Nabors and Mrs. Mack Sissons of Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hipp and son of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson. The Hipps also visited his mother Mrs. Josie Hipp.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton and sons of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shamblyn over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reaves and children of Bledsoe visited relatives in Blackwell last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Adkinson and children of Abilene were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Ragsdale.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delos Alsup were Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Wilson and sons of Colorado City and Mrs. Leonard Story and children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Waggoner and sons of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Josie Hipp, at Blackwell and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waggoner at Hylton.

Euterpean Club Meeting

The Euterpean Club met in the home of Mrs. W. A. Hickman on Thursday afternoon and practiced Easter Hymns.

A refreshment plate was served to Mes. P. G. Dabney, R. Q. Spence, James Cate, H. C. Raney, W. W. Youngblood, L. W. Sweet, Austin Jordan, Bob Johnson, Frank Brownfield, R. V. Copeland, Charles Ragsdale, Miss Bertha Smith and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Garvin and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hendry attended the funeral for Mr. Garvin's father, Joe Garvin, at Eldorado last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and daughter of Merkel spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Campbell and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Campbell in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lasswell of Lubbock have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reece McCarley.

College students home for Easter holidays were Betty Sweet and Jerry Ware from San Angelo Junior College and Karen King of ACC, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Wilkins Jr. and son of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkins and family of Lubbock spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilkins and family.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST-

COUNTY AUDIT

For Coke County for Year 1959, From January 1, 1959, to December 31, 1959, as taken from Coke County Annual Audit which was made by Weldon Fikes, Coke County Auditor.

Analysis of Assessed Valuation

YEAR	AMOUNT
1953	\$20,397,830.00
1954	25,041,630.00
1955	29,762,910.00
1958	24,997,235.00
1957	26,275,310.00
1958	24,997,310.00
1959	25,989,065.00

Analysis of Taxes Levied

TAX RATE	TAXES LEVIED
1953 \$.85	\$173,386.40
1954 .85	212,859.27
1955 .85	252,990.58
1956 .85	249,279.85
1957 .95	249,620.76
1958 .95	237,478.60
1959 .95	246,901.46
STATE RATE \$.72	
COUNTY RATE	
Jury \$.00	
Road & Bridge .30	
General .40	
Courthouse & Jail .05	
Permanent Improvement .20 .95	
(Bonds, Int. & Sinking)	
Total	\$1.67
ROAD DISTRICT RATES	
Commissioners Precinct No. 1 .28	
Commissioners Precinct No. 2 .36	
Commissioners Precinct No. 3 .24	

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Jury Fund

Balance January 1, 1959	\$ 21,806.78
RECEIPTS	
Payment of Warrant by R&B Fund	30,000.00
Redeposit of Voided Check	5.00 30,005.00
DISBURSEMENTS	
Court Reporter Salary	618.60
Asst. Dist. Atty Salary	149.04
Steno. to D. A. Salary	91.68
Court Reporter Travel Exp.	74.80
Grand Jurors	115.00
Jury Commission	55.00
Jurors, County & Dist.	1,476.00
Meals for Jurors	14.45
Court Appointed Attys.	70.00
Costs in Lunacy	32.85
Miscellaneous Court Exp.	7.25
Court Reporter	
For Water Hearing	50.00
Cost of Dist. Ct. Case	1,924.95
Transferred Lubbock County	
Bailiff	25.00 4,704.62
Total Disbursements	4,704.62
Time Deposit	40,000.00
Bank Balance December 31, 1959	7,107.16
Time Deposit	40,000.00
Total Balance	47,107.16

Courthouse and Jail Fund

Balance January 1, 1959	\$ 10,307.24
RECEIPTS	
Ad Valorem Taxes	11,247.61
Delinquent Taxes	107.59 11,355.20
DISBURSEMENTS	
MAINTENANCE OF COURTHOUSE	
Caretakers' Salaries	4,768.70
Utilities (Water & Fuel)	1,098.71
Contract Labor	300.00 6,167.41
MISCELLANEOUS	
Insurance	201.60
Extra Help for Custodian	225.00
Withholding Taxes	492.00 918.60
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS	
Jail Repair	336.41
Bronte Park Improvement	945.20
Robt. Lee Park Improvement	1,874.29
County Hospital Repair	1,042.78 4,198.68
Total Disbursements	11,284.69
TRANSFER TO:	
Social Security Fund	240.00
Balance December 31, 1959	10,137.75

General Fund

Balance January 1, 1959	\$ 80,734.66
RECEIPTS	
Ad Valorem Taxes	91,220.56
Delinquent Taxes	1,075.42
Hospital Employees Soc. Sec.	158.12
Royalty on Oil	163.83
Robert Lee Swimming Pool	1,147.65
Bronte Swimming Pool	1,158.00
Robert Lee Park Rec. Hall	458.25
Refund Telephone Calls etc.	236.76
Insurance Adjustment on Hospital	689.20
Redeposit Cancelled Check	243.00

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Rental Telephone Booth	20.38
Refund Escrow Money, Robt. Lee Swimming Pool	35.25
Refund Escrow Money, Bronte Swimming Pool ..	9.00
Trapper's Association Fees	1,200.00 97,815.42
DISBURSEMENTS	
COMMISSIONERS' COURT	
Salaries (after deductions)	4,714.55 4,714.55
COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK	
Telephone	161.85
Office Supplies	1,640.62
Stamps	157.62 1,960.09
COUNTY AUDITOR	
Salary (after deductions)	5,093.90
Asst. Salary (after deductions)	2,631.80
Office Supplies	299.35
Telephone	322.00
Stamps	37.20
Office Equipment	195.00 8,579.25
SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR	
Sheriff's Car Expense	1,049.23
Dep. Sheriffs' Trav. Exp.	840.00
Office Supplies	969.45
Feeding & Conveying	
Prisoners	369.45
Telephone	740.40
Stamps	204.06 4,172.59
COUNTY TREASURER	
Telephone	115.20
Office Supplies	485.78
Stamps	91.32 692.30
COUNTY JUDGE	
Judge's Travel Expense	325.00
Telephone	266.50
Office Supplies	81.93
Extra Office Help	162.00
Stamps	38.25
Office Equipment	640.50 1,514.18
COUNTY ATTORNEY	
Office Supplies & Expense	902.04 902.04
EXTENSION SERVICE—AGRICULTURE	
County Agent's Sal.	
(after deductions)	1,338.30
H. D. Agent's Salary	
(after deductions)	1,450.00
Secretary Salary	
(after deductions)	2,129.45
Co. Agent's Travel Exp.	800.00
H.D. Agent's Travel Exp.	760.00
Assoc. Agt's Travel Exp.	503.52
County Trapper	2,400.00
Extra Office Help	112.50
Telephone	265.95
Stamps	70.55
Office Supplies	607.18
Co. Agent's Pickup Exp.	236.76
Bounties on Bobcats	387.50
Bounty on Rabbits	268.85
Bounty on Rattlesnakes	3,173.50
Expense Rabies Program	827.01 15,331.07
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE NO. 1	
Vital Statistics	17.00
Inquests	20.00
Office Supplies	70.30
Stamps	4.00 111.30
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE NO. 2	
Vital Statistics	27.00
Telephone	121.22
Office Supplies & Expense	322.44
Office Rent	165.00 635.66
VETERAN'S COUNTY SERVICE	
Veteran's Service Officer	
Salary	360.00
Travel Expense	240.00 600.00
COKE COUNTY PARK OPERATION—ROBERT LEE	
Caretaker's Salary	
(after deductions)	2,612.50
Other Expenses (Util., etc.)	3,451.64
Life Guards	600.00
Extra Labor	746.50 7,410.64
COKE COUNTY PARK OPERATION—BRONTE	
Caretaker's Salary	
(after deductions)	2,751.80
Other Expense (Util., etc.)	3,388.82
Life Guards	900.00
Extra Labor	504.50 7,545.12
COKE COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	
Operating Expenses	17,502.57
Repair on Hospital	689.20 18,191.77
MISCELLANEOUS	
Tax Valuation	
Engineer Service	8,619.82
Other Travel Expense	802.12
Insurance	1,549.15
Jail Expense & Supplies	414.14
Withholding Taxes	1,890.20
Official Bond Premiums	161.75
Contract Auditor	950.00
Election Expense	238.00
Supplies & Expense	1,112.90
Expense Fire Truck—R.L.	216.00
Advertising	942.14
Nightwatching	360.00
Conference Reg. Fee	15.00
Repair Rec. Hall	345.00
Legal Service	5.00
Painting Livestock Barn	171.00
Lights	3,570.72
Courthouse Repair	205.42
Water	23.90
Livestock Association	1,000.00

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Expense Fire Truck—Bronte	179.00	
Expense Civil Defense	669.58	
Taxes	2.28	
Expense Kickapoo Project	4.50	23,447.62
CHARITY		
Expense Surplus		
Commodities	757.44	
Services	471.19	
Hospitalization (Bronte Hospital)	898.30	
Hospitalization (Shannon Hospital)	487.60	
Medicine & Drugs	44.19	2,658.72
Total Disbursements		98,466.90
TRANSFERS TO:		
Social Security Fund	985.00	
Officer's Salary Fund	3,000.00	3,985.00
Time Deposit		40,000.00
Bank Balance December 31, 1959	36,098.18	
Time Deposit		40,000.00
Total Balance		76,098.18

Officer's Salary Fund

Balance January 1, 1959	26,805.43
RECEIPTS	
Fees—Sheriff & Tax Collector	25,557.69
Fees—County & Dist. Clerk	5,332.00
Fees—County Attorney	2,494.55
Fees—County Judge	101.50
Fees—Justice of the Peace No. 1	829.00
Fees—Justice of the Peace No. 2	718.55
Fees—Constable No. 1	6.00
Commission on Auto Registration	1,838.55
State Comptroller	670.52
TRANSFERS FROM:	
General Funds	3,000.00
DISBURSEMENTS	
Sheriff's Salary (after ded.)	5,058.40
Deputies' Sal. (after ded.)	9,307.90
Extra Help	1,221.00
Judge's Salary (after ded.)	4,134.91
Clerk's Salary (after ded.)	5,353.67
Deputies' Sal. (after ded.)	4,199.12
Co. Atty's Sal. (after ded.)	3,188.64
Treasurer's Sal. (after ded.)	4,621.34
Justice of Peace Salaries	2,198.80
Constable Salaries	2,206.20
Withholding Taxes	4,351.20
Insurance	2,046.55
Total Disbursements	47,887.73
TRANSFER TO:	
Social Security Fund	2,000.00
Balance December 31, 1959	17,466.06

**Combined Operating Funds of Precincts
(Road & Bridge, Lateral Road & Farm to Market)**

PRECINCT NO. 1		
Balance January 1, 1959	30,324.98	
RECEIPTS		
Commissioner's Salary	3,375.09	
Labor	15,813.48	
Gas & Oil	3,889.98	
Parts & Repair	6,120.42	
Material & Supplies	1,138.87	
Withholding Taxes	1,045.50	
Hospital Ins. on Rd. Hands	687.45	
Welding	353.92	
Machinery Warrants	10,350.00	
Interest on Mac. Warrants	946.25	
Tires, Tubes & Batteries	1,587.45	
Lights	18.30	
Payment of Loan	9,600.00	
Kickapoo Survey	5,920.00	
Social Security	800.00	
Total Disbursements	61,646.71	
Balance December 31, 1959	38,740.77	
PRECINCT NO. 2		
Balance January 1, 1959	6,812.18	
RECEIPTS		
Commissioner's Salary	3,298.29	
Commissioner's Trav. Exp.	150.00	
Labor	14,198.83	
Gas & Oil	4,062.34	
Parts & Repair	2,722.15	
Material & Supplies	2,439.23	
Withholding Taxes	1,725.00	
Hospital Ins. on Rd. Hands	883.85	
Welding	544.63	
Machinery Warrants	10,020.00	
Interest on Mac. Warrants	1,092.60	
Tires, Tubes & Batteries	2,153.15	
Lights	106.52	
Water	48.00	
Kickapoo Survey	4,810.00	
Social Security	860.00	
R.O.W. & Exp. Hwy. 277	1,089.57	
Post & Material Hwy. 277	503.81	
Fencing Hwy. 277	985.00	
Payment Loan	7,800.00	
Total Disbursements	59,492.97	
Balance December 31, 1959	12,408.92	
PRECINCT NO. 3		
Balance January 1, 1959	37,760.21	
RECEIPTS		
Commissioner's Salary	3,375.09	
Labor	15,813.48	
Gas & Oil	3,889.98	
Parts & Repair	6,120.42	
Material & Supplies	1,138.87	
Withholding Taxes	1,045.50	
Hospital Ins. on Rd. Hands	687.45	
Welding	353.92	
Machinery Warrants	10,350.00	
Interest on Mac. Warrants	946.25	
Tires, Tubes & Batteries	1,587.45	
Lights	18.30	
Payment of Loan	9,600.00	
Kickapoo Survey	5,920.00	
Social Security	800.00	
Total Disbursements	61,646.71	
Balance December 31, 1959	32,543.19	

DISBURSEMENTS

Commissioner's Salary	3,478.29
Labor	9,685.77
Gas & Oil	2,609.53
Parts & Repair	2,630.18
Material & Supplies	1,549.46
Withholding Taxes	1,331.20
Hospital Ins. on Rd. Hands	803.65
Welding	30.30
Machinery Warrants	2,910.00
Interest on Mac. Warrants	282.80
Tires, Tubes & Batteries	299.79
Lights	28.96
Kickapoo Survey	4,070.00
Payment Loan	6,600.00
New Truck	2,597.59
New Pickup less trade-in	1,298.00
R.O.W. Hwy. 87	347.20
Social Security	800.00
Insurance Bldg. & Trucks	76.86
Total Disbursements	41,429.58

Balance December 31, 1959 28,873.82

PRECINCT NO. 4

Balance January 1, 1959	50,599.67
RECEIPTS	
Commissioner's Salary	3,438.29
Commissioner's Trav. Exp.	500.00
Labor	10,576.18
Gas & Oil	1,632.31
Parts & Repair	1,148.91
Material & Supplies	912.14
Wire & Post	6,056.01
Machinery Warrants	6,333.00
Interest on Mach. Warrants	305.86
Tires, Tubes & Batteries	226.32
Withholding Taxes	1,509.70
Hospital Ins. on Rd. Hands	755.60
Lights	59.80
Welding	53.75
Kickapoo Survey	3,700.00
Payment Loan	14,000.00
R.O.W. Hwys. 277 & 1194	6,092.38
Fencing & R.O.W. Expense	1,919.65
Social Security	800.00
Total Disbursements	60,019.90
Balance December 31, 1959	35,711.14

Recapitulation Operating Funds All Precincts

Balance January 1, 1959	125,497.04
RECEIPTS	
Ad Valorem Taxes	122,784.47
Delinquent Taxes	806.55
Sales	948.55
Fines	2,029.00
Auto Registration	49,821.56
County Lateral Road Money	9,263.75
Machinery Hire	1,337.41
Refunds	78.80
Loan	8,000.00
State Refund on Hwy. 277	17,756.68
Total Receipts	212,826.77
Total Disbursements	222,589.16
Balance December 31, 1959	115,734.65

**Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements
On Coke County Memorial Hospital**

Balance January 1, 1959	289.99
RECEIPTS	
Receipts from Patients, etc.	45,755.48
Received from Coke County	17,502.57
Total Receipts	63,258.05
Less Returned Check	96.40
Less Refund Insurance Overpayment	231.50
Total Cash Available	63,220.14

DISBURSEMENTS	
Salary Checks (after ded.)	33,433.45
Withholding Taxes	4,223.39
Social Security Taxes	1,874.16
Adjust Payroll Check	12.94
Office Supplies & Expense	891.26
Food	4,713.59
Housekeeping Supplies	802.42
Laundry	1,402.59
Plant (Utilities, etc.)	2,822.41
Medical & Surgical Supplies	2,012.54
Anesthesia & Oxygen	451.86
Drugs	8,240.94
X-Ray Supplies & Exp.	523.80
Laboratory	424.85
Blood	100.00
Dr. Pepper	71.27
Operating Room Supplies & Expense	151.34
Equipment	670.00
Kitchen Supplies	75.48
Miscellaneous Expense	131.78
Hospital Licensing Fee	25.00
Suckers	9.00
Staff Purchases	110.86
New Mattresses	215.20
Linen Replacement	297.91
Chair for Nurses	15.00
Less Cash Discount	17.06
Total Disbursements	63,745.98
Balance December 31, 1959	-525.84



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH
COKE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

Present Supervisors -

C. N. Webb, Chairman; W. E. Burns, Vice Chairman; D. K. Glenn, Secretary and Treasurer; Bryan Yarbrough and Robert Walker.

Abdu Salam Swathi was a guest of Coke Soil Conservation District last week. Swathi is a divisional forest officer from west Pakistan. He spent a day in our area studying range problems and some of our methods of range management and range improvement. Swathi said that some parts of Pakistan are similar in many ways to the country in Coke county and have many of the same problems.

Mrs. Annie Wilkins has recently completed a Great Plains Conservation Program plan on her farm south of Bronte. Practices for this year include rootplowing and seeding on 37 acres, a concrete reservoir for livestock water and 1,000 feet of net wire diversions. The rootplowed area is to be seeded to a mixture of Blue panicum, Switchgrass and Sideoats grama. The area will be deferred for a full growing season before grazing to allow grasses to become established. Mrs. Wilkins also plans to put some of her cropland back to a mixture of Blue panicum, Indian-grass and Sand lovegrass. The land is to be retired because it is sandy and difficult to manage under row crops.

Another Great Plains Conservation Program plan has been completed by H. C. Grafa on his place 3 miles southeast of Bronte. Grafa's plans include pitting and seeding 20 acres to a mixture of Sideoats grama, Buffalograss, Switchgrass and Blue panicum. The pitting is being done to add a seed source of better grasses on his pastures and will be rested at least one full growing season following seeding. In addition to this he plans to construct a concrete reservoir and a pond for stock water and to practice proper use and deferment on his rangeland.

Courthouse Rainfall Record

This month81
This year349
This time last year 1.33

PERSONALS

Mrs. Don Farris, Bobby and Dale came from Lovington, N. Mex., for an Easter visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McGuire and children of Ballinger spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McQueen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayner and children of Moriarty, N. Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton of Dallas spent the Easter weekend with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Howard and children went to Cisco Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson before going on to DeLeon to visit Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Caffey, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Glenn and Donna of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn and other relatives and friends here.

Miss LouAnn Presley came from Olney to spend the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Quinn. Mrs. Quinn's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Watson of Bristow, Oklahoma are visiting this week in the Quinn home.

Guests of Mrs. B. F. Bridges Monday were her son and granddaughter, Louis Bridges and Barbara of Eden. Sunday guests of Mrs. Bridges were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lynn and children of San Angelo.

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HUMBLE DIVISION
HUMBLE OIL & REFINING
COMPANY

Political
Announcements

The Bronte Enterprise is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary Election to be held May 7, 1960:

For State Representative:

J. W. (BILL) MOORE
Of Ballinger, Runnels County
A. J. BISHOP, JR.
Of Winters, Runnels County

For Sheriff:

MELVIN CHILDRESS
WILL PERCIFULL

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

O. B. JACOBS
MRS. JUANITA TRIMBLE
WILLIAM J. GREEN
AUBREY Z. DENMAN

For County Attorney:

FRANK C. DICKEY

For Constable, Precinct 2:

A. E. (PETE) GENTRY
OSCAR RENSHAW

For District Judge, 51st District:

W. C. (Bill) McDONALD
JOE L. MAYS
WILLIAM DAVENPORT

The Bronte Enterprise

April 21, 1960

FAMILY GATHERING SUNDAY

A family gathering occurred Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lasswell. The event honored Mrs. Jewel Strother of Winona Lake, Indiana, sister of the late Mrs. A. R. Hayley of Bronte. Many of the local relatives had never met Mrs. Strother. Those present included Mrs. Strother; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Fields and John, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Briner and Danny, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lasswell, Mrs. Kenneth Bradbury and Leta Kay, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs.

C. M. McCutchen, Kenneth, Douglas and Yvonne, Mrs. Martin Lee, June Moore, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kirkland, Jettie and Gwen, all of Bronte. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean Caperton and Karen of Lubbock called in the afternoon.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

A Cub Scout Pack meeting will be held next Tuesday night, April 26, at the school at 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. W. Blackmon, Pack Leader, said the new representative, Harry Barnes, of Ballinger, will meet with the group. He urged all parents of Cub Scouts to attend.

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