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Road Bond Election Called



Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt to Celebrate With Golden Anniversary Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Noah L. Pruitt, The couple was married Jan. Sr. will be honored with a recep- 28, 1922, in Ballinger, Mrs. Pruitt tion Sunday, Jan. 30, in obser- is the former Ella Leone Warvanice of their Golden Wedding ner, daughter of the late Mr. and Anniversary. The children of the Mrs. J. W. Warner. Mr. Pruit couple are histing the occasion is the son of the late Mr. and and it will be held in the Pruitt Mrs. Wint Pruitt. home at 409 North Jefferson, from 3 to 5 p.m.

Services Thursday For Mrs. Phillips

mer (Lorie May) Phillips were years. They are long time mem- larly flu, are very prevalent in held at 3 p.m. Thursday in the bers of the Central Baptist Church. the area this week, according to Bronte Church of Christ. Ronald Rhodes, minister, officiated. Bur- flur children. They have six has many patients ill with the ailial was in the Wilmeth Cemetery granddaughters. The children are ment. under direction of Newby Funeral Nosh Pruitt Jr. of Bronte, Denald Supt. C. B. Barbee said Wed-

a.m. Wednesday in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

She was born July 15, 1904, in Coke County. She was a member their friends to the open house day it had dropped to 80 per cent. of the Church of Christ and was and have requested no gifts, Barbee said the usual attendance a World War II veteran of the please. Women's Army Corps. She had lived in Cake County most of her life. She was married to Homer tient in the West Texas Medical Phillips Oct. 21, 1945, in Provi- Center in Abilene for treatment siderable increase. dence, R. I. She taught school in of a back ailment. She expected Dr. Harris urged everyone to the Bronte system for many to come home during the week exercise as much care as possible

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs. George Compton of Las Vegas, Nev.; a son, Alton Phillips of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. George Wrinkle of Bronte and Mrs. Allene Mitchell of Midland; two grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were E. L. Champion, J. O. Koenig, Gerald Sandusky, Horace Taylor, James W. Allen, Robert Teschendorf, Ray Coalson and J. R. Minnick.

WESLEY ASH INJURED IN SUNDAY ACCIDENT

Wesley Ash, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ash, was taken to St. John's Hospital in San Angelo Sunday after being painfully injured in an auto accident.

He was driving alone north on U. S. 277, immediately south of Tennyson. His car went out of control about 11:15 Sunday night and overturned several times. His 1969 Chevelle was a total loss. Highway Patrolman Bobby Hart investigated the accident.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt are natives of Bronte and have lived here all their lives. Mr. Pruitt is a stock farmer and was in the Flu Prevalent grocery and dry goods business in Bronte for 13 years. He served In Bronte Area on the Bronte School board and Funeral services for Mrs. Ho- as a county trustee for several

Mrs. O. R. McQueen is a paend.

erating of paved streets in Bronte King and Mrs. Connie Millican. and Robert Lee and other county owned roads.

County shall be issued in the Bronte and on paved rural roads amount of \$200,000 to bear inter- as well. The matter was first paving in the county. est at a rate not to exceed 51/2 per cent per annum and to mature by Commissioner Fern Havins. million dollars has been invested over a period not to exceed 30 years. County Judge W. W. Thetford said the commissioners are considering either a 10 or 15 year period for retirement of the bonds.

Absentee voting will be at the county clerk's office in the courthouse. Polling places and presiding election officers are: Precinct 1. recreation hall, Robert Lee, Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Jr. and Mrs. Willie Clark, alternate; Precinct 2, City Cafe building, Bronte, Matthew Caperton and Royce Fancher; Precinct 3, courthouse, Frank Percifull and Mrs. Jessie Yarbrough; Precinct 4, schoolhouse, Tennyson, J. P. Arrott and Mrs. Dora Belle Brown; Precinct

Various illnesses, and particu-The Pruitts are the parents of Dr. John R. Harris. He said he

Francis Pruitt of Dallas, Kenneth nesday that absenteeism is much Mrs. Phillips, 67, died at 5:30 Dwain Pruitt of Bronte and Mrs. heavier than usual, due to illness-Bill D. (Maxine) Labenske of es of students. Approximately 90 per cent of the enrollment was The Pruitt family invites all present Monday, but by Wednesis about 96 per cent. He added that school officials have no plans for dismissing classes because of illnesses unless there is a con-

in avoiding the flu.



BIRTHDAY HONOREES - Mrs. Nora Arrott, left, and Mrs. Mabel Brock, right, are shown at their birthday party, given last Friday by members of Bronte HD Club at the Bronte Nursing

Home. Mrs. Ora Lackey was also an honoree but is not pictured. Cake and punch were served. There were gifts for those with birthdays this month, and favors for all who attended the party.

Much discussion has taken place whether or not bonds of Coke on the streets of Robert Lee and brought up for serious discussion | Considerably more than a half Interest has grown since then in

Coke County Commissioners' | 5, city hall, Bronte, Noah Pruitt | protecting the present paving and Court acting on petitions present- and Calvin McCutchen; Precinct adding some to it. Petitions were ed Monday, has called a \$200,000 8, Silver schoolhouse, H. L. circulated in Robert Lee and bond election for Feb. 26. Pur- Bloodworth and Mrs. Ernest Clen- Bronte communities and were prepose of the proposed bond issue is dennen; Precinct 9, Green Moun scated to the Commissioners' for repairing, maintaining and op tain Community Center, D. O. Court tast Monday when the election was called.

Persons who favor the bond isover the past several months con- sue are pointing out that passage The election will determine cerning the need for repair work is necessary to protect the huge investment which county taxpayers have in the many miles of

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TOURNEY WINNERS - The Junior High girls team that took first place in their basketball tournament last weekend. proudly pose with their trophy. Denise McClure, holding the trophy, is team manager. Front row, left to right, are Susie Collins, Kim Glascock, Sherrie

Cooper, Becky Morris, Snelley Cumbie, Kim Caperton and Karen English. Back row, from left: Kelly Lawhon, Marla Thompson, Laura Glenn, Janie Raughton, Sherrie Coalson, Leah Barbee, Tanya Teschendorf, Rebecca Brown and Savannah Caperton. Mrs. Zula Sweeten is the girls' coach.

Ir. Hi Girls Win Bronte Tourneu

Bronte Junior High girls bas-1 their second game to Miles ketball team won the annua tournament here last weekend and the Roscoe team to k chamgirls and Robert Lee boys were Mark Lee 2 each. third place winners.

Saturday night over Jim Ned in a A lot of the members get in on close one, 34-31. Sherrie Coalson the scoring in this game, as Coulthrew in a big 23 points for ter was high with 7. Ward and But inte. Shelley Cumbie had 5 Joe Bob Ragsdale had 6 each, Leah Barbee 4 and Marla Thomp B. R. Lee 4, Kevin Gibbs and M. son 2.

In the semi-final game Bronte Playing for third place, the loand Barbee 2.

In the first round of the tour- each, and Ragsdale 1. 39-17. Calson had 20, Barbee 17, lost to Robert Lee and Miles. and Cumbie 2.

entered in the tournament. They Lee 138. Susie Collins made ! next Monday, Jan. 31, at 7 p.m. points for the locals. They lost in the city hall.

Boys Division

Bronte boys won their first game of the tournament, 33-17, pionship honors in the boys divi- from Boys Ranch. Billy Ren Lee sion. Jim Ned took second place was the only player in two fighonors for both boys and girls ures with 10; Tim Scott had 9, and Miles won constlation hon- Nelson Coulter and Wayne Coalors in both divisions. Roscoe son 5 each, and Chris Ward and

They lost the next round to The girls won the championship Roscoe, tourney champions, 48-28. Lee 2 each, and Coalson 1.

downed Roscoe 26-20. Coalson cal boys lost to Robert Lee 50-23. again was in the double figures Scoring for Bronte were: M. Lee with 19 points. Thompson had 5 and Coulter 6 each, Coalson 4, B. R. Lee 3, Ward and Scott 2

ney play Bronte downed Novice The elementary boys B team

Bronte also had a girls B team BASEBALL BOOSTER MEETING A meeting of the Baseball lost their first game to Rober Boosters Club has been called for

each step of the process until the

final item is ready for sale, a tax is added for increased value.

The concept is not new. Neither is the tax itself new in ap-

plication since many European countries have had it for a number of years. The tax in foreign

countries works against our exports since the tax is added above

If this type of tax is proposed, it will probably be related to rais-

ing revenue for a specific purpose.

Since the courts in California and Texas have ruled that the prop-

erty tax works inequality in school districts, the tax could be proposed to fund Federal contribu-

tions to public schools instead of

the personal property tax. This,

naturally, would make such a tax

more palatable if it were an ex-

of real estate taxes. Likely it

would party solve the dilemmas of mayors and school boards and

inspire builders to respond to the

It is estimated that each one per cent of tax levied by this

method would produce \$4 billion.

It follows that if five per cent

were levied, \$20 billion would be

produced, even excepting from

the tax certain essentials now ex-

empt from most state sales taxes.

raised in this manner would meet

approximately 30 per cent of the

This type of tax has been studied by our Treasury officials for 20 years or more without any proposal for its enactment but since State Supreme Courts have ruled that school systems funded from property taxes are unequal and unconstitutional a great deal of

impetus has been given to it. These decisions and the unhappiness of property owners build up

pressures to further this idea of a

There are arguments pro and

con on this method of taxation. Eventually they will all be voiced

and the development of any such

idea will come slowly. The fact that states are in such a bind for

ways to support public schools

necessitates some answers not yet available. Since there is no choice

but to look for other ways of fi-

nancing schools, some way will

have to be found to raise the mo-

Some have already labeled such

a system as a regressive tax since

everyone would pay something, just as everyone has to pay sales

taxes. These would argue that since it is not based on the abili-

ty to pay, it is not as fair as the income tax. Remember the in-

There are two valid arguments

against such an approach, as it

involves public schools. One is hat the Federal Government with

this method of contribution would

new tax system.

cost of the nation's schools.

It is estimated that \$20 billion

housing shortage.

Such a substitution would brighten the hearts of property

change for the property tax.

the price paid for goods.

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WASHINGTON

"As it looks

from here"

OMAR BURLESON Congressman 17th District

was not expected to recommend hearing more of the "value added new taxes in his State of the Union Address to the Congress last week. It possibly could come later but, of course, recommending is a sales tax slightly less painful new taxes in an election year is because, if sometime adopted, it not the usual order of business.

Washington - The President | On down the line we may be tax." The letters VAT will identify this new approach for rais-

Actually the added value tax will be buried in the price the con-

ing revenues.

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further control our public schools. A second concern is the fact that like the sales tax the VAT would be easy to increase each time more tax revenues were needed. To say the least, if such a tax is proposed, it will be a long and

FARMERS AND RANCHERS BORROW \$14.3 MILLION

drawn out controversy.

Farmers and ranchers from an 11 county area berrowed more than \$14.3 million from Texas Production Credit Association in 1971, according to Phil H. Lane, the association's president. This figure represents loans to 219 memmembers, he said.

Texas PCA, with an office in San Angelo, makes agricultural leans to Coke, Crockett, Irion, Kimble Menard, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Terrell, Tom Green and Pecos counties.

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mr. and Mrs. James Holland attended a birthday supper Sat- Marvin Turner, Mrs. Ethel Morurday night for C. W. Lee at his home in San Angelo.

Gene Beard, who is employed derwood of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Smith visited Friday in San Angelo with she is recuperating. Joe Ray Lummus; and with a brother-in-law, Lee Brown, and a Clinic Hospital.

Homer Clark in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Holland Joel Morgan.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. John Shaddix of San Angelo and on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson of Dallas.

week of the death of an uncle, home in Winters. Rich Richardson, in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker recently visited their grandson and Lunchroom his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tucker Jr., in Waco.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rumsey Sunday were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coleman of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Coleman of Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Tullas of Harriett.

Mrs. Ethel Morgan of Maverick and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hambright of Norton met Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Morgan in San Angelo Sunday for lunch. After lunch the Hambrights visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hambright, and Mrs. Morgan visited the Sammy Morgans.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bryan of San Angelo were out at their farm Thursday afternoon.

Donnie Thompson, freshman at ASU, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Thompson

Birthday Supper

The Herbert Hollands honored their daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Holland, Thursday night with a birthday supper. Present were Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Holland and Mrs. David Canfill of San Angelo, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hol-

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-Luke 18:42

HURLEY PHARMACY land. After the supper, Mrs. Hol- FREEDOM PROGRAM GIVEN land opened her gifts and birth FOR EUTERPEAN CLUB day cake and ice cream were

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pitchford of Norton entertained with a steak supper at their home Tuesday night. Present were Mr. and Mrs. gan, Mrs. Barbara Lee, Mrs. Carl Lewis and Mrs. Marva Jean Un-

in Fort Worth, spent the weekend Mrs. Buster Crockett of Norton here with his family. They vis- has returned home from a Temple ited the B. J. Wimberlys in San hospital where she was treated ported a slate of officers to serve for a broken ankle. Mrs. Ethen next year. Mrs. B. R. McCarley Morgan is staying with her while led the club in singing rounds.

Know Your Neighbor Club

cousin, Mrs. Henry James, both in to the Know Your Neighbor Club rett, Therrel Burwick, Bill Per-Tuesday afternoon. The group kins, Bobby Sanderson, L. W. Mrs. James Holland visited her played 88. Present were Mmes. Sweet, Clois Versyp, Mary Colmother, Mrs. Dee Foster, and Morgan, Willie Brown, Zada Lew- van, McCarley, Cecil Smith, Anher sister and brother-in-law, Mr. is, Anne Horton, Myrtle Smith corn, and Johnson and Miss Berand Mrs. Vernon Johnson, Friday and Ruth Holland. Cold drinks tha Smith; also five guests: in Big Spring. They all visited were served. Guests present were Mmes. Ira L. Craig, Jerry Church Kevin and David Coates, sons Mrs. Marvin Turner and Mrs. of Goering Nebr., and Miss Johnof Mr. and Mrs. Gary Coates of Clara Lee Pitchford, who came son. San Angelo, spent the weekend to help Mrs. Morgan celebrate with their grandparents, Mr. and her birthday. Birthday cake and Mrs. James Lee, while their par- coffee were served. The club will has spent the past two weeks in Mrs. Clark Glenn, has been naments were on a business trip to meet in February with Mrs. the hame of her sister and broded to the Dean's Honor Roll at Lewis.

spent the weekend in San Angelo fered a heart attack. He was tak- E. K. Buford, and her husband with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. en Monday to the Veterans Hos- of McCamey visited them over- Dean of Arts and Sciences at pital in Waco by J. B. McGuire night Monday.

of Miles. Carl Lewis, who is working on An Enterprise Want Ad will School, Glenn had a 3.73 average read construction near Ranger, sell it! spent the weekend at his home in Norton with Mrs. Lewis. Mrs. The Hollands received word last Lewis is employed at the nursing

menu

Monday, Jan. 31 Chilli and beans, cheese rollups, lettuce wedge, crackers, milk

fruit pastry cobbler. Tuesday, Feb. 1

Fried chicken, buttered rice, creamed English peas and carrots, salad, rolls, butter, milk stewed fruit.

Wednesday, Feb. 2

Cornpone pie, buttered corn, cabbage and pienapple salad, cornbread, butter, milk, chocolate pudding.

Thursday, Feb. 3 Barbecue on bun, French fries,

> salad, milk, doug Friday, Feb. 4

German sausage, baked beans, macaroni and cheese, lettuce with 1000 island dressing, French bread, butter, milk, Jello with

DALE FREEMAN NAMED TO WHO'S WHO AT ASU

Dale Freeman, 1969 Bronte graduate, was one of 28 upperclassmen from Angelo State University who have been named in the 1971-72 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges," according to Paul Horne, ASU's dean of

The collection of outstanding juniors and seniors from the nation's colleges and universities is published annually by the nationall "Who's Who Among Students" organization, Horne noted.

"Students awarded this honor are nominated by faculty members on the basis of leadership, participation in university activities and scholarship," Horne said.

A senior student, Freeman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Freeman of Hedley, formerly of

David Glenn of Texas Tech, Lubbock, and Denise Durham of Brownfield, also a Tech student, Vic Glenn of Irving and Mrs. David Kuykendall and Kristi of Fort Worth spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Glenn.

Miss Many Beth Johnson gave the program for the Euterpean Club when it met Jan. 20 in the home of Mrs. Lewis Johnson. Mrs. Charles Allcorn was co-hostess and leader.

Miss Johnson spoke on "My Responsibility to Freedom." Sho won first place in the county and second in the district.

The nominating committee re-

A refreshment plate was served to Mmes. R. Q. Spence, James Mrs. Ethel Morgan was hostess Clark, Austin Jordan, Terry Bar-Mrs. Marva Jean Underwood, and Bernice Rich, Dr. Irene Platt

Mrs. Mae Williams of Odessa ther-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Texas Tech University in Lub-Howard Brock of Maverick suf- Modgling. Another sister, Mrs.

The Bronte Enterprise

Lana Low, Donald Elms To Wed January 29

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Low of Fort Stockton are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lans Lynn, to Donald A. Elms of San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elms of Goldthwaite.

The wedding is planned for next Saturday, Jan. 29, in Candlelight Wedding Chapel in San Angelo.

Miss Low is a 1969 graduate of Bronte High School and her famiby formerly lived here. She is a student at Angelo State Univer-

Mr. Elms is a 1966 graduate of Star, Texas, High School and attended ASU. He is self-employed. All of their friends are invited to attend the wedding.

DAVID GLENN ON DEAN'S HONOR ROLL AT TECH

David Glenn, son of Mr. and bock. The announcement was made by Lawrence L. Graves, Tech.

A 1968 graduate of Bronte High on the 4 point system.

January 28, 1972

Lana Lynn Low

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Mary Elaine Lackey and Karen Rasco, Junior Winners

COMMITTEE CREATED FOR SALARY GRIEVANCES

A "salary grievance committee" was appointed at last Moniday's meeting of the Commissioners' Court to comply with a new law that went into effect Jan. 1.

The committee as created includes all county officials with County Judge W. W. Thetford as pared. chairman. Others whose names were drawn from the grand jury lists, include Mrs. C. B. Barbee and Eddie Alexander of Bronte, L. J. Sonnenberg of Tennyson and Ronnie Baker of Robert Lee.

Any elected county or precinct officer who is aggrieved by the setting of his salary, expenses or other allowance by the Commissioners' Court may request a hearing before the committee.

MARY FRANCES WYSONG ON DEAN'S HONOR LIST

Mrs. Mary Frances (Brock) Wysong has been named to the Dean's Honor List at El Centro College in Dallas. Mrs. Wysong, working on an associate degree in nursing, had a perfect 4.0 av-

She is a former student in the Bronte Schools and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brock of Bronte.

DEATH OF COUSIN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale received word Wednesday of the death of her cousin's husband. Paul Twyman, in Del Rio. He died Tuesday after a long illness and services were held there Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Twyman is the fermer Modene Escue of Robert Lee.

CLOSED Friday and Saturday

Our Barber Shop will be closed Friday and Saturday due to Sissy Heathcott's having surgery. We plan to be open as usual on Tues. day.

> CARLTON'S Barber Shop

Winners Named At 4-H Food Show

"Foods for Special Occasions" was the theme of the annual Coke County 4-H Food Show held Sun-

There were 26 participants showing foods they had pre-

Winners in the senior division were Karen Blair and Donna Scott, both of Bronte. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl will also enter the district show.

Junior winners who will repre-Elaine Lackey and Karen Rasco. Mrs. Kenneth Rasco.

Judges for the event were Mmes. Curtis E. Latimer and Harry Dockrey and Misses Janet Choate, Mitchell County CHDA. Food Show awards were pre-

and Coke County 4-H Chrbs. About 100 persons attended the

sented by Conagri-Gladiola Flour

Shelene Tidwell, Kathy Ensor, teams. Games begin at 6 p.m. Virginia Balderas, Carolyn Simp son, Karen Rasco, Carla Wejtek, Minda Barrett, Lisa Devoll, Anita Balderas, Mary E. Lackey, Donna Wrinkle, Vallery Deen, LaJohnna Deen, Lisa Bessent, Vicki Gartman and Lana Webb.

Junior red ribbon winners were and Rosa Torres.

juntor leader, won blue five years. ribb ms.

n the 1971.72 Foods program. They were assisted by adult leadmer assistant.

Miss Sissy Heathcott was schefluided to enter Shannon Hospital. Thursday evening and undergo surgery Friday. She said Carlton's Barber Shop will be closed letter was received recently from Friday and Saturday as well as Sgt. Welldon Broussard who is a the usual closing time on Sunday former resident of Bronte. He is and Monday. If everything goes the son of Mrs. LaRue Broussard well, she said, the shop will be of Colorado City, and is a graduopen for business next Tuesday.

Bronte Boys Lose, Girls Split Games

Bronte boys basketball team ing in District 11-B. Sterling City yesterday though and caught up district record. Bronte and Black- young people are getting married well have 4-2 records.

last Friday night and lost a starting families. heartbreaker, 48-47. Mike Ar-Raughton and Gary Skelton 8 each, and Lynn Lawhon and Alan Barbee had 4 each.

Playing on their home court! Tuesday night, the boys were upset by Forsan 64-37. Arrott again led scoring for the home team with 18 points. Barbee had 9, B. Skefton 8, and G. Skelton 2.

The girls team split their district games, winning from Ster- don't appear to be too concerned ling City 53-37 and dropping the with us here. Cam Ranh was, at game to Forsan 54-31. They are third in district standings with a 3-3 record. Forsan is leading with a 6-0 and Garden City is second with a 5-1.

In the win over Sterling Ci'y, Dana Lee led the scoring with! 25 points. Michelle Golson made 23, Sue Ann Lee and Valerie Hubbard had 2 each, and Susan Arrott 1.

In losing to Forsan Sue Ann Lee and Dana Lee shared scoring day in the Robert Lee Recreation honors, each making 10 points; Gelson had 9 and Arrott 2.

> Defensive players for the girls are Ann Ivey, Jean Ann Raughton, Gin Snead, Norma Thompson, Debbie Carper, Sandra Stroebel and Shallon Cooper.

B Team Games

Bronte boys B team has also Bhair, will represent Coke Coun- had a busy week, winning one ty in the District Food Show in and losing one. They lost at Ster-Sweetwater on Feb. 5. Her dish ling City 34-29. Bub Waldrup led was taco salad. Donna Scott, the scoring with 8 for Bronte, Dandaughter of Mrs. Ouida Scott, by Carper had 7, Leroy Zuniga 6, showed golden coffee bread and Kim Barrett and Randy Gibbs 3 has in plan for our unit, because Powell, 6. each, and Marvin Ensor 2.

The team played at Robert Lee sent the county will be Mary Tuesday afternoon, winning 39-35. Wayne Alexander and Zuniga were Both girls are from Robert Lee high pointers with 10 each. Gibbs and are the daughters of Mr. and had 6, Barrett and Waldrop 5 Mrs. Kenneth Lackey and Mr. and each, Andy Eubanks 2, and David Chapman 1.

Next Week's Schedule

District play is nearing an end. Garden City comes to Bronte to-Brownfield and Elaine Winn. They night (Friday) for three games, were accompanied by Mrs. Janis boys A team and girls A and B, with games beginning at 5 p.m. Local teams travel to Black well next Tuesday for two boys games and one girls game, also beginning at 5 p.m.

The boys B team will play Rob-Blue ribbon winners in the ju- ert Lee here Monday. Elementary nior division were: Karen Arrott, teams will also play Robert Lee

MR. AND MRS. SEIBOLD RETURN FROM ENGLAND

Mr, and Mrs. Dave Seibold re turned Monday from a trip to London, England. They left Bronte Dec. 15 and spent Christmas with their daughter and fami-Audrey Williams, Dora Torres, ly, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fletcher, Mary Ellen Morena, Alice Garza Teri and Curt. Mr. Fletcher is European manager for Milchem In the senior division Karen International and the family ex-Blair, Donna Scott and Lucia pects to be in England for about

The Seibolds made the trip by There were 52 4-H girls enrolled air, flying from Abilene to Da'las. where they took a 747 on to New York and London. They saw most rs, parents, Mrs. Fay C. Roe, of the sights and buildings in Lon-HDA, and Miss Diane Durrett don, including the changing of the guard at Buckingham Palace.

(Editor's note: The following ate of Bronte High School. We felt Weldon's friends here would be interested in reading it. Browssard was recently promoted to the rank of sengeant.)

Dear Ben and Libby,

I didn't mealize how I enjoyed lost two games during the past reading over the Enterprise until week and fell into a tie with I failed to receive it in Decem-Blackwell for second place stand- ber. I received the four issues is in undisputed lead with a 6-0 on all the news. Seems all the now, or those that have been mar-They traveled to Sterling City ried the last few years are now

Sorry to read about the deaths, rott led the scoring with 12. Bob- especially Mr. Whitt. I knew him by Skelton scored 11, Jim Dan better than most of the other older folk and thought a great deal days, but it seems to be anyone's the "goings on" in Bronte. I will pears to be doing some good in withdrawing trrops.

I am stationed in Cam Ranh Bay, which is relatively safe. There is enemy activity, but they one time, one of the main supply centers in Vietnam, but now is in its final stages. There are many GI's here, but most units appear to be unloading their burden on the ARVN's, or are closing out their operations. The main depot, which supplied a large area of operations, closed down three or four months ago. There is still a supply center for petroleum products, and then there is the ammunition supply center also. M company's job is primarily securilty of "Allpha" Ammunition Storage Area, which is the only remaining ammo storage area in Cam Ranh Bay. The diminishing of the war is obvious because there is less ammo in storage are parents of a new daughter here than has ever been. Most born Monday, Jan. 24, at 3:50 a.m. of the ammunition is being turn- in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. ed lover to the ARVN ammo She has been named Kelly Ann. clumps in this area, and we are She weighed seven pounds, three training Vietnamese in the oper ounces and was 191/2 inches long. ations of this supply center. No Other children in the Webb famione can predict what the Army by are Lana Shari, 11, and Shane dump closes down or is turned over to the nestine Powell of Bronte and ARVN's we will either change Mrs. Lanora Webb of Ruidoso, missions or be re-deployed into N. M. Elmer Allen of Orient is wher units with a security mission in this area.

Cam Ranh is a beautiful place in apposition to all stories you might hear about this country. The countryside is beautiful with vegetation, mountains, and natural beauty. We are on a peninsula with one of the best natural harbors in the country. We are on the South China Sea and the shore is really nice. Contrary to what you might think, it is stoo cold this time of he year to do any swimming. Also the water is too turbulent. The weather isn't anything like I expected. Granted,

it was not when I got here last April, and stayed hot for five months, but the last four have been nice, with the nights sometimes cold (down about 65 or 70 degrees). That sounds funny I'm sure since you are having freezing weather, but when you get used to 100 degree weather with 90 per cent humidity it's quite a

Everyone here wishes they were home, but many of us have made good friends here, some from the areas we are from. I have a friend who will leave about thirty days after I, James Murray of San Angelo. He knows severat young people in Bronte, which made it nice, although his friends are just acquaintances, being the age of my brother Ed.

Like all the other two and three year men, I'm looking forward to being a civilian again. I would giadly change my stripes for the Mr. title again. But, I am happy and proud to serve my country, even in an awkward situation as

I did want you to know that I of him. I will be coming home do enjoy and appreciate reading some time in the next hundred your paper and keeping up with guess as to when. Mr. Nixon ap- drop in and visit a bit when I get home.

Wish you and your the best of everything in this new year. Weldon Broussard

LARRY CORLEY MAKES U. OF HOUSTON DEAN'S LIST

Larry Corley has been named to the Dean's List at the University of Houston for the fall semester. A graduae of Bronte High School, he is enrolled in the school of business administration and had an average of 3.8 on the 4.0 system.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley.



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HERE'S **BLACKWELL**

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

Shower for Miss Patton

A bridal shower honored Miss Anita Lucille Patton last Saturday in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patton of Abilene, formerly of Blackwell, and is the bride-elect of Larry Wayne Hays, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hays of Ballinger.

The hall was decorated in the honoree's chosen colors of blue day and Saturday in Abilene with and white. The table was laid her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. with a blue cloth and centered Michael Kinard. They attended with a floral arrangement of blue end white flowers around a statue of Cupid. Crystal appoint- family had as visitors Saturday ments were used and cake through Tuesday some friends squares, mints, nuts and punch Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heidake were served by Miss Perkins and and Jeff of West Columbia. Mrs. Lee Alderman.

Mrs. Terry Barrett registered have moved to Bronte. guests. Mrs. L. W. Sweet gave @ "Marriage and Tele Mrs. Juanita Rogers gave a reading, "Definition of Marriage." Miss Lucille Perkins stang two solos, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Sweet.

Hostesses were: Mmes. Therrell Burwick, R. Q. Spence, Bill Perkins, Cecil Smith, Josie Hipp, B. R. McCarley, Joseph Ward, Bcbby Sanderson, Alderman, Barrett, Rogers and Sweet.

Out of town guests included Goering, Nebr. Mrs. W. B. Hays, mother of the prospective bridegroom, and his aunt, Mrs. Gordon Hays, both of Ballinger: Mrs. Patricia Hubble. cousin of the bride-elect, of Clyde, and Mrs. Tony Ham and daughter of Sweetwater

Frank Carey of Buena Vista Callif., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Vera Bryant. They are also visiting another sister, Mrs. Mattie Rogge, a patient in Simmons Hospital in Sweetwater.

Karla Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Walters, is a new member of the "Angelettes," an all girl drill team at Angelo State University, where she is a stu-

Stanley Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole of Snyder, visited tin, Monday. He is home from at most bait stands and many Vietnam on 30 days leave and will report back to duty at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Beulah Chapman and Vesta Lee Chapmen went to Abilene Monday to visit Mrs. A. S. Hendry, who is in Hendrick Hospital. They report her much improved.

Harrist is his brother and his son, day night of last week in the Boyd Harrist and Billy Joe Harrist of Carthage, Mrs. Darrell Farmer and children of Merke and Ferrell Shaffer of Abilene spent the weekend in the Harrist to two guests, Barbee and Mrs. home.

Mrs. Estelle Pannell of Lubbock s visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Dudley, and family.

Weekend guests in the LeRoy Thew home were their daughtr. Mrs. Ansel Shoup, and children Smith. of Abilene and Mrs. Chew's siser and family, Mr. and Mrs. taymond Music and daughter of **lamilton**

Lora Ann Barnes is in Sweetvater this week visiting her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W M. Romine.

Methodist WSCS met Monday in the home of Mrs. Bill Perkins with Mrs. Lee Alderman as cohostess. Mrs. L. W. Sweet gave the program, "Changes, Changes, Changes," assisted by Mmes. R. Q. Spence, Cecil Smith, Juanita Rogers, Alderman and Perkins. Cherry pie with whipped cream, crackers, candy and punch were served. Others present were Mmes. W. Y. McRorey, T. A. Carlisle, Fannie Mae Wilson and Savannah Thompson. The group will meet Feb. 14 at the church.

Mrs. Ninnie Kinard visited Frithe "Heliday on Ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ware and

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Caulder

Mrs. Josie Hipp is a patient in Bronte Hospital. Mrs. Marie Romine is a patient in the Sweetwater Hospital.

The WMU met at the Bap ist Church Jan. 20. Mrs. James Clark, president, presided gave the program, "The Crisis." Others present were Mmes. Thelma Smith, E. K. Finley, Willie Burwick, Ninnie Kinard, and Clark and two guests, Mrs. Bernice Rich and Mrs. Irene Platt of

LAKE SPENCE PRAISED IN NEWSPAPER ARTICLE

The following item was taken from Sunday's San Angelo Standard-Times and tells an interest ing story about the new Lake

Bill Follis, fishery biologist from San Angelo, recently said that Lake E. V. Spence will be one to the best in West Texas during

The lake has been stocked heavily with all species of game fish and anglers are catching the exotic striped bass at Spence.

Six pound black bass are common at Spence and large crappie are also showing up. The lake is managed by CRMWD and a permit is required to fish here. They his grandmother, Mrs. Lea Gas- can be purchased in Robert Lee

BARBEE SPEAKER FOR DIVERSITY CLUB PROGRAM

"Help Schools Bridge the Gap" was the subject for Supt. C. B. Barbee when he spoke at a meet-Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon ing of the Diversity Club Thurshome of Mrs. Cecil Kemp. Mrs. Leslie Rolls was chairman for the program on education.

A refreshment plate was served Gary Boyer of Winters, and to Mmes. James Allen, F. P. Brown, Clifford Clark, D. K. Glenn, J. T. Henry, Kemp, H. M. Kirkland, R. C. Lasswell, J. W. Martin, Charles Ragsdale, Rolls and Otis

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Mrs. Waldrop

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED

ELECTORS OF COKE COUN. TY, TEXAS, INCLUDING THOSE WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY DERED THE SAME FOR TAX-ATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 26th day of the petition of Cumbie Ivey, Jr. February, 1972, in Coke County and 102 others asking that as. Texas, in obedience to an elec. election be ordered upon the proption order entered by the Commissioners' Court of Coke County. Texas, on the 24th day of January, 1972, on the proposition for ed by resident property taxpaying the issuance of road bonds as set viters of said County equivalent forth in the attached copy of OR- in number to one percent (1%) DER FOR ROAD BOND ELEC- or more of the total votes cost TION, said order being made a in Coke County in the last prepart of this Notice for all intents ceding general election for Govand purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name election; therefore, officially and affixed the seal of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, this the 24th day of January, 1972, pursuant to authority given by law and the aforesaid order of the Commissioners' Court of said County.

> W. W. Thetford County Judge, Coke County, Texas

ATTEST:

Winnie Waldrop County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas (Com. Crit. Seal)

ORDER FOR ROAD BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE

ON THIS, the 24th day of January, 1972, the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, convened in session, being open to the public, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Robert Lee, Texas, the meeting being open to the public and notice of said meeting, giving the date, place and subject thereof, having been posted as prescribed by Article 6252-17, Section 3A, V.A.T.C.S., the following members of the Court being present and in attendance, to wit:

W. W. THETFORD, COUNTY JUDGE. Presiding; and

ER, Precinct No. 1 JESSE PARKER. COMMIS-

SIONER, Precinct No. 2 FLOYD HARMON, COMMIS-SIONER, Precinct No. 3

JACK CORLEY, COMMISSION-ER, Precinct No. 4

among other proceedings had were the following:

There came on to be considered osition hereinafter stated; and

IT APPEARING TO SAID COURT that said petition is sign ernor, so that this court is obli-

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF COKE COUNTY, TEXAS:

THAT an election be held in said County on the 26th day of date of this order, at which elec- same for taxation). tion in accordance with said peshall be submitted:

"WHETHER or not the binds be issued in the amount of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOL-LARS (\$200,000), to bear interest at a rate of not to exceed FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (51/2%) per annum, and to maure serially over a period of not ularly Section 52 of Article III of words "FOR" and "AGAINST" the Constitution, as amended, for and each voter shall place an macadamized, graveled or paved wishes to vote. roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof, in Coke County, Texas; for the purpose of paying the in- Code.

FERN HAVINS, COMMISSION-, SAID election shall be held under the provisions of the Acts of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, First Called Session, Chapter 16, as amended.

ALL RESIDENT qualified electors of the County, including those who own taxable property in said and with the following absent: County and who have duly render-AND WHO HAVE DULY REN- None, constituting a quorum; and ed the same for taxation, shall be permitted to vote at said election. That all said election two separate ballot boxes shall be provided at each polling place. In one box only resident qualified electors who own taxable property and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be allowed to vote. In another box all resident qualified electors (who are otherwise qualified but do not own taxable property which has been duly rendered for taxation) shall be allowed to vote. The votes cast in each of said boxes shall be recorded, returned and cangated and empowered to call said vassed in such a manner as will reflect separately the votes cast by the qualified electors who own taxable property and who have duly rendered the same for taxation from the votes cast by all qualified electors (including February, 1972, which is not less these who own taxable property than thirty (30) days from the and who have duly rendered the

> IT IS FURTHER ORDERED tition the following proposition that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with of said Coke County, Texas, shall Chapter 6, V.A.T.S. Election Code, and printed on such ballots shall appear the following proposition:

> > "THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVY OF AD VALO-REM TAXES IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

The word "FOR" and beneath to exceed THIRTY (30) years it the word "AGAINST" shall be from the date thereof, in con-made to appear to the left of the formity with the Constitution and proposition. A square shall be laws of the State of Texas, partic- printed on the left of each of the the purpose of the construction, "X" in the square beside the maintenance and operation of statement indicating the way he

ABSENTEE VOTING shall be conducted at the County Clerk's and shall ad valorem taxes be Office in the Courthouse, in aclevied on all taxable property in cordance with the provisions of said County subject to taxation Chapter 5, V.A.T.S., Election

THE POLLING PLACES and terest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the re- election officers of said election demption thereof at maturity?" shall be respectively as follows:

Heads OES School "Wings to Peace and Harmony"

will be the theme for an Eastern Star School this weekend in San Angelo. The school will be held at the Masonic Lodge hall.

Mrs. Winnie Waldrop, Deputy Grand Matron of District 5. will call the sessions to order and give the welcome at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Registration will begin at 6:30. Mrs. Waldrop will present the District Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Cora Lee Darsey.

Sessions will continue Saturday morning and afternoon with a function scheduled in the Masonic with a banquet at the Rio Concho Manor on Saturday evening.

Honor guests will include Mrs. Alliene Houston, Worthy Grand Austin in 1954. Matron; Harold Todd, Worthy Grand Patron; Mrs., Reneie Ofton, Grand Examiner; Mrs. Darsey. Barefoot, co-chairman of the ter of Ballinger is a sister-in-law. school.

Bronte and Carlsbad.

SERVICES HELD IN AUSTIN FOR MRS. J. H. YOUNG

Funeral services for Mrs. J. H. Young, 81, of Austin were held there Tuesday in Wilke-Clay Funeral home. Graveside services were helid Wednesday in the Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger under direction of Allen Davis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Young died Monday afternoon in an Austin hospital after a long illness.

She was born Mollie Slaughter March 23, 1890, in Brazos County and moved with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Slaughter, to San Angelo in 1900. The family settled in the Maverick community in Runnels County in Hall Saturday and will conclude 1906. She was a teacher in the Ballinger area for many years. She was married to J. H. Young in August, 1921. They moved to

Survivors include her husband; one sister. Mrs. N. B. Bear of Austin and a number of nieces Mrs. Waldrop; and Mrs. Bonnie and nephews. Mrs. Kate Slaugh-

OES Chapters participating will Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Sims spent be San Angelo, Norton, Sterling the weekend in Waco visiting their City, Winters, Brady, Robert Lee, son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mertzen, Ballinger, Eden, Paint Mrs. Glenn Sims. They all at-Rock, Miles, Christoval, Concho, tended the Baylor-Texas basketball game on Saturday.

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ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE

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Royce Fancher

Mrs. Jessie Yarbrough

Mrs. Lora Bell Brown

Calvin McCutchen

Mrs. Ernest Clendennen Mrs. Connie Millican

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If the regularly appointed Presiding Judge is unable to serve at the election, the Alternate Presiding Judge therefor shall serve as Presiding Judge. The Presiding Judge shall appoint at least two (2) Clerks (one of whom shall utive weeks prior to said election of the election.

P.M.

A COPY of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County read in full, it was moved by

Clerk of said County, shall serve ed by Commissioner Corley that as proper and sufficient notice of such election.

THE COUNTY CLERK OF Coke County, Texas, is hereby authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be published once each week for three consecbe the Alternate Presiding Judge in a newspaper of general circuif the election is conducted by the lation in Coke County and pubregularly appointed Presiding lished in Coke County, and in ad-Judge) and not more than four dition thereto notice shall be giv-(4) additional Clerks, as he deems en by posting such notice at four necessary for the proper conduct public places in Coke County, one of which shall be at the Court-On election day the polls shall house door of said County, for be open from 8:00 A.M. to 7:00 three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

The above order having been

the same be adopted. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of said Court voted "AYE": County Judge Thetford and Commissioners Havins, Parker, Harmon and Corley; and none voted "NO".

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 24th day of January, 1972.

W. W. Thetford County Judge, Coke County, Texas Fern Havins Commissioner, Precinct No. 1 Jesse Parker

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2 Floyd Harmon

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3 Jack Corley Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

Our sincere thanks to Bronte Jr. High Teams county road crew and everyone else who helped fight the grass fire on our land last week.

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Classified Ads

Bronte Junior High basketball in a tournament at Richert Lee. couple. Pay utilities and look The girls were scheduled to play Winters at 4 p.m. Thursday and the Bronte and Winters boys were to meet at 5 p.m.

Teams from Sterling City and tions. Robert Lee completed the bracket. Final rounds of play will begin at 4 p.m. Saturday.

SOCIAL SECURITY MAN TO VISIT BRONTE FEB. 3

Jackie Ashcraft, field representative for the San Angelo Social Security office, has scheduled his February visit to Bronte. He will be at the City Hall Thursday, Feb. 3, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the may contact him at this time. Persons who are unable to mee him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo at 949-4608.

Take a Look at the Ads.

in the original cost of streets and roads in the county, in addition to many thousands more which have been spent in maintenance during the past 15 years.

Judge Thetford said this week that figures supplied by Gordon Happy Monday night. Charlton of Columbian Securities Corp., the county fiscal advisor, indicated that a tax increase of with the Louis Bakers. teams are entered this weekend 13 cents per \$100 valuation would be necessary to retire the bonds in 10 years, while a 10 cents per \$100 increase will be necessary to retire them in 15 years. These figures are based on 1971 valua-

A look at the record shows that valuations have been decreasing slightly the past few years. The trend of county valuations can be seen in the following figures which have been the values here the past five years:

1967 \$22,954,570 1970 22,108,080 1971 21,340,770

Coke County has no bonded indebtedness at the present time, \$83,763.00 for machinery warrants. Harrell and their new daughter, Of this amount, \$21,000 will be Teresa, of Ozona. paid next month, which will leave a debt of \$62,763.

NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Susan Arrott

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown visited Mrs. Mabel Williams in

Margie, Cindy and Cheryl Baker of Pecos spent the weekend

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott.

Mrs. James Arrott visited Tuesday with Mrs. Buck Arrott at Orient and with Mrs. Abernathy Friday in Ballinger. She went to Robert Lee Sunday and visited Mrs. J. R. Johnson at the home Smith, and attended the 4-H Club Food Show.

1968 22,994,255 Jal, N. M., for Sam Morgan were with the 3rd Infantry Division. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, Joe He said he was "happy to be Bailey Larkin and Mr. and Mrs. home." Alfred Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green went

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KOENIG SPEAKER FOR SOROSIS CLUB

James Koenig was guest speaker for the Sorosis Club which met last Thursday night, Jan. 20, in the home of Mrs. Charlie Boecking. Koenig's subject was "All About Bees." He is a local beekeeper and spoke of his experiences with and knowldge of bees. A congealed salad, crackers, cockies, coffee and cold drinks were served. Present were Mmes. C. B. Barbee, Fired Brown, Pat Bryan, R. T. Caperton, E. F. Glenn, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, Ben Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright and Oglesby, Noah Pruitt Jr., Joe Rawlings, C. O. Richards, L. O. Clark, Clifford Barrett and Boeck-

HOME FROM GERMANY

Merritt Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott, returned Satof her daughter, Mrs. Lois Mae urday after 20 months in the U. S. Army. He spent the past 11 months in Germany and has re-Attending the funeral Sunday in ceived his discharge. He served

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Blake to Sonora Sunday and visited went to Levelland the first of this as all road bonds, courthouse Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrell and Ka- week and visited in the home of Social Security Administration bonds, park bonds and others were ren, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Davis, his brother, the Rev. Fred Blake, raid off some time ago. The on- Mrs. Doshie Davis and Mrs. Jack and family. His mother, Mrs. W. by indebtedness of the county is Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary E. Blake, 92, who has been living in the Fred Blake home, returned with them and is now a resident of the Bronte Nursing



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