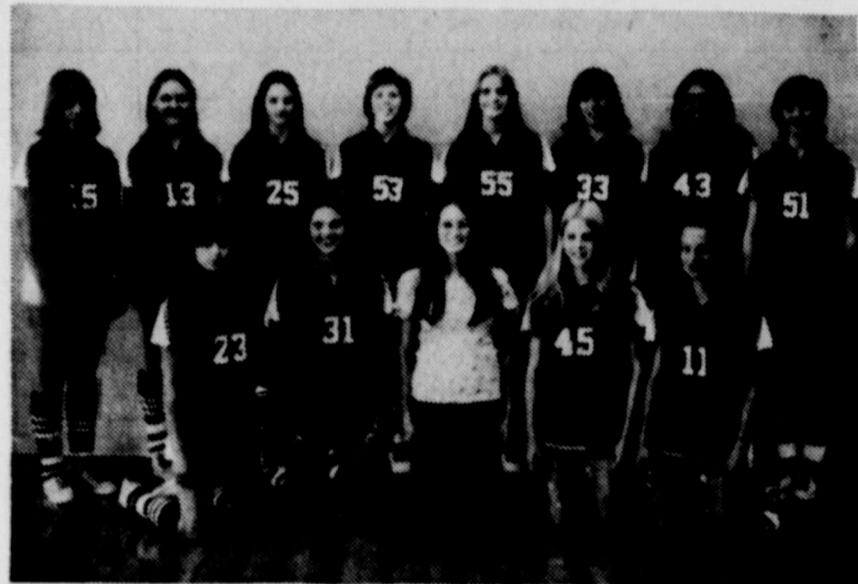


# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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**STATE BOUND** — The Bronte High School girls volleyball, regional champions, are in Austin today (Friday) for the state championship contest. The girls will play Anthony today at 4 p.m. From left (kneeling) are Susie Collins,

Marla Thompson, Kim Arrott, manager, Karen Arrott and Kim Glascock; (standing) Lana Webb, Laura Glenn, Shelley Cumbie, Sherlene Tidwell, Leah Barbee, Sherrie Coalson, Mary Ann Minjarez and Tanya Skelton.

## Volleyball Team In State Tournament

Members of the Bronte High volleyball team blazed the trail into Austin Thursday, as they were the

### DWI Fines Handed Out in County Court

Guilty pleas were made in nine DWI cases Monday when pre-trial hearings were held in the Coke County Court of Judge W. W. Thetford.

The following persons were found guilty and sentenced as indicated:

Curtis Eudell Ford, Lamesa, DWI, \$250 plus costs of \$49, Total \$299; sentenced to 30 days probated one year.

Edouardo Gonzales, Rankin, DWI, \$100 plus \$54 costs, total \$154; 60 days probated one year.

J. I. Murtishaw, Bronte, DWI, \$101 fine; 60 days probated one year.

Danny Edward Pate, Sweetwater, DWI, \$200 plus \$54 costs, total \$254; 60 days probated one year.

Stephen Randall Richards, Bronte, DWI, \$500 plus \$54 costs, total \$554; one year, probated for two years.

Pedro Lara Tijerina, Robert Lee, DWI, \$100 plus \$51 costs, total \$151; 60 days probated one year.

Terry J. Richards, Bronte, DWI, \$200 plus \$54 costs, total \$254; 90 days probated one year.

Eduardo O. Enriquez, Abilene, DWI, \$250 plus \$54 costs, total \$304; 60 days probated one year.

Leroy Zuniga, Bronte, DWI, \$425 plus \$51 costs, total \$476; 15 days probated one year.

Ten to 15 more cases remain on the county docket, but arrangements were made for them to be heard at a later date.

### 4-H Club Members Try Horse Judging

Eight Coke County 4-H Club members participated in the District 7 4-H Horse Judging Contest held in Coleman last Friday. The junior team placed fifth among the 10 teams in the contest, and Clay Bloodworth was seventh high individual among the 40 persons in the contest.

Bill Grant Jr. had the eighth high score and Connie Littlefield tied for ninth place, but neither was a member of the team.

Other club members judging were Lynn Gulley, Debbie Askins, Darryl Jackson, Gary Hubbard and Carol Cervenka.

## Bronte Takes Regional UIL Literary Meet Title

Bronte High School entrants in the Class B, Region II, literary meet held last weekend in Brownwood, were able to take first place honors over all the schools in the wide area and qualify four students to participate in the state meet which will be held in Austin in early May. Bronte students wound up at re-

gional with 85 points, 21 ahead of second place Lindsey's 64 and 48 over third place Rule's 37.

### Livestock Judges Second in District

The Bronte FFA participated in the FFA livestock judging contest held on the campus of Texas Tech University in Lubbock last Saturday. This contest was both the district contest and the state elimination contest for all area FFA teams.

Bronte FFA placed second in the Concho District with a score of 1353 out of a possible 1500 points. This equivalent to a percentage score of 90. Team members who participated were Marvin Ensor, Kerwin Denton and David Bachman.

The top five teams in livestock judging for the Concho District were: 1. Wall; 2. Bronte; 3. Robert Lee; 4. Eldorado; 5. San Angelo Central. Only five teams out of approximately 50 were allowed to advance to the state contest and Bronte failed to qualify for state by only a few points.

Gary York is coach of the Bronte team.

### Blackwell Seniors To Have Hootenanny

The Blackwell Senior Class is sponsoring a Hootenanny April 26, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the school gym.

The Blackwell seniors said there would be music for all ages to enjoy and they promised a show with laughs galore. Refreshments will be sold during the evening.

Everyone is invited to attend the evening of fun. Admission prices will be \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students. Proceeds will go to help defray expenses of the annual senior trip.

### Coke County Goes For Amendments

Coke County went along with the state as a whole in the Tuesday election on two Constitutional Amendments.

Amendment No. 1, which authorized increases in retirement pay for public employees and teachers, received 177 votes for passage and 95 against. No. 2 on the ballot, authorizing a hike in pay of legislators, carried with 143 for and 131 against. Voting by precincts follows:

Amendment No. 1		
Voting Box	For	Against
Precinct 1	58	25
Precinct 2	64	29
Precinct 3	27	23
Precinct 4	25	17
Absentee	3	1
TOTAL	177	95

Amendment No. 2		
Voting Box	For	Against
Precinct 1	51	35
Precinct 2	47	46
Precinct 3	25	24
Precinct 4	18	24
Absentee	2	2
TOTAL	143	131

A total of 275 votes were cast, less than 10 per cent of Coke County's 3000-plus qualified voters.

### Blackwell Votes Against

Voters at Blackwell were definitely against the two amendments. For No. 1 were 18 voters, while 26 voted against. Ten persons voted for No. 2 and 34 said "no deal." A total of 46 votes were cast in the Blackwell box.

first local UIL contestants to go up against competition at the state level. The girls left here about 2:30 p.m. Thursday.

Coach Zula Sweeten said the girls will go up against Anthony at 4 p.m. Friday. Anthony is the winner of Region I and is also defending Class B state champion.

The contest will be played on Court 1 in the Gregory Gym Annex.

The winner of the Bronte-Anthony contest will meet the winner of a battle between Overton and Jarrell at 10:45 a.m. Saturday on the same court for the state title.

The state tournament makes no provision for a third place playoff and as soon as a team is defeated, its members are excused to return to their homes.

The Bronte volleyballers are taking a 9-3 season record with them to the state meet.

While in Austin the girls will be staying at the Downtowner Motel, phone 512-476-7151.

## All-Sports Banquet Held

By Ben Oglesby

A crowd of over 200 persons turned out Monday night to honor the athletes of Bronte High School. The occasion was the annual All-Sports Banquet and it was held in the new Community Center in Bronte Park.

The packed room of persons who are interested in the BHS athletic program listened while J. T. Henry, master of ceremonies, made a few remarks and while Jim Dan Raughton gave the opening prayer.

Afterwards, they got down to the serious business of devouring several hundred pounds of barbecued beef, beans, salad and other good things to eat provided by Louis Coalson's Red Barn, caterer for the affair.

Following the meal, James Lee, vice president of the Booster Club, introduced special guests who have contributed to the athletic program of the school. The list was long and even had to be supplemented toward the end of the program.

Emcee Henry introduced Coaches Gerald Sandusky and Bob Shields, football and track; James M. Raughton, boys basketball and golf; Zula Sweeten, girls basketball and volleyball; and James L. Golson, tennis. The coaches, in turn, introduced their players and awarded

their letter certificates.

Following the presentation of the many athletic participants, Supt. C. B. Barbee introduced the speaker of the evening, Ray Overton, head football coach of Cooper High School in Abilene. Overton had lots of funny stories to tell, many of which had a local flavor, since he is a kinsman of the Raughton family. (He seemed proudly to point out that, actually, he was kin only to Mrs. Raughton.)

But Overton soon got down to a serious note and told his large audience that winning teams, such as Bronte has had this year "don't just happen." He said good athletes are developed by good parents in good homes and are nurtured and developed by good coaching staffs and school administrators.

"High school athletics," he said, "are the greatest laboratory in the world for making responsible adults out of children."

The highly successful coach of the 4-A Cooper Cougars pointed out that "it is highly important to win. He intimated that he could think of no alternative better than winning the game one is playing in-

He said he felt that every person on earth deserves an opportunity to put his foot on the first rung of the ladder of success. "Every young person should be given this opportunity," he said, "and after that, it's up to the individual to make his way on up."

Overton said there was one thing he had noticed and that was "the higher you climb up this ladder the more freedom you have to do what needs to be done."

Earlier in the program Dr. John R. Harris was asked to make a few remarks and he told the young people present a short story about courage and the will to come back when "you're lying flat on your back and can't get up." Dr. Harris, who has been practicing in this community for some 27 years and has been confined to his bed or a wheel chair much of the time for more than two years, made his way to the podium with only the help of his cane, and in doing this gave a living demonstration of what courage and determination can do.

Following Coach Overton's address, Kim Arrott, senior cheerleader led the group in singing the Bronte School Song. The program was completed.

Bronte will send three competitors to the state in in two events each and one in another.

In the Number sense contest, Bobby Hamilton was first and Billy Hamilton was third.

In Science, Bobby Hamilton came out first and John Heaner was second.

Janie Raughton is a double dealer at the state meet as she earned the right to compete at Austin by taking first in the region in typewriting and second in spelling.

Also winning a spot for competition in the state meet was John Heaner in ready writing.

### Over 300 Students Attend Career Day

Student population on the Bronte High School campus took a sharp upward sweep Monday when high school students from Robert Lee and Sterling joined Bronte high schoolers for a Career Day program. The program was sponsored by the Coke County Extension Service under direction of Extensions Agents Sterling Lindsey and Mrs. Fay C. Roe. In excess of 300 students participated in the day's events.

Supt. C. B. Barbee welcomed the students to Bronte and a keynote address was given by James C. "Curly" Hays of the public relations department of West Texas Utilities Co. in Abilene.

In addition to attending the general session which opened the gathering, students had an opportunity to confer with four consultants in fields in which they are interested. A total of 35 consultants in 22 fields were present to talk with the students and answer their questions.

Students had a chance to learn something about careers almost from A to Z—actually from agriculture to welding. Other consultants inviting their interest and questions included persons connected with careers in wildlife conservation, forestry, interior decorating, Peace Corps, education, business, electronics, law enforcement, social work, mechanics, carpentry, engineering, nursing home economics, coaching, law, secretarial work, beautician work, journalism, veterinary science and careers in the armed forces.

Representatives from area colleges were present making an effort to interest students in their institutions of higher learning. Present were persons from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene Christian College and McMurry College, all of Abilene; Howard College at Big Spring; Western Texas College at Snyder; Cisco Junior College and Texas State Technical Institute, which has several campuses in various areas of Texas.

### MRS. MODGLING'S SISTER DIES IN ABILENE HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Modgling were in Abilene Saturday to attend funeral services for her sister, Mrs. Nora Strong, 90. Mrs. Strong died Thursday evening of last week in Hendrick Memorial Hospital after she had an apparent heart attack.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning in Fairmont Methodist Church, with the pastor, the Rev. Ralph Odum, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Harwood Dooley, assistant pastor. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park.

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Larry J. Killgo, a native of Snyder, will be stationed in the County Extension Office in Abilene. He has a B. S. degree in Wildlife Management from Texas Tech University.

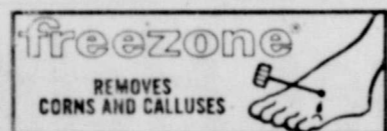
As an Urban Rodent Control Specialist, Killgo will work to help persons in urban areas with rodent control problems. He will work with groups who wish to rid their areas of such pests as rats, mice, sparrows, starlings, skunks, armadillos and racoons.

Killgo can be contacted through the local County Extension Office or by writing to him at the office in the county courthouse at Abilene or by phoning 673-0331.

BRONTE LODGE No. 962, A. F. & A. M. Meets first Monday each month, 7:30 p.m. Members urged to be present. Visitors welcome. JACK GLASCOCK, W. M. J. T. HENRY, Secretary

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**Pee Wee — 8 and Under**  
Barrels: 1. Todd Lee; 2. Craig Comolli; 3. Kerry Lee; 4. Lori Bloodworth; 5. Troy Lee.

Flags: 1. Todd Lee; 2. Craig Comolli; 3. Kerry Lee; 4. Troy Lee; 5. Shawn Sweeten.  
Poles: 1. Craig Comolli; 2. Shawn Sweeten; 3. Troy Lee; 4. Teresa Littlefield; 5. Tracy Tomlinson.

Receiving honorable mention were Patty Bloodworth, Dee Ann Comolli and Stephen Lee.

**Juniors — 9-12**  
Barrels: 1. Cathy Ensor; 2. Tom Ensor; 3. Kendall Denton; 4. Connie Littlefield; 5. Lynn Gulley.

Flags: 1. Kendall Denton; 2. Tom Ensor; 3. Clay Bloodworth; 4. Lisa Lee; 5. Lynn Gulley.  
Poles: 1. Tom Ensor; 2. Cathy Ensor; 3. Lynn Gulley; 4. Connie Littlefield; 5. Clay Bloodworth.

**Intermediates — 13-15**  
Barrels: 1. Lisa Devoll; 2. Sharon Littlefield; 3. Buddy Wallace; 4. Randy Leigh; 5. Gary Hubbard.  
Flags: 1. Lisa Devoll; 2. Randy Leigh; 3. Debbie Askins; 4. Sharon Littlefield; 5. Buddy Wallace.

Poles: 1. Lisa Devoll; 2. Sharon Littlefield; 3. Buddy Wallace; 4. Randy Leigh; 5. Gary Hubbard.  
Suzann Brunson also participated in this age group.

**Seniors — 16-19**  
Barrels: 1. Marvin Ensor; 2. Kerwin Denton; 4. Rhonda Askins.  
Flags: 1. Marvin Ensor; 3. Kerwin Denton.

Poles: 1. Marvin Ensor; 2. Kerwin Denton.  
A good turnout was on hand for the calf roping which followed the playnight.

Next playnight will be May 3, starting at 7 p.m. More participants and spectators are always welcome.

SOROSIS CLUB MEMBERS MEET WITH MRS. RAWLINGS

Mrs. Joe Rawlings served a salad supper in her home to members of the Sorosis Study Club at their regular meeting Thursday night, April 17.

President Mrs. Clark Glenn presided over the business meeting and then presented a film program entitled "Celebration of the Bicentennial of the United States."

Members present were: Mmes. Charlie Boecking, L. O. Clark, Royce Fancher, Clark Glenn, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, Ben Oglesby, Noah Pruitt Jr. and the hostess.

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The San Angelo office of the Internal Revenue Service has moved its office to quarters that will be more accessible and convenient for area taxpayers.

Frank Strickland, San Angelo representative of the district director, announced the move to 3000 W. Harris in San Angelo, and Coke County citizens are advised to go to this address for any reason they need to contact IRS.

"We welcome the move," Strickland said, "because it will allow us to serve San Angelo area taxpayers more quickly and efficiently."

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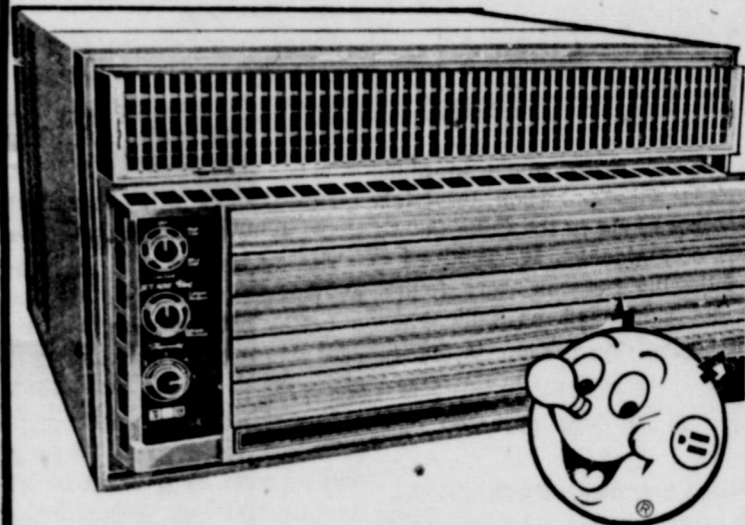
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Federal Funds Sold	675,000.00	Expense Outstanding	97.50
C. D. Purchased	400,000.00	Demand Deposits	2,904,008.92
Gov. Bonds	1,655,610.11	Savings Accounts	2,512,856.92
Other Bonds	461,564.11	Total Deposits	5,416,963.34
Cash	484,915.96		
	\$6,098,496.12		\$6,098,496.12

The above statement is correct.

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# BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

The congregation of Maverick Baptist Church welcomed the Rev. Harry Morris area missionary of the Runnels Baptist Association, to their Sunday morning services.

Willard Caudle was dismissed from Bronte Hospital Monday after undergoing treatment since the Wednesday before.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Burk were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vardell Wilkey and Bicky of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burk and children of San Angelo, Mrs. Jimmy Millican of Midland and Mrs. Charles Wojtek of Abilene. The Dean Burks had supper Monday with the Jerry Burks. The Burks spent Saturday fishing at Lake Spence.

Mrs. James Holland and Mrs. David Canfil and Tryphenia spent Monday in Big Spring and helped Mrs. Holland's mother, Mrs. Dee Foster, celebrate her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herring of Norton visited the Hollands Sunday.

Mrs. Dean Burk killed a rattlesnake Thursday. It had five rattles.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Honea and children of Odessa spent the weekend here at Mrs. Ollie Derrick's ranch home. Gene Honea spent Sunday fishing at the Hollands' tanks while the Derricks visited in San Angelo with their son, Chester Roy, and Mrs. Ollie Derrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown attended a fish fry at Tennyson Friday night.

The Vernie Smiths are having a new roof put on their house this week. Their old roof was badly damaged by hail recently.

Mmes. Herbert Holland, Bomar Horton and Vernie Smith visited Wednesday morning with Homer Clark at Bronte Nursing Home.

### Mrs. Morgan Entertains

Mrs. Ethel Morgan of Maverick was hostess to a coffee at her home

Wednesday morning. Enjoying refreshments and visiting were Mrs. Martha Roach and Mrs. Sammy Morgan and Tammy of San Angelo; Mrs. Pauline Morgan and Mrs. Myrtle Hambricht of Ballinger; Mrs. Leldie Chapman and Landes of Abilene; Mmes. Clarence Lee, Johnnie Turner, Carl Lewis, Leroy Burrus, Ines Daniels, Dave Compton, Stella Shelburne and Jack Atnipp, all of Norton; also Mmes. Bomar Horton, Herbert Holland, Vernie Smith and Howard Brock. It was also Tammy Morgan's birthday and she had a special cake with four candles on it. The group sang Happy Birthday to her.

Visiting Mrs. Leslie Carlton last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Sandlin of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Thompson returned home Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Temple.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ray of San Angelo, former residents of this community. Also Mrs. Jennie Ridley, Mrs. Velma B. Lovell, Mrs. Cap Holland and Mabelle, and Tony Holland, all of San Angelo. Tom Kevil of Odessa, also a former resident, visited the Hollands Monday afternoon.

Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn returned home the first of the week from a trip to Victoria. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn and W. Y. Boatright and they visited the Doyle Gleghorns' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester McCown.

Gene White spent the weekend in Ranger with his parents.

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## 4-H Judging Team IN Big Spring Contest

The Coke County 4-H Clubs entered four teams in the Howard College Livestock Judging Contest held in Big Spring April 12. A total of 67 teams participated from the western half of the state.

Denise McClure, Carolyn and Marvin Simpson received a share of the glory, being recognized among the top judges in certain divisions. Carolyn tied for first, with a perfect score, in swine judging; Denise placed 7th among the sheep judges; Marvin placed 10th, also in sheep judging.

The number one team placed approximately 15th, with a score of 1159, five points behind the 10th place team. The Coke County team number two was close behind with 1148.

Club members attending the contest were Vicki Gartman, Lynn Gulley, Edwin Wilson, Denise McClure, Kerry Gartman, Carolyn Simpson, Bill Grant, Bruce James, Cody McClure, Bud Johnson, Marvin Simpson, Lesa Lindsey, Dianna Tinkler, Jimmy Tidwell, John Halamicek and Donnie Grant.

Adult leaders accompanying the judges were Mrs. Bill Grant, Mrs. Conn Johnson, Mrs. Bob Gulley and Sterling Lindsey.

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## Frank Fuentes Makes Holy Land Pilgrimage

Frank Fuentes of Bronte fulfilled life long dream last month when he made a Holy Year pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The tour, beginning March 2, lasted until Fuentes arrived back in San Angelo on March 18. The tour was arranged by the Catholic Travel Office.

Actually the entire group making the tour left from New York's John F. Kennedy International Airport on Monday, March 3, by Pan American jet for Rome. They arrived in Rome March 4 and stayed in the Holy City until Thursday, March 6.

The first afternoon was spent sightseeing and the tourists viewed many antique ruins of the city and many works of art, including the famous statue of Moses by Michelangelo, the Colosseum and others.

The second day in Rome included four major basilicas and a noon audience with Pope Paul VI. A tour of Vatican City took the group to the famous St. Peter's Cathedral and many other places held in high esteem by those of the Catholic faith.

The people on the tour had Thursday morning free and took off in the afternoon for Tel Aviv. After landing at Lod Airport they drove on to Jerusalem, and later in the day visited the Convent of the Sisters of Zion, the Basilica of the Holy Sepulchre and attended Mass in the Chapel of Apparitions.

Friday morning mass was celebrated at Mount Calvary, followed by a visit to the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane and other sacred places.

On Saturday Mass was celebrated at the Tomb of Our Lord at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre and later they visited the Wailing Wall and other places of interest. In the afternoon the group left Jerusalem for Jericho, passing the Inn of the Good Samaritan and visiting the River Jordan, the Dead Sea and Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. They returned to Jerusalem early in the evening.

Sunday, March 9, Mass was celebrated at the Manger Altar in the Grotto of the Nativity of Bethlehem. Among other places of interest vis-

ited was Hebron, home of Abraham, and the the Mosque built over the Cave of Macphelah where tradition says Abraham and Sarah are buried.

The pilgrims attended Monday morning Mass in the Franciscan Chapel of the Cenacle adjoining the Place of the Last Supper. They later took a drive around the New City of Jerusalem and in the afternoon drove to Ain Karem, birthplace of John the Baptist.

A drive on Tuesday took the group to Nazareth, via Nablus where they stopped at Jacob's Well. Mass was celebrated at the Basilica of the Annunciation and the remainder of the day was spent visiting other points of interest.

The pilgrims left Nazareth March 12 for a drive to Cana of Galilee, the site of Christ's first miracle, then on to Tiberias on the Sea of Galilee for Mass at the Church of St. Peter. They drove around the Sea to Capharnaum where Christ first preached, and returned via the Mount of Beatitudes, the place of multiplication of loaves and fishes.

They spent Thursday and Friday morning seeing other Holy Places in the area and left Friday afternoon for Tel Aviv where they boarded a plane for Athens.

Saturday, March 15, was spent in sightseeing at such famous spots as the Acropolis, Greek ruins and various museums. Sunday Mass was celebrated at St. Denis Cathedral, followed by an excursion to Corinth where St. Paul delivered his sermons and epistles to the Corinthians.

The group left Athens Monday, stopped off in Rome, then flew non-stop to Kennedy Airport.

Fuentes arrived back in San Angelo March 18.

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## HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

### Mrs. Chew Dies

Mrs. Sarah Chew, 90, mother of LeRoy Chew of Blackwell, died at 7:25 p.m. last Wednesday in a Stephenville hospital. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Stephenville Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John Russell and the Rev. R. M. Thompson, Assembly of God Church ministers, officiating. Burial was in the Hico Cemetery.

She was born Sarah Susannah Berry, Jan. 9, 1885, in Llano and married Virgil Chew Oct. 11, 1899, in Llano. He died Jan. 7, 1968. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Other survivors are four sons, Vernon and Dewell, both of Hico, Hubert of Kerrville and Bill of Stephenville; four daughters, Mrs. Clara Lively of Hico, Mrs. Bessie Bourland of Dallas, Mrs. Leona Pounds of Stephenville and Mrs. Jewel Wright of Fort Worth; 32 grandchildren, 71 great-grandchildren and 18 great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Flora Sanderson is home and much improved after spending a week in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater. Her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Patterson of Tucson, Ariz., visited her Thursday through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henderson and children of Denver City visited his mother, Mrs. Daisy Henderson, who was a patient in Bronte Hospital. Another son, Oscar Henderson, of Monument, N. M., is visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaston of Maryneal visited last week with his mother, Mrs. Lea Gaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor hosted a birthday dinner last Thursday night for her mother and brother, Mrs. J. D. Huffman of Talpa and John Huffman of Ballinger. J. D. Huffman and Mrs. John Huffman also attended.

Savannah Thompson visited Thursday through Saturday with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson of Slaton, and Saturday night and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Lovie Parker, of Snyder.

Mrs. Earl Brice hosted a birthday party for her mother, Mrs. Daisy Henderson, last Sunday on her 82nd birthday. Attending were Mmes. Ethel Gray, Susie Bryant, Bama Slinger, Gene Ware, Annie Mae Cook, Willie Burwick, Flora Sanderson, Edna Sneed and Alvin Edwards. She received some "Happy Birthday" phone calls Sunday afternoon.

A recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee was his sister, Miss Carrie Lee of Drasco.

Mrs. T. J. Oden and Larry visited Monday through Thursday in Bells with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Rose.

Mrs. Vivian Taylor is a patient in the Bronte Hospital.

Nineteen children attended the After School Bible Study Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Billy Burl Holland served the refreshments and then the children had their study and played games.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burl Holland were recently honored with a house warming at their home when 44 guests attended. Hosting the occasion were Mmes. Mathie Romine, Beulah Chapman, Everett Finley, Olin Corley and Gordon Montgomery. Their friends presented the honored couple with a reclining rocker.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Lea Gaston were Mr. and Mrs. Van Gaston and children of Forsan, Kenneth Gaston and Miss Lenise Gaston of Sterling City, Tim Duncan of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson of Sweetwater.

Charlie Cave and Roy Sanderson are patients in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Taylor and Buck Lee recently visited with his aunt, Miss Mandy Taylor, in the Bronte Nursing Home.



## New Tax Exemptions

Chris Gentry is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Braswell of Sweetwater. He was born April 21 at 3 a.m. in Root Memorial Hospital at Colorado City and weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces. He has a sister, Ginger, and two brothers, Van and Sterling. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Childress of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. George A. Braswell of Bronte. His great-grandmothers are Mrs. Pearl Childress of Robert Lee and Mrs. D. N. Vosburg of Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dalton are parents of a son, Matthew David, born April 20. He weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces. The couple also has a daughter, Melissa. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot of San Angelo and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dalton of Missouri.

## Angelo Men Charged In Church Pew Theft

Two San Angelo men have had misdemeanor theft charges, Class A, filed against them. They are William Harris and Robert Paschal. The men are free on \$750 bond each, set by Justice of the Peace Roy Ross.

The charges grew out of an incident involving the theft of five pews from the Sanco Tabernacle.

Citizens of the Sanco area held the suspects until Deputy Sheriff Marshall Millican arrived and placed the men under arrest.

County Attorney Bob Owen told this newspaper Wednesday afternoon that he is investigating the case and has not decided his exact course of action.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boecking and Mrs. D. K. Glenn were in San Antonio the first of this week to attend a meeting of the Independent Bankers Association.

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Grade 4: A—Taufi Jackson and Jon Koenig. B—Karla Badgett, Sheila Barrett, Shonda Elliott, Geni Taylor and Shane Webb.

Grade 5: A—Camille Badgett, Virginia Basquez and Jo Ella Forehand. B—Connie Bryan, John Halameck, Denise Hite, Sheila Lee and Sujane Parker.

Grade 6: A—Lisa Lee. B—Jasue Dunn, Tanna Lee, Joe Luckett and Jeff Schoenfield.

The following honor roll was released by High School Prin. James L. Golson:

Grade 7: A—None. B—Pat Angel, Melinda Barrett, Lindy Butler, Brian Champion, Donnie Jackson, Connie Littlefield, Jay Schoenfield and Lenda Sprenkle.

Grade 8: A—None. B—Suzanne Brunson, Beckie Coalson, Carla Dyess, Bill Ensor, Darron Koenig, Jimmy Tidwell and Cathy Walker.

Grade 9: A—Lana Webb. B—Karen Arrott, Robert Ball, Jeff Easterly, Eliseo Sanchez, Tanya Skelton and Shelene Tidwell.

Grade 10: A—Leah Barbee, Bobby Hamilton and John Heaner. B—Ronda Denton and Billy Hamilton.

Grade 11: A—Pauline Basquez,

Kim Caperton, Marian Clark and Sherrie Coalson. B—Nelson Coulter, Jodie Freeman, Laura Glenn, Pat Lewis, Zena McCarty, Glenda Mills and Tonya Teschendorf.

Grade 12: A—None. B—Wayne Alexander, Alan Barbee and Debra Hibbs.

#### RECEIVE SERVICE AWARDS TWO FORMER BRONTE MEN

Two former Bronte men were recently honored for 25 years of service by El Paso Natural Gas Co. The quarter century service awards were presented to James Weaver Scott of Maryneal, son of Mrs. Fay Scott, and to Hubert O. Whitt Jr., son of Mrs. H. O. Whitt. Both ladies reside in Bronte.

The awards were presented at an annual awards dinner at an El Paso country club.

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**DOUBLE DEAL** — Both of the golf teams of Bronte High School will compete in the regional meet this weekend at Brownwood. No. 1 of Bronte High was first in District 19-B and Bronte No. 2 was second. The No. 2 team, shown above in the first row is made up, from left, of Mario Gonzales, Randy Parker, Johnny Hibbs and Randy Leigh.

Big No. 1 is made up, from left, of Nelson Coulter, Wayne Alexander, Jim Dan Raughton, Bobby Bailey and Wayne Coalson. The two Waynes—Alexander and Coalson—shared district medalist honors with scores of 76. Alexander was runnerup medalist in the state last year. Some of the lads shown here also will be competing

in regional tennis this weekend at Brownwood. Finishing first in district doubles were Alexander and Raughton and taking second place honors were Coalson and Parker. Bailey finished district singles in second place. All five of these golfers will put on their tennis hats for awhile in the regional meet.



**DISTRICT WINNERS** — The track team of Bronte High School won first place honors in the District 19-B track contest held April 9 in Abilene and qualified for competition in the regional meet to be held in Brownwood this weekend. Kneeling, from left, are Mario Gonzales, Turney Coulter, Nelson Coulter and Clint Porter.

Standing, from left, are Paul Cervenka, Mark Lee, Marvin Ensor, Jim Dan Raughton and Alan Barbee. The Longhorns shown here are eligible to enter the events indicated: Barbee, 440 yard relay, 440 yard dash, mile relay and discus; Cervenka, alternate on 440 relay team, 440 yard dash and mile relay; N. Coulter, 440 yard

relay, 220 yard dash, mile relay and pole vault; T. Coulter, 440 yard relay; Ensor, 440 yard relay and alternate on mile relay team; Gonzales, alternate in discus; Lee, 440 yard relay team; Porter shot put and discus; Raughton, 120 yard high hurdles, 330 yard intermediate hurdles and mile relay.

### Intramural Basketball Playoffs Next Week

Some 44 girls in Bronte Elementary School have been participating in an intramural sports program the last few weeks and the climax of the program will come next week with a basketball tournament on Tuesday and Wednesday.

First round games will be Tuesday when the Sesame Street Super Stars meet the Alphas at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, followed by a battle between the Bluebonnets and the Kiddle Kadets at 3:30 p.m..

Consolation finals will be at 2:30 Wednesday with the championship

finals at 3:30 p.m.

Winning teams have already been determined in two other fields of the program.

Newcomb winners were the Kiddle Kadets coached by Sherrie Coalson, Marla Thompson, Fern Cooper and Lana Webb.

Winners of the dodgeball division were members of the Alpha team, coached by Leah Barbee, Shelley Cumbie and Mary Ann Minjarez.

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Miss Cheryl Anne English became the bride of Larry Wayne Franklin in a double ring ceremony on March 19 in the Robert Lee Baptist Church. The Rev. Roy Epperson, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse English of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin of Osgood, Tenn.

Nancy Jameson was matron of honor and Rusty Jameson was best man. Kerri La Vaughn Bilbrey, niece of the bride, was ring bearer. John Bill Brock and Bob Large were ushers.

Music was furnished by Mrs. W. G. Ralston, grandmother of the bride.

Out of town guests attending the

wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Jameson, Mike Bagwell, David Knight, Jesse English Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. William G. Ralston of Bruni, Tex., grandparents of the bride.

The reception was held in the Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. Serving in the houseparty were Gina Pacific, Karen and Carlyn English, Brenda Mathews, Sheila Bilbrey and Nancy Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bagwell hosted the rehearsal dinner in their home in Robert Lee.

The bridegroom is an employee of Sun Oil Co. The couple will reside at 900 Jeffe in Kermit.

**HERE'S BLACKWELL**

By Mrs. Rockey Thompson

(Intended for Last Week)

The After School Bible Study was held April 14 with 15 children and two teachers attending. The group had a song service, followed by the Bible study. Refreshments of cupcakes and punch were served by Mrs. Everett Finley.

**Mrs. Barnes Honored**

Mrs. Johnny Barnes was honored April 14 with a baby shower at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. E. K. Finley registered the guests.

The table was laid with a white lace cloth over pink and the centerpiece was a floral arrangement of pink flowers and greenery. Mrs. Olin Corley poured punch and Mrs. Gordon Montgomery served cake, using crystal and silver appointments.

Out of town guests included her mother, Mrs. Elvin H. Head; her grandmother, Mrs. F. M. Head; and her sister-in-law, Mrs. David Disman, and son, all of Goldthwaite; and Mrs. Lucinda Hamilton of San Angelo.

Hostesses were Mmes. Montgomery, Mathie Romine, James Ware, Finley, Corley, Thelma Smith and Beulah Chapman.

**WMU Meets**

The WMU of First Baptist Church met April 10 at the church with eight ladies attending. President Mrs. Billy Burl Holland presided.

A stewardship program, "The Fellowship of Christian Giving," was given by Mrs. Thelma Smith.

Attending were Mmes. Holland, Bama Sliger, Olin Corley, E. K. Finley, Smith, Ninnie Kinard, Ben Noble and Willie Burwick.

Mrs. Dutch Verner of San Antonio has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Minta Grimes. Mrs. Grimes returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. Flora Sanderson is a patient in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater.

Therell Burwick is a patient in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

Mrs. Lula Palmer, Mrs. Daisy Henderson and Mrs. Gladys Copeland have been patients in the Bronte Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Clements of Roscoe spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Oden of Fort Hood spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Oden, and Larry.

**UMW Has Meeting**

United Methodist Women of Blackwell met April 14 in the home of Mrs. Cecil Smith with five ladies attending. Mrs. R. Q. Spence was co-hostess.

Mrs. Smith gave the program, entitled "So You're Retired," assisted by Mmes. John McRorey, Savannah Thompson and Spence.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Austin Jordan, Spence, McRorey, Thompson and Smith.

Next meeting will be April 28.

Visiting Mrs. Lea Gaston over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knott of Midland, Cliff Gaston of Sterling City, Mrs. Beulah Chapman Mr. and Mrs. Mathie Romine and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ware, all of Blackwell, Mrs. Ada Beth Parsons and children of Sweetwater and Richard Lee Glascoe of Kansas.

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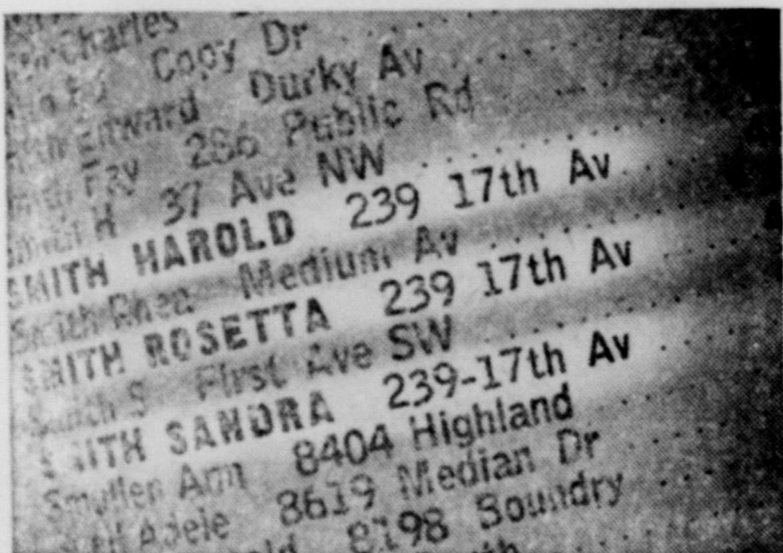
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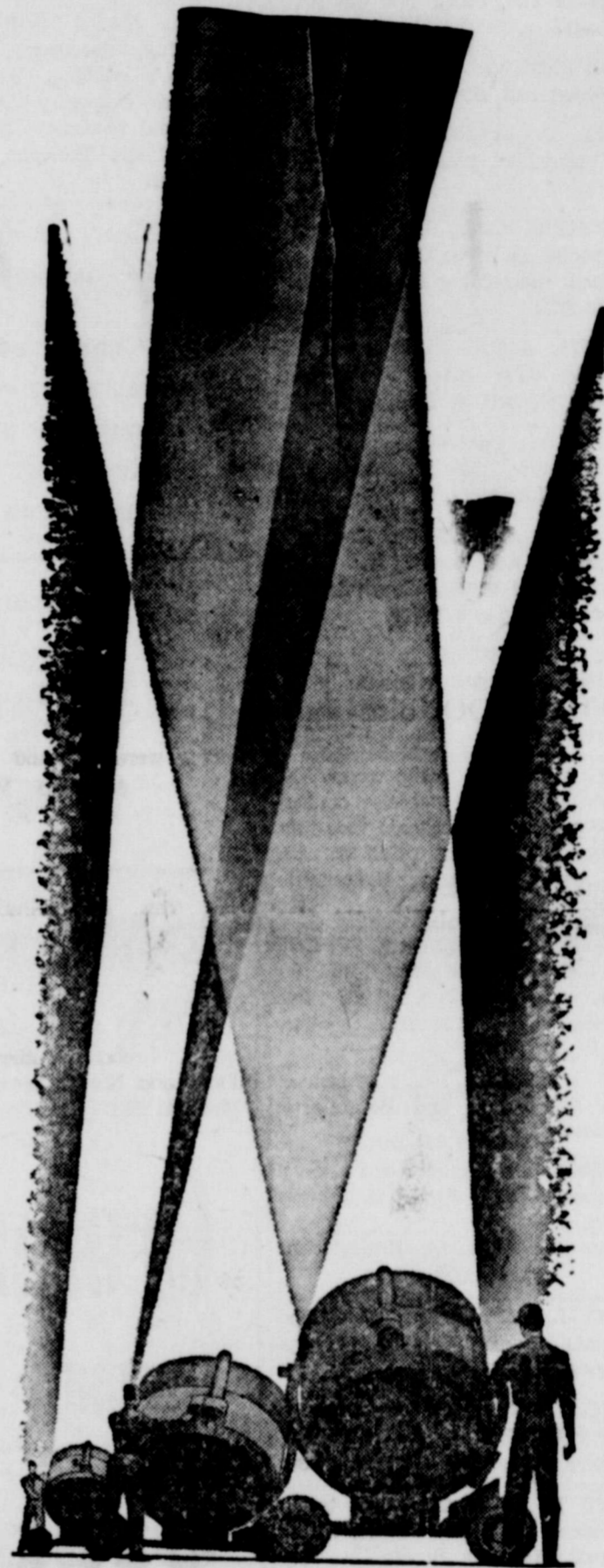
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**Coke Library-Museum Opens in Old Jailhouse**

The newly created Coke County Museum and Library had its formal opening Sunday with approximately 150 visitors coming by to inspect the project. A total of 18 Texas towns and cities were represented during the open house Sunday afternoon.

The library-museum has unique and picturesque quarters in the old Coke County jail which was erected in 1907. The facility has its own gallows, installed before hanging was outlawed in Texas in 1926. The contraption was never used in Coke County and the trapdoors were welded shut after hanging was declared a bad way to punish criminals.

Volunteers have been working on getting the place ready for weeks and were extremely busy putting on the finishing touches before the Sunday opening. Bars were put over the jailhouse windows (to keep lawbreakers out rather than in); paint, courtesy of Coke County, has brightened up the place; and new carpet, courtesy of the library and museum committees and the Coke County Historical Survey Committee makes the downstairs area attractive.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, chairman of the Coke County Historical Survey Committee, has to be given the credit for being the prime mover behind the project. An expert on

Coke County history, she has been pushing for this project for many years. Her dream became a reality when the Robert Lee Bicentennial Commission adopted the idea as one of its projects for celebrating the 200th birthday of the U. S.

During the afternoon callers came by from Robert Lee, Austin, Burnet, San Angelo, Odessa, Midland, Lubbock, Water Valley, Del Rio, Nolan, Anson, Bronte, Snyder, Sweetwater, Abilene, Miles, Mason and Silver.

**Golf Assn. Lays Down New Ground Rules**

A recent meeting of the Coke County Golf Association set up some new ground rules for members and other users of the local course.

1. For current members the following rates will be effective June 1: \$7.50 for a family membership and \$5 for an individual membership. 2. For new members, effective June 1, there will be a \$25 membership fee, plus family or individual dues.

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