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"The Real Mr. McCoy" to Be Presented by Seniors Friday

The annual Senior play will be presented in the school auditorium Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. The play is a hilarious hill-billy comedy entitled "The Real Mr. McCoy."

Included in the cast are the following students:

Carol Ann Sherrod, Bette Blackmon, Linda Mayberry, Carolyn Glenn, Bob Patton, Mike Luttrell, Deanie Allen Vearon Gunn, Yvonne McCutchen, Jerri Griffin, Grady Becksworth, Jan Wilkins, Phelan Parker, Johnnie Sims and Juanita Johnson.

Other members of the class are prep men for the production. Mrs. Royce Fancher, sponsor of the class, is director.

The Bronte stage band, directed by Wendell Gideon, will present some between acts entertainment.

Admission prices are 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Two Candidates Out For Trustee

Two candidates names have been filed for the two vacancies on Bronte School's board of trustees, according to County Judge W. W. Thetford. Petitioned to run for trustee are Allen Sherrod and Bill Thomas. This report was received Wednesday afternoon.

Sherrod will be running to succeed himself, while Thomas will be seeking the place which is to be vacated by Jacob Morrow. Morrow did not seek re-election, saying that he has served on the board for six years and thought that was long enough.

Deadline for the filing is today (Thursday) 30 days before the election. It is possible that other candidates will file or be petitioned to have their names placed on the ballot. All candidates, whether they are petitioned by at least five qualified voters or place their own names on the ballot, have to file with the county judge's office.

No candidates have filed for county trustee, according to W. W. Thetford, county judge.

"BETTER COMMUNITIES" SUBJECT FOR MEETING

The public is invited to hear Bob Burke of Houston present a program on "Building Better Communities" Thursday night (tonight) at 8:00 o'clock at the Kickapoo Baptist Church.

Mr. Burke, a public relations man and active civic worker in Houston, will be the speaker at the regular meeting of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, Division 58. The LVNA will hold its regular monthly business session at 7:30.

COMMISSIONERS APPOINT COKE COUNTY'S ELECTION JUDGES

At a called Commissioners' Court meeting Friday, the court appointed the election judges for the 11 voting precincts in Coke County.

Judges and assistants that were appointed are the following:

Voting Precinct No. 1: Mrs. Jessie Yarbrough, Presiding Judge; Ollie Green, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 2: Matthew Caperton, Presiding Judge; Noah Pruitt, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 4: C. N. Webb, Presiding Judge; E. D. Little, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 5: Fred McCabe, Presiding Judge; James Counts, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 7: Ulmer Bird, Presiding Judge; J. L. Carwile, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 8: Robert Walker, Presiding Judge; H. H. Jameson, Assistant Judge.

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Voting Precinct No. 11: R. V. Copeland, Presiding Judge; Fletch Pinkard, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 12: C. G. Munn, Presiding Judge; Elton

Mims, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 13: Chester Harwell, Presiding Judge; W. J. Martin, Assistant Judge.

Voting Precinct No. 15: Homer Cornelius, Presiding Judge; Clint Duncan, Assistant Judge.

Don Fields, Calvin McCutchen and T. R. Harmon were appointed by the Court to be the canvassing board for the absentee election box.

Further action taken by the court Friday was to retain Niemeir and Pierce, and accounting firm in Lubbock, to audit the books for Coke County and the County Hospital for the year of 1961.

The firm was retained at the same fee that they received in 1960: \$700 for auditing the county books and \$250 for auditing the hospital's books.

The court set the first Monday in March, June, September and December for the County and Justice of Peace terms of court for civil cases.

Dr. J. D. McDaniel was appointed county medical officer for 1961-62.



REV. R. W. BLACKMON

Kickapoo Revival Starts Sunday

A revival meeting will start Sunday at the Kickapoo Baptist Church in Bronte. Rev. R. W. Blackmon, pastor, will do the preaching for the week long series of services.

Only evening services will be held during the meeting, Rev. Blackmon announced. Prayer services will be held from 7 to 7:30 p. m., followed by preaching services beginning at 7:30. Morning services will be held only on Sundays at the usual time.

Noah Pruitt Jr., will lead the singing during the meeting.

Rev. Blackmon stated that a cordial welcome will be given everybody who attends any of the services. "We are anxious for everyone in this community to attend these meetings," he said, "and visitors and members will be most welcome."

Cubs Have Blue And Gold Banquet

The annual blue and gold banquet for the Bronte chapter of the Cub Scouts was held in the school cafeteria Tuesday night. Rev. Bob Grimes, scoutmaster, was master of ceremonies.

Individual Cub Scouts introduced their parents and guests. Projects and activities were on display. Each den gave a skit during the program.

Following the program a pack meeting was held by the parents and a kite derby was announced for March 18 at the Bronte Park. Plans were discussed for the Boy Scout Exposition to be held in San Angelo April 8.

Two tables were decorated with blue and gold crepe paper and centerpieces made by the scouts were used. Den One had a birthday cake with 51 candles representing 51 years of scout work and Den Two used a camp fire scene with pipe cleaner scouts seated around the fire.

Cake, punch and coffee were served to approximately 60 guests.

Bronte Cub Scouts include: Den One, Mmes. Bob Wilson and C. O. Richards, Den Mothers; Royce Lee, Den Chief and cubs, Tommy Grace, Garland Richards, Keith McCutchen, Robbie Wilson, Randy Sheppard and Larry Butler. Den Two: Mmes. Darwin Scott and James Lee, Den Mothers and cubs, Andy Martinez, Kerry Kull, David Scott, Randy Barbee, Jimmy Freeman, Roy Duncan, Joe Howard, Robbie Grimes, Wesley Ash and Jose Majaris.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nardell spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Darwin Scott, and family. The Nardells are former residents of Bronte.

Public Schools Week To Be Observed Here

The public is invited to visit Bronte Schools during next week which is Public Schools Week all over Texas. The week long observance will be cut short in Bronte School, because Friday, Feb. 10, is a holiday for teachers to attend a district meeting at Brownwood.

Supt. C. B. Barbee said patrons are always welcome to visit Bronte School, but a special invitation is

being given during Public Schools Week. He encouraged visitors to come during regular school hours, so they can observe the school's normal routine of operation.

Visitors are requested to come by the superintendent's office and register before they visit classes. At that time they will be given ribbons to wear during their visit at the school.

An invitation from Supt. Barbee appears in a page ad in this issue of The Enterprise. The ad is sponsored by firms and individuals of this area, who are interested in progress in Bronte School system.

A banquet, sponsored annually during Public Schools Week by the Bronte Lions Club and Masonic Lodge, will be held Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. Teachers will be special guests at the affair, which will be held in the school cafeteria. A program, designed and presented by the school, will serve as entertainment following the banquet.

Another special program will be held Thursday at 1:30 p. m. when a school assembly will be held in the auditorium. Recognition of student achievements will be part of this program. The public is invited to attend.

School will be dismissed at 2:30 p. m., following the program.

Council Race Has Three Candidates

Three candidates have announced for the positions of city councilman for Bronte. Two vacancies will exist this year, now filled by Bill Luckett and Royce Fancher. Deadline for filing is March 5, 30 days before the election which is set for April 4. Candidates must file with the city secretary at the city hall.

Candidates to date are Dr. John R. Harris, Dolan Mackey and H. A. Springer.

Other members of the council who have another year to serve are Mayor J. A. Stephenson and Councilmen Matthew Caperton, Cecil Kemp and Binks McCutchen.

The voting will take place in the city hall with Noah Pruitt serving as presiding judge.

Carolyn Kemp Most Talented

Miss Carolyn Sue Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kemp of Bronte, was presented as a 1961 campus favorite at Trinity University in San Antonio, February 18.

Eight favorites, elected earlier by the student body in secret ballot, were announced at the university's annual valentine stage show and formal dance, the "Frolic of Hearts."

Miss Kemp was chosen Most Talented Girl at Trinity.

A 1957 graduate of Bronte High School, she is a senior majoring in public school music at Trinity.

She is a member of Spurs, a campus organization, the Trinity Acapello Choir and the Master Singers of San Antonio, an opera group. She was selected by the city of San Antonio as their 1960 Home Show Queen, and recently appeared as Nellie Forbush in the San Antonio Little Theater's presentation of "South Pacific."

During the past summer she sang the lead in "Trial by Jury", a Gilbert & Sullivan opera presented at the Seagle Colony in New York.

Two Bronte Teachers Resign

Two teachers in the Bronte School system have handed their resignations to the school board. Grade School principal E. L. Hopson has resigned, effective at the end of the present school term. Miss Maureen Brewer, high school English teacher, has resigned effective last Monday, Feb. 27.

Hopson, who came to Bronte from Meridian, has been elementary principal here for the last two years. He plans to enroll in North Texas State College in Denton to do graduate work in education and administration.

Miss Brewer, who has taught in the Bronte school system the past two years, plans to do missionary work in Brazil in the near future.

Her plans at the present time include taking care of some family business, visiting relatives and attending a convention in preparation for her Brazilian trip.

C. B. Barbee announced that Mrs. Royce Lee is filling the position vacated by Miss Brewer temporarily until a permanent English teacher is obtained.

Veterans of WWI Meet in Bronte Thursday Night

Monthly meeting of Coke County Barracks 2409 Veterans of World War I is scheduled for Thursday night of this week at the American Legion hall in Bronte. Starting time is 7:30.

Organized only a few weeks ago the Coke County barracks has 22 members and all veterans of 1917-18 are urged to join the group. Annual dues are \$5.00 and this includes subscriptions to the WWI National and state publications.

Coke County Commander H. O. Whitt of Bronte states the World War I veterans group is gaining ground and increased membership helps to create more prestige. Veterans of World War I have an important program in Congress.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

The public is invited to attend a free showing of "Falconry", a Southern Schools Assembly program to be presented Friday, March 3, in the school auditorium at 1:45 p. m.

Dee Jay Nelson will give a demonstration and will have live birds doing acts.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Ben,

I would like to take this opportunity to share with you my conviction that love for country and devotion to God which prompts me to give my time, talent and energy to lay before my community the subtle and sinister actions of world communism to subvert the freedoms we cherish. First, I believe that international communism is anti-God and therefore I as a Christian must devote some of my energies and efforts to expose its true nature. Unless the forces of Christianity and righteousness are brought to bear to awaken our complacent citizenry then the cause for which Christ died becomes lost as far as our generation and the generations to come are concerned. In the event that communism should subvert the people of our land those who have a devotion to God and country would be among the first to be "liquidated." Stalin is reported to have said, "When we conquer the United States sixty million Americans will be removed." By "removed" he meant systematically slaughtered by the millions without any twinge of conscience as has already been done in Russia, China and Tibet. Second, unless we become an informed people as to the actions, policies and conduct of communism in its quest for world domination we shall be lulled to sleep by the platitudes of peace being spouted by the agents of the Kremlin and Peiping. In the scriptures it is said, "A little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands and then sudden destruction." This graphically pictures the tool that the communists are using to drain the great strength from a nation which was hewn out of the wilderness by men and women of courage who put personal safety and comfort aside that they might build a nation in which their children and their children's children might have the opportunity for spiritual worship, industrious labor, and accumulation of the fruits of their enterprise which they could enjoy and also share with others. Today it seems that we have little actual concern for future generations. Our main concern seems to be that of self-preservation, comfort, security at any price and entertainment at all cost. A great and strong defense of our liberties and freedoms cannot be built out of such flimsy and rotten material. The scriptures again point that "We shall know the TRUTH and the TRUTH shall make you free." Our people need to know the awful, stark and shocking truth of the aims of Marxism and its satanic materialistic philosophy that declares that man is just "material in motion" so that we may decide on a course of action to stem the tide of this sea of death. Third, after being informed we must take action. This battle must be engaged in at all levels of our society: political, church, educational, and civic. Politically, we must be active citizens registered to vote in all elections and to conscientiously examine all the issues before casting our ballot. We must maintain communication with our Senators and Representatives so as to let them know our stand on the issues and see that they truly represent the will of the people. Let the voice of the people be heard. IN OUR CHURCHES, we who compose their membership must take an active part in the services and express our convictions in the business and policy of the body. We must regularly and systematically study the Bible and commit its message to memory. We must be aware of the

missionary vision and its support evident in our congregations and to implement this work on a worldwide scale. We must realize that God has a definite plan for the financial support of His work, that of tithes and offerings and that each member should accept this truth and practice it to its fullest extent.

IN OUR SCHOOLS, there must be a rekindling of devotion to our country, its true history, the great leaders who by their self-sacrifice, determination and patriotism forged this land on the anvil of Christian ideals. There should be some planned course of study which would include the examination of the teachings of Lenin, Marx, Stalin, Mao-tse-Tung to find the principles upon which this super-satanic state operates. With these tools at hand our future generation of leaders will not be ignorant of the aims of communism and thereby be prepared to meet its challenge.

IN THE AREA OF CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY, there must be a re-appraisal of the objectives and goals of the separate projects and programs which we support. It has long been the practice of some clubs, groups, and community actions to emphasize and magnify an exclusivism of one group to the exclusion of all others. Too many times this practice of civic segregation has been as deadly and corrupting as any segregation as to national background, race and creed could ever be. Let our civic leaders then bring to our community informed speakers, educators and programs which give concrete support to Americanism, free enterprise, reduction of governmental controls, personal responsibility, individual initiative and devotion to God and country. I close with this Citizen's Code of Conduct which has been suggested to me by Mr. W. P. Strube, Jr., secretary of the Christian Anti-Communism Crusade with headquarters in Houston: "I will never forget that I am an American citizen responsible for my actions, and dedicated to the principles that made my country free. I will trust in God and in the United States of America."

Sincerely yours,
Lester L. Vinson

Thanks very much for your letter. I think you have touched on a subject which is of paramount importance to every American. As you mentioned, we seem unconcerned about future generations, and we are more interested in our own comfort and convenience than in anything else in the world. I agree with you on this and I feel that our own lethargy is a much greater danger than world communism. —Editor.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Pauline Conger spent the weekend in Llano with her daughter, Mrs. Tommie Fowler, and children.

Mrs. D. E. Taylor of Brady is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Simpson, and family.

R. J. Millikin returned to Fort Hood last Sunday where he is stationed with the Army. He had been on a 15 day leave and was to have returned to camp last week but received additional days as emergency leave after the death of his father, W. W. Millikin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham spent the weekend at Altus, Oklahoma, visiting her mother, Mrs. J. P. Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grace and Tommy went to Waco over the weekend to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Corley.

Mrs. Billy Jack Gentry and son of Baytown spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark.



New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bagwell of San Angelo are parents of a son, Todd Andrew, born Saturday, February 25, in a San Angelo hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces. He has a brother, Mark, 14½ months old. Mr. Bagwell is employed by Tucker Drilling Co. and is a former resident of Bronte. Mrs. Bagwell is the former Martha McClure Clark.

Grandparents are Mrs. Charlie Bell Bagwell of Fort Worth and E. W. McClure of Huntsville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Vaughn are the parents of a son, Clinton Bruce, born Sunday, Feb. 26, in a San Angelo hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, and has a sister, Jolene, 7, and a brother, James Lynn, 9.

Mr. Vaughn is employed by Coke County and Mrs. Vaughn is an employee of Bronte Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Arrott. Great-grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brunson of Bronte, Mrs. Nora M. Arrott of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vaughn of O'Donnell.

Mrs. B. A. Phillips, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Milford Phillips of Snyder, went to Midland over the weekend to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shults.

J. T. Henry's first and second year agriculture boys have recently built a new incinerator for the school grounds. Made of tile, the garbage disposal unit is located between the high school and elementary school buildings.

The unit is composed of two separate compartments and has a storage for cans and other non-burnable items.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Belcher, Doug and Becky of Andrews spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton. Mrs. Mark Chumley of Robert Lee was a Sunday visitor in the Caperton home.

Mrs. Marlena Smith and children went to Junction Saturday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raley.

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UNCLE HUIE from HOG CREEK says

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:
I see by the papers where one of them safety organizations in Washington aims to lobby fer a law in Congress making car manufacturers put safety belts in ever automobile.
If them Congressman git to messing in such items as this, I got a few suggestions fer 'em. I

ain't saw a single thing the folks that makes cars has ever done fer the pedestrian. If Congress is going into this field, I think they ought to work both sides of the street. When a feller goes to town these days the only safe place fer him to walk is where no motor vehicle can be drove, bounced, skidded, caroomed, catapulted, ricocheted, or flung. I recommend collapsible bumpers and padded radiators, and a slanted rubber ramp in front to scoop up the pedestrian, with a soft pad up on the hood fer him to land on. After all, they is a few people left who has to walk and they need some consideration.

I admit they ain't too many pedestrians left and if the Congress is looking at the matter from the vote angle, them that has to walk to the polls won't git much relief. The old song about the boy "walking his girl back home" is out of style. Today if he ain't got a car, he ain't got no girl. The family car is gitting to be more important in the American household than the cook stove. It's a good thing it runs on gas. It don't stand still long enough to refuel on hay.

Well, I see by the papers where them folks in Washington has admitted that cheap money is here to stay. A news item says the Bureau of Engraving will now print \$1 bills in sheets of 32 instead of sheets of 12 like they been doing since 1900. I reckon the number of Government checks they print to the sheet has been put in the top secret drawer. Sometimes I think that me and Senator Byrd is the only two people in the country that worries about these things.

Fer instant, I was reading the official tally sheet the other day where the private and public debt is now right at \$890 billion, or a average of about \$20,000 fer ever family in the United States. Of course, me and my old lady will never live to pay ours off, but I shore hate to pass it along to my young neighbor and his family down the road a piece.

But debt or no debt, Mister Editor, I'm mighty glad to see the new administration coming out strong fer funds fer the schools. Course, we don't need it so bad here in Bronte School District, but I had one principal down in East Texas tell me they ain't even got enough fer new baseball uniforms this spring, let alone books and stuff like that.

Yours truly,
Uncle Huie

ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES

Mrs. W. J. Eads, Mrs. Oscar Renshaw and Jessie Pearl and Jesse Eads of Robert Lee recently attended funeral services for B. F. Keith, a brother of Mrs. Eads. Services were held at Taylor's Chapel near DeLeon. Mr. Keith is survived by his wife, four children, six sisters and two brothers.

Read the classified ads.

BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Rev. Paul Podraza, pastor of the Brookshire Baptist Church, will be ordained as a minister in a service Sunday afternoon in his home town of Baytown. The service will be held at Mount Belview Baptist Church with Rev. W. W. Grant delivering the charge.

Rev. Podraza was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay. Sunday was Jay's birthday.

Mrs. Willard Caudle was a recent visitor in San Angelo in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Verlin Oates, and family and in the J. L. Stephenson home.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas were her cousins, Mrs. Carl Bishop of Snyder and Mrs. Nola Cadell and daughter, Lenora, of Ralls. They went on to Brownwood Sunday afternoon to visit other relatives.

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

Rattler Captured for Teacher

Jim Tom Jones, a senior in Norton school, recently told Tug Boatright that his science teacher wanted a live rattlesnake, so Tug volunteered to help him find one. Last Tuesday afternoon Tug and Jim Tom went to the Jack Corley ranch near Tennyson. Corley and his son, Jackie, told them they

thought they knew the place to find a rattlesnake den. The men took off and sure enough they found their snake. He was a huge thing, measuring 51 inches in length. He had 9 rattles left and had several broken off.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were hosts to the Jolly Eight Club at their home Monday night. Progressive 42 was played and prizes were given. Refreshments were served to a visitor, Mrs. McNeal, and to the Rob Springers, George Colemans, the R. D. Colemans and the hosts.

Mrs. J. C. Boatright received word Sunday that her brother, Johnny Hester, was ill with a heart attack. She received word again Monday that he was some better. He lives in Los Angeles.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn were Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn, Gary and Ollie Mae, and Sue Coleman of Miles.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas last week were Mrs. Dean Thomas and children of Hamilton, Bill Thomas and family of Bronte, Mrs. Leland Carlton and Ronnie of Maverick. Dean Thomas of Hamilton came Thursday and his family returned home with him. Orville White of Blackwell spent last weekend with the Thomas'.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Florence and Mrs. Susie Garlington in Ballinger Sunday.

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

Oscar Isbell attended the auction sale in Menard Saturday.

Isbell said he saw a wolf near his place one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther of Bronte wore supper guests of the J. C. Boatrights Sunday.

ONE ACT PLAY CONTEST MARCH 24 IN ROBERT LEE

Bronte will compete with three other district schools in the District One Act play contest set for March 24, at 7 p. m., in the Robert Lee High School auditorium. Hervey Latham, Robert Lee superintendent of schools, is chairman for the district contest.

Dr. Rex Khyker of Abilene will be the critic judge. Schools competing will be Bronte, Robert Lee, Miles and Mertzon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reid and W. D. Gazaway of Winters spent Sunday in Bob Wilson home.

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Everyone is invited to attend all services, and special attention is called to Couples Night on Thursday and Youth Night on Friday.



Next Week

Public Schools Week

March 6 through 10

AN INVITATION

Many believe World War III is being fought in the classrooms. It is not a war of military weapons but a war of the minds. Apathy on the part of the adult laymen is not conducive to the preparing of ourselves to meet the threats of our free America. Indifference by those of any school community never helps build better schools. Better schools build better communities, and better communities build a better nation. Although you have a standing invitation to visit YOUR school at all times, a special invitation is extended to you to help observe the tenth anniversary of Public School Week in Texas. Observe the program in its normal operation. Learn of the reading program in the lower grades, see what is being taught in the American History classes, eat in the lunchroom, ride a school bus, and observe the making and molding of boys and girls into citizens of tomorrow. In general, manifest an interest in education and youth, and realize that if our people are to remain a free people, that hopes lies in an educated youth.

C. B. BARBEE, Superintendent

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Much progress is being made toward improving the physical plant and curriculum of our school. We are indeed proud of the Bronte School system and wish to compliment our teachers, administrators, and board of trustees for the splendid job they are doing for the children of this school district.

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HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and daughter of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tubb, and his father, Ollie Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter of Cross Plains spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. Harve McPeters.

Mrs. L. W. Sweet is visiting her son, Walter Sweet, and family at Monahans.

Euterpean Club Meets

Mrs. W. W. Youngblood was hostess to the Euterpean Club Thursday night, Feb. 23, for choral practice. After practice a refreshment plate was served to Mmes. James Cate, O. T. Colvin, R. V. Copeland, P. G. Dabney, W. A. Hickman, Austin Jordan, B. R. McCarley, H. C. Raney, Kay Corley, R. Q. Spence, C. B. Smith,

W. C. Shamblyn, Charles Ragsdale and Miss Bertha Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith of San Angelo are the parents of a 3¼ pound son born Feb. 18, in the San Angelo Clinic. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Blackwell are paternal grandparents.

Mrs. Ernest Ware has been ill in a Sweetwater hospital.

Mrs. C. M. Whiteaker of Sweetwater and formerly of Blackwell, is hospitalized in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Raney Honored

Mrs. J. W. Raney was honored on her 86th birthday, Feb. 20, in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Oxford Raney, in Abilene. Attending were all her children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raney of Blackwell with whom she makes her home. The children are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hazelwood Sr. of Sweetwater, Mrs. C. W. Odom of Killeen, and Dr. and Mrs. Philip R. Wray of Fort Worth.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holt of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hanson and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hazelwood and Larry, all of Abilene. Others present were Mrs. Pat Taylor of Killeen, Mrs. Jim Wilson, Miss Ruby Pinkard and Fletcher Pinkard, all of Blackwell.

The honoree was presented with an orchid, the first one she had ever received.

Father-Daughter Banquet Held

The Blackwell Brownies had their Father and Daughter Banquet Thursday night, Feb. 23, at the school cafeteria.

Mrs. Byron Holly introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Frank Morgan, of Sweetwater. Mrs. Morgan spoke on preparing the Brownies for Girl Scout work. Mrs. Joe G. Conradt gave the welcome address.

Nine girls and eight fathers were present. Others present were

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DIVERSITY CLUB "GOES TO HAWAII"

Mrs. Otis Smith was hostess to the Diversity Club Thursday evening, February 23. A tropical atmosphere prevailed as guests heard an account from Mrs. Joe

Frank Morgan and children of Sweetwater. The mothers served.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart and children visited in Odessa over the weekend. The Stewarts are living at Oak Creek while Mr. Stewart is working at Bronte on the sewer system.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stone and daughters of Ardmore, Okla., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Kinard.

Several persons from Blackwell attended the funeral of Mrs. John Alexander of Maryneal Monday. Burial was in the Decker cemetery.

Carter on her recent tour of the 50th state.

Mrs. Carter was presented by Mrs. O. R. McQueen, who was in charge of the program. Native costumes were modeled by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. D. K. Glenn.

Guests were served from a table laid in a white cloth and centered with a Hawaiian scene on a mirror. The scene showed native girls around a typical grass house.

Fruit sherbert, cocoanut cake and pineapple juice were served to guests, Mmes. Lem Cowley of Robert Lee, C. C. Glenn, Charlie Boecking, J. B. Mackey and Marguerite Gailey and the following members: Mmes. McQueen, Glenn, Clifford Clark, Cecil Kemp, J. E. Quinn, Wade Rees, Delbert Walling, R. C. Lasswell, Collins Sayer and J. T. Henry.

E. L. Hopson visited friends in Waco last weekend.

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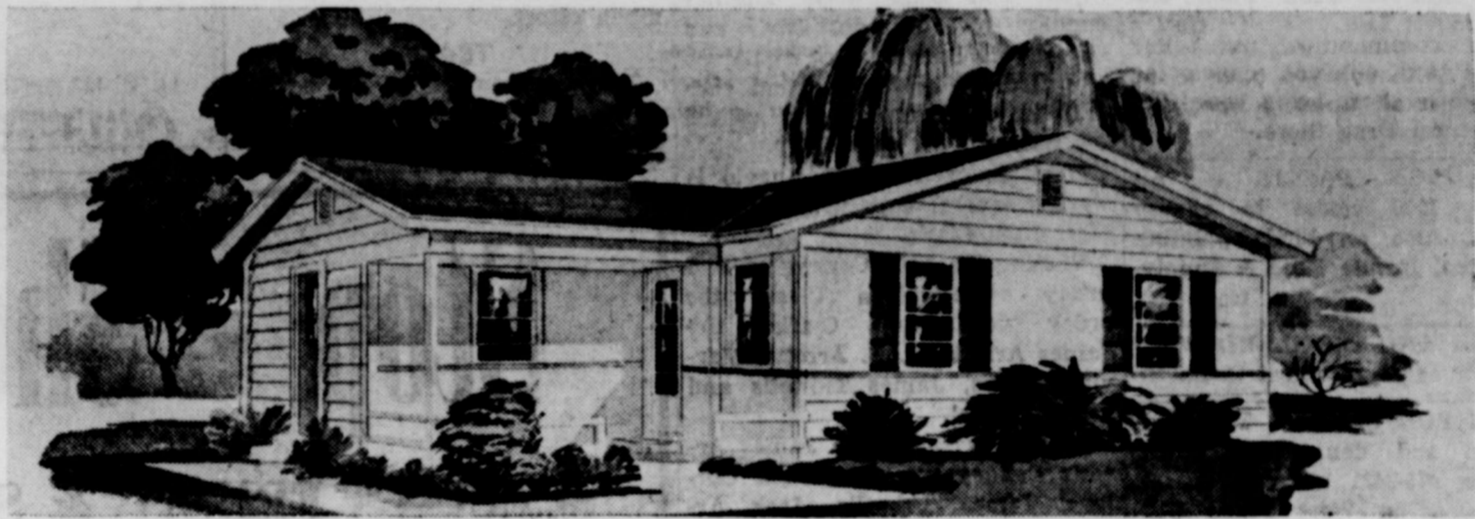
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The Family of W. W. Millikin

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my friends for the cards, flowers, visits and the many other kindnesses while I was ill. I would especially like to express my appreciation to the nurses and doctors at Bronte Hospital.

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NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. Jack Corley

Overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott on Thursday were Mrs. Jean Bryley and Mrs. Laura Terrell of San Angelo, and Mrs. J. B. Clark of Benson, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of San Benito were overnight guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cornelius.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sheffy and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Apple and Mrs. J. C. Ditmore of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Raymond Ditmore and boys of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Ditmore. Clifford Sheffy of San Angelo spent several days with his grandparents last week.

Barney Griffith, George James and Mrs. J. D. Huffaker are ill in the hospital. Mrs. Bert Cornelius is in San Angelo under a doctor's care. She is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Melvin James.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham and Lou Ann of Robert Lee, Mrs. Alene Latham and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott of Bronte, Alma Clark of Benson, Ariz. and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and Roy Lee visited with the Albert McGinnis and Louis Baker families Sunday in Eldorado. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker Jr. and children and Mrs. D. L. Brunson and children of Midland recently visited the Bakers.

Mark Bagwell of San Angelo is staying several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark.

Visiting the Jack Corleys on Saturday were Alma Clark, the urday were Alma Clarks, the James Arrotts, J. B. Arrotts, Marvin Corleys, James Tidwells and James Wells'.

Dinner guests of the James Arrotts Sunday were the Jack Corleys, James Tidwells, Jack Arrotts, Marvin Corleys, J. B. Arrotts, Wayne Arrotts, Hervey Lathams, Tommy Lathams, Mrs. Alene Latham and Alma Clark.

Dee Arrott left Sunday morning for Houston where he will show his club stock at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. George James Jr. and son of Eden were recent visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George James.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown visited the Kirk Dyess family in Norton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joel Webb at Nolan.

William Gaston of Christoval visited over the weekend with Mrs. Addie Gaston and Sam Gaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herron and Mike, John Robert Leathers and Jim Eaves of Odessa visited the Rob Herrons over the weekend. Bill Herron and Eaves attended a coaches conference in Dallas part of the weekend.

(Editor's Note: Bob Howard, head coach of boys athletics in Bronte High School, compiled the following summary of activities in his department this year. It reflects the success of the program and we thought would be of interest to Enterprise readers.)

FOOTBALL

The 1960 Bronte High School football team compiled a record of 8-1-1 while finishing second in both district and area ratings. This year's team had 35 boys on the squad. The "B" team was composed of the last half of this group and they compiled a record of 3-2. The Elementary team was composed of 21 boys from the 7th-8th grade level and finished with a fine 4-1 record for the season.

Again this season we had one boy to be selected by several colleges as a top college prospect. At this writing Mike Luttrell has been approached by the following colleges: Rice University, Baylor University, West Texas State College and the University of Arkansas. Mike is still undecided but probably will attend West Texas State or Arkansas where he plans to study toward a degree in Pharmacy.

BASKETBALL

The Longhorn basketball team was selected from a squad of 21 candidates. The team was basically a young and inexperienced one but compiled an 8-8 record for the season including a thrilling come from behind victory over Robert Lee in the final game. Our district this year will be represented in the State Tournament as Mertzon won the regional tournament in Odessa recently without much effort.

TRACK

Track season is just getting underway. First competition will come at the Ozona track meet

March 11. The Longhorns are expecting to have two fine relay teams and expect to have good strength in the sprints and 440 yard dash. The field events will be the weakest spot with only the broad jump expected to produce top points at many meets. It seems at this early date that there is a fine opportunity for the relay team to make the state meet. The teams will be composed of the following boys: Tommy Boecking, Dee Arrott, Rudy Olivas, Buddy Walker, Don Spiller, Tommy Lee, and possibly Eddy Spiller. Also Larry Robinson in the broad jump is a good bet to make the trip to the big meet in Austin the first week end in May.

Mrs. Beulah Tubbs of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of her mother, Mrs. Maggie Smith.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. O. Spiller has been released from a San Angelo hospital following surgery last week. Billy Spiller, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited his parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sherwood of Springtown spent the weekend here with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lammers.

W. E. Caperton of Abilene spent Sunday visiting his brother, E. L. Caperton, and his sisters, Mrs. Genie Fort and Mrs. B. J. Reeves. Mrs. Fort and Mrs. Reeves accompanied him back to Abilene for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn and girls of Sweetwater spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vaughn.

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