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Six Youths Charged In School Robberies

hart Monday night as they were on the cases for weeks and that he breaking into a service station there. All of them were from San Angelo. and according to Sheriff Paul Good, they have confessed to about a dozen school robberies which have been committed during the past month. Among the schools which were entered were those of Bronte and Robert Lee.

Johnnie Stewart, 16, Billie G. Morton, 20, H. B. Orr, 19, Sam Wyatt, 19, James D. Corley, 22, and John Thomas de Moville, 18, were the six who were charged with the burglaries. Wyatt and de Moville will be brought back to Coke County where they will face a grand jury March 5. Stewart will be turned over to juvenile authorities in San Angelo, Morton will be turned over to Sheriff Hinton Emory of Sterling County. Orr and Corley will be left in Irion County to fac charges.

The robbery of the Bronte schools occurred last Thursday night, Febru ary 16, when more than \$30 in cash and checks, a school bond and pistol were taken. The bond and some of the checks were found along the highway between here and Sweetwater and the pistol was found in the possession of de Moville when he was arrested in Irion County.

Robert Lee schools lost more than \$300 when their building was broken into on February 2. Some of the checks which were taken from there were found on the Robert Lee-San ter Valley team pushing ahead in the Angelo highway.

Sheriff Good, County Judge Jeff Dean, Bronte Superintendent J. L. Carroll and Austin Sandusky of Bronte all went to Mertzon Tuesday where they identified the gun as the one which was taken from the Bronte school building. It belonged to Sandusky, who had loaned it to the school to be used in starting athletic events.

Good said that all the law enforcement officers in the counties which

Donkey Ball Game Monday, March 6

A Donkey Ball game is being plan- B. Shaw, Water Valley; L. Shaw, ned for Monday night, March 6, be- Water Valley; Castleman, Menard; tween the Bronte high school boys McCoy, Merkel; Conally, Big Spring;

Six youths were arrested in Barn- | had suffered losses had been certainly was glad to get it cleared up. He said he wanted to thank 4 at the city hall. Mayor H. O. Whitt said Wednes everyone in Coke County who helped collect evidence and otherwise assist in apprehending the youths who are CARROLL AND charged with the burglaries. He said he especially wanted to thank George FOUR OTHERS Wrinkle and T. F. Sims, Sr. of Bronte **RE-ELECTED**

for the work they did on the case. A basketball game had been played at the local gymnasium the night of the Bronte robbery and the men waited around in the gym until the game was over. Then they entered the building through the window oming in from the fire escape. After rifling the office and getting away with their loot, they went on to Sweetwater where they burglarized one of the Sweetwater school build ings

Water Valley Wins **Over Bronte In Volleyball Meet**

The Water Valley volleyball team beat the local Bronte team 30-29 in a three-minute overtime period in the final game of the Bronte high school invitational volleyball tournament that was held here last weekend. The score of the final game was 28-28 at the end of regular play with the Waovertime

Norton won the consolation championship by defeating Menard 39 to 20 in the final game in that bracket ing held February 13. Fourteen teams competed in the ourney, described as the largest volleyball tournament in West Texas. Teams from Bronte, Christoval, Merkel, Menard, Talpa, Water Valley,

Forsan, San Angelo, Big Spring, Nor-ton, Sweetwater, Miles, Ballinger and system. Henry has been at his post Millersview were present. Two all-tournament teams wer

elected by visiting coaches. On the first team were Scott, Bronte; Petty, Forsan; C. Arrott, Bronte; Gentry, Bronte; Barr, Millersview; and Snider,

Water Valley. The coaches' choice for the second all-tourney team were

Deadline for candidates who wish day that up to that time file for the four vacancies in the filed for any of the jobs. He said Bronte city council is a week from that a person who wishes for his omorrow, March 4. An election to name to appear on the ballot must fill these four vacancies, which in- make application in writing to the clude the positions of mayor and mayor at least 30 days prior to the three councilmen, will be held April election.

City officials whose terms expire this year are Mayor White and Comnissioners C. E. Bruton, J. P. Mc Guire and J. M. Rippetoe. Sam Spruell and H. A. Springer have another year on the council before their terms run out.

Formerly, it has been necessary to have a petition presented requesting that a candidate's name be put on the ballot, but the only require ment now is that the candidate present his request in writing to th mayor.

FIRST TWINS BORN IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Barbara Jean and Beverly Joan Hickman, infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hickman, were the first twins to be born in the Karen-Gayl Hospital, officials of the hospital announced this week.

The little girls were born Sunday, February 19. Both of them and their mother are reported doing well.

Trustee Election Set For April 1

A trustee election for Bront County-line Consolidated School district has been called for April 1 Seven new board members will b elected at this time. The necessity for naming an entire new board was created by the recent consolidation action. A new requirement calls for the election of all board members a the first regular election after a co

The Bronte Longhorns were the only team to draw a bye in the Re-The election will be held at the city halt in Bronte. Supt. J. L. Car- ketball meet to be held Friday and roll named two methods of placing Saturday in Brownwood. The byc candidates' names on the ballot. He automatically advances the Longhorns said any person could ask the county to the second round of play. judge to put his name on the ballot Howard Payne college is sponsor-

or that five or more persons may go ing the regional tournament and play before the judge and ask that any will be in the Howard Payne gymcandidate's name be put on the ballot. nasium. The Bronte cagers will meet the winer of the Burkett-Eldorado BLACKWELL PAIR

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the county

game at 9:45 p.m. Friday. A total of 15 teams will compete

Longhorns Play

Friday Night in

DEADLINE FOR FILING FOR CITY JOBS MARCH 4; ELECTION APRIL 4 County Red Cross Drive To Begin Next Monday

Coke County's Red Cross Drive gram for the 1950-51 year actually Coke County over the top, according will begin Monday, February 27, as totals \$79,000,000. Rigid economies a part of the nation-wide task of and the application of \$12,000,000 raising \$67,000,000 for services to the from the almost depleted surpluses

American people next year. have enabled the organization to hold In announcing the goal for the its request down to the \$67,000,000 Harmon will direct the campaign in 1950 campaign, which is to last as figure.

long as necessary, or for 30 days, Coke County's part of the national

General George C. Marshall, new Red quota is \$924, and workers will be Cross president, pointed out that the on the job next week trying to sign estimated cost of the Red Cross pro- up enough Red Cross members to put

COKE COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW WILL BE TUESDAY AT ROBERT LEE

The annual Coke County Livestock (ums and ribbons which have been show will be held at the show awarded for several years, a new grounds in Robert Lee Tuesday, Feb. prize is being added this year for 28. Some \$356 in premiums will be the best gains in lambs and pens of three, hogs and pens of three and

Judges will be L. M. Hargraves of calves. Sixty dollars prize money will Lubbock and Herman Carter of San be divided among the winners. Angelo. Judging the contests will be-Three showmanship trophies will gin at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the be awarded. These trophies are how. Contest animals must be on awarded each year by the Coke he grounds by 6 p.m., Feb. 27, the County Livestock association. Three afternoon before the show. trophies will be awarded to the ex-

4-H club members or vocational hibitors of the champion calf, lamb agriculture students may enter the and hog. These trophies become the Baby Beeves, Fat Lambs, Fat Hogs permanent possession of the winner. and Purebred Breeding animals of when they have been won three all classes. The Breeding Animal times in succession. This year, only classes only are open to anyone the trophy for the champion lamb is City explosion and fire left and the other two are being do-

In addition to the regular premi-Lions Clubs.

As an extra feature, a registered Hereford heifer, raised by R. E. and Edward Cumbie of Bronte, and a quarter horse, donated by J. F. Mc-**Brownwood Meet** Cabe of Robert Lee, will be given iway.

gional 2 Interscholastic League Bas Improvement of Streets Begins

Mayor H. O. Whitt said this week that work has begun on the street improvement program which was planned several weeks ago. First street to be worked will be the first one west of Highway 277, commonly known as "Church" street.

Whitt said that J. T. Henry and in the turnament. In the lower brack- his vocational agriculture boys are

to Ben Oglesby, county fund drive

Mrs. Hugh Lewis, Jr. is in charge of the drive at Robert Lee. Mrs. the Edith section of the county. So

far no word has been received as to the person who will direct the drive at Silver, but someone will be on the job there by next week, according to H. A. Springer, chairman of the Coke County chapter. C. N. Webb will work at Tennyson for the drive. At ronte various members of women's lubs will solicit funds for the Red TOSS

Springer and Frank Keeney, who is lisaster chairman for this county, the Coke County chapter of the Red Cross, have helped people, both local nd transient, on many occasions durng the past year. This work will be continued, they say, with the more than 57 per cent of the funds that are collected which stay in this coun ty. Less than 43 per cent of the money which Coke Countians give will be sent to the national chapter for its work. Much of the mone which has been sent to national head quarters in recent years has found its way back to Texas because of such disasters as tornadoes and the Texas

Springer said that as long as the nated by the Bronte and Robert Lee Coke County Chapter of the Red Cross is in existence there will be help for people in this section who have hard luck and unable to care for hemselves. He urged everyone to give generously to this worthy cause ince its work means so much to our ounty and to the entire country

STANDARD-TIMES SPECIAL OFFER

A reduced rate of \$7.00 for a even-months' subscription to the Standard-Times has just been bounced. The rate is a large reduc ion over the regular rate of \$14.50 per year. They are offering the San Angelo Morning Times by mail in West Texas for \$7.00 with Sunday or for \$6.00 without Sunday for seven

This is a limited offer and will probably be the last reduced rate until Bargain Days next fall. Interested persons may subscribe at the Bronte Enterprise office.



Supt. J. L. Carroll, vocational ag iculture teacher I. T. Henry, Coac

Jack Price, band director Vershel Smith, and Principal I. N. Gaddy have been re-elected to their school posts for next year. Action on these eachers was taken at a board meet

Carroll and Gaddy are serving their second year in Bronte at the present time. Price and Smith are serving their first year with the Bronte school

as agriculture teacher for 11 years. FIRE FIGHTING SCHOOL NEXT

FRIDAY NIGHT

Fire Chief Bon Spoonts announ ed Wednesday that a fire fighting specialist from the Texas A&M Extension department will be in Bront SEND WATERMELON next Friday night, March 3, to be



solidation

and the American Legion. The game is being sponsored by the high school basketball boys.

Admission to the game will be 75 cents for adults, 50 cents for junior high and high school members and 25 cents for others. For all tickets sold in advance, the athletic club will get 50 per cent of the proceeds but will receive only 40 per cent of the gate tickets sold. The boys will sell tickets in advance of the game.

New Pump Installed At Highway Lake

A new electric pump has been installed at the city lake on the Ballinger highway, Mayor H. O. Whitt announced this week.

Purpose of the pump is to move water from that lake to the one March 2, 3 and 4. nearer to town where the water will be put through the purification system and pumped on to the city standpipe.

Work on FFA Barn "Coming Along Fine"

J. T. Henry said Wednesday that he and his vocational agriculture boys have been doing quite a bit of work on their new barns which an being constructed east of town.

Materials for the structure were given to the vocational agriculture department by the Lions Club. The Sweetwater Cottonoil Mill donated the old gin building which was formerly north of the bank to the Lions, to be used for furthering FFA work in this section. Materials for the new barns were taken from the old.

Congratulations To:

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other child, Janelle, age 3. Grand- 23-21 ball game.

Conard.

gin classes in fire fighting. and Murry, Miles. Spoonts said that all members of Dorothey Faye Scott of Bronte was the volunteer fire department are urg-

named as Best All-Around Player and ed to be present for the meeting. was also elected as Best Sport for Five classes, one each week for five the two-day meet. Petty of Forsan was runner-up in the best all-around player contest.

this training, it should be possible Trophies were awarded to winner for the town to receive a lower inand runner-up in the final and consurance rate. solation matches, awards were made to the all-tournament teams, and

boxes of candy were awarded for the Seniors Will Sponsor best sport and best all-around player Show On March 13 winners. The candy was donated by The Bronte senior class will spon the Bronte Pharmacy, the Central

sor an appearance of "Ida Red and Drug and Jones Cafe. Mrs. J. L. Carroll announced that Her Kentuckians" on Monday night, will help her." her volleyball club will enter two March 13. The visiting group is from other tournaments this year. One will Wichita Falls and may be heard on be held at Millersview on February station KWFT.

The class will sell tickets in ad-25 and 26 and one at Paint Rock on vance of the performance, collecting

40 per cent of the money. The Senior Bob Jordan of Blackwell has sold will use the money to defray expenses 150 steers he had on feed in Kansas of the senior trip.

Admission will be 50 cents for City. They went to the Kansas City market. They weighed 1,125 pounds adults and 25 cents for children un der 12 years of age. and brought 25 cents a pound.

TWO WINS OVER MERTZON GIVE BRONTE DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

By Bobby Franklin

The Bronte Longhorns, under ly made two. Bronte led 8-4 at the Coach Jack Price, hit Mertzon with the old one-two punch after losing the first game of a best two out of three playoff series.

February 10 at Mertzon, the Bronte hoopsters were victims of a riled up Homets nest on the Homets' court Coach Strubers' boys drubbed the Mertzon, chucked in 9 counts. Longhorns 29-26 on a spirited come-

back in the last three minutes of play.

minute to go, the fast breaking George Thomas, Joe G. Wilkins, Mac

Tennyson and Mr. and Mrs. Ed started his second string and Mertzon toss from Sandusky and put it in for immediately piled up a 4-0 lead. Then the final score of the game.

TO WINTERS CHILD

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Joe E. and Esther Davis of Blackwell Saturday sent what was describ weeks, are planned. Spoonts said that ed as a perfectly fresh watermelon to after the local firemen have received little Judy Kay Matthews of Winters 14-B; Clyde, 16-B; Lipan, 15-B; water will run into the highway, bewho is suffering from nephrosis.

> The Davises said they had had the nelon for about two months, and although it had not been on cold stor-

shape. The pair were quoted as saving that

they were glad to give the melon to night. the little girl and that "we hope it

Diversity Club **Officers** Named

Mrs. Will Thomason was elected president of the Diversity club for

Hickok & Reynolds No. 3 J. A. 1 Hickok & Reynolds No. next year at a meeting Thursday night, February 16, in the home of Percifull was scheduled to start gaug- ren was drilling below 3,000 feet in O. H. Willoughby and Mrs. Jess Mrs. W. H. Maxwell, Jr. Mrs. Cecil ing Thursday to determine the po-kemp was elected vice-president of tential gas producing ability of the the No. 1 Warren which was plugged the organization.

T. Henry, secretary; Mrs. Robert For- million cubic feet per day. Produc- night at 2,900 feet. It is 1,375 feet man, treasurer; Mrs. J. B. Mackey, tion is from the Strawn and this is northeast of the same operator's No. the second gasser to be developed 3 Hickman. ounselor; Mrs. George Anderson, he subbed in the "big five" and they parliamentarian; and Mrs. D. K. from that section. No. 3 Percifull is Hiawatha No. 1 Tad Richards was

scored 10 points before Mertzon final- Glenn, reporter. Guest speaker for the evening was an oil producer from the Palo Pin- A drillstem test was run early this

quarter, 12-6 at the half and 19-13 Vetal Flores who spoke to the group to lime. at the end of three. Earl Rusk with on "Beauty of the English Language."

8, and Jack Vaughn with 7 points led Vershel Smith's band students from Field is Placid Oil Co. No. 1 Robert Drilling is scheduled to 6,000 feet or M. Bagwell dismissed. the Longhorn surge but the high the high school played two selections Foreman which was completed last production. This wildcat, northeast Feb. 18: W. D. Latham, Jr., Johnpoint man was from Mertzon. Little and one member played two saxo- summer for a daily potential of 21,- of Bronte topped the Gunsite section

Plans were discussed for a benefit Co. has an interest in the gas wells, Humble No. 1-C Odom. games party to be held on March 7. along with all the Hickok & Reynolds Humble No. B-4 Odom Estate was A refreshment plate was served to holdings west of here. They plan drilling below 5,000 feet. Humble mitted. Twin daughter born to Mr. got back on the beam and led the Mmes. James Allen, George Ander- to start laying a line from the field No. 2-B Odom was drilling below 4,- and Mrs. T. C. Hickman. Then, last Thursday at Bronte, the Longhorns to a 23-21 victory. Jump- son, C. E. Arrott, Arnold F. Ball, in the near future. It will connect 550 feet in sandy lime and the same Feb. 20: Mrs. Mary Clark, Betty Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gaston of local team took a thrilling 23-22 de- ing Gerald not only controlled the Charles Boecking, Clifford Clark, with their main line east of San An- operator No. 3-B Odom was drilling Jean Fiveash dismissed. Jacque Gar-

Clinic hospital in San Angelo. The at Mertzon, the Bronte Longhorns among these being a tie breaking two Cecil Kemp, J. B. Mackey, W. H. tential of their No. 4 R. E. Hickman, Erwin, southeast of Maverick, was Gaddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. little boy weighed 8 pounds and 9 were named 22-B conquerors after in the last minute of play. With the Maxwell, O. R. McQueen, Collins which is located on the south side drilling at 4,600 feet. Two drillstem Gaddy, admitted. Dwain Hageman ounces at birth. The couple has one besting the Hornets in a hard fought score tied 21-21 and less than a Sayner, Otis Smith, H. A. Springer, of the Bronte Field, as 147.33 bar- tests above this depth yielded salt dismissed.

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et with Bronte are the following disneeds to be done to make water trict winners: Coahoma, 23-B; Eden, drain from the streets. They found 19-B; Eldorado, 24-B; Burkett, 25-B; Hermleigh, 21-B; and Hico, 28-B. on this first one that there is a five The upper bracket consists of Earl, foot and two inch drop from the 18-B; Desdemona, 17-B; Gustine, Bronte Service station to where the Evant, 26-B; Carlton, 27-B; and yond Mrs. J. B. McCutchen's house Avoca, 20-B.

Two maintainers are being used in The upper bracket semi-final is the program. Whitt did not say scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday and the which street will be next on the age, they believed it to be in good lower bracket semi-final comes at schedule for improvement, but he

10:15 a.m. Saturday. The title game did say that the city council hopes will be playe dat 8 o'clock Saturday to have all streets in town in good condition before work is stopped.

No. 3 Percifull Test Is Started Yesterday 3' War-

well. Estimates have been made that and abandoned. Humble No. 5 R. Other officers named were Mrs. J. the well will make above 25 to 30 E. Hickman was drilling Wednesday

a southeast twin to No. 1 Percifull, drilling this week below 3,500 feet. mitted.

week in the Gunsite section, but re-The other gas well in the Bronte covery was 1,550 feet of salt water. Mrs. V. M. Box admitted, Mrs. J.

700,000 cubic feet. Lone Star Gas at 3,318 feet, only 11 feet low to Box dismissed. Mrs. J. B. McCutch-

below 3,770 feet in lime.

was through a 16-64 inch choke and No announcement has been made ted. gas-oil ratio was 447-1. Pay section as to the possible production from was treated with 500 gallons of acid. Warren Oil Co. No. 1 Hendry.

\$20,000 Bond **Election March 11**

A \$20,000 bond election for the purpose of overhauling the Bronts school building and purchasing additional equipment has been set for Saturday, March 11, as a result of a petition, ordering the election, which was presented to the trustees. Thirty names were signed to the petition.

Supt. J. L. Carroll emphasized that the election will not affect the tax rate. He said that offers as low as two and one-half per cent have been received from two sources.

The election will be held in the city hall in Bronte with Mrs. Frank Keeney as the election judge Mrs. Percifull will assist in the election.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Feb. 15: Carolyn Glenn and Mrs. Conda Clark dismissed.

Feb. 16: Cullen Clark, Dwain Hageman and Mrs. Addie Fletcher ad-

Feb. 17: Mrs. T. C. Hickman and La Vada Box, daughter of Mr. and

nie Ash, Cullen Clark and La Vada en and B. D. Dunn admitted.

Feb. 19: Betty Jean Fiveash ad

rett admitted.

Hickok & Reynolds No. 1 Ralph Feb. 21: Alton Phillips, Reginald

Feb. 22: Emmett Caperton admit

HELP THE RED CROSS

Humble has reported the daily po-

rels of 47.4 gravity oil. The gauge water.

Tennyson on the birth of a son, John cision from the Irion County clan to backboards, but racked up 12 points Vetal Flores, Robert Forman, D. K. gelo. Wesley, Jr., born February 15 in the even up the count. Then Friday night on the side. Jack Vaughn tallied 6, Glenn, J. T. Henry, Chet Holcombe,

parents are Mrs. S. W. Gaston of In Thursday's game, Coach Price Vaughn broke into the clear, took a Powell and Will Thomason.

C. S. Contraction

In Friday's game, Gerald Sandusky

Jimmy Steger bucketed 10 points for phone solos. high scoring honors. Sanders, also of

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THE DEADLINE

(An Editorial)

In a few more days the deadline is pouring out of the earth on two will have arrived making it too late sides of our town, a new gas field for anybody to run for the four city is being developed. It should be a offices which are to become vacant splendid opportunity for townspeople this year. Three councilment and a to see that Bronte grows and prosmayor are to be elected-if anybody pers because of all these good things. will have the job.

From where we sit and from what

For DEPENDABLE INSURANCE L. T. Youngblood Bronte, Texas

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The



ity officials who are "on the ball." as second-class matter at the It seems to us that the present Post Office at Bronte, Texas, March 000 Red Cross volunteers proved that ancil is doing a good job. Much 1, 1918, under the Act of March 3, with tens of millions of hours of as been accomplished in the last 1879 service.

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two years-a new street lighting sys-

tem has been installed, U. S. High-

way 277 has been widened, a new

water distribution has been provided,

greater storage space has been pro

vided for our lakes, a street improve ment program has been started, and

many other things too numerous to

enumerate have been done. Why not draft these men who have had exper

ience and who "know the ropes" to

handle the city's business for anothe:

two years? Perhaps with a little encouragement they could be made to see that they have opportunities

which demand that they give the best

they have for the town

(An Editorial) The Red Cross this year reminds

ALL MAY HELP

us that "All May Help" in the organization's wide-spread humanitarian work. That slogan is the theme of when it says "All May Help." the 1950 fund campaign. It has personal meaning to every American HERE'S Each day thousands of those who want to help and thousands who need BLACKWELL

help are brought together through the Red Cross for the most heartwarming 'swap" in mankind's history. It is a ery personal exchange, this barter of he impulse to aid for the pain, the water Friday to be with her daughtersuffering, the worry, the life of a fel- in-law, Mrs. Charles Wilson, who unlow man in distress. And it is a swap with wide appeal. Last year 1,450,hospital

> Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ware and son. Jerry, and Mrs. Virginia Purvis went to Lubbock Sunday to visit with their

We are lucky in America that the sons, Harold Ware and Smiley Purvis, balance between those in need and who are attending Texas Tech. those ready to meet that need is so Mr. and Mrs. Delos Alsup had as favorable. We are a generous people. their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Our hearts are warm, our hands ready Merlin Wilson and sons of Highman to help. Let us make sure that the Mrs. Leonard Story and children, Mr. balance never shifts, that no cry for and Mrs. Byron Holley and daughter aid ever goes unheeded. of Odessa. The Holleys also visited

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

derwent surgery in the Sweetwater

Mrs. Jim Wilson went to Sweet-

One sure way of guaranteeing that his mother, Mrs. Fair Bell Holley.

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the work of mercy will never end is, Mr. and Mrs. William Cook and lan dhome over the weekend. to support your Red Cross. Support children of Lometa spent the weekit in every way that you can - with end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Raney, J. Roy Sanderson and your time, your energy, your money. H. C. Cook.

All are needed, and each one of us can contribute some part of the total. their weekend guests their son, Bob-That is what the Red Cross means by, and Russel Smith, ACC students at Abilene.

Clarence Smith, who is teaching au Rosebud, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith. Dick Smith, a Texas Tech student, isited his parents over the weekend.

and Miss Effie Copeland of Colorado

City were visitors in the R. V. Cope-

Mrs. C. B. Smith are visiting rela-Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Spence had as tives in Fort Worth and Dallas. Jack Youree, a teacher in Snyder high school, spent the weekend in

Blackwell visiting with his parents. Mrs. Ollie Ratliff is visiting her son, Blll, of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Raney, Mrs.

Mr.

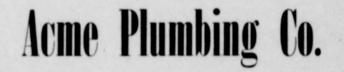
In last week's column, we named several who attended the church meeting in Sweetwater on Tuesday Pam Sanderson, a teacher in Ster-We omitted the names of Mrs. P. G. ing City, was home over the week-Dabney and Mrs. D. T. Hunt from the list of those who attended. Miss Mary Nell Copeland of Snyder

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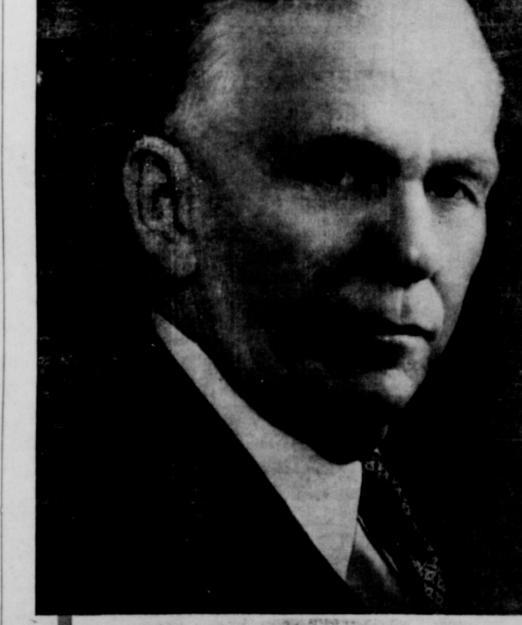


PHONES

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Robert Lee



disaster . . . gives comfort to the hospitalized soldier and veteran ... helps relieve the anxieties of the serviceman and his family . . . provides, in many communities, life-giving blood to the sick and injured.

Each year the millions who need help and the millions who want to help are brought together through the Red Cross.

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7. Five Years' Driving in 70 Days! To test the wear-fighting ability of amazing new Conoco Super Motor Oil, six brand-new cars raced over blistering highways along the Mexican border . . . 14 hours a day for 10 weeks. After 50,000 miles of continuous driving, engines showed no wear of any consequence . . . in fact, an average of less than one one-thousandth of an inch on crankshafts and cylinders! Astounding proof: factory polishing marks were still visible on piston rings!



2. New-Car Mileage ! For the last 5,000 miles of this gruelling test—equal to 5 years of normal mileage—gasoline mileage was as good as for the *first* 5,000 miles . . . actually there was an average difference for the fleet of only 4/100 of a mile per gallon! Proved: Conoco <u>Super</u> Motor Oil—with crankcase drains at proper intervals and regular care—can keep your new car *new*! New Conoco <u>Super</u> Motor Oil conclusively showed itself to be *the great new modern wear-fighter*!



3. New-Car Power! Quicker Starts! Yes—Conoco <u>Super</u> Motor Oil's *extra protection* keeps that factory flash . . . that showroom smoothness . . . year after year! Conoco <u>Super</u> Motor Oil's exclusive ability to OIL-PLATE metal surfaces makes your engine last longer, perform better, use less gasoline and oil! Conoco <u>Super</u> Motor Oil virtually *stops wear before it starts* . . . keeps your engine *new* and *clean*!

NEW CONOCO Super Motor



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The Bronte Enterprise

Caperton's Get OK Approval

Caperton Chevrolet Co. of Bronte tion value imp announced this week that they have car symbol.

been approved by the Chevrolet Mo- Capertons have been Chevrolet tor Division of General Motors Cor- dealers in Bronte for approximately poration to sell used cars with the OK a year now and, in addition to their new and used car business, operate Used Car Guarantee.

This means that all used cars a complete service station, garage which are sold by the local firm and auto paint shop. They also sell will be thoroughly inspected and an Chevrolet parts and accessories. will be thoroughly inspected and re- The firm is owned by E. L., R. T conditioned by experienced person- and Matthew Caperton, all of whom nel. The inspection and recondition- are active in managing the business ing shall include all major functional An ad on this page of The Enterunits, systems and assemblies of the prise tells more in detail about the vehicle to assure the purchaser of new arrangement they have made in receiving a car with the transporta- selling their used cars.





NEW OK DEALER-

Shown above is the building which houses the Caperton Chevrolet Co., recently approved by Chevrolet Division of General Motors Corp. to handle OK used cars.

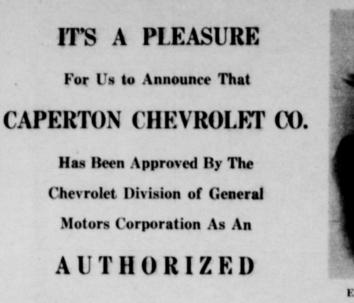
Capertons Deliver Four New Chevrolets

R. T. Caperton of the local Chev olet firm said this week that they ave delivered four new vehicles dur-

This new approval by General Motors assures the used car buyer that any car which is sold by the local firm has been inspected and reconditioned. Buyers will be furnished a writeen guarantee on all used cars bought from Capertons.

MRS. C. C. GLENN IS GUEST SPEAKER AT JOINT CLUB MEETING

Mrs. C. C. Glenn reviewed the





E. L. CAPERTON, General Mgr., **Caperton Chevrolet Co**

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Our employees and equipment came through with flying colors in the rigid qualification test .. and we point with pride to the fact that we are the only automobile dealers in Bronte who can offer you the 'OK' USED CAR GUARANTEE.

.-And because of the new Chevrolet popularity, our used car lot always offers you the select used cars or trucks in this district.

Here Is A Copy of Our Chevrolet Dealers' **Used Car Merchandising Certificate**

This is to certify that CAPERTON CHEVROLET CO. (hereinafter called the Dealer), in consideration of the high prestige and merchandising value attached to the nationally recognized "OK Used Car" Symbol, shown hereon, and the benefits to be derived by the Dealer through the privilege of using "OK Used Car" Symbol, hereby agrees to abide by the requirements of Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Corporation (hereinafter called Chevrolet) covering the use of the "OK Used Car" Symbol, namely:

- 1. All used motor vehicles carrying the "OK Used Car" Symbol will be thoroughly inspected and reconditioned by qualified personnel.
- 2. Dealer's inspection and reconditioning procedures shall include all major functional units, systems, and assemblies of th vehicle to assure purchaser the reasonable degree of safety, performance, and transportation value implied by the "OK Used Car" Symbol
- 3. Dealer shall furnish a written dealership warranty to the purchaser covering each used motor vehicle sold as an OK Used Car, such warranty to be generally com-parable to that appearing on the OK warranty forms made available to the Dealer in this connectio
- 4. Dealer accepts the responsibility for the full understanding by all dealership per-sonnel of the full meaning and purpose of the use of the "OK Used Car" Symbol and neither dealer nor any of dealer's personnel shall intentionally misrepresent or cancel the true condition of any used motor vehicle, offered for sale with the "OK Used Car" Symbol.

Accordingly, Chevrolet hereby licenses Dealer to use the "OK Used Car" Symbol on Dealer's representation that he and his personnel shall comply with each of the fore-going requirements, provided, however, that Chevrolet shall assume no liability with respect

to Dealer's operation under the license

This license to use the "OK Used Car" Symbol is subject to revocation by Chevrolet This license to use the "OK Used Car" Symbol is subject to revocation by Chevrolet without cause or reason upon ten days' written notice and is subject to immediate revoca-tion by Chevrolet if any of the conditions under which it is hereby granted are proved to the satisfaction of Chevrolet to have been violated. In the event of revocation of this license, the Dealer agrees to cease and desist from any further use of the "OK Used Car" Symbol and to sell to Chevrolet any signs belonging to the Dealer of a type recommended by Chev-rolet and bearing the "OK Used Car" Symbol, at a price mutually agreed upon by Chevrolet and the Dealer. If Chevrolet and the Dealer cannot agree on a price, they shall select a third party who shall set the price to be paid therefor.

This license is effective from the date hereof until revoked.

Signed: CHEVROLET MOTOR DIVISION GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION By ROY M. CASH.

Zone Manager.

The undersigned Dealer agrees to perform his obligations as set forth in this Chevrolet Dealer OK Used Car Merchandising Certificate.

Signed: CAPERTON CHEVROLET COMPANY Dated this 25th day of August, 1949. By E. L. CAPERTON, At Bronte, Texas Location: Bronte, Texas

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CAPERTON **CHEVROLET CO.**

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George James, jr. and Katie Bell

Chambers of San Angelo spent Thursday night in the George James home Mrs. J. P. Tounget and children and Janetta Baca of Miles visited the oungets Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Harrell of Son-

Y. Harrells last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Brown and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. William Lee

Mrs. D. J. Corley, Jack Corley, Marvin Corley and James Arrott were business visitors in Robert Lee Fri-

Floyd McCartys.

Friday evening.

pital in Bronte.

has been ill with polio.

Edd Heckerndorf family in Midland.

after being ill in the Karen-Gayl hos-

relatives in San Angelo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson of

San Angelo spent Thursday with the

W. D. Latham has returned home

Mrs. D. J. Corley is driving a new Chevrolet. C. N. Webb and J. W. Latham have new Ford pickups.

> Mrs. John Gaston's sister and husband visited with them a short time Sunday morning. They were enroute from San Antonio to El Paso.

> Mr. and Mrs. Lofty Hall of San Angelo spent Sunday with the W. D. Lathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Carper and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Droll and family at Rowena Sunday. L. E. Conger was honored with a birthday supper in the Fred Conger

ome Saturday evening. Betty Gene Fiveash was admitted to the Bronte hospital Sunday after being thrown from a horse.

Buford James spent Saturday night nd Sunday with R. J. James and amily at Christoval. Mr. and Mrs. George James, Hazel and Dorothe, Mrs. Katie Bell Chambers and Sandra spent Sunday there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conger and Mrs. Lee and baby visited the L. E. Maybes in San Angelo recently. Mrs. Tounget and children visited

the George James family Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy spent Friday night with the Marvin Corleys. Mmes. Robert Brown, Jack Corley and Grady Gaston visited Mrs. John Gaston and baby Saturday afternoon Mrs. Willie Brown visited Mrs. W

F. Green Monday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Brown and Russell and lackie Corley visited Mrs. Chester Derrick and Shirley Monday after-

Mmes. Tom Green and Zack Tounget attended the funeral services for Mr. Bailey of Miles this week. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McKenzie and

played 42 in the Marvin Corley home | Herbert spent Tuesday night with, For February 24, 1950 Mrs. Tounget and children

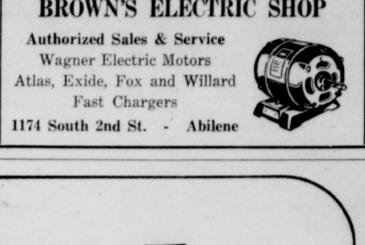
Betty Jo Lunsford is back in school Mrs. Otto Finck spent Tuesday after an absence of six weeks. She night in Miles with her sisters. Betty Fiveash was brought home Mrs. Sudie Brown is visiting the from the hospital Tuesday.

Randal Meador and baby of Abilene visited the C. O. Meadors. Funeral services were held at Miles

Methodist church Tuesday afternoon Charlie Calcote of San Antonio vis- "at 3 o'clock for Newt Bailey. Mr. ited Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gordon Bailey, who was a brother-in-law of Wednesday and Wednesday night. Mrs. Otto Finck, died Sunday in a Mr. Calcote and Mrs. Gordon visited San Angelo hospital. Burial was in the Miles cemetery.

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Sliced BACON	тр. 39с	Fruits and Vegtables Two and Three Times a Week		Gerbers and Heinz 3 Cans BABY FOOD 25c				Cherry Bell 25 Lb. Bas	
Chuck ROAST	Lb. 49c	LETTUC	E 10c	TIDE, RINSO, Lge. Pkg.		Nestle's Chocolate Bars	3 Bars 10c	18 th Miti Good 100 Lb. F LAYING MASH	rint Bag \$3.75
Kraft American	Lb.	TURNIPS & TO	OPS 9c	Ribbon Cane	½ Gal.	Fruit Cocktail	. 2 1-2 Can 39c	CLOROX Pt. 16c	Gal 490
CHEESE	45c	Fresh CARROTS	Bunch 5c	SYRUP Hunt's	49c	Campbell's TOMATO SOUP	Can 12c	TOILET TISSUE	3 Roll 25
STEW MEAT	39c	RADISHES	2 bun. 15c	C.L. MOLTIN	19c	No. 1 Cans TOMATOES	^{3 For} 25c	Skinner's Macaroni or SPAGHETTI	2 Boxe 19
	Lb.	Green ONIONS	2 Bunches 15c	SPRY	3 Lb. Can 75c	Red & White COFFEE	Lb. Can 79c	and a second a second	2 Can 21
Bologna	32c		0 Lbs. 43c			ton (-+-		
Good Fresh Home Killed Beef in Our Market		ORANGES	ь. 10с	Ciga	ret	162 1	-11	1. \$1.	13

Mr. & Mrs. T. F. (Tuffy) Sims

Page Six The Bronte Enterprise	BUILDING VALUES	FOR SALE: Piano, in excellent con-		World Day of Prayer	charge of the program. This program	. 1
	34" Plywood	FOR SALE: Seigler Kerosene heat-	Clurch NEWS	To Be Observed Today The World Day of Prayer will observed by the Methodist WSCS	to- today in order that persons not at-	
Bronte Tractor Co. It: FOR SALE-Model C and model	2x4 - 12	condition. Will heat large room. Good price! Inquire at BRONTE	Baptist Church V. D. Price, Pastor	day with an all-day meeting and cor- ered dish luncheon at the churr The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.	ov- tending may stop for a moment of ch. silent prayer in observance of this	
sacks. FEEDER SUPPLY 14th and N. Chadbourne San Angelo. WD Allis-Chalmers tractors. See them at Bronte Tractor Co.	gladly figured - Let our prices and trained personnel help save you money.		Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. R. T. U. 6:30 p.m.	will be given. Mrs. S. A. Kiker, se	R. T. Caperton and Noel Percifull ec. went to Dallas last Friday where R. in T. attended a meeting Friday night.	
TEXAS THEATRE BRONTE, TEXAS	LONE STAR LUMBER AND BUILDERS SUPPLY	Announcements The Bronte Enterprise has been	Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.		in 1. anomaci a meeting Philay ingite	
"Motion Pictures Are Your Finest Entertainment" FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24 - 25	1818 Pine Street Phone 4381 Abilene, Texas "We Will Not Be Undersold"	authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office subject to the action of the	E. L. Thurmond, Pastor	A WALL PAINT		Q
Robert Mitchum and Barbara Hale in Zane Grey's "WEST OF THE PECOS" Also Cartoon and News	ROYALTIES - Do you have them? Will you sell them? If so list them	Democratic voters in their primary election on Saturday, July 22, 1950:	Morning Worship 10 a.m. B. T. C. 7 p.m. Evening Worship 8 p.m.	YOU KNOW IS	ecause its	
SUNDAY & MONDAY, FEB. 26 - 27, Sun. Matinee 1:30 Glenn Ford and Ida Lupino in "LUST FOR GOLD"	with me. TAYLOR EMERSON, Registered Dealer. Phone 111 or 7504. Box 178, Bronte.	FOR COUNTY JUDGE Jeff Dean (re-election)	Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m. Church of Christ			
Plus Cartoon TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28 - MARCH 1 George Raft, Nina Foch and George Macready in	I AM NOW buying cotton in gov- ernment loan. Some of these equi- ties have a nice margin. See me before you sell. Fred McDonald,	FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR- COLLECTOR Paul Good (re-election)	Idas England, Minister Bible Study 10 a. m.	INSU		
"JOHNNY ALLEGRO" Also Cartoon	Jr., Robert Lee. 8-tfc REAL ESTATE, City farm or ranch.	FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK Willis Smith (reelection)	Worship and Communion, 10:50 a.m. Young People's Class 6:15 p.m. Evening Services	FOR WAS Yes, you can depend on	HABILITY!	
FOR QUALITY FURNITURE	Licensed Dealer. MRS. VERNON		Tuesday Ladies' Bible Class 3 p.m. This is your personal invitation from the Church of Christ to come	Spred Satin for "smooth- sailing" easier house- cleaning. New formula	That to line out and a	12
For Fair Prices	C. LAMMERS. 5-tfc FOR SALE: Kanota Oats. Extra clean. 85c bushel. Phone 58, W.	FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2	and visit with us in our service. Methodist Church	with ingredients similar to synthetic rubber makes wall washing so		(•
For Friendly Service For Your Household Needs— IN SAN ANGELO IT'S—	W. Ivey. tfc FOR SALE: Table top Perfection	Otis Smith (re-election) Precinct No. 4 Claude Ditmore (re-election)	Alvin R. Mauldin, Pastor Church School 10 a.m.	simple! Retains original color through rej. d washings for many years.		
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.	range, Sun Flame oil heater and battery radio. All in good condi- tion. Priced right. Howard Brock.	Seventeen Present for Sunshine Club Meeting	Morning Worship 11 a.m. Evening Worship and MYF 7 p.m. Tennyson, 1st and 3rd Sun 3 p.m. Hayrick, 2nd and 4th Sun 3 p.m.	Get a quart and try it on any wall surface.		
	FOR SALE-6, 8 and 10 foot Aer- motor double-geared windmills and	By Billie Tounget Fifteen members and two visitors	Blackwell Ball	 Dries in 20 Minutes Ready to Use 	Money-Back Policy with	•
Always Ask for – Rapper	towers. LEEPER SUPPLY CO. Robert Lee. BABY CHICKS	were present at the meeting of the Tennyson Sunshine club Friday, Feb- ruary 17, in the home of Mrs. Harold	Game Benefits March of Dimes	Very Easy to Apply Roller or Brush 14 washable colors t	with every purchase. Your in- surance against Streak- ing, Loss of Color when washing Satin paint	
Damer	BABY CHICKS and Started Chicks. FEEDER SUPPLY, 14th and N. Chadbourne, San Angelo. 38tfc	Garrett. Mrs. Tounget presided as president in the absence of Mrs. Car- per.	By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale The Blackwell basketball boys and	every room in the l • Dirt-proof! Water-p		
And Ice Cream At Your Favorite Grocer's	JUST RECEIVED: Factory shipment of pipe fittings. Couplings, tees, ells, bushings, reducers. ½ to 2	ing exercises and Mrs. C. N. Webb was elected delegate to be sent	Highland girls won 21 to 18 and the	\$ 39 QT.		
At four Pavorite Grocer's	inches. BRONTE TRACTOR CO. 46-tfc	council for district meeting, which will be in Abilene on April 20. Mrs.	Highland boys won 32 to 26. John Wilkes was high score man for High- land and Bob Ragsdale was the high	Vernon C. La	5308 SL4002005	(
(D)		ary 28 to help at the county fat stock show.	scorer for Blackwell. Following the game, cakes, pies, a blanket and other items were auction- ed off by Rev. Raymond Dyess as		Night Phone 174	~
in colors to	match the	by the hostess. Games were played. Next meeting will be March 3 in the home of Mrs. Claude Ditmore.	auctioneer. \$88.54 was taken in. Supt. O. Z. Porter is chairman for the	* Another Glid	den Achievement *	
MENU	ty of e Spring season!	Mrs. Floyd McCarty will give the opening exercise and the roll call will be answered with "the way home demonstration work has helped me."	Varal III IN IIIN IN INCOMENT	FOOD VAL	UES (M	
Shirley Just your	\$1095	The program will be on locating and planting trees, and will be given by the home demonstration agent.		that	MAR	
Lee Dish		Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word had as their guests Sunday, Mrs. Winnie Graham of Big Spring and J. J. Har-	HERING CONINDS			6
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	B	Eyes Examined Lenses Ground Glasses Fitted	NEW POTATOE	S 27c	Pork Link Lb.	
	SERVICE PROM	One-Day Service	Kimbell's 2 CUT WAX BEAN	No. 2 Cans SAUS	AGE 39c	
		PHILLIPS Glasses.	U. S. No. 1	10 Lbs. Swift's S BACO		
		28 We. Beauregard San Angelo	SPUDS	CHEE	Brookfield Lb. SE 39c	7
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		BLOOMING	Chicken of the Sea TUNA	Can All Meat	Lb.	
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		BIGGEST s 89 ROSE	Pure Cane SUGAR	IU LOS.	ARINE 37c	
LOVELY LADY. dainty white lace edges collar and sleeves edds a frill across bodice front on this aristocratic young flatterer of butcher spun rayon. There's extra in-	colorful double duty ensemble with ex-	BARGAIN IN AMERICA A thrilling ROSE COLLEC- TION at P 1 unheard of price- ing size roas bushes for only	TIDE I	ige. 25c CRISC	3 Lb. Tin 79c	(0
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