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Summary of Year's Happenings Is Given



OPENING THE VALVE—

Shown here in this picture, taken from the 22 issue of The Enterprise, is a group of Lone Star officials and others who attended the ceremony Thursday which marked the opening of the main line

through Bronte. E. L. Buelow, district manager of the gas company, is shown opening the valve which allowed ten pounds of gas to flow into the lines.

Left to right, are shown J. A. Percifull, J. P. McGuire, Sam Spruell, H. O. Whitt, Will Wood, land agent for Lone Star, Buelow,

L. T. Youngblood, J. R. Nelson, manager of Miles, Rowena and Bronte's gas district, J. W. Buelow, with the Amarada Oil Co., J. B. Mackey, J. P. Parish, Lone Star pressure manager, B. F. Bridges, H. A. Springer and P. W. Bryan, plant superintendent of the San Angelo Lone Star division.

Editor's Note: Following is a resume of the year's news as has been recorded in the Bronte Enterprise during 1950. This summary goes through the month of November.

JANUARY, 1950

The first week of the new year brought fog, 1.5 inches of rain, warm weather and sunshine and a stinging norther which dropped temperatures to 15 degrees.

Starting the political pot boiling early in the year, Claude Ditmore and Otis Smith announced their candidacies for commissioners from the east side of the county. Mrs. Ruby Pettit filed for reelection to the office of County Treasurer as did Jeff Dean for the position of County Judge. Paul Good threw his hat in the ring for reelection as Sheriff.

The Bronte cagers won their ninth straight game. The school board recommended a \$20,000 bond election for the purpose of remodeling, repairing and reconditioning the local school buildings. The March of Dimes drive was preparing to get underway, with J. M. Rippetoe as county chairman. The Clarence Nardelli of San Angelo purchased the Bronte Cafe from Sam and Lelia Spruell, and I. M. Cumbie sold his Red & White Store to J. F. and Sidney Holmes of Abilene, after being in business in Bronte for 30 years. The contract was let for a \$62,725 dam on Mountain Creek at Robert Lee. Three polio cases, Jamie and Bobby Allen of Bronte and Betty Jo Lumsford of Temyson, were reported in the area.

FEBRUARY, 1950

Willis Smith announced he would run again for the job of County and District Clerk. Paul Good reported 1362 poll tax receipts had been issued before the January 31 deadline. A school trustee election was set for April 1 and the city election were slated for April 4.

Tuffy Sims purchased the Red & White Store from the Holmes Bros. and moved from the Banner building into the main street store. Little Charles Manley was buried at Gold-

thwaite and a busy singing star of Hollywood, Roy Rogers, took time out to telephone, sing and talk to Belva Karen Rippetoe. The Junior Chapter Conducting team won first place in the area contests at Colorado City with members Bobby Evans, Lyndon Waldrop, Robert Brown, Johnny Williams, Billy Jack Gentry, Billy Paul Thomason, Jimmy Gray, J. Lee Ensor, Roy Wilkins and Norris Crowover taking part. A big March of Dimes auction sale and program netted \$400 with a total of \$2,078.16 being raised in the county. G. A. "Uncle Doll" Best, Bronte pioneer, died after a lingering illness and was buried Feb. 13. The Junior-Senior banquet was held on Valentine night in Ballinger with Judge Jeff Dean as the principal speaker. J. L. Carroll, J. T. Henry, Jack Price, and W. N. Gaddy were renamed to their posts in the Bronte schools.

MARCH, 1950

The Bronte high school Greenhand Chapter Conducting team won third place in state contests at Huntsville. Joe Russell Ash and B. F. Bridges & Son won first places at the Coke County Livestock Show in Robert Lee. Joe Russell Ash, Lyndon Waltrics in the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. Joe Russell won a first prize at San Angelo and Bridges & Son took a couple of blue ribbons with their Rambouillets.

Nina Lee Mackey was the new night nurse at the Karen-Gay hospital. The Blackwell depot was destroyed by fire. H. A. Springer announced the start of the annual Red Cross drive. Four defendants were indicted by a Coke County grand jury for burglaries of the Bronte and Robert Lee school buildings.

Flu was reaching epidemic proportions, according to Dr. John B. Harris. Tad Richards celebrated his first oil well with a barbecue meal for about 100 of his friends. Population counting was beginning in the county for the 1950 Federal census. The Tax Assessor-Collector's office stated that 956 vehicles had been registered. The year's worst "duster" hit and stayed over the weekend of March 25.

C. E. Bruton, J. P. McGuire, J. M. Rippetoe, J. B. Mackey and Joe George Wilkins announced their candidacies for three city alderman positions. H. O. Whitt announced he would run for reelection as Mayor. Seventy-eight voters okeyed a \$20,000 school bond issue. Mack Powell, W. W. Millikin, Clifford Clark, Cecil Kemp, D. K. Glenn, W. H. Maxwell, Jesse Parker, Sid Evans, James Lee, Charlie Boecking, C. L. Brown, Bon Spoons, Noel Percifull, R. T. Caperton, John Coalsen, R. H. Sims, Aubrey Denman, Cullen Luttrell and Bill Wrinkle all had their names put up for election to the Bronte School's board of trustees. Jeff Blair announced that he would run for Coke County Sheriff.

APRIL, 1950

One hundred and eighty-four persons voted in the trustee election, naming Mack Powell, W. W. Millikin, Cecil Kemp, D. K. Glenn, W. H. Maxwell, Jr., Jesse Parker and Sid Evans trustees. J. B. Mackey, Joe George Wilkins, and J. P. Mc-

Guire were elected to the Bronte City Council with H. O. Whitt being renamed Mayor without opposition. Dorsey Handeman announced for reelection as state senator. Weldon Fikes authorized the Enterprise to announce that he would run for county clerk.

Lone Star Gas company offered to pipe the city with gas if 150 potential users would put up \$10 meter deposits. 1560 car licenses were issued in the county. Mrs. S. A. Kiker was honored Easter Sunday morning at the Methodist church when she was given a lifetime membership in the WSCS. Coke County exceeded its Red Cross quota, collecting some \$1,025. Plans for the Oak Creek dam project were proceeding. Mrs. Noel Percifull was named president of the Junior Study club. A 2½ inch rainfall was welcomed on the weekend of April 15. The new Coke County Memorial hospital had its first patient, Bobby Sommerville. Doyle Adair, Don Daniels and Woodrow Howels dairy cattle judging team, and Bobby Franklin, Gerald Sandusky and Bill Hipp, livestock judging team, placed high in the area contests in Lubbock and planned to attend the state contests at A&M College.

MAY, 1950

The official population of the City of Bronte was announced at 1013. More than two million dollars were on deposit at the First National Bank here, L. T. Youngblood announced. May 8 to 13 was named clean-up week for Bronte. The senior class took their annual trip to Galveston. Peggy Griffith was named band sweetheart. Coke County pioneer, E. C. Rawlings, was buried May 16, after a long illness. The 1950 seniors were Doris Adair, Marlene Ar-

JUNE, 1950

Funeral services were held for 23 year old Otis Richman, killed in a tragic highway accident five miles south of Bronte. C. E. Bruton was elected president of the Lions club. Rev. J. E. Fuller came here from Comfort as new pastor of the Methodist church. More good rains fell during the first week of June. Lone Star Gas Co. leased two acres of land for their processing plant.

The Coke County hospital had its formal opening on Sunday, June 18. The new Blackwell Methodist Church was also dedicated on that date. Merkel downed Bronte 5-1 in a baseball game. Bronte was fogged with DDT in the early morning hours. The water was turned off in the mains for three days while lines to the city were being repaired. The Enterprise won awards in typography and advertising at the state press convention in Fort Worth. Lone Star Gas started piping the city for gas. Sweetwater let the contract for the Oak Creek dam. A temperature of 99 degrees was reported for Tuesday, June 27.

JULY, 1950

The Spruells leased their cafe to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word. The

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Happy New Year



We join you in a chorus of praise for the New Year



And send our wishes for your prosperity.

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Stores to Close for New Years

Just before this paper was printed, considerable talk was going on around town about closing the business houses in Bronte on New Year's Day, next Monday. Most all the merchants contacted seemed to favor the idea and plans were made to circulate a petition to find out for sure about this matter.

Most everybody wanted to take Jan. 1 as a holiday in order to inventory their merchandise. Vernon Lammers announced for sure that he would be closed Sunday, Monday and Tuesday for taking inventory and we believe we're right in saying (a week ahead of time) that most all the stores will be closed Jan. 1.

Printing Plant Being Moved

At first glance at this paper, we know our readers will say, "WHAT, NO NEWS," and that is exactly the way it is this week. The reason is simple and we feel that under the circumstances we are entitled to come out early. Here's the reason:

Our printing plant is enroute from Abilene to Bronte, thus making it necessary to print this paper a week ahead of time. We have filled these four pages with New Year's greetings from your friends, the merchants of Bronte, and with highlights of the happenings of 1950, the year which will be gone in another two days. A few New Year's features were thrown in, too, where we needed a filler.

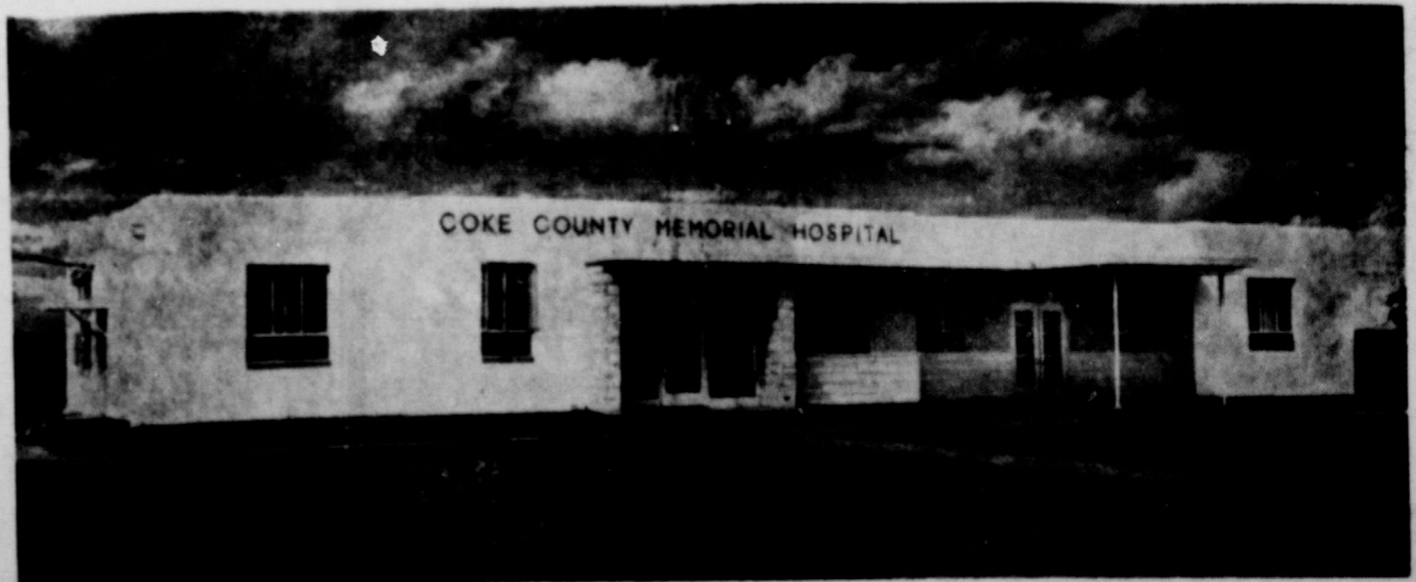
Sometimes it seems that little happens in a town of 1,013 people but in going through our files for the past 12 months, we find there has been far too much occur to print in one paper, so we have touched some of the high points, perhaps skipping some that should be mentioned, but we hope we have properly reviewed it in a brief way.

This week we are moving to a new

building in order to get the space necessary for a complete printing establishment. We will move to the Bridges building between Keeney's and C. R. Smith and hope within two or three weeks to have everything straightened out. By moving the shop to Bronte, we hope to give you better service on your printing, keep our office open every day from eight until five o'clock, and serve you better in every way.

Maybe you'll like this form of paper in the closing days of the year. It has been interesting to us to compile it. Next week, we hope to be back on our regular schedule.

May we ask your cooperation in the ensuing months of 1951 in gathering the news? Won't you call us at 56 or 45 if you have had guests, if you have been out of town or if you know any news? Or, if it isn't convenient to call come by the office or drop your news in the mail box. We'll appreciate it as much as we have your cooperation in the past years we have been here.



NEW HOSPITAL—

From the June 30 issue of the Enterprise comes this picture of

the new Coke County Memorial hospital at Robert Lee. The hospital was built by the county with

federal aid in the financing. The hospital boasts all the latest equipment and fixtures needed to oper-

ate a modern hospital. It is located in the northwest part of Robert Lee.

ART CRAFT HAS HO

The Art-Craft day, December 15, was a party. The gifts were a refreshment.

THE DIARY OF THE BIBLE

(Editor's Note: The copy for the following feature was turned in by

Rev. W. A. Reeves, pastor of the Kickapoo Baptist Church. January 15: I have been resting quietly for a week. The first few nights of the year my owner read me regularly. Now I have been forgot-

ten, I guess. February 2: Clean up day. I was dusted with some other things and put back on the shelf. February 7: My owner used me for a short time, looking up some references and then went to Sunday

School. March 7: I have been dusted today and placed on the center table in the sitting room. Special company has been here, but now I am back on the shelf again.

April 2: Busy day! My owner lead a devotional lesson and had to look up some references. She had quite a time finding me and then she hunted and hunted to find the references she wanted. She's not very well acquainted with me, you see.

May 5: I am here in Grandma's lap. She's here on a visit. A tear dropped on Colossians 2:5-7.

May 6: I am on Grandma's lap again this afternoon. She has spent

most of her time reading I Corinthians 13 and the last four verses of the 15th chapter.

May 7, 8, 9: I have been in Grandma's lap each of these afternoons. I am there now. It's such a comfort to be appreciated, loved and held tenderly. She reads me part time and then she sits and talks to me.

May 10: Grandma's gone and I'm back in the same old place. June 4: I had a couple of four-leaf clovers tucked away between my leaves today.

July 1: I have been packed away in a trunk today with some other things. They are off on a vacation. I guess.

July 7: I am still in the trunk though I guess nearly everything else has been taken out; other things first, I guess.

July 15: Well, I am home again and back in the same old place. Quite a journey we had, but I can't see why they took me. I was not out of the trunk even once while we were gone.

August 1: Rather stuffy and hot. Two magazines, a novel and an old hat on top of me. I wish they'd take them off.

September 10: Clean up day. I was dusted and put back. I am lonesome. Wish Grandma would come again.

September 12: Mary used me for a few minutes today. She was writing a friend whose brother had died, and she needed a suitable verse to quote.

October 5: I was carried to church on rally day and held up to be counted. I am glad to be used even that way.

December 31: Tomorrow I expect to have a knife slipped between my leaves by a blindfolded person who will place a finger on a verse, then the blindfold will be removed and the verse read. Suppose the finger should rest on John 5:39?

Tomorrow the New Year will be here. I wonder if it will be as lonesome as this one has been. On the

shelf, under the dust, and magazines on New Year's Day, 1815, General Jackson repelled the British when they attacked New Orleans. This battle ended the War of 1812.

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A New Year GREETING First National Bank In Bronte

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Happy holiday! 1951 The New Year blossoms with new opportunities for us all. ACME PLUMBING CO. Ballinger

Church NEWS

Baptist Church V. D. Price, Pastor Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. B. T. U. 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

Kickapoo Baptist Church W. A. Reeves, Pastor Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. B. T. U. 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p.m. W. M. A. 1st & 3rd Tues. 2 p.m.

Church of Christ Leon Sharp, Minister Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship & Communion 10:50 a.m. Young People 6 p.m. Evening Services 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Class 7:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Class Thursday, 3 p.m. This is your personal invitation from the Church of Christ to come and visit with us in our services.

Methodist Church J. E. Fuller, Pastor Church School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. MYF 6:15 p.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Hayriok, 2nd and 4th Sun. 3 p.m.

Fort Chadbourne Baptist Church Bill Moore, Pastor Evening services, 2nd & 4th 8 p.m. Bible Class, 2nd & 4th 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Church, 2nd & 4th Sun. 11 a.m.

Bethel Chapel 800 CADDO STREET Rev. Carl Wilson, Pastor Week Night Services Tues., Thurs., Sat., 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting 2:30 p.m. Young People's Service 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

And we thank you for giving us a happy old year.

Jones Cafe And Station

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HAPPY NEW YEAR 1951 Success, prosperity and constant hope attend you. May the year to come touch you kindly and carry you safely. CAPERTON CHEVROLET CO. E. L., R. T. and Matthew Caperton

Season's Greetings



Happiness and prosperity attend you this New Year.

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But the infant year brings his retinue of happiness to allay the old pains.



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Frank Keeney

Charlie Keeney

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

Cheerful Tidings 1951



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Ballinger, Texas

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U. S. STANDS LOW ON LIST OF NATIONS GETTING NEW YEAR

From the precise instruments of the naval observatory in Washington, and through the great Arlington radio towers, America and much of the world will learn the exact instant when the old year has passed and 1951 has taken its place. And it is from another haunt of science in the capital, the National Geographic Society, that one learns when and where the new year begins.

The United States, accustomed to ranking itself pretty highly in world esteem, has to content itself with being about sixth rate in the eyes of Father Time, the society points



WIN THIRD IN STATE--

In the March 24 edition of the Enterprise is a story about the boys shown above, who won third place in the state Greenhand chapter conducting.

From left to right they are: Norris Crownover, Lyndon Waldrop, Billy Jack Gentry, Jimmy Gray, Billy Paul Thomason, Robert Brown, Bobby Evans, Johnny Williams, Roy Wilkins and J. Lee Entensor.



RHEE RALLIES KOREANS--

SEOUL--Shown above is part of the huge crowd of South Koreans which gathered to hear President Syngman Rhee encourage them to

resist the onslaught of the communist Chinese. Banners read: Wipe out the Communist with the great spirit of Korean youth, and "Down with the army of the Chinese communist."

out. For time serves up the new year to Australia, Asia, Africa, Europe and most of South America before he gets around to the first citizens of Maine.

Then for three more hours, the crusts and pick the bones of the old people of California must munch the year before they receive a fresh helping of time, and the residents of Alaska must wait two more hours beyond that.

When the New Year actually is born it will be 7 a.m. December 31 in our eastern cities; 6 a.m. in Texas

and the remainder of the Central Time Zone; 5 a.m. in the mountain zone, and 4 a.m. in the Pacific coast states.

While the New Year celebrations in all countries are basically similar, there are many interesting variations and special features. For example, in Great Britain the king's honor list provides a large topic of conversation on New Year's day. The wassail bowl is an important part of the New Year observance in England and "open house" is generally kept in town as well as country.

ISN'T ONE NEW YEAR'S DAY ENOUGH? TAKE CHOICE OF 6

Six New Year's Days in one year? The New Year's Day of January 1 comes twice a year. In that part of the Occidental world whence lies America and sundry other places, January 1 comes on January 1; but in that part of the Occident where the orthodox Greek faith prevails, January 1 falls upon January 13.

In China, the New Year falls on February 8. Continuing in the east, if one reached Siam on April 1, he would discover he had arrived on

New Year's Day.

Suppose the mythical traveler reached Arabia on September 4. He would find a great salaaming, gift-giving and a general air of festivity. The reason: New Year's Day, Mohammedan version.

And that isn't all. In Abyssinia, New Year's Day falls on September 10.

In conclusion, were you in Jrrusalem on October 3, you would have arrived in time to help celebrate New Year's Day there--or Rosh Hoshana, as it is called, the Hebrew "head of the year."

TRY A WANT AD

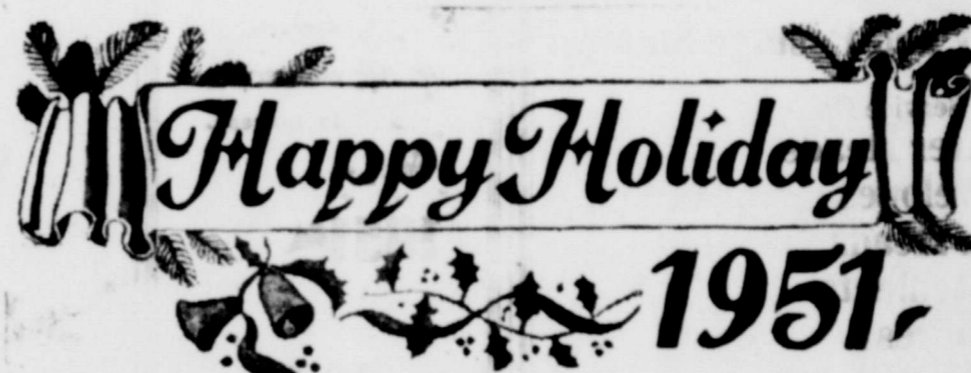


1951 NEW YEAR greetings

When the old year departs, may all your cares go with it.



VERNON C. LAMMERS
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Let us all meet the New Year with a sustaining faith in our destiny.

This fresh beginning is everyone's priceless gift.

THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE



Lammers Laundry

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lammers

SUMMARY—

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las Sand and Gravel plant began operations on the river southwest of Bronte. Work was begun by Harry Campbell, Fort Worth contractor, on the Oak Creek dam project. The area received good showers in the second week of July. Word was received that Sgt. J. W. Athey, formerly of Bronte, had distinguished himself on the Korean battlefield. Draft board 118 was called on for 32 men. Motel Victor added seven new rooms. Eight miles of surfacing work was completed on the Marie road, according to Commissioner Otis Smith. Bronte streets were undergoing repairs. Dean and Good retained their county offices as Smith lost to Wel-

don Fikes. Bud Bell was elected Justice of the Peace from precinct 2.

AUGUST, 1950

Voters approved the assumption of Oak Creek school bonds in an election held August 1.

Floyd Murtishaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw, wrote in Korea that he was well. Coke County received soaking rains. Vandals damaged and ripped seats in the Texas Theatre. Lyndon Wadrop and Ann Young took top honors at the Kid Rodeo held August 4 and 5. The Bronte Army reserve unit, part of the Army Quartermaster corps, was alerted for active duty. Vetal Flores resigned his position in the local schools to accept one in the bank. Loy Wrinkle received notice to re-

port for his physical examination. Final rites were read for T. C. Price, 79, long-time resident of Bronte. Ground breaking ceremonies were held at the site of the Oak Creek dam project on Sunday, August 27. No second democratic primary was held in the county due to the fact that no county officers were in run-offs.

SEPTEMBER, 1950

Coke County's tax valuation was set at more than 12 million dollars. The Bronte schools opened on September 11 in newly remodeled and redecorated buildings. Staff Sergeant James E. Mitchell wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell from Korea. The F. H. Bagwell residence was destroyed by fire.



Let us awaken to the new opportunities before us this year.

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BUTANE SERVICE CO.

Eight Army reservists from the county, Dwain and Francis Pruitt, Bon Spoons, Wayne Rogers, Frank Dean Bryan, Oliver Johnson, Jarvis Moragne and Carson Easterley left Bronte for Fort Sam Houston and active duty with the U. S. Army. H. B. Porter of Robert Lee opened a new variety store in Bronte. Three automobile accidents in the vicinity in one week. Construction was begun on the new Baptist church, estimated to cost about \$30,000. Fifty students enrolled in the Bronte high school band, under the direction of Vershel Smith. Natural gas was turned into the gas mains in Bronte

with a ceremony attended by the city council and Lone Star Gas officials. The Bronte schools had 339 students enrolled. The Lions club voted to provide transportation for football players so they could stay after school hours for practice.

OCTOBER, 1950

Idus England, minister of the Church of Christ, resigned to accept a position in Houston. A membership drive was announced by the Farm Bureau. The gin at Bronte had processed 252 bales of cotton early in October. Gwendolyn Earnest and Kitty Sue Gaddy were named football and band queens. Belva Rippetoe celebrated her 8th birthday, though critically ill. The McQueen & Clevering rig which had been operating in the Bronte field for two years was moved to Big Spring. Local schools observed United Nations Day with a special ceremony. Earl F. Glenn, assistant cashier at the First National Bank, received orders to report for active duty with the Army on December 1. The Diversity club celebrated their 20th anniversary with a formal party at the Legion Hall.

NOVEMBER, 1950

Water conservation was urged by the Mayor and City Council. About \$950 was taken in at the annual Halloween carnival where Felma Brunson and Linda Lasswell were crowned queens. Valuations were up some million dollars over the previous year in the Bronte school district, totaling \$2,918,349. Mrs. Kate Good was honored on her 80th birthday. Winter came to Bronte early this year on November 8 with thermometers down to 16 degrees. Prospects for a farm-to-market road between Winters and Bronte were announced to

look brighter. Eighty-six persons voted in the general election, all straight Democratic tickets. The new John Harris clinic was completed and opened to the public next door north of the hospital. \$291,144 had been collected in taxes by Paul Good up to November 1. Blackwell football team won the tri-district grid title by defeating Highland 7 to 0.

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HELPS IN KOREA—

Sergeant Floyd Murtishaw's picture appeared in the August 4 issue of The Enterprise. Several letters have been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw of Bronte, telling of the war which is in progress in Korea. He is a veteran of World War II.



BEING REPLACED—

Taken from the issue of October 13, this is a picture of the old First Baptist Church which has been torn down. The above structure is being replaced with a new building which will be ready for occupancy sometime early next year.



LEADS RESCUE—

This picture of Sgt. J. W. Athey was published in the Enterprise on July 21. Athey, early in the Korean campaign, commanded a tank which was one of two to smash a Red Korean road block. This made possible the rescue of an American unit trapped on the Kum River front. Athey is a former resident. His grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Scott, lives here.


SEASON'S GREETINGS



Best Wishes for the Season

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And a smooth, clear track to success.

1951

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