

# THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Stores to Close for Labor Day Monday

Bronte stores, for the most part, will be closed next Monday, Sept. 7, in observance of Labor Day. As has been the custom the past two years, Bronte business men will take a holiday next Monday, giving them a long weekend.

Postmaster Mrs. Carrie G. Williams, said that the post office will be closed Labor Day and L. T. Youngblood, President of the First National Bank, stated the bank would also observe the holiday.

Some service stations and cafes indicated they would remain open to take care of the holiday trade.

Once again the Department of Public Safety urges that persons who are planning trips exercise the greatest caution on the highways. A large number of accidents are expected over the long weekend. So be careful, and be here Tuesday.

## BLACKWELL SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY, SEPT. 7

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Blackwell students will return to school next Monday morning, September 7, at 9 a. m. The lunch room will open Tuesday as there will be no school Monday afternoon.

Football practice began last Tuesday, September 1. Six man football will be played this year.

The faculty is complete and is headed by George Stoepler, superintendent. Other teachers are: coach and commercial subjects, W. M. McBride; English and speech, Mrs. W. M. McBride; vocational agriculture, Franklin Brownfield; vocational homemaking, Miss Joy Ganell Mullins; math, William Jameson; 6th and 7th grades, Miss Mary Lanotte; 4th and 5th grades, Mrs. Willie Echols; 2nd and 3rd grades, Mrs. Nola Shedd and 1st grade, Mrs. Kay Corley.

## COKE 4-H BOYS TAKE TRIP

Fourteen 4-H boys, age 9 to 15, left on their annual trip last Thursday, August 27. They went to the Davis Mountains.

The group was accompanied by an adult leader, Marvin Corley of Tennyson, and County Agent Travis B. Hicks. Camping equipment, including bedrolls, chuck box and plenty of food, was loaded into pickups.

First stop for the group was Balmorhea State Park where the boys went for a swim in the nation's largest outdoor swimming pool. The group pitched camp Thursday night in Limpia Canyon near Old Fort Davis and reported that their covers got rather light before daylight.

Friday was spent sightseeing at the Fort, Indian Lodge and the McDonald Observatory, with some mountain climbing as an appetizer late in the afternoon. Friday night was spent above the 6000 foot mark in Madera Canyon. Saturday the group completed the scenic loop and returned to the Balmorhea Pool for a last dip before coming home.

Making the trip were James Andrews, Grady Coulter, James Tidwell and Don Andrews, of Bronte; Terry Bryan, Frank Mach, Tom Sawyer, Robert Lee; Tommy Latham, Benny Corley, Dee Arrott, Jackie Corley, of Tennyson; and Larry Lindsey, Dale Dean and Bill Newell of Silver.

## Mrs. Dwain Pruitt New WMA President

Mrs. Dwain Pruitt was elected president of the WMA of the Kickapoo Baptist church at an all day meeting held Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Hollis Ensor. Others elected to serve during the next year were Mrs. Garland Spencer, vice president; Mrs. Clyde Coleman, second vice president; Mrs. W. M. Stephenson, third vice president; Mrs. Hollis Ensor, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Joe Lee Scott, reporter; Mrs. Muri Andrews, assistant reporter; teacher, Rev. Coleman; assistant teacher, Mrs. Eula Holman; Mrs. Pat Beaver, song leader; Mrs. Truman Parker, assistant song leader; Mrs. Dink Beaver, assistant secretary.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon to 18 members and eight children. The program for the day was "What Every Woman Should Know About the WMA" and was given by Mrs. Coleman.

## Hundreds Help Tad Celebrate!

The master "party giver" of this area did it again Wednesday night as hundreds of well wishers and friends thronged to the Tad Richards place north of town to help him celebrate his 74th birthday. Richards served his guests plenty of barbecue with all the trimmings and invited them to dance in his famous barn, with the hardwood "hay loft."

Hoyle Nix and his West Texas Cowboy band furnished music for the dancers.

Residents of this section always look forward to the Tad Richards birthday party, which has become an annual affair.

## Homecoming Date Announced for Saturday, Oct. 17

E. F. Glenn, president of the Bronte Ex-Students Association, announced this week that Saturday, Oct. 17, has been set for the annual reunion of ex-students of Bronte High School. Glenn said that the affair this year is intended for teachers, school board members and others connected with the school, and persons formerly holding those positions, as well as ex-students.

The reunion will be climaxed with a barbecue supper in the Bronte High School gym. No football is scheduled for the reunion.

A caterer from San Angelo is going to prepare the meal, Glenn said, and in view of that fact, it is absolutely necessary that everybody who intends to be present have a reservation.

Glenn said that reservations may be made by writing to Mrs. W. D. (Pete) McDonald, secretary of the association, at Bronte. He urged that reservations be made as soon as possible.

## Annual Conference At Baptist Church

In opening the annual Church Business Conference of the First Baptist church next Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 7:30 p. m., the roll of the membership will be called and answered. Among items of importance in the business will be the election of officers for the new church year which begins October 1.

Reports from the various organizations of the church will be read and approved for the annual letter to the Runnels Baptist Association, which meets in Bronte on September 14 and 15.

The Associational reports are then forwarded to the Texas Baptist Convention and the General Convention Report of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Sunday services will begin at 10 a. m. with Sunday School, followed by the preaching service at 11 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Maynard Rogers, will bring the message "Secrets of Happiness."

Sunday night services begin at 7 p. m. with the training union, and at 8 p. m. Pastor Rogers will announce the beginning of a series of messages on the Ten Commandments. His introductory message is "Coming Under The Law." Rev. Rogers urges everyone to "Go to the Church of your choice, but go to Church Sunday."

## Noel Percifull Gets New Position

Noel Percifull, who has been employed as a highway patrolman for the past several months, has accepted a position with the Motor Vehicle Division of the Department of Public Safety.

Percifull's new job will leave him stationed in Abilene, where he has lived since completing his training as a patrolman. He will be in charge of eight counties in that area and will inspect auto checking stations and issue the stamps which are placed on vehicles after inspections.

Percifull, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Percifull of Bronte, said he was greatly pleased with the promotion he has received.

Mrs. Daisy Hickman has gone to Fort Worth where she is visiting her daughter.

## MORE RAIN FOR BRONTE

The Bronte area has been receiving showers this week, in smaller quantities than was received a couple of weeks ago.

Showers were received Tuesday and Wednesday up to a half inch. Farmers and ranchmen were happy with the moisture, saying it was needed to soften the top of the ground after the hard rains received Wednesday morning, two weeks ago.

Pastures are now green that have been dried up for months. However, those in the know, say that a long season of rainy weather, will be necessary to make some of the more heavily stocked pastures come out.

A large amount of small grains will be planted in this area. Farmers and ranchmen are hopeful that with some winter grazing they can cut a large amount of their winter feed bill.

## Elbert Lee Yoes Named Coach of Bronte Longhorns

Elbert Lee Yoes, coach last year at Lorraine, has been named coach for the Bronte Longhorns, replacing Houston Jolley, who resigned last week to take a job as coach at Roscoe.

Yoes and his family are already in Bronte and he has begun work with the 1953 Longhorns.

A graduate of San Angelo High School, he also attended San Angelo College and received his bachelor's degree from Howard Payne College at Brownwood. He played football two years at San Angelo College and basketball at Howard Payne.

Yoes has had six years experience coaching. Three years were spent as Junior High Coach at Pecos, Texas; two years he coached in South Texas and last year he was head coach at Lorraine.

In addition to other athletics in which he participated, he was a Golden Gloves champion several times when he lived at San Angelo.

Coach Yoes lacks only part of his thesis having a master's degree from Baylor University.

Melody, 5 years old; Carol Ann, 3; and Charles, 1 are the three children of Mr. and Mrs. Yoes. They are living in the Jack Eaton house in east Bronte.

Mrs. Carroll Leathers and children of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herron of Austin were here this weekend to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Heron.

## Felma Brunson, William S. Evans Wed In Candle Light Ceremony Sunday

In a candlelight ceremony read at eight o'clock Sunday evening, August 30, Miss Felma Joyce Brunson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brunson, became the bride of William S. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Evans. The Rev. J. E. Fuller, pastor of the Bronte Methodist church, read the single ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents before an arch of white carnations and fern, flanked with baskets of white gladioli.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a Block original frock of twilight blue lace trimmed with navy velvet. Her accessories were of navy velvet and she carried an orchid atop a white bible, which she borrowed from Mrs. Heidel Brunson, who had used it in her own wedding.

For something old, the penny in her shoe had been in the family for many years and her something blue was a garter, a gift from Jo Dell Walton.

Maid of honor was Winnie Carolyn Gentry, who wore a dress of midnight blue with accessories of black and a corsage of white carnations. The bride's mother wore a dress of navy blue with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Evans, mother of the bridegroom, wore a light grey dress, white accessories. Her flowers were pink carnations.

Bobby Evans served his brother as best man and Jimmy

## School Opens, Student Registration Is Today

Bronte school kids trek back to school today and register for the 1953-54 term. Buses will run this morning in time to arrive at the school about 9:30. Registration will take place at 10 a. m. and buses will return the children to their homes in time for lunch.

Class work will begin Monday, Sept. 7. Buses will run at the regular time and the school lunch room will serve first meals that day.

Supt. J. L. Carroll said this week that the faculty is now

complete. Last vacancy to be filled was when Elbert Lee Yoes was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Coach H. A. Jolley.

The school building and the grounds are in good shape, Carroll said. Much work has been done this summer toward repainting and remodeling the local plant. The new athletic field house has been under construction and will soon be ready for use. New desks have been purchased for many of the rooms. Classrooms, halls and restrooms have been painted with "kid resistant" enamel.

Grass on the football field is looking good and will be in even better shape by the time the first football game is scheduled on Oct. 2.

## FACULTY LISTED

Teachers have been assigned to their jobs for the year, Supt. Carroll announced, as follows:

Mrs. Vetal Flores, 1st grade; Mrs. George Thomas, 2nd; Mrs. Homer Phillips, 3rd; Mrs. Lillie Young and Mrs. Iva Newman, 4th; Mrs. R. E. Johnson, 5th; Mrs. H. A. Springer, 6th; Thomas Knox, 7th and band director; Mrs. Chet Holcombe, 8th; Jack Price, grade school principal and part time in 7th and 8th grades.

Elbert L. Yoes will be coach and will teach history and 8th grade science; Mrs. J. T. Henry, commercial subjects, civics and in charge of publications; Mrs. J. L. Carroll, high school math and physical education director; Mrs. Royce Fancher, homemaking; J. T. Henry, vocational agriculture; Aigie Lee Durbin, high school principal and 8th grade math; J. L. Carroll, superintendent.

## OTHER EMPLOYEES

Mrs. Ida Lou Oliphant will be school clerk again this year. The lunch room employees are Mrs. Monroe Alexander, Mrs. Mary Walker, Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn and Mrs. T. E. Tidwell.

Bus drivers and their routes are: T. G. Gleghorn, custodian of buses and Brookshire route; Albert Davis, Tennyson; Mrs. Tidwell, Hayrick; Mrs. Pete Gentry, Fort Chadbourne; B. G. Timmons, Oak Creek-Marie.

Monroe Alexander will be custodian of the building and school plant again this year. He will be assisted part time by B. G. Timmons. B. D. Snead is the school's tax assessor-collector and bookkeeper.

## Ballinger Park Scene of Parker Family Reunion

Sons and daughters and other relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker held a reunion Saturday and Sunday, August 22 and 23 at the city park in Ballinger. Eighty three persons gathered at the park for the occasion.

They included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker and Gene, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Rankin and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McCormick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Hartman and family, Mrs. E. L. Stewart and family, all of Lubbock.

And Mr. and Mrs. Lee Williamson and family, Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tip Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parker and family, all of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brice and Nina, all of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brice and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Singleton and Barbara, Bonnie Pate and Nelda, all of Bronte.

Mrs. J. Q. Varnadore, Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brice and Linda, Stanley, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brice and Shirley, Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bradley and family, San Angelo.

## Bank Announces Remodeling Plans

L. T. Youngblood, president of the First National Bank, announced this week that the bank is planning on a complete remodeling job within the near future.

It has been decided by the board of directors to remodel and expand the building presently occupied, rather than construct a new building. A new structure across the street where the Gulf Service Station was located was considered.

## WEDDLE-FITTS RITES PERFORMED IN SAN ANGELO AUGUST 15

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

The wedding of Miss Jeraldine Weddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weddle of San Angelo, to Pvt. Charles Milton Fitts of Ft. Hood took place August 14 in the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Grady Peters, minister of the Trinity Methodist church, read the single ring wedding vows. Pvt. Fitts is a son of Airman 2c Eugene Fitts, who is now stationed in Korea. The Weddles are former residents of Blackwell.

The bride wore a pale blue faille suit with white accessories and carried a white orchid on a white Bible.

Mrs. Martha Holland was her sister's matron of honor and was dressed in a pink lace dress with pink accessories and white carnations.

Bob Fitts of San Angelo, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man.

The bride, who will be a senior at Lake View High School this fall, will join her husband at Ft. Hood. She is a former student of Blackwell high school.

Pvt. Fitts is a graduate of Roscoe High School.

The bank has purchased the building formerly occupied by the Bronte Pharmacy and it will be included in the remodeling plans and will allow space for expansion.

Youngblood said that an architectural firm is now working on plans for the construction job and that he is hopeful they will be received within a few weeks. He said that the bank plans to spend between \$45,000 and \$50,000 on the remodeling and for new fixtures.

Present plans call for carrying on the banking business upstairs during the period of remodeling.

The building now occupied by the bank was constructed in 1906 and has undergone several remodeling jobs during the past 47 years, but this will be the first time it has been given a complete "face lifting."

## LANELL RICHARDS AND DOYLE BLACK WED IN ABILENE

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Wedding vows were exchanged Monday, August 21, between Lanell Richards and Dowle Edman Black. The ceremony was read in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Richards, in Abilene. The Richards are former residents of Blackwell, where he was superintendent of schools. Black is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Black of Merkel.

Rev. James Andrews, pastor of Hebron Missionary Baptist church in Merkel, read the double ring ceremony by candle light before an improvised altar decorated with white mums and greenery.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, who is now associate professor of business administration at McMurry College.

Gowned in a ballerina length dress of white nylon net and lace over satin, the bride carried a white prayer book topped by a single white gardenia encircled with pink and white carnations.

Jack Allen Richards, brother of the bride, lighted candles. Her maid of honor was Lois Black, Merkel. Stephen Scott Schindley of Levelland, cousin of the bride was ring bearer. Weldon Taylor of Abilene was best man and Bobby Deen of Merkel was usher.

The bride is a former student of Blackwell High School and the bridegroom of Merkel high school.

The couple will live in Abilene where he is employed by the Sojourner Drilling Co.

## Big Lawsuit Is Settled As Court Adjourns

The session of District Court which was underway this week ended Wednesday afternoon when the Amage suit which was being tried was settled out of court. Over \$100,000 was involved in the suits, which grew out of a two truck accident that occurred northwest of Robert Lee last year.

Several other cases were on the docket, but continuances were granted on all of them for various reasons.



**HERE'S BLACKWELL**

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis and children of Sweetwater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wy-

ley McRorey Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Payne visited relatives in Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Payne will remain for a weeks' visit. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ward and children of South Bend, Ind. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ester Bryant of Sweetwater

and relatives in Blackwell. Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Erabb and daughter of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holland and his mother, Mrs. Susie Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gillman of Seymour have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whitaker.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Daizy Henderson were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Clements and sons, Monahans; Mrs. Leonard Snow and son, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brice and son, Deming, N. Mex.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schleyer and Miss Joan Snow, Midland. Mrs. Snow and Mr. and Mrs. Brice attended the funeral at Shep of Mrs. Snow and Mr. Brice's sister, and brother-in-law and child, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Self, who lived in California, but who were killed in a car wreck near Casa Grande, Ariz.

Mrs. L. H. Montgomery has had as her guests her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McPherson and daughters of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. McCarley and children of Huntsville, Ark. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Copeland.

Mrs. Clayton Caraway and Zaida and Jimmy visited here Monday.

Mrs. Erma Jameson of Meun-

tain View, Calif., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. A. Carlisle and Mr. Carlisle. Mrs. Carlisle is recuperating from a recent illness. Other guests in the Carlisle home included Mr. and Mrs. M. Calloway and sons, of Menlo Park, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanderson, Bettye and Bob, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Raney spent Sunday in Loraine with Rev. and Mrs. Robert Harris and children.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet and children are visiting relatives in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Therrell Watts of Harwood have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, Kay and Sue Edmonds, visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson and children in Artesia, N. Mex. last week.

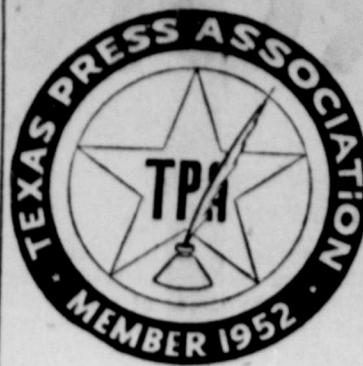
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaston and children of Maryneal visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clack of Eugene, Oregon, are the parents of a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. George Russell of Blackwell are maternal grand parents.

**WCS MEETING**

The WCS met Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. Mrs. Wyley McRorey brought the devotional. Mrs. C. M. Rogers and Mrs. H. C. Raney gave the lesson "Making Friends with

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God's children."

Mrs. Raney served cookies and Cokes to Mrs. Ellis Todd of Plainview and Mmes. Jennings Lewis, D. T. Hurt, Laird, Austin Jordan, J. W. Leach, P. G. Dabney, David Hamblin, Maude Waggoner, Frankie Parish and C. M. Rogers.

**TO ATTEND SCHOOL**

Troy Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Johnson, has been selected to attend the 5th Armored Division's Radio Operator school at Camp Chaffee, Ark. During the 12 weeks course, Pvt. Johnson will receive instruction in Signal Corps radios used in the field by troops as well as those mounted on vehicles. He will also receive extensive training in receiving and transmitting messages with the International Morse Code System.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST

**Local News**

R. W. Rees and Marla Lou left Monday for a few days at Kerrville where they are attending to business and visiting relatives.

A group from here planned to attend an ice cream supper and get together in San Angelo for area boy scouts who attended the National Scout Jamboree this summer. Movies, slides and pictures made on the Jamboree were to be shown. Those planning to go from here were Richard Wayne Rees, Don Glenn and Jimmy Brunson, along with their families.

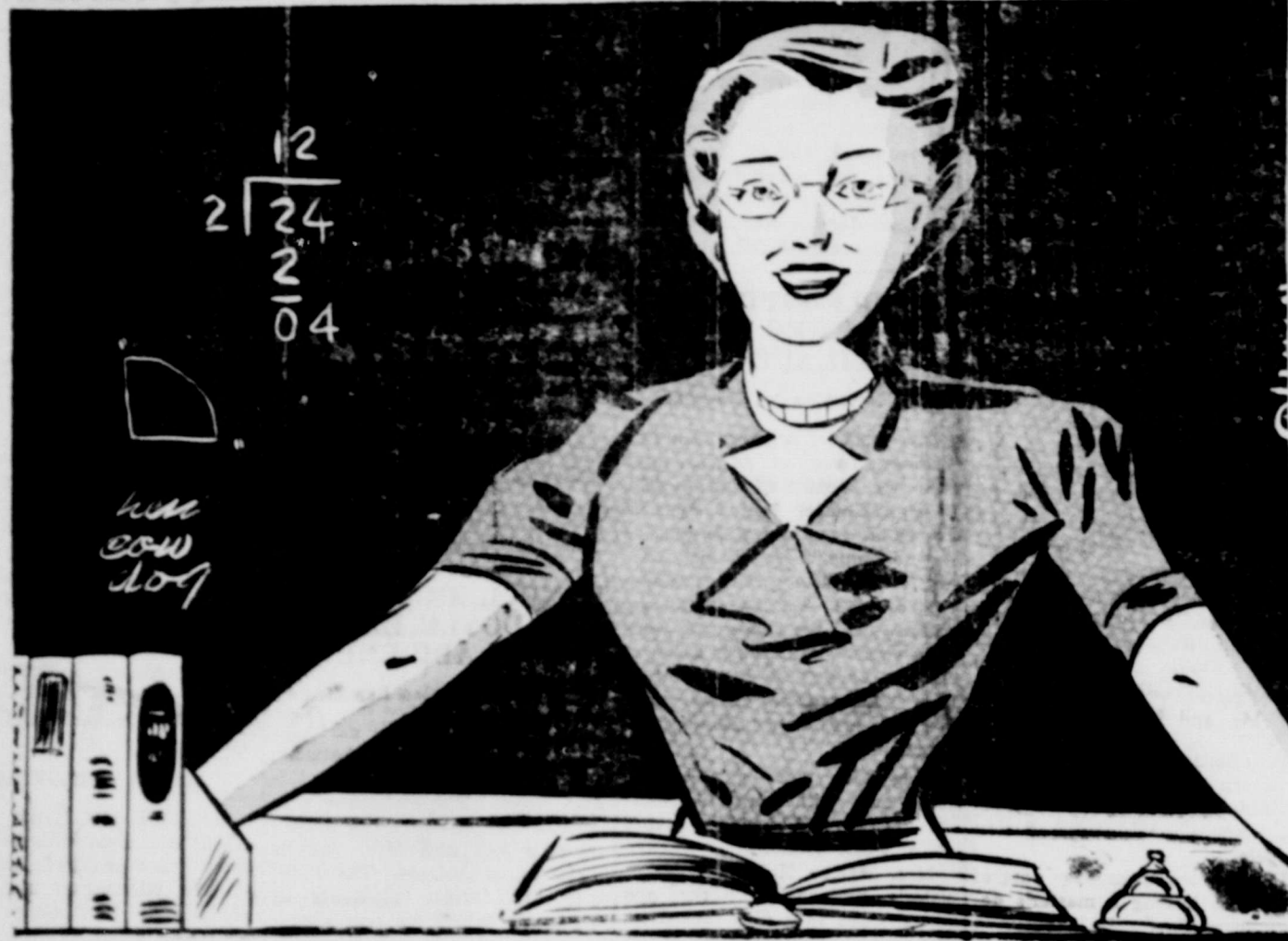
Mrs. Jack Belcher and children of Denver City were here a few days last weeks visiting her parents, the E. L. Capertons. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bridges, Barbara and Wayne, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner of Hylton, went to Littlefield for a weekend visit with her brother and family. They also visited relatives in Slaton.

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**School Time Again**

We're all happy that once again it's time for the school bells to ring. We are glad to have this opportunity to Welcome the students and teachers alike to Bronte. We realize that you teachers have a big job to do. You can count on us to cooperate with you to the fullest extent.

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- Keeney Variety Store
- Clift Funeral Home
- The Bronte Enterprise
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- Bronte Pharmacy

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**BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS**

**By Mrs. Herbert Holland**  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elrod of Marietta, Ga., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGuffin of Eden spent the weekend in the A. J. Essary home.

Visiting the J. C. Boatrights Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott and Jimmy Bob of Tennyson and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holland and children moved to Cross Plains where they will operate their dairy. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland spent Monday and Tuesday there with them.

Rev. and Mrs. Lester Rusler, Jr. and children, visited at Waco last weekend.

Mrs. Luther Nixon was admitted to the Ballinger Hospital Friday and Saturday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and Judy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tounget.

The Jolly Breakfast club met Saturday in the home of Mrs. Bill Willmann with the following present: Pug and Becky Peiser of San Angelo and Mrs. Roy Elrod of Marietta, Ga., J. W. Clark, Dixie Lauder, Ima Prinzing, Dick Peiser, Herbert Holland, Frank Reichert and the hostess. The group will meet Saturday with Mrs. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn at Miles Thursday.

Mrs. Jim Clark, James Holland and Herbert Holland attended the party honoring Mrs. Ray Tatum Wednesday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther of near Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright on Tuesday and Wednesday.

**Shower For Mrs. Tatum**  
Mrs. Ray Tatum was honored with a layette shower Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. W. Bradley in San Angelo with Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Kelsey Dean as hostesses.

A pink and yellow color scheme was carried out.

Punch and cake squares were served to a large number of guests.

Mrs. Tatum is formerly of the Brookshire community, being the former Homalie Clark.

**TENNYSON TOPICS**

**By Mrs. Zack Tounget**  
Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and Kenneth spent the weekend at Odessa with the J. B. Clarks and Duane Tuckers.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Finck and Jerry attended the revival meeting at the Knickerbocker Methodist church Friday night.

A number from here attended the funeral for Mrs. D. A. Neel last Thursday at Robert Lee. She passed away at her home in Robert Lee early Thursday morning after an illness of several years. She is survived by her husband and one son of Robert Lee, a son of Sterling City and a daughter, Mrs. Lutie Dunn of Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hamrick, Martha and Gary, of Sidney recently visited the Toungets. Edwin Hamrick, who has been visiting here the past month, returned home with them.

Mrs. J. W. Latham and Mrs. Marvin Corley and Peggy were in Comanche this week for an REA meeting.

William Thomas is visiting the W. H. Thomas family.

Mrs. Wimberley and Mrs. Guttery and children of San Angelo visited the Grady Gastons Sunday afternoon.

Corine Feil spent last week in San Angelo with Peggy Weumberly.

Sunday guests of the George James family was Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parker and children of San Angelo.

Mrs. J. M. Stewart was a guest Thursday night of Mrs. Fanny Beshire and family in San Angelo.

Linda Gaston is spending this week with friends in San Angelo.

Mary Helen Clark of San Angelo was over for the weekend in the John Clark home.

Mary Reading and Jimmie Thornton of San Angelo were Sunday guests in the George James home.

Mrs. R. H. Baker is ill in the Shannon Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Webb went to Fort Stockton last Sunday to visit Dinker Webb.

Recent guests of the Toungets were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wade and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wade and children, of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tounget Jr. and children of Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. James of Christoval visited the George

**James Sunday.**  
Attending the birthday party for Johnnie Thurman at the Palace Theatre Monday were Messrs. and Mrs. Homer Cornelious, Chester Derrick and children, Robert Brown and family, Zack Tounget and children, and Pete Thomas and Kenneth Clark.

Robert Feil visited relatives at Hamilton recently.

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Visiting in the Walter Phillips home Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Good, Ashland, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robbins and sons, Mrs. B. E. Modgling, Mrs. J. W. McCleskey, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McCleskey and Peggy Jean, A. J. Compton of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Luthers McCutchen and children, Mrs. Claud Beavers, Petty Gray of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Labenske, Howard Brock, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beck and son and Mr. and Mrs. John Gaston and children.

**KIDS--**

HERE IS THE PLACE TO GET

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Ronald Reagan, Rhonda Fleming in  
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**RUMFIELD AND HEDGES REUNION HELD AT ABILENE**

By Mrs. Herbert Holland  
Members of the Hedges and Rumfield families met for a reunion August 27 through August 30 at the Abilene State Park. The group has met each year since 1945.  
There were 138 relatives and 38 friends of the family registered, with 134 persons for dinner Sunday.  
Five generations were present on the Rumfield side including Mrs. Minnie Rumfield, Mrs. Jake Farmer, Mrs. Roy Kelley, Mrs. Charles Hampton and little Rickie Hampton. Everyone reported a good time and plenty of good food to eat.  
Attending from Bronte were Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges, Mr. and Mrs. Mug Stephenson and Dean and J. W. Caudle, and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Hedges and Cathy.  
Mrs. John Gaston, Janelle and Johnny have returned from a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in East Texas.

**Mrs. LeDrew Arrott Junior Club Hostess**

First fall meeting of the club year for the Junior Study club was held this week in the home of Mrs. C. E. Arrott with Mrs. LeDrew Arrott as hostess. Subject for the program was "Rules and Manners for Our Formal Meal."  
Mrs. Charles Oliphant gave the group pointers on "Courtesy To Guests" and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn demonstrated "Correct Table Setting for a Formal Meal." Mrs. J. B. Arrott gave "Types of Centerpieces" and explained how to arrange them.  
Two new members, Mrs. Bill Clark and Mrs. Eddie McGuire, were introduced and three visitors, Mrs. John Riley, Mrs. Leo Hollan and Mrs. C. E. Arrott, were welcomed.  
Refreshments of tuna fish sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and punch were served to the guests, new members and the following: Mmes. Charles Oliphant, J. B. Arrott, Brady Mills, Dolf Richards, Bobby Vaughn and the hostess.

**Mrs. Jim Williams Honored with Shower**

A layette shower honored Mrs. Jim Williams Thursday night of last week at the Bronte Humble recreation Hall.  
Games were played and refreshments of angel cake squares, decorated with confection icing, and coffee were served to about 20 guests.  
Assorted fall flowers decorated the hall and plate favors were miniature baby diapers.  
Hostesses were Mrs. D. K. Smith and Mrs. Jim Rasco.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We, with Mrs. Mary E. Clark, wish to thank everyone of the Bronte Hospital employees and Dr. Harris, and all of the many good neighbors and friends for every kindness shown to "Nannie" after her accident and during her stay in the hospital.  
Sincerely,  
Mrs. Mary E. Clark,  
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Clark,  
Mrs. Mary Garrett.

**72 CARS EMERGENCY FEED**

Seventy-two carloads of emergency feed had been received in Coke County as of this week. Included in the total have been 48 cars of cake; 6 of meal; 7 of oats; 2 of wheat and 9 of corn. Orders are up to date on oats and corn according to J. E. Quisenberry of the Coke County PMA and orders have slowed down considerably due to the recent heavy rains over the county.

**IN ALASKA**

Mrs. Leonard Keeney reported this week that their son, James, has been sent to Alaska, where he is doing government work. He reports that he likes his work very much, thinks the country is beautiful and says the scenery up there must be seen to be appreciated.

**Hospital News**

August 27 — Mrs. W. O. Eubanks, Sr. admitted. Mrs. Edward Cumbie admitted and daughter born at 2:40 p. m. Mrs. Allen Williams, Joe Ash, Mrs. T. F. Sims, Sr., Mr. Al Durban dismissed.  
August 28 — Mrs. Jack Lee, Al Durban dismissed. Mrs. Willard Smith admitted.  
August 29 — Joe Ash, J. E. Mitchell admitted. Mrs. Don O'Mara dismissed.  
August 30 — J. B. Proctor admitted. Wesley Ash dismissed.  
August 31 — Eddie Roy Braswell admitted. Mrs. Willard Smith, Billy Charles Wrinkle dismissed.  
September 1 — J. L. Brunson, Mrs. L. A. Barnes, Mason Glenn admitted.  
September 2 — Mrs. W. O. Eubanks, Mason Glenn, Joe Proctor dismissed.

**BUDGET NOTICE**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE**  
ON this the 10th day of August A. D. 1953, it appearing to the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, that House Bill 768, Chapter 206, Section 12 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, that the Commissioners' Court in each county shall, each year, provide for a public hearing on the County Budget, which meeting shall take place subsequent to August 15th and prior to the levy of taxes by said Commissioners' Court.  
ACTING by virtue of the order of the Commissioners' Court of Coke County, Texas, made on this 10th day of August, A. D. 1953, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be had on the Budget of Coke County, Texas, as prepared for the year A. D. 1954, at 10:00 o'clock A. D. on September 14th, 1953, at the Court House in Robert Lee, Texas, at which time any tax payer of Coke County, Texas, shall have the right to be present and participate in said hearing.  
GIVEN under my hand and seal of office, this the 10th day of August, A. D. 1953.  
(Weldon Fikes) County Clerk  
Coke County, Texas

ter spending a leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hester, and other relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Culpepper of Little River and Mrs. J. A. Culpepper of Lometa were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Keeney and other relatives here.  
Mrs. T. F. Sims, Sr. was painfully burned last week when she spilled hot grease on her hand and legs. She was treated overnight in the hospital and is recovering satisfactorily.  
Clifford Wayne is the name of the first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Young, former residents of Bronte, now of Rogers. Clifford is the son of Pvt. and Mrs. Martin C. Young and was born August 2. The father is stationed at Camp Roberts, California. Granddaughters of the Youngs are Rhonda and Nell, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Chappell of Colorado City and Sharon Bea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes of Rogers.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ball went to Blanco last weekend for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dale.  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kiker and girls were down from Big Spring Tuesday cleaning around their house here which they have rented to Joe Rose. Mr. Rose is moving his family here from Snyder this week.

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**PERSONAL STATIONERY**  
THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE

**Local News**

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sharp and Eddie visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Elam, Jr., Sentinel, Okla. They were met in Sentinel by Mr. and Mrs. Bernie L. Thompson and Allen. Thompson is a former preacher for the Church of Christ in Robert Lee. The three couples are former classmates of Abilene Christian College. They report that the reunion was a wonderful experience of dove hunting, watermelon eating and just plain talking.  
Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wrinkle are her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of San Diego, Calif., and Mr. Moore's sister and her daughter.

**New Tax Exemptions**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Stinebaugh are parents of a daughter, Linda Jo, born Wednesday, September 2, in Marlin, Texas. She is their first child. Sammie is well known here, having been raised here and having attended the local school. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Stinebaugh of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlson of San Francisco, Calif.  
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CRUSHED OR SLICED PINEAPPLE	NO. 1 FLAT 15c	CIGARETTES	REG. CTN \$1.99
NOTEBOOK PAPER	25c SIZE 19c	ASSORTED CHEWING GUM	3 FOR 10c
ANY BRAND WASHING POWDER	LGE. 27c	SUGAR	10 LBS. 95c
SUN SPUN CATSUP	12 OZ. 15c	BAMA Strawberry Preserves	12 OZ. 32c
ADMIRATION COFFEE	1 LB. 89c	PET OR CARNATION MILK (Limit 6)	2 LGE. CANS 25c
WINSLOW'S ASPARAGUS	CAN 22c		

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SLAB SLICED BACON	IF IT COMES Lb. 49c	SUN SPUN OLEO	Lb. 18c
TENDER GROWN FRYERS	Lb. 49c	FOREQUARTER BEEF ROAST	Lb. 29c
PICKLED PIG FEET	Pt. 34c	LONGHORN CHEESE	Lb. 45c
SPUDS	10 LBS. 45c	BANANAS	12 1/2c

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**Local News**

Mrs. Tom Price is in Galveston where she is visiting relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Maxwell and Bill spent the weekend in Abilene where they visited her mother and brother, Mrs. Craft and John.  
Rev. and Mrs. Maynard Rogers and girls returned Thursday of last week from a two weeks vacation trip to Iowa. They visited Mrs. Rogers parents and other relatives. Rev. Rogers said they are expecting bumper crops in that area and brought back some ears of corn as souvenirs.  
Keenth Hester returned to the West Coast this week to resume his duties with the US Navy af-

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All hands will be on deck to speed Johnny off to his exciting new world. And no hands will be busier than Mother's. That is unless you count Reddy Kilowatt's helping hands, which help Mother at every turn.

Reddy helps wash Johnny's socks, iron his shirt, cook his breakfast, and even heats the water to scrub behind his ears. And later Reddy will help him get his lessons by making study easy on his eyes.

As a matter of fact, the older Johnny grows the more ways Reddy can help him... and Reddy's help is just about the biggest bargain in the family budget today.

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