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The street lights which were added a few months ago make Bronte look like a regular little city. In fact, Sheriff Paul Good said the first night he drove over here from Robert Lee after the new lights were hung, he thought he was going into Fort Worth!

An old negro got up at a revival meeting and said: "Brudders and sisters, you knows an' I knows I ain't been what I oughter been. I'se robbed hen roosts, an' stole hogs, an' tole lie, an' got drunk, an' cussed an' swore, but I thank the Lord dere's one thing I ain't nebber done; I ain't nebber lost my religion." — Gulf Breeze.

The passenger in the back seat of Tad Richards cadillac was attracting a lot of attention in town Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Tad was nowhere around but a little calf was making itself at home.

Husband: "Dear, I have tickets for the theater."

Wife: "Splendid, I'll start dressing at once."

Husband: "Yes, do. The tickets are for tomorrow night."

Another letter came this week from Mrs. J. W. Walls, 3833 N. W. 14th St., Oklahoma City, 7, Okla. Mrs. Walls said that her husband, John Walls, suffered another stroke a month ago and now is completely bedfast and helpless. She says that he can talk only at times, has to be fed, but that he can still smoke his pipe, with help. She felt that his Bronte friends would want to know of his illness. Although we have not had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Walls, he has been a faithful subscriber to The Enterprise since we have been in Bronte and we have looked forward to the letter that he sent each year with his renewal.

No Late News on City Oil Well

Up to press time Thursday no more news was available on the oil test here in town, Barney Carter No. 1 L. T. Youngblood.

The crew finished up Friday of last week setting casing which extended almost the entire depth of the hole, which is 5,210 feet.

It was reported this week that the rig presently over the hole will be moved and another will be moved in when Mr. Carter resumes operations on the test.

Mr. Carter told your reporter Friday that he was well pleased with the showing which was found in the old hole.

Bronte Little Leaguers Defeat Robert Lee

Bronte Little League All-Stars defeated Robert Lee Little Leaguers 3-1 here last Friday evening.

Dee Arrott knocked a home run in the 5th inning with two men on board to win for the Bronte boys. Jerry McCutchen and Dee Arrott pitched for Bronte.

A return game will be played Thursday, June 2 at 5 p. m. Also Robert Lee will become a regular member of the Bronte Little League.



Bill Lloyd is new pharmacist at the Bronte Pharmacy. Lloyd is a graduate of the University of Texas School of Pharmacy and Bronte High School. A former Bronte resident, the son of Ira Lloyd, he is married to the former Mae Burgess of Robert Lee. They have two children, Linda Sue, 6, and Michael Allen, 3. Lloyd has been employed by a Midland Drug Store and will be here for at least three months. Mr. and Mrs. Mac Rippetoe, owners of the Bronte Pharmacy, and their family, plan an extended vacation. Rippetoe said they would not be away the entire three months, but would be in and out of town during the time.

Paving Project Looking Better All the Time

The paving project in Bronte is looking better all the time and practically all the streets on the east side of the railroad have been topped.

Work on the west side of town is also progressing well. All the caliche for the job has been hauled and is now being smoothed. Possibly 15 blocks on the west side have already received the first coat of asphalt and are ready for the final coats of asphalt and gravel.

Curbing crews are also about through with their work.

SPORTSMEN INVITED TO FREE BARBECUE

Walter Stapp, lakekeeper for the City of Sweetwater at Oak Creek Lake, announced this week that there will be a free barbecue with all the trimmings at his house on the lake Saturday, June 11, at 7:30 p. m. All fishermen and sportsmen are invited.

Purpose of the meeting is to draw up rules and regulations in regard to boating and fishing on the lake. Stapp said that representatives of several sportsmen's clubs have been invited and that an effort will be made to draw up rules which will benefit everyone.

He particularly asked The Enterprise to ask that sportsmen in this area be present.

"We have needed some uniform rules on the lake for a long time and that's the purpose of this meeting," he said. "We want to do everything possible to prevent another tragedy from happening at the lake," he added. He referred to the recent drowning of two prominent Midland businessmen, while fishing on Oak Creek Lake.

LAST RITES HELD FOR MRS HICKMAN

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mrs. R. E. Hickman, 77, pioneer Bronte resident. Mrs. Hickman died Wednesday at 11:30 a. m. in the Bronte hospital following an illness of more than a month. She had been in critical condition since suffering a stroke.

Mrs. Hickman was born Daisy Casner, Feb. 8, 1878, in Llano County. It was in her native county that she met and married R. E. Hickman. The couple moved to Bronte in 1901.

Mrs. Hickman was an active member in the First Baptist Church here until recently when ill health forced her to curtail her activities. Last rites were held at the local church, with Rev. M. R. Rogers, pastor, in charge.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Robert Hickman of Kirley, South Dakota and W. A. Hickman of Blackwell; two daughters, Mrs. R. J. Warren of San Angelo and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey of Robert Lee; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Burial was in the Fairview cemetery here under the direction of Cliff Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Paul Good, Frank Percifull, and J. W. Arledge, Jr. of Robert Lee, and W. W. Ivey, J. B. Mackey and Edward Cumbie of Bronte.

REV. CRAIG RETURNED AS PASTOR HERE

Rev. W. C. Craig was returned as pastor of the Bronte Methodist Church when appointments were read for the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference at the conclusion of the conference's 97th annual meeting in San Antonio. Rev. and Mrs. Craig were in San Antonio last week for the meeting. This begins Craig's second year as pastor of the local church.

Rev. Warren Ellis was also returned as pastor of the Robert Lee Methodist church, beginning his second year there.

Other assignments of interest in this area include Alvin R. Mauldin, Eden-Millersview; Ray Lee, Day Memorial in San Angelo; Veribest-Tennyson, A. R. Foster and Rev. Douglas Gossett, Blackwell.

HONOR ROLL

Honor roll for the last six weeks of the Bronte school year was released this week. School officials said it was possible that some of the classes had students eligible for the honor roll but had neglected to turn them in.

Fourth grade — Malcolm Johnson, Patricia Bateman, Phelan Parker, Johnnie Sims, Wayne Bridges.

Fifth grade — Gwen Kirkland, Kay Powell, Patsy Woods.

Sixth grade — Carolyn Glenn.

Seventh grade — Brenda Corley. Semester honor roll, Kenneth McCutchen, Linda Henry.

Junior class — Leah Sanders, Jane Powell, Faith Rogers, Rickie Hester, Linda Lasswell, Corinne Fell.

Bronte Scouts Leave Sunday for Camp

Troop 52 of the Bronte Boy Scouts will leave for summer camp at Camp Sol Meyer next Sunday, June 5 at 12 noon from the American Legion Hall. The bus will be parked in front of the Legion Hall at 8:30 a. m. Sunday morning so the boys can put their equipment on it. However, the boys will

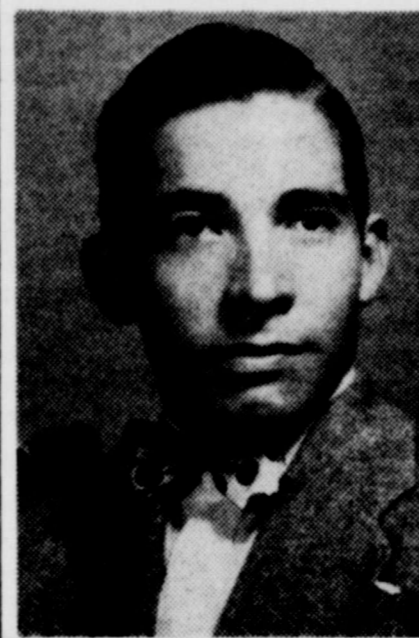
have plenty of time to go to Sunday School and Church if they desire and the bus will leave immediately afterward.

Each boy is required to have \$12.50 in money with him and a medical certificate.

Each boy should also have the following equipment with him, if possible: A scout uniform or the equivalent; 2 pairs of shoes; 4 pairs of socks; 6 handkerchiefs; 3 suits of underwear; 1 pair of shorts or dungarees; 2 towels; 1 wash cloth; 1 suitable sack or suit case to carry and store the equipment. 1 scout knife; 1 raincoat (if you are optimistic); 1 jacket or coat; 1 bed roll or ground cloth; 1 folding cot; 1 scout mess kit or the equivalent; 1 flashlight and compass; 1 scout book.

The camp will last from Sunday, June 5 until 2 p. m. the following Saturday, June 11.

Scoutmaster Oscar Dorsey will accompany the boys to camp and stay half of the week. Other local men, including C. E. Bruton, Muri Andrews, H. Stevens and D. K. Glenn, will take turns attending the camp the remainder of the week.



William J. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green of Tennyson, was one of the graduates last weekend at San Angelo College. He was a business administration major. Green is particularly to be admired for his accomplishment since he hasn't let the fact that he was stricken with polio and is confined to a wheel chair interfere with his education.

Baptist Bible School Will Start Saturday

Saturday, June 4, a parade will form at 10 a. m. at the First Baptist Church and proceed through the main street of town. All boys and girls of ages from 5 through 15 are invited to participate. Following the parade, all will go to the church for a brief worship service, then register for the Bible School and have refreshments. Bible School classes will begin on Monday, June 6, at 8:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Kickapoo Baptist Church is uniting in this effort, with some of their women serving on the faculty.

Staff for the Bible School are: Beginners, Mrs. Aubrey Denman, Mrs. Truman Parker; Primary, Mrs. Garland Black, Mrs. Dwain Pruitt, and Mrs. Garland Spencer; Junior, Mrs. M. R. Rogers, Mrs. James Wells, Mrs. E. F. Glenn, Mrs. Clyde Coleman; Intermediate, Mrs. Edward Cumbie, Mrs. Royce Fancher and Ronald Hughes.

Mrs. William Fletcher will serve as secretary; Miss Grace Rogers as pianist; and Rev. M. R. Rogers as Principal.

Mrs. J. B. Glenn is chairman of the Refreshments Committee, with a number of other ladies working in other ways for Vacation Bible School. "Last year there was a total enrollment of 104 and an average attendance of 104, with 88 of these being boys and girls. We plan for even a bigger and better Bible School this year," stated the pastor, M. R. Rogers.

Services Held at Miles for Mother Of Local Woman

Mrs. Ernestine Powell left this week to be with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Herndon, 75, who was critically ill in a Kerrville hospital. Mrs. Herndon died at 4 p. m. Monday.

Funeral services were held in Miles Wednesday. She was buried beside her husband, a doctor at Miles for more than 40 years. He is well remembered in Miles as a horse and buggy doctor who was one of the first to switch to the automobile — a two-cylinder, chain driven Reo. He died in April, 1941.

Mrs. Herndon was born Sept. 2, 1879 in Germany.

Besides Mrs. Powell she is survived by four other daughters Mrs. H. J. Moore and Mrs. Ervin Grosshans, San Angelo, Mrs. C. P. Kennedy, Freeport Miss Julia Herndon, Bronte and one son J. H. Herndon of San Angelo.

She also had eight grandchildren, including Kay and Jane Powell.

PONY LEAGUE TO MEET MONDAY NITE

Coach Garland Black has called a meeting of all boys who are interested in playing in the Pony League. The meeting will be Monday, June 6, at 6:30 p. m. at the school building.

Coach Black said that all boys between the ages of 13 and 15 are invited to attend the meeting. Plans will be made for the coming season of play.

Pony League ball is regular baseball, not softball, the coach pointed out.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sherrrod and children and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Paula will leave Sunday for a few days fishing and camping at Lake Whitney.

SOCIETY

Mrs. A. S. Whatley, Editor

The Bronte Enterprise

June 3, 1955

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by whatley

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Whatley is still at the bedside of her father at Graford, but sent back the following column.)

I am glad that I can send my column to you this week after being unable to do so last week. I certainly missed being with all of you, in fact, I hope that you missed me as much as I missed you. We made a flying trip down last Friday to attend the daughter's graduation and while there, I found that I had missed something else as I went away hurriedly and left the bath room window up. There must have been some very strong wind since I have been away as someone's niece, sandy farm had moved in on me. So if you know of anyone who is missing one, please tell them where they can find it as it is still there all untouched.

Of course my visit has not been a pleasant one since my father has been so sick but there is one thing that I have enjoyed and that is the clear skies with no sand in the air. Another thing that I am enjoying very much is the wonderful vegetables that we are getting from my mother's garden. I wish that it were possible for all of you to see how wonderful things grow in this black dirt. But with sand and all, I will be very happy to be back in Bronte.

Speaking of missing things. I know that all the young girls and boys are going to be missed about 4 o'clock every afternoon as they come rushing down from school with the girls in their rustling can-can petticoats and the boys doing all the teasing and running up and down the pavement pushing books from under their arms as any normal happy boys will do. But they will all enjoy that summer vacation with swimming parties, ice cream making and the likes all in store for them. I think that I will enjoy a vacation that I don't have to have reading, spelling and learning capitals of all the states every night at our house. The little 10-

year-old has been having some recreation for himself since he has been here as he went "craw-dad" fishing the other day and caught eight. He said that they made good chicken bait for his Ma Moon's chickens and into the chicken pen they went.

There has been so much wonderful food sent in to us since my father has been sick that if I had all the recipes, I could supply you with them for a long time. But one lady gave me this delicious one dish dinner and it is called "Heavenly Hash" so that is what I am sending to you this week.

Besides all the nice dishes, a man brought us some honey from his farm and when my sister brought it in to me she asked what you called honey like this, should you say it was home-grown or home-made? Well, not being an old bee lover, I couldn't answer her question!

Now for the recipe —

"Heavenly Hash"

Cook 1 pkg. noodles.

Fry 1 lb. pork sausage with onion until brown.

Mix 1 can corn, 2 cans vegetable soup with sausage and cooked noodles. Pour into baking dish and cover with cracker crumbs. Bake slowly for 30 to 45 minutes.

TENTH GRADE PICNIC

About 60 persons attended the annual end-of-school party of the tenth grade class last Tuesday night at Ballinger. The group went swimming and then enjoyed a picnic supper and home-made ice cream at the park. Afterward they attended the drive-in theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Knierim and Mardee came out from San Angelo for a Sunday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knierim.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allen of Karnes City are here on two weeks vacation from his duties with Atlantic Pipeline Co. They are repairing their rent houses here, visiting with friends, and spending some time fishing on Oak Creek.

Mrs. Bill Clark New Junior Club President

Mrs. Bill Clark was elected as the new president of the Junior Study Club at their final spring meeting Friday night in the home of Mrs. Hollis Stevens. Other new officers include Mrs. Oscar Dorsey, vice-president; Mrs. F. B. Collins, secretary; Mrs. Brady Mills, treasurer and Mrs. James Wells, reporter.

After the business meeting, refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. Allen Bryan and the following members; Mmes. Bill Clark, Oscar Dorsey, F. B. Collins, James Wells, J. B. Arrott, LeDrew Arrott, Wayne Arrott, Marvin Leck, E. G. Collins and the hostess.

Next meeting of the group will be a picnic in the Ballinger Park on Saturday, June 18.

Sorosis Club Has Last Meeting of the Year

Meeting for the last regular session until fall, Sorosis Club members met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. R. H. Sims. A business meeting was conducted and plans for next fall and the summer months discussed. Committees were also appointed and a donation of \$5 made to the Cancer Crusade.

Iced tea, ritz and cheese sandwiches and cookies were served to Mmes. Roy Robinson, E. F. Glenn, Pete McDonald, Bob Wilson, Royce Fancher, Ben Oglesby, Clyde Lee, Royce Lee, J. B. Morrow, Edward Cumbie and the hostess.

Mrs. Kreyer to Present Piano and Voice Recital

Mrs. E. R. Kreyer of San Angelo, who will teach a summer term in private voice and piano lessons beginning June 8, will present her pupils in annual recital June 5 in the Crystal Ballroom, Cactus Hotel, San Angelo. The public is cordially invited.

Among her pupils appearing in the recital are the following from Bronte, Carolyn Kemp, S. J. Rose, Jan Sharp, Rex Harris, Ann Harris, Marilyn Glenn, Janet Caperton and Ma:la Lou Rees.

Instruction will continue in the fall term of school. Those interested are asked to contact Mrs. Cecil Kemp for appointment.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulk and Linda were down for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Adair.

Weekend fisherman at Possum Kingdom Lake were J. T. Henry, Arnold Ball, D. K. Glenn and Charlie Boecking.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Judkins and son of Odessa spent the weekend here in the B. G. Timmons home and fishing at Oak Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Word recently attended a barbecue at Stamford. The barbecue was given by Frank Antler for employees of the Diamond Drilling Co. and Stanolind. Mr. Word is employed by Diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Joe Luckett have moved back to Bronte from Stamford. They are living in one of the R. W. Rees apartments.

Chet Holcombe Family Honored Before Moving

The congregation of the First Baptist Church honored the Chet Holcombe family with a farewell party after services Sunday night.

Games were played and punch and cookies were served. The membership gave the Holcombes a gift of sheets and pillowcases.

The Holcombes moved from Bronte Monday to make their home in Denver City. He is employed there with Atlantic Pipeline and Mrs. Holcombe, who has taught in the Bronte schools for a number of years, will teach next year at Denver City. The Holcombes sold their home here and have bought a new home there.

FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pugh and children were honored with a farewell party last Friday night at the H. A. Springer cabin on Oak Creek Lake. Pugh, minister for the local church of Christ the past ten months, has resigned and moved to Houston last Tuesday where he will be minister for the West 34th Street Church of Christ.

Church members took a picnic supper and ice cream to the Lake. About 50 persons were present. As a farewell gift, the Pughs were presented a lovely bed spread.

The party enjoyed a ladies vs. the men softball game, which was won by the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carroll and Woody of Meadow were here for a Sunday visit with friends. They also attended the farewell party for the Holcombes Sunday night.

75TH BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bagwell and family went to Abilene last Sunday where they attended a 75th birthday observance for her father R. L. Brunson. Mr. Brunson will be 75 on June 10 but more of the family could be present last Sunday so it was held a few days early. About 75 persons from Texas and New Mexico were present for the dinner.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sims went to Colorado City Saturday where they had lunch with Mrs. Sims' daughter, Mrs. J. B. Walker, and family. They went on to Big Spring where they spent the remainder of the weekend with her son, Alvin Allen.

Johnny and Linda Spoons have been spending a two weeks vacation here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton. Their mother, Mrs. Bon Spoons of Priddy, will come for them this weekend.

Miss Annie Lee Price and Mrs. Gene Keeney and children were over from San Angelo Memorial Day visiting the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Price.

Mrs. Beulah Tubbs and Mrs. Nell Bryan of Abilene visited Mrs. C. C. Smith last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pruitt and girls came up from Santa Anna last Thursday. They came to get a Baptistry scene which Mrs. B. D. Dunn had painted for the Northside Baptist Church at Santa Anna, of which Pruitt is pastor. They returned home Friday.

Grocery Specials

DIAMOND		NO. 303
CUT GREEN BEANS	- 2 for	23c
CHUCK TIME		
VIENNA SAUSAGE	- Can	10c
WHITE HOUSE		
APPLE SAUCE	- No. 303	19c
DEL MONTE		
FRUIT COCKTAIL	- No. 303	25c
TIDE or CHEER	- Large	29c
HEART'S DELIGHT		
PEARS, Halves	- No. 2 1/2	41c
TUNA, Van Camps	- Can	25c
DRY MILK, Starlac	- 5 Qt.	35c
PET OR CARNATION		
MILK, Large	- - 2 for	25c
BREAD & BUTTER		
PICKLES	- - 15 Oz.	25c

LETTUCE	- HEAD	12c	CARROTS	- CELLO BAG	10c
BANANAS	- LB.	13c	TOMATOES	- LB.	15c

CALF LIVER	- - -	Lb.	35c
HORMEL			
PORK SAUSAGE	- 2 Lb. Bag		\$1.00
FRESH COUNTRY EGGS	- Doz.		25c
GROUND MEAT, Fresh	- Lb.		29c
BACON, Slab Sliced	- Lb.		35c
FRANKS	- -	Lb. Cello	45c

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BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mrs. Audry Williams of Pomona, California and Mrs. Etta Marks of San Angelo spent two days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landers. A/2 and Mrs. Wesley Brown and Pam, who have spent a two-weeks vacation here with the Landers, left Sunday for his station at Barksdale AFB near Shreveport, Louisiana.

Jim Bob Arrott of Tennyson spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his grandparents, the J. C. Boatrights.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burks and children, Jackie Don and daughter of Leesville and Mrs. Grace Hedges, who has been visiting the Burks family for 2 months, came last Tuesday for a visit. Mrs. Hedges will visit Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Stephenson for two weeks and then she plans to go to Elfrida, Arizona to visit the Jodie, B. V. and Jr. Hedges families. The Burks visited the Stephensons and other relatives and spent the

weekend in Abilene.

Guests Friday of last week in the Willard Caudle home were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Akin and J. W. and Jerry of Petersburg, Mrs. Grace Hedges and Luther Nixon. Guests during the weekend were Mr. Phillips and Roy of Bronte and Albert Smith of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McNutt of Miles visited the Jim Clarks Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gleghorn of Ballinger visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn Wednesday. The Mmes. Gleghorn and Mrs. J. C. Boatright spent the afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Arrott at Tennyson.

Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nixon were Mr. and Mrs. Foy Wilson of San Angelo. Sunday guests in their home were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bradshaw of Ballinger. Johnnie Bradshaw had spent the week with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield of Orient were Wednesday supper guests of the Oscar Isbells. Mrs. Isbell spent the weekend with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Wilde in Wall.

Mrs. Eddie Mae Donaldson, who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester at Bronte, and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Boatright and family here, left Saturday for her home in California. En route she will visit the Horace Donaldsons at Sterling City and the Curtis Barretts and Bill Barbees at Lubbock.

The Herbert Hollands spent Friday night and Saturday with the James Hollands near Cisco. Vicki and Junior Holland came home with them to visit this week. Dee Foster of Big Spring was their guest Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn, Ollie and Gary came over from Miles Sunday to visit the T. G. Gleghorns. Ollie stayed for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were in Miles Thursday night and the ladies attended a music recital. Sewing Club

Mrs. Herbert Holland was hostess to the sewing club at her home Thursday afternoon. The group visited and exchanged secret pal gifts and also revealed secret pal names.

Chicken salad sandwiches, angel food cake and cold drinks were served to Mmes. Jim Clark, G. L. Cook, Willard Caudle, J. P. Toung and Priscilla, J. B. Arrott and Jim, Jerry Landers, Hurlin Lee, J. C. Boatright, T. G. Gleghorn and the hostess. Mrs. Gleghorn will be hostess to the club June 9 at her home.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Ward spent Monday in San Angelo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cates, Sr. They were met there by a number of other relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Maner of Chula Vista, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Robertson, Sr. of San Diego, California and Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Robertson, Jr. and three children of O'Donnell. They also saw Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Beasley, former Bronte residents. Mr. Beasley reported that the storm two weeks ago blew down the chicken house and sheep shed, and tore a hole in the roof of his barn, on his place south of the river.

Mrs. J. B. Mackey is reported making a good recovery from major surgery, which she underwent last week in San Angelo.

Guests Friday through Tuesday in the Floyd Bagwell home were her niece, Bobby Brunson and a girl friend, Joyce Boyd, both of Abilene. They all spent Tuesday at Christoval and then took Don Bagwell on to Mertzon where he will spend some time with Alfred James Cogdell.

HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Raymond Keating and children of Clifton, New Mexico, are visiting his mother and brothers, Mrs. Jim Keating, Lee and Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fields and sons of Dimmitt were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sweet and children of Mexico City, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gray and sons of Deming, New Mexico are visiting relatives in Blackwell.

Mrs. D. T. Hunt and Ben Palmer attended the funeral of their nephew-in-law, Daniel Diller, at Albany Sunday.

Capt. and Mrs. Joe Barney Jordan, Jr. and sons of Vermont have been visiting relatives in Blackwell and other points in Texas. Capt. Jordan delivered the commencement address at the Blackwell school Friday night.

Mrs. Daizy Henderson has as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brice and sons of Deming, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snow and children of Benson, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gray of Deming, New Mexico are visiting in the Walter Johnson and Delos Alsup homes.

BLACKWELL BIBLE SCHOOL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

The Blackwell Baptist Church will begin their vacation Bible school next Monday June 6 which will continue until June 15. All the children of the community are invited to attend from 8:30 until 11 a. m. each day.

PERSONALS

Charles and Charlotte Clark, 16-year-old twin children of Mr. and Mrs. Lucene Clark of Mosquero, New Mexico, came last Wednesday to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Clark. Their parents, who had been visiting the George Clark family in Ft. Worth, came after them Saturday and spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Graham leave today on a vacation trip to Oklahoma. Mrs. Graham will remain there for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Leo Hollan and daughters, Sharon and Janet, arrived by train Tuesday of last week from Urbana, Illinois, for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wrinkle. Mr. Hollan will come down about June 13, at the end of the semester at the University of Illinois, where he is a junior student. The Hollans will remain in Texas until next February when he will return to the University to finish his college work.

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GROUND MEAT - 29c

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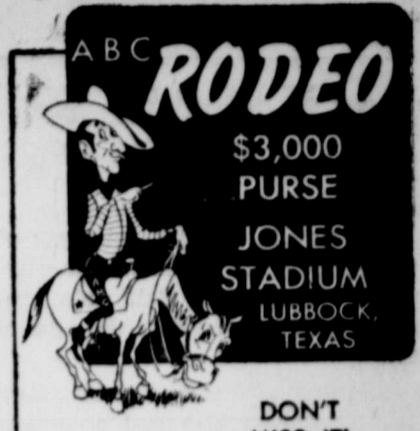
OLEO, Sun Spun - lb. 21c

LETTUCE - Head 10c

CARROTS - Cello 10c

BANANAS - Lb. 13c

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Ned H. Waldie, 69, Dies in California

Mr. Ned H. Waldie, formerly of Robert Lee, but for some time lived in Palo Alta, California, recently passed away at the age of 69.

Ned Waldie was known by many around Robert Lee and neighboring towns, and for some time had the mail route between Bronte and Ballinger. He came there from East Texas.

In his last years he moved to San Antonio and during World War II, he worked for the War Department at Kelly Field, where he received an award for high rating of efficiency. He had many friends and valued the friendships highly. In 1947 Ned Waldie moved to California where he worked at Stanford University and Menlo College.

Mr. Waldie had been ailing for quite some time, but was able to get around and make friends until last January when he went to a rest home for care. He suffered several strokes and finally left this world in April. He had many friends who were very kind to him.

Funeral services were held at the Colonial Chapel in Menlo Park the resting place, Alta Mesa Cemetery in Palo Alta, California.

Three of his eight children were present at the services. The children are: Robert Waldie, San Antonio, Texas; Carl Waldie, Odessa, Texas; Mrs. Alma Brock, San Angelo, Texas; Mrs. Johnnie Key, Verdugo City, Calif.; Mrs. Opal Jackson, Bradford, Arkansas; Mrs. Lois Buzzell, Menlo Park, Calif.; Richard Waldie and Luther Waldie, Texas.

TRY A WANT AD

Teachers Tell Of Summer Plans

Bronte teachers are making plans for the vacation months ahead. Supt. and Mrs. O. K. Wolfenbarger will remain here until July 1st, after which their plans are indefinite.

Coach Garland Black will remain in Bronte most of the time this summer. He plans a vacation shortly after school is out with his mother, Mrs. Ernest Black, of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Henry also plan to stay at home this summer although they will do some visiting and vacationing.

Mrs. Chet Holcombe and son, John, will move to Denver City May 30. Mrs. Holcombe will teach there next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Baker plan to remain here during the vacation months.

Mrs. Iva Newman will vacation during the summer and Mrs. R. E. Johnson has made no special plans for the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Vetal Flores are planning a vacation trip, after which they will remain at home.

Miss Sue Germany will return to Mercury, Texas, to spend the summer at her Four Oaks Ranch home. Mrs. George Thomas will be at home for the summer months and Mrs. Lum Lasswell's plans are indefinite.

Mrs. E. P. Laird of Tempe, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hudman of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Big Hudman of Iraan have been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Tidwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wells and family spent Sunday through Tuesday in Avoca with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Riley.

Softball Schedule

June 7 — To be filled in; Bronte vs. Hayrick.

June 9th — Tennyson vs. Bronte; Ft. Chad. vs. Norton.

June 14 — Tennyson vs. Hayrick Ft. Chad. vs. Bronte.

June 16 — Tennyson vs Ft. Chad Norton vs. Hayrick.

June 21 — To be filled in; Norton vs. Bronte;

June 23 — Tennyson vs. Norton; Ft. Chad vs. Hayrick.

June 28 — Bronte vs. Hayrick; Ft. Chad vs. Norton.

June 30 — Norton vs. Hayrick; Tennyson vs. Bronte.

July 5 — Ft. Chad vs. Bronte; Tennyson vs. Hayrick.

July 7 — to be filled in; Bronte vs. Norton.

July 12 — Tennyson vs. Ft. Chad.; Hayrick vs. Norton.

July 14 — Norton vs. Tennyson; Bronte vs. Hayrick.

The July 14 games will wind up the regular season and playoffs will begin.

Playoffs will begin on July 15.

Hospital Notes

May 25 — Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Norton, Larry Conquest, B. H. Denson, Winters, dismissed.

May 26 — Mrs. Walter Phillips admitted. David Faulk dismissed.

May 27 — S. J. Rose dismissed.

May 28 — Calvin McCutchen, Brenda Corley, Tennyson, admitted. Ed Hickman, Edith, dismissed.

May 29 — Dave Hoots, Curtis Wayne Coleman, Joe Ash, Norton, A. E. Rusk, Mrs. G. R. Davis, admitted. Mrs. J. E. Pettit, Mrs. Walter Phillips, M. L. Barnes, Blackwell, dismissed.

May 30 — Dave Brunson, Mrs. Robert Owen, Ft. Chad. Humble Camp, Mrs. John A. Childress, Robert Lee, admitted. Mrs. Walter Phillips re-admitted. Jerry McShan dismissed.

June 1 — Mrs. E. L. Caperton, admitted. Calvin McCutchen, Curtis Coleman, R. E. Hickman dismissed. Mrs. R. E. Hickman expired at 11:30 a. m.

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STEEL TO SLOW DOWN WORK ON COURT HOUSE

Good progress has been made on construction of Coke County's new court house up to this point, but the project faces a delay of several weeks because of the steel shortage.

A. Z. Sturgess, superintendent in charge of the job for Suggs Construction Co., advised The Observer this week that structural steel due for delivery here June 1 is now promised for July 15.

Basement of the new building has been finished and concrete has been poured for the outside walls of the entire building. Next step will be to pour the first floor which will be held up until arrival of I-beam steel.

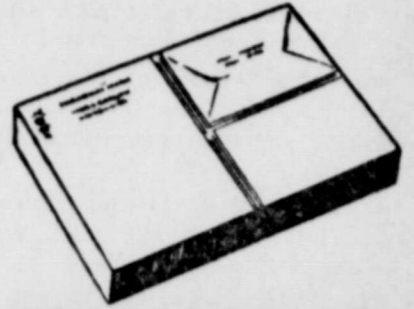
Sturgess has reduced his crew this week to a couple carpenters and five laborers. Heating and plumbing and electric sub-contractors will also face a delay in their operations.

The basement has dimensions of 71 by 33 feet. On the east end 22

feet of space has been set off for storage of official records. It has a 9½-foot ceiling as does the space allowed for rest rooms in the southwest corner of the basement. A boiler to provide central heating for the courthouse has been installed in the northeast corner of the basement.

The building was to have been completed by Nov. 1.

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The marriage of Miss Donna Jean Jameson to Mr. Joe Russell Ash of Bronte will take place at 7:30 p. m. today, Friday, at the ranch home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jahew Jameson, near Silver. Ash was graduated last week at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

William "Go'by" Franklin was home two days this week from Ft. Bliss, El Paso. He was visiting his mother, Mrs. Pete Nutter.

Otis Smith entered Shannon hospital in San Angelo Thursday night for medical examination.

HUNTER STRAIN LOW BIDDER ON PRECINCT ROAD

Contract for constructing 6.75 miles of new paved highway in Precinct No. 1 was awarded here Monday by the Coke County Com-

struction Co. of San Angelo.

The concern, which is owned by Hunter Strain, took the contract on a bid of \$100,314.90. It was considerably under five other bids submitted. W. W. Greif & Associates, consulting engineers, had estimated the cost at approximately \$103,000.

The road begins on the south side of the new Colorado River Bridge, southwest of Silver, and runs southeast to the old road at a corner between C. E. Scott and J. S. Smith properties.

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It terminates on the line between Precincts 1 and 3, which point is only 3 miles north of Highway 158 at the east side of Millican oil field.

It is a part of the road and bridge building program to make new outlets for the newly developed oil field in the extreme northwest corner of the county. A bond issue of \$245,000 for this purpose was voted last year.

The new road leads through one

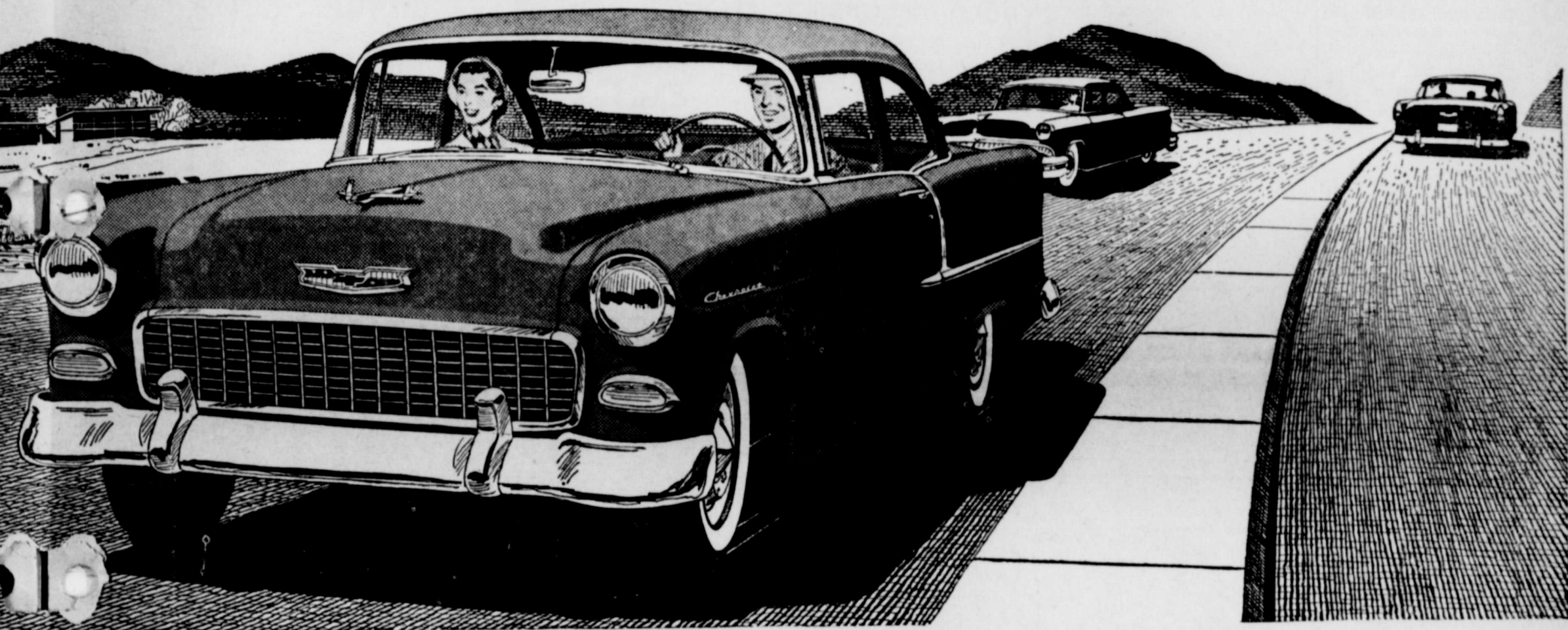
of the most rugged sections of the county. It involves lots of earth moving and drainage. Engineer Greif said there are five bridge structures, each 10 x 10 feet reinforced concrete, two 8 x 8 foot concrete bridges and a number of iron culverts running as large as 48 and 54 inches in diameter.

Work is to start within two or three weeks, and completion date is set for October.

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Daytona Beach. NASCAR 2-Way Straightaway Running Over Measured Mile. Open to cars from 250 to 299 cu. in. displacement. Chevrolet captured 3 of the first 5 places! None of its major competition (*what* competition?) even finished "in the money"!

Columbia, S. C. NASCAR 100-Mile Race on half-mile track. Very tight turns. Chevrolet

finished first! Way, way ahead—as in sales! With a new car, and no pit stops!

Fayetteville, N. C. NASCAR Late Model Event. After running the fastest qualifying round (with a *new* car) Chevrolet again finished first. Because of even tighter turns the driver chose to run the entire 150 laps in second gear! Yet no overheating or pit stops!

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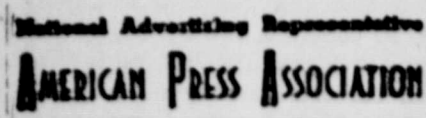
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News From Tennyson

By Mrs. John Gaston

Brenda Corley is in the Bronte hospital and doing nicely following an appendectomy Saturday afternoon.

Hervey Latham and Miss Betty McMinn of Texarkana, were honored with a wedding shower at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Stanley, Michael, Cynthia and Karen Poynter are here from Tennessee to spend the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks. Also visiting them over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnis and family of Eldorado.

Attending a Brownie meeting in Bronte Monday afternoon were Janelle Gaston, Peggy and Mary Corley.

Dee Estes is a patient in Shannon hospital in San Angelo.

Mmes. John Gaston and Jack Corley will attempt to organize a ladies softball team at Tennyson and ask that anyone who is interested, please be at the store this afternoon Friday, at 4 o'clock

Enjoying a picnic supper with Mrs. S. W. Gaston and Sam Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs.

Walter Gaston and children, Mrs. Claud Cotten, Jane Doak and Gary Wallace of San Angelo, the John and Grady Gaston families and Deanie Allen of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Harrell of Sonora are parents of a baby girl born at Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. They have one other child, Gary, 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green of Tennyson.

Mrs. Sudie Brown is vacationing in deep East Texas, where the tall pines grow.

Jackie Corley happened to some very bad luck last week, when his prize sow came in contact with a live wire and was electrocuted.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Harrell are doing some remodeling on their home and it is looking mighty good, so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Tounget and family are moving near Christoval this week, where he is employed in ranching.

Johnny Gaston was taken to the Bronte Hospital Thursday, after getting his right hand caught in a washing machine wringer. He was dismissed after seven stitches were taken in his hand and his Mother was treated for shock!!

Those from here who attended the farewell party for the Bill

Pughs at Oak Creek lake Friday night included Mmes. Jack Corley, John and Grady Gaston, their children and Russell Brown.

Mrs. Harriet LeNori and children of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latham and Tommy spent Sunday visiting relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. Myrtle Bell and Tommy of Bronte have been visiting with the Erve Littles.

School is out and everyone is happy. Albert Davis gathered up most of the school kids on this route, and some of the mothers, and took them on a picnic Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green spent the weekend fishing near Llano.

Thanks People of Bronte and Tennyson

We want to express our thanks to everyone for being so good to us while we were in Bronte.

I have been in many places in Texas and the United States and have NEVER found people so friendly and good to others as you in Bronte and Tennyson.

We will never forget you.
 Bill Pugh and family.

ABC RODEO TO BE HELD AT LUBBOCK

LUBBOCK, May 26 (Special)—"Rodeo" is a magic word in this part of America. The magic of one of the Southwest's greatest 1955 rodeo events, the annual Lubbock A. B. C. Rodeo, unwinds in full fury and color beneath the lights on Jones Stadium on the Texas Tech campus, June 8, 9, 10, and 11.

Casey Tibbs, five time world champion cowboy in R. C. A. competition arrives in Lubbock June 8, with his spirited horse, Midnight, to lead the gala four-day period of rodeo drama and excitement. His glittering array of world championship trophies will be on display at the Caprock Hotel during Rodeo Week.

3 p. m., Wednesday, June 8, marks the signal gun starting a

festive rodeo parade of cowboys, horses, sheriff's posse riders from all over West Texas and New Mexico, bands and flags.

Competition for \$3,000 in purse money will begin at 8 p. m. each night in giant Jones stadium.

Other featured acts to appear nightly in the big Lubbock rodeo are the Roy Rogers Liberty horses, Lynn Randall and Top Hat and the tremendous showmanship of "Hoof beat Harmony," starring Joan and Corky Randall with their educated mounts, Zephyr and Comet.

Ticket sales for the annual A. B. C. Rodeo are centered at the Caprock Hotel.

SAC GRADUATE

Among the graduates at San Angelo College last weekend was Orlie Wolfenbarger, the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Wolfenbarger of Bronte. A liberal arts major, he played football two years at SAC, basketball one year and track one year. He also belongs to the "R" Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Oden and Charles are leaving this weekend on a week's vacation trip. They will attend a reunion of his family Sunday at Hico and then go on to Garner State Park for the remainder of the week.

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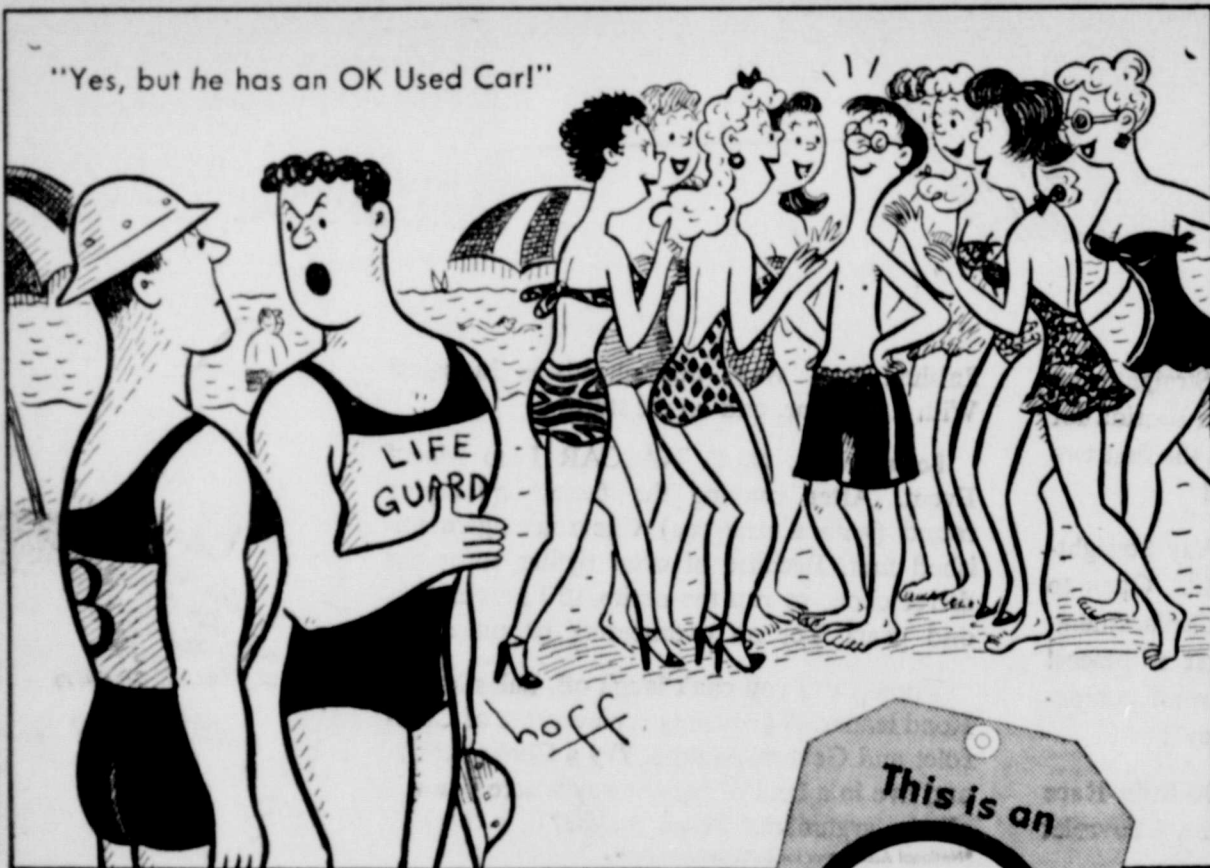
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Graford, Texas
Monday afternoon.

Hi Everybody,

We have had just a little breathing spell today so I will try to drop you a line. I found Dad very much worse when I got here Sat. and the Dr. has told us that there is no possible chance but I still contend that there is. He has definitely been better today and we are so pleased. But they got us up at 1 last night and we thought that the end was very near but he snapped out of it. He has known us part time today.

I hope that you all don't decide that you can print a paper without me while I am gone. I am enclosing the what's what.

Tuesday morning. Everything is still about the same. Dad spent his best night last night but we just gave him a shot as he was so restless.

As ever,

Trixie

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come by the office to ask about Mrs. Whatley and her father that we are printing the letter above which we received Wednesday. As for printing the paper without her, we've managed to get out two, but the desks haven't been cleaned off, the coffee cups washed, the collecting done, etc, so we may find an odd job for her when she gets back.)

May 30, 1955

Dear Ben,

Would appreciate your publishing the following letter in your paper if space permits:

Dear Citizens of Bronte,

It was a very real and distinct pleasure of mine to visit in your town the past week (tho I should say "our town" for I, too, share a spirit of ownership at least.) I noted with pride the paved streets, the new bank building, the foundation for an elementary school, and, more important, the ever ready friendliness and hospitality of the individuals in the community. I felt instinctively the mutual respect of the parents, teachers, and pupils alike as I visited many of the closing exercises at school and saw the spirit of cooperation there. Of course, I keenly noted the progress the churches were making for they are definitely the backbone of any community.

At this point let me apologize to many of you for being unable to fulfill promises I made in not visiting in each of your homes personally. To have accepted every invitation would have taken months to fulfill completely. I am keeping a little black book, however, and assure you that on a future date I shall attempt to repay in kind, if possible, many of the courtesies shown me on this recent visit. Any oversight on my part was purely unintentional and the entire community has my appreciation for their typical West Texas hospitality. Somehow I feel rather guilty in that Bronte gave me so much more than what little I had to offer them in return. And, so, the words are inadequate, but let me say a sincere, "Thank You."

McAfee Daniel

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Glenn and girls made a weekend trip. They took their daughter, Marilyn, to Houston for a medical checkup, continuing on to Galveston and returning by way of San Antonio.

Missionaries to Be Here Sunday

Dr. and Mrs. James A. Lunsford from Minas Gerais, in South Brazil, will speak in both services Sunday at First Baptist Church. In the 11 a. m. service Dr. Lunsford will speak and in the 8 p. m. service colored slides of their work will be shown and Mrs. Lunsford will speak. The public is cordially invited.

Dr. and Mrs. Lunsford are working in Minas Baptist College in the city of Belo Horizonte. In addition to teaching Bible in the college and in the seminary extension course, Dr. Lunsford is pastor of a new church in the state of Minas Gerais. He and Mrs. Lunsford are aided by Mrs. Rosalee Mills Appleby.

There are 77 churches and 186 preaching points in the state of Minas Gerais. Of the 316 counties,

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39 have Baptist churches. In the southern section of the state there are 200 townships of more than 10,000 inhabitants each in which there is no evangelical church. In spite of the fact that thousands of people in South Brazil have received the gospel with open arms, this still remains a mission field with needs equalling its opportunities. This is the challenge that Dr. and Mrs. Lunsford will present Sunday, June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Baker went to Tahoka last Friday to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Silas Dixon. Baker returned but Mrs. Baker remained for a visit. Mrs. Dixon has been hospitalized with a broken arm which she sustained in a fall over a week ago.

Lee Reid, school boy from Big Lake, has been visiting here with his uncle, Bill Payne.

The J. E. Scott family left Monday on a vacation trip. They will visit relatives at Clyde and Corpus Christi and will be gone about three weeks.

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A member of the talented Randall family of rodeo fame, Lynn Randall will direct her charge through two of their most popular presentations, "Equestrian Elegance" and "Rhythm on Wheels."

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MAYFLOWER GOLDEN CORN - No. 303 13c
DIAMOND CUT BEANS - 2 for 25c
MILK, Tall Cans - 2 for 25c
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LETTUCE - HEAD 12c
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CARROTS - CELLO PKG. 10c
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SEVEN BONE ROAST - Lb. 29c
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County Judge Jeff Dean returned to his home last Thursday from Houston, after spending six weeks in the M. D. Anderson hospital there. Specialists there have not yet made a report as to the cause of his illness. He was admitted to Coke County Memorial Hospital in Robert Lee after returning home.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carille this week have been Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Buford and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Buford, all of Kermit, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henderson of Notrees, Texas.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST

WEST TEXAS GIRL SCOUT CAMP STREAMLINED

Campers at Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks will be surprised to see the new streamlined features which have been added to the camp since last summer. Through the efforts of this year's cookie sale, which netted approximately \$8,380.00 for the camping fund and \$1,019.13 for the troop budgets, a number of improvements have been made possible.

This year tents will be pitched on wooden platforms instead of on the ground, making for cleaner camping. Their own well and pump has been installed instead of having water hauled from town. Water has been piped to three locations west of the creek which will eliminate carrying all water to the units from the mess hall.

The swimming pool will sport a drinking fountain plus a new blue color. This last improvement will make the 35 x 70 foot tile bordered pool one of the most attractive in West Texas.

Camp will operate from June 12 through August 6 this summer. Some of the sessions already have a capacity registration but there is still room for more girls in some of the camping periods.

CANCER TOTAL \$426

Coke County contributions to the Cancer Fund have reached \$426.60, according to A. J. Kirkpatrick, county chairman of the Cancer Crusade. The county quota is \$500 and workers are still hoping to reach that goal. Those who have not contributed and will do so, are asked to contact E. F. Glenn at the First National Bank, J. B. Mackey at Cumbie & Mackey store or The Bronte Enterprise.

Mrs. M. J. Dixon left Wednesday for Happy to attend a family reunion on June 2. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. I. M. Austin of Robert Lee.

Standings in the Softball League as of May 29, 1955:

	W	L
Ft. Chadbourne	7	1
Tennyson	6	2
Bronte	3	7
Norton	1	4
Hayrick	0	3

A meeting of the Softball Managers was held in Bronte Thursday for a discussion of the rules and ways of improving the weaker clubs. All managers agreed that they would follow the rules which were set up in a meeting held in March, which prohibits a player from playing unless he lives in the Bronte area or was approved and on the roster of players before the May 3 deadline for signing up players.

Lyndon Waldrop has returned to Bronte and will be pitching for the Bronte boys. From all indications Bronte will be winning more games from here out.

Norton has acquired four new players, including two new pitchers, and will be winning more games from now on, too.

Fort Chadbourne and Tennyson, who are the league leaders, are now making some adjustments and will be stronger from now on.

Next Tuesday night, June 7, the Bronte school board will tangle with the City Council. They met once before and it had to be called on account of the dust, with the School Board leading 5 to 1. There has been some question as to the outcome of this game if the dust had stayed off a little while longer. One member of the council reported that he did not play long enough to get limbered up.

The Softball people tried to get the Robert Lee School Board over for a game with the Bronte board, but they turned down the invitation. There is a rumor going around Coke County that Bronte has a bunch of ex-big time ball players now doing free service on the School Board.

Sterling City will come to Bronte next Tuesday night, also, to play the league teams. More outside teams, including Winters, are set to come to Bronte in the near future.

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TWO SHOWS DAILY — 6:30 P. M. WEEK DAYS, 1:30 SUN.

Motion Pictures Are Your Finest Entertainment

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JUNE 3 & 4
Rock Hudson, Barbara Rush in
"TAZA, SON OF COCHISE"

(In Technicolor) Also Cartoon & News

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JUNE 5 & 6, Sun. Matinee 1:30 & 3:35
Doris Day, Frank Sinatra in
"YOUNG AT HEART"

(In Color) Also Cartoon

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 & 8
Anne Baxter, Steve Cochran in
"THE CARNIVAL STORY"

(In Technicolor) Also Cartoon

**Annual Business Report
City of Bronte**

Fiscal Year April 1st, 1954, to March 31st, 1955

Cash Balance April 1, 1954 \$ 5,686.86

RECEIPTS FISCAL YEAR BY:

Water Rentals	22,031.65
Water Deposits and Turning on Water	301.00
Revenue from sale of water to 3 oil wells @ \$500.00 Each	1,500.00
Pipe Sale	26.00
Fines	4.00
Permits	24.00
Grass Lease	35.00
Insurance from damage to main & hail damage to roof	312.86
Telephone call paid	.30
Current Taxes	9,427.95
Delinquent Taxes	773.75
Gross Receipts Taxes	613.66
Maintainer Hire	11.00
Bank Error (Checks No. 8719 & No. 8564 re-deposited to correct account)	15.83
Oil and Gas Lease	65.93
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$40,829.79

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Salaries:	
Water Sberintendent	\$ 3,192.00
City Marshall	1,716.00
City Secretary	2,132.40
Water Supt. Expenses	600.00
Collector of Internal Revenue	786.00
Current for Pumping	1,102.27
Office, Park and Signal Lights	141.75
Mercantile National Bank	2,722.67
Fuel for Office	41.69
Street and Alley Labor and Materials	521.00
City of Sweetwater Water Payments	1,643.37
Telephone	90.23
Printing and Election Supplies	95.49
Election and Equalization Board Members Pay	28.00
Plumbing Supplies	2,581.66
Fire Insurance	29.82
Welding	341.70
Spray and Diesel for Spray Machine	235.61
Gas, Oil and Battery	73.21
Council Fees	240.00
Repair to Property	304.05
Postage	115.04
Refund on Water Deposits	31.75
Chlorine and Chemicals	278.40
Freight	70.41
New Meters and Meter Repairs	949.59
Upper Colorado River Authority	8,400.00
Extra Labor	2,408.90
General Supplies	171.17
New Equipment Purchased	368.43
Interest	130.00
Miscellaneous (Including checks No. 8719 and 8564 sent through wrong account. Amount \$15.83)	20.08
Cash on Hand March 31, 1955	9,267.10
TOTAL	\$40,829.79

Expenditures listed above are covered by City Checks Number 8361 through 8821 inclusive, and properly entered in Warrant Register and duly allowed by City Council in Regular Meetings.

Correct: Helen Kirkland

Secretary-Treasurer

We, the undersigned Audit Committee, have checked the above statement and find it in accord with bank statements and is apparently correct.

Audit Committee: B. D. Snead
E. F. Glenn

April 1, 1955

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