

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Final Plans Made for Carnival; Special Show for Teen-Agers

Final plans for the Halloween Carnival were made Tuesday night at a meeting of the PTA executive committee and carnival committee chairmen. The annual carnival will be held Saturday night, Oct. 27.

A new attraction has been planned for this year's carnival, especially for Bronte teen-agers. The event will include only those between the ages of 12 and 20 and will be the "Teen Age Tour of Terror on Turney's Model T." Announcing it, a PTA spokesman said this tour "is something new and horrible for those who love a lovely thrill. Every boy will want to take his girl friend on this trip." The spokesman also said "positively NO adults allowed unless accompanied by a teen-ager."

Classes were out working this week getting votes for the candidates for Halloween queen. The Carnival is closed with the crowning of the Halloween queens, one from grade school and one from high school.

Candidates from the various classes and their duke escorts are: Mrs. Vetal Flores First grade; Linda Cumble and Doak Snead.

Mrs. Carroll Robbins' First Grade; Janie Collins and Timmy Moore.

Second grade: Lillian Strickland and Charles McGuire.

Third grade: Joy Kay Moore and Larry Corley.

Fourth grade: Margie Oglesby

## AD-LIB-BEN

The following note was received this week from a friend of ours: To the printer and all the other help:

It certainly seemed that someone pulled a boo-boo. It looked very much like I was (plum) forgotten on the mailing list and my paper was mailed late. In fact it had a certain kind of wrapper and a 3-cent stamp on it that gave the whole thing away. And another thing, I did not get it until Sat. morning. But did I relish getting it. I read everything from the want ads to Tennyson.

Eddie, did you clean up the galleys? And are you all going to church and keeping on the straight and narrow path? I'll try to come back before you go all the way to the doys.

I miss all of you and hope that I am missed just a little. Hope to see you before too long.

What's What.

Dear What's What,

For your information the mailing galleys are dirty, the coffee pot hasn't been washed out good in a week, and we've gone so far we can hear the dogs barking.

This is Oil Progress Week and we're not playing it up as much in The Enterprise as we'd like to. Just didn't have time to work on it. We would like to have several good features about what oil has done for the Bronte area. We probably all realize its importance anyway—every time we drive over the paved streets of Bronte, every time we drive past Bronte School's new elementary building,

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and Terry Thetford.

Fifth grade: Jan Wilkins and Marshall Freeman.

Sixth grade: Sue Blackmon and Victor Ivey.

Seventh grade: Patsy Woods and Tommy Boecking.

Eighth grade: Carol Ann Sherrod and James Coalson.

Freshmen: Armilda Hester and Stanley Daulong.

Sophomores: Juanita Wrinkle and Tommy Bell.

Juniors: Joyce Faulk and Jerry McShan.

Seniors: Patsy Brock and Gene Walker.

## Longhorns Make Come Back But Fail to Overtake Cardinals

### Longhorns Take on Loraine Tonight In District Tilt

The Longhorns will return to play in the local stadium tonight as they take on a Bulldog team from Loraine. Both teams have a district rating of 0 wins and 1 loss. The Longhorns lost to Hermleigh 27-21 and Trent mauled Loraine two weeks ago. Loraine had an open date last week and should be ready to throw a tough team up against the Longhorns.

In games last week, other than the Bronte and Hermleigh game, Robert Lee was the only other team in action. In their game against Menard they came out on top of a 25-13 score.

This week finds Loraine at Bronte, Hermleigh at Robert Lee, and Trent playing a non-conference game.

Game time will be 7:30. Support the Longhorns and show the boys that they are being backed 100 percent.

## Grade School To Play Team From San Angelo

Coach Grady Baker announced Wednesday that his junior high football team will play a junior high team from the Catholic School in San Angelo Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 7:30 p. m.

The grade school lads have had a very successful season, having won all three of their games. They have downed junior high teams from Robert Lee twice and beat Balingier once.

They were scheduled to meet Balingier again last night (Thursday).

The junior Longhorn team is made up of the following boys:

Don Andrews, Jackie Corley, Sammy Baker, Mike Luttrell, Alonzo Robbins, Douglas Rogers, Joe Rodriguez, James Coalson, Dee Arrott, Danny Scott, Jerry McCutchen, Donald Hester, Charles Lee, Buddy Walker, Mike Teague, Leslie Brice, Eddie Glenn, Tommy Lee, Douglas Phillips, Malcolm Johnson, Johnny Scott, Russell Brown, Bobby Allen, Jimmy Forman, Victor Ivey, Jerry Roach, Rudy Phillips and Grady Bexworth.

## Rites Held for Vincent Hanna

Rites were held Wednesday at 10 a. m. in Robert Lee for Vincent Hanna, 34, who was killed in an oil rig accident Sunday in the Spearman-Perryton area. Services were held at Perryton on Tuesday.

Mr. Hanna was married to Miss Ava Lou Tubb, who is a granddaughter of Mrs. Ava Maxwell of Bronte. They had one child, Jerome, age 5. Other survivors include his parents of Yazoo City, Miss., and two other children of New York state.

Burial was in Fairview cemetery here under direction of Clift Funeral Home.

## Soaking Rains Fall Over Coke County

Widespread rains fell over this area during the first part of the week with the Bronte vicinity receiving up to four inches by Thursday noon. Showers falling intermittently late Sunday and early Monday measured up to 2.8 inches and another 1.1 inches was received during the night Wednesday.



RAYMOND CAULDER

## Raymond Caulder Killed in Wreck In Naples, Italy

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caulder of Bronte received a telegram Wednesday that their son, Seaman Raymond Caulder, was killed Tuesday in a collision at Naples, Italy. The wire, which came from Rear Adm. Kenneth Craig, acting chief of naval personnel, said the 20-year-old Navy man was killed while riding a motorcycle which in a collision with a truck.

Young Caulder enlisted in the Navy Jan. 26, 1955. He was born July 27, 1936, in Robert Lee. The family lived at Silver for about ten years before moving to Bronte eight years ago. Raymond attended Bronte schools and was drummer in the Longhorn Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Caulder said they wired the Navy department to send their son's body to Bronte for funeral services. Funeral arrangements are pending, as the family has not received any word as to how long it will take for the body to arrive in Bronte.

Survivors include his parents; four brothers, Doyle, Earl, Kenneth and Wayne Caulder; two sisters, Shirley and Jean Caulder; two grandmothers, Mrs. Susie Caulder of Bronte and Mrs. Onie Adams of Midland.

Skies were overcast with promise of more showers Thursday.

Rain was general over the county with Robert Lee reporting a total of 3.75 inches. Their Mountain Creek reservoir, getting low, was filled. The C. E. Arrott ranch south of town reported a total of 3.3. Heavy rains were reported in the vicinity of the White Hat ranch southwest of Blackwell. Oak Creek Lake received more than two feet of run-off in the Monday rain, with 1.35 inches falling at the lake.

These were the first general showers received in the area in many months, bringing at least temporary relief from lengthy and searing drouth conditions.

The rain will be invaluable to farmers and ranchmen who have and who will plant fall grain. Stock tanks, many of which have been completely dry, have been filled.

The welcome rains were set off by a cool front moving in from the Pacific over moist air in West Texas.

## Robert Lee State Bank Is Finished; Plan Open House

Robert Lee State Bank's \$50,000 building was completed this week and the institution opened for business Thursday morning in its new home.

Open house for visitors from out of town has been set for Friday from 3 to 9 p. m. Local people are invited to see the new building on Saturday from 3 o'clock until 9 p. m. Regular banking business as usual will be conducted Saturday until noon.

The new bank occupies a prominent location across from the northwest corner of the court house square. The site was purchased from Mrs. Effie Roe at a price of \$10,000. Two old mercantile buildings were torn down to make room for the bank structure.

Plans were drawn by Max Lovett, well known San Angelo architect, and the general contract was let to Rutherford & Freeman, San Angelo builders. They were assisted by several sub-contractors who handled various phases of the project.

## Methodist Revival To Be Conducted Here Next Week

Rev. Luther Kirk, Methodist district superintendent of the Plainview district, arrives in Bronte this weekend to begin a week of revival meetings at Bronte Methodist church. Rev. Lin Loeffler, pastor of the church, will be in charge of the song services.

Beginning Sunday morning, Oct. 21, and closing Sunday, October 28, there will be two services daily. Morning services will be at 7 a. m. Monday through Saturday with the Sunday morning services at the usual 11 o'clock hour. Evening services will be at 7 p. m.

Everyone has been extended a cordial invitation to attend.

## New Chevrolets on Display

Caperton Chevrolet Co. will have four new 1957 Chevrolet passenger cars and one pickup on display Friday. The new Chevrolets are being displayed all over the country today.

Capertons are holding Open House and invite everyone in this area to come by and inspect the new cars. Free coffee and donuts will be served all day. In addition they will have free perfume for the ladies who come by, free cigars for the men and free toys for the kids.

The 1957 Chevrolet passenger cars are greatly improved over

the 1956 models, said Matthew Caperton, co-owner of the local agency. "We're so well pleased with the new cars that we want everyone in the Bronte community to see them," he said.

The new Chevies are following the modern trend of being longer and lower than their predecessors. Increased power is another feature of them, with horsepower running from 140 to 283.

A story written by public relations officials of the Chevrolet division of General Motors appears on another page of this newspaper. It gives details about changes in the new 1957 models.

# SOCIETY

Mrs. A. S. Whatley, Editor

The Bronte Enterprise

October 19, 1956

## what's what by whatley

Well, here I have been away from Bronte nearly two weeks, living the life of a town girl. In the 6½ years that we lived there, I found out that instead of acquiring wealth, we accumulated junk. Never in my life did I see any one have so much junk that you felt you could not do with out.

We are getting kinda back to normal life with the house all in place once more. It is quite convenient in many ways with the milk man bringing milk to my door and the mail man bringing the

Bronte Enterprise and all the other mail I get to the house. There is a beauty shop across the street that I go to to get beautified, but with all this, I still prefer the country life that I had at Bronte, west of town.

It seems that they did real well at the paper office without me as they got out a 10-pager, even tho there was a line upside down in one story. (Be careful, Eddie.)

If you hear anyone telling their aches and pains, I can top them one with mine. From this moving spree, I have had the back ache, neck ache, toe ache and every other ache you might think of. I don't relish any of it. Incidentally, I had rather have my feet under the desk at The Bronte Enterprise, reading proofs or working on the books or even making coffee, than doing any of the unpacking jobs that fell my lot to do. But it certainly has been nice to have a sister four blocks down the street to feed you every meal for several days.

I had several to tell me before I left that when they read my column from week to week, it would be like having a letter from me. Well, I shall expect one in return from everyone who reads this. Just send it to 1003 W. 9th, Cisco, and I'll be sure to get it. I live one block off the highway coming into town from Bronte. Just turn off at the hamburger and dairy treat and come south one block and there we live on the corner facing north. So I shall be expecting everyone down to see me. Just cut this out and hang it on the wall until you come down. Next week I will write you something besides our move, but that seems to have been all that has been on my mind.

The little son got started in school and attends junior high, with more children in those three grades than there were in all the school at Bronte. But his teacher there might be glad to hear that he was 70 pages ahead of them when he got here and it made it real nice for him.

For the recipe this week, I am going to bring you one that I have intended to give you for some time, and have never gotten around to it. It is called:

### Lemon Fluff Pie

Make crust of desired size. Mix in sauce pan:

3 egg yolks  
½ cup sugar  
3 tbsp. water  
3 tbsp. lemon juice  
2 tsp. lemond rind

Cook over low heat, stirring constantly until boiling. Remove from heat. Immediately fold gently into a meringue of:

3 egg whites  
¼ tsp. cream tartar  
½ cup sugar

Pile into the baked shell. Chill. Or, if preferred, bake at 400 degrees until delicately browned, about 5 minutes. Serve immediately.

P. S. Some of you might be interested to know that Brother Dunson, who was a former Methodist pastor at Bronte many years ago and is the minister here now, came to see me the other day and we had such a nice visit talking about every one down there.

## Progressive Club Meets In Mrs. Carter's Home

Federation was the theme for the Progressive Club meeting Thursday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. Joe Carter.

Mrs. W. C. Duncan gave "Signals of Federation" and Mrs. O. H. Willoughby conducted a parliamentary quiz and spoke on "Mind Your Manners." Mrs. C. C. Glenn discussed "Know Your Federation."

The hostess served ice cream topped with pineapple and angel food cake to Mmes. Edna Butner, R. E. Cumbie, Duncan, Claude Gentry, W. J. Gideon, Mattie Glenn, C. C. Glenn, F. S. Higginbotham, Charles Keeney, J. D. Leonard, A. N. Rawlings, L. E. Smith and Willoughby.

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## Mrs. Sam Gray Hosts Art Craft Club Meeting

Mrs. Sam Gray was hostess at her home Oct. 10 to the Art Craft Club. Mrs. Leonard Keeney spoke on "How to Plant a Gracious Garden" to open the program and also presided at the business session following.

Mrs. J. D. Leonard gave "Avery Island in Louisiana" before the group.

For the recreation Mrs. Leonard conducted a riddle, contes with the prize, plastic measuring cups, going to Mrs. B. E. Modgling.

Mrs. Modgling also won the floating prize, a pin tray, which was presented by Mrs. Robert Knierim. Open faced sandwiches, potato chips, cup cakes, cookies and punch were on the refreshment plate. Two visitors, Mrs. Wil Gideon and David Ann Reel were present as well as the following members: Mmes. E. L. Caperton, Knierim, Leonard, Mae McQueen, T. F. Sims, Sr., Ben Reeves, Rorest Clark, Floyd Modgling, Keeney, B. E. Modgling, Minnie A. West and the hostess.

Bronte Freshman class held a meeting this week and named Armilda Hester and Sammy Daulong as their candidates in the Queens race for the Halloween carnival. They began raising money Monday. They will sell cookies, candy and popcorn balls.

## Engagement of Miss Feil Announced by Parents

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil of Tennyson are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda, to Sgt. Allen Brown of Crane. The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Tom Brown of Crane, attended school at Big Lake and has served with the U. S. Marines for 2½ years.

Miss Feil has been employed at the First National Bank in Bronte since she graduated from high school here in 1955. Mr. Brown has just returned from 15 months duty in Japan and will be stationed at 29 Palms, Calif.

The wedding will be Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Tennyson Baptist Church.

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# Blackwell Here's

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mrs. W. T. Teel is ill in the Sweetwater hospital.

Mrs. Bud Carruthers is ill in the St. Johns Hospital in San Angelo.

Mrs. Tom Payne accompanied her sister, Mrs. Horace Hanks of Sweetwater, to San Angelo Tuesday to visit another sister, Mrs. James Patrick and husband.

Walter Stapp is ill in the Sweetwater hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ear Cook and son, Robbie, attended the Ranger-San Angelo College football game at Ranger Saturday night. Their daughter, Wanda Nell, who is a student at SAC, returned home with them.

Mr. Frank Brownfield, ag teacher and four of his students, Bill Preslar, Wayne, Larry and Tommy Estes are attending the Dallas

Fair and the boys are showing their sheep

Mrs. A. B. Chambers of Dallas is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Dabney.

Mrs. Chas. Ragsdale and son, Bob, have gone to Del Rio to visit an aunt, Mrs. Charles W. Escue, Sr. who underwent surgery last week.

### Town Hall Meeting

The town hall meeting was held Monday night at the school building, with Mayor T. A. Carlisle in charge of the meeting. The town voted to buy Mrs. D. T. Hunt's building next to the City Barber Shop, for a fire station and town hall.

The next move will be to get a fire truck. It will be used for the town and surrounding country, including the Oak Creek Lake area.

Mr. Carlisle introduced Ollie Johnson, president of the Blackwell Lions Club, and Palmer West and Elmer Peters of Eldorado.

Mr. West, fire chief of Eldorado, talked on fire engines and the rules and regulations of volunteer fire departments. Mr. West and Mr. Peters offered their assistance to Blackwell in getting its department started.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hendry are attending the Dallas Fair this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Montgomery and children of Del Rio spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waggoner of Hylton, and his brother, Gordon Montgomery, and family at Blackwell.

### Methodist Homecoming

About 200 persons attended the Methodist Church Homecoming Sunday. Rev. Luther Kirk, Plainview brought the message and Rev. Raymond Dyess of Hale Center sang a solo, "O Love of God." Lunch was served at noon.

# The Bronte Enterprise

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Out of town guests were: Mrs. Mamie White, son and grandson, Mrs. Lou Whiteside and son, all of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raney and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Richard, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Glass of Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Slater and Mrs. W. A. Hazlewood, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Haney Horn and daughters, all of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Vest and daughter of Odesa; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hazlewood of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard and son of Christoval; Mrs. Clark Glenn of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. M. Russell of Clyde; Mrs. Frank Youree and Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Anderson, Jr., all of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Porter of San Angelo; Mrs. A. B. Chambers of Dallas; Bruce Clift of Robert Lee, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Dyess and son of Hale

Center; Rev. and Mrs. Luther Kirk of Plainview; Mrs. Charles Wilson and sons of Big Spring; and Mrs. J. D. Hale of Austin.

### ROLAND IN HAWAII

25TH DIV., HAWAII — Army Pfc Charlie R. Roland, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Roland, Route 1, Blackwell, Tex., recently participated in Organization Day activities with the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii.

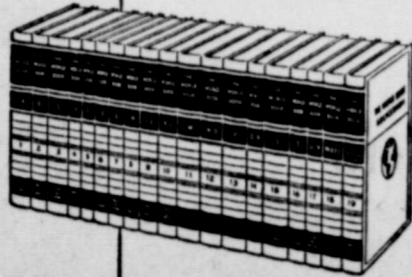
Roland, a gunner in Battery A of the division's 21st Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion, entered the Army in November 1954 and received basic training at Fort Bliss, Tex. He has been in Hawaii since April, 1955.

The 20-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Blackwell High School.

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- SUGAR - 10 Lbs. 97c

- LB.
- LETTUCE - 12c
- CELLO PKG.
- CARROTS - 11c
- RUSSETS 10 LBS.
- SPUDS - 49c
- SWIFT'S ORIOLE LB.
- BACON - 45c
- HORMEL 2 LBS.
- Margarine - 39c
- CLUB LB.
- STEAKS - 39c

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### Kerry Evans Has Surgery

Kerry Evans, 19-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sid Evans, underwent brain surgery in Nix Hospital in San Antonio Wednesday noon of this week. Reports indicate the operation was a success and that Kerry may come home in about a week or ten days. He became ill several days ago and was hospitalized in the Bronte Hospital for a few days and then transferred to San Angelo.

Dr. Ralph Munslow, brain specialist from San Antonio, was called to San Angelo and advised the surgery. Kerry was taken to San Antonio Tuesday.

A number of local persons accompanied the Evans to San Antonio including Kerry's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brunson. Others making the trip included Mrs. W. W. Millikin, Mrs. Virgil Cole, Jimmy Brunson, and Lin Loeffler, all of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Skinny Adams of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Rance Brunson of Mertzon.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Oct. 10 — Miss Lottie Ivey, Bronte, Mrs. Jim Mitchell, Bronte, admitted. W. W. Lancaster, Wingate, dismissed.

Oct. 11 — Merle Andrews, Bronte, Jimmy Wells, Bronte, J. Lee Ensor, Bronte, admitted. G. W. Gardner, Ft. Chad, Humble Camp, Kerry Evans, Bronte, Paula June Dunklin, Bronte, A. J. Es-sary, Bronte, S. D. Hoots, Bronte, dismissed.

Oct. 12 — Mrs. Ben Reeves, Bronte, admitted. Mrs. Eliza Larkin, Bronte, Mrs. B. H. Denson, Bronte, J. Lee Ensor, Bronte, dismissed.

Oct. 13 — Mrs. Harold Denton, Bronte, B. G. Timmons, Bronte, admitted.

Oct. 14 — Delbert Coalson, Silver, dismissed.

Oct. 15 — Mrs. H. E. Thorn Blackwell, Mrs. John Keeney, Bronte, Mrs. W. T. Baker, Bronte, Mrs. Preston Davis, Bronte, admitted. Mrs. Harold Denton, Bronte, David Faulk, Bronte, dismissed.

Oct. 16 — W. G. Cresap, Bronte, Frank Herrington, Robert Lee, admitted. Mrs. Clyde Coleman, Crews, Mrs. L. L. Jernigan, Bronte, dismissed.

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### OIL ACCOUNTED FOR COKE'S BIG TAX PAYMENTS

Coke County gained 149 new producing wells during the year 1955, to offset a decrease in production in older wells and thus prevent a sizeable cut in the taxable valuation.

This report was compiled by Thos. Y. Pickett & Company, evaluation engineers of Dallas, who are employed by the county to assess oil properties, railroads and public utilities.

The number of wells on Jan. 1, 1955, was 759 and the figure increased to 908 by the end of the year.

Daily allowable production during last year dropped from 61,305 to 60,880 barrels, a decrease of 425 barrels daily.

Actual production of crude oil in Coke County during the year 1954 was 11,511,170 barrels, and it dropped to 10,220,380 in 1955, an actual decrease of 1,290,790 barrels.

Value of oil produced in 1954 was \$33,382,400, compared to \$29,639,100 in 1955, which was a decrease of \$3,743,300.

Taxing value of oil production decreased about \$700,000 this year, but there was a gain of around \$400,000 in oil personal property due to a new gas plant.

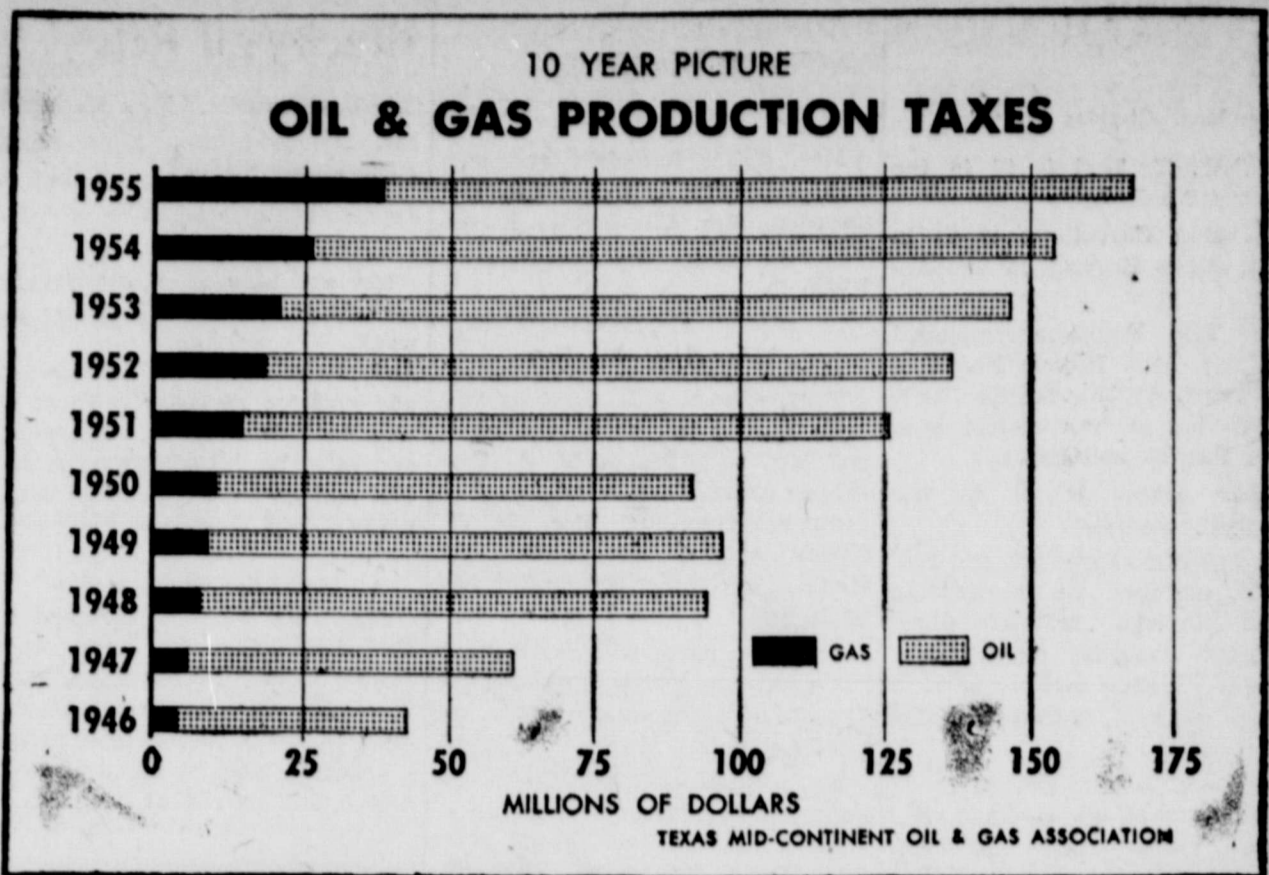
Total taxing value of Coke County for 1956 was finally determined at \$29,326,340, while last year it was \$29,762,910.

In round numbers oil properties paid on close of 25 million dollars, while all other property in the county is paying taxes this year on 4½ millions. Oil is paying 85% of the tax load.

#### IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Word was received here this week that H. R. Belcher is in serious condition in a San Antonio hospital. Belcher, whose home is Bronte, was working in a San Antonio service station and was shot twice during a holdup of the station. He was scheduled to undergo surgery Tuesday. No further word had been received at press time Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Belcher had been residing at the Halami-cek ranch near Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham spent last weekend in Moriarty, New Mexico, with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Sayner, and her family.



# Open House

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**11:55 A. M.**

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by W. Lee O'Daniel)

## SUN IS COUNTY'S NO. 1 TAXPAYER; HUMBLE IS 2ND

Sun Oil Company continues to be Coke County's biggest taxpayer. Its tax bill this year is \$168,321 for state and county funds, and for the Silver common school district. Sun also pays something over \$20,000 to the Robert Lee Independent School District and additional amounts on its pipelines.

Humble remains in second place with \$85,569, and also will pay a big sum to help operate the Bronte schools.

Perkins-Prothro is a close third with \$77,510, a good share of this amount going to the Silver school.

Other big taxpayers in the oil industry have been charged with the following amounts on the Coke County tax rolls:

Ambassador Oil Co. ....	\$18,721
Associated Oil & Gas ....	4,335
Crescent .....	12,530
W. F. Eisenberg, Agt. ....	5,688
W. M. & A. P. Fuller ....	4,303
Hickok & Reynolds .....	2,418
A. G. Hill Trust .....	2,686
Chester Hunter .....	2,236
Kewanee .....	1,289
Laan-Tex .....	1,394
Magnolia .....	8,185
Miami Operating .....	2,038
Monsanto Chemical .....	2,970
Murray Oil Co. ....	1,901
Plymouth .....	1,229
Shamrock .....	2,028
Sinclair .....	3,461
Southwestern Natural ....	1,452
Stanolind .....	29,711
Sunray .....	2,349

## Francis Pruitt Accepts Call to Jacksonville

Rev. Francis Pruitt has accepted a call to Travis Street Baptist Church in Jacksonville. He has been serving as pastor of the Northside Baptist Church in Santa Anna the past two years.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt, Sr., of Bronte, Francis is a graduate of Jacksonville Baptist College and received his bachelor's degree from Howard Payne College at Brownwood.

He has been pastor of the Santa Anna Church while attending Howard Payne and served as part-time pastor of a church at Talpa and another in East Texas while attending the Jacksonville school.

Rev. and Mrs. Pruitt have two daughters, Janis Dell and Diane. Mrs. Pruitt, who is currently attending Howard Payne College, plans to finish this semester before moving to Jacksonville.



## New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hugh Sims are parents of a new son born Thursday, Oct. 11, in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces and has been named Steven Paul. He has two brothers, Ronnie and David. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. R. R. Ash of Bronte and paternal grandfather is Lewis Sims, also of Bronte.

Texas Hydrocarbon .....	16,002
Union Oil Co. ....	2,750
Zapata .....	1,968

## Blackwell Rites For R. C. Thorn

Funeral services for R. C. Thorn, 86, former Sweetwater and Blackwell resident, were held at Blackwell Baptist Church Sunday at 3 p.m. The Rev. E. H. Martin, pastor of the Sixth Street Methodist Church in Sweetwater, and the Rev. W. T. Teel, pastor of the Blackwell Baptist Church, officiated. Mr. Thorn died Saturday in Lewisville at the home of a daughter, Mrs. H. W. White.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. R. L. Williams of Waco, Mrs. White, Mrs. J. J. Brown of Nolan and Mrs. E. W. Childers of Denver City; 28 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandchild; and one daughter-in-law, Mrs. H. E. Thorn of Blackwell.

Grandsons were pallbearers. Burial was in Blackwell cemetery with Cates & Spence Funeral Home of Sweetwater in charge.

The couple moved to Blackwell in 1917 where they farmed. In 1943 he retired and they moved to Sweetwater. Mrs. Thorn died in May 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Lin Loeffler and children went to Sonora Friday night for an overnight visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Loeffler.

## The Bronte Enterprise

October 19, 1956

## Proofs of Kids' Pictures To Be Shown Wednesday

Proofs of the pictures of the children made recently by the Woltz Studios will be shown next Wednesday, Oct. 24, in the Cumbie building where the pictures were made.

The studio representative will be here from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. and parents are asked to come in during those hours to select the pictures for publication in this newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Coleman and children have been visiting friends here. While here, Mrs. Coleman became ill and was hospitalized a few days. The Colemans are moving to Grapevine, Texas, where he will pastor a church. He is a former Kickapoo Baptist pastor here.

The Professor of Military Science and Tactics at Tarleton State College in Stephenville has announced the enrollment of Cadet Don Glenn of Bronte in the ROTC Corp of Cadets. The newly enrolled Cadet Glenn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Glenn and a graduate of Bronte. Presentation was made by Bolton E. Weeks, Jr. at Tarleton State College. Glenn is a freshman majoring in Agriculture.

## L. L. Wilkins Named to Fill Osmo Black's Term

L. L. Wilkins is new trustee for Bronte School district, replacing Osmo Black, who resigned. Wilkins was appointed at the Monday night regular session of the Board.

Well known here, Wilkins is employed by the Soil Conservation Service. He has had previous experience as school trustee, having served three terms at the Williams Consolidated School which is Brown County.



Behold, I stand at the door, and knock; if any man hear my voice and open the door, I will come in...—(Revelation, 3, 20.)

As closely as He stood beside His disciples, Jesus, Son of God, stands beside us today, His hand outstretched to raise us, help us—if we will but renounce our sins and open the door of our penitent hearts.

## Weekend Specials

**Cisco** 3 LB. TIN **89c**

OLEO, Coldbrook - 1 Lb. 19c

FOUR DIFFERENT KINDS  
**Biscuits 2 cans 23c**

MIRACLE WHIP  
SALAD DRESSING - Qt. 55c

JELLO, Any Kind - 2 Pkgs. 15c

1 LB. PKGS.  
POWDERED SUGAR - 2 for 25c

**Breeze lge. 29c**

READY COOKED PICNIC  
**Hams lb. 37c**

RANCH STYLE THICK SLICE  
BACON - - 2 Lb. Pkg. 98c

GROUND MEAT, Fresh - Lb. 25c

12 BOTTLE CTN.  
**Drinks 45c**

**CUMBIE'S FOOD MARKET**

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**EVERY SERVICE**

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**Oct. 21 thru Oct. 28**

**Rev. Luther Kirk, D.D.**

District Superintendent of Plainview District

**WILL DO THE PREACHING**

**Rev. Lin Loeffler**

**WILL LEAD THE SINGING**

**MORNING SERVICES - 7:00 A.M.**

(Mon. thru Sat.) — Breakfast Will Be Served After Morning Services

**EVENING SERVICES - 7:00 P.M.**

**SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES - 11:00 A.M.**

WSCS Has Regular Meeting in Butner Home

Fifteen ladies were present Monday for the WSCS meeting at the home of Mrs. Edna Butner. Lin Loeffler gave the last of the study on Southeast Asia.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to Mmes. Loeffler, B. E. Modgling, I. C. Oden, T. F. Sims, Sr., Ida McClesky, J. A. Percifull, A. L. Carlile, Loyd McClesky, J. W. Bagwell, Lucille Baldwin, S. A. Kiker, Will Gideon, W. G. Cresap and Mrs. Butner.

Mrs. Bryant Hostess To Junior Study Club

Mrs. Jim Verner was speaker for Junior Study Club members Tuesday night with "presidential candidates" as her subject. The group met in the home of Mrs. Nile Bryant. Mrs. Royce Dean Clark was introduced as a new member of the club.

Refreshments, served from a lace-covered table centered with yellow and white zinnias, were congealed salad, angel food cake, and lime sherbert punch.

Present were Mmes. E. G. Collins, F. R. Collins, Ralph Dunklin, Oscar Dorsey, William Fletcher, Marvin Leck, Bill Luckett, Brady Mills, Geo. McClung, Clark, Verner and Hollis Stevens.

LAPIDARY SHOW TO BE SPONSORED BY ART CLUB

The San Angelo Art Club announced this week the opening of the Lapidary Show, to be held Saturday, Oct. 20, and Sunday, Oct. 21, at the Kendall Art Gallery, 119 West 1st Street (one block west of the city auditorium). The show will be on display for two days only.

More than 20 exhibitors have signed up to display gems, minerals, rocks, and semi-precious stones, taken from all over the world.

The show is being sponsored jointly by the San Angelo Art Club and the Central Texas Gem and Mineral Society. The Art Gallery will be open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 20, and from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21.

More than 400 persons attended the last Lapidary Show when it was held in San Angelo two years ago. Admission prices are: adults, 50 cents and children under 12, 10 cents.

BAND NEWS

The band followed the Longhorns to Hermleigh Friday night. The Hermleigh pep squad performed at half time for the football fans.

The band made a trip to Robert Lee Saturday and participated in the court house dedication ceremonies. Members of the band got into formation at the Methodist Church and paraded through the Robert Lee business district to the court house. There they joined the Robert Lee band in playing the "Star Spangled Banner" and "Stormy Weather."

TRY A WANT AD!



Here! New Task-Force 57 Chevrolet Trucks! Performance-proved in a history-making test on the ALCAN Highway to Alaska

The Alcan Highway is the road where trucks grow old before their time. The road where gravel endlessly sledgehammers the life out of trucks. Where a fog of superfine dust chokes engines, and vicious ruts subject chassis to months of wear in a few hundred miles.

Six new '57 Chevrolet trucks, representing light-, medium- and heavy-duty models and heavily loaded with cargo, roared north from Dawson Creek, B. C., through 1,520 miles of mountains and mire, rain and hail to Fairbanks, Alaska. Running around the clock, they made this tortuous trip—normally a 72-hour run—in less than 45 hours. The fleet made normal stops along the way, and maintained safe and legal speeds. As a special test during the run, two of the trucks went the entire distance without once having their engines stopped!

It's all down in the AAA record book. And more besides! Never before has a new truck been so thoroughly proved. Come in and see how well these new Alcan champs measure up to your job.

FIRST WITH THE MOST MODERN FEATURES!

New 283-cubic-inch Taskmaster V8 delivers 160 high-torque horsepower. Standard in Series 5000, 7000 and 8000, optional in Series 6000 at extra cost. Horsepower ranges up to 210 in Chevrolet's complete line-up of modern V8 and 6 truck engines.

Revolutionary Powermatic Transmission—exclusive with Chevrolet trucks! This six-speed automatic, designed specifically for heavy-duty hauling, is an extra-cost option in Series 5000 and 6000 and all heavy-duty truck models. Hydra-Matic is offered in 3000 and 4000 Series models at extra cost.

New 1957 work-styling gives Chevrolet trucks an even fresher, fleetier appearance. There are three different and distinctive styling treatments.

L.C.F. models outdate the C.O.E. because they're lower, handsomer, easier to get into and out of, and save time in routine engine maintenance. Yet they offer all the traditional C.O.E. advantages.

Heavyweight Champs with Triple-Torque tandem are rated at 32,000 lbs. GVW, 50,000 lbs. GCW. And Chevrolet's advanced tandem axle unit offers a built-in three-speed power divider—plus a unique "self-steering" action that reduces tire wear and increases handling ease.



Alcan fleet gets up to 18.17 miles per gallon! That's the mileage reported by the Cameo Carrier, with Thriftmaster 6 and extra-cost Overdrive.



All the way in DRIVE range! This Powermatic-equipped 10000 Series tractor traveled the entire Alcan Highway in a single forward-speed range!

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## Oil Industry

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The Oil Industry is perhaps the most progressive of all industries in developing their products to serve the American people well.

## But Here in Coke County

WE RECEIVE MANY MORE BENEFITS

Yes, like everyone in the United States, we have the privilege of enjoying the use of high quality products which have been developed through years of research and the expenditure of lots of money. But here we are even more fortunate in having lots of oil under our county. Great benefits have resulted from taxes which the oil industry pays in this county. Only last Saturday a fine new court house, second to none, was dedicated. The schools at Silver, Robert Lee and Bronte all have fine new buildings and teaching equipment. Two county parks are being made realities right

now. Roads and streets have been paved with oil money, and county roads have been put up in good shape. The benefits have been far-reaching.

Not only has tax money benefited our county. Many jobs with good pay have been made available to our residents. Scores of folks from other places have moved into our midst, and they all help business and are assets to the social and cultural life of our community. We're mighty proud to have the oil industry in Coke County. The many fine people and wealth it has brought are indeed welcome.

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**WRECKER SERVICE:** Day and night. Day phone 10. Night phone 2. HOME MOTOR COMPANY.

**FOR MONUMENTS OF FINE** quality and lasting beauty, see Claude Word, Box 256, Phone 37, Bronte. Representative of the Coleman Monument Works.

**OATS FOR SALE**—Both for seed and feed. Test 38 and 40. Contact Clyde Thomas Seed and Feed Co., Coleman, Texas, Ph. 9-2116. tfc

**FOR BEST and quickest service** in kodak films, bring to the Central Drug One day service. tc

**I have all equipment for cleaning** your septic tanks and cess pools. Call me at No. 8, Bronte, for this service. Also do plumbing. A. L. Rogers. 48-tfc

**FOR SALE**—International Harvester Refrigerator, freezer in top. Practically new and will guarantee. Only \$80. See Howard Brock. 40-tfc

**FOR SALE**—House in Bronte, four rooms and bath, and four lots. Also two new Dearborn Heaters, one General Electric refrigerator and one General Electric kitchen range. See Ernest Ivey, Bronte, or Cumbie Ivey, Robert Lee. 40-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Young Rambouillet bucks. See or call Floyd Modgling. 40-2tp

**FOR SALE**—Esterbrook Desk Pen Sets at The Enterprise.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS**—Just received an album showing the famous Sonnell line of cards. We also have a few boxes of Western cards. Better see them right away, if you want the best. The Bronte Enterprise.

House guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oglesby and family the first part of the week was Mrs. Allene Curry of Snyder. His mother, Mrs. Lula Oglesby, returned to her home in Lubbock Sunday after a two weeks visit here.

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**LONGHORNS MAKE**

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score at 21-7.

Taking advantage of another Longhorn fumble, the Cardinals rolled to their final score from 12 yards out. With Davidson doing the carrying, he hit paydirt from the 11. The try for extra point was blocked by a host of Longhorn linemen to leave the score at 27-7.

Taking the kickoff on the Longhorn 25, Bill Wrinkle roared through the Hermleigh team and returned it to the Cardinal 11 before being brought down from behind by Davidson. Lee carried for 1 to the 10 and then hit Walker with a pass for the score. Lee ran the extra point to cut the Cardinal lead to 27-14.

With only a few minutes remaining in the final stanza, a fighting Longhorn team battled back to score again before time ran out. Taking a Cardinal punt on their own 20, Bronte drove hard to paydirt. Lee hit Latham with a pass that carried 45 yards to put the Longhorns well on their way. In three carries Wrinkle took the ball 19 yards and again Lee hit Latham for the score from 12 yards out. Lee ran the conversion to put the Longhorns in a position to overtake the Cardinal lead, 27-21.

On the kickoff, the Longhorns pulled an old trick from the bag and tried an onside kick trying to take position of the ball again. Apparently the kick worked, with the Longhorns recovering on the Cardinal 47, but the men in black and white said no and gave Hermleigh the ball on the Longhorn 49. Time ran out leaving the score 27-21.

**Statistics**

Bronte	Hermleigh
10 First Downs	15
97 Rushing Yardage	283
129 Passing yardage	0
4 of 11 Passes Completed	0 of 9
0 Passes Intercepted	0
3 Fumbles Lost	2
3 for 27 Punts & Avg.	3 for 27
1 for 5 Penalties	3 for 25

**Home Demonstration Club Activities**

MRS. A. J. ROE, JR., H. D. Agent

Members from each of the HD Clubs in the county will meet at 2 p.m. Friday in my office to compile the 1957 year book. Mrs. A. D. Fields is chairman of the committee.

The Courthouse dedication program was extra nice. Everything looked more beautiful than ever with all the pretty flowers setting around. The refreshment "business" was good—we served nearly 500 cups of coffee and hot chocolate. The lovely centerpiece was furnished by El Valle Garden Club. It was a fall arrangement of pyracantha berries and zinnias. We were happy so many folks dropped by our office to visit and be refreshed.

The 4-H Club girls realized \$33.91 from their concession stand which they operated Saturday. Thanks to each person who donated food and helped at the stand.

I will meet with the 4-H Clubs next as follows:  
Tuesday—Silver  
Wednesday—Robert Lee  
Thursday—Bronte

There is a good idea I'd like to pass on to you.

To revive the appearance of the leather handbag you carried last year, try this simple treatment: Clean the bag with a good saddle

soap. Dry carefully, then wax with a good paste wax. Cover the bag with a thin film of the wax and rub it carefully. If the frame is worn, retouch it with a light covering of gilt or aluminum and coat with clear nail polish.

**SOROSIS CLUB NOTICE**

Members of the Sorosis Club will note a change of time for their meeting Monday night in the home of Mrs. Ben Oglesby. Due to the Methodist revival meeting, the club will meet at 8 p.m. rather than the usual time. Mrs. Dudley Westbrook of San Angelo will be the guest speaker.

**CUB-SCOUT MEETING**

Cub Scouts and parents are urged to attend a pack meeting Monday night, Oct. 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

O. K. Reynolds, scout executive of Ballinger, will be present to help organize the Cubs for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Collins and Mrs. Rube Collins made a weekend trip to Tyler to attend funeral services for a friend.

**For Life, Hospitalization and**

**Polio Insurance, See**

**B. D. SNEAD**

At First National Bank

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and every time we go to Robert Lee and see the fine new court house.

Perhaps, even more important, the oil industry has brought a number of fine people into our community. They are our friends and neighbors and we will be better off for having known them.

The great Oil Industry is surely to be congratulated for its public spiritedness and its progressiveness. It makes a good citizen in anybody's town.

We were out of town Sunday night when the rain came, and were told Monday upon returning that we should have left sooner. However, we have learned since that Noah Pruitt, Sr. was also away, so we believe he should share some of the responsibility

for the past eight years of drouth. It might have been the combination of both of us gone that did the trick.

**Farm Bureau Meeting To Feature Insurance**

Farm Bureau members will hear a discussion on "Changes in the Blue Shield and Blue Cross Insurance Program" at their meeting Oct. 23 in Robert Lee. K. O. Anderson representative of the Blue Cross, of San Angelo, will speak to the group and answer any questions from members.

Everyone is invited to attend the free barbecue and following meeting next Tuesday night at 6 p.m. in the school lunch room at Robert Lee.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST

**TEXAS THEATRE, Bronte Texas**

**TWO SHOWS DAILY, Evening Show Starts 6:25, Sun. Mat. 1:30**

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**SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCT. 21 & 22, Matinee Sun. 1:30**

Frank Sinatra, Eleanor Parker, Kim Novak in

**"THE MAN WITH THE GOLDEN ARM"**

Also Cartoon

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23 & 24**

Susan Hayward, Richard Conte, Eddie Albert in

**"I'LL CRY TOMORROW"**

Also Cartoon

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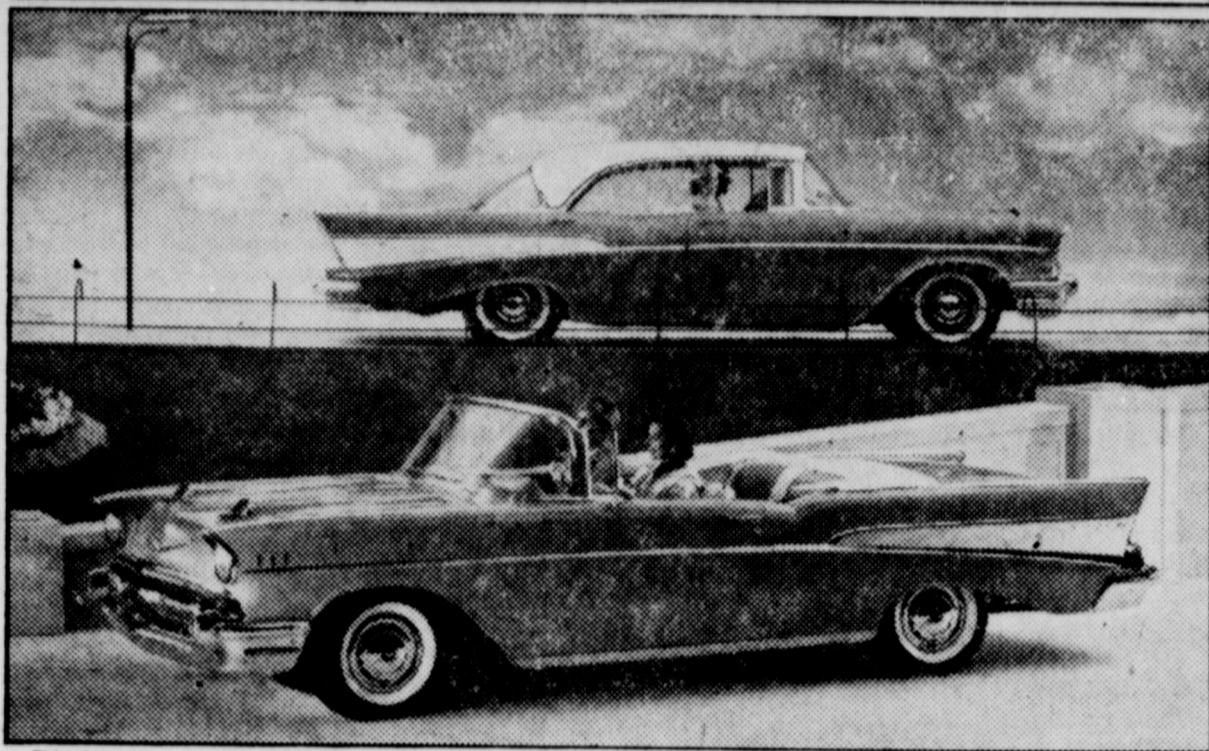
**Cigars for the Men**

Read about the new Chevrolet in our other ads in this issue of The Enterprise.

**Caperton Chevrolet Co.**



1957 Chevrolets Carry Individual Beauty



Distinctive styling and trim treatments for each of the three series of 1957 Chevrolet passenger cars are emphasized dramatically in this two-level photo of the "Two-Ten" sport sedan, at top, and the Bel Air convertible. Bodies plus wide range in color choices total 460 for the line.

New Chevrolet Has Variety of Styles and Colors

The widest selection in history marks the 1957 passenger car line which Chevrolet dealers show to the public for the first time, Friday, Oct. 19.

The customer has his choice of 460 model-color combinations, almost one-third more than available at the outset of 1956 production.

Here's how the variety in models stacks up:

Bel Air—two and four-door sedans, two-door sport coupe, four door sport sedan, convertible. Nomad station wagon and four-door six-passenger station wagon.

Two-Ten—Two and four-door sedans, two-door club and sport coupes, four-door sport sedan, two and four-door, six-passenger station wagons, and four-door, nine-passenger station wagon.

One-Fifty—Two and four-door sedans, utility sedan and two-door, six-passenger station wagon.

Corvette—Two passenger sport model with manual or automatic fabric or solid plastic top.

Overall length of the passenger cars is increased to a total of 200 inches with wheelbase remaining at 115 inches. The lowered hood emphasizes the horizontal sweep of body lines to the flared rear fender fins for balanced beauty. The conventional hood ornament is replaced by twin lance-shaped windsplits. Headlamps are farther apart than in the 1956 models.

Widest color choice in Chevrolet's history is offered. The total of 460 model-color combinations compares with 364 at the outset of 1956 production. Of the 17 exterior colors, seven are new. There are 16 solids and 15 two-tone selections. Two-tone paint is available on all models except the convertible.

Seats, fabrics and instrument panel carry the cost striking Chevrolet interior styling changes for 1957. Front seat backrests are of a slim, tapered Gothic design, giving roominess and elegance.

A wide array of pattern cloths and vinyls, featuring modern finish designs, are color-keyed to exterior paints.

Front seat headroom has been increased in most models while front seat legroom has been added in all sedans and coupes.

With the lower hood, windshields have greater visibility area than previous Chevrolets. The glass increase ranges from 69 to 75 square inches through the model lineup.

Instruments are concentrated under a deep, flat hood super-im-

posed on the dash panel crown. Full-face gauges with red indicators are easy to read while the tell-tale generator and oil pressure lights are located at the top of the unit where they are readily spotted. Similarly, green button-spots in the cluster serve as flashers for the turn indicator.

A completely new ventilation system operates by air passing through intake screen over each headlamp. The air reaches the passenger compartment through louvered outlets at either edge of the dash. This system delivers up to 746 cubic feet of air per minute at 60 miles an hour while

providing greater water draining capacity.

While the 1957 Chevrolet boasts a number of improvements that will enhance the comfort and safety of driving, major interest is also found in the greatest variety of power plants ever produced by a low price car builder.

Offered in the line that makes it bow at dealer showrooms Friday are one six and four eight-cylinder engines, ranging in horsepower from 140 to 283. The six develops 140 horsepower. The eights range in horsepower from 283, 270, 259 and 245 for the "Corvette V8" to 220 for the Super Turbo-Fire "283," 185 for the Turbo-Fire "283," and 162 horsepower for the Turbo-Fire "265."

Each of the engines is improved mechanically, but the gain in power—up from a peak of 225 horses in the 1956 line—is primarily due to larger bore, higher compression ratios, higher lift camshafts and fuel injection.

Emergency Feed Program Extended

Walter T. McKay, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, today advised Paul C. Shillingburg, County Supervisor, of the extension of the Emergency Feed Grain Program in Nolan and Coke

Counties. Under this extension,

This extension of the Emergency farmers and ranchers may now file applications through December 3, 1956 for a supply of feed grain. The program now coincides necessary to carry basic livestock herds through December 31, 1956, with the assistance available under the Roughage Program for Texas and enables county FHA committees to consider total feed requirements, both roughage and grain, through December 31, 1956.

PROVED RESERVES AT RECORD HIGH

Proved reserves of liquid petroleum have been increasing steadily through the years, despite a corresponding increase in consumption and demand.

The American Petroleum Institute said this fact alone is testimony of the industry's foresight and determination to protect the country's security and prepare for the future.

Currently, proved reserves of liquid petroleum amount to 35 billion, 400 million barrels, a record high.

By 1975 it is estimated that oil men will have to drill about 81,000 wells every year to supply the nation with adequate petroleum and petroleum products.

SHOP BRONTE FIRST!



"Stop in today, friends . . . come to

BILL AND CHARLES GULF SERVICE STATION

and enter Gulf's 'Life of Riley' Contest"



GRAND PRIZE:

LIVE THE LIFE OF RILEY IN A PALACE ON THE RIVIERA WIN 30 FABULOUS DAYS WITH \$200-A-DAY TO SPEND



Wing away via a luxurious Pan American Clipper!

- It's a once-in-a-lifetime trip for two!
- Palace completely staffed with servants!
- Private beach—your own playgrounds!
- Limousine and chauffeur at your disposal!
- Tour at will—see all the sights!

SIMPLE TO ENTER—EASY TO WIN

Just complete this jingle. Enter as often as you wish. Contest closes midnight, October 31. All entries must be on official Contest Blanks.

Gulf No-Nox is the gasoline That's famous 'cause it burns so clean Fill up at Gulf and you will see

(Make your last word rhyme with "see.")

Here's why clean-burning NO-NOX gives you many more miles of new-car power!

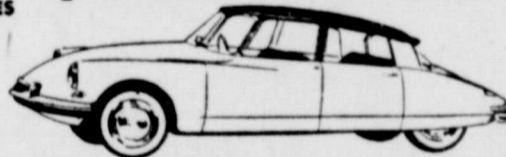
HINTS TO HELP YOU WIN:

1. No-Nox burns clean because Gulf removes the "dirty-burning tail-end" found in ordinary gas.
2. No-Nox combats formation of carbon deposits which "shrink" engine power.
3. No-Nox protects your engine, keeps new-car power intact for longer.
4. Gulf No-Nox is a high-octane gasoline that gives you more miles per gallon in short-trip driving.

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NEXT 4 TOP PRIZES

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8 Tappan Electronic Ranges



12 Magnavox Color TV sets



10 Higgins boats and trailers



18 Frigidaire washer-dryer sets



18 Magnavox Hi-Fi sets



50 Browning shotguns with case



67 Ocean City fishing sets



Bill & Charles Gulf Service Station

# NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. John Gaston

Ladies of the quilting club met with Mrs. Hamp Thomas Thursday, Oct. 11. Attending were Mmes. John Clark, Clifford and Meredith, Erve Little, Dan Hale, Bert Cornelius, B. D. Dunn, Adeline Carper, James Arrott, Marvin and Jack Corley, Roy Baker, Ben Brooks, Cynthia and Karen, Otto Finck, Bill Feil, Floyd Gibson, George James, Lonzo Harrell, A. C. Westbrook, W. L. Caudle of Brookshire, Leon McCarty of San Angelo, and Wallace Montgomery of Orient. The club will meet with Mrs. Montgomery on October 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Finck and Jerry were guests at a barbecue

supper in the Edmond Finck home in San Angelo Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphey have gone to Big Spring where they are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jack Sharp, and family.

Mrs. Frank Miller of Snyder recently spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feil and family enjoyed a birthday dinner for his father, H. Feil, in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. S. W. Gaston is visiting Mrs. Claud Cotten and the Grady and Walter Gaston families in San Angelo this week.

Mrs. D. J. Corley was admitted to St. John's Hospital in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and family spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle, of Cross Plains.

Sunday evening visitors in the Jack Corley home were Mrs. James Arrott, Mrs. Wayne Arrott and girls of Orient, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bragewitz of Bronte.

Mrs. Ed Harrell and children of Sonora spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green and Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCarty of San Angelo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feil, Thursday evening.

Visiting Sunday with Mrs. S. W. Gaston and Sam were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Gaston, Linda, Mike and Buzzy of San Angelo, and the John Gaston family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Corley and family went to Big Spring over the weekend where they visited the Jack Sharps.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westbrook and daughter of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Westbrook, Sunday.

## Permian Basin Biggest Oil Field In United States

To anyone familiar with the petroleum industry, Permian Basin means oil — oil in such great quantities that it is difficult to imagine. The Basin area is the largest gas and oil producing area in the United States, providing one-fifth of the nation's oil from some 50,289 producing wells. Since the first commercial production 35 years ago, nearly five and one-half billion barrels of petroleum have been produced from this area, and there is still more oil to be recovered than has already been produced.

The Basin actually begins in Kansas and extends through portions of six states, but to oil people the area of most importance is made up of two counties in southeastern New Mexico and 33 counties in western Texas — an area slightly greater than the state of Pennsylvania. Roughly, the Basin extends from Sweetwater, Texas on the east to Artesia, New Mexico, on the west; from Hall county on the north to central Pecos county on the south.

The use of the word "basin" in referring to the area might lead one to believe that the Permian Basin is a depression in the surface of the land. That is not true. The term refers to the structure of the underlying rocks in the area, not to the surface. The "Stake Plains" of the Panhandle, the highest continuous area in the state, are a part of the Basin, as are the level prairies, the sand dune areas, and the mountains and hills of other sectors.

## Asphalt Important Product of Oil

Ever wonder where the asphalt comes from that you see every day on city streets, country lanes and broad highways?

Asphalt is a petroleum product. It comes from the same crude oil that supplies the gasoline that

pushes your car down the highway.

Let's follow a batch of crude oil through the units of Humble Oil and Refining Company's Baytown refinery and see the black mass of asphalt emerge at the loading platform, ready for trucks to carry it out to do a road-building job.

The production of asphalt at the Humble refinery is basically a three-phase process. The crude oil flowing into the refinery first goes to the stills where it is boiled and the light fractions — propane, butane, gasoline, and others — vaporize and go to the top. The oil left in the bottom of the stills then flows to the Propane Lube Plant where oils which will later be processed for the production of lubricants are separated from the asphalt by a process known as de-asphalting. The black, heavy residue that is one of the products of this plant is asphalt, which flows to the Asphalt Plant for further processing.

At the Asphalt Plant, the residue is processed to produce the various grades of asphalt that are required for various uses. The asphalts produced fall into two broad categories, penetration types and cutback types. The penetration type is thick and hard for use on modern super highways which need a surface to withstand continued heavy pounding. The cutback asphalts are used on city streets, most farm-to-market roads and for topping jobs of various types.

Specification testing on the asphalt is checked by Humble men and also by inspectors of the Texas Highway Department before it is delivered to roadbuilding contractors for use on state roads.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Lovington, N. M.

Dear Publisher:

Enclosed you will find check for another year's subscription for the old home town paper. We sure look forward to getting it each week.

Thanks,  
Jim McKown.

TRY A WANT AD!

### Statement of Condition

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

IN BRONTE

September 26th, 1956

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts .....	\$ 568,223.66
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures .....	47,746.20
Gov. Bonds .....	580,000.00
Other Bonds .....	347,023.00
Warrants .....	17,122.50
C. C. Cotton Loans .....	7,311.91
Bills of Exchange .....	174.98
Cash .....	941,541.78
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1,893,174.17</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Account .....	100,000.00
Undivided Profits .....	58,411.48
Deposits .....	2,306,732.55
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$2,509,144.03</b>

The above statement is correct.

J. T. HARMON, Chairman of Board  
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OIL PROGRESS WEEK  
Oct. 14-20



# LET'S MEASURE AN OIL WELL

... in West Texas

You can measure an oil well by its depth, by its production, or in any of a number of ways. But the real "measure" of an oil well is to be found in the jobs it creates, in the schools and highways it provides, in the stores, shops and industries it supports... in short, the *real* measure of an oil well is in the benefits it brings to all the people of an area. The West Texas Utilities Company, too, can be measured in the record it has made in helping the West Texas Oil Industry serve the people of West Texas.

West Texas Utilities  
Company

Congratulations to the OIL INDUSTRY on its service to the people.

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### Telecast and Three Broadcasts to Be Aired by Humble

A live telecast and broadcasts of three Southwest Conference football games will be sponsored Saturday by Humble Oil & Refining Co.

The SMU-Rice game will be regionally televised from Rice Stadium in Houston. Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will be there to describe the play-by-play and color. Telecast time is 8 p.m. Stations in this area which will carry the telecast are KRBC-TV, Abilene; KBST-TV, Big Spring; KMID, Midland; and KTXL-TV, San Angelo.

The Rice-Smu game will also be broadcast from Houston with Dave Russell and Eddie Barker relaying the play-by-play and color. Broadcast time is 7:50 p.m. Among others the following stations will carry the broadcast: WFAA, Dallas-570; WBAP, Fort Worth-570; KONO, San Antonio-860; KWKC, Abilene-1340; KCBD, Lubbock-1590; and WACO, Waco-1460.

The Texas A&M-TCU game will be broadcast from College Station. Ves Box and Jim Wiggins will do the play by play. Stations which can be heard in this area which will carry the broadcast are: WFAA, Dallas-820; WBAP, Fort Worth-820; WOAI, San Antonio-1200; KRIG, Odessa-920; KWKC, Abilene-1340; KGNC, Amarillo-710; KCBD, Lubbock - 1590; K X O X, Sweetwater-1240; KVMC, Colorado City-1320.

Texas and Arkansas play in Austin. Bob Walker and Dave Smith will be there to broadcast the action and color beginning at 7:50 p. m. (CST) over the following area stations: KRLD, Dallas-Fort Worth-1080; KENS, San Antonio-680; KLYN, Amarillo-940; KRBC, Abilene-1470; KWFT, Wichita Falls 620; KECK, Odessa-920; KFYO, Lubbock-790; KRUN, Ballinger-1400.

### Oil Industry Makes Strides In West Texas

Crude oil production in West Texas rose from nearly 360 million barrels in 1954 to nearly 395 million barrels in 1955. Even before that, substantial increase in production West Texas led the oil regions in the nation in amount of oil produced — in fact, flowing more oil than any state save Texas.

Major geologic feature of this region is the Permian Basin, which gave West Texas its first major production. Today, however, production isn't limited to Permian formations. Pennsylvanian, Mississippian, Devonian, Silurian, Ordovician, and even Cambrian ages are represented by producing formations.

The area has 57 gas processing plants with a combined daily capacity of more than 2.5 billion cubic feet. These plants processed more than 1.75 billion cubic feet

per day in 1955. Liquid products from these operations amounted to 133,511 barrels a day.

There are five oil refineries in West Texas, processing about 94,699 barrels of crude oil a day during 1956.

All types of wells drilled by the industry in the area during the first seven months of 1956 totaled 3,310. Of these 2,710 were oil, 12 condensate, 19 gas, 4 service wells and 565 dry holes. It is interesting to note that nearly 20 per cent of the attempts to find oil in West Texas were unsuccessful.

### Ad Man Named to New Utilities Company Post

R. E. Kennedy of Abilene has been selected to head West Texas Utilities Company's new Public Service Department, according to an announcement made today by Cal Young, WTU president.

The new department was formed by the consolidation of the Advertising and Industrial Departments following the retirement of R. M. Fielder Oct. 1. Fielder had served as head of the Company's Industrial Department since 1946.

"One of the principal functions of the new department," Young said, "will be to assist and cooperate with local and area organizations and agencies in achieving the fullest development and utilization of the tremendous resources of the area served by the company."

Kennedy has been employed by WTU for the past 23 years, has worked in the Advertising Department since 1943, and was made Advertising Manager in 1946, following his return from service with the Armed Forces. Previously he served in the Treasury and Purchasing Departments.

Kennedy, who is a frequent visitor in Bronte, is outstanding in civic and church work in Abilene.

He has gained recent national recognition in the advertising field, having brought home six national awards during the past seven years.

who is undergoing medical treatment there.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Dolan Mackey and son, Tony, of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Mackey, over the weekend.

Mrs. Marlin Mackey returned from Houston recently. She had been there for two weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ira Prewitt,

SEE ME FOR THE BEST  
 NON-CANCELLABLE  
 HOSPITALIZATION  
 POLICY  
 TO AGE 76  
 All Kinds of Insurance  
 Your Business Appreciated!  
**Louvenia K. Rees**

## What put the magic in the new kind of FORD?



The new Ford Fairlane 500 (118-inch wheelbase). Longer, lower, larger than many medium-priced cars, yet lower in price than most of them!

### Here's what put the magic in the new kind of FORD!

**It started with the "Inner Ford."** When Ford planned this baby, they thought in terms of a car through-and-through new.

**The wheels got smaller.** This Ford is so new that even the wheels have changed. Now smaller and broader, they help you take off quickly.

**The wheelbase got longer . . .** so now you can choose between a Ford that's over 16 ft. long—or one over 17 ft. long!

**The frame got wider.** Side rails bow out to give a more stable, safer riding platform . . . a lower, sleeker silhouette.

**The ride got smoother.** With new suspension, new springing front and rear, the ride this new Ford gives is the smoothest ever.

**The handling got easier.** Poised and balanced like a panther, this car has swept-back front suspension that works its magic when you need it most.

**The power got hotter.** There's a wide range of Silver Anniversary V-8's to fit every horsepower need\* . . . plus a new Mileage Maker Six.

"Six or V-8 the going is great"

**The roof got lower.** And it's designed to let you make the easy entries and graceful exits you've always known.

**The body got quieter.** It's the strongest body built for a low-priced car. No car in Ford's field has such generous sound-proofing.

**The room got bigger.** There's head room to spare for a tycoon-type hat. There's real stretch-out leg room, too.

**The lines got sweeter.** They have the Touch of Tomorrow. Each graceful contour says, "Let's go!"

**The style got smarter.** With this new-look Ford you have a car that belongs anywhere! All Fairlane models look like hardtops.

**The value got greater . . .** the price is still Ford-low.

\*A Special \$70-Ap Thunderbird \$12 Super V-8 engine available at extra cost. Also, an extra-high-performance Thunderbird \$12 Super V-8 engine delivering up to 285 hp.

SEE IT FOR YOURSELF!

So now you know the magic of the '57 FORD!

## Bronte Motor Company

**Coke County  
Due 2 Tries**

Two field projects have been spotted in Coke County.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 7 James L. Brunson is slated for the Bronte (Cambrian) Field. The 5500 foot rotary project is two miles southwest of Bronte.

It spots 330 feet from the north-west and 2,530 feet from the southwest lines of C&M Survey 5. Ambassador Oil Corp. of Abilene No. 1-B H. G. Wendland was

The Bronte Enterprise

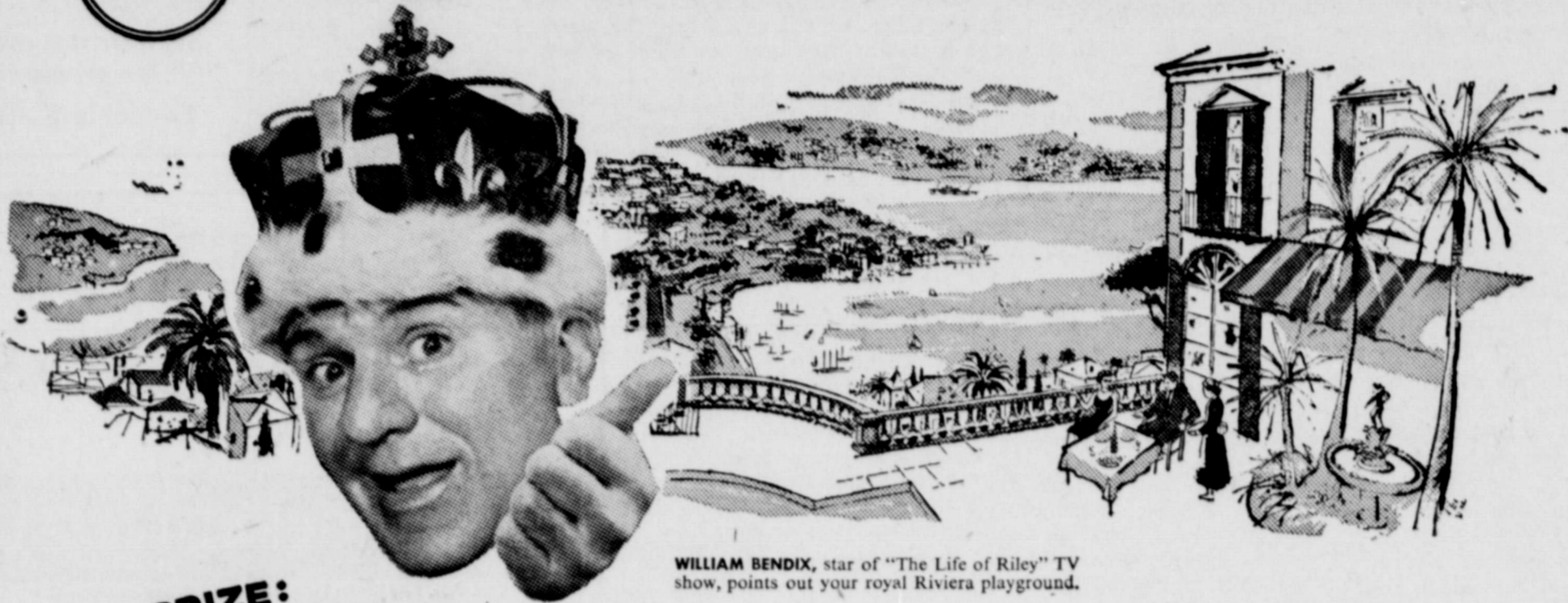
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spotted in the Wendkirk Field six miles southwest of Bronte. Slated for 3,800 feet with rotary.

it is 3,105 feet from the north and 2,702 feet from the west lines of C. Rubio Survey 23.



**Enter Gulf's "Life of Riley" Contest**



WILLIAM BENDIX, star of "The Life of Riley" TV show, points out your royal Riviera playground.

**GRAND PRIZE:**

**LIVE THE LIFE OF RILEY IN A PALACE ON THE RIVIERA**

**WIN 30 FABULOUS DAYS WITH \$200 A DAY TO SPEND**



**Fly via a luxurious PAN AMERICAN Super 7 Clipper**

Fly direct to Nice, France, in 20 hours, via the world's most experienced airline. Live in a Riviera mansion for four fabulous weeks. Reign in a royal home, with all modern conveniences.

Servant staff, luxury furnishings, glamorous patio, private swimming and boating facilities... all this and more... all yours in a stunning setting on the Mediterranean!

It's a once-in-a-lifetime trip for

two. You enjoy scores of exciting holiday adventures—with \$200 a day to spend! Your own limousine whisks you through a gay round of gala events in nearby Nice, Cannes and other Riviera playgrounds.

A world of pleasure awaits you. Golden beaches, festive occasions, dazzling scenery... sports, pleasure, regal relaxation... you live the Life of Riley for a magnificent, memorable month!

**Simple to enter—Easy to win!**

Just complete this jingle. Enter as often as you wish. All entries must be on official Contest Entry Blanks, which contain complete contest rules. Get yours free at any Gulf station. Contest closes midnight, Oct. 31.

*Gulf No-Nox is the gasoline that's famous 'cause it burns so clean. Fill up at Gulf and you will see.*

*(Make your last word rhyme with "see.")*

**Clean-burning No-Nox gives you many more miles of new-car power!**

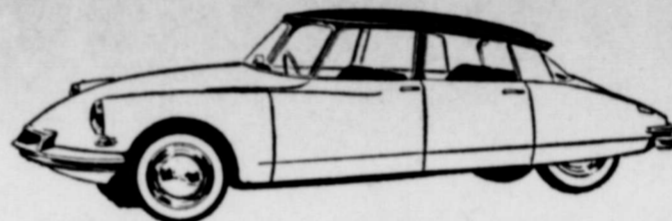
**HINTS TO HELP YOU WIN!**

- 1. No-Nox burns clean because Gulf refines out the "dirty-burning tail-end" found in ordinary gasoline.
- 2. No-Nox combats formation of carbon deposits which "shrink" engine power.
- 3. No-Nox protects your engine, keeps new-car power intact for thousands of extra miles.
- 4. Gulf No-Nox is a high-octane gasoline—gives more miles per gallon in short-trip driving.

**NEXT 4 TOP PRIZES**

**4 NEW CITROEN SPORTS SEDANS!**

The revolutionary DS19 by CITROEN of France—safer, smoother, first with automatic air-oil suspension



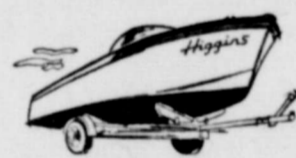
**and a Gulf galaxy of 183 other gala PRIZES**



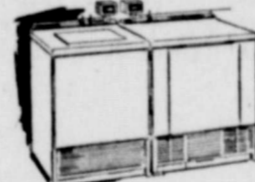
**8 Revolutionary TAPPAN** Electronic ranges—cook at amazing speed without heat.



**12 MAGNAVOX Color TV Sets.** Featuring Hi-Fidelity Color and Sound.



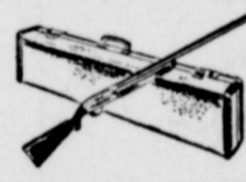
**10 HIGGINS, Inc. of New Orleans** 14-foot deluxe outboard runabouts and trailers.



**18 1957 FRIGIDAIRE Laundry Pairs.** "For the savingest washdays ever."



**18 Magnificent MAGNAVOX Hi-Fidelity Radio-Phonographs—4 multiple speakers.**



**50 BROWNING Shotguns.** Double Automatic Lightweight models with cases.



**67 Montague-Ocean City Fishing Sets.** Complete deluxe fishing outfits.

**GET FREE ENTRY BLANKS FROM YOUR GULF DEALER**

—where you get that clean-burning No-Nox!

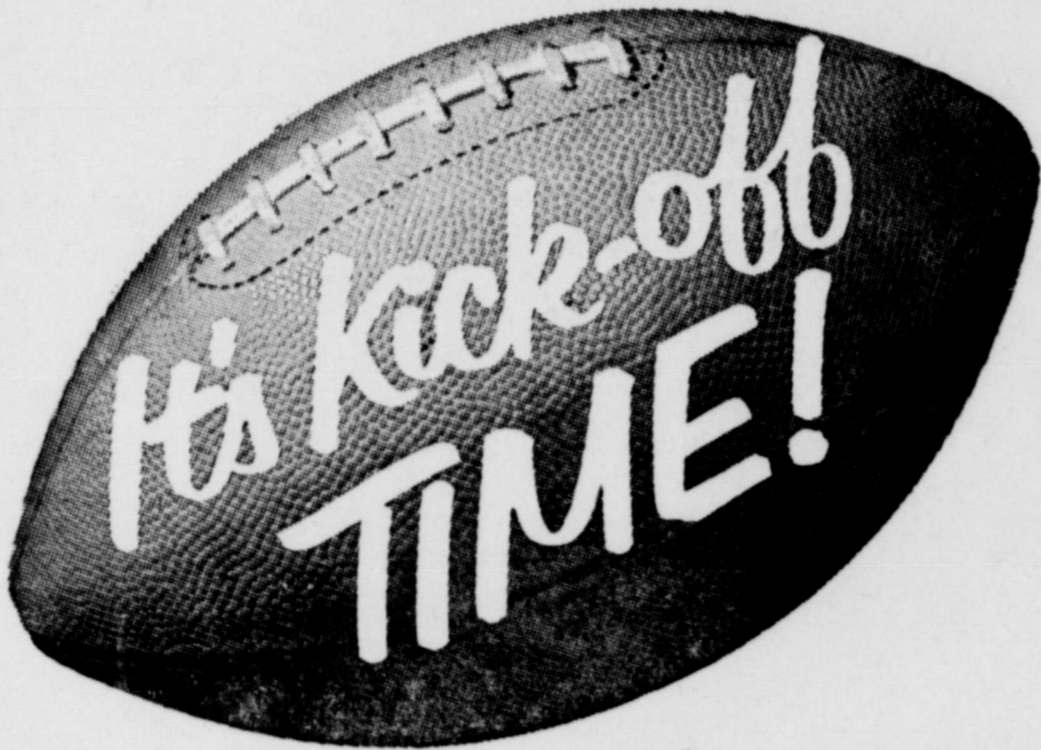


**R. S. WALTON**  
WHOLESALE GULF OIL PRODUCTS

# Football Game

Friday  
Night

**SUPPORT YOUR HOME TEAM!**



## **BRONTE Longhorns**

**vs.**

## **LORAININE**

This Ad Sponsored in the Interest of Good Sportsmanship by the Following Persons and Firms

Scott Butane Co.  
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Estelle's Flowers-Gifts  
Pruitt's Store  
Gulf Service Station  
Paul Good, Sheriff  
Bronte Pharmacy  
White Auto Store  
Bronte Hospital  
Jeff Dean, County Judge  
Clift Funeral Home  
Caperton Chevrolet Co.  
Cumbie & Mackey

Kemp Cleaners  
J. L. Tinkler, County Clerk  
Spruell's Cafe  
L. L. Webb Chevron Service  
Pittman & Pruitt Humble Service  
City Cafe  
Butane Service Co.  
Motel Victor  
West Texas Utilities Co.  
Sims Food Store  
South Texas Lumber Co.  
Howard Brock, Commissioner Prec. 2  
C. R. Smith & Co.

Central Drug  
Tex Beauty Shop  
Bob Wilson's Barber Shop &  
Dot's House of Beauty  
Caulder Laundry  
Best Service Station  
Home Motor Co.  
Texaco Service Station  
The Bronte Enterprise  
Bronte Motor Co.  
W. H. Maxwell, Jr., Conoco Products  
Tidwell's Ideal Cafe  
McGuire Bros. Welding Co.

**FOURTH GRADE CLUB**

The Fourth Grade Club met on Oct. 12, with the vice president, Tricia Andrews, presiding in place of the president, Terry Thetford.

The meeting was called to order, the secretary read the minutes and the treasurer gave a report. The club voted to elect new officers each six weeks and the

following officers were elected for this six weeks:

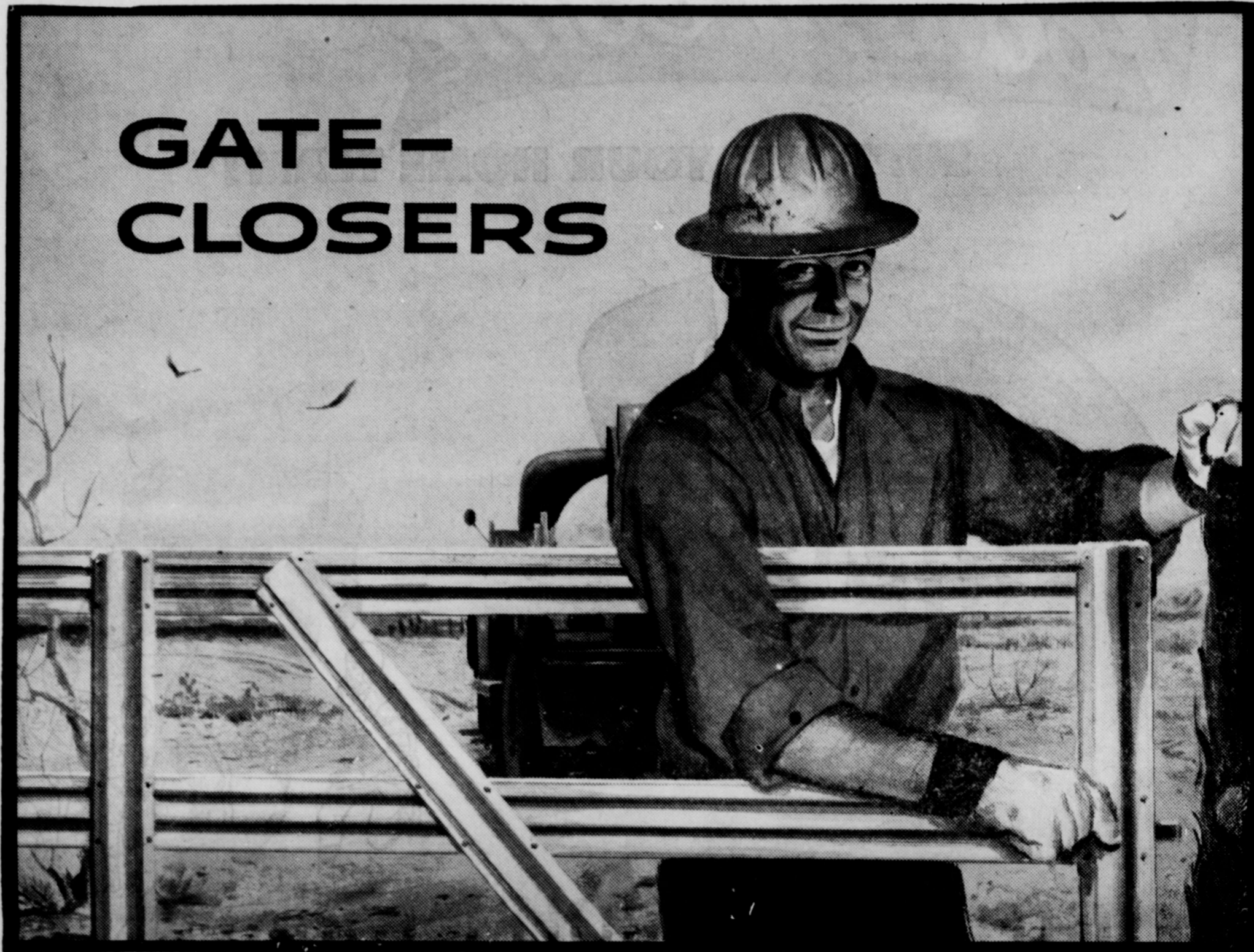
President, Jim Morrow; vice president, Penny Garrett; secretary, Ann Harris; treasurer, Gerald Parker; reporter, Mary Corley.

An interesting Columbus Day program was presented under the direction of Peggy Corley and Gerald Parker.

Mrs. H. H. Herron spent several days last week with her chil-

dren in Odessa. The Herron's son, Bill, has been transferred from Odessa to Beaumont and is moving this week. He is employed by Oakite Chemical Co.

**SHOP BRONTE FIRST!**



# GATE - CLOSERS

*Dear Friends*

A farmer friend of ours paid Humble's field men a fine compliment recently.

He said, "There's one thing about you Humble people, you close gates."

Well, of course we do.

All of us at Humble want the good will of the folks with whom we do business. And among those folks, the farmers and ranchers who lease their land to us for exploration and production are right at the top of the list.

In fact, you farmers are partners with us in the development of a vital natural resource. If our efforts are successful then everyone involved benefits.

Keeping the gates closed and the fences mended—things like that are the least we can do.

We know. A lot of us grew up on farms and ranches.



**OIL PROGRESS WEEK  
October 14-20**

*Oil Serves You—Every Minute of Every Day*

*Sincerely*

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY

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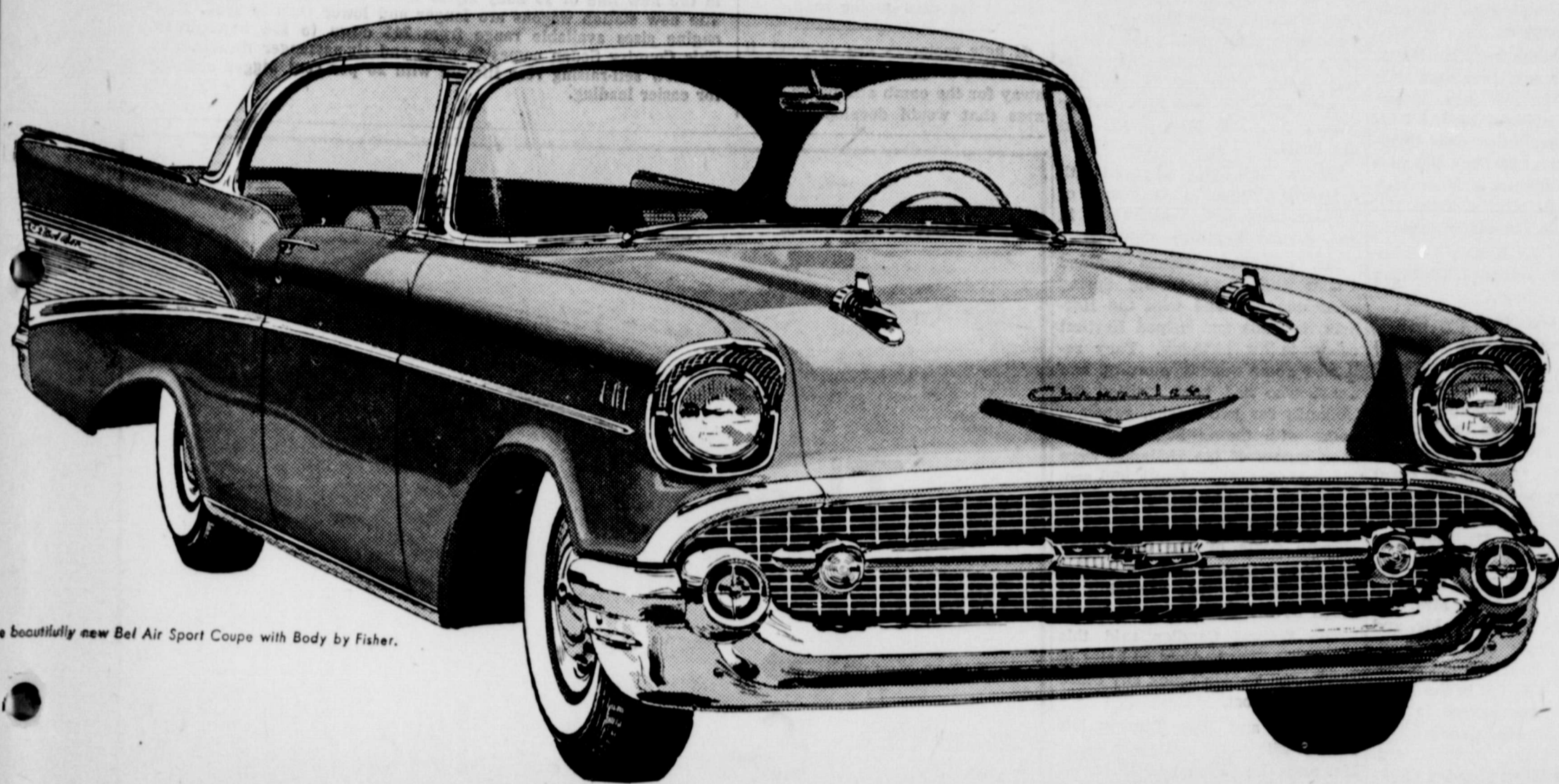
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*Just out and just wonderful!*



The beautifully new Bel Air Sport Coupe with Body by Fisher.

## SEE THE '57 CHEVROLET TODAY! IT'S SWEET, SMOOTH AND SASSY!

*Chevy goes 'em all one better—with a daring new departure in design (looks longer and lower, and it is!), exclusive new Turboglide automatic transmission with triple turbines, a new V8 and a bumper crop of new ideas including fuel injection!*



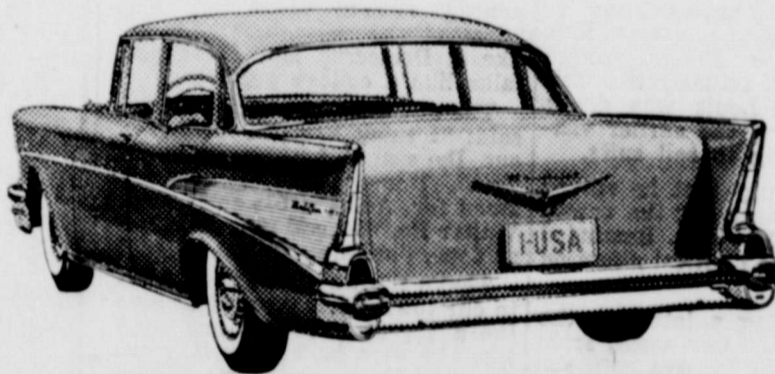
\*270-h.p. engine also available at extra cost. Also Ramjet fuel injection engines with up to 283 h.p. in Corvette and passenger car models.

New right down to the wheels it rolls on—that's the '57 Chevrolet!

By now you know it's new in style. You can see that Chevy's longer, lower—and every inch a beauty.

But Chevrolet's new in lots of ways that don't show up in our picture. It's new in V8 power options that range up to 245 h.p.\* Then, you've a choice of *two* automatic drives as extra-cost options. There's an even finer Powerglide—and new, nothing-like-it Turboglide that brings you Triple-Turbine take-off and a new flowing kind of going. It's the only one of its kind—the newest, sweetest, smoothest automatic of them all!

Come see the new car that goes 'em all one better—the new 1957 Chevrolet!



The new Bel Air 4-Door Sedan—one of 20 striking new Chevies.

Only franchised Chevrolet dealers  display this famous trademark

# Caperton Chevrolet Co.

BRONTE, TEXAS

## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Oscar Dorsey of Bronte was the guest speaker Sunday at the Baptist Church in observance of layman's Day. Other visitors were Mrs. Dorsey and children and Pat McCutchen of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Essary of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derrick of Tennyson.

Martin Lee came from Harlingen Saturday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurlin Lee. He is employed by the Gulf Oil Co. He bought a new Chevrolet while here. He took his parents, Pat McCutchen and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McCutchen driving Sunday afternoon.

Visiting A. J. Essary Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derrick of Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown and Melvin recently returned from a trip which took them through eleven states. While in Kansas they visited the Johnny Brown family. They went on the Yellowstone National Park.

Homer Clark of San Angelo spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark. Their Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Willie McNutt of Miles.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas last week were Mrs. Susie Thomas of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ford of Levelland, and Mrs. and Mrs. Johnny White and children. White is in the Navy and was being transferred to California from Rhode Island.

Mrs. Jim Clark visited Mrs. Lola Gallas at Miles Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Brown and children of Canadian spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Flora Mae.

Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay visited in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Clark and Mrs. Herbert Holland and Tony visited the Homer Clarks in San Angelo Wednesday.

A. J. Essary was dismissed Thursday from the Bronte Hospital where he had been ill since Monday.

Attending the Bronte - Hermleigh football game Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, Mr.

and Mrs. Hurlin Lee and Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and Judy.

Sunday dinner guests of A. J. Essary included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derrick, Tennyson, Mrs. Nettie Hale, Tennyson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Essary, San Angelo, and Rev. and Mrs. Bill Cope, Norton. Mr. Essary went to Eola Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGuffen.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fred of Morton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caudle Monday night. Thursday night, the Caudles hosted a supper honoring Oscar Isbell on his birthday. Present for supper were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. Isbell and the hosts.

Willard Caudle was honored with a birthday supper at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Verlin Oats, in San Angelo Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holland Junior and Vicki of Big Spring spent the weekend with the Herbert Hollands and helped Herbert celebrate his birthday. They returned home Sunday morning and Tony, who had been visiting the Hollands for two weeks, returned home with them. Sunday afternoon guests of the Hollands were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and son, Miss Foy Smith and Nealy McCarty of San Angelo.

Some parts of the community received 3 inches of rain Sunday night with all areas receiving as much as 2½ inches.

The Willard Caudles said this week that they had out 30 bales of cotton and wouldn't pick any more until after frost.

Frisilla and Mike Tounget left Friday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Henry of Veribest, to go to Austin to visit the Henry's son and wife over the weekend.

A network of 190,000 miles of petroleum pipe line crisscrosses 44 states and the District of Columbia. Pipe lines are the third largest ton-mile movers of all forms of commodity transport.

Of all wells drilled in the United States since 1859, about 75 per cent have proved productive.

Farm tractors consume about 73 million gallons of lubricants annually.

Exploration for oil and gas since 1930 has cost the petroleum industry 13 billion dollars.

In the 96-year history of the oil industry in the United States, only 150 wells have ever been drilled below 15,000 feet. Over one-third of these wells were drilled last year.

According to one estimate, it appears that by 1958, it will take a fuel of about 95 octane to get top performance out of 90 per cent of the cars on the road.

If hair restorers are so good, it looks like druggists would give 'em away for the comb and brush business that would develop.



This is Ford's 1957 Country Sedan, one of five station wagons in the new line of 19 body styles which Ford dealers will unveil. The new station wagons are longer and lower than in 1956. Four engine sizes available range from 245 down to 144 horsepower. This Country Sedan comes in nine- and six-passenger models, and has new self-raising rear liftgate with 20 per cent bigger opening for easier loading.

# Thos. Y. Pickett & Co., Inc.

4000 Cedar Springs

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AD-VALOREM TAX SERVICES

To

COUNTIES, SCHOOLS AND CITIES

## Texans Find Ike Stands For Same Things We Do

A fellow was in our town the other day selling men's suits. He was from St. Louis, and he said he was a manufacturer's representative. Grandpa would have called him a dry goods drummer, and Papa would have referred to him as a traveling salesman. This shows you how things change with time. But actually that fellow from St. Louis was doing just about what the earlier visitors did—trying to sell suits.

You might say that he stayed in the same place but the names went off and left him. Reminded me some of the political situation in Texas.

I was reading a letter in the daily newspaper last week, from a man who said he was going to vote for Eisenhower. "I am a Democrat," he wrote to the editor of the paper, "but I feel like the party has run off and left me."

Come to think of it, a lot of conservative-type Texas Democrats are in that shape today. They haven't changed their views much on such things as local control, government spending, bureaucratic red tape, and freedom of the individual; they still travel down the same road they did 20 or 30 years ago, even if they do it at 70 miles an hour instead of 25.

They grew up believing that a man could live down nearly any-

thing except voting for a Republican. They always voted 'er straight, until a good many of them jumped over the traces in '52 and went for Ike.

"I can't figure out what's happened," one of them told me. "Seems like Eisenhower talks like a Democrat and Stevenson talks like a college professor."

The other day this same fellow said: "I think I've got it figured out. Ike stands for the things us Texas Democrats have always stood for. Adlai is too thick with Walter Reuther and that crowd to suit me. I'm going for Ike again."

That's the way with most folks in our town. They decided to give Ike a try at it in '52, and they like the way he has gone about the job. There are some things they wished he'd done a little different, but by and large they think he has made us a fine President. At least all the hometown boys are back from Korea, and as far as we can tell the government is being run honestly.

Somebody asked that Missouri suit salesman how Mr. Truman was getting along, and he said he didn't know. "He isn't in the clothing business any more," he explained. "In fact, as far as I can tell, he is clear out of all kinds of business."

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