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#### Home Motor Company's Demonstration Farm Successful

put in the ground.

Two years ago when the tractor have gathered. and plow were started in the that it would be a futile attempt lieve they will get approximately at farming because of the deep fifty bales of cotton. The other grass had such hold on the land the fact that the land is not adit was enough to make one be- apted to cotton. lieve that the farm would never be tillable again.

vating killed much of the grass is a success. They have also and a partial yield of cotton was demonstrated that the sure way had. When plowing time came to kill Johnson grass is to go this year at the beginning of the after it with a tractor. There year, every foot of the farm was is not enough Johnson grass on broken deep again. Then it was the field they have cultivated for listed and re-listed some six two years to be visible scarcely times. When planting time to one's vision as he walks over came the very best seed obtain- the field. able was secured for planting

After the cotton was up and ready for cultivating, there was never another idle moment with working the farm. The cotton most prohibitive.

The Enterprise has watched was plowed, and each time just with keenest and continuos inter- a little more shallow until the est the Home Motor Company's last plowing was not much more nounce the opening of the school demenstration farm throughout than skimming the top of the there next Monday, October 19ground. Many people have wait- th. We have watched the methods ed and watched for the outcome. The plowing preparatory to and tractor farming-some said, "it preceding planting was done can't be did," But, the harvestthoroughly. It was deep break- ing season is now on. Already ing and continuous listing. As about twenty five bales of cotton a result the soil was thoroughly have been gathered and we bemulched before the seed were lieve, since going over the farm, Monday afternoon, with Mr. Let it be remembered that this Knierim, manager of the Home is the second year of this Com- Motor Company, there is more pany's demonstration farm. cotton yet to be picked than they Ross Normal at Alpine.

field, it was thought by many and twenty seven acres, we beseating and rankness of the field they have cultivated will not Johnson grass. Indeed, the do so well, but it is purely due to

One thing is certain: The Home Motor Company have dem-The first year the tractor culti- onstrated t at tractor farming

> And the cheapest farming for 1926 as we see it is tractor farming, for feed is for teams go ing to be so high, it will be al-

#### Fine Response.

The Enterprise the past few ssues has requested its sub scribers to look after their subscription renewals.

It is very gratifying the liberal response. It is our usual custom to acknowledge publicly the renewal of each one, but the past few days we have been so submerged with renewals that were we to mention each one it would require entirely too much space. Hence to each and every one who has sent a renewal we say "thank you," and expression is sincere. We want to give you a local newspaper second to none for the size of the community and the volume of business we receive We appreciate the fidelity of our subscribers and the many kindly things said to us by them as to the merits of the Enterprise as a country weekly.

#### Ships Car Of Cattle.

A. J. Rawlings shipped a car of fat eattle to Fort Worth first of the week. Mr. Rawlings modesty would not let him state in the presence of a newspaper manjust howmuch he realized on the stuff. But it was good stuff. hence it can be taken that he topped the market.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Sims and children, attended the Ballinger fair Wednesday afternoon. variety and very fine flavor.

Prof. Carl Tankersley, principal of the Norton school writes, asking that The Enterprise an-

The faculty of the Norton of cultivation from the beginning. There were many skeptics about school for the incoming year is

> Carl Tankersley, principal, has charge of the High School Department.

Misses Mary Middleton and Robbie Elliott, grammar school department. Miss Elliott will also have charge of the kindergarten work. She is from Sul

In one field of one hundred Della Harding, four primary of fidelity to religious princi-

sion.

come to us from Brady.

taught in our school last year to the world as the laws by which Lord and men; who truly love and are known to all our peo-

lege training.

and the county agents, Mr. Lehmberg and Miss Field will their wishes, whether right or be with us on opening day.

Let all the patrons attend the opening exercises. We are looking forward to a great year and we seek the cooperation of all. Carl Tankersley,

Principal.

morning and the threatening ing angels ever looked) in which and worship is "like the dews of weather generally in the fore condition, every time its mempart of the day, many were kept away from the Coke County Sing. of worship, they have to play the ing Convention held in Bronte role of a hypocrite in their greet-

afternoon, when the clouds had most shamefully of the leaders, lifted there was an immense and the leaders will go out and throng from all the surrounding during the days of the week sections of the country, and the afternoon was delight. some of the other members that red and wrecked race. fully spent in singing and in listening to the singing. There was class singing and special songs by quartettes, all of which were pleasing to those who listened.

At the noon hour a delightful lunch was enjoyed by all pres ent, which was spread in the old fashioned way.

The next song day is the fourth Sunday in November and will be at Valley View. An invitation in advance is extended to all to come and bring baskets full of lunch and enjoy the day.

The occupants of the editorial parsonage are relishing some very fine tomatoes, grown by J B. Johnson, which we appreciate. The tomatoes are of large

## Going To Church A Bad Habit

is quoted as saying:

and praying to a God to be bad play the role of a worshiper, for habits."

It makes no difference how intellectually great that preacher may be, his assertion is too broad. Intelligent religion, faithfully lived up to, is always refining and conobling in its effect upon, not only individual life and character, but the life and character of any community, or age, of people as a whole.

In this age of religious camouflaging, there are instances of Mrs. Robert Ford and Miss churches so low in their ideals ples that it is better to remain Miss Emma Alice Walker, away from such a place than to go there for the purpose of re-Miss Edith McShan, expres ligious worship, For, the shameful betrayal of the great Misses Elliott and McShan principles of the Christ, the trampling underfoot of its rules Miss Walker comes from Bal- and regulations the church in they are governed in the carrying on and maintaining the work All our teachers have had col. and fellowship of the church: the hypocrisies of the minis-Superintendent R. E. White ter in charge; the wilful disposiwrong, the law of the church instead of fidelity to the estabbe according to the ideals of Jesus Christ with ref erence to the fraternal relations between men, is the most beau-Due to the rains early Sunday tiful thing upon which the gaz bers and others go to the place ings of each other-when the But with the coming of the members will go away and speak have a code of ethics towards would make a Digger Indian blush with shame; when mem bers of the church are constant. ly and eternally back biting and and happiness of the world!

An Episcopalian minister who devouring each other and pours at war with his church men ing out upon each other the slime of their fithy souls -great God. "I consider going to a church no, don't go to such a place to if you do, you stultify your own soul and the minister's quotation above is true-it is indeed a bad habit to go to such a church

But, if the church is one the

members of which love the sacred principles of Christ as they interpret them and love the established laws of their church, regardless as to what kind of government it may be, and who would rather die than so violate wilfully the laws of the New Testament and their church; whose members live clean, moral lives, and whose men and women have that modesty of life that keeps them from parading their goodness, in that pharisaical way. which makes them to say: "God, we thank thee that we are not as other men are," but who are quiet and unobtrusive and linger. The other four teachers question has heralded so loudly who walk humbly before the religion and are members of the church out of sincere motives: who seek to be real helpers in the great warfare of life; who fear God and love their fellows tion of a few leaders to make and they meet at the altar in the spirit of reverence for the divine and a spirit of brotherly love pervades them and they ex. lished laws; the irreligious im- change greetings with each proprieties of its leaders or other other, and indeed love each other members, which make such a and pray for each other church a stench in the nostrils and regard each other as brethof Almighty God and common ren; whose men are pious and decency; the lack of fellowship above just suspicion and whose (which, when it is what it should hearts are "set on things above." and not on the lust and greed and the filth of this world, and they seek to be mutually helpful to each other -yes, a thousand times, to go to a church like that Hermon." And every time one takes advantage of such an opportunity, he only sets to playing the Aeolian harp of his own soul and there is always music for him sweet as "a song in the night," and he goes out to set a song of purity and cleanliness and piety and hope and good cheer in the heart of a sin scar-

> God, give us more churches like the last mentioned, for in them is wrapped up the destiny

#### Ode to Confederate Veterans

Friday morning of last week, in Simmons University, at Abilene, the Confederate Veterans of that city were at the chapet service on invitation of the president, Dr. J. D. Sandefer. Misa Verna Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smith of Bropte. was so impressed with the childish happiness of the old veterans. as they worshiped God in their simple way that she penned the lines below which are beautiful both in sentiment and diction. Writing to her parents about the Veterans and the occasion, Miss. Smith said: "It was pathetic, they were so childishly happy. Smith said: When the band played Dixie they waved their hats, and they had a large Confederate flag, which they waved too:"

We salute you, oh Confederate Veterans, For the glorious past for which you stan For your love and valor as you pressed the Of freedom for our noble Southland. In our hearts you are enshrined, you live Like a guardian angel o'er the New South hovers The spirit of the old Confederate Line.

The fourth quarterley conference of the Bronte charge of the Methodist church was held at Hayrick Thursday of last week, Dr. A. D. Porter, presiding elder of the district, presiding.

Every report showed th finances of the churches in the charge in splendid condition and the spirituality and growth of the several congregations were pleasing both to the elder and to pastor in charge, Rev. W. E. An-

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This is the closing up of the third year of the pastorate of Rev. Anderson on this field and the reports show tust the work is in the best condition since he assumed pastoral leadership. This speaks much as to his fidelity to his work and the splendid cooperation of the members of the churches with him in every good word and work. Rev. Anderson is quite a busy man now closing up his year's work and getting ready for conference. His brethren and all others who know of his work can truthfully such as he generally ships, say, "Well done."

F. C. Jenkins of Ballinger as transacting business in Bronte Wednesday.

#### RONTE ENTERPRISE

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Be a "booster"-that means say something good for the community in which you live.

Questions of public interest and community good should always be discussed dispassionate. ly and to the one end of doing the greatest good to the greatest number of people.

Ralph Scott is in a good way to get shot with some awfully deadly weapon. He met us on the streets in Ballinger the other day. We had a large package in our hand. He had the audacity to ask us if the contents of the package were legal and whether or not they were "fifty five per cent."

Be tolerant-that means Allow the other fellow the same privilege you take for yourself to think his way about matters. tion of such "daddies," who It may be, after all, he is just as themselves will live worthily and intellectually smart as yourself, that will "rule well" their homes, and it is possible too for him to and then a generation of wives be as deeply conscientious as and mothers to stand by the yourself. Allow every man to "daddies" and say to them,

as he does none other an injustice or injury and does not contravene the established laws of society.

A "new thing under the sun" in these "last days" bappened in a West Texas town the other day. A father took bis little sixteen year old daughter, gently (?) in his arms, laid her \$1.00 down, sat down on her, and in the presence of a school teacher used a razor strap, even though she was dressed in forty dollar lingerie. The little 's' decided with some of her c..ums her age, to turn "flapper," falsified to her father on the plea that she was going to the school house, and she and her chums stole away with a thing that had on a pair of jelly bean pants and a red poker dot tie around its neck to an adjoining town to a show. The teacher accidentally became apprised of what had occured, informed the father of the little Miss and the father went after his daughter and brought them home. Then, "the big show" came off-like "the soft patter of the ran on the roof" the razor strap came in exceedingly close proximity to the aforesaid forty dollar lingerie. And there was weeping and wailing in camp. We say, "God bless that father, strengthen his arm and his heart." And we likewise say, "God bless that girl for having such a father." Give us a generathink and act as he pleases long "Daddy, you are a good daddy to



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your children and I am with you in controling them if it makes a prairie out of all the woodland in the country in doing so." O, when shall we come back to the simple home life, where the children shall be taught parental authority! Until that is done, we can expect nothing but the dissipations of our youth.

#### Resolutions.

Whereas, It has pleased God in His wisdom to remove from our midst Bro. W. A. Good whose death occured September 16th. Therefore be it resolved, by Tennyson Lodge No 1208, A. F. & A. M., That we deplore the untimely death of our worthy brother. His fellowship and pleasant association will be sadly missed in our lodge meeting. Let us hope that by exercising the same fidelity to duty, and practicing the virtues our noble order commends, we will meet our brother in that "Celestial Lodge above where the Supreme Architect of the universe presides" Tennyson Lodge has lost a worthy master mason, the widow a devoted husband and sons and daughters an affectionate father and the country a patriotic citizen. We extend the family our sincerest sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved further, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Lodge. a copy be furnished the bereaved widow and a copy be furnished the Bronte Enterprise for pub

J. A. Stepbenson, W. H. Cothran, R. E. Walber, Committee on Resolutions

Ed Dixon remembers "the old home town" paper and helps us figures, which we appreciate.

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#### Forest Fire Put Out by Heavy Ocean For

A heavy dripping fog rolled in from the Pacific ocean and put out effectively a fierce forest fire which had been burning for days in the Olympic peninsula southwest of Port Angeles, Washington. This is the only time recorded in northwest forestry of the occurrence of such a phenomenon. With no indication of rain and lacking water with which to fight the advance of the flaming menace, foresters watched the fire making progress toward the town of Quilcene, beyond which lay valuable tracts of big trees, when suddenly the wet fog descended. Like a huge gray cloud it settled down upon the forest, enshrouding everything. The fire fighters fled in terror lest they become bewildered and lost on the mountain sides. Soon the pungent smell of cedar and hemlock smoke disappeared and by mid-afternoon when the fog lifted, there remained only a few emoking dead logs, while all about the charred trunks of former merchantable trees dripped with water from the providential fire exting-

#### Gulls' Breeding Ground

The numerous islands off the coast of Maine are one of the principal breeding colonies for gulls and here they build crude nests on the ground and in the evergreen trees. The young birds are clumsy, little brownish-gray objects and are often badly treated by the older ones. Indeed, many are attacked and killed, seemingly without reason, though this is perhaps nature's method of birth control. Those that survive the early weeks of life soon learn to take care of then selves, and by the time the southerly flight begins the young birds are fully prepared to fight the winter battle for food in New York harbor.

#### They Never Miscarry



Ed—It's astonishing how many different kinds of mail reach the dead-letter office.

Ned (sadly)—Yes—all except the bills.

#### Rubber in Lignite

"Petrified" rubber has been found in German lignite, or "brown coal," it is reported at Jena, Germany. In lignite deposits queerly-shaped fibers known as "monkey hairs" are noted from time to time. Analysis showed that these were rubber, vulcanized over a great length of time because of the high percentage of sulphur present. In some lignite deposits the "monkey hairs" are like soft vulcanized rubber, in others like ebonite.

#### As You Look at It

Qualifications for a good wife are many and include among other things ability to cook, household management, ability, executive training, and what not. But a man has been found who wants his wife to be but a good singer. He heard a singer at station WBZ recently, and in writing to the station stated that "one ought to change that "Miss' to "Mrs." Could this fairly be taken for a proposal or was he wishing the job on another?—Baltimore Sun.

#### Gnats Like Smoke

A swarm of gnats, estimated at several millions, lodged in a cornice of the First National Bank building at Connellesville, Pa., and resulted in a fire alarm being sounded. A pedestrian saw what he believed to be smoke issuing from the cornice, but the firemen could discover no blaze. It was found that the swarming of the gnats appeared from the pidewalk to be just like smoke.

#### MARRIED

Sunday afternoon at Robert Lee, Judge W. H. Bellomorating, Mr. Larkin Pruitt and Miss Edna Norred were united in marriage. These young people have many friends who will wish them every blessing in life, in which wish The Enterprise joins.

#### Animal Worship Not Yet Extinct in World

The idea has always been prevalent among primitive people that animals are endowed with souls that once inhabited human beings, says the Montreal Star. When a likeness is recognized between an animal and a friend who is dead, the animal is addressed as the person and honored with some sort of worship. Many tribes call themselves by the name of some animal.

The most civilized people among whom animal worship survives lie within the range of Brahmanism. Here the sacred cow is not merely to be spared; she is worshiped as a deity and bowed to daily by the Hindu. Perhaps no worship has prevailed more widely than the serpent. It has its place in Egypt and among the Hebrews, in Greece and Rome, among the Celts and Scandinavians in Europe, in Persia and India, in China and Tibet, in Mexico and Peru and in Africa, where it still flourishes in certain parts.

#### Many Small Additions to British Revenues

In the minds of most people the national revenue is linked almost solely with the millions derived from income tax, the duties on beer and spirits and customs dues. But the country's purse is augmented by many sources unrealised by the average person, London Tit-Bits says.

Prison gardens, for example, produce a small yearly revenue. Brompton cemetery burial fees add their quota to our money bags. Photographs sold at the National gallery and the British museum add a few hundreds a year, while the Tower of London contributes its gate money. At least £100,000 a year is derived from the Persian oil fields while dividends on our shares in the Suez canal amount to £500,000 a year.

Wrecks and derelicts driven ashore, filings of precious metals used at the royal mint, certain police court receipts, crown land rents—all these minor items help to pay our way.

#### A Tolstei Tale

A veteran newspaper man was talking about conservatism.

"When I was a correspondent years ago in Russia," he said, "I once met Tolstoi.

"Tolstoi hated conservatism.

"'The conservatives,' he said, 'declared that the liberation of the serfs would make things worse. As a matter of fact things are better now.

"'In the old conservative days, before the seris were liberated, all our beds with full of bugs, and when a guest visited some aristocratic home, the serf butler would be ordered to undress and lie an hour or two in the spare-room, so that the edge would be taken off the bugs' appetite, and the guest could sleep in peace."

#### Big Money for Heirlooms

At a famous London auction room the wonderful heirlooms of the Swathling family were sold under the hammer and were greedily purchased by collectors, says the London Daily Mail. The sale realized \$5,000 a minute and the total cash receipts for the day were close to \$360,000. The total sale realized \$460,000. Of particular interest was the Elizabethan rock-crystal ewer and cover, mounted with silver-gilt, with the Edinburgh hall-mark, c. 1565, by George Heriot, Sr., which fetched \$30,000. This fine piece was presented by Queen Elizabeth to John, Lord Erskine, second earl of Mar, for the baptism of one of shildren about 1567.

Big Show at Angelo.

The Sells-Floto Circus, second largest show in the world, will be in San Angelo, on Thursday October 22nd, certainly inform: . tion that will please residents here.

Because of the popularity of this great circus the crowd in San Angelo on circus day will be a record breaker and that many hundreds from this vicinity will be in the great throng goes with. out the saving.

Thosands of dollars have been expended by the Solls-Floto organization that the show might be enlarged to its present size. Additions include a host of feat ure acts from all countries of the globe, trained animal acts and many wild beasts from the jungles of Asia, India and South America, as well as from our own Rocky Mountains.

Presented as a special feature will be the gorgeous scenic spectacle "The Bride and the Beast," one of the most elaborate efforts of all time, and far beyond anything ever attempted by the most noted producers. More than 1,000 are included in the cast of this magnificant and colorful production, which is barbarie and lyrical in character. In the ballet alone there are more than 1,000 young women, who in their dancing bring out a gorgeous riot of beauty and perfect poetry of motion.

Twenty-four elephants, including the baby "Charlie Ed," are carried by the Circus, and all of these big fellows are trained to perfection for their parts.

Fifty clowns will be on hand to make you laugh, and it is well known that Sells-Floto clowns know how to do their stuff.

#### Many Attend Fair

If the attendance at the Ballinger Fair is as large from all other sections as that from the Bronte section of country, it is evident that they are having a large attendance. They are too numerous to mention by name, for it seems that a large per cent of our people are attending the big show.

## BIG FALL OPEN-ING SALE IS ON

The Enterprise this week is the Fall Opening Sale announcement of the San Angelo Dry Goods Campany.

This fast growing dry goods house in San Angelo is already well known to readers of The Enterprise as they are frequent advertisers with us. They always carry a fine line of goods.

But, Mr. Cobb, the manager, assures us that the lines they have on display this season are unusually attractive both in quality and price. Mr. Cobb weut to the markets personally early and got the choice of lines that he bought. Read their ad and when you go to Angelo to shop don't fail to visit this store.

Riley Clark is here from Winters. Mr. Clark is not doing so well since his operation for appendicitis some weeks ago. He went to San Angelo Monday and submitted to a thorough examination. The examining physicians advised him that there were no serious symptoms and they thought soon as his system fully recovered from the operation he would rapidly im-



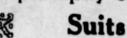
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#### Men's and Boys' Shirts

Fall offers some very attractive patterns. Men, you'll be surprised at the attractive plaids, stripes and figures, all sizes and sleeve lengths. Lay in your winter supply NOW.

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	Shirts, sale	1.18
	Shirts, sale	89c
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ing of the Runnels County Fair. The opening was fine and eyery thing was up to the expectations of both the Fair management and the people. The management was pleased with the attendance on opening day and the enthusiastic praise from all with reference to the exhibits. The visitors were loud in their praise of the Fair, its management, its enlargement over former years and the splendid way in which every thing started

If the weather is propitious today, which is the last day of the Fair, the attendance is expected to be unprecedented.

#### Tennyson School Begins Monday.

The Tennyson school begins Monday. Mrs. Ollie Shelton of Bronte is principal this year, while Miss Adelle Rosser also of Bronte returns as teacher of the lower grades.

The teachers and trustees as well as other patrons are looking forward to a good school this year.

#### At The Church of Christ

The Enterprise is requested to announce that Elder Wesley Sellers of Robert Lee will preach at the Church of Christ in Bronte the 4th Sunday in this month at 11 o'clock and also in the afterthese services.

#### First Lyceum Number Given

The first number of this sea son's Lyceum Course was given D UVIIIU IVLLL in the school auditorium Wednes

> The entertainers were the Apollo Duo, which was a musical and reading number. It is said to have been an excellent program that was rendered and those in attendance enjoyed an evening of rare and high class entertinment.

> The next Number of the Course will be on the evening of November the 2nd.

#### Taken Suddenly Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sims and Harold Sims and wife, attended the Al G. Barnes Circus at San Angelo Saturday night. Mrs. Harold Sims was taken suddenly ill while at the Circus It was thought for a time she would have to submit to an operation. But she returned home Tuesday night, improved and did not submit to the operation. The attending physician thinks she will avoid the operation.

Prof. Carl Tankersley and family have returned from Clyde to Norton where Prof. Tankersley will be principal of the Norton school another year. Prof. Tankersley orders The Enterprise to be sent there instead of Clyde. He says: "We don't want to miss an issue of "the old home town" paper. We always enjoy. its weekly visits. It makes us years to come back to Bronte to live again." Come on, "fessor," noon. All are invited to attend you and yours would be "as welcome as the flowers in May."

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Women's and Misses' Fall Needs

#### DRESSES

Every dress in this entire Ready-to-Wear Department will be placed on sale at sharp reductions---we urge you to be here so that you can be one of the many who will profit by our Sale Prices. In this lot are many values to \$15.00 and they will all be placed on sale-

\$5.95

\$7.95

\$9.95

## GOODS COMPANY

Stop Everything and COME

Mrs. H. C. Best is another who pays her subscription account promptly. Since our last issue she advances her subscription Glenn were San Angelo visitors on business, returning the same of the business of the same of the business of the b

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keeney Monday.

Fewell Sims and C. R. Golli-

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Butner

## TWO MORE DAYS OF Krauss Dry Goods Company's BIG GET-ACQUAINTED

SALE

The Krauss Dry Goods Company opened up its fifth store in Miles four weeks ago. Our business has been enormous; better than we expected

We want to make this store one of the leading stores and we want all the people from Runnelss, Tom Green and Coke counties to come to Miles and do their shopping at

The Krauss Dry Goods Company

Therefore we are giving you bargains during this sale that will surpass anything that has been offered by any sale--anywhere

Sale Closes Saturday Night, 17th

KRAUSS DRY GOODS CO.,

Miles, Texas

Song Convention at Brente

In spite of the showers that fell Sunday morning a large attendence was present in the morning at the Baptist church for the all day song meet. By noon the rain clouds were disappearing and tables of many different appetizing dishes were set. Thanks were offered by Rev. W. E Anderson,

In the afternoon all seats were taken and room, needed for many

Features of the program were the quartettes rendered by the Runnels County Association.

The date of the convention was voted to te on 4th Sunday instead of the 2nd. Those on program were M. H. Havens, Pres. Valley View, R. R. Mc-Cleskey, and Jess Percifull Bronte, Mr. Colwell Winters. Kenneth Watkins, Union. Vera Hardy. Maverick, Tona Lewis Winters. Mr. McMillen, Ballinger. Mr. Bacon and J. P. Hutton Winters. Mrs. Bernice Coalson. Union. Billie Roy Havins. Valley View. J, R. Jennings, Wilmeth. The new books selected to be used are "The Silver Strains." One hundred of these have been ordered by the county. The next County Convention will meet at Valley View the 4th Sunday in Novem-

Secretary.

#### Big Sale Of Firestones.

Readers of The Enterprise will recall that there has been running in the advertising columns of The Enterprise for the past several weeks a good display advertisement each week of the Firestones automobile tires.

The Firestone Tire & Rubber Company of Akron, Ohio are the manufacturers of this already well known and popular tire. The Home Motor Company is the local representative. Both the manufacture; and the local retailer believe in the Firestone They both also believe in the virtue of printer's ink as the best medium by which to : c. quaint the public with the virtue of the wares one offers for sale. Therefore, the series of large display acvertisements that have appeared in our columns have gotten the results that both the manufacturer and local dealer of Firestones were seeking. Last Saturday the Home Motor Company sold thirty Firestone casings. Think of it! One dealer selling thirty casings in one day. The Home Motor Company has no other auto casing in stock-they believe in the Firestone, they talk the Firestone and they sell the Fire. stone.

Robert Knierim, manager of the Home Motor Company, says that there is more quality at the least price in the Firestones of any automobile tire he has ever handled, and in the long years he has been engaged in selling tires it certainly is a compliment to the Firestones for him to speak thus openly about it. Mr. Knierim also says that the generous backing of the manufacturers of the Firestone in the matter of liberal advertising, thus getting its merits before the people is another reason for the large sales he is making of this casing.

#### Residence For Sale.

Four acres of land and four room residence in Bronte, under ground eistern and well. A emall barn. If interested see or phone me. F. C. Jenkins, Ballinger, Texas



## ARE YOU ON?

Do you want to exchange your dollars for the biggest returns, when you have to spend your dollars for Dry Goods, Glothing, Groceries and other necessities of life? If so,

#### We Want to Speak to You Candidly

About the matter, for it is to our mutual interest This is the cash season of the year. For cash anybody will sell you some cheaper than otherwise. But, we are here to say to you, and we put our reputation that we have been years and years in building, tehind the statement, if you will come to us to buy your dry goods and groceries and other necessities that you must have, we will give you more first class Quality Merchandise for the same money than you will be able to get elsewhere. We are in position, in the first place, to do this, for we buy our goods right and we have no heavy overhead expenses to bear-hence we can sell you cheaper than othewise. Then, we want to sell you -in other words, you have the money new and we have the goods you need. We need the cash and must raise the cash. Hence we want to convert our merchandise into cash.

Come see us and let's talk it over-let us make you prices before you buy.

> Gasoline to all who come to buy Dry Goods and Groceries from us at

> > **20c** per gallon.



## O. D. Spoonts

"The Price-Maker On Seasonable Merchandise in

Ft. Chadbourne, Texas

#### Locomotive Repair Bills

The repair bills of the railroads of the country for disabled locomotives alone is a huge item, according to the American Railroad association, which reported that in the last half of September 33,955 locomotives were repaired and turned out of the railroad shops of the country. At that, better handling of the big iron horses is responsible for a gradual cutting down of this item of ex-

#### Louisiana's Strawberries

The cultivation of strawberries is one of Louisiana's thriving industries. Beginning on a two-acre farm in 1876, it now embraces 16,000 acres and brings a return of \$3,500,-000 and employs about 4,000 fami-

#### Suitable Feeling

"What would you do if a bandit should present a gun and demand your money?"

"I'd sympathize with him."-Welwyn Garden City Pilot.

#### Information

Voice on Phone John Smith is sick and can't attend classes today. He requested me to notify you. Doctor Wilhelm-All right. Who

is this speaking? Voice on Phone-This is my

#### roommate.-Tennessee Mugwump.

The Good Example

Mrs. Browne-Our new minister is just wonderful. He always brings the truth home to you.

Mrs. Mauve-Wouldn't it be perfeetly levely to have a husband like

#### Canada's New Industry

Canada has become Italy's rival as a macaroni manufacturer. Three years ago the Dominion imported 7,000,000 pounds of macaroni, principally from Italy. Last year it imported only a few hundred pounds Canada's factories turned out 12,-000,000 pounds. Exports increased from 219,000 pounds in 1922 to 2,-229,000 pounds in 1923. The product went principally to the United States, Great Britain and Belgium.

#### Progress in Lighting

The people of the United States spent \$620,000,000 during 1923 for electricity used for illumination purposes. Had they used as much light during any single year prior to the advent of the tungsten filament lamp the cost of the electricity would have amounted to \$2,250,-

#### Great Confederation

In South Africa there is a real anion of states. The union was fermed in 1910 and it now comprises the provinces of Cape of Good Hepe, Natal with Zululand the Tange Free State and the Transtal. The British now possess the ormer German African territory. orty per cent of the people in the pion live above an altitude of 4,000

#### Harvard's Herb Laboratory

s tound for all herbs suitable for the er with a program, and his real job New England region. It will be a is to estimate the number of procomplete laboratory of plants grown grams needed at the playhouses in Northern gardens.

#### For Centuries Whale Has Been Man's Prey

Considering the many centuries during which the whale has been pursued by man, and the growth of knowledge and mechanical appliances for its capture it is hardly to be wondered that the whale is in danger of becoming as extinct as the dodo and the ichthyosaurus, says the Montreal Star. Whaling was carried on to considerable extent during Kng Alfred's time.

The Atlantic right whale was hunted in the bay of Biscay as early as the Twelfth century. When few of these whales were left the Greenland right whale was sought. This was hunted first off Spitzbergen, from about 1610, then in Davis straits from about 1719, and finally in the north Pacific and Bering sea from about 1840. The sperm whale was pursued from about 1712. The whaling industry was revolutionized in 1865, when the modern harpoongun, which is a harpoon projectile carrying a charge of explosive, made it possible to capture the large and swift rorquals, or fin whales.

#### Not There for Pleasure

There is a man in New York who has gone to the theater every night for the last 15 years, and yet has never seen a complete performance. He is employed by a company that prints the programs distributed in most of the playhouses in Broad-The Harvard university botanic way. The company prints only urden is to be turned into a test | enough to provide each ticket holdwhere dwindling audiences are en-

#### Joys of Camping

First Vacationist-You look as though you had got up on the wrong side of the bed this morning.

Second Vacationist-I slept on the wrong side of the bed. Curse those folding cots! The thing was wrong side out.

#### Overproduction of Lumber

Finland had an overproduction of tumber this year and the consequent decline in price has caused sawmillers to plan to reduce the output 25 per cent in 1925.

#### Organic Changes

"I hear that Dick has become engaged out in Colorado!"

"Yes, the funny part is, he went out there to save his lungs, and lost his heart."-- Detroit Free Press.

#### PUMPING ABRAHAM'S WELLS

Abraham's wells, Beersheba, Pal estine, are now equipped with modern pumping machinery and are supplying water to the town, says the Scientific American. From time immemorial wells at Beersheba have supplied the Bedouins with water for their flocks. The original "Well of the Oath" as dug by Abraham is described in the book of Genesis.

#### A Rare Sight

William A. White, the humorous Kansas editor, said at a wedding breakfast in Medicine Lodge:

"Some folks claim that a dead donkey is a rare sight, but let me tell you of a rarer one.

"You and I, friends, have seen girls so timid that they were afraid to go bathing for fear they might drown, afraid to go rowing for fear the boat might upost, afraid to go driving for fear the horse might run away, and even afraid to help their mothers with the housework for fear they might injure themselves internally-but, friends, have any of us ever yet seen a girl who was afraid to get married?"-Detroit Free Press.

#### Towline Shock Absorber

A patented towline with a strong spring section in it has been designed to take up the shock of starting and stopping during the touring of a motor vehicle. The spring, which forms part of a line with a hook at each end, causes less strain on both cars, lessens the danger of the line snapping and reduces the possibility of "killing" the engine of the forward car.

# Fur Sale

## A Huge Purchase of Rich, Rare Furs

By far the largest outright purchase of Furs ever brought to San Angelo. Included in this, our Annual Sale, are litterally hundreds of Coats, Jacquettes and Chokers in the in the styles that will be seen in the best places this fall and winter.

\$200.00

Goats Now Selling at \$149.50

A Small Cash Payment Down Will Secure a Piece of This Valuable Fur.

#### **FULL LENGTH COATS**

Leopardine, Minx Marmont, Silver Muskrat, Sea Lion, Caracule, Mendoza Beaver.

#### **JACQUETTES**

Leopardine, Muskratine, Sea Lion, Muskrat, Silver Rat, White and Weite and Black Muskratine, Moline and White Seline, Squirrel.

#### CHOKERS

Squirrel, Stone Marten, Russian and German Fitch. Hutson's Bay Sable, Baum Marten. Fox in Brown, Slate and Rose.

All Coats are Handsomely Trimmed in Contrasting Colors of Rich, Rare Furs Lined in Best Quality Silks.

> NOTICE-Every piece of Fur now on exhibition in this sale is absolutely guaranteed by us to be perfect merchardise.

-This huge purchase of Furs was made for all our string of stores, but will be placed on sale and offered to the people of San Angelo and surrounding country this week!

-Remember-If you purchase now you have a large group to select from.

-This entire collection representing several hundred pieces, is now on exhibition and sale in our ready-to-wear department. Don't fail to call in during the sale and see the wonderful collection. Sale now going on.

#### HASSEN & COMPANY

Style-Service-Satisfaction

219 S. Chadbourne St.

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

#### **BE PREPARED**

The time to prepare for adversity is NOW-not tomorrow nor the next day. Accumulating a bank account is the best safeguard against tomorrow's misfertunes. Begin today!

## First National Bank

Bronte, Texas.

L. T. YOUNGBLOOD, Pres. C. R. GOLLIHAR, Active V-P CARRIE GLENN, Cashier

M. E. CHURCH NOTES.

W. E. Anderson, Pastor.

Our fourth Quarterly Conference held at Hayrick last Thurs-

and reports made.

Dr. Porter brought us two Oleta McCleskey, Junior Gollihar write a check and forward to us.

very fine and soul stirring sermons The Hayrick church spread a most delightful and (well filling) dinner. The attendance was good tho many of the you. officials of the church could not attend because of the rush of day October 8, was one of the work at this season. Those atbest sessions of the Quarterly tending from Bronte were, Dr. Conference that we had for some J. D. Leonard, Mesdams Rebecca away from Bronte, and he didn't Cumbie, W. E. Anderson, Layona want to let such a call, go un-Every department of the Price, R R, McCleskey, A. G. heeded. We appreciate Mr. church work was represented Sims, C. R. Gollihar. Ada Modg- Izard's spirit and this is only to

and the Pastor.

The election of officers for another year are as follows: Stewards, F. O. Key, Dr. J. D. Leonard, J. A. Grimes, Mrs. L. Johnson, C. R. Gollihar, W. L. Hayley, T. C. Price, W. J. Gideon and Jess Percifull. For Marie, John Black, W. H. Mackey and S Gregory. For Tennyson, Mrs. Mamie McCain and J. W. Price. For Hayrick, W. A. Robbins, R. M. Williams and Alvin Hayley, District Steward, C. R. Gollihar, Recording Steward J. D. Leonard, Sunday school Superintends, W. D. Hayley, John Black, and Bro. J. W. Lobenskey. Commissioner, Hospital Mrs. Ada Wilkins. Superannuate Endowment Fund, C. R. Gollihar

Marie has paid in full all the assessments for the year. Hayrick has paid salary and 50 per cent of Conference claims.

Tennyson had pledged 100 per cent on all claims. And Bronte's finances are in fine shape and will all be paid, so much for the conference. We had great services Sunday afternoon at Hayrick, and at night at Bronte.

Come to church and Sunday school and bring some one with

Silas Izird, the monument man of San Angelo, "kicked in," on his subscription. He said he suggest to all others like him ling, Lennie Perciful, Miss that they sit down right now,

#### IT IS GOOD

#### To The Last Drop-

THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE

For Cooking, Heating and Motive Power It Can't be Beaten THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE

Smooth Running and Powerful

THAT SUPREME AUTO OIL

Is a Supreme Lubricant.

We sell all of the above Gulf Refining Company products

CECIL GLENN

**GULF REFINING AGENT** 

BRONTE,

TEXAS

**CEND TODAY for** Othis wonderful book of savings. Its 800 pages are literally bursting with bargain prices on the world's best merchandise. Almost everything you need is listed among the 35,000 items pictured, described and plainly priced-priced at a very definite and substantial saving for you.

## "Your Order Shipped Within 24 Hours" MAIL THIS COUPON Sears, Roebuck and Co. end Latest General Catalog.

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Subscribed and sworn to as required by law, this the 16th day of October, 1925.

CASH For Old Gold, Plati-num, Silver, Dia-monds, magneto points, false teeth, jewelry, any valuables. Mail to-day. Cash by return mail. Hoke S. & R. Co., Otsego, Mich

#### **FALL ORDERS WITH** CANCELLING PRIVILEGES

am in position now to take your orders for Monuments and Tombstones for Fall Delivery subject to countermanding the order later should crops prove not to be what they now Indicate. See me and lete go over your needs, and let me show and explain our lines to you.
If prices should be reduced you get

the benefit of the reduction

**VERNON LAMMERS** 

Brente,

tf.

Texas

#### Heal Those Sore Gums.

If you suffer from sore gums bleeding gums, loose teeth, fou breath, or from Pyorrhes in even its worst form, we will sell you a bottle of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy and guarantee it to please you or return money. This is different from any other treatment, and results are certain. For sale by City Drug Store, Bronte.

Posted.

All my holdings on Kickapoo creek between town and the city reservoir are posted. Hunting, pecan gathering and all other kinds of trespassing forbidden. I will prosecute you, if I catch you, and I will catch you, for I am constantly on the watch for trespassers.

F. O. Key.

#### STOP THAT ITCHING

Sufferers from skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Old Sores or Sores on Children may find relief from the use of a jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY or their money will be refunded. The first application relieves that terrible itching. Will not stain clothing and has a pleasant odor.

City Drug Company

Dr. S. B. RABY Dentist Ballinger Texas



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Meets Every Thursday Night Visiting brethren always welcome

H. M. Robinson, N. G. Paul Good, 7 G F. O. Key, Sec'y

FOR ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE SEE

Collinar & Glenn Bronte, Texas.

The Seiberling's Predominent Characteristics When you buy a Seiberling, you get some qualities that you get in no other tire, in such pronounced degree. They are:

1. PROTECTION-Sand, mud, rocks or ruts, can't cut this king of tires it is armored on the sides, right where tires get the roughest use. This makes it certain to give you

2. COMFORT ...

long and satisfactory service. They are the less air tires. Therefore you ride in comfort.

3. PRICE---

BRONTE,

The price of these high quality tires will surprise you. When you use a Seibirling, it means a high price tire for LESS MONEY.



Come in and let us tell you about these unexcelled tires. Money saved is money made. Save money by using Seiberlings and spend the difference.

REMEMBER We always sell you "That Good Gulf" Gasoline and oils. Come to see us when your ear needs any repairs or your batteries need attention. Free air and water and "Service With a Smile."

## **SERVICE GARAGE**

HAMES BROTHERS, Proprietors

TEXAS

## Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry

At prices you will always be delighted to pay

Sam Jacobstein

In Our New Location-Ground Floor New Rust Building

MAKE OUR STORE YOUR HEADQUARTERS DURING THE FAIR

San Angelo,

#### Car Load of Apples and Potatoes

The Enterprise is advised that there will be a car load of apples and sweet potatoes on the railroad track in a few days. There fore, it is pretty certain that all can "sweeten up" a little, just when they please.

Pat Beavers and wife were among the bunch to attend the Ballinger fair Wednesday.

Abilene, bave moved to Bronte, on my farm three miles north of having rented land from Fewell Bronte for \$32 50. Go see it and Sims for another year. We wel- if you want it, see or phone me. come these good people in our F. C. Jenkins, Ballinger, Texmidst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glenn, of Portales New Mexico, have returned to Bronte to spend the winter. Their many friends are glad to have them back.

Mrs. Ellen Walker, one of the faithfulemployes of The Enter prise office, returned to work this week after an illness of four weeks.

#### Feed For Sale.

J. H. Bennett and family of I will sell my rent feed crop

Motor Ambulance for Sheep.

A motor ambulance especially designed for the care of sheep, and containing ten pens, five on each side, is an unusual but highly valuable adfunct to an enormous sheep ranch in Alberta, Canada. During the past season some 7,000 lambs were born on the ranch, and the busy ambulance was the means of saving the lives of hundreds of them .- Popular Mechanles Magazine

Weary Traveler-I want to catch the last train to Tipperary-how far is it to the station?

Native Rustic-About a mile and a half, sorr. Shure ye've plenty of toime and no need to hurry at all if ye run loike holy blazes!-Judge.

#### Dog Saved Mistress

While going to investigate a commotion among her chickens Mrs. H. C. Marshall of Cuthbert, Ga., was attacked by a catamount. Calling her pet dog she was saved from danger when the dog arrested the catamount's attack and with a few vicious shakes broke its spine.

#### Laughs at "Mystery" About Railroading

"All this talk about 'mystery' in railroading gives me a pain," said President F. W. Underwood of the Erie railroad. "There is no 'mystery.' The railroads carry the raw products to the factories and the finished products back to the cities. But whenever railroading is discussed, much ado is made about its mysteriousness.

"For a long time I thought there was a 'mystery' connected with the transportation game. When I was a brakeman I thought the conductor knew the 'mystery.' When I was a conductor I thought the superintendent knew it and so on up the line until I became vice-president. Then I was sure that the president had something up his sleeve that I didn't know. Well, I finally became president and now, after all my years in the railroad industry, I have still to find the 'mystery.'" -Wall Street Journal.

Veteran Violin Maker

Carlos Adams, of South Woodstock, Vt., is still making violins at the age of eighty-four. Though hampered now with partial paralysis in one of his arms, Mr. Adams has carved out and pieced together more than thirty violins of excellent tone since his sixty-fourth year. He even fashioned and made his own tools for carving out the fronts and backs of the violins. An Adams violin is hewn out with infinite patience and care from high-seasoned, 150-yearold spruce and maple timbers taken from the house and barn erected on his old homestead.

#### Vermont Planting Trees

In the last year the state of Vermont has planted more than 900,-000 trees, representing 750 acres, according to Robert M. Ross, state commissioner of forestry, in his annual report, recently made public. This is a larger number than had been planted in any previous year, the call coming from owners of farm woodlots, from companies with large holdings of timber land, and from towns that have started town forests.

#### Greatest Coal Fields

The report of the Russian government commission, headed by Prefessor Obroutsheff, states that the coalfields recently discovered in Siberia cover an area of nearly 400 square miles, containing the greatest coal deposits in the world. The locality also contains extensive deposits of sulphuric minerals, possibly half a million tons of graphite, and numerous traces of platinum.

Spain Gets American Ald

American interests have a prominent part in a company organized to take over all telephones in Spain, a feature of which is that government representatives will sit on the board of directors with special authority regarding rates and other matters of public interest.

## CHARTER OAK **STOVES**

#### They Need No Introduction

For our grandparents used them and were pleased. And those who use them today are also pleased.

We Have Them Ranging in Price From

\$2.50 to \$148.00

Our Highest Priced Stove is the

## CHARTER OAK PARLOR FURNACE

This stove heats almost the entire building. It is a marvel in construction and in its power to produce heat Its a thing of beauty and will grace your parlor.

### CHEAPER STOVES

We have stoves ranging in price to suit the one who wants to pay only a modest sum They are as low as

\$2.50

The CHARTER OAK is a Kemember stove that has no superiors and but few equals.

See Us Before Buying Your Stove And you should buy at once for king Winter approaches.

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# **BROWN'S**

## Big Sale Now Going On! Closing Out Staples at Cost

Every article in our big stock of Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes on sale at Gut and Slashed prices. Come and see for yourself. San Angelo's greatest bargain feast now going on at

#### 222 South Chadbourne Street

You buy your coal early before it goes high because of the big winter demand. Why not buy your blankets, comforts, suits, cloaks and shoes---in fact, your entire fall and winter supply of dry goods at

#### **BROWN'S BIG SALE**

And Tuck Away at Least 25 per cent. on Every Item.

Be alert! The world is alive. He who would gain the most of it will buy early at Brown's Big Reduction Sale. If you wait the very article you intend to buy may be gone.

222 S. Chadbourne S., San Angelo, Texas