

# The Bronte Weekly Enterprise

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## TOPPING HIGHWAY 70 IS PROMISED SOON

County Commissioners Ben Brooks of Tennyson and S. A. Kiker of Bronte, and Robert Knierim had a conference with State Highway Commissioner W. R. Ely, in his office at Abilene Tuesday relative to road construction work in Coke county.

Commissioner Ely gave no definite promises for immediate construction except a bridge over Mountain creek, on highway 158, at Robert Lee and the locating of the right of way of 109 from Bronte to Ballinger.

Judge Ely however told those calling on him that highway 70 he hoped would be topped soon. He also informed the delegation that contract for grading and drainage structures on highway 70 from the Coke county line on the south would be let at once through Tom Green county, to connect with highway 23 near San Angelo.

## AUGUST, THE MONTH FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Austin, Texas, August 10.—August almost always shows an increase in the number of cases of infantile paralysis in Texas, according to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. It is not only a serious disease but also one of the most treacherous with which the medical profession has to deal. The death rate is very high and also the number of cripples. It is estimated that one third to one half of all the cripples in the United States can trace their handicap to infantile paralysis.

Suspicion should be aroused when an illness begins with headache, drowsiness, fever, irritability, vomiting, diarrhea, or constipation and with stiffness in the neck or spine. When such early symptoms appear, parents are urged to obtain medical advice without delay, and not assume the condition to be of temporary or trivial importance. Treatment at this stage of the disease is of the greatest importance and more effective than when delayed until after the appearance of paralysis. These acute symptoms rarely last more than a few days, 75 per cent of the cases developing paralysis before the fourth day.

The disease may be divided into two main groups, the paralyzed and the non-paralyzed. The latter, regardless as to how mild, is the greater danger in spreading the disease. No one would deliberately expose a susceptible person to a definite paralyzed case, so it is the exposures to the unknown case or carrier which causes the greatest spreading of this disease.

Dodging infantile paralysis infection is a blind game for no one knows where the infection exists. Sometimes it appears as if the infection spreads as readily as that of influenza, but owing to the longer period between exposure and illness, cases do not appear in such rapid succession and because of extensive natural immunity, at least to its paralytic effects, the recognized cases are many times fewer. The best plan to follow to avoid this disease as well as many others is for the individual to follow the rules of personal hygiene.

Mrs. D. E. Sayner of Tennyson has our thanks for subscription favors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Percifull took their little daughter, Marjorie, to San Angelo Wednesday where she had an operation, removing her tonsils. The little girlie is doing fine thus far.

## IRRIGATION PROSPECTS MORE PROMISING, DAILY

Slowly but surely the details of the mammoth government irrigation project in Coke county are taking definite shape, and those directing the affairs of the project daily become more sanguine.

Marvin Nichlos of the firm of Hawley, Frees & Nichlos, one of the outstanding engineering firms of the southwest, and who are experienced in the question of dams and irrigation projects generally, and who is acquainted with the former surveys that have been made of the Coke county project, has advised local leaders in the project that the surveys that have been made are sufficient to make application to the government for funds with which to construct the project.

The above being true, there is no need, far as anyone can see now, for further delay in making application for the funds with which to construct the system.

So mote it be!

## CAMP FIRE COMPLETE LOCAL ORGANIZATION

A group of Bronte young ladies and girls, led by Miss Susie Tannehill, took their supper and hiked four miles to Cedar mountain, Wednesday afternoon.

The object of their going was not only to have an outing, but chiefly to organize a Bronte Camp Fire Girls Camp.

After due discussion an organization was perfected with the following officers:

Guardian, Miss Susie Tannehill.

Assistant Guardian, Miss Fay Lowry.

President, Helen Abbott.

Vice-President, Joyce Mae Conner.

Secretary and treasurer, Alma Jane Cumbie.

Reporter, Modelle Higginbotham.

Others present were: Anna Mae Abbott, Vanna Ruth Caperton and Irene Pruitt.

The guardians and members of the camp plan to get everything in working order right away and do some real Camp work.

## BLACKWELL GIN CO. SIGNS NRA CODE

The Enterprise editor was in Blackwell the other day and visited the gin plant of the Blackwell Gin Company.

We found E. R. McClendon, owner of the gin plant, which, by the way, is one of the finest gin plants in all West Texas, busy as he could be, wiping off the last little particle of dust on the engine. This gin plant is so neat and clean that it reminds one more of the living room of a well-kept home. Mr. McClendon spares neither time nor expense to keep his plant up to the one hundred per cent mark in the point of efficiency and up-to-dateness.

Mr. McClendon was one of the first ginners in West Texas to sign the ginners' NRA Code. "It is rather strict in some of its provisions," said Mr. McClendon, speaking of the ginners' code. "But, it is one of the best things that could happen, under existing circumstances. It will put the gins all on an equality in the matter of rules and regulations and hence the gin plant that is really in A1 condition and that is operated by gin men and crews that know the art of ginning, is the gin to which the farmers will want to take their cotton to have it ginned. I like the Code myself and believe it

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## SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

We cordially invite everyone in the Bronte school district to be present Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock, for the opening of school. Help us start the 1933-1934 school term off right, that we may by all working together make this year stand out as the banner year for Bronte. The acid test is being put to our schools and for them to stand this test it will require the united efforts of all friends of education.

It is very necessary that each child be at school Monday, in order to be classified, issued books, and assignments made. Remember that school starts Monday and each teacher will meet his or her classes as per schedule.

Beginning at 8:30 there will be a short and interesting program in the auditorium. We insist that the parents be with us at this hour. After Monday school will open promptly at 8 o'clock each morning.

Superintendent and Board of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kiker and little son, Charles Wayne, from Big Lake were week end guests of their parents and other relatives. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Kiker were glad to see them again.

Mrs. A. T. Gray, and Mrs. C. L. Barron and little son, and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Gray of San Angelo are visiting Mrs. Gray's sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pruitt at Ardmore, Oklahoma. They will return Monday. In the meantime "old man A. T." is doing his best to "hold the fort" notwithstanding the crickets, the mice, the bats, the screech owls and sundry and various other "predatory animals" that rove around his bed, in his sleep.

Miss Lottie Ivey is numbered among the ill this week. Her friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keeney and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pruitt went to Anson Thursday of last week to attend the Primitive Baptist Association. Mr. and Mrs. Keeney went on to Stamford to visit relatives. Elliott, Mr. Pruitt's son, went to Anson Sunday and brought his parents home that afternoon. "Uncle Bill" reports a great meeting, with a large number in attendance. The next annual meeting of the association goes to San Angelo. But, one thing must be true about the mosquitoes in Anson—and that is they are "very naughty," according to "Uncle Bill"—they had no regard for strangers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruton and little daughters, and Mr. Bruton's mother, Mrs. Geo. W. Crume, are vacationing on the Llano this week, enjoying an outing and fishing.

Rev. Wallace Dunson closed a revival meeting at Hayrick Sunday night. Those of the community report it as the best meeting the community has had in several years.

Collins Sayner of Tennyson becomes a cash-in-advance subscriber to The Enterprise, for which we thank him. We hope Mr. Sayner may live many long, happy years to read "the old home town paper."

## WHAT AN AGNOSTIC THINKS OF ALCOHOL

No greater indictment was ever brought against the liquor crime than is found in the following philippic by Robert G. Ingersoll, the most noted agnostic this country has ever known: "I am aware that there is a prejudice against any man in the manufacture of alcohol.

"I believe that from the time it issues from the coiled poison, as worm in the distillery until it empties into the hell of death, dishonor and crime, it demoralizes everybody that it touches, from its source to where it ends. "I do not believe anybody can contemplate the subject without becoming prejudiced against the liquor crime.

"All we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks on either side of the stream of death, the suicides, the insanity, the poverty, ignorance and destitution, the little children tugging at the faded weary breasts, the weeping and despairing wives, asking for bread, talented men of genius it has wrecked, the struggling men with imaginary serpents produced by the devilish thing!

"And when you think of the jails, the almshouses, the asylums, the prisons, the scaffolds, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced against the stuff called ALCOHOL!

"Intemperance cuts down youth in its vigor—manhood in its strength—and age in its weakness.

"It breaks the father's heart—bereaves the doting mother—extinguishes the natural affections—erases conjugal love—blots out filial attachments—blights parental hope and brings down mourning age in sorrow to the grave.

"It produces weakness, not strength—sickness, not health—death, not life.

"It makes wives, widows—children, orphans—fathers, fiends—and all of them paupers and beggars.

"It feeds rheumatism—it nurses gut—welcomes epidemics—invites cholera—imports pestilence—embraces consumption.

"It covers the land with idleness—with misery—with crime.

"It fills your jails, supplies your almshouses, floods your asylums.

"It engenders controversies, fosters quarrels, cherishes riots.

"It crowds your penitentiaries—furnishes victims for the scaffolds.

"It is the life blood of the gambler, the inspiring element of the burglar, the prop of the highwayman, the support of the incendiary.

"It countenances the liar, respects the thief, cheers the blasphemer.

"It defames benevolence, hates love, scorns virtue, slanders innocence.

"It incites the father to butcher his offspring, helps the husband to massacre his wife, and the child to grind the patricidal axe. "It burns up men, consumes women, detests life, curses God, despises heaven.

"It suborns witnesses, nurses perjury, defiles ermines.

"It degrades the citizen, debauches the legislator, dishonors statesmen and disarms the patriot.

"It brings shame, not honor—brings terror, not safety—brings despair, not hope—brings misery, not happiness.

"And with the malevolence of a fiend calmly surveys its desolation.

"Not satisfied with its havoc, it poisons felicity, kills peace,

## BRONTE GINS ITS FIRST 1933 BALE OF COTTON

And the ginning season in Bronte for 1933 is on!

Bronte's first bale for this season was ginned Wednesday, August 9. The owner of the cotton was Juan Olivas. The cotton was grown on the J. B. McCutchen farm. Olivas was the first to gin a bale last year.

The cotton was bought by J. M. Cumbie and sold for ten cents a pound. The business men of the town presented Olivas with \$15 as a "first bale premium."

The Planters Gin Company ginned the cotton—they also ginned the first bale last year. The first bale last year was ginned August 19, making the season to open this year ten days earlier than last season.

## HOSTESS TO CLASS STAFF

Mrs. C. H. Preston was hostess at a meeting of the officers and teachers of the young married people's Bible class Friday evening. The purpose of the meeting was to complete the class organization which was begun earlier in the week. The class president, Mrs. Carrie Williams, presided over the business session.

A class name, J. O. Y. (Jesus, Others, Yourself) was selected, and the duties of class officers were outlined. The social committee is planning an entertainment for new members soon.

Following is a complete roster of officers:

President, Mrs. Carrie Williams.

1st Vice-President, Mrs. Chas. Baker.

2nd Vice-President, Mrs. C. H. Preston.

3rd Vice-President, Mrs. W. W. Ivey.

4th Vice-President, Mrs. Cova Collier.

Secretary, Mrs. Cumbie Ivey.

Reporter, Mrs. Frank Grimes.

Group captains, Mrs. Oscar Long and J. B. Mackey.

Teacher, Mrs. Frank Keeney.

If you ought to belong to our class we want you.

Mrs. Frank Grimes, Reporter.

ruins morals, blights confidence, slays reputation, wipes out national honor.

"It then curses the world and laughs at its ruin."

It does that and more, it murders the soul.

The liquor business is the sum of all villainies, father of all crime, the mother of abominations.

The Devil's Best Friend and God's worst enemy.

WE CANNOT AFFORD TO PERMIT IT TO COME BACK.

—The Jayton Chronicle.

I have always felt that the above utterance from Ingersoll—the despiser of religion—was one of the most remarkable deliverances in all language. For, the fact, that Ingersoll eschewed orthodox Christianity, yet in him was that finer sensibility that made him to have great regard for his fellow—as man to man.

Then, too, the indictment Ingersoll brought against liquor is every whit true and more. Yet, notwithstanding, there are those who claim that they follow the lowly Christ, who will admit that the indictment Ingersoll brings against liquor is true, but still in the pending election of August 26 they are going to vote to enthroned this monster in American life again and let it carry on its deadly, corroding, jamming work under the protection of law. We just wonder if, really, there is anyone who ever

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**THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE**  
Editor and Business Manager  
D. M. West

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**SIGNS CODE**

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will do much in aiding the ginning industry and I believe that the farmers will like it when they are acquainted with its requirements. I have gone right on, as I always do preceding each ginning season and put my plant in perfect condition and am going to try harder, if possible, than ever before, to make my ginning this season, the best ever, as I shall live right up to the NRA Code, and thus do "my part" to aid the government in bringing back better conditions.

The Blackwell Gin Company has its usual gin season opening announcement in this issue, also announcing its adherence to the NRA Code.

Mr. McClendon has adopted another policy that to many will not seem to mean much—but, in reality, it is "a great step in the right direction." Mr. McClendon has turned all of his gin printing to The Enterprise. We are completing the job of his gin tickets for this season. We made the first delivery of the tickets to him the other day and he pronounced them as satisfactory as any work of the kind he had ever had printed. "At least a half dozen gin ticket printing concerns sent their traveling salesmen to me soliciting this printing. But, I told them," said Mr. McClendon, "that I was 'a home man' from here on—that I believed, all work that can be had at home, by all our people, should be given to the 'home man'—and while we have no 'home printer' in Blackwell, we have The Enterprise at Bronte, which serves our community the best it can under its handicap. Therefore, I was going to turn all my printing The Enterprise can do, to it. And, now, I see you can do this work, it is yours hereafter."

Now folks, that was "fine talk" to The Enterprise editor, but it is fine talk also for everybody else, both at Blackwell and Bronte who ever need printing. "What West Texas makes, makes West Texas." We are here, in the printing business—been here more than ten years. The Enterprise plant was nothing but a junk shop when we came into possession of it. We have spent several thousand dollars installing machinery and modern printing equipment until we have a plant not excelled in many of the larger towns and scarcely equaled anywhere in a town the size of Bronte. Our prices are just cost plus a living profit. The Bronte business man not only does his home town paper an injustice to send his printing away but he hurts himself and his town and community. Any printing we cannot do, of course, has to be sent away. But, any ordinary commercial printing we can do it as well as the larger printeries, and as cheap, except when these "fly by night" solicitors come to town and take printing, such as we do, practically at cost. So, it is a matter of self-preservation for those having printing to give us the work we can do, even though the "cheap skates" come in here and take printing for less than a price that will give them a legitimate profit. We do not propose to bid against any such concerns. And if the local business man thinks that is the way to build his town and maintain its enterprises, it is "up to him."

Thanks to the Blackwell Gin Company, and to Mr. McClendon, the owner. We appreciate such friends.

R. E. Cumbie has returned from Mineral Wells where he spent a time taking the baths.

The Democratic executive committee of Texas made its final report to the national committee. They reported that 23,000 democrats had responded to the call for funds. There were about nine hundred thousand votes cast in the last democratic primary. Well, it seems, that there are not many even of the "ten cent democrats."

An editorial writer discourses under the headline: "A Managed swine industry."—evidently he believes that boeze is going to flow throughout the land again.

**FURNITURE STOCK MOVED**

Have moved the stock of furniture formerly owned by the Home Furniture Company, to 207 Oak street, on west side of square and am going to give some real bargains in used furniture, linoleum rugs, New Perfection oil stoves, wood and coal stoves. A complete line of used furniture.

Simpson Furniture Company  
207 Oak Street  
Sweetwater 28 4t Texas

**DR. W. H. LOOKS**  
DENTIST

224 N. Browning Street, San Angelo, will be in his office in Bronte, in The Enterprise building, on Wednesday of each week.

Mrs. W. E. Benson of Hamlin is a guest in the editor's home—Mrs. Benson is a sister of the editor.

Mrs. J. H. Gaines returned Monday from McCauley where she visited relatives. Her son, R. J. Gaines, went up Monday and brought his mother home. Mr. Gaines says that crops in the McCauley section of country are fine.

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## THE PRICE OF BUSINESS SPEED

### Banking Institute Speaker Says That Bank Failures Followed Business Failures

CHICAGO, Ill. — Many appear to think that failures occur only to banks, but the complete story of business shows that failures of American banks have followed the failure of business enterprises, and have not been a cause of those failures. Dr. Harold Stonier, National Educational Director of the American Bankers Association, declared in a recent address here before the American Institute of Banking.

"It is true that we have had more failures in our banks than in the banks of a number of other countries," he said. "It is also true that we have had more failures in drug stores, grocery stores, railroads, and in every other type of business enterprise. At the same time, it must be said that we still have left after all our failures, more drug stores, more grocery stores, more railroads, and more banks than any other country."

People do not realize, he said, that we have in excess of 108 banks which have been in existence over a century and we have more than 2,000 banks which have been in existence over 50 years.

"In other words, we have more banks over 100 years of age than any other country—we have more banks over 50 years of age than any country in the world," he declared. "The American banking system has not fallen down—it is not in danger of decay. Such failures as it has experienced are due to the price we pay for too rapid development of business enterprises, but that is the American spirit."

### U. S. GOVERNMENT GREATEST BANKER

Runs Fifty-two Financing Institutions With Investment of Two Billion Dollars—Thirty-nine Agricultural

AMERICA'S biggest banker today is the Federal Government, which is now operating fifty-two financing institutions, says Professor John Hanna of Columbia University in the American Bankers Association Journal.

"Forty of these are owned entirely by the Government," he says. "In twelve more the Government has already a two-thirds interest. Thirty-seven are intended to be permanent. Twenty-five of the permanent ones and fourteen of the temporary ones are agricultural."

"The capital stock held by the United States in these banks has a par value of \$1,380,000,000. The Government's total investment is nearly \$2,000,000,000. Resources of these institutions exceed \$3,000,000,000. In addition the Government has detailed supervision over fifty-one mortgage banks, operating under Federal charter."

"The Government also supervises 4,600 local agricultural loan associations with Federal charters. All this takes no account of the relations of the Government to the twelve Federal Reserve banks, nor of the authority recently given to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to buy preferred stock in national and state commercial banks."

The President has ordered the consolidation of the agricultural credit agencies into the new Farm Credit Administration, says Professor Hanna. He expresses the opinion that before the consolidation of the agricultural financing agencies too much machinery had been created to administer the financing institutions which the Government either owns or supervises.

"Existing institutions represent a considerable differentiation of function and any consolidations should be preceded by a careful survey of the actual activities of the various institutions," he continues. "The only consolidation the Administration has announced is that of the agricultural credit agencies in the Farm Credit Administration. As a permanent solution this arrangement is too closely bound up with politics."

"A better scheme would be to create a finance corporation under Federal charter to take over either the agricultural finance activities of the Government or all its leading agencies."

"The Government's financing and banking activities should be kept severely apart from subsidy and other schemes for raising the prices of farm products. One is business, the other is major political policy. The advantages of the corporation over bureau control for the business functions are real and significant."

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## THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE



# Our 1933 Ginning Announcement



To all our friends and other cotton farmers of the Blackwell section of country: The cotton ginning season is here again. And we are pleased, of course, to announce that we are ready again to serve those who entrust their ginning to us. Regardless of conditions and everything else, we have gone over our gin plant from engine room to press and cleaned and set in order every little minute detail. Therefore, we offer you again ginning service excelled by none and equaled by but few throughout West Texas. Those who have ginned with us, know as to the perfect condition of our plant and that it is modern in every particular. Our motto is: "Nothing is too good for our patrons." We cordially invite one and all to give us their patronage through this ginning season.

All know, of course, of the National Recovery Act. The gins are under the NRA Code. So, as to details, one gin is under the same rules and regulations governing service, prices, etc., as the other gins. All we offer you for this season is unexcelled service both as to quality and promptness, appreciation for your patronage, and strict adherence to the NRA Code.

## Blackwell Gin Company

E. R. McCLENDON, Owner

BLACKWELL

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### ALCOHOL

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heard of Christ, who believes for a moment that if He were here and should cast a vote would he vote for the return of this damnable evil, even though, all that Ingersoll has said about the terrible pestilence that alcohol is to a people, is true and more. But, there are those who say that they are following Christ who are going to vote to turn this awful evil loose upon the land again.

The grand master of the Masonic lodge in Nebraska has served notice, as have done the Masonic leaders in one or two other states where beer has been voted in, that any Mason who engages in selling beer will be excluded from the lodge. And if Texas goes into the wet column there is no doubt but that same rule will be applied in Texas.

But, what about the Mason who votes for liquor to be made legal in Texas? Is he not just as guilty as the man who puts on an apron and stands behind the bar and sells the vile stuff to men? The bartender is not selling for himself—he is selling for the citizens who voted for him to sell it—he is just "the hired man," selling for John Public who gave him the authority to sell.

Oh, Christians and Masons, think upon these things before casting your ballots.

Mrs. Isabel Woods of Taylor came Friday for a visit with her sister, Grandmother Fletcher. The two sisters had not seen each other in 46 years. She is eighty-seven years old and Grandmother Fletcher is ninety-one. It is useless to state that they are having a most delightful time, living over together again the days of childhood—that was a long time ago, wasn't it?

### GULF REFINING CO. SIGNS THE PRESIDENT'S BLANKET CODE

The Gulf Refining Company has announced that it has signed the President's blanket code pending the final adoption of the oil industry code.

The District Sales office of the Gulf Refining Company located at Houston has authorized its agents in all parts of the State to sign the agreement with the President through their local committees.

There are more than 6,000 people employed by the Sales Department of the Gulf Refining Company in Texas; several thousand more employees are effected including the refineries of the Gulf Company and the other associated companies including producing and pipe line companies.

Mesdames Maggie Scott and Charley Jackson returned Monday from a visit with their aged uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dozier, near Snyder. Mr. Dozier is ill and due to his old age, there is not much hope for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and children and Mrs. Lizzie Athey and little son have gone to Kilgore for a visit with relatives.

### INFORMATION WANTED

I hold in the Bronte cotton yard 2 bales of cotton that have not been disposed of. The numbers of those bales are 4974 and 6531. If you hold these numbers, please, report to me soon as possible and oblige.

J. Percy Myers,  
Public Weigher.

### AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance to prohibit driving any motor propelled vehicle past any Stop Sign in the streets of Bronte, Texas without first coming to a stop.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Bronte, Texas:

It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person to drive any motor propelled truck, car or other vehicle past any Stop Sign in the streets of Bronte, Texas, without first coming to a full stop.

Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than two dollars and not more than five dollars.

An emergency is declared and this ordinance to be in full force and effect from date of passage.

Passed and approved August 1, 1933.

R. J. Epperson,  
Mayor.

Attest:

A. L. McCuiston,  
City Secretary. 28-3t.

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LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE

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