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Blackwell Poultry Meeting Has a **Good Attendance**

To The Enterprise:

Approximately 35 people attended the poultry meeting at Blackwell High School auditorium on Tuesday night, February

W. C. Homeyer, now with Universal Mills, Fort Worth, and formerly head of a leading Texas College poultry department, brought an excellent address on poultry problems. Mr. Homeyer stressed rebuilding of poultry flocks with chicks from high producing hens of good breeding strains. Careful brood-ing, sanitation, and feeding were cited as essentials in profitable management.

Mr. Homeyer stated that the average production per hen in Texas was about 85 eggs per ing of the Chester White gilts, year and hens should produce immediately followed by the 150 eggs per year on the aver-placing of the Poland China age, or more. Hens give more return of human food for the ing will be completed with the amount of feed eaten than any placing of the fat barrows. The other animal or fowl.

tional Agricultural classes at- placed. tended. Attending from Sweetwater were Mr. Lawrence and will start about 1 o'clock. The Mr. Weolerige of Piggly Wiggly, Mr. Shackleford, district man- the trophy awarded to the best ager for Universal Mills, made exhibitor of the calves. There a short talk.

PTA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETS

The Parent Teacher Associa- Schleicher, tion met in its regualr meeting Irion, and Sterling Counties. Tuesday, February 7. Current Edward Cumbie will exhibit bills, including those pertaining three bulls that will be taken to to the Interscholastic League the San Angelo show and sold in meeting, were discussed and re- the sale there. Mr. Will Gideon commendations prepared for will also exhibit a registered Popresentation at the meeting of land China boar that he pur-

er school activities the regular meeting of the Parent Teacher the different classes are as fol-Association has been postponed lows: until Wednesday, February 15.

The theme for the program this month is Story Books, Magazines, and Newspapers. Special feature, "Classics on Parade," from the seventh grade, directed by Mrs. D. Hull,

President's Message - Mrs. Charlie Baker.

Material—Rev. Hardy.

by Mrs. B. E. Modgling.

Regular weekly assembly will ditorium,

BRONTE FFA SHOW IS SET FOR MARCH 1

The Bronte FFA Chapter will hold their local project show on March 1. Thirty-one boys will enter a total of 54 animals in the show. There will be 15 dry lot calves, 1 milk fed calf, 18 fat barrows, 5 Chester White gilts, 8 Poland China gilts, 1 registered Poland China boar, 1 registered Hereford heifer, and three registered Hereford bulls on exhibit. All of the calves and pigs were raised on the farms and ranches in

this county.

Henry Kothmann, county agent of Reagan County, will act as judge. A showmanship cup will be given to the best ex-hibitor of the calves and one to the best exhibitor of the hogs. These awards will be made immediately after the placing of the classes.

The judging program will start about 10:15 with the placgilts. Then the morning judgshowmanship cup will be award-Members of Blackwell Voca- ed as soon as the classes are

The judging in the afternoon steer classes will be placed and will also be on exhibit the registered Hereford heifer that was awarded to Joe Rawlings last year at the San Angelo show for exhibiting the best calf from Tom Green, Coke, Runnels, Conche, chased recently from the Lillard distributing such clothing as we ewes carrying single lambs as brothers and one sister. Because of a conflict with oth- Stock Farms of Fort Worth.

Boys exhibiting animals in

Steers: Noel Percifull, 2, raised by Mr.

Ed McCauley Edward Williams, 2, raised by

Frank Sayner. Abe Caudle, 2, raised by B. F.

Bridges.

be Wednesday at 3 o'clock. Busses will run at 3:30 and Round Table Discussion-led Parent Teacher meeting will continue its program in the au-

NEW TEACHER OF PIANO IN SCHOOL

The Bronte High School has a new piano teacher. A studio was fitted up in the northeast room of the school basement and Mrs. C. R. Hardy began teaching there Tuesday of this week.
A number of pupils have already enrolled.

Mrs. Hardy finished in piano under Meta Hertwig of San Antonio and made such an outstanding record that Miss Hert-wig made her her first assistant teacher which position she filled for a year before her marriage. She has taken just a few pupils in most of the places where she has lived since, as her home duties have not heretofore permitted her to take many.

CIVIC WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT

We, your committee on Civic Welfare, submit the following report:

The committee proposes to act for the club in taking care of emergency cases of need in the community and to serve both the needy and the relief agencies by recommending aid for those cases that we deem worthy.

In order to take care of at least the most urgent emergencies before the regular relief agencies can act, we will need some funds. We recommend that ten per cent of the proceeds from membership dues be tendered the committee monthly when there is a shortage of for the first six months of the

club's existence. We further recommend that the club cooperate with the comto believe that we can render a find need for it.

Respectfully submitted, (Signed)

C. Reginald Hardy, Chairman

J. D. Leonard S. A. Kiker

W. T. Stephensonfi 3, 1 raised by Geo. Taylor and 2 by Wendland ranch.

Kirk.

Rawlings ranch.

Bobbie Modgling, 1, raised by Geo. Humlong.

Winston Modgling, 1, raised

by Geo. Humlong. Dwain Pruitt, 2, 1 raised by Geo. Taylor and 1 by Mr. Will

Mackey. FAT BARROWS:

Carrol Leathers, 1; Carl Best, 1; Bruce Allard, 1; Norman Brunson, 1; James Pollard, 1; Leonard Muston, 1; Percy Suggs, 1; Archie Pittman, 1; Billie Loyd, 1; James Crimm, 4; W. T. Stephenson, 1; Loyd Hudman, 1; Gerald Rosser, 1, CHESTER WHITE GILTS:

Gerald Rosser, 1; Paul Rogers. 1: Heidle Brunson, 1; James Vaughn, 1; and Lawrence Pittman, 1.

POLAND CHINA GILTS: W. T. Stephenson, 1; Henderson Scarborough, 1; Billie Loyd, 1; James Keeney, 1; Lavelle Best, 1; Cowan Hutton, 2; and Robert Rudd, 1.

Royce Fancher is showing four lambs, one produced at home and the other three by A summer's breeze played thru Mr. Horn.

This project show is by the Vocational Agriculture classes of the Bronte High School and every one is invited and urged to attend this event.

Rev. W. E. Hawkins will Store. preach at the Lometa school house Sunday morning.

COMMUNITY SERVICE CLUB TO MEET AT GILBERT CAFE, WED.

Wednesday, February 15, is regular luncheon day for the Community Service Club. The club meets semi-monthly, on Wednesday:

The luncheon hour is an occasion not only of relishing the menu but everyone seems to come imbued with the spirit to have an enjoyable hour as well as attend to business pertaining to community affairs.

The special business meet Friday night at the school auditorium is reported to The Enterprise as one of the most enthusiastic meetings of the club. Every committee had a good report and H. O. Whitt, president of the club, is "up in the pic-tures" over the fine start the club is making.

Let everybody remember that Wednesday is luncheon day and the luncheon that day will be served at the Gilbert Bros. Cafe.

PREGNANCY DISEASE OF EWES

Following is a report from the Sonora Experiment Station regarding pregnancy disease of

be a pregnancy disease caused by a lack of a certain vitamin when death called her. due to the shortage of green grass or greed feed. It will occur in ewes just before lambing green feed. The animal becomes lies with the head turned sideways and back of the shoulder. the strain of two lambs would Deceased professed faith in

feeding of green feed such as years. alfalfa hay, 1 1-2 to 2 pounds dition to this 2 ounces of black away for its last sleep. Joe Rawlings, 2, raised on the strap molasses if they will eat may drench them with it after of their sorrow. it has been diluted.

MRS. CUMBIE IVEY HOSTESS TO YWA CLUB

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Cumbie Ivey was hostess to the YWA club. The absorbing item of interest was the work those present did on the quilt they are making.

Those present were Mesdames Charley Baker, Curtis Smith, Otis Smith, A. G. Taylor, Robt. Coleman and Misses Vannah Ruth Caperton, Fay Lowry and Maxine Walton.

Mrs. Millican is the daughter also preach at 11 a. m. The eve-

A rippling rill flowed down the

The busy bees were buzzing, the trees.

The acorns all were fuzzing. We had a time well worth rhyme

While studying nature's lore But best of all we now recall Was lunch from J. E. Davis Co.

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Mrs. Callie Pruitt Dies Unexpectedly

Relatives and friends alike were shocked when the report came that Mrs. Callie Pruitt had died early Wednesday morning in a hospital at San Angelo, to which she had been taken only on Monday. She had been ill for some weeks but there was nothing serious as to her condition until Sunday night, when she developed pneumonia. All was done possible but to no avail.

The body was returned to Bronte Wednesday by the Keeney ambulance, and it lay in state at the family home till Thursday morning, when it was carried to the Bronte Baptist church where religious services were held. The religious services were conducted by the writer assisted by Rev. R. C. Hardy, pastor of the Bronte Methodist church. Rev. Hardy read the Scriptures relative to the resurrection and heaven and led in prayer. The writer spoke briefly concerning "The Lord's Memo-rial to a Good Woman." The church choir sang the hymns of comfort of the church.

Deceased was born at Cen-Dr. Broughton of the Live- tralia, September 2, 1889, and stock Experiment Station found | departed this life, February 8, the trouble causing the losses to 1939, making her age to be 49 years, 5 monthhs, and 6 days old

Deceased and James Edgar Pruitt were united in marriage December 26, 1907. To them four childdren were born, who survive with their father to weak and possibly prostrate and mourn the loss of mother. The children are Mrs. Luther Cleveland, Montgomery, Texas: J. W. mittee in a campaign to gather There is a grinding of the teeth. Pruitt, Bronte; Mrs. Lawrence up old clothing in the commu- A post mortem reveals the liver Sims, Montgomery, and Mrs. nity. Our investigations lead us to be much affected and very Horace Hutton, Bronte. She is greasy like bacon. The disease also survived by her mother and great service to a number of may occur in ewes carrying twin stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Frank families in our community by lambs but may not affect the Gregory of Centralia; and five

> be too much for the ewe to sup- Christ when 18 years old and port along with her own body united with the Baptist church before lambing, as the lambs and through life was faithful would get the benefit of any and devoted to her family, her food at the expense of the ewe's church and her friends. She has been a member of the Kick-Mr. Broughton recommends apoo Baptist church for many

Following the religious serper day along with cotton seed vices the body was carried out Bill Baker, 1, raised by R. B. meal and if possible give in ad- to Fairview and tenderly put

The Enterprise joins in symit. If they will not eat it, you pathy to the family in this hour

METHODIST SERVICES

Comparatively large numbers were in our services last Sunday. The pastor preached to the young people last Sunday morning and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper to them first after the sermon. The altar was filled with young peo-

The pastor will again address his message to the youth of the congregation next Sunday evening. Every young person in the community is invited. You need Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Millican the service and we need you of Uvalde will come to Bronte whether you belong here or not to make their home. They will (if there are not services at arrive in Bronte next week. your church. The pastor will of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson. ning service begins at 7:30, and the League at 6:45.

Our choir organized last Sunday after the evening service, electing Mr. Jesse Percifull president and Mrs. H. O. Whitt secretary-treasurer. The choir has a large membership and membership is still open to everyone who will come and sing with us. Practices will be at 8:20 on Sunday evenings until further notice. Mrs. Leona Taylor is director and Mrs. I. M. Cumbie pianist

C. Reginald Hardy, Pastor

GROCERY AND MARKET Announcement

To our friends in Western and Northwestern Runnels County and throughout Coke County and all the people generally: We take this way of making it known to all in the above section of country that we have bought the O. C. Harber Grocery and Market in Ballinger and have taken charge of same. Our stocks of

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The Bronte Enterprise D. M. WEST Publisher-Manager

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SILVERWARE PROFIT SHARING PLAN

In this issue is an ad of John-

Angelo announcing a Silverware Profit Sharing Plan, by which the ladies who are interested can go there and get this wonderful silverware on the coupon basis. Every lady interested in first class silverware should read this ad and when in San Angelo visit Johnson's Department Store and see these beautiful lines of silverware. And the plan is so generous!

Joe Ash of Marie, who has been in the veteran's hospital at Legion for some time is expected home soon. Mr. Ash had his tonsils removed and the hospital son's Department Store of San surgeons encourage Mr. Ash to

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L. T. YOUNGBLOOD, President

Blackwell News

MRS. CHAS. RAGSDALE

Baptist Women Meet

The Women's Missionary Socity of the Blackwell Baptist church are having an all day mission study on February 20, with Mrs. A. L. Anthony of University church, Abilene, teaching the book, "Go Forward."

The W.M.S. of the Nolan Baptist church are to join them in the study for that day. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Publicity Chairman.

Mrs. Robert Hamilton of Sweetwater is visiting relatives in Blackwell.

Brothers In Hospital

Other Gray of Overton and Bud Gray of Houston are in a Houston hospital where they have both undergone an operation. They are brothers of Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Delos Alsap of Blackwell.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Turner of Sweetwater, a girl, February 1. Mrs. Turner is a McPeters of Blackwell.

Mrs. I. T. Huckabee, Lou Emma Oden, Virginia Finley, Louise and Evans attended a young people's meeting at Colorado City Saturday and Sunday.

Lilly Ann Hargrave and Margarate of San Angelo visited relatives in Blackwell Sunday.

"Easy Money"

The Blackwell P.T.A. present-

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daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harve ed a play, "Easy Money," Feb. 9 at the Blackwell school auditorium.

> Mrs. Aurelia Newman from Romance, Arkansas, is a guest in the editor's home. Mrs. Newman and the editor are cousins and in childhood played together as brother and sister. For some months Mrs. Newman has been with her daughters at Dumas and Amarillo. One of her daughters is connected in a professional way with the North-

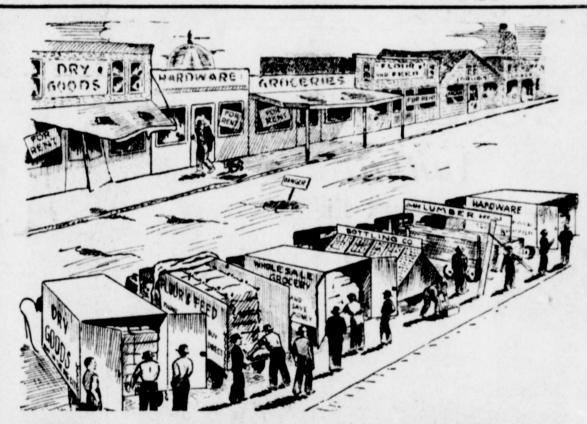
west Texas Hospital at Amarillo. Mrs. Newman plans to return to her home when her visit to Bronte is ended.

Mrs. Claude Gentry of Marie was returned to a hospital at San Angelo early Monday morning. Her condition at this time is not much improved.

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What Does the Future Hold for The Smaller Towns in Texas?

What must inevitably be the fate of the small towns and communities in Texas?

This question is being asked in literally hundreds of interior places over the state where today "For Rent" signs clutter the windows of numbers of empty business buildings! It is a question of increasingly serious importance, not only to these small towns and communities, but to the state as

These once busy places of community life, around which has largely grown the progressive development of Texas, are being dried up by the operation of heavy trucks over our highways. Their local business firms and enterprises, the dry goods, hardware, drug and fruit and vegetable stores, retail lumber yards, wholesale grocery houses, bottling plants, feed mills, oil mills, grain elevators and cotton compresses are unable to meet the competition of the larger business cereters because of the almost unrestricted and promiscuous use of Texas highways in the delivery of goods by trucks from the larger cities holding the quantity-purchase advantage.

The absorption and manipulation, in varying degree, of the cost of transportation by highway for competitive purposes, if not restricted, will inevitably drive dealers and wholesalers in the smaller towns and communities out of business. They must succumb to the inequality of opportunity with which they are burdened and thus contribute further to our growing economic chaos.

The plea now being made by certain interests to

The plea now being made by certain interests to facroase the load limit on trucks operating over

Texas highways will hasten the end of local enter-prises in smaller Texas communities. If under the present statutes harm already has been done the small town merchant and property owner, what then must be the effect of any increase in the allowable truck load limit? Certainly the larger the load limit the greater will be the distance over which goods can be hauled from the larger dis-tributing centers, and the greater will be the harmful effects on dealers and enterprises in the smaller towns!

The burden of taxation borne by the business interests of the smaller towns and communities throughout Texas will, as a natural result, be shifted more and more to the shoulders of the remaining property owners. Those who have invested in homes and business buildings must sacrifice their investments to what some might mistakingly call "the march of progress."

The thousands of families, for so many years dependent upon employment by these business enterprises as a means of livelihood, must be forced to the cities in quest of work, and failing in that add further to our burden of relief and unemployment!

Inroads: by long distance truck operations on the traffic of the railroads must necessarily result in the abandonment of more and more railroad mileage, with consequent loss of payrolls and taxes to these communities and an increase of lax bur-dens to their citizens.

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		1 7 nch Scissors, gold plated
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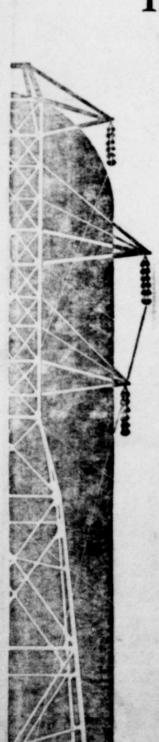
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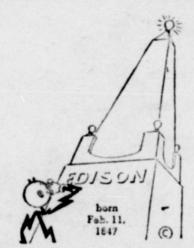
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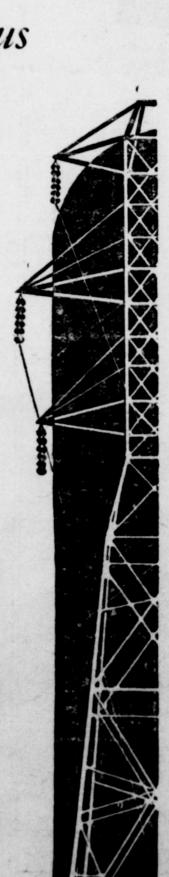
BORN: Light . . . Sired by Private Initiative and Inventive Genius





- Q. Who invented the first electric light bulb?
- A. Thomas Alva Edison, now known as "the Wizard of Menlo Park."
- Q. Was be ever assisted by governmental subsidies during the many long years be worked to perfect electric lights?
- A. No. Electric light is the result of private initiative and inventive genius on the part of a man who sought to make the world a better place in which to live.
- Q. Did be succeed in doing that?
- A. Yes. Other individuals took up where he left off ... constantly improving the light bulb Edison invented. Private industry, bent on spreading the use of GOOD LIGHT into every home in the land, learned how to manufacture the bulb more cheaply and efficiently.
- Q. Whose money made this possible?
- A. Private citizens invested their money in the electric industry, thus making it possible to carry on the research that led to present-day low rates for light and power. West Texas, along with the entire country, has profited from the investment of private funds which now provide not only good light but contribute to the support of whole communities through employment of thousands of men and women and through payment of huge sums in taxes.
- Q. Then Edison's invention has had far-reaching benefits for all?
- A. Yes. He-of all men-left the world a better place!

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Wednesday, Money Nite, Feb. 15 "OFF THE RECORD"

with Pat O'Brien and Joan Blondell

BROTHERS BUY BALLINGER GROCERY AND MARKET BUSINESS

In this issue of The Enterprise is the announcement of the Flynt Brothers-Frank and Jos -of Ballinger, that they have bought the grocery and market business of O. C. Harber in that

These two wide awake West Texas boys are hustlers and are out after business. They are widely known throughout western and northwestern Runnels County and throughout Coke County. The Flynt family is one of the old and widely known families of all this section. These two brothers have a modern, upto-the-minute business and are selling cheap as it is possible to sell quality groceries and meats.

Read the announcement of Flynt Brothers. Their location is right on the way of all the people of this section into Ballinger, when you go on around the highway into Ballinger, and hence it will be convenient for you to stop and see them. They want their friends and the people generally of all this section, when you go to Ballinger, to stop and visit with them socially whether you want to buy groceries and meats or notthey just want you to visit them.

Success to you, "Flynt boys."

CARD OF THANKS

We take this way of expressing to our dear friends our deepest gratitude for your tender sympathy and many thoughtful kindnesses to us in putting away the body of our dear one, Mrs. Hattie Guy, for its last sleep. The memories of your kindnesses to us in our sorrow will linger with us to bless us along life's way. Such friends are life's best gifts. May God bless you everyone is our deepest prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gilreath and daughters.

Card of Thanks

We take this method of thanking the people of Fort Chadbourne and Bronte for their kindness to us in our misfortune of losing our home by fire, and for the contributions made to

DICK SUGGS