

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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**BRONTE'S FIRST PICKETS**—Sunday morning saw the first pickets in the history of Bronte as local workers for General Telephone Co. joined 1,700 other employees in a strike. Shown here are Local Manager A. E. Bell, Jr. and Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw, who is an operator for the company. Other General employees have been taking their turns picketing the local phone office this week. (Enterprise Photo)

## Local Phone Employees Join in 5-State Strike Against General

Seven switchboard operators and A. E. Bell, Jr., combination man for Bronte, Robert Lee and Blackwell, are out on strike this week. They have joined with all of General Telephone Company's employees in the five state area served by the firm in stopping work and picketing until contract differences can be settled.

Operators who are on strike include Mrs. Leonard Fletcher, Dean Beaver, Peggy McCleskey, Mrs. Howard Brock, Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw, Rickie Dell Hester and Mrs.

J. B. Pairish.

Mrs. Bell, who is chief operator and cashier, is not out, as she is not a member of the union. She has been handling the switchboard during the daytime and the company has been sending a man from San Angelo to handle the night calls.

Bell said Thursday that union members are hopeful the dispute can be settled by Saturday. He said differences which caused the deadlock are on wage differential between large town employees and those in smaller towns, and payment of wages during times when employees are out because of injuries incurred on the job. He said the basic wage for employees of General was settled some time ago.

The eight local persons taking part in the strike have been picketing during daylight hours since Sunday. They usually work in pairs.

Bell said, "We hope they can get this thing settled right away, as we don't like it any more than the company does. We feel that it is the right thing to do, however, because we need the benefits we're asking for."

Mrs. Bell indicated that she has been pretty busy this week, working 15 to 16 hours a day and doing what two operators normally do.

### BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Friday, Jan. 6 — Grade School vs. Winters here.

Tuesday, Jan. 10 — Boys and girls vs. Robert Lee, there.

Friday, Jan. 13 — Boys at Eden Tuesday, Jan. 10 — Boys and nament.

Monday, Jan. 16 — Boys and girls vs. Miles, here.

Lots of entertainment at the Big March of Dimes Variety Show, Jan. 14, 6:30 p. m.

## New School Is Almost Complete

Supt. Garland Black said this week that work on the new elementary school here should be completed in the next few weeks. Sanders Construction Co. of Sherman lacks only a few small finishing jobs having the building ready to turn over to school officials. All the classrooms are complete, Supt. Black said.

The contractor offered to let the school start using the classrooms several days ago, but school officials felt it would be more satisfactory if the entire building was accepted at one time.

Many rumors have been going around the area that the construction job has been taken over by the bonding company who furnished the contractor with a performance bond when the contract was awarded. Mr. Black said that this is not true and that Sanders Construction Co. is still in charge of the project.

The new structure was scheduled to be completed Oct. 3, 1955, and a \$25-per-day penalty has been in effect since that time. The Bronte school board will decide whether or not the penalty is imposed.

Mr. Black said that the Bronte school board has no intention of accepting the new building until all bills and liens against it have been satisfied. He added that the Bronte School District is in no way responsible for any of the obligations against the building. Their only obligation is the amount still owed the contractor.

"An excellent job has been done," Mr. Black said "and when the building is completed we will have a first rate school plant." The school board inspected the building this week and were of this same opinion, he added.

## More Signs Are Erected by City

The City of Bronte has erected more signs over town, the latest one giving directions to the various churches and schools.

Three of the new signs are on Highway 277, showing where the Kickapoo Baptist, First Baptist and First Methodist church are located. The other two are on Highway 158 and point out the direction of the Church of Christ and Bronte School. Signs urging motorists to slow down and stop for school children were also put up near the school. A number of stop signs were erected over town several weeks ago.

The new striping machine of the city has been put to good use the past week also. Parking stripes have been marked off on main street and on the highway east of the bank and post office. A cross walk was marked off across Main Street at the highway.

Other improvements at the local school included marking off parking spaces and cross walks. Supt. Garland Black said this week that school officials are very appreciative and this work and that he feels it will assist them in promoting safety near the school.

Ministers of Bronte churches also expressed their appreciation for the new signs.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith were in Robert Lee Sunday to attend a Cowley family reunion.

You'll enjoy the Barbecue and Variety Show Saturday, Jan. 14. Lots of food and fun.

## March of Dimes Drive Underway

Big plans for the March of Dimes on the east side of Coke County were made Tuesday night at a meeting at the home of Campaign Director Joe Rose. Events were planned to raise the money for the drive and local persons were put in charge of each event.

As usual, coin collectors have been distributed to school children. The Mothers March will also be held as usual on Jan. 27.

Extra programs planned to help in raising Coke County's \$3,000 quota include a barbecue and variety show at Bronte School on Saturday, Jan. 14; two basketball games on Thursday, Jan. 19; and the annual dance at Tad Richards' barn on Friday, Jan. 20.

First of these programs, the barbecue and variety show, will get underway at 4:00 p. m. with a big barbecue plate for everyone. The

meal will be served outside if weather permits. I. M. Cumbie is in charge of preparing the food. He will be assisted by Frank Keese and Howard Brock.

Immediately following the barbecue at 6:30, a variety show will be presented in the high school auditorium. Richard Beck is in charge of arranging this program. Top notch local talent will be featured and the program will be backed up and emceed by Eddie Garvin and his 7-Bar Saddle Pals, well known string band in this area.

Oscar Dorsey has promised two exciting basketball games for Jan. 19. Independents will be featured in one game besides the regularly scheduled school game.

Matthew Caperton was placed in charge of the annual dance at Tad Richards' barn on Jan. 20. He has secured the services of Troy Jordan and his band from Odessa to furnish music for the occasion. Jordan is a well known TV and radio star.

Mr. Rose announced this week that Blue Crutch day will be held on Jan. 12. Mrs. Sid Evans will be in charge of the sale of Blue Crutches. They will not be available any other day during the drive.

Rose said that he hopes everyone realizes the importance of the March of Dimes. "Even though a vaccine for polio has been found, there is still a great need for more research to bring it to perfection," he said. "Then, too, we should remember the thousands of children, men and women who have suffered from polio in the last several years who are still receiving treatment and need financial help from the National Foundation."

The drive officially started Jan. 3 all over the United States. Mrs. Gertrude Gray is in charge of the campaign on the west side of Coke County.

### CRITICALLY ILL

Critically ill in Shannon hospital in San Angelo is Ferd Thomas of Big Spring. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brunson of Bronte.

## Johnny Smith to Be Ordained Jan. 8 As Baptist Minister

Johnny Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, will be ordained as a Baptist minister in a service to be held next Sunday, January 8, at the First Baptist Church at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. Maynard R. Rogers, former pastor here, will serve as moderator for the Ordination Service. Rev. O. D. Carpenter, pastor of the Seventh Street Baptist Church in Ballinger will deliver the charge.

Rev. C. R. Blake of Welch, also a former pastor here, will bring the Ordination message.

Young Smith was licensed as a preacher at the local church in May, 1953 and he has been pastor of the Ray Baptist Church since Oct. 16, 1955.

He is a senior in the Bronte High school where he has been active in school affairs and particularly prominent in athletics. He has been a member of the Bronte Longhorn football squad, playing at end and quarterback positions.

The public is invited to attend the Ordination service.



JOHNNY SMITH

## AD-LIB-BEN

We've been accused of making caustic remarks in this column last week, and they must have been just that, because no less than a half dozen merchants have asked us to name a date for a get-together to work out holidays for 1956.

Well, there's no use waiting until the day before the next holiday comes up. How about meeting at The Enterprise office Monday morning at 9 o'clock? We don't have enough chairs for everyone to sit down, but we do have plenty of standing room. We believe that this project will benefit both business houses and customers, as the closing dates will be known well in advance and everyone can make their plans accordingly.

Old Santa brought us a new camera for Christmas. We're not too sharp in operating it yet, but maybe improvement will come with practice. The wreck and strike pictures in the paper today were made with it. We hope to make The Enterprise more interesting and more newsy with more pictures in 1956.



# SOCIETY

Mrs. A. S. Whatley, Editor

The Bronte Enterprise

January 6, 1956

## what's what by whatley

Christmas is all done for now, with all the stuff that you got that you didn't want back to the stores and on the shelves. Also all the things that didn't fit exchanged for the size that does, I am sure made all of last week a very busy one. I say these things just as a joke because I know that no one really would take back a gift that was given them. I would rather they lay around untouched than do that. After all, it's the spirit of the gift that counts most.

I have often quoted things from Paul Crume's column in the Dallas Morning News and I must not let the holidays go by without telling you this story that he told about the Dallas man who discovered that his 7-year-old son had written a letter to Santa asking for about six items and closing with the sentence: "This list is long, and I may leave you \$1.50 or \$2 under the tree."

The father thought it was a very commendable attitude. Considerate. Ought to be encouraged etc.

On Christmas Eve, he gave the youngster two \$1 bills. They put them in an envelope addressed to Santa and left them under the tree.

At midnight, the dad went to the tree and picked up his son's envelope, expecting to regain his \$2 and also carry out the Santa Claus fiction. It didn't work.

Instead of the money, he found inside a check for \$2 made out to Santa and signed by his son on a non-existent Dallas bank.

He hasn't got his \$2 back yet.

With all the turkey, dressing and sweets for several weeks I know that you would like a change on the menu. So I have this very good recipe of Mrs. Whitt's that she recently brought to a covered dish supper and received many "ohs and ahs" over it. She says it is an old recipe of Jack Chapmans. It is called:

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½ teaspoon garlic salt  
Fry chopped onion and meat together in about 3 tablespoons fat until brown. Then add ½ cup water and remainder of seasoning. Simmer slowly until meat is tender. Drain all water off the hominy. Add to the above mixture. Put this in a casserole and grate ½ lb. cheese on top and place in low oven and heat until cheese is thoroughly melted.

### CHRISTMAS GATHERING

A family gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bruson took place over Christmas. Their children home were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williamson and sons, Buster and Marion of Terrel, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brunson and girls, Barbara and Linda of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Rance Brunson and Donna of Mertzon; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brunson and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cole, Ronnie and Gary, all of Bronte.

Grandchildren present with their families included Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Vaughn, James Lynn and Jolene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn and Vicky Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Evans, Jr. and Kerry. The day was enjoyed by all.

### CHRISTMAS REUNION

Visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Johnson on Christmas Day were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnson of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson and family, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and son, Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson and family, Bronte.

Grandchildren present with their families included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson and family of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott and family of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson and son of Ballinger.

Other Christmas guests were Mrs. Jim Simpson of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and baby and Mrs. Sewell Johnson and daughter of Waco.

## News From Tennyson

By Mrs. John Gaston

Guests in the Franklin Thomas home on New Years Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Thomas and sons, Tennyson, Mrs. W. A. Thomas, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Thomas and son, Aransas Pass, Leland Carlton and son, Maverick, Bill Thomas and girls, Bronte, Charlie and Orville White, Blackwell, Oscar Isbell, Bronte.

Most families in our community included the traditional black-eyed peas on their menus New Years Day and are looking forward to a prosperous 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feil entertained with a party in their home Friday night with the following attending: Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott, Mrs. Betty Grenn and Wil-

liam, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Finck, Jerry and Biff Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Thomas and boys, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latham, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McCarty and family, San Angelo. Dominoes and 42 were played and refreshments of cake, coffee and punch served.

Erve Little returned to his home Saturday after spending several days last week in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Adeline Carper and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Halamecik in San Angelo.

Sunday dinner guests in the Roy Baker home were Mrs. Harriet LeNoir and children, Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baker and family, Eldorado. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphey were in Big Spring during the holidays where they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp.

Visitors in the W. H. Feil home Sunday were her brother, H. D. Wuemling, Joe and Henry of Hico.

Visitors in the Homer Cornelius home during the holidays included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gifford, Christoval, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cornelius and daughters, Austin; Mrs. Dan Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Bill St. John, Austin.

Enjoying a picnic super in the J. W. Latham home Wednesday night were Mrs. Lena Stafford and girls, San Angelo, Ray and Raymond Corley, San Gabriel, Calif.,

John Gaston and family, Mrs. D. J. Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley and family, the Marvin Corleys, Benny and Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott and Dee, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott, Jimmy Bob and Timmy Don, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Arrott, Susan and Diane, Orient, Willim Sharp, Big Spring, and Ronnie Beauford, Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson returned Emma Ruth Miller to her home in Post, Sat. after she had spent the holidays here with them. Miss Sue Brown made the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Latham and Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Latham of Noodle were dinner guests in the O. L. Pittman home in Bronte on New Years Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Harrell and Sybil spent New Years Day with the Emil Michulkas in San Angelo.

Guests in the Clarence Derrick home Friday night included Rev. and Mrs. Bud Denton and Renea, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick and children, Monahans, A. J. Essary, Brookshire, Emma Ruth Miller, Post, and Messrs. and Mmes. Floyd Gibson, Robert Brown and girls, Tom Williams, Homer Cornelius, John Gaston and children and Mrs. Dan Hale.

Miss Jean Timmons of San Angelo spent last Tuesday here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Timmons.

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## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright the first of last week were her sister, Mrs. Tom Donalson of Lucene Valley, California, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Donalson and children of Yuma, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther of Bronte. Other guests during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gleghorn of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges of Elfrida, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn and children of Miles. Present for a New Years dinner in their home were W. Y. Boaright and Wilson of Miles, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and Luther, Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn and children of Miles and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arrott and boys of Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay went to Paint Rock Sunday to visit her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roach.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lowry and children and Mrs. Homer Clark of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Flora Mae spent Christmas with their son, Charles Ray, and his family and Melvin Brown in Spearman.

Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland were Mrs. Roy Lummus, Jr. of Baton Rouge, La. and Mrs. Wallace Montgomery of Orient.

Homer Clark and Ray Tatum of San Angelo, Junior Holland of Cisco and Mrs. Herbert Holland were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cook and Jay spent Christmas in Temple with her sister and they all went to Austin for a days visit with her brother, Terry Roach.

A. J. Essary visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Derrick in Tennyson Friday and visited relatives in San Angelo Saturday. He had New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Blackman in Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Hedges and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gleghorn attended the Gleghorn reunion in Dallas during the weekend.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland and Junior went to Big Spring to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster. Others present there for

a New Years dinner were Mr. and Mrs. James Holland and children of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gartman, Mike and Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Foster.

Jolly Breakfast Club met Saturday with Mrs. Doxie Lauder. Present were Mmes. Bert Hester, Al D. Richards, J. W. Clark, Herbert Holland, Dick Piser, Wesley Prizing, Bill Willmann. The club will meet Saturday with Mrs. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holland and children were here from Cisco for a Monday visit with the Herbert Hollands. Junior returned home with them after spending a week here.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryant and daughter, Paula, have moved back to Bronte where he is resuming his duties with Santa Fe. The Bryants lived here in 1951 before he went into the service. He was recently discharged after serving in Germany. The family is living in one of the Cumbie rent houses. He is replacing Bill Buzbee here. The Buzbees have been transferred to Snyder.

Capt. and Mrs. Gaylord Bernard and three children of Long Beach, Calif., spent the Christmas and New Years holidays here with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe and family. Mrs. J. D. Bernard of Weatherford also came for the holidays and will spend some time here. Jimmy Bernard came from Arlington last week to visit the Rippetoes and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bernard, came for him last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Lasswell and Mrs. Buddy Kirkland went to Big Spring during New Years holidays to visit the women's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Fryar and family.

### Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Return from Interesting Trip to Rio Grande Valley

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wynne have returned from a trip to the Lower Rio Grande Valley where they spent Christmas. They made the trip with their daughter, Mrs. H. Lester Parker and her family and visited in the home of their son-in-law's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parker at San Benito.

A highlight of their visit was a trip to Padre Island across the bay from Port Isabel. They crossed the multi-million dollar cause-

way which is more than one mile in length, and viewed the Gulf of Mexico for the first time.

On Monday afternoon, the Wynnes and their hosts made a tour of a large freighter just in from Sweden which was anchored at Port Brownsville.

Tuesday, the Wynnes and their daughter and son-in-law crossed the International Bridge into Old Mexico for a shopping and sight-seeing trip in Matamores.

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The Wynnes were greatly impressed by the size and beauty of the "Magic Valley of Texas," and by the abundance of flowers, especially poinsettias and bouganvillits; by the highways and streets which are lined with palm trees and by the large citrus groves.

Before leaving on the trip the Wynnes were hosts to a holiday dinner. Present were two of their

children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wynne and Bill of San Angelo Mr. and Mrs. H. Lester Parker, Sybil Leah, Annie Jo and Pepper of Blythe, Calif. Mrs. John Bearden of Dalhart was unable to attend but made a few days visit here after Christmas.

The Wynnes are enjoying a new TV set which was a gift from their son.

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## Polio Program Set For PTA Meeting

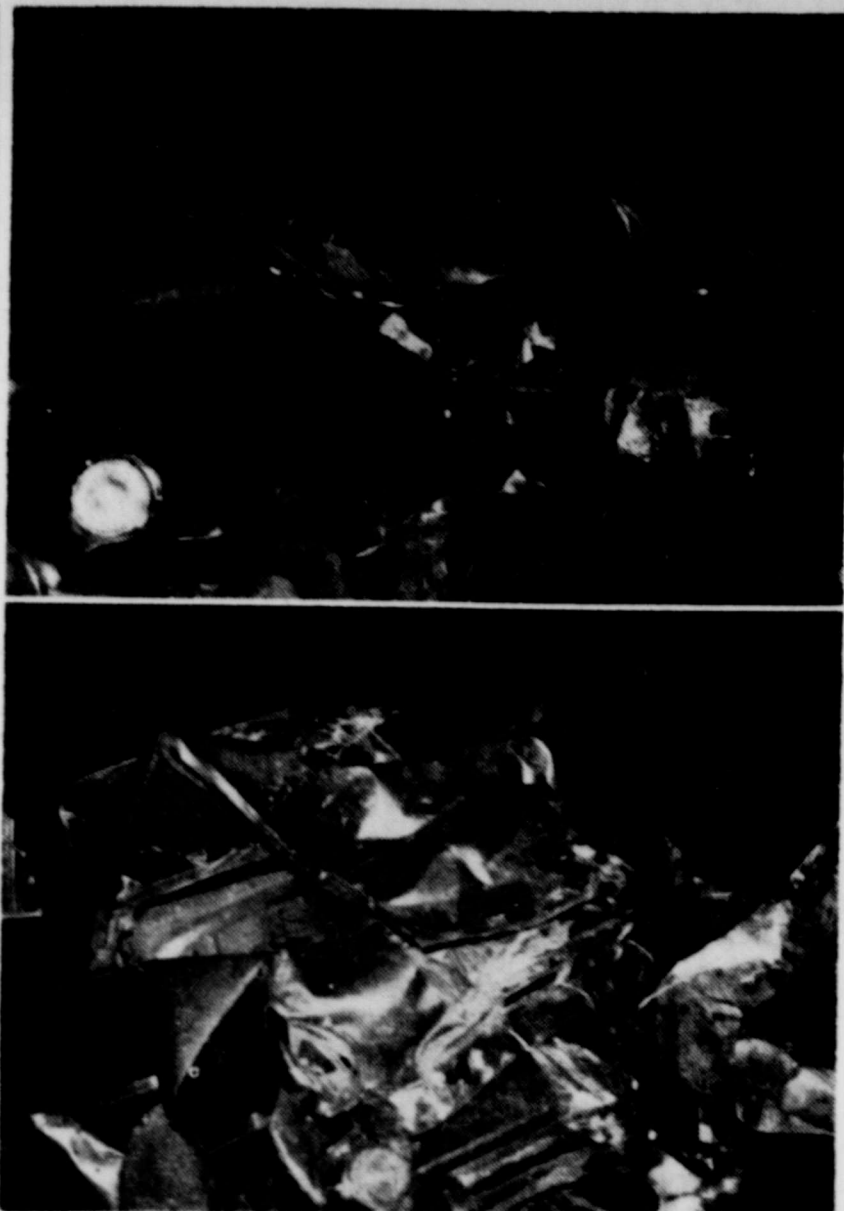
Mrs. John Harris will be speaker for Bronte Parent-Teachers at their meeting next Tuesday night at 7 p. m. She will speak on "Infantile Paralysis Foundation," particularly timely at this time of year. She has been helped by Dr. Adams in the collection of material for the talk.

The Social Hour will be directed by Junior and Senior room mothers. All school patrons are urged to attend.

### MID-TERM EXAM SCHEDULE

High School Principal Joe B. Simpson announced the schedule for mid-term examinations as follows:

Wednesday, January 11  
 9 to 10:30 — All first period classes.  
 9:30 to 12 — All second period classes.  
 12 to 12:30 — Lunch  
 12:30 to 2 — Third period classes  
 2 to 2:30 — Fifth period classes  
 Thursday, January 12  
 9 to 10:30 — Fourth period classes  
 10:30 to 12 — Sixth period classes



One person was killed and four others seriously injured when the two cars shown here collided 15 miles south of Bronte Sunday night. Killed in the accident was Archie A. Bailey, 25, of Abilene. Seriously injured were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller of Red Springs. Their daughter, Betty, 13, was reported in good condition Wednesday. Malcolm A. Hardy, 32, of Abilene, the fourth injury victim, was said to be in poor condition. The accident occurred a short distance across the county line in Tom Green County.

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### Mr. and Mrs. Murtishaw Have 45th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw observed their 45th wedding anniversary on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. The couple, long time residents of Bronte, received many gifts and 23 persons enjoyed the Christmas dinner and supper and a Christmas tree. All of their children except one daughter, Thula Eubanks, and her family were present.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wojtek and Sue, Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Murtishaw, Sanatorium, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw, Jr., Aletha and Mark Alan, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw, Johnny and Ginger, all of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sparks and W. D., Jr., Colorado City; and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sharp and Clifflie G'Ann of San Angelo.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for their sympathy and kinds words, food, floral offering and everything that was done for us in the loss of our loved one. May God bless you all.

Mrs. Al Sneed and Albert  
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Edward  
 The Brothers and Sisters.

Those spending Christmas in the home of the J. R. Johnsons were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Guice and daughters of Brady, Dwain Johnson of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Less Mitchell of Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and daughter, Kay, of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith and James of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Willis W. Smith and children, Robbie and Stephen of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Johnson and children of Waco.

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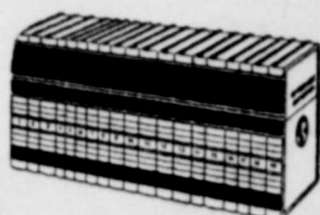
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Cake Mix 33c

Tide lge. 27c

WILSON'S SLICED BACON - LB. 39c

PURE PORK SAUSAGE - 2 Lb. Sack 79c

FRESH SPARE RIBS - Lb. 39c

GROUND MEAT - Lb. 25c

OLEO, Bluebonnet - Lb. 25c

**CUMBIE'S**  
**FOOD MARKET**



## HOSPITAL NEWS

Dec. 28 — David Anglin, admitted. Debbie Lockett dismissed.

Dec. 29 — L. L. Wilkins, Eddie Roy Braswell, R. H. Reeves, Mrs. A. J. Rawlings admitted. Mrs. J. W. Teague, Mrs. James Truman Riley and son, Mrs. I. I. Woods, Mrs. D. M. Ott, Barbara Harter, Ft. Chad. Humble camp, dismissed.

Dec. 30 — Mrs. Joe Rose, Warren Beavers admitted. Mrs. Douglas Crow, Norton, dismissed.

Dec. 31 — Harley Hilliard, Norton, Mrs. A. J. Brewer, Norton, Mrs. Edith Hipp admitted. David Anglin, Mrs. Bud Bell dismissed.

Jan. 1 — James Vernon Andrews, Mrs. B. A. Bell, Baby McKown, Mrs. John Gordon admitted. L. L. Wilkins, Mrs. A. J. Rawlings, Harley Hilliard, Norton, dismissed.

Jan. 3 — Miss Ethel Reeves, Blackwell, I. C. Carter, Ft. Chad. Humble camp, Dale Brewer, Norton admitted. Mrs. A. J. Brewer, Norton, dismissed.

## SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEDULE

A representative from the San Angelo Social Security Office will be in Bronte on Wednesday, Jan. 25, Wednesday, Feb. 29 and Wednesday, March 28, according to a schedule released last week.

Persons in these towns who wish to contact the representative should write to the San Angelo District office for an appointment.

Mrs. Fred McDonald, Sr., who has been seriously ill in the local Hospital was moved Thursday in a Cliff ambulance to Anderson hos-

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pital in Houston for further medical treatment and examination. Going to Houston with her were her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Rawlings, and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Pete McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams had their son, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams and children, of San Angelo, here for the New Year holiday. Also Mrs. Jess Cathey and Joe Bailey Larkin of San Angelo were their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen were New Years weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. Ida McClesky. The Allens live in Abilene.

Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw has resumed her duties at Bronte hospital after an absence, due to illness, of almost a year.

Bailey Bell left last week for Burbank, Calif., to make an extended visit with his brother, E. A. Bell. He was accompanied on the trip by Roy Scott of Orient.

# It looks high priced

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THE NEW BEL AIR SPORT COUPE—one of 19 high-priced-looking Chevrolet models.

Who wouldn't mistake this handsome new Chevrolet for a high-priced car!

It looks strictly "upper bracket" with its bold new Motoramic styling... its longer, lower hood... its proud new full-width grille.

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But, even beyond the costly ap-

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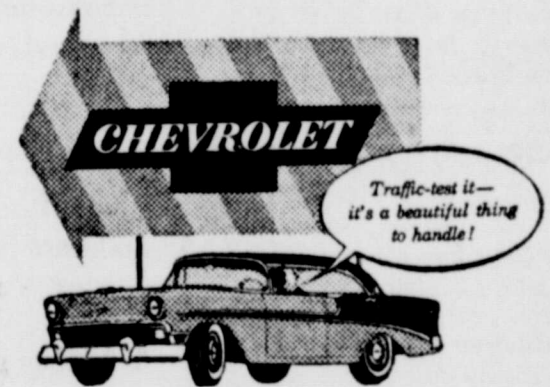
You'll see what we mean when you take one out on the highway. You'll feel the added security of Chevrolet's nailed-down stability. You'll thrill at the way it wheels around tight turns—as footsure as a cat on a carpet!

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**THE HOT ONE'S EVEN HOTTER**

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BRONTE, TEXAS



## Here's Blackwell

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montgomery had as their guests last Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McPherson and daughters of Houston.

Mrs. C. M. Whitaker is ill in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith of Bagdad, Ariz. and their son, Dixie Smith of A & M College, College Station, and their granddaughter, Karen Smith of Midland, are visiting relatives and friends in Blackwell, San Angelo and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harris of Fluvanna have been visiting relatives and friends in Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Copeland had their children home during the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hipp of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. George V. Smith of Lamesa and Cpl. Tom V. Copeland of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Bob Reaves is ill in the Bronte Hospital.

Nolan Butler underwent surgery in the Sweetwater Hospital Tuesday morning.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral of Al V. Snead last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Snead of Birmingham, Ala., Roy Snead of Georgiana, Ala., Mrs. Bell McIntyre of Mobile, Glenn McIntyre of Hillsboro, Tex., Edward McIntyre of Marshall, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carrier and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carrier, all of Evergreen, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cole and son, all of Coolidge, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Black of Portersville, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coalson of Abilene.

Mrs. B. N. Walls had as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Cloven Walls and children of Milford, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walls and children of Portales, N. Mex. The Russell Walls also visited in the Leroy Chew home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartin of Lubbock visited in the Lee Lackey and W. E. Lackey homes.

Mrs. Joe Smith of San Angelo and son, Pat, and Jerry Smith visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaston and children of Maryneal and Mr. and

Mrs. Jack Vaughn and daughter of Winters visited in the Mark Hanna home Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook had as their Christmas guests Mrs. L. J. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Thorn of Portales, N. Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Upton and sons of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eidson had as their holidays guests Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brown and son of Merkel and Mr. and Mrs. John Carmon of Anson.

Supt. George Stoepler will go to Austin this week to attend a school administrators meeting.

The Blackwell PTA meeting was held Monday night at the school house. Mrs. J. W. Saunders presided. Different clubs and societies were represented.

Mrs. W. T. Teel represented the Baptist WMU; Mrs. Douglas Gossett, Methodis WSCS; J. W. Saunders, Lions Club and PTA. Each

told of the achievements of the clubs and societies. A group showed the wrong way and the proper way to conduct a PTA meeting.

Mmes. T. J. Oden, Gordon Montgomery and Bill Johnson were hostesses.

Bob Sanderson went to Abilene Monday where he will be employed by the Magnolia Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinard have moved to Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Magness and daughter have moved to Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanderson had as their holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanchard and son of Ardmore, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Glass and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glass of Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Patterson and children of Clovis, N. Mex., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sanderson.

Word has been received of the death of Tom Brandon of Compton,

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Calif. He is a former resident of Blackwell.

## PERSONALS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson over the holiday weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reed of Breckenridge and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Reed and children of Lubbock.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Springer last Tuesday was her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and Terisa of Abilene and Mrs. Springers' brother, H. H. Roberts of Pomona, Calif. The Springers left Thursday for a weekend trip visiting with relatives at Stephenville, Austin and Rockdale.

Fifteen members of the Kickapoo Baptist Church attended a District B. T. S. meeting in Talpa last Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Woods returned Sunday from Cleburne where she had been at the bedside of her mother who broke her shoulder in a recent fall.

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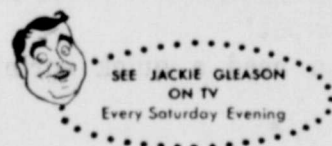
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If your answer is yes, then the time is now—*right now*.

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### GUARDIANSHIP OF JUDITH ANN HAMILTON AND PHILLIP RAY HAMILTON MINORS

NO. 640 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF COKE COUNTY, TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATES OF JUDITH ANN HAMILTON AND PHILLIP RAY HAMILTON, MINORS.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1955, I acting as Guardian of the Estates of Judith Ann Hamilton and Phillip Ray Hamilton, minors, filed with the County Clerk of Coke County, Texas, a sworn application for authority to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the wards' undivided interest, believed to be an undivided one-eighteenth interest in

All of the North ½ of Section No. 285, Block 1-A, H & T C Ry. Co. Surveys, Coke County, Texas, and upon any other interest of said wards in the above described land.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, in the county court room in the courthouse of said County in the Town of Robert Lee on the 23rd day of January, 1956, at 10 a. m. o'clock, same being the time and place which has been duly designated by said judge as the time and place when and where such application will be heard.

Witness my hand this the 31 day of December, A. D. 1955.

L. T. Youngblood

Guardian of the Estates of Judith Ann Hamilton and Phillip Ray Hamilton, minors.



**January**

Dean Black received an Eagle Scout award at Brady. Boy Scout and March of Dimes drives were launched. Deposits reached an all time high at First National Bank. Funeral services were held for Mrs. B. B. Edmiaston. Bronte's fire department was re-organized with A. E. Bell, Jr. as chief. Coke Countians were deeply shocked by the bomb death of Mrs. Harry (Helen) Weaver. The Junior Livestock show held in Bronte was a big success. Rocky Thompson, Blackwell stockman, was buried there. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark announced the engagement of their daughter, Ginger, to Billy Jack Gentry of Bronte.

**February**

Fire destroyed the farm home of the Charlie Boeckings north of Bronte. \$1283 was netted on the east side of the county for the Dimes Drive. L. T. Youngblood was re-elected chairman of the UCRA. Suggs Construction Co. of Big Spring was awarded the contract to build Coke County's new courthouse on a bid of \$270,818. 951 poll taxes were paid. Bronte boys cage team lost their try for district but the girls won the district title. Persons wishing to have their property curbed were informed of a March 1 deadline for signing. Mrs. Otis Smith became the first local woman to serve on a jury. Work began on the new court house at Robert Lee.

**March**

C&C Asphalt Paving Co. of Colorado City was successful bidder on Bronte's paving project with a bid of \$366,415.70. Bronte basketball girls came from behind to defeat Sterling City for bi-district and a place in the regional playoffs. J. Lee Ensor showed the champion ewe at San Angelo stock show and Wayne Bridges won first place with his two tooth ewe and a pen of three. A 19-year-old Midland youth, Edward Hardy, was killed in an oil field accident. Last rites were held for S. A. Kiker, 86, Bronte pioneer. Work on paving Bronte streets began. The area received 1/2 to 1 inch of moisture.

**April**

Unseasonable cold hit the area, making a complete kill on fruit trees and gardens. Members of Kickapoo Baptist Church opened their new church with Easter services. Paul McGuire and Bob Wilson were elected to Bronte City Council. R. H. Sims bought Butane Service Co. from A. F. Ball. Polio shots were given 71 first and second graders at Harris Clinic. County Judge Jeff Dean was taken to a Houston hospital. The Bronte Enterprise was moved two doors west to a new location.

**May**

Mrs. R. L. (Mattie Bell Read) died suddenly in Robert Lee of a heart attack. Girl Scout troops were organized after a meeting at the Methodist Church. Rains, up to 2 1/2 inches, fell over the area. Barney Carter of Tyler opened up the plugged and abandoned No. 1 L. T. Youngblood in the city limits of Bronte. Schools were dismissed for vacation on the 27th. Two more nice showers of rain were received. Billy Wayne Hipp and Joe Russell Ash received degrees from Texas Tech College at Lubbock.

**June**

Last rites were conducted for Mrs. R. E. Hickman, 77. Rev. W. C. Craig was returned as Bronte's Methodist pastor. The summer softball schedule was announced. O. K. Wolfenbarger resigned as superintendent of the local schools and Garland Black was named to his post. Oscar Dorsey was stepped up to head coach. A black sandstorm, the worst in many years, caused extensive damage in the vicinity. Bronte Motor Co. was

opened by Charlie Boecking and L. T. Youngblood. 125 blocks of city paving were completed. Miss Betty Sanderson was wed to Percy Anderson at Blackwell.

**July**

Coke County banks announced that they would be closed each Saturday afternoon. Mrs. M. W. Freeman, registered nurse, was a new employee at Bronte Hospital. Bronte City Council upset Bronte trustees in a hot softball game.

Rev. C. W. Coleman resigned as Kickapoo Baptist pastor and moved to San Antonio. A flood control project on the Kickapoo watershed was being investigated. Last rites were held at Brookshire for Mrs. A. J. Essary. Joy Moore sustained serious head injuries in a vacation accident near Kerrville. Two Maverick children were bitten by a rabid cat. Cage Bros. Const. Co. was awarded the contract to build Precinct 2 bridges.

**August**

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stevens celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary. The L. L. Wilkins family made a vacation trip to Florida. Lions Club converted the Legion Hall into a community center. Bronte was winner in the District softball tournament held here. A hard thunder shower fell on Aug. 4. The Keeney Bros. began their 50th year as merchants in Bronte. Last rites were read for J. B. Clark, fatally burned in an explosion in East Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Knierim celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

**September**

Bronte schools opened Sept. 1 with an increase in enrollment. Billy Joe Luckett and Allen Bryan opened their new Texaco station. Tad Richards held his annual birthday celebration. Miss Sue Germany and Mrs. Delores Darrow resigned from the teaching staff at the local school. Buford James of Tennyson married a San Angelo girl. Eleven speeders were picked up near Bronte over one weekend in the highway patrol crack-down on traffic violations. Bill Thomas was the new fire chief.

**October**

J. W. Teague opened the Red Chain Feed Store. Last rites were held for W. H. Mackey. Cora Beth Whatley was wed to Gordon Carlson. Joe Rose expanded his operations and formed a new company. The Halloween carnival netted \$719. J. T. Henry was in his 20th year of school teaching. Weldon Fikes resigned as County and District Clerk to accept a position as county auditor. Chilli Tinkler of Robert Lee was named to fill the post. Rev. R. W. Blackmon came to Bronte as pastor of the Kickapoo Church.

**November**

Rev. M. R. Rogers accepted as pastor of Miles Baptist Church and resigned here. Sheriff Paul Good was made president of the state Peace Officers Association. Funeral services were held for W. O. Keesee. Mrs. L. F. Wilson of Winters opened Judy's Dress Shop here. Carolyn Kemp was selected as guest soloist for the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra.

**December**

Miss Nannie Pearson came as a new teacher in Bronte schools. C. C. Glenn died after a long illness. Linda Lasswell represented Bronte in the "Miss Spirit of Christmas" contest in the Angelo. Fire destroyed the J. J. Morrow ranch home. Dwain Bagwell returned from Korea. Richard Rees received an Eagle Scout award. 1953 class held a reunion honoring Marlon McCutchen who went to the Navy. A railroad commission order halting flaring of gas in the Jameson field caused the butane loading rack here to be closed down. Joe Rose was made chairman of the March of Dimes campaign. Bronte merchants closed their stores on Monday follow-

ing Christmas Day. Al Sneed of Blackwell was killed in an auto accident. Bronte school students were on Christmas vacation thru Jan. 2.

**PERSONALS**

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Coalson and son on New Years Day were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chenoweth, Dallas; Mr. and

Mrs. J. L. Teel and Mrs. J. W. Teel, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts and granddaughter, Snyder; Mr and Mrs. Ryan Bankhead and daughters, Lanelle and Anita and John Young, San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coalson, Douglas and Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coalson and Derwood, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coal-

son and Cecil Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ray Coalson, Silver; Mrs. Agnes Evans and son, Hulon, Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Coalson, Bronte. Rev. and Mrs. Clyde W. Coleman and family visited friends here several days last week, returning to their home in San Antonio Sunday.

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**SPAM - 12 Oz. Can 39c**

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**TOMATO JUICE - 23c**

ZEE BRAND 4 ROLL PKG.  
**TOILET TISSUE - 34c**

**KLEENEX - 200 Ct. 15c**

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**PINTO BEANS - 19c**

LGE.  
**TIDE or CHEER - 29c**

KUNER'S Sour or Dill 16 OZ. JAR  
**PICKLES - 2 for 45c**

Morton House Brown & Serve 7 1/2 OZ. CAN  
**CHICKEN PIE - 29c**

Supreme Coconut Choc. Drop. Reg. 49c  
**COOKIES - Lb. Bag 44c**

FULLY COOKED  
**PICNIC HAMS - Lb. 33c**

CHUCK  
**BEEF ROAST - Lb. 29c**

FRESH LB.  
**GROUND MEAT - 29c**

**STEW MEAT - Lb. 15c**

HORMEL MIDWEST  
**BACON - Lb. 34c**

SPICED LB.  
**LUNCHEON LOAF - 39c**

FRESH HOME MADE  
**SAUSAGE - Lb. 29c**

FRESH  
**BOLOGNA - Lb. 26c**

**CURED JOWLS - 21c**

**OLEO, All Sweet - lb. 25c**

**LETTUCE - Lb. 12c**

**SPUDS, No. 1 - Lb. 5c**

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**FOR SALE** — Large International Harvester Deep Freeze. Telephone 4, Mrs. C. C. Glenn. 1-2tc

Reconditioned piano for sale. Contact Royce Fancher. 1-2tc

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson spent New Years with their daughter at Melvin. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnson of Waco were also present.

Jesse Carolyn Johnson of Waco spent Christmas week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson and Mrs. Jim Simpson.

**JOE ROSE CONTINUES EXPANSION; OPENS WELL SERVICING DIVISION**

Joe Rose announced this week that his firm is going into the well servicing business today, Jan. 6. They are taking delivery on a new workover rig and pulling unit today. Rose will be in partnership with A. M. Kelley, formerly of Snyder, in the new venture. It will be known as Joe Rose Well Servicing Co.

Kelley will be in charge of the company. He and Mrs. Kelley are moving to Bronte immediately and will build a new home here, Rose said. In addition to Kelley, eight men will also move here to form two crews for operating the new unit.

Two more servicing rigs are on order, one to be delivered April 1 and the other August 1.

Joe Rose Construction Co. has recently constructed new quarters in the north part of Bronte. A 40x-60 foot building has been erected and will house a shop for servicing of trucks and equipment. It will also have three offices, one for Rose, one for Kelley and a reception room. Gasoline pumps have been installed. H. A. Day is in charge of the shop.

In addition to the new building a small structure now located north of South Texas Lumber Co. will be moved to the area and enlarged. It will house offices for foremen and quarters for the crews of the firm.

Recent new employees of Rose who have moved here are Milton Davis of Palestine, Truman Riley from Arkansas and F. C. Leggs, who is living at Tennyson.

Jax Construction Co. of Abilene an affiliate of Joe Rose Construction Co., and headed by Riley Jackson at present is carrying out a contract to fence the right-of-way on the Santa Fe spur which is being built from Maryneal to Silver. About 40 men are working on the project. Rose Construction Co. has the contract for hauling rails, ties and hardware for the job. Jax Construction also recently was awarded a contract at Frederick, Okla., to construct the distribution and power lines for a water flood and gas injection system being installed by Cities Service Oil Co. B. R. Farley of Vernon is in

pecting a good year in the oil business of this area during 1956 and the expansion was designed to keep up with their increased work and to give better service to their customers.

charge of this job. Rose said that his firm is ex-

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Janet Leigh, Jack Lemmon in  
"MY SISTER EILEEN"

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10 & 11  
Glenn Ford, Anne Francis in  
"BLACKBOARD JUNGLE"

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Dromedary	Can	Wolf	No. 1
Coconut	- 17c	Chili	- 25c
Pet or Carnation	Lge.	Starlac	5 Qt.
Milk	- 2 for 25c	Dry Milk	- 35c
White or Yellow	2 for	Reg. Ctn.	
Pop Corn	- 35c	Cigarettes	- \$2.15
Hi C	46 Oz.	Lge.	
Orange Juice	32c	Tide	- 29c
Durand's Sweet	Can	Jack Sprat	2 No. 303's
Potatoes	- 26c	Diced Carrots	25c

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BRONTE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31ST, 1955, PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 3211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

**ASSETS**

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 969,153.89
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	680,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	326,763.95
Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$2,035.04 overdrafts)	711,623.83
Bank premises owned \$39,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$10,354.76	49,354.76
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,741,396.43</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$2,090,840.54
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	8,232.50
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	442,323.39
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$2,541,396.43</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$2,541,396.43</b>

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$50,000.00,	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	50,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>200,000.00</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$2,741,396.43</b>

**MEMORANDA**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 664,000.00
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	139,191.92
Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration—insured or guaranteed portions only	4,449.99
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	143,641.91

I, B. D. Snead, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. D. Snead, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: D. K. Glenn  
L. T. Youngblood } Directors.  
Earl F. Glenn

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COKE, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

C. E. Bruton, Notary Public  
My commission expires June 1st, 1957.

**Bronte Girls Down Lake View, 63-44**

By Jo Rowland

The Bronte Cowgirls played a good ball game Monday night and beat the Lakeview Maidens by 19 points. The Bronte defense showed up well and held the Maidens scoring down.

Scooter Snead was high point scorer for Bronte with 25 points. Patricia McCutchen followed with 24 and Aletha Murtishaw had 14. Snead hit 9 out of 14 free shots. Murtishaw hit 6 out of 6 and McCutchen 2 out of 5. Final score in the game was 63-44.

High pointer for Lakeview was Henderson with 23 followed by Brown with 10. Lakeview will be the Bronte girls first opponent in the Sonora Tournament, Friday, Jan. 13 at 4:30 p. m.

There are two games before then which will be Winters here on Friday, Jan. 5. There will be three games, starting at 6, grade school, "B" and "A". On Tuesday the Cowgirls encounter Robert Lee at Robert Lee, which will be their second conference game. The first was with Norton whom they beat 54-34.

The "B" team lost to Lakeview with the final score of 49-31. High point for Bronte was Jo Gentry with 14 points while Joan Webb had 8. Ford from Lakeview made 28 followed by Hughes with 18.

March of Dimes Barbecue, Saturday, Jan. 14, 4:00 p. m.

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