

# The BRONTE ENTERPRISE

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## Drawing of Proposed New City Hall Now on Display

An architect's drawing of a new proposed city hall for Bronte is now on display at the present city office. The drawing was made by Doyle Maddux, San Angelo architect.

City fathers met with Maddux last week and discussed the plans and specifications for the new building. It is proposed to build the structure on city property adjacent to the post office building. The building will be divided into

## Business Changes Made Recently

Two changes in the business community of Bronte have been made recently with the opening of a new welding shop and the change of ownership of a service station.

Jimmy Brunson has had his welding shop open for about three weeks, and M. W. Freeman and sons last week purchased the Col-Tex service station. It was formerly operated by G. D. and Bill Luckett.

Brunson's Welding Shop, located in the building formerly occupied by McGuire Bros. Welding Shop, is open for business and does shop and portable welding, as well as general blacksmith work.

Freeman's Col-Tex station will continue to handle Col-Tex petroleum products, and will be operated by Freeman and his sons, Ellis and Marshall. It is located on Highway 277 in the north part of Bronte.

G. D. Luckett will continue to operate the ice house next to the station.

## AD-LIB-BEN

Ernest Seay came by the Enterprise Monday and bought an old friend of his for a visit. J. R. (Bob) Parsons was his visitor. Mr. Parsons, who is almost 95 years old, climbed out of the car and up the model-T-high curb in front of the office with no trouble at all. He has a firm grip and is plenty sharp about what is going on in the world. He is getting a little hard of hearing, but still writes his own letters to relatives and friends.

He and Mr. Seay got to talking while visiting us, and remembered that they were pioneer backers of the Socialist party back in the early 1900s. Eugene Debs was the perennial Socialist candidate back in those days. Mr. Seay said, "If it hadn't been for fellows like us all these people wouldn't be drawing Social Security today."

The two men have been friends for about 60 years. They both farmed east of Bronte from 1904 to 1908. Mr. Parsons now makes his home with a daughter, Mrs. Ollie Gaston of Blackwell. He and a brother, Tom Parsons of Alpine, who is 92 years old, are the survivors of a family of four children.

Walter Stapp of Oak Creek Lake reported this week that he caught a fish just above the old highway bridge at the lake, that was so big his scales wouldn't weigh him. To get some idea of the size of this creature of the deep, Stapp took its picture and the photo weighed four pounds. Left a big hole in the lake, too, where he pulled it out of the water.

three sections. The center part will be a fire station, sufficiently wide to house two fire trucks. A section on the south side will have a meeting room, an office for law enforcement officials, a two-cell holdover jail, and a small kitchen. An accordion type wall will divide the meeting room from the fire station, and when folded back, will allow space large enough for most any type of meeting.

The north side of the building will contain three offices, a foyer for persons doing business with the city, and two rest rooms. The city secretary's office will be at the front of this part of the building.

The city has \$2,300 in a building fund for use on this project. Coke County Commissioners Court recently went on record as favoring payment of up to \$100 per month rental for office space for the Precinct 2 justice of the peace and for a deputy sheriff and possibly a highway patrolman. The rental would also pay for use of the jail cells.

City councilmen say the money now on hand plus the rental from the county will make payments on the new building. No bond issue will be needed.

Local residents are invited to go by the city office and inspect the drawing.

## Swimming Lessons For Beginners To Start Monday

Beginners swimming lessons will start at Bronte swimming pool Monday, June 18. All youngsters who have at least one year of school will be eligible to take the course. Eddie Glenn will be instructor.

Cost of the 10 day course will be \$1.50. Aubrey Denman, caretaker of the park, asked that all youngsters who are interested in taking the course register with him as soon as possible. Only about eight pupils can be accommodated in a class, and Denman said it may be necessary to set up more than one group of the beginners.

Other swimming courses will be scheduled later in the summer, including intermediate and advanced swimming. Denman said a beginners class for women and one for pre-school children may be scheduled if there is enough demand for the courses.

Eddie Glenn has been at Athens the past ten days attending an aquatic school where swimming, life saving and safety are taught. Upon completion of the course he will be a qualified Red Cross instructor. Glenn will also work as a life guard at the local pool this summer.

## 1950 CLASS REUNION

Reunion of the 1950 graduating class of Bronte will be held Saturday, June 16, at 6:30 p.m. in Bronte County Park. A picnic lunch will be served. All members of the class and their families and class room mothers are invited to attend.

A committee on arranging the affair is composed of Mrs. Bobby Clark of Abilene, Mrs. Noah Pruitt Jr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn, both of Bronte.

La Jan Kiker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kiker has spent the last two weeks in Abilene with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Huffhine.

## Fish at Oak Creek Lake to Be Killed Saturday Morning

Personnel of the Texas Fish and Game Commission will be on hand Saturday morning at Oak Creek Lake to kill fish in the lake. A toxic substance which paralyzes gills of the fish will be used and the fish will be edible if picked up in a reasonable length of time. The public is invited to be present and pick up any of the fish they want.

Walter Stapp, lakekeeper, said Wednesday that a sampling of the fish in the lake showed it to contain about 97 per cent rough fish. The lake will be restocked with about a half million desirable fish, he said, and fishing should be improved in a year or so.

Stapp said that only a partial kill is expected, and that the lake will not be closed to fishermen, so far as he knows.

## Half Inch Rain Falls in Area

A good "cotton shower" fell in the Bronte area Wednesday morning beginning shortly after 9 o'clock. The rain lasted thirty minutes or more and totaled one-half inch at Bronte.

Reports say that Robert Lee got about .75 inch from the same cloud. The Blackwell and Oak Creek Lake area also received a half inch of rainfall.

Threatening clouds have appeared in the northwest most every day this week, but all of them went north of Bronte except the one Wednesday morning. A large territory around Abilene has had heavy rains during the past week.

Weather forecast for this area is for continued scattered thunder showers on Thursday.

## Mrs. Pittman New Worthy Matron

Mrs. A. Z. (Lona) Pittman, who resides in the Fort Chadbourne Humble Camp, was installed as Worthy Matron of the Bronte Chapter of the Eastern Star in a ceremony last Thursday at the local Masonic Hall. J. T. Henry is the new Worthy Patron of the lodge. Mrs. Pittman and Henry succeed Mrs. R. W. Rees and L. L. Wilkins.

Installing officers were Mrs. La Vaughn Cole, Mrs. Cora Lee Darsey, Mrs. Mamie McMillan, Mrs. Lola Pyrl Miller and Mrs. Frances White, all of San Angelo.

Other new officers include: Mrs. Noah Pruitt Jr., Associate Matron; Noah Pruitt Jr., Associate Patron; Mrs. Olive Keeney, Secretary; Mrs. Royce Lee, Treasurer; Mrs. E. G. Collins, Conductress; Mrs. Jacob Morrow, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Oscar Shurley, Chaplain; Mrs. J. T. Henry, Marshal; Mrs. R. W. Rees, Organist; Mrs. Faye Scott, Adah; Mrs. Marvin Bryant, Ruth; Mrs. Willie B. Millikin, Esther; Mrs. Tom Green, Martha; Mrs. James Pitts, Electa; Jim Pitts, Warder; F. S. Higginbotham, Sentinel.

## PEE WEE BASEBALL

James L. Golson has announced that he will start practice sessions this week for boys interested in Pee Wee baseball. First session is set for this morning (Thursday) at 10:00 a.m. at the ball park. Tentative plan call for two practice sessions a week, with no more than one game a week.

## Clean-Up Week Set For June 18 Thru 23

Bronte's city council has designated the week of June 18-23 as Clean-up Week in the city. During this period every resident of the town is requested to clean up around his premises and place junk and trash where it is accessible to a truck for hauling off.

Council members said the city would provide trucks for hauling

off the debris which is collected around residences and business houses.

"This clean-up week has a two-fold purpose," a spokesman for the council said. "First of all, if everybody will cooperate, we will have a much cleaner and nicer looking town, and second, a general clean-up will reduce fire hazards."

Fire Chief Bill Luckett said that if anyone wishes to burn off vacant lots, the fire truck will be available to stand by to protect nearby structures.

Mayor J. A. Stephenson said, "We urge the cooperation of every resident of the City of Bronte in the cleanup. Unless everybody does his part, the job will be only half done, and we feel that is not good enough for our town."

## Fire Truck Fund Goes Over \$2100

Contributions to the fund to buy a new fire truck for the Bronte area reached \$2,101.12 up to Wednesday morning. This amount plus the \$1,500 which was voted by Coke County recently will push the total up to more than \$3,600.

The fund was given a real boost this week when C. H. Wylie handed in a check for \$500. His contribution pushed the fund over the \$2,000 mark.

Contributions since names were listed two weeks ago have come from the following: Mrs. J. J. Morrow, Jacob B. Morrow, Clyde Lee, Mrs. B. F. Bridges, Willie B. Millikin, Marvin Bryant, J. L. Brunson, Mrs. George Thomas, Fay Rawlings, A. N. Rawlings, Joe Rawlings, Claude Dimore, C. H. Wylie, Royce Lee and Ernest Marshall.

Members of the Volunteer Fire Department are hoping to have enough money to pay for the new fire truck when it is delivered. They urged all residents of this area to get in their contributions as soon as possible. They are asking for a donation of three cents per acre on rural property and 10 cents per \$100 valuation on city property.

Contributions may be left at the First National Bank or the Bronte Enterprise.

## Rev. Murrell Johns to Speak at First Baptist

Members of First Baptist Church are urged to attend both services Sunday when the speaker will be Reverend Murrell Johns of Knox City. He will be accompanied to Bronte by his wife and four children.

A pulpit committee, composed of C. B. Barbee, Vetal Flores, Edward Cumbie, Mrs. Clark Glenn and Mrs. Otis Smith, has invited Rev. Johns to speak before the local congregation.

Sunday evening Training Union will begin at 6:00 and church services at 7:00. There will be a business meeting immediately following the preaching service.

## WTU DEFEATS BRAVES

The Oak Creek plant softball team won a close ball game from the Bronte Braves, 9-8, Monday night at the local ball park. The score was tied up by the Braves in the 7th inning and had to go into extra innings.

Charlie Brown drove in and scored the winning run for the WTU'ers in the bottom of the 8th inning. Wayne Dunnam was the winning pitcher.

Mrs. Lula Brown accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Jo McDonald of San Angelo, to Ruidoso, New Mexico on a vacation trip.

Lynda Taylor spent last week in Abilene with her sister and family.

## Money Needed For Ice Maker

About \$250 more is needed to pay for the ice making machine for Camp Sol Mayer, according to Royce Lee, who has been ramrodding the campaign to get the machine for the Boy Scout camp. It cost \$977.

Most of the contributions so far toward buying the machine have come from oil field servicing companies, Lee said.

Anyone who wishes to contribute on the ice maker may leave his money with Lee or at The Enterprise office.

Ten Scouts from Bronte will go to camp Sol Mayer next week. They are Jim Morrow, Royce Lee, Ronnie Lee, Craig Curlee, Barry Curlee, Tad Richards, Mike McKown, Brian Richards, Bob Bell and Edward Broussard. Two other local boys may also go.

Up until the installation of the ice maker at the camp, ice had to be hauled some 20 miles from Menard, and most of the time it was not available for the Boy Scouts.

## Hot Little League Game Friday Night

Bronte's two Little League teams, the Yankees and Giants, will meet for the first time this season in a game Friday night at the local ball park. Both teams are undefeated, and both teams have played all other teams in the league.

Nolan Butler, a Yankee manager, said Wednesday that this promises to be one of the best games of the Little League season, and all fans are invited to attend. Game time is 7:45.

The Yankees downed the Norton Dodgers Tuesday night, 10-9, in a thriller, and the Giants went to Blackwell and came back with a 32 to 8 victory. Butler and James Tidwell are Yankee managers, and Luther McCutchen and E. G. Collins manage the Giants.

## HOME PROJECT MEETING FOR HOMEMAKING GIRLS

Mrs. Royce Fancher, homemaking teacher in the Bronte school, has asked that all girls participating in the summer home projects, attend a meeting at the school Friday morning, June 15 at 9:30.

Mrs. Fancher asked that girls unable to attend the meeting contact her at 473-2661.

# NEWS FROM TENNYSON

By Mrs. Jack Corley

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gleghorn and Ollie of Miles were dinner guests Sunday of the J. C. Boatrights.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Tidwell Jr. and girls of Klondike visited several days recently with the James Tidwells.

The Tennyson Quilting Club met recently at the Community Center, with Mrs. Jack Corley as hostess. Ladies present were Mmes. James Arrott, Ben Brooks, Roy Baker, Hamp Thomas, Bert Cornelius, Robert Brown, Charlie Brown, Bill Feil, Leon McCarty, Robert Feil, R. M. Brown, John Clark, Willard Caudle, J. C. Boatright, James A. Tidwell, Tom Green; also Mrs. Theron Tidwell of Klondike; Mmes. Ray Coalson, A. J. Bragewitz, Marvin Corley, Ben Murphy and Oscar Isbell, all of Bronte. A number of children were also present. Mrs. Bert Blaylock visited in the afternoon. She will be hostess at the next meeting of the club June 21 at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boatright were supper guests Thursday in the home of the L. B. Hectors in Winters.

Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks were Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes and children, Wayne McGinnes of Eldorado, Billy Frank Low of Lamesa, Judge and Mrs. Bill Brooks and Beverly of Sterling City, Mrs. Bill Hawkins and children of San Angelo visited them on Sunday.

Weekend guests of the Clarence Derricks were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Honea and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick and Wilma of Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Denton and daughter of San Angelo also visited them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sonnenberg of Mereta visited Sunday with the L. J. Sonnenbergs. Mrs. Clara Sonnenberg returned home with them for a two weeks visit. A2C and Mrs. Tom Scott of San Angelo were also guests of the Sonnenbergs.

Friday night guests of the Robert Browns were Mr. and Mrs. Dwain McCarty and family and Billy of Midland. Weekend guests included Mr. and Mrs. Royce Wrinkle and children of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes of Bronte, Mike and Terry Howell of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Thomas visited the Sonora Caverns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Stevens and girls were Saturday night guests of the James Tidwells.

Members of the Arrott family who had dinner at their cabin Sunday were James, Jack, Mit, Clar-

ence, LeDrew, J. B. and Charles, and their families. Visiting in the afternoon were Mrs. Nora Arrott of San Angelo, Houston Arrott and Miss Ethel Williams of Christoval.

Tuesday night supper guests of the J. C. Boatrights were Mrs. B. V. Hedges of ElFrida, Ariz., Mrs. Ruth Moore of Oakland, Calif., Buster Gleghorn of Ventura, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn, J. B. Arrott and family of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and Debbie visited in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Derrick celebrated their 23rd Anniversary Saturday night at the Tennyson Community Center with a musical. Several out of town guests were present and some musicians from San Angelo were there. A free musical show will be held Saturday night at the Center, with everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Tidwell were dinner guests of Mrs. B. R. Davis Sunday in San Angelo. Mrs. Doug Buford, Lona and Ronnie were also guests.

Recent guests of the Bill Feils were AIC and Mrs. Allen Brown and daughter of Wichita Falls and Sgt. Leon McCarty of Fort Polk, La.

## NEW MEXICO FUNERAL FOR FATHER OF MRS. GRIGG

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Grigg and Tamalia have returned to their home in Bronte after having spent some time in Berino, New Mexico and El Paso during the illness and death of Mrs. Grigg's father, George Pulis.

Mr. Pulis, 68, died May 26 in Providence Hospital in El Paso following a 2-month illness. Funeral services were held May 29 from the Kaster-Maxon Funeral Home in El Paso with burial in the Anthony, New Mexico cemetery.

Survivors other than Mrs. Grigg include his wife of Berino, New Mex.; four sons, Garland Pulis of Berino, George Pulis Jr., of Las Cruces, New Mex., Lorin P. Pulis of Aztec, New Mex., and Joe Pulis of Palo Alto, California; one brother, John Pulis of Alamogordo, New Mex., and 12 grandchildren.

Mrs. Grigg and Tamalia had been with Mr. Pulis since May 15.

## STUDENT INFORMATION

Joe Simpson, high school principal, has asked that any students wishing transcripts sent to colleges should contact him as soon as possible.

Mr. Simpson also stated that someone left a shirt at the school that was a graduation gift, and it could be picked up at the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gentry and Linda of Odessa spent last week here visiting his mother, Mrs. Charlie Gentry and helping his brother, Charles, remodel a house.

# HERE'S BLACKWELL

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

O. E. S. Open Installation  
Gerald Allen, Robert Lee, past worthy grand patron, will be installing officer of the Blackwell Chapter No. 786 of the Order of the Eastern Star in an open installation Friday night June 15.

The ceremony will be held at the school auditorium at 8 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ragsdale will be installed worthy matron and worthy patron.

## Methodist Revival to Begin

The Methodist Revival will begin June 24 and continue through July 1. Evening services will be in the Tabernacle at 8 p. m. Morning services Monday through Friday will be held in the church at 10 a. m.

Evangelist will be Rev. Carl Nunn, pastor at Lefors, Tex. The pastor, Rev. Jesse Dea, invites every one to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale and son visited her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Weber at Brownfield over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Snow of Malaga, New Mex. visited Mrs. Daizy Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henderson last weekend.

Mrs. Ben Palmer had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dabner Harris and granddaughter of Sweetwater.

Mrs. C. W. Odom of Killeen has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Raney in Blackwell and Mrs. J. W. Raney and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hazlewood Sr. in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sanderson have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Patterson of Tuscon, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Patterson and Sue and Chuck and Bill Mitchell of Clovis, New Mex. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGarey of San Angelo.

Miss Betty Sweet is attending

# HD Council Plans Camp for Women

South West State college in San Marcos this summer, then will return to the University in Austin this fall.

Children and grand-children of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet Sr. held a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sweet Jr. Sat. night, June 9. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Schwedler and Sherry of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. George Terry Sweet, Terry and Steve of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sweet, Kyle and Kerry of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Sweet and Johnnie Sweet, all of Blackwell; also their aunt, Mrs. G. W. Hillpot of Dallas.

## BRONTE HD CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. EMERSON

Bronte H. D. Club met with Mrs. Taylor Emerson Wednesday, June 6. Mrs. J. C. Boatright, president, presided. Members read the club prayer and creed as the opening exercise.

Mrs. C. E. Arrott and Ida Lee Parker had charge of the program on 4-H club work. Ida Lee reported on her trip to 4-H camp in Brownwood. Mrs. Arrott showed some slides on 4-H club work.

Mrs. Emerson won the floating prize, sent by Mrs. Floyd Crunk.

Mrs. Emerson served a refreshment plate to three visitors, Mmes. Jim Adair and Norman L. Jones, and Ida Lee Parker and to the following members: Mmes. Arrott, Boatright and J. F. Hughes.

Mrs. W. Hipp will be hostess for the next meeting at 8 p.m., June 20. Husbands are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and family of Perryton visited friends here last week.

Diane Pruitt of Lamesa is a visitor in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pruitt, and other relatives.

The Coke County Home Demonstration Council will hold a county encampment for women the last week in July, according to plans made in the council meeting Tuesday afternoon.

The Council voted to send a birthday present to a student sponsored by the Council at the State Farm Colony of Austin.

Mrs. C. E. Arrott is chairman of the arrangement committee for the county camp and appointed the following committees to help plan and develop the project:

Craft Committee: Mrs. Pat Rives, Mrs. Lois Mae Smith, Mrs. Glen Waldrop.

Foods Committee: Mrs. J. C. Boatright, Mrs. Douglas Ditmore, and Mrs. LeDrew Arrott.

Program and Recreation Committee: Mrs. Gene Halamicck, Mrs. Linzy McDorman, and Mrs. Dale Wojtek.

Other Council members present were: Mrs. R. L. Page, president; Mrs. Lowell Roane, Mrs. Tom Rives, with Mrs. Fay C. Roe, Home Demonstration Agent.

# PERSONALS

Mrs. Oscar Isbell spent the weekend in San Angelo with her son, John Mayfield, and family, and her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Wilde and family. The Mayfield's son John Jr. is recuperating after surgery and the Wildes have a new son.

E. G. Collins is spending this week in Corsicana where he carried his mother, Mrs. Rube Collins after she had spent some time here.

Joan and Meg Taylor of Fort Stockton spent the weekend in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Edward Cumbie and family.

# STOP - SHOP - SAVE

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FRESH  
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CHUCK  
BEEF ROAST - Lb. 44c

GOOCH'S  
WIENERS - 2 Lbs. 69c

HORMEL  
BACON - 2 Lbs. 89c

KIMBELL  
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KIMBELL'S  
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**UNCLE HUIE from HOG CREEK says**

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I see by the papers where Bobby Kennedy is claiming the Democrats is gaining in Vermont. It could be the game warden has caught a couple of them hiding in the brush up there. And I was reading a piece where 17 per cent of all the people born in Georgia moves out of the state afore they die. I reckon they git converted to the Republican party and has to run fer their lives.

They ain't nothing in this world that splits folks up like politics. When the other side puts it out it's always propoganda and when your side puts it out Moses brung it straight down from Mt. Sinai. When a tax collector takes a bribe he gits thrown in jail, but a public office holder calls it a campaign contribution and gits elected fer another term.

I was reading here a while back where some woman from South Carolina celebrated her 104th birthday. She told the newspaper folks she loved everbody, even Republicans. I know a heap of Democrats that would rather die at 64 as to love Republicans at 104 — and viser verser.

I recollect about a feller we used to have living out here. He was a

great Republican, didn't have much use fer anybody that wasn't a Republican. He wouldn't even speak to a Democrat. He'd go to his funeral, didn't mind seeing him buried, but he didn't want nothing to do with him while he was living.

We was talking about these things Saturday and the fellers was agreed that common sense in this country has gone in orbit and horse sense is disappearing with the horses. One feller allowed as how his old lady was even talking orbit stuff these days. Ed says some mornings when she gits up he says she feels "go" and some mornings she complains she is feeling "stay".

My neighbor says he was reading where some feller in Hollywood is fixing to manufacture wimmin's clothes out of cellophane. All the fellers was in favor of it, natural, and one claimed it would fit in real good with the Age of the Fig Leaf, that being the one in which we was living.

I don't know what the world is coming to no more. Sometimes I think the people in this country has groed tall but not up. How else can you figger it when rich folks wil pay \$100 fer a necktie, when the big print giveth and the small print taketh away, when ever magazine puts a girl on the cover and no cover on the girls, and when it's easier to git a divorce than to git married?

It's sad, Mister Editor. I've come down to the sunset of my days fer what? To see instant coffee, instant milk, instant biscuits and, if ole Khrushy has his way, instant cremation.

Yours truly,  
 Uncle Huie

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**LADIES TEAM TO PLAY BIG LAKE AND WINTERS**

Bronte ladies ball team split their games last week, winning from Roscoe, 17-9, in a game played here last Thursday. They lost to a Ballinger team 13-5 in a game played Friday at Ballinger. On the schedule for next week is a game at Big Lake Thursday (tonight) and a game with Winters here next Monday night.

**MASQUERADE PARTY FRIDAY AT LONGHORN YOUTH CLUB**

A masquerade party will be held Friday night by the Longhorn Youth club in the Abercan Legion building. It will begin at 7:30 p. m. and will be open to members by card and guest 10c each.

Prizes will be awarded to the "kookiest" boy and girl and the most attractive boy and girl. The Friday night party will be open to all members, regardless of grade and no activity is scheduled for Saturday night.

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## BROOKSHIRE BROWSINGS

By Mrs. Herbert Holland

Mrs. Jack Moore of Oakview, Calif., Mrs. B. V. Hedges of Elfreda, Ariz., and Buster Gleghorn of Ventura, Calif., returned to their homes last Thursday after coming here for the funeral of Mrs. Howard Gleghorn. While here they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn and the Doyle Gleghorn family in Miles.

Mrs. Jerry Landers and Mrs. Herbert Holland and Vicki visited Mrs. Charlie Lee last Tuesday. She is ill in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Susie Garlington of Ballinger is visiting a few days in the Jerry Landers home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott and children of Ozona visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Springer. Mrs. Ben McNeal returned home with them for a visit.

Homer Clark of Big Spring is recuperating from surgery at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Duffy of Colorado visited them Saturday.

Mrs. T. G. Gleghorn received word Monday of last week of the death of her sister, Mrs. Nora Bryant of Grapevine. She was unable to attend the services on Tuesday because of the death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Howard Gleghorn of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McNutt visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Essary Tuesday.

Vicki Holland spent Thursday night and Friday with Jackie Herring, attending a barbecue and slumber party in honor of Jackie's birthday. Seven other girls attended the party held at the Jack Herring ranch home near Ballinger.

Mrs. James Lee found a rattlesnake in her garden last week. It had five rattles. Mmes. Jerry Landers and Alton Bradbury also killed one Friday. It had seven rattles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saldonia and son left Saturday for Post, where they have employment.

Mrs. Gene Saldonia and children returned Sunday from Stonewall, where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gayton.

Mrs. Gayton was recuperating after surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Herrin of Oklahoma have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morgan, in Maverick.

Mrs. Mary Sprinkle spent last week in Winters with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Poe.

Mrs. Joe Ash recently returned from California where she had been called to the bedside of a brother who was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Iske and sons of Garland recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hester. Kevin Iske remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Boatright and Gary Gleghorn returned Tuesday from Victoria where they visited their daughter, Bobby Jean. Their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bar-tee, of Mathis, returned home with them.

## Fishing News from Oak Creek Lake

Compiled at Oak Creek Village

During the past week so many have come with news of their catch of fish. Seems most everyone caught fish of the 'good eatin' size and plenty too. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone and their granddaughters from Midland were in over the weekend and were so happy over their catch of white bass and crappie plus a good string of catfish.

T. J. Messer, Amarillo, Texas, brought in a blue cat dressed and still weighing 9½ pounds. The entire family have been vacationing since Wednesday and are taking back fish for later use.

Sunday morning we viewed 3 cat fish that weighed a total of 25 pounds, all caught from Oak Creek Lake. We became so excited we missed getting the name of these folks, but they were heading back to the lake for more fishing, so we'll learn the name later.

Two ladies from Odessa found a crappie school and caught all they could use in a very short time. They reported they were actually very tired, but were going back tomorrow and do some more fishing. They were certainly having their share of fun and fish too.

The Hanna family have been having plenty of luck over the past weekend. Saturday morning they took off the trot line a bass weighing about 5 pounds and 3 good channel cat.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson and family attended a family reunion at the Abilene State Park Saturday night and Sunday.

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## Clean-Up Week June 18-23

The City Council of the City of Bronte has set aside the period, June 18 to 23 as CLEAN-UP WEEK for the city. We are asking the cooperation of every individual and group in order to make this campaign a success. We urge you to clean-up around your homes and around your businesses, and other properties.

The purpose of this Clean-Up Week is two-fold: First, a general clean-up will greatly improve the appearance of our city and, second, it will remove many dangerous fire hazards.

Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated, and we will all benefit from this united effort.

THANKS

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## Heart Attacks Take Life of John Pettit

By Mrs. Charles Ragsdale

Funeral services for John E. Pettitt, 82, were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday at Blackwell Methodist Church with the pastor, Rev. Jesse Dea, officiating. He was assisted

by Rev. Thomas Lynn, Baptist pastor.

Mr. Pettitt, a resident of Blackwell since 1900, was a native of Eastland County. He was born March 3, 1880 and was married in Cisco in 1899 to Ida Morehead. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors are his wife; one son, R. L. Pettitt of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. C. R. Richards of Blackwell and Mrs. B. H. Rich-

ards of San Diego, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Tiller of Colorado City and Mrs. Fannie Welch of Flora Vista, N. M.; seven grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Roy Sanderson, Lee Lackey, Bill Ware, Earl Cook, John McRorey and Charles Ragsdale.

Burial was in the Blackwell Cemetery under direction of Wells Funeral Home of Roscoe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCutchen

### Bette Blackmon and Jerry McCutchen Are Married Saturday in Double Ring Church Ceremony

Miss Bette Ruth Blackmon became the bride of Jerry Mac McCutchen Saturday, June 9, at 8 p. m. The ceremony was read in the Kickapoo Baptist Church by Ronnie Chesser, ministerial student at Jacksonville Baptist College and Rev. R. W. Blackmon, father of the bride, and pastor of Sunset Baptist Church in Lamesa.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Blackmon of Lamesa and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCutchen of Bronte.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length gown of white lace over satin, featuring long pointed sleeves. Her

flowers were white orchids atop a white Bible.

Her maid of honor was her sister, Janice Sue Blackmon of Lamesa, who wore a street length dress of blue chiffon over taffeta. Her flowers were white carnations.

Larry Robinson of Bronte was best man. Tom Luttrell and Jimmy Ed Mackey were ushers.

Carolyn Wright of Pasadena, Texas was soloist and sang "Always", "Whither Thou Goest" and "Wedding Prayer." Carolyn Glenn accompanied her at the piano.

A reception followed the wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McQueen. About 85 wedding guests were present.

For a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M., the bride wore a light blue Irish linen suit. They were to return June 12 to make their home at 405 E. 29th St. in Odessa where Mr. McCutchen is employed by Texas Natural Gas Co.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McCutchen are graduates of Bronte high school.

### MRS. BEAVER HOSTESS TO KICKAPOO W. M. A.

Mrs. Claude Beaver was hostess to the Kickapoo W. M. A. Monday night for the monthly business meeting and program. Mrs. Noah Pruitt, Sr., president, presided.

Theme for the program was "Appearances of Jesus after the Resurrection." Those taking part included Mmes. Pat Beaver, Dwain Pruitt, Eula Holman and Althea Stephenson. Mrs. Bill Wrinkle gave the devotional.

A girls quartet, composed of Diane Pruitt of Lamesa, Norma Lynn Pruitt, Suzanne Pruitt and Tricia Andrews, sang.

After the meeting, refreshments were served to 22 ladies.

Chris Winton of Mason has returned to his home after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Evans. Other recent visitors in the Evans home have been Billy Sid Evans and Kerry of Spearman. Kerry remained for a longer visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Evans and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brunson.

### FORMER RESIDENT INJURED

Mrs. Faye Scott has returned to her home here after a trip to Houston to be with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stewart, who were seriously injured in an automobile accident three weeks ago.

Mr. Stewart has been released from the hospital, but Mrs. Stewart expects to remain a hospital patient for about six weeks. She is suffering from neck and back injuries. She is the former Beatrice Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright went to Kerrville last week to visit Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Charles Perkins. Mrs. Wright stayed for a week's visit.

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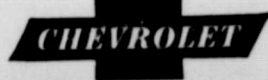
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### LVNAS MEET IN BALLINGER

Division 58 of the LVNA met June 7 in Ballinger. Mrs. Katherine Rogers, executive director of Tom Green County T. B. Assn., and Mr. George Helton, volunteer coordinator of the McKnight State T. B. Hospital at Sanitorium, were in charge of the program. A film on tuberculosis was also shown by Dr. John E. Green of Ballinger.

A social hour followed the program. Next meeting will be July 5th in Bronte.

## Gene Keeney Is New President of Texas Funeralmen

Gene Keeney, son of Mrs. Charlie Keeney of Bronte, was named president last week of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association. He was elected at the association's convention in Galveston recently. Keeney is vice president and general manager of the Robert Massey Funeral Home in San Angelo.

Keeney "grew up" with the funeral business, as his late father Charlie Keeney, and his uncle, Frank Keeney, were in the funeral business in Bronte for more than 40 years.

The new president grew up here and graduated from Bronte High School. He attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and the Dallas School of Embalming. He joined the Robert Massey firm in 1940.

Keeney is a past president of the West Texas Embalmers and Funeral Directors Association, and past president and life member of the Downtown Optimist Club of San Angelo. He is a former vice president of the Boys Ranch of West Texas, a member of the San Angelo Country Club and the Board of City Development.

Mrs. Keeney is the former Ruth Price, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Price of Bronte. They have two children, Cindy, 19, a junior student at the University of Texas, and Gene Price, 15, a student in Central High School.



### New Tax Exemptions

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wilde of Rt. 2, San Angelo, are parents of a son, Michael A., born in a San Angelo hospital June 8. The baby weighed 4 pounds, 2 ounces at birth.

Mrs. Wilde is the former Aveline Mayfield. The couple has four other children, Adonna, David, Joseph and Benson. Mr. Wilde is a farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Isbell of Bronte are grandparents.

The Jack D. Ivey family spent Sunday at Sonora and toured the Sonora Caverns.

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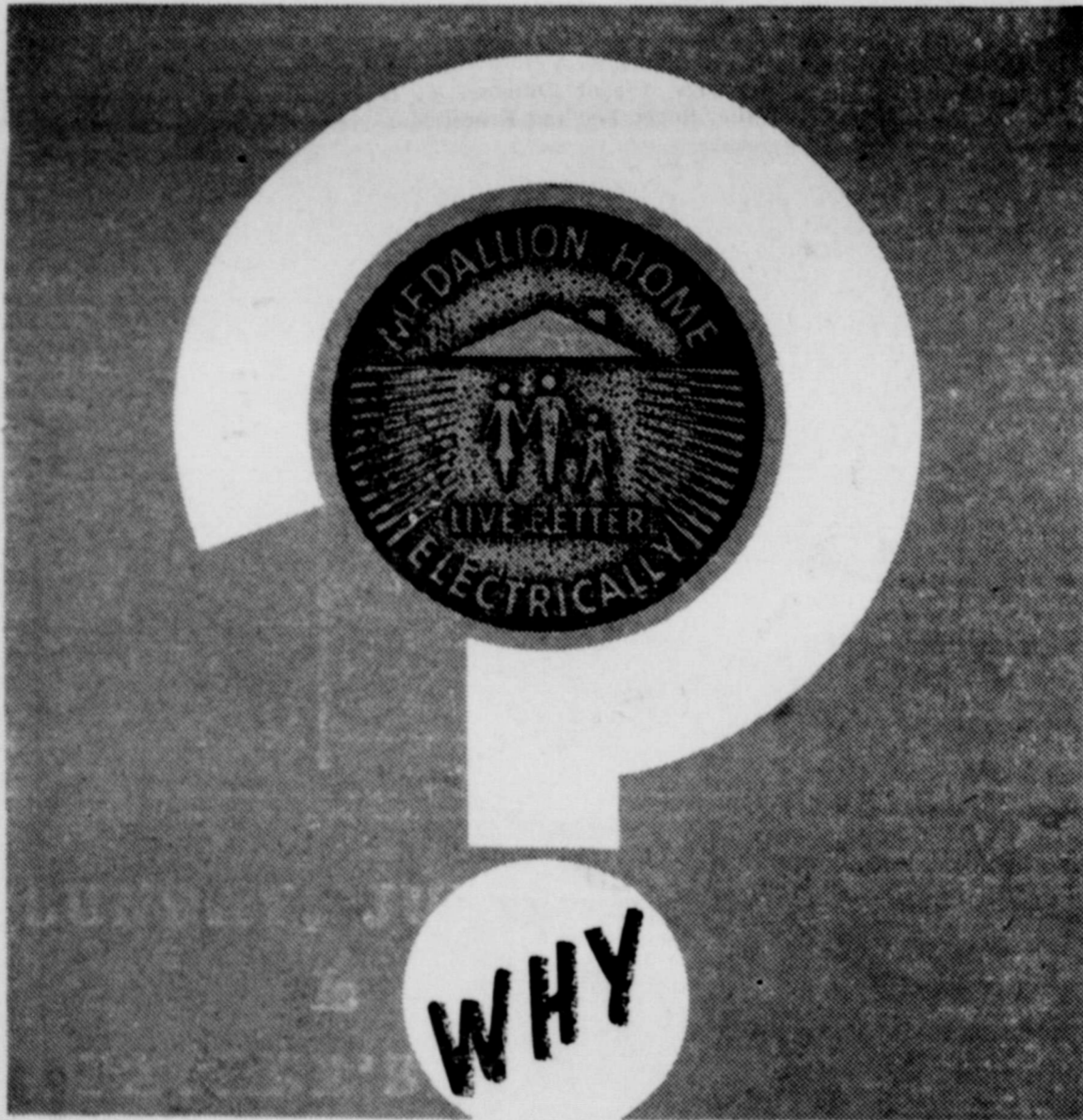
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