

# The Bronte Weekly Enterprise

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## Home Motor Company Has Annual Banquet

The Home Motor Company held their annual banquet Thanksgiving evening which was a most delightful occasion.

The annual banquet of this large and growing automobile institution is one of the permanent features of the yearly program of the Company. On Thanksgiving evening each year the Company is host to its employees and their families. For several years this banquet has been held and is always a happy affair. And the occasion Thursday evening was no exception, unless it was just a bit more enjoyable.

The banquet was held in the sales room of the Company. Plates were laid for twenty. The table was lovely in its floral

decorations of chrysanthemums, roses and pot plants. The menu was a two course, the first consisting of turkey with all the accessories and the other course was ice cream, which was served in splendid way by the three minute Cafe.

Following the repast speeches were in order. Everybody seemed in their happiest mood. Robert Knierim, manager of the Home Motor Company, was master of ceremonies and the speeches were full of good humor and all, both employers and employees, pledged themselves to each other to make the service of the Home Motor Company in every department to excel even what it has been heretofore.

### A Large Turnip

George R. Humlong, owner of the Live Oak ranch, is materially aiding "the old home town" paper these days, by supplying the editorial parsonage with turnips—we meant to say, turnip. But, the one is large enough to last us for some time.

The turnip Mr. Humlong brought tipped the bean at two and a half pounds. It was grown on a small irrigated patch. Mr. Humlong believes in irrigation and has demonstrated in the turnips he has grown that water on the Colorado river valley land will bring marvelous results.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Walton went to San Angelo Monday to be with their daughter, Mrs. R. B. Step, who submitted to an operation. Their friends will be glad to know the operation was successful and the sufferer will soon be strong again, it is hoped.

Mrs. Jess Percifull and children, and Mrs. Tom Modgling were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

### Methodists Enjoy Supper

Things were lively at the Methodist church Thanksgiving evening as a country picnic. It was somewhat a church family affair. The ladies prepared an elegant supper and invited their pastor, Rev. W. E. Anderson and family. The table was spread along the side walk beside the church and an old-fashioned Thanksgiving menu was enjoyed by all present.

The feature of the evening was, it brought the members of the church family into happier fellowship with each other.

### Young Ladies Please Audience

The program rendered at the school auditorium Wednesday by the young ladies of the music and expression department of the school was highly pleasing to the large audience.

The evening's entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. Grace Holder. Each number, according to reports to The Enterprise, deserves special mention. It was an evening of laughter and delight from the first to the last number.

## REV. ANDERSON IS RETURNED

There was deep and genuine rejoicing Monday morning when news came to Mrs. W. E. Anderson from her husband, Rev. W. E. Anderson, at Waxahachie, where he had been for the week in attendance at the Annual Conference, that he had been assigned the pastorate of the Bronte church for another year. Not only was this delight on the part of the members of Rev. Anderson's congregation, but it was generally universal.

This is the fourth year on which Rev. Anderson is entering as pastor of the local congregation. The work starts well and Rev. Anderson and family return to a charge in which his people are a unit and in which happy fellowship obtains, and the people love Rev. and Mrs. Anderson for their constant devotion to the work of the church and to the moral and spiritual interests of the entire community.

Welcome, to the new (?) pastor of the Methodist church and family. May this be their very best and most happy year among the people of the town and community.

### Primitive Baptists Next Week

Last week The Enterprise carried an announcement with reference to a meeting of the Primitive Baptists at Robert Lee stating it was today. But, it was an error. The meeting is to begin Friday before the 1st, Sunday in December and run over Sunday, which will be next week instead of this week. We regret the error but it was made due to the fact that there are five Sundays in this month.

Due to the observance of Thanksgiving by the entire force of The Enterprise the paper comes to you short of news this week. But, soon as all recover from the "turkey shock" from which they are suffering, we will try to do better.

### Hayrick School Starts Well

Miss Nettie Carlile, one of the teachers at Hayrick, was in Bronte Saturday and advised The Enterprise that the Hayrick school was starting fine. Three weeks of the school have been taught and everything is now thoroughly organized and running smoothly. Miss Lorie Jackson, also of Bronte is the other teacher.

The school opened with an enrollment of twenty eight, but there will be several others yet, soon as cotton picking is through.

Miss Carlile informed The Enterprise that a new basketball has been purchased and that the grounds have been put in fine condition. The school building has also been thoroughly cleaned and put in the best con-

### Thanksgiving in Bronte.

Thanksgiving in Bronte was a quiet occasion, yet generally the day was happily spent. The lovely November sun was shining almost like spring time and there was a touch of delight in the atmosphere. There were many enjoyable dinners in the homes of the people, while some of them went to gather pecans and spend the day close to the heart of nature.

H. T. Sims and Raymond Coleman went to Clyde Thursday on a few days visit.

W. E. Benson and family of Hamlin are visitors in the D. M. West home.

dition possible.

There will be a box supper at Hayrick tonight, Friday, the 27th the proceeds to go to the school benefit fund. Everybody cordially invited to come, bring a box and then buy a box after you arrive.

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# The Hub

BALLINGER, TEXAS

## BRONTE ENTERPRISE

Entered as Second-Class matter, March 1, 1918, at the Post Office at Bronte, Texas, under the Act of March 1, 1871.

D. M. West, Editor  
and Business Manager  
SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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"Bab, we don't like turkey now how!"

Don't get alarmed, it's only a case of "the day after."

Yesterday is known as "national thanksgiving day." Today might as appropriately be known as "national doctor's day," for possibly he is the busiest man in American affairs today.

An exchange asks, "what has become of the old-fashioned cook?" The question is easily answered; "She started a fire with gasoline and she has not been seen since."

Lets see (Ahem), who was it that supported "Ma" anyhow?

It is true that it is a case of "I told you so," but when it is true, there's no use to deny it—we are just thinking of the last governor's race.

We wonder, if "Ma" will be a candidate now for re-election. "Apron string Jim" gave it out some months ago that she would not be a candidate unless her administration was attacked. We want to know what "Jim" and those who supported "Ma" think about it—has her administration been attacked?

The Hamlin Herald brings forth a new one on a tennent in the Hamlin section of country. The said tennant subscribed for the home town paper for his landlord. That's a new kind of tennant. There are one or two instances in the Bronte country where tennants could do some real missionary work for their community by doing the same thing.

But, Lynch Davidson—what of him? He aided in her election and now says that she has betrayed him. If Lynch had not more foresight as a statesman than to lead his people to support one who would betray them, he might make a worse mistake should he be seated in the chair of authority. Hence far as we are concerned, we had just as soon have "Ma" as Lynch.

Albert Davis has made his annual contribution to our expense account the other day, by advancing the subscriptions of himself and his brother, Walton, at Jayton. Mr. Davis is just as regular as the ticking of a clock in his annual visits to our office for which we thank him.

O. R. McQueen "starts anew" with us by advancing his subscription figures which we appreciate.

E. R. Gideon, manager of the planters gin, buys another package of Enterprises—he will get it in fifty two broken doses. Thanks, Ernest.

Bailey Bell and Hubert Hayley are the only lucky hunters out last week from whom we have had any report. Mr. Hayley killed two turkey while Mr. Bell brought down a two point buck.

## Are You Ready?

Are you ready so far as your car is concerned to go any minute you wish to do so; to go anywhere you might wish to go? If not, right now, during the somewhat idle time, between closing up your cotton picking and getting ready to start another crop, is a good time to bring your car in and let us go over it and put it in proper condition for you.

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## SERVICE GARAGE

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BORNTE,

TEXAS

### The Value Of A Name.

A traveling man was in town the other day. He said he had three different names for the sake of getting the business. He claimed one name, he said, he used for a white man, another for a jew, and the third name he always used for a crook. He claimed to have three cards. One he would hand out with a white man's name, when he called on a white man; another he handed out, with a jew's name when he called on jew, and if he called on a man who was known somewhat as a crook, he had a third card with a different name from the other two, he handed to the fellow with a shady reputation.

We don't know whether this particular traveling man told the truth or not, but it suggests the value of a name. Since the world began names have played an important part in the history of the race. But, some men care no more for their family name than this particular traveling man seems to care for a name—they use it any way if it gets them "the bacon."

### Lease Filling Station

U. F. Taylor and sons have leased the First & Last Chance Filling Station from J. A. Shook and have taken charge of same.

Due to his having been ill for some weeks Mr. Shook could not give the station the proper attention. Hence he has leased it so that the patrons of the station can continue to get quick and prompt service.

The fact that the Messrs. Taylor have assumed charge means that the station will be properly conducted and that those who go there for service will get satisfactory attention.

### Valley View Singing Fine

The all-day singing of the Coke County Singing Conyention at Valley View Sunday is reported as having been a most enjoyable day.

There was a large attendance, an elegant dinner served at noon, and inspirational singing throughout the day. The Valley View people proved themselves excellent hosts.

Robert Knierim, of the Home Motor Company, made a hurried trip to Dallas this week.

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AMON G. CARTER, Publisher.

K. C. Mayes, one of Coke's old-time ranchmen and farmers, whose ranch and farm is on the Colorado river, southwest of town, was "doing" San Angelo Tuesday.

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## Home Motor Company

Robert Knierim, Manager,

Bronte, Texas

Hervey Humlong returned Tuesday from Dallas where he spent several days transacting business.

### Oats For Sale.

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## The Robertson Company

San Angelo, Texas

B. R. King, one of Marie's successful farmers, has the thanks of those who stay at the editorial parsonage for a fine supply of turnips and greens.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hudman from Kerville are here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Modgling were shopping in San Angelo Tuesday.

### Cemetery Dues

Please pay your cemetery dues to the treasurer, George McCuiston. It is important that you do this at once.

Mrs. O. H. Willoughby,  
Secretary.

### FALL ORDERS WITH CANCELLING PRIVILEGES

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ical art that has ever been given to the people of the Southwest. Hence we watch with more than ordinary interest the columns of the paper he represents for this piece of historical review of the local question under consideration.

Mr. Vinson and Robert Knierim, manager of the Home Motor Company, hail from the same "beat" in East Texas—they know all about "seed" ticks, muscadines and persimmons. It was interesting to hear them talk about "the old home town." But if either knew any thing on the other, "mum" was the word with both of them.

### Negro Couple Wed.

"Aided and abetted" by S. H. Chumley, Rev. W. H. Rosser "pulled off" the only Thanksgiving wedding of which The Enterprise has heard. The contracting parties were Horace Hodge and Mrs. Mabel Elgin.

The Enterprise editor happened to be at the Red Ball Filling Station when Mr. Chumley drove up with a whole car load of colored folks. The contracting parties advised the preacher that they

When In

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TEXAS

### M. E. CHURCH NOTES.

W. E. Anderson, Pastor.

Returned, yes we were read out for the fourth time to Bronte and we are here to work, to love, to pray, and in an humble way to help the church as best we can to carry out our Lord's command. We are thankful to our Heavenly Father for the progress of the Bronte charge during the past three years. But, as we look around and view the field we are moved with deep anxiety for a greater work and progress. Our prayer is that I myself, and every member of the church and Sunday schools will begin a new with the new Conference year to do a greater work for our Lord in the building up of his church and in the extension of His Gospel than we have done before. Our Sunday schools are well organized and at work and we can say, thank God for the faithful workers. There is a place for every one. Come to any and all of our services. Yours for a greater years work.

### Mules For Sale.

Gentle work mules. See F. O. Key. 442tpd

### News' Staff Correspondent A Visitor

Curtis Vinson, special staff correspondent of the Dallas News, has been a guest of the Humblongs this week at their country home on the Live Oak ranch.

While here Mr. Vinson took occasion to gather historical data with reference to the local irrigation project and will draft an article on same.

This will be interesting reading for Mr. Vinson is a concise and incisive writer and goes to the heart of things in his written record of events. He was one of the writers that directed the

Fortieth Anniversary Edition of the News recently which was one of the most splendid pieces of news, editorial and typography.

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### Coke County Singing Convention

The Coke County Singing Convention met at Valley View Sunday. A large crowd was present. The people of this community really "put things over in a big way." The dinner table was very beautiful being something like 70 feet of good

eats. More communities and counties were represented than ever before. The Runnels county classes rendered some good selections. Those who were not present really missed a great day. The next Convention will be at Edith the 4th Sunday in December. Come one and all. Secretary.

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were wanting to get married. Whereupon Rev. Rosser in his usually solemn way spoke the words that made the twain to be one.

There are two historical facts of importance about the wedding. The first is, far as The Enterprise can learn, it is the second marriage of colored people in Coke county and the first in Bronte.

The other important historical fact is that the bride of this happy (?) occasion is a divorcee. We wonder if Mr. Chumley and Rev. Rosser won't get "kicked out of the synagogue" for "the unscriptural marriage" of these two "niggers?" We'll wait and see.

### Two Horses Lost

Sorrels, 4 years old, weight about 1100 pounds each. Strayed from my farm. Notify Charley Black, Bronte, Texas.