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How "3.2" Makes San Angelo Sober (?)

"Before 3.2 beer became legal, the young folks made their own home brew or purchased the bootleg stuff. That beer was high powered almost invariably. The kids got drunk and often wild on the stuff. Then, too, they quite often mixed a little strong whiskey along with the beer. Others drank hard liquor alone. Now, most of the young ones get a bottle or two at the reputable beer joints, enough to satisfy their desire for drink, even if it's just enough to give faint to their breath, and they DON'T GET DRUNK. The drinker will have to stow away a lot of 3.2 to get really drunk."—Night Chief of Police of San Angelo, in the San Angelo Morning Times, in its issue of October 31, 1933.

The two parallel statements of two of San Angelo's leading citizens set out above, give the statement of an officer of the law of that city, and the other gives the cold facts as stated by the principal of the high school of the same city.

If it were not for the tragic features involved, the song of praise by an officer of the law, in behalf of legalized beer as to its wholesome effect upon the citizenship of that city, and he cold-blooded facts set out in the very next issue of the same paper, would be extremely amusing. For the officer to "toot" and "toot" about how sober legalized beer has made the people of that city—almost making the reform to be worthy to become the "Eight Wonder of the World"—then, in less than ten

"We do not believe that the students were entirely to blame. I never have seen as much drinking following a high school football game as at Big Spring. Most of it was done by adults but some by students. Parents and other grown-ups who indulged set a bad example for the boys and girls. Unless the students and others who go to high school football games do not conduct themselves properly, we will have to discontinue road trips by the football team."—Prof. Chester H. Kenley, Principal, San Angelo High School in the San Angelo Evening Standard of its issue of October 31, 1933.

hours from the publication of his booze ebullitions, for the outstanding citizen of the entire city, far as touch with the youth of that community is concerned—the principal of the high school—to come out with a statement of cold-blooded facts, as follows: "I never have seen as much drinking following a high school football game as at Big Spring. Most of it was done by adults but some by students." will make hundreds and hundreds and hundreds of West Texans to wonder if that official has not missed his calling—that he should be a humorist instead of a peace officer, as he seemingly can joke cruelly yet complacently with the facts.

The fact is, without the inci- (Continued on page two)

FIRST NATIONAL BANK MAKES FINE SHOWING

The Enterprise carries in this issue a half page ad of the First National Bank, in which the Financial Statement is published as required by law, at the close of business, October 25th.

The report shows the bank's condition to be most healthy, which shows that the bank under the direction of Messrs. L. T. Youngblood and J. T. Harmon with the assistance of their board of directors and corps of office helpers, are making the financial institution of Bronte not only "weather the gale" of the depression but are conforming to the NRA code and thus making Bronte's bank to do its part.

MISSION SOCIETY PROGRAM

Following is the program of the Women's Mission Society of the Methodist church, to be held at the church, Monday afternoon, November 6, at 2 o'clock: Devotional, Mrs. B. E. Modgling.

Scripture reading. Song, "Sweet hour of prayer." God's Free Offer, by leader. God's Free Gift, Miss Lottie Ivey.

Four Tests of Acceptance, Mrs. John Clapp. Will You Accept this Offer? Mrs. Gideon.

Special song: In the Garden, Mesdames Sims and Taylor. Quiet Meditations. Prayer.

Refreshments. Piano prelude. Dialogue: Building and Curing in Chankow, Mesdames B. F. Bridges and M. A. Butner.

Our Week of Prayer Specials, Mrs. I. M. Cumbie. Offering.

Our Motto. This is our Week of Prayer Program.

It's subscription time. Thanks.

ENTERTAIN THE SCHOOL FACULTY

Misses Nora English and Lucille Patterson were hostesses Monday evening to the Bronte school faculty.

The guests were "tied together" in couples, as they arrived. The couples had to get separated without untying the strings and the antics of the guests in getting free were more like school children than the "dignified faculty."

Pumpkin pie and coffee was served to the following teachers and guests:

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hankins, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hull, Miss Hooper, Miss Lowry, Mr. Fitzhugh, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas, Mr. Gulley, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Youngblood, Miss Mary Ruth Youngblood, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Powell.

LONG HORNS DEFEAT WITH FINAL SCORE 37-0

The Blackwell Hornets were defeated Friday on their own field by the Bronte Longhorns.

The score at the end of the first half was 23-0, which was three touchdowns and a safety. During the last half of the game the Bronte team carried the ball over the touchdown line four different times but for some reason only two of these touchdowns counted. This made the final score 37-0 in the Longhorn's favor. The score would have probably been greater for the Bronte boys if the game had been played in regular 15 minute quarters instead of 8 minute quarters.

Both teams played clean football but the Blackwell boys lacked the training and skill which the Bronte boys showed.

The other games scheduled for the rest of the year are:

Robert Lee, November 2, at Bronte.

Blackwell, November 11, at Bronte.

Robert Lee, November 24, at Robert Lee.

The dates which Bronte has open are: November 7 and Thanksgiving.

Football Reporter.

BRONTE YOUNG LADY BUSY AT COLLEGE

From copies of "Baylor College Bells," the weekly college newspaper of Baylor College for women at Belton, which come to The Enterprise, we note that Miss Mary Louise Holder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holder, is a very busy young woman with her school activities in Baylor.

Recently the young ladies in Hardy Hall gave a Scotch party, in which scotch songs were sung. Miss Holder was a member of the orchestra that played the accompaniments for the singers, she playing the clarinet.

Another item we note is that Miss Holder has been made pianist of Gamma Society, which is the literary society of which she recently became a member.

The many friends of Miss Holder here at home will be delighted to know of her progress in college—but it is no more than her friends expect.

GRANDMOTHER KEENEY DIES

As we are ready to go to press this morning, the sad news comes of the death of Grandmother Keeney, which occurred in the night at a Ballinger sanitarium. It is reported that the funeral will be in the morning.

The biographical sketch of this noble woman will appear in next issue of The Enterprise.

It's subscription time. Thanks.

Community Talks

BY ULMER S. BIRD
FAR AND NEAR

There are people who never see further than their own pasture or fieldfence.

There are others who are always getting hot and bothered over the situation at Washington but can never see anything to do in their own communities.

The first is too near-sighted, the second too far-sighted.

The man who never learns how to be a good citizen at home can never do the nation much good. And the man who is not interested in the world beyond his precinct or county line is not broad enough to be worth much at home.

The fellow who has no concern whatever for the sinner in China or South America usually does not lavish much love on the sinner on the next farm.

And the fellow who can't get interested in his near neighbors needn't be blowing a trumpet about the sinners in Africa.

RESOLUTIONS In Memory of F. O. Key

We, the Board of Stewards of the Methodist Church, South, Bronte, Texas, in tender memory and lasting affection for our deceased member and president, Brother F. O. Key, whom the Heavenly Father, in His infinite love and wisdom, called from among us, and from the activities of this life, on July 3rd last, wish to submit the following resolutions:

Therefore be it resolved:

1. That in the sudden going of Brother F. O. Key, we have sustained a seeming irreparable loss to our Board of Stewards, the church and community.

2. That as a member of our church and Board of Stewards, his life was one of usefulness, and his labors and examples of love a benediction to all.

3. That he loved his church and in a literal way followed the example of our blessed Master "and gave himself for it."

4. That no task about the church did he consider too menial to be done with his own hands.

5. That he made possible the going of the Kingdom of God by the giving of his means, many times, his friends thought, beyond his ability, but he did it out of a heart free to do the will of God.

6. That we hereby express to his widowed wife and loved ones, our deepest sympathy in this mutual bereavement.

7. That we spread a copy of these resolutions on the minutes of our Quarterly Conference record; that a copy be given the family of Brother Key, and a copy be furnished the Southwestern Advocate and the Bronte Enterprise.

Faternally submitted,

Board of Stewards,

M. E. Church South,

Bronte, Texas.

A. N. Rawlings, Chairman.

Mrs. L. Johnson, Secretary.

T. C. Price.

I. M. Cumbie.

J. D. Leonard.

Mrs. B. F. Bridgys.

B. E. Modgling.

Prof. T. P. Carter from Olga was in town Tuesday and took time to call and give us greetings. Prof. Carter told us of attending the city park at Abilene and seeing a freak of nature in the form of a five-legged hog with six feet. The animal has the four normal legs and feet. The fifth leg is on the left hip and hangs limp down the animal's side, to which is attached two feet. Prof. Carter pronounces it a most remarkable freak. Prof. Carter also told us of seeing his first baboons in the city park there.

TENNYSON SCHOOL HAS A "HOBO PARTY"

The Tennyson school and the entire community as well, had one of the happiest social events in the history of the community, Tuesday evening, according to information that came to The Enterprise from one who was in attendance.

The occasion was a hallow'een party for the students, in which the parents and all others of the community cared to do so, participated. That it might be something new and something different it was called a "hobo party." And according to the views of our informant, it was all the name implies—and "then some."

A "hobo" feast was served during the evening which consisted of "hobo stew" and other delicacies that are relished by hoboes only. Our informant advised us, however, that if the above is the correct way to pass judgment on the menu, it was the biggest bunch of hoboes our informant ever saw together.

An evening of games and happy social intercourse was enjoyed by the large number present.

CLASS HAS HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION

The J. O. Y. Sunday School Class celebrated Hallow'een in the usual manner Tuesday evening when approximately thirty members and visitors enjoyed games and stunts suitable for the occasion at the tabernacle.

Oscar Long received the prize for being the most skillfully masked; others receiving prizes were Cumbie Ivey for making the best looking article from chewing gum, Henry Gulley for "ringing the cat" and Mrs. Carrie Williams in a whistling contest.

Decorations and refreshments carried the season's symbols and colors.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brey, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Long, Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Williams Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keeney, Rev. Lewis Stuckey, Mrs. Carrie Williams, Mrs. Frank Grimes, Mrs. Homer Gold, Mrs. Cova Collier, Mrs. Ronald Walton, Henry Gulley, Edward Williams, Cumbie Ivey, Jr., Billy Taylor, Jack and Bob Good, Maxine Brey.

Mrs. Frank Grimes,
Class Reporter.

It's subscription time. Thanks.

It's subscription time. A hint is sufficient isn't it? Thanks.

WHAT are the PURCHASING AGENTS DOING?

EVERY BIG COMPANY HAS ONE OR MORE MEN WHOSE ENTIRE TIME IS DEVOTED TO BUYING THE THINGS WHICH THAT COMPANY NEEDS. THESE MEN ARE SPECIALISTS. IT IS THEIR BUSINESS TO KNOW PRICES... MATERIALS... SOURCES OF SUPPLY... PRESENT AND FUTURE TRENDS. THEY ARE THE SHREWDEST, CANNIEST BUYERS IN THE WORLD.

BUT ALL OF US, IN A SMALL WAY, ARE PURCHASING AGENTS. WE HAVE TO BUY A CERTAIN NUMBER OF THINGS, IF ONLY TO KEEP ALIVE. AND MOST OF US AREN'T VERY SKILLFUL AT IT. WE WASTE A LOT OF MONEY. WE MISS THE GOOD BARGAINS. IN FACT, WE COULD LEARN A GREAT DEAL BY WATCHING A PROFESSIONAL BUYER AT HIS WORK.

AT THIS TIME, ESPECIALLY, IT MAY BE HELPFUL TO KNOW WHAT THE BIG PURCHASING AGENTS ARE DOING. ARE THEY CUTTING DOWN? ARE THEY OPENING UP? DO THEY THINK THIS IS A GOOD TIME TO BUY OR A BAD TIME? WHAT DO THEY THINK ABOUT THE FUTURE?

WELL, THE ANSWER IS THAT THEY ARE ALL BUYING AS FAST AS THEY CAN BUY. AND THEY ARE BUYING BECAUSE THEY KNOW THAT PRICES ARE GOING UP.

"PIG IRON HAS ADVANCED 13 PER CENT," THE PURCHASING AGENT OF A \$20,000,000 CORPORATION RECENTLY SAID. "BRASS IS UP 12 1-2 PER CENT. I AM PAYING 41 PER CENT MORE FOR LUMBER THAN I DID IN MARCH, AND FIBER PACKING CASES HAVE

DOUBLED IN PRICE. IN FACT, EVERYTHING WE USE IN THIS BUSINESS IS COSTING US MORE TODAY. AND WILL IN MY OPINION COST US STILL MORE TOMORROW. I BELIEVE... THAT MANY COMMODITIES WILL BE BACK TO OR NEAR 1929 LEVELS BY SPRING."

THAT'S THE WAY THE PROFESSIONAL PURCHASING AGENTS FEEL ABOUT IT AND THEY KNOW. THEY HAVE SPECIAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION. THEY ARE CLOSELY IN TOUCH WITH INDUSTRY. THEY HAVE STUDIED THE WORKINGS OF THE NRA CODES. PRICES ARE GOING UP. AND IT'S A GOOD THING FOR EVERYONE. FOR THINGS HAD COME TO THE POINT WHERE NOTHING HAD ANY TRUE VALUE. A MAN'S TIME... HIS PRODUCT... HIS PROPERTY... ALL HAD SUNK SO LOW IN VALUE THAT HE COULDN'T EVEN GET A DECENT LIVING.

THAT COULDN'T GO ON. SO THE GOVERNMENT SET UP THE MACHINERY OF THE NRA CODES IN ORDER TO MAKE EVERYTHING WORTH SOMETHING AGAIN. THIS PROCESS IS NOW UNDER WAY. WAGES ARE BEING RAISED. COMMODITIES ARE BRINGING BETTER PRICES EVERY DAY. BUT IT IS NOT OVER. BEFORE FAIR VALUES... LIVING VALUES... CAN BE REACHED, PRICES WILL HAVE TO GO HIGHER THAN THEY ARE NOW.

BEFORE THEY DO, TAKE A LEAF FROM THE PURCHASING AGENT'S BOOK, AND LAY IN A SUPPLY OF THE THINGS YOU NEED. THERE ARE MANY GOOD BARGAINS STILL TO BE HAD. BUT THESE STOCKS ARE STRICTLY LIMITED. NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

and for pleasure, who would like for this officer to explain how he knows that the "young ones get a bottle or two" at "reputable beer joints"—if that is happening, there are many parents of the "old fogey" class yet, who will strive to keep their "boys and girls" away from San Angelo.

Anyhow, there are counties in which should an officer make such a statement he would get to explain to the grand jury, why such violations are allowed—if it is a violation to sell to minors.

Of course, the wholesale spree of drunkenness of the students in question, "their parents and other grown-ups" did not take place in San Angelo—it was in Big Spring. But, Big Spring has the same kind of innocent (?) 3.2.

We just can't find any explanation for such wholesale debauchery and drunkenness as is reported above, by the high school principal, unless it is the fact that they had to pass thru Sterling City, the home town of "Uncle Bill" Kellis, editor of the Sterling City News-Record and ardent "legal booze" defender in the recent election. We remember "Uncle Bill" said just after the election that Sterling would have good, (?) wholesome (?) legal beer, where all could get it and not have to trail a bootlegger to the brush for a drink, and that "things will go merrily on" in Sterling. It could be that "the students, their parents and other grown-ups" found things "going merrily on," in Sterling at such swift gait compared with San Angelo, they simply could not survive the spell and by the time they reached Big Spring, the whole bunch, "parents" and all, were "down with their heads under them."

No, readers, the facts are, the masses listened to the siren voices of the representatives of the brewers and turned a deaf ear to the appeals of the teachers, social workers, preachers, and others who worked unselfishly to keep this curse of legal booze from being turned loose on the people again. And, the harvest is sure to be—a harvest of drunkenness and dissipation, such as that participated in by "the students, their parents and other grownups" of San Angelo.

San Angelo voted the curse back upon themselves. Their more sober and progressive citizenry are trying to build a junior college there of goodly-sized pretensions, which is most worthy and laudable on their part. But, parents—real parents, not the kind that went to Big Spring with their children and got drunk with them—will not debate as to whether they should send their children to a city like Abilene or Sweetwater where booze is not legally sold to their children, when they come to deciding with reference to where to send their children for educational advantages.

FOR SALE

About 900 bundles good hickory in the field 2 1-2 cents a bundle; delivered, 3 1-2 cents a bundle. See or phone me.

J. A. Branaman.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking the good people of Bronte and Havrick for their many kindnesses to us in the illness and death of our little baby girl. Especially do we thank the good people of Havrick for their financial assistance which they so generously gave. Good friends, it is much appreciated and we thank each one of you for your kindly consideration and help, and we shall cherish each of you and your kindness to us on through life. God bless you.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eubanks.

LOST.—Lady's red felt hat in Bronte, Sunday.. I will appreciate its return, if found.

Mrs. J. B. Stallcup.

This NRA Ad is Paid For by the Undersigned Business Men and other Citizens Who are 100 Per Cent Behind the National Recovery Act Program:

- FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Bronte, Texas
- KEENEY'S VARIETY STORE
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- W. MODGLING, Grocery & Market
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THE BRONTE ENTERPRISE Editor and Business Manager D. M. West

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November—bleak November!

The situation is critical, far as stock and the stock owners are concerned, speaking generally, just at this time. The failure of the late summer rains to come and the continued drought to the present, leaves the pastures barren as a desert; then, too, cattle are not worth what they should

be on the markets, and the utter failure of the forage crops and the financial inability of many of the stock owners to buy feed to carry stock through the winter makes a bad situation to say the least.

However, barring the feed situation, the general condition of the country is much better than a year ago. There are more meat hogs that are just about ready now for slaughtering, and there is more surplus cash in the hands of the masses. And, too, not as many are in debt as a year ago. The people have slumped and have not gone very

heavily in debt. Then, many have canned calves as there was no sale for them and those who raised vegetables have canned them—therefore, generally speaking, the country is in much better condition than a year ago.

WHO IS BLIND?

Most ministers of the gospel are so blinded by their prejudices concerning prohibition that they have left off preaching temperance and for the past several years used their pulpits to preach prohibition—drink prevention by law.—Terry County Herald.

"O would some Power the gift give us to see ourselves as others see us." Are you right sure, Jack, that it is the preachers who are blinded by prejudice? Although you have been shooting broadsides at prohibition for a year in the interest of "temperance", when have you written a real temperance editorial for your paper? When have you warned your young readers against the evils of drink? When have you denounced wine as a mocker and strong drink as raging? When have you admonished the youth of our land to "look not upon the wine when it is red" and reminded them that "at last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder?" While fighting prohibition when have you really done anything through the columns of your paper for temperance? Now, don't get sore, Jack. We don't mean to be offensive in the least. We just want you to take

a good look at yourself. After doing that, go ahead and throw some more rocks at the preachers, if you feel like it. Throw 'em at us, too, if you want to; but now that national prohibition at least is done for, why not join us in a real temperance campaign?—Lynn County News.

SAN ANGELO SOBER

(Continued from page one) dent in question, showing the inconsistency of the officer's statement, his statements will sound to many like the "bellowings" of paid agitators for legalized beer in pre-election days.

And another thing about the officer's paean of praise to legalized beer, about which many West Texans will think, is this declaration he makes, as quoted above: "Now, most of the young ones get a bottle or two at the reputable beer joints, enough to satisfy their desire for drink."

The thing about which many West Texans will think and want to know concerning the above, is:

Is it not a violation of law for the "young ones" to be allowed to buy beer, even at "a reputable beer joint?" As many understand this wonderful, (?) "real temperance-promoting" (?) beer law, a minor is not even allowed to work in a place where the harmless (?) "stuff" is sold, much less buy "a bottle or two." We know that we voice the sentiment of hundreds of parents whose boys and girls go to San Angelo, more or less regularly, to do their shopping

FIRE INSURANCE IS ESSENTIAL

THESE STRESSFUL TIMES

FOR IF YOU SHOULD LOSE YOUR PROPERTY BY FIRE IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO REGAIN. NOW INSURANCE PROTECTS YOU. WE WRITE FIRE, HAIL AND TORNADO INSURANCE

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OF

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WE DO OUR PART

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THIS BANK'S PROGRAM

We foster and encourage the following program:

- Live at home.
- The Cow, the Sow and the hen.
- Gardens for table use.
- Better livestock.
- Better field seed.
- Hogs for every farm.
- Diversified farming.
- Better preparation of soil for planting.
- Thrift and frugality.

Member Federal Reserve System

Federal License No. 89
Federal Charter No. 12,723

Charter No. 12,723 Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN
BRONTE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE
OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 25, 1933.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$96,072.20
Overdrafts	180.07
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	9,548.07
Banking house, \$7,000; Furniture and Fixtures \$2,975.00	9,975.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	1.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	37,602.37
Cash in vault and balances with other banks	109,013.71
Outside checks and other cash items	117.20
Total	\$253,509.62
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits	\$210,622.88
Public funds of States, counties, school districts or other subdivisions or municipalities	2,492.06
Capital account:	
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100. per share:	\$25,000.00
Surplus	12,500.00
Undivided profits—net	2,894.68
Reserves for contingencies	\$40,394.68
Total, including Capital Account	\$253,509.62

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COKE, ss:
I, L. T. Youngblood, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
L. T. Youngblood, President.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1933.
L. Johnson, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest: J. T. Harmon, Carrie G. Williams, Geo. H. McCuiston.

OFFICERS

- L. T. YOUNGBLOOD,** President.
J. T. HARMON, Active Vice-President.
JOE McCUTCHEN, Vice-President.
CARRIE G. WILLIAMS, Cashier.
CORA BELLE CORLEY, Assistant Cashier.
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The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows:

Junior Medical Officer (Interne), \$2,000 a year, Saint Elizabeth Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Operative, Secret Service, \$2,600 to \$2,900 a year, Treasury Department.

Junior Graduate Nurse, \$1,620 a year, various services throughout the United States.

Teacher of Home Economics, Senior High School, \$2,000 a year, Teacher of Home Economics, Reservation and Junior High School, \$1,860 a year, Indian Service, Department of the Interior.

Student Fingerprint Classifier, \$1,440 a year, Division of Investigation, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

Senior Stenographer, \$1,620 a year, Junior Stenographer, \$1,440 a year, Junior Typist, \$1,400 a year, Junior Typist, \$1,260 a year, departmental and field service.

The salaries named above are subject to a deduction not to exceed 15 per cent as a measure of economy and to a retirement deduction of 3 1-2 per cent.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office in any city which has a post office of the first or the second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. U. G. Thomas and daughter, Miss Marguerite, were among the shoppers from Bronte, in San Angelo, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham were shopping in San Angelo Wednesday.

LOW TEXAS C. C. C. DEATH TOLL

Fort Sam Houston, Texas, October 30.—With only two deaths in the Texas District C. C. C., during the first enrollment period, District and Camp officials are beginning the second period with plans to reduce still further this exceptionally mortality rate during the present period which commenced October 1. Approximately 4800 men were enrolled in the 24 hour camps in the Texas District, but there were only two deaths, one accidental (due to an enrollee diving into shallow water) and the other from pneumonia. Although one camp in the District had a near epidemic of typhoid fever with 29 cases placed in the Station Hospital at Fort Sam Houston, there were no fatalities. There were no deaths in the first period due to accidents in line of duty.

Col. L. Brechemin, Jr., commander of the 2nd Medical Regiment and Major J. D. Mings, M. C., are the District's medical officer and assistant medical officer, respectively. The medical officer for Sub-District No. 1, with headquarters at Lufkin, Texas, is Major Wm. M. White, M. C., Major E. G. Reinartz, M. C., is medical officer for Sub-District No. 2, with headquarters at Cleburne, Texas. Camp surgeons include regular army medical officers, reserve medical officers, and full time and part time contract surgeons.

Four ambulances are employed in transporting serious cases of sickness or accident from the camps to the Station Hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, or in emergencies, to the Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas, the Hospital at Barksdale Field, Shreveport, or to nearby civilian hospitals.

A high degree of cooperation in hygiene and sanitation has

been secured from the C. C. C. enrollees by camp commanders and surgeons. Talks and demonstrations on first aid and personal hygiene are given frequently in each camp with gratifying results. Particular attention is paid to health conditions when reconnaissances are made of new camp sites, and no site is approved if any doubt exists as to its healthfulness. With District and Camp officials working towards a common end, the second enrollment period of the C. C. C. in the Texas District is expected to set another gratifying record of good health and low mortality.

The Enterprise editor enjoyed a delightful call from Rev. Ulmer S. Bird of Sanco, Saturday afternoon. Rev. Bird said that he had called on us several times in the past but had never been able to "find us at home." We have been accused of many things through the passing years, but, far as we know, it is the first time in our "young life" were we ever accused of being a "gad about." Anyhow we immensely enjoyed the visit of this fine, consecrated and capable young preacher. Rev. Bird is a preacher purely for the good he can do for suffering, sorrowing men. Call often, Rev. Bird. Rev. Bird is also a capable writer and we are pleased to inform our readers that he will contribute timely articles to the columns of The Enterprise.

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P. O. BOX 678

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Phone No. 6524
SAN ANGELO TEXAS

RED CROSS RELIEF AIDS DISTRESSED IN 120 DISASTERS

Help Given in Fires, Floods, Earthquake and Epidemics Part of Year's Task

The American Red Cross has reached into the homes of six million families in the past year with unemployment and disaster relief, Chairman John Bar to Payne announced.

"As the year closed the organization continued in readiness to serve in the forthcoming winter at the point of greatest need and to adjust its service to meet the calls of the emergency of unemployment and disaster," Chairman Payne stated.

In a year of greatest economic distress in the nation's history, in which the Red Cross ably discharged a relief task in distributing flour and clothing to distressed families in all but six of the nation's 3,998 counties, the organization also was called into action in 120 disasters, of which 96 were within the borders of the United States.

Earthquake, floods, hurricanes, fires and other cataclysms visited death and destruction upon the lives and homes of thousands of people. Red Cross statistics showed that in the 120 disasters almost a thousand lives were lost, 148,340 homes were destroyed or damaged, 13,275 persons were injured, and Red Cross relief was given to 452,879 individuals.

In giving aid in these disasters, in its unemployment relief and in handling the distribution of government wheat and cotton, the Red Cross expended from its national treasury the sum of \$1,970,284.

During one period of twelve weeks, 46 disasters occurred in 23 states. Red Cross disaster workers were hard pressed in meeting all of these needs occurring at once, but everywhere misery was promptly relieved.

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WE WANT YOUR TURKEYS

TO THE TURKEY RAISERS OF THE BALLINGER-BRONTE TRADE TERRITORY: THE TURKEY SEASON IS HERE AGAIN. THE MARKET WILL OPEN WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS—GET IN TOUCH WITH US.

WE DO NOT KNOW, OF COURSE, JUST HOW THE MARKET WILL OPEN NOR HOW IT WILL CLOSE—BUT COUNT ON THIS: WE WILL PAY YOU THE LAST PENNY THE MARKET WILL JUSTIFY. WE KEEP UP WITH THE MARKETS DAILY. WE WANT TO BUY YOUR TURKEYS. WE DEEPLY APPRECIATE THE WAY THE TURKEY RAISERS OF COKE COUNTY AND THE WEST SIDE OF RUNNELS COUNTY HAVE ALWAYS STAYED WITH US. EVERYTHING WE CAN DO FOR YOUR BENEFIT AND OURS, REST ASSURED, WE WILL DO THIS SEASON, AS WE HAVE ALWAYS DONE, IN ORDER TO MAKE YOUR TURKEYS BRING YOU THE MOST POSSIBLE.

AGAIN THANKING YOU AND ASKING THAT YOU GIVE US A CHANCE AT YOUR TURKEYS BEFORE YOU SELL, WE ARE

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Planes Vie With Gulf-Dymaxion In Thrilling Air Pageant Throng



By Don Mockler

(Feature Writer, "U. S. Air Services")

ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y. (Special)—With the calm and efficient hand of Captain Alford J. Williams at the controls as Director of Events, the aeronautical extravaganza staged for charity and billed as the National Air Pageant held here October 7 and 8, came to a glorious conclusion Sunday night. More than 75,000 New Yorkers have had their first real taste of aviation activity on their "home grounds" since the races here in 1925.

As a special Pageant feature Captain Williams took his Curtiss "Gulphawk" into the air on both days and introduced "painting aerobatics in the air," accomplished by a unique chemical smoke tank arrangement, allowing detailed study of the intricate maneuvers performed by this outstanding airman. The Pageant attracted several hundred civilian fliers, in addition to 21 ships of the 8th Pursuit Group, 11 planes of the 2nd Bombardment Group, and 30 ships of the East Coast Expeditionary Force of the U. S. Marines.

As the Manager of the Aviation Department of the Gulf Refining Company, Al Williams had seen to it that the full airport service facilities of Gulf were placed at the disposal of the Pageant participants, and the Gulf airport trailer, special trucks, field cars, etc., were busy twelve hours both days of the Pageant.

Jimmie Wedell, holder of the land plane speed record of 305 mph, was prepared to defend his record against all-comers, and incidentally also try and establish a new record

Top: The Gulf-Dymaxion. Below: Captain Alford J. Williams, American speed and aerobatic ace, director of events at National Air Pageant, Roosevelt Field.

but was forced down on his first attempt when his motor cowling loosened, damaging his propeller.

Captain Williams had been commissioned by an anonymous patron of aviation to offer a silver trophy and a \$2,500 purse to the flier establishing a new speed record.

Speaking of the unknown donor Captain Williams stated that "this American aviation altruist, has in mind the sole thought of providing a definite objective toward which this country's plane designers, builders and fliers might strive."

"I consider that this gesture is one of the finest and most important that has ever been made in the name of aviation."

Major Ernst Udet, German ace, was excellent in his aerobatic work. An outstanding performance was staged by Roy Hunt, who with motor dead, came down from 10,000 feet, doing a series of outside and inside loops, spins, rolls, and dives. Major Alexander P. deBovenskey, in an amphibian of his own design, es-

trophy donated anonymously as inspiration to continued development of American aviation.

established an unofficial amphibian speed record of 176 mph.

Despite the air features, attention was diverted to the ground every time the Gulf-Dymaxion came past the stands. This car, illustrated above, embodies the streamlining lessons taught by aerodynamics. With a top-speed of 120 mph, it produces thirty miles to a gallon of fuel. Its single rear-wheel steering makes it especially flexible in any traffic situation.

As the aerial bombs late at night signaled the close of the Pageant, Captain Williams expressed his personal appreciation to Mrs. Roosevelt and all the members of the many volunteer committees who had worked with him during weeks of intensified effort to bring the involved program of the National Air Pageant to a successful conclusion.

LOYD HOLMAN TAKES GULF SERVICE STATION

Lloyd Holman has assumed charge of the Gulf Service Station, taking over the interest of B. L. Crist.

Mr. Crist made many friends while associated with the business life of Bronte, who regret to see him go. Mr. Crist has no definite plans as yet for the future. However, he is not going to leave Bronte as he wants the benefit of Bronte's fine school advantages.

"Digger," as everybody calls Mr. Holman needs no introduction. He knows everybody and everybody knows him. He is strictly a "Bronte boy."

Speaking of his venture in the business, Mr. Holman said that he had to follow something for a livelihood. He knows the oil and service station business, having followed this line of business before.

Mr. Holman expects to devote his entire time and attention to his business, give the people first class service and treat each and all with utmost courtesy and will appreciate any patronage given him.

Mr. Holman is going to cooperate with his fellow townsmen in every good thing for the best interests of the town. Accordingly he assumed Mr. Crist's unfinished part of the NRA advertising contract that many of the business interests of the town are carrying out as per request of the national administration. Consequently our readers will find Mr. Holman's name substituted for that of Mr. Crist.

The Enterprise bids Mr. Holman welcome into the business life of Bronte—and, "Digger," we hope you will make "a cool half million" by the time you are old enough to retire.

REV. ULMER S. BIRD'S SUNDAY APPOINTMENTS

Saturday night and Sunday morning, Rev. Ulmer S. Bird preaches at Friendship, on Yellow Wolf Creek. Take the Friendship bus road from Robert Lee.

Sunday afternoon, he will meet with the Edith Sunday school and Sunday night will preach at Edith.

Rev. Bird and helpers will conduct services at Lometa school house in Coke county, Saturday night and Sunday morning, the second Sunday in this month, and at Valley View Sunday night.

Rev. Claude Vest will preach at Divide Sunday morning and night on the same date, November 12th.

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BRONTE RODEO WAS A WHALE OF AN AFFAIR

Thursday and Friday of last week were two big days in Bronte. The occasion was the race meet and rodeo. There were more people in town than have been seen here at one time in a long time.

The roping contests and the other sporting events pleased the big crowds. The management of the rodeo expresses satisfaction with reference to the show everywhere.

In the calf roping contest, 1st winner, C. N. Baker, Bronte. Bell calf roping contest, Elmer Jones won 1st and Homer Woods 2nd.

In the wild nannie goat milking contest by the ladies, Mrs. Maurice Kennedy, Sonora, won 1st, the prize being a \$23 pair of shop made boots.

The carnival attractions in connection with the rodeo were said to be above the average. The carnival continued till Saturday night and attracted large crowds.

E. A. BELL BECOMES ASSISTANT POSTMASTER

A news item of interest to everybody was overlooked by The Enterprise last week, in our mad rush. That item is the change in the personnel of the assistant postmastership of the Bronte post office.

Monday morning of last week E. A. Bell became assistant postmaster succeeding H. T. Good resigned.

Mr. Good discovered that the close confinement was not good for his health—that he needed to be more out in the open. So, his resignation.

Mr. Bell is no "new comer," either as a citizen or post office employe. In fact, Mr. Bell is an experienced hand in postal service, having given many years to that kind of work. So, he stepped right into duty without having to be "taught."

Mr. Bell says that he will have no "bargain sales" to offer but he will do his best all the time to serve the people in his capacity and to put over the NRA program.

COMING, LITTLE MISS JACK

A comedy-drama, in four acts, will be presented by the senior class of the Bronte High school, at the school auditorium, in the near future. The title is "Little Miss Jack."

Watch for further announcements.

KILLED IN CAR WRECK

Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Hankins were called to Loraine Sunday, to attend the funeral of the wife of Mrs. Hankins' brother-in-law, Mrs. Dewitt Carey, who was killed in a car wreck.

The accident occurred Friday night. The lady lingered till Saturday night before death came to bring relief to the sufferer.

Mr. Carey and two little children were injured but will recover.

The tragedy occurred between Colorado and Loraine. It is due, it is said, to a truck driver being under the influence of liquor.

Mrs. Hankins and all who sorrow have the sympathy of her friends at Bronte and elsewhere.

BEST ROPERS TO MATCH CONTEST IN BRONTE

Ten of the best ropers in West Texas are planning a match roping contest to be held in Bronte.

The date is not yet definitely settled. But, when it comes off there will be roping worth while.

Watch out for announcement of date—for this is something you will not want to miss, if you enjoy western sport.

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