

# The Scurry County Times

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## TAX RATE FOR CITY REMAINS SAME AS 1936

Levy of \$1.50 per \$100 Valuation Adopted by City Council at Monday Night Session.

Tax rate for the year 1936 will remain unchanged from that set for the closing year. The 1936 levy of \$1.50 per \$100 valuation will take care of the city's needs next year, the City Council decided at its Monday night session.

Budget for the city's fiscal year, ending July 1, 1937, also was adopted at Monday's session. City Secretary J. S. Bradbury reports that little interest was manifested by local citizens in the public hearing upon the proposed budget for the ensuing year, and that no changes were suggested, hence it was adopted in its original draft.

**Debt In Fine Shape.**  
Bulk of the \$1.50 tax levy is taken up for bonded indebtedness of the city, which, incidentally, is in fine shape, officials declare. Tax rate of 25 cents is set to care for sinking fund and interest on water and sewer bonds dated July 16, 1910, and maturing July 16, 1950. Original issue of these bonds amounted to \$44,400, none of which have been retired, but more than \$24,000 already has been applied as a sinking fund. Net amount to be raised is set at \$7,889.61.

Twenty-three cents was named as a rate to take care of the street improvement bonds, dated January 1, 1925, and maturing serially. Of the original issue of \$50,000 already \$11,000 have been retired. Total requirement of this fund was set at \$6,891.34 for the year.

**Most Bonds Not Due.**  
Funding bonds of 1935, amounting to \$93,000, which do not mature until 1940, serially, constitute 67 cents requirement in the new budget. Amount of \$12,845.11 will be required to care for these bonds in the new year.

Total bonded indebtedness of the city amounts to \$176,400, which is considered by city officials as small in view of the renditions of property values. Of this amount only \$1,000 in principal is due during the fiscal year.

Valuations for the city for 1935 have been rendered by property owners at \$1,301,261, which, at the \$1.50 tax rate, should yield \$1,951,891 in taxes. Renditions for 1935 amounted to \$1,324,300, and yielded \$19,864 in taxes due.

**Profits From Water Office.**  
Profits from the water and sewer department have kept the city in splendid financial shape, receipts above operating expenses of this department having been transferred to other funds. In this way no tax has been necessary to maintain the street and bridge fund on a cash basis, the water department has been self-sustaining and requires no tax, and a rate of only 25 cents has been required to maintain the general fund on a cash basis.

**Superintendent Has Emergency Surgery**  
Superintendent C. Wedgeworth of the local schools underwent a major operation for appendix Saturday night in a local hospital. His condition late Wednesday was reported by hospital officials as satisfactory.

He was unable to be present for the opening exercises at the school Monday morning for the first time during the ten years he has been school head here. His usual words of welcome for students and teachers was not heard on the school opening program, but his good wishes were sent.

Mr. Wedgeworth's small daughter, Ann, his brother, E. O. Wedgeworth of Ft. Worth, and his sister, Mrs. Herman Darby, have been at his bedside since the operation.

**ALMANAC**  
HERE'S AN EXTRA ONE JUST FOR YOU!  
"In courtesy, rather a penny too much than a penny too little."  
SEPTEMBER 10—John Smith is elected president of the Jamestown Colony, 1608.

SEPTEMBER 11—Edward Everett Hale publishes "Man Without a Country," 1861.

SEPTEMBER 12—Duryea demonstrates first practical United States automobile, 1892.

SEPTEMBER 13—George Washington declines a third term, 1796.

SEPTEMBER 14—U. S. General Scott occupies Mexico City, 1847.

SEPTEMBER 15—Tanks used first time in battle by the British, 1916.

SEPTEMBER 16—American Legion incorporated by Act of Congress, 1919.

## Snyder Retail Sales Among State's Best

Texas' smaller cities and towns were reported Thursday to have been better retail trading areas in 1935 than the state's metropolitan areas, according to a Department of Commerce marketing analysis.

Snyder, with a per capita sales figure of \$435, was among the first 12 smaller cities in the state reported in the analysis. The state-wide 1935 retail sales per capita figure was \$366, compared with a national average of \$304. Dallas topped the list of the five largest cities with a per capita total of \$340. The others were: Houston \$337, Galveston \$295, San Antonio \$262, and Fort Worth \$256.

## Church of Christ Meeting Drawing Good Audiences

Increasing audiences, good singing and strong gospel preaching are features of the Church of Christ revival meeting being conducted at the city tabernacle, Minister Roy J. Clark said yesterday.

The meeting began Sunday morning at the church, Avenue O at 25th Street, and shifted to the tabernacle for the night service. Ten o'clock in the morning and 8:00 o'clock in the evening are hours for the regular services.

Robert R. Price, preacher for the services, is proving himself a forceful speaker, a student of the Bible and one who knows how to bring conviction to sinners, church leaders say. He has several years of experience as an evangelist and speaker to his credit, both in the denomination and out.

As variety for his messages, Bro. Price draws upon his background of travel in numerous foreign countries. A native of Indian Territory (now Oklahoma), he served as a member of the secret service during the World War.

Minister Clark, who is leading the song services for the revival, invites the public generally to all the services. Good singing at all gatherings has been an attraction.

Services Sunday morning will be held at the church at 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock, and will be returned to the tabernacle for the evening worship.

## Several Farmers to Be at District Farm Meet at San Angelo

Several Scurry and Borden County farmers have expressed their intention of attending a district-wide farmers' meeting, to be held in San Angelo Friday and Saturday, September 18 and 19. It is one of 12 such meetings being held in Texas under auspices of the Texas Agricultural Association and through cooperation of the A. & M. College Extension Service.

Purpose of the gathering is to further acquaint farmers and their wives with the national agricultural program, to discuss the importance of stronger farm organization, to study methods of community organization and legislation affecting agriculture, and to sell more thoroughly business and professional men on the value of an adequate agricultural program to business as well as to farmers.

Prominent national and state leaders are scheduled to attend the meeting and speak to the group.

Arrangements are being made in San Angelo to care for lunch for the visitors each day, it has been announced.

## Three More Schools Opened in County

Classes in three more Scurry County schools began Monday morning. Bison, with Elma Cummings as principal and Miss Sue McKeown as assistant, opened its doors with good enrollment. Miss Lola Mae Littlepage, teaching her first year, is in charge of the school at Whitley, in North Scurry County. With Mrs. J. D. Mitchell and Miss Bonnie Ruth Nance as teachers, Dermott school opened its school year Monday.

Ira and Crowder, which opened three weeks ago, closed last Friday for several days in order that students may pick cotton.

## Liquor Cases Set for Trial September 21

Several liquor cases which came before the county court Monday were set for trial at the September 21 term of court, when venemore will be called to hear the cases. Bonds in two cases which had been called were forfeited when the defendants failed to appear before Judge H. J. Brice.

Civil suits, principal among which are those filed by workers against the McKinney Construction Company, were continued indefinitely. These cases are outgrowth of wage disputes over highway work in Scurry County.

## ESTIMATES OF LOCAL COTTON OUTPUT CLIMB

Advance of \$2 Per Bale as Result of New Government Report Adds to County Morale.

With cooler weather of the past week causing the small cotton bolls to hang on the stalks a little longer before opening, thus improving the length of the staple, those who would venture guesses as to probable production of Scurry County have raised their antes some.

Picking has been in progress only four weeks, and in a few sections of the county no picking has been done yet. Late cotton is expected to give better yields than the first, of course, hence the larger estimates that were ventured by the prophets.

**Ginnings Mounting.**  
Ginnings through Wednesday night were placed at 2,200 bales. This estimate was based on ginnings of approximately 1,126 bales in Snyder's five gins, and the remaining 1,074 bales are given for the county's nine other gins. Two schools of the county were dismissed last week to allow the students to assist with cotton picking, and others had been dismissed previously in order to assist in the fields. Pickers were still needed this week in several sections of the county.

Drouth damage to this year's cotton crop, reflected in an official government estimate of an 11,121,000 bale production Tuesday set prices for the staple soaring. Dry weather in the western end of the cotton belt caused the federal crop reporting board to reduce its forecast of this season's yield 1,360,000 running bales below its August 1 estimate.

**Local Market Advances.**  
Local cotton market advanced approximately \$2 per bale by virtue of the new governmental forecast. Prices in Snyder yesterday were 12.75 and 12.76 cents per pound as against 12.20 cents Saturday for middling grade.

**Farmer at Loraine Hangs Self in Barn**  
The body of E. P. Kuck, 65, prominent farmer living north of Loraine, was found dangling from a rafter in his barn early Friday morning. He was known to a number of Scurry County people of the south end.

Kuck retired early Thursday night, urging his wife not to disturb him if he should sleep late. He had been in ill health for several months. He had considerable property.

**Scurry and Borden Men Rodeo Winners**  
Joe York of Snyder and Don Burdine and Frank Miller of Gail were among prize winners Tuesday at Big Spring's third annual cowboy reunion and rodeo. Big crowds have been reported for every session.

Burdine took third place in steer riding, York third in calf roping, and Miller fourth in wild cow milking.

**Lions Send Needy Girl to Arkansas Hospital for T. B.**  
Another service to humanity was reported at the regular weekly meeting of the Snyder Lions Club Tuesday at noon, when the civic organization met in the Manhattan Hotel. Annie Mae Jones, 18-year-old girl who has spent several months in Snyder, was sent to a Booneville, Arkansas, hospital on funds supplied by the club, according to a committee headed by W. R. Lacey, reporting to the session. The girl, unable to pay expenses to the hospital, is a sufferer from tuberculosis.

Tyler Baker, new manager of the Burton-Lingo Company lumber yard here, elected to membership last week, was present for his first official meeting. Sterling Williams, county attorney-elect, was unanimously elected to membership.

Flowers were ordered sent to the bedside of Member C. Wedgeworth, who is in the Snyder General Hospital, following an appendicitis operation.

Signs for the club, to be placed at the north and east highway entrances to Snyder, were provided for at the meeting. Hignbotham, Bartlett and Burton-Lingo yards will furnish lumber for the signs, and O. L. Wilkinson yard will furnish paint. Assistant County Agent E. V. McLeroy will do the painting for the club. The signs will be placed on the highways within a few days, it was announced.

Program committee for the day presented a novelty offering, featuring some "knock-knocks" on members of the club.

## 1936 Drouth Almost Equals That In 1934; Rainfall 22 Per Cent Normal

Scurry County is included in an area designated by the United States Department of Agriculture as having received 22 per cent of its average rainfall up to August 30. This report has been used as basis for admitting this county recently to the emergency drouth area of the country, supplemented by the number of farmers in the county needing emergency drouth assistance.

August rains relieved drouth seriousness in some part of the Cotton and Grain Belt, but Oklahoma and the upper half of Texas suffered more during the month than any other section in the United States. The latest rainfall survey, released by the Department of Agriculture Wednesday of last week, shows that part of North Texas is only 7 per cent of normal. Continued dryness in the Southwest has been accompanied by one of the longest periods of extreme heat ever recorded. Temperatures ran from 100 to 115 degrees almost daily from early in August to the 29th. At Oklahoma City, afternoon temperatures ranged from 100 to 114 degrees every day from August 4 to 20. Wichita, Kansas, had like readings daily from August 7 to 26, inclusive. Maximum temperatures from August 1 to 27 averaged 100 degrees or higher in a wide Southwestern area.

August rains made a big dent in the drouth in some sections, however. These rains were above normal in the Eastern Ohio and Upper Mississippi Valleys and some adjacent regions. The Department of Agriculture compiles a list of emergency drouth counties to facilitate administration of relief in distressed areas. Field men are sent to territories in worst condition and submit reports to the department on the counties which should be designated. The application of reduced freight rates, the granting of livestock feed and transportation loans of the resettlement administration, the soil conservation service and the biological survey are based on these designations.

The resettlement is moving distressed families off drouth lands and lending them money to get new starts or more productive farms. Loans are over a 40-year period and carry a small rate of interest that any farmer with a normal crop can repay. The WPA is giving work to farmers in this emergency territory building highways, wages averaging \$15 a week.

## ALL BLANKS ON ENTER SNYDER STOCK IN SHOW

At least three Snyder fine cattle breeders will enter their stock in the Frontier Centennial Livestock Show, it was announced by Centennial officials at Fort Worth early this week. These entries are expected to bring back part of the \$75,000 in prize money at the fall exhibition.

The exhibition, official livestock show for the Texas Centennial celebration, will be held in Cowtown October 3 to 11. D. G. Talbot, manager of the livestock department, and his assistant, W. M. Cantrell, estimated that total entries this year will be well above the 5,000-mark and saw a possibility that even 6,000 head will be entered.

Sidney Johnson, Winston Brothers and J. J. Koonsman, all breeders of Herefords for a number of years near Snyder, were the entrants announced by Talbot.

**Bon-Ton Cafe Moves Four Doors to North**  
Finishing touches were being made to the Bon-Ton Cafe in its new location, four doors north of its former location, first of the week. New paint and several new fixtures feature the larger quarters for the popular eating place.

Mrs. Vick Montgomery, proprietor, invites her old customers, as well as new friends, to visit her in the new cafe.

**Former County Man Dies in Sweetwater**  
H. C. Glover, 70, of Sweetwater, who formerly resided in Scurry County, died at his home Tuesday morning after being in ill health for almost a year. He is survived by his widow, three sons and three daughters.

Local people, who attended the funeral Wednesday, were the following: Mrs. Whit Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark, Charley Wellborn, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Bynum, Mrs. J. M. Bynum, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jeffers and L. O. Bynum. The Glover family resided in the Bison community until about seven years ago, when they moved to Sweetwater.

**Work at Snyder Schools Is Begun Monday as Big Enrollment Seen**  
In spite of the fact that probably more than 100 students were not present for the opening exercises Monday morning, Snyder Public Schools had one of the most auspicious beginnings in their history. Principal King Sides was in charge of initial activities at the schools, in absence of Superintendent C. Wedgeworth, who underwent major surgery Saturday.

Classwork was begun in earnest by high school students shortly after assembly Monday morning. Preliminary schedules may have to be changed, Sides states, however, constructive lessons are already in progress and full-fledged recitations will be under way by close of the school week. Registration of high school students was staged last week-end.

Classification in grammar school was begun immediately after the assembly, under direction of Principal Hadley Reeve. Regular classwork was being conducted yesterday, after assignments had been made in the grades. Round-figure enrollments of 500

## TIGERS START SEASON FRIDAY WITH SPUR TILT

Non-Conference Affair Promises to Be Good Game—Number of Fans to Make Trip.

When Bulldogs and Tigers get together, it's bound to be a good fight. And that's what the football fans are looking forward to for Friday night at Spur.

At the opening gun in the season's fight for honors, Coach Red Hill and Assistant Glen Berry are fortifying their ramparts and packing a good supply of ammunition to the Dickens County city tomorrow. Backing the team will be several carloads of rooters and spectators, who plan to make the 60-mile jaunt.

**Non-Conference Tilt.**  
The game will be a non-conference affair, however, the team's best will be expended if necessary to bring back the bacon.

Having spent several days in patching some minor loopholes in defense and offense, Coaches Hill and Berry are presenting a team that should make some sort of record in district football this season. Starting line-up, with several letter-men back, looks good, they say. Reserve strength, however, is lacking for the team.

Little could be learned yesterday from the Spur camp. However, Coach "Blackie" Wadzeck has always managed to offer a strong team, and general reports are that this year's eleven is no exception.

**Game Called at 8:00.**  
Game will be called, under the lighted canopy of Bulldogs Field, at 8:00 o'clock. Admission prices were not announced.

The Tigers will leave Snyder about 1:00 o'clock, and have a light workout on the field after they arrive at Spur. It was stated by local officials yesterday.

Probable starting line-up, as given by Coach Hill Wednesday night, follows: Johnny Boren, left end; J. P. Tate, left tackle; Jay Rogers, left guard; Leon Autry, center; Rossion, right guard; Woolever or Mebane, right tackle; Gordon Rogers, right end; Smith, quarterback; Head, fullback; Morrow and Moflett, halfbacks.

**Sacred Harp Singers Plan Regular Meet**  
Church of Christ, Avenue M at Twenty-fifth Street, will be the scene for the second Sacred Harp singing convention in Snyder, set for Sunday, September 20, at 2:30 o'clock.

Half a hundred singers and listeners attended a gathering of the songsters at the courthouse Sunday afternoon.

**Wallace Moved Here.**  
Grady Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wallace, was moved to Snyder's General Hospital Monday from Scott & White Hospital in Temple, where he had been for several weeks. He was carried to Temple following a major operation at the Sealy Hospital in Santa Anna. He stood the trip well and was doing nicely late yesterday.

**State Specialist Will Assist Club Boys in County**  
George W. Barnes, beef cattle specialist of the Texas Extension Service, will be in Scurry County Friday, September 18, for the purpose of assisting 4-H Club members with their beef calf projects. At 9:00 a. m. a short tour will be made from the courthouse to various 4-H feeders in the county. Mr. Barnes will accompany the group on this tour and offer suggestions and assistance for the improvement of feeding projects.

In the afternoon of the same day, the group will meet at Winston Brothers in Snyder. Mr. Barnes will be in charge of this meeting and will discuss important matters in connection with beef calf projects. A demonstration will be conducted covering various phases of handling, showing and fitting beef calves. This demonstration should be of interest to all 4-H Club members, and of special interest to beef calf feeders.

All 4-H Club members in Scurry County, together with their fathers, are invited to make the tour Friday morning, September 18, and attend the demonstration in the afternoon.

**Hollywood Shop Spruces.**  
Among improvements made to the Hollywood Shop, ladies' and children's store on south side of the square, was a new floor covering added this week. Mrs. John Keller, proprietor, has been receiving many new fall fashions recently, she announces.

## Complete Schedule Of Football Games

Complete schedule of football games on the Snyder High School card, as announced by school officials, follows:

September 11—Spur there.  
September 18—Colorado here.  
September 25—Lamesa there.  
October 2—Rotan here (conference).

October 16—Roby here (conference).  
October 23—Loraine here (conference).  
October 30—Merkel here (conference).  
November 6—Roscoe here (conference).  
November 13—Post here.  
November 26 (Thanksgiving)—Colorado there (conference).  
All games played at Tiger Stadium will be at night, the first home game being with the Colorado Wolves next Friday night.

## M. H. Hudson of Hermleigh Dies There Yesterday

Rev. M. H. Hudson, long-time Methodist preacher, and a familiar figure in this section for many years, died at his home in Hermleigh Wednesday afternoon after a lingering illness. He was 70 years of age.

A native of Mississippi, he moved to Texas 64 years ago with his parents. Most of the past 30 years have been spent in Scurry County. For 41 years the pioneer has been a minister in the Methodist Church. He was pastor of the First Methodist Church in Snyder for four years, beginning in 1906. He was superannuated by the Methodist denomination several years ago, and has made his home in Hermleigh for a number of years.

Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at the Hermleigh Methodist Church. Rev. Frank Story, pastor, will officiate. Assisting in the service will be Presiding Elder S. H. Young of Sweetwater, Rev. C. A. Bickley of Big Spring, Rev. O. P. Clark and Rev. G. A. Long of Abilene, Rev. L. M. Lipscomb of Lubbock and Rev. H. C. Gordon of Snyder.

Interment, in charge of Odom Funeral Home, will be in Hermleigh cemetery.

Pallbearers, nephews of the deceased, will be Vernon, Jesse, Basil, Hollis, Bob and Mack Hudson.

Flower girls, a niece and three grandchildren, will be Misses Willie Mae Hudson and Estelle, Winnie Mae and Lonita Ayers.

**Four Scurry County Boys Get NYA Jobs**  
William Boren of Snyder and J. P. Ellis, W. S. Goodlett Jr. and R. C. Goodlett of Dunn have been appointed to National Youth Administration jobs at John Tarleton College for the approaching school year. It has been announced by Prof. T. A. Hensarling, chairman of the NYA committee at Tarleton. They will enter Tarleton for the regular long session which opens September 14.

Early registration began September 2. College officials report that volume of correspondence, reservations for dormitory rooms, and visitors to the campus point toward the heaviest enrollment that the school has ever had.

**Scattered Showers Fall Over County**  
Roaming clouds over Scurry County heavens dropped several batches of moisture in scattered areas last week-end. Thursday, Friday and Monday shared in the rains.

Turner community, 10 miles west of Snyder, where practically no rain had come since April, probably received the greatest fall, when an estimated 1 3/4 inches came Thursday afternoon. Crowder also received about the same amount. Canyon, Polar, Bison, Murphy, Ennis Creek and Ira reported rains of less than an inch. Gail, Borden County, received 5/8 inch Thursday.

Snyder got wet three times, .06 coming Thursday, .08 Friday and a light shower Monday. Hermleigh had two sprinkles.

**Brother of Snyder Man Is Song Writer**  
J. D. Lewis of Buckholts, brother of J. S. (Dick) Lewis of Snyder, has commanded no little attention in Central Texas with a song, catching a spirit of better days, he has written and had published. Title of the song is "Old Depression's Ended."

Mr. Lewis is an accomplished musician, having composed a number of songs in his day. He is an orchestra and music teacher in the Central Texas town.

J. D. has visited with relatives here several times during recent years. Dick was displaying his brother's work, published in The Cameron Herald recently, in Snyder first of the week.

## SPECIAL TRAIN TO CENTENNIAL SET FOR OCT. 3

Snyder and Colorado to Join Big Spring and Sweetwater in Trip Next Month.

Abrupt changes in the scheduled observation of Snyder and Colorado Days at Fort Worth and Dallas Centennials were announced last night by leaders of the movement.

New date for a special train, originally planned to run out of Colorado on the night of September 12, and bearing representatives of the two neighbor cities, was announced for October 3. This decision was reached last night when representatives of Snyder and Colorado met in the latter city to discuss plans for the projected visits to Fort Worth and Dallas.

**First Date September 14.**  
September 14 had previously been designated as Snyder-Colorado Day at the Frontier Centennial in Fort Worth, and September 13 was to have been spent in Dallas by the delegation. Sufficient tickets for the first trip could not be sold in the given time, it was announced by those who attended the Wednesday meeting.

The new date was set to allow Snyder and Colorado to join Big Spring and Sweetwater in their scheduled trip to the Centennials by special train. The special will be operated out of Big Spring, and will be called the Mid-West Texas Special.

Fares for Pullman berths will remain the same as announced for the Snyder-Colorado special, viz: One in lower berth, \$14.40; two in lower berth, \$11.15 each; one in upper berth, \$13.40; two in upper berth, \$10.65 each. Coach fare has been sliced on the new train to \$5.26 for the round trip.

**Snyder Quota 20 Tickets.**  
Snyder has been assigned a quota of 20 tickets on the train, and Colorado 28. One hundred and forty-four tickets will be sold between Big Spring and Sweetwater. No trouble in disposing of this number of tickets is expected to be encountered, leaders of the trip believe.

Occupancy of Pullman and coaches in Dallas and Fort Worth will be maintained as originally announced.

Under present preliminary plans, the train will leave Big Spring early Saturday morning, September 3, stopping at Colorado and Sweetwater to pick up additional passengers. It will arrive in Fort Worth about noon Saturday, in ample time to allow those who care to do so to attend the Southwest Conference football game between T. C. U. and Arkansas at the Horned Ford Stadium, at 2:30 o'clock. This is a special added feature of the trip.

**To Dallas After Game.**  
After the game, probably about 6:00 o'clock, the train will proceed to Dallas, where it will remain until Monday noon. Passengers will have all Saturday night, all day Sunday, Sunday night and Monday till noon to take in the Central Centennial Exposition in Dallas. The train will move back to Fort Worth about Monday noon, when special observations at the Frontier Centennial will be staged for the delegation.

A radio program will be staged at the Frontier Centennial, beginning at 3:00 o'clock. A Sweetwater man will be toastmaster. Big Spring will furnish a speaker, and Snyder and Colorado will furnish special musical numbers.

Hatbands, in school colors of each city, will be worn by representatives of the four cities, on which will be printed the name of each city, together with the inscription, "Mid-West Texas."

Further details about the trip will be given in subsequent issues of The Times.

## LEGION FEED IS WELL ATTENDED

Three score members of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary attended the monthly session of the organizations Thursday night at the Legion Hall. Boss Baze and some helpers furnished an enjoyable feed as a teaser to whetted appetites.

Feed watermelons furnished by Auxiliary members made a tasty dessert for the regular feed of sandwiches, salad and iced tea.

A quilt, made by members of the Auxiliary, was awarded at the meeting. Funds totaling \$72 from the quilt were added to the Legion Hat appropriation.

Mrs. Earl Louder entertained the group with several accordion numbers, followed by music by Darien Benbenek, G. L. Autry, J. P. Tate and Gordon Rogers.

A Lubbock delegation, scheduled to be present for the meeting, failed to arrive because of rain. They will attend a future meeting, according to Commander Hal A. Latimer.



# The WOMAN'S Page



## Snyder High School Graduates of 1927 Gather for Banquet Saturday

Reminiscences of school days were recalled by members of the June, 1927, graduating class of the Snyder High School at a reunion banquet given Saturday evening at the Manhattan Hotel. The class of 47 members was the largest ever to graduate from the local high school. Fifteen members and a number of guests were present Saturday evening.

The banquet table was made attractive with the class colors of yellow and white. The centerpiece was lovely daisies, the class flower, mingled with fern. Aop the daisies were boy and girl graduates in miniature.

Burning yellow tapers in frostaria candelabra and frostaria vases filled with daisies and fern completed the decorations.

Toastmaster for the occasion was Arthur Snodgrass, Snyder, president of the class. Mrs. Max Brownfield Snyder, called the class roll, and members answered with greetings and relating of interesting events in their lives since 1927.

Greetings sent from students and teachers, who were unable to attend, were read. Faculty members of 1927, who sent well-wishes were the following: I. C. Bagwell, superintendent; John R. Covey, principal; Mattie E. Clark, class sponsor; Mrs. Ross Howard, the former Mary Strayhorn; Mattie Ross Cunningham, Abbie Mae Crozier, Ivan P. Oliver and Malcolm P. Crouch.

Miss Effie McLeod, local teacher and a teacher of the 1927 class, brought greetings to the class. Superintendent C. Wedgeworth of the local schools was an invited guest, but he was unable to attend because of illness.

The class prophecy, written in 1927 by Mrs. P. W. Cloud, the former Martha Gray, was read during the evening by Mrs. Guy Stoker, formerly Lucila Price.

Mrs. Hilton Lambert, local dance and expression teacher, and her pupil, little Miss Mary Ellen Brown, complimented guests with songs and readings. Mary Ellen sang "Robins and Roses" and "Rendezvous With a Dream," accompanied by T. J. Teter. "When We Get Together" was cleverly read by Mrs. Lambert.

Dainty place cards, on which daisies were entwined, marked the places for the following class members: Miss Verna McMaster, Garden City; Hal D. Yoder, Miami; Boynton Martin, Big Spring; Eugene Day, Sweetwater; Mrs. Guy Stoker, Eastland; Paul W. Carrell, Breckenridge; Miss Hazel Lewis, Victor Drinkard, Mrs. P. W. Cloud, Arthur Snodgrass, Mrs. Amos Joyce, Lewis Bennett and Mrs. Max Brownfield, all of Snyder.

An interesting program will be given, according to Mrs. Dunn, and a business meeting will be held. All teachers and school patrons are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Guests were: Miss Opel Armstrong, Sweetwater, Mrs. Hal Yoder, Mrs. Paul Carrell, Guy Stoker, Mrs. Hilton Lambert, Mary Ellen Brown, Miss Effie McLeod and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doak.

Arrangements for the reunion banquet were made by Meses. H. J. Brice, E. M. Deakins, Guy Stoker and Max Brownfield.

## LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES

BY A YOUNG MODERN

The hat is the thing! So often you've heard someone say "a hat will just make that costume." Of course it will, and this season milliners are showing hats that do more than make the costume—they make you!

Short girls will especially welcome the new hats. They feature high crowns that come down with a graceful sweep over the right eye and add height to a figure. They are trimmed in quills and ostrich in bright colors. There are some hats with the entire crown of wings, and velvet figures such as leaves are combined with patent leather cloth to form new and exciting adornments.

New materials are coming in. Designers predict the popularity of antique, velours, and velvet. They point out the possibilities of fur trimmed hats to match coats, and also the rich color possibilities of velvet. Velvet hats tend to bridge the season, and they are shown with and without brims. Turban variations and the high cone with brim are styles that are especially good.

Berets still retain their popularity, however slight changes are seen in style and shape. New and interesting models in felt are displayed. They follow the same general styles of the newer materials and prove much more versatile to the majority of women, according to girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA).

The Spanish revolution has influenced hat designers with the result that they have created models that recall the dark-eyed beauties of Madrid. One black felt fits the hat like a cap and rises in a sharp ridge like a dancer's comb at the back. A mantilla veil comes down over the eyes.

## P. T. A. to Have Meeting Thursday

Local chapter of the Parent-Teacher Association will have its first regular meeting of the year next Thursday, September 17, at 4:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. The announcement was made this week by Mrs. J. Nelson Dunn, president.

An interesting program will be given, according to Mrs. Dunn, and a business meeting will be held. All teachers and school patrons are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Mrs. F. E. Smith and small son, Tommie Lee, of Plainview were the week-end guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kincaid.

## Alpha Study Club Begins Year's Work.

First meeting of the year for the Alpha Study Club was held at the home of Miss Hattie Herm Friday. The club will meet alternate Tuesdays just as it has done for several years. Mrs. Alfred McGlaun will be hostess at the next meeting, September 22.

Study for the year for Alpha members will be "Book Reviews in Modern Literature." Mrs. Wayne Williams is beginning her second year as president of the group.

First of the novels to be studied during the year was "Waterloo," by Manuel Komross. The interesting book review was given by Mrs. Ivan Dodson, and Mrs. Waymond Sims gave a sketch of the author's life. Mrs. J. P. Nelson added "Current News" to the Friday program.

Miss Yetta Mae Slayton of Abilene, former teacher in the Snyder schools, was a guest for the meeting, and the following members attended: Meses. Melvin Blackard, Wayne Boren, Maurice Brownfield, J. G. Hicks, Ixon Joyce, Alfred McGlaun, J. P. Nelson, Forest Sears, C. F. Sentell, J. E. Sentell, Jim Sharp, J. R. Sheehan, Waymond Sims, Wayne Williams and Ivan Dodson, Meses Gertrude and Hattie Herm.

The hostess passed a dainty ice course to those present at the close of the program.

## Buffet Supper Is Compliment to Club.

Initial meeting of the year for the San Souci Club took the form of a buffet supper, instead of a picnic, because of threatening weather. The enjoyable meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Forest Sears Friday night.

Hostesses were: Meses Hattie Herm, Neoma Strayhorn and Yetta Mae Slayton of Abilene, Mrs. James Ralph Hicks, Mrs. Marcel Josephson and Mrs. Sears. Other members present were: Meses. E. J. Anderson, Billy Boren, Wayne Boren and Herman Darby, and Meses Edith Grantham, Gertrude Herm and Mattie Ross Cunningham.

Meetings will be held on second and fourth Tuesdays, as has been the club's custom for several years. Mrs. James Ralph Hicks was hostess to the club Tuesday evening.

At the affair Friday a delicious fried chicken supper was served to the members.

First regular club meeting for the San Souci Club was at the home of Mrs. James Ralph Hicks Tuesday evening. A number of guests were present for the party.

High score prizes went to Mrs. Marcel Josephson, member, and to Mrs. J. P. Nelson, guest. Mrs. Dan Gibson took the traveling prize.

A green and white color note was emphasized in the dainty ice course served at the close of bridge play to the following guests: Meses. J. G. Hicks, Ivan Dodson, Joe Strayhorn, W. R. Johnson, Max Brownfield, Dan Gibson, Ernest Taylor, H. J. Brice, J. P. Nelson, H. G. Towle, Joe Stinson, W. W. Hamilton, J. D. Scott and Phil Berman of Colorado.

Members present were: Meses. E. J. Anderson, Wayne Boren, Billy Boren, Marcel Josephson and Forest Sears, and Meses Edith Grantham, Mattie Ross Cunningham, Hattie and Gertrude Herm and Neoma Strayhorn.

Miss Cunningham to Lubbock. Miss Maurine Cunningham, for several years a teacher of Spanish in the local high school, left Friday for Lubbock to resume her work in the Spanish department of the senior high school there, returning to begin her second year at the school Monday. Miss Cunningham took her bachelor's degree from Baylor College, Belton, and her master's degree from the University of Mexico, Mexico City.

## HOROSCOPING IS ALTRURIAN CLUB PASTIME

Assembly day for the Altrurian Daughters Club proved to be a thoroughly delightful "Horoscope Party." Mrs. P. W. Cloud, who is beginning her second year as president of the club, was hostess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gray, for a buffet supper.

Eighteen famous movie and radio stars, represented by club members, attended the Friday evening affair. Miss Dorothy Strayhorn as Ben Bernie "the old maestro," arranged the evening's program and acted as master of ceremonies for the after-dinner program, which consisted of stunts by the stars.

Dinner was served buffet style early in the evening, and the program followed. The dining table centerpiece was a gilded world globe with the stars and moon on a dark background. The gilded globe idea was repeated with smaller centerpieces representing the different planets on the foursome tables.

Clever place cards with the person's horoscope on the back marked places for the following club members, who masqueraded as radio and movie stars: Kenneth Alexander as Boscoe Atos, Mrs. Cleve Blackard as Dick Powell, Mrs. Max Brownfield as Zasu Pitts, Mrs. Joe Caton as Slim Summerville, Mrs. P. W. Cloud as Stan Laurel, Mattie Ross Cunningham as Greta Garbo, Mrs. Herman Darby as Ginger Rogers, Mrs. Robert E. Gray Jr. as Oliver Hardy, Gwen Gray as Charlie Chase, Vesta Green as Mae West, Mrs. Fla Joyce as Jimmy Durante, Bonnie Miller as George Burns, Mrs. J. D. Scott as Grace Allen, Mrs. E. E. Spears as Bing Crosby, Dorothy Strayhorn as Ben Bernie, Mrs. J. P. Strayhorn as Ed Wynn, Mrs. Forest Wade as Joan Blondell and Mrs. E. O. Wedgeworth as Fred Astaire.

Guests for the meeting were: Meses. R. J. Randals and R. E. Gray and Miss Edith Grantham.

The club presented a lovely gift to Bonnie Miller for her work on the club's new yearbook. Presentation was made by Mrs. Joe Caton, sponsor, and Mrs. Max Brownfield, past president.

"Travel in the United States" promises to make an interesting study for the Altrurian Daughters this year. Next meeting of the club will be at the home of Kenneth Alexander tonight.

## Wednesday Bridge In Tuesday Meeting.

Mrs. P. W. Cloud was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club Tuesday of this week at her home. She passed a dainty plate with sandwiches at the close of five games of contract bridge.

Mrs. J. D. Scott took high score prize, and Mrs. Max Brownfield the traveling prize. Next meeting will be with Mrs. W. W. Hill.

Guest at the Tuesday meeting was Mrs. Robert E. Gray Jr. and the following members attended: Meses. Amos Joyce, W. W. Hill, Weldon Johnson, J. D. Scott, Maurice Brownfield, Max Brownfield, Galtier Bell and Miss Dorothy Strayhorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Snyder and sons spent Sunday with the L. L. Snyders and other relatives in Roscoe.

## TO HOLLYWOOD



Texas bade goodbye to its "Sweetheart of the Texas Centennial" recently when Janice Jarrett, lovely San Antonio girl who found fame in New York as America's most photographed girl before returning to Texas as official state hostess for Centennial celebrations, signed a long-term movie contract and departed for Hollywood. Released from her duties by Centennial officials, the Texas beauty signed her contract in executive offices in Austin in the presence of Governor James V. Alfred, J. Cheever Cowdin, chairman of the board of directors of Universal Pictures, and Harry Evans, Universal casting director, flew to Texas from New York to present the contract.

Honoring Rodney and Geneva Glascock, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Temple, who left last Tuesday for Enid, Oklahoma, to attend Phillips University, the Christian Endeavor of the First Christian Church entertained with a game party and handkerchief shower last Monday evening.

Ice cold watermelons were cut and served to a large group of members late in the evening. Both the honorees have been prominent members of the organization for several years.

Rodney, who is a ministerial student, is a graduate of Randolph Junior College, Cisco, and last year received his bachelor's degree from Phillips after two years work in the school. Both he and his sister are honor graduates of the local high school.

Geneva graduated from Snyder High School at mid-term of last year. She was an assistant in the office of the high school principal the latter part of the year, in addition to taking business courses as post graduate work. She, also, will enroll in the Bible school of the university.

Leaving here early last Tuesday, the two will visit the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas and the Frontier Centennial in Fort Worth before going to Enid to begin their school work.

Local's Attend Reunion. Among the 100 ex-students of Central Plains College and Conservatory of Music and Seth Ward College, who gathered at Plainview for their fifth annual reunion August 26, were Mr. and Mrs. Sam O. Nations of Snyder, Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas and California were states represented at the affair.

## SCHOOL FOLKS ARE HONORED AT RECEPTION

Members of the faculty of the local school system and the board of education shared honors at a dinner and reception Monday evening, given by the First Presbyterian Church congregation to welcome the beginning of a new school year.

Dinner was served to 115 guests and church members. Plans for the program, which followed the meal, were informal, and it moved along delightfully under the direction of James E. Spivey, Presbyterian pastor, who acted as toastmaster. Wit, sarcasm and repartee combined to contribute entertainment for attendants. Among the highlights of the evening was the singing, with Miss Margaret Williams, new music teacher for the schools, and High School Principal King Sides directing the tunes, both old and new.

Rev. H. C. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, gave the invocation; H. L. Davis, president of the board of education, introduced members of the group; and Mr. Sides presented the teachers. Superintendent C. Wedgeworth was not able to be present for the affair because of a recent operation, so good wishes from the assembly were sent to him.

"My Hours of Memory in Poetry and Song" was the title of a play given before the group later in the evening. Directed by Mrs. Robert E. Gray Jr., the play cast included 17 characters. The evening of fellowship was brought to a close by the forming of a Mizpah circle and singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and the benediction.

Backards Have Guests. Mrs. J. R. Wilson and daughter, Allene, of Cooper, New Mexico, Mrs. E. L. Crowder and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams and children were Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard at Ira. The Wilsons are former residents of the county. Miss Wilson, a college student at Las Vegas, New Mexico, last year, accompanied the Williams family on a recent Centennial visit.

Not to Attend School. Miss Dorothy Elliott, who came here recently from Brownwood, will do full-time work at the Economy Store. The statement in last week's Times that she would attend local schools was incorrect.

Mrs. Mary E. Banks returned home Friday, after spending several days in Plainview.

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## Three Guests Are Invited to Duce Club.

Three guests, Charline Ely, Juanita Sentell and Evelyn Erwin, attended the meeting of the Duce Bridge Club at the home of Johnnie Mathison last Wednesday.

After a short business meeting, the guests joined the following club members in bridge play: Ruby Lee, Margaret Deakins, Frances Stinson, Vesta Green, Bonnie Miller, Gwen Gray, Frances Boren, Alta Bowers, Mrs. Billie Lee Jr., Mrs. Junior Boyer, Mary Jane Beall, Janice Erwin and Allene Curry.

High score prize went to Allene Curry, and the traveling prize to Ruby Lee. The hostess served a lovely salad course at the close of the bridge games. Cellophane-wrapped candies and mints were passed during the games.

Next club meeting will be Thursday evening, September 17, at 8:00 o'clock, with Frances Stinson hostess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stinson.

## Alexis Carrel's New Book Studied.

"Man, the Unknown" by Alexis Carrel, scientist, made an interesting study for members of the Crescent Junior Club at its Tuesday evening meeting this week. Mrs. Willard E. Lewis was hostess to the club, and guests.

Almarena Heard gave a review of the book for study at the meeting, and Mrs. Jack Martin discussed the life and works of Alexis Carrel.

The hostess was assisted by her sisters, Meses Dollie and June Clemons. In passing an ice course to the following: Sybil Robertson, a guest, and Almarena Heard, Ruth Yoder, Frances Chenault, Mary Jane Beall, Frances Boren, Mrs. Jack Martin, Mrs. Buddy Martin, Vernele Bradbury and Allene Curry.

Vernele Bradbury will be program leader and Allene Curry hostess at the next meeting of the group.

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### SANTA FE GETS O. K. ON LEASE

Stockholders of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway, meeting late last week in Galveston, approved the action of the board of directors last May in leasing the Fort Worth & Rio Grande Valley Railway. Approval by the Interstate Commerce Commission is yet to be had.

Movement of freight, passengers and mail to Snyder and this area will be affected considerably if governmental approval of the lease is given, officials of the line which runs through here say. The line extends from Fort Worth to Menard, and crosses the present line of the Santa Fe system at Brownwood.

Hitherto the Santa Fe has had to move traffic from the Brownwood and Menard area to Fort Worth via Temple.

Skjold—"Has your son's college education been of any value?"  
 Bjorn—"Oh, yes; it cured his mother of bragging about him."

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Brownfield and son, Franklin, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brownfield in Idalou.

### NEW LEADERS OF AUXILIARY WORK NAMED

Mrs. Walla Fish, recently installed president of the American Legion Auxiliary, announced the naming of committees for the year's work at a meeting of the group last Thursday evening at the Legion hall.

Committees, which will serve during the year, as given by Mrs. Fish, are as follows:

Rehabilitation—Mmes. J. E. Shipp, W. J. Ely, Lee T. Simson, J. E. LeMond and Hal A. Lattimore.

Child welfare—Mmes. Boss Bazo, W. P. King, W. Erwin and W. M. Nichols.

Membership—Mmes. Jess Rogers, Dick Henderson, C. C. Brannon and J. D. Pieman.

Finance—Mmes. Frank Arnett, W. H. Hull, Dick Henderson and E. G. Turner.

Publicity—Mmes. W. J. Ely, Coker, W. T. Mathis and C. C. Beavers.

Social—Mmes. Frank Arnett, J. E. LeMond, Grady Brown and Boss Bazo.

For visiting Gold Star Mothers—Mmes. J. M. Newton, Henley, Ross Pate and Vick Norred.

With the work of American Legion Auxiliary being carried on under the direction of these committees, Mrs. Fish looks forward to a year of successful work. She extends an invitation to all eligible women for the group to become members.

Plans for the near future include a visit to the Colorado unit and a food and rummage sale the first of October. Money made on the "advance quilt" amounted to \$71.50, which will be applied on the Legion hut fund.

A typical Legion "feed" followed the business meeting. Next meeting will be at the hall Thursday evening, October 1, at 8:00 o'clock. All members are requested to be on time.

Francine Champion of Fort Worth was a week-end guest of friends and relatives here. She was en route home from Idalou, where she visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brownfield, all last week.

### "Queen of Border" Visits Expo



When the "Queen of the Border," Miss Nada Taylor of Douglas, Arizona, saw the Texas Centennial in Dallas, she promptly visited Ford Court, in which Jose Manzanera and his South American orchestra play nightly to visitors after their inspection of the processes of V-8 manufacture on exhibition in the Ford Exposition building. Miss Taylor was a popular visitor and was awarded a free ten-day trip to the Exposition.

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### Church of the Nazarene

We wish to extend our invitation to all who are interested in what we might discuss in the study of the book of the Acts. With a few benches in the yard we will meet at the house at the corner of 27th Street and Avenue J. I will preach a short sermon after the Bible school at 3:30 o'clock.

We are running this on the basis of a gospel mission. People of all denominations are invited, as are all who do not go anywhere. Bring your Bible and a pencil and paper.

This is my Sunday at Pleasant Hill tabernacle. Morning services will be at 11:00 o'clock, and the subject is "The Triumphant Gospel." We will also have a night service there.—J. Ollie Hux.

### First Christian Church

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 10:45; Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.; evening worship, 8:00.

Subject of morning sermon, "Revealing the Father." Subject of the evening sermon, "The Word Power of God."

The service directed by the men's Bible class last Sunday night was a great success. We hope to hear from it again, soon.

Our revival begins Sunday, September 20. Bro. Homer Kellems of Silem Springs, Arkansas, has been called as our evangelist. He will be assisted by his wife and daughter.

We are faithfully looking forward to a great revival. There is much work to be done in the meanwhile. Let every member be present Sunday to help us prepare for this revival.

Everyone welcome to all our services.—G. E. McPherson, pastor.

### At Neighboring Training Camps

With first out-of-town work-out in Sweetwater Friday night and the first schedule game of football for the Snyder High School Tigers on tap for Friday night of this week at Spur, interest in the sport has taken on new life in these parts.

Below The Times gives a few looks on football camps of teams Snyder will meet this year.

#### Colorado Loses Letterman.

The Colorado wolves lost one of their most promising men last week when Red Lee was found to be still suffering from a head injury which he sustained in one of last year's games.

Lee was one of the few returning lettermen around whom Coach Jack Christian plans to build this year's team.

#### 35 Training at Lamesa.

Thirty-five candidates for the 1936 Lamesa Golden Tornado football team have reported to Coaches McCollum and Gregg. Only four of the number reporting are regulars from last year's team. This means that this year's team must be built from the green material.

The returning regulars are Lam-beth, guard; Boyd, guard; Finley, end, and Sandel, end. The entire backfield of 1935 was lost by graduation.

The Golden Tornadoes have an enviable record to uphold, having lost only two games in three seasons.

#### George Elkins Visits Here.

Uncle George Elkins of Lubbock, well known in this section, was visiting with relatives and friends here yesterday. The pioneer was a familiar figure in Kent County ranching circles for many years.

Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herand as their guests last week Misses Janice Wilks of Midland and Yetta Mae Sayton of Abilene and Mrs. Harry Reagan of Colorado. Miss Sayton, who was a teacher in the local high school last year, will teach in Abilene this week.

#### Roby Opens With Anson.

The Rotan Yellowhammer football team will be strong in numbers this season, but the ability of the team is yet in doubt. There are 29 men working out daily, 11 of these being letter men.

The first game in which the Yellowhammers will get a test will be on the Rotan lighted field next Friday night, with Anson, and they play Spur here September 18. Both are non-conference games. The first conference game is at Snyder October 2.

#### Post Antelopes Look Good.

Two weeks of strenuous workouts, proper foods and "early-to-bed-late-to-rise" have not only given 26 boys enrolled in football camp for Post High School extra weight in pounds, but have developed a bunch of "softies" into a squad that will make the going tough for any opponents.

"Every boy in camp has gained weight," Coach Price stated Tuesday. "The boys have taken much interest in the workouts and each

boy has shown a determination to gain a regular place on the squad," Price said. The team will average a few pounds heavier than that of last year, but will be rated as light for the class B division. Speed and team work will be the thing that counts if the Antelopes progress to a district championship, and fundamentals have been stressed in the skull practices and field work more than usual by Coaches Cearley and Price.

#### Lorraine Coach Pleased.

Coach Newby Pratt of Lorraine High School is well pleased with the showing the 15 boys who have been attending football practice the past week have made. He thinks he has some mighty good material already on hand and is expecting quite a number of other boys to enroll for places on the team when school starts this week. He is hoping that enough boys will come out to form at least two teams.

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### Dr. Griffin Improves In Abilene Hospital

General condition of Dr. I. A. Griffin, local physician, who is in an Abilene hospital, was improved late Wednesday, according to his son, Leighton, who was in Abilene for several hours last night.

Dr. Griffin received severe arm injuries in an automobile accident, which occurred near Abilene last Tuesday night. He was taken at once to the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. His wife has been at his bedside since the accident.

### Good Crowds Attend Meeting at Sulphur

Attendance at the Church of Christ revival meeting which began Saturday night at the Big Sulphur school house is good, according to J. D. Rothwell of Post, who is doing the preaching.

Services are being held at night only, he says, and in the open air, so that attendants may be assured of comfort. The meeting will continue until Sunday night, with services each night at 8:00 o'clock.

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With the short feed crop in Snyder County this year, it is highly important that every farmer try to raise a millet or small grain pasture to add him in carrying his stock through the winter. Feed prices promise to be high and a good fall and winter pasture will save him many dollars.

It is noticed that where sufficient rains have fallen during the past week many farmers are busy sowing small grains for pastures and this is a commendable practice and they are liable to be dollars, as well as stock ahead of some of their neighbors who fail to get their pastures in.

### Literary Digest's Presidential Poll Is Started Here

Individual ballots have been mailed to voters of Snyder and nearby communities in a new Literary Digest poll of over 10,000,000 persons to ascertain who will be the next president of the United States. The votes should be distributed by the post office locally within a few days, according to advice received today from the magazine's publishers.

Returns from Texas in this 1936 referendum will be tallied as a unit so they may be compared with the voting in other states, it is announced.

The voting of the post-card ballots is secret as no signature or other identification is required and the return postage is paid by the magazine. To guard against tampering and counterfeiting a specially manufactured cardboard is used for printing the ballot, according to sponsors of the poll, and all spurious votes can be detected immediately and destroyed.

The ballot asks the voter's choice of the seven officially nominated candidates and for whom he or she voted in the 1932 election, to reveal the general drift from one party to another.

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### Sine Cura Club In First Meeting.

Sine Cura Club met with Mrs. W. R. Johnson for its first meeting of the year Tuesday afternoon. Members present were: Mmes. A. J. Towle, Ernest Taylor, Joe Stinson, H. G. Towle and the hostess, Mmes. W. D. Beggs, Wayne Boren and H. O. Smith and Miss Lary Beth Waskom were guests for the party.

The hostess passed a fresh fruit plate at the close of the games. Prizes for high score were awarded Miss Waskom, guest, and Mrs. Joe Stinson, member. Mrs. Smith retained the traveling prize.

### Palace Theatre PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Thursday, Friday, September 10-11—  
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 starring Warner Baxter and Myrna Loy, with Ian Hunter and Claire Trevor. The best love story the Saturday Evening Post ever printed. News and Color Cartoon.

Saturday, September 12—  
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Sat. Night Prevue, Sun., Sept. 12-13  
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Monday, September 14—  
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### Insurance Phase For Agricultural Program Talked

Insurance features of the agricultural conservation program are proving of value to farmers in Texas because of unusual weather conditions in 1936. A. L. Smith, executive secretary of the state agricultural conservation committee, points out.

"Interest is being manifested in these features by many farmers of this region," he added, "so the recent statement of C. A. Cobb, director of the Southern region of the AAA, is particularly appropriate at this time."

Cobb says, "Each producer who meets the requirements of the agricultural conservation program is sure of receiving some cash income even though his crops may be destroyed by drought or other causes.

"No program can prevent suffering and hardship if a farmer's labor and cash investment in crops are completely lost because of unfavorable weather conditions. The present program will partly relieve the distress of cooperating producers by making a cash payment to those who have used approved farming practices on their land.

"The soil-conserving crops, grown on land that would otherwise be planted to soil-depleting crops, protect the cooperating producer against losses of plant food and soil caused by leaching and erosion.

"Improved soils mean better stands, fewer crop failures, lower production cost to producers, and over a long period a more staple and less expensive supply of foods, feeds and fibers for consumers than would be available if soils should continue to be wasted at the present rate."

Boynton Martin of Big Spring visited friends in Snyder during the week-end.

Miss Opal Armstrong and Eugene Day of Sweetwater were Friday evening visitors in Snyder.

He—"I wonder why women are so inconsistent?"  
 She—"Why, what do you mean?"  
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The Weekly Dozen

Weekly Rooseveltism.

President Roosevelt: "Dark days will be worth all they cost if they teach that our destiny is not to be ministered unto, but to minister to ourselves and our fellowmen."

Talkative Tillie Wonders.

Talkative Tillie, noting that Sally Rand has developed a sensational new electrical ray dance for the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial, wonders what would happen if a fuse blew out.

Page Fide and Flock Again.

With advancing prices on farm products all over the country, the farmer's family with a few cows and some chickens are coming into their own again. Properly cared for, these barnyard friends will keep many families in bacon and sugar in spite of short cotton crops in this area.

Kill Next Year's Weevils Now.

Texas A. & M. College officials are urging the plowing under of all cotton stalks this fall and winter by the state's cotton growers. Abnormal conditions of this year's crops will harbor next year's boll weevils, they declare. We believe farmers of this area will look upon this as sound advice, and will heed it.

What the Star Gazers See.

The star gazers foresee good times and no drought in 1937. At least that was the pronouncement of the leader of the All-American astrological convention as the consensus of the 600 astrologers meeting in Chicago last week. We Scurry County folks will be ready to thank the stars for our share of fulfilled prophecy.

One Drawback for Street Paving.

One thinking citizen of Snyder has suggested that the street paving program of the next few weeks has one dispiriting aspect: Lives of so many people will be endangered by the answered urge to speed on the completed streets. Only stricter enforcement of speeding laws in the city limits will save broken limbs and broken hearts.

Oil in Our Drinking Water.

Drillers sinking a well in the hope of relieving a municipal water shortage at Konawa, Oklahoma, were very annoyed when they struck oil at 600 feet. With considerable difficulty they shut off the oil and pushed the hole down 40 additional feet to the water level. Passivism Pete suggests that a little oil on these troublesome times might quiet the restlessness of the age.

From Will Rogers' Memoirs.

One of the last articles by Will Rogers told of attending a meeting of financiers engaged in lambasting Mr. Roosevelt. Jesse H. Jones, appointed by President Hoover as head of the RFC, who had been scribbling while the oratory was on, handed Will Rogers his handiwork. The humorist found it to be a list of the debts which all the speakers owed the government.

Can What You Can While You Can.

Far-sighted folks of Scurry County have been canning food supplies in recent months to care for future needs. They will continue to can as long as they can and have stuff to can. Army quartermasters, figuring for the purchase of millions of dollars of food stuff for the CCC and the army and navy estimate that the cost of ordinary basic foods will advance at least 20 per cent by next spring.

Bruises and Sprains Are Worth It.

Father of one member of the Snyder High School football squad was talking to us the other day. He said the scuffs, scratches and other hurts of the game are worth all the effort when he reflects that the youngster is learning such good lessons in real living. Curbing tempers, accepting discipline, playing the game fair, working with the other fellow, taking responsibility, and working toward a goal are some of the good fruits of the game.

Jones Fourth Ranking Member.

Marvin Jones, until four years ago when a new congressional district was formed to include Scurry County, our representative in the lower house at Washington, has been a consistent defender of West Texas rights in the national capital. Defeat of Representative Tom Blanton of Abilene leaves Jones the fourth ranking member of the Texas House delegation. Jones entered Congress March 4, 1917, and has a worthy record behind him.

The Longest Word.

There seems to be a perennial fascination in trying to discover the longest word in the language. The longest word in Webster's New International Dictionary, Second Edition, is said to be "honorificabilitudinitatibus," but this is a "pedantic nonsense word" meaning honorableness, which apparently owes its inclusion in the dictionary to the fact that it was used by Shakespeare in "Love's Labour Lost." Many of the long words of a more serious sort seem to have been contributed by science—words like "lymphangi-oendtheloma" and "pancreaticocholecystostomy." Among the words which sound more like "plain English," a fairly good sized one is "disestablishmentarianism."

Will the Cities Rule Texas?

Thinking West Texans are giving serious consideration to the Moffett amendment, to be voted on in the November election. The amendment limits the number of representatives from any one county to seven.

Representation in the Legislature now is based upon dividing the total population of the state by 150 (the number of representatives) and allotting representatives to each county or counties in accordance to the resulting population quotient. In the above way the 1921 redistricting act gave Harris County five representatives and Dallas County six representatives. If the state were redistricted in accordance with the 1930 census, Harris County would have nine representatives and Dallas County eight. In fact, Harris County, on basis of its present estimated population, is claiming and working for 14 representatives out of the 150 prescribed by the constitution.

The above method of districting will eventually give a few big cities control of the Legislature. The Moffett amendment will fairly and democratically prohibit this centralization of power.

Geography and economic groups should have representation as well as population. Harris County, having 1634 square miles and having more or less common economic problems, now has five representatives, and will get more if the present method is followed. On the other hand, the 118th District, composed of Scurry, Kent, Borden, Stonewall, Garza and Dickens, having more than 8,000 square miles, has only one representative. The people of Harris County not only have opportunity of voting for five different representatives but also have five votes in the Legislature, while the people in this six-county district vote for only one representative and have only one vote in the Legislature.

When redistricting comes, surely West Texas counties should get the increase rather than Harris County. The Moffett amendment will enable our West Texas counties to get more representation.

Over 30 other states of the Union have already passed amendments that limit the concentration of power and diffuse representation to the rural district. Our West Texas territory has 65 per cent of the state's total territory and pays better than 45 per cent of all the money going into the state treasury, yet has only 35 per cent of the representation in the Legislature. We secure but 29 per cent of the state available school fund, 25 per cent of the elementary budget and around 30 per cent of the appropriation for higher education.

The Moffett amendment limiting concentration of power and giving us more representation will enable us to overcome these discriminations.

Current Comment.

BY LEON GUINN.

Now that baby kissing, big family apostle Benito Mussolini has the war ravished empire, Ethiopia, in the palm of his hand he wants a loan of \$62,500,000 to civilize the barbaric tribes of the patchwork crazy quilt that is the Ethiopian nation. . . . For virtually without improved roads, and the rudiments of modern civilization, Mussolini feels it is the duty of Italy to colonize the backward natives.

Consensus of opinion is that private London and Paris bankers will float the Italian loan, private capital in America being banked on to help out if Pulvio Suvich, Italian ambassador at Washington, succeeds in smoothing the legal path with diplomatic verbiage. . . . If Mussolini offered his treasury securities in New York he would bump up against the Johnson Act (prohibiting loans to war-debt defaulting nations), the next best thing being to get the legal path ironed out for a private offering of "heathen missionizing" investments.

If the Italian loan were publicly offered in London, Londonites would remember rather bitterly the \$10,000,000 in debts the Duce scratched off government books (in retaliation for sanctions). . . . In Paris the hair triggered Socialist government is hostile to anything Italian, and more pointedly, anything Mussolini. . . . So the Duce has an empire on hand to colonize, without the money necessary as an American folk song says "to make the mare go."

Recalled was the fact last year's economic boycott caused Mussolini to go against the advice of Italian financiers, draw heavily on the Bank of Italy's gold reserve of \$385,000,000. . . . As a result the lira has declined over 40 per cent in value, paralyzed the money marts of Rome, from whence springs the economic welfare or woe of Italy. . . . Yet the Duce will probably bring a culture to Ethiopia that will be a serious menace in the next war, for a cultured Ethiopia will in fact be a united colony of Italy. . . . The long range view of things indicates colonization will be a good thing for the Negus tribes, it still seeming as this column remarked sometime back Mussolini had forgotten something, especially financially.

"Whether he use the word 'honor' or the word 'prestige,' the patriot means exactly this: His country's reputation for getting what she wants, or defending what she has got by force of arms."—Milne.

The Times Creed

For the cause that needs assistance; For the wrongs that need resistance; For the future in the distance, And the good that we can do.

Gipsy Smith Will Conduct Revival In Abilene Soon

Gipsy Smith, world famous evangelist, who for 60 years has been holding missions throughout the world, is coming to Abilene for a two-weeks intensive evangelistic campaign.

The Gipsy, who was born in a gipsy tent in Eppingham Forest, England, has this year celebrated his diamond jubilee there, being congratulated by King Edward, the Archbishop of Canterbury, David Lloyd George and many other notable men prominent in state and religious circles for the marvelous career which has taken him from the surroundings of the gipsy tent and placed him among the outstanding preachers of his time.

He is the original Gipsy Smith, the name having been given him when he first started his work under General Booth, founder of the Salvation Army. Abilene and West Texas in general are particularly fortunate in securing the services of this man who for so many years has been trying to raise the standard of Christian living. His preaching methods are sane and winsome and through all the stress and strain of public speaking he still retains a sweet and appealing singing voice with which from night to night he delights his audiences with special solos.

The meetings in Abilene, sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance with all the Protestant churches co-operating, will be held in the automobile exhibit building at the fair grounds from October 11 to 25 inclusive.

Arrangements are being made by the building committee to comfortably seat 5,000 people. Microphones will be installed to send the Gipsy's voice clearly to every corner of the room. Various committees have been appointed and the organization work for the campaign is going forward to make this meeting one that will leave its mark in West Texas for many years to come.

E. Edwin Young, dean of fine arts of Hardin-Simmons University, chairman of the music committee, who was for 12 years associated with Gipsy Smith in campaigns here and abroad as pianist and director of music, promises a great church choir, to be composed of the choir clubs and the choral clubs of the colleges.

The Ministerial Alliance of Abilene extends a hearty invitation to all West Texans visiting the Dallas Centennial and the Frontier Centennial to avail themselves of the privilege of hearing this great evangelist en route. Their desire is that the message and influence of Gipsy Smith be extended beyond Abilene and its environs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Carrell and daughter, Dorothy, of Breckenridge visited with the J. L. Carrells in the Union community and with other relatives and friends here during the week-end.

IN ABILENE



Gipsy Smith, world renowned evangelist, who will be at Abilene for an inter-denominational meeting from October 11-25 inclusive. An auditorium has been arranged to seat 5,000 people, and all protestant denominations of Abilene join in inviting people from all West Texas to hear the aged preacher.

State's Treasury Holds \$19,787,000; \$9,000,000 Deficit

A cash balance of \$19,787,000 in seven state treasury accounts, exceeding by five and a half million dollars the state deficit in two other accounts, was announced by State Treasurer Charley Lockhart.

The deficit in the general revenue fund, as of the beginning of the state's fiscal year this week was \$9,369,244, compared with \$9,742,559 August 20, and the deficit in the Confederate pension fund was \$5,071,270, or a total of \$14,369,268.

The state has about 25 or 30 small special funds with cash balances. But several of its major funds on cash showed a net balance much greater than the deficits in general revenue and Confederate pensions. The highway fund had \$7,920,295 in cash; and there was \$6,046,221 in the fund to pay off county and district road bonds assumed by the state, and \$1,118,648 more paid in by counties to retire their interest coupons on road bonds.

There was a cash balance of \$2,710,488 on hand for interest and sinking fund requirements on the four separate issues of state relief bonds.

Several special funds made up of revenues of the game department aggregated a cash balance of \$140,000. These included \$36,000 in the special game; 40,000 in sand and gravel; \$40,000 in the fish and oyster, and \$24,000 in the game propagation fund.

The available public school fund had \$1,480,603, and the available university fund \$70,105.

The cash balances here itemized are funds available to be spent and do not include the permanent university fund of more than \$200,000, whose interest revenues alone can be spent, nor the permanent public school fund, of the same nature.

Sweetwater Woman Dies.

Mrs. H. B. Winston was called to Sweetwater Wednesday because of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. A. Chapman, wife of Dr. Chapman, Sweetwater physician. Other Snyder people, who planned to go to Sweetwater this morning for the funeral include: The Wade Winstons, Harrie Winston, Mrs. W. R. Bell and Mrs. H. G. Towle.

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Hat on a Head.

By J. P. Nelson. I note that there have been numerous tales concerning the various dry seasons in the part of Texas. I am of the opinion that some of the stories are not true. Therefore I wish to submit one that the people may believe—if so inclined.

In 1934, when we were having some severe sand and dust storms I was coming to Snyder from Lubbock and the sand was very thick. After passing through Justiceburg the sand had become so thick that it was almost impossible to stay in the road. I had my lights on and was barely able to see the ditch beside the road.

After entering Scurry County I noticed a hat on a large sand pile beside the road, and being in need of some head gear I stopped to pick the hat up. As I lifted the hat I noticed a man's head underneath. The man looked up and smiled as pleasantly as possible under such circumstances. I asked him if he needed any help in getting out of the sand, and he said "No, thank you, I am on a pretty good horse and I think that he will get me out all right." After hearing this I was so shocked that I fainted and a passerby used two gallons of sand on me before I regained consciousness.

Well, I gotta stop as my head is beginning to feel the same as it did on that memorable day.

The Drouth.

By W. P. Bolin.

The Gulf clouds drift athwart the sky. The raven goes a-croaking by, And everything is surely dry In Scurry County, Texas.

To find the maize, you need a writ; The cotton's opening—every bit. You have to prime yourself to spit In Scurry County, Texas.

The drouth, it seems, is here to stay. The sun shines hotter every day. And h—'s not half a mile away From Scurry County, Texas.

Former Fluvanna Man Stages Rodeo

Several Scurry County rodeo performers and others are planning to attend the two-day rodeo and 4-H Club exhibits being held Friday and Saturday of this week in Pictown, New Mexico.

Ed Jones, former resident of Fluvanna, and well known to folks of this territory, is sponsoring the affair. Free barbecue each day and free dance each night are features of the event, according to advertising literature distributed in the county late last week.

Bro. Lilly to Preach. Bro. J. F. Lilly, Church of Christ minister will preach at the court-house Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock, Sunday morning at 10:30 and Sunday night at 8:00. It was announced yesterday. Further announcements of services will be made at these meetings.

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THE COLD GERM IS WAITING FOR YOUR DEFENSE TO BE LOWERED! Don't give a "common cold" an even break! The fact that this is good advice is emphasized by the report of leading doctors who point out that fifty per cent of all disabling diseases start with a "common cold." It is well known that sudden chilling of the body after over-heating will often cause sneezing, watery secretions or nasal obstruction. Of this, there can be no doubt from the experience of generations of people everywhere. Any sudden change in bodily temperature during winter months such as going from a warm room into a cold one disturbs the heat regulating apparatus of the body and lowers your defense against the insidious attack of the cold germ. If you heat only one or two rooms . . . if you "huddle" in these warm rooms while the rest of the house remains cold, sudden indoor temperature changes are unavoidable. It's good health insurance as well as good advice to provide adequate heat and a proper circulation of pure warm air in every room of your home during the coming winter months. LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM

STATE DEMOS HEARTILY OK F.D.R., ALLRED

Six Votes From Scurry Cast by Proxy at Rousing Session in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Texas Democratic convention, in annual session in Fort Worth Tuesday, enlarged its platform to include a plank urging the legislature to ratify the child labor amendment to the federal constitution.

Although the six delegates from Scurry County to the confab were unable to attend the meeting, considerable interest in the gathering was manifested here by citizens generally.

Administration Endorsed.

The platform pledged wholehearted support of President Roosevelt, Vice President Garner and likewise endorsed the administration of Governor James V. Allred.

The platform included other planks as follows: Enlargement of anti-trust laws for better protection of small home-owned business and industry.

Strengthening graduated chain store tax. Strengthening anti-lobbying laws. Opposing general sales tax.

Immediate repeal of law permitting horse race gambling. Reclassification of property for taxation "so as to bring on to the tax rolls the large percentage of wealth now escaping the ad valorem tax."

"Progressive development" of well rounded social security program to care adequately for aged needy, orphaned, crippled and blind. Adequate hospitalization for insane.

Increased tax on brewers and beer dealers. Old Age Pension Limit.

Limiting old age pensions to those in need. State participating in federal unemployment insurance.

Opposition to any increase in taxes for purposes other than social security unless "absolutely necessary."

Substantial increase in tax on natural resources. "Reasonable" franchise tax on gross assets of oil and gas pipeline companies.

Revision of franchise tax laws to increase revenues from that source. "Reasonable" increase in inheritance taxes.

Simplifying method of collecting delinquent taxes. Constitutional amendment to expediate supreme court decisions on constitutionality of state laws.

Empowering supreme court to fix rules of civil court procedure. Empowering state tax board to aid counties in determining values of properties of oil companies, sulphur companies, insurance companies and other large businesses.

For Lower Utility Rates. Reduction of public utility rates and enactment of laws making it practical for any city to operate its own public utilities.

Reduced hours of labor without reduction of salaries. Removal of boxing and wrestling supervision from labor department.

Opposition to federal control of oil or gas. Renewal of interstate oil compact for two years.

Legislation making official the system of county voluntary parole boards. Maximum cooperation between the legislative and executive branches.

The coppery taste in some water systems may be attributed to the practice of grounding wires on water pipes.

About People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Huestas of Fort-San visited friends in Snyder Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Heard left Saturday for a few days visit with friends in San Angelo, Mertzon and Texon.

Miss Charles Ella Hamlett of Plainview was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamlett.

Mrs. Allan Moses of Lubbock is a guest of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Grantham, and sister, Miss Edith Grantham.

Mrs. Phil Berman and son, Joe, of Colorado are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Josephson and daughter, Sandra Jean.

Clarence Walton left Monday evening for McMurry College, where he will study again this year. Walton is a ministerial student.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pond of Colorado were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle and daughter, Mary Margaret.

Miss Virginia Preulitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preulitt, returned home late last week after spending a week with relatives in Dallas and attending the Centennial.

Buster Brown and T. M. Broadfoot, former pastor of the First Christian Church here, now of Odessa, visited with Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Riley and son, Prentice, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Riley and children were guests of the B. F. Gees in Sweetwater Sunday. The group spent the day picnicking at Sweetwater Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boren, who left recently for Long Beach, California, for their vacation, were joined there by their son, Bud, this week. Bud left here last Thursday, and they will all return home about September 20.

Mrs. D. P. Yoder returned home early this week from an extended trip to the West Coast. She went from here to Portland, Oregon, returning by way of California to Gallup, New Mexico, where she visited with old friends.

Miss Genevieve Jarratt of Lubbock was a guest of Miss Rubye Curry the first of this week. She left Tuesday night for Loraine to visit with her grandmother before returning to Lubbock to resume her work in Texas Technological College.

Miss Charline Ely, who received her bachelor's degree from McMurry College, Abilene, in August, left her home here late last week for Water Valley, consolidated school 25 miles west of San Angelo, where she will be a member of the faculty. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Murphy of Texas City are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Glen and other relatives and friends here. They will return home late this week, accompanied by their son, G. L., who has been visiting with his grandparents, the Glens, here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hall of Odessa were guests of their parents, the E. L. Darbys and the Llando Halls, here Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Hall remained to visit until Sunday.

Miss Roberta Ely left Sunday night, returning to McMurry College, Abilene, to begin her second year's work. Registration was Tuesday and Wednesday and classes will begin today.

Miss Vernell Bradbury returned home Sunday from a two weeks vacation as a guest of relatives and friends at Laredo. She made several trips into Old Mexico during her stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sims and children, Wanda Jean and Bobby, returned home Friday after a pleasant vacation at the Centennials in Fort Worth and Dallas, in Tyler and other East Texas cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ward of Breckenridge were guests of Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Stinson, here from Thursday until Sunday. Mr. Ward is teaching in the Breckenridge schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Grayum and grandson, Grayum McKnight, accompanied their daughter and mother, Mrs. Violet McKnight, to Ballinger Friday, where she will take up her work as head of the high school music department. Mrs. McKnight, who has been attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, this summer, taught at Spur last year.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Barnett of Los Angeles, California, were week-end guests of her sisters, Mrs. J. C. Stinson and Mrs. Fred A. Grayum, in Snyder. The California couple was accompanied to Big Spring Sunday by the Grayums to visit with Mr. Barnett's relatives. They will leave from here for their home after spending their six weeks vacation in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bibbee of Denver, Colorado, were guests of Mr. Bibbee's sister, Mrs. G. H. Leath, and family here late last week. They were en route home after a visit to the Fort Worth Centennial, accompanied by Mr. Bibbee's mother, Mrs. M. E. Bibbee, who returned home with them after visiting friends and relatives in Ellis County all last week.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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Cotton Grade Is Up, But Staple Shorter Than One Year Ago

Grade of cotton this week continued to improve over the previous week, with strict middling and good middling representing nearly 59 per cent against 53 per cent last week, according to weekly report for the state of Texas by Austin Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Slight increases are reported for the week over the previous week in the proportions of 13-16 inch and 7-8 inch staples. A pronounced increase, however, is shown in 15-16 inch staple this week, representing 47 per cent, compared with approximately 37 per cent last week. Inch staples decreased from 35 per cent to 24 per cent, while 1-1-16 inches and longer lengths decreased from seven per cent to slightly less than three per cent.

Grades this season to date are generally much higher than those shown to corresponding date last season. The average staple length, however, is somewhat shorter than last year, with 7-8 inch and shorter length constituting 23 per cent against only 12 per cent last year, while a reduction is noticeable in the proportion of 15-16 inch cotton this season.

One who tries to ride a college diploma is usually bumped off.

A half friend is worse than an enemy.

GET YOUR Milk and Cream from the Dairy that Snyder is building TOWNSEND'S DAIRY Phone 9003-F-2

Snyder General Hospital

Following are listed the medical patients in Snyder General Hospital since last report: Henry Hart, Snyder; Mrs. Turner Forest, Snyder; Grady Wallace, Snyder; Mrs. W. A. Clift, Hermleigh. Mrs. Forest, Mrs. Clift and Grady Wallace were still in the hospital yesterday.

Surgical patients since last week are the following: Bobby Harold Moser, Colorado; Mrs. Ben Brooks, Snyder; Ruth Stewart, Snyder; C. Wedgeworth, Snyder; Elaine Carney, Hermleigh; Joe Berman, Colorado; and Mrs. J. R. Reeves, Snyder. Misses Brooks and Reeves, Miss Carney and Mr. Wedgeworth are remaining in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doak returned home Friday, after spending their vacation in Galveston and at the Centennials in Fort Worth and Dallas.

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Locals Will Attend West Texas Official Big Spring Meeting

County Judge H. J. Brice and Commissioners H. M. Blackard and H. E. Brock announced yesterday that they intended attending the annual session of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association at Big Spring this week-end.

Commissioners Forest Jones and Holly Shuler were undecided whether they would make the trip. Commissioners-elect J. E. Hairston, J. G. Landrum and Hubert Robison, also invited to the session, could not be contacted about the meeting.

With two days packed full of discussions and addresses, commissioners and judges will hear their routine problems aired in addition to talks on broader subjects of relief, health, old age assistance and audits.

Among those to appear on the program are Congressman George

Mahon and C. M. McFarland, Congressman-elect Clyde Garrett, Attorney General William McCray, Harry Hines, chairman of the state highway commission, State Senator G. H. Nelson, State Comptroller George Sheppard, State Highway Engineer Glibb Gilchrist and Dr. V. A. Davis, head of the state health department.

Reports Splendid Meeting.

Best attended convention in the history of the organization was reported by Dr. R. O. Fuqua, Snyder dentist, who was present at the annual gathering of the Texas Dental Society at Dallas last week-end. A feature of the session was a post-graduate course in dentistry, something new for the convention.



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Save the Corn Flakes Tops! Two tops will admit one child under 12 years of age to see "The Texas Ranger" coming to the Palace Theatre soon.

PEACHES Water Packed, No. 10 Can— 45c

MATCHES True American, Carton 6 Boxes— 17c

SUGAR Pure Cane—In Cloth Bags—25 Pounds— \$1.35

COFFEE Maxwell House, 1 Pound— 27c

CORN Mission Sugar Corn, No. 2 Can—Two for— 25c

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CHEESE Armour's Longhorn—Good With Crackers after school 23c

BACON Sliced—Cellophane Wrapped—Pound— 28c

LUNCH LOAF Tomato, Pickle—Always Acceptable in Lunches—Lb. 25c

BEEF ROAST Rib or Brisket, Per Pound— 12 1/2c

DRY SALT JOWLS Nice Size, Per Pound— 16c

CANDY Fresh Supply Hershey's Mars—3 Bars for— 10c

CRACKERS Saxe Sodas, Two Pounds for— 17c

PEANUT BUTTER Armour's Veribest, Full Quart— 29c

POTTED MEAT Armour's Star, Three for— 10c

COOKIES Assorted—Good for Lunches—2 sizes— 10c and 15c

Vienna SAUSAGE Armour's Star, Three for— 25c

KISSES Hershey's Wrapped, Per Pound— 25c

PRUNES New Pack, Two Pounds— 15c

PRODUCE advertisement featuring a piggy bank and various fresh fruits and vegetables like apples, oranges, and grapes.

—Fruits and vegetables that keep the school children healthy, add an orange or an apple to the lunch, and above all, select vegetables for their meals at home. Piggy Wiggly's refrigerated produce department will supply the needed items—THE GARDEN SPOT OF SHOPPING HOURS.

LETTUCE Firm Heads, Each— 5c

SPUDS No. 1 Whites, 10 Pounds— 29c

GRAPES Tokays—None Better, Per Pound— 5c

TOMATOES California—Firm, Per Pound— 6c

GREEN BEANS Nice and Tender, Per Pound— 7 1/2c

APPLES Jonathan—School Lunch size—Dozen— 25c

ORANGES California—Healthful, Per Dozen— 20c

LEMONS Nice Size, Per Dozen— 19c

SHOES DYED advertisement for Blue Jacket Shine Parlor, featuring a shoe with a large 'A' and the text 'Keep In Step With the Season'.

Round Top News

Mrs. H. L. Harrison, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Crowder and Merlene and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams, Sammie Marie, and Mrs. H. G. Brown attended the Centennial at Dallas a few days this week.

County Line News

Mrs. Lawrence Brown, Correspondent
Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon. The young people's class held the record for Bible readings this week.

Pyron News

Thelma Kinney, Correspondent
Miss Marie Neithercut of Clyde is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee McMillan.

3,000,000th at Exposition Feted



Mary Ellen Twitty, a ten-year-old Dallas lassie, was feted by the Texas Centennial Exposition because she was the 3,000,000th visitor.

Bell News

Mrs. Will Caffey, Correspondent
Mrs. E. C. Tate and children returned Tuesday night from a few weeks' visit with relatives in Colorado.

Camp Springs

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Midway News

Mildred DeShazo, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Beavers were called to Arkansas to the bedside of his mother, who is very ill.

Union Chapel

Mrs. Nellie Bunch, Correspondent
Our community has been blessed with good rains since the last writing.

Bethel News

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West Side of Square Snyder, Texas
Our Boy's Department is now complete for Fall. Boy's and Young Men's Suits, sizes 2 to 18 years.
SEE OUR WINDOWS

Pleasant Hill

Ruth Merritt, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Barkley and son, Billy, of Union spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Williams.

German News

Ollie Pagan, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Cull Forbes of Abilene spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken, and family.

Big Sulphur News

Ann Mahoney, Correspondent
Those visiting in the A. D. Eggleston home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and son, Billy, all of Dunn.

Murphy News

Mrs. W. W. Weathers, Correspondent
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Miscellaneous

WE HAVE recently installed machinery for rebuilding furniture of any kind, doing upholstering, painting, varnishing, reconditioning cushions and springs.

Wanted

MEN WANTED for Raleigh routes of 800 families. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly.

Wanted

LET ME GRIND YOUR FEED. I have installed a new mill and equipment formerly owned by Bob Weaver.

To Trade

TO TRADE—Electrically operated Maytag washer to trade for gas-line model.—Mrs. W. H. Lindley. 1tp

Lost and Found

STRAYED or stolen—From my place 7 miles northwest of Roscoe, black two-year-old filly; \$5 for information leading to recovery.—Ernest Wiman, Roscoe. 13-2tp

For Sale

FOUR GOOD mules, harness; double row planter, double row cultivator, breaking plow, turning plow; two young Jersey cows with heifer calves; two yearling heifers; will sell cheap.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Well-bred Barred Rock roosters; ready for service; \$1.00 each.—Townsend Dairy. 13-1tc

For Sale

CHEVROLETS—1934 Coach, Rebuilt motor; new tires; fine appearance. \$445.00. 1925 Pickup, 10,500 miles; good rubber; runs like new. \$490.00.

For Sale

USED CAR VALUES! 1930 Model A Ford Coupe, \$175. 1931 Pontiac Sedan, \$275. J. R. Hicks, Terraplane dealer. Ask for a demonstration of the new Terraplane. 13-2tc

### Pleasant Ridge

**Rogers W. Wells, Correspondent**  
Mrs. Lewis Hagerton was hostess at a birthday dinner given in honor of her husband Sunday. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Parker of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Rasco, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hagerton and daughter, George Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hagerton and children, Anna Ruth Wells and Ruth Garrett of Pyron.  
We extend sympathy to the Hy Coldewey family at the passing of his father in South Texas.  
Neighbors and friends of this and surrounding communities are meeting to gather O. P. Blair's crop today (Tuesday). His wife has been ill for several months.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McNailey visited his brother and family at Loraine Sunday.  
Otha McCullough and Melvin Walker have returned from Monahans.  
William Prescott of China Grove visited his mother, Mrs. Alma Prescott, Sunday.  
Denfer and Elvin Hale are working for their uncle, Lige Sanders, of Valley View.  
Rev. C. E. Leslie will preach here Sunday. There will be a baptizing in the afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Farbis visited in the O. P. Blair home Sunday evening.  
Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Freeman Sunday evening were Mrs. H. Wells and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eperson and Mr. and Mrs. M. Finger of Mari-nel.

### Bison News

**Leota Nixon, Correspondent**  
Bison Baptist Church met Wednesday night, September 2, in called session. Bro. Bratton was called as pastor for another year, delegates were elected and the letter prepared for the association.  
Several from this community attended church at Murphy Sunday.  
People here are rejoicing over the nice rain which fell Thursday and Friday. Several farmers are sowing winter pasture.  
Mrs. T. J. Ellis, Mother Addison and Nettie were guests of Mrs. J. H. Bills for a birthday dinner September 1, in the correspondent's home. The honoree received several useful gifts.  
Mrs. Bills left for her home at Paris September 3.  
Mrs. Paul Thompson and children spent the week-end with relatives here.  
Tom Spikes has found work at Odessa. His family will join him in the near future.  
Miss Nellie Fae Grant is employed in a hospital at Borger.  
Vollie Sorrells entered school at Abilene last week.  
Marvin Bishop, Robert Gregory and families have moved to the Plains for the harvesting season.  
School began here Monday, with Mr. Cummins as principal and Miss Sue McKeown as primary teacher.  
Claude and Elvis Bishop were Bison visitors last week.  
A few farmers here have begun gathering cotton and feed.

### Plainview News

**Aleen Rossan, Correspondent**  
The chicken barbecue was enjoyed by everyone present.  
Miss Dorothea Reed of Snyder spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Vandiver.  
Mrs. Ben F. Brooks underwent an operation in Snyder General Hospital Saturday morning. Her condition is reported to be improving.  
F. E. Ballard of Big Spring has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Ooley Smith.  
Bernard and Montie Rea Smith left Saturday for Lubbock, where they will stay with their sister, Mrs. Erton Tate, and attend school.  
Mr. and Mrs. Moody Welch of Ballinger spent the week-end in the J. D. King home. Mr. King and son, L. D., are going to return home with them for a visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Minyard and daughters, Estelle and Marie, of Albany spent the week-end in the V. M. Minyard home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eicke and children visited Miss Lois Huckabee of Big Spring, who has been seriously ill, Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rossan and son, Fred, and J. W. Rossan spent Saturday with the Alford Rossans of Ira community.  
Those who started to school at Snyder from here this week were: G. W. and Garland Parks, Mozelle Eicke and Muriel Woodard.  
Singing will be at Plainview Sunday night.

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### China Grove News

**Odessa Krop, Correspondent**  
Arlis Cotton of Kent is visiting in the Tom Webb home.  
A large number of young folks attended a party in the McKnight home Friday night.  
Eva Mae Burns returned from Weatherford Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bean, who will live here.  
China Grove ladies entertained their families Monday evening, with the annual chicken fry. Bro. Ben Ferguson and wife of Big Spring were guests. Mr. and Mrs. Delmor Coles entertained the young people after the chicken fry. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson entertained the old folks with a forty-two party.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Krop visited Tom Allen Saturday.  
China Grove school turned out for cotton picking.  
Earl Brown and family of Valley View visited in the Adam Merket home Sunday.  
Misses Lois Allen and Jewel Krop and Mrs. Howell spent the week-end in Snyder.  
Edwin Seamore, Mrs. Annie Keeter and daughter, Betty Lou, of Port Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hairston Sunday.  
La Nelle Parmer of Hernleigh spent Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Jess Allen.  
I wish everyone would hand me news over each week-end.

### Lone Wolf News

**Gladys Mahoney, Correspondent**  
Misses Cora Beth and Gladys Ruth Mahoney spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Grimes of the Santa Fe Lake, Sweetwater.  
A. L. Weatherman has been visiting his parents at Gorman.  
Mrs. Fred Laughlin entertained her Sunday school class with a party Saturday evening.  
Misses Beatrice and Georgia Ruth Hagerton spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Garrett at Pyron.  
Quite a number of folks from this community attended singing at Pyron Sunday evening.  
Misses Ola Allen, Merle Glass, Mildred and Mary Etta Vernon of Pyron visited Cora Beth and Gladys Ruth Mahoney Sunday.  
Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Kuck of near Loraine Saturday. He was well known in this community and owned property here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Love and children of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wheeler of Pyron.  
Mr. Joe Wheeler and children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Norrell and son, Charles, of Abilene, visited in the home of Mrs. O'Dellah Norrell last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Blair and baby of Loraine, Mrs. Nancy Bennett and son, Alva, of Lone Star visited in the O. P. Blair home Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Griffith and children of Inadale spent Sunday in the W. C. Darden home.  
People of this and Lone Star community gathered at the O. P. Blair home Monday and picked his cotton. Mrs. Blair, who has been gravely ill for several months, is no better.

A pullman porter was thrown from his car when the train was derailed, and flew ten feet through the air before he hit headfirst up against a concrete post. He lay in a daze, rubbing his head, when the conductor came running up.  
"Great Scott, man," cried the conductor, "aren't you killed?" "No," said the porter, getting to his feet, "that concrete post musta broke ma fall."  
"Com-paa-nee-atten-shun!" bawled the drill sergeant to the "awkward squad." "Com-pa-nee, lift up your left leg and hold it straight in front of you."  
By mistake one member held up his right leg, which brought it out side by side with his neighbor's left leg.  
"And who is the galoot over there holding up both legs?" shouted the hard-boiled sergeant.  
A colored philosopher said this deserves to rank with Emerson:  
"Life, my bredder, ain't mesly made up of prayin' fo' rain, and den wishin' it would cl'ar off."



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### Daring Riders From Europe With Barnes Circus



The glamorous, colorful, alluring, mysterious circus is headed this way!  
Friday, September 11, is the date, and the circus, an old favorite in Snyder, is the Al G. Barnes combined show.  
The above picture shows four of the great Christiani family of European riders. Nine brothers and sisters comprise this remarkable act. More than 60 aerialists will be seen in the vast all new

program of this season's big show. Champion acrobats, bareback riders, equilibrists and aerialists from 18 foreign countries will be seen in 200 separate acts in six rings, arena, stages and on the vast bi-podrome oval and intricate lofty enclaves.  
This season far bigger and better, the Al G. Barnes circus ascends its long sought supremacy of being the world's greatest amusement institution.

The clean business methods of this great traveling enterprise have always made the Al G. Barnes circus welcome visitors to this community. The performances will be given at 2:00 and 8:00 p. m. The doors will open at 1:00 and 7:00 p. m. to permit an inspection of the immense zoo or to enjoy a concert of popular and operatic music by Prof. Weckener's military band, one of the best traveling bands in the world.

### Canyon News

**Luella Layne, Correspondent**  
Faces in this community are a little more cheerful since we received a light rain Thursday and Friday.  
J. W. Layne, Bobby Adams, C. C. Mosely and Henry Layne of Bethel made a business trip to Treadway Sunday.  
Mrs. J. W. Layne and daughters, Luella and Annie Bell, visited Mrs. Henry Layne Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCarter are spending the week-end at Brownwood.  
Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the R. H. Norrell family at the time of their great sorrow because of the death of their loved one, Mrs. Norrell. She was born in 1896, was 40 years of age and the mother of 13 children, ten of whom survive. She was buried at Duam Friday evening. The family has resided in and near our community the past seven years. Flower girls were Mrs. Dave McCarter, Mrs. Ernest Adams, Mrs. Clyde Thomas and Mrs. Roy Sierling. Pallbearers were Dave McCarter, C. C. Mosely, Ernest Adams, Clyde Thomas, Bobby Adams and Sam Angel.  
T. M. Pherigo and children, Mary Ella, Dola Fae and Truman, are in Mexico.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beeman and children are picking cotton at Gatesville.  
Salesman—"These stockings are the very latest patterns, fast colors, hole-proof, won't shrink, priced far lower than elsewhere, and a very good yarn."  
Co-ed—"Yes, and you tell it well."

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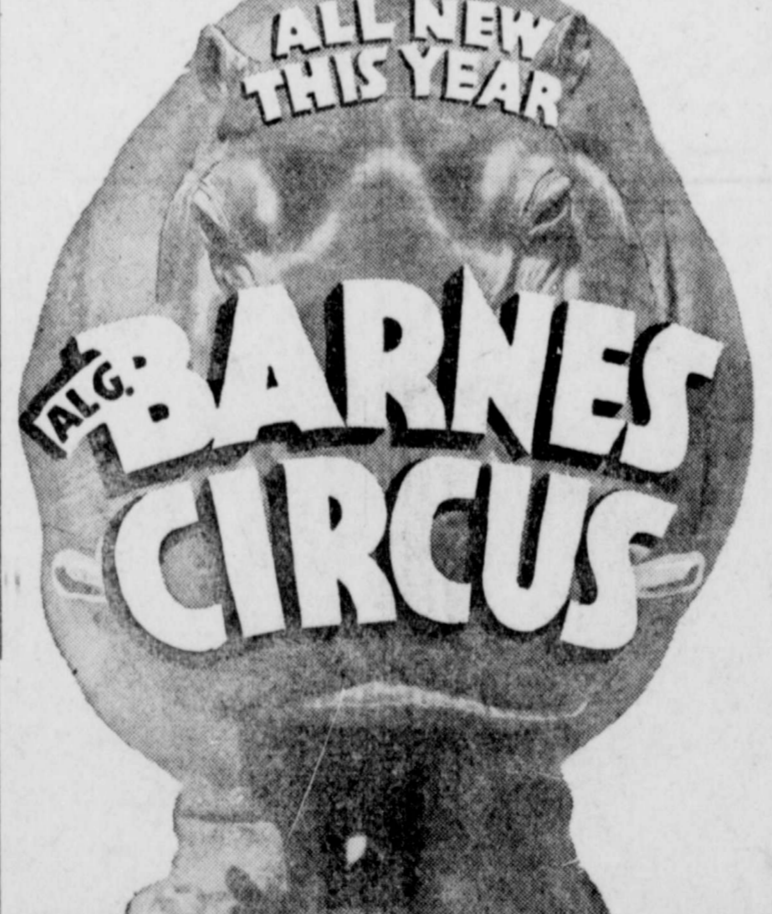
### Price for Texas' Cotton is Better Than US Average

United States Department of Agriculture estimated that Texas farmers were receiving slightly higher than the average national market value of cotton on August 15.  
The crop reporting board said the Texas staple was bringing about 12.3 cents a pound, compared with 12.2 cents in the 16 producing states. North Carolina, South Carolina and Mississippi cotton was worth 12.6 cents—the highest in the nation—and Oklahoma cotton netted 11.4 cents—the lowest.  
Other prices Texas farmers received, compared with the national average:  
Wheat, \$1.08 and \$1.05; corn, 83 cents and \$1.07; oats, 41 cents and 43 cents; barley, 92 cents and 75 cents; hogs, 100 pounds, \$9.80 and

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### Crowder News

**Lola Mae McKinney, Correspondent**  
People of this community were greatly rejoiced by a three-inch rain which fell Thursday afternoon of last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Day of Snyder spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Millhollan.  
Mr. Leftwich entertained his room with a watermelon feast at his home in Snyder Friday night.  
W. A. McKinney of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKinney Saturday.  
Pat Martin of Union visited J. A. McKinney Jr. Saturday.  
Charlie and Bob McKinney and Hugh Davis attended the party in the Neal Home in Snyder Wednesday night.  
Visitors in the J. A. McKinney home Sunday were: Mrs. W. A. Barnett and daughters, Ruth and Mattie Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bunch of Union, Mrs. Jack Starnes of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Layne of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Armstrong of Martin, Marshall and Jesse of Snyder, and Ernest Corley was a Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night visitor.

Typewriter ribbons at the Times.

### Polar News

**Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent**  
A light rain fell over this community Monday evening.  
Cotton pulling is in full swing in this community, and most of the feed crops have been gathered.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. Seaton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Sellars and Taylor Ramage and family visited with friends and relatives at Snyder over the week-end.  
Mr. and Mrs. Burl Clanton and son spent the week-end in the L. W. Carlisle home at Ira.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Corbell and children of Snyder spent last Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lyons.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Marcum and Calvin and Otha Draper of Snyder spent Sunday in the Lizzie Ford home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Whitaker and children and Olan Smith of Throckmorton spent Monday night in the C. M. Lyons home.  
A. G. Ford left last week to visit with relatives in Oklahoma.  
Little Monk Massingill of Plainview is visiting Charles Ray Lyons.  
Mrs. Griffith of Dallas visited Mrs. G. G. Yeatts last week.  
Uncle George Elkins of Dermott attended Sunday school and church services here Sunday.

### Hernleigh News

**Mrs. J. M. Bralley, Correspondent**  
Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walker and two children, all of Bell, and B. Hunter of Champion were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. M. E. Williams and daughter Minnie Lee. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Coker and grandson, Tom Bryan Coker of Westbrook, were callers in the afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Karnes and niece Miss Sue Norris, were visiting at Blackwell Sunday.  
The barber takes the red-hot towel. As though he were just learning and drops it quickly on your face. To keep his hands from burning.  
"Did you pass your exam?"  
"Well, it was like this—you see—  
"Shake! Neither did I."

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<b>TOKAY GRAPES</b> The Best We've Had Per Pound.....7½c	<b>LEMONS</b> Sun-Kist Per Dozen.....21c
<b>LETTUCE</b> Iceberg Per Head.....5c	<b>GALLON FRUIT</b> Apricots 49c Peaches 45c Prunes 33c
<b>SPUDS</b> No. 1 Whites, 10 Pounds	<b>25c</b>
<b>SLICED BACON</b> Armour's Dexter Per Pound.....30c	<b>OLEOMARGARINE</b> Marigold Per Pound.....17c
<b>SALMON</b> Raceland Brand Tall Can.....10c	<b>TOMATOES</b> New Pack 3 No. 2 Cans.....25c
<b>COFFEE</b> Schilling's 2-Pound Can	<b>50c</b>
<b>POTTED MEAT</b> Armour's Veribest 3 Cans.....10c	<b>CRACKERS</b> Saxet Sodas 2-Pound Box.....17c
<b>MATCHES</b> True American Per Carton.....17c	<b>ORANGES</b> Sun-Kist Each.....1c
<b>SUGAR</b> Pure Cane 25-Lb. Sack	<b>\$1.33</b>



## FINE RESPONSE REGISTERED BY DOLLAR DAYS

### Old and New Subscribers Coming In Early at Announcement Of Annual Bargain.

One of the first responses to The Times' announcement made last week that Dollar Days were being started on Your Home County Paper early this year was this incident:

"Notice you fellows have announced 'Your Dollar Days again,' to which the sub-taker answered in the affirmative."

"And you plan to raise the bargain price to \$1.50 next year if 'times are normal'—and we 'yessed' again."

"Well, you'd better mark me up for about three years at the dollar rate, then, because I want to keep taking your fine paper for years to come."

While the publishers had planned no extra drive for subscriptions for periods more than one year, they are accepting them at the dollar rate until further notice. In this connection, they declare that subscribers will not have opportunity to get the paper at this price again, in the face of mounting production costs for the paper.

Advance to \$1.50 per year had been planned for this fall, but in view of the abnormal conditions of the area, the publishers felt that the dollar rate would be maintained for the time.

Rate of \$1-per-year is available to subscribers in Scurry County, as well as those which border on each side—Borden, Nolan, Fisher, Mitchell, Howard, Kent and Garza. Outside of this section a rate of \$1.50 applies, the additional 50 cents being added to care for greater postage rates outside the first mail zone.

The Abilene Morning News has announced a special mail rate of \$4.65, the same as in 1935. The trade territory with the Abilene Times may be combined in this paper for \$5.15. The regular price of both papers is \$8.00.

The Times may be combined with the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News or the Pathfinder for \$1.75. The regular price of either combination is \$3.

No special rates have yet been announced by the Star-Telegram or by the Dallas News.

#### Is It Can Be?

He is went, he are gone,  
He have left I all alone.  
Oh, Cruel Fate, she were not kind,  
To take he forth and leave me hind;  
It cannot was.

He is a poor citizen who would draw the wages of another's work.

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## Many Singers From Scurry Will Attend Roscoe Convention

If other counties in the territory of the Four-County Singing Convention expect to keep step with Scurry County singers, they will have to send big delegations to the semi-annual session which convenes in Roscoe Saturday night and all day Sunday, local tunesters announce.

Several special numbers by individuals and classes were being scheduled by those planning to attend from this county. Numbers will attend also in the role of listeners, of course.

Eddie Williams of Hobbs, convention president, has announced that record attendance is being prepared for by the Nolan County host city, arrangements having been made to care for 3,000 people. Early Saturday evening arrival is urged by Williams in order to secure accommodations for everyone.

Highlights of the singing affair will be numbers from the Stamps Quartet of Dallas. Other prominent specialty numbers are planning to attend, convention officials announce.

## W. Z. Pierce Passes Monday After Third Stroke of Paralysis

Funeral services for W. Z. Pierce, 58-year-old citizen of the Aram community, were held at the First Baptist Church here at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. Walter Dever officiated, assisted by Rev. J. W. McGaha and Rev. Cecil Rhodes. Maples Funeral Home was in charge of burial in the Snyder cemetery.

Death came Monday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at the Pierce home, 14 miles west of Snyder, just one week after a third attack of paralysis, the first of which occurred three years ago and the second, a light stroke, May 1. A large crowd of friends paid tribute to the veteran farmer at the final rites Tuesday.

For 16 years Mr. Pierce and his family have been useful community citizens of Scurry County. They have lived in four different communities during that time—Cottonwood Flat, Turner, Canyon and Aram. In 1908 Mr. Pierce moved his family here and remained 14 months, returning to Denton County, where he and his wife were married, until 1920.

Survivors include the widow, two sons, Alvin and Clois, and four grandchildren, all of whom reside in Scurry County. One sister, Mrs. Nettie Fulton of Jewett, also survives.

Palbearers were: J. R. Halre, Johnnie Lankford, Bud Cartwright, Harry Clarkson, G. B. Griffin and E. L. Goolsby. Katherine Smith, Una Vee Adams, Hazel Milson and Olene Milson were in charge of the flowers.

## First Methodist Church

Fall has come and we are getting back to regular schedules. Let us all find our places in the services of the church next Sunday. You need the church and the church needs you.—H. C. Gordon, Pastor.

Don't economize like the Scotchman who took long steps to keep from wearing out his \$4 shoes and split his \$8 trousers.

The success of a wedding does not depend on its size.

## AUTO ODDITIES... By Cassell



## Topping of Highway 15 at Lamesa Begun

Work on the asphalt topping of Highway 15 from Lamesa west to the Gaines County line began late last week. A contract for the topping of five miles of Highway 15 east of Lamesa has been let.

The completion of the topping of Highway 15 through Dawson County will give the county two paved highways. Highway No. 9 was completed over a year ago.

## First Presbyterian Church

A cordial invitation is extended to all those who have come to Snyder for the school year to attend the regular services of the Presbyterian Church. The weekly program is as follows:

Sunday—9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11:00 a. m., morning preaching service; 6:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor; 7:45 p. m., evening preaching service. Wednesday—8:00 p. m., mid-week service. There are, in addition to these regular services, special activities and clubs for adults, young people and children, at which you will find a hearty welcome.

The biennial meeting of Presbytery is in regular session at Cross Plains Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Those in attendance from here are the pastor and Elder D. C. Howell.—James E. Spivey, pastor.

New Paint at Gray's. Painters first of the week were giving the front of Gray's Variety Store, east side of the square, a new dress of paint that brightens up that section. Further improvements have been made inside the place of business by Proprietor R. E. Gray.

A young lady who had never seen a game of baseball attended one with her escort.

"Isn't that pitcher grand?" she said. "He hits their bats no matter how they hold them."

## Funeral Rites Held For Mrs. Norrell at Dunn Last Friday

Funeral rites for Mrs. R. H. Norrell, 40, of the Canyon community, were held Friday afternoon at the Dunn Baptist Church, with Rev. R. H. Montgomery and Rev. R. R. Cumble officiating. Burial followed in the Dunn cemetery, with Maples Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Norrell, a Scurry County resident for 10 years, died early Thursday morning at a local hospital of a heart ailment, following the birth of a daughter Tuesday.

Survivors besides the husband and infant are ten other children, Carrie, Ruby Nell, Houston, Dorothy, R. H. Jr., James, Willie and Wilmer, twins, and Robert Lee; three brothers and three sisters, J. H. and J. J. Brinkley of Dunn, Mrs. Ben Key and Mrs. Ed Key of Paris, Will Brinkley and Mrs. Monroe Brown of Yell County, Arkansas; one half brother, Joe White of Talihina, Oklahoma, and a half sister, Mrs. Effie Dixon of Poto, Oklahoma.

Palbearers at the funeral were: Clyde Thomas, C. E. Mosely, D. R. McCarter, R. E. Adams, Bobby Adams and Grady Nabors. Mmes. D. R. McCarter, Clyde Thomas, R. E. Adams and Roy Sterling were in charge of flowers.

O stop and let the train go by. It hardly takes a minute; Your car then starts again intact—And, what is more, you're in it.

Erts—"What's the difference between a duck?"  
Nay—"Both its left leg are alike."

## CHECKING OF FARMS STARTS

Checking of compliance of application signers under the 1936 agricultural conservation program will begin in the communities of Scurry County this week and first of next, County Agent W. R. Lace announced yesterday.

A supervisor will visit each farm on which an application for a payment has been made and will check with the operator, the total cultivated acres, the number of acres of cotton, the retired acres and what is planted on them and the feed acreage on this farm.

All signers are urged to cooperate with these supervisors in their work.

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## Stimson Improves Cabins for Camp

Further improvement of cabins at Stimson's Camp Ground, four blocks north of the square, have been made within the last several days, according to Proprietor Ollie Stimson. Brightly colored awnings are new additions to the cabin windows.

Good business has been reported during the summer months by the camp, as well as the service station.

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