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## TOWLE NAMED BY ALLRED TO STATE BOARD

Snyder Mayor Chosen for Important  
Position After Declining Place  
Two Years Ago.

Appointment of Dr. H. G. Towle, Snyder mayor, as a member of the state board of examiners in optometry, was announced early this week by Governor James V. Allred.

Telegrams of thanks to the governor were forwarded Tuesday by the Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

After serving on the board 12 years, most of the time as vice president and a portion of the time as president, Dr. Towle resigned two years ago in order to devote more time to personal and mayoral affairs.

Numerous optometrists and other friends throughout the state so strenuously urged his re-appointment that he accepted immediately upon his return from his summer vacation early this week.

All board appointments are made by the governor. Dr. Towle previously served under Governors Jim and Miriam Ferguson, Pat Neff, Dan Moody and Ross Sterling. His service under James V. Allred will mark his sixth gubernatorial appointment.

Other members of the six-point board are: Dr. Mollie Armstrong, Brownwood; Dr. R. B. Hodges, Fort Worth; Dr. Nelson Greeman, San Antonio; Dr. P. A. Preslar, Childress; Dr. W. P. Pittman, Mexia.

## County Baptists Following State Revival Example

Baptists of Scurry County and the Mitchell-Scurry Association are joining members of the congregation throughout the state in conducting religious revivals that are aimed at a minimum of 100,000 converts in Texas before August 31.

The several meetings already held in the Baptist churches of Scurry County have recorded a number of converts, reclamations and additions, report the pastors. A revival for each church in the county and for several school house communities that have no church is scheduled.

The local pastor, Rev. Lawrence Hays, last week completed a campaign at Ennis Creek, and this week is assisting Pastor Jimmie Fields in services at Union.

The Snyder church paved the way for its own revival, which will begin Sunday morning, by three missions services held parts of last week and this week in north, east and west portions of Snyder.

Rev. J. J. Strickland, Baptist missionary for District 8, which comprises Scurry, Mitchell and eight other counties, states that 36 revivals will be or have been held in Scurry and Mitchell Counties. Nine hundred converts is the associational aim.

Rev. B. B. Crimm, of Dallas, who conducted a revival here two years ago, opened a five-week campaign in Big Spring Sunday, with several churches there cooperating. The "cowboy evangelist" will preach here Sunday morning for opening services of the First Baptist Church revival.

## Saturday Last Day For School Changes

Saturday of this week is the final day for making transfers of students into or out of Scurry County schools, points out Frank Farmer, county superintendent.

Members of local boards are also requested to check their lists of transfers in the superintendent's office and to file their protests, if any, not later than Tuesday of next week.

## TIMES RIMES

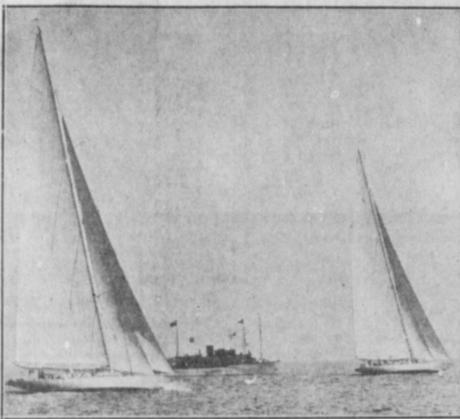
Of many sad predicaments  
The very worst of all  
Is to have your hair in curlers  
When the pastor comes to call.  
—H. W. J., Kansas City Star.

Another thing that's l'ible  
Any housewife to befall:  
To have dust on the Bible  
When the pastor comes to call.  
—Ed Scanlan, Buffalo News.

When the pastor comes a-calling,  
Even a dusty Bible, bards,  
Would be to him less appalling  
Than a bright new pack of cards.  
—Emma Spencer, Newark,  
Ohio, Advocate.

To end this little series—  
When the pastor comes to call  
Let us hope he doesn't find you  
A-dancing in the hall!  
—Exchange.

## In the "World's Worst Show"



Described in a current magazine article as "the world's worst show," the America's Cup races will be held soon. The start of the races will look something like this picture. Harold Vanderbilt's undefeated Ranger, left, at the beginning of a recent trial in which Rainbow was the loser. It is easy to put a half a million dollars into just one of these sailing greyhounds.

## HOBBS HIT BY WIND, WATER

A rain, accompanied by miniature cyclonic winds, damaged property and fields at Hobbs late last week. A barn on Mrs. Bobbie Willingham's place was blown over, and one of Walter Cave's windmills was picked up and scattered on the ground.

A survey of the community revealed a number of large mesquite trees became twisted masses of kindling wood after the storm. One Mexican family awoke to find their front porch completely missing, as a result of the crushing wind.

The rainfall totaled three inches, with cotton and feed injured very little. One resident claims so much water accumulated on his bottom land terraces, he ran into a full grown colony of mosquitos when he got in the field. They chased him home. And their walling was somewhat like air drills biting into the flesh.

## Minnie Lee Williams Again Writing News About Hermleighites

Hermleigh people and Times readers as a whole will be happy to learn that Miss Minnie Lee Williams has consented to become correspondent from her community again.

Formerly one of the paper's most valued and faithful correspondents, Miss Williams decided to handle the news again after she had received numerous requests from Times readers and the publishers. She will of course handle Times subscriptions, too, and will take orders for job printing and office supplies for the Times.

First batch of news from Hermleigh appears this week—a few items gathered on the spur of the moment after the correspondent agreed Wednesday to resume her writing. More complete news next week and in weeks to come will appear on the regular correspondent pages.

The Times publishers and the correspondents "family" is happy to welcome Miss Williams back again. Hermleigh folks can be of immense help to her by providing her with news of their visits, visitors and community activities.

## Long Time Resident Of Snyder Succumbs Sunday in McCamey

J. G. Nicholas of McCamey, familiarly known to local people during his long time residence in Snyder as "Uncle Johnny," died Sunday morning at his home with a heart ailment. Nicholas, who worked in grocery stores here before moving with his family to McCamey eight years ago, was a well-known figure among local business people.

Survivors are his wife, two sons, one daughter, his mother, Mrs. S. J. Nicholas, who made her home with the McCamey family, and one sister, Mrs. W. J. Turner of Snyder.

Local people attending the funeral rites held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the family residence in McCamey included Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Littlepage, Ed Turner and Mrs. Elmer Bentley.

Mrs. S. J. Nicholas returned home with the Snyder group late Monday and is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Turner.

**Gobs of White Paint.**  
White paint in hefty quantity is being distributed on the interior of Graham and Martin tailor shop. Joe Graham and Jack Martin say they are preparing for that high-powered business that is bound to come on the wings of a sizeable cotton crop.

## SCOUTS FROM COUNTY GO TO ANNUAL CAMP

Eight Boys From Pyron, Three From  
Hermleigh, Eleven from Snyder  
To Camp Fawcett.

Twenty-two Scurry County Boy Scouts—eight from Pyron, three from Hermleigh, 11 from Snyder—have been enjoying summer activities at Camp Fawcett, near Barkisdale.

The Pyron group, led by Robert Taylor, teacher, along with Dick Sheehan of Hermleigh, were in camp for the first period, Tuesday of last week to Tuesday of this week. Dick is also remaining for the second period, beginning Tuesday of this week.

Among honors accorded Scurry County scouts was selection of Dick Sheehan as editor of the camp paper, "The Camp Tattler," and as a senior patrol leader.

Locals Leave Monday.  
Snyder's delegation of 11 boys, members of Troops 35 and 36, left early Monday morning for the annual encampment grounds of the Buffalo Trail Council. They were taken to Hermleigh by E. E. Weatherbee, Frank Farmer, Bill King and O. D. McGlaun.

At Hermleigh they boarded a Hermleigh school bus, driven by Denver Pettit, scoutmaster there. Three Hermleigh boys also made the Monday trip.

Snyder's group included Donald Ray Scott, Doyle Bynum, James L. Kent, Carl Hargrove, Allen Hargrove, Jimmy Burt, John Hillburn, Claude Weatherbee, Donald McGlaun, Bobby Reynolds and Andy Reynolds.

"Having Swell Time."  
"We are having a swell time," writes "Tattler" Editor Sheehan.

"Tuesday morning, July 27, completed a fine and progressive week of camping for the scouts of the council, numbering approximately 150," he continues in a letter to The Times.

"The second period started on the afternoon of July 27 with about 100 scouts in all. Conditions at the camp are excellent, and a very fine and profitable time is being had by all."

General camp director is Alfred J. Stiles of Sweetwater, executive of the council.

## Farmers Ticked as Low Rates Continue On U. S. Borrowing

Smiles were in order for many Scurry County farmers last Thursday when the senate voted 71 to 19 to override President Roosevelt's veto of a bill to continue low interest rates on federal land bank loans.

The veto had previously been overridden by the House.

Hugh Boren, secretary-treasurer of the Snyder Farm Loan Association, estimates that the continuation of the low rates of interest will save Scurry County farmers upwards of \$40,000.

The bill continues at the present 3 1/2 per cent interest rates on federal land bank mortgages, fixes the rate at four per cent next year, and sets a rate of four per cent instead of five on land bank commissioner loans, now five per cent.

## School Probably to Start September 13

Monday, September 13, has been set as the tentative opening date for Snyder schools, Superintendent C. Wedgewood said early this week.

While at the teaching at the West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, during the second six-week summer term, he was here during the week-end for a school board meeting and for a visit with his daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

## THE NEED FOR TRENCH SILOS

By W. R. Lacey, County Agent

The need of a better method for storing feed, especially forage crops, has long been evident to farmers and stockmen of this region. A familiar sight around most farms is the "stock lot," with its rows of stacked feed exposed to the ravages of storm, rodents and insect pest, and oftentimes quickly swept away by fire. If a portion of this feed is kept for the second year it has lost a part of its value and is filled with dust and sand.

A few years ago above-ground silos were built in an attempt to solve this storage problem, but they were abandoned because of high first cost and difficult maintenance in this dry, windy climate.

Within recent years practical farmers, attempting to solve this feed storage problem, have devised the simple plan of storing their green feed below ground in trenches,

## Leading Lion



Frank V. Birch of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was elected Friday to the presidency of the International Association of Lions Clubs, at the closing session of the four-day international convention held in Chicago July 29-23. For the past year he has served as first vice president. The association which he heads is represented in eight countries by nearly 3,000 clubs with a 100,000 membership of business and professional men, including the Snyder club of almost 50 members. Willard Jones, delegate to the Chicago convention from the local club, returned Tuesday night, with his family.

## County Farmers To Flea Hopper Control Meeting

Services at 10:00 and 8:00.  
Services at the rear of the church will be held on week days at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, 10:00 o'clock in the morning, Sunday morning services will be at 11:00 o'clock, as usual.

Women of the church are holding group prayer meetings this week in their homes. The men are holding a prayer service nightly at the church building.

As the meeting approaches, Rev. Hays and other church leaders extend an area-wide invitation to all the services. They say the revival spirit is sweeping the state for Texas Baptists.

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## Hermleigh Makes Plans for No. 2 Gridiron Eleven

With new material—several ready and willing boys—promising to help has caused considerably, Coach A. C. Bishop of the Hermleigh gridiron squad is expecting his second successful season.

In Snyder last week-end, between classes at Texas Tech, Lubbock, Bishop said he planned to go to Waco during August to take part in the Texas High School Coaches Association school for coaches. He hopes to complete work at Tech for his degree before he goes to Waco.

The Hermleigh coach plans to take his football boys to Buffalo Gap, probably during the week before school starts, for a training camp. A similar week of training was conducted last year.

Bishop's team made an outstanding record last year—its first year. The greenhorn squad won seven and tied one game in its own class, losing only to Loraine, Class B eleven.

## American Legion to Install New Chiefs

Installation for new officers of the Will Layne Post of the American Legion will be held in the regular meeting hall, over Winston & Clements, Thursday night, August 5, reminds the outgoing commander, Hal A. Lattimore.

Boss Baze, long-time member of the local organization, will be installed as the new commander.

Several out-of-town legionnaires have been invited for the special meeting.

Employer Reports Due.  
Semi-annual reports of employers are due in the Dallas office of the Internal Revenue department by Saturday or penalty will begin, Snyder employers are reminded.

## LAMESAN AND JOHNNY COHEN LEAD REVIVAL

Fifteen-Day Meeting Sponsored by  
Baptists Begins Behind Church  
Sunday Morning.

With Rev. E. F. Cole of Lamesa in the pulpit and Johnny Cohen, well known evangelistic singer, in charge of the singing, services under sponsorship of the First Baptist Church will begin Sunday morning.

The 15-day revival is to be held at the rear of the church building. Use of the city tabernacle was first planned, but the church location was announced this week.

Because of duties in his own First Baptist Church at Lamesa, Rev. Cole will not be on the field until Monday night.

B. B. Crimm Coming.  
Sunday morning services will be in charge of Rev. B. B. Crimm, "the cowboy evangelist," who conducted a month-long revival here two years ago.

The local pastor, Rev. Lawrence Hays, will preach Sunday night. No Monday morning services will be held. The revival will get in full swing Monday night, and morning and evening services will henceforth be held throughout the 15 days.

The local religious campaign is part of a state-wide Baptist drive during which every church in the state is scheduled to conduct a revival.

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## From Lamesa

Rev. E. F. Cole, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lamesa, will do the preaching beginning Monday night, for the First Baptist Church revival that is to begin at the rear of the church building Sunday morning. Rev. B. B. Crimm will preach Sunday morning, Rev. Lawrence Hays Sunday night.

The club president, A. C. Preult, named a committee composed of Frank Farmer, Earl Louder and J. C. Smyth to advertise the convention and to help county singers make arrangements for welcoming the host of visitors.

Emmitt Butts, Walter Holmes, members of the Lions Club committee and others directly interested in the convention are scheduled to meet this (Thursday) afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, to make preliminary arrangements for publicizing and arranging for the singing sessions.

The convention territory includes Scurry, Fisher, Nolan and Mitchell Counties. In addition to leading singers from this area, a number of singers are expected from other West Texas counties, from Dallas and elsewhere. T. H. Westbrook of Sweetwater is president; his daughter, Lola, secretary.

## Lions Club Will Sponsor Singing Convention Soon

The Lions Club Tuesday at noon, in regular session, voted to sponsor the Four-County Singing Convention, which will be held in the school auditorium here Sunday, September 12.

At least 3,000 persons are expected for the convention by local singers who attend the sessions regularly. Approximately that number crowded into Rotan for the last session.

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## Flea Hoppers To Be Studied On Wade Farm



Experiment Station Entomologist Will Show How to Control Cotton Pest.

On Friday afternoon of this week at 2:30 o'clock the cotton flea hopper will be identified for those who do not know what he looks like. The place will be at Nathan Wade's (the old Pappy Hart farm), four miles north of Snyder on the Clairmont road.

W. S. McGregor, entomologist with the state experiment station, who is now working on control of the cotton flea hopper in this section of the state, will be in charge of the meeting.

McGregor will discuss the life history and habits of the insects and will be assisted by representatives of the sulphur and dusting machinery companies in control measures.

A part of a field will be dusted, using several sizes of dusting machinery.

The cotton flea hopper seems to be much worse in certain localities in Scurry County, more widespread than usual and is threatening the best cotton prospects in years.

In some fields in the county cotton plants knee high do not seem to have any squares or bolls on them. The cotton flea is so small that it will oft times escape notice except upon close examination. It kills the newly formed square by sucking while still tender and before the square reaches a stage where it is noticeable when it falls off. Thus a stalk of cotton infested will never seem to set any squares and becomes a barren stalk.

The Spur experiment station meeting held last Saturday on the control gave the group from Scurry County so much information that plans were made to hold such a meeting in Scurry County for the benefit of those interested but unable to go to Spur.

It is likely that with a return of normal weather conditions in this section the damage of the flea hopper will increase until it becomes of major importance as an insect enemy.

## Midway Adds 31 to Church by Revival

A total of 31 new members, and five converts who did not join, was the record made by Midway Baptist Church during its 10-day revival, which closed Sunday night. The best service was the final service Sunday night, when 11 joined by letter and baptism.

Rev. D. G. Reid of Roby, who did the preaching, says "the Midway revival was one of the most wonderful spiritual seasons I have held this year." Song service was in charge of Marvin Scott.

A baptizing was held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Camp Springs "baptizing hole" for 11 candidates. The Midway pastor, Rev. Buster Edwards, was in charge of services. Two more candidates will be baptized next Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at the same place.

## Company G Leaves For Camp August 7

Company G, 142nd Infantry, Scurry County's National Guard unit, will leave Saturday, August 7, for its annual jaunt to the summer camp at Palacios, says Captain John E. Sentell, organizer and leader.

More than 60 men and officers are expected by Captain Sentell to board the special train, Palacios bound. A number of this group will be attending their first camp, since several "greenhorns" have been added to the Company G roster within the past year.

## Fisher Expects 100 1937 Trench Silos

T. H. Roensch, Fisher County agricultural agent, supervised the filling of a trench silo on the R. L. Merchant farm one-half mile west of the Moody school house. The trench held approximately 50 tons of choice cane.

Roensch says that Fisher County has one of the best feed crops in history, and that at least 100 trench silos should be built this year.

## ALMANAC

July 30—Chambersburg, Pa., burned by the Confederates, 1864.

August 31—Announcement made of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign, 1918.

August 1—The United States relinquished control of Haiti, 1934.

August 2—German troops invade France at Clercy, 1914.

August 3—The first council of Englishmen in Pennsylvania was held, 1681.

August 4—Scottish immigrants arrived to settle the town of Londonderry, N. H., 1718.

August 5—Farragut ran the battleship at Mobile Bay, 1864.

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# The WOMAN'S Page



## CLUB'S PLANS FOR NEW YEAR ARE COMPLETE

With continuation of the club project of sponsoring the local child welfare unit and combining the study of American government and American literature with varied programs and social affairs, Ingleside Study Club's 1937-38 club year promises to be outstanding.

New yearbooks have this week been placed in the hands of 18 club members and the society editor, according to Mrs. W. W. McCarty, who will begin her second year as president of the first meeting in September. Yearbook committee for the club was composed of Mmes. E. B. McLeroy, Paul Allen, Clyde Boren, J. T. Johnston, H. P. Redwine and Harold Brown.

Organized in 1932 and federated in 1934, Ingleside Study Club has been an outstanding civic and study organization for several years. The club's extensive child welfare program last year gained wide recognition. Ingleside Club was responsible for the local organization of a child welfare unit, work of which, although with the assistance of other civic groups and people of the town, has been credited to the efforts of the club.

Next year's officers are the following: Mrs. McCarty, president; Mrs. Clyde Boren, vice president; Mrs. H. P. Redwine, recording secretary; Mrs. J. T. Johnston, corresponding secretary; Mrs. G. H. Leath, treasurer; Mrs. Paul Allen, parliamentarian; Mrs. Harold Brown, publicity chairman.

Benefiting the club's child welfare program, a child welfare silver tea will be held by Ingleside Club the week following the group's opening meeting September 14. Date of the tea is September 21. Other special social features during the year will include a husbands' party October 29, and a 6:00 o'clock dinner party May 24 to close the year's work. The home of Mrs. W. W. McCarty will be the scene for the dinner party.

Special programs interspersed with the study of American government and American literature will be safety, Texas Day, Christmas, health and federation. Each club member will exhibit a hobby or home-craft work at the American home program May 29, when guest privileges are given.

Ingleside Club is one of the first clubs to have next year's work plans complete and yearbooks made.

### Off for Fishing Trip.

A. C. Alexander, vice president of Snyder National Bank, and his three youngest sons, A. C., Lyle and Billy, and Duane Kite left Tuesday morning for a fishing trip to the Llano River. The party will return later this week.



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## Varied Versions of Summer Vegetables

With the magic of skillful cookery you can transform ordinary vegetables into something unique and zesty. Try using these recipes for new flavors:

### Spinach Cheese Balls.

One and one-half cups cooked spinach, 1/2 tsp. butter, 1/2 cup cottage cheese, 1 tbs. flour, 2 egg yolks, 1/2 tsp. salt, few grains pepper, few grains nutmeg, 1 qt. water or soup stock, 1-4 cup melted butter, 1-4 cup melted American cheese.

Drain spinach and chop very fine. Add melted butter and cottage cheese. Mix well. Add flour, egg yolks and seasonings. Chill. Form into small round balls. Drop several at a time into boiling water or soup stock. Remove as soon as they rise to the top. Drain. Put into a serving dish. Add the melted butter and sprinkle with grated cheese.

## Morning Bridge Is Compliment of Two.

The morning bridge party last Thursday at 9:00 o'clock given by Mmes. J. G. Hicks and E. B. Yeatts was a delightful compliment to a number of their friends. The two women entertained in the Hicks home, which was decorated with garden flowers for the party.

A fruit salad plate with iced tea was passed by the hostesses to the following: Mmes. W. E. Johnson, A. J. Towle, J. C. Dorward, H. P. Brown, Harold Brown, Marcel Josephson, Melvin Blackard, Wayne Boren, Joe Hendrix, J. P. Nelson, J. D. Scott, Raymond Sims, J. C. Smyth, G. B. Clark Jr., Forest Sears, A. C. Preult, E. M. Deakins, Novis Rodgers, John E. Sentell, W. W. Hill, Wayne Williams, Gaither Bell, Max Brownfield, P. W. Cloud, Herman Darby, R. H. Curmiste, W. J. Ely, William M. Fuller, Robert E. Gray Jr., John E. Williams, W. W. Hamilton, James Ralph Hicks, Aubrey Stokes, W. B. Lee, and Misses Neoma Strayhorn and Lary Beth Waskom.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Robert H. Curmiste Jr. of San Angelo, Mrs. Ivan Dodson of Odessa, Mrs. J. W. Daugherty of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Miss Annie Pannie Sewell of Abilene.

Bridge prizes were presented to Mrs. Blackard, high score, and Neoma Strayhorn, second high and traveling prize.

## Hildegard Senftleben, W. E. Hardy Married.

Marriage of Miss Hildegard Senftleben of Fort Worth and Mr. William E. Hardy of Snyder was solemnized Sunday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at 3408 East Belknap, Fort Worth, by Rev. Uhlhorn, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Church of that city.

The bride, former resident of Snyder, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Senftleben of Fort Worth. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hardy, who reside just southwest of Snyder.

An impressive ring ceremony was carried out. Miss Ann Senftleben, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Gerhard Laczny of Fort Worth was best man. An informal reception was held following the ceremony.

Wedding guests included Misses Ruby and Edna Dunnam, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. F. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. E. Laczny of Smithfield; Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Vogel of Dallas; Lottie Tucker, Eleanor Kurtz, Helen Queen, Stanley Hearell, Lofton Byars, Gus Bartula, Elsie Laczny, Mr. and Mrs. Kurtz, all of Fort Worth.

Among places of interest visited by a vacation party composed of Misses Bonnie Miller and Gwen Gray and Mrs. Lora Miller of Snyder and Miss Irene Hutcherson of Baton, New Mexico, last week in Colorado and New Mexico were: Pike's Peak, Colorado Springs, Denver, the Red River and Cimarron Drives, Eagle Nest Lake and the Will Rogers Memorial— Shrine of the Sun, atop Cheyenne Mountain. Leaving the previous Sunday morning, the group returned here late the past Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rogers and daughters, Lola Jo and Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Jones' small son, Roger Wayne, Mrs. Ison Joyce and daughter, Betty Jean, were visitors with their parents, grandparents and great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Eoff, at Stephenville from last Thursday until Monday. Mmes. Joyce and Jones and children returned home Monday, and the Rogers will return probably this weekend.

## LOCAL BUYERS IN DALLAS FOR OPEN MARKET

Mrs. Joe Caton, head of the ready-to-wear department of the local Bryant-Link Company store, left early this week to attend the opening of the fall and winter market, and to select and buy fall merchandise for her department. Mrs. John Keller of The Hollywood Shop will be in market in Dallas next week, and possibly other local buyers will attend during the next two weeks.

Interest in the opening day of the fall and winter wholesale season in Dallas was reported by the merchants to be at the highest peak since 1929. "Women of the Southwest are going to be stylishly buyers this fall and winter, and buyers are ordering larger quantities than any year since 1929," Dallas wholesalers say.

The English coronation and influence of the Pan American Exposition have contributed much to the fashion consciousness of the buyers and their customers, Mrs. Caton reports. She was an attendant at the style review Tuesday night at the Road to Rio, Greater Texas and Pan American Exposition grounds, in which a full array of coming fall fashions was presented.

"Bumper crops in the Southwest are credited with inspiring style consciousness," the Dallas merchants say. "It seems that there are no blighted areas this year."

Accompanying Mrs. Caton on her marketing trip are Mrs. LeRoy Sims, representing Bryant-Link Company at Post, and Mrs. Della Justice, who has her own dress shop in Post. Both women are known in Snyder. Mrs. Justice also having been associated with the Bryant-Link store for several years in Post.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson is in charge of Bryant-Link's ready-to-wear department here during Mrs. Caton's absence.

## Snyder General Hospital

Two Scurry County women were in the hospital yesterday, one case of broken bones, resulting in a fall.

Mrs. Otis Odum, registered as Mrs. Mary Margaret Odum, received attention for two broken bones, above and below her right ankle. Miss Minnie Falls of near Ira suffered a broken right arm in a fall early this week.

Surgical patients and the day of operation since last Wednesday have been the following: Annie Ruth Moore, Snyder, Friday; June Colwell, Rotan, last Thursday; Pauline Rogers, Snyder, Friday; Mrs. Walter Weathers, Knapp, Friday; Mrs. M. G. Venus, Colorado, Monday. All surgeries were still in the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. C. K. Winston, Snyder, and Dr. A. C. Leslie, local physician, medical patients early this week, were still in the hospital yesterday. Medical patients since last report, who were discharged before yesterday were: Mrs. E. W. Hollan, Gail, Mrs. Amner Burritt, Fluvanna; Mrs. G. W. Parks, Snyder; Mrs. W. J. Cardle Sr., Polar.

Mrs. T. P. Aaron of Fluvanna and her week-old son, and Mrs. Fleming James, Abilene, and Louise Whitfield, Pampa, surgeries two weeks ago, were still in the hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McClaun and children were guests of McClaun's aunt, Mrs. Jack Fulghum, in Dallas from Friday until Tuesday. They attended the Greater Texas and Pan American Exposition and visited with friends during their stay in Dallas.

## Towles Have Tea With Mary Brian.

Tea with Mary Brian, screen and stage star who spent part of her early childhood in Snyder, and her mother, Mrs. Dancler, at their beautiful lake home near Hollywood, was one of the highlights of the recent California visit made by Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle and daughter, Mary Margaret, and Mrs. Towle's sister, Mrs. J. H. Greene of Big Spring.

The vacation party saw numbers of former Snyder people now living in California or spending the summer there, among them Mrs. Towle's sister, Mrs. Pearl Shannon, the Lee Borens and Mrs. R. W. Cunningham and daughter, Maurine, all at Long Beach; Brentz Anderson and the former Margaret Yoder in Hollywood; the Hugh Borens and Adeline Herman of McAllen, a Southwestern University, Georgetown, school friend of Mary Margaret.

"Amphitryon 38," new stage show starring Lyne Fountaine and Alfred Lunt, centering around Greek mythology, in its second week, was especially interesting to the local people, as was the Pilgrimage Play, presented in a huge amphitheatre. A visit to Forest Lawn Mausoleum, where the late Jean Harlow's body rests, as well as those of Will Rogers and others familiar to the American stage and screen, was also interesting.

The local people returned home from the delightful vacation trip early this week.

## Methodists Have Social at Church.

Methodist young people enjoyed an evening of games and eating in the basement of the First Methodist Church here Tuesday evening of this week. Rev. H. C. Gordon, pastor, was a special guest for the affair.

Iced punch and cookies were served to the following: Rev. Gordon, Jack Terry, Irene Taylor, Kathleen Mooney, Waco Mooney, Richard Davis, Delmas Perry, Elizabeth Blakey, Mutt Herod and Mrs. John Booth.

### Worleys Take Vacations.

Mrs. T. S. Worley, her son, Damon, and two daughters, Evelyn and Daurice, left Tuesday for a vacation trip and visit with their son and brother, L. B. Worley, who is in the national forest service in Arizona, and his family at Kaibab Forest, Arizona. Damon, who recently completed a six-weeks course at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, while doing full-time work with Southeastern Bell-Telephone Company, with which he has been connected for the past 15 months, and Evelyn, a teacher in county schools, will return after a week. Mrs. Worley and Daurice, a student in the local high school, will spend the rest of the summer in Arizona.

### Mrs. Haynes Moves.

Message from Mrs. Morris Haynes received Wednesday by local friends say that she finds Western Union business good in Jacksboro. Mrs. Haynes, manager of the local Western Union office until early this week, left by train Tuesday night for the Jacksboro office, checking out here to Margaret Deakins, who is in a newly opened office at the Manhattan Hotel.

### Less Monthly Discomfort

Many women, who feel early discomfort as a result of poor assimilation of food, say they benefited by taking CARDUI, a special medicine for women. They found it helped to increase the appetite and improve digestion, thereby bringing them more strength from their food. Naturally there is less discomfort at monthly periods when the system has been strengthened and the various functions restored and regulated. CARDUI, prated by thousands of women, is well worth trying. Of course, if not benefited, consult a physician.

## Monkey Shines



Affon Bernard, beautiful member of the 1937 Golden Gate International Exposition's staff, investigated some of the "Monkey Trees" being transplanted to Treasure Island in San Francisco Bay for the World's Fair. But she got caught—by the "Monkey Tree" and a photographer with an eye for beauty.

## Mrs. Boyer Takes Two Bridge Prizes.

Mrs. R. E. Boyer, who will be next hostess to her bridge club, was awarded both the traveling and high score prizes at the club party last Thursday evening. Marvis Webb was hostess to Duce Bridge Club members and guests at the home of Allene Curry.

A color note of pink, yellow and blue was given emphasis in decorations and appointments for the party. Bouquets of crepe myrtle centered the tables at the refreshment hour, when the hostess was assisted by Mrs. John Booth in passing a salad plate with iced tea.

Guests were Mrs. Lacy Turner of Wink, formerly a member of Duce Bridge Club, and Jeanette Lollar. The following members played: Vesta Green, Johnnie Mathison, Margaret Deakins, Mrs. R. C. Miller, Mrs. Boyer, Mrs. Billie Lee Jr., Dorothy Egerton, Alta Bowers, Allene Curry and the hostess.

Detroit News: What with lawnmowers, bicycles, garden tools, folding chairs, and the like, it's quite a mistake to think there is room in a two-car garage for two cars.

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## Zinnias Decorate For Bridge Party.

Zinnias in a variety of colors were attractively arranged in entertaining rooms of the Herman Darby home last week for regular meeting of the Thursday Night Bridge Club.

Mrs. Forest Sears and Wayne Williams, club members, and Mrs. Harold Brown, guest, played high in the evening's bridge games.

A fruit salad plate was passed to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Yeatts, Harold Brown and J. C. Smyth, guests, and the following club members: Messrs. and Mmes. Melvin Blackard, Wayne Boren, G. B. Clark Jr., J. P. Nelson, J. P. Strayhorn, Forest Sears, J. G. Hicks, J. D. Scott and Wayne Williams.

The J. P. Nelsons will be next hosts to the bridge playing club at their home Thursday evening, August 5.

Next to love, sympathy is the divinest passion of the human heart.—Burke.

## Waffle Breakfast And Swim Enjoyed.

Members of the Worthwhile Class of the First Presbyterian Church, of which Mrs. W. R. Luce is teacher, enjoyed a delightful swim and waffle breakfast at Martin's pool in North Snyder Saturday morning.

The breakfast menu consisted of iced tomato juice, waffles, syrup, bacon and coffee. The morning affair was attended by Mrs. Luce, Mrs. James E. Spivey, Mrs. Arnor McFarland, Margaret Dell Prim, Mary Boss Abercrombie, Dorothy Egerton and Virginia Egerton.

Says Short Jenks: "I do not believe the Lord expects a man to be a gentleman when he steps into a clothes basket on the steps leading to the basement."

Superstition is not, as has been defined, an excess of religious feeling, but a misdirection of it, an exhausting of it on vanities of man's devising.—Whately.

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# AIRVIEW MAPS REACH COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

### Complete Scurry County Picture Map Aids in Checking 1937 Farm Program.

County Agent W. R. Lacey last Friday received the aerial maps of Scurry County. These are enlarged photographs of pictures made from airplanes recently, and give a complete picture map of the county as seen from the air.

The county was divided into 20 sections or grids, and 20 maps were made covering these sections. Then these large sections were divided into 12 to 30 divisions, and 462 separate maps each 16x21 inches in size were made to cover the entire county. The enlarged maps are made on a scale of one inch on map to represent 600 feet on ground.

Buildings, roads, boundaries of fields, terraces are visible on these enlarged sections.

These maps are to be used as an aid in checking compliance under the 1937 agricultural conservation program, and will serve as a permanent record. It is expected that after this year blue print maps based upon these aerial maps will be made and used under the agricultural programs.

### Maps Checked.

W. R. Barron, recheck engineer with the state agricultural conservation committee, arrived in Snyder Saturday to make a check on the aerial maps received by Scurry County. He spent Saturday checking the accuracy of the maps by measuring distance between objects on the maps and then going out and measuring these objects on the ground.

Barron reports he found the aerial maps accurate with the exception of three maps.

Barron instructed the compliance supervisors Monday in their use and checking of the aerial maps.

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## THE TIMES MARCHES ON—

### FORTY YEARS AGO

From The Coming West, July 29, 1897.

While Colorado and Sweetwater are in tumbling tantrums over the railroad, The Coming West enjoys the dead sure thing of seeing the fruits of its labor in the shape of caravans of newcomers that are courting their way over the county in search of homes.

H. V. Williams has returned to Snyder and authorized us to say that he will open his photo gallery August first and promises good work at low rates. Call and see him.

Joe Strayhorn says he worked a day for Grayum helping transfer the drug stock, and took his pay in purgative pills. He traded the pills to Harry Nelson for bike hire, and by this means he says he "worked" Nelson.

There are melons smiling on the vine in Snyder and thus far we have had to pay 25 cents per pound. In a few weeks more there will be 25

to 50 pounds going at five to ten cents.

The building being constructed for Mr. F. J. Grayum, our druggist, is nearly completed. The workmen have placed the plate glass in front and the goods are being placed. Frank is proud of his excellent roomy quarters and will restock and display his goods in an elaborate manner.

Last Thursday afternoon two lads, Olen Wellborn and Babe Ellis, were in the market fooling with a shot gun (didn't know it was loaded), when the gun went off, a load of heavy shot barely missing the face of the former and partially powder-burning the right side of his face. A couple of grains of powder lodged in young Wellborn's right eye and gave him some uneasiness, but fortunately no serious damage was done.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Snyder Signal, July 19, 1912.

It ought to be established as an American principle that the government will not do for the citizen the common place services that he can easily do for himself.

J. G. Careker was here Saturday from Dunn and was wondering why a mail route cannot be established from Snyder to Dunn, thence to Ira and Sharon and back to Snyder.

Mr. Harvey F. Shuler, assistant manager of the Farmers' Union

Grocery store in Snyder, and Miss Lottie Putman, also of Snyder, were married in this city Tuesday night.

The Hermligh Farmers' Institute is an active working body of practical farmers. They have appointed committees on different lines of work and each chairman tells the institute what he is doing in his line. Hermligh will be represented at the Farmers' Congress at College Station by F. A. Raybon, R. H. Drennan, M. Stacy and Mack Leslie.

### TEN YEARS AGO

From The Scurry County Times, July 21, 1927.

Members of Snyder's four baseball teams got together last night and arranged a schedule for the balance of the season that will be of interest to local lovers of baseball.

Besides the H. G. Towle block of business houses, which is nearing completion, the residence sections are also keeping pace with the growth in the business districts.

Three new residences were started this week: Dr. Avary, J. C. Dorward, and Forest Sears, all on the West Side. All three will be good, substantial homes, and will add greatly to the appearance of the West Side.

Max Brownfield, "Chunk" McCurdy and Errol Taylor returned to Snyder last Tuesday from a fishing trip down on the Llano.

E. M. Deakins, manager of the Manhattan Hotel, left Wednesday for Chattanooga and other points in Tennessee, where he will visit his mother, his old home and friends.

The Stinson No. 1 that was shot at 3,400 feet Friday is being plugged back to 1,700 feet and will be shot at that depth either Saturday or Monday. This well had a good oil showing at 1,700 feet, and conservative estimates say that at that depth the well will show to a good advantage.

Paul Schattles of Inadale escaped injury when the airplane which he was piloting went into a nose dive west of the landing field at Sweetwater Wednesday afternoon, says the Sweetwater Reporter. Schattles was attempting a low turn.

### ONE YEAR AGO

From The Scurry County Times, July 16, 1936.

A delegation of nine from Scurry County is scheduled to leave Saturday for College Station, where they will attend the twenty-seventh annual Farmers' Short Course, which will open Monday, July 20, and continue through July 24.

When the Frontier Centennial opens in Fort Worth Saturday, Snyder will be one of the 83 West Texas towns to have scenic spots, industries and other attractive features presented in moving picture film.

Congressman George Mahon, Colorado, principal speaker for the annual installation program of the Snyder Lions Club Friday night, declared Americans, with the greatest resources and democracy in the world, should join minds and hearts in order to combat communism, depletion of natural resources and other growing threats.

Chamber of Commerce President Forest Sears said early this week that Snyder and Dunn citizens have been invited to appear before the

State Highway Commission at Austin on Friday, July 31, for discussion of plans for improvement of Highway No. 101.

Mr. H. Greenwood, who comes to Pylon this year as superintendent to succeed T. B. Bownds, who has moved to Whittharral, was in Snyder this week to announce that Pylon school will begin Monday, August 3. A county-wide political rally to which all county and district candidates are said to have been invited will be staged on the east side of the courthouse lawn Friday evening, beginning at 8:15 o'clock.

Death came to Rev. I. D. Hull, 79, Baptist pastor to West Texans for 48 years, just as he wished—while he was in the harness of the Lord, whom he had served since childhood. He passed away early Tuesday morning, victim of a heart attack Sunday morning from which he never regained complete consciousness.

A man decided to commit suicide. He armed himself with a rope, a revolver, a bottle of gasoline, and a bettel of arsenic.

He climbed out on a tree overhanging a long drop into the sea, and tied one end of the rope to the tree and the other to his neck. He swallowed the arsenic, sprinkled the gasoline over himself and set it alight, and shot himself. The bullet glanced off his skull and severed the rope. He plunged down into the sea, where he extinguished the flames and incidentally acted as an emetic to the poison. And what's more, if he hadn't been a good swimmer, he'd have drowned.

## LOCALS

Mrs. Ruth Jones of Decatur is a guest in the Fred Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon J. Young of Garden City were week-end visitors with local relatives.

Frances Chenault of Hamlin was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. P. C. Chenault, and sister, Vivian.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hall, Lando Hall and son, J. D. all of Odessa, were week-end guests of relatives in Snyder.

Mrs. Buster Curtis, who is working during the summer in Lubbock, spent the week-end with her husband here.

Mrs. Guy Stoker and children of Eastland are visiting with Mrs. Stoker's parents, County Judge and Mrs. H. J. Brice.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin are spending this week on the elder Mr. Martin's ranch near Benjamin.

O. W. Curry of Eunice, New Mexico, is visiting with his son, Olan W. Curry, and wife and his mother, Mrs. A. M. Curry, in Snyder this week.

Mrs. Forest Sears has as her guests this week her mother, Mrs. J. S. Swan of Merkel, and her sister, Miss Nell Swan, a teacher in the Tyler schools.

Mrs. Harvey Carrell, the former Mildred Patterson, of Poyote is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson, and other relatives and friends in the county.

Mrs. H. C. Gordon returned home early this week from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth. The local women lived in Fort Worth for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Josephson and daughter, Sandra Jean, left Tuesday morning for San Antonio to spend several days this week visiting with relatives and attending to business.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins and daughter, Margaret, during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deakins and small daughter, Margaret Ann, of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Bert King of Dallas.

Helen Andrews of Snyder and her guest for the past two weeks, Patsy Ruth Aaron of Rotan, visited in the T. P. Aaron home at Fluvanna Monday and Tuesday of last week. The Rotan girl is Helen's cousin.

Rev. Ernest Roper, pastor of the Pueblo, Colorado, Methodist Church, arrived in Snyder yesterday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. J. T. Roper, his brother, Hiram, and other Scurry County relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. C. Ballard of Texarkana, the former Charles Ella Hamlett, arrived in Snyder more than a week ago for a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hamlett. Mrs. Ballard visited here briefly late last week.

Mrs. J. C. Moore, Cleo Moore and Mrs. Burton Moore were joined this week by Mrs. J. C. Moore's sister, Mrs. G. L. Barnett of Hamlin, for a week's visit with other sisters of the two, Mrs. R. A. Bailey of San Marcos and Mrs. J. E. Bailey of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boren and sons returned home late last week from a vacation trip to the mountains in New Mexico. They visited on a ranch near Mount Taylor, where their son, Fred, has been visiting since the close of school, and he returned home with them.

Mrs. T. L. Lollar, her daughter, Jeanette, and N. B. Clements left Sunday morning for a several weeks' vacation in Mexico City. They were joined in Big Spring by Mrs. Lollar's sister, Mrs. E. A. Warren, and son, Hal D. Farley, who will make the trip with the Snyder people by automobile.

Horace Mullins, assistant manager of J. C. Penney Company store here, left Sunday with his wife and small son for San Angelo to be vacation guests of Mrs. Mullins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Epps, former residents of Snyder. During the two-week vacation, Mullins plans to do a bit of fishing in the Concho River near San Angelo and Christoval.

Doris Evelyn May of Georgetown, house guest last week of Eskine Dorward, left Friday returning home after a week spent in Snyder. Miss May was complimented at several informal affairs during her visit with the local girl. Both girls are students at Southwestern University, Georgetown, during winter months, and the visiting girl has been a guest here on several occasions.

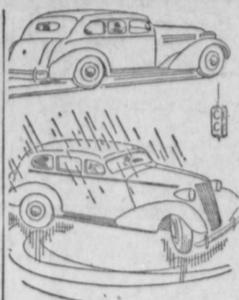
## FUN with FACTS



### THE FUN.

Place a clean, dry saucer or platter upon a table. Take a pencil, eraser end down, and hold it against the platter at an angle of about 45 degrees. Push firmly in an endeavor to move the pencil across the platter. You will find that the platter moves and may even push the table covering or table itself.

Place a small quantity of water in the platter and repeat. You will find the pencil eraser now moves across the platter with very little effort. We might say that it "skids" across the platter. There will be no tendency to move the dish.



### THE FACTS.

On a clean, dry pavement, your tires exert a very strong push. It is this push which moves your car forward. When the pavement is wet, your tires have a tendency to repeat the eraser and wet platter performance. This may prove to be dangerous if you try to stop quickly or change your direction suddenly.

Other conditions which tend to cause similar results are wet leaves, car tracks, oil, ice and snow. Under such circumstances whenever you feel impatient, just remember your experience with the wet eraser.

## WHEAT OR COTTON

By Francis A. Flood in Farmer-Stockman

Editors' Note: Excerpts from Mr. Flood's article should prove interesting to serious-minded farmers of Scurry and surrounding counties.

'Round and 'round The little ball goes, And where it stops, Nobody knows!

Odd or even? The white or the red? It's all a gamble.

Wheat or cotton? That's another one. Take two guesses. Both may be wrong.

Today, in the great region in the Southwest where wheat and cotton are both "main" crops, some 40 counties in Southwest Oklahoma and the South Plains of Texas below the caprock—there in that twilight zone puzzled farmers are wondering which way the wheat-cotton pendulum will swing next year, the pendulum on which their fortunes ride.

Take Your Choice. To a great many farmers, county agents and others to whom I talked in this region, the maze of conflicting factors make it an "eeny, meeny, miny, moe" problem.

Others reminded me of some factors that are definite enough to get hold of and sort out and examine. In addition, I saw certain interesting physical evidences also, exhibits A, B and C, which helped me to form some conclusions.

For example, I saw several combines in one end of a county where the agent told me there had never been one before this year. For another, I saw many herds of cattle on farms where I was told there had been few or none before. A considerable increase in livestock numbers in those areas indicates a greater need for fall and winter wheat pastures in the future, which means more wheat to be left for harvest in a good season like this has been.

Contouring, Terracing. For another, the miles and miles of contoured and terraced farms are evidence of a growing conservation-consciousness on the part of farmers which will tend to induce them to give up some of their cotton cropping in favor of crops which decrease soil erosion.

But important as other factors are, it is the annually fluctuating conditions which will largely govern the cotton-wheat acreages. These are: The higher prices of wheat this fall; The natural inclination to repeat

when a good crop, like the 1937 crop, has been raised;

The ample supply of moisture in the fall, which seems to be in the cards at the present;

The need for fall and winter pasture, which may be diverted next spring for Uncle Sam or left for harvest.

More Wheat in 1938. Most of these point to a larger wheat acreage this fall.

If the expected large acreage results and a good 1938 yield results, the supplies next year piled on top of the present surplus, may jerk the pendulum back and start another bad headache.

But the individual farmer is helpless to do anything about the national supply. If he invites another headache, he is not to blame. Only a concerted effort can do anything about a national supply. All the individual farmer can do is to encourage the concerted effort. Therein lies his salvation, if he has one.

Superstition is a senseless fear of God; religion the intelligent and pious worship of the Deity.—Cicero.



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## Report Shows Rural Fire Loss Growing

The most fertile field for reduction of fire loss is in the rural sections of the country. That is the gist of a report by the National Board of Fire Underwriters. Last year, for instance, the per capita fire loss for the nation as a whole was \$2.05—an increase of 10.8 per cent over 1935. But the per capita loss in cities with more than 20,000 population was but \$1.40, an increase of only 5.3 per cent. The better record of the cities is ascribed "not only to the efficiency of municipal fire departments, but also to the cumulative effects of fire prevention activities and of modern building code requirements."

Milwaukee Journal: There are ski trains, canoe trains, bicycle trains, and now a camera fans' train out of New York. The public without a hobby can catch a bus.  
Corn now occupies a greater land area than cotton in the South.  
An increased demand on public water supplies is being attributed to the air conditioning of buildings.

## First Methodist Church

We are commanded to "Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy."

Let's spend at least four hours in the various services of the church next Sunday.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; group meetings, 7:15 p. m.; evening worship, 8:15 p. m.

A warm welcome awaits all who attend.—H. C. Gordon, pastor.

Montreal Herald: That discovery of a brand new note on the French horn leaves us cold but we'd give three cheers if someone could find some way to get rid of a lot of the old ones.

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### PALACE THEATRE

Program for Week

Thurs. and Fri., July 29-30—"THE PRINCE AND THE PAUPER," starring the Mauch Twins and Errol Flynn. Latest News.

Sat., July 31—"NORTH OF THE RIO GRANDE," starring William Boyd and George Hayes. Chapter VII of "Tink Tracy" and comedy. Admission 5-15c.

Sat. Night Prevue, Sun., July 31-Aug. 1—"MANHATTAN MELODRAMA," starring Clark Gable, William Powell, Myrna Loy with big cast. If you missed it before be sure to see it this time.

Mon., Aug. 2—"THE CALIFORNIAN," starring Ricardo Cortez and Marjorie Weaver. Comedy. Bargain Nights. Admission 10 cents a seat.

Tues. and Wed., Aug. 3-4—"A DAY AT THE RACES," starring the Marx Brothers and Allan Jones.

### RITZ THEATRE

Program for Week

Thurs. and Fri., July 29-30—"STATE PAIR," starring Will Rogers. Comedy. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Sat., July 31—"IDAH0 KID," starring Rex Bell. Chapter IX of "The Vigilantes" and comedy. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Sun. and Mon., Aug. 1-2—"SONG OF THE TRAIL," James Oliver Curwood's story. Comedy. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Tues. and Wed., Aug. 3-4—"THE TEXAS RANGERS." Comedy. Family Nights. All the immediate family admitted for one ten-cent ticket.

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### DONKEY GAME SET BY LIONS

A baseball game in which 14 donkeys will be the chief actors has been slated by the Lions Club for Monday, September 13, it was announced at the Tuesday meeting. The game will be played by Lions and a team to be named later. Lighted Tiger Field will be the site.

John E. Sentell, chairman of the civic committee, of which Earl Louder and N. W. Autry are members, said the committee was making definite plans to investigate possibilities of paving Highway 15. Sentell was on the program for reading the Lions International code of ethics.

Warren Dodson made a brief talk on friendship and good fellowship, declaring that all of us know how to be happy but do not observe our own rules of happiness.

"I am glad that I am not a lawyer. They have to use such involved language. Now, when a man like you or me gives an orange to another, all he says is 'Here is an orange' and the matter is finished. If a lawyer gives an orange, he says, 'Here-with I make over to you all interest, demands and rights on this fruit, its peel, juice, pulp and pips. You have full authority to bite, cut, squeeze, or press it, or to give it to a further owner, with or without peel, juice, pulp or pips.'—Aftenblad, Stockholm.

You can tell what stage a college student is in by the way he signs his name. For instance:  
 Freshman—Bill Smith.  
 Sophomore—William Smith.  
 Junior—W. Algernon Smith.  
 Senior—William A. Smith.  
 Graduate—W. A. Smith.  
 Job-hunter—Smith.

"And did anybody come to the door while I was out?"  
 "Yes, a man collecting for the Free Breakfasts."  
 "And did you give him anything?"  
 "I gave him all our names."

### Social Security Question Box

Editors' Note: The Times is publishing a series of questions and answers concerning the federal old-age benefits provision of the Social Security Act. Employers who wish to have further questions answered should write to the Social Security Board office, 1536 Allen Building, Dallas.

Question: Why are employers not included under the old-age benefits program of the Social Security Act?  
 Answer: The Social Security Act was designed to afford protection against social hazards where it is most urgently needed. While employers receive no direct benefits in the form of monthly payments, they will, nevertheless, receive indirect benefits as a result of the more constant flow of consumer purchasing power resulting from the periodic payments to recipients of benefits under the Social Security Act.

Employers will no more be able to escape some of the benefits of the program than they could have escaped some of the troubles of the depression. The man who reaches 65 and is no longer employed will still be a customer. Thus, benefits to the employers are real even though they are indirect.

Question: What happens under the old-age benefits section of the Social Security Act if an individual changes employment from an included occupation to an excluded occupation and vice versa?  
 Answer: Employees are credited with wages received after the year 1936 and prior to age 65 in included occupations, and likewise are not credited for wages received in excluded occupations. When an employee enters a covered occupation for the first time, he is required to apply for an account number card. When an employee moves to an excluded occupation, he need make no report to anyone. Since he might again enter a covered occupation, he should keep his account number card.

Wage credits earned while working in a covered occupation are not lost when a worker moves to an employment not covered by the law. These credits are retained and if the same employee later returns to a covered occupation, additional credits will be added to the previous credits earned. If an employee does not return to a covered occupation, payments due him at age 65 or death will be based on wages paid to him during the time he was employed in a covered employment.

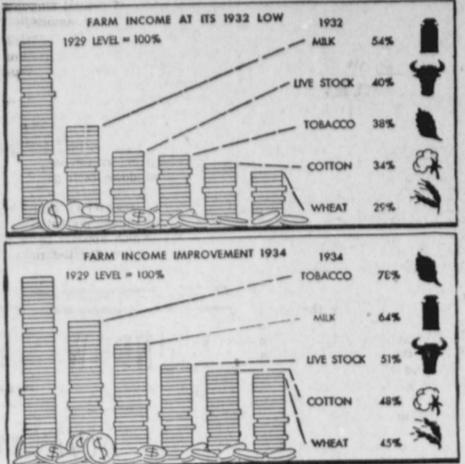
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### Milk Income Is Dependable



Milk proved a more dependable source of farm income during recent years than most major farm products, according to the federal trade commission's recent agricultural income study.

During 1932, when gross farm income sagged to its lowest point, dairy farmers received 54 per cent as much for milk as in 1929. Farmers received only 40 per cent of the 1929 total for livestock, 38 per cent for tobacco, 34 per cent for cotton and 29 per cent for wheat.

By 1934, when gross farm income recovered substantially, milk was well ahead of other major farm products with a gross of 64 per cent. Livestock was 51 per cent and wheat 45 per cent. Only one non-food crop was higher—tobacco at 76 per cent of the 1929 figure.

Cotton was 48 per cent of the pre-depression income. From 1929 to 1934, the average income to the producer from milk held up better than any farm product reported.

### Letters from the People Our Readers Speak

Editors, The Scurry County Times:

Permit me to say that the D. P. Yoder letter, dated 22 of July, 1937, is as clever a package of dynamite as was ever manufactured by an amateur politician.

The article in question states that we are headed for dictatorship. Now this is a futile, a dreary, a dismal statement without any direct or indirect proof. It is true that President Roosevelt has been accused of packing the Supreme Court, but this is nothing more than a supposition. Congress prevented him from doing it not because Congress distrusted Roosevelt's motive, but because it would set a dangerous precedent for his successors, who might be less scrupulous. The majority of our congressmen are patriotic and loyal to the Constitution, because they are serenely, devotedly and passionately fond of the basic and fundamental principles of democracy. Now just as long as Congress has control of our government we are in no danger of dictatorship, all this talk about a dictator is socialistic, communistic and republican propaganda.

The article in question blames Roosevelt for the repeal of the 18th amendment. This amendment was repealed as our national law requires. Why censure Roosevelt for what the people did?

The article in question accuses Roosevelt of buying votes. No man has any moral or legal right to cast any reflection upon any one's reputation or character without being in possession of direct proof. Again, this article in question accuses Roosevelt of squandering millions of dollars. It is true that jobs were often too easy, but on the other hand, if something had not been done, we would have had soup lines from the "Rocky Peaks of Maine" to the "Everglades of Florida." Things could not have gone much longer without riots, insurrections, rebellions, or civil war. During Hoover's administration our government loaned billions of dollars to the banks, corporations and big business, and the capitalist had his foot upon the neck of the poor and his hands in his pockets.

The article in question accuses Roosevelt for closing the banks without a due process of law. This statement was made for the want

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### Woolevers Have Twelfth Annual Family Reunion

The Woolever family met Friday morning, July 23, at the home of Earl Woolever, five miles west of Snyder, to pay honor to their mother, Mrs. Annie Woolever, on her 72nd birthday.

All of "Mother" Woolever's children were present for the three-day occasion except one son, E. H. Woolever of Idalou, who was unable to attend because of illness.

Children present for the reunion were: E. V. Woolever of Slaton, Mrs. C. R. Bishop of Ralls, Mrs. Tommie Sterling, Mrs. Marvin Bishop of Knapp, Mrs. A. E. Miller, Mrs. Owen Miller of Ira, Mrs. Jess Dixon, Mrs. P. M. Davis, E. E. Woolever of Snyder.

The Woolever reunion has been an annual affair since 1925. Mother Woolever has 10 children, 44 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Food for the three-day feast was served on long tables under shade trees in the yard. Beef and goat was barbecued on open pits. Late Friday afternoon watermelon was served to the entire group.

Ball games were enjoyed Friday and Saturday afternoons. For Friday and Saturday nights' entertainment, music was furnished by various members of the family.

Sunday at noon a special program was rendered for Mother Woolever. Elvis Bishop, a grandson, gave an interesting talk, followed by songs and a prayer.

Sunday afternoon pictures were taken and the family parted, looking forward to the next reunion.

Holley Shirley and family of Big Spring and Mrs. Mattie Holley of Stanton visited Wednesday with Mrs. M. P. Baze.

party. When the Republicans were in power they were unjust, oppressive, tyrannical to the poor. They treated them like the Carthaginian soldiers treated the Roman soldiers. The admiral of the Carthaginian army told the Roman soldiers "that they could not wash their hands in the ocean."

Roosevelt cares nothing for old tried rules, set ways and trodden paths, but passionately fond of the unknown things, reaches out after them and makes them known, and widens the horizons for humanity.

If I were a sponsor of a repudiated party without a leader, if I could not give some remedy for national recovery, I certainly would not whine, howl and hawk back at our president who has as deep and fervent a love for the poor as ever swelled the heart of an American citizen. Roosevelt has by his own untiring energy and unerring aim written his name upon the hearts of his fellow countrymen. Never, no, never to be erased by the perfidious or treacherous voice and ruthless hands of a repudiated Republican party.

E. C. RALSTON.  
Snyder, July 27, 1937.

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### State Authorities Issue Traffic Control Manual



Illustrations above from "Creating Safer Communities," the manual of traffic safety activities, just published by authorities for statewide use, show a variety of recommended safety procedures. (1) Top left, scientific investigation of accidents by trained police; (2) bottom left, extended safety training for school children; (3) right, location and elimination of accident causes. Picture shows ten major traffic violations leading to serious accidents.

### Final Rites Today For Former Teacher In County Schools

Final rites will be held Friday at 4:00 p. m. for James Huey Middleton, 58 who died Wednesday morning in Muskogee, Oklahoma, from a self-inflicted pistol wound. The former Lakeview, Hall County, man visited here before he went to Muskogee two weeks ago.

He taught several years ago in the Ira, Independence and Cottonwood Flat schools of Scurry County.

J. W. Leftwich and Lovell Baze went to Muskogee for the remains yesterday in a Maples Funeral Home ambulance. Final rites are to be held in the Leftwich home, South-west Snyder, and burial will be in Snyder cemetery. Legionnaires are to be in charge. Mr. Middleton was in the secret service during the war.

Survivors are Mr. Middleton's aged mother, Mrs. Mattie Middleton, who resides here; his wife, one son, Winfred Middleton, and one stepson, S. B. Smith, Lakeview; three sisters, Mrs. J. W. Leftwich, Snyder, Mrs. R. N. Miller, Gail, and Mrs. B. P. Womack, Carlsbad, New Mexico; two brothers, Jack Middleton, Snyder, and R. H. Middleton, Dallas. Mrs. Boss Baze of Snyder is a niece.

### Pellagra Is Disease Caused by Improper Diet, Says Dr. Cox

"Pellagra is a disease that is caused by not eating the right kind of food and shows itself usually by a strange kind of reddening and scale of the skin," says Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

"The person with pellagra usually suffers loss of appetite, indigestion, diarrhea, soreness of the mouth and tongue, nervousness, low spirits and more or less general weakness.

Thousands of Texans suffer with this disease and approximately 1,000 die each year. More cases appear in the spring and early summer months than at any time of the year. This is because more people live on a restricted diet during the winter. It comes to those whose diet does not contain all that is needed to keep one in good health. The missing essential in the diet is called the pellagra prevention factor or vitamin. We know this because people who eat the right kind of food do not have the disease, because those who do have the disease and eat the right kind of food do get well and remain well as long as they maintain a proper diet and also when

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### NEW HOSPITAL ADDITION OPEN

The \$15,000 addition to Snyder General Hospital was opened officially Sunday afternoon, when open house was held for several hundred visitors, a number of them from outside Scurry County.

Jim Stinson of Abilene gave a brief dedication talk in mid-afternoon. Brief local speakers included Lee T. Stinson, president of the hospital board, N. M. Harpole and W. J. Ely, members of the board and strong supporters of the hospital.

The new south wing, matching architecture and appointments of the original structure, is capable of handling a maximum load of 16 beds, bringing the hospital's total to 30 beds. Total cost of the hospital, grounds and equipment is now estimated at approximately \$50,000.

Albert P. Long, wife and daughter of Evansville, Indiana, and J. L. Long of Wichita, Kansas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell McMath here Wednesday. Albert P. Long and McMath served in the U. S. navy during the war, and had not seen each other since 1919.

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**A timely reminder**  
The tag end of summer warns that treacherous days of winter are on the way.

Do you remember the old days? Old-fashioned methods of heating . . . children wore heavy underwear and long stockings in order to keep warm . . . members of the family "huddled" in one or two rooms during cold weather . . . mother went shivering about the house with a shawl around her shoulders . . . someone was always "catching cold" — Remember?

There is a direct relationship between your family's health during winter months and the way you heat your home.

Sudden changes of temperature during the treacherous months of cold weather are dangerous. If you follow the old-fashioned practice of "huddling" in one or two rooms while the rest of the house remains unheated — YOU ARE TAKING CHANCES WITH YOUR FAMILY'S HEALTH. Plan now to have adequate heat and healthful temperatures in every room in the home this winter. It's the modern way to fight the "common cold."

The cold germ is responsible for more than two hundred million illnesses each year. Don't give a "common cold" an even break!

When in Dallas visit the Gas Industry Exhibit at the Pan American Exposition

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### Diphtheria's Toll More Than 300 in Texas Each Year

Texas loses more than 300 of its children each year from the preventable cause, according to State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox. Diphtheria, that ever present menace to children, was responsible in 1936 for 351 deaths.

No parent would allow his child to run in front of trains or automobiles, but many allow them to run the danger of contracting diphtheria. Prevention of diphtheria in children is a simple matter of inoculation with toxoid.

If you have a child six months old or more, take him to your family physician and ask to have a Shick test made to determine whether the child is susceptible or immune to diphtheria—for 75 to 90 per cent of children under 12 years of age are susceptible.

Information that as high as 90 per cent of all children under 12 are susceptible was gained from Shick tests carried out on thousands of children during the past decade, and indicates that young children should receive immunizing treatment against diphtheria without a preliminary Shick test. Such a test should, however, be carried out six months after preventive treatment, to make certain that immunity has been established. In older children and adults, a preliminary Shick test is advisable, since immunity may already be present.

Diphtheria immunization is accomplished by the injection of toxoid. Your doctor can tell if the immunization was successful by giving you the Shick test four to six months after the last treatment of toxoid. It takes that long for protection to develop.

There is no guess work about toxoid. It is a safe and proven preventive. The wise and cautious parent will take his child to the family doctor now, before school opens, and have him protected against the danger of contracting diphtheria, by immunization with toxoid.

"Good morning, Mr. Rye-top," said the waiter. "I hope you enjoyed that old Scotch I left in your room while you were out."

"It was pretty fair," drawled Rye-top, rubbing his parched lips, "but that siphon you sent up had the strongest stream of fizzy water I ever tackled. The blamed thing came near blowin' me through the window."

The waiter looked puzzled. "Siphon? I didn't send up any siphon."

"Yes, you did. It was red, and bound with brass bands."

"Great Scott, sir. That was the fire extinguisher!"

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### Home-Made Cream Makes Holiday



Safe and sane, delightful and healthfully nourishing is a party for the children when you serve home made ice cream. Sunday evening, on sister's birthday, or just any afternoon, a home made ice cream party is much in order. Here is an old reliable recipe for chocolate ice cream: 1 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon cornstarch, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 2 cups milk (scalded), 3 eggs (beaten), 2 squares unsweetened chocolate (melted), 2 teaspoons

### Firemen and Guests Have So Much Chicken That Nobody Gets the Neck

Nobody had to eat the necks at the firemen's summer social affair Thursday night of last week, for there was so much chicken around the place that even Mack Gideon, assistant chief had enough gizzards and drum sticks.

### KNOW TEXAS

By F. L. McDonald, Texas State College for Women, Denton

The difference between a horse and a streamlined automobile is not greater than the difference between Texas highways today and those of 10 years ago. Hump-backed roads, murderously slick surfaces, and deep ditches on each side of high embankments are buggy, and the bumpy patches are even more scarce than the horse and going too.

Responsible for these changes is the State Highway Department, guided by the Highway Commission. The policies formulated by these three commissioners are executed by the highway engineer, whom they select. He has the power to appoint department heads and division chiefs and serves as long as the majority of the commission votes to keep him. Gib Gilchrist has held the post for the past nine years.

According to Harry Hines, chairman of the commission, there are about 10,000 employees in the department alone, exclusive of the contractors' employees on each job. Almost all construction work on the roads is done by contractors, except on test jobs which are done by the department at frequent intervals to determine fair prices.

Maintenance and repair work is done by state employees, however, and through experimentation and economy the cost of keeping up state highways has been cut from \$445 to \$296 a mile. The reduction of costs through improved methods is the result of work done by the department's huge laboratories, which are among the best equipped in the nation. In these laboratories every pound of material used is tested and retested for value and durability.

Two of the largest small tasks of the maintenance division are the distribution of road markers and the removal of animals killed on the highway.

Greensboro (Ga.) Herald-Journal: One thing for which to be thankful: No one has written a song about the Supreme Court.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arnold and daughter, Evanelle, returned home Sunday night from a week's visit with the local pinman's brother, T. W. Arnold, and family at Huntville.

### Publishers Plan To Defy Hoodoos Friday the 13th

The newspaper fraternity has long been America's leading smasher of hoodoos, quackeries, superstitions and other rackets that are barnacles on the body public.

Over at Sweetwater, the playground of West Texas, members and guests of the West Texas Press Association will add Friday the Thirteenth of August to their list of smashed superstitions.

It is on this late-summer date that at least 125 delegates from an area as large as several Eastern states will gather for an orgy of recreation, business and conviviality that is popularly known as their annual convention.

This year, when their private coffers are somewhat more bulky than in several sessions, the Association membership has definitely demanded three things of its 1937 convention:

1.—Go strong on recreation, entertainment, and "just mixing with the boys and gals."

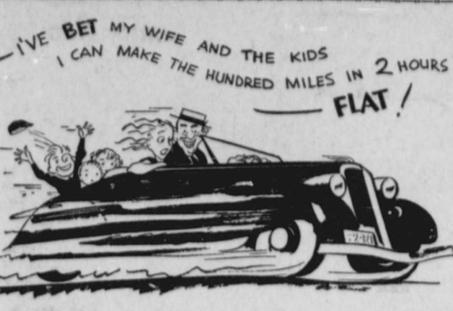
2.—Make the business programs pungent and brief.

3.—Use only honest-to-gosh newspapermen and women or their direct accessories on the program—the best newspaper speakers that can be secured.

So it is that the secretary, J. C. Smyth, co-publisher of The Scurry County Times—he was last year given the task of rounding up major events on the program—promises a day and a half of the kind of stuff that A-1 regional press conventions are made of. The convention begins Friday morning, ends Saturday noon, August 13-14.

Final program details will be arranged at Sweetwater Friday afternoon by association officials and host-town leaders.

### EVERYTHING TO LOSE



An automobile accident is invariably the result of a mistake by someone. Quite often the pedestrian is at fault; once in a great while the finger of guilt points to the engineer who designed the highway or the man who designed the car. But in three accidents out of every five the blunder is made by the man behind the wheel.

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### China Grove Plans Revival Next Week

Rev. L. L. Trott of Brownfield, formerly pastor of several churches in the Mitchell-Scurry Association, will do the preaching for a revival that will begin Sunday at the China Grove Baptist Church, reports Pastor Jimmie Fields.

Bill Hairston of the China Grove community will be in charge of singing. Services will be held at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., with grove prayer services at sundown each day.

Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: Latest novelty on the market is the silent radio, which appears to be a household treasure—for the neighbors, of course.

### Hobbs 4-H Clubber Doing Good Feeding

Andrew Willingham, Fisher County 4-H Club boy of the Hobbs community, who is feeding a double standard polled Hereford calf bred by his father, Sterling Willingham, is doing a mighty good job of feeding by putting 3.61 pounds daily gain on the calf in 25 days of July and an average daily gain of 3.4 pounds since May 1.

The 14 other 4-H Club calves being milk fed are making good gains, but the weights are not available, states T. H. Roensch, Fisher County agricultural agent.

Liberty is not merely a privilege to be conferred; it is a habit to be acquired.—Lloyd George.

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  - TEA, Bright & Early, Two ¼-Lb. Packages **25c**
  - CANDY, 5c Size, 3 for **10c**
  - BANANAS, Dozen 18c, 2 Dozen **33c**
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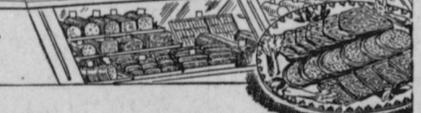
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**Coffee** Maxwell House, Vita Fresh, 3-Pound Can— **79c**

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Crowder News

Lola Mae McKinney, Correspondent
Mrs. Robertson of Pleasant Hill was a Saturday night and Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKinney.

Gannaway News

Cozette White, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rylander and children visited friends at Snyder Monday night.

China Grove News

Anna Bell Krop, Correspondent
Mrs. Lather Lewallen of Odessa, the former Miss Jewel Krop of this community, was given a bridal shower by Misses Jim Merket, Jim Wood, F. C. Hairston and O. N. Laster Jr. at the home of Mrs. Jim Merket last Tuesday, July 20.

Bell News

Mrs. Will Caffey, Correspondent
Mrs. J. B. Jordan and little son returned Wednesday to their home in Fort Worth, after a week's visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caffey.

Egypt News

Mrs. R. A. Hardee, Correspondent
We are very thankful for the good rain. Farmers are busy plowing over now, and will soon have their crops laid by. Some are already heading feed.

Bethel News

Elura Jones, Correspondent
Earl Gladson and family spent the week-end with relatives at Littlefield and Sudan.

"YOU BET YOUR LIFE" WHEN YOU DRIVE AT HIGH SPEEDS

Diagram illustrating car safety at high speeds. It shows a car at 55 mph, a split-second reaction time of 1/4 second, and a distance of 151 feet needed to stop. It also includes a section on jammed brakes and a crash scenario.

Lone Wolf News

Gladys Ruth Mahoney, Corresp.
Mrs. Furman Kelly and children of Dermott spent part of last week in the E. N. Cummings home.

Midway News

Callie DeShazo, Correspondent
Guests in the J. D. Boone home Sunday were: Mrs. Winco Pollard and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks of Snyder, and Mrs. Perry Alford and daughter and Callie DeShazo.

Uncle Jim Says



"Green manure crops cut production costs and pay good dividends on thousands of Texas farms."

Dunn News

Loie Shoffner, Correspondent
The rains which we received last week were well appreciated. About 33 friends and neighbors gathered at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bolding's and hoed their crops for them last Wednesday afternoon.

Pleasant Hill News Big Sulphur News

Ruth Merritt, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Scott and children of Oklahoma and Mrs. Tom Johnston of Haskell visited relatives here last week.

County Line News

Mrs. Lawrence Brown, Corresp.
Quite a number of people were present at Sunday school Sunday. Every fourth Sunday the classes present a program after the lessons are over.

DR. J. G. HICKS
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Four Trade Marks That Spell Satisfaction

Advertisement for National Pressure Cookers, Challenge Windmills and Parts, Remington Rifles and Ammunition, and Avery One-Way Plows. Includes the name H. L. WREN and address North Side Square, Snyder, Texas.

Large advertisement for the Universal Tractor. Features the text 'THE NEW UNIVERSAL TRACTOR' and 'VISIONLINED'. It includes a detailed illustration of the tractor and lists features like '5 FORWARD SPEEDS 2 TO 15 M.P.H.' and 'ADJUSTABLE TREAD FOR ALL NEEDS'. The ad is signed by JOHN C. DAY & SON.

Advertisement for Dr. Salisbury's Cam-Pho-Sal, a remedy for colds and coughs.

Advertisement for Farmers Exchange, located at East Side Square.

Advertisement for Dr. C. E. Helms, a magnetic masseur for chronic ailments, located at 1812 27th Street.

Round Top News

Mrs. H. L. Harrison, Correspondent
Eulene Durham is at home to spend the summer. She is a student in Texas Tech, Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller of Snyder visited Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, Sunday.
Mrs. T. J. Ellis of Knaap visited her daughter, Mrs. Dildy Smith, a few days this week.
H. C. Eller visited his daughter, Mrs. Rex Slater, of Post, a few days this week.
Malcolm James and family of Camp Springs visited in the R. G. Crowder home Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown and children, Irene, Robbie Jo and Joy, are visiting relatives at Roanoke, Teague and other places in Central Texas. They will also spend some time at the Pan American Exposition, Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weaver of Odessa and Mrs. Claude Bolding of Jal, New Mexico, spent Sunday night and Monday in the B. D. Durham home.
Mrs. N. H. Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and B. D. Durham visited Mrs. John Kennedy of Coahoma Sunday.
George and Paul Claybrook of Snyder and Harold Claybrook of this place are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Claybrook, of Joshua.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson of Houston, who are visiting relatives at Dunn, visited Eulene Durham Sunday afternoon.
R. G. Crowder and family, Tom Reeves and family and Malcolm James and family of Camp Springs visited in the James home of Colorado Sunday.
Mrs. Dr. Morrow of San Antonio visited in the B. D. Durham home Sunday.

Pyron News

Thelma Kinney, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. J. Stevenson and son, Mrs. Floyd Light and son and Jim Richburg have returned from Fort Worth and Dallas, where they have been visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Darden and small son of Sweetwater visited in the K. P. Lofton Sr. home Saturday night and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kinney and children of Temple are visiting in the Walker and W. D. Kinney home this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Alan Culp and children and Mrs. J. E. Parker have returned from a trip to New Mexico.
Delayed One Week.
Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Greenwood entertained relatives from Abilene Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. McCallen and children visited in Roscoe Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barnes have returned home from a trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roemish and son, Bobby, of the German community.
Those on the sick list this week are Grandmother McClellin and Mrs. S. P. Bowen.
Mrs. Schley Adams entertained the young folks of the community with a party Friday evening.
Miss Freda Brown of Amarillo is visiting in the Floyd Light home this week.
Summer school will begin August 2.
Mr. and Mrs. Emory Parker are visiting friends and relatives in Comanche County.
Miss Lucille Kinney has returned to her home after a visit with Mrs. L. S. Daniels of Sweetwater and Miss Arlie Burklow of Lone Star.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kinney and children have returned to their home from Temple, where they have been visiting relatives.
Jay Fuqua of Hamilton visited friends in this community over the week-end.
Jay Stevenson and Jim Richburg are visiting in Fort Worth.
Those who visited in the K. P. Lofton home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and baby of Hermleigh and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kinney and children.

Lubbock Sanitarium & Clinic

Medical, Surgical and Diagnostic
General Surgery
Dr. J. T. Krueger
Dr. J. H. Stiles
Dr. Henrie E. Mast
Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat
Dr. J. T. Hutchinson
Dr. Ben H. Hutchinson
Dr. E. M. Blake
Infants and Children
Dr. M. C. Overton
Dr. Arthur Jenkins
General Medicine
Dr. J. P. Lattimore
Dr. H. C. Maxwell
Obstetrics
Dr. O. R. Hand
Internal Medicine
Dr. R. H. McCarty
X-Ray & Laboratory
Dr. James D. Wilson
Resident
Dr. J. K. Richardson
C. E. Hunt J. H. Felton
Superintendent Business Mgr.
X-Ray and Radium

Mescal Ike



Polar News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent
A good rain fell over this community last week. Farmers are still busy in their crops.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Clanton, Corbett Clanton and family, Vester Clanton and family, Clyde Clanton and family of Luther were week-end visitors here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Young and friends of Snyder and Big Spring attended the singing here Sunday. A large number enjoyed a good singing and plenty of dinner.
Mrs. Zed Randolph is home again after an appendix operation at the Emergency Hospital, Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Randolph and two children and Uncle Rome Ford visited with Mrs. Alma Surratt at Jayton last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Crumley and children of Rotan visited in the R. T. Runnag home last week-end.
John Sellars and family attended the funeral of an infant grandson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blythe, at Vealmoor last Saturday.
B. A. Cumble and family of Clairemont visited in the C. M. Lyons home Sunday.
Bro. Frank Smith closed a two-week meeting here Sunday night. The Baptist meeting will start next Saturday night.
Mrs. Maud Lovelady and granddaughter, Betty Jean Fuller, and Mrs. Comer Lykes from the Beggs ranch, attended singing here Sunday afternoon.
Aunt Mollie Cargile is on the sick list this week. She is at Snyder.
Lawrence, Raymond and Ada Hall of Dermott and Mrs. Ora Green and children of Ft. Hancock attended singing and church here Sunday.
Nonnie Lauderdale of Jayton visited last week with Burl Ford. He was accompanied home by Elvin Lauderdale.
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lane and children of Dermott and Mrs. Edgar Shuler of Snyder were Polar visitors Sunday.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent
J. B. Hunter and Miss Mildred Stokes of Champlin, Misses Helen, Florence and Wanda Lee Corley of Bielen, New Mexico, and Misses Lois and Earlene Jackson of Clovis, New Mexico, were supper guests Sunday in the home of their aunt, Mrs. M. E. Williams.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kirk of Blackwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Karnes.
Mrs. Hudson Powell and two children of Fort Worth are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Dick Patterson.
Mrs. George Maberry and two children of McCauley and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smith and daughter of Plainview visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. K. B. Reitor, last week.
Mrs. J. G. Reed, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is slightly improved.
Mrs. W. W. Early returned last week from a short visit with her daughters in South Texas.
Mrs. Stewart and daughter, Bertha, returned Sunday from Tucuman, New Mexico, where they had been for a month's stay.
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Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
Sunday visitors in the I. B. Wade home were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burney of Bison.
Visitors in the G. W. Lewis home last week were Mrs. Leland Autry and daughter, Donna Jean, of Pecos, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lincecum of Little Sulphur.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burney and children of Bison were Sunday dinner guests in the T. P. Bryce home.
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lewis were Sunday afternoon guests in the G. W. Lewis home and attended church Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and son, Herbert, of Forsan visited her mother last week.
Visitors in the Madge Holley home last week were two of their daughters-in-law of Wink and Poyote. Mr. and Mrs. Holley returned with them for an extended visit.
Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Black and son, Wiley, and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor spent part of last week in Abilene. Wiley remained until Sunday.
Sunday dinner guests in the W. R. Sterling home were all their children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin of Sharon.
Mrs. C. T. Jones and little daughter returned home, after having been staying three months with her mother, Mrs. Burdett of Rotan.
Miss Geneva Franks, who is working at Snyder, is home for the week to attend the Church of Christ revival.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crowder and children attended the birthday dinner in the Sears Cook home honoring Mrs. Cook and little Dale Crowder.
Sunday dinner guests in the Oscar Webb home were Mr. and Mrs. S. Webb, Anna Nabors and Eugenia Fae Carlisle.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress are entertaining a new baby boy, born Friday, July 23. He will go by the name of Robert Wayne.
Those visiting Monday night and Tuesday in the Oscar Webb home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Webo and sons, Howard and Elvis, of Odessa.
Hubert Webb and children visited in the China Grove community last Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ather Chandler of Snyder attended church here Sunday night.
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Morgan, who are entertaining a new baby girl.
Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister and brother of China Grove.
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant are visiting in Comanche County, and hauling melons from there.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smallwood spent Sunday in the Elmer Herring home of Egypt.
Miss Jo Hailey and her H. E. girls are doing good work. They meet each Tuesday and Friday.
The Baptist ladies met Monday at the church and quilted. They quilted one quilt and part of another.
We are glad to know Mrs. Robert Warren is doing so nicely and are hoping she soon returns home.
Mrs. Ada Clark spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. A. Hardee of Egypt.
E. E. Carlisle returned to Cliff Birdwells, to work this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Whit Farmer had as their guest last week his aunt from Merkel.

Arah News

Hazel Milson, Correspondent
Harmen Higgins and Doc Minnick of Lubbock visited friends here Sunday.
Nevelin Milson and Edward Robnett left Monday for Lynn County, where they will go to work.
Several folks from here attended preaching at Union Saturday and Sunday nights.
Mrs. Minnick and children, who have been working at Redwine, returned home Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jacobs and son of Turner visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Milson and children Sunday.
Nevelin Milson spent Sunday with Junior Filippin of Hermleigh.
Oscar Walker and son, Douglas, left Sunday for the Plains.
I would appreciate any news handed to me by Monday of each week.

Martin News

Mayme Lee Gibson, Correspondent
The Martin-Dermott Club met with Mrs. Marvin Lemons Wednesday afternoon, July 21. Instead of quilting, Mrs. Lemons surprised the members by having a flower garden quilt for them to piece on. As Mrs. Tom Brooks was a late member of the club and had never been given a friendship quilt, the members planned to surprise her with a miscellaneous shower, which was done at Mrs. Lemons'. Cookies and punch were served to the following members and guests: Misses Elvise Greenfield, Tom C. Davis, Warren, Filippin, W. T. Pierce, C. W. Sawyer, W. C. Allen, L. N. Periman, Milton Greenfield, Willie Gibson, Tom Brooks, Allen Armstrong and G. D. Gibson, members; Mrs. J. C. Allen of Grand Prairie, Mrs. J. B. Henley, Mrs. E. W. Gladson, Mrs. Joe Norris, Mrs. John Parker and Miss Vera Parker of Martin, Mrs. Emma Shuler of Woodard, Mrs. Walter Brooks, Mrs. Mary McKinney and Mrs. W. A. McKinney of Crowder, Mrs. J. W. Layne and Mrs. Grace Cunningham of Canyon, Mrs. M. T. Popejoy and Mrs. C. S. Niendecken of Snyder. The club meets August 4 with Mrs. Warner Filippin for an all-day meeting.
Mrs. J. C. Allen of Grand Prairie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Armstrong, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom C. Davis spent the week-end visiting their son, Edgar Davis, and wife in Wichita Falls.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brooks of Kerrville visited in this community Sunday. They were accompanied by Snyder by Jesse Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, formerly of this community.
Miss Louise Gibson spent the week-end at home, returning Monday afternoon to WTSFC, Canyon.
Miss Lena Periman is visiting in Mineral Wells. She will return to Clovis, New Mexico, in August.
Mrs. W. T. Pierce has had as her guest a sister from Abilene.

Lone Star News

Mrs. E. N. Smiley, Correspondent
Farmers are certainly rejoicing over the wonderful rain first of last week. Some say we got 3 1/2 or 4 inches. Some little damage was done by high wind. Prospects for a bumper crop are the best in a number of years.
Mrs. Thompson (Preacher Thompson who formerly lived here) and son of near Levelland are visiting here with friends.
Alton Windburn and two sisters, who have been visiting their father, returned to their home at Stephenville last week. Jack, a small brother, went with them for a short stay.
Curtis Stone and family left Wednesday for Forney, where they will make their home. Mrs. Stone's mother, Mrs. Wilkerson, formerly of Inadale, lives there.
D. L. Windburn and wife attended church at Claytonville or Bethel Sunday. The pastor, Bro. Scott, and wife accompanied them home for dinner.
Some few attended Sunday school here Sunday. We invite all who can to come to be with us. Our revival will begin the second Sunday in August. Bro. Ware, the pastor, can not be here, but will send some one.
Alton Dowdy and family left last Sunday for Arkansas, where they will visit relatives.
Thurman Rogers, wife and small daughter of Sweetwater were in the community Sunday.
Mr. Burklow, wife and Arlie and Ray spent Sunday in the home of Burl Cunningham.
Sid Stewart and family of Hobbs were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Stone.

Inadale News

Mrs. C. C. Brannon, Correspondent
P. J. Taylor has returned home after a pleasant visit with his son at Fabens.
Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Richburg and son, Mickle, left Friday for El Paso. Little Jean Richburg, who visited her grandparents, M. A. Richburg, returned home with them, accompanied by her grandmother, Hammock of Brownlee.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brannon and children, Cecilia, Marie, Clinton and Aubrey, left Wednesday for Alabama, to visit friends and relatives.
Wayne McPaul of Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cameron of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richburg.
Mrs. P. J. Taylor returned home after an extended visit in Dallas and Arkansas.
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ohlenbusch spent the week-end in Goldthwaite with his parents.
Paul Wells has returned home from visiting his mother and sisters in Oklahoma.
Hilda Ohlenbusch is spending a few days with her brothers, and is clerking in the store here.
E. N. Cummings and family have gone to Dallas. He has been clerking in the store here.
Marie Wells is spending a few days with Cleola Ward of Wastella.
Lydia Fritsch spent the week-end with her parents near Brownlee.
D. S. Riggs and family of Roscoe called in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riggs.
Zonell Brannon is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frankie Roper, in Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nix of Hyland called in the home of his son, B. B. Nix, Monday night of last week.
Lottie and Lavern Ware, Woodrow and Wilson Kidd of Wastella called on Marie and Mildred Wells Wednesday.

Plainview News

Muriel Woodard, Correspondent
Mary Dove Pogue spent the week-end with Anna Jo McElyea of Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walthall and children of San Angelo spent last Thursday night in the John Woodard home.
Mrs. Myrtle Bowlin and granddaughter, Mary Margaret, of Merkel are spending the week in the Doyle Pogue home.
Mrs. G. W. Parks was operated Saturday morning for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.
Singing will start at 8:30 o'clock next Sunday night. Everyone come and please be on time.
ODDS-AND-ENDS merchandise will quickly find sale through Times Classified Ads. Tell the public what you have.

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Canyon News

Luella Layne, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Marr and children of Berger are visiting relatives in this community.
Mrs. A. A. Crumley is visiting with her father at Hermleigh.
Mrs. George Robertson and her daughter, Lanell, of Pleasant Hill are visiting friends in this community.
Mrs. Guy Buffalo of Mountainair, New Mexico, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beeman, and children.
Mrs. Bell Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Simpson and Royce Simpson, all of Fannin County, spent last week with relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layne and children spent Sunday in the J. A. Fowler home of Camp Springs.
Guests in the G. B. West home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam West and children of Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin West of Snyder.
Will Wolf and daughters, Mozell and Jessie Woodrow, of Memphis spent part of last week in the Beeman home.
Miss Luella Layne spent Saturday night with Miss Lola Mae McKinney of Crowder.
A large crowd from this community attended the party in the Preston Martin home of Crowder.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKinney of Crowder and Mrs. George Robertson and daughter, Lanell, of Pleasant Hill visited in the T. M. Pherigo home Sunday.
Miss Vera Crumley spent part of last week with Miss Lillie Fields of Snyder.
Mrs. Sam Adams and daughters, Dorothy and Jessie, spent last week with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Adams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andy McWilliams of Ira.
Mrs. Orville Taylor is very ill in the Emergency Hospital at Snyder. Some from here have been attending the meeting at Union.
The revival will begin here Saturday night. We urge everyone to attend both day and night services.

HEAL THOSE SORE GUMS

Even after pyorrhea has affected your stomach, kidneys and your general health, Loto's Pyorrhea Remedy, used as directed, can save you. Dentists recommend it. Drug-gists return money if it fails.
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NOTICE—My places are posted by law. No fishing, hunting, plum gathering or wood hauling, nor cattle molesting in any way.—C. J. Harrell. 9-4tp
NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS
The State of Texas, County of Scurry.
To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Mary Jane Sharp, deceased:
The undersigned having been duly appointed executor of the estate of Mary Jane Sharp, deceased, late of Scurry County, Texas, the county court of said county on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1937, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlements, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Post, Garza County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1937.
—CARL CLIFTON CLARK, Executor of the Estate of Mary Jane Sharp, deceased. 5-4tp
NO. 795
Estate of H. P. Wellborn, deceased.
In the county court of Scurry County, Texas.
Notice is hereby given by R. H. Wellborn, administrator of the estate of H. P. Wellborn, deceased, that he has filed application in the county court of Scurry County, Texas, to sell the following personal property, to wit:
1. One note for the sum of \$348.07, dated May 21, 1937, due November 21, 1937, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and executed by Henry W. Morgan; and
2. One note for \$119.00, dated 1st day of February, 1937, due June, 1937, with ten per cent interest, and signed by W. E. Lapour, secured by mortgage on mules;
Which notice will be heard in the county court of Scurry County, Texas, at 10:00 a. m., on Monday, August 9, 1937.—R. H. WELLBORN, Administrator. 1tp

For Sale

EASY PAYMENT plan on New Perfection oil stoves.—John Keller Furniture. 5-4fc
FOR SALE—New bundle feed.—J. R. Littlepage, two miles out on Colorado highway. 1tp
FOR SALE—Clean 100-pound sacks, 13 for \$1 while they last; also hard cans, 25c and 50c.—Ware's Bakery. 7-2tp
MIKE'S SPECIAL BREAKFAST—15c
You get tomato juice; one egg, any style; bacon or sausage; toast and jelly; coffee. Half block east square. 8-4tc
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STOP! LOOK! ACT!
Remember that we can make that living room suite new, and that porch swing look attractive. A factory man to refurbish all your furniture.—Gray's Variety. 52-4tc

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420 ACRES, 60 acres cultivation; plenty water, 4-room house, near Hermleigh, Texas. Bargain at \$8 per acre. Terms.
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LIST YOUR farms with us for sale. We have some buyers.
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FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments; garages; bills paid.—Mrs. A. O. Scarborough. 1tc
FURNISHED rooms for rent, light-housekeeping; downstairs; bills paid.—Mrs. N. B. Moore, 811 24th Street. 1tc
FURNISHED apartment for rent; two blocks from square.—John Greene, 1611 27th St. 1tc
FOR RENT—Furnished bedrooms, private entrance, located between school and ice plant, 1502 26th Street.—Mrs. Mitchell McMath. 6-4tc
FOR RENT—Furnished south bedroom. Telephone 462W.—Mrs. W. T. Baze. 7-2tp

Wanted

HORNED TOADS wanted; pay one cent each, any size.—Bill King, King & Brown. 1tp
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The County Agent.

The Times a few weeks ago published an article that left the impression with a few readers that this newspaper was "making fun" of county agents' activities in securing poison for grasshoppers—poison that is being used in negligible quantities this season.

The article, unfortunately worded, meant, rather, to leave the impression that the county agents were ready for the grasshopper scourge if the scourge should come. The hoppers did not come, of course. The securing of poison for Scurry and Borden Counties was certainly far-sightedness on the part of the agents.

This editorial is not being written apologetically, for certainly no harm came from the grasshopper article. But this discussion gives The Times an opportunity to pay its respects—as it has done editorially several times in the past—to the modern brand of county agent.

For the most part, Scurry and Borden have been fortunate in the county agents that have carried out Extension Service and federal farmer-help policies. Without question, the present agents in the two counties are highly respected—respected because they have the background, the experience, the horse sense and the foresight to be of tremendous assistance to their constituents.

The various services rendered by county agents have undergone radical changes within the past 10 years, largely because of the new role taken by the federal government in shaping the lives of rural areas. But the basic services have remained the same; namely, to help the farmer, the rancher, the dairyman, the gardener and others who earn their livelihoods from the soil.

In helping the men of the soil, the county agents have of course helped all of us to enjoy a fuller life, more prosperous communities.

So it is that The Times pays tribute to the men who have often had to overcome ridicule, disbelief, sarcasm, and even bitter animosity as they continue their onward march toward an agriculture that shall have the vitality to stand on its own hind legs, without benefit of government subsidy.

The Black Widow.

Have you heard recently of the black widow, that almost inoffensive little creature who was played up in national headlines a couple of years ago? Probably not. But science has not forgotten the black lady with the red hourglass on her tummy. Science has discovered that a rare and tiny parasitic fly preys on the black widow's eggs, and destroys them by the billions. And if these flies propagate fast enough, another good public interest story may pass into complete limbo.

The Wreck Hours.

In support of their contention that faulty lights are the underlying cause of a tremendous number of accidents, safety specialists cite the fact that though only one-third of all automobiles travel after dark, nearly two-thirds of the serious mishaps occur during the night hours. These specialists declare that so trifling a factor as the age of a lamp bulb may reduce the effective light by 50 per cent and more. Dirt on lenses or reflectors, incorrect focusing and faulty direction of the headlight beam are other factors leading to more accidents. Have you checked your lights recently?

Saddle Blanket Schools.

Abilene Reporter-News: "One of those who protested to the tax board against reducing the per capita aid rate to public schools from 20 to seven cents is head of a state teachers college. If the state would do away with half or more of the teacher colleges it now supports, the public school children would have a lot more money coming to them and the taxpayer would be relieved of a useless burden. Four of them in East Texas are almost close enough together to be covered by a saddle blanket."

The Legal Profession.

Lynn County News: "The ill repute in which the legal profession is held is due to the crookedness of a small minority of the fraternity. If the shrewd conscienceless crooks could be eliminated from the profession, there would soon be a marked change in the esteem with which the profession is generally regarded. It has been often said that the profession itself should clean house. But that is hard to do, for the crookedest criminal wants the shrewdest and crookedest lawyer he can find to represent him. As long as there are all sorts of people there will be all sorts of lawyers."

Country Newspaper.

"Sometimes when you have nothing else to do and want to have some fun, just try running a country newspaper for 30 years. You'll have a wealth of experience you'll get in no other way. But you won't have to worry over keeping ahead of the sheriff and how you're going to eat. You'll find out that lots of news is bad news, and that a dollar often seems much larger than it really is. You'll also learn that some people are funny through choice, while others can't help being funny. It's a great old game if you don't run out of chips."—Exchange.

Where Do Farmers Spend?

In a news article that concerned cotton prospects in the South, The Pathfinder last week included this cryptic sentence:

"Mail order houses, through which farmers do much of their buying, swell their coffers."

No reference in the article of the small town merchant's prospects of swelling his coffers. "When a bumper crop is harvested and prices are good, not only does the cotton farmer prosper," says The Pathfinder, "but all the industries he deals with feel the flush of good times."

Yes, good times for the ginning, the cotton seed crushing, the compressing firms, the warehouse owners, the railroads and the mail order houses. Does The Pathfinder unconsciously imply that the small town merchant will not profit from a bumper crop in proportion to these larger, more concentrated agencies?

Perhaps so. Probably it was merely an oversight on the part of the Pathfinder writer. But does the implication not have a germ of bitter truth? Is it not true that thousands of small town merchants, because of dilatory methods of buying, advertising, display and selling, will reap only a minor share of the 1937 cotton profits?

Let's show the mail order houses, the traveling salesmen for merchandise that is handled right here in Snyder, the fly-by-night peddler! Let's show them that Snyder, for one rural center, will not be content to sit idly by and let the cream of a prosperous cotton crop be skimmed away by outside hands!

If we up an 'em, the farmer will be more than happy to spend most of his dollars with the merchants whom he knows and with whom he can talk about the every-day affairs of rural living.

Current Comment.

By LEON GUINN.

When the new county courthouse at Beaumont was finished last week, the people of Jefferson County had an edifice of justice of which they could well be proud. . . . From the concrete foundation to the cupola, the county judge declared the building "was the citadel of liberty, where justice will be enshrined." . . . The county clerk and other county attaches thought the office space was the building's most praiseworthy virtue, since the county courthouse afforded good window views of the bustling metropolis.

After all the flag waving ceremonies and the accolade paid the far sighted commissioners, the average citizen was glad the county's time worn permanent records would henceforth be housed in theft proof vaults. . . . Then the playhouse was torn down by a bright official. . . . It was soon discovered that jurors would have to climb a ladder and crawl through the window to reach the jury room. . . . The architect had forgotten that jury rooms usually have doors! . . . While the county judge decided the incident was worth pulling his disappearing hair over, we're not so sure about the matter.

The peaceful Pacific will probably hold in its bosom the exact fate of globe flying Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Fred Noonan. . . . The tiny speck of land known as Howland Island was missed by these intrepid argonauts of the ether, seeking the golden fleece of island earth. . . . The cutter Itasca, plus the aircraft carrier Lexington, plus the Navy's crack flying squadrons, covered an area of 250,000 miles in their search for Amelia Earhart, but failed to make contact with any definite clues. . . . Just before leaving Miami (June 1) Miss Earhart decided the 250-foot trailing antenna on the plane "wasn't needed."

George Palmer Putman and Navy officials forgot to notify the Itasca the "flying laboratory's" trail-wire antenna had been removed, which allowed Miss Earhart and Noonan to talk by radio on 500 kilocycles. . . . Miss Earhart and Noonan kept broadcasting on 3,105 kilocycles after they had missed Howland Island, but since the standard marine frequency is 500 kilocycles, the Itasca could not get any bearings for the lost aviators. . . . It was just a 250-foot piece of antenna, a seemingly unimportant item of radio equipment, but this piece of wire has doubtless meant the difference between success and failure for Miss Earhart. . . . Miss Earhart, one of the world's greatest women aviators, leaves us the immortal lesson that it is the little things, after all, that count.

When Guglielmo Marconi (Mar-ko-Knee) died Tuesday in Rome, the United States lost one of its best Italian friends, for Marquis Guglielmo was a great admirer of America, besides being a benefactor of American business and commerce. . . . A famed inventor in life, Marconi's invention of wireless telegraphy will be ranked as one of the truly great inventions of the 20th century. . . . The Senator, who had been one-eyed for several years, remained to the end the alert, open minded scientist who looked upon the world as his laboratory. . . . We of today probably will not fully appreciate what the invention of wireless communication means to the changing earth, but as a result of Marconi's inventions the whole world enjoys its radios; though the mystery of radio has not yet been concisely defined. . . . To Guglielmo Marconi, one of civilization's most noted benefactors, monuments would do little good. . . . In benefiting others, he has built an imperishable monument to his undying memory.

The plan to have regular broadcasts of the sessions of Congress has been delayed, pending the invention of microphones streamlined to reduce their wind resistance.—Nashville Tennessean.

Feed And Money Saved By Trench Silo Says Lacey

W. R. Lacey, county agent, has the following to say about trench silos for dairymen:

A short feed supply is the greatest handicap that the average West Texas dairyman has to contend with. Most of the dairymen is confined to seasons of good pastures when there is an unusual amount of milk and cream produced which results in a lower market for the product.

In winter a cow needs good green feed most when there may be little other than some dry bundle feed and as a result we have a smaller milk production than would be maintained when on green pasture or silage. We can not always have a wheat field to graze our cattle on, but a trench silo full of good feed stored during a summer when we raise a good supply will enable the cow to have a much higher production of cream and at a time when cream prices are higher.

During the past winter dairymen who fed silage found that their cows held up in production in spite of cold, bad weather. One herd of 30 cows made a gain of 15 gallons of milk a day when silage was fed, and this increase was maintained through all kinds of weather. Trench silos have proved successful in all parts of Texas and as the cheapest way to store your feed to keep it worth the most and in its best shape as feed.

Spence Digs Silo.

Most recent Scurry County farmer to dig a trench silo is Homer Spence of the Bethel community. Spence is using tractor and scraper for digging a trench silo that will store about 60 tons of feed. Early sorghum will be the first feed to go into the new storage unit.

Wild Life Meeting Staged at Capitola By Fisher Farmers

Approximately 40 people attended the wild life meeting at Capitola Monday night, July 26, at which time nine new members were enrolled to bring the total to 27. The new group will be carried on cooperatively with T. H. Roensch, the Fisher County agricultural agent.

The game management area enclosed approximately 60,000 acres in the southwest and western part of the county, and should increase when the demonstration set-up is completed.

The following officers were elected to carry the demonstration through: President, Dr. R. G. Davenport, Route 2, Sweetwater; vice president, Edwin Akins, Route 2, Sweetwater; secretary-treasurer, W. B. Williamson, Rotan; executive committee, Clinton McCain, W. M. Hodges, Ralph Collins and H. C. Denson, all of Route 2, Sweetwater.

The officers of the game management association will meet at Dr. Davenport's home on the night of August 3 to set up a proposed general rules and regulation for the demonstration. These rules and regulations will be presented to the members of the association for their approval.

First Baptist Church

Our revival opens Sunday morning under the city tabernacle. Evangelist B. B. Crimm preaches at the 11:00 o'clock hour.

Evening service at 8:15 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and B. T. U. at 7:15 p. m. in the main building.

Welcome to the revival.—Lawrence Hays, pastor.

Production of Cotton in Bales for Ten Years

Table with columns for COUNTY, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936. Rows include Callahan, Coleman, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stonewall, Taylor, and GRAND TOTAL.

Presbyterians and Methodists to Unite

Following the usual custom, the Presbyterian and Methodist churches of Ft. Worth will unite in a week of evangelistic services beginning next Sunday, August 1, and extending through the following Sunday night. The services will be held under the tabernacle just east of the business section of town.

The visiting evangelist this year is Rev. J. L. Cleveland, Sunday school missionary of the Abilene and Brownwood Presbyteries of the Presbyterian church. The evangelist is an experienced preacher who has devoted a large part of his ministry to pastoral work, but who resigned his pastorate in Fort Worth two years ago so as to be able to give full time to extension and revival work.

Outdoor Fireplaces Discussed at Pyron

"An outdoor fireplace can be inexpensively built, using rock and cement," said Jewell Hipp, assistant home demonstration agent, to Pyron Women's Club July 15 at the home of Mrs. Dee Brock.

"Scrap iron or heavy galvanized wire may be used for the grate," she continued. The Pyron ladies voted to send two delegates to the short course. Myrtle Glass and Lera Light are the representatives.

Refreshments were served to 19 members, and to Dee Brock, who helped with the rock work.

The next meeting will be a watermelon party to entertain the husbands and to raise money for song books for Pyron's singing class.—Reporter.

New Showcard Ink.

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Uncle Jim Says



"You can stop gullies and provide future income by planting trees on poor, hilly land."

Eroded hillsides not only do not yield profitable crops, but also menace more fertile fields below them by covering rich soil with poor soil. Timber provides one of the most practical means of checking erosion, and also provides for income in the future.

Trees may be set out from 6 to 10 feet apart, according to C. W. Simmons, farm forester of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. The shortest time such trees will begin to yield a return in addition to their erosion-preventing ability is 10 years, when they will usually begin to furnish posts and fuel wood. From 15 to 30 years is needed to produce trees for all purpose timber.

It is always best to plant trees which are known to be locally adapted, Simmons says. There are three species of pine and some 27 species of hardwood which are of commercial value in Texas. In sections where none of these species are adapted, Simmons recommends the planting such post yielding trees as cedar, mesquite, bols d' arc, and, in humid regions, black locust. The mulberry is slow growing, but an excellent post tree and has the additional virtue of providing food for game birds and other wild life.

In many sections of the state, nature will take care of retired crop land by covering it with protective grass, shrubs and trees.

The Agricultural Conservation Program carries provisions for payments for planting forest trees. County agricultural agents have available detailed information about this feature of the program.

Four Cities Remain In Hospital Running

Possible location of the West Texas insane hospital has narrowed down to four cities—Big Spring, Colorado, Sweetwater and Abilene—it was learned late last week as engineers of the Texas Board of Control made final survey of sites offered at those places.

Snyder Lions Club considered filing an application for the site, but decided after investigation that it would not be feasible. The club is supporting Colorado's application.

Rivalry Between Cities.

Even with the friendly rivalry between several Texas cities as to population totals, surprisingly few people know the ranking of the 10 largest cities in the state. According to the 1930 census, Houston heads the list with 292,352, Dallas and San Antonio are in second and third places, and Fort Worth, El Paso, Beaumont, Austin, Galveston, Waco and Port Arthur follow in order.

Harry Holt Learns News of Ranchmen Well Known Locally

Harry Holt, who specializes in farm and ranch news for the Abilene Reporter-News, tells of activities of three ranchmen well known here, in this wise:

Eck Wallace, rancher near Clairmont in Kent County, has sold 10 bulls, 20 dry cows and 40 Black Angus cattle for October 1 delivery to Clyde Bingham of Aspermont. Wallace says he is going to sell enough cattle to pay for a seven-section ranch he recently bought.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cauble have moved from Aspermont to their Snyder place, but before settling down they will spend a six-week vacation in New Mexico.

Lee Byrd, ranching on the O-S Ranch at Post and winner of third place in the roping for men over 55 years of age at the Texas Cowboy Reunion, has sold two bunches of cattle. He sold 207 yearling steers for \$38 around and weighed out 75 cows by the pound and received the meager sum of \$48—and you wonder why there is so much activity in the cattle business!

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