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STREETS WILL BE DECORATED FOR BIG EVENT

Business Men Purchase 90 Flags, Put Up by Firemen to Welcome Rodeo Visitors.

Snyder business streets were blanketed yesterday with 90 flags, which welcome rodeo visitors to this heart-of-West-Texas county seat.

The big streamers, dangling from ropes that are stretched from one building to another, and from courthouse lawn to buildings around the square, were purchased several days ago by business men, under sponsorship of the Chamber of Commerce.

Firemen Put 'em Up.

Members of Snyder volunteer fire department have contracted to put the flags up and take them down for the rodeo.

Several business houses purchased two flags for a total of \$4. These \$4 purchasers are as follows: Piggy Wiggly, J. C. Penney Company, H. L. Wren Hardware, Snyder National Bank, Stinson Drug No. 1, Perry Brothers, The Fair Store, Leath's Cafe, Times Publishing Company, Ely-Arnold-Ely Gin, Snyder Transfer Company, Olds Service Station, Stinson Drug No. 2, Irwin Drug Store, Hugh Taylor & Company, Economy Dry Goods Company, Pick and Pay Grocery, Louder Motor Company, Farmers Exchange, Texas Electric Service Company, Bryant-Link Company, Higginbotham Bartlett Company, Snyder Hardware & Implement Company, Dr. H. G. Towle, Snyder Produce, Manhattan Hotel, Farmers Produce, Farmers Gin, J. R. Joyce & Sons, Cooperative Gin, Snyder Gin, Snyder Steam Laundry.

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Contributing \$1 are the following: Scurry County Motor Company, T. & P. Service Station, Bluebird Cafe, Iverson & Woodson, Miles Studio, Graham & Martin, Patterson Barber Shop, Dunnam Brothers, J. J. Dyer, Dr. W. R. Johnson, Dunn Confectionery, Strawn's Cafe, Biggs Service Station, Gray's Variety Store, The Tavern, Hande-Dande, Parks and Bell Market, Gem Cafe and Pool Hall, Gem Theatre, Shipps & Butts Barber Shop, Snyder Insurance Agency, Hollywood Shop, J. G. Lockhart, Pierce Barber Shop.

Crowder Closes As Child Found With Paralysis

When a case of infantile paralysis was reported in the Crowder community Monday, the school term in that school was immediately halted.

No date has been set for re-opening, according to J. W. Leftwich, principal.

This is the first case of infantile paralysis reported in Scurry County recently, according to doctors and school leaders.

Medical science has found no preventative for infantile paralysis, but the "iron lung" has been found to be most effective in curing the disease. Best safeguard against the disease is to remain away from victims, and to avoid crowded places.

Subscriptions of about \$2,000 were completed in Abilene this week for purchase of an "iron lung." Included in contributions was \$10 from Hermleigh, representing 100 per cent giving by students and teachers.

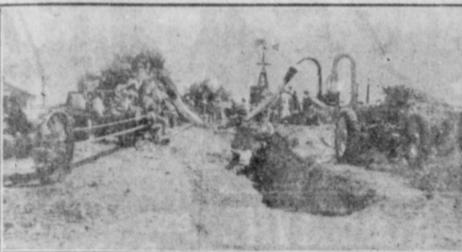


"Honor a physician before thou hast need of him."

ALMANAC

- 17—C. P. Rogers started the first transcontinental airplane flight, 1911.
- 18—Constitution of United States, capital laid, by Geo. Washington, 1783.
- 19—Failure of Jay Cooke & Co., caused panic on the N. Y. Exchange, 1873.
- 20—First meeting of American Association for the Advancement of Science in Philadelphia, 1848.
- 21—Great Britain, first world power, suspends gold standard, 1931.
- 22—Nathan Hale executed as Revolutionary spy, 1776.
- 23—Martha Cory, protesting innocence, hanged for a witch in Maine, 1692.

Scurry County Silo Receives Feed



More than 300 farmers, ranchers and business men of Scurry County were present when this trench silo was filled recently on the Ben Brooks farm, five miles east of Snyder. Three feed

grinders, demonstrated by local dealers, are shown in operation. Brooks dug this trench in 1935, filled it, and fed with success from it last year, when his feed crop was short.

PAIR ADDED TO FACULTY HERE

Addition of two new teachers to the school faculty brings the total number of teachers to 35, Superintendent C. Wedgeworth said yesterday.

Mrs. Ruth Saunders, a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is the latest addition to the junior high school social science department. Mrs. Saunders, formerly a teacher in Abilene city schools, came here from Sweetwater.

Frank Patterson, former superintendent at Westbrook, is doing part-time teaching in the mathematics department of the high school. Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson, long-time residents of Snyder, the new high school teacher is well known to local people. He holds a degree from A. & M. College, and his graduate work was done in the University of Colorado.

MAHON COMING IN TRIPLE ROLL

George Mahon, congressman for this 19th District, will play a triple role in Snyder Friday.

At noon he will be guest of Snyder Lions Club for a special program in connection with the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States.

Immediately after the program he will be one of the leaders in the parade that will begin in the Snyder business area at 1:30 o'clock. At 2:00 o'clock the congressman will speak on "Our Constitutional Program" at a general school assembly in the school auditorium. Superintendent C. Wedgeworth says the public is invited to this program.

Howell Moore New F. F. A. President At Fluvanna School

Fluvanna F. F. A. had its first regular meeting Monday night, September 6.

The following officers were elected: President, Howell Moore; vice president, Jack Turner; secretary, Joe Sam Truss; treasurer, Billy Sims; parliamentarian, Ambrose Trussell; reporter, Ross Belew.

A committee was appointed to help the president to select other committee members. Ross Belew, chairman, Junior Smith and Joe Sam Truss were appointed.

The following boys already have calves on feed: Joe Sam Truss, A. B. Sealy, John Walker, Norman Reed, Junior Smith, John Henry Rooddy, Billy Sims. Other boys expect to get calves on feed in the near future.

Initial Six-Weeks Of School Year At Snyder Ends Friday

Pyron consolidated school last Friday closed its first six-week session of the 1937-38 school year, students being given six weeks in which to help their parents with cotton picking.

Attendance and grades have been the best of any late-summer session in the history of the school, Superintendent M. H. Greenwood said while in Snyder early this week. Enrollment has been at a new high mark, too, the total having reached 278-77 high school, 201 in grammar school. Four buses have been used for transporting the students to school.

Teachers in the school will use their six weeks of extra time in various ways. Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood will help with the building that is being moved from Wastella, and other school interests. Mrs. M. E. Simmons and Robert Taylor will remain at home in the community. P. A. Ammons will remain in the Wastella teacherage.

J. R. Blackwell and W. P. Tatum are working at the Inadale gin. Miss Wilma Allan is employed at the Blue Bonnet Hotel, Sweetwater. Miss Mildred Dunlop will remain at her home, near Lubbock, and Miss Mattie Beth Payne will remain at her home in Colorado.

Jay Huckabee Goes To Amarillo Place

Jay R. Huckabee, who for the past 15 months has been operating a radio-electric shop at John Keller's furniture store, left Saturday for Amarillo, where he accepted a position with radio station KRNG.

Along with his work at the station, young Huckabee will continue his courses in radio and television, on which he began initial work about eight years ago. The technician is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Huckabee of Snyder.

New Office Complete.

Charley Reas is proud of the new "patriotic" office of the Browning Gin, on which he did much of the work. Painted to a loud red, white and blue color scheme, the rebuilt structure is almost twice as large as the old office.

NO CHANCE FOR NEW P. O. NEXT THREE YEARS

Appropriation Fails to Include Snyder Building

By Paul May, Washington Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 15.—The new post office project for Snyder has been eliminated from the federal building program for the next three years, it was learned at the treasury's procurement division today.

A complete program for the three-year period has been approved, and funds for it have been allotted, leaving no money available and none to come for the Snyder project, officials said.

Snyder had been recommended for a new post office in a report sent to the house appropriations committee earlier this year by the treasury department. The proposed estimate of cost for the project was \$75,000.

Up until this year, Congress has authorized at each session enough money to cover the federal building program for the following year. This year, however, a three-year \$70,000,000 program was authorized. Only \$23,000,000 for new buildings was actually appropriated, but the treasury and post office departments were told to frame their three-year program, get it under way, and come back to Congress for more money next year and the year after, to make up the full \$70,000,000.

Shelving of the Snyder project, under this order of things, does not mean the need for new buildings in that city is no longer recognized, but simply that \$70,000,000 worth of more urgent projects were found, officials said.

Records Broken As Hobbs School Opens This Week

Hobbs High School opened Monday morning with the largest enrollment in school history. Rev. J. T. Taylor of Rotan gave the main address at opening exercises on "Meeting Life's Opportunities."

A total of 50 mothers and fathers were present as guests of the faculty for the opening day. The new superintendent, N. J. Gullett, says "We are looking forward to a great year for Hobbs. We will have more class room than ever before."

Six buses will be used to carry the 350 students. Gullett, C. Littlepage, H. C. Denson, Matt Bavoisset and Jim Beavers returned last Wednesday from Lebanon, Indiana, with two new international school buses. Of the latest design, these two new buses have all-steel bodies.

On the trip to Lebanon the school men went by Oklahoma City, St. Louis and Chicago; and returned via Kentucky, Tennessee and Arkansas. Besides the Hobbs district, buses will bring students from Claytown, Lone Star, Camp Springs and Guinn.

The home economics building is being completed this week, and the school campus is being cleaned of lumber odds and ends. This gives Hobbs three school buildings, plus one of the largest gymnasiums in Fisher County.

Miss Madge Stanford of Abilene, deputy state superintendent, was in Snyder Wednesday making plans for the new rural aid program in Scurry County. Miss Stanford will return later to check the county schools.

Tigers Lambasted, 26 to 0, by Hard Charging Brigade of Spur Bulldogs

If a bad beginning means a good ending, Snyder Tigers will have no trouble in winning the District 6-B championship this season. This statement is made in the face of the fact that the Star-Telegram said last week, before the game here last Friday night, that Roscoe looks good to romp through the race with ease, and that Roby and Rotan will be the Playboys' highest hurdles.

Spur Bulldogs Friday night on Tiger Field, before a good-sized opening crowd, and on turf that was almost perfect, pummeled the Tigers, 26 to 0. And that's the story. The local crew, slightly heavier and considerably slower than their visitors, were outgashed and outthought and outsped.

Haralson, 160-pound Spur sparkplug, was so good that Coach Wadzeek pulled him along toward the end of the fray to make room for a second stringer.

Haralson plunged over from short range in the first period, in a third attempt to score from the four yard line. The speedy back had paved the way for the score by blasting his left end for 15 yards.

Cowhands Arriving For Two-Day Rodeo Events

Ballots Approve Consolidation of Wastella, Pyron

Consolidation of Wastella school with the Pyron consolidated school district was heartily approved Saturday by voters of both districts.

The merger was accepted at Pyron, 40 to 1, and at Wastella, 27 to 6.

The consolidation will bring 19 sections of land into the Pyron district, and increase its scholastic total by 72 children. District valuations will be increased by \$129,000.

Wastella students have been going to Pyron this school year on a transfer basis.

The Wastella school building is being moved to Pyron. It will be combined with the present Pyron primary building, and the entire grammar school will be moved into the new structure, according to Superintendent M. H. Greenwood.

GAME NO. 2

Snyder Tigers go to Sweetwater Friday night for a non-conference mix-up with the Class A Mustangs on Newman Field. The game begins at 8:00 o'clock. With the exception of Jay Rogers, guard, who was injured Friday night against Spur, the local crew is in good condition, and Coach "Red" Hill says the boys are looking their best of the season, after the defeat by Spur last week.

Triple Change Made By Local Employees

Changes that involve four business houses and three employees have been made within the past few days.

Jay Vaughn, who has been associated with Bryant-Link Company for some time, is now with Higginbotham-Bartlett Company. His place at Bryant-Link has been taken by Robert Lee (Boney) Hairston, who has been employed by local drug stores.

G. C. Spence, formerly with Snyder Transfer Company, is now employed by R. J. Randalls at the new Randalls Lumber Company.

Local Delegates to Constitution Meet

Several local attorneys and possibly other citizens will go to Colorado Friday evening, September 17, for Mitchell County's celebration of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States 150 years ago.

The celebration is to be held at Ruddick Park. A committee composed of W. H. Garrett, Truitt Barber and B. L. Templeton says: "The band will play and the people will sing. There will be reading and speeches. Bring a U. S. flag and display it."

Illness Takes Life Of Miller Daughter

Funeral services for Bernice Miller, one and one-half-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie R. Miller, were held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Christian Church. The child died last Thursday, following a 15-day illness, at the Miller home here.

Elder A. J. Cody officiated for the service, assisted by Rev. James E. Spivey, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Odum Funeral Home was in charge of burial in the Snyder Cemetery. Pallbearers were Hal A. Lattimore and A. C. Preullit. Margry Brown and Georgia Mauls were in charge of floral offerings.

Survivors include the parents, Snyder business people; one brother, Charles Odell; and two sisters, Adilee and Frances.

Boss Baze Returns To His First Love

Boss Baze, veteran cafe man, returned last Saturday to his first love—and Mrs. Baze is not jealous.

In the restaurant business here for several years until 1935, Baze returned to the food-serving field by taking over the former Carroll Cafe, three doors north of Snyder National Bank.

He is featuring two things—cleanliness and good food.

CONSTITUTION LANDMARK



Independence Hall, in Philadelphia, formerly the State House. Here the Constitution was signed on September 17, 1787. The Declaration of Independence had been adopted there

July 4, 1776, and later signed by the delegates to the Continental Congress. The 150th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution is being celebrated this week throughout the nation.

W. A. Louder Is Made Hermleigh Justice of Peace

The Commissioners Court this week named W. A. Louder, veteran Hermleigh business man, as justice of the peace of that precinct to succeed the late W. W. Early. Louder, who formerly served in the same capacity at Hermleigh, assumes the office at once.

The court is spending practically full time in session this week, checking of Assessor-Collector Bernard Longobotham's tax rolls being the chief business at hand.

In session early in the week, the court checked results of the recent school consolidation election in the southern portion of the county. The official ballot, they announced, was: Pyron, 41 for, 1 against; Wastella, 27 for, 6 against.

The court approved a bond issue for the Little Sulphur school district, which has been consolidated with the Buford district in Mitchell County. A new modern school building is being completed at Buford this month, and Little Sulphur students will be transferred there.

Legion Hut Site Purchased After Special Session

The Will Layne Post of the American Legion was well rewarded for its policy of watchful waiting in connection with purchase of a hut site, Commander Boss Baze and other officers believe.

Following authorization at a called session last Friday night, a large plot of ground five blocks west of the square was purchased, along with a 20x70 building.

The site and building were formerly used by Gibson Lumber Company, which discontinued its local yard two years ago. Located on Highway 15, the plot of ground is 150x300 feet. The building was used as office and store room by the lumber yard.

Legion plans call for racking the building, changing its interior to make a suitable club house, and improving the grounds with shrubs, trees and flowers.

A number of American Legion members pledged a portion of their "bonus" money last year for purchase of a hut site, and the pledges were not called for because no site was available at the time.

Commander Baze requests that those who made these pledges pay them as quickly as possible, in order that improvement of the building and grounds may be started soon.

Some of Leading Riders, Ropers to Seek \$700 Prizes

Cowhands and cowgirls are already arriving by the dozens to take part in the first annual rodeo to be staged by the recently organized Scurry County Rodeo Association.

J. M. Stewart, president, Joe York, ring director, and George Parks, secretary, are saying that several of the best rodeo hands in the Southwest will compete, and they are planning fast performances with plenty of kick.

The prize total of \$700 is attracting several rodeo followers who do not ordinarily make the smaller events.

Highlights of Rodeo.

For quick reading, here are highlights of the two-day rodeo:

There will be a parade each day, Friday and Saturday, beginning promptly at 1:00 p. m. in front of Snyder Steam Laundry. All parades are requested to be on hand by 12:30 p. m.

The parade will be led by Mayor H. G. Towle, Congressman George Mahon, First Settler J. Wright Moorar, and Rodeo President J. M. Stewart.

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Stores Closing

Practically all Snyder business houses, with the exception of cafes, service stations and drug stores, will close their doors between 1:30 and 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, first day of the rodeo.

This closing period will be in honor of the giant rodeo-minded crowd that is expected for the opening parade and performance. It will give employees and employers an opportunity to see the entire opening show at Wolf Park.

The uniformed band of Snyder schools will be featured in the parade, and will play for all rodeo performances.

All events will be broadcast by a loud speaker outfit, manned by Jack Hoey of San Antonio, internationally known rodeo announcer.

The entire rodeo grounds are in the best shape in their history, for several hundred dollars and days of time have been spent in bringing them up to par.

Topnotch Stock Used.

All stock to be used in the rodeo are topnotchers.

Curley Daugherty's steers, used in some of the state's best rodeos, are to do their share of the bucking.

Bill Lyons' cows and calves from Petrolita, used annually in the Texas Cowboy Reunion show at Stamford, are waiting their turn at furnishing thrills.

Red Lyons of Byars is furnishing a string of bucking horses that returned just a few days ago from top shows in Colorado state.

Ride 'em cowhand!

Brother Reunited With Sister After 45-Year Absence

William McKiddy was just a 13-year-old country boy in Ellis County 45 years ago. His sister, 10 years older, had not been married for long.

Their trails parted back there in 1892. William McKiddy has since seen many portions of the world. His sister, Mrs. J. P. Billingsley, moved with her husband to the Dunn community 42 years ago. Brother and sister lost contact.

William McKiddy wrote to Sheriff Clyde Thomas recently, inquiring of him about his sister who moved to Scurry County more than 40 years ago. Thomas turned the inquiry over to Jimmie Billingsley, district clerk, who, in turn, took it to his mother, the long-separated sister who continues to reside at Dunn.

In the course of events William McKiddy, 58 years old, came from his home at St. Louis, Missouri, where he is an employee of the Fisher Body Works, to visit his sister, 68 years of age.

The reunion of brother and sister Monday morning of this week was a happy occasion, as Jimmie Billingsley tells it. And the experiences of 45 long years of separation are being vividly anew as William McKiddy visits Mrs. J. P. Billingsley.

HERMLEIGH TO DUNN GRIDIRON

Class C football will go into its third Scurry County lap Friday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, at Dunn, when the Hermleigh Cardinals will invade Owl territory.

Hermleigh became an overwhelming favorite to finish the season without a defeat by either Fluvanna or Dunn, when she defeated Fluvanna last Friday afternoon, 19 to 0. Fluvanna had previously won from Dunn, 13 to 0.

"But those scores don't mean a thing," says Coach A. C. Bishop of Hermleigh. "We know Dunn has a dangerous team, and we are expecting a tough battle."



The WOMAN'S Page



Stag Party Formally Opens New Year for Altrurian Daughters Club

A cleverly planned "stag party" given last Thursday evening by Mrs. Max Brownfield, past president, formally opened the 1937-38 club year for Altrurian Daughters, one of the town's busiest young women's civic organizations.

Members and guests arrived dressed in men's clothing to represent every male character imaginable, for an evening of hilarious entertainment. Boxing match, bull fight, auction sale and strip tease act were unique forms of amusement for the evening.

Fall garden flowers decorated entertaining rooms of Mrs. Brownfield's home, and gay boutonnières were presented to the "gentlemen" present as party favors. "Pokey," an outrageous flirt, who was the only woman in the crowd, arrived late for the unexpected last number on the program. Mrs. E. E. Spears was presented in the role of "Pokey."

The hostess served a dainty plate of chicken salad, wafers, cream puffs and coffee to two guests, Mrs. H. P. Redwine and Allene Curry, and to the following club members: Mmes. Joe Caton, H. E. Darby, E. E. Spears, Don Hilton, P. W. Cloud, J. D. Scott, Forest Wade, Misses Dorothy Strayhorn, Marie Casey and Gwen Gray.

Members will be guests of Mrs. Robert E. Gray Jr. at the next club meeting, September 23. Course of study for Altrurian Daughters this year will combine "Practical English and Effective Speaking" with discussions of temporary personalities. Yearbooks were distributed to members at the meeting this week. Organized in 1930 by Altrurian Club, Snyder's oldest study group, Altrurian Daughters became a members of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs the same year.

Programs on health, Bible and federation and several social affairs during the year will furnish contrast for the regular course of study. Sweethearts' evening will take the form of a Valentine banquet, February 19; the annual May breakfast will come May 1; and the last tra-

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Women Invited to Child Welfare Tea.

Women of the town are this week being invited to Ingleside Study Club's child welfare silver tea, to be given in the parlors of the First Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. A fine arts program will be heard. Mrs. W. W. McCarty, Ingleside Club president, urges women of the town to support the movement to benefit the child welfare fund of Snyder, which has been low for several weeks. "We are trying to make this silver tea enjoyable to attendants as well as beneficial to needy children of our town," she said yesterday. "If you do not receive a personal invitation, count this as your invitation to attend." Mrs. McCarty urges local women.

Mrs. T. J. Patrick Honoree Tuesday.

Mrs. T. J. Patrick, who leaves soon to live in Crosbyton, was given a farewell compliment in the form of a handkerchief shower by members of the Victory Bible Class of the First Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. A. M. Curry Tuesday afternoon. Mmes. W. A. Rodgers and Pearl Martin were assistant hostesses.

Quilting and crocheting were diversions of the afternoon following a brief program. Mrs. I. W. Boren gave the devotional and Mrs. H. C. Gordon presented piano numbers. Lovely gifts were presented to the honoree, and the hostesses served food punch and cake to the following: Mmes. Bearden, Alvin Lemons, guests; Mmes. Patrick, Gordon, R. W. West, Mattie B. Trimble, Boren, W. R. Shultz, M. W. Clark and E. B. Baugh.

ditional social affair of the year will be a Mother's Day party, May 8. Altrurian Daughters' representative at the convention of Seventh District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, in Canyon—Dorothy Strayhorn, club secretary—brought home two cash prizes, first place in the delivery of reports and honors for child welfare work.

Mrs. Herman E. Doak is new president of the study club, and the other officers are: Kenneth Alexander, vice president; Mrs. Fia Joyce, recording secretary; Mrs. Don Hilton, corresponding secretary; Vesta Green, treasurer; Marie Casey, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. D. Scott, reporter. Mrs. P. W. Cloud is immediate past president.

Altrurians Open Thirtieth Club Year.

Altrurian Club opened its 30th year of work with a business meeting Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. C. Preullt, new president.

Mrs. Lee T. Stinson, retiring president, called the meeting to order and introduced the new president, presenting her a miniature gavel as a badge of authority. Other new officers were introduced by their predecessors.

Committee reports, new business and roll called reflected the enthusiasm of members and indicated that the year will be full of interest and activity for this pioneer club. Mrs. Preullt extended greetings, in which she outlined her plans and aspirations for the year's work.

Former club members and guests who spoke briefly were: Mrs. O. P. Thrane of Abilene, Mrs. Rob Strayhorn of Rotan, Mrs. Hugh Taylor, Mrs. R. H. Curmutte, Mrs. John R. Williams and Mrs. M. W. Clark.

Refreshments were served from a lace-covered tea table by the hostess, her daughter, Virginia, and her mother, Mrs. M. W. Clark, to the guests and the following members: Mmes. E. J. Anderson, W. R. Bell, Hugh Boren, H. P. Brown, D. M. Cogdell, J. C. Dorward, R. D. English, R. L. Gray, F. A. Grayman, W. W. Hamilton, W. P. King, J. W. Leftwich, Lee T. Stinson, J. C. Stinson, H. G. Towle and J. T. Whitmore.

Two Parties Honor Local Girl Recently.

Wynona Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Keller, was honored at a dinner-dance, attended by 60 couples, given by Marylyn Sandefer at the Breckenridge Country Club during a recent visit of the local girl in the J. D. Sandefer home. Miss Sandefer was a guest at Wynona's house party here early this summer.

Jane Rhodes entertained for Miss Keller also during her four-day stay in Breckenridge with an afternoon bridge party. Misses Keller, Rhodes and Sandefer were friends in Camp Waldemar for girls, near Kerrville, during several past summers, the local girl having recently closed her sixth summer at the camp.

An assistant in the dancing department the past summer at Waldemar, Wynona was "barker" or toastmaster in a carnival acting at the closing banquet for 270 girls. She leaves Friday for Dallas to enter the Hockaday School for Girls for her second year's work.

Mary Ellen Brown Is First in Colorado.

Mary Ellen Brown, the dancing daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, was awarded \$5 in cash as first prize in an amateur contest sponsored by the Denver Post at its annual Labor Day picnic held at Ellitch's Gardens near Denver, Colorado, in which 54 numbers were in competition.

With her acrobatic dance in one of her oldest costumes, which won fourth place, Mary Ellen gave a notable performance—acclaimed a credit to Texas.

The local girl and her parents were guests that week of Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Frank Grimley, who had been ill. All were present for the basket picnic among the 25,000 other attendants.

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TEACHERS ARE WELCOMED BY LOCAL CHURCH

First Presbyterian Church of Snyder extended the first social courtesy to teachers in local schools Monday evening, when the "school family" was invited for a family night dinner party at the church.

Cooperation of the home, school and church was the central theme of the entire evening. Main speakers for the occasion were Superintendent C. Wedgeworth and Rev. James E. Spivey, pastor of the host church. Members of the board of education and their wives, wives and husbands of married teachers and a few others also attended the affair, along with members of the church.

A delightful two-course meal was served buffet style from a table lighted with pink tapers in silver candelabra. Table decorations carried out an orchid and pink color note, with asters and bachelor's buttons.

A sing-song of favorite songs was directed by E. W. Yeatts, director of high school music, with Mrs. Don Hilton accompanying. Rev. Spivey welcomed the guests and presented Dr. J. G. Hicks, board president, who in turn introduced the board members—A. C. Preullt, R. J. Randals, John E. Sentell, W. W. Smith and Clyde M. Borep. N. W. Autry, seventh member of the board, was not present.

County Superintendent Frank Farmer, a special guest, spoke briefly, and Wedgeworth presented members of the local school faculty, who were honored guests for the evening. Rev. H. C. Gordon, Methodist pastor, talked on appreciation for the school family.

Mrs. Armor McFarland was in charge of the evening's program, which was as follows: Whistling solo by Margaret Henderson, "Roses of Picardy," accompanied by Margaret Williams; girls' quartet, "My Little Bunkaroo" and "Mighty Lak a Rose." Charlene Doris and Frances Wellborn and Bernice Birdwell, accompanied by Mrs. Hilton; song by little Charlotte Faver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Faver, accompanied by Mrs. McFarland; piano duet by Mrs. McFarland and her mother, Mrs. F. W. Wolcott.

Teachers present included the following: Superintendent Wedgeworth, Misses Gertrude Herm, Jewell Foster, Effie McLeod, Margaret Henderson, Margaret Williams, Dorothy Strayhorn, Queta Barrow, Alta Bowers, Wanda Newman, Annie P. Sewell, Vera Periman, Hattie Herm; Mmes. W. P. King, O'Dell Ryan, Herman Darby, Ruth Saunders and Hal A. Lattimore; Mr. and Mrs. King Sides; Hadley Reeve, E. W. Yeatts, James K. Polk, W. M. Smith, W. O. Hollis and R. L. Reschar.

Other guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. A. C. Preullt, J. G. Hicks, R. J. Randals, John E. Sentell, Clyde M. Boren, W. W. Smith; Rev. and Mrs. Gordon; Mmes. W. C. Hollis, R. L. Reschar and W. M. Smith; W. P. King, Hal A. Lattimore, Herman Darby, Frank Farmer, Sam Warner Wellborn of Austin; the Misses Wellborn, Miss Birdwell and Allene Curry.

Hollywood Affiliation For Lambert Studio.

Announcement has been made this week by Elaine Lambert that her dance and speech studio has been affiliated with a Hollywood studio, and that at least one of her pupils will appear in a Hollywood moving picture after selection by a movie scout.

The Lambert studio will be equipped with microphone and loud speaker system in order that pupils may be trained in microphone technique.

It is easy to start an argument but hard to stop a fuss.

Friends Compliment Miss Frances Boren.

Frances Boren, who left Tuesday night for Arlington to enter North Texas Agricultural College, was hostess to the Duce Bridge Club at her home early Tuesday evening, prior to her leaving on the midnight train.

Friends entered the house singing "School Days" and presented Miss Boren with a surprise shower of lovely farewell gifts.

A black and white scheme was used with a colonial woman motif in appointments for the bridge games, in which Mrs. Billie Lee Jr. received the high score prize and Alta Bowers the traveling prize. A salad plate was passed by the hostess and her mother, Mrs. Tom Boren, at the refreshment hour.

Guests were Mrs. Frankie Hall of Odessa, former club member, Mrs. Armor McFarland and Kenneth Alexander. The following members attended: Mmes. Lee, E. Boyer, R. C. Miller and Willard E. Lewis, Bonnie Miller, Alta Bowers, Gwen Gray, Ruby Lee, Johnnie Mathison, Mavis Webb, Margaret Deakins and Allene Curry.

Woman's Culture Has Luncheon.

Homecoming luncheon Tuesday at 1:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. F. Sears, club president, was a delightful affair for members of Woman's Culture. Mrs. R. W. Cunningham directed the program which followed the luncheon, the opening affair for the year.

Pink and green, club colors, made an attractive scheme for decorations and appointments, with lovely daisies centering the dining table, and postcards on the smaller foursome tables on which the two-course luncheon was served.

Mrs. J. P. Avary gave the invocation, and Mrs. Cunningham responded to a greeting by Mrs. Sears, who is beginning her second year as president of the study group. The Collect for Club Women was read for the day. Mrs. Avary's discussion, the first part on program, was "Something to Achieve in the Club Year," in which she pointed out various projects planned for the year. Mrs. Mabel Y. German reviewed a short story, "Too Dear" by Leo Tolstoy, and the meeting closed with the club singing to Mrs. W. B. Rodgers' accompaniment, "Blest Be the Tie."

Those present were: Mmes. A. C. Alexander, J. P. Avary, P. C. Chennault, R. W. Cunningham, Mabel Y. German, J. R. Huckabee, W. A. Morton, E. J. Richardson, W. B. Rodgers, D. P. Strayhorn, E. E. Weatherbee, W. G. Williams, J. A. Woodfin, H. L. Wren and Sears.

Miss Arnold Begins Work.

Miss Evanelle Arnold, a 1937 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, left Snyder Friday for Rochester to begin work on the junior high school faculty there. She will teach classes in penmanship, spelling and English in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The Snyder High School graduate was accompanied to Rochester by her mother, Mrs. A. W. Arnold, and Melba Ann Odum, who returned here Sunday.

CUNNINGHAM HOME SCENE OF TWO PARTIES

Mmes. R. W. Cunningham and Dan Gibson complimented friends here this week at Mrs. Cunningham's home with a 12-table bridge party, followed by 10 tables of forty-two the next afternoon.

Decorations were cut flowers arranged in the entertaining rooms. Candies and iced grape juice were served during the games at both parties. The pink and white color note in appointments was repeated in an ice cream course passed at refreshment hours.

Maurine Cunningham of Lubbock and Willie Lock assisted in entertaining at both parties. High score prize at the bridge party was presented to Mrs. J. G. Hicks. Allene Curry received the second high award and Hattie Herm retained the traveling prize.

Others present for the bridge party were: Mmes. E. J. Anderson, H. G. Towle, Wayne Boren, James Ralph Hicks, Forest Sears, A. J. Towle, A. C. Preullt, Joe Strayhorn, E. E. Wallace, Sidney Johnson, Weldon Johnson, H. P. Brown, Melvin Blackard, A. D. Erwin, J. D. Scott, Joe Stinson, W. W. Hamilton, E. M. Deakins, H. J. Brice, W. J. Ely, J. C. Smyth, Marcel Josephson, Herman Darby, Harold Brown, Hilton Lambert, Max Brownfield, J. P. Nelson, John R. Williams, P. W. Cloud, King Sides, Wraymond Sims, J. C. Dorward, C. J. Sims, Billy Boren, J. P. Strayhorn, Hugh Boren, Tom Boren; and Gertrude Herm, Neoma Strayhorn, Gwen Gray and Edith Grantham.

Out-of-town guests besides Miss Cunningham were: Mrs. Ivan Dodson of Odessa, Mrs. Ross Howard of Atlanta, Georgia, and Mrs. J. W. Dougherty of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Guest list for the forty-two party: Mmes. Wade Winston, Allen Warren, R. D. English, W. R. Bell, I. A. Griffin, R. J. Randals, J. W. Scott, D. B. Ans. C. E. Ferguson, F. A. Grayman, A. C. Alexander, J. T. Whitmore, H. J. Brice, J. E. LeMond, J. Nelson Dunn, Grady Shythes, Lee T. Stinson, P. C. Chennault, Clyde M. Boren, Bunker Hill, R. H. Odum, D. M. Cogdell, Earl H. Louder, Willard Jones, C. F. Sentell, J. W. Templeton, B. M. West, W. W. Smith, I. W. Boren, G. B. Clark, E. F. Sears, J. C. Smyth and E. O. Wedgeworth; and Effie McLeod and Jo Halley.

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August Marriage Announced Here.

Mrs. W. A. Oliver, 2512 Twenty-ninth Street, this week announced the marriage of her daughter, Marie, to Kenneth Eades, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Eades of the Turner community. The marriage ceremony was read by Rev. E. D. Dunlap, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater, at his home, Saturday afternoon, August 21, at 5:30 o'clock.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Eades have lived in and near Snyder for a number of years. Mrs. Eades is a 1936 graduate of Snyder High School, and the bridegroom also attended high school here.

Eades is employed at Stinson Camp Ground, and the couple will reside in West Snyder.

Birthday Party Is Given Thursday.

Complimenting her daughter, Myrtle Rae, on her seventh birthday, Mrs. L. M. Lewis entertained with a party at the Charles J. Lewis home last Thursday afternoon. Miss Lottie Maude Lewis assisted with the party.

Games were played on the lawn all afternoon, and at tea time refreshments of ice cream and birthday cake were passed to the jolly group of youngsters.

Those present were: The honoree, Joye and Jean Ann, Eleanor Erwin, Virginia Taylor, Ila Ruth Newton, Mary Ann Randals, Margaret Ann Reed and Barbara Earl Hicks.

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Child Welfare Work Of Club Continues.

Chief object of the year for Ingleside Study Club is the continuation of child welfare work, local unit of which was organized through efforts of Ingleside leaders last year.

September 22 is the date of Ingleside's child welfare silver tea, to which all women of the town are invited.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson was director for the Tuesday program, the club's initial study of "American Government."

Fall flowers decorated the Boren home for the Tuesday meeting, following which the hostess passed a dainty salad plate to Mrs. W. R. Lace, guest, and the following club members: Mmes. Harold Brown, W. F. Cox, J. T. Johnson, Hal A. Latimore, G. H. Leah, W. W. McCarty, H. B. McClery, J. M. Newton, H. P. Redwine, R. L. Rescher, King Sides, W. W. Smith and R. H. Odum.

Busy Bee Club Plans for Year.

Members of the Busy Bee Club met with Mrs. Bob Terry Friday afternoon to make plans for work during the year.

The club voted to send \$1 to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram as a contribution to the Big Bend National Park Fund.

After several hours of embroidering, crocheting, tatting, etc., the club adjourned, to meet with Mrs. Ida Mae McElyea September 23.

Enjoy Arizona Vacation.

Mrs. H. L. Wren and her foster-daughter, Geraldine Shuler, returned home late last week from a week's vacation spent at various points in Arizona.

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Mrs. Joe A. Middleton, 90 Years Old, Recalls Horrors, Joys of Childhood

Happy days in Scurry County have tended to make Mrs. Joe A. Middleton, 90-year-old pioneer resident, forget some of the horrors of the Civil War and the reconstruction period, she said Saturday, as she celebrated her birthday.

She loves her family and her friends and enjoys their visits much more than the average young person. She likes to tell of olden days, and with her keen sense of humor and charming manner she finds interested audiences among her children, grandchildren and her many friends.

The pioneer Scurry Countian celebrated her 90th birthday by cooking her own turkey for dinner, the girls furnishing a huge birthday cake with 90 candles, and other good things to eat.

Born in Coffee County, Tennessee, near Hillsboro, in 1847, Mother Middleton, then Mattie Beaver, moved with her parents to Alabama when she was nine years old, living there during the Civil War and until after her marriage at the age of 18 years.

Settling in Denton County, where they remained two years, one year in Farmersville and several years in Hunt County preceded their moving to Scurry County 46 years ago.

Five of their seven children, all of whom followed in their parents' footsteps by becoming useful citizens, are still living. One son, Duckett, was killed on a sheep ranch in New Mexico several years ago, and the recent death of another son, Jim H., prevented the planned open house 90th birthday celebration.

Living children are: Mrs. J. W. Leftwich, with whom Mother Middleton makes her home, and Jack Middleton of Snyder; Mrs. R. N. Miller, Gall; Hardin M. Middleton, Dallas; Mrs. D. K. Womack, Carlsbad, New Mexico. Mrs. Womack and daughter, Mrs. Robert Miller.

Junior Club Opens Year at LeMond's.

Opening meeting for Twentieth Century Daughters, junior club sponsored by Twentieth Century Club, was last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMond, with their daughter, Louise, as hostess.

"Normandy—the Choice of the Vikings" was the subject for a discussion by Louise Bowers, and a brief review of Richard Halliburton's travel book, "The Royal Road to Romance," was given by Mary Curmutte. A piano solo, "The Rosary," by Nevin, was presented by Dorothy Pinkerton.

Refreshments were passed by the hostess to the following: Mrs. W. J. Ely, sponsor, Milton Joyce, Dorothy Pinkerton, Irene Taylor, Melba Ann Odum, Jonise Cogdell, Ernestine Morton, Dorothy Winston, Ruth Line, Joanna Strayhorn, Wilma Terry, Elizabeth McCarty and Mary Curmutte.

Local Women Give Memorial Service.

Snyder women of the First Baptist Church were in charge of a memorial service held to commemorate the service rendered to Christianity by the late Miss Lucille Reagan, for 20 years a missionary to Nigeria, Africa, at the Central Baptist Church at Herculio last Thursday.

Local women attending the inspirational meeting were Mmes. J. E. LeMond, E. E. Bibbee, J. M. Newton, Jack Inman, Woodfin, W. B. Rodgers and I. A. Griffin. Mrs. LeMond, local W. M. U. president, was in charge of the memorial. Mmes. Inman and Newton sang with Mrs. Rodgers accompanying, and Mrs. Griffin led the closing prayer.

Mrs. Phil Maxwell of Dallas, state young people's leader, was the special speaker on the program. Two new officers elected were Mrs. J. M. Bird of Westbrook, new president, and Mrs. Roberts, also of Westbrook, corresponding secretary and treasurer.

First Presbyterian Church

The pastor will be in Pluvanna for his regular appointment next Sunday and consequently there will be no preaching services at the Presbyterian church. Sunday school will be held as usual, however, and the Christian Endeavor societies will meet at 7:00 in the evening.

On next Monday night, September 20, at 7:30 o'clock there will be a planning conference. Future plans and policies of the church will be determined at this meeting, and all leaders will want to be in the church auditorium at the meeting time.—James E. Spivey, pastor.

Mrs. D. K. Womack and daughter, Mrs. Robert Miller, and Mr. Miller, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, were guests of local relatives late last week. Miller is an electrician in Carlsbad Caverns.

Auxiliary Reports - Good Attendance.

Attendance at the last regular monthly meeting of American Legion Auxiliary was good, according to Mrs. Boss Baze, publicity director. Mrs. Ed Turner, president, presided for the business session.

Report of a "cheer box" presented to the son of Mrs. Leonard Bearden, whose husband was an ex-service man, was given at the meeting. The child, who has been in the hospital as a result of pneumonia and complications, received nice gifts in the box.

A quilt, to benefit the new hut fund, was finished and plans are under way for the sale. Small changes in milk bottles being placed in business houses of Snyder this week will furnish milk for undernourished local school children during the winter.

Husbands Are Guests At Forty-Two Party.

Husbands of class members in the Althean Class of the First Baptist Church were honored at a forty-two party given by the class at the home of Mrs. H. J. Brice Monday evening.

Lovely dahlias were used throughout the house, and small baskets of lantana and marigolds centered tables at the refreshment hour. A fruit salad with iced punch was passed to those present.

They were: Messrs. and Mmes. Earl Fish, W. R. McFarland, A. C. Alexander, Bernard Longbottom, A. C. Martin, W. R. Bell, John Spears, Anton White, Harvey Shuler, W. J. Ely, R. D. English, W. W. Gross, Jewel Moffett and J. E. Chapman; Mmes. C. T. Glen, W. G. Williams, Otto S. Williamson, Irla Morgan and Lora Miller.

Gariand Jacobs of Cisco is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rossion of the Plainview community.

Snyder General Hospital

Mrs. Sam Etheredge of Roby last week's surgical patient, was still in the hospital early this week.

This week the following have entered for surgery: Kathryn Miller of Colorado, operated Friday; John David Stewart of root, Thursday night; A. A. Keller, Monday; Edwin Parks, Friday; Mrs. Otis M. Moore of Sinton, Friday; Johnnie Lee Greene, Friday night; Mrs. Rena Alsop, Monday; Mrs. I. B. Wade, Monday.

W. L. Keller was brought to the local hospital Saturday night following an automobile accident, and was still there, his condition not improved, early this week.

Many Thronging to Frontier Fiesta as Free Gate Offered

Record crowds are thronging the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta grounds nightly, now that the 50-cent gate charge has been removed, throwing the turnstiles wide open to the public.

Free attractions, notably the Astor house, silver dollar dance hall, Gulf studio broadcasts and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibits, continue.

Although the gate charge has been abolished, Director-General Billy Rose is sparing no expense to keep Casa Manana, the pioneer palace and the Salici mariornettes constantly fresh and new. Just added to Casa Manana are: Cass, Mack and Topsy, comedy team, and Gomez and Winona, America's foremost ballroom dancers.

Paul Whiteman and his band, Everett Marshall, Harriet Hoctor and other stars remain.

Frances Boren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boren, left Wednesday night to enter North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington. Graduate of the local high school, Miss Boren will do first year work at the school.

Retirement Plan In Effect For Teachers And Several Others

Teachers' retirement plan, which passed recently in Texas, is now in effect, beginning September 1, C. Wedgeworth, superintendent of local schools, reminded The Times yesterday.

Decisions must be made plain to superintendents within 90 days by all teachers, office clerks, librarians, supervisors and administrators. Unless these notify authorities immediately that they do not wish to become members of the retirement body, teachers automatically receive membership which requires them to set aside five per cent of their yearly salary (up to \$3,000). That amount is matched by the state, and accumulation of three per cent in compound interest takes place from year to year.

At the age of 60 years members begin drawing monthly annuity payments, which continue for life. Prior service is lost unless decisions to join are made by December 1, Wedgeworth said.

NOTICE

I have discontinued my radio-electric shop to accept a position with station KXNG, Amarillo. I wish to thank all my customers, and should I return to resume my business, I ask for a continuation of your patronage.—Jay Huckabee, Itp

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett, all of Roscoe, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks and daughter, Laura.

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Eight O'clock New Hour at Plainview

Mrs. Bryan Etheredge announces that the Plainview singing class is now meeting at 8:00 o'clock instead of 8:30 o'clock. The class meets on first and third Sundays.

The Williams quartet from Hobbs, the Snyder quartet and other well known singers usually attend the Plainview singings, says Mrs. Etheredge, secretary.

Almon Martin Will Preach Here Twice

Almon Martin of Lubbock, formerly of Snyder, will preach at the First Christian Church next Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Martin was a student in Snyder High School several years ago, and also attended school at Randolph College, Cisco.

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GINS HUMMING AS EXCELLENT CROP WHITENS

Total Ginnings Pass 800 in Snyder As Weather Continues to Be Favorable.

Scurry County's 15 gins are humming into the night this week, as the 1937 crop begins to whiten in the majority of fields.

Favorable weather and absence of any serious insect incursions is heightening the prospect that the county will produce well over 40,000 bales, which would be one of the best crops on record.

One of the most serious problems facing farmers and landowners is lack of cotton pickers. Dozens of trucks and cars loaded with pickers pass through Snyder daily, but few of their occupants are stopping.

Appeals have gone out this week to the largest papers in the state with the request that an article be published concerning the need for pickers in Scurry County.

As the season gets well underway, cotton grade and staple becomes better, ginner's report.

Anticipating a bumper crop, the Scurry County ginner has repaired, remodeled and enlarged their gins to the best all-round condition in recent years.

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Mahon Declares Congress Helps Farmer in 1937

Congressman George Mahon returned from Washington several days ago and has opened his Colorado office. His secretary, Lloyd Croslin, will remain in the Washington office in order to maintain direct contact with the government departments.

In referring to the past session of Congress, Mahon stated that his chief concern had been farm legislation. He said that Congress was still friendly toward agriculture and the next Congress would no doubt enact a substitute law for the present AAA.

He pointed out that this year Congress appropriated \$500,000,000 for AAA payments to farmers who cooperate in this year's program. This will tend to counteract the injury done agriculture by the tariff which for many years has accorded special privileges to industry and raised the prices to the consumers.

In adopting a substitute for the present farm program, Mahon said that great care would have to be exercised in order to prevent discrimination against West Texas because the problem here is different from that of the old South.

Mahon said that the farm tenancy program which was adopted would be of little effect for some time, but he praised the expansion of the vocational education program in the schools, which was made possible this session.

In commenting on the probabilities of the United States becoming involved in war, he said, "I join others in deploring the treatment accorded American citizens in Shanghai and other parts of the Orient, but I have no fear that we are going to rush into war. The cost is too great for us to go to war to protect the Shanghai dollars for American investors. We learned something from the last war. I am confident that the president, the Congress, and, above all, the people are determined to keep out of war."

First Baptist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Worship services at 10:50 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Baptist Training Union at 7:00 p. m. Special music at both worship services. You are cordially invited.—Lawrence Hays, pastor.

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Official Records

Marriages.

Marriages of nine couples have been recorded in the office of Charles J. Lewis, Scurry County clerk, since last report, almost a month ago. Newlyweds and the dates of their marriages are as follows:

- Carl Burney and Mrs. Mary Norton, August 13. Theldon Palmer and Miss Elura Jones, August 14. Jefferson Davis and Miss Nota Mae Pharris, August 16. J. G. Slater and Miss Bell King, August 18. Owen Nail and Miss Remnye Woody, August 27. Horace Alton Taylor and Cleida Leola Henkell, August 28. Donnie Bok and Miss Frances Maples, August 30. Robin H. Norrell and Mrs. Inez Mollet, September 4. Rex Sterling Welch and Mrs. Mabel Farmer, September 6.

Births.

Records of the birth of 21 new Scurry County citizens, 10 girls and 11 boys, have been filed since last report in the clerk's office. Parents of the new babies are:

- Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cranfill, a boy, July 7. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bryan of Camp Springs, a girl, August 4. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reeves, a girl, Patty Ann, August 13. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kubena of Hermleigh, a boy, Jimmy Joy, August 13. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Walker of Hermleigh, a girl, Wanda Lee, August 14. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wyatt Weathers, a boy, August 14. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pointer of Inadale, a girl, August 17. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Williamson, a boy, Morris Wayne, August 19. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bremeyer of Hermleigh, a boy, Lawrence, August 23. Mr. and Mrs. Buford Browning of Fluvanna, a girl, Eleanor Jane, August 25. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Owings, a boy, Donald Lee, August 26. Mr. and Mrs. William P. Gilliam of Ira, a girl, Mollie Mae, August 26. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Rinehart, a boy, Marshall Bennett, August 26. Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Swan of Ira, a girl, Carla Raye, August 27. Mr. and Mrs. Lennard LeRoy Greenfield of Dermott, a girl, Wanda Joyce, August 28. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWilliams of Ira, a boy, Andrew Davis, August 28.

Car Licenses.

Since the latter part of August, licenses have been issued for nine new automobiles. Owners are the following:

- W. F. Mathis, Fluvanna, Ford tudor (60), August 28. Leonard E. Stock, Plymouth fordor, August 30. D. M. Cogdell, Chrysler royal touring sedan, August 30. Mrs. Blanche Tate, Ford tudor, September 1. Mrs. J. L. Bowen, Hermleigh, Ford tudor touring sedan, September 5. J. S. Golden, Ford tudor touring sedan, September 6. T. W. Pollard, 1938 Studebaker sedan, September 7. Berry B. Cribbs, Fluvanna, Ford coupe (60), September 7. M. C. Higgins, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Ford tudor, September 13.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thrane of Abilene were visiting friends and relatives in Snyder the latter part of last week.

Geraldine Shuler, foster-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wren, left Monday to enter Howard Payne College, Brownwood, after spending the summer here. Miss Shuler, a speech arts major, will do sophomore work at the Brownwood school this year.

Editor Election Holds Attention Of Local School

Activities in the local high school this week are centering around the observance of National Constitution Week and the campaign for election of editors for the school newspaper along with organization of a Press Club, which will be in charge of editing The Tiger's Tale, semi-monthly newspaper.

Sponsoring the Press Club activities and the heated campaign for editor and business manager are Miss Effie McLeod, teacher of journalism and English, and W. C. Hollis, history teacher.

Ruth Line is campaign manager for the senior-freshman group in the editor's race, and she is assisted by Clyde Boren Jr. Senior candidates are Jonisue Cogdell, editor-in-chief, and Jay Rogers for business manager. Managing the campaign for juniors and sophomores is Ray Neal. His candidates are Roy Allen Baze for editor, and Carl Hargrove for business manager. The money-making campaigns will close this week.

Two issues of The Tiger's Tale will be published each month, to make the local school eligible for Interscholastic League contests in journalism fields. A course in journalism is being offered in the high school for the first time in history of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Scaramella, former residents of Snyder, their son, Don, and Mrs. George Cook, all of Eunice, New Mexico, visited with relatives and friends here early this week. They were en route to New Mexico after a trip to Dallas and Fort Worth for the Pan American Exposition and Frontier Fiesta shows.

Dr. H. G. Towle and Maurice Brownfield were week-end visitors in the Big Bend country of Texas.

Mrs. T. F. Peterman and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jones Peterman, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Clyde Dodson of Aspermont were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Darby and children here late last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Hall of Odessa were week-end guests of their parents, the E. L. Darbys and Lando Halls. Mrs. Hall, the former Dorothy Darby, is remaining for the week here.

Mrs. Mattie B. Trimble had as her guests last week-end her sister, Mrs. E. P. Smith of Austin, and her nieces, Evelyn Heard of Pecos and Almaren Heard of Midland.

Program of Expansion Adopted for Buffalo Trail Council of Boy Scouts

A program of expansion of the Boy Scouts of America met with approval of the executive board of the Buffalo Trail Council meeting in Big Spring last Friday night at the Settles Hotel. The plan calls for the addition of a new field executive, who will be added to the staff.

The proposed extension of field service was presented by Chas. E. Paxton, president of the council. Due to the recent large increase in the number of troops and scouts and the number of cubs and cub packs, it was deemed necessary to add to the council professional staff. The executive board approved employment of another field executive to assist A. J. Stiles, scout executive, and Darold Wilson, field executive.

The council has grown rapidly in population, especially in the western part of the territory, where towns such as Monahans, Wink, Kermit and Odessa are showing tremendously large growths. It was decided that the national personnel department would be asked to recommend a man for employment on October 1.

According to the plans presented to the board by Paxton, the new field executive will live in Big Spring and will serve the Big Spring, Colorado and Snyder districts. Darold Wilson, who has been on the council staff for a year, will serve the Pecos and Midland districts. A. J. Stiles, scout executive, will be in charge of field work in the Sweetwater district, in addition to having charge of council administration in all districts.

The plan calls for Wilson to spend two weeks in each of his districts, the new field man to spend two weeks in the Big Spring district and one week each in the Colorado and Snyder districts, and Stiles to spend two weeks in field work in the Sweetwater district and two weeks in council administration.

R. M. Simmons, leader in many civic projects and manager of the Sweetwater cotton oil mill, was elected council treasurer of the council.

Clay Has Many Uses.

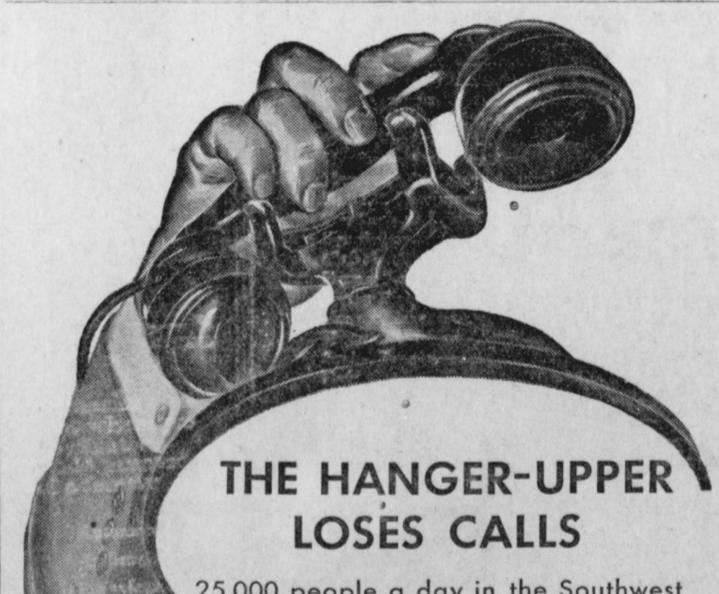
Texas clays are used in everything from pottery making to road building. Commercial refractory clays are sold for the manufacture of fibre brick, terra cotta, floor tiles and art pottery. Coarser clays yield the common red-pressed brick, drain tile and earthenware. Two other products are kaolin, utilized in the making of fine pottery, and earth for the deodorizing of oils. Many of the ordinary clays are used extensively for road building.

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Roy Allen Baze Is Junior Class Prexy

Roy Allen Baze, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Boss Baze, is newly elected president of the largest junior class in the history of the school, according to reports given by W. C. Hollis, junior sponsor, early this week. The class was not divided into sections this year, but has been organized as one group.

Other new leaders are: Carl Hargrove, vice president; Dwain Kile, secretary; Lyle Alexander, treasurer; Frances Head, reporter. Committee

for planning programs consists of Daurice Worley, Louise Bowers, J. R. Popejoy, Wilma Terry and Ervel Lee Keller.

Juniors are already making plans for raising funds for the annual junior-senior banquet next spring.

To B. T. U. Gathering.

Rev. Lawrence Hays, accompanied by Worden Mann, was in Abilene Tuesday for a regional meeting of Baptist Training Union leaders. The Abilene session was one of two that are being held in the state for formulation of plans for the new fiscal year, which begins October 1.

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- BLEACHED MUSLIN . . . 9c Yard Closely woven of good standard weight yarn. Smooth cambric finish; 36 inches wide. Completely bleached snow white.
- LADIES' FALL HATS . . . 89c All of these Hats are stylish, but none of them is extreme. They're made of good quality wool felt, attractively trimmed.
- FAST COLOR PRINTS . . . 16c Yard Full 80x80 count material in 36-inch width. New Fall patterns in plaids, florals and figured designs.
- FALL DRESS CAPS . . . 49c Wool and cotton mixed suitings in a new Fall assortment of medium tan and gray colors. Sizes for men and boys.
- MEN'S WORK SOCKS . . . 8c Pair Close knit, popular weight, extra length; close ribbed top. Blue, brown and gray mixtures. White toe and heel.
- LADIES' RAYON HOSE . . . 23c Pair Semi-chiffon weight; ringless; narrow panel heel; cradle sole reinforcements. Picot top. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.
- BOYS' PLAY SUITS . . . 49c Heavy weight for sturdy wear. Hickory stripe denim. Long sleeves. Main seams triple stitched, bar tacked. Sizes 1 to 8.
- BOYS' OXFORDS . . . \$1.39 Black elk uppers; imitation wing tip toe; calfskin lined. Stitched composition outside. Tacked at toe for extra wear.
- 81-INCH SHEETING . . . 33c Yard Extra fine for quilting. Smooth finish with no starch. Super standard quality. Ideal for making quilts.
- GIRLS' DRESSES . . . 49c Full 80x80 count material. Exceptionally fine quality print dresses in the newest styles for little girls 3 to 6 years old.
- UNBLEACHED SHEETING . . . 6c Popular weight; 36 inches wide. Clean cotton yarn. Sunset LL Brand. Limit 20 yards to customer.
- CHILDREN'S OXFORDS . . . 98c Blucher style; trouser creased toe; calfskin lined. Stitched composition outside, tacked at toe for long, tough usage.
- WOMEN'S SLIPS . . . 49c Full cut of rayon taffeta. Bodice top; lace trimming at top and bottom. Flesh or peach. Sizes 34 to 44; 48 inches long.
- FANCY PRINTS . . . 11c Yard The finest selection of seasonal patterns you'll find. A real opportunity for you to save money on Fall dresses.



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WESTBROOK IS SINGING CHIEF ANOTHER YEAR

Between 3,000 and 4,000 Singers In Snyder Sunday for Four-County Convention.

T. H. Westbrook of Sweetwater was renominated Saturday night as president of the Four County Singing Convention, in a brief business session in connection with opening session of the semi-annual convention.

L. M. Irion, president of the Scurry County Singing Convention, was elected vice president, Miss Ola Westbrook was re-elected secretary, and Rev. J. P. Fields of Snyder was chosen as chaplain.

Colorado was chosen as site for the next convention, to be held the second Sunday in March.

Record Crowd Sunday.

The crowd that jammed into the school auditorium for closing session Sunday afternoon is estimated at more than 2,500 persons, and conservative estimates place the total crowd, many of whom were unable to get into the building in the afternoon, at more than 3,500 persons.

Most of the singers and listeners came from the four counties comprising the convention—Scurry, Nolan, Mitchell and Fisher. But dozens of them came from nearby counties, and a number of singers were here from Dallas, Fort Worth, Abilene, Lubbock, Big Spring and other cities.

It was one of the biggest crowds and one of the best programs ever held at a Four County Convention, according to President Westbrook and others who attend conventions regularly.

Snyder Excellent Host.

Led by County President Irion, Snyder and Scurry County proved to be excellent hosts, according to the visitors. The school building and grounds were ideal for the purpose, for they offered comfort, plenty of shade, parking room and other facilities.

Feature of the convention was the huge dinner that was spread under mesquite trees at noon on the extreme west portion of the campus. Dozens of well-filled baskets, brought by Scurry County families, proved ample for the visitors who chose to take advantage of the free food.

Duncan Coffee Company provided a 107-gallon coffee pot for the occasion, and served free Admiration coffee from it. Earl Corder, representative in this territory, and Dean Cochran were in charge of this phase of the dinner. Corder estimated that he served more than 2,500 cups of coffee from the large pot.

Many Topnotch Singers.

Many topnotch Texas singers, led by V. O. Stamps of Dallas, appeared on the program. Stamps announced that a state-wide singing convention would be held at Arlington this week-end, and urged large attendance from this region.

He said in comment: "This type of singing convention is here to stay, despite the organized efforts to stamp us out." He said followers of singing classes and conventions not only learn how to sing, but enjoy the spiritual and social fellowship of the occasions.

Other prominent visitors included the Lubbock quartet, the Abilene quartet, the Scurry quartet of Fort Worth, the Hall sisters quartet of Sweetwater, Carl Young of Big Spring.

Irion and other singers ask the Times to extend public thanks to the school board and school officials for use of the building and grounds, to the Lions Club, which assisted in sponsoring the convention, to the Duncan Coffee Company, and to all others who in any way helped make the gathering successful.

The arrangements committee was composed of Dewey Niedecken, Dean Cochran, Dock Bynum, Emmitt Butts, King Stiles and Willard Jones.

On the Lions Club committee, which handled most of the convention advertising, were Earl Louder, Frank Farmer and J. C. Smyth.

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Hermleigh Leads Class C Scramble After Whipping Fluvanna, 19 to 0

Hermleigh's Cardinals, who did not lose a game in their class last year, Friday afternoon took an easy lead favorite county Class C title by walloping the Fluvanna Buffaloes on the Hermleigh grid. The score was 19 to 0.

The victory was doubly impressive in view of Fluvanna's defeat of the Dunn Owls the previous Friday, 13 to 0.

First downs were seven to four for Hermleigh, Fluvanna's yardage being gained principally on passes. Hermleigh lost one first down on a penalty.

The Cards made their first touchdown six minutes after the opening whistle, with a steady drive that ended with Longbotham plugging

Seal Bros. Will Bring Circus to Snyder Sept. 23

The blare of bands and the tooting of the calliope brings back memories when we were kids, and the circus came to town. Seal Bros. circus will give two performances, afternoon and night, Thursday, September 23, at Wolf Park, with a free street parade at noon. The parade is a professional of music, horses, wild animals, beautiful ladies, camels, elephants and clowns.

A few of the featured performers are the Henry duo, the dancing somersaulting wizards of the tight wire; the Romig Rooney troupe in international bareback riders; Miss Vates Lola, the original girl on the flying trapeze; Jimmie Goodwin, thriller de luxe; Col. Fred Anderson's \$10,000 troupe of Arabian liberty horses, and the Smith troupe, with their Kentucky-bred, dancing, gaited high school horses, featuring Golden Glow, the original Oriental dancing horse.

A pageant is presented as a prelude to the circus proper, whereby every member of the circus takes part.

To be wrong every time is a poor way to be consistent.

over for the pointage. Harless kicked the extra.

In the second quarter Hermleigh recovered a bad Fluvanna pass from center on the latter's 20-yard line. On the first play McMillan, the fastest high school boy in the county last year, went around right end to find pay dirt.

Longbotham, 128-pound quarterback, wiggled around right end on a 45-yard broken field run, in the fourth quarter, for the final tally.

Best playing Hermleigh linemen were Parks, who came in this year from Plainview (where he won the district rural pentathlon event last year), and Voss, captain.

Captain Jack Turner, end, and Quarterback Belew were Fluvanna's top players.

Good Brain—Good Bite.

"Most active and intelligent flea in the world" is the title belonging to the West Texas sand flea. Trainers in circuses and side shows in the northern states send messengers all the way down here to get this particular kind of flea, because they say it takes a shorter time to teach them tricks and they are longer lived. Those who have come in contact with the insect may wish to give it another title—the hardest biter.

Guests last week-end of Mrs. Kate Cotten included her daughter, Mrs. R. G. Ellis, Mr. Ellis, their son, George, her nephew, Torrence Hudgins, and wife, all of Dallas. Mrs. B. W. Hudgins, Mrs. Cotten's sister, also of Dallas, arrived last week-end to spend several weeks in Snyder. George Ellis will remain during the winter to attend local schools.

Ann Brazile, who has been nursing at Snyder General Hospital for a year, left early this week for Kansas City, where she will join her mother, who has been in a clinic there for several weeks. The nurse will continue with her mother in a few days for Keokuk, Iowa, where she will visit at home for several weeks.

Marshall Gibson, a 1937 graduate of the local high school, enrolled Tuesday in Texas Technological College, Lubbock, for the fall term.

Mitchell-Scurry Baptists Reelect Hays Moderator

Rev. Lawrence Hays of Snyder was reelected, in business sessions of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association at Hermleigh last Thursday evening and Friday, as moderator of the group. He has been serving his first year in that capacity.

Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe, pastor of the Central Baptist Church at Hermleigh, was elected vice moderator to succeed Rev. R. R. Cumble, who moved to Big Spring Association. Ernest Wiman of Roscoe was re-elected as secretary-treasurer.

Excellent financial condition was reported at the annual business sessions. All association expenses are paid, and about \$50 remains in the treasury. The association voted to continue its support of the district missionary, Rev. J. J. Strickland of Big Spring, and of the district Mexican missionary, Rev. E. P. Gonzalez.

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, was chief association speaker. Dr. Watson of the Hardin-Simmons University faculty, Abilene, also spoke.

The next annual business meeting will be held at Union Baptist Church, September 8 and 9, 1938.

Rev. Hays says 30 churches of the association sent letters and messengers to the Hermleigh sessions.

Woodfin Has Station.

The Texas & Pacific service station a block south of the square on Avenue S has been taken over by J. A. Woodfin, who is actively in charge. Walter Morton has had the station leased for some time. Woodfin will continue to handle T-P products.

COUNTY ROADS ARE SURVEYED

A county-wide survey of all lateral and farm-to-market roads in Scurry County was concluded Friday. Sponsored by the state highway department, this survey of county roads will show the amount of normal traffic carried by each and every county road.

O. T. Lodal, supervisor of District 5D, was in charge of the traffic survey. Leslie F. Stuges, who is also with the state highway department, completed the final survey at Camp Springs Friday.

From Scurry County the traffic survey crew goes to Amarillo. A total of 26 survey "stations" were maintained in the county to make a complete survey of traffic. This survey, says Stuges, will aid the highway department in making future maintenance appropriations.

The 10-day Church of Christ meeting, which has been conducted at Mt. Zion by J. D. Rothwell of Littlefield, closed Wednesday 11:00. Odes White of Ganaway has been choir director for the meeting. Good nightly crowds have been a feature of the meeting.

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Sat., Sept. 18—"BOOTS OF DESTINY," starring Ken Maynard. Chapter 14 of "Dick Tracy" and comedy. Adm. 10c-15c.

Sat. Night Prevue and Sun., Sept. 18-19—"THINK FAST, MR. MOTTO," starring Peter Lorre with Virginia Field and others. Comedy and musical.

Mon., Sept. 20—"VIVA VILLA," starring Wallace Beery. One of the biggest pictures ever made. Bargain Night. Admission only 10 cents a seat. Comedy.

Tues. & Wed., Sept. 21-22—"THIN ICE," starring Sonja Henie and Tyrone Power with big cast. Latest edition of "March of Time."

Thurs. & Fri., Sept. 16-17—"THE BORDER CABALLERO," starring Tim McCoy in another western thriller. Special comedy, "Pxlated," starring Harry Gibbon. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Sat., Sept. 18—"STORMY TRAILS," starring Rex Bell. Chapter 5 of "The Painted Stallion" and comedy. Adm. 5c and 10c.

Sun. & Mon., Sept. 19-20—"JOE LOUIS AND TOMMY FARR FIGHT PICTURES." Complete show in connection. "What Becomes of Our Children," and comedy. Admission 5 and 25 cents.

Tues. & Wed., Sept. 21-22—"SANTA FE RIDE," starring Bob Custer in an outdoor thriller. Chapter 12 of "Jungle Jim," last chapter. Comedy. Family Nights. All the immediate family admitted for one ten-cent ticket.

This program, when accompanied by a paid admission, will be good for a Free Pass to see "Think Fast, Mr. Motto," at the Palace, Sunday afternoon.

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SAUER KRAUT	Natex Brand, Three No. 2 Cans for	25c
ENGLISH PEAS	Glen Valley Brand, No. 2 Cans—Each	10c
FIELD CORN	Northern Pack, Sweet, Two Cans for	15c
TOMATOES	Hand Packed, Two No. 2 Cans	15c
FLOUR	Gold Crown, Extra High Patent	48-Lb. Sack...\$1.59 24-Lb. Sack...85c
Sugar	Pure Cane, in Cloth Bags,	25-Lb. Sack...\$1.35 10-Lb. Sack...55c
MEAL	Everlite, Pure Cream,	20-Lb. Sack...55c 10-Lb. Sack...31c
COFFEE	Bright & Early, 1-Pound Package	20c
POST TOASTIES	The Wake-Up Food, Per Package	10c

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SLICED BACON	Armour's Banquet Brand—Per Pound	39c
CREAM CHEESE	Armour's Clovenbloom, Per Pound	21c
SLICED BOLOGNA	Per Pound	11c

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Armour's Star—Pure Meat	3 Cans	POTTED MEAT....	10c
Armour's Vienna Style	3 Cans	SAUSAGE	25c
Armour's Star—With Pork	Two No. 2 1/2 Cans	HOMINY.....	25c
Armour's Star Large Square Can	CORNED BEEF.....	19c	
Armour's Giant Bar	6 for	BIG BEN SOAP.....	25c
Armour's Vegetable	8-Lb. Carton	COMPOUND.....	89c
Armour's Star	No. 1 1/2 Can	TAMALES	15c

Early FALL PRODUCE

TOMATOES	California, Large Firm—Pound	6c
GRAPES	Seedless or Tokays—Pound	5c
LETTUCE	Firm Heads, Each	5c
APPLES	Large Red Delicious—Dozen	29c

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Revel meetings are closed in this community, and almost everyone has started picking cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Layne Roddy and little son, Harold Lee, spent Sunday with relatives at Fluvanna.

J. F. Jordan made a business trip to Midland the latter part of last week.

Mrs. I. B. Wade is very ill in Snyder General Hospital, where she is to undergo an operation as soon as she is able. Her daughters, Daris and Mrs. McDermott, are at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blackard of Snyder spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Blackard.

Elmer Childers of South Texas is visiting relatives here for a few days.

J. F. Jordan spent Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Jordan of Dunn.

Several from here attended the big singing at Snyder Sunday. All reported a good time and lots of good singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Rea Falls of Hobbs spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and son, Herbert, of Forsan spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Frank Kruse.

Ed S. Trevy of Beaumont is visiting relatives in this community this week.

Mrs. Marie Kruse was called to the bedside of her mother Friday. We are glad to report her mother some better.

Ira is on a boom, as two cafes and a meat market were opened here Saturday.

Folks, remember that Rev. Dodd of Big Spring will fill the pulpit at the Church of God Friday night, Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Webb spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Emmett Ragdale of Forsan.

Miss Alma Lee Cooper of Canyon spent the week-end with Clair E. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb attended the meeting at Big Sulphur last week, and were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Graham.

Mrs. Alva Wilson of Crowder spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. T. J. Giddens.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryant and son of Hobbs spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carille and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant.

E. E. Carille is working this week for Cliff Birdwell.

Sam Webb of Harlingen is here for a few weeks' visit with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and Mrs. Lloyd Webb spent the week-end with relatives of China Grove.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. Dieze Bryant's illness.

Misses Irma Dean and Mayme Giddens accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Layne Roddy and son to Fluvanna Sunday.

Mrs. I. H. Sutter has as her guest this week her niece and family of Tuceno.

Miss Mattie Shook spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shook of Bison.

Mrs. W. L. Clark and daughters, Marine and Wynna, and Misses Evelyn Millhollan and Eula Belle Jordan spent Sunday with Mrs. Clark's mother and sister, Mrs. T. J. Ellis and Mrs. Wright Huddleston and family of Knapp.

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The weather has begun to be cooler now, and cotton pickers are glad to see it. Several bales have been ginned lately.

Cyrus Landrum left last Friday for Austin, where he will study law in the University of Texas.

Ben Collier left for Lubbock this week, to attend Texas Tech.

John Stavelly took his daughter, Rosa Nell, to Waxahachie first of the week, where she will be a freshman in Trinity University.

A. V. Ball left for Lubbock this week, where he will attend college.

Frances E. Jones leaves the last of this week for Denton, where she will study journalism in Texas State College for Women. She and her mother, Mrs. C. P. Landrum, who will accompany her there, plan to stop at Fort Worth and Dallas to attend the Frontier Fiesta and the Pan American Exposition.

Daisy Nell Cavin entertained a large group of the younger set here with a surprise going away party in honor of Rosa Nell Stavelly and Frances E. Jones at her home last Saturday night.

Mrs. W. F. Mathis, Mrs. J. I. Boren and Mrs. C. F. Landrum represented the Fluvanna Methodist missionary society at the county Zion meeting last Thursday at Hermleigh.

Mrs. Jack Martin represented the local Baptist church at the workers meeting in Hermleigh Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sims and Mrs. J. I. Boren visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Boren and children in Lamesa Sunday.

Oliver Willis returned last Friday from Belton, where he has been at the bedside of Hood Garner, his brother-in-law, who was injured in an automobile accident recently. Mrs. Willis remained in Belton with her brother.

B. W. Landrum is in Fort Worth visiting his four daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones and children and Mrs. Mary Stavelly spent Sunday in Post, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Jennie Turner of Fort Worth returned to her home last week after a few days' visit with the Bascum Landrum family.

Mrs. Gilbert Mize and Danny Jean visited in Abilene last week.

The woman's missionary society met last Monday in the home of Mrs. Virg Willis and made an interesting study of the book, "What is This Moslem World?"

Merton Noel Jr. is driving a new pick-up.

The Fluvanna Buffaloes suffered defeat on Hermleigh Cardinal territory last Friday, although our boys put up a good fight. That night a bus load of football boys and pep squad girls stayed in Snyder to see the Snyder-Spur game.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Davis of Fort Worth, former residents here, were back visiting friends here last week. They stayed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jones.

Rev. Murray Purquay held services Sunday morning and evening in the Fluvanna Baptist Church. He has just returned from Fort Worth, where he was attending the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowlin and daughter, Gloria Nell, of Hermleigh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan and children.

Mrs. L. G. Ryan, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evans Vineyard, and children of Kress, returned home Saturday.

W. L. and Truman Wemken of German spent Sunday in the A. J. Mahoney home.

J. L. Vineyard and daughter, Bertha, attended singing at Snyder last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and son, Billy, of Dunn spent Sunday in the Jess Vaughn home.

Mrs. J. B. Phillips and children spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Graham, Mr. Graham and their daughter, Annie Lou.

Pleasant Hill News

Ruth Merritt, Correspondent

Sam Werner Wellborn of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Werner last week.

Miss Mavis Webb spent the week-end in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeWald.

Mrs. Will Merritt spent Sunday night and Monday in Abilene with her uncle, Dr. B. F. Rhodes, and her daughter, Terri Sue.

Mrs. Charley Stewart and children are visiting her parents in Oklahoma this week.

Tommie Winter left Sunday for Lubbock, where he will go to school. Mr. Chamie and daughter, Lois, are visiting in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. Dolph Sturgeon and children of Lubbock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Winter.

Mrs. Weeks of O'Donnell visited her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Logan, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Estel Whitefield of Westbrook visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Wren of Snyder and Mrs. Ed Wren of Crosbyton visited Mrs. W. H. Merritt Saturday morning.

Our community was well represented at the singing Sunday.

Professor—"Now, if I were to be flogged, what would that be?"
Class (in unison)—"That would be corporal punishment."
Professor—"But if I were to be beheaded?"
Class (still in unison)—"Oh, that would be capital!"

"Are you a trained nurse?"
"Yes."
"Well, will you do tricks at my brother's circus?"

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Miss Ida Mae Huddleston spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Berryhill of Snyder.

Orland Cary was called to Brownfield Saturday, to work for his brother, who is ill.

Mrs. Andy Trevy has been visiting her son, Clyde Key, and family of Wink, and other interesting points.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Bratton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Berryhill.

Mrs. C. C. Tale and children spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Barr of Vincent.

Miss Mattie Shook, who is staying at Ira and attending school, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Miss Wanda Jean Sims of Snyder spent the week-end with Frances Wellborn.

Uncle Jim Carruthers visited last week with Alf Huddleston of Hermleigh.

J. T. Locke of Odessa visited relatives here Saturday. His wife, the former Zeila Lee Addison, returned with him after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Addison.

Mrs. N. C. Addison continues to improve at Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Caddell of Rails are visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. Unie Grant has been visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bishop and children of Rails visited in this community Sunday.

Anxious mother—"What does the average college man do with his week-end?"
Dean of men—"Well, madam, sometimes I think he merely hangs his hat on it."

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Dunn News

Loie Shoffner, Correspondent
Many of the farmers have started picking cotton.
Guy B. Farmall and Harold Duke of Dorn visited Algie Martin and family last Thursday.

China Grove News

Anna Bell Krop, Correspondent
China Grove school turned out Friday for cotton picking.
Charles Laster of Arkansas returned to his home after several weeks' visit with his mother, Mrs. O. N. Laster Sr.

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Actions and Words

Bell News

Mrs. Will Caffey, Correspondent
Mrs. Lora Bryan has returned home after spending several weeks with Mrs. J. G. Drinkard, who has a broken foot.
Mr. and Mrs. Jess King and son, L. D., of Ballinger came up Friday for a week-end visit with relatives here.

Dermott News

Mrs. J. E. Sanders, Correspondent
Farmers are getting busy now. Cotton picking is opening up.
Bro. Cecil Rhodes closed the Baptist meeting here Saturday night. Every sermon was enjoyed.

Egypt News

Mrs. R. A. Hardee, Correspondent
We are thankful for the pretty weather we are having, and cotton picking will soon be in full swing.
Up to date (Monday night) Ira has ginned 28 bales.

Round Top News

Mrs. H. L. Harrison, Correspondent
Visitors in the P. W. Cobb home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. Cobb and son, Doyle, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Collins Lary of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Allen and son, Joe, of Colorado.

County Line News

Mrs. Lawrence Brown, Correspondent
Last Wednesday afternoon the women of this community gathered in the home of Mrs. Lester Williams to present Mrs. Jack Dunn with a bridal shower, welcoming her into our midst.

Lloyd Mountain

Edrice L. Reynolds, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Phillips and children, Loran Trent and family of Carey visited in the Oren Sturdivant home a few days last week.

Gannaway News

Cozette White, Correspondent
Glady and Travis Greenfield, Clinton and Odell of Dunn took supper with Ottilie and Cozette White Sunday night.

To the Public:

In order to meet the ever-increasing cost of rent, fuel, labor, etc., and to keep our machinery in good repair and ready to serve you at all times, we, the undersigned Self-Service Laundries of Snyder have readjusted our rates.

Table with columns: Hours, Min., Cost. Lists laundry rates for various durations from 40 minutes to 25 hours.

WASH-IT-YOURSELF LAUNDRY
MODERN WASH HOUSE
HELP-YOURSELF LAUNDRY

Hubert Webb and family visited at Chalk over the week-end with Mrs. Webb's sister, Mrs. Emmett Ragdale, and family.

\$15,000 In Cars and Cash GIVEN AWAY!
It's Watkins Liniment Jubilee, and we are giving away Menthol-Camphor Ointment with every bottle of Liniment you buy.

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Will be paid by the manufacturer for any corn Great Christopher Corn Cure cannot remove. Also removes warts and calluses. 35c at Irwin Drug Store.

THE WANT-ADS GET Results

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES
Two cents per word for first insertion; one cent per word for each insertion thereafter; minimum for each insertion, 25 cents.

Miscellaneous

SALE OR TRADE - Seven - room house, large lot, good repair, on paved street, four blocks from courthouse, Eastland, Texas; clear of debt. Will take late model light car or small Fernald, or trade in on land. -W. H. Kinney, Hermleigh, Texas. 13-1tp

For Rent

FOR RENT - Furnished bedroom for one or two boys. See Lovell Baze, across street from Baptist church. 1tp

Lost and Found

LOST - Lady's black felt hat with bright blue ribbon trimming, between Snyder and Fluvanna last Thursday night. Please return to Times office or notify Mrs. Boss Stavelly, Fluvanna. 1tp

Wanted

WANT TO RENT - Furnished house or large furnished apartment. -Telephone 79J. 1tc

Business Services

SHOWCARD color is almost vital in modern merchandising. Buy it at the Times office; guaranteed colors; plenty of paste. 1tp

MIKE'S SPECIAL BREAKFAST

You get tomato juice; one egg, any style; bacon or sausage; toast and jelly; coffee. Half block east square 12-4tc

DON'T SCRATCH! Paracide Ointment

ment is guaranteed to relieve any form of eczema, itch, ringworm or itching skin irritation within 48 hours or money refunded. Large jar 50c at Irwin's Drug Store. 45-1tc

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Get the original Egg-tractor #2 bottle for \$1. Don't be misled with Egg-Tractor, or Egg-producer, get the original advertised guaranteed product. We control its manufacture. Agents wanted. Send orders to the Moore Laboratories, Moore Bldg. Fort Worth, Texas. 8-1tc

FOR SALE - Flock of good brown leghorn pullets, just beginning to lay. -Fred Jones at Times office. 1tp

For Sale

FOR SALE or trade - One of the best stock trailers made. Will haul 7 head of stock or four bales of cotton. Will trade for livestock or cash. -D. R. Reed, corner 19th Street and highway. 14-1tc

WHEAT, oats or barley treated for smut prevention with "Ceresan" at the elevator Saturday, Monday and Tuesday each week. -Scurry County Grain Company. 14-1tc

FOR SALE ads have sold anything from ten-penny nails to threshing machines. 1tp

EASY PAYMENT plan on New Perfection oil stoves. -John Keller Furniture. 5-1tc

FOR SALE - Pure black hull wheat for seed or feed. -D. P. Yoder, Snyder. 11-1tc

FOR SALE - Two shorthorn Durham bull calves, at trading grounds Saturday; bargain. -C. T. Simmona 11-1tc

FOR SALE

320 ACRES, well located, well improved; about 250 acres in cultivation, first class black land.

160 ACRES located on highway, fair improvements, good sandy mixed land, good little pasture, plenty water; bargain at \$27.50 per acre. Terms.

160 ACRES, 4 1/2 miles from Snyder, on highway, fair improvements, good sandy mixed land; only \$30 per acre. Terms.

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SEE US for Old Line Legal Reserve Life Insurance, the only real life insurance to buy.

Scott & Scott Real Estate

To Trade

LATE MODEL typewriter to trade for a cow. -D. R. Reed, corner 19th Street and highway. 14-1tc

HAVE FOUR bucks to exchange, want to buy two more, want to buy some good barley seed, would like to trade for 10-foot deep furrow drill. -G. G. Yeatts, Dermott; Marcel Josephson, Pick & Pay. 14-3tp

Help Wanted

WANTED - Energetic young girl to do general housework. Must be clean. Phone 9003F2. 13-1tc

HOUSEKEEPER wanted; general rural housework. -J. H. Jean, Inadale. 1tp

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The Constitution.

If the Constitution of the United States is a dry, antiquated instrument to you, you will not care to read this editorial. But if you see in the Constitution a living symbol of a great, free people, perhaps you will think with The Times for a few minutes concerning the significance of September 17, 1787, when the Constitution was signed at Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

Admittedly, the average citizen of the United States has little direct knowledge of the Constitution. Many of us have never read it. Most of us have never studied it. We know only what we have read in the papers about it, and we probably have absorbed precious little of that information.

But in the heart of every true American there is an inborn or instinctive feeling that the Constitution hovers over him at all times with protecting wings. Too, there is abiding knowledge of and belief in the principles set out by the Constitution.

"We, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union..." There, in the preamble, is your thought and mine. "A more perfect Union." Was not that the goal of the Civil War, and the goal of subsequent outside wars that have been waged by this country?

"... establish justice." Every American, truly called, seeks justice, not alone as an individual virtue but as a national virtue. In no other country is justice such a precious and respected term, manhandled through it as it is at times in our private and national dealings.

"... insure domestic tranquility." No other young country, surely, has enjoyed a smaller portion of domestic strife than America. Compared with the countries of Europe, Asia and South America, we have social, economic and racial peace that almost passes human understanding.

"... provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

So reads the preamble to the Constitution. It is laden with true Americanism... Americanism that often remains unspoken, but the sort of wholesome Americanism that makes the United States.

Recent controversy over the Constitution has assuredly been a forward influence for our country. It has led people to investigate the Constitution; to study its meaning, its suggestions, its foundations. As ever in the history of our country, neither the forthright radicals nor the hardshell conservatives will determine how the Constitution shall be interpreted. Rather, the great American middle-ground that demands progress without sacrifice of the progress of the past, modern interpretations without forgetting the interpretations of our forefathers.

This Constitution Week, therefore, is a healthy, wholesome thing for our country. It brings into the light of day some of the momentous events that have hitherto appeared only in history books. It helps boil out some of the modernistic blood in our veins... blood that sometimes makes us feel and say, in less thoughtful moments, "Why such respect for a 150-year-old document, anyway?"

Democrats, Republicans, middle-of-the-roads, all... let us pause for this week, and particularly this Friday, for the lighting of the 150th candle on the birthday cake of our American Constitution—THE Constitution.

Over the Top in 1937.

The Will Layne Post of the American Legion is going over the top, years after signing of the Armistice. This time it is onto a battlefield that will have no bullets, but plenty of hard work and sacrifice. Plans for the long-talked-of legion hut are at last definitely underway, with purchase of a plot of ground and a building. Friends of the legion rejoice with the buddies.

Singing Convention.

Snyder and Scurry County were cordial hosts to the Four County Singing Convention Saturday night and Sunday. Between 3,000 and 3,500 persons enjoyed songs from the throats of some of the most capable singers in West Texas, some from outside West Texas. Singing conventions such as this one have their place in the Southwestern scheme of things. Probably their greatest advantage is their social bringing-together of folks from a wide area—folks, in many cases, who have no other such means of fellowship. Come again, singers, and we'll try to make you feel at home again!

Not Even Tomatoes.

Down at staid old Abilene, it seems they have a very "blue Sunday law." One of the Taylor County editors tells us that he pleaded faithfully one Sunday for the sale of just one can of tomatoes. Nothing doing. Some time later, some plain clothes men had better luck with the neighborhood groceryman, and promptly arrested him for selling food on Sunday. Agreeing with the Lawn Echo editor we confess that we cannot see a great deal of difference in selling food or gasoline or a newspaper or a meal or a railroad ticket on Sunday.—Terry County Herald (Brownfield).

Built in the Heart.

Talkative Tillie says there's no danger of the Snyder building boomlet dying down, even if times get as hard as nails again. But, Tillie dear, those air castles of Snyder's old maids never get into the building permit column.

Current Comment.

By LEON GUINN.

(Publishers' Note: "Current Comment" is not necessarily editorial opinion of The Times.)

With the best singers from the four corners of West Texas gathered at Snyder Saturday and Sunday, Scurry County sponsors of the song fest can look back on one of the greatest Four County Singing Conventions ever held at Snyder... Not in recent months has any building been taxed to such squeezey week standing room proportions, as was the high school auditorium Sunday.

According to our singing visitors from Fort Worth, Dallas, Abilene and Lubbock, and other points, Snyder is rated about the highest in West Texas when it comes to downright hospitality... V. O. Stamps and Marion Snyder said joyfully the singers "did some of the best class singing we've heard this year anywhere in Texas."... And that compliment is the type of compensation that makes singers drive hundreds of miles to attend real singing conventions.

Each person who gave of their time and thought to make this convention a success ought to be given a medal, but all heroes do not own medals of brass and bronze... The medal real heroes wear are struck in the mold of Good Deeds... Singing conventions, such as was held at Snyder, are only foretastes of that heavenly convention when all of God's singers get home!

Over at Rotan, our friend J. M. Jackson, who is secretary of the Rotan Business Men's Club, objects to a recent Comment about the new oil field in this manner: "We are wondering if the writer of the attached which must have appeared in a recent issue of your paper had familiarized himself on the condition which is spoken of in Rotan or just taken for granted that such was the case from past experience in the old days during the oil rush."

"We merely want to tell you that the condition as outlined (Current Comment, August 26 issue) in this article is unfounded—untrue, and misleading to the people outside of our city as well as in town."... Well, J. M. takes hold of a subject that is right down our alley, and the go-getting business man may be interested to know:

Any Comment that is printed is usually "in the paper."... It is a habit of certain Rotan people to be always "wondering"—most folks like to know anything for certain... And this writer "familiarized" himself rather thoroughly about Rotan—has been over there the last two weeks talking to business men, oil men, and Luncheon Club members.

This writer has worked in wildcat fields, and is not given over to any unfounded statements "from past experience"... No good newspaperman ever takes anything for granted—not even the Rotan oil field until proof is forthcoming... J. M. wasn't quite positive; he "merely" wanted to tell us he didn't like the article about the moral condition of things at Rotan... Rotan business men, of course, see no evil, hear no evil, and—we hope—do not speak too much evil; for the dough wagon is speaking so loud over there anything else is drowned out.

Current Comment caters to no clique, upholds no "unfounded, untrue, and misleading" articles of man's creed... The Rotan boys are so engrossed in listening to the honeyed voice of big dough, little dough, oil dough, and all kinds of dough for the re me stretch—principally the me stretch of the musical scale, the sweetest harmony to their ears is do, re, me—with emphasis on the do me pitch tones.

If friend Jackson would make the rounds of his beloved town any Saturday night after 10:00 o'clock, and see the bright spots of night life, he might deduce a few elementary facts pertaining to the moral life of that city... This column paid a left handed compliment to the law officials by saying if Rotan did not become a Borger, Breckenridge or Ranger it would be due to law officials upholding the law; did not say it was a Ranger or Borger.

We'll agree, J. M., that in the musical scale of the dough wagon the do re me of the major is sweet music to anyone's ears; especially when the do me is dominant... But J. M., there are other tones to the major scale, and if the la, ti, fa's and sol's are left out there might be a loud discord in the music!

Air Conditioning Next.

"There ain't no flies on me! There ain't no flies on me!" So, if hogs could sing, the hogs at John Tarleton College farm at Stephenville might sing soon. For electric fly catchers at the Tarleton hog barn omnivorously draw flies, promptly electrocute them. Don't be surprised if the next publicity release from Tarleton tells how the hog barns are being air conditioned.

Political Prophecy.

A strong possibility exists that John L. Lewis will place a third party in the field to make a bid for presidential votes. The Times ventures to predict, months in advance, that if Lewis organizes a party, he will seek to line labor up first, then the farm vote. Prediction No. 2: The Lewis party, as a party, will have no more, possibly not as much, effect on the American political scene than other third-party attempts in modern times.

CRASH VICTIM IS IMPROVING

W. L. Keller, 74, who was critically injured Saturday night when he was struck by a car, was showing slight improvement this morning, according to reports from a local hospital, where he is confined.

The veteran second-hand furniture dealer was knocked against the curb in front of Winston & Clements feed store, a block north of the square, as he was returning from the medicine show a block west of there, Saturday night just before midnight. A granddaughter, Wanda Brack, who accompanied him, saw the approaching car in time to dash out of its path.

W. C. Scribner, son of Everett Scribner, Snyder, driver of the car, said lights from a car going south on the highway blinded him, and he did not see the aged man until too late to avoid striking him. Young Scribner was driving north. He stopped at once, and, with assistance, took the injured man to the hospital in his car, local officers learned.

Keller remained unconscious for a number of hours. He suffered concussion of the brain, a broken right leg just above the ankle, and his head was severely bruised.

Arnett Makes Changes.

Frank Arnett has been doing some improving at his garage two blocks west of the square. He has built a concrete driveway, and a concrete floor has been added over a large portion of the garage that was not previously floored.

Rev. and Mrs. James E. Spivey were visited late Tuesday and Wednesday by his brother, R. C. Spivey, who was accompanied by his wife and their son, Charles. A graduate of Texas Tech in 1931, the visitor now has a teaching fellowship in the University of Iowa, Iowa City, where he is this year completing work on his Ph. D. degree. He has served during the summer as a ranger naturalist at Yellowstone National Park.

Mrs. Jess Garner, who has been visiting the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Clint Fesmire, in Odessa, returned home during the week-end. Mrs. Fesmire returned with her and will be here this week.

Church Leader



Dr. Thomas B. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, was the principal speaker for the annual business session of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association at Hermaligh Thursday evening and all day Friday.

Studebaker Offers First 1938 Model, On Display Locally

First 1938 model to be displayed here—or anywhere else in the United States, for that matter—is the Studebaker, handled locally by T. W. Pollard.

The Snyder dealer returned Monday night from South Bend, Indiana, at the wheel of the new car, a four-door sedan Commander Six. He attended one division of a nation wide meeting of Studebaker dealers at the factory city.

"I can personally vouch for the increased reliability of the 1938 Studebaker over any other car in which I have ever ridden," declared Pollard, who made the return trip alone.

The dealer says Studebaker this year has added a light six to the Commander line of sixes and the President line of eights.

Mrs. H. G. Towle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Greene in Big Spring.

REFLECTOR OR LIGHT ORDERED

Farmers and other users of wagons or trailers are being warned this week that state-approved reflectors or lights must be placed on their vehicles no later than Friday of this week.

Two highway patrolmen who were in Snyder Wednesday pointed out that the state law calling for reflectors or lights on wagons and trailers will be enforced strenuously in order that night accidents might be minimized.

The patrolmen and local and county officers will start strict enforcement of the state law Friday. Reflectors approved by the state may be purchased at most auto supply houses.

Fluvanna Presbyterian.

Rev. James E. Spivey will fill his regular third Sunday appointment at the First Presbyterian Church in Fluvanna next Sunday. Sunday school will be held at 10:00 a. m. and preaching services at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., respectively. A cordial invitation is extended to all the people of the community to worship with us.—James E. Spivey, pastor.

Joyce Addition Ready.

The Joyce Gin several days ago finished work on a large addition to the seed house. This addition gives J. R. Joyce & Sons storage for a number of extra ungrounded bales. The "yellow gin" also installed a new set of scales this season.

Education does not mean teaching people to know what they do not know; it means teaching them to behave as they do not behave.—Ruskin.

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Dr. E. M. Blake
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Dr. M. C. Overton
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Dr. R. H. McCarty
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Dr. James D. Wilson
Resident
Dr. J. K. Richardson

C. E. Hunt J. H. Felton
Superintendent Business Mgr.
X-Ray and Radium

Fire Boys Wallop Lion Donkeyteers

Snyder firemen proved better donkey riders than Snyder Lions Tuesday night at Tiger Field, and the fire fighters consequently came out on top with a 3 to 1 score.

If the truth were known, the donkeys really came out on top. But Arthur Preuit, Earl Strawn, Bud Boren, Pokey Clements, Hal Lattimore, Joe Brown, and a few of the other players who had upsetting experiences with the beasts, prefer to talk of something else.

It was a question Wednesday morning as to which group was the sorest—the spectators, whose sides often almost split with laughter, or the players, who were worried about other portions of their anatomies.

Only casualty of the game, aside from sore muscles, was a knocked down shoulder for Bud Miller. The injured member is being nursed in a brace.

Treasuries of the competing organizations were benefited by the game to the extent of \$37.80, after mule hire, advertising and lights were paid, according to N. W. Austr, fire chief, and Frank Farmer, chairman of the Lions Club donkey game committee. At least 600 or 700 people saw the unique game.

First Methodist Church

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
Group meetings, 7:00 p. m.
Preaching, 8:00 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend all services.—H. C. Gordon, pastor.

New Co-op Seed House.

Sterling Taylor, manager of the Snyder Cooperative Gin, formerly Trice Gin, says the new seed house, built at a cost of several hundred dollars, is just about ready. The gin has otherwise been overhauled, and is now plugging along with an increasing bale total, says Taylor.

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6-Box Carton 19c Tall Can 7 1/2c

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Whites, 3 Lbs. 10c 2 Pkgs. 21c

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SALT 25 Lbs. 29c	PEAS Tall Can 5c	PICKLES Full Qt 19c
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PEANUT BUTTER... Full Qt... 27c

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FLOUR Panco Best 48 lbs \$1.75	SOAP P. & G. 6 Bars 25c	PET MILK Baby Size 6 Cans 25c
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TOILET TISSUE... 6 Rolls... 25c

CEREAL DEAL... 3 Pkgs... 25c

MEAT SPECIALS

PORK SAUSAGE Per Pound	25c
BOLOGNA Per Pound	15c
SALT BACON Per Pound	26c
ROAST, Choice Cuts Per Pound	18c

Dairy Maid Baking Powder 2-lb can 23c	SPINACH No. 3 Can 2 for 25c	COFFEE 100% Pure 1 Lb 15c
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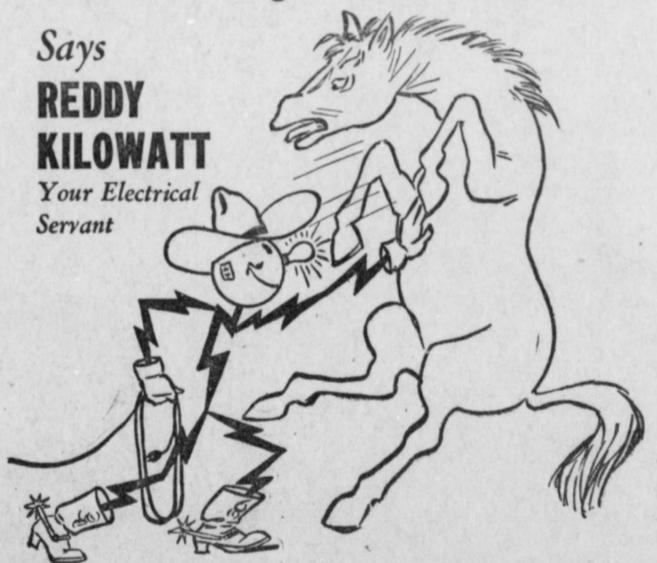
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