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COUNTY BOARD FINDS SCHOOLS IN FINE SHAPE

Two-Day Tour by Trio and County Superintendent Given Hearty Reception at Plants

Visitations Monday to Emms Creek, Martin, Dermott, Fluvanna, Turner, Canyon, Ira and Crowder Schools by Dee Robinson, John Staveley and D. Z. Hess, members of the county board, accompanied by Roy O. Irvin, county superintendent, completed a tour begun last Thursday of all Scurry County schools.

Whit Thompson, member of the county board from Precinct No. 4, and Joe Caton, county board member at large, were detained by business from making the tour of the county educational units.

First installment of the county board tour was completed last Thursday by board members and Irvin. Independence and Dunn communities composed the first two county schools visited last Thursday morning by the group.

Irvin and the board members stopped last Thursday noon at Fryron, where they enjoyed a sumptuous repast prepared by the Fryron home economics girls under direction of Eva Cliburn, homemaking instructor.

Frank Andrews, Fryron School chief, and Woodrow Smith, Fryron High School principal, joined the touring board members for lunch.

Board members were favorably impressed with the modern plant in operation at the southeast county community—a school that attracts students from Scurry, Fisher, Mitchell and Nolan Counties.

The touring group stopped next at Hermalgh School, where the quartet witnessed a fire drill, in which the entire school building was cleared of all students in less than one minute and placed at a safe distance away.

Next school visited was Lloyd Mountain. This school was highly commended as one of the best standardized small schools in the

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Local People Go To Dobbins Final Rites at Roscoe

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preull, Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Louder were included in the group of Snyder and Scurry County people who attended funeral services Tuesday afternoon at the Roscoe Methodist Church for Mrs. T. M. Dobbins, 66, wife of the president of the Roscoe State Bank.

Mrs. Dobbins died Monday morning, about 5:30 o'clock, of a heart attack. Rev. Sam Young, former local minister and pastor of the First Methodist Church, Sweetwater, assisted by Rev. C. W. Foote, officiated.

For many years Mrs. Dobbins had been one of Roscoe's church and civic leaders. She had taught a women's Sunday School class for 28 years until stricken last week.

Rev. M. W. Clark, retired Methodist minister, was Mrs. Dobbins' pastor a number of years ago.

The Roscoe woman, daughter of a pioneer Methodist minister, was born at Add Hall. She was married there October 2, 1890, to T. M. Dobbins. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last month.

The couple had resided at Roscoe since 1907. Dobbins has been president of the banking institution the past 15 years.

Survivors, beside the husband, include two children, R. O. Dobbins, vice president and general manager of the Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railroad, and Mrs. G. M. Stewart of Tahoka.

Burial Tuesday afternoon was in a Sweetwater cemetery.

Rev. Clark Supplies At Methodist Pulpit

Filling the pulpit Sunday morning at the First Methodist Church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. I. A. Smith, was Snyder's retired minister, Rev. M. W. Clark, who brought an interesting message on "Stephen, the Full Man."

Due to the absence last Sunday of Rev. Smith, members of the Methodist congregation visited other local churches for evening services. Rev. Smith, at Pampa for the Northwest Texas Methodist Church Conference, returned to Snyder Wednesday morning.

**Who's New
In Scurry County**

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nicks of the Mt. Zion community, a boy, last week.

Stores Closed

Snyder will be a city of closed stores and business houses today (Thursday).

This action, taken by merchants and business men in a united drive, will insure the 100 per cent observance of the Thanksgiving Day proclaimed some time back by President Roosevelt, and seconded by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas. Joining in the observance of Thanksgiving, as approved by presidential decree, will be Snyder National Bank, the postoffice and all government agencies located here.

OFFICERS FOR WOMEN'S CLUB GROUP NAMED

County Home Demonstration Council Selects Mrs. Joe T. Johnston As Leader for Year

Naming of officers for the forthcoming year featured Saturday afternoon's meeting of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council.

Total of 10 county home demonstration clubs were represented at the convocation, one of the most spirited meetings of its type held here in many months.

Officers named follow:
Mrs. Joe T. Johnston, Tri-Community Club, chairman; Mrs. Jim Boothe, Plainview, vice chairman; Mrs. Allen Stephens, Dermott-Martin, treasurer;

Mrs. Paris McPherson, Union, secretary; Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, Bison, reporter; and Mrs. Stanley Merket of the China Grove club, recreational leader.

Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, J. D. Oscheer and Wiley Eubanks were selected as the council representatives to attend the district AAA meeting in Big Spring Wednesday and Thursday (today).

"Following our election of council officers," Miss Rabel states, "we are looking forward to another profitable council year."

"A greater amount of interest is being shown in county council work than in several years, with our new council officers due to have a program of activities for the ensuing year outlined in the near future," Miss Rabel concluded.

Two Plays Set for Holidays at Fluvanna

Following the official conclusion of the 1940 football season next Thursday, E. O. Wedgeworth, Fluvanna school chief, and Allen Ott, Fluvanna faculty member, will begin work on two plays that will be presented at Fluvanna School prior to the Yuletide holidays.

Miss Ott will direct "Spooky Tavern" and Wedgeworth "Little Hitch-hiker." Both plays are widely recommended for presentation by high school students. Casts for both plays have already been selected and practice hours set for the near future, school officials report.

Schools of County Observe Education Week in Programs

Unusually well planned assembly programs, plus discussions on "Education for the Common Defense," featured the observance from Sunday a week ago through Sunday of American Education Week in county schools, the county superintendent's office observed.

During the week special programs were given by various schools on what America has to defend in the way of physical assets, why education will prove a bulwark of safety and means of getting a unified curricular movement underway, the county superintendent's office continues.

"American Education Week proved the necessity of stressing education throughout the entire school term," Muriel Woodard Grubbs, assistant to the county superintendent, points out. "Due to the fact the movement was started only a few years ago, the nation-wide observance last week of the special period proved highly gratifying, superintendents of county schools have told us."

MRS. SIMS POSTMISTRESS

Announcement was made Tuesday by the Post Office Department that Mrs. Jessie Sims received the appointment as postmistress of the Fluvanna post office. Mrs. Sims succeeds Mrs. L. I. Snodgrass, acting postmistress at the northwest county town for the past several months.

NEGRO JAILED AFTER REFUSAL TO REGISTER

Peg Leg DuBaugh Says He Waits For Uncle Sam to Come After Him—Case Pending

Scurry County's only person who failed to register under the Selective Service Act, Henry (Peg Leg) DuBaugh, who has a good reputation, will be placed in jail this week by members of the sheriff's department to await action by federal selective service officials. DuBaugh was given a chance to register by local draft board members Tuesday, but refused to do so. No formal charge has been filed against the colored man, pending action by federal authorities within the next few days on his case.

Behind the colored man's persistent refusal to register for selective service lies an interesting story. DuBaugh, who has a good reputation, and has been consistently keeping out of trouble with law enforcement officials up until now, has this defense to offer:

"Take, for example, a person what becomes guilty of going out and shooting someone. He is locked up and sent to prison for a long, long time.

"But when they comes after a person to serve in an armed force, give him a uniform and a gun, he is allowed, when necessary, to shoot all the people he can.

"This being the case, I just waited for Uncle Sam to come after me. I don't feel, however, that the Scurry County draft board holds my viewpoints against me, but had to comply with their laws what are made in Washington."

Local draft board members and attaches at the sheriff's office refused to comment on this strange case—the case of a colored man who isn't, intentionally, a draft dodger, but a person who has entirely the wrong conception of just what the Selective Service Act means.

Federal selective service officials indicated late Wednesday night that a verdict on the DuBaugh case would be forthcoming "as soon as all the evidence and facts are carefully weighed."

No Charge Will Be Made on CCC Loans in Future

"Cotton producers of Scurry, Fisher, Garza, Borden and other counties of the state placing their cotton under the government loan for the remainder of the 1940 season will not be subject to extra charges for the handling of loan papers," the county agent's office reported Tuesday.

Message of the county agent's office on remaining CCC loan cotton for this season follows:

"In a recent ruling the Commodity Credit Corporation stated that lending agencies, in order to make their paper eligible for purchase by the corporation, will be required to certify that the full proceeds of the loan have been paid to the producer without any charge for services rendered in completing the loan forms.

"The revision of instructions was made in response to reports of instances in which excessive charges had been levied for executing papers in connection with the loan. B. B. Ingle, state AAA committee man and cotton farmer from Grandview, reports to our office. When the loan was announced, it was thought that storage rates paid warehousemen and interest rates allowed lending agencies on loan cotton were sufficient to cover all costs to the farmer in obtaining a loan.

"Warehousemen desiring to store cotton must enter into a supplemental agreement with the corporation to provide that no charges will be made against the producer for any services they perform in completing loan forms, the corporation has announced. This ruling went into effect November 16.

"The question of whether a similar requirement should be made of cooperative associations is being considered."

University President To Speak at Church

Church goes of Snyder and surrounding communities are promised a rare treat at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening, when Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University will be in charge of services.

Dr. White will bring the morning and evening messages at the local church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Ira Harrison. Dr. White, widely recognized as a speaker, is the first H-SU president to be named from the ranks of the Ex-Students' Association.

Speaks Sunday



Shown here is Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, who will be in charge of Sunday morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Ira Harrison. Dr. White is widely recognized as an outstanding speaker.

Drive to Pay Debt On Church Begun By Presbyterians

Rev. Hubert Travis, visiting Presbyterian minister of White Deer, addressed a very attentive audience Sunday morning at First Presbyterian Church on "The Three Sins."

Following the morning services, Rev. Travis spoke Sunday evening on "Casting Shadows," the visitor stressed the "vital need of casting shadows along the way that will tell for Christ." He continued, "Man's influences often live long after he is gone, and for this reason one should be very careful of the examples set for others to follow."

Official opening of the local church's finance campaign was announced at the week-end services, with good progress made by committee members on the finance program to raise at least \$500 by December 31.

Finance committee state the drive is being made to raise funds to clear the local Presbyterian Church of indebtedness. Should a total of \$500 be raised by December 31, the Presbyterian Board will match the collections dollar for dollar. This would leave the local church in splendid financial shape.

Approaches on New 101 Bridge Pushed

Scurry and Mitchell County motorists were cheered this week by the fact work is now underway in approaches for the Highway 101 bridge across the Colorado River, between the main part of the city and South Colorado.

Contract for the approaches was let recently by the State Highway Department to R. W. McKinney Construction Company of Nacogdoches. Contract was also let to the same firm for the underpass, which will connect with the bridge on the north, joining it to Highway 1 (U. S. Highway 80). The same company is building the bridge on which the work of pouring concrete piers has just been completed.

New Textbooks for County Feature Democracy and Civics of America

Roy O. Irvin, county superintendent, announced Monday that three new textbooks on Democracy and one new book on Community Civics will be placed in county schools about the middle of January. The new books will be available for use at the beginning of the second term of the 1940-41 school year.

The democracy books, described as "spark plugs" to arouse interest of pupils in study of democracy, will be made available in the seventh, eighth and ninth grades. Other more advanced books on democracy will be available in September of the next school year.

The four new textbooks, for use in the schools of Scurry and all other counties of the state, were ordered the latter part of last week by the State Board of Education.

Irvin reports that one new book, entitled "Stand Fast for Freedom," by Lowell Thomas and Berton Braley, has already been added to the county school library.

The decision by the State Board of Education to buy the three books on democracy and one on community civics at once will reduce the unexpended text book fund at the end of the year to \$250,000, it was estimated. The fund asked for text books this year was \$500,000 less than previous years.

The immediate use of the democracy textbooks was ordered without a dissenting vote. Unanimous vote

HOBBS SLATES JUNIOR RODEO AT WOLF PARK

First Performance of Its Kind Will Feature Animals Events, Says VA Teacher, Sponsor

Heralding an era of junior rodeos for FFA and 4-H Clubs, members of this territory will be the Hobbs Junior Rodeo, which will be staged Saturday afternoon, November 30, at Wolf Park.

The Hobbs Junior Rodeo, sponsored by Cleveland Littlepage, Hobbs vocational agriculture teacher, and members of the Hobbs FFA chapter, will literally be the "first and last words" in rodeo entertainment.

The affair will be the first of its kind to be staged in this part of West Texas, and the last rodeo of the 1940 season, to be staged in Scurry County.

Robert Heims, Oather Strickland and Barton Willingham, members of the junior rodeo's executive committee, state rodeo competition will be open to FFA and 4-H Club members of both Scurry and Fisher Counties.

Preliminary events and drawing for places will be held Saturday morning, November 30, beginning at 10:30 o'clock. The afternoon rodeo performance will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock, committee members state.

Events for the first rodeo of its kind to be held here will include Brahma steer riding, calf roping, girls' flat race, goat roping, wild cow milking and other events, with their decisions to be final for rodeo competitors.

"We want to extend every FFA and 4-H Club chapter a cordial invitation to attend the junior rodeo," executive committee members state, "and promise suitable prizes for all winning contestants. Entrance fees will be very nominal."

Tickets for the junior rodeo were placed on sale this week at Hobbs. Admission prices will be 20 and 25 cents.

Christmas Plans To Be Discussed At Tuesday Meet

Local Chamber of Commerce officials announced this week the completion of plans for staging a business men's breakfast Tuesday morning, 7:30 o'clock, at the Manhattan Hotel, at which time a program of observances for Christmas will be mapped.

R. G. Dillard, local Chamber of Commerce manager, is joined by other Chamber of Commerce officials in extending every Snyder business man and others interested in Yuletide festivities here an invitation to attend the feed.

"Snyder people have been accustomed to the same old type of Yuletide programs for the past several years," Chamber of Commerce directors point out, "and we feel that they will appreciate something new, different and appealing in the way of a planned Christmas program by local business people."

All business men planning to attend the Tuesday morning breakfast are requested to call the Chamber of Commerce office as soon as possible. The feed will be one of the first of its type to be staged here in a number of years.

Max Brownfield Son Died Wednesday

Word was received Wednesday morning by The Times of the death at 8:30 a. m. of Jimmy Brownfield, three and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Brownfield of Goldsmith, Ector County. The child passed away in a Lubbock hospital following a brief illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Brownfield, former Snyder residents, are well known to county citizens, who regret to hear of their young son's death. Funeral services are incomplete, with Odom Funeral Home to be in charge of arrangements.

GINNINGS REACH 16,897

Figures obtained early Wednesday morning by The Times indicate that county ginnings through Tuesday night totaled 16,897 bales. Information released by Ira R. Sturdivant, government crop reporter, shows that 14,718 bales were turned out in the county prior to November 1, compared with 12,519 bales for the same period in 1939.

Leon Andress Enlists In Army Air Corps

Sergeant H. Parkman of the U. S. Army Recruiting Station, Abilene, announced Tuesday that Leon Andress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Andress, Route 1, has enlisted in the U. S. Army.

Young Andress was assigned this week to the U. S. Army Air Corps at Kelly Field, San Antonio. Several other vacancies are reported in the army at this time by Parkman, who points out that a number of Central West Texas youths have enrolled in various army services during the past month.

Mrs. Bob Davenport of San Angelo is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green, here this week.

WPA Recreation Project Has Spent \$5,881 in Snyder Since Its Inception

Highlight of Monday night's WPA Recreation Council meeting at the local school gymnasium was built around a report given by Edward J. Strout, local project supervisor, showing the benefits accruing in the Snyder community since the recreation project was inaugurated here.

"It is significant to note," Strout pointed out, "that WPA has spent a total of \$5,881.36 here since our recreation project was started. The City of Snyder, the local school and county, as co-sponsors, have expended only \$210 to date.

"This means," Strout continued, "that WPA is bearing 94 per cent of the recreation project cost, compared with six per cent furnished by local sponsors.

"Participation in the project to date has amounted to 15,124, and spectator attendance to 9,102 hours. In our activities program, these figures are given as self explanatory:

- "Arts and crafts, 7 per cent;
- athletics and sports, 43.2 per cent;
- clubs, 4 per cent; drama, 3 per cent;
- literature, 7.5 per cent; music, 6.6 per cent; other activities, 3.5 per cent; and playground activities, 20.7 per cent," Strout concluded.

Recreation council members voiced approval of some cleverly designed game and puzzle books recently completed by project employees. The books, containing interesting games and word lexicons, were recently distributed to convalescents in the local hospital.

"We hope the games and word lexicons prepared by project employees may be only one of the many services which can be performed for the Snyder community," council members declared. "Local hospital attaches received the books of games for convalescents enthusiastically."

The project was opened in Snyder last February.

Small Fire Loss In Snyder Pointed Out at Meeting

Excellent attendance featured the program given Tuesday night at the city hall by Chief Frank Williams of the State Fireman's Training School at College Station.

Following an interesting discussion on the State Fireman's Short Course, held at A. & M. College in July, Chief Williams presented some timely pictures to an enthusiastic crowd of fire boys, local business men and other attendants.

N. W. Autry, Snyder Volunteer Fire Department chief, and members of the local fire department were hosts for the occasion. The fire chief of Post and five Post firemen were special guests of the local fire department for the program.

Following the program of motion pictures and speech, attendants were served a course of refreshments, sandwiches and coffee.

Chief Autry, in commenting on the excellent record made this year by the local department, states a very small insured loss for the year to date has been marked up. Highlights of the annual report prepared by Autry, covering the fiscal year from November 30, 1939, to the same date this year, and presented to the city council, follows:

"I herewith submit the annual report as chief of Snyder Volunteer Fire Department. I am indeed glad to report we have had a very successful year, both from losses and accidents.

"This report is for the year beginning November, 1939, to November 1940, as is required by our constitution and by-laws. We have answered 17 alarms in fire service, consisting of four wet fires and 13 dry ones. We have also answered one fire alarm, one call outside of city limits, and two alarms for lost people. And we have made one call to retrieve a miniature airplane from electric wires.

"Our insured loss was \$815, total loss of \$2,275. We have run 2,300 feet of 2 1/2 inch line on wet fires, and have handled 73 1/2 per cent of our fires with the 80-gallon booster. Out of our 21 membership, we have had 16.2 average attendance at each call.

"We have held 24 drills, plus 18 extra drills, for working out teams for races. We have been host to Midwest Texas Fireman's Association one time, and have attended one other meeting of said association, held at Cisco. We were represented 14 strong, including our drill team, which won the six-man pumper race, taking first place with a time of 16.2 seconds; Colorado City won second place in 31 seconds. This association is composed of 10 counties.

"The personnel of our department has been paid by the city the sum of \$201.50 for services the past 12 months. For maintenance such as equipment, purchased gasoline and oil for fire trucks and etc., \$310.49, making a total of \$511.99," Chief Autry concluded.

Fluvanna School Makes Plans for Annual Carnival

E. O. Wedgeworth, Fluvanna School superintendent, announces this week that Fluvanna's annual school carnival will be held Thursday, November 28, at the northwest county school.

Highlights of the forthcoming celebration will include the queen's carnival, football game, band concert, bingo games, basketball games, an all-american vaudeville show and that famous Station KPVO radio teams, Wiley and Gene.

Entertainment lovers of the county are invited by Wedgeworth to join in with Fluvanna people and attend the November 28 festivities. Main attraction of the carnival will be the queen's coronation next Thursday evening. Allen Ott will be in general charge of the coronation ceremonies. Schools of the county will send dukes and duchesses to participate in pre-coronation rituals.

Representatives of the Fluvanna High School classes for the queen's contest were named this week as follows:
Jettie Dee Eikins, senior class; Ruby Pay Carmichael, junior class; Madeline Smith, sophomore class; and Doris Glen Willis, freshman class.

REV. I. A. SMITH RETURNED TO LOCAL CHURCH

Other Appointments Announced by Conference Closing at Pampa Tuesday—Abilene Next

Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith, Mrs. Ralph Odum, D. P. Yoder, Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Sifford of Hermalgh, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell of Dunn, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle of Fluvanna, represented Scurry County Methodists at the Northwest Texas Methodist Church Conference, held Friday through Tuesday at Pampa.

All county pastors were returned to their charges for the forthcoming year, conference officials announced Tuesday afternoon at the convocation.

Rev. Smith returns to Snyder, Rev. Cockrell to Dunn, Rev. Sifford to Hermalgh and Rev. Tinkle to Fluvanna.

Abilene was named unanimously as the 1941 meeting place of the Northwest Texas Conference in closing business sessions.

An appropriation of \$4,134 from Methodist Publishing House earnings was allocated superannuated ministers of the district. Needs and claims of the Methodist Children's Home, Waco, came for discussion and consideration.

County attendants at the Pampa conference described it as "one of the most spiritual meetings held in many years. Unity of purpose seemed to be one of the main objectives, from the time conference opened Friday morning until pastors for the forthcoming year were announced Tuesday afternoon."

Merrick Spuds in New Dozier Test For Oil Feature

Attention in the Sharon Ridge oil field was focused this week to F. W. Merrick's No. 3 Dozier, spudded Tuesday, 990 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line of Section 142. The test, an east offset to D. & R. Oil Company's Burney lease, is being carefully watched by oil fraternity members.

D. & R. Oil Company is moving drilling equipment two locations over to the west line of their W. F. Burney lease in the north one-half of Section 143. D. & R. recently completed its No. 6 well as a 500 barrel per day producer.

Magnolia Petroleum completed this week the No. 3 Rufe Sterling well as a strong producer. New oil is located in the northeast one-fourth of Section 130.

Blue Streak Oil Company has drilling at 900 feet in the second test in this proved lease, Section 129.

Completion of the week for the Sharon pool that is attracting a considerable amount of attention is Ordovician Oil Company's No. 1 Alliance, Section 146-97-H&T Survey, good for 315 barrels per day on pump after shot to 2,445 feet, total depth.

Ordovician Oil Company and Pearson-Sibert Oil Company will drill their holdings in Section 146-162, and were moving additional drilling equipment Wednesday.

Times Prints Early Account of Holiday

This week's issue of The Times was printed a day early in order that members of the force may participate in Thanksgiving observances today (Thursday).

A survey of business firms indicates that one and all are joining in the movement to make Thanksgiving observances unanimous. The new date set by President Roosevelt is a week ahead of the traditional date, but it was okayed by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel as the one to commemorate.

Fame, we may understand, is no sure test of merit, but only a probability of such: It is an accident, not a property of a man.—Carlyle.

New Flags Fly

A wave of flag buying hit Snyder this week, with the result that many local business firms and others have purchased brand new United States flags, after carefully disposing of the tattered "Old Glory" squares that have been displayed on special occasions for years.

The local Lions Club, for instance, has purchased a new flag, which will be displayed at the club's meeting place each Tuesday. Business firms on all sides of the square have bought new flags to place on sidewalk poles. Sale of the new flags is being sponsored by the Will Layne American Legion Post.

MOVE TO MIDLAND

Arvil Cathey, employed as a cleaner and presser at Graham & Martin Tailor Shop, north of Snyder National Bank, for the past several months, and Mrs. Cathey moved to Midland Monday, where Cathey became associated with a Midland tailor shop, Buddy Martin and Joe Graham, local shop operators, announce they will have a new man on hand to replace Cathey this week-end.

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Local Clubwomen Assist in Election Of Mrs. Walker to Federation Post

Election of Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview as president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs climaxed the annual convention held in Austin from Monday through Thursday last week. Eight Snyder women attended the four-day gathering, lending their voting strength and influence to the election of a Seventh District woman to lead the federation the coming two years.

Local women taking part in the largest and one of the most eventful conventions in the history of 43 years of Texas Federation included: Mrs. Wayne Boren, state chairman of community music; Jeannette Lollar, Mmes. J. P. Nelson, John R. Williams, H. T. Sefton, R. J. Randall, T. M. Howe and R. W. Cunningham. Voting delegates at the convention numbered 718, and many visiting clubwomen attended the four-day gathering.

Never in the history of state federation has politics played so important a role in election of state officers, the local women say. Mrs. Walker was easily elected over Mrs. O. H. Carlile of Houston, Seventh District, largest district in the state, took a leading part in convention activities.

The national defense theme was effectively carried through the four-day meeting in regard to topics for speakers, decorations and trend of thought for the convention attendants.

The stage of Texas Federation headquarters building was lovely Thursday night with bouquets and baskets of flowers, which were presented to incoming and outgoing state officers, district presidents and other dignitaries. Mrs. H. F. Godeke of Lubbock, Seventh District president, and Mrs. Walker were among the honored women on the stage for the final convention gathering.

Mrs. Walker received the gavel

Man's Raincoat



The increasing tendency of the college girl to "snitch" the clothing of her boy friend's back is reflected in this waterproofed cotton gabardine raincoat, which will make this a Cotton Christmas for hundreds of girls who will find men's cotton raincoats in their own favorite colors on the tree December 25.

from Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, outgoing state president who is now a director in the General Federation. Mrs. Perkins was given credit for Mrs. Clara Driscoll's gift of \$92,000, which liquidated the permanent headquarters building.

Other new state officers are: Mrs. Grace Vance of Refugio, first vice president; Mrs. George Ripley of Dallas, second vice president; Mrs. Grover C. Johnson of Wichita Falls, secretary; and Miss Ethel Foster of Sterling City, treasurer.

After Mrs. Walker was installed as president of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs last Thursday night and had formally accepted her leadership, she asked her mother, Mrs. D. C. Hill of Eldorado, to join her on the platform and asked women from Seventh District to stand. Thus, she spoke her appreciation for their confidence and support.

As her acceptance pledge, Mrs. Walker said, "I enter the office as your state president with a determination to carry forward the federation ideals built on the firm foundation of sympathy, understanding, courage and tolerance. I pledge you the best that I have for the next two years."

Mrs. Robert Welborn and sons are here this week from their New Mexico ranch to visit with the H. B. Pattersons and other local relatives and friends.

Eades Celebrate Anniversary Snday

Sunday was a day full of surprises for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eades of Snyder. When they returned from church Sunday morning, they found their children at home for the forty-fifth wedding anniversary celebration and a wedding dinner already prepared.

Feature of the entertainment for the day centered on the family album and other old pictures. Numbers of new pictures of the group were made.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Eades, the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eades and daughter, all of Ira; Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Eades and son, Mr. and Mrs. Virdie Lee Eades, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eades, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eades, Louella, Ralph and J. C. Eades, Nadine and Leon Moore, all of Snyder. Special guests during the day were Rev. and Mrs. Ira Harrison.

Jeannette Lollar Presented on Program

Jeannette Lollar presented almost the entire program at the Monday night meeting of Altrurian Daughters' Club, for which Ruby Lee was hostess. First Miss Lollar gave her report from the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Austin last week. She was Altrurian Daughters' delegate to the convention.

Instruction and demonstrations in slipcovers for a chair were interesting as given by Miss Lollar, who has had special courses in the subject at Texas State College for Women and Columbia University. Tactics used in fashioning and fitting the slipcovers were in keeping with Altrurian Daughters' course of study for the year—"Interior Decoration."

Miss Lee was assisted by her mother, Mrs. W. B. Lee, in passing a refreshment course to the following club members: Kenneth Alexander, Rose Marie Clawson, Edith Grantham, Polly Harpole, Thelma Leslie, Jeannette Lollar, Katherine Northcutt, Mmes. Wayne Arnold, Harold Brown, P. W. Cloud, Herman Doak, Borden Gray, Roy Irvin, J. D. Mitchell, J. D. Scott and Harry Ward.

MAKES HONOR ROLL

Frances Head, honor graduate of Snyder High School several semesters ago, has again been listed on the mid-semester honor roll at McMurry College. Recording 12 points for an "A" and nine points for a "B" grade, Miss Head amassed 69 grade points for the first semester, which lists her among the outstanding point-makers at the Abilene school.

Elizabeth Miller, freshman arts and sciences student at Texas Technological College, recently became a member of the Sock and Buskin speech club. The Fluvanna School graduate, daughter of the R. Clyde Millers, started her speech interests in dramatics at Fluvanna.

L. A. Chapman and W. W. Smith were in Lubbock Saturday for the Tech-Wake Forrest football game and to visit with Smith's son, Wallace, who is a Tech student.

Mrs. Herman Morton of Midland is visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Curry, her sister, Allene Curry, and nephews, Glynn Curry and Kenneth Snyder. The former Snyder girl was accompanied here Sunday by her husband and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gillian, also of Midland. The Gillians visited relatives at Justiceburg.

New Officers of Club Federation



Pictured above are two outstanding Seventh District club women, who were installed as state and district presidents, at the annual convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held in Austin last week. Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, left,

took over the reins of the state federation, and Mrs. H. F. Godeke of Lubbock, right, was installed as Seventh District president. Mmes. Godeke and Walker recently appeared as speakers at an Altrurian Club coffee in Snyder.

Minister Gives Review Tuesday

LeMoine G. Lewis, local Church of Christ minister, was guest speaker at a meeting of the Woman's Culture Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Bullock. Mrs. H. T. Sefton, program leader for the day, presented Lewis in a review of "The Nazarene," one of the best selling books of the day.

Mrs. Sefton, Woman's Culture Club president, also gave her convention report. She represented her club at the recent convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held in Austin.

Mrs. Bullock was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Veale Jr., in serving refreshments to the guest speaker and Mrs. John Spears and the following club members: Mmes. A. C. Alexander, J. P. Avary, J. R. Hucksbee, W. A. Morton, Ted Moser, E. J. Richardson, E. P. Sears, E. P. Sears, D. P. Strayhorn, Sefton, W. G. Williams, J. A. Woodfin and H. L. Wren.

Harvest Day Luncheon Planned

December 2 is the date set by the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service for their Harvest Day luncheon, reports from the group's weekly meeting Monday afternoon say. Twenty-two members and two guests were present.

Mrs. R. M. Stokes gave an instructive devotional on "Prayer," reading Philipian 4. Mmes. Harry S. Lee and L. H. Butler assisted with the discussions and the business sessions.

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Burnelle Eicke Is Bride Of Rotan Man

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eicke are announcing the marriage of their only daughter, Burnelle, to Arthur Robbins Knight, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knight, prominent Breckenridge ranch people, in a simple marriage service read by C. E. Thurman, Church of Christ minister, at his home in Eastland Saturday night. Miss Johnnie Nix of Eastland, A. C. C. student, was the only attendant.

The bride wore a costume of soldier blue with a silver and blue necklace and black accessories. For "something borrowed" she carried a linen handkerchief belonging to Miss Nix.

Mrs. Knight, spring graduate of Snyder High School, was at the time of her marriage a freshman student in Abilene Christian College. She was on the staff of the Tiger's Tale, Snyder High School newspaper, her last year in high school, and she holds membership in the local chapter of National Honor Society. She was recently made a member of the Melpomenean Players' Club at A. C. C.

Knight received his education in the Breckenridge High School, where he was an outstanding football player. He is now associated with his father in his ranching business.

The couple left Eastland immediately after their marriage for Fort Worth and points in East Texas. They returned to Snyder Monday night to spend a few days before going to Rotan, where they will live.

Assistant Borden Agent Marries Firday

Marriage of Hazel Benton of Lubbock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Benton of Lehman, and Wayman W. Perciful of Gall, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Perciful of Bronte, was solemnized Friday night at the home of Dr. C. E. Hereford in Lubbock. Dr. Hereford, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated for the ring ceremony.

Allen Benton, the bride's brother, and Mrs. Benton were the couple's only attendants. The bride wore a seventh heaven rose crepe frock with redingote, a corsage of gardenias and black accessories.

Graduate of the Kress High School, Mrs. Perciful has been associated with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Lubbock the past three years. The bridegroom, graduate of Bronte High School and Texas A. & M. College, is junior administrative officer in the Borden County agent's office at Gall. The couple will live at Gall.

Example is a dangerous lure: Where the wasp got through the gnat sticks fast.—La Fontaine.

"Build-Up" Good News For Suffering Women

Much of women's periodic distress may be unnecessary! Many who suffer from headaches, nervousness, cramp-like pain, other symptoms of *functional dysmenorrhea* due to malnutrition are helped by CARDUL.

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San Souci Guests Of Mrs. Forest Sears

San Souci Club members and Mmes. P. W. Cloud and J. G. Hicks, guests, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Forest Sears last week. Myrtle Harrell, president, Neoma Strayhorn, secretary, and Paye Harrell, treasurer, were in charge of a brief business meeting of San Souci members.

Playing bridge at the four-table party were: Mrs. Ruth Saunders, a new member of the club, Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Paye and Myrtle Harrell, Edith Grantham, Neoma Strayhorn, Mmes. Lucille Strayhorn, Dougherty, E. J. Anderson, Herman Darby, James Ralph Hicks, Henry Rosenber and Herman Doak. Mrs. Darby will be next hostess.

Mrs. Doak Hostess To El Feliz Group

Mrs. W. E. Doak was hostess Friday afternoon to El Feliz Club. Her house was decorated with autumn flowers, and a Thanksgiving motif was given emphasis in tallies, score pads and the refreshment plate passed after forty-two games.

Mrs. Herman Doak and daughter, small Mary Ann Doak, were the only guests for the party. Members attending were: Mmes. A. W. Waddill, Wade Winston, Sterling Williams, J. W. Scott, W. J. Ely, H. L. Vann, P. C. Chenuaut, I. W. Boren, Joe Strayhorn, J. E. LeMond and G. H. Leath.

Next meeting of El Feliz Club will be with Mrs. H. J. Brice Friday afternoon, November 29.



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All Kinds—\$1 to \$15

Glassware

Candlewick Glassware with gold knobs—\$1 to \$3.50

Glassware

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Martele Vases

Hand wrought Vases, in all shapes—\$1.50 to \$5

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Administrators For AAA County Plan to Be Named

"Practicing the democracy they believe in, farmers and ranchers of Scurry County and all other counties of the state will gather in community meetings Friday and Saturday, December 13 and 14, to elect the men who will administer the AAA locally during the coming year," Claude D. Cotten, junior administrative officer at the county agent's office, reports this week.

"At each of these meetings of AAA cooperators, three men will be elected to serve as community committeemen during the coming year," Cotten says. At the same time, delegates will be selected to attend a county convention to be held the following day.

"Delegates to the county conventions will elect three committeemen to administer the program in the county. In addition, two alternate committeemen will be elected.

"The committee set-up is the most important phase of the entire program," Cotten continues. "These men are chosen because of their administrative abilities, and on them depends the success or failure of the farm program in their counties."

"Farm-control of the program is an actuality, not just an idea," the junior administrative officer emphasizes. He cites the cotton marketing quota referendum to be held December 7 as one example of the "economic democracy" practiced by farmers and the committee elections as another example.

All members of the county Agricultural Conservation Association, composed of all producers cooperating with the AAA, are eligible to participate in the committee elections," Cotten said. He urged producers to remember that the committee members would administer a program which is of vital concern to all of them, and that, therefore, great care should be taken in getting the best men available for the positions.

Guests of Mrs. M. P. Baze the past week have been her sisters, Mrs. Ada Baze of Sinton and Mrs. B. S. Cox of Sweetwater. The local woman recently returned home from a several-week visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Baze, in Madhis.

Don't Invite Pyorrhea

Do your gums cause you discomfort? Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.—Irwin's Drug Store.

Contest Closes Monday, December 23!

Lots of entrants are running up good scores in Stinson's novel contest. There's still plenty of time for other entrants to get in the running, however. One vote is allowed for each cent's purchase on anything in our store. Contestants must be 12 years of age or under.

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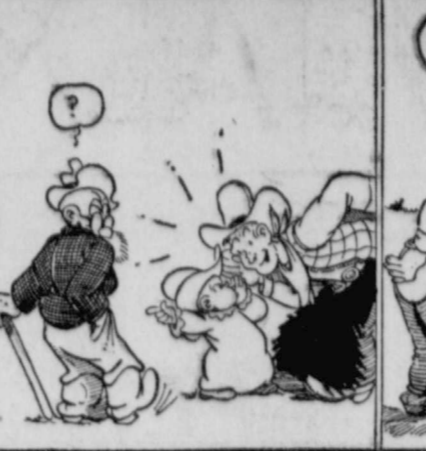
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COURTHOUSE RECORDS

Official records are piled up this report from the county courthouse, taken in marriages, births and new automobiles from mid-September through the past week-end.

MARRIAGES

Twenty couples have taken the so-called "fatal step" since last The Times published official county marriage records. Names and dates of marriage follow:

Herman Weller and Thana Benbenek, October 1.

Albert Clifton Butler and Annie Evelyn Jordan, October 4.

Monico Mejia and Beater Betancourt (Mexican), October 5.

Other Dec Short and Bulah Morrison, October 5.

Frazier Reed and Reba Oullett, October 6.

Dan Westfall and Maxine Scott, October 10.

Paul E. Moore and Fay Sturdivant, October 12.

H. W. Smith and Ruby Maddox, October 13.

James Ernest Pawver and Ada Davidson, October 14.

Richard Jenkins and Elsie Mae Dietzel, October 17.

Ennis Powell and Mabel Outright, October 21.

Glen Williams and Cora Dedmon, October 21.

James B. Meadows and Eva Barnett, October 22.

Joe M. Rice and Ann Mahoney, October 23.

John Henry Rogers and Dora Mae Floyd, November 2.

Willie K. Roberts and Mrs. Velma Bruton, November 2.

Buddy Henderson and Veda Sadler, November 3.

J. C. Massingill and Ailene Sutton, November 3.

L. D. Morrow and Essie Lee Barnes, November 12.

BIRTHS

Births of the new Scurry County citizens recorded in the county clerk's office the past few weeks range from August 4 through Saturday of the past week. The new citizenship favors the boys with 23 sons born to the 41 sets of parents, leaving 18 baby girls. Parents, name of the child and birth date are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Alfred Burney, Route 1, Hermleigh, a girl, Vivian Lovell, August 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herston Hart, a boy, Sidney Herston, September 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie B. Riddle, a girl, Frances Clementine, September 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Graham, a girl, Mary Ella, September 16.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elber Way, a boy, Ronnie Jack, September 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wayne Eubanks, Ira, a girl, Jo Nell, September 17.

Mr. and Mrs. William Evans Millholland, Route 1, a boy, Appleton, September 17.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Browning, a boy, Billy Ray, September 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean Smith, a girl, Nelda Dean, September 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Lightfoot, a girl, Rita Faye, September 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Patterson Walls, a boy, Bobby Mack, September 20.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Laster, Hermleigh, a girl, Geraldine, September 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Todd, a girl, Billie Sue, September 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Evans Parker, a boy, Jasper Lee, September 23.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morgan, a boy, Travis Wayne, September 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gregg Deal, Post, a boy, Donald David, September 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Clarkson, a boy, Dan Kelly, September 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Milton Prince, a girl, Thelma, September 30.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reep, Camp Springs, a girl, Janice Marie, October 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Oresan Cook, a boy, Gerald Tim, October 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin D. McCrary, Knapp, a boy, Jerry Lee, October 7.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Marsh, a boy, October 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gabe Lewis, Ira, a girl, Rose Marie, October 8.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Norred, a boy, John David, October 8.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Gartin, Dermott, a boy, John Wayne, October 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Junior Duke, a boy, Jack Arnold, October 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Kenneth Holmes, a boy, Dennis Harmon, October 15.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erroll Derryberry, Route 2, a girl, Sandra June, October 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Yvoro (Mexican), a girl, October 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ivey Overholt, Route 3, a girl, Patsy Gannell, October 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lee Kelly, a boy, Tyron Lee, October 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Ralph Lewis, Cuthbert, a boy, October 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Clements, a girl, Jessie Anita, October 25.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Smith, a boy, Curtis Wayne, October 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Reb Brown Dodson, Post, a boy, Randall Boyd, October 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright, Route

NEW TANK ADDED

Maurice Borsari, local wholesale Gulf agent, added this week a new Gulf gasoline tank to his GMC delivery wagon, operated by Jim Ikard. The new tank, holding Good Gulf gasoline, both regular and ethyl grades, and kerosene, is streamlined in 1941 fashion, and has the well-known Gulf insignia placed in a prominent place on the tank.

Demonstration Club Notes

Estella Kabel, County Agent

"Scurry County people who have never partaken of smoked turkey have a real treat in store for them," Estella Kabel, county home demonstration agent, told members of the county home demonstration clubs this week.

"Most home demonstration club members are aware of the fact that smoking a turkey requires more time than roasting one, but the finished product pays big dividends.

"Curing the turkey is the first step," Miss Kabel points out. "Prepare the turkey for roasting, removing the tendons from the legs, and cool the bird over night. Then make a brine solution containing six pounds of salt, three pounds of sugar, three ounces of salt peter, and four and one-half gallons of water. This mixture is sufficient to cover two turkeys packed in an eight-gallon crock.

"Should you desire to cure more than two turkeys make sufficient brine to cover all of them. Be sure to use an earthenware crock. The size will be determined by the number of turkeys to be cured. Submerge the birds and weight them down so that all parts are covered by the mixture. Then place in a cooling vault with a temperature of 34 degrees to 38 degrees F. for two weeks.

"At the end of the first week, stir the mixture and change the positions of the turkeys. At the end of the second week remove turkeys from brine, wash in tap water, and place back in the cooling vault for 24 hours.

"The turkeys are then ready to be smoked. Hang them in a cloth sack made of thin cheese cloth or similar material and smoke for eight to 12 hours or until a good brown color is obtained. Good woods for smoking are hickory, oak and pecan. Other good materials are clean corn cobs, or any of the hard woods. Be sure to avoid resinous woods such as pine.

"In cooking smoked turkey," Miss Kabel says, "place turkey in a utensil large enough to cover it with cold water and bring to a simmering point (180 degrees F.) and then drain. Add three cups of water, cover and bake in a moderate oven (300 degrees F.) for 20 minutes per pound of turkey. Baste occasionally. If covered roaster is not available, strip with bacon or place a cloth dipped in melted fat over the turkey to protect the skin as much as possible.

"Smoked turkeys are seldom stuffed but if stuffing is desired, very little salt should be used in the seasoning. Smoked turkey may be served hot or cold. It makes a delicious cold meat for lunch or supper. Baked apples, broiled peaches and pears and sauteed apples make nice garnishes for these turkeys," the home demonstration agent concluded.

Physical Training Tests Reveal What Person Is Made of

It takes brute strength to perform many of the "p. t. q." tests devised by a University of Texas physical training expert.

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- 1.—Stand with feet together. Jump into air, making a full turn to the left. Land standing on same spot. Don't lose balance. Don't move feet around in landing.
- 2.—Stand on right foot. Grasp left foot behind right knee. Bend and touch left knee to floor and stand up without touching any part of the body to floor or losing balance.
- 3.—Hold toes of either foot in opposite hand. Jump up and jump free foot over foot that is held, without letting go.
- 4.—Stand with both feet together. Squat down putting hands through knees. Clasp hands in front of ankles.
- 5.—Kneel with toes flat on floor behind you, feet together. Jump to feet without rocking.
- 6.—Cross both arms in front of your chest. Sit down crosslegged and get up again without losing balance and without uncrossing legs.
- 7.—Stand on your left foot. Place right foot against knee, with right knee pointing out to right side. Stand thus for 10 seconds with eyes closed.
- 8.—Stand straight. Raise left foot from floor. Sit down on right heel, extending left leg out straight in front of you. Go back to standing position without losing balance. Do the same with opposite foot.

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Snyder General Hospital

Mrs. Davis J. Shaw and 10-day-old daughter, Beverly Jane, were still in the hospital Tuesday night. Mrs. N. C. Wilson, accident patient of several weeks ago, is also remaining in the hospital this week.

New patients include Dr. W. H. Ward of Hermleigh, medical; Mrs. Justice Jones, surgery; J. N. Wharft of Dunn and Mrs. J. S. Reed of Justiceburg, accident. Wharft is suffering from head injuries, and Mrs. Reed sustained a broken hip in a fall several days ago.

Out of curiosity a farmer had grown a crop of flax and had a tablecloth made out of linen. Some time later he remarked to a visitor at dinner:

"I grew this tablecloth myself."

"Did you really?" she said "How did you do it?"

It was plain she had no idea of how tablecloths came into being, so the farmer lowered his voice mysteriously as he replied:

"I planted a napkin!"

Mrs. Nextdoor—"What a wonderful variety of articles you bought today. You must have run all over town."

Mrs. Neighbor—"No, I spent the entire day in one drugstore."

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Prestone Anti-Freeze, gallon \$2.49
Zerone Anti-Freeze, gallon .98c
Bison Motor Oil, 30-wt., 2-gallon can .89c
Bison Motor Oil, bulk, 2 gallons .75c
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Announcing - - - Formation of a Partnership In Optometry Practice

John F. Blum, recently licensed to practice Optometry by the State Board of Examiners, has become a member of the firm operated for over a quarter of century by H. G. Towle, D. O. S.

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Tigers Play Final Game Today with Colorado Wolves

Snyder Tigers meet the wiry, loop-leaving Colorado City Wolves this (Thursday) afternoon on Colorado City territory to furnish the Wolves' their last bit of competition before they claim the conference title. The game will be played at 2:00 o'clock.

A win or a tie with Snyder would still clinch the title for Coach Dibrrel's lads, but a win by Snyder would throw Colorado City into a tie with Rotan.

Colorado City is unbeaten and untied in conference competition and the lads have piled up large scores to place them as favorites in nearly all games they have played this year.

The Snyder boys will play the game as underdogs, with only slight hopes—as far as statistics are concerned—of even getting a look-in on the turkey day meal. For instance, the Tigers tied Roscoe 7-7, while Colorado City downed the same team 52-0.

The Tigers, however, will be gunning at full strength for a win, according to reports from the practice field this week.

Starting for Snyder will be: Lynch and Terry at ends; Mebane and Bates at tackles; Erwin and Miles at guards; Snyder at center; Blanchard, Spikes, Neal and Odum in the backfield.

Duck Hunters Told To Limit Bird Taking

Hunters in this section who have been engaging in the sport since the opening of duck season November 2 are reminded that regardless of their trigger-finger skill the daily bag limit is 10 birds and the possession limit—the number they may have at home or on storage elsewhere—is 20 birds.

C. M. Tidwell, game warden, also called attention to the ruling that all duck hunters must have duck stamps, which may be purchased at the post office for one dollar, and their guns must be plugged to a capacity of three shells. Revenue from the stamps is used in furthering the game preservation work of the federal government.

The season lasts through New Year's Day, January 1, 1941.

Basketball Girls at Dunn Begin Practice

Dunn High School girls' basketball team, built around five returning letter members, reported for practice under direction of Miss Roberson, coach, early this week.

Girls reporting were: Robbie Jo Brown, Elizabeth Parker, Bernadine Berry, Yvonne Brooks, Yvonne Harrison, Nettie Fay Martin, Joy Brown, Billie Carroll Davidson, Melba Fae Gill, Irene Turner, Mary Frances Echols, Myrtle Mae Campbell, Sammie Marie Williams, Louise Davidson and Marjorie Brown.

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Roscoe Gridders Get Back in Win Column In Loraine Win, 25-7

The Roscoe Plowboys bounced back in the victory column last night, downing Loraine 25-7. It was a conference game.

Roscoe went into the lead early in the first quarter and that lead was never seriously threatened. The Plowboys received the kickoff and drove straight down the field with Donald Pratt going over for the score which remained 6-0 at the half.

Jack Norris, 112-pound back, intercepted a Loraine pass in the third and ran 30 yards for the score. L. B. Smith scored the other two Farmer touchdowns.

With reserves sprinkled freely in the Roscoe lineup, Loraine ran a kickoff back 75 yards in the final period and went over for a touchdown with the aid of 15 yards penalty.

Deer Hunters of County Leave for Annual Gunfest

A small band of deer and turkey hunters moved from Snyder and Scurry County the past week to get an early start on a favored sport in sections of the state boasting a great number of both types of game.

First to return home with proof of the hunt were J. E. Blakey and H. L. Wren. Blakey got a buck on their spree into Hemphill County. The deer was an eight-point white tail. Blakey got shots on two other occasions, reports state, but failed to bring down his game. Wren did not get a shot.

Comprising another party that headed in the direction of the Big Bend country, Brewster County, were Dr. T. M. Howie, Alex Murphy, Ben Waters, Frank Medley and Bud Hamilton.

Getting off with the opening of the season last Saturday were Bud Boren, Uncle Pete Bolin, Jesse Jones, Walla Fish and P. L. Fuller. Their destination was somewhere in the vicinity of Eagle Pass. Last year the same party brought back five bucks from Culberson County.

John Blum and Hilton Lambert left Tuesday for Balmorhea, where they will join a party led by Blum's father, W. M. Blum, as guests. The party will do their hunting on a lease near Balmorhea.

All the hunters and others who are planning to leave later in the season are greeted with cheering news that game is plentiful.

Secretary Will Tucker of the state game department reported deer more plentiful even than last year due to excellent rains which provided good feeding, were running due to the cold weather.

Turkeys, found mainly in the hill country, also were reported in large numbers and good flesh.

Game Warden W. T. St. John beamed the fact last night that he wouldn't be among those seeking deer. "All reports I've had," he concluded, "indicate that there are more turkey and more deer than we've had in a long time. Black tails in the section west of Pecos." St. John warned, "must not be killed after November 30."

He added, however, that white tails might be killed in any section until the first of the year.

Snyder Junior High Cubs Close Season With Colorado Win

Snyder Junior High's Cubs brought to an end their 1940 football campaign last Thursday afternoon on Tiger Field when they took a close game from the Colorado City Junior High team, 7-6.

Scoring first in the second quarter and punting over the point that was to decide the game, Howard Crenshaw led the local boys in their hard running attack. Crenshaw stood out for the Cubs on his fast end runs and hard line play.

Previously the Colorado City team had beaten the local boys on Colorado soil, 6-0.

Hicks, Everett, Sims and Mebane looked good on defensive play for Snyder.

Colorado City scored in the fourth period but failed to convert.

Starters for Snyder—Deavers and Dorfman, ends; Land and Clements, tackles; Sims and Mebane, guards; Major, center; Crenshaw, Hicks, Stanfield and Everett, backs.

Class B Cardinals Show Tigers How Cow Ate Cabbage

Hermleigh's Class B Cardinals ran almost at will over the Snyder Tigers at times and showed strength in their forward wall defense as they piled up 13 points to the Tiger's none on Tiger Field last Friday afternoon.

When the game was over there was little doubt in anyone's mind but that the Hermleigh lads had taken the game fairly and squarely by outplaying the local boys in every way, and indeed deserve credit for having one of the best Class B machines out this season.

Hermleigh's opening touchdown came as a climax to their first drive after getting the ball in the first quarter. The Tigers had taken the opening kickoff but were forced to punt. Coach Forrest Beavers' Cardinals took over from Snyder's 40. Two passes—one from Patterson to Vaughn—put the ball on the Tiger's 22 with first down for the Cardinals. Hermleigh then drew a five-yard penalty to put the ball back to the 27-yard line. It was on the next play on a beautifully executed pass from Patterson to Mason that the Cards tumbled. Patterson dropped back for extra point but missed.

On the kickoff after the first touchdown, Glyn Curry Snyder, one of the Tiger's mainstays playing center position, went off the field with a re-hurt knee that has been giving him trouble all season. Then shortly after John Terrell (Stubby) Lynch was taken from the game because of injury. With these two men out and their play marred by fumbles, the Tigers seemingly could not get started.

Late in the first quarter it looked as though the Tigers might break for a score when Ross Blanchard intercepted a Cardinal pass and ran it beautifully back up the field some 15 yards to the Tiger 40. But a bad pass-back from center put the local boys back to their 25, from where they were forced to punt.

Not until the closing moments of the second quarter did the Hermleigh machine get fired up again. Red Neal, Snyder's punter who averaged about 40 yards per punt during the game, got off a beautiful downfield punt to put the ball deep in enemy territory. Vaughn caught the punt, returning it to the 40-yard line.

From there Hermleigh stepped on the gas. With Vernon and Knight driving through the line with plenty of power and completely overcoming the Tiger defensive, the Cardinals didn't stop until they had seven more points to their credit. Vernon went over left tackle for the touchdown and Vaughn hit the center of the line for extra point just as the half ended.

In the second half the Snyder lads mustered up new strength to keep Hermleigh from scoring again and twice threatening. Their first threat came when a Snyder lad broke through to block a punt and cover it on the 19-yard line. After four tries at the line the ball went over.

In the four tries at the line the Tigers partially blocked a Hermleigh punt and Glyn Curry Snyder, who came back into the game in the last quarter, returned the ball to the 11-yard line. A pass from Neal to Spikes took it to the Hermleigh five, but the Tigers failed to take it over on the three remaining plays to end their threats for the afternoon.

Officials for the game were Shultz of Ruby, referee; Hill of Ruby, head linesman; Hill of Snyder and Bishop of Hermleigh, timekeepers.

Starting lineups—

Neal	QB	Vernon
Odum	RB	Vaughn
Spikes	LB	Patterson
Blanchard	FB	Knight
Snyder	C	Werner
Keller	RG	Bralley
Erwin	LG	Ellis
Bates	LT	Bowen
Mebane	RT	Snowden
Lynch	LE	Wimmer
Terry	RE	Mason

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LOOKIN' 'EM OVER

By JAY ROGERS

Hermleigh's defeat of the Tigers last Friday gave them something to crow about. They have been boosting for the past several years that they could do it, and when their opportunity came they certainly did a swell job in making good their boast. The win for the Cardinals probably had more behind it than sheer luck, too. True, they caught the Tigers on an "off" day when they fumbled, missed passes and just couldn't get started seemingly, but there was also a young man standing on the sideline for whom they were willing to put forth every ounce of energy to win this game.

The young man was Forrest Beavers, coaching his first year of football, and a fellow who has won the admiration of all his players and fans. Not so many years ago Beavers was playing on a Tiger squad on Tiger Field and doing a good job of holding down a regular end position. His favorite touchdown play then was a long delayed pass down the right side of the field, usually thrown by Sonley Huestis, a teammate at that time. That play, incidentally, won several games for the Tigers back in 1934. Fans and teammates still recall his ability as a pass snagger.

Later in the year as a trackster for Snyder High School, Beavers went to regional meet on his uncanny ability to toss the shot and as a discus thrower, and still later won honors at the Fort Worth Stock Show meet. On his ability as an all-around athlete, Beavers then merited a place in Abilene Christian College where, four years later, he received his degree. During his stay there he won letters on the football, track and basketball teams.

One can imagine from this short excerpt from his athletic career that it must have meant a lot to this young coach to come back to his high school the first year of his coaching career and beat a home team of which he had been a member so few years back. And from indications his boys must have caught a slight glimpse of the spirit he manifested toward this game—so they did a fine job of playing.

With possibly one more game coming up for Scurry County teams after this week's tussles, attention will probably begin to turn toward basketball. Tigers will be issued equipment Monday, according to Coach Otto Barboe and will begin practice sessions as soon afterward as possible. With several lettermen returning from last year, and a host of promising recruits, Snyder now shows promise of being one of the chief contenders for county laurels this year.

Hermleigh Gridders Play at Dunn Friday

The highly favored Hermleigh Hermleigh Cardinals meet Dunn's Owls Friday afternoon in a home conference game, to begin at 2:30 o'clock.

A win for the Owls would indeed be enough to make their season this year a successful one. Such a win would place the Cardinals, heralded all season as favorites for the football crown, as second place winners without a chance for the title.

Although the Dunn boys have won half of their games played this year, they have failed to win a conference affair. They downed the Snyder Junior High Cubs twice and the Colorado City Junior High team once.

This game will be the last of the season for the Dunn team.

Who after his transgression doth repent, Is half, or altogether, innocent. —Herick.

Hermleigh to Face Fluvanna in Crucial Game November 27

Crucial tilt in the Scurry County Class B football league comprised of Fluvanna, Hermleigh and Dunn will probably come Wednesday afternoon, November 27, when Hermleigh's Cardinals vie with Fluvanna's Buffaloes on Tiger Field, Snyder.

There is still a shadow of a possibility that this game will not be the deciding game of the conference, however. If Dunn were to upset the dope bucket by beating the favored Cardinals Friday, Fluvanna would automatically become the title holder.

To present this year, Fluvanna has beaten Hermleigh, 13-12, and Hermleigh took the first game of the year, 12-6.

Much interest is already being shown in the game by both sides. If the Fluvanna boys are back in playing shape by game time, as they reportedly will be, the melee promises to be one of the top attractions of the year.

Roby's Class A Boys Smother Buffaloes Saturday Night 39-0

Fluvanna's Buffaloes, still crippled a bit from the tussle with Hermleigh last week, went down before a strengthened Roby eleven, 39-0, last Saturday night at Roby.

Such mainstays on the team this far this year as Captain Leroy Brown, Jack Wilson and Cliff McKnight were entirely out of the game for the Buffaloes. Bud White, who has set the pace for the backfield most of the season, played in the game but was far from being in top shape because of minor injuries.

Considering this fact, and also that substitutes in a small school are hard to find, probably the Buffaloes did as well as might be expected of a crippled team.

Roby, showing class that they have lacked in most of their games this year, led little trouble in scoring. Lewis Clark, Presley Cooper and Edward Feagan each scored two touchdowns for the victors.

Roby made 12 first downs in nine for Fluvanna, with the losers threatening only once.

STANDINGS

DISTRICT 6A CONFERENCE			
Team	W.	T.	L.
Colorado City	5	0	1,600
Rotan	4	0	1,800
Merkel	2	1	2,500
Loraine	2	0	400
Roscoe	1	2	333
Snyder	1	1	300
Roby	1	0	4,200

SCURRY COUNTY CLASS B TEAMS (Conference Standings)			
Team	W.	T.	L.
Fluvanna	3	0	1,750
Hermleigh	2	0	1,667
Dunn	0	0	0

Merkel Trims Class B Wingate Pirates In Friday Tilt, 39-7

Merkel (33) (T) Wingate (15) First Downs 2
Yards Gained Punting 29
Yards Gained Passing 89
5 of 11 Passes Completed 2 of 13
3 for 98 Punts 8 for 318
6 for 40 Penalties 3 for 35

Led by Backfielder Melton, who scored five touchdowns, the Merkel Badgers of District 6A defeated Class B Wingate Pirates, 38-7 at Merkel.

Melton scored on runs of five, 40, 15, six and five yards. Rutledge intercepted a pass and scattered 35 yards for the other.

Bishop snared a pass from Carl Hancock and ran 40 yards for the Wingate tally. Dunn rammed across the extra point.

The starting lineup: Merkel—ends, Winters and Hickam; tackles, Reynolds and Davis; guards, Rutledge and Derrington; center, McCoy; quarter, Melton; halves-guards, Shields and Minor; center, Bean; quarter, Carl Hancock; halves, Dunn and Sturdivant; full, McWilliams.

Wingate—ends, Bishop and Case Hancock; tackles, Sheppard and Dugger; guards, Rutledge and Derrington; center, McCoy; quarter, Melton; halves-guards, Shields and Minor; center, Bean; quarter, Carl Hancock; halves, Dunn and Sturdivant; full, McWilliams.

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Highway Week to Be Observed

LEADERS PLAN OBSERVANCES IN ALL COUNTY

W. R. Bell, Chairman of County Committee, Working on Varied Programs for Occasion

W. R. Bell, local business man, was named chairman this week of the Texas Highway Observation Week, a period to be throughout the county December 2 to 6, inclusive, officials of the Texas Good Roads Association report.

Bell accepted Tuesday afternoon appointment to head the committee to arrange and stage the Highway Week program in this county, and will work out details and name committees to assist with arrangements for the event, association attaches point out.

Texas Highway Week will be observed throughout the state during the designated week by proclamation of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel. The public is urged by the proclamation to take increased interest in their state highway system and its needs.

Officials and civic leaders of the state, counties, cities and town will lead in arranging public meetings and celebrations during the period. The Texas Good Roads Association and the State Highway Department are cooperating in helping plan state-wide observance.

"We will ask the schools of Scurry County to join with us in observing the special week," Bell stated Tuesday night, "and we are sure that the public will cooperate to help make the December 2 to December 6 observance a success. Special committees will be named next week to help with programs and other observances during the special week."

The Governor's proclamation designating the week calls upon all citizens to take inventory of the manifold blessings brought to them by the highway of this state, to consider the progress that has been made in the past toward a completed highway system, and to give serious thought to the future highway needs of the state so that Texas will continue to grow and prosper as its system of highway transportation is extended and improved," Bell continued.

"Motor vehicle transportation has experienced phenomenal growth in Texas during the last two decades, the proclamation said, and it pointed out that in the last fiscal year 1,758,761 motor vehicles were registered, as compared with only 434,928 in 1920.

"Not only have peace time needs for more and better highways rapidly increased, but now, in view of the national defense program and the mechanization and motorization of the rapidly expanding Army, new and heavy demands will be made on the Texas highway system as a result, the proclamation declared, Texas, being one of the most important states in the national defense program on account of its extensive coastline and the long international border on the south, has 6,375 miles of highways that have been designated by proper national defense agencies as strategic military highways.

"While realizing that highways, as the base of motor transportation, have revolutionized trade, commerce, industry and agriculture in Texas, and have contributed immeasurably to Texas' growth and prosperity, Governor O'Daniel's proclamation also adds," Bell points out.

"Recent surveys by cooperating state and federal agencies have disclosed that the state highway system is far from complete and that it would require an expenditure of approximately \$385,000,000 to bring the Texas highway system to a standard regarded as modern in the light of existing traffic demands.

"There are, 8,860 miles on the state system only partially improved, 5,600 miles in need of reconstruction, 4,836 miles of farm-to-market roads in need of construction, and additional designations pending before the Highway Commission, totalling 3,116 miles. Safety on the highways has become a problem of increasing social and economic importance," it also was added. "The building of safety features into the highway system has become a major item in highway needs."

Ranchers of the Hobbs community, in Western Fisher County, started something when several leading ranch owners recently planned experimental plots of Michel's grass, a hybrid resulting from a cross between wild rye and Mesquid winter wheat.

Cleveland Littlepage, vocational agriculture instructor at Hobbs School and one of the men responsible for obtaining the grass seed from C. R. Moon, Rotan druggist, states inquiries have been coming to him from many parts of the state in regard to obtaining seed of the new creation.

Michel's is a grass which originated in Idaho, and is still in the experimental stage. It is a grass which is beginning to show excellent drought resistant qualities, forms numerous seed, grows vigorously throughout the winter and provides adequate forage through the winter season.

They Want Cotton Christmas



Santa Claus will pick gifts of cotton this year if these Cotton Belt tots have their way about it. Holding between them the National Cotton Council's official 1940 Christmas emblem.

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FORTY MILLION IN BENEFITS OF AAA TO STATE

Scurry County Shares Over Quarter Million of Amount to Farmers And Ranchers of Area

Nearly \$40,000,000 already has been received by farmers and ranchers in the state's 254 counties cooperating with the 1940 AAA program, X. B. Cox Jr., county agent, stated Tuesday afternoon. An estimated \$50,000,000 will be paid out on this year's program.

Cotton and wheat parity payments, meanwhile, are nearing completion, state AAA officials report, after a committee meeting this week at College Station.

An estimated 405,000 agricultural conservation payments will be made under the 1940 program, state AAA attaches point out. To date 25,453 payments, totalling \$3,711,429, have been made. Last year at the same time only 8,000 payments had been made.

Cotton parity payments amounting to \$21,827,802 had been made to 297,737 producers out of an estimated 350,000 totalling \$25,000,000. Wheat parity payments are 99 per cent complete, \$3,475,864 having been paid to 47,858 producers.

The majority of 1940 agricultural conservation payments will be issued after December 1 because of the requirement that the total soil-building allowance must be earned if payments are to be made prior to the closing date for compliance in the program, which is November 30.

Housewife—"And are you really content to spend your life walking around the country begging?" Tramp—"No, ma'am, man's the time I wished I had a car."

Car Insurance Rates For Texas Slashed Under New Ruling

Truck and commercial vehicle operators in Scurry, Fisher, Mitchell, Nolan and other nearby counties received heartening news this week in the form of sweeping reductions in some classes of commercial and other vehicle insurance rates.

Announcement of the reductions was made Monday by Lynn Shaw, manager of the Texas Motor Transportation Association, who states the rate reductions will apply to Scurry and all other counties in Texas.

Reductions amounting to almost 30 per cent were made in the bodily injury and property damage rates on classes III and IV of commercial vehicles. Certain types of privately owned vehicles were given bodily injury rate reductions amounting to 25 per cent.

Classes II and IV, in which are included ambulances, local transfer trucks, contractors' trucks, local express and freight forwarding trucks, parcel delivery trucks, R. F. D. trucks, produce dealers' trucks, service cars and moving vans, were given reductions of almost 30 per cent by the new order which has just gone into effect.

Of interest to county motorists was the reduction, by 25 per cent, of the passenger car bodily injury rates. Rates were reduced by the same per cent for farm and ranch trucks and pick-ups. Further reduction was given several special vehicles by reclassification.

Chas. J. Lewis, county clerk, announced this week that those wishing to make application for notary public appointments should do so as soon as conveniently possible.

This statement is issued by Lewis after the amendment favoring appointment of notaries public by the secretary of state was passed, the state Democratic committee states, in the general election by a "whooping majority."

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Mrs. Roy Hallman Dies Last Week of Infection in Throat

A throat infection, from which she had been ill only a few hours, claimed the life last Tuesday afternoon in a Roscoe hospital of Mrs. Roy Hallman, 26, well-known resident of the Inadale community.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hallman were conducted last Wednesday afternoon, 2:00 o'clock, at the Pleasant Valley Church, Rev. M. F. Richardson of Abilene, assisted by Rev. C. E. Leslie of Hermleigh, officiated.

J. C. Angel, Willie Gale, Alfred Gale, Louie Brock, Theodore Soles and Leonard Hallman acted as pallbearers.

Born in Scurry County, Mrs. Hallman was reared in Northeast Mitchell County. Only survivors are her husband and two young sons, ages five and three.

Arrangements were in charge of Kiker & Son, with burial in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

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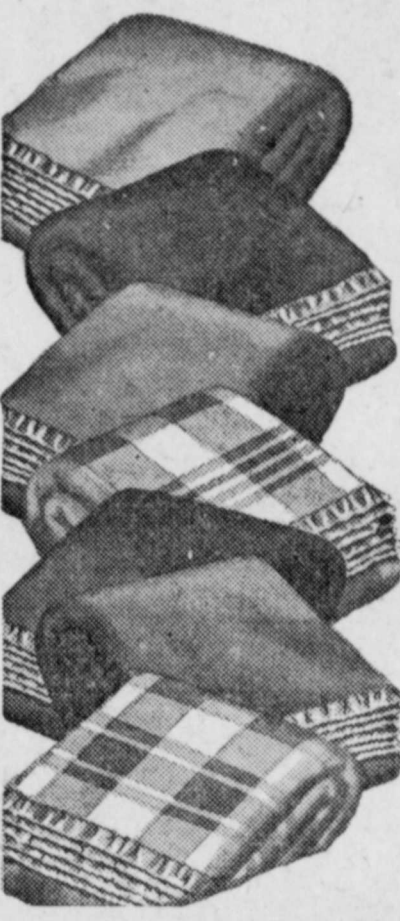
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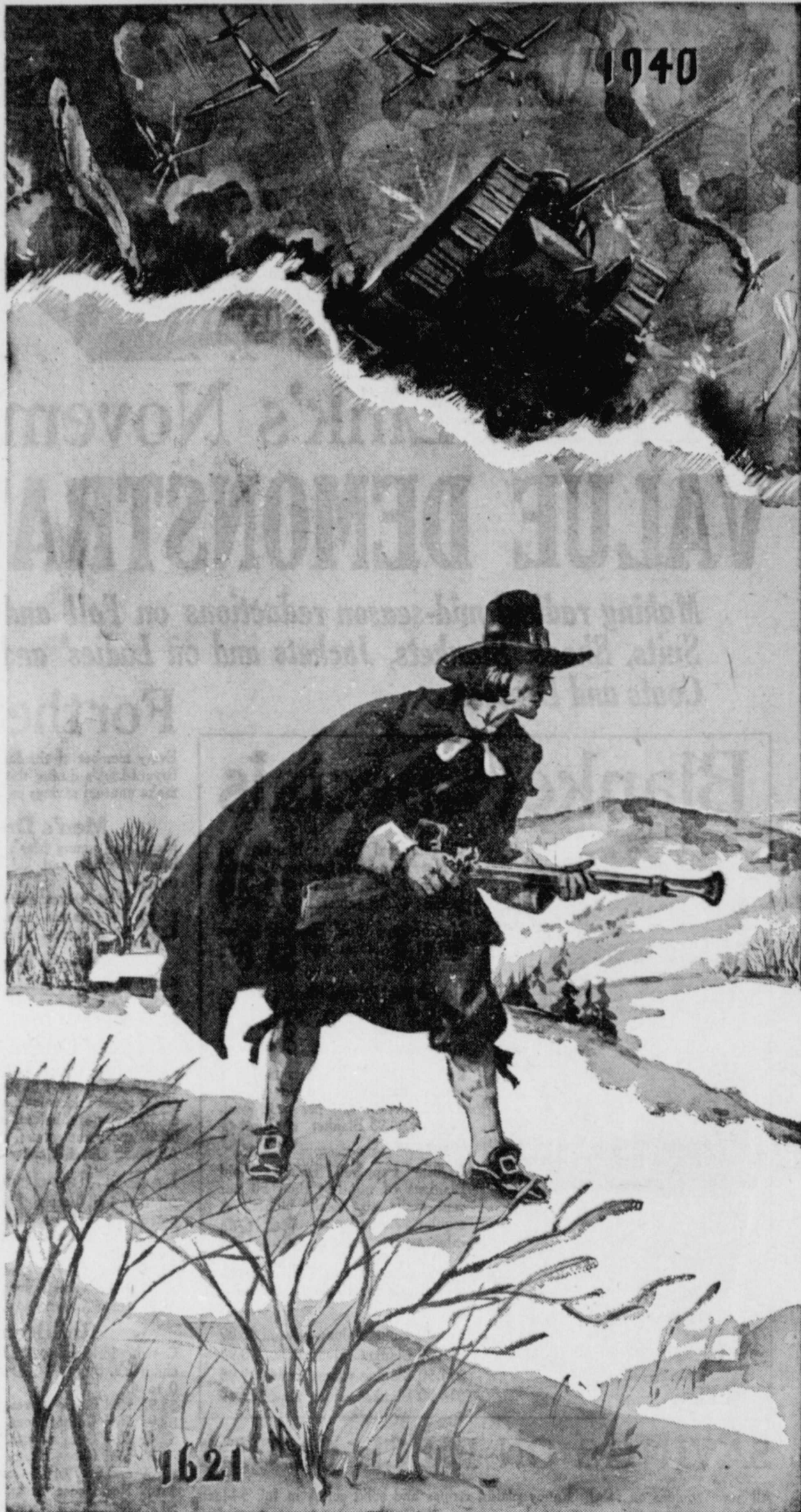
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THANKSGIVING DAY

SILVER LINING OF A CLOUDED YEAR

FOR THREE CENTURIES the breaking waves have dashed high on New England's rock-bound coast, since the day when the Pilgrim fathers shot the Indians away from their front door so they could eat turkey and cranberry sauce in peace—and thank the Almighty for another harvest.

They probably added to their Thanksgiving Day prayer their fervent gratitude that they were still unpierced by savage arrowheads, that their skulls were still uncracked by the tomahawk, and that they could comb their long hair without the scalp coming off.

Again today we celebrate Thanksgiving with much of the world either clouded with the black thunderhead of war, or ground under the heel of some grasping tyrant. The activities of the soldiery across the two blessed oceans make us wonder if we have progressed sensibly from arrowheads and tomahawks to tanks and bombers.

As our nation girds to keep our cities and countryside free from blood and destruction, we feel that this Thanksgiving we indeed have REAL reason to be grateful. Let us approach our celebration of this holiday in the courageous hope that we may be men and women enough to keep our country safe. Let our motto be:

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Cotton Bureau Begins Campaign to Raise Quality of Gin Lint

Picture Book

Mrs. A. M. Armstrong, Clairemont Route, displayed Tuesday afternoon at The Times office one of the loveliest scrap books completed by an amateur collector in many months.

The scrap book, which is in reality a "card book," contains over 900 picture post cards that represented 39 states, the District of Columbia and Hawaii. Foreign countries represented in the colorful collection of cards include Gibraltar, Philippine Islands, Germany, Japan, Alaska, Horta, Cuba, France, Mexico, Canada and Greece.

The intriguing collection of post cards was started early this year by Mrs. Armstrong at Kerrville. Index to the book contains the names of over 300 people who have contributed cards for the complete volume.

Cover for the "card book" is made of varnished plywood, with appropriate lettering etched with an electric pencil. Cards from each state are tabulated in neat order.

In a civil service examination given in New York City one of the questions asked was the following: "If a man buys an article for \$12.25 and sells it for \$9.75, does he gain or lose by the transaction?" One of the modern young things, after studying a while, is said to have given this answer: "He gains on the cents, but loses on the dollars."

MARKETING OF BETTER STAPLE AIDS GROWERS

Laboratory Working Toward Lint Improvement That Will Return Dividends to Producers

In a special dispatch to The Times this week, officials of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service, point out that ginneries of Scurry and nearby counties are cooperating 100 per cent this year to turn out better ginned lint than they did three or four years ago.

"Most ginneries," attaches of the Dallas AMS office emphasize, "are doing all they can to help in the big program in which cotton growers, ginneries and folks who handle cotton are working to improve the quality of our American lint.

"At the service of the cotton ginner in Scurry, Fisher, Garza, Kent and other Texas counties is the U. S. Cotton Ginning Laboratory at Stoneville, Mississippi. Here the bureau of agricultural chemistry and engineering maintain a complete testing laboratory for gin machinery.

"In this laboratory, all types of gin machinery utilized in the Scurry County trade zone and elsewhere is constantly being tested under the same conditions that are encountered at the typical country or town cotton gin.

"This testing machinery and equipment may sound a little odd, so far as it affects Scurry County gins, for example, but when county ginneries purchase new machinery, about one of the first questions is how the equipment stands up under laboratory tests at Stoneville," AMS officials continue.

"The work at Stoneville, however, can't be effective unless all the results of that work get to ginneries scattered over the Cotton Belt. To work with ginneries in this and other trade zones, most states have appointed gin specialists or gin engineers. These men work with ginneries in their respective states to help find ways in which they can do a better job of handling the seed cotton farmers bring in.

"The work of the gin specialists," the AMS emphasizes, "helps both ginneries and farmers in every county of Texas and other Cotton Belt states. Say a ginner, for instance, is having trouble with some of his cotton coming out with poor preparation—or even gin cut.

"If the ginner can't get rid of those rough or gin cut bales, the gin specialist usually can tell him the adjustment or changes which need to be made. If the usual causes of rough preparation are not causing the trouble, the specialists usually come to the gin and check the machinery to find what is wrong.

"Now the point is, how does this help the farmer? The better preparation of seed cotton always bet-

Cotton Gift Wrappings Distinctive



Demonstrating the added attractiveness of Christmas gifts wrapped in cotton cloth and tied with cotton ribbon, Miss Minnie Mae Grubbs, district home demonstration agent at Texas A. & M. College, exhibits cotton gifts and toys wrapped with cotton ribbon.

Plans for Collection of Delinquent Texas Are Studied by Texas Counties

"The collection of current and delinquent ad valorem taxes in Scurry County is becoming a pressing problem with local assessor-collector attaches from week to week," H. C. Bradshaw, economist in farm taxation with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at A. & M. College, stated after completing a survey on the subject here Tuesday.

"If these qualified assessor-collector officials do not collect delinquent taxes accruing from year to year," Bradshaw points out, "the Commissioners' Court has the authority to contract with an attorney to enforce the collection of such taxes.

"During the year that ended June 30, 1937, for example, delinquent tax contracts were in operation in 73 Texas counties. The total state and county taxes collected under these contracts amounted to \$2,017,920. The commissions paid the contractors amounted to \$247,131, or 12.2 per cent of the total collections. These figures are being closely watched by county officials of Scurry County," Bradshaw continued.

"Of the \$247,131 paid to contractors, \$69,231 was paid by the State of Texas, and \$177,900 was paid by the 73 counties. These amounts deducted from the taxes collected, and only the amounts remaining

ters the price the farmer gets for his cotton.

"So—when the gin specialist helps the ginner turn out better preparation—his helping preserve for his farmers all the quality they've grown into their cotton. This is important with any cotton, if measured in dollars and cents. It's especially important for cotton from the one-variety communities and other cotton improvement communities.

"The specialist, in helping the ginner to cut his costs, helps the farmers for whom the ginner works. If the ginner can cut his costs, he has more money to spend on modern machinery and more money to spend on keeping his equipment in A-No. 1 shape for turning out a good ginning job.

"That certainly helps the farmers. So—the work of these state cotton ginning specialists and gin engineers helps the farmer when it makes possible for the ginner to cut down his operating costs. And it helps the farmer when it helps the ginner to turn out a better ginning job," the AMS concluded.

Lions Club Hears Program Tuesday On Thanksgiving

Highlight of an exceptionally interesting program, given at Tuesday's Lions Club luncheon in the Manhattan Hotel, was woven around readings on Thanksgiving by Rose Marie Clawson, faculty member of Snyder Schools.

E. L. Farr, Snyder School superintendent, gave an intriguing discussion on Thanksgiving, from the time the first observance was held at Plymouth Rock in 1621 until the present.

"It is with a considerable amount of pride," Farr stated, "that we recall the first Thanksgiving observance, held by our Pilgrim fathers. They landed at their New England destination in 1620, and celebrated in 1621, on December 21, the first Thanksgiving Day.

"In their festivities, the Pilgrims gave thanks for a safe voyage across an uncharted sea, and voiced the hope that this great New World might endure through the centuries. Since then, Thanksgiving has been set by custom and tradition for the fourth Thursday in November, but we are observing the day on November 21, by presidential decree," Parr concluded.

Announcement was made concerning various and sundry deer hunters who had journeyed this week to wild game territory, and discussion was centered around the trip just completed by Lions H. L. Wren and J. E. Blakey.

According to a report received by the Lions Club, members Wren and Blakey motored to a point east of Canada—in a territory not usually stocked with the fleet-footed animals nimrods are seeking in all parts of the state.

Then and there, club reports indicate, did Wren and Blakey look about and find a corral where a certain party kept pet deer. Wren, it is alleged, managed to catch a pet eight-point buck, and securely tie his feet.

After the eight-point buck was thus tied near a corral, Blakey is reported to have shot the animal to death with a nigger shooter. Mrs. Blakey accompanied the two local hunters to a point near Canadian, where she visited her daughter.

Announcement was made that next Tuesday's meeting will be postponed until Friday, November 29, at which time the local club will meet at noon. Special guest for the occasion will be F. V. Wallace of Dumas, governor of Lions International 2-T District.

"Since the appearance of Wallace here Friday will mark the first time the club's district governor has visited Snyder following the reorganization of District 2-T, we want a 100 per cent attendance of club members for the occasion," President Pat Bullock stated.

Musical numbers for Friday's meeting will be furnished by the Fluvanna High School Blue Belles.

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RURAL TRENDS

ROGER M. KYES, Director, National Farm Youth Foundation

AMERICA IN REVERSE

It has taken us a little more than a generation of so-called progress to change the United States from a nation of security for the vast majority of its population to one of insecurity.

Libraries are filled with writings of industrial engineers who preached efficiency through the displacement of men by machines. They recommended huge investments for mass production with the result that billions of dollars have been invested to reduce the cost of production.

Unfortunately, a very important factor was overlooked. In each case the production mechanism required was able to reach the highest efficiency only through the production of one item. America developed a one-item industrialization and therein lies the "monkey wrench in the machinery."

The physical plant and equipment were localized. People migrated to the industrial centers from the rural areas. The migrants were mainly young men and young women who had been dazzled by the industrial cities.

America provided a great domestic market for industrial goods. So we proceeded to gear up and supply goods for that market.

The result was large-scale industry with mass production; large-scale transportation with massive, heavy trains and miles of expensive roadbed; and finally, large-scale farming of cash crops. These tremendous operations, when at full capacity, were said by the industrial engineer to be efficient. With a virgin market, the quantities of goods required for mass production were easily sold. First the cash market was saturated. As a result, we began borrowing on futures through what we called a high standard of living; and America became the "land of plenty."

You could borrow large amounts of money to build a manufacturing plant and the consumer could borrow money to buy your products. We called it prosperity.

Then something went wrong. People had not realized that this production was being financed out of savings and by borrowing on futures which were never to materialize. Our industrial machine could work efficiently at full capacity, but could not operate properly on a smaller scale.

Suddenly, city people found themselves either thrown out of

work or facing heavy financial losses. They had been induced to go so far from the land, through the inflexible economy of large-scale production, that there was no chance of sufficient numbers returning to the land, or making a living through their own efforts.

We all know too well the resulting situation that came in its wake. People immediately became conscious of their insecurity. Economic problems became political problems. History indicates that this usually happens. The specters of unemployment, starvation, hopelessness and finally, political revolution, came upon the scene. It makes no difference which political party is in power, history clearly indicates that most government leaders do the same things when confronted with these problems.

During the most severe phases, person in least secure economic positions were affected first. Socialized legislation, relief and increased government activity increased the burden of those formerly secure. They became afraid.

Since most people do not understand government financing, they feel secure. They cannot comprehend that a government, like a company, can run out of money. In the final stages everyone begins to feel the burden of taxation, particularly the farmer who has been supporting the entire population at great loss to himself.

These sacrifices on the part of the American farmer cannot continue. Urban populations will find themselves in an increasingly dif-

Edwin Terry Given Tarleton Promotion

Edwin Terry son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Terry, Route 3, and a student at John Tarleton Agricultural College, was promoted this week to the rank of first lieutenant in the Tarleton Cadet Corps. Lieutenant Colonel James D. Bender, professor of military science and tactics at the college, announced Tuesday.

The cadet officers and non-commissioned officers, Bender points out, will drill the R. O. T. C. unit and exercise the same authority as regular army officers of the same rank. Tarleton's Cadet Corps is composed at present of approximately 775 students.

DUNN SUPPER

A Thanksgiving supper being sponsored by the Dunn Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service has been postponed from November 21 to November 29. The affair will be held Friday night of next week, society leaders announce.

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Miscellaneous

Stated meeting of Scurry County Lodge No. 766, AF&AM, will be held on the second Tuesday night, December 10, 7:00 p. m. Visitors are welcome.

J. O. TEMPLE, W. M.
J. E. LeMOND, Secretary.

ICE BOX and refrigerator bargains at Home Appliance Company, across from City Hall. 12-tfc

PLENTY OF MONEY to loan; low rate of interest; long terms.—Spears-Louder-Deffebach. 15-tfc

GOING FAST—Those prepared groceries for cash—See Worley Early at E. & H. Cafe. 1c

CARD OF THANKS

Words fail to express our sincere appreciation for the many kind people who had a part in donating to us following the loss of our truck and household furnishings. We are deeply grateful to the people, one and all, who helped us get back to Austin. We also wish to thank Howard Riggs for his kindness toward us. Neal Huckabay and family. 1p

FOOT COMFORT is vital during the holidays, so remember Ewing's Paracel Ointment is guaranteed to quickly relieve itching of Eczema, Itching Ringworm or Athlete's Foot or the purchase price refunded. Large jar only 50c at Irwin's Corner Drug Store. 43c

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FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms for rent; downstairs; bills paid.—811 24th Street. 22tfc

BOARD AND ROOM—Bedroom for rent with or without meals. Close in.—Mrs. W. W. Early, 1600 27th Street. 15tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment.—Mrs. Gaston Brock, 2000 Avenue S. 1c

FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent, private bath.—Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, 1201 24th Street, telephone 373. 1c

MODERN SIX-ROOM HOUSE for rent or sale, easy terms, 13th at Avenue S. Phone 9531.—Roy Lacy. 1p

Business Services

4% INTEREST on farm and ranch loans, 20 to 34 years time.—Hugh Boren, secretary-treasurer, Snyder National Farm Loan Association, Times basement. 35-tfc

AUTO LOANS. See Wayne Boren, agent, Snyder Insurance Agency office. 15-tfc

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Help Wanted

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Mr. W. C. Ferguson, Hamilton, Tex.

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Mrs. Rufus Vickrey, 1110 S. E. 4th Ave., Mineral Wells, Tex.

Mrs. Earl Farris, 810 Oak St., Dabart, Tex.

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Mrs. L. E. Irish, Logansport, La. Miss Billie Dean Gandy, 302 N. Bailey, Hobart, Okla.

Mrs. J. A. Shifflette, Box 483, Gladewater, Tex.

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Miss Irene Wallace, Box 209, San Saba, Tex.

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Mrs. Robert Austin, 117 Koberlin, San Angelo, Tex.

Mrs. V. D. Glass, 824 Pine St., Texarkana, Tex.

Fourth Contest Closed Nov. 9
Dealer's Prize (\$50.00)
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Dealer's Prize (\$20.00)
Adams Super Market, Sweetwater, Tex.

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Biel Grocery, Corpus Christi, Tex.

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Perry's Food Store, Palestine, Tex.

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**HERE IS MORE CONCERNING
TEXTBOOKS**
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ed for purchase of new textbooks next year unless gradual introduction of the new books is ordered, and \$500,000 will be required for replacements.

With gradual introduction the estimate was \$1,800,000. It was pointed out estimates are required by law to be 25 per cent high to take care of any contingencies and that actual expenditures for new books will probably be between \$1,500,000 and \$1,600,000 and the total cost of books about \$2,000,000.

Tisinger gave a short review of textbook purchases for the past 20 years showing that despite the great increase in number of different books furnished to the schools, and increase of 50 per cent in school days a year, supplying free textbooks to schools costs no more now than 15 years ago. He said 180 free texts are supplied now compared with 73 texts used 15 years ago.

CITY CLEAN-UP ENDED

November clean-up work in Snyder ended Tuesday afternoon in a blaze of glory, so far as results are concerned. S. E. Keller, city sanitation officer, and other city officials report the clean-up campaign met a hearty response on the part of Snyder residents, who cooperated 100 per cent to make the town trash free for the holiday season ahead.



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**Dozen Students
Attend Scholastic
Press Gathering**

Accompanied by Effie LeLeod, head of the English department in the local school, and Mrs. Herman Gaylean, 12 Snyder High School journalism students attended the annual West Texas Scholastic Press Clinic, held Friday and Saturday at Lubbock.

"Newspaper work is still glamorous and newspaper reporters still lead colorful lives," the local clinic attendants and others were told Friday night at a Chamber of Commerce sponsored banquet at Hotel Lubbock.

High school journalism students from here and other parts of West Texas heard addresses during the clinic by Herschel Schooley, head of the journalism department at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and J. Edward Connor, director of extension and publicity at New Mexico Normal University at Las Vegas.

Schooley discussed "Newspaper Glamour," pointing out that most boys want to become reporters these days, not firemen or policemen. He showed that there is excitement and action in all phases of newspaper work—sports, crime, war, politics. He emphasized the fact that newspaper men must have the courage at this time to tell the truth.

Following the clinic's business session, Mrs. Ross Ayers and Mrs. L. H. Kirby led the students in old fashioned square dancing Friday evening.

Friday afternoon, the visiting high school students were guests at the now famous Tech-Wake Forrest football game.

Ray Helms, Jack Terry, Charlie Dunn, Violet Shultz, Forrest Crowder, Bobbie Jean Morrow, Glynn Curry Snyder, Thayne Mebane, W. H. Forkner, Cyrella Fish and Billy Newton composed the local school journalism students who attended the clinic. The group, accompanied by Miss McLeod and Mrs. Gaylean, returned Saturday night.

RAINED WEDNESDAY

Rainfall that began early Wednesday morning gave Snyder .12 of an inch precipitation up until 11:00 o'clock Wednesday morning. Threatening skies indicate, as The Times goes to press, that more rainfall will likely be received this (Wednesday) afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends who were so kind and thoughtful toward us at the time of the death of our beloved wife, mother and daughter. May God's richest blessings be upon you.

—Ray Hallman and boys, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gale.

**HERE IS MORE CONCERNING
SCHOOLS**
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county. Final plant visited last Thursday was Plainview, another standardized plant employing two teachers.

Second installment of the inspection tour was started early Monday morning by Irvin and the three county board members, Ennis Creek, a standardized plant, modern in every respect, was first on the port of call.

Ennis Creek School, conducted in the county's most recently built frame structure, is the only county school utilizing butane gas for heating purposes. The gas, thermostatically controlled, is proving satisfactory, board members learned.

Next school visited was Martin, a school that has been greatly improved the past two years. Dermott School, with its recently finished native rock drinking fountain, was inspected prior to the group's going to Fluvanna for a noontime stop.

Board members were particularly pleased, upon inspecting the Fluvanna School, at the spacious auditorium. Lunch was served in the school cafeteria by Mrs. Tommie Parquhar, operator.

E. D. Wedgeworth, superintendent, Gilbert Mize, Fluvanna High School principal, Wallace Jones and Almas Haynes, Fluvanna school board members, joined the group for lunch.

First school visited Monday afternoon was Arah, located in the western part of the county. This is the only one-teacher school operating in the county.

Next port of call was Turner, a plant that has the largest enrollment of any two-teacher Scurry County school. Bethel was next visited, where work has been resumed following a period of dismissal for cotton picking.

Board members were well pleased with plant conditions found at all county schools, and particularly at Crowder, a progressive eight-grade plant. Board members were presented here with special Thanking cards by the student body.

Canyon, next school inspected, had also just resumed classroom work, after a holiday for cotton harvesting work. A number of permanent improvements were noted at Bison School, after which board members cut through the Sharon Ridge oil field and proceeded to Ira.

Interest at Ira was centered on the vocational agriculture shop, the homemaking department and class rooms. Sanitary conditions at Ira, and other county schools, rated a straight A mark on the visiting group's score card.

"As an example of what can be done in county schools," board members stated late Monday afternoon, at the tour's conclusion, "we should like to point out the hog scalding vats that have recently been completed at Fluvanna School under direction of Buford Browning vocational agriculture instructor."

"The FFA boys there, under Browning's supervision, will butcher hogs for people of the community for 25 cents per hundred pounds of weight. This will not only give the boys some needed experience, but will allow their FFA chapter to earn some spending funds, and allow it at the same time to be classed as a community service. This is just one example of what county schools are doing to enrich student life all along the line.

"As a result of the Thursday and Monday tours, we believe we will have a better working knowledge of county schools than heretofore. We find physical conditions at our county schools far better than they were even two or three years ago," the board members concluded.

**Foot Specialist Will
Be at Snyder Store**

Forest Sears of the J. H. Sears & Company store, west side of the square, announces that a special representative of Dr. Scholl's Foot School, Chicago, will be at the local store all day Monday to diagnose foot ailments of people in this trade territory.

Dr. Scholl has spent more than 35 years in the study of feet and foot troubles, and has developed scientific aids for virtually every type of foot trouble known. The Scholl representative will demonstrate the foot doctor's methods of relieving foot troubles, and will assist people of this area to obtain prompt relief from any foot ailments they may be suffering.

Get office supplies at Times office.

Chili Spelling

"Once they get the money order, the document is practically in the hand of the person to whom it is made," a close observer remarked at the local post office Saturday afternoon after the following incident occurred:

Postmaster Warren Dodson, on the job for business as usual, had just "fired up" a fresh postmaster's cigar when a Mexican stepped up to the window desiring a money order made out to another Mexican friend at San Antonio. When Dodson asked about the name the order was to be made out to, the Mexican gave his a six-syllable name, pronounced in perfect Spanish, which proved to be something of a jaw cracker.

Finally, when Dodson had put in "black and blue" the six-syllable name, the Mexican replied "muy bueno," since only one of two letters had been left out of the lengthy John Henry. "What matter," the south of the border resident said, "does a one or two letters left out make. Once Uncle Sam O. K., the receiver can start spending it pronto."

EMPLOYED AT BEADEL'S

Kenneth Eades, employed for the past several years at various service stations in Snyder, is now employed by Beadel's Food Store, east side of the square, operator Allen Beadel stated Tuesday. Eades, well known in this trade territory, invites his friends to visit him at his new place of employment.

Two colored men were up before the judge in police court for speeding in their ramshackle auto.

"Have you a lawyer?" asked the judge.

"Naw, suh," replied the spokesman. "We has decided to tell the troof."

PALACE Theatre

Thursday, November 21—

"Moon Over Burma"
starring Dorothy Lamour with Robert Preston and Preston Foster. Also News and "Quall Quest" a novelty for the hunter.

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 22-23—

"Cherokee Strip"
with Richard Dix, Florence Rice, Victor Jory, Andy Clyde and others. Tops in outdoor entertainment. Novelty and Cartoon Comedy.

Saturday Night Prevue and Sunday and Monday, November 23-24-25—

"Arise My Love"
starring Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland with big cast. Also News and Musical.

Tuesday, November 26—

"Young People"
starring Shirley Temple with Jack Oakie. News and Cartoon Comedy. Bargain Night.

Wednesday - Thursday, Nov. 27-28—

"No Time for Comedy"
starring James Stewart and Rosalind Russell with Charlie Ruggles. News and Cartoon Comedy.

TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, November 21—

"Triple Justice"
starring George O'Brien. King of the Royal Mounted serial and Porky Pig cartoon. Family Nights.

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 22-23—

"Sons of Roaring Dan"

starring Johnny Mack Brown with Fuzzy Knight and the Texas Rangers. A blast of dynamite action and excitement. Deadwood Dick serial and Cartoon Comedy.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 24-25-26—

"Three Men from Texas"

featuring William Boyd as Hop-along Cassidy, Russell Hayden, Andy Clyde, Hoppy and his pals in a rip-snortin' thriller. Novelty and Cartoon Comedy.

Wednesday - Thursday, Nov. 27-28—

"Five Little Peppers In Trouble"

with Edith Fellows, Dorothy Peterson and others. The Five Little Peppers help an old man win. King of the Royal Mounted serial and musical comedy. Family Nights.

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RICE	Uncle Ben's, 2-Lb. Package	15c
RAISINS	Sun-Maid, 4-Lb. Package	31c
BROOMS	Good Quality, 4 Strand	18c
Wheat Flakes	Miller's, Bowl Free, 2 Packages	21c
APRICOTS	Excellent Quality, Per Gallon	45c
COFFEE	Admiration, 3-Lb. Glass Jar	72c
CANDY	Fresh Chocolate, Per Pound	10c

Newton's Grocery

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Greeks Take Second Inning of War; 2,000 Killed in Rumanian Earthquake; Rumors of Changes in Next Cabinet; British Bombers Raid Italian Fleet

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the writer and not necessarily of this newspaper.



WOODBRIDGE, N. J.—This scene of desolation met the eye after a terrifying blast leveled the United Railway and Signal Co., here, killing nine persons and injuring 33. Though the plant made torpedo signals for railroads, it was said to be working on a device of "great importance" to the army and navy.

FOUR HORSEMEN:

War Greece is connected to Fascist-landed Albania by three highways running through deep mountain passes...

WAR AT SEA:

British Losses Britain was not hiding the fact that continued loss of freighter vessels was seriously interfering with the conduct of the overseas supplies...

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NIBLETS... of the week's news

Spy—Tyler Kent, 29-year-old clerk in the American embassy in London, was convicted of an offense against the Official Secrets Act...

Refugee



NEW YORK.—Mme. Annette Clemenceau, daughter-in-law of Georges Clemenceau, "The Tiger" of France in World War days, is photographed on her arrival in New York aboard the S. S. Exeter.

CONGRESS:

No Business

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Chemurgy Aids in Turning Farm Crops Into Materials Vital in Defense Program

By GREGORY WOOD (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

WASHINGTON, D. C.—As Uncle Sam's defense program gains further momentum, America's farms will supply an increasing quantity of raw materials that will flow into factories and munitions plants as field crops and emerge in the form of essentially important supplies for our armed forces...



Typical of many products being produced through chemurgy processes are these automobile accessories made from soybeans. Dr. O. E. May, U. S. D. A. chemist, stands beside the display.

Milk, or its by-products, is now being used in the making of plastics and prints. Chemists claim they can make cheap but attractive draperies and rugs from skimmed milk...

Twenty-five years ago, when the first World War broke out, Chemurgy—the new science of transforming farm crops into industrial products—was not in existence...

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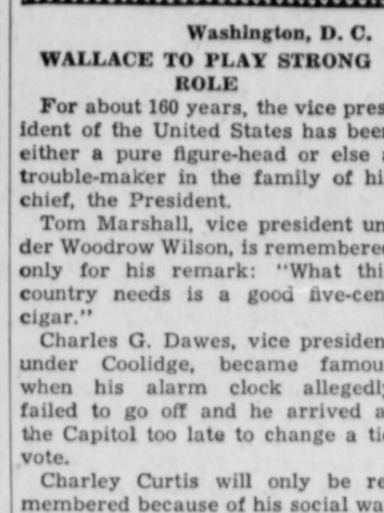
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Hook Posy Pad for Chair or Foot Stool

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



WHEN I made the sketch in Sewing Book 5 showing the method that our Grandmothers used for making original hooked rug designs, I forgot that Grandmother did not wear silk stockings every day...

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Arah News

Mrs. J. H. Langford, Correspondent
Mrs. Lenoir had as her guest last Saturday night her niece, Angie Frizell of Ft. Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lenoir and Marjorie Chapman visited recently with the Frizells in Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks returned to their home in New Mexico after a week's visit with his parents.
Mrs. A. M. Cunningham and children of Seminole spent from Saturday afternoon in the John Langford home.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Langford and son, Robert, were in Lubbock recently, having J. H.'s and Robert's eyes examined.
Mr. and Mrs. Stokes visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Parks. Mr. and Mrs. Stone and children visited Sunday with G. W. Parks.

German News

Ollie Pagan Correspondent
Noah Brown has been in Amarillo for some time in the Veterans Hospital. He recently underwent an operation and was doing nicely at last report.
Mrs. Rob Wells and sons, Jesse Wayne, Art and Lewis, of Snyder spent Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Pagan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken and son, Truman, and W. L. Wenken visited Sunday in the home of C. H. Hilcher at Hermleigh.
Mrs. A. Parker received word that her brother, J. O. Casey, who has been in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo for some time, underwent an appendicectomy operation and is reported doing fine.
G. W. Wenken and son, Truman, visited in Lorraine Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wenken called on Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rice in Sweetwater Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs. G. W. Wenken surprised Mrs. Joe Milton Rice of Sweetwater with a bridal shower Friday afternoon. The women present registered a white satin bride's book which was a gift of the hostess to the honoree. After the gifts were opened and admired, refreshments were served. The young bride was the former Ann Mahoney, daughter of Jack Mahoney, who is a brother of Mrs. G. W. Wenken. Joe Milton is the son of Mrs. Hanna Rice, a sister of G. W. Wenken. Thus the couple are both relatives of the Wenken family, but no kin to each other. We believe this to be a Ripley's "Believe It or Not."

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Crowder News

Mrs. J. A. McKinney, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brooks celebrated their 70th and 70th birthdays Sunday, with all the children present except two. Those attending were: Daughters—Mrs. Pauline Hardee and son, Ford, Mrs. James A. Love and children, Betty Sue and George Edward, all of Terrell; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hindman and granddaughter, Dorothy Sue Love, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hornon and children, Jake and Janet, of the Union community; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Townsend and children, Bob, Hattie Jane, Arthur Jr. and Clarence, of Snyder; sons—R. F. Brooks and family of Plainview community; Tom Brooks and family of the Bethel community; and Pete Brooks and family of this community; grandchildren—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Niedecken and daughter, Joyce, of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Stator Clinkin of Terrell; and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carnes and son, Gene, of Snyder. We wish for this couple many more happy birthdays.

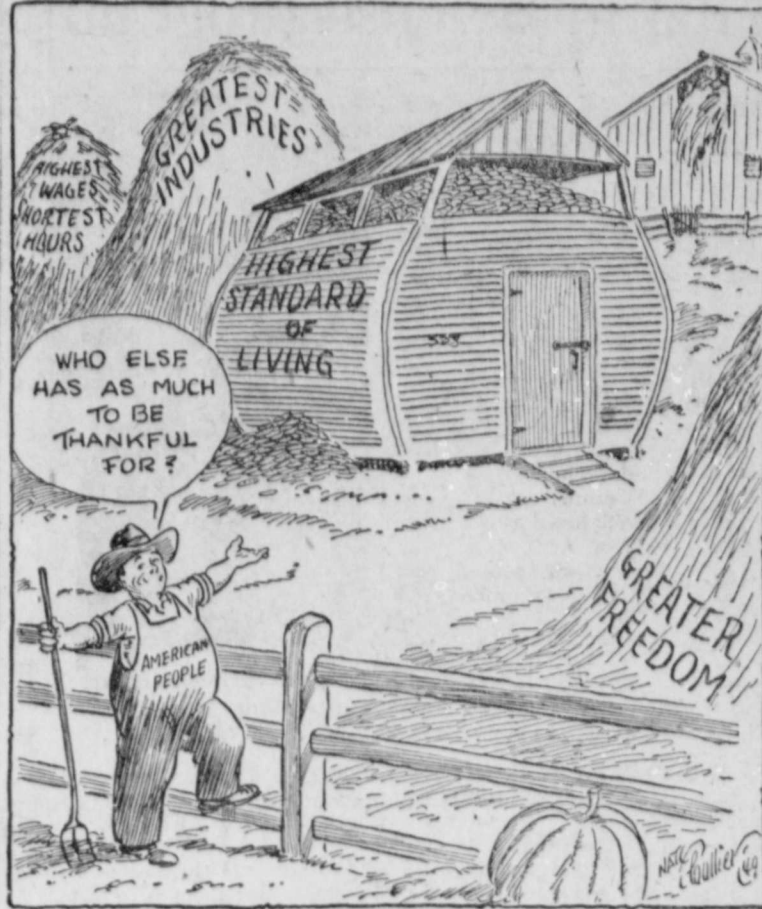
The county school board, L. C. Hess, J. D. Roberson and John Stavelly, with County Superintendent Roy O. Irvin, visited our school Monday. They complimented the school in the work being done.
Miss Burnelle Eicke, formerly of this community, surprised her parents and friends here by getting married last week.
Mr. and Mrs. John Pitner and daughter, Geraldine, and son, Johnny Joe, have returned from East Texas. They also visited the Dallas Fair.
Mrs. Leftwich is reported to be planning a party for November 19, celebrating the birthdays of Frances Eades, Johnnie Joe Pitner and Frieda Davis.
Fred Davis has gone to Pampa to attend a conference.
Allie Beth Rossion of the Union community visited Saturday night with Opal Fay Connell.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lair of Goldsboro visited this week with Mrs. G. E. Chorn and family.
Mrs. Fatheree is returning to her home in Abilene after a several week visit here.
W. L. King and family spent Sunday in the Stringer home in the Canyon community.
Mr. and Mrs. Jay Connor and Jim McCright called in the Loy Marsh home Sunday evening.
L. A. Mae, Nancy and Paul Hill of Plainview community spent Sunday with Henry Grady Gafford.
Mr. and Mrs. Vesta Banta were shopping in Sweetwater Friday.
Mrs. Annie Early is on the sick list this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Caffey and Mrs. Martin Thompson have returned to their homes in California after a week's stay with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caffey.

SEE RANDALS Lumber Company for Butane gas plants and equipment. 15-tfc

THANKSGIVING, 1940



Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent
Josie Lee Huey of Bison spent the week-end with Lottie Mae Weller.
Mary Dave Pogue was a Sunday guest of Anna Jo McElyea.
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Merket, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Merket, all of China Grove, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rosson.
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brooks visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brooks at Crowder.
Colleen Smith spent Saturday night with Anna Jo McElyea in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walthall and children of San Angelo visited Sunday in the John Woodard home.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant and family visited Sunday in the Alvin Camp home in Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arnold and children spent Sunday at Hermleigh in the Henry Arnold home.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lapour and children of Hermleigh and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lapour and daughter of Strayhorn spent Sunday in the V. M. Head home.
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Corbell and family were Sunday guests in the L. B. Corbell home in Hermleigh. Singing will be held at Plainview community Sunday night, beginning at 7:00 o'clock.

Ennis Creek News

Imogene Panter, Correspondent
Mrs. Wade and daughter, Millie, visited Sunday in Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Holly Shuler of Union visited in the Panter home last Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Horsley visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCollum at Dunn.
Some of the young folks here visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Chandler in Snyder.
R. L. Rainwater spent last week-end in Big Spring.
Eva Lee Welch of Martin visited Sunday with Thula Mae Rainwater. Jackie Newton of Snyder spent the week-end with Paul Panter.

Pleasant Hill News

Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bills spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woolver and family.
J. A. Merritt visited last week with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Will Merritt, and family in Magnolia, Arkansas.
Mrs. W. H. Merritt, Hugh and Mary Lue Merritt, spent Sunday afternoon in the oil field.
L. G. Williams and daughter, Kathleen, of Hanley spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Merritt and family.
Rev. Cecil Rhodes of Melvin visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bills and family.

Mt. Zion News

Susie Mae Reep, Correspondent
Beazel Marchbanks spent last week with his grandparents in Palava.
Mrs. Mary Ellen James and small daughter and Jesse James of Tahoka spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Inman.
Dale and Joe Burkett of Crosbyton, Eula Mae Reep of Camp Springs and Dorothy Fay Simmons of Strayhorn spent Sunday with Travis and Orneath Inman.
Shorty Smith of Palava spent the week-end in the J. W. Marchbanks home.

Those who visited with Joe Reep and family recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reep and daughter of Sylvester, Mrs. A. R. Morton and Lory, Sammy and Grady Weller of Plainview, S. T. Monroe, Gerald, Wayland and Dale Walton of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Higginbotham of Midway.
Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nicks are the proud parents of a baby boy. He arrived last week.
The box supper last Friday night was a success. We want to thank every one helping, including the business men of Snyder.
We are sorry that Pearl Dixon of Midway community was injured in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon. Miss Dixon is well known in this community.

Bison News

Mattie Shook, Correspondent
Rudens Berryhill of Snyder spent the week-end with Lawrence Branson.
Clara Wells of Snyder visited the past week-end with Frankie Bath Strom.
Mr. and Mrs. Wright Huddleston and son and Mrs. T. J. Ellis visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Al Huddleston at Hermleigh.
Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Cary and children and Mrs. Andy Trevey visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Key and daughter at Snyder.
Lawrence Branson returned home Saturday after spending 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gladson at Snyder.
Josie Lee Huey visited the past week-end with Lottie Weller in Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Rinehart and children visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rinehart.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hardin and children of Snyder visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woody and family.

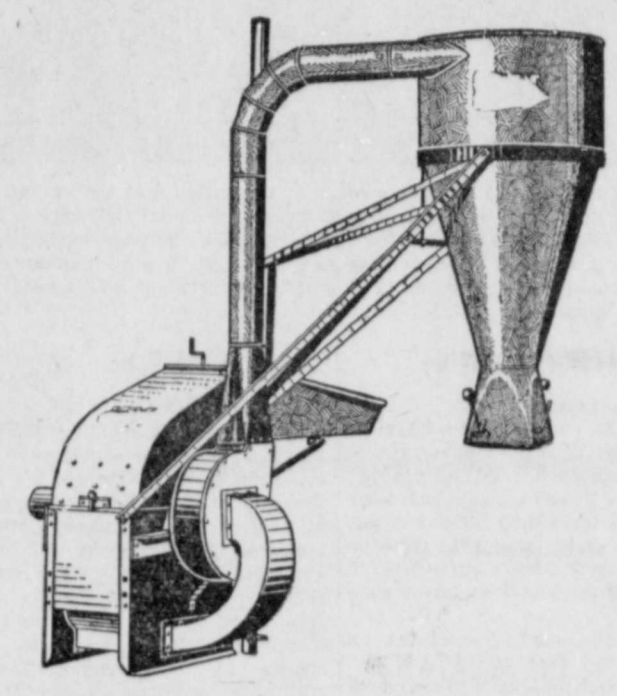
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Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent
Nest Cox of Sweetwater is visiting in the Ira Simmons home.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge visited in the Martin Reep home at Camp Springs lately.
People of this place were sorry to hear of the accident happening to Miss Pearl Dixon last Sunday when a car ran over her.
Marcus Hamilton of Strayhorn spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Schooner Etheredge.
Mrs. Henry Williams is still in Nolan Hospital suffering from a cold she received while washing.
Mrs. Schooner Etheredge and children and Mamie Dell Simmons spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Marion Hamilton at Strayhorn.
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Etheredge and children of Sylvester spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Etheredge.
As this news letter is being written the weather is very unsettled. It looks very much as if it may rain on Thanksgiving.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge and children recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Adole Murff near Rotan.
J. C. and Bill Cave and Charlie Seaton went deer hunting over the week-end. Bill Cave was proud of the deer he killed.

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Turner News

Helen Morrow, Correspondent
Mrs. A. R. Willingham and children, Ralph and Margaret, of Hobbs spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Morrow.

Clark Light made a trip to Crane Sunday.

There will be a singing at Turner on first Sundays in the month.

Marion Jones of Bethel spent the week-end with Nell Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wortham of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lockhart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts and family spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson and children visited Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Addison on the Plains.

Beatrice Lockhart spent Thursday night with Avalon Liso at Snyder.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

We extend sympathy to Mrs. S. G. Lunsford in the death of her brother, J. T. Brady, of Denton, and also to S. G. Lunsford in the death of his sister in Collins County.

Mrs. Ruthie Davis visited last week with her sister, Mrs. Jess Harris, in Comanche.

Bobbie Mitchell of Carlsbad, New Mexico, spent Friday night with home folks.

Jimmie Merritt of Pleasant Hill spent Sunday with Laema Woolver and attended church at Union.

Fred Davis attended the Methodist annual conference at Pampa.

We are sorry to report that Walter Taylor is on the sick list this week.

Guests in the J. B. Adams home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boles and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McAnally and son of Lamesa, Mrs. John Berry and Mrs. John Biggs and son and Josef Bynum of Snyder.

J. B. Adams made a trip to Amarillo Saturday to see about his brother. He reports his brother to be somewhat improved, but very ill. It will be several weeks, he stated, before his brother will be able to be X-rayed.

S. A. Pence was called Saturday to Merkel to be at the bedside of his father, who is seriously ill.

The Union Home Demonstration Club will meet November 29 at 2:00 o'clock with Mrs. O. L. Moore. The change was made so that Miss Rabel could meet with us. All members and people who are interested are urged to be present. Officers are to be elected for another year.

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Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Old Man Winter made his appearance last Tuesday in this section and several people here killed him.

Mrs. W. A. Kretz of Brawley, California, is visiting in the George Wright and E. E. Carllie homes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard were dinner guests Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Williams, in Snyder, and also visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blackard and son.

Campbell Lloyd of Abilene spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields and family of Snyder spent Monday in the home of his mother, Mrs. G. R. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor and daughter, Joy, of Snyder were recent guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Miller in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor and daughter, Bobbie, of Canyon attended church here Sunday and visited in the J. E. Falls home.

Mrs. W. O. Webb visited Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Eades in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Sears Cook and children spent Sunday in the Otho Cook home at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Webb and children of O'Donnell visited relatives here and at China Grove over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kelly and family visited in the Forrest Leo Kelley home in Snyder Sunday. We are sorry to report that Mrs. Kelley is very ill at this writing. Frances Kelley returned home Sunday and Mrs. E. B. Kelley remained for a while. We wish for Mrs. Kelly a speedy recovery.

Sunday afternoon guests in the G. R. Newman home were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rushing and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields and family, all of Snyder.

Rev. S. B. Hughes of Big Spring filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church over the week-end and was Sunday guest in the Owen Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Haddock and baby of Dermott spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Giddens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flournoy and son of Fluvanna spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davenport.

Mrs. Eugene Kruse accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White and Mrs. Melvin Wilson and baby to Kermit for a few days' visit this week.

Fearl Clark spent Sunday with Mrs. Alex Barnett. We are glad to report that Mrs. Barnett, who has been ill recently, is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eades and baby attended the wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eades in Snyder last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant and son, Will, of Union spent Sunday with Mrs. Dez Bryant and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Miller attended the funeral of Mrs. Boss Gale's daughter of Buford last Wednesday. Mrs. Gale is Mr. Miller's niece.

Sunday guests in the John Webb home were Mrs. Minnie Webb, Troy

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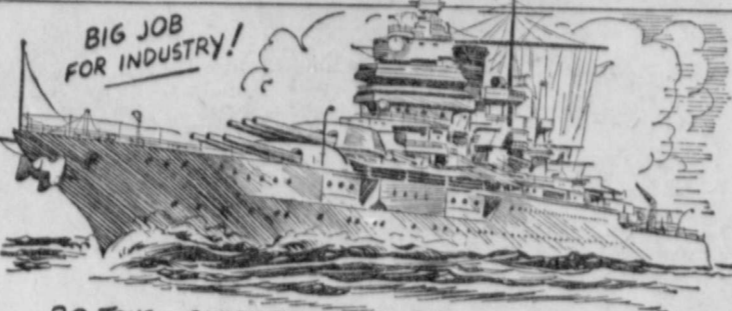
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Canyon News

Mrs. Dayton McCarter, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Martin and children of Round Top spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCarter.

Mrs. Jim Sterling and baby, Lolla, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill, at Gary, at this writing.

Mrs. Coleta Bridges of Cooper is here to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Goolsby, and family.

At the club one night a doctor, an architect and a politician were discussing the question of which of their professions was the most ancient. At length, each strove to clinch the honor for his profession with these points:

Doctor—"Eve was made from Adam's rib. That surely involved a surgical job."

Architect—"Yes, but before that order was brought out of chaos. That was an architect's job."

Politician—"But how about that chaos? Didn't anyone make it?"

and La Rue Cotton and Tom Webb, all of China Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb.

Dinner guests in the Marshall Boyd home were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Webb and children, Budzie, Bobbie and Jack, all of O'Donnell, Helen Sulter and Troy Cotton.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Elmer Taylor is able to be back at school after several days of illness. Mrs. Roy Irvin of Snyder taught in her place.

Mary Ellen Williams of Snyder spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan and sons were Sunday afternoon guests in the R. G. Crowder home at Round Top.

County Line News

Mrs. W. R. Payne, Correspondent

Mrs. G. P. Stewart had as guests in her home the past week the following relatives from Hico: Mrs. Whiteside and son, Clarence, and a brother, S. E. Patterson.

Saturday Leo and Vaudean and Bobbie Jack Hodges and William West, P. M. and Zelma D. West of Ira went to the Carlsbad Caverns recently and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bonner in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Last week Mrs. Tommie Lee McMillan and children of Midland visited her father, Lee Tow.

Fletcher Brown, who has been ill for some time at the home of his parents, returned last week from Scott & White Clinic in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Payne and family are leaving last of this week for Hill County, where they will make their home.

Crockett Brown is driving a 1941 model V-8.

Practical education was the topic discussed at the Ira Parent-Teacher Association meeting in its regular study hour Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Baldwin was in charge of the following program given:

1.—Home, the Threshold, by Miss Richards.

2.—Home, a Cultural Center, by Mrs. Perry Echols.

3.—Habit, the Handmaid of Character, by Mrs. Louis Vaughn.

4.—School, a Community Center, by Herschel Dunn.

Net proceeds of the cake walk held last week was well over a hundred dollars. Patsy Hardee was crowned queen of entertainment.

I distrust those sentiments that are too far removed from nature, and whose sublimity is blended with ridicule; which two are near one another as extreme wisdom and folly.—Deslaudes.

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Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

Mrs. A. C. Hendricks of Amarillo spent part of last week with Mrs. Dora Marsh.

We wish to extend sympathy to Mrs. Bud Rains in the death of her nephew.

Cleo Sewell of Patmus, Arkansas, was married October 16. She is the sister of Mrs. J. F. Burns and had visited her in this community several times.

Luther Morrow has been brought home from the Rotan Hospital, but is reported to be showing little improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Massingill of Snyder attended church here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mozell Roegenstein.

Jack Lewis of ACC, Church of Christ preacher, will preach here the first Sunday in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thret of Grand Junction, Colorado, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harless.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harless and family visited in O'Donnell Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dillard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blackard and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bullock, all of Snyder, were Sunday guests in the Raymond Sims home.

Mrs. J. F. Burns, who underwent a minor operation recently, is reported to be slowly improving.

First drink a health, this solemn night.

A health to England, every guest; That man's the best cosmopolite.

Who loves his native country best. May Freedom's oak forever live With stronger life from day to day;

That man's the true Conservative Who lops the moulder's branch away.

Hands all around! God the tyrant's hope confound!

To this great cause of Freedom drink, my friends, And the great name of England round and round.

—Tennyson.

We seem to exist in a hazardous time.

Driftin' along here through space; Nobody knows just when we begun.

Or how far we've gone in the race. —Ben King.

In truth there is no such thing in man's nature as a settled and full resolve either for good or evil, except at the very moment of execution.—Hawthorne.

When the truth cannot be clearly made out, what is false is increased through fear.—Q. C. Rufus.

For right is right, since God is God, And right the day must win; To doubt would be disloyalty

To falter would be sin. —F. W. Faber

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Oft has good nature been the fool's defense, And honest meaning gilded want of sense.—Shenstone.

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Joyce Floyd, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ward and daughter have been visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Pylant and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ward at Tucumcari, New Mexico.

Mrs. Leslie Bynum and son, Glendon, of Snyder spent Sunday in the E. L. Floyd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nicks are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Vandiver made a business trip to Sweetwater last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lapour and family of Hermleigh visited Sunday in this community.

Take rest; a field that has reaped gives a bountiful crop.—Ovid.

Dermott News

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Fluvanna News

Mrs. C. F. Landrum, Correspondent

Jack Nesbitt volunteered for one year's service in the U. S. Army. He left Monday to go into service.

Miss Izora Patterson returned home last week from Lubbock, where she has been visiting Virginia Browning.

Milton Smith, who is in the U. S. Marines, has been promoted to the quartermaster's corps of the aviation department on North Island, near San Diego, California.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle left last Thursday for Pampa to attend the annual conference of the Northwest Methodist Conference of the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Boren and son, Cecil, Mrs. J. R. Wells and Mrs. W. P. Mathis left Sunday for Bell County, where they will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nelson were here Sunday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Landrum.

Mrs. Virge Wills and daughter, Rose Mary, Mrs. Jake Ross and Cecil Boren returned from Mineral Wells Saturday. Rose Mary and Mrs. Ross took treatments while there.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Gilbert Miller.

Ben Collier returned from Fort Sul, Oklahoma, last Saturday. He has been taking entrance examinations for the U. S. aviation training school. He has not received word from his examinations yet.

Mrs. Jessie Sims has received the appointment as postmistress for Fluvanna.

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Preview
Rugus—Marcellus, what was yo'-all a-doin' dis mornin' when Ah sees yo' a-lookin' in dat lookin' glass so long wiv yo' eyes tight shut?
Marcellus—Why, man, Ah was jes' tryin' tuh see how Ah'm a-go-jin' tuh look when Ah is dead.

Green on Greens
He seas on the way home from the golf course when he meet a young lady friend. "Yes," he said, "I've had a awful day. Rained all morning and the greens by lunch time were in a bad state."
"Really?" said the girl. "If he had a parasol, but it wasn't very good either."

Stymied Him
Eatwell—These biscuits are smaller than usual, aren't they?
Mrs. Eatwell—Yes, I made them smaller so that you would have less to find fault with.

Doubtful
Dimwit—"Don't you think women are best qualified to pick the best candidates?"
Himbo—"They certainly don't show it. Look at what some of them marry."

Some men grow with responsibility; others simply swell.

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Lesson for November 24

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ATTITUDES TOWARD THE GOSPEL MESSAGE

LESSON TEXT—Luke 8:4-15.
GOLDEN TEXT—Take heed therefore how ye hear.—Luke 8:18.

"He that hath ears to hear, let him hear," cried Jesus as He taught the parable of the sower. Thus He reveals the heart of the lesson—that it is the hearing of the Word of God, and the manner in which it is heard that determines the destiny of men.

One may hear and yet not hear at all. Some who imagine themselves deaf have perfect hearing, but are so preoccupied with their own thoughts that they do not grasp what they hear. To be in such a state as far as spiritual things are concerned is desperately serious. Jesus cries to you, "If you have ears, hear the Word of God."

A parable is an earthly story relating common things of life to illustrate and present heavenly truth regarding the spiritual life. Parables are simple, but profound. A parable does not need interpretation, but it does need application. The parable of the sower, or rather the hearers of God's Word as being like four different fields.

I. The Wayside (vv. 5 and 12).
Through the fields of Palestine ran well-beaten paths, so hard from many footsteps that no seed could find lodgment and grow. The hearts of men are like that, with the world rolling its heavy wheels over the roads of our thinking. Sin and worldly pleasure add their bit, and the din and clatter of unwholesome or nonsensical radio programs cut their paths across our lives.

Little wonder that so much of the Word of God which we do hear is picked up by the devil's own birds and carried away. Let's break up the hard ground of our life's wayside.

II. The Rocky Ground (vv. 6 and 13).
Here we have the shallow soil on the rocky ledge, where seeds grow as if in a hothouse, but wither when the steady heat of the summer sun comes upon them.

Shallow hearers are those who receive the word with joy, are carried away with emotional enthusiasm, and seem to be most promising as followers of Christ until the real temptations and trials of life come, and then they are gone. They are like the soldier who enjoys wearing the uniform and marching in the parade past the reviewing stand with bands playing and flags flying, but who deserts his post when his company goes into battle. Surely none of us wants to be that kind of a hearer of God's Word.

III. The Thorny Ground (vv. 7 and 14).
The soil was good, the seed found its place to live and grow, but no one kept down the weeds, and they, as usual, got the best of the good seed.

Note carefully in verse 14 what are the destructive thorns and weeds in the spiritual garden. The very things people in our day most seek—riches and pleasure—are the things which choke spirituality. Watch them and root them out.

Observe also that the "cares" of this world are the weeds of the devil. How they do press upon us and hinder our spiritual growth. A man testified that while he had attended church for 20 years he had never heard a sermon because he was always thinking about his business. How about you?

IV. The Good Ground (vv. 8 and 15).
The harvest comes from the good soil, and how it does rejoice the husbandman as it brings forth even up to a hundred fold.

The hearers of the Word who are thus fruitful for God are "honest." They listen to really receive help and do something about what they hear. They have "good hearts"—a field plowed, prepared and weeded, ready to bring forth fruit. When they hear the Word they "hold it fast"—they are reverent, thoughtful and obedient to the Word. Then they have the "patience" to grow spiritually. It takes patient effort and devotion to do that, be sure of it (read Luke 21:19 in the R. V.).

In conclusion, we ask, "What then shall we do—sow only in the good ground?" No, let us ask God to break up the beaten soil of the wayside with the plowshare of His Word. Let us deepen the shallow soil, fight the weeds and thorns by His grace until they give up. Then let us go right on sowing the seed "in season and out of season" (read II Tim. 4:1-5).

In all such labors your heart will sing with joy because here and there you will be privileged to minister to "an honest and a good heart" which will bring "forth fruit a hundredfold" to the glory of God and for the encouragement of His faithful seed-sower.

FOR THAT EXTRA SPECIAL LUNCHEON

See Recipes Below.

When your children are in school, and your husband is at work, you find little pleasure in eating a solitary meal. And when you are rushed with household duties, you are apt to grab a quick sandwich, or a steaming bowl of soup, and then continue with the tasks that are still before you.

But, you can take advantage of the days when the family is away, and the work all finished, to entertain your friends at a one-o'clock luncheon, a dessert luncheon for a friendly get-together. A good menu and an attractive table will give you the poise and enthusiasm necessary to serve your guests easily and graciously.

Often times the most easily prepared food may be the most appreciated served. A fluted orange cup makes a colorful container for many fruits, which may be varied with the season. The fruit must be cut into pieces of convenient size, free from seeds and skin, except for grapes. It should be thoroughly chilled and combined so that it is a neat arrangement. If a few pieces are crushed or wilted, the whole concoction will look careless and unappetizing. Remember, an appetizer should not be too sweet, for as the name implies, the first course is intended to sharpen the appetite.

For the rest of the menu you might like to serve mock chicken legs, baked potatoes, crisp green salad, crescent rolls, and as an unusual dessert, chocolate mint roll is very good.

Mint Frosting.
2 egg whites (unbeaten)
1 1/4 cups sugar
5 tablespoons water
1 1/2 teaspoons light corn syrup
Green vegetable coloring
1/4 teaspoon peppermint extract
Combine egg whites, sugar, water and corn syrup in top of double boiler. Beat with a rotary egg beater until thoroughly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water, and cook for 7 minutes, beating constantly, until frosting stands in peaks. Add coloring gradually to hot frosting to give a delicate tint. Remove from boiling water, add flavoring and beat until thick enough to spread.

Fluted Orange Cup.
(Serves 6)
3 oranges
1 banana
1 cup grapes
3 tablespoons sugar
With a sharp knife pierce to center of orange. Cut the orange in half, using zig-zag strokes that meet to make the points of the scallops. Separate the 2 orange halves, and remove meat from shells. Cut orange meat into pieces. Peel, and cut banana into pieces. Combine orange meat, banana and grapes. Sprinkle with sugar. Chill. Serve in well-chilled shells, garnished with a sprig of mint, if desired.

Chocolate Mint Roll.
(Makes 11 1/2-inch roll)
5 tablespoons cake flour (sifted)
1/2 cup sugar
3/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup sugar (sifted)
4 egg whites (stiffly beaten)
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 squares unsweetened chocolate (melted)

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Household News

By Eleanor Howe



FOR THAT EXTRA SPECIAL LUNCHEON

See Recipes Below.

Mock Chicken Legs.
(Serves 6 to 8)
1 1/4 pounds veal steak
1 1/4 pounds pork steak
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/4 cup flour
1 egg (beaten)
Cracker crumbs
Pound meats, after seasoning with salt, pepper and flour. Cut into 1 1/2-inch squares, and place 6 pieces, 3 of each kind of meat, alternately on a skewer. Press together. Chill for 1 hour. Dip in beaten egg and roll in cracker crumbs. Brown on all sides in hot fat in a skillet. Pour 1 cup water over the "legs," and cover. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 1 hour. (The liquid will all cook away.)

Mint Frosting.
2 egg whites (unbeaten)
1 1/4 cups sugar
5 tablespoons water
1 1/2 teaspoons light corn syrup
Green vegetable coloring
1/4 teaspoon peppermint extract
Combine egg whites, sugar, water and corn syrup in top of double boiler. Beat with a rotary egg beater until thoroughly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water, and cook for 7 minutes, beating constantly, until frosting stands in peaks. Add coloring gradually to hot frosting to give a delicate tint. Remove from boiling water, add flavoring and beat until thick enough to spread.

Fluted Orange Cup.
(Serves 6)
3 oranges
1 banana
1 cup grapes
3 tablespoons sugar
With a sharp knife pierce to center of orange. Cut the orange in half, using zig-zag strokes that meet to make the points of the scallops. Separate the 2 orange halves, and remove meat from shells. Cut orange meat into pieces. Peel, and cut banana into pieces. Combine orange meat, banana and grapes. Sprinkle with sugar. Chill. Serve in well-chilled shells, garnished with a sprig of mint, if desired.

Chocolate Mint Roll.
(Makes 11 1/2-inch roll)
5 tablespoons cake flour (sifted)
1/2 cup sugar
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(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



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SMUGNESS is a terrible thing, in husband or wife. It is one of those marital faults that are much more trying, in the daily encounter of matrimony, than much more serious failings. Smugness is disagreeable in anyone, but when a wife knows that it is always lying in wait for her, and when she also knows that there is some justification for the holier-than-thou attitude in her spouse, then her path is hard indeed.

Ruth, whose letter reaches me this week, is suffering from the smugness of the man she married some ten years ago, and I don't know that there's any cure for it. For it is the very essence of smugness that it rises above correction and criticism and only feels sorry for the person stupid enough to find fault with perfection.

This is a part of Ruth's letter: "Dear Mrs. Norris: My father was a factory hand and my mother kept boarders. After three years of high school I went into a box factory, helping to support three small half-brothers. My father had died and my mother married again. When I was about 18 I had a girl chum named Mabel, and her brother and her sweetheart and I used to go around together for two years. Chester, the brother, was a fascinating sort of fellow; we used to go up to a little cabin in the mountains, we girls cooking the dinner, and all of us taking tramps, swimming, and having fun. Mabel and Bud were lovers and Chester and I, very much in love, were not long in following suit.

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"After about a year of this he went away, and a fall invalidated my mother, who lingered completely helpless for seven years. I took over the boarding-house, and was presently offered a hotel in town, to which we all moved. At 28, when my brothers were pretty well launched, an aunt of theirs left us some money to complete our education, and I was delighted to take coaching, and to enter college with girls 10 years younger.

"This was a happy time for me. I met my husband, who was, and is, a professor of English, and the year we were married I sold three short stories—for very small sums, but it was a great thrill to me. Of late years I have had little time to write, as we have three children and I do all my own work, but I have always hoped that the time would come when I could go on.

"Some months ago I noticed a change in Rhil, my husband, that I could not understand. He is 13 years older than I, which makes him 41. He grew excited, moody, explosive, silent. He has always been a serene man, a church-goer, idealistic and really faultless. His devotion to the children is remarkable, and he has always been that they help me as much as small children can.

But even now there are occasional reminders that I am a sinner and must be guided. Philip wishes I would cultivate the lovely Mrs. Brown, who has always been such a dignified, discreet woman. Last night when I was working with the typewriter he asked what I was doing. I said writing the story of a girl's struggle to better herself. A faint smile came over his face and he said "I don't know that I'd make it TOO biographical."

"How long should I bear this sort of thing? In actual campus popularity I've long ago outstripped Philip. I am president of two clubs; people love my Sunday garden lunches; my children are wonderful. Am I to go on forever being made ashamed?"

Rise Above Handicap.
The answer, Ruth, is that the fault lies with Philip, and apparently there's no reaching him. He will continue with this small-boy smugness to the end. Even if he committed a fault far more serious than yours he would go right on feeling that you were the sinner, and that he was fully justified in whatever he did.

But don't despair. You have great consolations. The cultural atmosphere, the dramatics and discussions and opportunities of a campus are real advantages, and the mothering of three lovely children a great privilege. Beside that, you show a genuine gift for writing, and if someday you write the college stories, or the college novel for which all the publishers and magazines are waiting, you will be able to ignore Philip's miserable little taunts. There is an old saying that the sins of youth are the masters of age. But there are other sayings, too, and other truths, about what we gain through the humiliation, the bitter lesson of having sinned, and sometimes the woman who rises above such a handicap is actually wiser and stronger in the end than the self-righteous woman who never knew temptation.

Origin of '40 and 8'
Twenty years ago, a Philadelphia, Joseph W. Breen, was reminiscing with buddies, about their mode of travel through France during the World War. And from that recollection, the organization known today as the "40 and 8," the honor society of the American Legion, came into being. Founded in Philadelphia, the organization has grown into a national organization of several thousand legionnaires. Recently, the parent organization honored the founder.

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STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
BY VIRGINIA VALE
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

IN HOLLYWOOD apparently one of the first things a young actor has to learn is when to quit a job, if staying is likely to be a bad idea.

For example, there's Allan Jones. He left Metro, because he didn't like the kind of parts he was getting, when he got them. Margaret Lindsay left Warner Brothers. After a while they landed the romantic leads in "There's Magic in Music," and now there's a big demand for them.

Cary Grant and Jean Arthur departed from Paramount—and now look at them! Dick Powell and Joan Blondell left Warner Brothers—and now look at them! Fred Astaire left RKO, Paulette Goddard left Hal Roach, to become one of Paramount's most popular players; Basil Rathbone gave up a fat contract at Metro because he was sick of appearing in drawing room comedies; Mable Wilson left Warners and dumb dame roles, to become a sophisticated, glamorous woman in Paramount's "Virginia."

Madeleine Carroll left Walter Wanger to star for Paramount. Metro was perfectly willing to let Deanna Durbin go elsewhere, a fact from which certain executives will probably never recover, since Joe Pasternak developed her into one of moviedom's most valuable stars.

Virginia seems to be the most popular state in the Union, so far as movie makers are concerned. What with "The Howards of Virginia," "Virginia," and now "The Vanishing Virginian," which Metro has just purchased, you can hardly escape it for long if you go to the movies.

Knox Manning, one of the best-known news commentators, walked right into luck recently when he used a Scandinavian dialect on the air. Director Tay Garnett and Producer Richard Rowland were trying to find a performer who could both look and talk a certain role. "Cheers for Miss Bishop," Garnett happened to turn on his radio, heard Manning for the first time—and now the radio man will appear in support of such experienced performers as Martha Scott, William Garrity, Dorothy Peterson and Sterling Holloway.

Quite a few years ago, when he was a student at Yale, Beirne Lay Jr. spent 50 cents to see a picture called "Wings," and the course of his life was changed. He decided to be an aviator, and to write about flying.

That was in 1923. He decided to go into the air corps; in those days it took longer than it does now, so he was finally admitted to Randolph field in 1923, and was graduated the next year from Kelly. Then he began writing. He got a lot of rejections, but he stuck to both flying and writing, and was on his way to fame.

Last year, after he'd sold some articles on flying, his book, "I Wanted Wings," appeared. Paramount bought it. He thinks that proves the truth his own story offers—that a man who has freedom and future in America can get anything he wants if he'll try hard enough.

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"I did, my love," he answered.

"I asked mother to postpone her visit for a while," his wife continued. "You see—"

Henry did so. The tired man jumped from his chair, kicked off his slippers, put on his boots, and slipped out into the murky street. Five minutes later, Henry came back with the tale that he had been to see how the thermometer outside the post office stood. She smiled.

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The Delinquent Tax Problem

Payments of current county, state and common district school taxes are being made now at such a commendable volume one hesitates to mention, sometimes, the city and county's problem child—delinquent taxes. This subject has become a very touchy one with city and county tax collection officials alike during the past three or four years.

In discussing the problem of delinquent taxes, the vitally important fact must first be taken into account that many property owners are making considerable sacrifices to pay their current state, county and school district taxes. Others, in a comfortable financial condition, are seemingly making no undue effort to pay either delinquent or maturing taxes—the source of revenue from which county schools and governmental units must have their operating funds.

In order to keep our public schools and county government functioning, revenue from taxation must be in the process of "turning" each year. Revenue that is constantly being marked up on tax records, with stiff penalties added from year to year, is the type of accumulative liability tax officials approach with caution when steps are considered to turn such a liability into an asset.

Take, for example, the matter of vacant lots in Snyder. There is known to be a number of lots, vacant for years, that are not "turning" or bringing in a penny in revenue from year to year. Owners for some of the lots cannot be located in instances. This type of property is the kind of liability that is worrying collection officials.

On the vacant lot proposition, the only way to ever obtain revenue from this kind of "idle" property is to eventually sell the lots for back taxes, get construction work started on the lots and get this property to bringing in its equitable share of taxable revenue.

In taking up the delinquent tax problem, both city officials are not thinking of bearing down on those citizens who are making every effort to pay their current, or back taxes. But they are considering taking steps to force those able to pay, with justly levied taxes against them, to do something about the matter.

A New Truck Bill

Residents of Scurry, Borden, Garza, Dawson, Fisher and other counties of this area gave serious consideration this week to a scientific truck load bill and a license fee bill sponsored by the Texas Dirt Farmers' Congress. The truck load and license fee bill has recently been adopted by 20 statewide organizations, according to officials of the Congress.

The two bills mentioned above have been heartily endorsed by representatives of farming, ranching, grocery transportation and highway users organizations, with all stressing the need for repeal of the present 7,000-pound truck load limit. This movement has been steadily gaining supporters in this section of the state for several years.

The truck load bill, for example, provides for the repeal of the present load limit, and adoption of a scientific formula prepared by the National Safety Council, endorsed by the National Highway Users Conference, and already in force in 11 states. Limitations, however, will be placed on the number of pounds that may be placed on one axle, and the number of pounds per square inch of tire space.

While people in all walks of life are in general optimistic spirits over the break truckers will get if the truck bill and license fee bill becomes a law, they should not overlook the important part our railroads still play in transporting the economic goods of this and adjacent areas. The railroads are annually paying out millions of dollars in state, county and school district taxes, and should, therefore, be entitled to a fair proportion of goods moved from each trade area.

Just how the railroads and truck lines can both be assured of their equitable share of goods and materials to haul is a problem that is worrying our federal government officials day by day.

Possibly nothing can be done to alter, overnight, trends in transportation. A great deal can be done, however, toward educating people to look at both sides of the question, and taking our vitally important railroads into consideration before giving all their trade to one channel of transportation.

Editorial of the Week

EDUCATION THE DEMOCRATIC WAY

The essential difference between life in a democracy and life in a dictator-controlled state, is that in a democracy the people do their own thinking.

There are people, even in America, who would like to have their thinking done for them by some higher authority with power to give everybody orders. And there are a great many well-meaning citizens who would like to have all the thinking done for the young by some supervisory body or authority.

How often we hear people criticize the way the schools are conducted. When one is sure that he or she has exactly the correct point of view on everything, and that every other point of view is wrong, it is easy to become alarmed to discover that school students are being encouraged to think out the problems of life and living for themselves and are not being forced to believe something which their teachers have told them.—The Canadian Record.

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

Officials of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, reported Monday that in a student body of nearly 4,000, there are 49 Smiths, 37 Williams, and only 35 Joneses. The Johnsons and Browns number 22 each, and Woods and Harrises have 15 each. Odd names are Ditto, Gripp, Keese, Putty, Turnipsed and Woldskill. . . . Continuing the intriguing list of family names represented at the Lubbock college, Cecil Horne, journalistic dean, points out Tubbs, Cupp and Potts, as well as such legal and religious names as Justice, Jury and Laws, Church, Christian, Tombs, Graves, Parrish, Sexton, Parsons, Pope and Allter.

The list of phonetically exciting names includes the following: Carrs, Fords, Hudson and Nashes, along with Rice, Hamm, Beane, Coffee, Homea and Hash. . . . Sears, Roebuck, Montgomery and Ward are also on the enrollment record. Others include: Flowers, Rose and Lilly; House, Barnes and Castle; Pooles, Lakes, Brooks, Waters and Wells; Heart, Head, Poote, Hands, Legge and Cheek; Beavers, Fox, Wolfe, Lyon, Hogr, Lamb, Drake and Kidd; Forrests, Holey, Roundtree, Hedges, Wood, Onkes, Oats, Kane and Nuts; Fly and Roach, Snow and Rain; Hills, Lanes, Townes, Land, Wall, Streets and Tunnells—yes, and—Herring, Sturgeon and Haddock concludes the list that, taken together, makes some very absorbing reading. You probably think the name "Nuts" is the best.

The streptococcus germ, one that every person should be well informed about, since it is the one that causes erysipelas, the group of diseases known as blood poisoning, childbed fever, intestinal infection, some forms of diphtheria, one form of pneumonia meningitis, rheumatism and a number of other diseases. Some strains of this virulent germ, Dr. Mudd states, require carbon, minerals, proteins and nicotine acid—members of the "B" family of vitamins—to exist.

A strong hint that Nazi Germany is about ready to crack internally was contained this week in a statement from Berlin that, beginning January 1, the meat of dogs, foxes, bears and beavers will be legalized for human consumption. . . . Provisions of the new law just worked out indicate that the meat of the animals mentioned will be subject to the same rigid health inspections as set out for beef and pork. . . . In addition to being a candid admission that German people, as well as those of nations crushed by the Nazi "blitz" machine are on the verge of starvation, this action by the Third Reich indicates that the meat of foxes, bears, dogs and beavers have been on German menus for the past several months.

German people have been subject for the past three months to a weekly allowance of one pound of meat, and were on the point of fermenting an open revolt against the Hitler machine when the new law governing dog and other kinds of meat was disclosed by key Nazi officials. . . . American observers surmise that the second war, winter, hard as it will be, will treat Germany easier than almost any other country in Central Europe.

Even such a domestic animal as the horse may become a common dish in Germany, if economic conditions get much tougher, with one horse restaurant already established in Berlin. . . . Observers are of the unanimous opinion that the hardest hit of any European people will be the French, whose northern food provinces were largely depopulated by the war during much of the growing season. . . . Denmark, Holland and Belgium are on a restricted diet, with many cattle, pigs and chickens being slaughtered to meet acute food shortages. . . . Norway, for example, is expected to have a very trying winter so far as obtaining bread for the table is concerned.

The extent to which food supplies in the occupied areas is being drained into Germany is unknown outside official circles, but those who have been able to escape from conquered provinces state the Nazis have obtained everything possible in the way of food supplies of any kind. . . . News that dog meat will shortly be legalized in the blood-drenched land of the Swastika recalls some stomach-turning famine in the World War Reich. . . . Dog food was common then, but scarce. . . . Horse meat got so scarce during the World War it sold for prices ranging as high as 86 cents a pound.

For some unannounced reason, very little has been said about Britain's extreme precautions to forestall seizure of Iceland. . . . Recognizing the fact that Germany's reputed plans for a naval air base in Iceland was a vital threat to British supply lines from the United States and Canada, London has been rapidly reinforcing its Iceland garrison, and has at present almost 80,000 troops on the island. . . . Iceland might seem at first to be just another pin head on the world map, but when it comes to the point of being either a supply base for the Nazis or a lifeline for the British, it becomes, as one army official states, "a military concern of an entirely different magnitude."

During the next three or four months, new drives for far greater aid to Great Britain are almost positive to be launched here, military experts announced cautiously last week, with the British to get many more American merchant ships during 1941 than they will even give out details about at present.

THE TIMES MARCHES ON . . .

Forty Years Ago

From "The Coming West," November 23, 1900:

Charley Lockhart, former citizen of Erath County, was elected treasurer of Scurry County in the recent election.

Miss Dora Chambers of Ennis visited with Misses Pearl and Bessie Wolf Sunday.

W. W. Beal and wife of Sweetwater came in last Saturday and are visiting Mrs. Beal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Buchanan.

Miss Floy Conroe, who lives 10 miles west of Snyder, visited Mrs. Charley Ligon the first of the week. J. H. Cole and wife came in last Saturday from Mineral Wells, where they have been for the past month. He reports a pleasant trip and his wife's health much improved.

Miss Hattie Dawson, who is teaching in the Ennis school, spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks. Miss Hattie reports her school progressing nicely.

Miss Ethel Sears was visiting in our city Monday.

Twenty-Eight Years Ago

From "The Snyder Signal," November 23, 1912:

On the first Monday in December it is proposed to have an unusually interesting meeting of Bill Scurry Camp, United Confederate Veterans, at the courthouse in Snyder. The old soldiers have invited the sons and daughters of the Confederacy to come and assist in preserving the history and traditions of that memorable struggle. The program rendered will be the following: Band music, prayer by Chaplain J. W. Garrard, address of welcome by Mayor Sed A. Harris, vocal solo by Mrs. Olin Hardy, instrumental solo by Mrs. E. B. Barnes, voluntary talks by comrades, reading by Miss Zada Monroe, vocal solo by Mrs. Hugh Boren, address by J. Z. Noble.

J. W. Shaw has sold the southwest part of his ranch here to Dr. Dodson and is moving to Snyder to make his home.

Yesterday L. N. Periman of Dermott and his brother, Vergin, of Baird received a message summoning them to the bedside of their father, who is dangerously ill at Morrisville, Missouri. They left immediately for that place.

B. E. Clark and L. Y. Duke were here Wednesday from Ira.

R. W. Ramage of Ennis Creek says he has stored away enough feed to keep his stock till grass comes again.

J. C. Beakley, a merchant prince at Dunn, was transacting business at Snyder Wednesday.

Jim Baze and wife and Frank Darby loaded up a wagon Monday and went up into Kent County for a hunting trip for three or four days.

T. P. Perkins, A. T. Bridgeman, O. P. Thrane and M. A. Fuller have returned from a 400-mile trip on the Plains. They visited several towns, saw some good country and met a number of Scurry County people and found that some of them when went away want to come back.

Miss Cora Sturdivant, who has been serving for several months as deputy county clerk, has resigned that position and is now in the employ of the Snyder Abstract Company with Mrs. Buchanan. Misses Maude Akers and Mary Nation are working as deputies in the clerk's office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ezell will leave Saturday for Waco. Mrs. Ezell will visit friends while C. L. will delve into the beautiful mysteries of Masonry.

Ten Years Ago

From "The Snyder News," November 21, 1920:

"American Legion Getter" is the title Boss (seldom called A. B.) Baze won when he secured 16 new members for the veterans' organization.

Highway Accident Rate Hits Peak on Weekends



Sunday is the most dangerous day of the week on which to drive and the hours from 6 p.m. to midnight are the most perilous hours of each day. These conclusions are drawn from an analysis of America's highway accident record for 1930, just published in "Smash Hits of the Year," the tenth annual booklet issued in the interests of street and highway safety by The Travelers Insurance Company.

Next to Sunday, Saturday is the most hazardous day to venture out on the highways. Fewest accidents happen on Wednesday. An unexplainable fact revealed by the figures is that although there are more persons killed on Saturdays, there are more injuries on Saturdays.

Fatal accidents increase sharply each day after 4 p.m. and rise to a peak between seven and eight in the evening. They taper off then, but jump sharply again at about midnight—the hour when parties break up.

The high point for injuries is reached daily between four and six p.m., indicating that dusk, darkness and fatigue are strong factors in bringing the accident curve to its peak toward the close of the day.

One Year Ago

From "The Scurry County Times," November 23, 1929:

County nimrods who left last week for the deer trails of Southwest Texas and the Big Bend country returned with five six to 12-point bucks. P. L. Fuller, "Uncle Pete" Bolin, Alex Murphy, Jesse Jones and Brud Boren, who left last Wednesday for the 6-Bar Ranch in Culberson County, returned Tuesday with this evidence. Willie

slude: Boyce Grimes, Jack Johnson, Jesse Brown, Matilda Black, Estelle Thomas, Lois Wade, Edna Murphy, Martin Murphy and Paul Johnson.

"I'm still running for office," said Charley Lockhart Monday while on a handshaking tour of the square after his visit to the Baptist General Convention at Amarillo last week. Probably the smallest man ever elected to a state office, the treasurer-elect says it's quite a problem to decide who to appoint for the handful of offices over which he has direct power.

"With hundreds of friends all over the state and with many of them well qualified for the places, I'm between a rock and a hard place," he said.

W. C. Wenninger and Ollie Bruton have removed their indoor golf equipment and other amusement devices from the Templeton Building on the east side of the square. The concern has been in operation for several months.

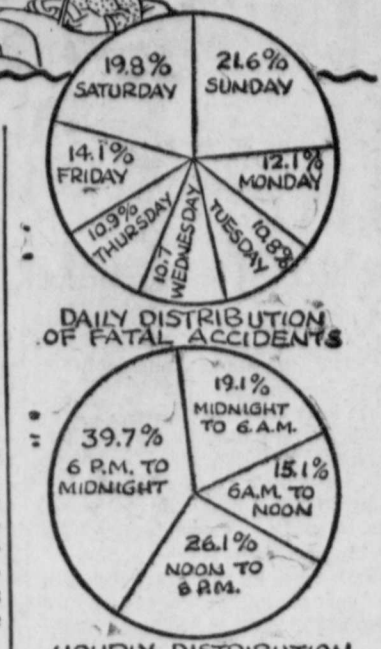
"Welcome Home Jimmy" is the title of the three-act comedy to be staged by Dunn High School beginning at 7:30 Saturday evening, announces Superintendent W. C. Hooks. Performers in the play include:

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Class Rings Received By Seniors at Dunn

O. K. Davis, Dunn School superintendent, reported Monday that the class rings for Dunn School seniors have been received. The new rings, ordered about five weeks ago, are different. Davis states, from any Dunn has ever had.

The 1940-41 rings are composed of blue stones with gray sets, carrying out the senior class color motif. Davis reports the nine senior class members are already establishing something of a record in the consistently good grades being made.

Hunter, colored, accompanied the group as cook. P. W. Cloud and Maurice Brownfield bagged an 11-point buck and a five-pointer on the McCutcheon Ranch near Balmorhea. An eight-pointer was the kill made by R. H. Odom and Melvin Newton, who left last Wednesday for the B. J. Bourland place near Marathon. Edd Murphy, Knapp, returned from a hunt with a buck that was served Saturday night at the Murphy School. C. W. Sawyer and Tom Brooks came back with two beauties, six and eight points, from Mason County.

HERE IS MORE CONCERNING GUARDSMEN

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Pinkerton, Buford Preston, Lowell Prince, Raymond Rainwater, J. D. Reynolds; Charles Rhodes, Thomas Roberts, John Rogers, Robert Rollins, Nathan Shepherd, C. W. Stimpson, Robert Swint, Buck Taggart, John Trousdale, William Walker, Clarence Whaley and John Wisbert. Inactive members—T. C. Bills, Ernest Corley, Robert Etheredge, Arvel Hall, Archie Holman, Dan Malett, Beasel Marchbanks, William Neal, Robert Ramage, Jay Rogers, Raymond Rucker, Lewis Seay, Grady Sellers, Robert Shields and Thurman Shultz.

For it would have better that man should have been born dumb, nay, void of all reason, rather than that he should employ the gifts of Providence to the destruction of his neighbor—Quintilian.

But matchless Franklin! What a few can hope to rival such as you. Who seized from kings their septred pride. And turned the lightning's darts aside.—Phillip Prenau.

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