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Alpha Study Club Commemorates Twentieth Anniversary in Tuesday Tea

Commemorating the twentieth anniversary of the Snyder Alpha Study Club, the organization held the annual tea of members in the home of Mrs. John E. Sentell, 3101 Avenue X, last Tuesday and introduced their daughter club, The Cosmorama, which was organized in October of 1946.

The Cosmorama Club was federated in March of this year.

Sentell home was beautifully decorated for the anniversary observance in an array of spring flowers featuring pink and white carnations in the dining room and hall.

Guests were met by Mrs. John E. Sentell, who introduced each one to the officers of the Alpha Study Club who formed the receiving line—Mrs. Forrest Sears, president; Mrs. Maurice Brownfield, secretary; Mrs. Wade Winston, recording secretary; Mrs. Opheelia Blackard, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Sentell, reporter; and Mrs. Wayne Boren, parliamentarian.

Main feature of the afternoon was presentation of the officers and members of the Cosmorama Club.

Mrs. John Sentell introduced each officer as she came down the stairs, which were beautifully decorated with ropes of fern caught intermittently with clusters of pink and white carnations.

First to be presented was Mrs. Scott Casey, president; Mrs. Sam Joyce, vice president; then Mrs. Fred Bullard, second vice president; Mrs. Bruce Murphy, secretary; Mrs. Max West, treasurer and Mrs. Leiland Herod, corresponding secretary.

These formed a line at the foot of the stairs to greet guests as they came from the dining room. The personnel of the club was introduced—forming a background on the stairs. They were: Mrs. Jamie Caviness, Mrs. Jack Bowden, Mrs. E. J. Richardson Jr., Mrs. Roland Bell, Mrs. H. F. Clark, Mrs. Leslie Brownling, Mrs. Weldon Kincaid, Mrs. John Blum, Mrs. J. W. Headstream, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Richard Brice, Mrs. Bob John T. Lynch Jr., Mrs. Donald Ray White, Mrs. E. E. Wallace Jr., Mrs. Lee Smyth, Mrs. C. V. Thompson, Mrs. Whit Thompson, Mrs. Joel Hodges.

Complimenting the introduction of the Cosmorama was a visiting vocalist, Miss Helen Ruth Ferguson of Slaton. Helen Ruth rendered several semi-classical numbers.

Tea table for the occasion was laid in crystal appointments in a cover of sheer pink and white—elegantly with loops of lace caught with carnations.

Frosted punch, ribbon sandwiches and mints carried out the club color scheme of pink and white. Heading the guest list as honor guests were members of the Twentieth Century Club—"mother club" of Alpha Study Club.

Total of 120 guests registered during tea hours.

Another big reduction at Frank's! 250 ladies' dresses and suits to be sold at two for the price of one. Buy one and get one free—Frank's Department Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mathison left Sunday morning on a vacation trip that will take the local couple to Miami Beach, Florida.

Myrtle Etheredge spent the weekend in Amarillo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Etheredge.

Dot Cox Marries Billie Wills Sunday

In a double ring ceremony read in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, Miss Dot Cox and Billie Wills were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Rev. C. C. Dooley, pastor of the Snyder First Presbyterian Church, officiated.

The bride chose for the occasion a dress of ice blue crepe with accessories of brown and white. Her shoulder corsage was of red roses.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Morris Miller. Mrs. Miller wore white linen with a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at which Mrs. Birdwell Burney and Miss Doris Wills, sisters of the bride and groom respectively, served punch and cake assisted by Miss Barbara Cox.

The couple left after the reception for a brief honeymoon, after which they will make their home at the Morris Miller Ranch in Borden County.

Attendees at the wedding and reception included: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wills, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Dooley, Mr. and Mrs. Walden Wills and son, Don, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Miller and daughter, Margaret Ann; Jim Bob Chaney of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Birdwell Burney, Miss Doris Wills, Bruce Cox, Barbara Cox and Mr. and Mrs. John Cox.

Parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, are prominent ranch folks of the Fluvanna community. Billie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wills, well known Fluvanna couple.

The bride, who has been interested in livestock, ranching and 4-H Club work, is a 1946 graduate of Fluvanna High School.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kite had in their home their son, Dwayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Morris and daughter, Sandra Jo and L. Earnie, to spend the night with them Thursday. They were enroute to Marshall, Louisiana from Wilcox, Arizona.



PROVOCATIVE indeed is lovely Surl Crandall, Warner Brothers starlet, as she poses in this white cotton pique formal. The fitted midriff is all-over embroidered in red and a halter effect around the neck is of grosgrain ribbon.

Bridal Shower Fetes Mrs. Edwin Kuss

Mrs. H. A. Wimmer, Mrs. Albert J. Kuss Jr. and Mrs. John Roemisch were hostesses at a bridal shower given Sunday, April 27, at Roland Lodge Hall and honoring Mrs. Edwin Kuss, former Bernice Krejci.

After a lovely array of gifts was opened and admired, refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, patties, cake and cold drinks were served to: Mmes. Bill Wimmer, F. J. Kuss, H. A. Wimmer, Lester Burns, John Roemisch, Edwin Bruns, Albert J. Kuss Jr., M. J. Kuss, J. A. Bartels, H. F. Wenetschlaeger, A. J. Kuss, Charlie Richter, A. B. Lopour, Anton Freytag, Fred Kasper, Frank Kubena;

Arthur Lee Pieper, J. F. Kuss, C. A. Dacus, Mary Hilcher, Aubrey Williams, Delmon Pieper, A. L. Brom, Leo Schattel, Alfred Reissig, John Zolman Jr., Frank Zolman, H. R. Hundsnurscher; Misses Magdelene Wimmer, Joyce Lopour, Lillian Wimmer, Dorothy Roemisch and Annie Nora Roemisch.

Those sending gifts were: Mmes. Robert Schulze, Joe Nachlinger, Frank Roemisch, Bill Koenig, Dukes Grossman, Emil Schattel, Anton Watzl, S. R. Seidenberger, V. H. Freytag, Amelia Krejci, Otto Hoepfl, Mike Hartmangruber, Otto Bruns, Joe Roemisch Sr. and Misses Gladys Kuss and Evelyn Schattel.

Alathean Class in Hother's Day Party

Alathean Sunday School Class of the Snyder First Baptist Church met for the annual Mother's Day party of the class at the home of Mrs. John Spears.

Mmes. O. S. Williamson, W. R. Bell, A. C. Martin, John Taggart, John Spears, J. S. Bradbury and J. L. Fargason were hostesses for the annual event.

Mrs. George Northcutt introduced the topic for the day, which was "Mothers."

Rev. J. William Mason, pastor of the Snyder First Baptist Church, brought the devotional. Rev. Mason read the story of Hannah, mother of Samuel. Devotional was closed with a prayer of thankfulness for devoted mothers, and asking guidance in all things from the Christ of the Cross.

Mrs. Mason was pianist. The group sang a number of songs selected by mothers.

An archduke was presented Mrs. William Mason as the youngest mother present.

A bouquet of roses was presented Mrs. H. T. Crowder, the oldest mother present.

Refreshments of ice cream, wild strawberries and cakes were served to the following guests: Mmes. R. W. West, C. H. Callis, W. W. Gross, T. H. Crowder, W. L. Voss, E. F. Dixon, Clarie S. Periman, Joe Monroe, Lillie Horton, E. E. Wallace Sr., H. E. Rosser, G. B. Clark Sr., J. H. Byrd, J. W. Mason, A. P. Morris, T. A. Faver, T. S. Worley, E. E. Spears, Lee Smyth, Yoakum, Rev. J. William Mason.

The following class members: Mmes. Maud Blakey, C. T. Glen, A. H. Merritt, H. S. Kelley, N. W. Autry, O. S. Williamson, J. S. Bradbury, John Taggart, Cliff Brooks, W. T. Murphree, J. O. Morrison, Mary Sweetman, A. C. Alexander, George Northcutt, John Spears, W. R. Bell and J. L. Fargason Sr.

Ira P-TA Studies Four-Point Program

An intriguing four-point program was given by the Ira Parent-Teacher Association at Ira School last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Perry Echols directed the four-point program of the gathering. "School Education" was the subject used by Mrs. Lewis Dunn; "Health" by Mrs. Fred Gullett; "Youth and Understanding" by Mrs. A. H. Kruse and "Home and Family Life" by Mrs. Perry Echols.

Four points emphasized in the program were given to delegates who attended the Falls convention in early April.

After presentation of the P-TA program, the group of 50 persons present went to the home economics room, where a delicious refreshment course of pie, coffee and punch was served.—Mrs. Clara Pearson, Publicity Chairman.

Mrs. J. C. Stinson Hosts Altruistic Club

Mrs. J. C. Stinson was hostess Friday afternoon to the Altruistic Club in what attendants described as an intriguing meeting.

Mrs. D. M. Cogdell directed the program for the afternoon. Topic for discussion was "Economic and Social Problems."

Mrs. Cogdell discussed "Progress of the United Nations." Mrs. W. R. Bell talked on "Are Morals Out of Date?" and Mrs. John Spears discussed "Education."

"Budget" was the subject chosen by Mrs. C. T. McLaughlin.

A lovely refreshment course was served to 16 members and two guests, Mrs. Fred Grayum and Mrs. Grimes, both of Austin.

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Poison Ivy One of Vacation's Most Troublesome Ills

With the advent of summer here and the ensuing exodus from city to country resorts and picnic spots the annual problem of ivy poisoning is once more making its appearance.

In order that city dwellers may guard against this poisonous plant by instant recognition of it, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has issued the following statement:

"Poison ivy may be recognized by its leaves and its fruit. Each leaf is divided into three leaflets, the margins of which vary from smooth to more or less notched outlines. The small greenish flowers appear in May or June and the fruits which are the size of a small pea are pale green and poisonous when immature."

"Symptoms of ivy poisoning range from slight redness and itching to exaggerated swelling and blisters, accompanied by severe burning sensations. There are all gradations between these extremes. In mild cases the skin is covered by numerous small blisters containing a colorless serum which is not poisonous. The poison cannot spread from broken blisters but pusules may form and infections may result as secondary consequences. Recovery usually occurs in from 10 days to three

New Synthetics from Gas to Provide Low Cost Gas and Alcohol

Scurry County operators are showing keen interest in announcement by a research scientist that within 10 years at least 20 per cent of all the gasoline in the United States will be synthetic—made from natural gas.

The expert, Dr. Robert Arles, is a research associate of the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, New York. He says that soon vast quantities of industrial alcohol and many other chemicals will be made from natural gas.

Arles says it will be possible to use alcohol from gas in the manufacture of whiskey, gin and other beverages.

He declares the cost of producing it would be only about one-fifth the cost of making alcohol from agricultural materials.

Consumer resistance, however, plus laws specifying grain as the raw material, probably will make it impossible to use gas in this fashion. Arles describes natural gas as the material with the brightest future—the cheapest source of alcohol and a host of other chemicals.

Occasionally a persistent skin inflammation follows. Dr. Cox advises persons planning picnics and outdoor excursions to learn to recognize poison ivy and thus be able to avoid it. Prevention is much easier to accomplish, than relief from ivy poisoning.



MANY OF OUR homemaking essentials like vacuums, paint, paper, soap and fabrics need in their manufacture industrial fats and oils that are in shorter supply right now than at any time during the past year. Only source of possible increase is fat salvage for which meat dealers pay substantial prices per pound and fats are one thing which are easy to save.

Vacation School To Theme Baptist Meet at Wastella

"Vacation Bible School" will be the subject of the May Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association Workers Conference that will be held Tuesday with the Wastella Baptist Church.

Formal program for the May workers' conference, as released by Mitchell-Scurry Association officials, follows:

10:00 a. m.—Song service, directed by N. J. Richburg of Dunn Baptist Church.

10:10 a. m.—Devotional by David Crow, Westbrook Baptist Church.

10:20 a. m.—"Preparation for Vacation Bible School," by Rev. Carl Cade of Colorado City.

10:40 a. m.—"Value of the Vacation Bible School," by Rev. J. William Mason, pastor of the Snyder First Baptist Church.

11:00 a. m.—"Pastor and the VBS" by Rev. Charles Dickson of Roscoe.

11:20 a. m.—Announcements and reports.

10:30 a. m.—Special music arranged by the host church.

11:35 a. m.—Morning sermon by Evangelist Gordon Bayless.

12:10 p. m.—Lunch served by the host church.

1:15 p. m.—W. M. U. meeting.

2:15 p. m.—Song service led by W. C. Bryant of Colorado City.

2:25 p. m.—Devotional brought by

\$1,000 Fine Imposed In Rotan Liquor Case

In one of the stiffest fines yet assessed in this immediate trade zone for violation of liquor laws, Joe Rushing, about 55, Rotan resident who is known by a number of Scurry County folks, was fined \$1,000 and court costs by a jury at Roby and given a six-month jail term.

Rushing was charged with possession of liquor for the purpose of sale.

Sheriff R. L. Wilkins and the Rotan Police Department, in a statement to a Times reporter, say that several days ago they seized 104 pints of whiskey at Rushing's home.

District Liquor Control Board Supervisor George W. Connell of Abilene reports the jury was out only eight minutes after receiving the case of Rushing.

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"No," she snapped. "I have no use for such stuff."

"Good, I will take that room you are advertising."

Rev. A. D. Smith, pastor of the Midway Baptist Church.

2:35 p. m.—Open discussion on Vacation Bible School, questions, problems and suggestions, directed by Rev. Marvin Burgess of Wastella.

The monthly conclave is slated to adjourn at 3:00 p. m.

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Plenty of Suggestions for Chamber of Commerce Work Program at Sessions

Series of six daily meetings concluded Friday afternoon by the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce will give the CC board of directors more than two dozen top-flight projects from which to formulate the 1947 CC activities program.

So it was evidenced Friday afternoon even before H. L. Wren, presiding, concluded the last daily meeting on suggestions for a Chamber of Commerce program.

Chairmen of all the meetings prior to Friday afternoon were carried in last week's Times. The daily gatherings were held to form a 1947 work program and observe National Chamber of Commerce Week.

Top-flight projects as a result of the daily meetings that will be considered by the CC board of directors, as released by Pete Smith, Chamber of Commerce manager, include:

Signs at the city limits. Signs along U. S. Highway 180 and other highways leading to Snyder.

Establish a county fair. Promote a creamery for Snyder. Cooperate with the county agent and vocational agriculture instructors. So operate fully with the county home demonstration agent, and push to

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early completion a labor camp for Snyder.

Have a municipal airport, privately operated, with space for six or eight planes. Have appropriate airport markers.

Secure a street sweeper for Snyder; public library, city park; paid city manager. Uniform building code, and education program on voting.

Cooperate with groups endeavoring to entertain conventions.

Cooperate with school authorities in promoting a better educational program.

Work on farm-to-market roads in Scurry County. More privately owned houses and apartments. New and up-to-date hotel and tourist courts.

Hold a night CC meeting, invite the women of the town, and try to create more interest in the Chamber of Commerce.

Study the town's industrial situation and encourage any worthy industries Snyder can support.

Appoint an active committee to study all pending legislation.

Secure oil field supply houses and cooperate with oil field workers.

Study Snyder traffic problems. Better parking regulations and facilities. A "cracker jack" fire prevention program.

On recreation, a swimming pool, public park, youth center or similar activity to encourage more interest in school athletics. A softball program for the summer, and immediate beautification of the Snyder Tiger Stadium.

Create a "live wire" farm market in Snyder.

And last, but by far not least among the top-flight projects, an uptown bus station.

Junior High Football Hopeful Practicing

About 65 boys have been reporting daily for practice for the junior high football team.

Coach Beene states that the boys are improving steadily in passing, pass receiving and punting.

The coach also announced that boys would play a game with Merkel and several intersquad games at a later date.

Several of the veteran players who are expected to enter high school next year are listed as follows: Arlon Stokes, Coffee, Billy Dick Stokes, Woods, McCormick, Sentell, Voss and Floyd.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Cleaning Comes Seldom.

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Rufus E. Byrd, 33, Dies in Crash of Pllane Saturday

Rufus Edward Byrd, 33, well known Cuthbert community rancher and son of R. J. Byrd, Dallas oil operator who has considerable interests in the Sharon and Ira pools, died Saturday afternoon in a Sweetwater hospital from injuries received last Wednesday in an airplane crash that also killed Byrd's employee, Thomas Edgar Manuel.

Funeral services for the Cuthbert rancher were held in Dallas Monday. Interment was made in Hillcrest Mausoleum at Dallas.

Byrd, his Scurry County friends recall, is a former AAF gunner. He was piloting a Stinson 105 Voyager he had purchased new some three months ago when the accident occurred.

The rancher is survived by his wife, two children, James Edward and Diane, and the father, R. J. (Leo) Byrd of Irving, a town 12 miles from Dallas.

Friends—"Let me congratulate you, old man. I'm sure you will always look on this day as the happiest of your life."

Bridegroom—"But it's tomorrow I'm being married."

Friend—"Yes, I know that."

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Cotton Prices Gain During Week at Texas Markets at Grains Show Loss

Grains dropped mostly seven to nine cents the first part of last week, cotton closed from 25 cents to \$1.50 higher than a week earlier and cattle held generally strong, the Weekly Swing of Southwestern Farm Markets reveals.

Weekly market review, as prepared for Times readers by the Production and Marketing Administration follows:

Tomatoes and onions strengthened toward the close of last week, but strawberries fell quite a bit lower. Most other vegetables stayed about the same. In the lower Rio Grande Valley tomatoes brought \$6. to \$6.50 per lug box. Yellow Bermuda onions sold at \$1.75 to \$1.90 for 50 pounds at Laredo; and \$2 to \$2.15 in the Coastal Bend area. Late week auctions of Louisiana strawberries averaged \$3.50 to \$3.87½ for 24 pints.

Grains dropped mostly seven to nine cents the first part of last week and only partly recovered later on. Light offerings of wheat and sorghums and plentiful supplies of corn and oats encountered rather slow demand. Prices on Friday for bulk carlots at Fort Worth and Galveston stood at \$2.80 to \$2.81 per bushel for No. 1 hard wheat; \$1.78 and \$1.80 for No. 2 corn; and \$1.02 to \$1.04 for No. 3 white oats.

Rice markets noted less urgency in domestic demand last week, but other countries still sought more shipments. Old crop alfalfa hay went higher, and the new crop had not started to move. Peanuts and peanut oil and meal sold slightly lower. Most feeds lost too, but bran and shorts went up. Dealers bought more good staple fine Texas wool directly from producers for mill accounts. Mohair buying continued slow.

Cotton closed Friday from 25 cents to \$1.50 higher than a week earlier after rather wide fluctuations up and down. Demand strengthened for the higher white grades, but the lower grades continued dull. Activity in spot markets fell off.

Fryers went up a little and other poultry held fairly steady. Eggs eased off a cent or two at most southwest markets but gained sharply in Louisiana. Prices for the week averaged 46 cents per dozen at Baton Rouge, Shreveport, and New Orleans; 42 at Houston; 40 at El Paso and San Antonio; 39 at Denver, Oklahoma City, and Fort Worth.

Cattle held generally steady last week, but some calves weakened at Houston, and cows at San Antonio. Beef cows brought up to \$17.50 at Oklahoma City; while common and medium cows moved at \$11.50 to \$14.50 at Houston; \$12 to \$15.50 at San Antonio; and \$13 to \$15.50 at Wichita.

Hogs sold at mostly even to higher prices, but feeder pigs weakened.

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Hermleigh Cemetery Working Set May 15

People of Hermleigh and nearby communities are reminded of the Hermleigh Cemetery working on Thursday, May 15.

People are requested to gather at the Hermleigh Cemetery the morning of May 15 at 9:00 o'clock.

J. O. Leach, president of the Hermleigh Cemetery Association, reports an old fashioned basket dinner

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RESOLUTION

A Resolution by the City Council of the City of Snyder, Texas, Declaring Water Rates to be Charged Consumers of Water in Said City:

WHEREAS, the City of Snyder has endeavored, for a number of years, to supply water to the people of the City, extend water lines to new buildings, make repairs to old lines and equipment, and otherwise render service without increasing the cost of water to consumers; and

WHEREAS, through a long period of time our people have enjoyed much lower rates than prevail in most towns of comparable size throughout the state, as shown by published water rates on file; and

WHEREAS, the cost of piping, pipe fittings, water meters and all materials of whatsoever kind has steadily increased, said increases ranging from 50 to 100 per cent; and

WHEREAS, the City has been compelled to employ additional help and increase wages and salaries of employees from time to time in order that said employees might more adequately meet the higher costs of living; and

WHEREAS, it has been definitely determined that the City cannot continue to render adequate service and maintain its water system under rates in effect at the present time.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SNYDER, TEXAS:

That, effective with all meter readings and billings after the regular billing date in the month of May, 1947, the following rates for water to all consumers or users of city water shall apply:

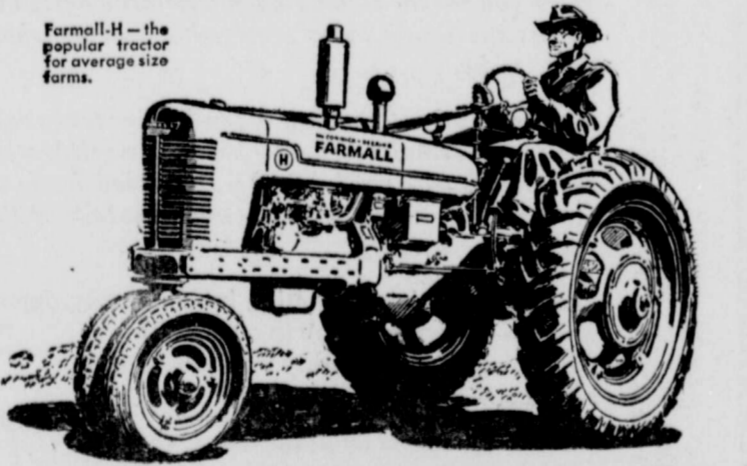
Minimum charge \$1.50, which charge shall entitle the consumer to 3,000 gallons of water.

All water in excess of 3,000 gallons at the rate of 25 cents per 1,000 gallons. Passed and approved this 5th day of May, 1947.

Signed: DONALD K. RATLIFF, Mayor.

Attest: Signed: J. S. BRADBURY, Secretary.

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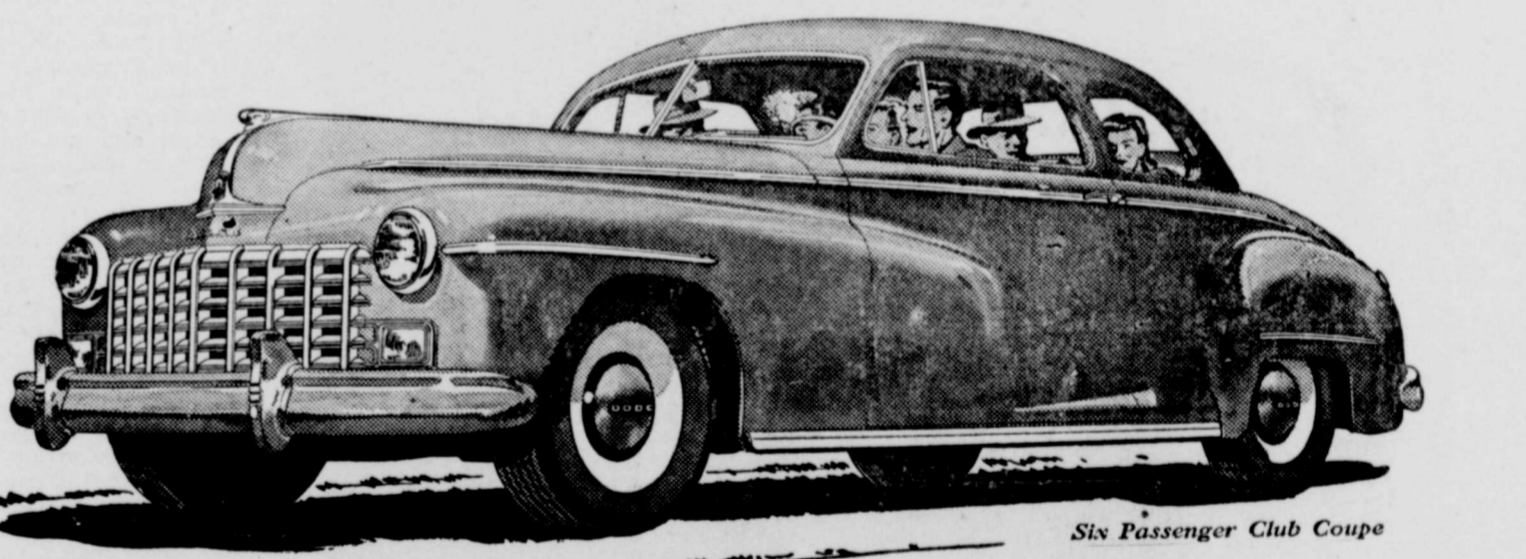
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Grammar School Commencement At Ira Set May 21

Commencement exercises for the members of Ira Grammar School will be held Wednesday evening, May 21, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, school officials state.

Following processional by Mrs. J. W. Lewis, J. D. Smallwood will give the invocation. Robert Kruse will bring the salutatory address and valedictory will be given by Gloria Ann Falls.

After Marine Leard gives the class poem Hubert Strom will preside. Patricia West and Mrs. Pearson will give "The Parting Charge" and "Whispering Hope" will be given by the Grade Girls Quintet.

Superintendent W. T. Falls will introduce Rev. J. B. Sharp as the principal speaker for the event. Award of diplomas will precede benediction by Mrs. E. Crowder.

Ushers named for the grammar school commencement are Bobby Newton, Patricia West, R. V. Prince, Glenn Newton, Jimmy Minor and Wanda Watkins.



MISS KAY PEARSON of Houston successfully defended her Texas State Women's amateur golf title at Corpus Christi with a two-up victory over Mrs. Frank Goldwaite of Fort Worth.

Many Old Mesquites Killed by Dry Freeze

Bub Blackard and many other county citizens say that they believe many of the large mesquite trees in Scurry, Borden and Kent Counties were killed by the winter freezes.

Sharing this opinion is Bob Galnor, Fisher County cattle dealer, who says many of the mature trees in Fisher County were killed by the bitter, dry cold of winter.

Rheumatism and Arthritis

Doctors differ as to the merits of NUE-OVO. Many users say it has brought them relief. If you suffer from Rheumatism or Arthritis why not write for literature on NUE-OVO from Research Laboratories, Inc., 403 N. W. 9th, Portland, Oregon.

Cottonseed Gives Better Yields If Ceresan Treated

Cotton producers of Scurry County can easily make extra money this year by treating all cottonseed before planting, J. N. Caviness, county agent, pointed out this week.

"Experiments conducted in this immediate territory and at our Texas Experiment Stations during the past four years reveal that nearly twice as much treated cottonseed germinated as did untreated cottonseed," Caviness continued.

"Furthermore, experiment stations reports show that there was 40 per cent angular leaf spot infection on seedlings from untreated seed, as compared with six per cent from treated seed. Also, there was more loss from damping-off and soreskin from untreated seed. These factors alone cause a poor stand and greatly lowered line yields."

"Transplanted into dollars and cents, the county agent says treating of cottonseed always pays extra dividends, since seed so prepared will give better stand and successfully resist plant infections so common in the nation's farming belt.

An important discovery about seed treatment is that it is safe to plant at least one-third to one-half less treated seed per acre than untreated seed, Caviness states. The saving in seed is more than enough to pay for the treatment. The county agent, however, cautions that results will vary from year to year even in different fields, depending upon time of planting, condition of soil, number of disease germs on the seed and kindred factors.

Although various chemicals were used in the experiments, the organic mercury compound known as Ceresan has given best results so far. Recent tests show that one to one-half ounces a bushel of new improved Ceresan is as effective as three ounces of the two per cent, or common Ceresan, used formerly.

Treatment costs less than five cents an acre if as much as one-half bushel is planted. Treated seed may be planted somewhat earlier than untreated, treated which often is an advantage. Any tight container, such as a lard can, may be used for a few bushels. For large quantities, a 50-gallon oil drum with a tight lid and arranged on an axis, is suitable. The axis may be made through the drum and welded or soldered firmly to it. A mixing, or baffle, board nailed across the inside is needed to do a good job. The drum should not be more than one-half to two-thirds filled so the seed will fall while it revolves.

As the chemical is poisonous, the seed should be treated outdoors, with the apparatus arranged so the chemical dust will blow away from the operator. A dry handkerchief or mask also may be worn over mouth and nose if large amounts are treated. Left-over treated seed should not be fed to livestock or sold to oil mills, and if powder gets on the skin, wash it off. It is irritating, Caviness concludes.

Brother of H. A. Mullins Dies.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullins of North Snyder received word Friday that a brother of Mr. Mullins, Thomas Edward Mullins, 74, passed away in Fort Worth of a heart attack. The Snyder couple was unable to attend the funeral services.



OFFICIAL EMBLEM of the 1947 National Cotton Week, May 19-24, is the above poster; reported to be one of the most attractive yet released. This insignia of the year's greatest cotton merchandising event will be seen in virtually every business firm of the South and Southwest during the special observance.

Family Reunion for Roddy from Antarctic

Home from the frozen wastes of the Antarctic, John Henry Roddy, chief electrician's mate, U. S. Navy, was honored guest Sunday at an informal family reunion given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roddy.

Those present for the Sunday reunion included: Mrs. F. O. Stark of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roddy of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roddy and children of Dallas, Nolan Fulford and family of Fluvanna and Kayne Roddy and family of Ira.

John Henry describes the Byrd Antarctic expedition as highly successful. He was attached to the U. S. S. Currituck. He was in Task Force 68.

John Henry and his crew left San Diego, California, last December 2, heading for the Balina Islands.

First flights, in fact, of the expedition were made from the Balina Islands and the task force worked westward. They crossed the Antarctic Circle four times.

Total time of 102 days elapsed before the task force arrived at Sydney, Australia. Thence John Henry's group went to the Panama Canal, and on to Norfolk, Virginia.

Roddy will be here until this (Thursday) evening. He goes to Dallas and San Antonio. Roddy has been in the U. S. Navy since December 12, 1939. He is a graduate of the Fluvanna School.

Grass Fire Tuesday Third Call in Week

Third fire of the week for the Snyder Volunteer Fire Department was answered Tuesday morning 11:10 o'clock, when a grass fire started at 2711 Avenue B.

Quick action kept the fire, which spread to a plank fence, from proving disastrous.

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Death Comes to Zelma Addison, 17-Year-Old Girl

Zelma Dee Addison, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Addison of the Knapp community, passed away Saturday at Phoenix, Arizona, following a period of illness that began last December.

Born July 31, 1929, Zelma Dee who was a school girl, remained cheerful, her many friends report, even when the tide of life began to ebb away.

Funeral services for Zelma Dee were held Monday afternoon, 4:30 o'clock, at the Snyder First Baptist Church. Rev. Earl Creswell, pastor of the town's North Side Baptist Church, officiated.

Active pallbearers were Frank Arnett, Leo Hodges, G. C. Erwin Jr., Buck Dunn, George Lee Jr. and Bernard Bonner.

A. L. McMillan and Marsh Springer were named honorary pallbearers by the family. Margie Hodges, Hattie Jean Townsend, Helen Jo Wallace, Ruby Stewart, Barbara Gilmore and Janice Springer were flower bearers.

Zelma Dee is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Addison;

Several Athletes Star In Multiple of Sports

Snyder High School has several athletes who excel in various sports. Boys who contribute most of their time to sports are: George Richardson, football, basketball; Billy Burk, football, tennis, basketball; Louie Vaughan, track, tennis, basketball, football; Tiny Moore, football, basketball, track; Donnie Everett, football, basketball; J. W. Burleson, football, boxing; Pop Blakely, track, football; Charles Bird, football, basketball; and Billy Tom DeFebach, football and basketball.

Also most of these boys play soft ball with the other boys.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

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two brothers, William West Addison and F. M. Addison; a sister, Mrs. L. R. Houston of Horton, Missouri; and her aunts, Miss Nettie Addison and Mrs. R. W. Graham.

Odum Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements, and Zelma Lee was laid to rest in Ira Cemetery.

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	Yellow or White SQUASH... 9c	Lb.
	Fancy Head CABBAGE... 5c	Lb.
Orange Juice	Nu-Zest, 46-Oz. Can	25¢
SOAP	Crystal White, 3 Regular Bars	29¢
PEAS	School Days, Tall Can	10¢
SPINACH	Crystal Pack, 2 Cans for	29¢
LARD	Armour's, Fresh 3-Lb. Carton...	79c
FLOUR	25-Lb. Sack	\$1.85
COFFEE	Admiration, 1-Lb. Can	49¢
Lunch Meat		43¢
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A pound of DDT is worth 2,000 pounds of beef to every Scurry and Borden County stockman during the fly season this year.

It is a tall statement? J. N. Caviness, Scurry County agricultural agent, asks area stockmen to figure this out for themselves.

One pound of wettable DDT powder, mixed in 25 gallons of water, will spray about 25 head of cattle. Stockmen who have used DDT spray the past two years will testify that beef animals will put on an average of 80 pounds of flesh as a result of thorough spraying throughout the fly season.

Caviness says the fly season is getting underway now, and experienced stockmen are checking up on spraying equipment and DDT supplies. Four pounds of wettable DDT powder at a strength of 2 of one per cent, mixed in 100 gallons of water, is the spray to use. When to spray? Caviness says "let the flies tell you." If the pests are thick, the spray is needed. A lot of factors enter into the "when to spray" picture. Often the treatment holds flies in check for months, but a heavy rain can mean the job needs re-doing after a 10-day period.

Dairymen also have an opportunity to cash in on DDT, the county agent declares. After spraying the barns and cows, dairy farmers have reported a 5 to 15 per cent boost in milk production.

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NATION'S NO. 1 ATTRACTION on the screen, over the radio and on the stage, Gene Autry and Champion, Junior, his rodeo horse, will be featured June 11-14 at Tech Stadium in Lubbock at the World's Cham-

Champion Rodeo being presented by Autry and Everett Colburn. Scurry and Borden County people are reminded this is the same rodeo that appears each year in Madison Square Garden, New York City.

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Sales Manager—"Well, don't buy any more hotels."

Agent Says Home Frozen Plan Ideal For Strawberries

If you freeze your own fruit home, strawberries should be your dish, states Mrs. Estella Strayhorn, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Strayhorn says there are several reasons for laying in a supply of frozen strawberries at this time.

To begin with, strawberries have proven one of the best fruits we have for home freezing. They are easy to freeze. On the nutrition side of the ledger they are crammed full of vitamin C. And fresh or frozen, Mrs. Strayhorn states, strawberries are big favorites with virtually every family.

Mrs. Strayhorn says some berries can be frozen without sweetening. Strawberries keep their flavor and texture better when packed with sugar. One can figure on using about one cup of sugar for each four cups of berries.

Here, Mrs. Strayhorn declares, is a good procedure to follow: Sort and wash the berries in cold water, discarding the green, bruised or overripe fruit. Then cap the berries. One can leave them whole or sliced—just as the family may prefer. Next comes the sweetening. One cup of sugar for about four to six cups of berries. Add sugar slowly, turning the berries over gently until all the sugar dissolves.

Pack the fruit tightly in containers, making sure juice covers the pack. Be sure to leave room for them to expand in freezing. Mrs. Strayhorn says to allow about one inch for expansion if you're using the carton and bag container—and an inch and a half in a glass jar or tin can. Then seal tightly.

One should remember that frozen berries cannot be removed from a glass jar until they are at least partly thawed.

Those who desire more detailed information on freezing strawberries are invited to contact the county home demonstration agent for a copy of Extension Bulletin 130, "Freezing Foods For Home Use."

Carey Says Nights in Greenland Are Short

Still in Greenland, Colin Carey, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Carey of the Hermleigh community Wednesday observed his 20th birthday on the "roof of the world."

Colin, who attended Hermleigh School, arrived in Greenland with the 1385th Base Unit, U. S. Army Air Forces, last December 10.

Colin says the nights at present in Greenland are three hours long. The sun sets at 11:00 o'clock and rises again at 2:00 a. m.

Joe Golden Improves.
Joe Golden, pioneer Scurry County and Canyon community citizen, has been moved from a Lubbock hospital, where he has been critically ill the past three weeks. The Times learns this (Thursday) morning. His friend wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Wilson and daughter, Maxine, of Buffalo, Wyoming, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilson.

Stolen Car Found on Highway by Officers

Burned and stripped, the 1940 Chevrolet four-door sedan belonging to C. R. Harrell of Colorado City, stolen Tuesday night at Colorado City High School stadium, was found by Sheriff Lloyd Merritt 15 miles west of Snyder.

No trace of the car thieves had been found late Wednesday.

Harrell was attending a football game when the vehicle was stolen, local officers report. Sheriff Merritt received a call about the car at 2:00 a. m. Wednesday.

Firemen Save Feed And Barn Tuesday

Members of the Snyder Volunteer Fire Department answered a call Tuesday afternoon, 4:40 o'clock, in East Snyder when a feed stack and barn belonging to Harry Allen caught on fire.

Stack of feed belonging to Mr. Allen was damaged considerably, but prompt action by the fire department saved the barn. Two or three small holes were burned in the barn and some damage resulted from heat, the structure can be repaired with only slight cost, it is stated.

City Calls for Bids on New Pumping Houses

With the new concrete water reservoir complete for the City of Snyder, the city is advertising on bids for new water well pump houses.

So announces Mayor D. K. Ratliff, who says the City of Snyder needs two pump houses immediately.

Bids, in all, will probably be advertised for six pump houses and specifications may be secured from J. S. Bradbury, city secretary.

Yes, we have reduced our prices from 10 to 50 per cent on various items. This was done to bring prices down as requested by President Truman.—Frank's Department Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shied and Jolene of Snyder and Miss Ruby Beth Durham of Levelland spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Durham and Mark and Billy.

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Two County Boys on Tarleton Honor Roll

J. H. Bruton of Snyder and J. B. Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davidson of Dunn community, are among students on the honor roll at John Tarleton Agricultural College, Stephenville, college officials announce.

Both Bruton and Davidson were among the students on what is termed the "80 Honor Roll" at Tarleton.

Veterans, college representatives state, formed a high percentage of the honor roll for the first nine weeks of the Tarleton spring term.

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Behind this song writing quartet is 14 years' musical experience by Eddie Williams and Leon Guinn, who brought America such top-notch religious hits as "Where Living Waters Flow," "A Light at the Jordan for Me," "A Good Time Is Coming," "Mother Is in Heaven," "In the Shadow of the Cross," "For My Home Is Over There," "He Will Unfold the Mystery of Life," "A Song to Sing" and many others. Over 2,500,000 books have been printed in the religious field with the songs of Guinn & Williams in them.

Look for your juke boxes, The Record Shop and the nation to soon be possessing the honeyed words and music of:

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- The Old Mountain Cabin
- Some Day
- Rose of the Sharon Oil Field
- Baby, I'm on My Way
- Honey Chile
- Sweetheart of Old Norway
- Longing for the Range
- Familiar Street
- Melon Eatin' Time in Texas
- Wild Geese Are Calling
- The Loveliness of You
- Some One Who Cares
- Crackling Eyes

Bob Wills and his Texas Playboys reserve all exclusive rights to introduce "Gypsy Star" as a honeyed dance number better than "San Antonio Rose."

"When Redbuds Are in Bloom" will be released as a dedication to Scurry County's men and women in service and in honor to our war dead—our boys and girls who put new glory in Old Glory and in the silent story of the night cannot be dead (we just say)—they are our shining heritage, they are just away!



GUINN, WILLIAMS, FLETCHER AND CARRIE LOU McQUAID, Song Writers

Leon Guinn, Business Manager Snyder, Texas

Cannibalism in Poultry May Be Stopped by Care

Cannibalism in chickens and turkeys are a big item on the Scurry County poultryman's list of worries, and will start taking its toll from poultry flocks soon.

J. N. Caviness, county agent, believes poultry raisers can cut down losses from cannibalism by taking steps to stop it before it starts—by prevention. Cannibalism, poultry's vicious habit of picking toes, combs, vents and feathers and other parts of the body spreads in poultry very rapidly due to the red color of the freshly picked sections of the body, and, too, they are born with the desire to imitate one another.

Poultry husbandrymen and veterinarians can list many factors that result in cannibalism. Caviness also points out that 10 conditions often lead to the trouble: Among these are crowding; inadequate eating and drinking space; too much heat, not enough air; idleness; close confinement; floor laying, blow outs; injured birds; insufficient and improperly constructed nests; and malnutrition.

From these 10 factors, says the county agent, the poultry raiser can pick probably four that are most likely to cause trouble, and work toward preventing those conditions. Crowding is considered the most common cause of cannibalism. In batteries, a baby chick needs 10 square inches of floor space during his first two weeks. Twenty inches the third and fourth weeks, 40 inches from four to six weeks, 60 inches from six to eight weeks; and 75 inches from eight weeks on. In colony houses, each chick needs half a square foot. Turkeys need just twice the amount of space as chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson and small daughter of Austin were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilson.

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Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson and daughter, Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hogue visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert of Plainview Sunday.

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MAY
7—Day of Thanksgiving at Valley Forge, 1778.
8—German surrender ratified, 1945.
9—Admiral Richard E. Byrd completed first flight over the North Pole, 1926.
10—Churchill becomes British prime minister, 1940.
11—Mother's Day.
12—National Hospital Day, commemorating birth of Florence Nightingale.
13—Arthur Sullivan of Gilbert & Sullivan, born, 1842.

Bethel News

Mrs. Weldon Sumruld, Correspondent.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Higginbotham and son, Johnny Galye, of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Cross and family of Big Spring, Mrs. Evelyn Green and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Higginbotham of East Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Higginbotham of Midway visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Andress over the week-end.

Turner News

Mrs. Bart Branson, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Gladson of Eunice, New Mexico are entertaining a new daughter and will answer to the name of Renee.
Mrs. Dee Myers and sons, J. T., and W. D., visited in the Dee Walker home Sunday.

Garage Damaged by Fire.

Fire call Sunday afternoon was answered to the Clarence Moore Garage in East Snyder, when walls and top of the structure were damaged by a fire of unknown origin.

She Knew Her Mommy.

The child was out visiting with her mother. The stay was lengthy and the little girl became restless. "Mother," she said, "it's rude to interrupt while I'm speaking; you should wait until I finish." "But," said the child, "you don't know."

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Pyron News

Mrs. A. G. Haygood, Correspondent
Due to bad weather, the working at the Lone Wolf Cemetery has been postponed until a later date.
Will Young underwent major surgery at the Young Hospital in Roscoe Friday.
Mrs. Orvil Allen was a medical patient at the Young Hospital last week.

Fisher County Song Group Meets at Hobbs

Attention of all Scurry County singers is called to the monthly session of the Fisher County Singing Convention, which will be held Sunday afternoon at Hobbs High School auditorium.
Eddie Williams of Hobbs, arrangements chairman, reports the song fest will get underway Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

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Funeral Held Sunday For James T. Parker

Funeral services for James T. Parker, who passed away Saturday at Houston and who is well known and remembered by a number of Scurry County people, were held last Sunday afternoon at Fogle-West Chapel in Houston.
Rev. Morran, pastor of the Pasadena, Texas, Baptist Church, officiated.
Mr. Parker is survived by the widow, three children, Sunny Jean, Sammy and Margaret Ann; the mother, Mrs. Ruby Parker, and a brother, Darrell Parker.

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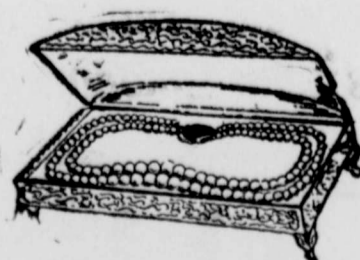
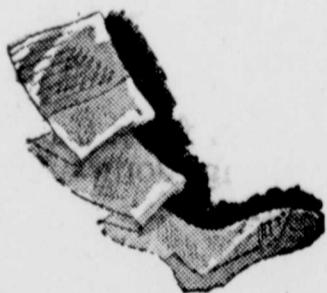
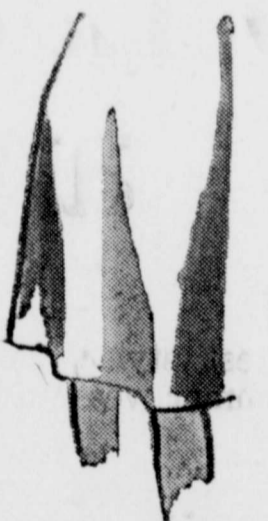
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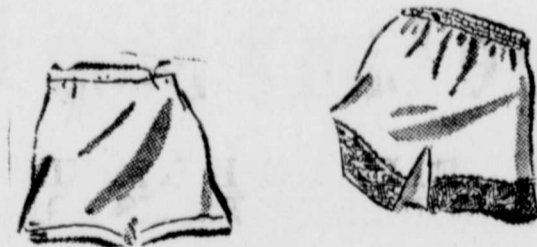
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Big Sulphur News

Clara Mae Lewis, Correspondent
Lillian Huffstutler of Plainview community spent Sunday with Oreta Myers.

Midway News

Mrs. Marvin Snowden, Correspondent
Mrs. Dan Westfall and daughter, Dana, spent Saturday night in the Norris Scott home.

News from Ira

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children spent Sunday in the Arnold Haney home of Dunn.

Fluvanna News

Mrs. Bolivar Browning, Cor.
Betty Jo Forehand, who is attending school in Abilene was here visiting her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bog Forehand over the week-end.

Ennis Creek

Mrs. Allen Davis, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and little grandson, David, spent last week-end on a fishing trip at Possum Kingdom Dam.

Plainview News

Bobbie Corbell, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar von Roeder attended the funeral of Alex Murphy Sunday afternoon in Snyder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Thornhill and children of Ira called by to see the Marvin Snowden family this Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Templeton of Hobbs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. Ware.

We extend our sympathy to the loved ones of Alex Murphy who passed away in a San Angelo hospital and was laid to rest Sunday in the Ira Cemetery with Masonic rites at the graveside.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Stewart was called to Baytown to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Cullam and Mr. Cullam.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Farquhar of Big Spring were here Sunday for the graduation exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker and daughter, Donna, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Walker and daughter, Faye, at Camp Springs.

Four of Texas City Victims Unidentified
Scurry Countians who had relatives and close friends at work in Texas City have the gloomy news from the American Red Cross that approximately a fourth of the persons killed in the April 16 explosion have not yet been identified.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Griffin of Canyon visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bates spent the week-end in Colorado City visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Corbell and daughter spent Sunday in Colorado City in the Autry Light home.

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Friendly Thoughts by Odom
The gardener slept. And about him in this beautiful bower of flowers the weeds grew, timidly at first, but then sprang up strong and bold as they noticed the gardener slept so soundly.

At the TEXAS
Thursday, May 8—"IT ALL CAME TRUE" with Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan. Comedy.

Misellaneous
To our many, many friends we take this means of thanking you for your kind words and deeds during the sickness and death of our darling daughter and sister, Zelma Dee Addison.

FOR SALE—Two-month-old chickens.—Mrs. George Garner. 47-2c

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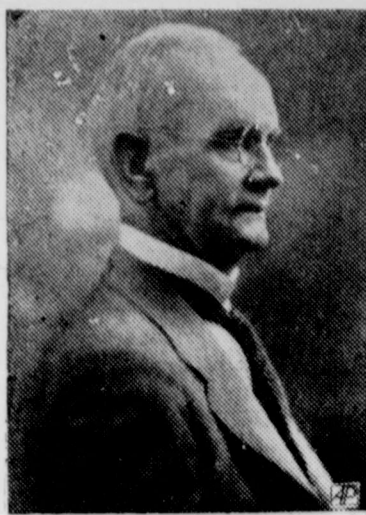
NOTICE
YES, we have reduced our prices 10 to 50 per cent on various items. This was done to bring prices down as requested by President Truman.—Frank's Department Store. 1c

Lanham Riley to Rope Contests At Post May 18

Borden and Scurry County ranchers say both counties will have good representation at Post City Sunday afternoon, May 18, at the town's new rodeo arena when Lanham Riley of Snyder meets Sonny Edwards of Big Spring in a matched roping contest. Lanham grew up around Snyder and Colorado City, and is one of the top ropers in the state. Each contestant will have 10 calves in the May 18 competition. The May 18 afternoon program, beginning at 2:00 o'clock, will include a jack pot roping contest open to all comers. All calves will be used from the herd of Embury Williams, manager of Post's annual Stampede and Rodeo.

Mason Will Speak at Negro Baccalaureate

Baccalaureate services for Snyder Dunbar School will be held Sunday afternoon, May 18, at 3:00 o'clock, school officials announce. Mrs. M. M. Washington, Dunbar teacher, reports Rev. J. William Mason, pastor of the Snyder First Baptist Church, will deliver the principal address. Graduation exercises for Dunbar School, colored, will be held Friday evening, May 23, at 8:00 o'clock.



CHAIRMAN of the board of trustees at Baylor University Dr. John Thomas Harrington, passed away at his Waco home at the age of 89. Dr. Harrington is well remembered as one of the founders of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Grandson Back from China Phones Mullins

One of those happy occasions when a loved one is no greater distance than the nearest telephone occurred Friday when Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullins of North Snyder talked to a grandson, Willard Gunter while Willard was in California. Willard, in the U. S. Navy, has served two years in China. He was in the West Coast state on furlough.

Piano Pupils of Mrs. Landrum in Fluvanna Recital

Treat of the month for Fluvanna people was the recital given Friday evening in Fluvanna School auditorium by the piano pupils of Mrs. C. A. Landrum.

Dorothy Ann Landrum, only five years old, capped top attention in initial presentation of the evening, "An Evening of Music" with three pieces by Schumann—"The Dragon," "The Lightning Ranger" and "Eeny, Meeny, Miney, Mo."

Victor Fulford followed with "The Wee Folk March" (Raezer), "My Brave Rooster" (Lake), and "We're in the Army Now" and "Taps" (Thompson). His small fingers ran over the keys easily and nimbly for a boy of only six.

Victor and Mrs. Landrum played a duet, "To the Colors" (Thompson). Next on the intriguing program was Inez Fulford. She played four pieces in second and third grade music.

Barbara Gene Reeder played "Grandfather's Clock" (Maxim), "Minuet" (Bach), "Playful Kittens" (Lawson), and "Distant Bells" (Streabog).

Silas Ray Flournoy and Inez Fulford played "Dixie" by Thompson. An interesting part of the recital was Silas Ray and his four military pieces.

"Turkey in the Straw," a duet was given by Barbara Gene Reeder and Mrs. Landrum.

Gloria Toombs, a pupil of a year, played "Dream of Love" (Litz-Eckstein), "In the Hall of the Mountain King" (Grieg-King), "Merry Farmer" (Schumann), "On the Blue Lagoon" (Mattingly) and "Ain de Ballet" (Depret).

"Fiddle Tunes" (Piaget) and "The Army Air Corps Song" were played by Weldon Reeder.

"A Blues Song" by Schaum was given by Shirley Ann Scrivner and Gloria Toombs. Shirley Ann Scrivner ended the evening of music with five pieces—"Indian War Dance" (Cook), "Minuet" (Paderewski), "The Bee and the Clover" (Geibel), "Brisk Winds" (Schaum) and "Pomp and Pageantry" (Cobb).

Stage for the recital was decorated with fern and bridal wreath. A huge lavender bow—matching the purple iris and lilacs on the piano—was tied in the middle of the fern and flowers.

Baptists Will Fete Faculty. Members of the First Baptist Church are honoring the faculty of our Snyder School system with a picnic supper on the Church lawn Monday evening, May 12, at 8:00 o'clock.

Yes, we have reduced our prices from 10 to 50 per cent on various items. This was done to bring prices down as requested by President Truman.—Frank's Department Store

Softball Schedule to Be Arranged May 14

Rules governing league competition will be formulated next Wednesday evening, 8:00 o'clock, at Snyder School gymnasium, reports Tommy Beene, director of the Scurry County Softball League.

At next Wednesday evening's gathering a schedule will also be worked out for the season, it is stated.

Area sport fans will be interested in fact the first softball game will be played June 2. Play will be on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays, league officials state.

Saturdays will be reserved for Snyder games with out-of-town teams.

Special Service Set at First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to all church members and friends to attend its services on Mother's Day. Honor your Mother by being present in Sunday School and the other services of the day. Special recognition will be given to the oldest mother present, and to the youngest mother present, and to the mother with the most children present. The pastor will bring a special message on the observance of Mother's Day. If possible bring your mother, if not bring someone's else's mother.—Reporter.

China Grove Club In Leader Course

First trainer leader program for the China Grove Home Demonstration Club was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stanley Merket.

Mrs. W. H. Prescott and Mrs. Jim Merket were program leaders. Program for the gathering included preparing a picnic lunch. Everything was prepared at the club and the lunch box was demonstrated with all fixtures.

Also a demonstration was given in doing your own beauty work in the home. Roll call for the occasion was answered with beauty hints. The club selected Mrs. W. H. Prescott to give the story of her club work for National Home Demonstration Club Week.

The club voted last Thursday afternoon to accept an invitation to meet with the Buford club in the near future. A forty-two party was planned for National Home Demonstration Club Week.

According to plans formulated at the gathering, the forty-two party will be held in the barracks structure on the Prescott farm. Barracks building was recently moved to the Prescott place from Camp Berkeley, Abilene. The following club members were present: Mmes. O. N. Laster Jr., Joe Halston, Jim Merket, W. H. Prescott, D. A. White, Jack Merket and the hostess. New club member is Mrs. Jack Merket.

Snyder General Hospital

New patients in Snyder General Hospital this week included the following: O. D. McGlaun, Snyder, medical. Roy Hargrove, Route 3, Snyder, medical. Mrs. Betty Adams, Snyder, medical.

Those remaining from last week were as follows: Mrs. J. G. Whately, Snyder. R. A. Parramore, Snyder. W. G. French, Snyder.

There have been 17 United States senators named Smith.

Baptist Churches of Area Add 154 to Rolls

Total of 92 persons were added to Baptist churches by baptism, 62 by letter or statement and five dedications for special service marked a highlight of 12 of the revivals held during the simultaneous revival effort in the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association, according to Rev. J. William Mason, director.

A report received by The Times on the meetings by the association reveal there were 154 additions in all during the 14-day campaign.

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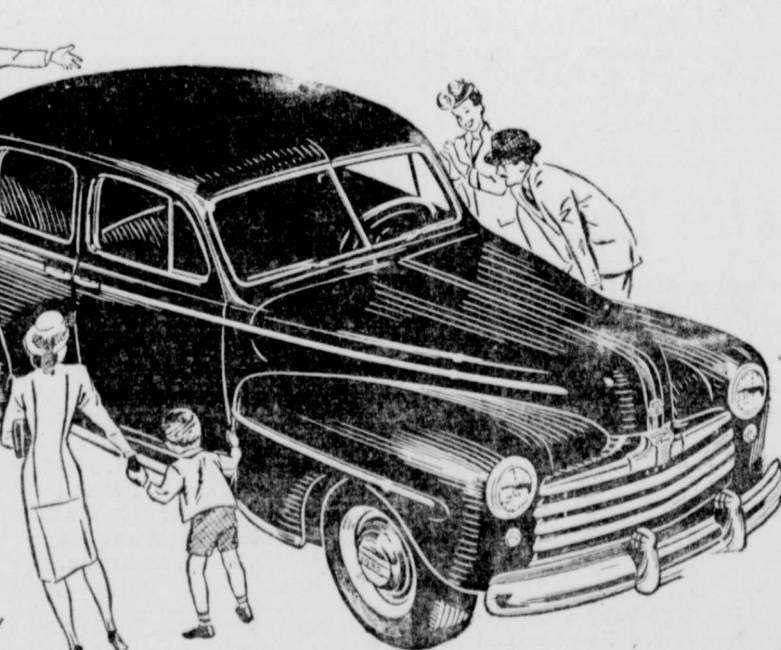
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"She gave his first bath to a husky youngster who had been found a few hours earlier in a garbage can."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

BE A NURSE'S AID

A FEW years ago there was in our town a young woman, healthy, 35, well-married to a faithful, good man and the mother of sons of 11 and 9. Yet she fell a victim to despair.

She didn't know it was despair; she was not a weak or self-pitying woman. She only knew that, by slow degrees, her life fell into a state of vague blankness, of frustration, of doubts and dissatisfactions that were entirely new to her own normal nature.

It wasn't the war, although that did cast a shadow over everything and she felt it. It was far more personal than that. It was that Peter and the boys, while really needing her—no doubt of that—still seemed to be escaping her more and more.

Peter had his weekly poker, his golf, his business lunches, his business trips. The boys were absorbed completely in their own school and club life, gym and skating. Saturday movies, scout activities, comic papers. She could win Peter occasionally to an affectionate and companionable mood; she could snatch kisses from the boys when she personally superintended their baths, but that was about all.

Molly Pemberton began to have a dreadful feeling of the futility and waste of life. Time was rushing too fast and bringing too little. "Oh, what does it matter and what's the use?" her thoughts began drearily to reiterate.

She fought on as well as she could, concentrating on good meals, fresh rooms, homework, Peter's magazines, the boys' boots and sweaters. She went conscientiously four afternoons a week to the Red Cross and, of course, there were friendships, talks with other women about ways to cook broccoli and what color to paint the sitting room walls.

Went to Psychoanalyst.

But the fright, the sense of nothingness went on, and finally Molly sought the advice of a psychoanalyst. She cried so violently during the first sessions that she couldn't get anywhere at all, but she went again. In all, she went three times. Then the silliness of lying on a leather couch, trying to remember whether or not her mother ever was unjust to her, overcame Molly and she went home. But the crying went on and she could not seem to pull herself together.

The doctor said that a change would help her; she must go away to a sanitarium for a few months. A few months! Molly laughed in his face. Peter couldn't afford the money, she couldn't afford the time and there was no one to care for the boys, anyway.

It was then Molly met a tired, busy nurse from the children's home. They were overworked and understaffed at the home. Molly admitted that she had free time in the middle of the day and she went to work that very afternoon.

She climbed stairs with armfuls of linen; she folded great heaps of dishes; she made up cribs. She sat for hours with one willful baby after another on her lap and spooned tons of cereal into rebellious little mouths. She held one lovely yearling in her arms, while life and light went out of the blue eyes; she gave his first bath to one husky youngster who had been found a few hours earlier in a garbage can, with no covering but a paper bag.

Molly saw many a girl weeping in despair because a baby was coming; she saw many a woman agonizing because a baby would not come. Because this was an Italian

In middle life many women feel a sense of futility. Life seems to have lost its purpose, its bright promises. The daily round of caring for her children and providing a comfortable home for her husband no longer satisfies. When this oppressive feeling of uselessness comes on, she scarcely knows what to do.

Molly Pemberton drifted into this unhappy mental state. She was 35, the mother of two boys; her husband was faithful and a good provider. She fought against this mood of frustration as long as she could, being a sensible, courageous woman, but at last she realized she would have to do something.

She consulted a psychoanalyst. At first he seemed to help her, but after the third visit she realized that he could do nothing for her real trouble. Her doctor advised her to go to a sanitarium, but she said the expense would make this impossible, and that she had to care for the boys.

Then by a happy accident, she met a nurse and found out how much in need the hospitals are of volunteer help. Molly became a nurse's aid, working afternoons. This new interest now absorbs all her effort. She also has come to appreciate the peace and comfort of her home in a new way.

quarter, she began to study Italian and discovered that she had a gift for languages. She knew from the beginning that in this hard, hot, thankless work lay her salvation, so she never missed a day.

Home Became Luxury.

To get home to her fresh clean house, her gay little boys, and her tired husband became a luxury. Comfortable meals, her white soft bed, her book and her lamp were so many miracles. Molly was the life of the dinner table. Every day brought her a new short story, right from the heart of life.

Peter got interested because she was so interested herself. Her house, her boys, her man had satisfied for a time Molly's need to be loved, useful and interested. But after a few years, life had taken them somewhat away from her and all the activities that kept her grandmother busy—the spinning and weaving, the baking and sweeping, the fire-building and the boiling of soap and even the washing of clothes had been largely taken away, too. Molly didn't have to seed raisins and make over dresses, feed chickens and iron her husband's shirts.

She would have been a fool to do these things—the day for them is long past. But the day when a woman can find active, essential work to do for the less fortunate never will be past. When every woman with time and energy to spare finds work as Molly did, we shall live in a new world.

It will be a world of good neighbors, who come in when there is need, when there is a crisis, and give the most precious gift that can be given—friendship. In that day many more women than Molly will discover that to spread love and service a little further than the confines of home is to make them all the more secure in home itself.

Leather Bags Return

Women are hailing the return of real leather bags, which are as serviceable as a good piece of luggage and much more constantly used.

This spring smooth, shiny calfskin handbags top the popularity list, with boxy shapes well out in front. Designers now make bags more utilitarian without having them approaching the size of trunks.

The shoulder bag is still a favorite with busy women, who found during the war how pleasant it was to have both hands free.



"The futility of life."

Artificial Arteries Are Made of Human Blood

New tough, elastic plastics and films are being made from human blood as substitutes for body tissues, according to a report by Prof. John D. Ferry of the University of Wisconsin and Peter Morrison of Harvard, in a publication of American Chemical society.

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The Times' Weekly Page of World News in Pictures



PRINCESS WITHOUT SHOES . . . Perhaps never again in history of the British royal family will a photographer have a chance to snap Her Royal Highness Princess Elizabeth standing in her stockinged feet. The Queen, left, damaged her own shoes. Princess Elizabeth loaned her shoes to her mother, then so that it wouldn't spoil her fun, promptly forgot the incident while enjoying the sights of South Africa with her mother and guest, unidentified.



MOTHER-OF-THE-YEAR . . . Mrs. Frederick G. Murray, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, who has been chosen by the Golden Rule foundation as the "American Mother-of-the-Year." She has raised five children and devotes considerable time to child welfare work.



DENMARK'S KING . . . King Frederik IX, Denmark, who became head of the ancient throne upon the death of his father, King Christian X, 76-year-old monarch, who ruled his country for 35 years.



FORGETS CHILDREN . . . Charles Phillips, 102, of San Francisco, says he has six children but cannot remember how many sons or daughters. He says they are all old enough to chew hay. He is pictured in local hospital recovering from a minor ailment.



WHO IS AFRAID . . . This boa, 10 feet long, was flown to the Chase wild animal farm, Egypt, Mass., from South America. Far from fearing death by constriction, Mrs. Marion Chase wraps the boa around her neck as some gaudy oversized ornament.



WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT . . . Chosen by the Women's National Press club as "Women of Achievement" are, standing, left to right: Mrs. Josephine Tighe Williams, who received award posthumously for her daughter, Dixie Tighe; Eva Le Gallienne, Dr. Esther Caukin Brunauer and Beatrice Blackmer Gould. Seated, left to right: Dr. Helen Brook Taussig and Agnes E. Meyer.



NEW DODGER MANAGER . . . Burt Shotton, who has been appointed as the manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers to succeed the suspended Leo Durocher. Shotton went to Brooklyn from Pensacola, Fla., and took immediate charge of the "Bums."



PRICES GOING DOWN! . . . In line with the President's appeal to reduce retail prices as means of averting economic crisis, Thomas M. Russell, owner of a market in Brookline, Mass., shows customers sign on window announcing a 10 per cent reduction for everything in his store except meat. He reported dozens of customers at the reduced prices. Many cities have organized their merchants in a similar reduction.



WANTS AN APARTMENT—WELL WHO DOESN'T? . . . Five months of fruitless apartment hunting led Kay Daly, 26, San Francisco advertising executive, to this unique approach to solution of her problem. This 10 by 21 foot billboard, which also graces a 6-foot likeness of her charming self, shows Miss Daly posing before the sign. First day brought many returns.



TOKYO RAIDERS REUNION . . . Lt. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle, who was grounded in his own plane in New Jersey, completed his flight to Miami arriving in time to join his fellow members on the second reunion of the men who made the first bombing raid on Tokyo. He was greeted at airport by Col. C. R. Greening, left, and Col. John A. Hilger, center, fellow raiders. Members of Doolittle's raiders have vowed to meet each year.



NAVY BUZZ BOMB . . . Near Los Angeles the navy sent this buzz bomb out over the ocean in an effort to catch up with the atomic age. It roars into the air with assistance of four rockets, which are on sleds and fall free at expiration of the thunderous thrust in two seconds. The buzz bombs are being developed for naval defense purposes.



BOUND FOR ALASKA ON SCOOTER BUILT FOR FIVE . . . D. A. Gregory and his pet fox terrier, "Pooch," left Brownsville, Tex., on a three-wheeled motor scooter, bound for Alaska. Their number has been increased to five, thanks to the addition of three pups born en route.



STATUS DOUBTFUL . . . Pauline Betz, national women's singles tennis champion, arrived at New York after her tennis tour of Europe. U. S. Lawn Tennis association has ordered her to end participation in amateur events due to question on her standing.



COLLEGIATE CALF ROPER . . . M. Woodard, University of Florida student, shows aptitude in more than geometry, as he lays a "piggin' string" on this calf after racing him down the arena. The rodeo is staged each spring by the Block and Bridle club of the university. Many of the students come from the ranches of the Florida cattle country and plan to return and run the family ranches as soon as they have completed their college courses.



KITTY GOES TO CHURCH . . . Although this church-going kitten is not exactly yawning at a sermon, she is resting in the belly of the amazing replica of the Church of Saint Vito, built in living room of Dominic Zanzara, New York City.



Your Broadway and Mine: Times Square Ticker: The senate group that sent subpoenas to record manufacturers next will probe legit thither bookings. That means the Shubert empire...

Government insurance office is making a mint for Uncle Sam because so many G.I.s are neglecting their policies.

Man About Town: Game-fixer Alvin Paris' sentence of a year means eight months (good behavior) and since he has served four months, he will be out just in time for the football season...

Laura Z. Hobson, author of the terrific best-seller, "Gentleman's Agreement," had no confidence in it last March. She wrote friends: "It's an idea no movie will touch and the public will not buy, but I can't get rid of it!"

Not so long ago one of the "boys" (who long has been identified with the Capone syndicate in Chicago) decided he would open a bank...

Midtown Vignette: Sidney Blackmer (of the legit, if you please) witnessed it in the foyer of a swank hotel...

The Late Watch: Ex-Governor Earle (of Pennsylvania) married a Belgian while he was an attaché in Turkey...

At the Embassy: "It's hard to take Broadway failure. It's even harder to take some Broadway success..."

Sounds in the Nights: At the Variety Fair: "This is the time of year I wish I were alive..."



GREEN ON WAY OUT: WASHINGTON.—Sparks are beginning to fly in the AFL executive council over who will succeed Pres. William Green when Green finally is retired to the rocking chair at the AFL national convention next October in San Francisco...

Although not bed-ridden, the aged Green has been in poor health for some time. Tipoff on his physical condition was his recent testimony before the house un-Americanism committee.

State department officials recently were preparing a package of literature for Nepal, India, including copies of the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence...

Some interesting history is wrapped up in the Logan act, which congressmen now want invoked to prevent Henry Wallace from denouncing aid to Greece and Turkey...

The French revolution at that time was as earth-shaking as the Russian revolution today, and Washington was seething with rumors that Bonaparte's fleet was about to attack the Atlantic coast...

Although Logan's mission to France was self-appointed, he carried letters of introduction from Thomas Jefferson and others who opposed war between France and the U. S. in Paris...

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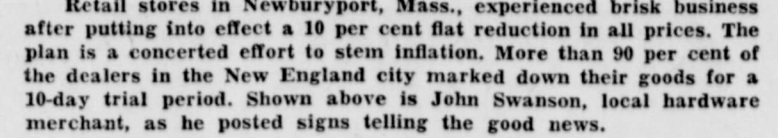
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS: Merchants Pledge to Cut Prices; Moscow Parley Ends in Failure; Auto Workers Accept 15c Raise

Released by Western Newspaper Union. EDITOR'S NOTE: Where opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.



Retail stores in Newburyport, Mass., experienced brisk business after putting into effect a 10 per cent reduction in all prices. The plan is a concerted effort to stem inflation...

After seven weeks of wrangling, the foreign ministers' conference at Moscow ended in a state banquet. Results of the parley were extremely disappointing, even to those whose expectations had been small...

In what contractors call a "general buyers' strike against high prices" thousands of new small homes are remaining unsold in the New York area. Similar reports have been coming in from other areas.

Settle for 15 Cents: In an unexpected move, United Auto Workers accepted the offer of General Motors corporation of a wage increase amounting to 15 cents per hour...

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Probe Ocean's Depths: A party of 16 Swedish oceanographers and other scientists will probe the world's deepest sea bottoms in a round-the-world voyage starting this summer.

Less Liquor, More Food: If Americans spent less on liquor, sports, amusements and other luxuries, they could afford a better diet, thus providing a larger market for the farmer...

ENGLAND: 50 Die in Shipwrecks: A furious storm that lashed the southern coast of England swept three ships onto the rocky shores, bringing death to at least 50 seamen...

WAR GRAFT: Garson Case Again: A new move in the drawn-out war contracts graft case of Representative May and the Garson brothers...

GERMANY: New Mark Decried: A four power agreement has been reached on Germany's muddled financial situation. First move under the new setup will be issuance of a new monetary unit...

Obtains Divorce: Lovely Mrs. Maria Feliza Vanderbilt, 29, has divorced her socialite husband, Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr., in Los Angeles. She is the daughter of the Mexican cattle baron, Rodolfo Pablos...

WED IN DEATH: Two young people who died in an auto accident a few days before their engagement were "married" in their coffins. As mourners stood around the hearse...

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EUROPE'S YOUTH: Opportunity for Gospel: The Christian churches are not reaching for European youth with the eagerness that Communism is, asserted Dr. Hutchinson Cockburn...

DDT Conquers Head Lice: The insecticide DDT proved 100 per cent effective in the treatment of head lice on Texas school children, the Journal of the American Medical Association reports.

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Seniority Rights: The recent decision of the U. S. Supreme court, which determined that the seniority rights of veterans who return to their old jobs and after one year, will affect thousands of veterans who have claimed this right under the selective service act.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS: Q. Can you tell me what becomes of profits received from canteens operated by VA hospitals and nursing homes?—A. J. H., Sikeston, Mo.

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By Walter Shead WNU Correspondent. WNU, Washington Bureau, 1616 Eye St., N. W.

Inflationary Price Trend Worrying Farm Leaders: FARMERS, along with the rest of the citizenry, are feeling the pinch of high prices and paying the penalty for whatever part they played in kicking out price controls.

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Gems of Thought: YOU are the person to take seriously. Until you mean something to yourself, you are not likely to be important to anyone else.

The New Book of Everyday Etiquette: Do YOU get tongue-tied and flustered when you have to make introductions? It's easy to avoid embarrassment when you know the rules.

Traveled Around World On High-Wheeled Bicycle: In April, 1884, Thomas Stevens left San Francisco to ride around the world on a high-wheeled bicycle, a feat considered impossible at the time as few persons had yet learned to handle this tricky contrivance...

Dogs I've Known...: Frolicky Fritz eats well, acts well, is well—on a basic diet of Gro-Pup Ribbons. These crisp, tasty ribbons give him every vitamin and mineral dogs are known to need.

Payments Mean Controls: The farm leaders were able to agree upon parts of their program which they now are presenting to the house agricultural committee in hearings on a long range farm program.

Nation-Wide Monopoly: "Suppose, for instance," he said, "if in our fight for a new and higher parity price on farm commodities congress would fix a basic price of 29 per cent, they definitely wanted no cuts in REA school lunches, research and marketing."

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Records Threatened in Spirited Play Day Revival at Canyon School Friday

Crisp weather coupled with over-cast skies proved an incentive last Friday for the Play Day events staged at Canyon School, southwest of Snyder.

A touch of pre-war records was equalled as a time of 12.8 seconds was rung up for first in the 100-yard dash. Time of 8.5 seconds was recorded as first in the 50-yard dash; and the broad jump tape went out "in the blue" with first of 12 feet five inches.

Play Day event results, as furnished The Times by officials and the county superintendent's office, follow:

Story Telling—Joy Bills, first place; Alvin Parramore, second; Jimmy Toland, third; and Barbara Clements, fourth.

Junior Declamation—Jerry Thomas of Canyon, first; Sarah Milhollon also of Canyon, second; Arthur Quitt of Independence, third; and Donna Lita Bills, also of Independence, fourth.

Sub-Junior Declamation—Glenn Thompson, first; Janis Springer, second; Joyce Nell Brown, third; and Carolyn Sturdivan, fourth.

High Jump—Doyle Lee of Dunn, first, with tally of four feet one inch; Bobby Glass of Dunn and Bob Williams of Plainview, tie for second place; and Sonny Thomas of Canyon, fourth.

100-Yard Dash—Bob Williams of

Plainview, first with time of 12.8 seconds; Jimmy Jones of Bethel, second; Doyle Lee of Dunn, third; and James Mosley, also of Dunn, fourth.

Broad Jump—Sonny Thomason of Canyon, first place with jump of 12 feet five inches; Bob Williams of Plainview, second; Doyle Lee of Dunn, third; and Billy James of Turner, fourth.

50-Yard Dash—Doyle Lee of Dunn, first with timing of 8.5 seconds; Bob Williams of Plainview, second; Jimmy Jones of Bethel, third; and Billy Don Huddleston of Bison, fourth.

In the junior baseball tournament Bison was winner for sixth grade schools. Dunn was winner for seventh grade schools.

In play for sixth grade schools, Martin played Crowder, with Crowder as the winner. In the Dermott-Bison game, Dermott was winner. Bethel drew a bye and lost to Bison in the final stanza.

In seventh grade competition, Dunn emerged as winner of the Turner-Dunn mele. Canyon defeated Independence, and in the final frame bowed to Dunn in a hotly contested game.

Play Day individual winners by grades are:

Second Grade—Patsy Arnold of Bethel, first; Nancy Jean Bentley of Crowder, second; Robert Owen

Dalhart XIT Reunion Reset for July 24 to 26

Scurry and Borden County people planning to attend are reminded the annual XIT Reunion in Dalhart will be held July 24-26.

So announces Alyn D. Finch, reunion chairman, who says the dates have been changed from mid June to avoid conflict with the Panhandle wheat harvest.

Nail of Canyon, third; Jerry Tim Cook of Turner, fourth; and Patricia Wade of Ennis Creek, fifth.

Third Grade—Patsy Bridges of Turner, first; Hal Holladay of Bison, second; Gene Pate of Bethel, third; and Anita Thomas of Canyon, fourth.

Fourth Grade—John Echols of Dunn, first; Billie Layne of Canyon, second; Carolyn Sturdivant of Independence, third; and Bob Allen of Ennis Creek, fourth.

Fifth Grade—Sonny Thomason of Canyon, first; Ramona Clarkson of Turner, second; LaNeil Sutton of Independence, third; and Mary Alice Richardson of Dunn, fourth.

Sixth Grade—Betty Lon Hollis of Independence, first; Paul Hill of Canyon, second; Wallace Rinehart of Martin, third; and Howard Quitt of Dunn, fourth.

Seventh Grade—Ellis Wright Huddleston of Bison, first; Floyd Sutton of Independence, second; and Herma L. Clements of Canyon, third.

Eighth Grade—Ann Richardson of Dunn, first; and Billy Don Huddleston of Bison, second.



COTTON AND BEANS go together well, especially when the connecting link is pretty Ann O'Connell of Pabokee, Florida. Petite Ann finds harvesting the Florida bean crop fun when she's outfitted with cotton shorts and a T shirt. Shorts are slit for greater freedom of action.

Commencement Exercises Set at Fluvanna Friday

Commencement exercises for the 1947 senior class of Fluvanna High School will be held Friday evening, May 9, at 8:30 o'clock, in the high school auditorium, C. A. Landrum, Fluvanna superintendent, this week announces.

Senior class roll of Fluvanna High School for the current term includes: Johny Noel Greenfield, president; Jack Hatley, vice president; Helen Jo Warren, secretary-treasurer; William Othel Mathis, Ray Herring, Robert Farquhar, Patsy Lee Browning and Carl Turner.

Program for the school's commencement exercises on May 9 follow:

Processional, Mrs. C. A. Landrum; "America," congregation; invocation, Mr. Dyess; "Lead on, O King Eternal, choir; salutatory, "The Great New World Before Us," Ray Herring; "Peace, Be Still," choir; valedictory address, "Education is

John Bayouth Back With Frank's Store

At San Bernardino, California, for the past 19 months with Karl's Shoe Stores, John Bayouth is now back with Frank's Department Store, west side of the square.

John, his wife and son, Ronnie, have already moved back to Snyder and say they are happy to be away from so much traffic congestion. John was an associate of Frank's for some time before he went to California.

The capitol building in Washington, D. C., covers approximately three and a half acres of ground, and the materials used in its construction weigh more than 4,450 tons.

the Greatest Gift," Helen Jo Warren;

Introduction, John Stavely; principal address, Dean James M. Gordon of Texas Technological College, Lubbock; presentation of the class by Superintendent Landrum; presentation of diplomas by Mert S. Jones, president of the board of trustees.

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Care of Chicks Aids Respiratory Diseases Battle

Scurry County farmers may help prevent respiratory diseases in baby chickens by lining brooder house walls up about 36 inches from the floor with heavy tar paper.

So states Delbert Devin, assistant professor of animal husbandry at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Paper will not only help keep out drafts but will also prevent chicks from piling up in corners if it is rounded there instead of being tightly tucked.

A chick guard of 12-inch hardware cloth, commonly known as hall screen, should be kept around the hoyer for 36 hours after baby chicks arrive to keep them in. The guard may gradually be moved back for about four days, when it should be no longer needed.

Temperature under the hoyer should be kept at 95 to 100 degrees during the first week, 90 to 95 degrees the second, and gradually decreased until the end of the eighth week. Two or three inches of litter should be kept over the floor at all times, to be changed weekly for two or three weeks and twice weekly thereafter. Ground bundles or shredded corn stover are recommended for litters, but farmers should make sure no grain remains on the stalks before they are ground.

Wen chicks are 24 to 36 hours old they should be fed a good chick starter, containing about 20 per cent protein and fortified with cod liver oil or vitamin D.

Cleanliness is of utmost importance in disease prevention. Brooder house floors and walls up about 12 inches should be scrubbed with a stiff broom dipped in lye water, and the rest of the house sprayed with a good disinfectant before the chicks arrive. All movable equipment should be soaked in lye water, using one can of concentrated lye to 10 gallons of water.

SCJLA Officers to Be Elected at Barbecue

Election of officers for the Scurry County Junior Livestock Association for the ensuing year will mark a highlight of the barbecue staged Friday evening in Snyder School Park for Snyder FFA boys, their fathers and the SCJLA.

Broadway Browning, Snyder School vocational agriculture instructor, reports the barbecue will get underway Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Honored guests for the festive occasion will be the fathers of Snyder Future Farmers of America members.

Invitations for the affair, Browning states, were sent out early this week.

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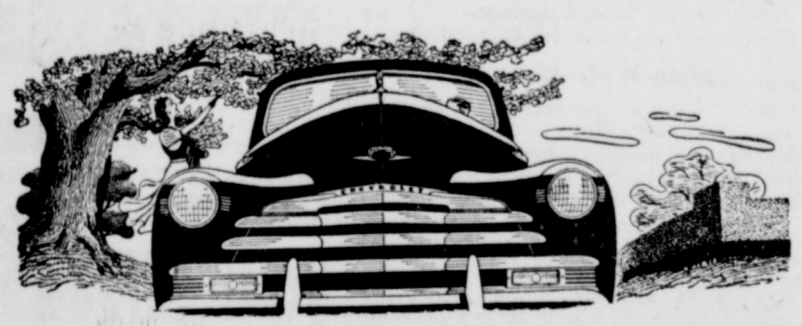
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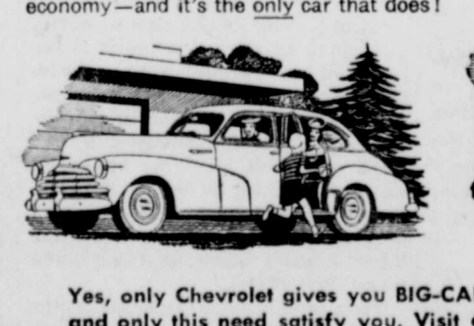


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Honor Roll for Fifth Period Released By School Authorities at Hermleigh

Honor students for the fifth six-week period at Hermleigh School were announced this week by J. T. Bryant, superintendent.

Following is a list of both high school and grade school pupils, as released by school faculty members:

Seniors—Frances Carey, Claudia Czek, Don Richard Hale, Mary Ellen Hickman, Thelma Hickman, H. B. Lewis, Opha Lou Mason, Godfrey Pavlas, Bobby Sims, Harley Lee Smith, Harold Boyd Vernon, Gilbert Wolf, O. D. Dall and Donald Mason.

Juniors—Freddie Rogers, Leon Lewis, Johnnie Williams, Jake Smith, Blakely Fargason, Paye Burns, Evelyn Carey, Joy Glass, Hope Fargason, Willadean Lopour, Opal Jean Culp and E. L. Vandiver.

Sophomores—Ellen Jo Avary, Sue Jane Hughes, Annie Rea Layman, Marie Martin, Hazel Reeves and Pat Watson.

Freshman—Jhanita Richards.

Eighth grade—Granville Chorn.

Benny Sims and Marjorie Vandiver.

Seventh Grade—Sally Ann Coleman, Wanda Jean Glass and Patricia Richter.

Sixth grade—Sarah Nell Austin, Beverly Casey, Iris Nell Evans, Joyce Lynn Bryant, Floyd Hacker, Vinita Henley, LeJuana Robinson, Kenneth Simmons and Dinette Tate.

Fifth grade—Gerald Mac Green, Margaret Byrd, Leon Hale, Frances Inza, Moore, Bobby Keith Smith, Nora Ione Brock, Nelda Vineyard, Ellen Ann Glover, Wanda Sue Vandiver, Roger Bryant, Betty Hillis and Jackie Nachlinger.

Fourth grade—Richard Fritz, Sandra Sturdivant, Carl Bayless, Wilma Davis, Sue Ann Mayo, Ana Beth Young, Lorine Roemisch, Eva Coleman, Jean Robinson, Patricia Davis, Charles Smith, Floyd Goebel, La Don Hale, Jerry Smith, Patsy Davidson, Davis Casey and Julie Cajanek.

Third grade—Helen Byrd, Ila Jean Browning, Nellie Jones, Roland Burns, Jackie Dou Roemisch, Collene Mason, Burnice Bartels, Leona Marchbanks and Twilla Jackson.

Second grade—Billy Clyde Robertson, Viola Roemisch, Barbara Spaykes, Richard Wold, T. J. Hollis, Jr., Sandra Leech, Margaret Parks, Jane Kuss, Eddie McHaney, Elmer Vernon, Billy Mac Davidson, Ethel

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Ranchers of Area Show Interest in Bluestem Grass

A comparatively new pasture grass is claiming attention of Borden and Scurry County ranchers this week.

The grass, imported from Asia or Australia, and which has been in process of development for the past several years by the Soil Conservation Service gives promise, a Times reporter learns, of becoming one of the most important discoveries in recent years in almost any climate and for any kind of soil.

Known, local ranchers say, as yellow bluestem, the grass was first discovered on the King Ranch in 1939. Its origin and means by which the seeds were first introduced into the country appear uncertain—but the grass is popular everywhere it is grown.

Local oil Conservation Service attaches as the grass, for which there is a tremendous demand, is shrouded in mystery as to real origin. There is small doubt that the King Ranch strain made its way here from either Australia or Asia.

Higher Prices Paid For Used Fats Help Salvage Over U. S.

Scurry County housewives, who did a grand job during the war years of collecting and turning in used fats and cooking oils, will be interested to learn American housewives collected 47,204,000 pounds of used cooking fat during the first five months since removal of price ceilings.

So states the American Fat Salvage Committee, which releases the following information that will bear careful reading:

As evidence that the high prices now paid for used cooking fat are making most women more conservation-conscious, it is pointed out that average monthly collections in the five month period have more than doubled the October, 1946, collection figure, when retail prices were pegged by OPA at four cents per pound.

From 4,545,000 pounds of used cooking fat in October, 1946, collections rose in November, when meat started to become more plentiful, to 5,223,000 pounds. The amount paid women for their kitchen salvage began to soar in December, and fat salvage collections rose to 7,445,000 pounds.

January saw collections increase still further to 10,630,000 pounds for the month. February and March when women quite generally were receiving around 15 cents a pound for used cooking fat, totals nearly tripled the October, 1946, figure. In February, 1947, collections stood at 11,966,000 pounds, and in March 1947, at 11,940,000 pounds.

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"It is evident that veterans in this area of the nation who have dropped their GI insurance are coming to realize its many benefits and are taking advantage of the present liberalized plan of reinstating it by paying only two monthly premiums and submitting a comparative health statement," Trego commented.

Veterans Administration pointed out that many veterans do not yet understand that government assumption of substantial expenses and costs makes national service life insurance one of the "best breaks" service men and women ever had, that it affords them a bargain at low premium rates.

Trego said that veterans of this locality may consult the Veterans Administration contact representative at the county service office in the courthouse each Thursday for further information on reinstatement and converting term policies to one of the several permanent plans offered by the VA.

New Source of Gas in Coal Assures Supply

Snyder area people who have been worrying lest we run out of gasoline in a few years can take heart from The Lamp, publication of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

The Lamp says there is gasoline enough in the nation's known coal deposits here and elsewhere over the country to last the United States 3,000 years.

Costs of this gasoline are not predicted but the oil publication says by-products of coal synthesis will be five or six different alcohols that will sell to industry for more than the gasoline.

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MAY I CARRY YOUR BOOKS, NANCY?
WHY, CERTAINLY, SLUGGO

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NOW WHAT WAS D' MATTER WITH HER?

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THAT'S NOTHING TO BRAG ABOUT...

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Gags BEST LAUGHS OF THE WEEK

MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER

MAYBE IT'S TOO MUCH TO EXPECT ANOTHER MAN'S HAIR TO STAY ON YOUR HEAD WHEN YOUR OWN WOULDN'T STAY THERE!

WIGS HAIR PIECES

HOME-TOWN ECHOES By C. Kessler

JIMMY MOONEY DO YOU WANT TO GET KILLED?
DON'T GO YET, DEAR, THAT MOONEY BOY IS LOOKING ON BEHIND!
GET A HORSE!
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He -- How're you getting along with your driving?
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"Oh, I'm perfectly sane."
"Then I'm happy to be crazy, brother."

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Ugly Words
Sue--I quit because my boss used a couple of offensive words.
Lou--What were the words?
Sue--You're fired!

Pretty Thin Joke
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Wiping up grease or liquids immediately after spilling may prevent many a nasty fall.

Make it a habit to turn the handles of saucepans toward the back of the stove, so that they are out of reach of little children.

Let your youngsters draw slips for their tasks of the day. Less irksome for them this way.

While doing close work with a flashlight it often becomes necessary to use both hands. So if there is nothing nearby on which to rest the flashlight, a simple expedient is to insert it in your shirt collar.

50 Showboats on Rivers At One Time; Now but One

Between 1817 when the first showboat was built in the United States and 1940 when all but one had disappeared, about 50 of these floating theaters gave performances in river towns, chiefly along the Ohio and the Mississippi.

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LAST LOVER BY Helen Topping Miller

Julia McFarlane, whose husband, Richard, disappeared in World War I, leaving her with two children, Ric and Jill, is startled when 25 years later, during the second war, he returns and tells her he is using the name of Captain Mackey. Ric marries Sandra Calvert, a divorcee whom Richard knew to be of bad reputation. Sandra tells Jill she wants \$10,000. Captain Mackey arrives, telling Jill, who does not know who he is, that he is taking Sandra to Ric.

CHAPTER XXI

"Dooley gets a daughter-in-law with no warning at all, and then loses her just as abruptly. We old people can't adjust ourselves to changes in a minute, Jill," Dave said.

"Could you stand the idea of getting a son-in-law in an awful hurry, Mrs. McFarlane?" Spang inquired, wistfully. "I've only got about fifteen hours—maybe not that long."

"She can't get a son-in-law unless I get a husband," she said, coolly, "and certainly no one has ever mentioned marrying me!"

"Spang got up and put down his cup. He looked at Dave and Julia with his boyish, engaging, one-sided smile.

"But how could I know if nobody tells me?" Jill demanded, furiously, as she steered her out. "I thought you never would—I practically hated you—Oh, Spang..."

"This isn't the end, Dave. Sometimes I think there never will be an end. There can't be, while Richard is alive. But he did try to save his son. And he didn't hurt Jill."

"I'll said that she made vague threats."

"Yes," said Julia, hoarsely, "but if the revelation does come will she defend me? Or will she be outraged because I've deceived her? And surely, Dave, they can't be thinking of being married—now? She knows this lieutenant so casually—she has seen him only three times."

"Now is all the time they have, Dooley, remember? The hour that ticks itself away before their eyes, the little time they gain through some break like this oil business, is all a lad like young Gordon can promise himself. There's no tomorrow any more for kids like Jill and Gordon. Sometimes there's not even today, whole and unspoiled. Give them the little that they ask for, Dooley, and give it graciously. Don't hold back. They're being robbed enough already."

Wedding Plans For Jill
"Call them, Dave," she said, "if we're having a wedding at Buzard's Hill we have to make plans."

"Youth was youth, and love was love, and time was nothing any more. So little of it left that youth or love could count upon."

"I'll have to be married in these greasy old pants," Spang Gordon sighed when they were in a huddle around the kitchen table again. "I didn't bring any clothes because we expected to be back at base this morning. And I can't appear out of uniform, even at my own wedding."

"I'll wear some overalls, Spang," Jill volunteered, blithely. She was sparkling all over now, her hair was as alive as something quickened by a galvanizing current, her eyes danced, even the gilt freckles on her nose twinkled. "And a Madonna around my head, and the bride will carry a bouquet of pig's knuckles tied with spinach."

"You'll do nothing of the sort," declared Julia. "You'll have a bouquet, and Dave will ransack the army store in the morning to find some things for Spang to wear, and we'll even have a wedding-cake. Some kind of cake, anyway. There'll be time to telephone a few people."

"Spang's crew. All but one. One has to guard the plane."

"There won't be any arch of swords," Spang reminded Jill. "You won't even have a wedding march. But you'll have me."

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trousers a trifle too long and a khaki shirt with sleeves a little too short, but there was worship in his face, and at the bottom Jill smiled at him dizzily.

There were candles burning in the tall candlesticks on the old mantels, their little golden torches reflected in the mirrors. There were the few hastily assembled guests and the old, old tune played by some volunteer on the piano. They ate ice-cream and Mammie's hastily baked wedding cake, the icing still slightly drippy, they drank toasts in John I's champagne, and then it was over and Jill was flying down the stairs again in her fatig suit, her hat in her hand, and stopping to toss her bouquet over the rail.

John I. caught it and looked a little bewildered and embarrassed as Jill went into hysterics of laughter at him, so he poked it abruptly at the nearest woman and fled. Then Jill and Spang were rattling away in the old station-wagon, bound for the mountain in only a few miles away where they would spend their brief and precious time together.

The last guest departed, Dave began putting chairs in their places and blowing out candles. John I. pulled off his necktie and hunted for his old pipe, and Julia went out to the porch and dropped into a chair, sighing with weariness and sliding her feet out of the tight, high pumps she had worn. She had not slept, her head felt light and strange, Dave was avoiding her, doing one thing after another to keep from thinking, she knew, but at least Jill was happy.

Richard Pays an Overdue Debt
John I. came out, dragged a match down the bricks of the wall, giving her a sidelong, guilty look when the match fell a brown mark.

"Forgot the paper," he muttered when he had the pipe going. "Dang war might be over, and we wouldn't know it."

He trudged down the driveway, picked up the paper where the boy had thrown it, unrolled it, and walked back across the lawn, stumbling a little, reading the headlines. Julia saw him stop and study the paper for a minute or two and then come plunging on, walking headlong into a spirea bush, and she told herself that poor old John I. was breaking fast, that all the excitement of this past week had been too much for him. She'd make him grow calm and quiet again, with Sandra gone and Jill married and content.

She was lost in reverie when John I. struggled up to the porch, panting, and laid the paper in her lap. "There!" he gasped, pointing. "Look there!"

"It was not a big headline. But it leaped from the paper and smote Julia McFarlane's consciousness like a blow.

ARMY OFFICER AND WOMAN LOSE LIVES WHEN CAR CRASHES INTO TENNESSEE RIVER
Old John I. dropped into a chair and was twisting his trembling hands together.

"I know that bluff," he said. "I know just where it happened. He must have been driving too fast. Dooley, when he came here last night I shook his hand. I'm so glad now that I shook his hand!"

"I'm glad, too, John I.," Julia said, in a toneless voice.

She laid the paper down and walked out across the grass, under the high, ancient trees. She looked at the thin autumn leaves and the leaves that were already beginning to turn a little.

"Good-by, Richard," she said softly. "Good-by, my last lover!" (THE END.)

Oh Spang—you mean—you do?
"Romance Adventure My Story"
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Make the Most of Your Strawberries! (See recipes below.)

Strawberry Favorites
Those luscious ripe red berries of which we are so fond have a mighty short season, but today's recipes should help you make the most of them. Eat what you can get now, but put up the red ripe strawberries so you can enjoy them next winter.

If you want to have fresh strawberries all the year around for very special occasions, you may want to freeze them, if you are fortunate enough to have a freezing unit. Otherwise, can them whole, or put them up as marmalade, jam or jelly.

If the berries seem a bit expensive, you can stretch them by using fruits that go well with them in jams, such as pineapple or rhubarb. Budget your canning sugar now, too, so you'll have enough for all your needs of the season.

Strawberry Marmalade. (Makes 12 6-ounce glasses)
2 oranges
2 lemons
1/2 cup water
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 quart strawberries
7 cups sugar
1/2 bottle fruit pectin

Remove rind from oranges and lemons. Cut off waste membrane. Force rinds through food chopper. Add water and soda, and bring to boiling point. Cover and simmer 10 minutes. Add orange and lemon pulp with juice. Simmer for 20 minutes. Add crushed strawberries. Measure 4 cups of prepared fruit; add sugar. Bring to boiling and boil 5 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in fruit pectin. Boil 1 minute. Let stand 5 minutes.

Strawberry-Rhubarb Jelly. (Makes 12 6-ounce glasses)
4 cups juice
8 cups granulated sugar
8 ounces liquid pectin
To prepare fruit, cut about 1 pound of fully ripe rhubarb into one-inch pieces and put through food chopper. Crush thoroughly and force through the food chopper 1 quart of strawberries. Combine fruit and place in jelly bag to extract the juice. Measure sugar and fruit juice into saucepan and mix. Bring to a boil over high heat and add liquid pectin at once, stirring constantly. Bring to a full, rolling boil and boil hard 1/2 minute. Remove from heat and skim. Pour into sterile glasses and cover with paraffin at once.

Strawberry Jam. (Makes 10 6-ounce glasses)
4 cups prepared berries
3 pounds (7 cups) sugar
1/2 bottle fruit pectin
To prepare fruit, place 2 quarts of fully ripe berries through a food chopper; or, crush completely, one layer at a time. Measure sugar and fruit into saucepan, mix well and bring to a full rolling boil. Stir constantly before and while boiling. Boil hard 1 minute. Remove from

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Beverage
*Strawberry Sherbet
*Recipe given.

Strawberry-Pineapple Jam.
Combine equal parts of strawberries and shredded pineapple with sugar equal in weight to the fruit. Boil until thick and clear, as for jam. Pour into sterile jars and seal at once. If your taste turns to cool, refreshing desserts that make use of strawberries immediately, then you'll want to hang onto these two which take it easy on the sugar supply. Both of these may be made easily in an automatic refrigerator tray.

Strawberry Ice. (Serves 4)
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup light corn syrup
1 cup cold water
1 quart washed, hulled strawberries
Cook sugar, corn syrup and water until mixture boils a thread, or until thermometer registers 228 degrees. Mash strawberries, and add to syrup; mix well and chill. Turn into freezing tray and let freeze until firm, stirring the mixture once or twice with a fork.

Strawberry Sherbet. (Serves 4)
1 1/2 cups strawberries
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 cup canned sweetened condensed milk
2 egg whites, stiffly beaten
Press measured berries through a sieve. Add milk and lemon juice, then chill. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into freezing tray and chill in automatic refrigerator until frozen around the edges. Turn mixture into bowl and beat thoroughly with egg beater. Return to tray and freeze until firm.

If you are lucky enough to have one of the crank freezers, then you'll want to make a share of strawberry ice cream for the week-end. Truly there is nothing more tasty and delicious than the pale pink ice cream made with crushed, fully ripe berries. Serve it plain in all its splendor and you won't need a thing to go with it. Do be sure to have enough for seconds, because there's nothing better than homemade, crank freezer type, strawberry ice cream.

Strawberry Ice Cream. (Makes 1 1/2 quarts)
1 1/2 cups milk, scalded
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 1/2 tablespoons vanilla extract
Dash of salt
6 tablespoons granulated sugar
1/2 cup corn syrup (light)
1 1/2 cups heavy cream
1 quart washed, hulled strawberries
1/2 cup sugar
Stir milk into eggs in top of double boiler. Cook until mixture coats the spoon. Stir in vanilla, salt, 6 tablespoons sugar and corn syrup; Cool, then add cream. Mash strawberries and add to them 1/2 cup sugar. Fold in custard mixture. Freeze in a two quart freezer, using 8 parts of crushed ice to one part of salt.

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LYNN SAYS:
Run Home Smoothly With These Tips
To dry lettuce after it has been washed, place in a small cloth bag and shake it thoroughly. The bag will absorb the water but the shaking will not bruise the lettuce leaves.

To assure even browning of pancakes on the griddle, rub the griddle with a small bag of salt. This eliminates smoking and simplifies cleaning as well.

Never marinate vegetables for fruits or salads too long a time, as these will lose their crispness and become soggy. Toss them lightly in a small amount of dressing and marinate for twenty to thirty minutes.

Oven doors should be left slightly open for about three minutes after the oven is lighted. This helps dispel moisture and make baking more satisfactory.

When fruit or berry pies run over in the oven, sprinkle salt on the piled juices. This will prevent bubbling in the kitchen.

Never cook soups with herbs for a long period of time, as the herbs lose their delicate flavors. Sprinkle the herbs in the soup just a few minutes before serving to get the most out of them.

To save heat and keep the kitchen clean, use pot and pans that fit neatly over burners so that all heat will be utilized.

Do not attempt to remove grease in its liquid form from floors. Pour ice water on the spots, then scrape the fat off with a knife.

To remove white spots from furniture, dip a cloth in boiling water and place over the spot. Remove quickly and rub spot with oil, then a dry cloth. Or, use warmed oil over the spot, repeating the treatment if necessary.

Keep brown sugar moist by storing it in a screw-topped jar closed with a cap that has moistened cardboard held within it.

Fresh mushrooms should never be allowed to stand in water for long periods of time, as they lose flavor and become water-logged.

How It Started
CASSANDRA—A prophetess of evil who is not believed is called a Cassandra. Cassandra was the daughter of Priam, king of Troy. Apollo, who loved her, gave her the gift of prophecy, but afterwards became angry with her and decreed that no one should believe her prophecies.

HONEYMOON—The term honeymoon is derived from an old custom of many northern nations of Europe who drank mead, a fermented liquor made from honey, for 30 days after a marriage feast.

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- 1. How much heavier than air is water?
2. Can a member of congress be impeached?
3. What country is the birthplace of the piano?
4. How does the size of India compare with that of the United States?
5. Was "Casey" of "Casey at the Bat" a real person?
6. What the speaker of the house be an elected representative in congress?
7. What four states west of the Mississippi river meet at right angles?
8. How did Commodore Stephen Decatur meet his death?
9. An earlier name for Columbia university was what?
10. From what song are the words "And where is that band who so vauntingly swore 'mid the havoc of war and the battle's confusion'?"

The Answers
1. Water is 775 times heavier than air.
2. No, but each house can with concurrence of two-thirds expel a member.
3. Italy.
4. One-half the size.
5. Yes. He was David M. Casey. He played with the National League.

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A Saint Among Men

Sunday marks a very important date in the lives of all Scurry Countians, for Sunday marks a day we pay homage to a saint among men; the other whom Providence placed just a little lower than the angels.

To the mothers of the world, living and those gone to a better land we owe a debt of gratitude and love that can never be repaid in this world. Children, regardless of generation, may go beyond a mother's line of decency but they can never go beyond the circle of her love.

Because motherhood is one of the few sacred things yet left in this old world of ours, and because mother is a word understood in any language, we need to take every mother in the county to the church of choice Sunday.

And why not buy an extra bouquet for the women in the sunset years of life—the mothers of men who are existing on old age pensions and who live in drab little rooms? Just a little attention to the mothers who have no near relatives here will pay three-fold dividends to the benefactor—even when the scythe of time bends the body and one must keep the heart warm with the crumbs of golden yesterdays.

Worrying About Money

If people were asked what subject in daily life gave them the greatest anxiety, a great many would say they worried more about money than anything else. Questions about their ability to pay bills and meet interest payments, or about the rising cost of living, are in the minds of millions.

A social worker was once asked what have been the principal causes of the physical and mental breakdown of many of the people she met in the course of her duties. Her reply was that worrying about money was a big factor in many cases. People worried over their inability to earn the money they wanted or needed. She felt this constant anxiety was a great factor in their poor health.

The misfortunes from which very many suffered more or less permanent worries on the money question. Many have had periods of unemployment that have depleted their savings. Or sickness, accident or various troubles have eaten up their reserves.

Perhaps the best cure for money worries is to get the habit of living within one's income, if that is possible. When people become skillful and intelligent in their occupation, they are able to give superior service, and this increases their chances of having a dependable income.

It usually takes self-denial for people to live within their incomes. But if they can manage to keep ahead of their expenses, they have a sense of security that gives them a free mind and a sense of power.

Editorial of the Week

A PROGRESS REPORT

A little over four months ago a new neighbor took his place in West Texas and the Southwest, and the people of this friendly territory, gave him a welcome so hearty and a handshake so firm that Southwestern Crop and Stock is beginning to feel that its arrival was no surprise to you. The magazine has been so well received that it seems you were expecting us all the time.

You have written us some very kind letters, passed us some appreciated suggestions, and slapped us on the back when we needed encouragement. And for all your interest and accommodation we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

You have written us—you have phoned us—you have stopped us on the streets—to ask: "How is Crop and Stock doing now?"

We are happy to report that Crop and Stock is doing well! And whatever satisfaction may accrue from that is yours.

Since our first issue in January, more than 3,500 of you have mailed in your subscriptions, most of them unsolicited. And they are still coming in at the rate of 50 a day.

You have been so whole-hearted in patronizing our advertisers and advertising columns that Crop and Stock has already secured some national advertising accounts—an accomplishment which few periodicals reach during their first year of publication.

From the beginning you have written us that you endorse our straight-forward presentation of agricultural news for the Southwestern area. You told us that there was room in the Southwest for a publication which this area could call its own—that you were sick to death of periodicals which arrived in your mail boxes crammed full of opinionated, propagandistic "canned" matter.—Southwestern Crop and Stock, Lubbock.

The interests of childhood and youth are the interest of mankind.—James.

What the best and wisest parent wants for his own child that must the community want for all its children.—Dewey.

Current Comment

Editor's Note—Expressions or opinions contained in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinions or policies of The Times. Current Comment is merely carried as a feature column.

By LEON GUINN

Our House Democrats have reason to breathe easier these days. . . . Planned investigations of the New Deal fortunately have bogged down completely, and Washington sees in this development an amusing event. . . . Republicans on the committee on executive expenditures, the unit due to make the inquiries, are quarreling with their unpredictable chairman, Clare Hoffman of Michigan. . . . Now the G. O. P. leadership is afraid to embark on the inquiries for fear the uncontrollable Hoffman will wander far afield in tangents of his own.

There is a sharp difference of views over the selection of a U. S. administrator for the Greek and Turkish aid program within the cabinet. . . . While some officials are advocating the appointment of a non-political business tycoon such as William H. Harrison of American Telegraph & Telephone Company, others are hotly contending the job should go to a man well versed in international politics and familiar with the region. . . . Mark Ethridge of Louisville seems to be top choice of the latter group.

There is a growing suspicion in the capitol that a considerable number of Japanese are deliberately sabotaging their own national economy—similar to the havoc wrought by the Germans after the first world war and for the same principal reasons—to get out of paying reparations and to win U. S. loans. . . . There is room for gloom in usually sunny France, for this country's dollar credits are running out dangerously fast. . . . The French will need plenty of help before the end of the year even if they obtain a requested \$500,000,000 loan from the International Bank.

The Department of Commerce seems to be getting on the ball with a three-year federal subsidy for the personal aircraft industry. . . . Idea behind this proposed subsidy is to encourage the development of less expensive planes with greater utility. . . . And because of the industry's importance to national defense, government aviation experts are concerned over latest reports showing light plane output being off from 4,700 last August to only 1,700 in March. . . . Several manufacturers have already gone out of business, and others are reorganizing.

There is good news in the making for Scurry County housewives, because reliable trade sources are revealing that sugar stocks are accumulating to the extent that by mid-summer prospects of large domestic and Cuban crops will bring pressure for immediate decontrol—instead of starving along until October 31. . . . It's a little early to make any rash predictions, but insurance experts are predicting an increase of about 10 per cent in fire insurance rates.

Wheat, a basic commodity since Cain killed Abel and wandered over to the land of Nod, will be much in the news during the next 90 days, for indications point to another record crop in the United States. . . . Despite this fact, the over-all supply situation will continue to be tight. . . . The U. S. Department of Agriculture is already laying plans for wheat and flour exports of 350,000,000 bushels, which would be about the same as for the current year. . . . The outlook for European winter crops is rather dismal, and the weather has delayed spring reseeded.

Little doubt is evidenced but that a coal strike will get underway on June 30 when the mines revert to private ownership unless the government's seizure powers are extended. . . . John L. Lewis seems to be spoiling for a fight to compensate for his recent defeat by the government. . . . And mine workers, it is stated, are prepared to hold out against the kind of contract Lewis will demand. . . . Owners of Southern properties insist they won't accept the concessions Lewis won from the government—much less additional benefits he is seeking.

Even though current Army and Navy recruiting campaigns are producing enough enlistments to keep the services up to strength, long-range prospects are worrying officials in both branches of service. . . . Unless there happens along a wave of widespread unemployment, top recruiting officers expect trouble in refilling their ranks. . . . A lot of expiring short-term enlistments will cost the services a lot of personnel next year.

Growing pressure is being shown in the move to turn rent control over to the states. . . . This may well be the solution finally adopted, as a measure increasing rents 10 per cent when present control powers expire June 30 is being side-tracked by G. O. P. congressional leaders. . . . If each state governs such an essential thing as rent levels, the federal government believes more local good will stem from such controls as each state feels justified—rather than a federal over-all controlling agency.

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