



The WOMAN'S Page



Methodist Women Meet in Preuitt Home

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Snyder First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. A. C. Preuitt. Mrs. Preuitt was hostess and Mmes. M. W. Clark and Harry Lee were co-hostesses.

Collier-Creswell Rites Said Thursday

Roy Collier, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Collier of Hermleigh, and Lois Creswell, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Earl Creswell of Snyder, were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony performed last Thursday evening, 8:30 o'clock, at the North Side Baptist Church.

Mrs. Cunningham Hosts Culture Club

Final meeting of the club year for the Snyder Woman's Culture Club was held Tuesday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Cunningham.

Following a prayer by Mrs. Jack Burleson, a poem, "The Child," was read by Mrs. Robert Groves. Mrs. M. W. Clark gave an interesting talk on the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and on "The Good Samaritan."

The bride chose for the occasion a blue crepe dress with white accessories. Her shoulder arrangement was made up of white lilies.

Guests at the social were Mmes. H. E. Rosser, J. A. Woodfin, J. P. Morgan, Dan Gibson, Julian M. Conway Jr., who is here from Seattle, Washington, and Mrs. Herhan Aweas of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

SCALP TROUBLES RELIEVED!

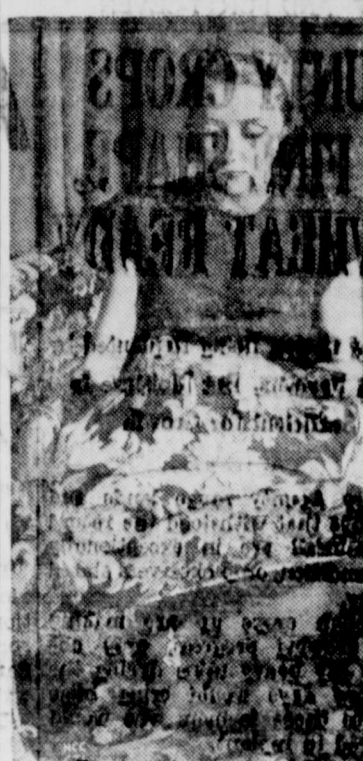
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Following the ceremony, a reception for the couple was held in the dining room of the church.

Hostesses for the reception were Mmes. Bill Snyder, Bernice Keenan, Daye Houston, Homer Stokes, D. T. Pierce, Earl Creswell and Martha Lou Henley.

Frances Fargason to Lead at Encampment

Frances Fargason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fargason of Hermleigh, will leave Saturday for Ridgecrest, North Carolina, where she will be a member of the Ridgecrest Baptist Encampment staff.



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Mrs. Pogue Elected Delegate at Plainview

Special roll call was answered by each member giving a hearty hint when the Plainview Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Carl Hargrove Weds Cisco Girl Monday

Master Sergeant Carl Hargrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Hargrove of North Snyder, and Nell Linebarger of Cisco were married Monday evening in the parsonage of the Snyder First Baptist Church by Rev. J. William Mason.

Nannelle Patterson Marries Gail Man

Nannelle Patterson, former Times office employee and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson, and Dick Cantrell of Gail were united in marriage Monday.

Nannie Crosson and J. F. Wilson Marry

Nannie Mozelle Crosson became the bride Monday morning, 11:00 o'clock, of Jesse Franklin Wilson of the U. S. Navy, in a single ring ceremony performed by W. C. Davidson, justice of the peace.

Questions were asked and answered about the organization of the Texas Home Demonstration Association.

Mrs. Doyle Pogue was elected as Plainview delegate to the state meeting of demonstration clubs.

Attendees were Allen Hargrove, brother of the groom, and a sister, Mrs. F. W. Hull of Post.

The bride chose for the occasion a black crepe dress with sequins on the shoulder. Her corsage was of pink and white gladioli.

The couple is honeymooning in Mexico. Snyder friends learn they will make their home at Gail, where Cantrell is associated with the Borden County Triple A office.

Mrs. J. R. Green returned over the week-end from a vacation that took her to Galveston and Houston. Her wee niece, Kay Ann Post, returned with her.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crosson of Dermott and the groom is the son of Claude Wilson. Young Wilson is stationed at San Diego, California.

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Mary B. Weathersbee Finishes at TSCW

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"Good Grooming" was the topic of the afternoon Friday when the Fluvanna Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. H. Jones.

Methodist Guild to Meet in Stinson Home

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Snyder General Hospital

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Medical—Mrs. Park of Snyder; Patricia Wade of Snyder; Mrs. R. A. Schollins of Snyder, who went home Saturday; Mrs. Graham of Snyder; Elmer Spears of Snyder; Mrs. Ed Strout, the former Faye Nell Spears, of Amarillo; Mrs. French of Snyder, who was dismissed Tuesday; Mrs. Adams of Snyder, Bryan Boss of Snyder, who was dismissed Monday; Melba Jo Cochran of Snyder; Mrs. Mollie McWilliams of Ira, who was dismissed Monday; Mrs. Mollie Carrell of Snyder, who was dismissed Sunday; Mrs. R. A. Clemens of Hemleigh; Tom Eades of Snyder; Olin Johnson of Snyder; Doyle Newton of Snyder; Mr. Beeks of Snyder; Mrs. James Lee Woods of Snyder; and Mrs. S. D. Moreland of Snyder.

Unfair to the Sucker.
"Honey, aren't all these bills for the clothes you bought before we were married?"
"Yes, my sweet."
"But, dear, you think it's unfair to ask a fish to pay for the bait he was caught with?"

Surgery—George Darby of Snyder; Doc Bynum of Snyder, who was dismissed Sunday; Joe Wright Sontell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sontell of Snyder; Mrs. E. B. von Roeder of Snyder; Mrs. W. H. Shuler of Snyder; Mrs. W. H. Schmidt of Snyder.

Tonsillectomies—Mrs. Lee of Snyder; Jaumez Teaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Teaff of Snyder; Robert Browder, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Browder of Garden City; Mrs. Minnie Hale of Snyder; Roland Davis of Route 1, Snyder; Mrs. Kenneth Pitner of Snyder; Mrs. John Moore of Dermott.

Inkograph pens at The Times. Rubber Stamps at The Times office.

New Class Started in Agriculture for Vets

Considerable interest is being shown in the new class in agriculture that will be started June 1 by the Scurry County Vocational School.

So announce school officials, who say the new class will make the fourth of its kind for Scurry County and the second for Snyder.

County veterans interested in enrolling are asked to meet in the county courtroom Tuesday evening, June 3, at 8:00 o'clock. Each vet is asked to bring his eligibility papers with him.

In case it may be impossible for a vet to be present Tuesday evening, he should have someone to represent him and present the eligibility papers to the school officials.

Nation-Wide Search For Oldest Chevrolet Truck Is Underway

Snyder area owners of early model Chevrolet trucks are invited by Scurry County Motor Company to participate in a nation-wide search by the Chevrolet Motor Division to locate the oldest Chevrolet truck still in active service in the United States.

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Nomra Lee Collins Gets H-SU Degree

Nomra Lee Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Collins of Snyder, will receive her bachelor of arts degree from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene next week. She will receive her diploma for work done in journalism and English.

Rubber stamps at The Times.

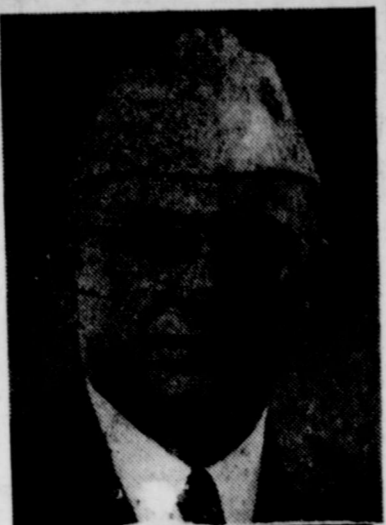
Pete Brady Dies in West Virginia Home

Pete Brady, well known early day Scurry County citizen and veteran cowboy on area ranches, passed away Tuesday morning at Romney, West Virginia, at the home of a sister, Mrs. John J. Cornwell.

So The Times was informed Tuesday noon by telegram from the West Virginia town.

Mr. Cornwell did not indicate when funeral services were planned for the pioneer Scurry County cowboy. "Uncle Pete," as his many friends recall, worked north of Snyder for Pete Scoggin and other pioneer West Texas cattle barons.

Mr. Brady spent the winter in West Virginia with his people, and a few weeks ago was said to be getting along nicely.



Mrs. P. A. Miller, County Citizen 46 Years, Passes

Mrs. P. A. Miller, 75, beloved Ira and Snyder pioneer resident, passed away Tuesday morning, 1:38 o'clock, at the residence, 1910 26th Street, following a several-year period of failing health.

Born July 28, 1871, at Montgomery, Alabama, "Mother" Miller, as she was widely known, had made her home in the Ira community and Scurry County for 46 years. She had lived in Texas 69 years.

Mrs. Miller and her late husband, P. A. Miller, settled in the Ira community of southwest Scurry County in an early day. Both had been identified with church, school and social work at Ira for many years.

Funeral services for Mrs. Miller were held Wednesday afternoon, 2:20 o'clock, at the Snyder First Baptist Church. Rev. Roy Shaban, former Snyder Baptist minister and pastor of the Immanuel Baptist Church at San Angelo, assisted by Rev. J. William Mason, Snyder First Baptist Church pastor, officiated.

Active pallbearers were Ebbie Miller, Albert Miller Jr., Miller Price, John Philip Miller, Robert Miller, Tommy Falls, Donald Moore and Raymond Mangum.

Laverne Miller, Wanda Fisher, Joy Howell, Mary Alice Price, Gloria Ann Falls and LaNelle Moore were in charge of floral offerings.

Honorary pallbearers were: H. L. Wren, C. M. Wellborn, Whit Thompson, H. H. Eiland, L. N. Periman, J. W. Hancey, J. E. Falls, E. A. Kruse, Perry Echels, J. E. Murphy, A. H. Kruse, Lee Holladay, M. L. Wilson, Hubert Roobson, Grady Sulter, Edgar Eades, Fred Price, Elmo Dunn, Jack Dunn, J. C. Stinson, Lee T. Stinson, Herman Doak, A. C. Kincaid, E. L. Taylor, J. J. Dyer, W. D. Harral, Earl Woolever, Dr. H. E. Rosser, Lawrence Green, Dr. H. P. Redwine, J. C. Dorward, J. H. Byrd, Roy Stewart, W. G. Williams, M. L. Andress, N. M. Harpole, John Irwin, T. C. Davenport and W. M. Howard.

"Mother" Miller is survived by 11 children, Fred Miller, Owen Miller, Mrs. P. L. Price, Albert Miller, Mrs. J. B. Green and Mrs. Edgar Taylor, all of Snyder, Claude Miller of Big Spring, Chester Miller of Corpus Christi, Mrs. O. Moore of Kermit, Oscar Miller of Poyote, Mrs. Rea Falls of Ira; three brothers, T. W. Angel of Stanton, Walter Angel of Redlands, California, Edgar Angel of Rodondo Beach, California; four sisters, Mrs. J. A. Leach of Abilene, Mrs. A. C. Martin and N. W. Autry of Snyder, Mrs. Arthur Baggett of Sundown; 19 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Miller had been a member of the Baptist Church for 65 years. Odom Funeral Home directed funeral arrangements, and "Mother" Miller was laid to rest in Ira Cemetery.

Three from County To Receive Degrees From Lubbock Tech

James Pollard Billingsley, Estie M. Iel Bynum and Mary Nell Noble are listed by Texas Technological College, Lubbock, as among candidates for bachelor degrees at the 21st annual commencement exercises that will be held at the college Monday.

Billingsley, Bynum and Noble are among the 321 candidates for degrees in the Tech commencement exercises. Billingsley, who will receive a BA degree, majored in general business. Miss Bynum, receiving the a B degree, majored in management.

Miss Noble, receiving a BS degree, had as her major chemistry. Of the three Snyder students in Tech listed by the college in Monday's commencement program, young Billingsley completed his degree requirements in January.

Lightfoot Opens Station. Rex Lightfoot, former cafe operator, has opened the Lightfoot Cut Rate gasoline station a block west of the square on the Lamesa Highway. Rex is featuring standard brand gasolines at 19 and 21 cents a gallon, and other standard products.

Among out-of-town people here Wednesday afternoon for the funeral of Mrs. P. A. Miller were Rev. Roy Shaban and son, Herbie, Bill Patterson and Lou Ella Eskies of San Angelo.

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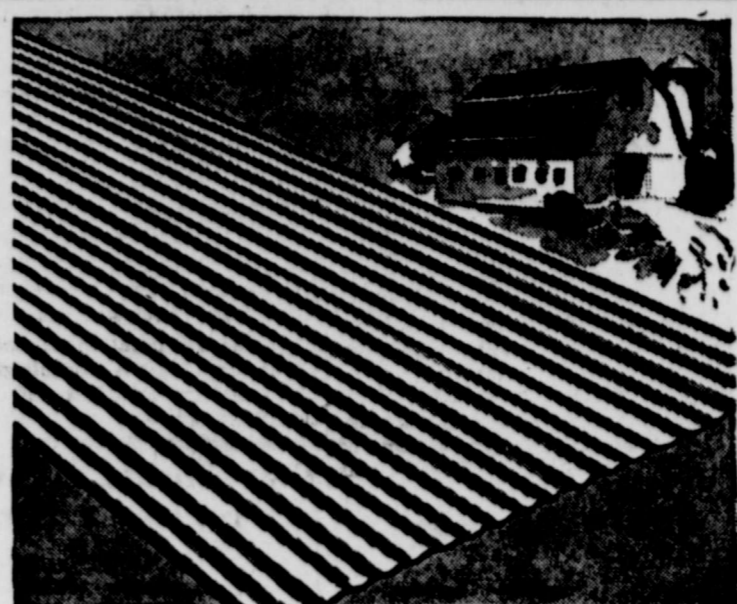


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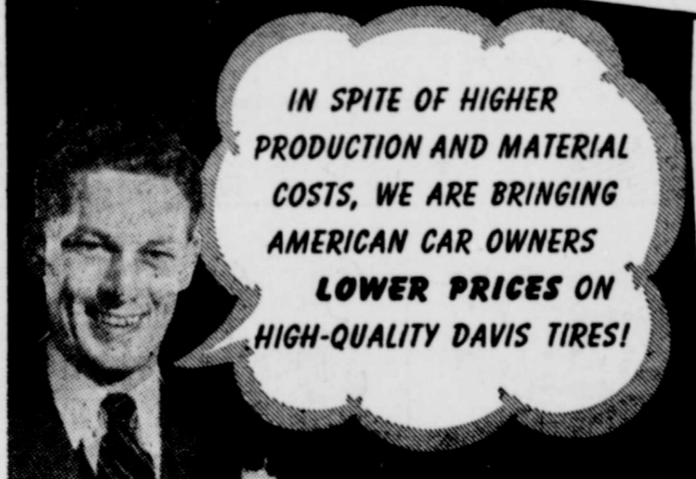
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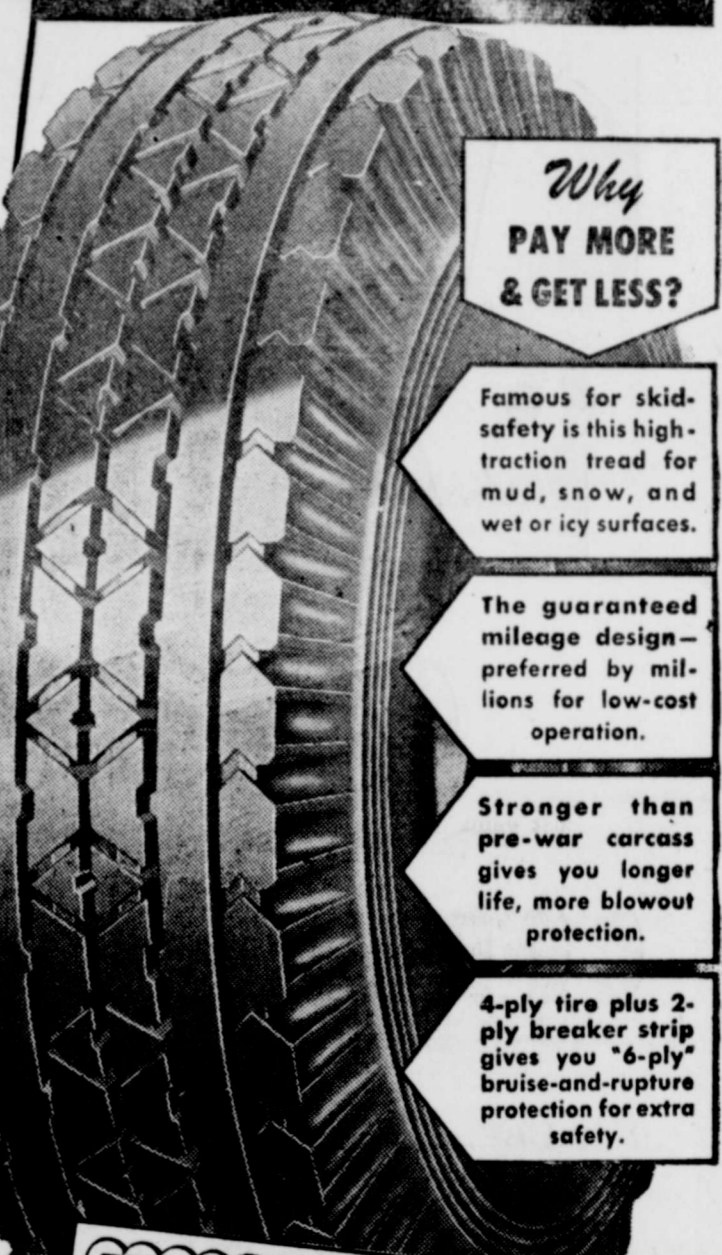


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Western Auto Associate Store

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Congratulations to Nanelle Peterson and Dick Cantrell of Gail, who were married Monday. They spent several days honeymooning in Mexico. They will be at home at Gail, where Mr. Cantrell is with the AAA office.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hogue and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bentley spent the week-end visiting at Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogue of Brownfield visited their son, Howard Hogue, and family and attended the graduation exercises at Snyder High School Friday night. Their grandson, Royce Hogue, was in the graduation class.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hall visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jabus Hall at Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson and Patricia of Dimmitt and Mrs. Fred Gibson of Plainview were visitors in the Paris McPherson home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brush and children of Snyder visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester McClammy.

Glad to report H. C. Shook home from the Lubbock Hospital after an eye operation. He thinks at this time the operation will be a success. He was slated to go back Tuesday for a check-up.

Sinclair Oil Agency Moves to New Place

Fred Davis and Bill Line, Snyder Sinclair wholesale agents, announce this week removal of their offices from the J. C. Dawson building to Jimmie & Louie's Station, across from the Church of Christ on 25th Street.

Davis and Line are handling the famous Sinclair gasolines and oils, Sinclair lubricants for both custom and special lubrication jobs, and Sinclair insect sprays with DDT.

Baptist Workers Meet At Hermleigh Church

Excellent attendance is reported for the North Colorado Baptist Association workers' conference, held Friday at the Hermleigh First Baptist Church.

An old-fashioned lunch was served attendants at noontime.

Rev. Bob Creswell, new Hermleigh Baptist pastor, presided at the day-lunch workers' convale.

For your printing needs, call 47—The Times.

Rev. and Mrs. Cone Merritt and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Langford and Robert were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Woodson and Lanell.

Dermott News

Johnnie Maples, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith were called to Midland Monday to attend the funeral of a cousin, Billy Glenn Smith.

Frank Wilson is home on leave from the Navy.

M. K. Maples was in Coleman Tuesday attending the funeral of a sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Lewis.

Dermott School came to a close Friday with the traditional "dinner on the ground." Martin School, with its teacher, Mrs. Effie Wren, came in the afternoon and challenged Dermott students for a game of softball. Dermott won, but it was no run-away.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Edmonson visited W. T. Rhea near Tahoka Sunday. Mr. Rhea is with his daughter, Mrs. Mary Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boss and Johnnie Maples spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Davis at Gail.

Mrs. Inez Brown visited Sunday with Velma Lee and LaVerne Edmonson. Velma Lee returned to Snyder with her to spend the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Price entertained the young people with a party Friday night.

Friday is the regular day for our cemetery working. We hope all will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Greenfield visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Pete Hart in Snyder.

Sam Hatley made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and daughter, Jackie, of Colorado City, visited with their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Edmonson, and family Saturday.

Polks, don't forget church and Sunday School Sunday.

Hermleigh Methodist Vacation Bible School Set

Attention of church goes in the Hermleigh and neighboring communities is directed to the Vacation Bible School which will get underway Monday morning, June 9, at Hermleigh Methodist Church.

Hours of daily sessions at the Vacation Bible School will be from 8:00 to 10:30 a. m. Church leaders report the school will run a week.

A special invitation is extended all children of the Hermleigh sector to attend the Methodist Vacation Bible School.

Dan Shields, Known Here, Dies Saturday

Dan G. Shields, 49, resident of Sweetwater from 1923 to 1943 and a few years ago sold his insurance business to Lyle Deffebach and Herman Darby of Snyder, died Saturday morning at his home in Fort Worth.

Funeral services for Shields were held Monday morning, 10:00 o'clock, at Shannon Funeral Chapel. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery in Fort Worth. Besides the widow Shields is survived by a son, Dan Jr. of Glen Rose.

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Paul Sweatt Accepts Dickens County Post

Paul Sweatt, former Scurry County school teacher and vocational agriculture instructor at Coahoma, has resigned to take a job as VA teacher at Patton Springs in Dickens County, Scurry County friends learn.

Sweatt will assume his duties at Patton Springs July 1, it is learned. Sweatt, in addition to teaching in Scurry County, has taught in Mitchell and Howard Counties.

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Notary Commissions Being Renewed Now

All commissions of notaries public in Scurry County will be renewed for the coming two years without application, The Times learns.

In years past it was necessary for the Legislature to approve such commissions, but the constitution was changed in order that the secretary of state makes the appointments.

J. P. Billingsley, county clerk, will notify all those who hold commissions of notary public when he receives the list of appointments from the secretary of state. Bonds must be made within 10 days after Billingsley sends out notices to the various notaries of Scurry County.

Dermott Revival Opens July 30

Revival meeting at the Dermott Baptist Church will begin Wednesday evening, July 30, and continue through Sunday, August 10, church officials report. Rev. Leslie Kelley, pastor, will occupy the pulpit for the summer revival.

To Our Good Friends

of Snyder and Surrounding Country—The good rains have come and we want to help get the 1947 crop on the road, so our shop is ready to make the repairs you need. When you have a breakdown, why not come or call

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J. C. Ezell Visits M-M Plants in Northeast

J. C. Ezell, local Minneapolis-Moline dealer, spent several days in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Moline, Illinois, visiting the home offices and the various plants of the Minneapolis Power Implement Company, a conferring with officials of the company.

With over 60 other farm implement dealers from Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas Ezell observed first hand the production methods of the huge Minneapolis plants of the company and discussed with company officers production outlook for the coming year on farm machinery.

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Turner News

Mrs. Bart Branson, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clarkson and little son, Wally, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Williamson.
Donald Ray Branson spent Sunday with Kenneth Ray Williamson.
Mrs. Hugh Taylor spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Bullard and son, Fred Drew.
Everyone is busy replanting cotton. A fine season is in the ground in our section.
Turner School was out Friday. Everyone enjoyed the picnic lunch at noon. Married women of the community played the school boys and defeated the boys 23 to 16. A big time was enjoyed by all.
Ellen Jane and Ramona Clarkson spent Sunday with Carolyn Kay Branson.
Mr. and Mrs. Bart Branson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mitchell Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rossow have returned to their home at Ajo, Arizona.
Howard Turner spent the week-

end at home recovering from blood poisoning.
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Noel are visitors in the Gus Geaslin home.
Mrs. Orville Hillis and daughter visited this week with the Dee Myers family.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Houston visited in the home Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bridges.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Light.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil James of the Crowder community visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford James Sunday. Visiting in the James home Tuesday were Mrs. G. P. Dunn of Colorado City and daughter, Mrs. W. G. Stanley and son, William Jr., of Roscoe.
Turner Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Dee Myers Tuesday afternoon. The first trainer-leader program was held, with Mrs. Bart Branson Mrs. A. R. Turner, Mrs. Scott Bridges, Mrs. Clifford James, Mrs. Ab Williamson, Mrs. Harry Clarkson, Mrs. J. H. Langford, Mrs. Gus Geaslin and the husbands present. Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Harry Clarkson.

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Fluvanna News

Mrs. Bolivar Browning, Cor.
Visiting in the Bunyan Eppins home the past week were Mrs. Eppins' brother, Rev. J. B. Gatlin, and wife of Avondale, Arizona; a niece, Mrs. Archie Goss, husband and girls, Jane and Janette, of Mena, Arkansas; and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ward and Barbara of Oklahoma.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mearse spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Bunyan Evans.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Browning spent the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Browning.
Mrs. Jim Roddy visited last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Nolan Fulford.
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones were guests of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Jones, at Hobbs, New Mexico, Sunday.
Mrs. Ted Melton, nee Trilzie Parks, of Farmington, New Mexico, passed away Monday morning. She lived here for many years. Her many friends are grieved at her passing.
Mrs. L. M. Huffman of Eagle Pass is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Landrum, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Landrum of Hillsboro were visiting relatives here last week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Landrum and daughter, Mamie, were here Sunday visiting relatives.
Mrs. W. W. Thorne has returned home after visiting with her father, who is seriously ill in a Marlin hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan and daughter, Ann, of Lubbock visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wayland Mathis, Sunday.
Patsy Lee Browning of Dermott spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Emma Cunningham.
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Noel of Abilene are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Noel this week.
Mrs. Hanna of Snyder was visiting in the home of her son, Alton Milliken, last week.
Mrs. James Beckham and children, have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Snead, for the past week.
Mrs. Wilton Kotcher and a friend of San Angelo were visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Browning, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Browning.
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Greer of Carlsbad, New Mexico, have been visiting Mrs. Greer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holder.
Mrs. Jack Harrison of Winters has been visiting her father, Claud Snead, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Glegborn, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rex and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Glegborn went to a family reunion at Snyder Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunkle.
Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Russell of Littlefield were here visiting their family and friends.
The Fluvanna girls' baseball team played Snyder girls Monday night. We are glad to report the score was 6 to 8 in favor of Fluvanna.

Midway News

Mrs. Marvin Snowden, Correspondent.
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Sturdivant and children of Lloyd Mountain spent Tuesday in the G. L. Campbell home.
Mrs. G. W. Mosley met her sister, Mrs. M. V. Simmons, and family at Sweetwater Saturday. The Simmons are from Walnut Springs and they were on their way to California. Mrs. Cayce, Mrs. Mosley's mother, came home with her.
Dinner guests in the P. E. Ware home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Benny Dickey and son and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Templeton. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walls and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde South and daughters and Mrs. L. H. Templeton. An old-fashioned singing was enjoyed.
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hodges of Lamesa visited in the Marvin Snowden home Monday morning.
Mrs. H. B. Campbell and Richard Shipley of Littlefield, Mrs. R. R.

Backwoods Diplomacy.
Hunter (to old guide)—"Have you ever been lost in the woods?"
Old Guide—"Nope, but I was bewildered once for four days."
Cock of Lubbock spent last week in the G. L. Campbell home.
Jackie, Tommy and Jerry Tucker of Snyder spent the past week with their aunt, Mrs. Clyde Garrison.
Mrs. Dan Westfall and daughter of Rotan spent last Tuesday in the Norris Scott home.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mosley and sons, Dwayne and Lowell, went to Olney Monday to attend the graduation exercises of Bob Cayce, nephew of Mrs. Mosley. Bob will enter medical school soon. Mr. and Mrs. Mosley were scheduled to return, being Wednesday.
Maudell Carney of McMurry College, Abilene, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Carney.
Rev. A. D. Smith spent Sunday in the B. L. Garrison home.
Visiting Friday in the Marvin Snowden home were Mr. and Mrs. John Sims of Bakersfield, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander of Fort Worth.
Mrs. Bill Bledsoe and A. E. Snowden of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Snowden and son, Don Weldon, of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. White and son, Charlie, and Mrs. Ada Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Hodges and daughter, Janice, also were guests in the Marvin Snowden home.
Mr. and Mrs. William Sellers of Rotan visited in the G. A. Hudnall home Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Crum spent the week-end at Santa Anna with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Mc W. Bavousett received word of a granddaughter, Sarah Allen, being born to Mr. and Mrs. Roe Bavousett of Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Grey Webb and children of Crane visited the past week in the James Simpson home. Mrs. Hattie Simpson returned home with them after a visit at Crane.
Frank Aucutt of Sweetwater is visiting his son, W. O. Aucutt, and family.

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"I'm afraid John doesn't intend to propose very soon," wailed the anxious maiden. "He gave me a perfectly huge box of stationery yesterday."
"Is that bad?"
"Decidedly. It has my present initials on it."
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Setting the Stage for It.
Preacher (to organist)—"And when I get through with my sermon I'll ask those of the congregation who want to contribute \$5 toward the mortgage on the church to stand up. In the meantime you play appropriate music."
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SUGAR Pure Cane, 10 Pounds 92c
CABBAGE Lb. 4c
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TOMATOES Lb. 15c

Dunn News

Mrs. Bama Clark, Correspondent
Everyone in this community is very busy trying to get through with planting crops.

IRA COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
It has been pretty cool here the last few days.

Big Sulphur News

Clara Mae Lewis, Correspondent
Mrs. W. A. Vernon of Hermleigh visited in the H. B. Lewis home Tuesday afternoon.

Polar News

Bessie Randolph, Correspondent
Lee Cargile of Lubbock spent last Sunday in the A. C. Cargile home.

Plainview News

Bobbie Corbell, Correspondent
Mrs. Pearlina Toland spent the week-end at Coleman visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clements.

COTTON QUIZ

WHAT PART DOES COTTON PLAY IN THE WORLD SERIES?
Illustration of a cotton character and a baseball player.

Pleasant Hill News

Barbara Trousdale, Correspondent
Mrs. Foster and children of Muleshoe are visiting with her father, Allen Sutton, and family.

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Rev. J. B. Sharp of Abilene was visiting in our community Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Childress and children of Tahoka spent Sunday afternoon in the Bill Childress home.

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Havana Trio Flies To Graduation Rites For Jonnie D. Brock

A real high graduation surprise for Jonnie Delle Brock, member of the 1947 graduating class of Snyder Schools, was in store Friday evening when Mr. and Mrs. John M. Cook Jr. and daughter, Carol Jane, arrived from Havana, Cuba, by airment exercises.

Art Guild in Picnic For Last Meeting

The Snyder Art Guild closed the organization's club year with a picnic Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hollis Browning.

Mmes. Julian M. Conley Jr. of Seattle, Washington, and Herman Aweas of Tulsa, Oklahoma, are here for an extended visit with their mother, Mrs. R. W. Cunningham.

Bobbye Taylor and her friend, Mrs. Cecil Medlin, both of Lamesa, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor in the Canyon community.



Hermleigh in Rites For Eighth Graders

Eighth grade commencement rituals for 21 Hermleigh School students were held Tuesday evening in the school auditorium.

Western Auto Store Gets Tire Price Slash

Worth Saylor, owner of the Snyder Western Auto Associate Store, is this week announcing important price reductions on Davis deluxe and Davis safety-grip tires.

R. H. Watkins New Negro Baptist Pastor

New pastor of Snyder Mount Olive Baptist Church (colored) is Rev. H. R. Watkins, who comes here with his wife and son, Roy Lee Watkins, from Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sumruld returned Monday evening from Fort Worth, where they spent a week with a son, W. L. (Billy) Sumruld, his wife and baby, Jana.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Lively of Lufkin were Saturday and Sunday visitors in the Willard Jones home.

Mrs. Fronia Taylor of Abilene spent the past week with the Ed Taylors of the Canyon community.

Texas Electric Firm Sponsors House of Magic Here Friday

Scientific demonstrations that will amaze area people will be on tap here Friday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, and again Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock, when the General Electric "House of Magic" is presented at Snyder High School.

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VFW Post Starts Sunday Program On Radio Station

Scurry County's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 8231 inaugurated Sunday morning, 10:15 o'clock, a program over Radio Station KXOX.

Through the facilities of KXOX, the Scurry County post presented Sunday morning the first in a series of programs entitled "Airlines Service Officer."

Snyder VFW Post Commander Bushy Hedges reports the regular type series of programs each Sunday morning has three main sections. Five minutes of time will be utilized in discussing current and local problems of veterans.

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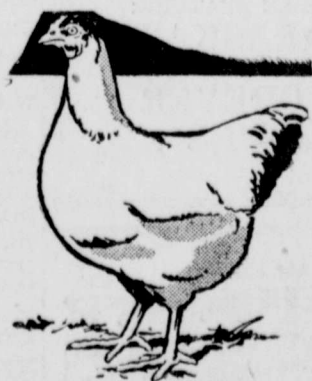
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"She was so pleased to see me, so pleased to take me to her poor little flat, cook lunch for me and talk old times that I felt like apologizing."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SECRET SORROWS

Everyone wants happiness and tries constantly to attain it. After a woman marries, she often thinks that she has lost the chance to be really happy. Her husband and children seem dull at best and at times they are positively a burden and irritation.

Hallie has a good home, shabby but comfortable. Her husband's job is steady, providing a good income for a middle-class family. The two children are healthy and bright. But this is not enough. The constant desire to be free from all worries over money, to have anything she wants to buy, keeps Hallie in an envious, discontented mood. She thinks that other women she knows are happier—have more exciting lives.

What Hallie doesn't know, comments Miss Norris, is that all the women she envies are bearing secret sorrows far more poignant than anything she has to bear. One wealthy old lady is suffering a mental illness that eventually means insanity. Another, wife of a rich man, is trying to hide the gnawing yearning for the son of her first marriage. So it is with practically everyone who appears more favored than others, concludes Miss Norris.

the secret griefs and failures that we never see.

Folly of Jealousy.

"I wish I had known earlier about Ursula Trent," a woman of 50 wrote me a few days ago, in a mood half-rueful and half-amused. "We went to school together and she had everything I didn't. She had curls, she played the violin, she lived on Riverwood drive, she had a brother who adored her, her father was a judge. Ursula married at 19 in a bower of roses and wedding silver and wonderful frocks, and I lost sight of her for years.

"My mother kept a boarding house," the letter goes on, "and we were five, sandy-haired, freckled sisters. We hung on as old maids for some time, but then we all married—happily, too. Our men have all done well and there are 11 youngsters. My life has been happier than that of any woman I know, running a country house, welcoming all the babies, loving my good man. All my sisters are happy and one of them lives in the old Trent place.

"Unexpectedly, I met Ursula in New York last year. She'd lost her one boy in the war; she has a nice daughter, divorced, teaching in a private school. Ursula takes care of her sick husband and her small granddaughter. I can tell you I felt ashamed, with both my big boys safely home and happily married! I felt ashamed of the envy I'd always felt for Ursula, the way her name used to jump at me from the social columns of the paper and make me blue all day. She was so pleased to see me, this woman's letter concludes, "so pleased to take me to her poor little flat, cook lunch for me and talk old times that I felt like apologizing. I felt like saying to her, 'You're still ahead, Ursula Trent, because you're not capable of any emotion as small as jealousy or shame and I've let them ruin hours and hours of my life, all for nothing!'"

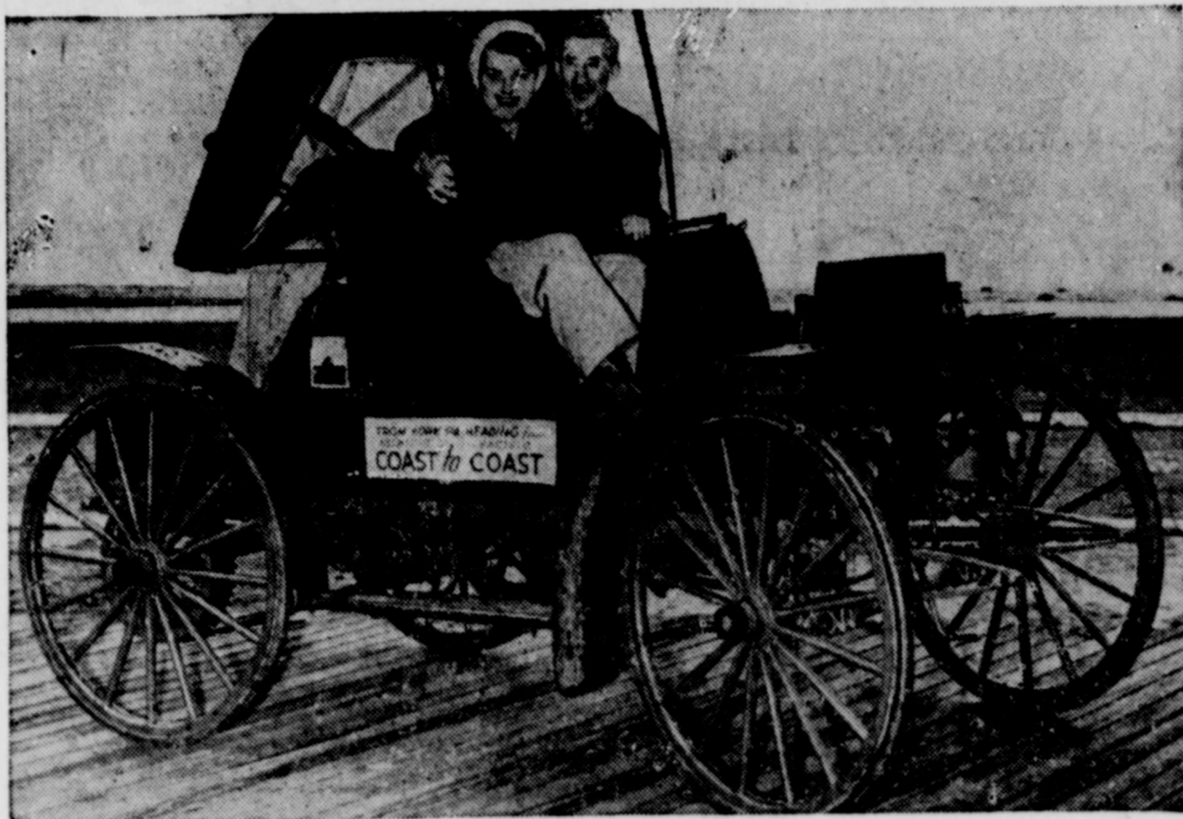
Stomach Ulcer Cure

Permanent cure of stomach ulcers depends on elimination of emotional factors involved, declares Dr. Meyer A. Zeligs of San Francisco. "The stomach is the sounding board of the emotions," he said. "Soldiers frequently develop nausea and other upset conditions before battle. Businessmen may get indigestion, heartburn or abdominal pains during crucial deals." Dr. Harold Rosenblum, San Francisco, said 25 per cent of heart disease is due to rheumatic fever.

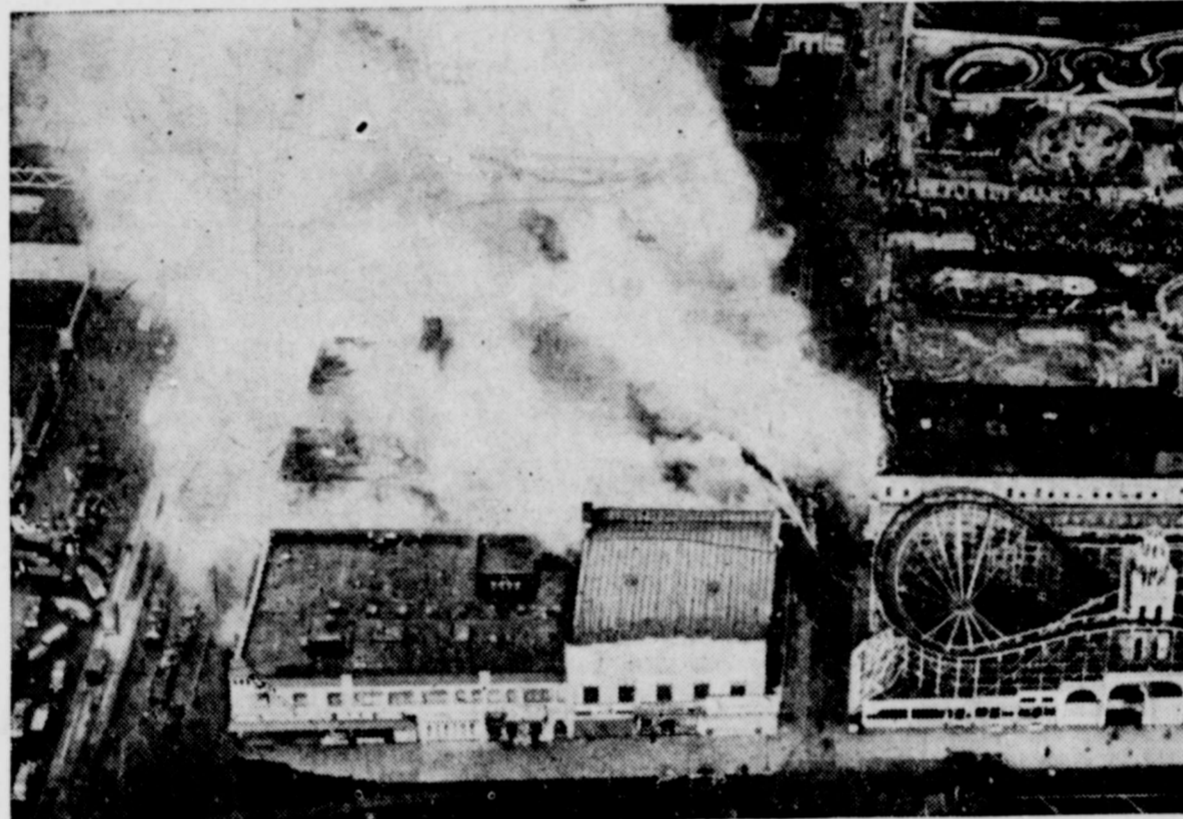
Movie Engineers Ponder Television Problems

A delegation from the Society of Motion Picture Engineers, which foresees television on movie house screens within the next two years, believes that motion picture technicians have worked out major problems relating to the handling of television but that nobody yet knows the answers to equally pressing problems, including: 1. How much business is home television likely to take away from the movies? 2. Just where does the movie house fit into the undisputed public interest in this rapidly developing gadget of the electronic age? Hence the engineers suggested a fact-finding committee composed of every segment of the industry, from producers to exhibitors, to study these questions and come up with answers to guide the industry. Radio Corporation of America has successfully demonstrated black and white television reproduction.

The Times' Weekly Page of World News in Pictures



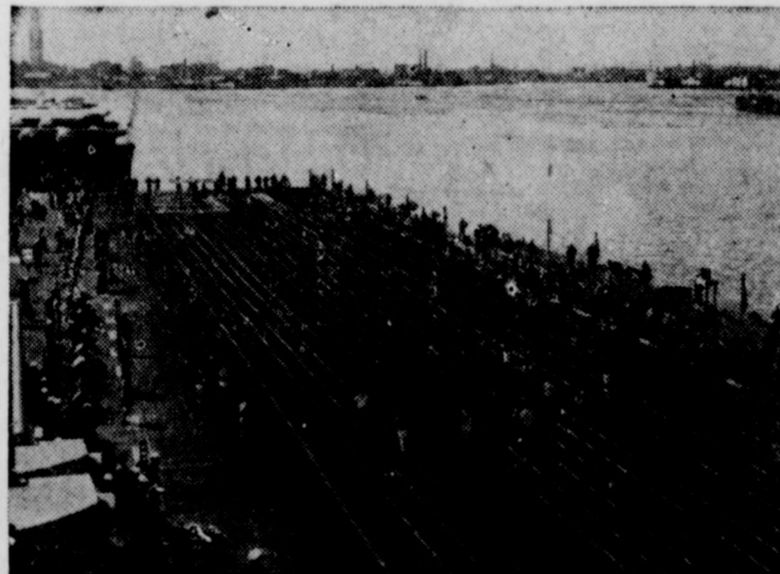
COAST-TO-COAST IN 'HORSELESS CARRIAGE' . . . Not a 1947 model, but J. J. Ruth, York, Pa., and his wife say it will get them there. They are shown on the Atlantic City boardwalk before they set out on a cross-country jaunt aboard their 1902 "buggy." The car has a two-cylinder engine and a chain drive. Ruth says it will travel 30 miles an hour and gets 15 miles to the gallon of gas. He doesn't know how long it will take to get to the Pacific coast, but he is sure the old "buggy" will make it.



CONY ISLAND IN SMOKE . . . Airview showing the spectacular five-alarm fire which swept nine buildings, most of them amusement concessions, at famed Coney Island. Doctors and nurses from Brooklyn hospitals were rushed to the scene as flames roared through flimsy structures along Henderson walk and Surf avenue. More than 35 firemen were injured fighting the resort holocaust.



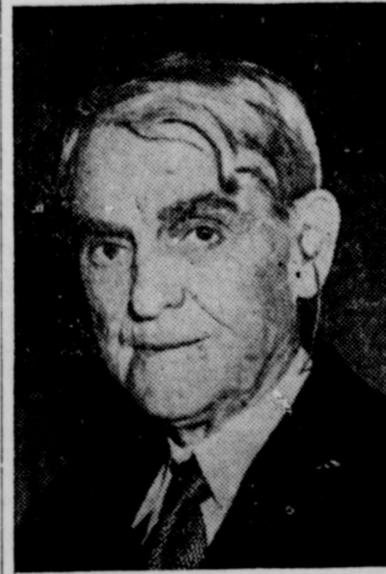
MEALS FOR MILLIONS . . . Believing that if the governments of the world took every step recommended by United Nations committee, millions still would be without enough food, Meals for Millions foundation has started the shipment of vast supplies of food to the hungry of the world. Photo shows shipment of 40,000 meals in form of multi-purpose food, costing three cents a meal. Two million such meals already have left Los Angeles harbor.



TRACK MEET ABOARD SHIP . . . The USS Randolph, navy aircraft carrier, was the scene of a novel track meet held on the flight deck of the huge craft when more than 200 boys and 40 athletes competed in the AAAU events. Above is a general view of the flight deck during an event. The carrier, tied up at dock, accommodated some 2,000 spectators to watch the events.



UP AND ABOUT . . . Little Dickie Landry, 4, of Lynn, Mass., shown with his mother, Mrs. Mary Landry, and his puppy, "Princess." It was only a year ago that Dickie lost both of his legs in a train accident—now he can walk.



FIGHTS LIQUOR ADS . . . Sen. Arthur Capper, 82 (Rep., Kas.), has opened a drive in congress to outlaw advertising of alcoholic beverages. He stated that liquor ads are driving "hordes" of persons to drink.



VEGETABLE GROWERS SERVE . . . Five hundred pounds of seeds donated by National Junior Vegetable Growers association are destined for the youth of Greece. James Spell, 17, Columbia, Miss., president of the junior growers organization, presents, in the name of his organization, the seeds to Jason Dracoulis, Greek vice consul in New York City. National Junior Vegetable Growers association played an active part in garden work during the war.



IN THE SPRING A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY . . . Young Bobby Horan, 7, yearned for a bike ride, but does not have a bike of his own, so he is seen trying to thumb a ride from Elsie Malcolm, 5, Elsie's sister Beverly, 4, looks on. The late spring arrived in New York City as this photo shows the kids eating ice cream.



IT IS JUNE DAIRY MONTH, SHE SAYS . . . Little Margaret Mary Blacksher, New York, turns to ice cream to do her share during June Dairy Month, and shares America's No. 1 food with her Great Dane. When the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce selects the dairy queen, they might check on Margaret, who would prove an ideal one.



MOVIE PROBERS . . . Chairman J. Parnell Thomas, seated, Rep. John McDowell, left, and Chief Investigator Robert E. Stripling of the house un-American subcommittee, who are investigating the possibility of Communist influence in the motion picture industry. Leading stars, directors, hit players, motion picture union officials, producers and others connected with the industry testified before the subcommittee.



NEW PREXY . . . Dr. Lyndon O. Brown, recently inaugurated as president of 110-year-old Knox college, Galesburg, Ill. Dr. Brown, 44, left a successful business career in New York to become president of the college.



STARTED WAR . . . Gen. Kanji Ishihara, chief of staff in Japan's Kwantung army, who gave the signal that caused the Mukden incident of September 19, 1931, when Japanese troops attacked the Chinese garrison of the Manchurian city.



MOTHER FOR 1947 . . . Mrs. Lucille Herman, wife of a G.I. and mother of a 5-month-old daughter, who was chosen "Pin-up Mother for 1947" in contest conducted in the Bronx. There were more than 600 candidates.



TURN PROFESSIONAL . . . Pauline Betr, Los Angeles, left, shakes hands with Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Cook, New York City, as they start professional tour. They were both former U. S. amateur tennis champions.



NAVY NURSE HEAD . . . Capt. Nellie Jane Dewitt, Susquehanna, Pa., who has been appointed as the first director of the new navy nurse corps. She will serve four years. Her big problem will be to secure more nurses.



Rich but unhappy women. . .



The Late Watch:

Corkcreek Canyon Confetti: Cameron Mitchell, who has feasting with Van Johnson in MGM's "High Barbaree," was an eight-year-old street movie boy eight years ago...

Broadway Side Show: Before the Almansas were Ringling Big Top they were a father and son act appearing at county fairs in England...

Washington Digest: Some of the bitterest personal feuds are between senators from the same state and same party...

Derby Note: Aunt Jane of the Lovell Times (she's snuff!) reports this amusing item via the new management of the Kentucky hotel...

Headline: "Mrs. FDR's Driver's License Restored." 'S' good to see a Roosevelt at the wheel again...

The Big-Time: Broadway wiseys predict box office tariffs will be lowered to conform with the big drop in "the take"...

The gazettes report the trip our diplomats took to Yurp was a waste of time. Meaning so was the one the Guys and Dolls in our armed forces took...

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The bitterest irony is that Vittorio Mussolini has a job offered by a butcher. Just like daddy's old boss, Hitler, eh, Vittorio? Ah, Viti, old boy, oh for the good old days when you bonarated defenseless natives...



Program for Greece

WASHINGTON—Now that President Truman has voted his money for Greece and Turkey, he faces the all-important question of exactly how he will spend it...

Keeps 'Em Guessing: Gov. Melvin Thompson of Georgia didn't learn anything about President Truman's political plans for 1948 when he visited the White House recently...

There's nothing so unusual about our problems," he commented. "All postwar periods are accompanied by unrest and people clamoring for things they can't get."

FLU STOPPER: A possible cure for influenza may be forthcoming from a newly discovered green and black soil mold, according to an announcement by the Society of American Bacteriologists...

Protecting the Marines: A hush-hush meeting between General Eisenhower and Marine Corps Gen. Alexander Vandegrift took place recently which may affect the armed forces merger bill...

OUTMODED DEFENSE: Rockets Far Ahead: Ever-improving rocket weapons already have rendered obsolete the best anti-aircraft guns of the army...

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS: Rush More Food to Germany; Truman Signs Portal Pay Bill; Churchill Seeks United Europe



Reacting swiftly to a strongly Communist-flavored lecture being delivered to students at Western high school in Washington, D. C., these four young people walked out on the speaker and started a general exodus from the assembly room...

HUNGRY GERMANS: Show Ugly Mood: Replying to complaints that Germany is being short-changed on its food rations, Secretary of War Robert Patterson disclosed that 400,000 tons of foodstuffs are slated to be sent there during May...

UNITED EUROPE: Churchill's Idea: Winston Churchill, describing the continent as a "rubble heap and breeding ground of pestilence," has gone on record as favoring an organization of European nations...

PORTALS CLOSED: Back Claims Denied: Almost six billion dollars in back claims for portal-to-portal pay was erased from the books when President Truman put his signature on congressional legislation designed to relieve employers...

SUGAR STRATEGY: Advance Rations: To enable supplies to move while railroad transportation is available, housewives and industrial users of sugar will be permitted to buy their allotments in advance of the customary rationing date...

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TOO MUCH SMOKE: Can't See Stars: The nation's capital city is getting just too smoky, dusty and crowded for the U. S. Naval Observatory, which is getting ready to move to a more sylvan neighborhood...

Lobbies Have Spent Million Dollars on 80th Congress: During the first quarter of 1947 some 124 organizations spent almost a million dollars lobbying the 80th congress on one issue or another...

BUDGET SURPLUS: Dwindling Fast: It begins to appear as though President Truman made a small miscalculation when he projected that the treasury would wind up the fiscal year on June 30 with a budget surplus of \$1,250,000,000...

FARM LAND: Prices Go Up: Continuing the steady trend upward begun early in the war, farm real estate prices are nearing a level double the average for the 1935-39 period...

Red Composer?: Hans Eisler, brother of Gerhart Eisler, who is reputedly the No. 1 Communist in the United States, was called to testify before the house un-American committee...

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Veterans' SERVICE BUREAU: EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye St. N.W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman...

Delay in Checks: Approximately 223,174 persons are employed by Veterans' administration, of which about 61 per cent are veterans. Of the male employees, 87 per cent, or 121,528, are veterans...

Questions and Answers: Q. I am the mother of a soldier and haven't heard from him or his wife for over a year. I am asking how I could get in touch with the allotment place nearest to Seattle, Wash., since I don't know her address...

Sealing Leaks in Dam: Several leaks that developed in the cofferdam of the Grand Coulee dam in 1937 were sealed with bentonite, a soft porous volcanic ash that, when moistened, rapidly swells into hard compact clay...

Dogs I've Known...: Neighborhood Pet—A fellow anybody'd be proud to own—lively and well-nourished on Gro-Pup Ribbon! These crisp, toasted ribbons give him every vitamin and mineral dogs are known to need...

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TEXANS in WASHINGTON

This is one of a series of articles prepared for The Times on Texas members of Congress in Washington, in which the backgrounds of the representatives in the national capital are presented. Read the entire series from week to week.

Washington, May 27 (AP).—Born in a Louisiana saw mill camp and reared on farms in Texas, Representative Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls is an individualist whose eight-year record in Congress has stamped him as definitely on the conservative side.

In 1939 he married the former Helen Mosely of Quanah, a charming young blonde who had been teaching for five years in the Vernon public schools while he lived in that city and served as district attorney of the 43rd Judicial District.

The, have four youngsters, Glenn, Judy Ann, Emali Jane and Melissa. Gossett frequently pitches in and helps his wife care for the babies, or tends them when she may be attending one of those social functions occasionally given for or by congressional wives.

The 45-year-old lawmaker represents the farm and ranch country from Denton on up beyond Vernon, but he has the appearance of an urban gentleman.

He has dark flashing eyes, well groomed black hair and wears well fitting suits.

A lawyer by profession and a legislator since 1938, he figures he can yet do any job that needs to be done on a farm. His father and mother still live on the Garza County farm where they moved when he was 12 years old.

Whatever he can do on the farm may be a question, but his friends know that aside from his capabilities as a congressman, he qualifies as a perfect family man.

A member of the House Judiciary Committee, Gossett has been a vigorous opponent of strike, and a constant pleader for stricter enforcement of immigration laws.

His record on labor legislation prompted the CIO's Political Action Committee (PAC) two years ago to try to defeat him for reelection.

PAC officials told a congressional committee later that Gossett was one of three Democratic candidates against whom they had directed expenditures of their funds in an effort to influence the balloting in primary election campaigns.

Along with a handful of others in the House and Senate, Gossett has led the fight for elimination of the



FEATURE of the Texas Electric show in Sweetwater June 3, 4 and 5 will be this new Frigidaire cold-walk household refrigerator. Outstanding in this model is a large 40-pound capacity frozen food chest in the top, a food storage compartment, meat tender and two hydrators for fruits and vegetables.

Cotton Climbs \$1.50 Bale and Grains Hold Advances in Review of Markets

Still climbing, cotton closed \$1.50 to \$2.30 per bale higher and cattle markets held firm with spring lambs moving at \$20 to \$22.50 at Fort Worth, latest Weekly Swing of Southwest Farm Markets, as prepared for The Times by the Production and Marketing Administration, reveal. The review follows:

Late week easiness in spot cotton markets partly offset earlier advances and Friday closed only \$1.50 to \$2.30 higher. Spot offerings decreased, but numerous inquiries came in for the medium and higher grades. Crop prospects varied widely by areas.

Light offerings of most grains encountered rather slack demand last week, but the market held firmly to early week advances of around seven cents per bushel on wheat and corn. Other grains netted no more than a penny or two of difference one way or the other. Wheat closed Friday around \$2.87, and white corn \$2.04, at Texas markets.

Rises of \$5 to \$7 per ton on bran and shorts lifted prices close to an all-time high. Other feeds changed little. Old crop alfalfa hay met reduced inquiry, but prairie hay demand remained urgent. South Texas peanuts made good growth, while showers slowed planting farther north.

Some poultry eased off a little last week, but fryers held firm. Fully

steady early week egg markets developed an easier undertone later on. At mid-week, Fort Worth and Denver paid 37 cents per dozen; Fort Smith, 36 cents; Dallas, 37 1/2 cents; New Orleans, Oklahoma City and San Antonio, 38 cents; Topeka, 39 cents; El Paso, 40 cents; Carlsbad, Houston, Shreveport, 45 cents.

Most cattle markets paid steady to higher prices last week, but Fort Worth held up only on beef steers and yearlings, while cows showed some weakness at Wichita. Good cows brought \$15 to \$16 at Houston; and \$16.50 to \$17.50 at Wichita. Medium to good kinds moved at \$14 to \$17 at San Antonio; \$14.50 to \$17.50 at Fort Worth.

Spring lambs strengthened at Oklahoma City and Wichita, but sheep and lambs sagged mostly 25 cents to \$1 or more at other Southwest terminals. Good and choice spring lambs moved mostly at \$20 to \$22.50 at Fort Worth; \$22.50 to \$23.25 at Oklahoma City; and \$23.25 to \$23.75 at Wichita.

Hog markets showed spot of weakness at all Southwest markets, but some classes held steady or netted slight gains for the week. Closing bulk of good and choice butchers sold at \$23.75 at Fort Worth. Practical closing top was \$23.75 at Oklahoma City; \$24 at Wichita; and \$25.25 at Denver. Week's top at San Antonio was \$23.

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railroad freight rate differentials which have retarded industrial development of the South and Southwest.

He likewise has taken the House floor from time to time to attack monopolies.

"I have contended that the middle classes are in danger of being squeezed to death between industrial monopoly on the one hand and labor monopoly in the hands of labor unions," he says in summing up his views on this subject.

Gossett considers himself a "commoner" and says that's a natural consequence of his background.

His father was foreman of the Sabine Parish sawmill camp where he was born. When he was six he moved with his parents to a farm north of Henrietta in Clay County.

He never will forget, he says, the tough luck that plagued them when they first got to Texas. Their farm home burned, and then came a crop failure. They rebuilt a three-room house and lived there five more years before going to Garza County.

Gossett attended rural schools in Garza County, but spent his last year in high school in a small Nebraska town while living with an uncle. Then he entered the University of Texas, and after a course interrupted by a year out teaching school, won a bachelor of arts degree in 1924 and a law degree in 1927.

During the summers he sold mag-

azines and aluminum cooking ware, which entailed some kitchen demonstrations, and to which he now attributes a modest talent at preparing a meal.

He waited tables and worked at various stores in Austin while attending the university, and got into campus politics as a "barb" or non-fraternity man. On a barb ticket he was elected president of the university student body in his senior year.

He was on the university's debating team, and for two years was president of the Baptist Student Union.

When he got his law degree he started out from scratch.

"I didn't have any connections whatever," he recalls. "I just got out a legal directory and picked out Vernon as a likely spot to begin practice. I decided to try there first."

He wrote to the law firm of Berry, Stokes & Warlick and asked for a job. Much to his surprise, they took him in as a junior partner, after quietly checking his reputation in Austin as a student.

Five years later he successfully ran for district attorney, and served in that capacity until his election to Congress in 1938. Two years earlier, while still a resident of Vernon, he had made an unsuccessful race for the same seat against the then incumbent, and the man he later defeated, Representative W. D. McParlane.

Gossett has been mentioned occasionally as a potential candidate for the Senate two years from now against W. Lee O'Daniel, if the latter seeks reelection, as he is expected to do. Gossett passes off queries on the matter with the remark that his interest is in serving his congressional district.

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First Graders at Hermleigh Spend Day on Picnic

First grade pupils of Hermleigh School were honored last Thursday with a picnic staged at a park in Sweetwater.

The children enjoyed swings, seesaws and slides while the six visiting mothers, with the aid of the school bus driver, Otis Young, prepared lunch. Informal luncheon for the event consisted of sandwiches, cookies, cake and soda pop.

Mrs. John W. Leftwich was host teacher for the day affair. Misses J. B. Tate, Glenn Tate, Frank Nachlinger, Smith, Minor and Lennie Bruce were the six visiting mothers.

Pupils entertained with the picnic were: Bobby Gene Bruce, Jesse Bryant Tate, Glenda Ann Tate, Tommy Young, W. H. Brummitt, Donna K. McGuire, Enid Minor, Sue Smith, Ida Sue, E. L. and Tootsie Green, Terry Jim Nachlinger, James Merle White, Annell Hudnall, Don Vineyard, Virgil Davis, Troy Price, Delma Gay Henley, Mary Louise Jones, Dorothy Louise Prul and Jim Coleman.

After lunch there was more playing such as swinging, sliding, seesawing and for a special treat wading in the children's swimming pool. Pictures were also taken of the group during the afternoon.

The entire group arrived back at Hermleigh School Thursday afternoon in time for the pupils to go home on the school buses.

Accomplish Same Purpose.
A sailor, after placing some flowers on a grave in a cemetery, noticed an old Chinese placing a bowl of rice on a nearby grave and cynically asked:

"What time do you expect your friend to come up and eat rice?" The Chinese replied with a smile, "Same time your friend come up to smell flowers."



FIVE NEW STATE OFFICERS of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs are shown as they were formally installed at a tea in Houston. Left to right

are Mrs. John J. Perry of Sweetwater, president; Mrs. M. Howard Gibson of Waxahachie, first vice president; Mrs. T. M. West of San Antonio, second vice

president; Mrs. H. B. Gillette of Houston, recording secretary; and Mrs. O. B. Jackson of Plainview. A record breaking delegation attended the convention.

Pleasant Hill Rustic Tabernacle Disposed

Bill Deel of Hamlin has purchased the Pleasant Hill tabernacle for the lumber, community leaders report.

The Pleasant Hill tabernacle, long a community landmark, will be dismantled, Deel says, and the lumber in the building and benches utilized for residence construction.

Worley Early Moves Family to Lampasas

Worley Early, Scurry County farmer, cafe operator, gin associate and business man the past 31 years, and his family moved Tuesday to Lampasas.

Worley will put up a first class tourist court and cafe at Lampasas, a Times reporter learns. He and Poch Walton recently sold the Cozy Cafe, north of the bank, to Billie Lee and B. L. McKinley.

Soil Conservation Districts to Suffer Greatly If Appropriations Are Cut

The Soil Conservation Service, with a district office here, and every other SCS unit in the state will be affected by the cut in funds decreed by the House Appropriations Committee, at Washington.

So a Washington dispatch this week reveals J. C. Dykes, assistant chief of the Soil Conservation Service, Washington, reports regional SCS headquarters at Fort Worth and the Temple office will have to curtail operations.

In fact, the present bill is such a blow to the entire farm program that Congressman George Mahon of the 19th District, committee member, predicts that it will return the country to the Democrats.

Mahon informs The Times a stacked committee, ordered by the Republican party leadership, has brought out a bill which will cause the government to renege on its promised \$300,000,000 in Triple A payment for 1947.

Appropriations, for instance, for the payments to the farmers who are engaging in terracing, cover crops and other soil conservation practices in lieu of planting crops were reduced to about \$150,000,000, Mahon declares these appropriations were drastically cut down despite promises last year by Congress and in January by President Truman.

"It would not be so bad if these farmers had not planned their 1947 crop year on these government commitments," said Mahon. "After July 1, there will be considerably less money to meet payment. I fear they will lose confidence in any future government farm program."

Dykes said Congress had not only given SCS less money but at the same time had ordered work started in new districts to be maintained at the same speed as in old districts. This will cut the work down in each district, he says.

Mahon said Democrats had already caucused on the bill and that every member of the Texas delegation was working hard to try to convert as many Republicans as possible from farm states to vote with Democrats during the hard fight expected to start on the floor Monday.

"The fight will be so bitter that we won't know results until the last vote is counted," said Mahon.

The bill, which he described as providing a new limousine for Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson of New Mexico but only a lemon for the American farmer, vitally affects Texas' future cotton crops, he said. It rescinds previous legislation giving 30 per cent of all duties on imports to disposition abroad of surplus farm products.

"This money was spent largely to dispose of surplus cotton and to help the American cotton farmer in meeting the world market when exporting," Mahon declares.

"We may not feel it so much this year, but when there is a bumper crop, without these funds to aid in exporting cotton, this crop will be a glut on the domestic market."

"The Bankhead-Jones farm tenant purchase act is out altogether, if this bill passes, Mahon said. Reason given by Republicans is that farm land values are too high. "Even so," said the Texan, "some tenant farmers were being helped by 40-year loans to purchase their farms."

"The bill cuts the Farm Research and Marketing program from \$19,000,000 to \$5,000,000 on the grounds that is too much money for a new enterprise," Mahon said.

"We had launched an ambitious program there last year, but we need research for marketing, and it will be impossible now to get the program planned underway."

"This affects almost every phase of farm endeavor. Loans to veterans and others through Farm Security Administration are drastically curtailed, too."

Captain—"Honey, how do you like my company?"
Gal—"Swell, every one of them."

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State Revenues to Be Better Than Believed

In a statement to Times readers, Comptroller George H. Sheppard in Austin is boosting his estimate of revenue for the next two years approximately \$32,000,000.

Available for spending by the 50th Legislature, Sheppard says, are such funds as to make it possible for the State of Texas to show a balance of approximately \$100,000 when the remaining major appropriation bills have been passed.

Sheppard's announcement of a prospective increase in general revenue funds, however, is not a great surprise to most legislators.

There are some, led by Representative William S. Jameson of El Paso, who still believe (with announcement of prospective revenue like), that a natural resources tax is yet needed.

Petty Cash Vouchers at The Times.

Coke's Trip to Capital May Be Politics, Too

Scurry County Democrats contacted thus far join other Texans in seeing political implications in the visit to Washington of Coke Stevenson, former governor of Texas.

Stevenson, who has spoken here on several occasions, and C. E. Weymouth of Amarillo, president of the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, will this week attend a meeting of foot-and-mouth disease advisory committee at Washington conducted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Stevenson, local Democrats says, is considered a probable candidate for the U. S. Senate against W. Lee O'Daniel.

A Sign Post.
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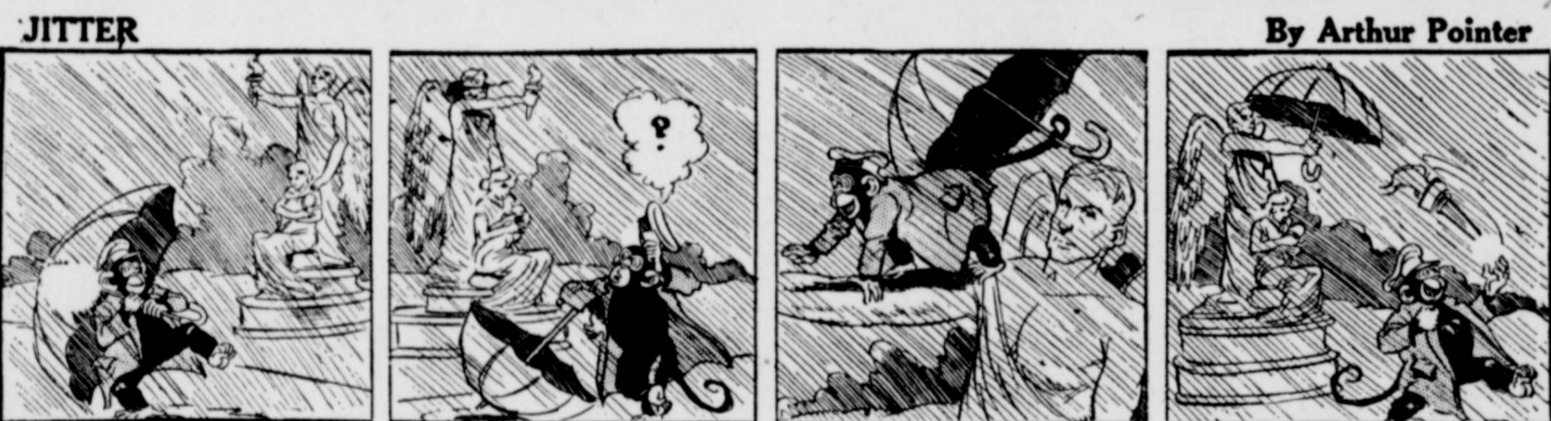
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SMALL GAIN
Father—Son, can you tell me what the various expeditions to the North Pole have accomplished?
Son—Nothing, except to make the geography lessons harder.

Ignorance Is Bliss
"I want to know once and for all," the belligerent husband demanded, "who is the boss in this house."
"You will be much happier," his wife replied, "if you don't try to find out."

Right, But Sorry
Dazed Motorist (regaining consciousness)—I had the right of way, didn't I?
Bystander—Yeah, but the other fellow had a truck.

Better Start Moving
Fireman—Did you hear that ladder fall, Joe?
Oiler—Yes; I hope the boss didn't fall, too.
Fireman—He hasn't, yet. He's hanging to that pipe up there.

Like a Sparrow
Little Dickie's mother, trying to talk him into a bath, urged, "Surely you want to be a clean little boy, don't you?"
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State Health Officer Warns Against Use Of New Potent Drugs

“It is an unfortunate fact that some people in Scurry County are willing to risk their health—possibly even their lives—by prescribing for themselves and taking a drug that they have read about somewhere and which has been termed a ‘miracle drug,’” states Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

“Although such drugs as penicillin, streptomycin, thioracil and sulfadiazine have been of great value in combating diseases that have heretofore been very difficult to control, nevertheless, they can be very dangerous products in untrained hands. They were never intended to be used promiscuously for self-medication,” the state health officer asserted.

“If a pharmacist refuses to sell a particular drug and explains that it cannot be supplied without a physician’s prescription, the would-be purchaser should not become provoked. That pharmacist is giving sound public health advice and is also complying with the law. The state health officer declared that self-medication is never advisable, and even ‘miracle drugs’ should be taken only when a doctor prescribes them.

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Each Scurry County family who even had a friend in service is asked to take part in the Memorial Day observances that will be staged Sunday afternoon.

In this week's issue of The Times will be found a complete program on the Memorial Day observances. You owe it to the Will Layne American Legion Post, the Snyder Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and your community to take an active part in the Memorial Day rituals. Let's all help to make this a real Memorial Day—an occasion when we renew and carry high the torch of kinship with our hallowed and honored war dead!

Current Comment

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BY LEON GUINN

Something as new as tomorrow's bathing suit—and a trend that is disturbing other car makers—is the bobby soxer special that will soon be on the line from Willys-Overland. . . . According to such meager details as were available at mid-week, experiments are pretty far along on a racy new car design for the teen-age and college market. . . . It will be a low, underlung, two-seat job for four passengers that will be an open model. . . . The job will be painted in bright colors—something reminiscent of the car that was driven a quarter of a century ago by college boys.

Turning on the Heat

One can indeed take heart from the stiff wave of resistance being evidenced over the nation by consumers, who are fed up with rising prices and are simply tired of being talked to in technicolor terms and looking beyond the rainbow—only to be socked in the old pocketbook.

We know people need household appliances, new bath tubs, new radios, washing machines and many other necessities, but the only way our consuming public will whip Old Man High Cost of Living is to stop buying until ‘price adjustments’ are made all along the line.

Salute to the Fire Chief

Snyder owes Fire Chief N. W. Autry and Fire Marshall J. M. Newton, a vote of appreciation and thanks for the fine job done at Austin in getting Snyder a 20 cent credit in the new fire rate books that will soon be off the press. Their accomplishment means Snyder property owners will save approximately \$1,800 a year in fire insurance premium payments.

Acc-in-the-hole played by Autry was getting the \$10,690.89 fire loss of a local cotton warehouse crased from the town's 1946 fire losses. Since the warehouse was outside the city limits, there was no reason for such loss being tacked to Snyder's already totaled losses. Snyder salutes Chief Autry, who is always on the job for his town and its security against the demon fire.

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Time for Action It Seems

A lot of people in Snyder and over the county are beginning to wonder whatever became of the city's traffic plan to cut down the barren, non-productive courthouse lawn to allow a double-lane parking area around the sector of the courthouse square occupied by a native rock wall and a lot of useless dirt.

Time for action on this project has rolled around, and the matter of accommodating traffic over the week-end needs immediate attention of every person who wants Snyder to grow and keep its people from going to Sweetwater, Big Spring, Lubbock and Abilene to do considerable shopping.

On talking we are plenty long in Scurry County, but on action we seem to have forgotten what the word means. Other towns smaller than Snyder are launching out with major improvements and civic projects; whereas we remain as hide-bound and unimpressed as though we awaited some one to put a purple shroud over our courthouse.

Certainly we need to do something to keep our people—when they come to Snyder—to keep from parking in the back alleys, or between Snyder and Hermleigh. Some day, some one may even have the nerve to suggest we could have parking meters, but since we are not taking care of our very own people in creating adequate parking space, we need to get this parking business settled once and for all—if for nothing more than a matter of public policy and civic pride.

Editorial of the Week

HARBINGER OF NORMALITY.

According to a Business Week article, manufacturers are now becoming confronted with the problem of increasing selling costs.

This is due to the fact that unsolicited business is getting scarce and it is necessary to build up sales staffs and put salesmen on the road. During the war and immediately thereafter, practically every concern had more orders than it could fill. Times have changed, and the salesman, complete with ‘winkle sheet,’ is coming back into his own.

These manufacturers say that sales costs may reach 25 per cent of the value of the business. They say the selling price of their articles may have to go higher.

But they forget the good old American doctrine of competition, which tends to drive down selling prices instead of raise them. Those salesmen whose prices are rigid will get the business. Those firms who fail to get the business will soon be out of business.

Hail the salesman—let's welcome him with trumpets and roll out the carpet. He's a sign of returning normal times.—Ochiltree County Herald, Perryton.

Countians Will Enter Hobbs Amateur Skit

Snyder will have several entries, it was indicated at mid-week, in the amateur program that will be staged Tuesday evening at Hobbs School in western Fisher County under auspices of the Hobbs Lunch-club.

Eddie Williams, in charge of general arrangements, reports a ‘‘feed’’ for amateurs will be staged at 8:00 o'clock. Following the informal supper, program of the evening and the amateur contests will be held.

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