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COMPETITION IN RODEO HERE KEEN TO FINALS

Sadie Smith of O'Donnell Finishes Sponsor Contest in 20 Seconds Flat—Other Events Fast

Winners in the finals of the exciting cowgirl sponsor contest...

Cowgirl sponsor contest queen is lovely Sadie Smith of O'Donnell...

Mrs. Vernon Miller of the Walking Cane Ranch, Gail, and Snooks Creighton of the Crighton Ranch...



AMONG TOP HANDS at the Scurry County eleventh annual rodeo...

EXTENSION TO NORTH SLATED IN SHARON POOL

Starr's 2,000-Foot Cable Tool Well Would Extend Field Mile from Nearest Production

New test for the Sharon Ridge oil pool of Southwest Scurry County...

J. W. Starr of Midland, it is reported, has filed an application with the Texas Railroad Commission...

The Starr No. 1 Mills will be drilled approximately one mile northeast of the closest production in the Sharon Ridge pool.

Operator's Mills test will be 330 feet from the north and east lines of Tract 7, Section 1, J. P. Smith-C. A. O'Keefe Subdivision.

Drilling with cable tools starts this week-end, a Times reporter learns.

W. H. Riddle, it was reported Tuesday, has filed amended location for his No. 2 Mrs. J. W. Miner test in the Sharon Ridge pool...

With the rig and crews that drilled the Harrell Ranch well, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 A. C. Pratt, Tildenberger wildcard test...

Located three miles northwest of Loreine and six miles north-east of Colorado City, Humble No. 1 Pratt test is a string of 13 1/2-inch pipe in the 17 1/2-inch hole at 309 feet with 300 sacks of cement.

Operator will drill the plug and start drilling in a few days, it was reported Tuesday. McQueen & Cleaver has the contract to drill the Ellenberger wildcard test...

In addition to the special races, Davis reports other events will include calf roping, wild cow milking, junior steer riding, junior ribbon roping and a cutting horse contest.

Primitive Baptists to Hold Regional Meet

Attention of Snyder and Scurry County church goers is called to the Primitive Baptist Association meeting...

Country Club House Being Moved to Site

Units of the Snyder Country Club house arrived here Tuesday afternoon by truck from Abilene...

Purris F. Williams Is High School Principal

Purris F. Williams, who comes here from Friona, is new high school principal and band director for Snyder Schools.

Doyle Bynum Given National Guard Post

Appointment of Doyle Bynum as second lieutenant for Snyder's National Guard Troop A, 124th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron...

Club Women to Hold Annual Meet At School July 29

Tuesday, July 29, will be a red letter day with all members of county Home Demonstration Clubs...

County People View Army Air Force Unit

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READY TO RIDE in the grand entry of the county's eleventh annual roundup...

are Bill Riley, left, who was arena director, and Hugh Taylor, right, one of the association directors.

Cotton and Feeds Look Promising But Need Rain

Temperature in County Climbs to 103 Mark Again

The Weather Man led out this week with continued sunshine, following lowest reading in Texas Sunday and a "good ole summer-time" haymaker of 103 degrees temperature Tuesday.

Snyder's temperature high was 94 degrees. Mercury reading Sunday, states Mrs. Poy Wade, government weather gauger, dropped down to a low of 55 degrees—lowest in the state.

Monday's high mercury reading of 100 degrees was followed Tuesday by the haymaker of 103 degrees.

Falling below par for July has been rainfall over Scurry County, with only two rains recorded. A rain fell on July 12 gave Snyder .61 of an inch precipitation.

So announce church officials, who report the revival will continue through Sunday, August 10.

Evangelist Lynch has appeared here previously, and is known in this area as a forceful speaker.

Mardell Lynch to Lead Revival at Church of Christ

Gospel messages straight from the shoulder by Evangelist Mardell Lynch of Sweetwater will feature the summer revival meeting of the Snyder Church of Christ...

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Interest Shown in Setting of County Tax Rate for 1947

Interest at mid-week reached a new level among the county's 12,500 citizens as to what will be done Monday about Scurry County's 1947 tax rate.

County property owners have notices to appear Monday, between 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., before the Scurry County Commissioners Court and show cause, if any, why property valuations should not be raised above the rendered value already placed on county property.

Nolan County, for example, has taken a lead among counties of the area in increasing taxes to provide adequate funds for county needs.

A private survey among representative property owners of the county reveals the majority favor an increase in property valuations.

The county tax rate at present is \$1 on the \$100 property valuation. Present rate breaks down as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Items include Jury fund, Road and bridge fund, Courthouse and jail fund, Permanent improvements, General improvements, Total.

Few Calves in Section Being Sold by Owners

Talks with Scurry County stockmen this week reveal that very few calves have been sold for fall delivery so far.

There have been some offers, it is reported, of 20 cents per pound straight across for calves in the Fluvanna and Gail areas but no takers.



SUMMER'S bitterest battle is raging today in cotton fields of Scurry and other counties...

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Sunday Marks Up Low of 55 in Odd Quirk of Weather

Snyder, according to the U. S. Weather Bureau, was the coolest town in Texas Sunday with a very comfortable reading of 55 degrees.

Since the weather bureau gave Snyder such a fine plug on Sunday's reading, about the only thing left unsaid was a gentle hint to Snyder and Scurry County people to get out their winter overcoats and bring in winter blankets out of the moth packs.

People of West Texas and New Mexico were packing up bed rolls, rolling saddles in pickups and loading socks—for Scurry County's most successful rodeo closed Saturday night in true Western color.

Stop to think of it, 55 degrees is only 23 degrees above freezing—weather to make folks wake up and live right here in the middle of summer—and right in the middle of moving weeds out of the county's most precious cotton crop in 25 years.

Raymond Williams Is New Yard Manager

New manager at Burton-Lingo Lumber Company, 1510 23rd Street, is Raymond Williams, who with his wife, son, Fred (nine years old) and daughter, Elizabeth Ann (two), who are moving here from Odessa.

Williams has been working for the Burton-Lingo Lumber Company for 18 years, and has wide experience in the lumber business and in building and construction supplies.

Williams succeeds Claude Wilson, Burton-Lingo manager here since February 1. Mr. Wilson was transferred to the Burton-Lingo Lumber Company at Sweetwater.

Lois Curnutte Enfield Opening Book Shop

Lois Curnutte Enfield has opened a book shop at Snyder Floral, 1713 26th Street, and has a nice line of books, gifts, etc.

A former Snyder girl, Lois has been in the West Coast for a number of years.



WHO'S NEW

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Watson of Snyder, a son, who has been named Linuel Lee, last Sunday Linuel Lee weighed eight pounds. Mrs. Watson is the former Leota Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford of Midland are announcing the arrival of a son. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McLaughlin of the Diamond M Ranch. Mrs. Ford is the former Jeanne McLaughlin.

County People View Army Air Force Unit

Several hundred persons of the Snyder trade area inspected the Army Air Forces Mobile Recruiting Unit that visited Snyder Friday and Saturday.

Essential parts and mechanism of a B-24 bomber plane were shown in the truck-drawn display. Instruments used on panels of a B-24 were displayed, and a number of people had a session with the Link trainer.

CURTAIN FALLS SATURDAY ON ONE OF BEST RODEOS IN HISTORY AS BIG CROWDS TABBED

Scurry County's eleventh annual rodeo and saddle roundup drew to a close Saturday night in a blaze of western glory that made attendees declare it the greatest of the annual county rodeos staged in Snyder.

More than 12,000 persons passed through the gates for the four performances of the eleventh roundup event.

The roundup swung into action last Wednesday night after a mile-long street parade at 7:00 o'clock heralded rodeo and fiesta time for Snyder.

In the initial stanza John Wallace of Haskell turned in low time of 14.1 seconds in calf roping. Carl Myers of Abilene was second with 15 seconds flat; Jimmy Bird of Post was third with 15.1; while Homer Hart of Big Spring was in fourth position with 16.1 seconds.

In Wednesday night's cowgirl sponsor contest Snooks Creighton of the Crighton Ranch had low time of 21.3 seconds. Frances Gist of Buford and Jan Dickerson of Big Spring tied for second with 21.4. Iris Dorsett of Sweetwater placed fourth, timing 22 seconds. Other girls riding in the contest were Joyce Miller of Fluvanna, Mrs. Vernon Miller of Gail, Sadie Smith of O'Donnell, Jo Gregory of Colorado City, Marcella Kidd of Loreine and the McFarland of Dunn.

Seven of the 11 bareback bronc riders completed successful rides. They were Jimmy Beck, Buck Ferguson, Ray Roberts, Bob Brown, Hove Tutum, P. E. Emfinger and Robert Helms. Only three contestants qualified in the saddle bronc riding, with Dave Bloodworth of

Colorado City getting a fine hand from the crowd for his ride on Kiebs. Bob Brown and F. E. Bloodworth were the only other successful riders.

Almost 6,000 persons turned out Thursday night for the second stanza of the rodeo. A feature of the performance was

the calf roping of Perry Walker of Big Spring, who sacked up his calf in 12.1 seconds—only to be fined 10 seconds for breaking the barrier. Other results last Thursday night were:

Cowgirl Sponsors—Snooks Creighton of the Crighton Ranch, first, 20.4 seconds; Mrs. Vernon Miller; of

Gail, second, 21 seconds; Sadie Smith of O'Donnell, fourth, 21.2 seconds. Jo Gregory of Colorado City, fifth, 21.4; J. yee Miller of Fluvanna, sixth, with 21.6 seconds.

Senior Calf Roping—Slinging Sam Baugh of Rotan and Ira Rice tied for first with 15.2 seconds; Dee Burrus of O'Donnell, third, with 18 seconds; Vernon Creighton of Big Spring, fourth, with 18.8 seconds; and James Ray Hill of Snyder, fifth, with 20.2 seconds.

Junior Steer Riding—Best ride by Horace Davis of Snyder. Nine boys rode and only one was thrown.

In wild cow milking Vernon Miller of Fluvanna was first with 22 seconds; Franklin Miller, also of Fluvanna, second, with 25 seconds; and L. F. Vaughn of Ira was third with 43 seconds. There were 25 entries in this contest.

In Friday evening's rodeo performance Big Spring's Jan Dickerson, a Hardin-Simmons University student, took top place in the cowgirl sponsor contest.

Last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights Mrs. Vernon Miller of Gail rung up the remarkable record of 21 seconds flat for each performance. Her time Saturday night was 20 1-5 seconds.

Friday night Jimmy Bird of Post copped first in the second go-round of senior calf roping with 13 seconds, and Wilson Hardigree of Colorado City was top man in the cow milking contest with 35 seconds.

Six young riders in the Junior Steer riding contest stuck to their mounts until the bell. They were



READY TO RIDE in the grand entry of the county's eleventh annual roundup, on which the curtain fell Saturday night.

Parallel Parking In Part of Town Being Initiated

Snyder and Scurry County people this week-end will get acquainted with a new parking experiment in Snyder—parallel parking in the portion of the business district traversed by state highways and U. S. Highway 180.

Workmen for the City of Snyder were out Wednesday with beams and a brand new paint gun to mark off portions of the business district for parallel parking.

Ordinance passed recently by the City Council, declaring an emergency, provides for parallel parking in these portions of Snyder:

That part of 25th Street between the public square and Avenue T; between the public square and Avenue N; and on Avenue S from the square to 23rd Street.

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Es states Steve Bavousett, community Epworth League official, who says Eddie Williams, Hobbs music teacher, will conduct the two-week school. Evening classes only will be held from Monday through Friday of each week.

Bavousett and Williams are expected to announce next week details of a community-wide concert to be staged in conjunction with closing of the school.



# The WOMAN'S Page



## Billie Lindley Marries George Idle Saturday

Mrs. W. U. Lindley, 708 28th Street, is this week announcing the marriage of her youngest daughter, Billie, to George Idle Jr.

Double ring ceremony for Billie and George was performed Saturday afternoon, June 28, 5:00 o'clock, in the Woodland Avenue home of Rev. Vernie C. Brown, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Chico, California.

The bride wore an evening dress of powder blue, with white accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias, a gift from the bridegroom.

To carry out the tradition of "something new" she wore a string of pearls; for "something borrowed" a white handkerchief belonging to Oleta Robertson of Marysville, California; for "something old" she carried a watch; her dress was blue, and in her shoe she carried a penny for a good luck piece.

Only attendant of the bride was Bessie Deville of Roseville, California. She wore a pink evening dress with white accessories. Gary Ford attended the bridegroom as best man.

Bride received her education at Snyder High School. She has been employed the past two years with the Southern Pacific Railway office at Chico, California.

Idle is the son of Mrs. George Idle Sr. of Williams, California. He is a graduate of Williams High School, and is a veteran of World War II. He is now employed by the Southern Pacific Railway Company office at Chico.

Those attending the wedding were Mrs. George Idle Sr., Misses Lois and Marjorie Woodell of Richmond, California, Mrs. Gary Ford and daughter, Christine, of Chico. Newlyweds will make their home at 418 Cherry Street, Chico, California.

## Church Women Form Missionary Union

Total of 48 women from the different churches of Snyder gathered last Wednesday at the Snyder First Baptist Church to complete organization of the Federal Women's Missionary Union of Snyder.

Nominating committee was composed of the various WMUs which had met previously to select officers. Report of the committee was adopted. Officers elected by the group are as follows: Mrs. H. W. Hanks, president; Mrs. R. H. Odum, prayer chairman; Mrs. Alice Northcutt, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. B. Turner, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. J. W. W. Patterson, publicity chairman.

Program for the afternoon was directed by Mrs. A. C. Kincaid, Baptist WAU president. Devotional was brought by Mrs. J. L. Ferguson.

Two musical readings were given by Mrs. Weldon Kincaid, with Mrs. Verla Lemford at the piano. Mrs. Jesse Lemons gave a chapter, "What Is God Like?" from the book "God Is Not Dead," written by Bernard Liddings Bell. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. J. W. W. Patterson.

Members of the social committee of the Snyder First Baptist Church served during the tea hour. The table was beautifully decorated with its ruffled organza cloth. Shasta daisies were used profusely in the tea room and orchid dahlias were placed in crystal bowls.

Helen Jo Graham and Dorelle Stokes served ice sherbet punch from the crystal bowl. Cookies were served on a large crystal tray.

Next meeting, it is stated, will be held at the Snyder First Christian Church the fifth Monday in September.

All Christian women are urged to attend, whether a member of the WMU or not.

## Mrs. Williamson Hosts Turner Club

Answering of roll call with household hints marked a feature of the Turner Home Demonstration Club meeting last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. A. B. Williamson.

Following an interesting meeting and business session, ice cream making was demonstrated and served with cake to: Misses Johnny Langford, Bruce Colwell, Scott Bridges, Dee Myers, Howard Franklin, Bart Branson and Clifford James.

## NEW CANDY PLAN Slims Down Figure

Perhaps you too can regulate a lovely, more slender figure. You just cut out one of the foods you like—just cut them down. It's simple when you take delicious AYD's as diet. No drugs. No laxatives. No exercises. Effective. Harmless. Proved by medical doctors in clinical tests. Regular size 8-12. Please

SNYDER DRUG

## Betty Copeland and J. D. McElyea Marry

In an impressive double ring ceremony Saturday evening, 8:00 o'clock, Miss Betty Copeland of Odessa became the bride of J. D. McElyea, native Scurry County native now at Odessa in construction work.

Marriage vows were exchanged by the couple in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Copeland of Odessa. Rev. H. E. Gregory performed the ceremony.

For the service the bride chose to wear a powder blue frock with black accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias and carnations, the matron-of-honor, Mrs. Charles Thomas, wore a dress of pink crepe with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Mrs. Copeland, mother of the bride, wore for the occasion a dress of blue crepe with black accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias. Mrs. McElyea, mother of the groom, was dressed in a grey crepe dress. She wore white accessories and her corsage was also of white gardenias.

The bride has been a resident of Odessa the past nine years. She has been employed in Odessa by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, but resigned her job shortly before her marriage.

James Ray Walker, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man.

J. D. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McElyea, long-time Scurry County residents now living in Odessa. J. D. enlisted in the Signal Corps of the U. S. Army in September of 1942 and spent 26 months in England and Germany.

When he received his service discharge in January of 1946 McElyea held rank of technical sergeant. Since returning to civilian life he has been engaged in construction work with his father.

After the ceremony the couple was honored with an informal reception given by the bride's mother. A three-tier wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Cake was cut by the couple and served with punch to the following wedding guests: Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McElyea and son, Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barbee and son, Roy Jack Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hawkins, Mrs. Minnie Copeland, Mrs. Thorne Smith and children, Ann and Donny, Mrs. June Farnell, Kaylene Butcher, and Mr. and Mrs. Copeland and son, Kenneth.

The couple will make their home at 613 Wilson Drive in Odessa.

## Margretta Thompson and Troy Bently Wed

Margretta Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson of Ira, and Troy Bently, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bently of Union, were married July 20 at 9:00 o'clock in the Methodist parsonage at Snyder. The single ring ceremony was read by Rev. H. W. Hanks.

The bride wore a street length dress of white mesh trimmed in white eyelet with buttons of tiny blue pearl centered with white flowers. The bride's corsage was a white gardenia outlined with small pink flowers.

To carry out the traditional "something old and borrowed" she wore a shell bracelet from Okinawa and carried a white linen handkerchief belonging to her mother.

Attendants to the couple were Jean Littlepage of Snyder, cousin of the bridegroom, and James Biggs of Lubbock.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dove, sister of the bride, Mrs. Bernard Smith of Lubbock and Mrs. Murry Jackson of Gall, sisters of the bridegroom.

Following the ceremony the couple left for Colorado, where they are spending their honeymoon.

## Ernest T. Jordan Weds Oregon Girl

Marriage vows were exchanged recently by Miss Joan Nadine Alphin and Ernest Truman Jordan, native Scurry County boy, in a single ring ceremony held in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Alphin, at Albany, Oregon.

The bride wore a white dress with gold accessories. Her corsage was of pink baby rosebuds and white baby gladioli with blue ribbon. She carried a small white Bible.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan of Ira and spent all of his life, previous to two and a half years in the U. S. Army, in Scurry County. Since his discharge from military service he has worked at Dallas and in Albany, Oregon.

Bridesmaid was Miss Jean Farr. Best man was Jack Baxter. Witnesses at the single ring marriage were Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bundick, brother-in-law and sister of the groom. Ceremony was performed by Rev. Gordon Jeffe.

Mantle of the Alphin home was decorated for the wedding with white lilies and tall white candles. Tall baskets of flowers filled the house.

Following the marriage, a reception was held for the couple. Punch and cake were served to close friends and relatives. Among gifts presented the couple were technicolor movie films of the ceremony and reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will visit the groom's parents at Ira in the near future. They will make their home at Albany, Oregon.

## Mrs. Mason Hosts El Catorce Club

Mrs. Lauranette Mason was hostess to El Catorce Club of Fluvanna when the organization met last Tuesday.

An outstanding program was given on "Flower Arrangement." Catherine Dodson and Mabelle Browning gave this phase of the program, with a display of colorful zinnias arranged in proper vases throughout the living room.

A delicious salad plate and drink were served to all present.

## Elene Dixon Tucker To Wed Noah Reeves

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dixon of Snyder are announcing this week the engagement of their daughter, Elene Dixon Tucker, to Noah Junior Reeves, also of Snyder.

Date of the wedding for the local couple was not given by the parents of the bride-elect.

## Methodist Girls' Society Organized

The Girls' Society of Christian Service was the name given to the group of girls organized last Friday at a meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service at the Snyder First Methodist Church.

Women present to help organize the group of Methodist girls included Mrs. West, Mrs. J. O. Littlepage and Mrs. Davis.

Gifts present for the organizational meeting were Bobby West linal meeting were: Bobby West Reynolds, Edith Blakey, Billie Inez Alford, Freda Davis, Betty Greer and Mary Frances Alford.

Officers elected for the Girls' Society of Christian Service were: Edith Blakey, president; Freda Davis, secretary and treasurer; Mary Frances Alford, program chairman; and Billie Alford, reporter.

Decision was reached at the gathering to meet at different homes each Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Meeting Friday was held at the home of Mrs. West.

## Bison Club Women See Ice Cream Made

Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, assisted by other members, gave a demonstration on making good ice cream when the Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Frank Strom. Chocolate, peppermint and caramel ice cream were made and later served to those present.

The club voted to give a forty-two party at Murphy on August 15. All members are asked to bring either cake or cookies and juices for punch.

Yearbook plans were discussed, and it was found that all Bison members prefer to spend a lot of time studying sewing in the next year's work.

Mrs. Ben Weathers gave an interesting council report and reminded members of forthcoming club events.

Members present were Misses Ella Richter, Ed Murphy, Ross Huddleston, Ben Weathers, Nolan von Roeder, Jim Sorrells, Bernhard Bartels and the hostess. Also present were three visitors, Misses W. L. Hayley, W. T. Harks and Helen Bartels.

## Snyder Florist Gives Pyron Demonstration

Roland Bell Jr., florist of Snyder, was guest speaker when the Pyron Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Weldon Smith with 11 members and five visitors present.

Starting with a very simple arrangement of one blossom and a wired bow, Bell built 13 different corsages with flowers from the local yards and cut flowers from the florist shop.

Young Bell demonstrated the delicate process of splitting a flower and wiring and wrapping with parafilm tape. This would make flowers go farther and also provide a smaller flower which is particularly suitable for a boutonniere. The proper use of net and chenille wire were also exhibited. Also displayed was a flower arrangement with a frog in a low bowl.

A forty-two party was planned for July 31, to be held at the Pyron School house. Ice cream and cake will be served. It was stated, and the entire community is invited to participate.

An invitation to meet with the Capitola Home Demonstration Club on September 25 was accepted by the Pyron club. Next meeting, it was stated, will be held as an outdoor picnic August 29 at the Pyron Ranch.

Recipes for various kinds of ice cream were passed out and explained. Refreshments, consisting of three kinds of ice cream—peppermint, chocolate and caramel—were served with cake and soda pop to the following members: Misses C. A. Clifton, Hy Coldevey, E. M. Grindstaff, W. H. Huddleston, Raymond May, Lee McMillan, Theo Scales, J. C. Stahl, B. H. Young, Weldon Smith and Frank Andrews.

Visitors from the Capitola Home Demonstration Club were Mrs. Benzie Kidd, Mrs. G. T. Webb and Lella Webb. Other visitors included Miss Jane Glass and Roland Bell Jr. of Snyder.

## Christian Science Society

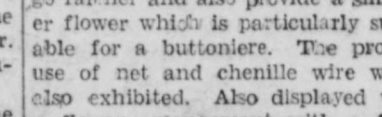
1912 26th Street Services Every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Testimony meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m. All Are Welcome!

## OUR FRIEND Your Doctor

Yes, we're proud of the high regard in which this Prescription Pharmacy is held by the leading medical men of our community. They value our high ethical standards. They appreciate our ample stocks of rare and staple drugs. And they approve our fair prices, based on an accurate knowledge of costs. Why not ask your Doctor about us—and bring his prescriptions here.

## SNYDER DRUGS

West Side Square



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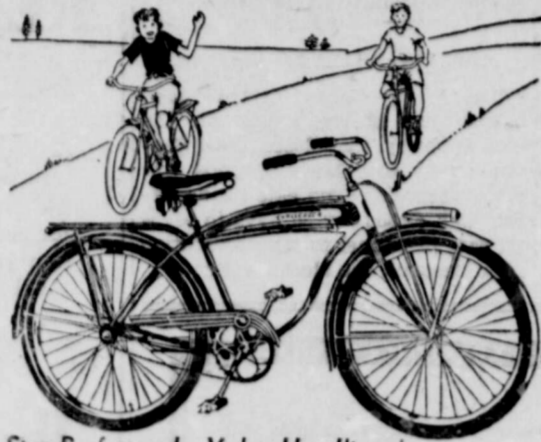
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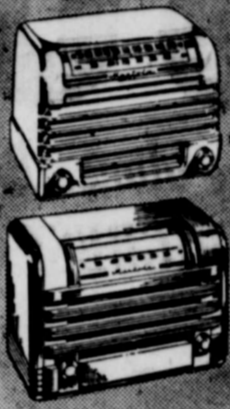
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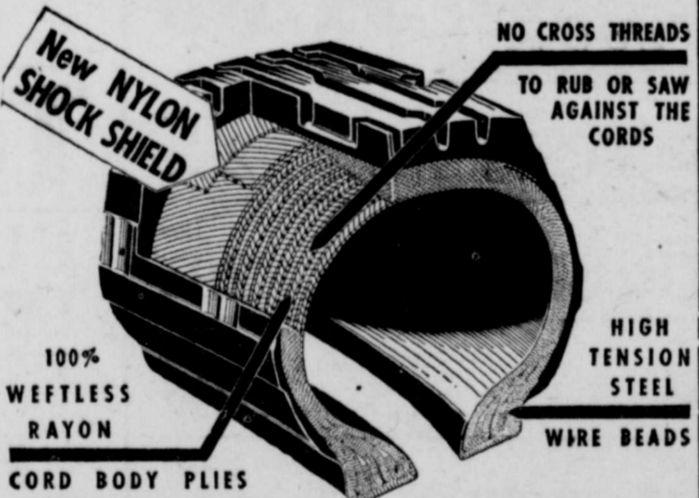
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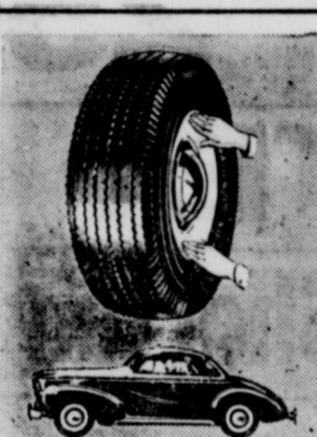
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### Texas Electric to Build New Lines To Oil Field Area

Construction of a 12-mile power line to provide additional electric power to the Sharon Ridge oil field in southern Scurry County and also to serve the new Coleman Ranch oil pool in northern Mitchell County, will be started soon by the Texas Electric Service Company, according to J. E. Blakey, manager at Snyder. The route of the line has been surveyed, and materials are being gathered.

The new power line will extend north from Westbrook and will make three-phase power service available to the two oil fields, and also to the community of Ira in Scurry County, which is now served by a single-phase line. The added power service will enable oil producers and others in the area to make full use of electric power for oil well pumping and other uses requiring heavy duty electric motors, Blakey said.

"This power line construction project adjacent to the Mitchell-Scurry County line will aid the development of the oil fields in this area," Blakey declared, by providing ample electricity for all oil field needs. Electric power has been an important factor in the development of the oil industry in West Texas, and has been available because of the network of power lines which bring to the cities and towns of this area the power output of several large steam-electric power plants.

"Texas Electric Service Company has just recently started construction on a new power plant in Ward County which will provide additional electric energy for use by the oil industry, cities and towns in this part of West Texas."

#### Didn't Bargain for Progress.

"Don't forget, nigger, dat you married me for better or wusser."  
"Dat's all right, brown baby, but how come you-all keeps gittin' wusser n' wusser?"



**PROVING GROUND** commands at Elgin Field, Florida, Sergeant Frank Darby has returned to duties at the Florida base after spending a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Frank Darby, his sisters and brother here.

### Sid Worrell Goes to Ford Tractor Session

Sid Worrell, owner of Scurry County Tractor Company, returned over the week-end from Dallas, where he attended a conference last week of Ford tractor dealers of Texas, at which the new Ford tractor was introduced.

The new Ford tractor, Worrell said on his return from Dallas, features automatic hydraulic control of equipment, a fourth forward speed to give a wider range of working speeds, a new drawbar height control mechanism, hinged radiator grille, seat that can be tilted back, a new combination running board and step-plates and automotive type steering gear.

#### Has It in Her Head.

"What does the bride think when she walks into the church?"  
"Aisle, altar, hymn."

### Sidelights From Washington

By George Mahon.

Congress is scheduled to adjourn on July 26, one week from the day this is being written. Legislative decisions are now being made rapidly. Tax reduction legislation was killed for the session when the Senate voted to sustain the president's veto on the second tax bill. Very likely in 1948 Congress will pass, and the president will approve, a more equitable tax bill than the one which Congressman Knutson has tried twice to enact into law this year.

It is now a foregone certainty that the Senate will approve the terminal leave bill for enlisted men which we passed in the House some time ago. This will mean that ex-service men can convert their terminal leave bonds to cash if they desire on or after September 2, 1947.

The presidential succession bill has now become the law. It provides that Speaker Joe Martin, a Republican, would become president in the event of the death or resignation of Mr. Truman. I was surprised to observe on the final roll call on the bill that I was one of only 11 members of the House voting against the measure. I feel that when the people elect a president of one political party for a four-year term that such party should remain in power under our system of government until the next presidential election. I agree that it would be all right for a Democratic speaker to succeed a Republican president, but not otherwise.

The so-called Stratton bill which would admit into the United States from Europe 400,000 displaced persons has been side-tracked for the session. I have all sympathy for the unfortunate peoples of foreign lands, but I have resisted action by Congress to admit these 400,000 immigrants. We have enough problems without admitting all these people, many of whom would be malcontents

### Garrett Seismograph Crew Moves to City

Garrett Exploration Company with headquarters at Dallas is the name of the newest seismograph concern to move to Snyder. Rooms and apartments for members of the seismograph crew were secured last week for personnel. The new exploration crew will be here for some time.

and trouble makers. We have fed them and protected them abroad, but we should not be required to share our homeland with them.

Final action on the agriculture appropriations bill will soon be taken. It now appears that substantially all AAA payments which were authorized for the 1947 crop year will be paid.

A few days ago we had our final meeting of the session of the Texas congressional delegation. Words of admiration and praise were spoken for the late Congressman Mansfield of the Galveston District, who passed away a short time ago. Judge Mansfield was one of the most amazing men I have ever known. Although he was 86 years of age at the time of his death, and had been confined to a wheel chair for about 20 years, he was remarkably effective as a legislator. Everybody liked him and trusted him. Prior to the last election he was chairman of one of the important committees of Congress and performed a great national service in that capacity. The judge was never heard to complain of his handicap and his ever cheerful disposition won him the title of the most beloved man in the House.

Congressman Ewing Thomson of the El Paso District is retiring from Congress next week to become federal judge in the western district of Texas. He is one of the top Texans in Washington and his influence will be greatly missed. Like the late Judge Mansfield he is one of the favorites of the Texas delegation.

This leaves Texas with 18 members of the House, but the two vacancies are to be filled in elections in the districts involved on August 23.

### Washington State Visitors Impressed By City's Hospitality

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Benjamin of Spokane, Washington, Saturday concluded a visit with their son, Rev. Dale J. Benjamin, pastor of the Snyder First Christian Church, and Mrs. Benjamin with some pleasant memories of their first visit to Texas.

Mr. Benjamin, who is a conductor for the Northern Pacific Railroad out of Spokane, and his wife arrived here the first part of last week.

The Washington state couple were honored guests last Thursday evening at a fellowship dinner tendered them at the First Christian Church. A group of 30 friends and neighbors gathered for the dinner, after which several talks were given and a number of songs interwoven at the informal affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin declared Saturday night they were "swept off their feet" by the hospitality of Snyder and West Texas people. Many friends of Rev. Dale Benjamin and his wife called at the parsonage last week to visit with the Spokane couple.

Garland Gannaway, former long-time Hermleigh community resident, now at Waco, California, is visiting his mother, Mrs. A. P. Gannaway, at Hermleigh, and other relatives and friends this week.

### Snyder General Hospital

Patients at Snyder General Hospital since last week's report in The Times have included the following: Medical Patients—Mrs. George T. Vicary of Hermleigh; Louis K. Matthews of Snyder; Mrs. R. C. Waters of Snyder; Mrs. E. C. Hargrove of Snyder; David Key of Snyder; H. P. Billingsley of Dunn; Ralph Odum Jr. of Snyder; Mrs. Ted Haney of Snyder; Hugh Franklin Bounds of Snyder; H. H. Robinson of Ranzer; Billie Mae Leatherwood of Snyder; Mrs. R. W. Burney of Snyder; Mrs. C. A. Smith of Fluvanna; Mrs. Della Edmonson of Snyder; and Mrs. Con Ezell of Snyder.

Dale Small of Wichita Falls was an accident patient at the hospital. Surgery Patients—Mrs. C. D. Burrow of Snyder; Mrs. Jay Rogers of Snyder; Morris Wayne Williamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Snyder.

Remaining Patients—Mrs. Betty Adams, Mrs. Elmer Taylor and Mrs. Maude Holcomb, all of Snyder.

#### Club Cafe Closes for Vacation.

The Club Cafe, located three blocks west of the square on the Gull highway, has closed until September 1. Mrs. Mary Bounds, operator, reports. The cafe headquarters was closed for 30 days to allow all cafe personnel to take a vacation from "around the clock" work.

### L. R. Chapmans Take Over at Dining Room

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Chapman, who came here from Albuquerque, New Mexico, this week took over the Manhattan Dining Room, which has been operated since February 1 by Bob Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman state the present dining room force will be kept. They will continue to serve family style meals and have an expert in the pastry department.

Mr. Copeland, who came here from Lubbock, will undergo a major operation at the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo. He will probably be hospitalized for a period of six months.

Sailor—"I see there's a rule here against tips."  
Waitress—"Bless your heart, apples were forbidden in the Garden of Eden, too!"

### Polk Assists at Camp For Negro Boy Scouts

Now underway with 30 Boy Scouts and leaders attending is the second annual Boy Scout Camp for Negro Scouts at Lake Sweetwater. Jim Polk of Snyder, Buffalo Trail Council field executive, is one of the camp advisors, a Sweetwater release reveals.

Helping Polk as advisor at the Sweetwater Boy Scout camp is H. D. Norris of Big Spring, assistant Scout executive.

The Boy Scouts attending this year's encampment double the number of Negro Boy Scouts who attended last year's initial conclave.

Bryants Visit in Kentucky. J. T. Bryant, Hermleigh Schools superintendent, Mrs. Bryant and their children are back from a vacation trip that took the group to Kentucky, where they attended two family reunions.

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**SPUDS** Fresh 10 Pound **43c** | **CARROTS** ...7½c Bunch

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**Peanut Butter** 2 lb. Jar **63¢**

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Doodle Dandy  
Jar .....15c

### Mrs. Lawler, 75, Buried Tuesday in Snyder Cemetery

Miss Virginia Lawler, 75, sister of Mrs. T. A. Lockhart of Snyder, died Tuesday at Seagraves following an illness of a month.

Born December 3, 1871, at Florence in Williamson County, Miss Lawler had made her home at Seagraves for the past seven years.

Funeral services for Miss Lawler were conducted Wednesday afternoon, 5:00 o'clock, at Odom Chapel, Rev. Earl Creswell, pastor of the North Side Baptist Church, officiated.

pallbearers were J. J. Connor, A. B. Connor, Wilborn Watson, O. B. Jackson, W. M. Riley and A. A. Lockhart.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Jesse Koonsman, Mrs. H. W. Boss, Mrs. Jim Norred and Mrs. Ross Riley.

Miss Lawler is survived by an only brother, Tom Lawler, of San Angelo; and three sisters, Mrs. T. A. Lockhart of Snyder, Mrs. M. E. Connor of Seagraves and Mrs. L. M. Watson of San Angelo.

Odom Funeral Home directed the arrangements, and Miss Lawler was laid to rest in Snyder Cemetery.

### Wren Quintet Back From Tour in East

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wren, Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Wren and daughter, Linda, returned over the week-end from a 4,500-mile trip that took the quintet to St. Louis, Missouri, Chicago, Illinois, Detroit, Michigan—where they visited the Ford Motor Company factory—Niagara Falls and back by way of Louisville, Kentucky.

At Louisville the group visited the 40-acre Avery Tractor Company factory. Members of the group reported an excellent vacation and a trip free of motoring worries.



**PREACHING** for the revival meeting that opened Sunday at the Snyder North Side Baptist Church is Dr. A. J. Kirkland of Corsicana. Morning services for the 15-day meeting begin at 10:00 o'clock and evening services at 8:00 o'clock. The public is invited to worship with the North Side congregation.

### Rev. McLeod Leads Revival at Hermleigh

Rev. William McLeod, pastor, began a 10-day revival meeting Sunday at the Hermleigh Central Baptist Church.

Rev. McLeod is conducting both morning and evening services for the meeting, to which the public is extended an invitation to attend.

Ralph Caffey, student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is directing song services for the Baptist revival.

### Baptist Revival Will Open Friday at Union

People of Union and neighboring communities are invited to attend the summer revival meeting that will open Friday evening at the Union Baptist Church.

Rev. U. W. Tatum of Sabinal will occupy the pulpit for the revival. Community leaders report that Rev. Cone Merritt, Union Baptist pastor, will direct song services for the revival.

### Letter Carriers from Region Attend State Mineral Wells Meet

Delegates E. E. Smith of Colorado City and J. S. Stewart of Sweetwater, representing the Southwest Texas Rural Letter Carriers Association of which Scurry is a part, were in Mineral Wells from Monday through Wednesday for the forty-third annual convention of the Texas Rural Letter Carriers Association.

Smith and Stewart were elected delegates to the state convlave recently in a meeting of the letter carriers organization held at Snyder.

Approximately 600 delegates and guests from all parts of Texas were in Mineral Wells for the three-day gathering.

Attention of rural carriers in Scurry and adjoining counties is called to the fact next quarterly meeting of the Rural Letter Carriers of Southwest Texas will be held at Hermleigh the first Saturday in October.

In conjunction with the Mineral Wells convlave Monday through Wednesday, the Ladies' Auxiliary held its annual meeting and business session.

### Rosenberg Will Visit Ex-Snyder Residents

Nathan Rosenbergs, veteran Snyder business man soon going to manage a Brownwood hotel, left Sunday morning on a trip that will take him to Las Vegas, Nevada, San Francisco and Los Angeles, California, and back to Brownwood in approximately three weeks.

In Santa Fe, New Mexico, Nathan will visit with three former Snyder boys, Lon B. Favers, Buck Stacy and Fritz R. Smith Jr. At Las Vegas he will visit with Weldon Birdwell, another Snyder boy, Burt King, a brother of Mrs. Ed Deakins of Snyder, and other friends.

### Entries for Memphis Cotton Carnival Asked

Here is the opportunity you have been waiting for, Miss Scurry County, if you are a girl 16 years of age or over, unmarried, never been married and seeking national publicity.

Memphis, "Cotton's Home Town," will stage the First Annual West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival October 3 and 4.

A featured highlight will be the crowning of "Miss West Texas of 1947." She must be a resident of Scurry, Borden or some other West Texas county. Winner will receive a number of awards, including an all-expense paid vacation trip.

Scurry and other counties of this area will have, it is reported, entries and exhibits in the cotton, chemurgic and ceramics exposition.

### Kerby Back from Colorado

A. L. Kerby, Hermleigh Grade School principal, dan Mrs. Kerby are back from Boulder, Colorado, where they were on action. Kerby attended the University of Colorado at Boulder, working on his master's degree.

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### About FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. Nelson Dunn is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Robertson, at Texarkana.

Mrs. Cora Thaxton of Cherokee is making an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. T. R. Martin.

Mrs. J. K. Mitchell returned to Lamesa with Bill Mitchell Sunday afternoon to spend this week.

John W. Leftwich, who is attending Abilene Christian College, visited with his mother the past week-end.

Miss Elise Rogers of Nashville, Tennessee, is visiting for the summer in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sears are in Dallas to market. They plan to return to Snyder the latter part of week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Leverett of Bogota spent last Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Howell of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor over the week-end.

Mrs. W. C. Allen Jr. of Clovis, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes of Baird were Friday guests of the A. Vaughns.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Trousdale and son, Kenny, of Odessa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pitner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kincaid and Miss Nell Verna LeMond are in Dallas this week buying stock for the Ben Franklin Store.

Mrs. B. F. Wonnack is vacationing in Canada. Letters to friends say she is having a wonderful trip and is now in British Columbia.

Mrs. J. G. Patterson had as guests in her home the past week her nieces, Mrs. Mattie Carter of Abilene and Mrs. Lily Smith of Crowley.

LaVurne Arnett spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnett. She is attending Lubbock Beauty College at Lubbock.

Corporal Joe Reynolds, who has spent the last two weeks on furlough from San Antonio in the home of his mother, Mrs. Clyde Reynolds, will return to the base at San Antonio early next week.

Marilyn Davis of Vernon was a guest from last Tuesday through the week-end of Elree Masza, employee in the county superintendent's office. Miss Davis attended the eleventh annual Scurry County Poeco.

Mrs. W. U. Lindley had visiting her over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gibson of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Norwood and two children, Hershel and Wynells, of Burleson. Mrs. Gibson and Mr. Norwood are sister and brother of Mrs. Lindley.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. J. K. Mitchell during the week-end were James K. Mitchell and children, John K. and Mary Louise, of Wichita Falls, J. D. and Ila Bee Mitchell of Seminole and Billie and Ethel Lyon Mitchell of Lamesa. James K. Mitchell and family are moving this week to Pierre, South Dakota.

Visitors in the Ed Taylor home in the Canyon community the past week-end were Mr. and Mrs. John Lackey of Tularosa, New Mexico. Mrs. Lackey is a cousin of Mrs. Taylor. Other guests in the Taylor home were Bobby Taylor and Polly McCormick of Lamesa, nurses at the Price Hospital, and W. R. Kropp and daughter, Louise, of Lamesa. Mrs. Taylor visited a niece, Ms. Jim Wood, at Colorado City the past week.

### Legion Post Will Name Officers at Thursday Meet

Election of post officers for the ensuing year will occupy attention of the Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181, in a special called meeting this (Thursday) evening at 8:00 o'clock.

So states Forrest W. Beavers, post adjutant, who says candidates for Legion post officers are:

For Commander—John Lynch, Foy Wade, Charlie Noble, Howard Crenshaw and Elmer Taylor (present commander).

For Adjutant—James Stewart, Kenneth Pitner and Bunker Hill.

For Finance Officer—Marcel Josephson and Mutt Hanback (present finance officer).

For Vice Commander—Zay Curley and Douglas McGlavin.

For Chaplain—Ennis Floyd and T. A. Faver.

### Evangelist Speaks at Rotary Meet Today

A brief inspirational address by Rev. A. J. Kirkland, Corsicana Baptist evangelist who is holding a revival meeting here, will mark a highlight of the Snyder Rotary Club meeting today (Thursday), 12:10 o'clock, at the Manhattan Hotel.

R. A. Scovling, Snyder Rotary Club president, says a report on the recent district assembly will also be given at today's convlave.

### Singing School Set at Camp Springs July 28

Attention of people in eastern Scurry and western Fisher Counties is directed to the two-week singing school that will begin Monday evening, July 28, at the Camp Springs Methodist Church.

The Camp Springs singing school, which will be conducted from Monday through Friday night for two weeks, will be taught by Eddie Williams of Hobbs.

Steve Bavousett of Camp Springs, singing class leader, will have general charge of local arrangements for the school. Announcement on concert to conclude the school will be carried in The Times.

### Carnival Plays Week Under Vet Sponsors

Sponsored by the Snyder American Legion post and the Snyder Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, the Don Franklin Carnival opened a week-long engagement Monday evening at the city lot a block away from the square.

The Don Franklin Carnival is featuring all regular carnival attractions, ferris wheel and rides in a circular ring of facsimile airplanes. The carnival will run through Saturday night.

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### Formal Opening Of Bud Miller's Set for Week-end

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Miller announces the appointment of Douglas McGlaun, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McGlaun, as manager of the B. F. Goodrich thrifty budget plan, which is being put into effect immediately.

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MANAGER of the B. F. Goodrich thrifty budget plan at Bud Miller's Service is Douglas McGlaun, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McGlaun. Douglas has just finished a school conducted at Dallas by the B. F. Goodrich Company.

### First Group Day Results at Rodeo At Snyder Given

First group day results of Scurry County's eleventh annual rodeo, covering performances last Wednesday and Thursday nights, as announced by the rodeo association follow:

Saddle Bronc Riding—Ed Akridge of Beaver, Oklahoma, first; Doug Bloodworth and Don Sparks, tie for second and third places; Neal Collier, fourth; and Jerry Lawhorn, fifth.

Wild Cow Milking—Richard Parks of Snyder, first, with time of 15 seconds; Ray F. White, second, with time of 19 seconds; Ben Williams, third, with 19.3 seconds; Frank Young, fourth, with 20 seconds tally; Burl Belew of Fluvanna, Vernon Miller of Gall and Bill Herring tied for fifth place with time of 22 seconds.

Calf Roping—John Wallace of Clairmont, first, with 14.1 seconds, Carl Myers of Abilene, second, with 15 seconds; Ira Rice, Jimmy Bird of Post and "Shining" Sammy Baugh of Rotan tied for third, fourth and fifth places with tally of 15.1 seconds.

Junior Ribbon Roping—Horace Davis of Snyder, first, with 21.2 seconds; Jack Hill of Snyder second with 23 seconds; Roland Davis of Snyder, third, with 23.1 seconds; Ralph Miller of Fluvanna, fourth, with 24.1 seconds; and Martin Parks also of Snyder, fifth, with time of 25 seconds.

Senior Steer Riding—Neal Collier, first; Aubrey Jones of Robert Lee, second; J. R. Akridge of Beaver, Oklahoma, third; Eddie Akridge, also of Beaver, Oklahoma, fourth; and Glenn Toombs, fifth.

Junior Steer Riding—Horace Davis, first; Don McDonald, second; Ralph Miller of Fluvanna, third; Kenneth Wilson, fourth; and Bruce Cox, fifth.

Saddle Bronc Riding—Eddie Akridge of Beaver, Oklahoma, first; Doug Bloodworth and Don Sparks, tie for second and third; Neal Collier, fourth; and Jerry Lawhorn, fifth.

Cutting Horse Contest—Wilson Connell, first, with 205 points; Turner Forrest, second, with 201 points; Jesse Everett (riding Warsaw), third, with 195 points; and Rex Smith, fourth, with 179 points; Gene Johnson, fifth, with 178 points; A. R. Knight, sixth, with 171 points; Garrett Harrell, seventh, with 167 points; Short Blair, eighth, with 160 points; Earl Abercrombie, ninth, with 159 points; and Jesse Everett (riding Trusky), tenth, with 153 points.

### Little Disorder

Not a single rodeo customer in the "scalaboose!"

This was the record marked up with city and county officers, and in view of the thousands of persons here for Scurry County's eleventh annual rodeo, the Scurry County Rodeo Association is mighty proud of this compliment to the general sobriety of West Texas and New Mexico people.

Directors of the rodeo association wish to especially thank Sheriff Lloyd Merritt, Deputy Will Tate, Simon Best, Leamon Land, Clyde Thomas, Vernie Head and all other officers of the city police force for their fine cooperation in handling crowds and traffic for other courtesies extended during the eleventh boots and saddle roundup.

### 11 Snyder Scouts Sign for Summer Camp To Date

Through Tuesday 11 Snyder Boy Scouts declared their intention of attending the annual Boy Scout summer encampment of the Buffalo Trail Council, which will be held at Camp Louis Parr, 33 miles west of San Angelo from August 4 through August 18.

So announce Snyder District Boy Scout officials, who say Scurry County Scouts will assemble on the square's north side August 4 at 8:30 a. m.

Leighton (Doc) Griffin, officials said Tuesday night, is going to be Camp Scoutmaster for Scurry County's provisional troop Jimmy Merritt is hoping to go and chances are other Scurry County Scouters will attend. Jim Polk will be in camp.

Camp Louis Parr at Mertzon is a regular Boy Scout camp, well planned for program and sanitation. It is open to all registered Boy Scouts and senior Scouts of Scurry County. Scouts who plan to attend should tell their Scoutmaster of their intention and have the Scoutmaster contact Leighton Griffin at once.

Program, it is stated, will include opportunities for Boy Scouts to pass their swimming and life saving merit badge requirements; troop camping, nature hikes, bird study, archery, leathercraft, pioneering, rope work and woodcraft.

Boy Scouts who have already indicated their intentions of attending camp include: Snyder Boy Scout Troop No. 35—Don Bynum, Franklin Woods, Dan Purus and Don Boren.

Snyder Boy Scout Troop No. 38—Jay Fish, Eddie Frank Bayouth, John Jarrell and Wendell Autry.

Snyder Boy Scout Troop No. 36—Lowell Bynum, Lowell Bearden and Billy Henley.

### Dunn News

Mrs. Bana Clark, Correspondent

Mrs. Seth Bertram and daughter, Vonsel, who have been visiting her father, E. A. Worthington, returned to her home at Lubbock. Her father and niece, Opal Worthington, who have been visiting here, returned home with her.

Mrs. C. W. Hallmark and children of Mountair, New, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Echols.

Dorothy Geaslin of Baytown is visiting with Mrs. Bana Clark.

Almost everyone here attended the rodeo at Snyder last week-end.

Dale Grant had a tonsil operation last week.

Mrs. J. P. Billingsley had as her guests Corporal Don Billingsley of San Antonio, Jack Billingsley and son of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Muel Blasingame and daughter, Ann, of Buford, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Billingsley and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bolding and Jo Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Billingsley and Ted.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Durham had all their children at home over the week-end: Mrs. Eulene Koch, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smyrl and Billy Mark of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sheld Jr. and daughter, Jolene, of Snyder, and Mark and Billy Durham, who are at home. The gathering Sunday was a big surprise for the Durhams when relatives of both Mr. and Mrs. Durham gathered for the reunion. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Benson Durham and daughter Patsy, of Big Lake, Mrs. J. B. McReynolds of Midland, Mrs. Ruby Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Allen of Pyron, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Johnson and two children of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Weaver and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rose and two children of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hanson returned last Thursday to their home at Boise, Idaho after a visit with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hanson, and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson returned home with them.

The Baptist revival began Sunday with Rev. Willis Taylor of Big Lake doing the preaching and Rev. Stuard, the pastor leading the song services. Everyone is extended a welcome to attend the services.

### Commissioners Feted by Club Women

Members of the Scurry County Commissioners Court, the county judge and county agent were complimented last Monday at the noon hour when the Scurry County Home Demonstration Club entertained with its annual banquet.

Those honored at the dinner were F. C. Hairston, county judge; Commissioners T. B. Knight, Jones Chapman, Bernard Longbottom Sr. and Schley Adams; and County Agent Oscar Fowler.

Dinner menu consisted of fried chicken, gravy, potatoes, green beans, vegetable salad, hot rolls, angel food squares and iced tea.

Mrs. Theo Soules, council chairman, presided. Neida Jean Devers gave a talk on her 4-H Club activities.

Others attending besides those above mentioned were: Mmes. Raymond May, Leon Anders, M. R. Spears, Ross Huddleston and Estella Strayhorn, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. J. E. Derryberry, Sandra and Danny, returned Monday from a two-week visit with her son, Winfred, and daughter, Mrs. Rudy Brenner, and Mr. Berem at Texhoma, Oklahoma.

### Winners Named in 4-H Club Dress Revue

Saturday marked staging of the Scurry County girls' 4-H Club Dress Revue in the county home demonstration agent's office, with interest high in winners of the revue.

Winners, as announced after the modeling of dresses, follow:

Ann Boreland of Pyron, first for the age group 9 to 11; Wanda Sue Vandiver of Hemleigh, second; and Joan Bolding of Dunn, third.

In the 12 and 13-year group Ruth Eastman of Turner coped first place; Patsy Andrews of Pyron, second; and Belma Glass of Pyron, third.

In the bracket for those 14 years of age and over, Neida Jean Devers of Bethel placed first; Doris Casey of Hemleigh, second; and Mildred Montgomery of Fluvanna, third.

Judges in the dress revue were Mrs. Theo Soules of Pyron, council chairman; Mrs. C. R. Roberson, education chairman, and Mrs. Buford Light.

Neida Jean Devers wore a light wool suit which she will model in the State Dress Revue at College Station September 4 and 5. Two other girls will be selected to go—two girls who have made good leaders and have turned in outstanding work.

### Transfer of Students Must Be Made Soon

Forrest W. Beavers, Scurry County school superintendent, reminds rural families that August 1 is the deadline for making transfer of scholastics.

Students within the borders of Scurry County, and living in districts in which their grades are not taught; must transfer this month to schools they expect to attend, it is stated.

Parents of students are urged to call by the county superintendent's office at their earliest convenience and effect the transfers.

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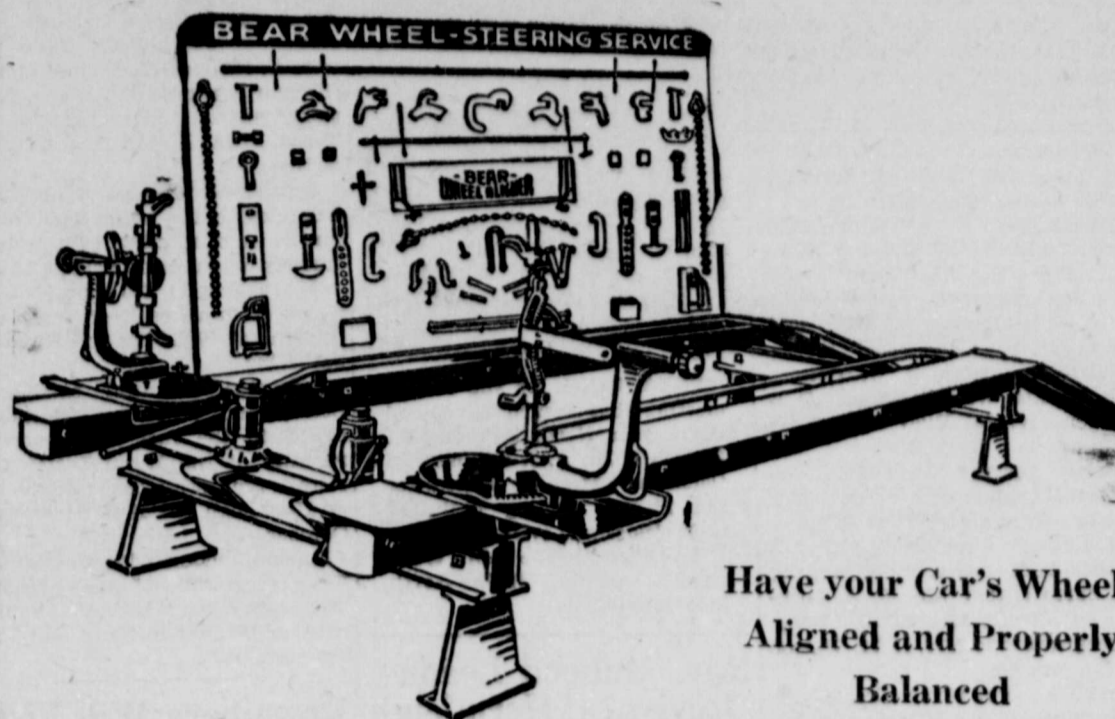
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Dermott News

Johnnie Maples, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Pedigo of Snyder visited Monday night with A. N. Edmonson.

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Thursday, July 24—
'THE RAZOR'S EDGE'
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'THE DEVIL THUMBS A RIDE'
with Lawrence Tierney and Ted North.
Sunday and Monday, July 27-28—

'FUN ON A WEEK-END'
with Eddie Bracken and Priscilla Lane. News and Novelty.

'LITTLE MISS BROADWAY'
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'SONG OF THE SOUTH'
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'LAW OF THE LASH'
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Wednesday and Thursday, July 30-31—

'HOOSIER SCHOOL BOY'
and
'TOO MANY WINNERS'
with Hugh Beaumont.

IRA COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Smith and son, Gerald, of Midland spent Saturday night in the B. F. Eades home.

Our community was well represented at the rodeo at Snyder last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Wood and children, Sharon, Callie and Weldon, of Andrews spent part of last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Catlie.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Carnes and small daughter and Leonard Carnes, all of Houston, and Billy Jack Carnes of Dallas returned to their homes after attending the rodeo and visiting Mrs. E. A. Kruse.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burney and sons of Dora, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wihstert part of last week and attended the rodeo at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Johnson and children and Mrs. B. B. Johnson, all of Pylon, and Mrs. J. B. McReynolds of Midland attended church here Wednesday. Rev. J. B. McReynolds and Rev. William McKinley accompanied them home and spent the night.

Mrs. H. E. West and children, Patsy, Peggy, Kinney and Eddie, left Wednesday last week for a visit to points in New Mexico.

Mrs. Edgar Eades honored her little granddaughter, Sherry Lynn Langford, on her first birthday with a birthday cake with one candle and all the trimmings.

Visiting Sara Kruse last week-end were J. R. Townsend, C. L. Studfield and George Ricks of Kermit, Shirley June Kruse returned home with them after a week's visit with Sara.

Mayme Giddens visited Mrs. Edmonson in the Snyder General Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hays Jr. of Tahoka visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Falls Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Smith and son, Gerald, of Midland were guests at the noon hour Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Aigle Brooks.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Brooks on the arrival of a baby boy last week. Mr. Brooks is formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hyatt and children of Kermit spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kysat.

Mrs. R. L. Jones returned Monday after spending last week with her son, Virgil Jones, at Lamesa. The Virgil Joneses are entertaining a new baby girl.

Mrs. Mattie Minor of Tyler arrived Thursday afternoon for an extended visit with her children, the James and Edwin Minors and Mrs. Autry Eubanks. Billie Minor returned with her after a five-week visit at Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Keller and son of Snyder attended church here Sunday and were guests at the noon hour of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Eades.

The Church of Christ meeting will begin Friday night, July 25, with

Rev. J. F. Lilly of Dexter, New Mexico, doing the preaching. The public is invited to attend the services.

Mrs. Luna Holladay and daughter, Doris, returned Monday after a two-week visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Howard Franks, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Maupin and children of Kilbuck spent part of last week with his brother, I. O. Maupin, and family. They were en route to Carlsbad and other points in New Mexico. Eugene Maupin made the trip with them.

H. J. Farmer of California was visiting in our community Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Giddens visited Mrs. Frank Brooks and Mrs. Weldon Brooks at Snyder Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryce of Sweetwater visited last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bryce.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis House and Mrs. C. L. Streety and small son of Fairview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wiggins of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Catlie.

Mack Kruse of Snyder and Bub Kruse of Odessa spent Sunday in the Amil Kruse home.

The Church of God revival will begin August 22 with Rev. Harley Smith doing the preaching. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nail and children of Galveston were visiting his uncle H. K. Johnson, Thursday.

Rev. Harley Smith and wife left Tuesday morning for Eastland to attend a camp meeting.

Mrs. G. L. Autry and Jettie Waldrip of Snyder visited two nights and days with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth Smallwood and children, Genelda and J. B., of Fort Worth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smallwood. J. B. remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gullett and son, Wayne, left Saturday to spend their vacation at points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McReynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie of Midland visited Rev. William McReynolds in the H. K. Johnson home Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Smith of Midland were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades.



GOOD NEWS for farmers of Scurry and Borden Counties is contained in the announcement that the new Ford tractor, which will soon be available at Scurry County Tractor Company, is now rolling off the production lines. Features include an improved hydraulic system for implement control and four forward speeds.

Midway News

Mrs. Marvina Snowden, Correspondent
Mrs. Martin Reed returned home Friday from Lubbock. She had been visiting a brother, Lewis Berry, who has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Yarbrough visited relatives at Rule and Port Worth last week.

Mrs. Odell Faulkner and children of Waco returned home last Thursday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Guinn.

Visiting in the Fred Crum home the past week were Dock Harris of Beaumont, Mrs. Bessie Lavender and Mrs. Arch Harbor, both of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Dock Harris of Houston and Mrs. Leland Howard of Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Teaff and children of Tahoka spent the past week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Higginbotham.

Jenny Lynn Casey spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. B. L. Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hardin and children of Hobbs spent Sunday in the G. A. Hudnall home.

Visiting in the P. E. Ware home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hack Templeton of Hobbs, Mrs. C. Garrett of Claytonville and Mr. and Mrs. Pharris of Lubbock, H. W. Hawkins and Mrs. Fred Foster and son of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ordon Benbenek of Olney spent Saturday night in the Clyde Garrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Scott visited at Rotan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Casey spent the week-end visiting relatives at Rotan.

Mrs. Ocie Vest and children of Hemphill visited Mrs. Clark Sturdivant Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sullivan and daughter, Laverne, made a trip to Childress Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Casey of Lubbock visited in the B. L. Garrison home Sunday night.

Congratulations to Wanda Weems and Richard Carney, who were married Sunday.

Oma and Scott Bavousett of Lubbock visited in the M. W. Bavousett home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Plant and son, Jack Jr., of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Reeves and boys of Ranger spent the past week in the Odie Stuard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Holt of Mobile, Alabama, spent Saturday night in the Marvin Snowden home.

the week-end with her parents at Richland Springs. Mrs. Lewis was ill and had to remain for a few days.

Fluvanna News

Mrs. Bolivar Browning, Cor.
Mr. and Mrs. Alton Milliken and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Benson Jr. went to Carlsbad, New Mexico, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Milliken went through the caverns while Mr. Milliken visited with friends in Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cox.

Mrs. H. H. Benson Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Benson Jr. and son of Dallas are here visiting the senior Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dowdy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mariner are visiting their son, Ralph Lindsey, at Turkey this week.

Curtis Boss and a friend from Brownfield were here visiting Mrs. Emma Browning and family. Curtis went through the New Guinea campaign in the recent war with Monty.

Joe Holder and family and Merle Sneed went to Blackwell on a business trip Wednesday and went on to Winters and visited with friends.

Roe Dene Boyd of Chilton is here visiting with his sister, Mrs. Will Thorne, and family.

G. R. Montgomery has gone to Tallahoma, Tennessee, to attend the funeral of his mother.

The A. M. Lindseys were at Ira visiting their son, Ralph Lindsey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Springfield of Bronte were here visiting friends and attending the rodeo at Snyder. They spent Friday night and Saturday in the A. A. Browning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vibe Patterson and Royce of Lovington, New Mexico, were here over the week-end visiting Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dowdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Craig of Snyder spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Craig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brownings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fulford and Victor carried Mrs. Fulford's brother to Robert Lee Sunday and visited with another brother, Wesley Kinsey, while there. Little Miss Joydell Kinsey returned home with the Fulfords for a visit.

Lay and Ezra Fulford went to Dallas Tuesday to bring home their mother.

Visiting in the Dyess home recently were Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dyess and children of Spur, Mrs. Carl Newberry and daughter of Enid, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos White of Richmond, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pinkerton and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dyess and children of Wilmett, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tisdale and daughter of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dyess and daughter of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Eckert spent Sunday with relatives at Roscoe. Elmer, Charlie and Mattie Eckert went to Robert Lee Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Jones and Janie Lynn Mahon and Max Wright at the First Baptist Church in Loringe last Wednesday evening. Janie Sue was one of the bridesmaids, and helped serve the wedding cake at the reception in the Mahon home following the ceremony.

Patsy Womack of Anson was a week-end guest of Janie Sue Jones. While here she attended the rodeo at Snyder.

Janie Sue Jones is spending a few days with friends at Jal, New Mexico.

Myrlene Green is visiting with his brother, Delbert Green, and family. Visitors in the Eckert home last week were W. P. Brown of Miles and Frank Eckert of Miles. Frank Eckert is the father of Miles Eckert.

Ennis Creek

Mrs. Allen Davis, Correspondent
Visitors in the Dock Stringer home recently were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Calliell and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams and children, June and William, of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. DeHay and daughter, Barbara, and Mrs. Eola DeHay of Flainview, E. S. Stringer, Mrs. Julia Nixon and daughter, Reba, of Snyder.

R. M. Brown and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown of Lubbock spent Saturday night in the Noah Brown home, and Sunday they all went to McKinney State Park at Lubbock for the annual reunion of the Brown families.

Visiting the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nobles and children were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bynum and son, Junior, of Borger, Mrs. Zeta Taylor and daughter, Shannon, of Raton, New Mexico Mrs. Ennis Deaton and son, Bobby, of Sulist, California, and Mrs. Dixie Bynum and son, Billy, of Hermosa Beach, California.

Joyce Cleavenger of O's Chalk spent part of last week with Marjell Wilson.

Hearts of the people of this community were made sad last Thursday night when the death angel called for Oscar Davis at his home in Snyder. Our deepest sympathy goes to the bereaved. Mr. Davis has many friends and relatives in this community who mourn his passing.

Visitors in the T. C. Davis home included Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hart of Sempbro's, Mrs. Alfred Roggenstein and girls of Odessa, Jeff Davis and Jack Davis of Fort Worth, and Mr. Paiker of Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shuler, Mr. and Mrs. George Brumley and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley and daughter, Velma Lou, spent part of last week visiting relatives and friends in New Mexico.

Flies which feed on sugar alone never lay eggs.

Turner News

Mrs. Bart Branson, Correspondent
Mrs. Alvie Mitchell visited Mrs. Bart Branson Monday afternoon.

Attending the birthday party given in honor of Carolyn Branson on her eleventh birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eastman and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Jack Ramsey and children, Patsy and Donald, Mrs. Audrey Head and children, Don Kay, Audreylene, Janet and Morris, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Layne and children, Billy and Jimmy, of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Myers and sons, W. D. and J. T., Barbara and Hermal Clements of Canyon, Eva Zay and Virginia Arnold of Union, Nancy Jane Bentley of Union, Margaret Bata McPhenny of Union, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Langford and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Al Williamson and children, Kenneth Ray, Tim and Barbara. Eleven candles adorned the cake. Punch and cookies were served. The children played games. Many nice gifts were received by the honoree.

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Big Sulphur News

Chara Mae Lewis, Correspondent
Dinner guests in the T. O. Leech home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. William McLeod of Abilene, Bro. Caffey, also of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Leech of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller and children of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burk.

Dinner guests in the J. H. Henley home Sunday included their two sons, Jesse Henley, who is stationed in the state of Colorado; Hubert Henley of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Adams and children of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Henley and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Henley and daughters of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henley of Lubbock, Mrs. Martha Lou Henley of Snyder and J. H., Orela and Harvey Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Leech attended a prayer meeting in the Raymond May home at Pylon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis spent Sunday afternoon in the Bishop Vineyard home.

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### J. G. Reeds Feted On 54th Wedding Annual Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reed, long-time residents of the Hermleigh community, celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary with a dinner Sunday at the Reed home two miles north of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed were married July 20, 1893, at Rising Star. She was Cora Leona Holman before her marriage. The couple has a daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Williams of Plainview community, 13 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Old-timers of the county recall Mr. and Mrs. Reed moved to the Hermleigh community in October of 1908, where he engaged in farming until two years ago. Mr. Reed, well known in this area, is nearing his seventy-ninth birthday.

A number of lovely gifts were presented to the honored couple by friends and relatives who called. Those present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Williams and son, Roscoe Jr., of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Faren and daughter, Judy, of McCamey; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coppedge of Ore City; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mynard of Monahans; Miss Lora Williams of Reese, Minnie Lee and Faxon Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Williams and four children and Lem Holman, all of Hermleigh.

Callers in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Cody Caffey and two daughters of Panama, California, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caffey of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Wint Williams and son, Mike, also of Snyder.



EVANGELIST Mardell Lynch of Sweetwater will preach for the gospel meeting of the Snyder Church of Christ, Avenue O at 24th Street, which will open Wednesday, July 30. The revival will continue through August 10, church officials report.

### Farner Man Leading In Nazarene Revival

Attention of Snyder church attendants is called to the revival meeting for the Nazarene Church of the Nazarene, which will get underway Monday evening, 8:00 o'clock, at the local church.

Rev. Howard Smith of Farner will conduct preaching services for the meeting, which will run for five weeks.

Services at the Church of the Nazarene, located just northeast of Snyder Schools on 26th Street, will be held each evening at 8:00 o'clock, reports Rev. H. M. Harlow, local Nazarene pastor.

### Dermott Revival Opens Wednesday By Leslie Kelley

Dermott community leaders are announcing this week that the annual revival meeting of the Baptist Church will begin next Wednesday evening, July 30, at 7:15 o'clock. Services will be conducted twice daily through Sunday, August 10. Morning services will be at 10:00 o'clock each morning, from Sunday through Friday, and evening services at 8:15 o'clock.

Rev. Leslie Kelley, pastor of this church, will bring the sermons for the revival. Some of the sermon topics announced for evening services include: "Silent Christians" (II Kings 7:9); "Almost Persuaded" (Acts 26:28); "Thou Art the Man" (II Samuel 12:7); "Questions About Heaven" (John 14:1-6); and "The Last Opportunity" (Acts 24:25). A series of sermons on "Great Doctrines of the Bible" will be brought at the week-day morning services.

Singing for the services will be led by Burton Moore, with Mrs. Burton Moore, at the piano. New song books have been ordered for the revival services. Special musical numbers are being arranged for several of the evening services.

A special feature of the meeting will be a meeting of a children's organization each evening prior to the preaching services. A children's choir will be formed and will sing at the evening services.

Community and church leaders urge that everyone in the Dermott area attend the services.

### RODEO

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J. H. Rollins, Jimmy Beck, Jake McClammy, Rex Mills, Don, Horace Davis, all of Snyder, and Don McDonald of Ft. Worth.

First place in junior ribbon roping went to Martin Parks, 31 seconds.

Five contestants made successful saddle bronc rides. They were Bob Brown, Joe Bloodworth, Fred Simon, Aubrey Jones and Dale Small.

Only rodeo accident of a major nature occurred when Dale Small attempted to dismount, after completing his ride. He broke his right arm. A purse was taken up for Dale, with \$183 obtained for the unfortunate cowboy.

Pete Yanney of Wichita Falls, Jerry Lawhorn, Alfred and Aubrey Jones of Robert Lee completed rides in senior steer riding. Dub Evelett and his Lamplighters furnished music each night for rodeo events until the rodeo dances started on the new pavilion erected at the rodeo grounds.

Unusual feature of this year's rodeo was woven around the fact the jail did not get to "board" a single customer. Attendees say the crowds that jammed Snyder were the most orderly they could remember.

E. O. (Red) Wedgeworth of Pampa turned in a fine performance as rodeo announcer. PA system was furnished by the Chamber of Commerce and the U. S. Army Recruiting Service.

For first and second group day results, and winning of Sadie Smith of O'Donell as district sponsor queen, see stories elsewhere in this week's Times. Wanda Koonsman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koonsman, set the pattern nightly for sponsors. Henry Rosenberg, who has directed sponsor contest since inception of the rodeo, turned in a good performance in directing this event.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars and Ladies' Auxiliary helped in street parade each evening and furnished a PA system for detailed announcements. A considerable number of floats were entered in the parade each evening, for which the rodeo association expresses warm thanks.

Jim York of Gail and Jack Dennis were time keepers. Bob Collins of G. H. Rip Elkins of Dermott and J. E. Boatwright of Colorado City and Bob Collins were official judges.

Rodeo association, responsible for the outstanding roundup, has as officers: Jesse Koonsman, president; Richard Parks, vice president; Bill Riley, arena director; Henry Rosenberg, manager sponsors; O. D. McClammy, secretary treasurer; and Koonsman, Parks, Riley, George Parks, Hugh Taylor, O. D. McClammy and Turner Forrest, directors.

Melvin Newton directed concessions; J. O. Stinson, merchant prizes; Hugh Taylor, Alvin Koonsman and Bushy Hedges, title street parades.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gill and children of Lubbock spent Saturday and Sunday of last week with Mrs. Gill's mother, Mrs. Mabel Y. German.



THE WORLD FAMOUS Cowboy Band of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, states Marion B. McClure, above, conductor, will be on hand August 6 through August 9 at the Top of Texas Rodeo and Horse Show at Pampa. E. O. (Red) Wedgeworth, who announced the Scurry County Rodeo that closed Saturday night, says performances at the Top of Texas Rodeo will be held at night. A number of Scurry County people plan to attend.

### Club Women of County Net \$25 at Exhibit and Sale

A display of 60 jars of food of all kinds marked a highlight of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council exhibit and sale that was held Saturday afternoon.

Included in the exhibit of canned goods were fruits, vegetables, jams and jellies and canned chicken. Also in the food line were fresh black-eyed peas, corn, okra, eggs, angel food cake and chocolate pie. Displayed at the exhibit and sale were crocheted pot holders, dresser scarfs, tea towels, luncheon cloths, aprons and printed feed sacks.

After members of the council bought things they wanted, they moved the rest out on the courthouse lawn and sold to the general public. At the end of the sale announcement was made that \$25.22 had been raised for the council.

At the business session the chairman of the education committee urges each club woman to review the new reading list and turn in her name and the names of the books she had read.

Recreation chairman reminds all members that Tuesday, July 29, is the date of the county-wide encampment, notice of which is carried elsewhere in this issue of the Times. Also announcement was made of the Tuesday-Wednesday 4-H Club girls' encampment at Pyron School.

Nine clubs were represented Saturday afternoon at the council exhibit and sale; 28 members and one out-of-town visitor.

### Corsicana Preacher Says Sorrows of Life Are in God's Plan

"How often we find ourselves trying to beat adversity and trouble, when the Bible teaches that our joys can be interwoven with troubles and trials," Rev. A. J. Kirkland, Baptist evangelist of Corsicana, told Snyder Lions Tuesday noon at their luncheon in the Manhattan Hotel.

"God many times uses sorrows, trials and difficulties to make us realize that He is supreme," Dr. Kirkland declared. "Yet God constitutes us so we may enjoy living despite our troubles—enjoy living through laughter and spreading good cheer. Sorrows many times makes us stronger," Dr. Kirkland concluded.

Club guests included Dr. Kirkland, who is conducting a revival meeting in North Snyder; Purris F. Williams, new Snyder High School principal from Friona; and Raymond Williams, new Snyder Burton-Lingo Lumber Company manager.

Raymond Williams was elected to club membership. Purris Williams, it was announced, will be transferred from the Friona Lions Club here.

Browns Back from Arkansas. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brown, operators of a local tourist court, returned over the week-end from a two-week vacation trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas. Mr. and Mrs. Brown took the famed baths at Hot Springs for 10 days. They say they are plenty happy to be back in Snyder, and both say they are feeling much better.

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### Formal Opening Of B. & B Food Market Planned

Noel L. Banks, a familiar figure in grocery stores in Snyder for several years, and his brother, W. A. (Bill) Banks, formerly of Baird, are celebrating their purchase of Browning Food Market with a formal opening of the firm this week-end that will be carried as B. & B. Food Market.

Since Noel and his brother purchased Browning Food Market at 2212 Avenue S, they have rearranged and restocked the store. Ellis Browning, former owner, has been operating an ice plant at Hubbard this summer.

Noel and Bill invite the public to visit B. & B., which features ample parking facilities. Other personnel of B. & B. Food Market includes:

E. L. Hall, who is in charge of the sanitary meat market, Hall has had 15 years' experience in West Texas.

L. A. Crenshaw, well known Snyder boy and World War II veteran, is a checker; as is Otis Firestone, who is new in Snyder.

Two package boys ready to serve the public are Grant (Speedy) Teaff and Eugene (Smockey) Matthews.

### Vets Urged to Cash Checks for Allowance

Veterans in Scurry and Borden Counties are advised that all uncashed readjustment allowance pay checks, outstanding for six months or more, will be cancelled on August 1.

So state M. R. Kelly of Dallas, district director of the Texas Employment Commission, estimates that more than 2,000 checks outstanding throughout this area and Texas will be affected by the order. He advises all ex-service men in the Snyder area who hold such warrants to cash them immediately.

Checks, it is stated, for both unemployment and self employment will be affected.

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## State Tax Rate Set at All-Time High of 72c

Gloucester, Mass., July 21.—I am down here to my old home town which has been tied up by strikes of the fish handlers. Everyone has been arguing about the rights and responsibilities of the other fellow. Discussion usually leads to a fair conclusion; but I hate to see people get mad, especially while engaged in a great celebration of St. Peter and Christ's teachings that love for one another is the only answer.

This strike, like others, has included a demand for more money. There are various ways to get more money, namely through hourly pay increases, paid vacations, paid holidays, more overtime pay, etc. In my talks with strikers everywhere, however, I find that the basic struggle now is over the question whether the union or the owners are to run the business. The strikers take me around to the stores, and show me the increased retail prices and I cannot help being sympathetic with them for wanting more money. Besides, these people, as a rule, have several to feed and clothe; while we and other stockholders usually have only small families. But when it comes to letting them dictate the business policies, I am for the owners.

The employers 10 years ago paid these fish handlers 60 cents per hour. Now they are perfectly willing to pay practically double this or \$1.15 per hour; but they cannot afford to pay \$1.30 per hour. In many instances, two or three members of the family are working which gives an excellent family income to the fish handlers. The employers insist, and I am sure they are right, that if further pay raises are granted, the retail price of fish must be increased. As the retail price of fish since 1940 has already doubled in most stores, they question whether people will eat so much fish if prices are further increased. We all know that when the barbers raise the price of hair cuts, their customers go a few days longer between hair cuts and the barbers are no better off in the end.

There are two large fish unions here. One is made up of the fishermen who go on the high seas and catch the fish. They do not receive ordinary wages, but rather a share of the catch. Conditions vary with different ports, but usually about 40 per cent of the catch goes to the vessel owners and about 60 per cent is divided among the crew and skipper, with a special extra bonus to the skipper which bonus comes out of the owners. Some expenses are paid by the crew and other expenses by the owners. Thus, the fishermen really are on a "piecework" basis. Moreover, it is hard work and they are subject to 24-hour catch. When fish comes to the wharf, it is sold through public auction so as to be fair to both the fishermen and the boat owners. After it has been purchased, the vessel delivers it to the firm which is to cut off the heads, skin it and fillet it. This work is done by the fish handlers, the ones who have been on a strike. They stand in long rows by benches and the fish come to them on belts. They work very quickly and with much care so as to get out all the bones. They prepare it for market.

**What Consumers Want**

From letters coming to me from all parts of the country, it is evident that consumers want fish; also that if the price should be reduced, they would buy much more fish. Hence, they wish the fish handlers would agree to piecework and be willing to be paid according to what they produce as are the fishermen who catch the fish. The slow workers might then get only 85 cents per hour; while the fast workers might get \$1.50 an hour. This would be fair to all people and especially to the consumers, who read this column.

Every wage worker should remember that if his group alone could raise wages with only the price of his product going up, this would be fine. But the workers in all other groups are sure to follow causing the prices of everything to go up more and none would be better off in the end. Hence, we must finally choose between piecework on a fair basis or else wait for depression and unemployment to bring us to our senses. I see no halfway answer. Only as we all unite to increase production and lower prices will we have more in food, clothing and shelter. This applies to every industry and every city.

### Farmers Urged To Eye Future in Conservative Way

Some of the experts are advising farmers of Scurry, Borden, Fisher and nearby counties to regard the immediate future very conservatively.

Position a farmer can take, they declare, is to assume this period of good crops, advancing prices and large profits is about at an end; that a recession is coming and make adjustments accordingly.

Dean William I. Myers and Professor Frank A. Pearson of the College of Agriculture at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, recommend that farmers begin to "tighten up" their belts now to avoid greater disappointments later.

Although a farmer in Scurry or Fisher County can't shut up shop and throw himself out of work, Dean Myers and Professor Pearson suggest that certain things can be done to prevent a large drop in income.

"Each farmer of Scurry County, for instance, should maintain production while increasing his efficiency and reducing cash costs. This calls for more potatoes per acre, more milk per cow, more eggs per hen and more farm products with less labor.

"When farm prices decline, labor becomes more important as a farm cost. This is a poor time to depend on inefficient hired labor.

"Farmers would do well to leave poorer marginal land in hay or pasture or leave it idle and reduce the production of low paying crops.

"Fertilizers should be used freely as long as they are cheap in terms of farm products—as is now the case. If prices fall too much relative to fertilizer and farm labor, farmers may have to mine the soil for a year or two," the experts conclude.



### Oscar Davis, in County 50 Years, Passes Thursday

Oscar Davis, 77-year-old Scurry County farmer who had made this county his home for 50 years, succumbed last Thursday evening, 9:00 o'clock, at his home in Southwest Snyder following an illness of eight and a half hours.

Born February 24, 1870, in Georgia, Mr. Davis had been a member of the Baptist Church for many years. He had been in failing health the past several weeks.

Funeral services for Mr. Davis were held Saturday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at the Snyder First Baptist Church.

Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist Church of San Angelo, assisted by Rev. L. B. Edwards, former county Baptist minister now at Plainview, officiated.

pallbearers were Earl Davis, Raymond Davis, Henry Hart, Leslie Cely and Ben Davis.

Vera Nell Hart, Lubille King, Mrs. H. C. Michael, Mrs. Jeff Davis, Mrs. Earl Horton and J. C. Williamson were in charge of floral offerings.

The veteran county farmer is survived by the widow, Mrs. Cora J. Davis; seven children, Roy Davis of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mrs. W. H. Russ of Clovis, New Mexico, Mrs. W. E. Griffith of Hamilton, Mattie Pearl Kemp of Snyder, J. R. Davis of Lubbock, C. B. Davis of Pecos and Ruth Davis of Snyder; three brothers, T. Cornelius Davis of Rotan, H. L. (Liv) Davis, former Snyder business man now at Rotan and Jeff Davis of Fort Worth; and two sisters, Mrs. Cora Hart of Snyder and Mrs. T. J. Shaw of Morton.

Funeral home directed the arrangements, and Mr. Davis was laid to rest in Snyder Cemetery.



A 91-POUND CATFISH is exhibited by Paul Minnis, left, of Lamesa and his son-in-law, Hugh Lytle, who caught the doggy catfish in the Pecos River. The fish was landed on a throw line set by the pair in the river south of Pecos.

### Maximum Under Law Assessed to Cover Spending

Scurry Countians will receive a "sock" in the old pocketbook now when they go to pay state taxes.

"Sock" for property owners in Scurry and other counties of the state was contained, in fact, in action Monday by the State Automatic Tax Board at Austin in setting a property tax rate of 72 cents on the \$100 valuation—maximum permitted under the constitution and statutes.

In 1946 the state property tax rate was 37 cents per \$100 property valuation—the lowest since 1912.

Since Scurry County has property valuations of \$6,250,000, Scurry Countians next year, as a result of the increase, will pay out \$23,125 more in state taxes.

The Scurry County tax assessor-collector's office and others over Texas received news of the state tax board action Tuesday.

If you, for instance, paid \$7.40 in state property taxes on your home-stead last year, this year you will fork over \$14.40. That little calculation is based on the assumption that your homestead was state tax valued at \$5,000 and that you claimed your \$3,000 exemption.

It reduces to simple terms what the State Automatic Tax Board at Austin did this week in hiking the state rate to the maximum provided under the constitution.

Last year, it will be remembered, the board levied no property tax for general fund purposes because there was a substantial surplus in the general fund.

But Monday, an Austin dispatch reveals, the board had no choice in raising the rate because the Legislature had wiped out the surplus, appropriated or allocated for the public schools virtually every dollar of anticipated revenue and passed no new tax bill.

The board is made up of Governor Beauford H. Jester, George H. Sheppard, state comptroller, and Jesse James, state treasurer.

It is understood the board set the property tax rate for general revenue purposes at 35 cents on the \$100 property valuations; that for the available school fund and 35 cents, and that for confederate pensions at two cents. The latter is set by statute.

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BETWEEN GAMES of a semi-professional baseball tournament at Ditch Field, Austin, Governor Beauford Jester, right, presents a plaque to William J. "Uncle Billy" Ditch, one of the best known and best loved names in college baseball. Presentation was part of the celebration of Ditch Day, proclaimed by the governor in honor of the 73-year-old Ditch, who has been baseball coach at the University of Texas since 1911.

### Countians Entered in Rodeo at Big Spring

A number of Scurry and Borden County contestants are already tallied for the August 6-8 Big Spring Cowboy Reunion, and people from both counties will be in Big Spring by the dozens, word from Big Spring rodeo officials reveals.

The fourteenth annual Big Spring Rodeo will be produced by Earl and Jack Sellers of Del Rio, who within the past three weeks have established all-time rodeo attendance records at San Saba, Kerrville, Pecos and Coleman.

Big Spring reunion officials are Tom J. Good, president; C. W. Creighton, first vice president; Marion Edwards, second vice president; Ira Driver, secretary; R. V. Middleton, E. T. O'Daniel and Harry Lees, directors.

### Money in Circulation Shows Drop in Nation

Money in circulation in the Snyder trade area and elsewhere over the country, one of several rough gauges of inflationary trends, dropped \$3.62 per person between June 30, 1946, and July 1 of this year, reports the U. S. treasury.

At the end of June last year, for example, the per capita cash holding was an even \$200. By this July 1 it was \$196.38.

Per capita holdings over the country, it is stated, declined 11 cents from the end of May to June 1 because the population grew 237,000 in that month from 143,829,000 to 144,066,000, the treasury states.

Be not discouraged at broken and spilled resolutions; but to it and to it again!—Coleridge.

### Bob Watson Takes Air ROTC Training

Bob Watson of Snyder has completed the fourth week of his training at the Air ROTC Summer Camp, Randolph Field, San Antonio, local friends learned this week.

Young Watson, a veteran of World War II, was in enlisted service three years. He holds the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with two clusters and the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with five battle stars.

Watson is attending summer camp at Randolph Field between sessions at Texas Tech College, Lubbock, where he is majoring in journalism. He has had individual training in chemical warfare and is qualified with the carbine.

Silence never shows itself to so great an advantage as when it is made the reply to calumny and demagoguery.—Addison.

### Camp Springs Church Site for Get-Together

A community-wide chicken fry, with coffee and tea made in wash pots, marked the high tide mark of the social hour for the singing held last Tuesday evening at the Camp Springs Methodist Church.

Steve Boussett of Camp Springs directed community singing, which featured class songs directed by community leaders, Jack and James Allen Patrick, Rev. Earl Creswell of Snyder, Roy Williams of Roscoe and others. The Creswell trio gave several special songs during the songfest.

**Getting Personal**

The farmer whose pig was killed by an automobile was cussing and raving wildly.

"Don't worry," said the motorist, trying to pacify the bereaved owner. "I'll replace your pig."

"You can't," shouted the farmer. "you ain't fat enough."

### Social Security Tax Frozen at 1 Per Cent

Snyder business firms are advised that legislation freezing the Social Security tax for the next two years at the present rate of one per cent each on employees and employers has been sent back to the House of Representatives in Washington.

Measure freezing the tax at the present level was passed Wednesday by the Senate.

### Mechanization of Cotton Growing Themes Contab

W. J. Ely, Clemens von Roeder and some 500 other representatives of the cotton industry Friday ended the eighth annual Cotton Research Congress in Dallas with discussions on cotton research.

Ely and von Roeder were accompanied to Dallas last Tuesday for the cotton conclave, which opened last Wednesday in the Baker Hotel.

Science and farm technology, Ely and von Roeder report, were cited as the key to future economic well being of the agricultural South. Dr. Frank J. Welch, dean of the school of agriculture for Mississippi State College, stressed science and farm technology in his address Friday.

Southern agriculture is now in a transition period, stated Welch.

"Shifts are being made from mule and hand operation to mechanization," Dr. Welch declared. "New enterprise combinations are emerging, sound land and soil conservation practices are receiving scientific consideration, and agricultural adjustments and new developments are being geared to the market outlets and industrial expansion."

Previous speakers, von Roeder says, emphasized the revolution from hand and animal labor to mechanization, and had stressed the importance of research in finding new uses for cotton and reliance upon the scientific approach to all phases of the agricultural industry.

### Twilla Jackson to Be Entry in Amateur Show at Big Spring

With two first places already in her crown, winsome Twilla Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jackson of Hermleight, will be a top entry Friday evening at the amateur hour staged at Big Spring.

So states Jimmy Green, Big Spring Chamber of Commerce manager, who reports the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce invited Twilla to participate on Friday evening's program.

Twilla not only copped first place honors at the Talent Show staged at Snyder School some time back but placed first on the Amateur Hour given recently at Ruddick Park in Colorado City.

Friday evening's program at Big Spring will be staged with the joint cooperation of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce. An unusually fine array of talent will appear on the program, including songs, tap dancing and novelty acts.

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<b>PEAS</b> Mile High, Two Cans <b>25¢</b>	<b>Lettuce</b> Firm Heads <b>9¢</b>
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<b>Meats PURE DELICIOUS MEALS</b>	<b>TEXAS FINEST GLADIOLA FLOUR</b> 25 Lb. <b>\$1.79</b>
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<b>Beef</b> Fresh Ground, Pound <b>29¢</b>	
<b>Cheese</b> Longhorn, Pound <b>43¢</b>	

### Upped Acreages In State Crops to Increase Yields

While Scurry County cotton acreage for 1947 is only a little above 60,000 acres, tremendous increases in acreage and prospective production of cotton and wheat, sharp cuts in corn, oats and all sorghums is reported this week by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Increases in cotton and wheat over the state, however, is boosting the total acreage for harvest to even per cent above that of a year ago.

Cotton acreage in cultivation July 1 was estimated at 8,365,000 compared with 8,283,000 a year ago. Wheat acreage for harvest in Texas was estimated at 7,190,000 acres—compared with 6,000,000 on July 1 a year ago.

All sorghums planted for harvest, is reported, have been forecast at 7,617,000 acres, compared with 7,01,000 acres this time last year.

# Kathleen Norris Says:

## Has Mother or Husband First Right?

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"Helma went once to sit in her husband's lap, and her mother made such a scene that she has not done it since."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SOME women take their happiness in their two hands, and strangle it. They take a mallet to it and smash it. And then they turn around and innocently demand: "Why do you suppose George and I are not making a go of it? What on earth is the matter with him?"

"With him"—mind you. Never "with me." Women who in other ways have plenty of common sense, women who can keep house, raise children, play bridge and make friends, yet who are extraordinarily dense about some of the fundamentals of creating and maintaining a good marriage.

But I've rarely come across anyone as blind as Helma Wilson!

Helma is 33. She married, seven years ago, a good strong steady but perhaps not scintillating man named Manny. They had about a year of real happiness together, then Manny went off with the marines. Helma's father died at about this time and she moved in with her mother. The mother, incidentally, had never liked Manny, she feels that he is a rough, rather uncultivated type. "not our sort, not a gentleman," she says.

Since Manny came home a year ago, things have been going badly in the Wilson house. Helma writes me that her mother and husband are always quarreling. They differ politically. Her mother hates tobacco smoke and Manny is always smoking. What is more serious, the old lady, whose daughter describes her as nervous and half-sick, objects to any evidences of affection between husband and wife. Helma went once to sit in her husband's lap, and her mother made such a scene that she has not done it since. Any talk of a baby also drives Mama wild. Helma, she says, always has a fine job, and a baby would force her to resign it.

The 'Other Woman.'

Now Manny has done the unforgivable thing. He is deeply attracted to a pretty young married woman at the office. He goes to her home, and the husband and he play gin rummy, and the wife cooks up delightful little suppers. He is always there. Helma's mother is sure that he and the wife are carrying on a secret affair. Helma is heartbroken, for she evidently loves her rough, big, affectionate husband—and yet, how can she be mean to Mama? She has decided upon a divorce.

Manny pleads that he will give up his new friends, he will do anything, but Helma must forgive him. Mama tells Helma to keep a stiff upper lip; men always talk like that when they are caught playing with fire.

My advice to Helma was to put Mama in a semi-pay home; she has just enough money for that. But even if she hadn't, I would advise it, and let Helma and Manny pay off the necessary five or six thousands by degrees. I said, "Get rid of Mama. You'll have a chance at a happy marriage, and she'll be no more miserable than she is now. Put up with the inevitable scenes, when you first propose it, but be firm, place her somewhere else, and give Manny this proof of your confidence in him, and your anxiety to play fair."

But Helma writes me back that it is too late. She is in Reno, and Mama is with an aunt. Mama should have been with this aunt a



She is nervous and half-sick.

### Childless Marriages Depress Husband Too, Doctor Says

One-third of the estimated 1,500,000 involuntary childless marriages in the country are probably attributable to faults in the husbands, Dr. Robert S. Hotchkiss of Bellevue hospital, New York City, declares.

Little is known of the causes of infertility in men and the treatment for it is unsatisfactory, Dr. Hotchkiss said. Emphasizing the seriousness of the problem of barren marriages, he said childless couples who wanted children were a group

### A SELFISH MOTHER

When a wife must decide between her husband and her mother, she is torn between two loyalties, two types of affection. Helma's mother doesn't like Manny, who is the boisterous, ultra-masculine kind of man. He is steady, sober, industrious, but "not our sort" according to mother. Now that Manny is back from the marines, he and mother have constant arguments over politics and everything else, since they live in the same house.

Manny wants a baby, but mother is furious at the idea, because it would mean that Helma would have to give up her good job. Helma doesn't dare show any outward signs of affection for Manny, whom she really loves, because it upsets her mother so. Manny has been spending a good deal of time lately at the home of a married woman who works in his office. He is willing to break off this friendship if Helma will do something to take her mother out of the picture.

Helma thinks her first duty is to her mother. She is in Reno to obtain a divorce, although neither she nor Manny really wants one. "It is too late to patch things up now," she insists.

long time ago, "though she is not as comfortable there as she is with me," writes Helma innocently, "for I know all her little tastes and ways. Manny and I both cried when she came to dividing our things," her letter goes on, "but I believe it is for the best. My first duty is to my mother."

### Mother Comes Second.

So there goes another marriage on the rocks, and there goes the happiness of another man and woman who might have gone on together into a companionable and happy middle age. Helma's first duty is, of course, not to this jealous and unreasonable mother; from the moment she said "I will" her first allegiance is toward Manny. If she didn't want to stand by him she didn't have to marry him. It might be interesting to her some day to find out just how loyal her mother was under these circumstances 35 years ago, just how much she sacrificed for her own mother. Invariably the Helmas of this world, stupidly bound to the rigid wheels of another woman's chariot, discover that that exacting mother never made such concessions in her own young days. Obviously she didn't, for selfishness is a deep-rooted thing, and the woman who can drain the youth and life and joy out of her children's destinies was just as selfish a generation ago.

If we women, in the difficult task of keeping a home happy under today's many pressures, could learn only one thing, the most useful thing of all might be to gain the power to hurt those we love—be firm with those we love—plan strongly and courageously for those we love, face the inevitable pangs, and in the end find our relationships with mother or father, child or sister-in-law, stepson or dependent, upon infinitely more reasonable grounds.

### EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN

Declaring that "fair-minded Americans have long deplored the existence of wage differentials based on sex in American industry," Senators Pepper (Dem., Fla.) and Morse (Rep., Ore.) have introduced the "equal pay bill of 1947."

Discriminatory wage practices against women, the sponsoring senators said in a joint statement, "fly in the face of demands of ordinary justice, depress wages and living standards for all employees, both men and women."

"Men are often equally, or even more, disturbed than women—yet the consequences of such anxiety are not at all adequately appreciated. A survey of reactions of husbands would be a valued contribution," the doctor concluded.

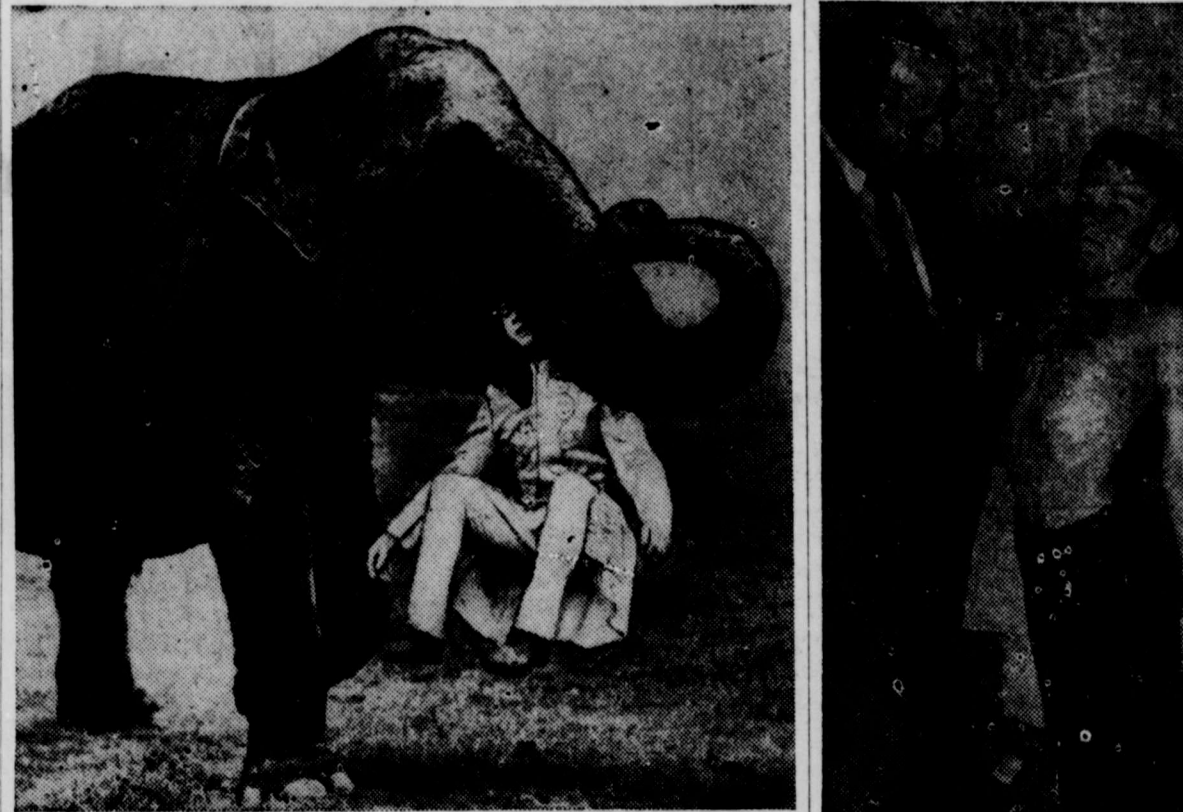
# The Times' Weekly Page of World News in Pictures



PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES SHRINE . . . Members of a party headed by Rev. Father James R. Cox of Pittsburgh, Pa., are shown just before they boarded an airliner which carried them across the Atlantic on a pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes shrine at St. Agnes, France. Included in group is 12-year-old Sally Ann O'Leary, crippled since birth, who hopes that the miraculous powers claimed for the shrine will heal her. Since the end of the war, thousands of persons have made the pilgrimage to the Lourdes shrine in search of health and out of devotion to their faith. Pittsburgh business and professional men compose this party.



'KNOW-HOW' HELPS DEFEAT FLOOD MENACE . . . With the Mississippi off on one of its most destructive henders in a century, farmers up and down the river were hard put to keep the rampaging waters from flooding their fields. At Wapello, Ia., this crew of flood fighters rigged up a portable grain elevator to carry sandbags up to levee in background for speedier reinforcement and to eliminate necessity of workers' hauling heavy bags up the slippery 12-foot embankment.



HERE'S ONE ELEPHANT WHO FORGOT . . . Saucy, a London pachyderm, and his master, Ivor Rosaire, used to do this "bite his head off" trick five years ago before Rosaire went into the army. But five years was too long for Saucy to remember the routine. When they tried the trick recently, Rosaire, dangling by his ears, had to do a great deal of shouting between the elephant's teeth before she remembered to let go.



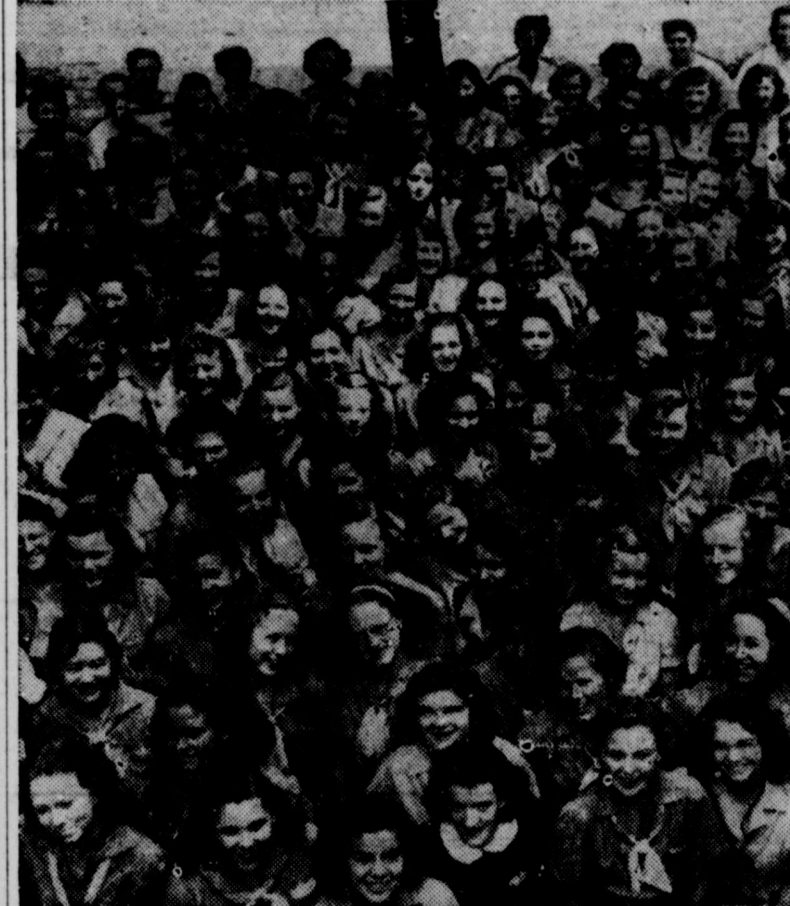
HUNGRY WORK, THIS BEING A REFUGEE . . . Red Cross officials claim that 34,812 persons were left homeless in the four mid-western states which were ravaged by flood waters. And all 34,812 of them were hungry. In this photo, a boy-sized flood refugee takes a man-sized bite at the Red Cross shelter in Belleville, Ill., while his dining companion looks on with some astonishment. The floods were among the most destructive in the past century.



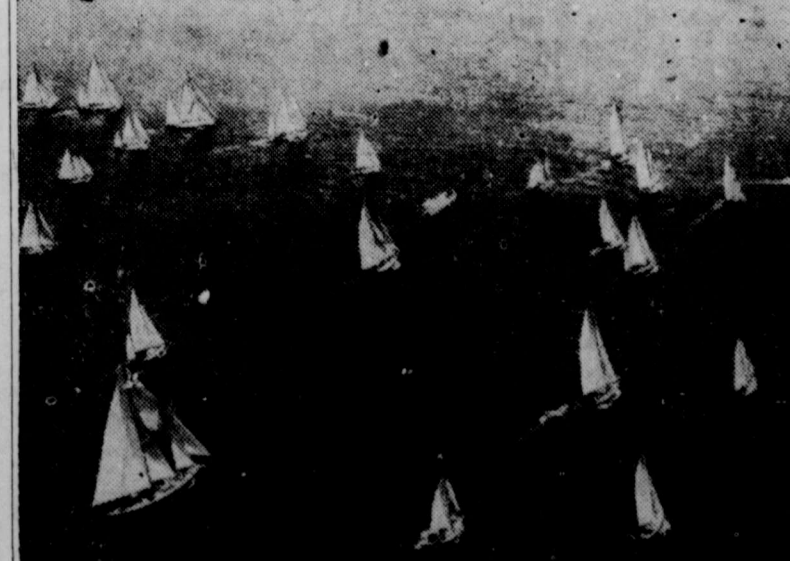
PICTURE FOR BETSY ROSS HOME . . . Frank H. Mancill (left), representing the board of trustees of the Betsy Ross house on historic Arch street in Philadelphia, is shown accepting painting depicting Washington's visit to the house from L. J. Gunson who donated it. It will be hung permanently inside the little building where the American flag was born. Mrs. Frederick Stewart impersonates Betsy Ross and holds a duplicate of the original flag.



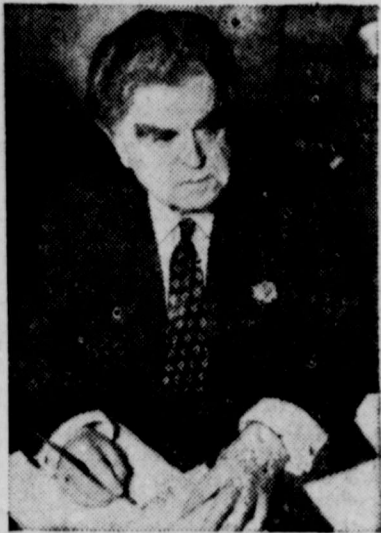
THERE, WE DID IT AGAIN . . . Two never-say-die congressmen, Speaker of the House Joseph W. Martin (Rep., Mass.) (left) and Rep. Harold Knutson (Rep., Minn.) congratulate each other after the house of representatives passed the income tax cut bill by a vote of 302 to 112. It marked the second time within a month that the house approved the four billion dollar income tax reduction plan.



GENUINE UNITED NATIONS SPIRIT . . . The diplomatic gentlemen who are wrangling around the peace tables at Lake Success, N. Y., might do well to drop in on the 35th anniversary encampment of the International Girl Scouts at Camp Barre, Pa., for an object lesson in how to get along with one another. Shown here are some of the Girl Scout delegates who came from all the states and a score of foreign countries to attend the three-week encampment.



DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS . . . Gleaming sails scudded across the outer harbor at Los Angeles as the first California-to-Honolulu yacht race in eight years got off to a perfect start with equally fine weather conditions. Thirty-three entrants caught a fresh breeze which sent the armada whipping out onto the 2,225-mile course to Hawaii.



RUN OF THE MINE . . . John L. Lewis glances up dourly as he finishes signing new wage contract for his United Mine Workers with the mine operators. The miners returned to work after a brief strike.



POETIC JUSTICE . . . John B. Kelly Jr., of Philadelphia, whose father was barred from diamond skulls rowing classic in 1926 because he had done menial labor, saved family honor by winning the meet this year at Henley-on-the-Thames, England.



CALLS THE TUNE . . . James Caesar Petrillo, boss of the musicians' union, has issued an edict that he will prohibit broadcast of musical programs on network hook-ups after February 1, 1948.



HATES TAXES . . . So violently opposed to "excessive and confiscatory individual income taxes" is E. B. Tilton of Milwaukee, Wis., that he voluntarily cut his own income to lower his taxes. President of a manufacturing company, he says he will work without pay in November and December so that he may lower his tax contribution.



YOUNGEST RADIO STAR . . . Self-styled "youngest story-teller in the whole world," Robin Morgan, five years old, has her own radio program over a New York station. She is the nursery set's own disc jockey.

HEALTHY, HE SAYS . . . Ten-year-old Kenneth Dunn of Manhattan tosses out his chest for Dr. Gerard Moech who examines him before he goes to police athletic league camp in the Adirondacks.



HARD TO STOP . . . Gerald Green Jr., 3, shown here with mother, Mrs. Zora Green, was pronounced dead by doctor after he had swallowed some crayons, then responded to treatment.

Gems of Thought

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Walter Winchell

New York—City of Contrasts: Sumptuous penthouses along the East river overlooking two-by-four cold water flats. . . Entertainers in side street saloons—a combo of has-beens with a bright past and youngsters with a shining future. . . The tense drama behind the scenes during show premieres—often more exciting than the play. . . The subway set standing hip to hip while concentrating on ignoring each other.

The most prominent feature in the Roxy's lavish lobby—a nickel candy stand. . . Pulitzer Prize-winning plays of only a few years ago being peddled in second-hand bookshops for nickels and dimes. . . The many sightless news dealers selling gazettes, maps and books for others to read. . . Wall street clerks who handle zillion-dollar deals, gobbling hurried lunches in cheap cafeterias. . . Faded stars whose lives are more dramatic than any film they've headlined.

Lovely lookers sweeping into cafes and inspiring whispers. . . The globe's most modern metropolis burdened with many decrepit tenements that lack plumbing facilities. . . Clicks fretting about their health and ambitious humans whitening years of their lives via the nerve-wracking struggle to reach the upper brackets. . . Harlem's spacious boulevard flanked by shabby edifices where people live in crowded misery.

Every comfort and the best of food being provided for animals in zoos. Only a short distance away humans exist in filthy tenements without enough to eat. . . Celebs moaning they don't have enough privacy, although they shell out coin to press agents in an effort to attract publicity.

The small-town atmosphere of many residential districts. . . Taahd chorines trudging home in the eerie hours of the morning. They were full of life and glamour just a few hours before. . . Well-dressed saleslads in swanky shops, more sophisticated than their hoity-toity patrons. . . Statesmen who make history, being ignored in the flashy spots, while table setters swivel their heads in an effort to see a film star.

Pigeons calmly pecking at crumbs on the steps of the Fifth avenue library—oblivious of the city's turbulent tempo. . . Down-and-outers snoozing on benches in the majestic, palace-like Grand Central depot. . . The pushcart salesman on Eighth avenue—an exp-pug who hawk's ladies' dainties. . . Musty Bowery shops where gypsies tell fortunes—surrounded by derelicts who haven't a future. . . Mendicants and sandwich men tramping the Main Stem's gayety with every step they take.

The city famed for its lustle and bustle that is at its liveliest during the early ayeen hours—when streets are swept by silence. . . The startling transformation of Neon Valley when its mazdas are dimmed. It resembles a daydream at midnight and looks like a nightmare at noon.

Visiting sightseers who ogle more of the city's interesting sights than many of its natives spending their lives here. . . New movies arriving at B-way temples with a million dollars worth of ballyhoo. Several weeks later they are part of a double feature in two-bit neighborhood theaters. . . Union Square's sidewalk debaters solving the world's problems nightly, but they have difficulty solving their own—earning a living.

Wrinkled charwomen giving beauty treatments to the fabulous skyscrapers. . . Crowded parks on Sabbath afternoon where New Yorkers go to forget clogged subways. . . The roar and rush of activity around the waterfront during the day; so quiet at night you can hear baby waves slapping the piers. . . Theater lovers (in balconies) who know more about stagecraft than many of the silk-and-stained first nighters. . . Fruit juice stands outnumbering saloons 10 to 1 along the so-called "sinful" Main Stem.

The Communist party in America has its instructions: Defeat Truman in '48—a world-wide rebuke to the Truman Doctrine. This is to be accomplished by splitting the Democratic party.

Tawdry alleys leading to stage doors that are about as glamorous as a rotten tomato. . . Musicians at the jam session in swing holes. . . Nobodies striving to be somebodies—and the somebodies fearful they'll soon be nobodies. . . Midtown strollers arriving at their destination more quickly than motorists in the traffic tangle. . . Big Towners who are familiar with intimate details about celebs but are strangers to their next-door neighbor.

Penny arcades which are far more profitable than intellectual dramas. More evidence proving there's nothing more hicky than the Big Town. . . Pretty-faces leaving the city to return to the home town (after losing the Big City battle) while others arrive filled with hope and ambition. . . Booking agents gabbling about millions—and pinching pennies. . . The narrow, squalid streets of Chinatown that seem a perfect setting for criminals. Yet this sector has the town's lowest crime rate.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Prevent Red Uprising in Greece; Hartley Lashes Mine Contract; Oil Exports to Russia Defended

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



At a meeting in Washington of 200 American Federation of Labor leaders, William Green, AFL president, pledged the organization to a finish fight against the Taft-Hartley labor act. Left to right in photo are Green; Joseph Padway, chief counsel of the AFL, and William L. Hutchison, first vice-president of the union.

FOILED: Nip Red Plot
Striking with lightning rapidity, Athens security police arrested more than 2,000 persons in raids around the city in a series of raids designed to forestall a threatened Communist uprising in Greece.

BETRAYED: Mine Pact
Rep. Fred A. Hartley (Rep., N. J.), co-author of the Taft-Hartley labor act, has charged big business and big labor with betraying the public in negotiating the latest John L. Lewis coal mining contract.

ANY CONNECTION?
On the day preceding the mass arrests in Athens, Russia leveled a bitter attack in the United Nations Balkan hearings against the United States and Great Britain, charging that their intervention in Greek affairs was the cause of friction in the Balkans.

OIL EXPORTS: Supply Russia
A special export license for the shipment of petroleum products to Russia was granted by the department of commerce hours after Representative Weichel (Rep., O.), chairman of the house merchant marine committee, demanded the license be refused.

He Saw a Saw
The Rev. Father Joseph Brasky, pastor of St. Joseph's church, Gaston, Wis., holds "mysterious" disk which he said struck lightning rod on his church and fell to the ground with a rear. Disk turned out to be circular saw blade.

NAVY RESIGNATIONS GROW
Higher pay and a more satisfactory home life are the two main lures which have drawn the most bright and capable young career officers from the navy and army into civilian jobs at what is called "an alarming rate" during the past year.

ROMANCE: Royal Road
Princess Elizabeth, 21-year-old heiress presumptive to the throne of England, and Lt. Philip Mountbatten, 26, former Prince Philip of Greece, are formally engaged to be married this autumn, probably in October.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH
King George VI and Queen Elizabeth cleared the road to royal romance by giving unqualified approval to the match and announcing the engagement in a traditional court circular.

FARMERS PROSPER
Both farm assets and farm income have expanded tremendously since the outbreak of World War II, according to a late report released by the National Industrial Conference board.

VETO ATTACKED:
Evidence is growing that there is under way in the senate a quietly organized bipartisan movement to reduce or eliminate the veto power through which Russia has blocked virtually every important United Nations program.

EXCELSIOR:

Altitude 2,000
President Truman's recently appointed air safety board has come up with two specific recommendations directed at reducing the number of aircraft accident fatalities in the United States.

1. All aircraft operating at night under instrument conditions be required to fly at least 2,000 feet above mountainous terrain and 1,000 feet above characteristically level territory.

2. All scheduled air transports be required to install electronic terrain proximity indicators, operating on the radar principle, in addition to the aneroid altimeters now required in all planes.

R.S.V.P.: Paris Parley
Pro-Communist Hungary turned down an invitation to attend the Paris conference on European reconstruction as 17 other nations lined up to participate in the talks, first step in carrying out the Marshall plan for aiding prostrate Europe.

Gas Shortage
Two-fisted Sen. Owen Brewster of Maine smells a rat regarding the Midwest oil shortage. Brewster, who is one of the keenest probes in the senate and who inherited Harry Truman's oil committee, has been conducting a thorough investigation of the Arabian oil situation and suspects that the so-called oil shortage, which has prompted some oil companies to re-instate gasoline rationing, is purely a fake.

Veterans Loan Battle
Not many realize it, but when congress extended the life of the Reconstruction Finance corporation before the June 30 deadline, it left an important power affecting veterans—the authority to buy up veterans' loans. This will seriously reduce the ability of the homeless veteran to finance new housing, since from now on the government no longer can guarantee the banks on veterans' loans 100 per cent.

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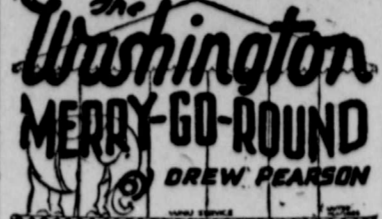
SOUR NOTES
ASCAP, the society of songwriters, has been sued by the department of justice as a great big cartel, monopolizing music. The department threw not only the book at it, but the lyrics.

REVAMPING COURTS-MARTIAL
G.I.s will now get a better break on courts-martial—if the plan of a house subcommittee goes through. Working behind closed doors, the subcommittee patched together a bill that will require no less than one-third enlisted men to sit on military courts which try fellow G.I.s if the defendant requests it. A two-thirds majority is necessary before punishment can be handed down. The bill also will remove the judge advocate's section, the army's arm of justice, from the regular chain of command.

MERRY-GO-ROUND
Wisecrack round the Republican national committee: "It is true that Carroll Reece has delirium Tru-manus." Department of agricultural economists figure American farmers are worth 100 billion dollars now compared with about one-fourth that amount before the war. The auto industry anticipates new cars will be lots easier to buy right after the vacation season. That's when several big producers will shut town for the first time since V-J day to convert to new models.

IT COULD BE WORSE
Shortages of petroleum products in the Middle West, although accentuated by the action of a major oil company in rationing gasoline to dealers, probably will not develop into a serious crisis, according to an article in the July issue of "Business Comment," published by Northern Trust company of Chicago. Supplies are not expected to fall below 10 per cent of the current demand.

Now He Tells Us
Science has delivered a mortal blow to another dime novel action sequence. Prof. Philip C. Rutledge, Northwestern university engineer, says it's simply impossible to sink over your head in quicksand. He says sand and water combined have a specific gravity of between 1.8 and 2 and a specific gravity of a human is .95. Therefore, you can sink in only up to your waist.



Merry-Go-Round

Best description of what's going on in Europe today was given by elder statesman Bernie Baruch when he said we are in a "cold war." (Actually Baruch gives credit to ghost-writer Herbert Bayard Swope for coining the phrase.)

What the Swope-Baruch term meant, of course, was that we are in a war of nerves, politics and labor movements. If the U. S. can woo and win certain political groups in France and Italy, it can keep western Europe from going Communist. If, on the other hand, Russia can woo and win them, Europe definitely will go Communist.

During the war, the Office of Strategic Services spent millions smuggling U. S. labor leaders behind enemy lines to make contacts with German, Italian, Austrian, French, Norwegian labor leaders, thus undermining Axis politics and industry. In today's cold war the same thing is even more necessary—but with not one cent being spent on it.

In contrast, the Russians have agents in U. S. factories, in U. S. labor unions, even some in U. S. government offices. And to get money from congress so we won't have to sweat out this cold war with our mouth gagged and one arm tied behind our back, General Marshall literally has to get down on his knees before congress.

Although the shrewd British are pulling almost everything out of Greece for "economy" reasons, they aren't reducing their propaganda operations there. The conference, previously boycotted by Russia on the grounds that the Marshall plan will be a foothold for American intervention in the internal affairs of Europe, will attempt to set up a scheme whereby Europe, with the aid of American dollar credits and supplies, will be able to lift itself from its economic morass by its bootstraps.

In addition to Hungary, four other Communist-inspired governments—those of Poland, Yugoslavia, Rumania and Bulgaria—also refused the invitations sent out by Great Britain and France. As the deadline for replies approached, Finland and Albania had not yet been heard from.

There was a tough closed-door battle between house and senate before this important proposal was finally dropped. Chief defenders of veterans' loans were Alabama's sincere John Sparkman and South Carolina's handsome Burnet Maybank. They were supported by three house Democrats—Paul Brown of Georgia, Brent Spence of Kentucky and Wright Patman of Texas. But the house Republicans, rallied by stubborn Jesse Wolcott of Michigan, sometimes called the bankers' friend, stood firm against it.

Republicans on the senate side were more friendly to the veterans, offered several compromises to limit the aggregate total of loans and provide for screening them. But bank-minded Wolcott would not back down.

Before the final vote, the conferees separated into private huddles. The Republican senators—Douglas Buck of Delaware, Homer Capehart of Indiana and Ralph Flanders of Vermont—voted to yield to the house. Democrats Sparkman and Maybank, finally agreed that if they held out there would be no RFC at all, promised to sign their names to the report. Among the conferees, Wolcott rode roughshod over the weaker objections of Democrats Brown, Spence and Patman.

In a time of rather depressing news has come a ray of sunshine, an uplifting note. Ten thousand gallons of imported Pilsner beer have reached America.

"All My Sons" has been sold to the movies, and there obviously will be a successor to be known as "Sons of All My Sons."

BEST WISHES FROM THE USSR
Moscow's Pravda says that America is on the brink of ruin. . . an awful depression looms dead ahead. . . the country is jittery. . . there is panic on all sides. . . we are bound for the abyss. You can imagine the denunciations we will get if we disappoint the writer.

Columbia is now not only the gem of the ocean and the pride of New York, but the envy of American universities after signing General Eisenhower as presy. Yale, Harvard and Princeton are after Nimitz, Bradley and MacArthur.

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Bride and Groom, 1947 Model

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Groom—There was a waiting list for the vacancy when I moved out. Bride—I thought you had a relative in the tent business.

Groom—I did but he had orders for tents two years in advance. Didn't you tell me you knew where you could get a trailer?

Bride—Would you like to live in a trailer? Groom—Darling, in times like these I would live under one. It must have been wonderful to get married in the days of mom and pop. They started housekeeping indoors at once.

Bride—It seems impossible. I wish you were more of a pioneer. Groom—Why? Bride—You could hew a home out of the forest.

Groom—Who do we know who has an ax? Bride—Who do we know who has a forest? Groom—What would you say to a cave?

Bride—Love conquers all. A cave might not be bad if not too far out of town. Know where there is one available? Groom—Yes, but I think you have to be a veteran to get one.

Bride (wistfully)—We've got to find some place to start housekeeping, even if it is just an old windmill. Groom—Don't be silly. All the old windmills have been spoken for.

Bride—How about a barn? Groom—You're taking a chance there. Just as we got settled the horses and cows might come back. Bride—I have it. . . a haunted rookery!

Groom—I thought of that and put in an application. The agency said it would let me know as soon as the present occupant gets scared out. Bride—I wish I had married Gregory Whipple. He had an old piano box.

Groom—But he had made only the down payment and had nothing left for furniture. Bride—We're worrying too much. Where do we go on our honeymoon? Groom—Honeymoon! Do you think I'm a millionaire?

Bride—I've a little surprise. My dad gave us a check for \$5,000 for a wedding present. Groom—Good. That will solve our food problem for a week or two anyhow. Bride—If we're careful, you mean! (They call a cab and depart merrily.)

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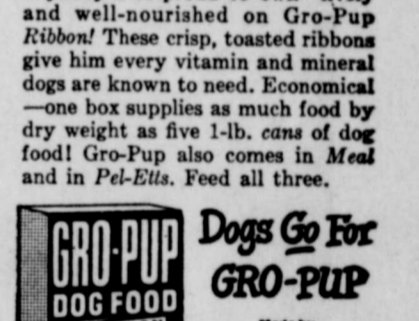
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### Cotton Price Climbs to New 20-Year High of 39 Cents a Pound Last Week

Cotton climbed to 20-year record levels of around 39 cents a pound last week, cattle prices receded from mid-week highs, hogs advanced 50 cents to \$1 to bring \$26.50 at Fort Worth, and winter wheat sold Friday at \$2.37 per bushel, latest weekly Swing of Southwest Farm Markets reveals.

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

Many Southwest farm markets developed easy spots last week, although the general trend of most commodities continued steady to strong.

Cotton climbed to 20-year record levels of around 39 cents per pound or more last mid-week, but dropped back by Friday for net losses of \$3 to \$10 per bale. Spot activity increased, as new crop harvest progressed well in South Texas.

Winter wheat harvest made rapid progress in the Great Plains area last week. Inadequate transportation and storage forced millions of bushels to be piled on the ground in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Heavy

buying for export held losses to six cents. Friday's price stood near \$2.37 per bushel for No. 1 hard at Fort Worth and Galveston. Corn eased under favorable weather reports, and sorghums dropped 15 cents.

Rice markets held firm last week at the higher levels established after price controls ended June 30. Peanut harvest started in South Texas, with yields low on early plantings. Texas eight-months wools began to move as 12-month clips became scarce.

Most candled eggs sold firm to slightly stronger last week. Earlier undertone developed on current receipts and under-grades following government announcement discontinuing purchases of dried and frozen eggs after July. Poultry held about steady. Heavy hens sold at 23 to 25 cents per pound at Fort Worth and Dallas.

Cattle prices receded late last week from mid-week highs, but closing sales held mostly from about even with a week earlier to as much as \$1 or more higher. However, some spots netted losses up to \$1 for the



**EN ROUTE to join her fiance, ex-Army lieutenant R. C. Hassell of Fallurris, is comely Lucille Russell, 18, of London, England. Hassell met Miss Russell in London when she was 14. When Lucille celebrated her eighteenth birthday Hassell telephoned her and proposed.**

### Snyder Girls Greet Crockett Girl Scouts Here Early Monday

Thirty-five Crockett Girl Scouts, accompanied by four sponsors and the truck driver, arrived here Monday morning, 8:00 o'clock, for a visit in Snyder before the group proceeded to Carlsbad Caverns.

The Crockett visitors were headed by Eliza Bishop, secretary. Members of the visiting group were welcomed here by Mrs. Elaine Lambert and a committee of Snyder Girl Scouts, and Bill Schiebel, Chamber of Commerce manager.

With Mrs. Lambert to greet the visitors were Shirley Coffee, Lynn Galin, Jo Alyce Goss, Daphne Scarborough, Opal Ikard and Beverly Johnston.

After visiting Carlsbad Caverns the Crockett girl will visit at Alpine, San Antonio and other points before returning to Crockett.

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A man living in London called at a cat's meat shop one morning and asked that a quantity of meat be put aside for him every day.  
Some time later the vendor was surprised when the man rushed in and told him to cancel the order.  
"What's the matter?" inquired the butcher. "Is your cat dead?"  
"No, no, no," puffed the man, "he has caught a mouse."

**Nathan Rosenberg to Hotel at Brownwood**  
Nathan Rosenberg, veteran Snyder business man who recently sold his Ben Franklin Store, has gone to Brownwood to accept a position as manager of the Southern Hotel.  
The Southern Hotel of Brownwood was recently purchased by Gus Rosenberg, brother of Nathan.

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week. Bulk of common and medium grass steers at San Antonio sold at \$20 to \$22.75, and average to top medium lots set a new all-time high of \$24.50. Houston paid \$14 to \$20 for common to medium steers and yearlings, while Fort Worth took medium kinds at \$19 to \$23.50.

Hogs advanced generally around 50 cents to \$1 or more in last week's trade. Good and choice butcher hogs reached \$26.25 at San Antonio, \$26.50 at Fort Worth, \$26.75 at Oklahoma City, \$27.35 at Wichita, and \$27.25 at Denver.

Most sheep sold steady to \$1 higher last week, but spring lambs netted losses at Oklahoma City and Wichita, and feeder lambs fell lower at San Antonio. Medium to low choice spring lambs turned at \$18 to \$21.50 at San Antonio, and medium to good kinds brought \$20 to \$24 at Fort Worth. Wichita took good and choice at around \$24.

Watermelons and cantaloupes eased some last week, as liberal shipments supplied most markets. Lettuce gained sharply, and sold as high as \$7 per crate at St. Louis. Hot weather promoted spoilage and hampered movement of the large peach crop. Colorado cabbage, cauliflower and other products were well received at many markets. San Luis Valley peas started moving and held steady at \$3.25 per bushel for U. S. No. 1 grades.

If she looks old, she's young; if she looks young, she's old; if she looks back, follow her.

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By Roland Coe

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**BOBBY SOX**  
By Marty Links

"Just a moment, and I'll tell you whether or not I want nuts on it!"

**Gags** BEST LAUGHS OF THE WEEK  
**MOPSY** by GLADYS PARKER

DO YOU HAVE A CARD THAT SAYS, "TODAY'S MY BIRTHDAY"? I'D LIKE A THOUSAND OF THEM!

**NANCY** By Ernie Bushmiller

IF YOU'LL DELIVER MY PAPER ROUTE TODAY—I'LL GIVE YOU A DIME.  
SURE—WHERE IS TH' ROUTE?  
IT'S RIGHT ACROSS THE PARK ON ELM ST.  
OKAY—DIS IS AN EASY WAY TO MAKE A DIME.

**LITTLE REGGIE** By Margarita

MOM—TODAY IS RUMPUS'S BIRTHDAY... AND YOU SAID I COULD TOSS A PARTY!  
SURELY, THERE'S A NICE BIG CAKE READY, SO INVITE ALL YOUR LITTLE FRIENDS!

**MUTT AND JEFF** By Bud Fisher

FOOT BOTHERIN' YOU AGAIN, MUTT?  
YEH! THINK I BETTER HAVE A DOCTOR LOOK AT IT!  
SAY, I KNOW WHERE THERE'S A SURGEON WHO MIGHT HELP YOU!  
HOW MUCH FURTHER?  
ONLY A FEW MORE BLOCKS! FOLLOW ME!  
WELL—I'LL SEE YA LATER, MUTT!  
YEH, THANKS, JEFF!  
DOC, I'D LIKE YOU TO LOOK AT MY FOOT!  
I'M SORRY—I'M A TREE SURGEON. I DON'T BOTHER WITH LIMBS LIKE YOURS.

**JITTER** By Arthur Pointer

YOU KNOW, IF YOU WERE TO SWEEP UP THE DIRT ON THE LIVING ROOM FLOOR, I MIGHT GIVE YOU A COOKIE.  
WELL, HERE'S THE COOKIE—DID YOU GET IT CLEAN?  
IF YOU'RE SHAKY, YOU'LL LOOK UNDER THE RUG!

**REG'LAR FELLERS** By Gene Byrnes

IT CERTAINLY IS SWELL TO DO NOTHIN' ON A HOT DAY BUT LIE HERE AN' LOOK UP AT TH' SKY!  
I'D BE A LOT MORE COMFORTABLE IF THERE WASN'T SO MANY ANTS! THERE MUST BE A BILLION OF 'EM!  
OH, THEY WON'T BOTHER YA! THEY'RE TOO BUSY WORKIN' AN' LOOKIN' FOR WORK TO PAY ANY ATTENTION TO US!  
JUS' TH' SAME, I THINK WE BETTER PLAY SAFE AN' KEEP 'EM AWAY!

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SHUTS FRONT DOOR AS WIFE CALLS FROM CAR. DID SHE PUT HALL LIGHT OUT?  
FINDS SHE DID, AND IS GREETED BY CALLS OF WIFE. WIFE EXPLAINS SHE WANTS HER GLOVES.  
OPENS DOOR AGAIN AS WIFE EXPLAINS SHE WANTS HER GLOVES. SHE LEFT ON BUREAU.  
RETURNS TO FIND WIFE VISITING WITH NEIGHBOR NEXT DOOR.  
WIFE BACK, REPORTING IT'S GETTING COLD. GET JUNIOR'S SWEATER.  
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**HOME-TOWN ECHOES** By G. Kessler

WILLIE (GIVS) WHY ISN'T HE IN SCHOOL?  
POOR BOOP!  
WHERE'S TH' FIRE?  
WILLIAM A. IRVIN, DIRECTOR OF THE U. S. STEEL CORPORATION, WAS ONE WESTERN UNION MESSENGER IN A MILLION, BACK IN INDIANA, PA.

**GOT OVER IT**  
"When I was a young man," said a father to his fun-loving son, "I worked 12 hours a day."  
"I admire your youthful energy, Dad," said the boy, "but I admire still more the mature wisdom that led you to stop it."

**NATURALLY**  
George, a six-year-old boy, had returned home from his first day of school. "Who is the smartest one in your class?" his mother asked him. Naturally, all expected him to say he was, but he promptly replied: "Why, the teacher."

**Too, Too Much!**  
The returned vet's wife—"Honey, darling, since you had three helpings of my first biscuits, I'm going to bake some more for you tomorrow. Won't that be just too... darling, speak to me, please, darling, open your eyes."

**Fun to Break Rules**  
Traveller (to waitress)—I see tipping is forbidden in this restaurant.  
Waitress—Bless your heart, apples were forbidden in the garden, too.

**Same Thing**  
Benton Bustleberry was out briskly pushing the baby cart when a neighbor inquired: "Out airing your son, Bustleberry?"  
"Not exactly," replied Bustleberry. "I'm out sunning my heir."

**Shocking Reading**  
"What happens when one mind reader has a date with another mind reader?"  
"Oh, they just sit around and blush all evening."

**Better Brains Wanted**  
Older Sister—Now, Bobby, I want you to behave tonight. I have a new boy friend.  
Bobby—I sure hope he is smarter than the others, because I've got some homework for tonight.

**Peace Offering**  
"My dear! What a lovely coat. It must have cost a fortune!"  
"No, only a kiss."  
"One that you gave your husband?"  
"No; one that he gave the maid."

**Better Hide It**  
"Say, Bill," he asked, "why don't you get a move on? Don't you want to build a reputation?"  
"No, sir," replied Bill, stepping aside and casually wiping off his oil can spout on a bit of waste. "I'd like to get rid of the one I've got!"

**Papa Tried It**  
"George, dear, come kiss your new governess."  
George—"No, I don't dare to. I'm afraid. Daddy kissed her yesterday and she slapped his face."

**HOW IT STARTED**  
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The FICTION Corner

'TRUST' By MAURICE GRASHIN

Eddie Martin escaped! The prison sirens screamed—guards fine-combed the surrounding country—every law agency in the nation went into action.

Get Eddie Martin! Meanwhile the notorious criminal was riding under the belly of the construction dump truck that had taken him through the prison east gate.

By his fingers and toes he clung to the bottom of the bumping truck until the driver had parked it for the night in the company yard. Only after dark did he venture from his cramped position.

He wormed his way into the truckmen's locker room, and speedily changed his prison clothes for a work outfit. He pulled the cap down over his eyes, wrapped his fist around a heavy iron bar, and was ready to travel.

Via alleys and side streets he reached the city limits. He avoided the highway and headed across the hills. At midnight he reached a creek, and waded across. They'd never get him now. He almost ran the remaining mile to the deserted shack that would give him needed refuge.

As he hurried, he remembered the many times it had given him refuge. When he was a youngster, and his folks lived on the ranch, he and his older brother, Dan, played "cops and robbers." Even at that time he had insisted on being the robber. Dan was satisfied to be a cop. For a long time he had used the shed at the far end of the ranch as his make-believe hide-out, and Dan could not find him. Then one day Dan found his hiding-place, and the fun was over.

But that had happened when he was ten years old and only playing bad man. Now he was the real thing. The government paid five thousand dollars reward for him after his last bank job. It would double that amount to get him back.

He felt quite proud—he had gone far since he was a "play-robber." A short distance from the shed he stopped and listened. Nobody was coming to outsmart him. Satisfied that he was alone, he moved to the shack.

The door was locked, the windows boarded just as he left them. With his iron bar he forced the creaky door on its squeaky hinges. Field mice scurried outside, birds flew frantically from the eaves. He bolted the door, and crept to the rear of the room. On his knees he impatiently brushed aside the cobwebs, and pried loose several floorboards. He reached down, grasped the chain handle of a small trunk, and pulled it to the floor.

First he took out a flashlight, and directed the glare over the other contents of the chest. He laughed loudly, triumphantly. Everything was ship-shape—just as he had planted it three months ago. There



"He glanced at the window, blocked by police... there was no escape."

was the box with the ten thousand dollars. Here was his gun, wrapped in felt. There were cartridges and stuff to clean the revolver in case it got rusty. And he had a complete change of clothes.

He could not miss! He had brains. That's why, when he got twenty-five thousand bucks from the last stick-up, he had only tried to get away with fifteen—he put the balance in the trunk with the gat and other gear. He had cached them just in case his plans went wrong, and he failed to get out of the country. Well, they did go wrong. He had trusted a guy, and gave him five grand to help his getaway. The "pal" had not only taken his money but squealed on him, and got the reward, too. But now he was in the same spot with the same amount of dough, only this time he could not fall, because he trusted nobody.

Alone in the dark, he got to thinking—and whenever it was dark, and he was alone, he thought of his mother. He liked Mom, not because of what she was to him, but because of the many favors she had done for him. He remembered how she used to battle the neighborhood hoodlums to save him from a beating. She was always looking out for his good.

Yes, sir, Mom was all right. He stretched out, and fell into a peaceful sleep. Two hours later, he awoke, frightened! He shook with fear as he grabbed his gun.

A voice called hurriedly, "Eddie, Eddie!"

It was his brother. He did not answer. Dan called again, "Eddie, I must see you!"

Eddie let him in, then slammed the door and bolted it. He jabbed the revolver into his brother's ribs. "You're still playing cops and robbers. But you'll never live to collect my reward."

Dan regarded him coldly. "Mom wants to see you." The savage tenseness faded from Eddie's face. "No kiddin'?" After all that bunk they printed about me?

"She doesn't know anything about you," answered Dan. "She hasn't been able to read for six years. I made up stories, instead of reading what was there."

"Thanks, Dan, I sure wish I could see her—but it's impossible right now." "She's very sick."

"No!" "It's your last chance to see her alive."

He changed quickly into his good clothes. He stuffed the gun and cartridges into his pockets, and carried the money container under his arm. At the door he stopped.

"Listen, Dan, even though we're brothers, we never had any love for each other. If this is your trick to turn me in, I'll get you if it's the last thing I do."

Dan shook his head in sympathy. "Don't you trust anybody?" "Only me and Mom. Let's go."

In Dan's car they raced for home. Midway they ran into a heavy storm. Rain flooded the windshield faster than the wiper could clear it. Thunder boomed and lightning lit the countryside.

The storm was at its height when they stopped in front of a little white cottage. Dan jumped out of the car and ran to the house. Eddie followed. A flash of lightning, and Eddie turned to see a police car skidding to the curb.

Eddie pushed Dan inside and threw the door shut. He whipped out his gun, and leveled it at his brother.

"I told you I'd get you."

"But, Eddie," frantically pleaded Dan, "I didn't—"

A crash of thunder drowned out the revolver shots. Dan fell dead. The officers were right outside. Eddie was a caged rat. He yanked open a door. His mother was lying in bed.

"Edward—Edward!" she called weakly.

He glanced at the window—it was blocked by police. He had no chance to escape. He held the gun behind him.

"Hello, Mom," he said. "I'm so glad you're here," she told him. "Are you all right?" "Sure, Mom, I'm swell."

She sighed in relief. "I've had a dreadful feeling you were in danger," she said, "I even telephoned the police to protect you!"

Fish Out of Place Nicaragua contains the only fresh-water lake known to science in which big salt-water fish abound, says National Geographic society. Sawfish of more than 700 pounds, sharks up to 200 pounds, tarpon and other landlocked ocean-dwellers are caught daily in the waters of oval Lake Nicaragua, 100 miles long and 105 feet above the level of the nearby Pacific ocean. Geologists explain the oddity by saying the lake was a bay of the ocean until an earthquake lifted its basin, locking out the sea. Streams fed by the region's heavy, tropical rainfall gradually have turned the lake water fresh.

patent for his talking machine, Secretary of the Interior Carl Schurz asked for a demonstration of the new wonder. To prevent any deception, Schurz decided to make a talk in French.

When the record was offered to Edison as a souvenir of the occasion, he declined it, with the remark that his laboratories had been destroyed by fire so often, that this old record had a better chance of preservation if it were to be kept elsewhere.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS by Lynn Chambers

Table with columns: Vegetable, Preparation Required, Hot Water Bath Min., Processing Pressure Cooker Min., Lbs.

Follow This Chart for Canning (See recipes below.)

Canning Queries

Pressure cookers and other canning equipment will be working overtime to take care of garden produce this year, and those of you who have canned foods undoubtedly know that it's a big task, but not a thankless one when it comes to next winter's eating.

There's no other food task so gratifying as canning, for once you are finished, you have loaded shelves to look at. In order to avoid canning mistakes and failures, check over these points.

First, garden-fresh, sound, ripe vegetables are the only kind worth canning. Unsound produce does not improve during the canning process, and it's a waste of time, money and food to put stale vegetables into jars.

Select all vegetables as carefully for canning as you would for your most finicky guest, and you'll be a long way toward success. Tender peas, small beets, plump, shiny corn, crisp and meaty beans, etc., all will give satisfactory results because they are prime produce to begin with.

Every vegetable should be washed thoroughly before the skin is cut or broken. Why? Because some of them have dirt and fuzz that is difficult to remove once it becomes mixed with the juicy content.

Pre-cooling and hot packing gives best results, as this method shrinks the vegetables and gives a better looking pack as well as less shrinkage in the jar.

Use Pressure Cooker Some women can can consistently and successfully by processing vegetables in a hot water bath. Either they are very careful workers or just plain lucky. However, fool-proof results are best obtained by using a steam pressure cooker. It is possible to bring food to a higher temperature in this way and kill harmful bacteria, thus avoiding spoilage.

Canning also may be done in much less time with a pressure cooker, and there is less opportunity to lose food values in this way. Fortunately, the equipment is now available, or in many communities it is obtainable on a communal basis at a canning center or such.

Boil Before Serving One of the basic rules for home-canned vegetables is to boil the canned vegetable 10 to 15 minutes before tasting or using. Never taste a vegetable which you may suspect is spoiled. If you are certain of spoilage, discard it; if not sure, cook it first and then taste.

This boiling is best done in an open saucepan. The rule applies to all vegetables except tomatoes and red pimientos, which are acid vegetables and hence in a somewhat different class from non-acid vegetables such as peas, beans, corn, etc.

Some questions always come up concerning particular vegetables during canning time. Typical queries are these, and here are the answers:

What causes cloudiness in canned peas? This may be caused by insufficient cooking or some mineral in the water used for canning. Proper pre-cooking or soft, distilled water eliminates the cloudiness.

How high shall I pack vegetables? Pack them to within 1/2 inch of the top of the jar, except peas, lima beans and corn, which are packed to within one inch of the top to allow for extra expansion.

What causes corn to turn brown in the can? Most often this is due to a high temperature used during canning, which caramelizes the corn. Sometimes a high deposit of mineral such as iron in water used for canning will cause it.

Why do beets turn white? This may be due to certain varieties or to too old beets. Use the very dark red kind, and see that they are young and freshly gathered.

Why do vegetables fall apart when home canned? This is due to overprocessing or overcooking in pressure cooker or water bath. Watch the time and check with timetable to avoid this error.

Should I overprocess or underprocess? Neither is good, but under-processing probably will result in spoilage while overcooking will give you wilted looking goods that do not hold their shape.

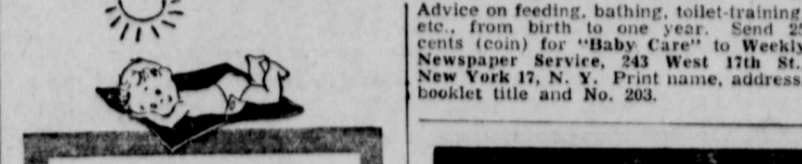
How much shall I can at one time? Unless you have help for preparing the vegetables, it is best to do it in several small batches so vegetables do not spoil. If you can get the produce from garden to kettle—or jar—within two hours you are working according to the best rule. Much depends upon your own speed and ability.

How much salt should be used? Season according to taste or not at all. Most people are satisfied if one teaspoon of salt to each quart of vegetable is added as a last measure to the jar before it is closed.

Should jar tops be wiped before cover is placed on jar? Yes, this is essential to remove any bits of vegetable, water or salt which might prevent a perfect seal.

What kind of covers should I use? There are a number of good varieties available, and each should be used according to the manufacturer's directions. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

New Booklet Containing Important Information on Proper Care of Baby

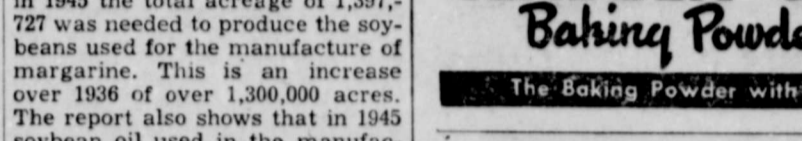


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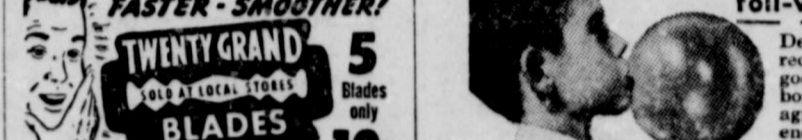
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MILLION ACRES SOYBEANS USED FOR MARGARINE A report just issued by V. L. Lea of the Commodity Economic Research Department, covering intensive surveys in four leading soybean producing states, shows that in 1945 the total acreage of 1,397,727 was needed to produce the soybeans used for the manufacture of margarine. This is an increase over 1936 of over 1,300,000 acres!

The report also shows that in 1945 soybean oil used in the manufacture of margarine amounted to approximately 206,643,000 pounds. (Adv.)



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On the morning of April 19, 1878, when Thomas Alva Edison visited the patent office to apply for the

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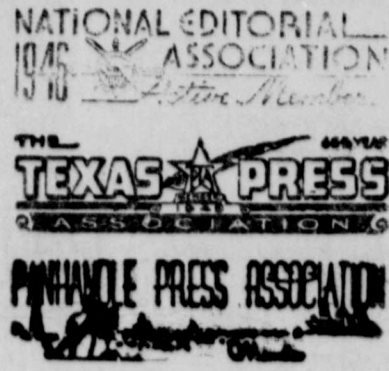
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Area Farmers in Strongest Financial Position in History, States Banker

Reflecting increased costs of producing crops and availability of more farm and ranch equipment, the volume of credit used by stockmen and ranchers is currently higher than it was a year ago...

However, farm families in this trade area are probably in the strongest financial position that they have ever been, Alexander says. Less farmers and ranchers need to use bank credit available to them because continuing high incomes make it possible to finance operations of current production...

During 1946 loans on farm real estate in Texas increased substantially. There were 12,411 farm mortgages made for a total amount of \$25,762,000 bringing the total volume outstanding on January 1, 1947, to \$24,428,000.

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First "Purge" Results

In its report to Congress last Thursday, the U. S. Civil Service Commission released some news of interest to every red-blooded American—news of the effect that during the nine months which ended March 31 at least 241 and probably 811 federal employees were found "ineligible for loyalty reasons" to hold their jobs...

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

There is a considerable amount of pressure being brought to bear on the government for expansion of steel plant capacity. Many top rate economists are definitely convinced that more plants will be needed in the next few months to satisfy our domestic and foreign demand for steel products.

If we ever get around to a frank recognition of the so-called mythical gulf of "theoretical" hostility that is going on between the U. S. and Russia, we might decide to drop our "chicken hearted" attitude in talking to foreign powers and adopt a blunt but firm rule for the vital months ahead.

Pity Our Farm Funds

One can certainly pity the plight of certain senators in Washington after the Senate approved farm funds for the fiscal year 1948—only to have Senate and House conferees end up in a deadlock that may well cause appropriations to be slashed on every corner and the farmer, who had the government make certain commitments for this year's work, will probably end up by getting it "in the neck."

Burples May Be Next

If you happen to hear that the Federal Communications Commission has granted radio stations permission to use a burples program next you need not be surprised, for the FCC says it has modified all prior stands against editorializing by radio.

Editorial of the Week

FUTURE FOR COTTON IN TEXAS Extremely sane, though couched with grim warnings, were the utterances on cotton's future expressed at the Cotton Research Congress by E. D. White, assistant to the secretary of agriculture. After 14 years of vacillating theory the government comes to grips with the situation. In final analysis, Mr. White's sensible thesis is that which The News has championed for a generation: Cotton must lower its cost of production to compete on the world markets, and it must create new uses to compete domestically.

It's more than pathetic that our government and the hundreds of laws we have allowed such heathens as John L. Lewis to keep running wild, but Lewis, unfortunately, is again top dog in the labor movement. A pet scheme of Lewis, merger of the CIO and AFL, can be expected to be advanced in the near future—whether the proposed consolidation gets very far or not.

Even disinterested persons can ascertain that the shadows will lengthen considerably over our national economy in view of the general effect of the present coal contract. A new wage pattern will not be immediately set, regardless, by the coal contract.

From the way the Paris conference opened, Washington will not be surprised at anything that may happen. The capital is prepared for a series of international crises, and since we are beginning to be frank about Russia and her sack of "bluff and bull" our State Department relations with Congress will be greatly simplified.

Whether the nation has a slight case of "jitters" to go along with the wave of flying saucers or not, whatever the objects flashing across the sky may be, they have been seen by too many persons and in too many states not to have some real basis of fact.

Europeans are insisting, although in a fantastic way, that Americans have bats in the belfry, rather than saucers in the sky; but despite all the horse-play and darts of the skeptic, Americans will not rest until some sensible explanation of the missiles is given by an authentic source.

With the attitude that a moderate form of socialism will prevail in many lands—whether we in America endorse socialism or not—many will automatically draw the conclusion that private enterprise will disappear; probably not to return for at least a generation in most of Europe and Japan.

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