

FIVE INJURED IN CAR COLLISION NORTH OF CITY

Loraine Football Coach and Others Hurt Released After Treatment in Hospital Monday

Five people were injured Sunday evening about 7:30 o'clock in a head-on collision of two cars three miles north of Snyder on the Lubbock highway.

Richard Brown, football coach at Loraine High School; a sister, Doris June Brown, receptionist at Texas State College for Women, Denton; Mrs. A. A. Heard and her four-year old son, Dwight, of Port Worth, all were "banged up" in the accident, but were released from Snyder General Hospital Monday after first aid had been administered.

According to Highway Patrolmen Herman Seale and T. T. Brady, who investigated the car wreck, Jones, who was reportedly under the influence of intoxicants, failed to negotiate a curve of the highway and hit the Brown vehicle head-on.

Brown was driving a 1947 Ford and Jones a 1940 Plymouth. Both cars were so badly demolished a Snyder wrecking company spokesman said neither vehicle can be repaired.

Over 900 Phones Served by Snyder Exchange Office

New telephone directories for the Snyder office are being distributed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. The new directories contain listings as of October 1, according to Miss Ethel Mae Sturdivant, chief operator in the Snyder exchange.

Total of 899 listings are included in the new phone book. The number of subscribers has since gone over 900 since the directory was printed, Miss Sturdivant says.

Gain of 92 telephones has been registered for the Snyder exchange since September of last year, phone officials say. There are about 30 awaiting telephones as of this week, local manager H. C. Michael Jr. declares.

Earl Lee on First Visit From Hawaii in Years

Earl V. Lee of Kailua, Kona, Hawaii, is in Snyder visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lee, and other relatives. Coming home by plane, this is his first return to Snyder in six years. He plans to stay a month.

Before leaving Hawaii he and his wife entertained at a baby luncheon honoring their year-old daughter, Earlene. The entire Kailua community was invited and about 250 attended the luncheon.

WHO'S NEW

The stork had a light "run" at the Snyder General Hospital the past week. New arrivals since last week's report in The Times included: A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elington of Snyder, who has been named Connie Jo. The little miss weighed seven pounds two ounces when she arrived October 29.



DISCUSS OIL—Texas oil men gathered in San Antonio at the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association talked of the rising costs for drilling exploratory wells, a factor related to the recent 20-cent per barrel advance in the price of crude oil.

Parking Limit on West 25th Street Ordered by City

Snyder's traffic problem on major streets continues to worry city officials, and the City Council, in regular monthly session Monday night invoked the first ordinance limiting the time of parking.

Declaring an emergency, the city governing body made the parking limit effective immediately. One-hour parking only will be permitted on 25th Street for the one block west of the square.

Signs were to be erected this week along the block, and officers were endeavoring to enforce the ordinance this week.

A. M. Roberts was sworn in as new alderman from Ward 1 (east) at the Monday evening council session. Fines collections established an all-time for the month of October, it was revealed when monthly financial report was made by City Secretary J. S. Bradbury.

Bills approved for payment at the Monday session totaled \$2,098.60. Water collections were \$4,548.68 and tax collections were \$5,786.87 for the month of October. Total expenditures were \$5,463.91 and total receipts were \$3,745.51.

Tax assessments for 1947 totaled \$29,015.10, Bradbury reported, which were the highest for several years. A greater tax roll was recorded for the city in the late 1920s.

A. M. Roberts Wins City Alderman Place

A. M. Roberts, REA field man of the Snyder area, was elected city alderman from Ward 1 (east) in a special election last Friday when less than half a vote for the ward was cast.

Roberts received 54 votes to 37 for Dale Rains. The 91-ballot cast compared with the voting strength of about 200 for the ward, city officials said.

Roberts was named to fill the unexpired term of W. A. (Andy) Jones, who resigned in September after moving to San Angelo to make his home.

Spirituals to Feature Union Church Service

Joe Archie and his Western Harmonizers will present a one-hour musical program at the Union Baptist Church, Sunday evening beginning at 6:30 o'clock. It was announced this week by community leaders.

Program will be principally of negro spirituals and folk songs. The Harmonizers are popular radio singers.

Following the musical program, regular preaching services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Cone Merritt, it is announced. The public is invited to attend.

Snyder Boys Place in Rodeo at Roby Show

Two Snyder boys placed in the junior division of the rodeo staged Friday and Saturday in connection with the Fisher County Fair at Roby. Roland Davis split with Richard Stuart of Roby on ribbon roping Friday night. Park Hamilton of Snyder made time of 11 seconds Saturday afternoon in ribbon roping.

EQUIPMENT FOR SNYDER GUARD UNIT ARRIVES

Other Vehicles and Accessories to Come Soon—Six New Recruits Reported During Week

Six new recruits during the past few days for the Snyder National Guard company were reported Wednesday by First Lieutenant Don Bynum, who is assisting with the recruiting campaign.

This brings the total enlistments to 22 for the 124th Cavalry Reconnaissance Company. Projected enrollment strength for the full complement is 121 men besides the officers and caretakers.

New enlistments were Jack Gorman Jr., George Richardson, E. J. Moore, Elwood (Don) Blakey, Garland Bishop and Jim Sterling.

Captain Dawson Moreland of the local company advises that in the current drive the Snyder unit has a quota of 34 enlistments by November 16. Similar drives are being conducted all over Texas where Texas National Guard companies are located.

Two major pieces of equipment have been received by the Snyder unit. They are a jeep and a two and one-half ton truck. Involvement on other major equipment also have been received, Bynum announced. In the new pieces will be five six and one-half ton armored vehicles that carry complete equipment of guns and auxiliary accessories.

New uniforms have been received for the first enrollees in the local company, and other uniforms are scheduled to come within the next several days, Bynum reports.

FFA Boys Take Honors in Fisher Exhibit at Roby

One grand champion, two reserve champions and eight other placings by the Snyder Future Farmers of America chapter were winners listed by the boys at the Fisher County Fair held at Roby last week-end. The boys showed animals in the hog and sheep divisions.

Beecher McCormick, showing the chapter ram, took second place in the Shropshire division. He also placed fifth with his fat weather sheep and third in the aged ewe class.

Bobby Sawyer, showing the chapter Duroc Jersey boar, was awarded first in his class and reserve champion with the same animal. Bobby also placed fourth in the Duroc gilt class.

The chapter Hampshire boar exhibited by J. A. Smith placed first in class and took grand champion in the Hampshire boy division, and grand champion for all breeds. J. A. also placed second with his sow in the Hampshire sow class.

Boys exhibiting in the Roby show are students at Snyder High School and members of the vocational agriculture classes of J. L. (Broadway) Browning.

Deadline for Mailing Gifts Overseas Nears

Only a few more days of time is left to mail Christmas packages to men in the service overseas in order that they may receive their packages in time for Christmas delivery. Mailing time was set by Army departments from October 15 to November 15.

It is advised that discretion in the choice of gifts should be used this year as the soldier overseas now is simply provided with clothing and food. He can also purchase candy, gum cigarettes and lighters, toiletries and other comfort articles.

Christmas Sing-Song Slated December 22

Tentative plans for a community Christmas sing-song were arranged last week when a committee composed of Rev. W. A. Cassey of the First Presbyterian Church and Rev. E. K. Shepherd of the First Baptist Church, representing the Snyder Ministerial Alliance, and Bill Schiebel, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, met.

The program, slated for December 22, 7:00 o'clock p. m., on the courthouse lawn, will include all churches in the county, and will be non-denominational. Christmas carols will be sung to the accompaniment of Snyder High School Band.

Final plans will be made in the near future by the committee after all churches in the county have been contacted.

Mrs. Bert Dennis Gets Admiration Award

Mrs. W. Bert Dennis of the 3-D Ranch in Borden County was among prize winners in the Admiration coffee "Know Your Grocer" contest for the week ending October 18. The Times is informed by Duncan Coffee Company.

Mrs. Dennis was awarded a Silcox coffee maker and a supply of Admiration coffee. Her grocer, D. & R. Food Store of Snyder, also participated in the award.

Lions Sponsor Campaign For Food for Europeans

Rotan Trounces Tigers 24 to 9 in Third 8-A Game

Snyder High School Tigers lost their second District 8-A conference game out of three played so far to the Rotan High School Yellowhammers Friday night on the Tiger field before a routing crowd of supporters from both towns. The score was 24 to 0.

Another loss two weeks ago to the Colorado Wolves and a win from the Roby Lions, with the Rotan game, gave the Snyder squad a conference percentage of .333.

Rotan took the opening kickoff and opened up a sustained drive from their own 28, Virgil Weems scoring from the Tiger's 28-yard line.

Snyder fumbled the succeeding kick-off on their own 25-yard stripe and the oval was recovered by Rotan. A six-yard pass from McCombs to Edwards was the pay-off blow in this march.

The next marker came on a pass play which consumed 50 yards, the McCombs-to-Edwards combination again paying off.

In the third quarter, Yellowhammer Center Carter intercepted a pass on the Snyder 30-yard marker. Lewis carried over from the eight-yard line.

As the game ended, Snyder was threatening from the six-yard position. Snyder made seven first downs to Rotan's 13. The Tigers completed four of 15 passes while the Yellowhammers completed two out of seven attempts.

Starting line-ups were: Pos.—Snyder, Rotan; L. E.—Richardson, Edwards; L. T.—Millhollon, Morrow; L. G.—Lonbotham, W. Morrow; C.—DeFebach, R. Carter; R. G.—Bynum, Underhill; R. T.—Moore, Thorne; R. E.—Blakey, McCright; Q. B.—Everett, McCombs; L. H.—Gorman, Weems; R. H.—Burk, Lewis; P. B.—Martin, Berth.

New Weather Man At San Angelo Says Rains Are Due Soon

Good rains are due to fall in West Texas about November 20, showers should appear about November 8 and 9, and cooler weather is scheduled between November 5 and 10.

That is the best break from the hot, dry drought of recent months that A. S. Pope, San Angelo amateur weather observer, could offer at the week-end. Scurry County residents are ready for all of it—especially the good rains.

A cold December, with a northern front in each week, and a sharp spell just before Christmas are expected. January will be cloudy and damp starting with the first week, Pope said.

Moving to San Angelo from Balinger last week, the amateur prognosticator bases his forecasts on fogs for rainfall and lightning for temperature. For cold he can estimate 60 days ahead, and for rain up to 90 days.

Oldtimer Visits in Snyder.

William F. Crisp, native of Snyder, who left here in 1898 for the West Coast, was in Snyder Wednesday for a short visit. He resides now in Seattle, Washington, where he is employed by a lumber and shipbuilding concern.



REGAN GOES TO WORK—Mrs. Regan watches with a smile as Representative Ken Regan of Midland works on the files in his office on Capitol Hill in Washington. Representative Regan has arrived to take up his duties after being elected to the House to succeed R. Ewing Thomason of El Paso, who resigned from Congress to become a federal district judge.

Boys' 4-H Clubs Reorganize for Year's Work Plan

Reorganization of 4-H Clubs over the county and mapping of plans for the ensuing year are reported by Oscar Fowler, county agent. Most of the clubs have elected officers.

Dunn 4-H Club announces the following officers named: John Echols, president; C. D. Gray, vice president; Donald Grant, secretary-treasurer; Alvis Tarter, reporter and historian; Billy Prince, song leader. Fifteen members have registered in the Dunn club.

Ira 4-H Club, with 30 members, elected the following officer: Lummton Burney, president; Bobby Newton, vice president; Herman Clement Jr., secretary-treasurer; Darrell Crowder, reporter and historian.

Snyder 4-H Club, with 60 registered members, has named officers as follows: Arlon Stokes, president; Benny Sims, vice president; Billy Bob Terry, secretary-treasurer; and Joe Camp, program chairman.

Hermleigh 4-H Club, with 30 members, has elected these officers: Louie Brock, president; Bert Hurley, vice president; Floyd Hacker, secretary-treasurer; Don Wright, reporter; Olin Gulb and A. L. Kerky are adult sponsors for the Hermleigh club.

14 County Students In H-SU Enrollment

Among the more than 2,000 student enrolled in Hardin-Simmons University this term are nine from Snyder, four from Hermleigh and one from Ira, according to Mrs. J. A. Beard, registrar of the university.

Current enrollment is the greatest in the history of H-SU. Mrs. Beard said, and represents both the resident students and those who are taking extension courses.

Those from Snyder enrolled for the term are: Allie Beth Rosson, Leslie Kelley, Billie Kitchens, Helen Jo Graham, Edwin D. Stokes, Jonnie Dell Brock, Durrelle Stokes, Nelda Belle York and Robert George Taylor.

Enrolled from Hermleigh are Edgar L. Hudnall, Frances Fargason, Annie Simpson and Eugene Adam Merket.

From Ira is Louie T. Vaughan.

Hermleigh Lost First Grid Game to Clyde

Hermleigh High School Cardinals lost their first District 10-B conference football game last Thursday night when they went down before a charging Clyde Bulldog aggregation 13 to 0 on the Hermleigh gridiron. Neither team had lost a conference tilt.

Billy Martin plunged over from the five-yard line in the opening period after a sustained drive to count the first Clyde touchdown. In the final period, W. Maness galloped across after the Bulldogs recovered a Hermleigh fumble on the 15-yard stripe to set up the touchdown.

Clyde rolled up eight first downs to seven for the Cardinals, although Hermleigh held the statistical edge during the second half.

Texas Clubs Will Fill Own Train to New York Port

Concerted drive for food for a hungry Europe will begin in Snyder this week-end under sponsorship of the Snyder Lions Club as part of a nation-wide campaign being promoted by Lions Club of all the United States. Snyder Lions hope to assemble nearly a carload of foodstuffs.

Snyder's contributions of food will be pooled with those of Lions Club of other towns and cities in Texas to make up a "Freedom Train" of food. Work committees are appointed at Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the Lions.

Following announcement several days ago that a "Freedom Train" of food was being started on the West Coast and being run to New York for shipment, Texas Lions were quick to promise support. But when it was announced that the train would miss Texas by 800 miles, the Texas Lions decided to run a food train all their own.

It was pointed out at the Tuesday luncheon that the food probably would be America's best weapon to fight the threat of Communism that is hovering over Europe.

Committee name to handle details is composed of M. E. Stanfield, C. T. Hubbard, Raymond Williams and E. W. Bobb.

Materials most needed, that will ship well, are canned goods, dried vegetables and fruit, sugar, cured macaroni and cereals, and grains. Tentative plans call for donations by individuals and firms of cases of canned goods and cereals, original sacks of sugar and grains. The foodstuffs probably will be assembled at the R. S. & P. depot. Cash contributions were suggested as the most practical method by which the committee could purchase the supplies wholesale and be ready for shipment.

Drives in the school to permit the children to bring canned merchandise in smaller quantities for packing were scheduled.

Because the drive was thrust on the local Lions Club and a busy committee, more definite plans had not been made at press time for The Times. For that reason, individuals and firms are urged to contact the committee and arrange for pledges or contributions at once. The food is due in New York within two weeks.

Cub Scouting Off to Good Start as Four Dens Are Organized

Cub Scouting in Snyder has been reorganized and is now in full swing for boys between the ages of nine and 11. Scouting leaders state.

Cubmaster Bill Schiebel and Boy Scout Executive Jim Polk, with the help of School Superintendent M. E. Stanfield, have contacted the following den mothers and they have lined up their dens and are now meeting once a week. Mrs. A. E. Rice, Mrs. Bill Grinnitt, Mrs. C. L. Williamson and Mrs. P. W. Cloud, Mrs. E. E. Wallace, Mrs. Maurice Brownfield and Mrs. W. D. Casbolt.

Four dens have been organized, and the registration of the boys and the pack is underway. As soon as registration has been completed, a pack program will be arranged, at which time the Cubs will be awarded their badges.

Leaders state that any boy between the ages of nine and 11 can join the Cubs by contacting Mr. Stanfield at school or by seeing Bill Schiebel or Jim Polk.

Gas Prices Stable as Tank Rate Goes Up

Retail gasoline prices still had not advanced Wednesday in Snyder and in other towns of this section of the state, after tank wagon prices of the motor fuel rose a half cent last week. The service stations were absorbing the advance. The Times was informed in a check-up yesterday.

Price of gasoline had advanced a cent a gallon about 90 days ago after a one-half cent advance in the tank wagon price.

Price of gasoline was 22 and 24 cents per gallon in Snyder in all stations contacted.

Applications Ready For Ira Postmaster

Applications for the position of postmaster at Ira, Southwest Scurry County, will be received until November 25, it was announced this week by postal authorities.

Examinations will be conducted by the Post Office Department.

Mrs. Mabel Webb has been postmaster at Ira for several years. She will be an applicant for reappointment.



WAR DEAD arrive in San Antonio—A flag draped casket, bearing the first World War II dead to be returned from overseas, is removed from a special train which carried 78 bodies to the San Antonio distribution center.



# The WOMAN'S Page



### Mrs. Fritz R. Smith Hosts Altrurian Club

Home of Mrs. Fritz R. Smith was the scene of the October 31 meeting of the Altrurian Club, when "Fine Arts" was the topic for study.

Mrs. Smith directed the program, introducing it with a discussion of "Popular Pops from the Radio." Following several readings by Mrs. J. W. LeFevich, Mrs. Hugh Taylor discussed "Art." Mrs. R. L. Gray played two piano numbers.

Mrs. Hugh Boren sang "The Star," accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Novis Rodgers, at the piano. Mrs. Rodgers entertained the club members with several piano numbers, including "Romance."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Smith to 15 members and a guest, Mrs. Novis Rodgers.

Next meeting, it was announced, will be the annual love feast, and will be held November 15 at the home of Mrs. John Spears.

### Winnie Jean Wilson Bride of Harvey Paul

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson of Snyder are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Winnie Jean, to Harvey Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul of Hermleigh.

Wedding rites were said Sunday evening, October 26, at 3:00 o'clock in the home of the Methodist pastor at Hermleigh. Rev. Durwood Lynn, pastor, read the ceremony.

The bride is a 1947 graduate of Ira High School.

The newlyweds will be at home at Hermleigh.

### Art Guild Studies Psychiatry Book

The Art Guild met Tuesday evening of last week with Irene McFarland. The president, Madge Popnoe, presided for the business session.

Hattie Gatlin directed the program for the evening, based on George H. Preston's book, "Psychiatry for the Curious." Several mimeographed sketches effectively illustrated points of her discussion.

Halloween motifs were featured in the refreshment plate, which the hostess served to the following: Five new club members, Lucy Enfield, Geraldine Jacobs, Sis Ketter, Mae Stanfield and Vallie Eoff; Hattie Gatlin, Nell Greene, Johnnie Herod, Grace King, Faye Michael, Madge Popnoe, Verna Lee Roe, Dell Smith, Kay Sharp, Golda Thorpe, Mabel Brock, Maude Holcomb and Henrietta Lee.

### Mrs. Leroy Flinn Honored at Gift Party

Complimentary to Mrs. Leroy Flinn of Levelland, bride of two weeks, home town friends entertained Saturday evening in Snyder at a reception and gift party.

The event, honoring the former Miss Allene Curry, was held in the new Snyder Country Club clubhouse.

Hosts were Mrs. Harold Brown, Mrs. Maurice Williams, Mrs. Loy D. Logan, Mrs. W. E. Holcomb, Mrs. Gaston Brock, Mrs. A. W. Simpson and Mrs. Bob Bickerstaff, all of Snyder, Mrs. Fred Merrick of Abilene, Mrs. Carl England of Morton and Mrs. H. O. von der Hoff of Wilmette, Illinois.

The clubhouse was decorated with autumn-toned chrysanthemums in yellow, bronze and white. Bouquets of flowers in matching pottery containers and yellow candles in crystal holders were decorations for the refreshment table, appointments for which featured a bride note.

For the party Mrs. Flinn was wearing a two-piece crepe dress of black and aqua with black accessories and gardenias in a shoulder corsage. Members of the house party and entertainers wore corsages of roses, carnations and chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Brown introduced the artists on program—Mrs. R. E. Gray, Mrs. James K. Polk and Mrs. Lucille Dougherty. Mrs. Gray read a group of poems, and Mrs. Polk, soprano, sang "Calm as the Night" and "My Heart Stood Still" with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Dougherty. Mrs. Dougherty also played informally during serving hours.

Included among the 50 women attending the reception were the following out-of-town guests: Mrs. Cloyce B. Drinkard of Rotan, Mrs. Ed Strout of Amarillo, Mrs. Lee Smyth of Abilene and Mrs. Alden Burge of Alexandria, Louisiana.

Other guests were from Snyder. Gifts were displayed on tables set up in the ballroom.

Mr. and Mrs. England of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Flinn of Levelland spent the week-end in Snyder at the home of Mrs. Flinn's mother, Mrs. A. M. Curry. They were breakfast guests Sunday of Mrs. England's aunt, Mrs. H. C. Gore, Mr. Gore and Mr. and Mrs. Kendale Clark of Snyder.

### THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Your husband is on the wagon, Mrs. Terry—but not the way you think!"

### El Catorce Club in Social Meet Tuesday

El Catorce Club, social and study club of Fluvanna, met for its social meeting at the home of Mrs. Jesse Browning last Tuesday at 3:00 o'clock.

Before starting to play contract bridge, the members had a short business meeting in which they voted to have the annual Thanksgiving dinner at the school house.

Mrs. Raleigh Mason won high prize and Mrs. J. D. Patterson won low prize in bridge play.

Refreshments of pecan pie with whipped cream and coffee were served to 13 members, including a new member, Mrs. J. D. Patterson.

### Mrs. Enfield Gives Art Guild Program

The Art Guild met in regular session Tuesday evening, November 4, with Dell Smith as hostess. Members answered roll call with their assigned topics.

Lucy Enfield directed an interesting program on "Books Worth Reading," in which she gave thumb-nail reviews of numerous books. The session closed with a round table discussion of books which club members had enjoyed reading.

The hostess served refreshments to two guests, Louise Kincaid and Mrs. Otis Firestone; and 17 members, Lucy Enfield, Madge Popnoe,

### Billie Faye Clark and Eugene Miers Wed

Miss Billie Faye Clark became the bride of Eugene Dillon Miers in a ceremony performed Sunday, October 19 at the Assembly of God Church in North Snyder. Rev. Robert Owens, pastor of the church, performed the marriage rites.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Southeast Snyder, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Miers of North Snyder.

For the ceremony the bride wore a blue alpaca dress, and a corsage of pink carnations was worn on her shoulder.

Mrs. Robert Owens served as matron of honor. Richard (Dick) Way was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Miers will make their home in Snyder for the present.

### J. D. Boone Family In Group Gathering

Informal reunion of the J. D. Boone family was held last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boone and Maggie at Camp Springs.

Attendees at the gathering included a son, J. W. Boone, and son, Don, of Santa Monica, California; Mr. and Mrs. Medlin Carpenter and daughter, Sherry Lynn, of Falls; Mrs. Marsene Holt of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Polard of Snyder, Evelyn Boone of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Nichols and Ruth Guilan of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gunn and son.

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### D. Z. Hess and Mrs. Nora Hess Married

D. Z. Hess and Mrs. Nora Hess of Inadale were united in marriage in a ceremony performed Sunday, October 26, at the Dunn Methodist parsonage. Rev. S. A. Sifford, pastor of the Dunn Methodist Church, performed the rites.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hess have lived in the Inadale community for a number of years.

They will make their home at Hermleigh, where they have recently purchased a home.

### Dunn Methodist Women Study Schools

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Dunn Methodist Church observed the Week of Prayer Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Grimes, spiritual life chairman had charge and a fine program was rendered. Mrs. S. A. Sifford was leader. Mrs. Russell discussed "National College for Christian Workers." Mrs. Brown talked on "Iva Ann College." Mrs. Murphy discussed "Starrett College for Christian Workers," and Mrs. Bowser concluded the discussions with "Methodist Institute."

Rev. Sifford was present and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. A Week of Prayer offering was taken and will be used to train Christian workers at the schools mentioned. Mrs. Ashley responded with a scripture reading.

Those who attended the Methodist District Conference at Lamesa Monday from Dunn were Mrs. L. Z. Ashley, Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Sifford, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bodine. Mrs. McWilliams, Mrs. Blessingame and Rev. E. R. Brown of Buford also accompanied the group.

### 20th Century Meets With Mrs. Perkins

Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of M. Bessie Perkins at Dermott, when Mrs. John Cox directed a program on "American Youth."

"Forgotten Boys" was the topic of the leader, Mrs. Cox. Mrs. B. M. West discussed "Youth from a Religious Standpoint." Mrs. P. C. Chenault talked on "What We Are Doing to Help Our Youth."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Perkins to two guests, Mrs. W. A. Casseday and Mrs. W. P. King and 14 members. A salad plate with coffee made up the repast.

### P-TA Reports 362 Members Enrolled

Total membership enrollment in the Snyder Parent-Teacher Association after the recent membership drive is 362 members, according to Mrs. M. H. Roe, chairman. This was reported first of the week after tabulations of the drive were completed.

P-TA officials urge a good attendance of the members at the next regular meeting of the group, scheduled next Thursday, November 13, at 3:30 o'clock, at the high school auditorium.

At the Thursday gathering Mrs. Lucy Enfield will give a variety program on "Children's Books."

### Mrs. John Blakey Jr. Entertains Daughters

Mrs. John Blakey Jr. was hostess to the Altrurian Daughters Club last Wednesday afternoon in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Dordward.

Mrs. Herman Doak and Mrs. P. W. Cloud presented a program on "Fundamentals for Durable Home Construction." The club has as its year's study "Home Building and Furnishings."

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program to the following members: Mmes. Melvin Blackard, John Blakey Jr., Harold Brown, N. R. Clements, P. W. Cloud, Ray Cockrell, Herman Doak, Lucy Enfield, Gerald Gordon, Borden Gray, B. L. McKinley, R. C. Miller Jr., R. E. Patterson, D. K. Ratliff, J. D. Scott, Lee Stinson, Austin Jones, Frank Torgard, J. B. Turner, Marcel Josephson and James K. Polk, and a new member, Mrs. Gwen Reed.

Dr. T. R. Hunter of Dallas was a week-end guest of his uncle, Rev. H. W. Hanks, and family.

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Area Livestock Men Being Urged to Use More Protein Feed to Save Grain

Scurry County and area livestock raisers are being urged by United States Department of Agriculture authorities and other livestock leaders to use increased amounts of protein in livestock rations this season to save scarce grain, make fast gains with less feed, increase production and reduce costs.

Protein, scarce during war-time, now is relatively abundant and cheap compared with grains; and amounts of protein used in livestock rations should be increased to levels that will take full advantage of its grain-saving qualities. A larger 1947 cotton crop has made increased amounts of cottonseed meal and cake available for this purpose.

"Feeds and Feeding," standard livestock text, quotes feeding experiments showing that 100 pounds of cottonseed meal, in a balanced ration, are worth 287 pounds of corn for fattening steers. Five hundred to 600 pounds of corn are saved by 100 pounds of protein supplement in feeding pigs. Dairy cows fed restricted amounts of protein produced 22 to 50 per cent less milk and fat than those fed protein liberally.

In balanced work stock rations, one pound of protein replaces two pounds of grain; and idle work stock and brood mares on pasture may be fed economically on one to two pounds of cottonseed meal without grain.

Proteins save grain because they improve digestibility of all feed; stimulate milk and egg production; are necessary in growth, maintenance and body processes; and, when fed in excess of needs to balance rations, economically meet total energy and fattening requirements under today's conditions.

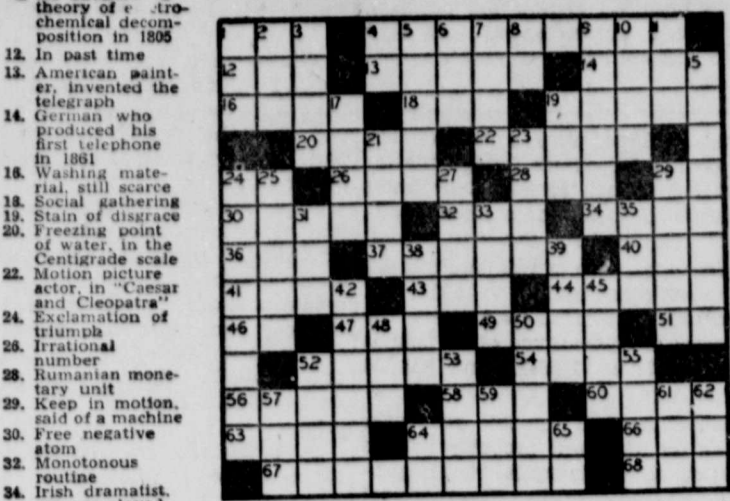
Grain may be almost entirely eliminated in many cases by proper use of roughages and protein concentrates, supplemented with minerals and, when necessary, with vitamin A. Pastures and range forage, supplemented with cottonseed meal, cake, pellets or cubes, and roughages, should produce much of the volume of meat and livestock products needed this season.

Beef steers on good grazing may be fattened satisfactorily by feeding four to six pounds of cottonseed meal or cake daily per head. In the feed lot three to five pounds of protein concentrate will balance full roughage and limited grain rations. Calves make quick, early gains on their mothers' milk, grazing and one to three pounds of protein concentrate. Brood cows need one to three pounds of protein concentrate daily to supplement grazing, stay in good condition and produce strong calves.

Dairy cows on good pasture need a mixture containing 13 to 15 per cent protein. A grain saving mixture is: 100 pounds of ground grain, 100 pounds of cottonseed meal and 200 pounds of hay, ground bundles or cottonseed hulls. To supply at least 20 per cent protein needed when cows are on poor pasture, increase the meal to 200 pounds.

Feeding adequate protein supplement, while limiting market weights to 200-225 pounds, is the best way to save grain in swine feeding. An excellent protein supplement for young pigs, bred sows and sows with pigs is: 40 pounds of cottonseed meal, 40 pounds of tankage or other animal protein, and 20 pounds of alfalfa leaf meal. This supplement may be self-fed, free choice, with grains to young pigs; and hand-fed

Crossword Puzzle



- Across: 1. Spidee-tray; 4. He advanced a theory of electrochemical decomposition in 1855; 12. In past time; 13. American painter; 14. German who introduced his first telephone in 1871; 15. Washing material; 16. Social gathering; 17. Fainting spell; 18. Fainting spell; 19. Motion picture actor; 20. Motion picture actor; 21. Motion picture actor; 22. Motion picture actor; 23. Motion picture actor; 24. Motion picture actor; 25. Motion picture actor; 26. Motion picture actor; 27. Motion picture actor; 28. Motion picture actor; 29. Motion picture actor; 30. Motion picture actor; 31. Motion picture actor; 32. Motion picture actor; 33. Motion picture actor; 34. Motion picture actor; 35. Motion picture actor; 36. Motion picture actor; 37. Motion picture actor; 38. Motion picture actor; 39. Motion picture actor; 40. Motion picture actor; 41. Motion picture actor; 42. Motion picture actor; 43. Motion picture actor; 44. Motion picture actor; 45. Motion picture actor; 46. Motion picture actor; 47. Motion picture actor; 48. Motion picture actor; 49. Motion picture actor; 50. Motion picture actor; 51. Motion picture actor; 52. Motion picture actor; 53. Motion picture actor; 54. Motion picture actor; 55. Motion picture actor; 56. Motion picture actor; 57. Motion picture actor; 58. Motion picture actor; 59. Motion picture actor; 60. Motion picture actor; 61. Motion picture actor; 62. Motion picture actor; 63. Motion picture actor; 64. Motion picture actor; 65. Motion picture actor; 66. Motion picture actor; 67. Motion picture actor; 68. Motion picture actor; 69. Motion picture actor; 70. Motion picture actor; 71. Motion picture actor; 72. Motion picture actor; 73. Motion picture actor; 74. Motion picture actor; 75. Motion picture actor; 76. Motion picture actor; 77. Motion picture actor; 78. Motion picture actor; 79. Motion picture actor; 80. Motion picture actor; 81. Motion picture actor; 82. Motion picture actor; 83. Motion picture actor; 84. Motion picture actor; 85. Motion picture actor; 86. Motion picture actor; 87. Motion picture actor; 88. Motion picture actor; 89. Motion picture actor; 90. Motion picture actor; 91. Motion picture actor; 92. Motion picture actor; 93. Motion picture actor; 94. Motion picture actor; 95. Motion picture actor; 96. Motion picture actor; 97. Motion picture actor; 98. Motion picture actor; 99. Motion picture actor; 100. Motion picture actor.

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Ex-ACC Students Of County Plan to Attend Reunion

Several Scurry County ex-students of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, have indicated they will attend the 1947 annual homecoming for the 15,000 exes November 14 and 15. Saturday, November 15, will be the biggest day of the week-end reunion, but the college A. and W. Clubs, with all social clubs on the campus, will hold welcome-home functions for their ex-members Friday night. Also Friday night both students and ex-students will join in a bonfire and pep rally in preparation for their Saturday football game with Austin College.

Annual homecoming breakfast is slated for 8:30 a. m. Saturday. Then homecoming chapel services will be held at the regular chapel hour, 10:00 a. m. At noon the college will serve the homecoming exes and visitors a traditional barbecue. The ACC girls' sextet and men's quartet are to sing at the barbecue, as well as at the breakfast.

At 2:30 Saturday afternoon the ACC Wildcats will meet the Austin College Kangaroos in the homecoming football game. The tilt will take place in Abilene's Eagle Stadium.

No Worry on Cotton Use. So far as domestic consumption of cotton is concerned, there appears to be no cause for worry this season.—Cotton Trade Journal.

sows in a mixture of 20 per cent supplement and 80 per cent ground grain.

Pigs over 100 pounds in weight do well if self-fed grain and a protein supplement mixture of 60 pounds of cottonseed meal, 20 pounds of tankage and 20 pounds of alfalfa leaf meal. In hand feeding, use 20 per cent of the supplement and 80 per cent of ground grain, changing to 15 per cent of supplement in the mixture when pigs reach 175 pounds.

Wallace Says Little Likelihood of Conflict

Henry A. Wallace, former vice president of the United States, said Saturday at Rome, Italy, that he saw no possibility of armed conflict between the United States and Russia. He added he did not think either power was prepared for war.

Wallace, who arrived in Rome for a short stay after visiting in Palestine, cited the recent agreement between the U. S. and Russia on the Palestinian problem as an important symptom of the easing of tension between the two powers, and said only the solution of the Palestinian problem was essential to the preservation of world peace.

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County Baptists To Attend State Meet at Amarillo

At least seven representatives of the Snyder First Baptist Church were scheduled to attend the annual Texas Baptist General Convention in Amarillo beginning next Tuesday. Other Baptist churches probably will send delegates to the meeting.

Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor, Mrs. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Periman, Mrs. W. W. Gross, H. L. Wren and E. W. Babby had announced their intention of attending Wednesday. Rev. Cone Merritt, pastor of the Union Baptist Church, is slated to attend.

Five thousand Texas Baptists will attend the annual convention to hear reports on denominational work of the past year and messages from outstanding Baptist ministers and laymen.

Featured on the three-day program will be Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma City, former governor of the state of Oklahoma; Dr. Louie D. Newton of Atlanta, Georgia, president of the Southern Baptist Convention; and Dr. J. M. Newton of Washington, D. C., public relations secretary for the Baptists of America.

Preceding the opening of the general convention, the Woman's Missionary Union of Texas will hold its annual meeting. Speakers will include Mrs. George Martin of Norfolk, Virginia, Southern WMU president, and Mrs. J. M. Dawson of Washington, D. C., Mmes. Gross and Periman will attend these sessions.

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- NOVEMBER: 5—Last Continental congress meets, 1787; 6—John Philip Sousa, composer, born, 1854; 7—Cartoon by Theodore East had elephant as Republican symbol, 1874; 8—Allies invade North Africa, 1942; 9—Civil Works administration established, 1933; 10—U.S. Marine Corps founded, 1775; 11—Armistice Day.

M. E. Stanfields Go to Funeral of Relative

Superintendent of School and Mrs. M. E. Stanfield were in Tahoka Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of J. E. Ramsey, 79, father of Stanfield's sister's husband, who died Monday.

Rites for Mr. Ramsey were conducted at the Grassland Methodist Church, with interment in Tahoka Cemetery.

The Governor's mansion at Austin, Texas, was built in 1855, at a total cost of \$17,000.

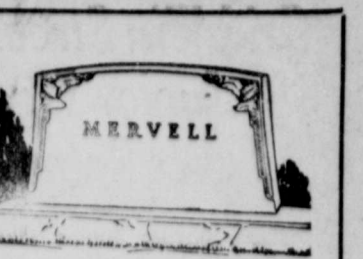
Four Teams to Play In Bowling Schedule

Matched play will begin Tuesday night in the Snyder Bowling League at Rhodes Bowling Alley, five doors north of the ban, it was announced Wednesday by Charlie Rhodes, sponsor of the league.

Veterans of Foreign Wars will tangle with the American Legion team Tuesday in an interesting card. Second matched play will be Thursday night between the Store Boys and the Humble Oilers.

Rhodes announces that other teams may enter league play by arranging with him.

Mrs. T. J. Weathersbee of Rotan was a guest Friday of Mrs. Eunice Weathersbee.



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### Grid Win Streak By Junior Tigers Takes Rotan Tilt

Those Snyder Junior Tigers are continuing their winning ways on the gridiron. This week's victim was the B team from Rotan High School.

Showing big team form, the second stringers defeated the young Yellowhammers 28 to 14 Tuesday night at Tiger Stadium before a medium size crowd of spectators.

Scoring of six after-touchdown points distinguished the game.

The half ended 21 to 0 with Don Keller, Arlon Stokes and C. W. Dorman each scoring touchdowns. Keller scored early in the first quarter on an off-tackle play. Stokes also made an off-tackle plunge for 23 yards and pay dirt in the first stanza. Dorman skirted an end for 60 yards and a score in the second frame. Keller ran over all three extra points.

Rotan came back after the intermission to score twice in the third quarter.

Stokes marked up his second touchdown for the game in the



**MODERN DUSTER**—At a recent belt-wide cotton mechanization conference held at Delta Branch Experiment Station, at Stoneville, Mississippi, this modern helicopter was used in a cotton dusting demonstration.

Industry and implement leaders attending the conference were greatly impressed with the helicopter's maneuverability and ease with which the dusting operation was carried out. The copter might serve Scurry County well.

fourth quarter on an end-around play, and Dorman added the extra point on a line plunge.

Arlon Stokes sustained a knee injury late in the game that will probably "lay him up" for several days.

The Tuesday night win made four in a row for the Junior Tigers.

### Cottonseed Price Registers Slight Gain Last Week

Shipments of cottonseed to crushing mills decreased slightly this week over last week, according to cottonseed grade certificates received by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and reported to The Times in a weekly release. Light rains in Oklahoma and north central Texas curtailed ginnings temporarily.

Prices in Texas increased slightly during the week. The average price received this week was \$87.40 compared to \$86.30 f. o. b. one week ago. Texas prices ranged from \$89 to \$100 per ton, the highest being reported in Northwest Texas.

Mill prices ranged from \$90 to \$105 per ton, according to reports.

Texas and Oklahoma cottonseed grades averaged higher this week than last. Texas grades averaged 105.5. This high average was due a great extent to the high grade of seed originating in the High Plains which averaged 108.0 where movement was heaviest. However the South Plains district (in which is included Scurry County) averaged

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104.5. There were a few quality discounts for excess foreign matter but not enough to materially lower grades. High oil and ammonia content accounted for the high grades.

Disappearance of fats and oils for civilian consumption in 1947 will probably be somewhere between the average disappearance of 68 pounds per capita in 1935-39 and the 64 pounds per capita for 1946. Prospective increase for this year over that for 1946 will probably be due largely to a substantial rise in production and imports. The principal consumption increases this year will be in butter, lard and fats and oil used in soap and drying-oil products.

About 40 pounds of the per capita consumption will be for food uses.

### New Equipment for Santa Fe Truck Lines

Shining new equipment of the Santa Fe Trail Transportation Company appeared in Snyder last week-end when the concern took over the motor freight lines of the Johnson Motor Lines.

Huge trucks with bright aluminum trailers, on which are emblazoned in brilliant red paint the name of the motor freight lines, are part of the system's major equipment used on the long runs from Fort Worth and Dallas to Snyder and on to Lamesa and Lubbock. Two one-ton trucks were brought here for local deliveries.

D. V. Merritt Jr., who had been manager of the Johnson Motor Lines Snyder office, is continuing in that capacity with the Santa Fe concern.

There is a wide difference between speaking to deceive, and being silent to be impenetrable.—Voltaire.

### Clyde W. Boren Goes To Purina Farm on Inspection Mission

Clyde W. Boren of the Boren Feed Market was one of a group of 225 Texas feed dealers who traveled by special train to visit the 738-acre research farm of the Ralston Purina Company at Gray Summit, Missouri, recently.

One of the largest privately owned livestock and poultry research projects in the world, more than 45,000 birds and 3,000 animals are studied each year. The Purina research farm has pioneered many advanced practices such as year-round production of turkeys, dry feeding for calves, life-cycle feeding program for dairy cows, complete dry feed for dogs, special starting mash for baby chicks and other poultry, and many others.

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### More Members Added to Junior Livestock Group

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Members not previously reported include: Alvin Koonsman, Jesse Koonsman, J. L. Adams, W. M. Fuller, Birdwell & Stokes, P. W. Clout, Marsh Springer, G. G. Gordon, Carl Herod, C. N. von Roeder, J. B. Turner, Cliff Birdwell, Earl Clark Jr., Jack Burney, C. V. Thompson and Ross Huddleston; all of Snyder; Jim Layman, W. C. Rea, Tom Bowen, Elmer T. Henry, C. V. Hendrix

### Homemaking Classes Prepare Xmas Box

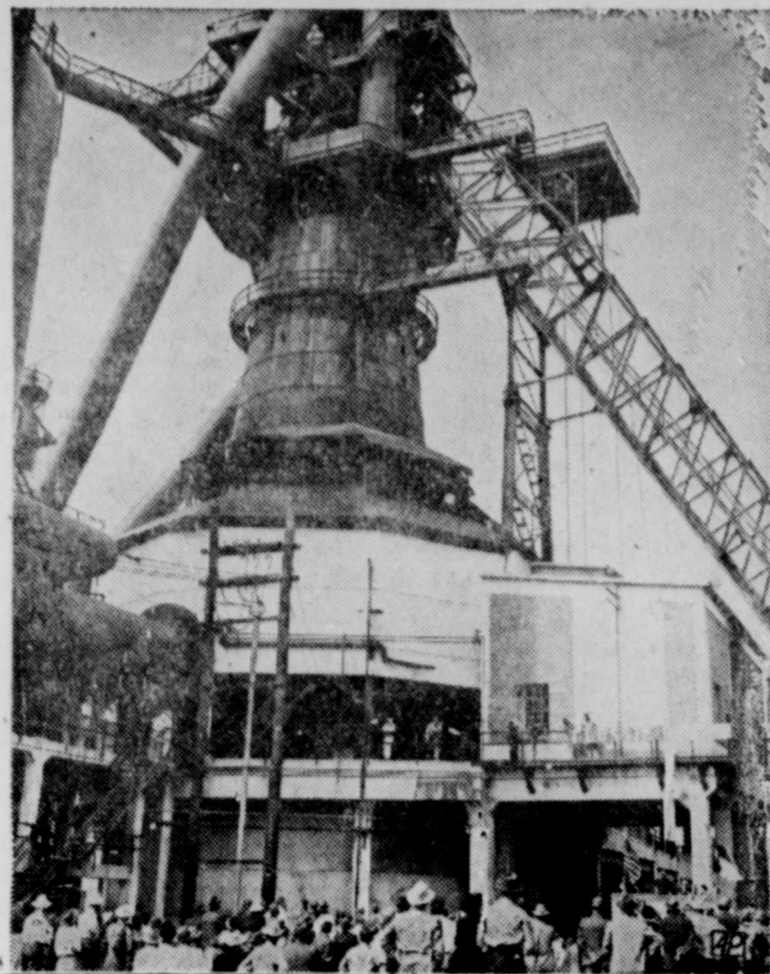
Homemaking classes prepared a box for the children in foreign countries so that they might have a touch of Christmas. The box included gloves, stationery, ties, scarfs, a coat, five pairs of shoes, and 24 stuffed animals.

The second and third year girls made the animals.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Nothing is gained by winning an argument and losing a customer.—Norton.

and Higinbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company of Hermleigh; and G. A. Milliken of Fluvanna. The memberships are for \$10.

Donations of lesser amounts were made by V. M. Minyard and the Planters Gin of Hermleigh.



**BLAST FURNACE CHRISTENED**—This towering blast furnace at the Lone Star Steel Company plant near Daingerfield is christened by Mrs. John W. Carpenter, wife of the chairman of the board of the com-

pany. The furnace was christened the "Flossie Belle" in honor of Mrs. Carpenter. The covering is shown in lower right being removed from the nameplate of the furnace during the ceremony.

### Cinderella Motif Featured in Gay Rites at Stadium

Betty Lynn Gatlin, senior, was crowned Footbal Sweetheart Friday night, October 31, during the intermission between halves of the Tigers vs. Rotan Yellowhammers game at the Tiger Stadium.

The crowning ceremony carried out the Cinderella theme. The Pep Club marched onto the field four abreast. At the 50-yard line they formed two lines making a lane for the advancing Cinderella carriage, decorated in orange and black crepe paper and drawn by black horse.

Band boys, Billy Joe Brown, Joe Davenport, Walter Wells, and John Jarrell, marched two on each side of the carriage, carrying jack-o-lanterns. The carriage, announced by bugles, moved to the middle of the field while the drums rolled and "The Witch," Edith Blackely, dressed in black, waved her magic broom in front of the carriage.

Captain Tiny Moore and Co-Captain Jack Gorman assisted Queen Gatlin from her carriage. She was presented with white chrysanthemums and was crowned with a football helmet while the band played "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

The drums began to beat and

#### Plan for Pickers.

To obtain best results from harvesting machinery their use must be accompanied by adjustments in other steps of cotton production. Varieties of cotton and methods and equipment used in planting, chopping, cultivation and ginning cotton must keep pace with progress in development and use of harvesters.—North Carolina Experiment Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee of Hereford spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Eunice Weathersbee, in Snyder.

bugles sounded again while the Pep Club marched off the field behind the carriage carrying Miss Betty Lynn Gatlin, Footbal Sweetheart of Snyder High School for the 1947-48 school year.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

### Rotary Club Donates \$475 for Band Fund

Snyder Rotary Club presented Mr. Purris Williams, band director, with a check for \$475 to be donated to the Snyder Band this week. Presentation was made at the weekly Rotary luncheon.

The band students alone sold \$200 worth of tickets for the Bendix washing machine raffle.

The Sine Cura Club, the Altrurian Daughters Clubs, and Mrs. A. J. Towle also made generous contributions to the band.

"Students as well as the community wish to express their appreciation for these contributions," Mr. Williams stated.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Rubber stamps at The Times.

### IN MEMORY

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### Homemaking Girls in Park Fund Campaign

Did you know that Cynthia Ann Parker National Park is the only park in Texas named after a woman? The homemaking girls are selling black-and-gold pencils with "Snyder Tigers" written on them to help buy this park. You can get them from any of the homemaking girls for only \$1.

Why buy a cheap pencil when you can get a good one displaying your school colors?—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Mrs. Elmer O. Williams of Abilene and son, John Ted Williams, and his wife of Lubbock, visited with Mrs. H. V. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly and children of Rotan and Carol Byerly of Colorado City were visiting with friends in Snyder Friday.

Candor will lose you some friends, but not as many as deceit.—Young.

### Helen Jo Graham in Players Club at H-SU

Helen Jo Graham, ex-editor of the Tiger's Tale staff, has been elected into the Players Club by Dr. Katherine Boyd, who is the head of the speech department at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Helen Jo was also in the Dramatics Club in Snyder High School.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. (Pete) Bradbury and three children were Sunday guests in the J. S. Bradbury home.

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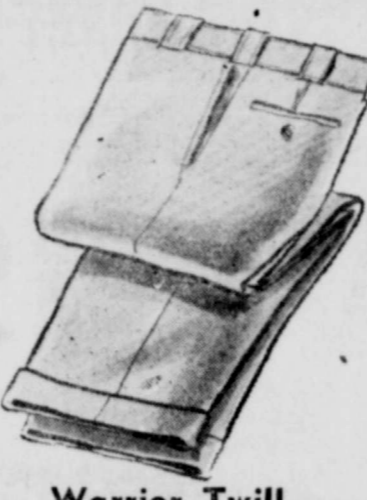
## ROUGH DRY

Flat work nicely ironed; wearing apparel starched and dried.

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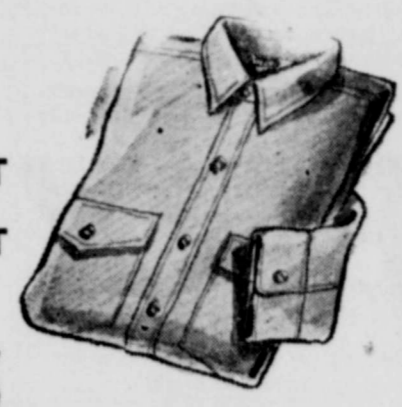
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## LIGHT UP FOR BETTER LIVING

Dark, dreary days may be expected rather frequently during fall and winter months. This means that your home lighting is most important this time of year. From morning until bedtime, your lamps and lighting fixtures must all put out enough of the right kind of light for easy seeing.

Before the fall season gets too far along, check your lighting fixtures and lamps carefully. Make sure that every socket has a bulb large enough to provide adequate illumination and that shades are so fixed that glare is eliminated. Remember, with Better Light you will have Better Sight.

**Fill EMPTY SOCKETS**

Fill all empty sockets and replace burned out lamp bulbs. Do away with blacked-out walls, closets, and corners for bright, cheerful living.

**Use RIGHT SIZE BULBS**

Use the right size bulb for the lighting job to be done to make sure you have the best light possible for work, study or recreation.

**Buy SPARE BULBS**

For your convenience, buy lamp bulbs by the half-dozen or dozen. Keep an assortment of spares on hand.

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**Coffee** Admiration, Pound **49¢**

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Fresh GREEN BEANS . . . . . 19¢ Pound

8-Lb. Bag 49¢

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## LARD

Armour's, 3-Lb. Carton **98¢**

**Canned CHILI**  
Van Camp's—Limited  
Tall Can . . . 19¢

**VIENNA SAUSAGE**  
SNACK TIME BRAND  
2 Cans for . . . . . 25¢

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Two No. 2 Cans . . . . . 25¢

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<b>ROAST</b> AA Beef, Chuck—Lb. . . . . 33¢	<b>CH OW—CH OW</b> Onions, Lb. . . . . 10¢
<b>SAUSAGE</b> Fresh Ground, Pound . . . . . 39¢	<b>Cabbage, lb. . . . . 5¢</b>
<b>WIENERS</b> Serve With Kraut—Lb. . . . . 33¢	<b>Bell Peppers. 15¢</b>
<b>MARGARINE</b> Any Brand, Pound . . . . . 35¢	<b>Vinegar, qt. . . . . 13¢</b>
	<b>Jar Lids, box 12¢</b>

## RAINBOW MARKET

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### Snyder Hospital Affiliating With Blue Cross Plan

Snyder General Hospital has been certified as a member of the Blue Cross plan of non-profit hospitalization. At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the local institution the group voted to become affiliated with the plan.

The hospital has already been accepted and is now a full fledged member of the Blue Cross plan, which means that those who carry the Blue Cross plan of hospital service will receive full benefits in the Snyder General Hospital.

Hospital officials point out that the Blue Cross plan of hospital service now has more than 29,000,000 people enrolled for this service, which means that they have pre-paid hospitalization to the extent that it will take care of from 90 to 95 per cent of the average hospital bill.

There are more than 3,800 hospitals in the United States which guarantee the benefits of the Blue Cross plan of hospitalization.

Other hospitals in the Snyder area which are affiliated include institutions at Lubbock, Slaton, Seagraves, Brownfield, Seminole, Colorado City, Lamesa, Big Spring, Midland, Lorraine, Roscoe, San Angelo, Winters, Ballinger, Rotan, Haskell, Knox City, Ranger, Cisco, Breckenridge, Baird, Brownwood, Coleman, Santa Anna, Abilene and Merkel.

Some people believe anything you tell them—if you whisper it.



DUET of very effective ambassadors for the cotton industry, Scurry County farmers learn, were the Maids of Cotton for 1946 and 1947. The 1946 Maid (left) was Gwin Barnwell of Gastonia, North Carolina, while the 1947 Maid was lovely Hilma Seay of Memphis, Tennessee. The National Cotton Council inaugurated the program in 1939.



### Juanita Pitner and Bryan Jordan Jr. Wed

Home of Rev. E. K. Shephard was the scene of the October 31 wedding of Juanita Pitner and Bryan E. Jordan Jr. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Shephard, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

Juanita is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Pitner. Young Jordan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan E. Jordan Sr. of Snyder.

Mrs. Jordan has been employed in California and Dallas since graduating from Snyder High School. Jordan attended John Tarleton Agricultural College and Texas Tech College. He is now engaged as a drilling contractor.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Carlsbad.

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### Tigers Meet Slaton in Non-Conference Tilt

When Tigers meet Tigers there's bound to be a good scrap. And that scrap will be staged on the Slaton High School gridiron Friday night when the Snyder High School gridders meet the Lubbock County crew in a non-conference game.

Coach Tommy Beene says his boys are in fair shape after the drubbing handed them last Friday night by the Rotan Yellowhammers. Slaton gridders are reportedly in good fettle for the fray.

### FARM FACTS WORTH KNOWING

Q.—How can a poultry raiser overcome dirty eggs?

A.—To insure clean eggs from your hens, be sure to observe the following practices: 1. Provide one nest for each seven hens. 2. Keep floor covered with good litter. 3. Keep nests well littered with shavings, excelsior or straw. 4. Keep under-side of perches covered with 1/2-inch mesh 16-gauge wire. 5. Keep hens in house when yards are muddy. 6. Have hands clean when gathering eggs. 7. Pack eggs in good cases with clean fillers and flats.

Q.—What percentage of pigs that are farrowed are raised to market? Can this percentage be increased?

A.—According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, normally only 56 per cent of the pigs that are farrowed reach market age. This high mortality figure means an increase in production costs, including feed for those pigs that fall by the wayside. At the research farm of a famous feed concern where a program of breeding, feeding, management and sanitation is followed, about 79 per cent of the pigs farrowed are raised to market.

Q.—What causes milk to become ropery after it has stood a while, and how can this condition be prevented?

A.—Ropey milk should not be confused with stringy, clotted, gargety milk from mastitis infected cows. Ropey milk may look normal as it comes from the cow and usually the ropey condition is not apparent until it has stood for several hours during which time the types of bacteria responsible for this condition have had a chance to multiply. Bacteria causing this condition are usually found in stagnant water, and the trouble is apt to occur when cows get out on pasture and wallow in ponds or swampy places. Improper sterilization or rinsing milking utensils with impure water may cause contamination. This trouble can easily be overcome by improved sanitation practices.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to Farm Facts, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

### HOSIERY BARGAINS

ANKLETS—11 pairs for \$1.00; regular 25c value. For infants, girls or ladies. Cuff tops, assorted colors.  
LADIES' HOSE—4 pairs for \$1.00; regular 25c value. Choice of semi-sheer seamless rayon, or full-seam service weight cotton. New Fall shades.  
MEN'S COTTON SOCKS—8 pairs for \$1.00; regular 25c value. Medium w. long style or short-elastic top. Assorted colors.  
BIBBLES DIAPERS—\$2.95 per dozen. First quality, 27x27 hemmed, in sanitary sealed package.  
MEN'S DRESS SOCKS—2 pairs for \$1.00; 35c value. Fine rayon, long style or short elastic top. Assorted colors.  
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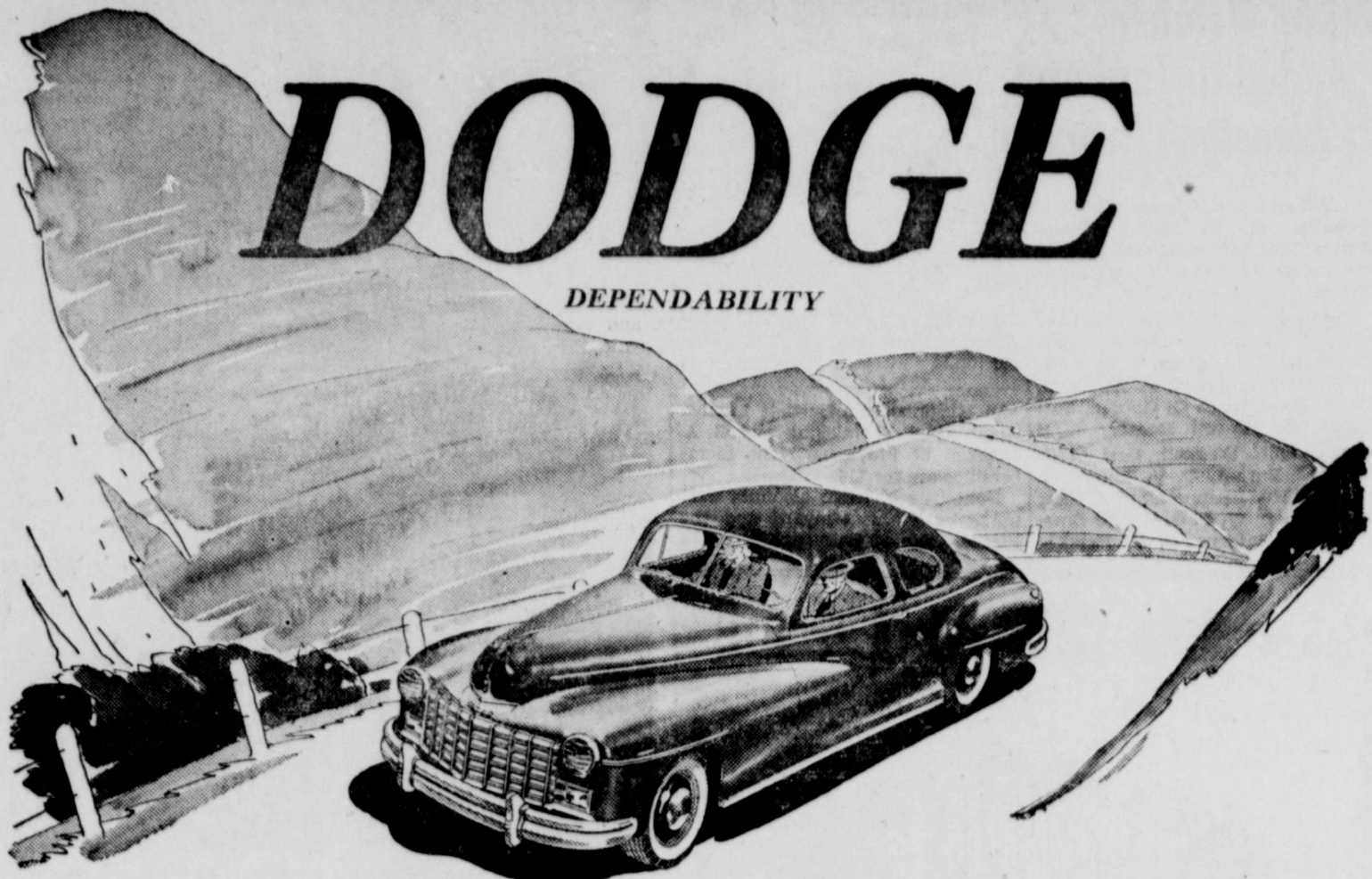
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Midway News

Mrs. Marvin Snowden, Correspondent
Mrs. J. S. Knight left Sunday morning for a week's visit with Mrs. Jessie Edwards at San Angelo.

Ennis Creek

Mrs. Allen Davis, Correspondent
People of this community wish to thank the members of the Snyder Fire Department for the demonstration of the iron lung given at Ennis Creek Schoolhouse last Thursday night.

IRA COMMUNITY NEWS

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
Sensraves spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bryce. Mr. and Mrs. Gloy Gossage of Odessa and little Johnnie Drew Brocat of Pecos spent several days in the Drew Clark home.

Dunn News

Mrs. Bama Clark, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson returned last Wednesday from Fort Worth and Dallas where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Fred Calton, and their grandchildren and son, Frances Johnston, and family.

Dermott News

Johnnie Maple, Correspondent
A. J. Davis and children of Westbrook visited Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Luther Edmondson and family.

A HABIT WORTH CULTIVATING . . .

Do you make regular deposits in your bank account, or have you gradually let the months slip by without adding to it? Plan your spending wisely—cultivate the habit of thrift—and build up a bank account which will make it easy to have so many of the good things of life.

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Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent
Mrs. Edgar Dulin of Colorado City spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Hall, and family.

Mrs. Wayne Eubank and daughters, Joy and Jo, spent Sunday with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Blanche Tate of Snyder.

SALSBURY SAL advertisement with image of a bottle and text: 'If an illness strikes a friend, AVI-TAB will help her mend!'

WE REMOVE DEAD ANIMALS IMMEDIATELY advertisement for Sweetwater Rendering Co., Phone Collect 2013.

Going Too Far. The youthful mountaineer had just been brought into court and sentenced for breach of the peace.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS advertisement for Stinson Drug Company.

Program for the Week: PALACE THEATER advertisement listing shows like 'THE VIGILANTES RETURN'.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES advertisement listing rates for various types of ads.

business Services advertisement listing services like electrical repairs and sewing.

Miscellaneous advertisement listing various items for sale and services.

Real Estate for Sale advertisement listing various properties for sale.

Real Estate for Sale advertisement listing a three-room modern cottage.

Real Estate for Sale advertisement listing a five-room house.

Real Estate for Sale advertisement listing 160 acres of land.

Real Estate for Sale advertisement listing a five-room house.

For Rent advertisement listing a one-room private entrance.

For Rent advertisement listing a two-room furnished apartment.

For Rent advertisement listing a two-room furnished apartment.

For Sale advertisement listing a three-room range.

For Sale advertisement listing a B-flat Elkhart Ebonite Clarinet.

For Sale advertisement listing a Plymouth coupe.

For Sale advertisement listing a three-room oil cook stove.

For Sale advertisement listing a bedroom suite.

For Sale advertisement listing a one GI hut.

For Sale advertisement listing 4,000 bundles of kaffir corn.

For Sale advertisement listing a three-year-old horse.

Lost and Found advertisement listing a pig and a brown Pekinese dog.

Large advertisement for Conoco Motor Oil featuring an illustration of a car and text: 'NOW-make a date to OIL-PLATE!'

At the TEXAS advertisement listing various shows and performances.

CARL HEROD advertisement for Conoco Consignee, Telephone 257.

### Mayme Lou Stokes Is Dormitory Assistant

Mayme Lou Stokes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Stokes of 901 14th Street, is one of the 55 girls who will serve as residential assistants in the regular dormitory system at Texas State College for Women, Denton.

In order to be chosen a residential assistant, a student must maintain a good citizenship and high scholastic record. Residential assistants reside in the dormitories in which they are employed and serve as secretaries to the director.

Miss Stokes is a senior speech major. She is listed on the dean's honor roll.



SNYDER AREA WOMEN will like the lightweight wool dresses for fall, with two creations pictured that won top honors in a

recent fashion show in New York City. These two dresses were designed by Henry Rosenfeld.

### Merkel Wins Tilt From Roscoe to Keep 1,000 Rank

Roscoe High School Plowboys last week gave undisputed claim to the top position of District 8-A football teams to the Merkel Badgers when the Plowboys lost a conference tilt to the Badgers by the count of 27 to 7. It was Roscoe's second loss for the second but her first conference tilt.

Merkel has not lost a game out of the seven played so far.

Snyder, by her loss to the Rotan Yellowhammers last week-end, slipped to sixth place in the season standings and held her fifth rank in the all-season standings. Percentage of Snyder in both the conference and all-season standings was .333. The Tigers have won two of six all-season games, and one of three conference tilts.

In results of games played by District 8-A teams last week-end, Merkel beat Roscoe 27 to 7; Colorado won over Loraine 25 to 0; and Rotan defeated Snyder 24 to 0.

All-season standings are:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Merkel	7	7	0	1.000
Roscoe	6	4	2	.667
Rotan	7	3	3	.571
Colorado City	6	3	3	.500
Loraine	7	3	4	.429
Snyder	6	2	4	.333
Roby	7	1	6	.143

Standings of teams in the District 8-A conference race follow:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Merkel	3	3	0	1.000
Colorado City	2	2	0	1.000
Rotan	4	3	1	.750
Roscoe	3	2	1	.667
Snyder	3	1	2	.333
Loraine	3	0	3	.000
Roby	4	0	4	.000

Games scheduled for this week-end playing are: Roscoe at Loraine; Colorado City at Roby; Rotan at Merkel; Snyder at Slaton (non-conference).

#### Necessity Finds a Way.

Little Mary was left to fix the lunch, and when her mother returned with a friend, she observed that Mary had the tea strained.

Mother—"Did you find the lost strainer, dear?" (as they were eating).

Little Mary—"No, mother, I used the fly swatter."

#### Crossword Answer

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M E B G R O T T H U S S
A G O M O R S E R E I S
S O A P T E A T A I N T
Z E R O R A I N S R
H A S U R D N E U G O
A N I O N R U I T S H A W
W O M E N D I S C A U G
K O K A A P P O B E S E
S E M A R R A T E S R
B A P S E S T E A L
E A V E S A L A T U B E
E V E R S W I M S S O Y
P R E G N A N C Y E W E

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### Dignified Granite



Dignified Wren Granite Monuments in all sizes and designs at moderate cost make it easy to mark the resting place of your loved ones.

H. L. and LEON WREN At Wren Hardware

More Than Money's Worth. Customer in drug store (on Sunday morning)—"Please give me the change for a dime."

Druggist—"Here you are. I hope you enjoy the sermon."

Just Barely Make It. "Mama, I never see a picture of an angel with a beard or moustache. Don't men go to heaven?" "Yes, dear—but it's always by a close shave."

### Santa Fe Carloadings Up.

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending November 1, 1947, were 31,315 compared with 27,910 for the same week in 1946. Cars received from connections totaled 13,305 compared with 13,123 for the same week in 1946. Total cars moved were 44,620 compared with 41,033 for the same week in 1946. Santa Fe handled a total of 44,354 cars in the preceding week of this year.

One implement dealer makes the forecast that within three years every farmer in Western Oklahoma who has 50 acres or more of cotton will have a stripper. He may be too optimistic, but the use of strippers appears likely to expand rapidly in the next few years.—Oklahoma Experiment Station.



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### Hanks to Preach at Polar.

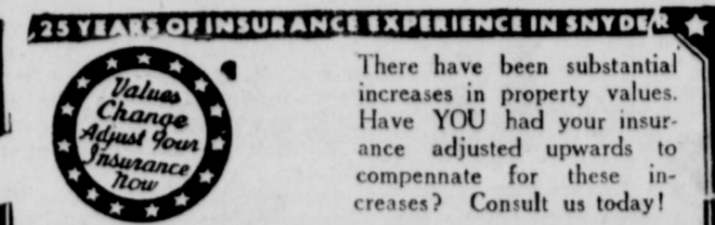
Preaching services will be held at the Polar school house Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. H. W. Hanks, pastor of the Snyder First Methodist Church, will preach at services.

### Is You Is or Ain't You?

First—"You ain't got no tobacco is you?" Second—"I ain't said I ain't is it?" First—"I ain't ast you if you ain't; I ast you is you is—you ain't is you?"

### Selection Made Easy.

"Did you find it difficult to find a name for your little son?" "Not. Certainly not. We have only one masculine relative who has a fortune!"



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- It's "Matchless"—Top burners, oven and broiler light with a twist of a dial.



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## Cotton Parity Reaches New High of 29.64c

Babson Park, Mass., Oct. 31.—Recently readers have been asking me some rather tough questions. To answer all of them I would have to be an oracle, as well as a statistician. However, I do the best I can. Right now I am deluged with inquiries as to when the peak in wholesale, commodity prices will be reached and whether there will be a further rise in the cost of living. Briefly, and with fingers crossed, the wholesale price peak should be seen by the early second quarter of 1948. As to retail prices and the cost of living, a further rise is inevitable.

**A Glance at the Record.**  
To bring you up-to-date on commodity price inflation, I shall risk boring you with a few statistics. The latter, as you know, are much maligned, but do serve a purpose. Since August, 1939, to recent date, the Bureau of Labor's all commodity wholesale price index has advanced 109.5 per cent. Building materials have skipped ahead to the tune of 103.5 per cent, other things have advanced 165.3 per cent. The real culprit, however, is farm products, with a gain of 207.4 per cent. Hence, the unprecedented prosperity in the farm belt, which seems destined to continue for a year or so at least. Merchants should keep that fact in mind. Farm areas are a seller's bonanza these days. Farmers should be very careful not to lose their profits by making questionable "investments."

To give you a better idea of what the current commodity price inflation means in terms of dollars and cents, I shall cite a few specific instances. Back in August, 1939, railroads and manufacturers could buy a ton of bituminous coal at the mines for \$2.50 to \$2.70; today they must pay \$4.10 to \$5.25 per ton. Southern pine lumber then was selling for \$22.95 per 1,000; today it commands \$30. A pound of butter in August, 1939, would have cost you market man 24¢ cents; today the price is 68¢ cents. Whereas cocoa then was selling for about five cents a pound, and the price now is nine cents. This fact does no good for the five-cent chocolate bar.

**Raw Materials Outlook.**  
Raw material prices have increased since August, 1939, about 160 per cent and will go higher. Huge pulp purchasing power, plus continued high employment at good wages, points to heavy demand for finished goods for some time to come. Steel and certain other raw materials are already scarce. Nylon stockings may soon be scarce again. Rents will be higher. Production costs certainly will not move lower in the months ahead, and might well increase, especially if labor should strike for still higher wages to offset advancing living costs.

It is possible, however, that prices may move lower in the not-too-distant future. Prices of cocoa, bur-lap and shellac are being artificially maintained at exorbitant levels by foreign countries. But it may well be that these governments of producing countries are over-playing their hands.

**Farm Price Trend.**  
Farmers, under government tutelage, now know when to hold and when to sell. Under the "parity price" program they have little to lose by playing their cards close to their chest. The well advertised program of foreign aid, with its indicated strain upon the domestic economy, is the farmer's cue for holding his wheat or other products for still higher prices.

Under the circumstances, I believe that farm prices will hold up during 1948. This year's short corn crop, plus heavy foreign demand for wheat and other food products, is the pivotal factor. While the food conservation program may tend to ease the over-all strain, it will not radically alter the tight supply and demand situation.

**Conclusion.**  
While I regret to say it, the average American housewife, in the months ahead, will be faced with higher prices in order to fill her market basket. Already she is paying over double the August, 1939, food prices. My advice is to practice economy by following simple dietetic rules. There are many good substitutes for costly meat, eggs, etc. A few shifts in diet, and a little curbing of inordinate appetite can easily fatten the pocketbook while limning the figure. The best excuse is to push food away from you. "Second-helping-itis" is the most prevalent American disease.

### Charles W. Kincaid Assigned to Cavalry

Charles W. Kincaid has been commissioned as a second lieutenant in the Texas National Guard, according to a release to The Times from the Adjutant General's Department of the state of Texas. Kincaid, who served in the European campaign during the World War II, has been assigned to platoon leader of the reconnaissance platoon, Troop A, 124th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron. The 124th Squadron is being organized in Snyder under direction of Captain H. D. Ireland and First Lieutenant Doyle Mann.

**What's He Doing to You, Fido?**  
"Hello," called a feminine voice from the telephone. "Is this the mane Society?"  
"Yes," was the reply.  
"Well, there's a book agent sitting a tree, teasing my dog."

### Virginia Albright Crowned Queen At Ira Carnival

Virginia Albright an attractive sophomore, was selected queen of the Halloween Carnival last Friday night and was crowned at the conclusion of carnival festivities in the high school gymnasium.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Albright, Virginia wore a white satin dress with a train which was carried by Little Jo Nell Eubank and Carl Jane Martin. Darrell Crowder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crowder, was the queen's escort. Jim Bob Millhollon carried the crown on a white pillow.

Little Betty Jean Albright, sister of the queen, and Billy Brooks, first grade pupils, led the way to the stage where the coronation ceremonies were held.

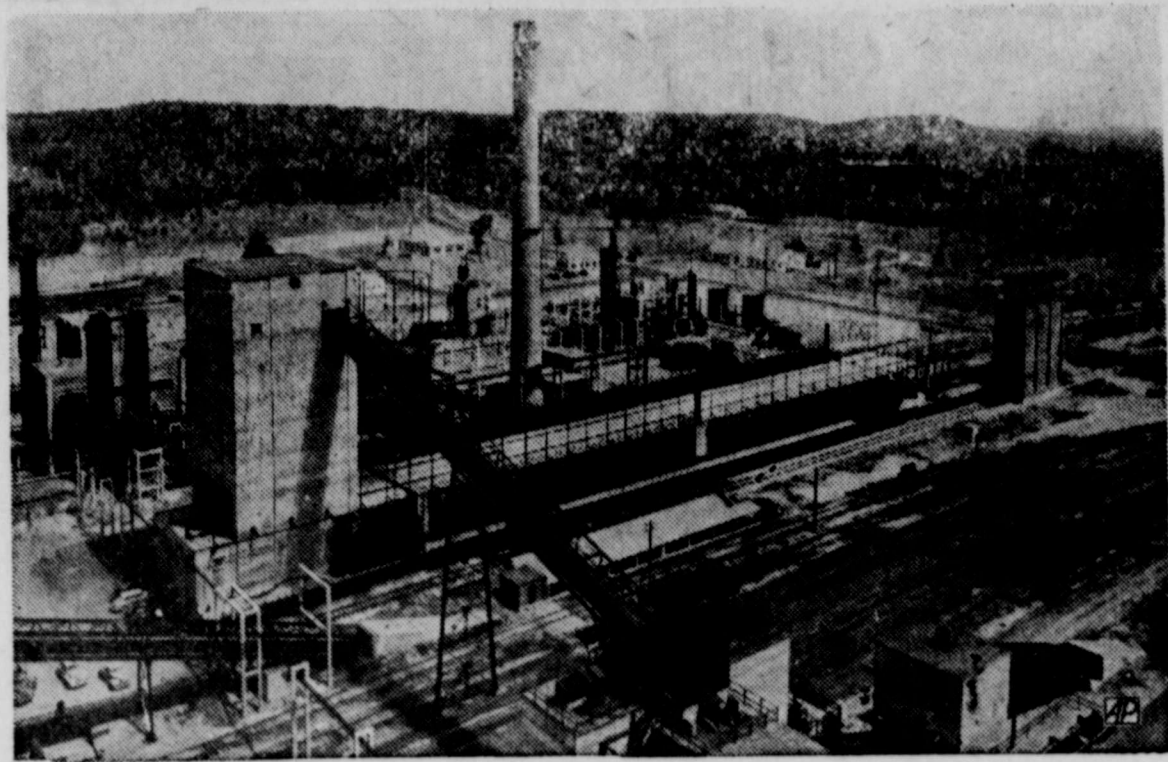
Other class representatives who took part on the program were: Alva Ella Foster and Thomas Carl Echols, second grade; Jacqueline Dunn and Kenneth West, third grade; Patsy Chisman and Dicky Dan Hardee, fourth grade; Billie Laine and Louis Randolph, fifth grade; Juanee Board and Scott Thompson, sixth grade; Peggy West and Lyndon Moses, seventh grade; Glenna Faye Newton and Henna Lee Clements, eighth grade; Barbara Holladay and Morris Lee LeMay, freshman class; Thomas Westfall and Elbert Foster, junior class; Helen Sterling and Tommy Rea Falls, senior class.

Mrs. Lewis, piano teacher at Ira Schools, played for the program. Gloria Ann Falls, Jo Hardee and Patsy West, trio, sang "Isle of Gold in Dreams."

Besides the coronation rites, a real Halloween spirit prevailed during the evening. Three short movies were shown in the library. Sandwiches, hot dogs, pie, cake, coffee and punch were sold by representatives of various classes.

The cake walk was a popular spot in the concession row. Bingo, fishing pond, country store, ball throwing, penny pitching and ring toss drew enthusiastic crowds.

Sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association, the carnival was declared a huge success. The P-TA asks The Times to especially thank Pat Falls, the superintendent, and the teachers and school patrons for their efforts in making the carnival the success it was.



**TEXAS STEEL PLANT**—The coke ovens and by-products plant (above) of the Lone Star Steel Company plant near Dainierfeld has been in operation since August. Buildings where coal is crushed and pulverized

are seen in the foreground, with the long conveyor system extending to the coal bin which holds hundreds of tons of coal. At the left, back-row, is the ammonium sulphate plant; to the right of the 150-foot stack are

plants where benzol and other light oils are produced. The first pig iron on October 20. The Lone Star plant is one of the newer Texas industries that produce needed raw materials.

### Young Men May Be Enrolled in R. O. T. C.

Male students of Snyder High School who are 17 years of age may receive appointment to the Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps which gives them a paid college education.

Interested students should seek information immediately from their school principals or from Naval ROTC headquarters at the University of Texas and Rice Institute. The application to take competitive examinations to be given in 21 Texas cities on December 13 must be filed not later than November 10. Naval authorities have reminded.

Successful applicants may attend one of 52 universities and colleges with tuition and other fees paid, uniforms provided and pay of \$60 per month for four years. Graduates are commissioned in the U. S. Navy or U. S. Marine Corps and are given equal rank and opportunity with U. S. Naval Academy graduates.

If you're having typewriter troubles, phone The Times, No. 47.

### Snyder General Hospital

Patients at Snyder General Hospital since last week's report in The Times have included:

**Medical Patients**—R. V. Williamson of Snyder; Anita Limas (Mexican) of Phuyana; and Donnie Tilton (colored) of Snyder.

**Accident Patients**—Mrs. Sid Sharp of Gall; Allen Jones of Post; Richard Brown of Lorraine; Mrs. A. A. Heard and son, Dwight, of Fort Worth; Mrs. Doris Brown of Fort Worth.

**Surgery Patients**—Mrs. B. P. Mof, Jr. of Snyder, minor surgery; Marie Taggart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Taggart of Snyder, tonsillectomy; and Robert Johnston of Snyder.

**Remaining Patients**—R. T. Hodges of Tuscola; Mrs. J. W. Eades of Snyder; and Mrs. Emma Beall of Snyder.

Living organism, including insects, earthworms, roots of plants and bacteria have much to do with the formation and fertility of the soil.

### Farm Equipment May Be Bought from WAA

Farmers of Scurry County and others of the southwestern Southwest are being encouraged to contact Customer Service Centers of the War Assets Administration for such limited farm equipment and supplies as are offered from time to time. Farm operators are urged to communicate with such centers in their territory regarding any wanted items on farms whether or not the equipment desired has been advertised, declared R. G. Berle, newly appointed agricultural representative of the Grand Prairie zone office of WAA.

Customer Service Centers in the southwestern WAA zone are located at Grand Prairie, Houston and San Antonio, Texas; New Orleans, Louisiana; Tulsa and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

**It Multiplies by Division.**

Cheerfulness is not solitary. It depends on others for its existence. The very appearance of a cheerful person breathes of good nature, and helps the rest of us to live better.

### State Spending Must Slow or Tax Levy to Be Upped

Times readers will be interested in a recent report of the Texas Research Institute concerning continued spending by the state of Texas. A battle over state spending is shaping up as the biggest problem that will confront the next Legislature when it convenes in January, 1948, according to the institute.

The Legislature will either have to cut expenditures or levy additional taxes, declares the report issued this week by the institute, a statistical agency sponsored by the South Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"The state government is taking in more money than ever before," says the report. "But it also is spending far more than ever before. The last Legislature appropriated all the money certified by the comptroller as available, including an accumulated surplus of \$52,000,000.

A much smaller surplus will be available when the next Legislature convenes. The difference will have to be raised by more taxes unless the lawmakers reduce expenditures."

State government cost increased 34 per cent in the fiscal year ended last August 31 over the preceding fiscal period to reach a total of \$319,988,101, the institute reported. It was the biggest year-to-year gain in history.

"This expenditure will be overshadowed, however, by the anticipated expenditure of more than \$450,000,000 for each year of the present biennium," the report added. "Demands for still more spending may be expected in the next Legislature. Higher taxes will be difficult to avoid unless Texans alarmed by the prospect, make their voices heard between now and January, 1948."

### Louise Boy Hurt in Bike Fall from Cliff

Joe K. Lopour and his mother, Mrs. Emma Lopour of the Plainview community, and Darwin Gordon of Ira spent last week at Portales and Roswell, New Mexico. At Roswell they visited Joe Earl Lopour, son of Joe K. Lopour, who was injured last week when he fell from a cliff on his bicycle.

The group also visited with Emil P. Lopour at Portales, formerly of the Plainview community.

### ALMANAC



**OCTOBER**  
23—Volstead Act passed by congress, 1919

30—Rationing of shoes ended, 1945

31—Halloween

**NOVEMBER**  
1—Bill reducing income taxes passed congress, 1945

2—James K. Polk, 11th president, born, 1795

3—American army disbanded, 1783

4—Will Rogers, humorist, born, 1879

### Six Snyder Lions Go to Area Meet Held at Midland

Snyder Lions Club will participate in Texas Freedom Train for gathering food for destitute European countries, it was decided at the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of the civic group in the Manhattan dining room. A steering committee for working out plans of gathering the food and arranging for shipment was appointed by President Don Robinson. On the committee are M. E. Stanfield, C. T. Hubbard, Raymond Williams and E. W. Bobb.

A more extended story on the food drive is found in another article in today's Times. Elwood Blakely, a Snyder High School senior, and member of the speech class, read "Death of Sam Magee," as program feature at the Tuesday luncheon.

Six Lions indicated they would attend a district meeting of Lions Clubs at Midland Wednesday night. Roy Keaton, assistant secretary of Lions International, and brother of Paul Keaton, Snyder business man, was slated as principal speaker at the Midland conclave.

Showcard colors at The Times.

### Support Comes as Boon to Sagging Price of Staple

Scurry County and area cotton growers were elated over the gradual climb in the parity price for cotton which this week reached a new high of 29.64 cents per pound. In the face of declining open market quotations on the staple, the new high parity appeared as a rain-bow in the otherwise cloudy outlook for cotton.

Cotton prices declined almost \$5 per bale during the week, according to the Department of Agriculture's release to The Times. Spot markets continued very active. Mill buying continued in volume.

October parity price for cotton advanced to a new high of 29.64 cents per pound. Prices received by farmers declined about one-half cent to 30.55. Textile markets continued active with prices firm.

Ginnings through October 17 totaled about 6,750,000 bales. Picking and ginning made generally good progress throughout most of the belt. However, rains in the southeast and showers in other sections of the belt caused some delay.

Prices for middling 15-16 inch cotton in the 10 spot markets averaged 32.25 cents per pound last Thursday, as compared with 33.19 a week earlier and 30.14 cents on the corresponding Thursday in 1945.

Average for the week ended Wednesday was 32.65 cents per pound as compared with 32.09 for the preceding week. Prices dropped sharply following the announcement of a special session of Congress. Prices were generally irregular during the remainder of the week.

Reported sales in the 10 spot markets totaled 438,000 bales as compared with 584,800 for last week and with 119,300 during the corresponding week in 1945. Sales were down sharply from the extremely large volume of last week but were still very large.

Farmers continued to sell freely in most sections of the belt. Merchants and shippers were offering freely and selling in volume. Mill demand continued strong for both prompt and forward delivery.

The demand for textiles continued strong with prices firm to higher. The Commodity Credit Corporation had received reports through October 24 covering 100,200 bales pledged under the 1947 cotton loan program as compared with 48,900 bales through October 17. Registered sales under the export program increased 9,400 bales for the week ended October 23. This brings the total for the season to 140,100 bales.

Parity price of cotton as of mid-October was 29.64 cents per pound for middling 7-8 inch, according to the B. A. E. This is a record high and compares with a revised figure for September of 29.51 cents and with 25.67 in October, 1946. The current parity equivalent for middling 15-16 inch in the 10 spot markets is approximately 31.55 cents per pound. The index of prices paid by farmers including interest and taxes upon which parity is based reached an all-time high of 239 in October compared with 238 for September.

This rise in parity resulted from higher prices for food, building materials and miscellaneous supplies. Prices received by farmers for cotton as of October 15 averaged 30.65 cents per pound as compared with 31.21 in September and 33.15 in October, 1946. The farm price was 103 per cent of parity in October as compared with 106 in September and 141 in October, 1946.

**Deferred Pasture Plan Pays Off for Brice on Ranch**

Pasture deferment pays off—and it can be done without reducing your stocking rate. Richard Brice, young stockman and cooperator with the Upper Colorado Soil Conservation District, has definitely proven this point.

Two years ago, Brice, realizing that his north pasture was in poor condition, started out to do something about it. On taking inventory of vegetation of the pasture he discovered it was primarily broomweed, a few scattered plants of buffalo (mesquite) grass and an occasional plant of blue gamma hidden in pear patches and under catclaw bushes. He decided a deferment system which would allow his choice grasses to gain vigor and revegetate the area was the answer to his problem.

Now in less than two years his deferment system has paid off. This August when most pastures had no grass at all, Brice turned his stock onto his north pasture which had a good cover of buffalo and blue gamma.

Many pastures throughout the district of Borden and Scurry Counties are capable of higher production if deferred at the proper season of each year.

Jim Reed, range conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, is available to advise with other ranchers and farmers on deferment as well as other problems.

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# Kathleen Norris Says: Those Who Leap Without Looking

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"There was a quarrel in a night club, and her husband knocked down a fascinating young Latin with whom Anne had been carrying on."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SO MANY of us wreck our lives before we have any idea of what we are doing, and then spend years trying to straighten things out!

We are warned, as children. We are scolded by good mothers and fathers in our adolescent years—all that does no good. We go straight on into trouble, and then are innocently surprised as the nets tighten about us, and the inevitable results of what we have done spread and ramify and darken all the world.

Phyllis is a case in point. Phyllis who married at 17, and married the wrong man at that—the wrong boy, rather, for Harry was only 18. They eloped, Harry all trembling pride, Phyllis kittenish and lovely. Ten months later Phyllis had a delicate girl baby who needed infinite care, in another 11 months there was "a great heavy baby boy," who made all the trouble possible with teething, milk rash, nutrition problems. He was only about three months old when Phyllis in desperation divorced Harry; she hadn't anything special against Harry, but fatigue, money shortness, cramped quarters, nerves, all conspired to make the situation completely unendurable, and Phyllis and the babies went home to Mother.

But meanwhile, Mother had been widowed, and married again, and not too happily. The addition to her household of a spoiled girl of 19 and two fretful babies is no help to Mother. Harry doesn't send alimony regularly, and altogether Phyllis is worse off than ever.

The Handsome Carlos.

Then there's Anna, quite a different type. Anna was married ten years ago, at 24, beautiful, sophisticated, possessed of everything that travel and culture can do for a woman. Anna married, as might have been expected, an extremely rich man. Four years later there was a quarrel in a night club, and Ben, her husband, knocked down a fascinating, dancing, flirting young Latin with whom Anna, not to mince matters, had been carrying on. Anna and Ben were now divorced, the little son went to Ben's mother, and Anna compromised for an immense alimony, and was seen everywhere with the fascinating Carlos.

This all went off in a glory of newspaper publicity, when Anna was the center of attraction for all society, everyone talking of the lovely Mrs. Ben. Anna went everywhere in mink and pearls, dramatically renouncing her boy "because Ben's mother is such an old sweet, and Jimmy loves her." That was four years ago; here is part of Anna's letter to me this week.

"I find myself in a difficult position," writes Anna. "My boy has been taken completely out of my care, for Ben's mother has moved to Santa Barbara. Two thousand miles away. They didn't consult me about this. But that isn't what I'm writing about. You see, Carlos wants to marry me. And, poor darling!—his salary has been cut, and is only about half what Ben pays me as alimony. If I marry, I lose my alimony, and somehow I don't see myself trying to get along on what foreign consulars consider good pay.

"The death of Carlos' wife in an accident was bad news for me. They had been living apart for years, yet her existence was my excuse for never considering marrying him. It would have ruined his diplomatic career. Now it is different, and Car-

## IRREPARABLE MISTAKES . . .

"Marry in haste, repent at leisure," is an old saw, but a true one, in most cases. This is especially true of those who marry very young, as Phyllis did, in the case Miss Norris recounts in today's column.

Phyllis was 17, Harry 18. They eloped before they had finished high school. Within two years Phyllis was tired of it all, and was seeking a divorce. The care of two babies, the cramped quarters, lack of money and the realization that she had thrown away all the normal pleasures of youth, all mounted into an unbearable burden for this headstrong girl.

Another girl, Anna, married for money. She had beauty and charm, and she used it to best advantage. Eventually, however, she wanted something more than luxury; she wanted the excitement and thrill of real love. Then she met Carlos, a handsome diplomat from a South American country. In time there came the inevitable disclosure, a stormy scene in a night club, and then divorce. Ben, the wealthy husband, gave Anna a generous alimony allowance. Now Carlos is free to marry, as his wife has died, but Anna realizes now that she really doesn't want him. She would like to have her son back. The boy is living with Ben's mother. Anna, in her way, points out Miss Norris, was quite as foolish, willful and unfortunate as Phyllis.

los confidently expects that after a decent period of mourning, we will be married.

Realizes She Was Wrong.

"If I had it all to live over again I would act very differently," the letter goes on. "I know now that I did tease and goad Ben, and that he was really generous in all the divorce arrangements. I think more and more of my boy, although in giving him to his grandmother I only did what he himself begged for. The prospect of losing my good income staggers me, and yet in all honesty I ought to marry Carlos. Ben, by the way, is married again.

"But the awful thing is that I don't want to marry Carlos. We have loved each other for six years, but it isn't the real love, at least on my side, on which marriage is based. I look back a few years and think that I must have been crazy.

"Because, you see, in these years I've grown up, somehow. I've got religion, I suppose you'd call it that. I mean I've found prayer. I'm not going into details, but I know now that I had in my hands the delicate material of everything that is valuable in life, love and home, husband and son, and that I tore it to shreds. To marry now, with the feeling that the love between Carlos and me was burned out long ago, is utterly distasteful. Do you think it my duty to marry the man—he is a good and honest man enough—for whom I throw everything away when first we were in love?"

There's Anna's problem, or rather predicament. There are lots of rules and examples and codes for such women as Phyllis and Anna. But it takes a wise girl to see their value when she is young and headstrong.

U. S. BUYS DRIED FRUIT

The government is buying up some 133,000 tons of dried fruit to prevent a glut on the market, Clinton P. Anderson, secretary of agriculture, announced recently.

"The purchase will assist the industry in disposing of this expected surplus of supplies and provide an excellent food item for foreign relief feeding and school lunches," he said. The government is purchasing 2,250 tons of dried peaches, 3,750 tons of dried apples, 61,000 tons of dried raisins and 66,000 tons of dried prunes.



"Then came a great heavy baby boy."

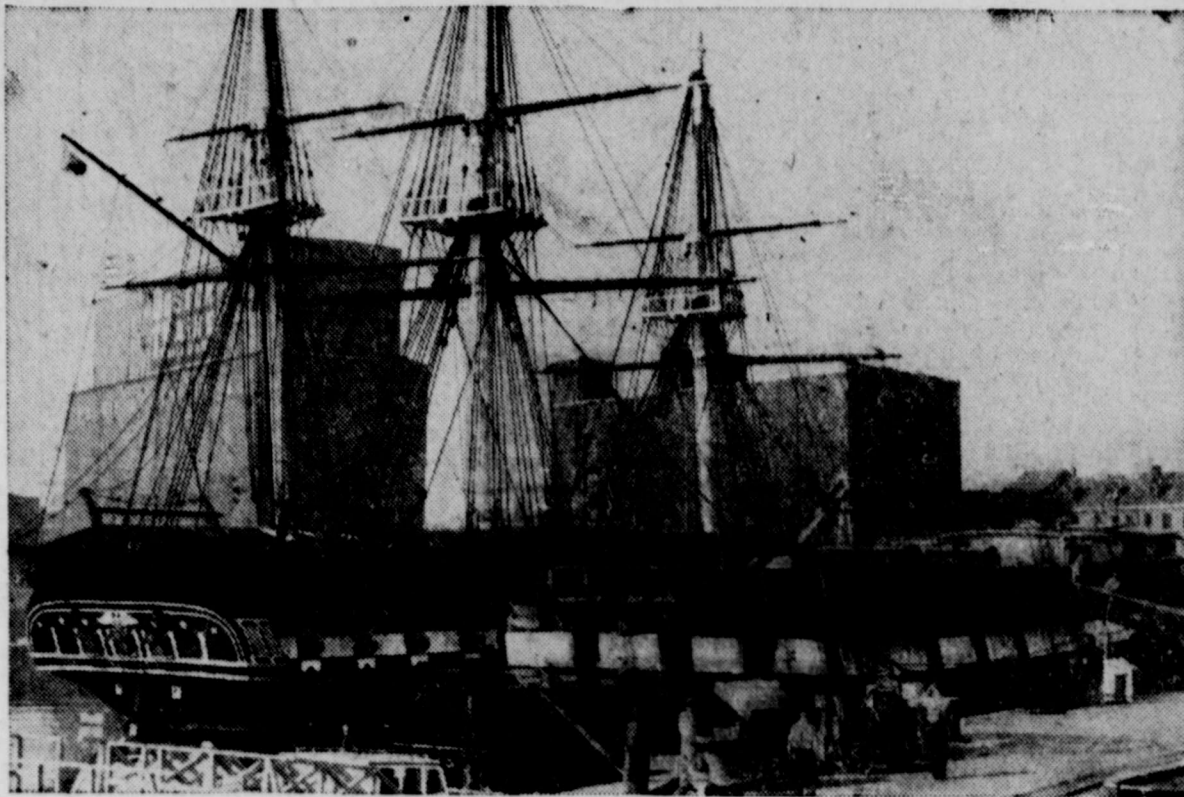
## Knitted Garments Best for Children, Says Expert

Knitwear deserves greater use in children's ready-made clothing, says Clarice Scott, clothing specialist of the United States department of agriculture. Miss Scott finds that knitwear has many advantages over woven fabric in children's garments. Its elasticity makes it fit closely yet allows for plenty of freedom of action without bulk. Its insulating properties offer extra warmth in winter, yet because it is porous, cotton knitwear is comfort-

able also for summer wear. It is easy to wash and requires no ironing—a boon to mothers. Because many kinds of knit fabric are less expensive to manufacture than woven fabric, their use should reduce the cost of children's garments.

Mothers have long been familiar with certain kinds of knitwear, such as knit underwear for children, and the cotton T shirts which have become almost standard wear for small boys and many girls as well.

# The Times' Weekly Page of World News in Pictures



CAMPAGNING FOR RESTORATION . . . The once-proud U. S. S. Constellation (foreground) which rode the high seas in defense of her country now lies a forgotten hulk at Charlestown, Mass. Almost forgotten, that is. A fight to restore the ship to its original condition has been begun by the Navy Club of the U. S. A., Rockford, Ill., the organization which made possible the refitting years ago of the U. S. S. Constitution (rear). The Constellation is the oldest navy ship afloat, and there is a chance now that she once again may raise her masts to the sky as she did long ago.



FLOOD EVACUATION IN MIAMI . . . Floods that came in the wake of the latest hurricane to scourge Florida forced the evacuation of these persons from their homes at Miami. A life raft, rowboat and a makeshift raft were used to get them to higher ground. This was part of the disastrous aftermath of the second vicious hurricane to grind across Florida within a month. Crop damage throughout the state was in the millions of dollars.



MY LOVE HAS A HEART OF STONE . . . Unrequited love shouldn't happen to a dog—but it does. "Bing," for instance, collie owned by Jerry Yorlo of New York, makes daily visits to a three and one-half foot statue of a retriever which was placed at the entrance of a stately studio in the neighborhood recently. "Bing" apparently carries a flaming torch for his stony light of love, but doesn't even get a tail wag in return.



WHITEMAN AND BLACK BULL . . . The king of jazz, Paul Whiteman, does other things these days besides shaking a stick at his orchestra. As owner of the Walking Horse farm in New Jersey, he is also a breeder of fine cattle. Whiteman is pictured here with his blue ribbon Aberdeen Angus winner, "Erica III of Walking Horse farm," at the recent New Jersey association's Aberdeen Angus show in Trenton where he showed the prize animal.



MAMMOTH FLAG DRAPES BRIDGE . . . Largest American flag ever to be flown freely, according to Port of New York authority, is this 60 by 90 foot Old Glory hanging from the New Jersey tower of the George Washington bridge spanning the Hudson river. It took 19 men using four winches to lift the flag's 500 pounds and two and one-half tons of guy ropes.



NOW THIS IS GOING TOO FAR . . . All right, so the revolution is upon us; the long skirt is here to stay and no one can do anything about it. But when fashion designers carry their insidious plot to the extent of enmeshing innocent children in their toils—that's just too much. The dread secret came out at the American Toy institute show in New York. Even dolls are wearing wasp-waisted, long-skirted outfits now.



HE'S A BIG BOY NOW . . . As though Great Britain didn't have enough troubles, it has to scout around for clothes and shoes for this gigantic youth. He's Ernest Evans, 23, stands 7 feet, 7 inches in his stocking feet (naturally, shoes are hard to get) and weighs 357 pounds. Shown here with his mother, the sizeable lad gets 100 extra clothing coupons each year and still can't find a thing to buy that fits him.



MUST BE THE HOUSING SHORTAGE . . . Getting along like cats and dogs has an entirely different meaning in the Calabrese household in Nutley, N. J., and ample proof is displayed here as dachshund Frederick Gotha Von Boris (call me Fritz) unselfishly shares his bed and board with Leila, the family's pet cat. Leila recently gave birth to four kittens, shown here doing what comes naturally. Maybe the U. N. could take an object lesson from this.



HE SEES REDS . . . Dapper actor Adolphe Menjou is shown as he told the house un-American activities committee that Hollywood is a hotbed of "un-American, anti-capitalistic, anti-free enterprise activities." Menjou said he was in favor of shipping the Communists in America back to Russia.



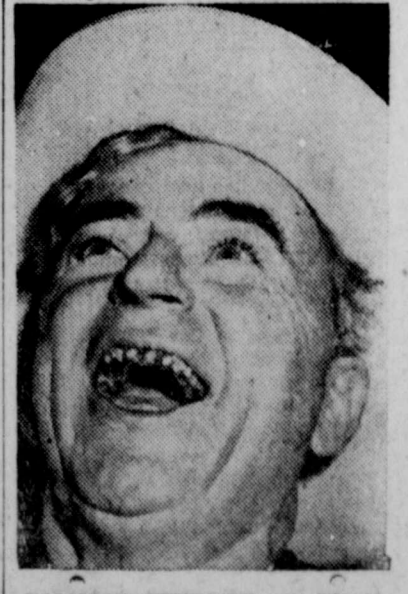
OXFORD ACCENT . . . Monocled Sheila Howarth, Hollywood correspondent for British newspapers, sued a taxi driver for assault and battery, she said he kidnapped and beat her because he didn't like her Oxford accent.



HAS HIS CAKE . . . Italy's President Enrico DeNicola was caught in this excellent close-up as he consumed a piece of cake at a wedding party. Like most Italians, he enjoyed the cake all the more because of the little bread he gets.



FORMIDABLE . . . The shape of things to come—as soon as he can fill the football togs of his 18-year-old brother—is typified by anxious footballer Jimmy Wolters, 4, of Brooklyn. Right now, he just makes a cute picture.



DIAMOND-STUDD . . . Plenty of sparkle emanates from the mouth of "Diamond" Ted Lewis of Gallup, N. M., when he lets go with a hearty guffaw like this. He has \$10,000 worth of diamonds in his teeth.



BOO . . . This is what happens to little girls with pigtails when they read ghost stories which were never meant for their tender years. Well, anyway, it happened to Margaret O'Brien when she became too daring in her choice of reading matter.



BOOM CONTINUES . . . Peggy Frebault, secretary of the national executive committee of the "Draft Eisenhower for President" league, points to new slogan, "I Like Ike," which will appear on 20,000 lapel buttons across the nation.

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"How do you get your little brother to find you so many worms when you want to go fishing?"

Small Boy: "Oh, that's easy. Out of every ten he digs up 1 let him eat one."

**Sharp Comeback**

Dowager—Who was your mother before she was married?

Debutante—I didn't have a mother before she was married.

When a successful candidate enters office he burns his bridges behind him, and some burn their platforms as well.

**Looking Ahead**

"What made you decide to put off your wedding by two days?"

"Well, you see, I figured it out that my silver wedding anniversary would come on a Saturday, and I always play golf on Saturdays."

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**Man About Town:**

Memos of a Midnigher: Show biz is returning to normal. Good backers are getting as hard to find as hits. . . Dolores Costello (former film star) keeps a print of "Sea Wolf" in a film tin can in her home. It starred her ex-husband, John Barrymore. She uses it as a door stop. . . Margaret Case Harriman, a writer (y'welcome, M'am) has a tricky assignment. Doing a series of after-the-fact reports for Rinehart, the tome publisher. Sent to book reviewers only. Her series is on Walter Karig, author of "Zotz." (Zotz? Zo? Well, well!) . . . So you wanna write for radio? A recent survey revealed the average paycheck for radio writers is \$43.12 per week.

**The War Must Be Over Dept.:**

The Japan Art company at 56th and Madison has this meek sign in the window: "We give lessons in Chinese flower arranging."

**The Hooper-Doozers:** Peppered with O. Levanti's sassy gagging (and Jolson's paprika vocallure), A's new Thursday nighter crackles good. . . Those amiable wisecrackers, Abbott & Costello, never will win prizes for their subtlety but their boisterous belly-whoppers are hilarious. . . Fred Waring's smooth melodic sessions provide perfect background music for daydreams. . . Jack Benny, Bob Hope, Fibber and Molly, Allen and the other leading clowns continue to hog the top brackets over at Mr. Hooper's place.

**By Way of Variety:** Showman Max Gordon (his big hit right now is "Born Yesterday") asks the show folks: "Bible that was the late George M. Cohan was asked if he thought radio would kill show biz, George replied: "Don't worry about the radio. The only thing that will keep an American in a home is a dame."

**The Stage Door:** Joan Crawford knits furiously in tempo with her gum-chewing at a private preview of her newest film, "Daisy Kenyon," and putting a columnist's hand to her thumping heart. Imagine, the Academy award winner nervous after all these seasons. . . Under the terms dissolving the team of Renee and Tony DeMarco, she was prohibited from taking another partner for five years. The period is almost up, but she has done so well as a single act she'll continue that way. . . 7,500 people are reported laid off in the movie biz during a single week. Only three films are being made now at MGM—a new low at that hit factory.

**New York Novelette:** Two years ago a Broadway actor, Kirk Douglas, came to Hollywood to screen test for Hal Wallis. . . Years before Kirk was a teatier in the Schraff's near 82nd street and Broadway, patronized by a model. . . "She became friends. . . When Kirk finally got a screen role in a show, she was in Row A to cheer him on. . . She did that in all his flops. . . The model got to Hollywood first, however, and clicked big. . . At her first cost party, her former boyfriend Hal Wallis and "sold him on her friend back East. . . Wallis put him in "The Strange Loves of Martha Ivers." Douglas won race reviews. . . This soon him the lead in "I Walk Alone." "Out of the Past" and "Mourning Becomes Electra." Kirk now gets \$65,000 per flicker. . . Ob, yes. . . The model, who "aged" the whole thing, was the girl who looks like a girl—Lauren Bacall.

**The Intelligentsia:** J. Brooks Atkinson, the N. Y. Times critic, is the only reviewer (we ever heard of) who reads his own proof (before and after it is in the galley), after which he stands alongside the make-up man to catch typos. . . Tip to ambitious bluesingers: There's a ballad by W. H. Auden (in his Collected Poems volume) written to the tune of "St. James' Infirmary." The marriage of the wordage of a world-famous writer to a low-down blues should cause a sensation. . . Thomas Hines' new book, "Decentralize for Liberty," will be released soon. An important book. The author worked on his central thesis 14 years.

**Hiller's old hip-wiggling set indiscreetly is moving back to the Bad Weisse (Bavaria), where former Emperor Rudolf was knocked off by Adolf in the Hotel Hanselbauer. . . Nazi swishes simply adore those Tyrolean short pants.**

**The Press Box:** We still wince every time we think of the 25 million dollars (in Nazi gold loot) that was just allocated to Italy, which helped Hitler steal it. But that's power politics—when you electioneer for allies. . . The Russians shriek "war-monger" and "liar" when American newspaper men warn of the threat of another war. But two years ago (in February) a Russian leader warned of the possibility of World War III. His name: Vishinsky. . . Tokyo Rose wants to come back here to live. Why not let her book passage on any of the floating hearses returning our Pacific war dead?

**Sounds in the Night:** At Club 78: "I guess she has had one mink too many. . . At Reuben's: "Call me tomorrow and if I answer it's the wrong number." . . At Place Pigalle: "I have to go. I have a rendezvous." . . At the Iceland: "In Hollywood one man's mate is usually another man's." . . At Dunhall: "Remember away back when the saying was: 'Safe as the Bank of England?'" . . At Pelham Heath: "He tosses around his money as though it actually were money."

**The Washington Merry-Go-Round**

DREW PEARSON

**People in Action**

WASHINGTON. — The American public, on the whole, is way ahead of the government. The people may be confused at times; they may not see the road clearly; but they are sager and anxious to do anything which will help preserve the democratic system, help their fellow men and prevent war.

We now hear reports that the Middlewest has gone isolationist again, that the folks out there have pulled back into their shell and say to heck with Europe — which, of course, is what Russia wants most. There may be some of that. But when the people of Elburn, Ill., get out their wagons and repick their cornfields, that's not isolation. That's patriotism. And when the Boy Scouts of Nebraska repick the cornfields, that also isn't pulling back into their shell.

And when the people of Oklahoma and Kansas set up their own wheat relief committees, not waiting for prompting from Washington, and begin loading cars of grain, that's the kind of thing that makes democracy live. Out in those two big wheat-growing states, they have really organized things. Gov. Frank Carlson of Kansas, a Republican, is working with the labor district. Enrico Gaspari, a Democrat, and both are working with a lot of other patriotic people in pushing the program.

Then there are the Amvets who are suggesting to one million ex-G.I.s that they send packages of food and clothing to Europe. And Ray Brannaman, commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars, is pushing the same. Then there is Dow O. White, down in Ardmore, Okla., who heard me say on the radio that rats were eating up a lot of the grain that we should be sending to Europe, and 12 hours later he telephoned that he had killed 300 rats in one day.

These are some of the things that make me believe the American people are ahead of their government—way ahead of their congress. While Mr. Truman and the appropriations committees are worrying about how they will get a congressional appropriation to send wheat over to Europe before the French and Italian elections, the American people have actually come along and are giving the grain.

This is the kind of thing that makes our country great. This is the kind of thing—when the people are ahead of their government — which really shows democracy to be strong, and that it can come out on top over communism, even without war.

But also — we must make sure that the people of France and Italy and the rest of Europe really understand that this help comes from the dinner tables and the farmhands of the American people, that it is a true act of friendship, not an easily executed order by a centralized government, as in Moscow. Eventually, I think, we can get this idea to percolate through.

**TRUMAN CALLS**

**Congress to Meet**

Congress, summoned by President Truman, will convene in special session at noon, November 17, to deal with:

1. The alarming and continuing high prices at home and
2. The pressing need for rapid-fire emergency need abroad.

President Truman's summoning of congress a month and a half before it normally would have convened marked a definite climax in U. S. domestic events for 1947. Although doubt existed for a long time as to whether a special session would be called to meet the two problems which have been screaming with urgency all year, it was the only really logical step to take.

Mr. Truman took it decisively. He conferred with his cabinet, and he conferred with key congressional leaders of both parties. He did not ask their advice on a special session; he informed them simply that he was calling one.

"It is urgently necessary," he said, "for the congress to take legislative action designed to put an end to the continued rise in prices . . . and to meet the crisis in Western Europe!"

Concerning prices, the President would not ask for consumer controls, but for authority for allocation of certain materials. European relief, scheduled to be given priority over the price muddle in congressional action, was highlighted by the growing desperation in France and Italy.

One other fact came out. The 500 million dollars previously cited by Mr. Truman as the amount needed for emergency aid to Europe before the Marshall plan could go into effect next March had been revised upward. Emergency dollar relief now was being considered in terms of from 800 million to a billion dollars.

**CALLING THE TURN**

Even in far distant Japan, General MacArthur called the turn on the Eisenhower boom 18 months ago. Sen. Owen Brewster, who was gloating in the Far East at the time, delivered a personal message to the general from President Truman.

"Tell MacArthur," Mr. Truman jokingly told Brewster, "that he can have my job any time he wants it."

"Thank the President for me," MacArthur shot back, "and tell him that if any general ever takes his job, it will be Eisenhower."

**Aussie Trek in Reverse**

The much-hyped migration of ex-G.I.s to Australia actually is moving in reverse. Pioneer-minded Americans who looked to Australia's wide-open spaces for new frontiers, are turning back discouraged. The return voyage is not launched in a blaze of bursting photographers' flashes, but it is more crowded than the trip over. The American have found the Aussies hospitable enough. But labor restrictions are too tight and housing too critical.

America's genial ambassador to Australia, Robert Butler, the St. Paul shipbuilder, is quietly discouraging the G.I. tide. At the risk of offending his Australian friends, he cautions U. S. citizens to investigate before they pull up roots at home. First, they should double check whether they will be able to crash the unions and practice their crafts in Australia. Second, they should make sure housing facilities are available in the new location.

"The Aussies want immigrants from the states, and are friendly toward Americans," Butler points out. "But the problem is labor. The unions resent outsiders and won't let them get jobs."

Note — One of Butler's closest friends is Australia's blunt foreign minister, Herbert Evatt, who, not entirely popular, stays in office by sheer genius. One objection the Australian people hold against Evatt is — he doesn't hold a union card!

**Reds Fear Air Power**

Top air and commerce officials, meeting with the joint congressional air policy group, urged congress to underwrite the aviation industry in bold, vigorous terms.

"The air corps is fully aware," hammered Gen. Carl Spaatz, air chief, "that without a strong industry and a strong commercial system, this country will lose its air power."

This was seconded by Commerce Secretary Harriman.

**Lighting Camera**

It takes a rifle bullet one minute to move an inch on a motion picture screen as viewed on a film exposed in a new, super-fast camera which takes 11 million pictures a second. The revolutionary motion picture camera has been demonstrated by Dr. Brian O'Brien of the University of Rochester.

Although invaluable to scientists, the pictures are too blurry for ordinary pleasure-bent audiences.

**WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS**

**Special Session of Congress Called; Chile, Brazil Break Off With Russia; France Moves Toward Major Crisis**

Released by WNU Features.

**THE BREAKS**

**Chile, Brazil Kiss Russia Good-By**

Acting almost simultaneously, two South American nations—Brazil and Chile—curtly announced severance of diplomatic relations with Russia because, as they both implied, they couldn't stand it any longer.

Brazil, which beat Chile to the gun by a few hours in breaking relations, had the less valid reason for its action, on the surface, at least. Stated reason for the move was given as the "extremely outrageous and even calumnious" articles in the Russian press attacking President Enrico Gaspari Dutra and the Brazilian army.

Russia's Literary Gazette had called Dutra an incompetent soldier and a Fascist. It was the same magazine that had compared President Truman with Hitler, to which the U. S. strongly objected but took no further action.

Chile, however, had a more deep-seated grievance. Communist infiltration in the nation's southern coal zone, leading to reduced labor differentials, had undoubtedly stirred the decision to sever relations.

Chilean Pres. Gabriel Gonzalez Videla previously had accused the Communists of planning to cripple Chile's production of copper, nitrates and other strategic materials and hamper defense of the western hemisphere and the United States. He also had announced his intention to "end once and for all" what he called Communist dictatorship over Chile's mine workers.

And in a burst of thoroughness, Chile also ended diplomatic relationships with Czechoslovakia.

If other ends is accomplished, the action by Brazil and Chile at least may answer the question of whether Communist penetration into a nation actually can be halted by breaking diplomatic relations with Russia.

**U. S. ANSWER:**

**Restraint**

U. S. citizens have the satisfaction of knowing their government is not following an eye-for-an-eye philosophy in its relations with Russia in the United Nations.

Warren R. Austin, U. S. delegate, in a strong policy speech, refrained from answering Andrei Vishinsky's war-mongering speeches "in kind."

U. S. instead appealed to the U. N. to reject Soviet demands for curbs on free speech.

Vishinsky had demanded that the United Nations take steps to prevent what he called "war-mongering" talk in the United States.

Implied attitude of the U. S. was that it had no intention of being drawn into a mud-slinging contest with Russia. It would simply state its position without resorting to the kind of invective that Soviet delegates have been employing.

Said Austin of Vishinsky's latest speech: "Mr. Vishinsky's speech is part of the propaganda campaign of the government and people of the United States . . . and to cast doubt upon the sincerity of their peaceful intentions."

**FRENCH CRISIS:**

**High Stakes**

France was sliding rapidly toward a major political crisis in its precarious postwar existence.

Premier Paul Ramadier, whose cabinet had resigned following France's municipal elections in which Gen. Charles De Gaulle's Rally of the French People party achieved a surprising victory, warned his people that the existence of the nation was at stake.

"To face a grave political situation, we found it necessary to form a concentrated government in order to give it needed authority in this hour."

Ramadier was referring to (or trying to justify) the fact that, after the resignation of his cabinet, he formed another one half as large. It was possible, however, that he had been unable to gather together a full-sized cabinet.

Significant was Ramadier's failure to include in his new group any one representing the two strongest political organizations in France—De Gaulle's party and the Communists. Ramadier clarified that omission, however, with the accusation that General De Gaulle and the Communists, who had the following policies that can lead only to the destruction of France.

Meanwhile, the premier had more immediate worries: His streamlined cabinet was scheduled to go before an extraordinary session of the national assembly for a vote of confidence. If it fails, Ramadier and his government would resign.

**NEW ATTACK:**

**Zhdanov's Turn**

"Down with the Marshall plan" was the substance of the most lately revealed Russian verbal attack against the U. S., this time made by Andrei Zhdanov, member of the all-powerful Soviet politburo.

Zhdanov, who can be considered an authoritative mouthpiece of Soviet foreign policy, told the recent nine-nation Communist congress in Poland that the U. S. is trying to "extend its power"—thus simply restating the standard Russian wolf cry of "American imperialism."

More sobering was his declaration to destroy the Marshall plan, which he described as the chief instrument of American "imperialist policy" and as hostile to the Soviet Union.

Revelation of Zhdanov's speech in Poland makes it appear certain that the recent reestablishment of Communism on an international basis in the guise of the "Cominform," the Communist information center with headquarters at Belgrade, was carried out for the immediate purpose of destroying the Marshall plan in Europe.

Of equal significance is the fact that Zhdanov has brought the U. S.-Russian struggle for influence in Western Europe clearly into the open. In denouncing the Marshall plan and U. S. policy as imperialistic and stating Russia's intention of nullifying them, Zhdanov was admitting tacitly that Russia wants Western Europe for herself.

**FOOD GOAL:**

**Christmas**

Steering the nation's food conservation efforts, the President's food committee has set up a new goal for the culmination of the drive. It wants to finish by Christmas.

Dubbed the "kitchen cabinet" by Washington smarties, the committee has adopted this slogan, coined by its chairman, Charles Luckman: "Out of the kitchen by Christmas."

Hurrying to finish the first lap in the campaign to help feed starving Europeans by saving 100 million bushels of American grain this winter, the committee says it is determined to close the kitchen as soon as that amount is assured.

**Thermostat:**

**Food Control**

Most persons, when they get hungry, don't stop to wonder what makes them that way. They just eat—if they can afford it.

Despite this colossal indifference, Yale medical school researchers have reported that an "appetite thermostat" exists in the brain which not only tells you when you should eat but controls your food intake so you don't put away too much and put on too much fat.

When this "thermostatic" area is removed or injured in rats — presumably the same is true for other animals and for humans — the victims constantly eat all food placed before them. Some experimental animals almost have tripled their weight in six months.

Damage to the same brain area may be responsible for the prodigious eating of some extremely fat persons, the scientists observed, but it is not blamed for most cases of human obesity. So if you tend to be chubby, don't worry about your thermostat. It's probably all right.

**Headliners**

**IN LYONS, ILL.** . . . Jackie Devorshak, 2½, (above) dangled steadily from a trapeze, admitted that he knows his ABC's, can spell out his name, address and phone number, enjoys a cigar now and then.

**IN JERUSALEM** . . . Henry A. Wallace, vacationing from the U. S. political scene, opined that if Gen. Dwight Eisenhower "ran on either the Republican or Democratic ticket, he would win hands down in the 1948 presidential election."

**IN BUCHAREST** . . . Romanian newspapers, facing the facts, decided that stars and constellations were no longer informative, announced that they would cease publishing daily horoscopes.

**IN BALTIMORE** . . . Government agents announced that they had run across an elaborate still on the grounds of "Shangri-La," Maryland mountain retreat of the President.

**IN COPENHAGEN** . . . Startled Danes muttered, "Flying saucers," when seven mysterious balls of fire zoomed simultaneously through the night.

**Must We Have Those Menus?**

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When things got real tough, the tricks she could do with a shin bone and a soup bone, cooking up a soup that was a square meal and, starting out on Monday, would still be turning up with no complaints Thursday night.

Down with these cute luncheon and dinner menus from assorted dieticians, miscellaneous civic bureaus and photogenic committees! Up with the slogans of the old-fashioned housewife:

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### National Guard Unit Means Much to Town in Payrolls, Training, Readiness

Because of the present drive for enlistments in the Texas National Guard company in Snyder, and of the historical background about the 36th Texas Division, in which Snyder furnished a company of men, the following interesting article is reproduced. It appeared recently in the Austin American-Statesman.

The article, headed "Texans First in Combat After Pearl Harbor," follows:

In the story of the Texas National Guard, hidden behind the cold statistics, is the story of the thousands of Texans who immediately left their homes and were among the first in combat after Pearl Harbor. In the figures of the guard's post-war reorganization lies the story of the men who struggle against post-war apathy and plan and strive toward an efficient defense organization.

The Texas troops, in pre-war days, comprised 11,840 officers and enlisted men. These composed the 36th Division, the 56th Cavalry Brigade, the 111th Observation Squadron and Company C, 193rd Tank Battalion.

Major General K. L. Berry, adjutant general of Texas, has said that these Texans "were an unsurpassed page in the military annals of our country. The 36th Division was one of the great combat divisions of all times."

This, in brief, is their World War II record:

The 36th had 366 days of combat and fought in Italy, France, Germany and Austria; made two amphibious landings, at Salerno and on the French Riviera; engaged in 16 notable battles; captured 175,068 prisoners, and suffered 27,343 casualties.

The 56th Cavalry Brigade fought in the Pacific and Burma. The 111th Reconnaissance Squadron fought in Africa, Sicily, Italy and France; it few 3,780 missions. Company C, 193rd Tank Battalion fought in the European theater.

Since VJ Day, the National Guard has been reorganized and has been enlarged about threefold. When maximum strength is reached, Texas will have 30,119 officers and men trained for battle.

The 36th Infantry Division, with 12,898 men, has 13 liaison planes, 14 assault boats, five half-tracks, 57 57-millimeter anti-tank guns, 90 heavy machine guns, 121 light machine guns, 50 105-millimeter guns, 244 50-caliber machine guns and 1,422 motor vehicles of all types.

The 49th Armored Division, with 8,794 men, has eight liaison planes, 452 half-tracks, 2,816 sub-machine guns, 272 tanks of all types and 1,187 other motor vehicles.

The Texas Air National Guard has a total of 103 planes. It is organized primarily into the 111th Fighter Squadron (replacing the old 11th Observation Squadron), and the 181st and 182nd Fighter Squadrons. Texas also has numerous non-divisional units, such as artillery, engineers and cavalry.

To support this fighting force, the federal government pours about \$9,500,000 into Texas each year. This sum includes \$200,000 in equipment, \$1,202,000 for salaries of 273 federal employees, \$300,000 for replacement, repair, oil and gas, and \$8,000,000 estimated yearly payroll of the troops.

Financial contributions by the State of Texas this year were \$411,000 for the adjutant general's department and \$380,000 for the Texas National Guard armory board. This is used for the payment of salaries of 136 employees and for reorganization work, maintenance, replacement, rental of armories and many other items.

Texas has only five state-owned armories, including three camps—Mabry, Hulen and Wolters. General Berry feels that "Texas is far from liberal in the support of its National Guard" but that "in spite of the shortage of funds and buildings, the reorganization has not gone badly."

A permanent armory program, under the armory board, has been planned. A commitment from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation of \$7,200,000 for armories has been secured, but \$30,000,000 is needed. Negotiations are now underway to get such a commitment.

The Texas National Guard now has 139 company-size units which

### SITTING ON THE LID



### Lance Mullins's Show Window Catches Eyes

Show window of a Bridgeport, Connecticut, hardware store decorated by Lance Mullins and two other members of the firm was given considerable publicity recently during fire prevention week. Some of Bridgeport's most spectacular fires and early photos of the city's first fire apparatus were part of the display.

Young Mullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullins of Northeast Snyder.

She Has a Definition. "Mamma, what's a second story man?"

"Your father is one, dear. If I don't believe his first story, he always has another one ready."

have already received federal recognition, 80 of which have been given authority to organize by the War Department, and 119 additional units to be organized.

General Berry believes that many cities "do not realize how valuable an asset a National Guard company is." A rifle company at full strength brings about \$50,000 into the city; it gives the former service man an opportunity to keep his military efficiency alive; it teaches the younger man to be a soldier so that in case of war, he will be better prepared than he would otherwise be. It pays him \$2.50 or more weekly for his night's drill; and it provides the city with an organized unit which is ready to aid at home or in nearby communities in case of disaster, either in peace or war.

The general has said that the present National Guard force is about times larger than is needed for the internal security of the states and that the majority of the force is entirely an M Day federal force.

### Seedlings Available At Cost for Farmers From State Nursery

The state's first norther brought a reminder to Scurry County folks from the Texas Forest Service at A. & M. College that tree planting time is just around the corner, and that seedling orders need to go in as soon as possible.

County Agent Oscar Fowler says that the Texas Forest Service at the state nursery near Alto will have almost 18,000,000 seedlings that have been selected for adaptability in Texas. The trees will be sold at cost of production for use in starting timber and fence post plantations and for wind-break purposes. The seedlings are not to be sold for landscaping.

D. A. Anderson, in charge of the state nursery, reports that 15 different kinds of trees will be available from the nursery by late December.

For plantings in West Texas there are the red cedar, Arizona cypress, Russian mulberry, green ash, thornless honey locust, desert willow, western yellow pine and pistacia.

Fowler says prices on the trees

### John Jay Boren Gets Scout Fraternity Bid

John Jay Boren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Boren of Snyder, was among 47 pledged to membership in Alpha Phi Omega, national service organization for former Boy Scouts, in the University of Texas chapter at Austin.

John Jay, who is a junior student in the university, was a holder of the Eagle award during his Scouting work at Snyder. To earn the Eagle award John Jay had earned 25 merit badges. Additional merit badges also entitled him to several palms as additions to his Eagle award.

### Want to See the Fireworks.

Mother—"I'm so glad, twins, you are sitting quietly and not disturbing daddy while he has his nap." Twins—"Yes, mummy, we're just watching his cigarette burn down to his fingers."

are \$3 per 1,000. The prices are f. o. b. the nursery at Alto.

Further information on ordering the seedlings may be obtained from the local county agent or by writing to the Texas Forest Service at College Station.

### Putting Legs to His Wishes.

Soliloquy of a Southern darkey: "When Ah asks de Lord to send me a chicken, Ah hardly evah gets a chicken. But when Ah asks de Lord to send me after a chicken, Ah always gets me a chicken."

### Right in Her Footsteps.

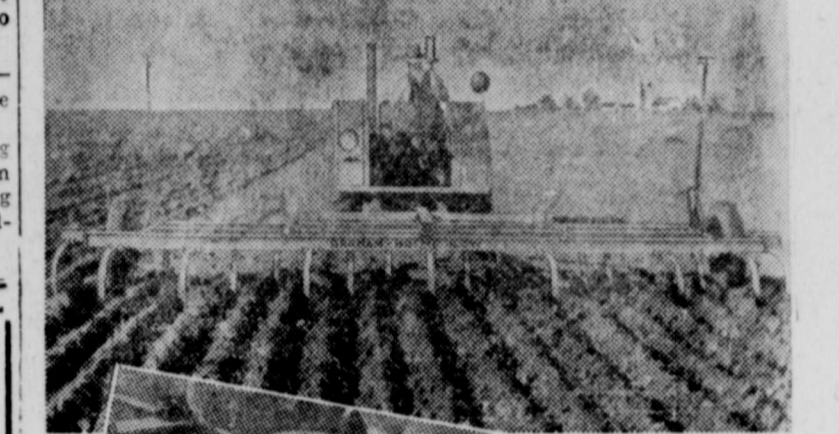
Neighbor—"What do you plan to do, Janie, when you get as big as your mother?" Janie—"Diet."

### Four Snyder Men Go To Abilene Banquet

Four men from the Snyder First Baptist Church attended the annual Church Night banquet and get-together at the Temple Baptist Church in Abilene Tuesday night. They were Pastor E. K. Shepherd, H. I. Wren, Orlan Nichols and E. W. Babb. Wren was a speaker on the program that followed the banquet.

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### Area Methodists Go to Conference Meet at Lamesa

Snyder's First Methodist Church gave a 100 per cent report at the mid-year conference of the Sweetwater District Methodist Conference which convened Monday at the First Methodist Church in Lamesa, according to local church officials.

Financial report was good, and active progress in all departments of the church work reflected a zealous program, the leaders declared.

Rev. H. W. Hanks, who has been with the Snyder church since mid-summer, was recognized as one of the district's leading pastors at the annual gathering.

Dr. O. P. Clark, district superintendent, was the principal speaker at the conference. Churches in the 15 counties of the district were well represented.

Besides Rev. and Mrs. Hanks, others from the Snyder church attending the Lamesa conference were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Birdwell, Mrs. W. L. Hayley, R. H. Odum, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Deffebach, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Deffebach, Fred Davis, Rev. M. W. Clark and Mrs. J. P. Avary.

From the Union church went Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Biggs and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson.

Rev. Durwood Lynn, pastor of the Hermleigh Methodist Church, Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Sifford and Jim Bodine of Dunn also attended.

### TODAY'S HANDICAP

By COLLIER



### Hermleigh 4-H Girls Get Guides and Books

Hermleigh 4-H Club girls met in the Hermleigh School study hall Tuesday for a demonstration meeting.

Mary Louise Piehl, county home agent, gave a demonstration on how to make mittens from felt, and gave the girls demonstration guides and presented the yearbooks. They had a discussion on goals for the year.

Next meeting of the Hermleigh 4-H Club will be Tuesday, November 18.

### Sterling Williams to Go to Stonewall Meet

Representative Sterling Williams is slated to speak before a county-wide gathering of farmers and ranchers of Stonewall County this (Thursday) evening at Aspermont.

The gathering, sponsored by the Stonewall County Farm Bureau, will highlight agricultural problems. The county unit of the Farm Bureau has recently been in a membership campaign.

"Are you a good caddie?"  
"Yes, sir."  
"A real good caddie?"  
"Yes, sir."  
"Are you good at finding lost balls?"  
"That's me forte," sir."  
"Well, then go and find one so we can begin the game."

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Q.—Do I have to repay subsistence allowance over-payments before I can go back to school under the GI bill?

A.—No. You merely have to make satisfactory arrangements to repay all over-payments before you will be permitted to reenter school under Public Law 346 (GI bill). It is the Veterans Administration's policy not to force any undue hardship on a veteran in the collection of these funds.

Q.—Is VA going to help veterans like myself whose hearing was impaired while in the service?

A.—Yes, by a special program of medical rehabilitation to help you overcome hearing handicaps. The program includes a series of hearing and speech tests, the selection and fitting of a hearing aid if indicated, auditory training, lip reading instruction and speech correction if necessary.

Q.—My son has renounced disability payments and I would like to know if he or his wife will lose their rights to other benefits provided by law?

A.—My grades at school have been low and I would like to know if VA will help me find a way to bring my grades up?

A.—You may receive assistance of VA's educational and guidance service in an endeavor to correct those factors which may be contributing

**Loss Worse Than Thought.**  
"My wife," said the discouraged husband, "has just run away with my chauffeur in my car."  
"My goodness," replied the sympathetic friend, "not your new car?"  
to your low grades. However, you will have to meet the requirements of the school if you wish to continue your course.

**Simple Deductions.**  
Dr. George Marsh Higgins, Mayo Foundation biologist, takes an afternoon off to prove that the more old maids in the district the more red clover.

"Old maids keep cats. Cats prey on mice. Mice eat bumble bee's nests. Bumble bees pollinate red clover blossoms. The more pollination the better the crop."

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  - You may send as many entries as you wish but each entry must be accompanied by one of these: The Mummy picture (or label) from an Admirations Coffee package or jar—or the strip that unwinds from an Admirations vacuum can.
  - Anyone is eligible to enter except employees of the Duncan Coffee Company, their advertising agency and their families.
  - All entries become the property of the Duncan Coffee Company—none can be returned—and the decision of the judges will be final.
  - The contest begins September 29th and ends midnight, November 16th. Weekly contest winners will be selected from entries received before midnight Saturday of each week. All entries postmarked later than midnight, November 16, will not be considered.
  - All winners will be notified. A list of the winners will be sent to all contestants requesting one and sending a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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LET'S SEE--- WHAT SHALL I BUY

OH, DEAR--- IT'S STARTING TO RAIN A GOLDFISH BOWL MAKES A NICE GIFT



LITTLE REGGIE

By Margarita

THANK YOU FOR SITTING WITH THE BABY, REGGIE!

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WHERE IS DEAR LITTLE WALDO?

OH WE WERE PLAYING COPS 'N ROBS AND NOW HE'S IN JAIL! I'LL BAIL HIM OUT!



MUTT AND JEFF

By Bud Fisher

JEFF WHERE WERE YOU ALL DAY?

OUT DOIN' MY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING!

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING? YOU'RE REALLY DOIN' IT EARLY!

YEH, I'M DOIN' IT EARLY SO I DON'T GET LEFT! WELLER-WHAT CHA BUY ME FOR CHRISTMAS, PAL? A DOZEN CREAM PUFFS! CREAM PUFFS? CREAM PUFFS WON'T LAST UNTIL CHRISTMAS!



JITTER

By Arthur Pointer

TWO RED HOTS! NO MUSTARD!

I ORDERED TWO!

WELL, I PUT TWO OUT THERE!

YOU DIDN'T! I DID! I DID! Liar, you didn't! Thief!



REG'LAR FELLERS

By Gene Byrnes

OH, JIMMIE, WILL YOU LEAVE THIS PIANO AT GRACE'S HOUSE ON YOUR WAY HOME? SHE LEFT IT HERE!

WHY SURE, AGGIE!

THAT'S WHAT I CALL AN EASY JOB!



VIRGIL

By Len Kleis

I'M GOING TO CALL YOUR FATHER--WAIT AND SEE!

I'D BETTER HURRY AND PLUG UP TH' BUZZER SO POP WON'T HEAR TH' PHONE RING

MA MA MA MA MA MA



POP

By J. Millar Watt

I SKIP BEFORE BREAKFAST.

... I SKIP AFTER BREAKFAST!

YOU OUGHT TO SKIP BREAKFAST!



INKLINGS

By Jarvis

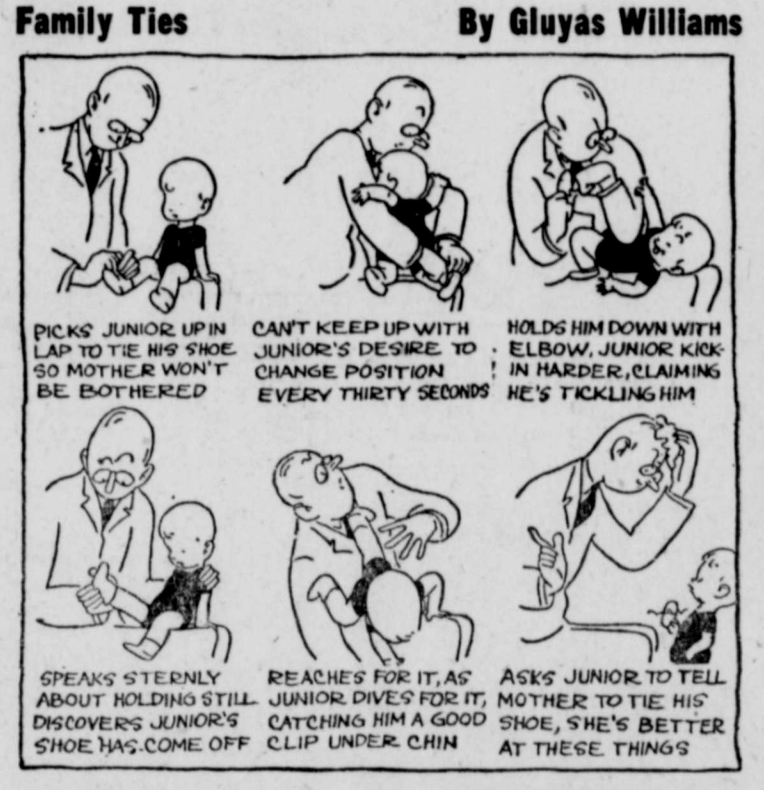
"Care to read while you're waiting for Ruth?"



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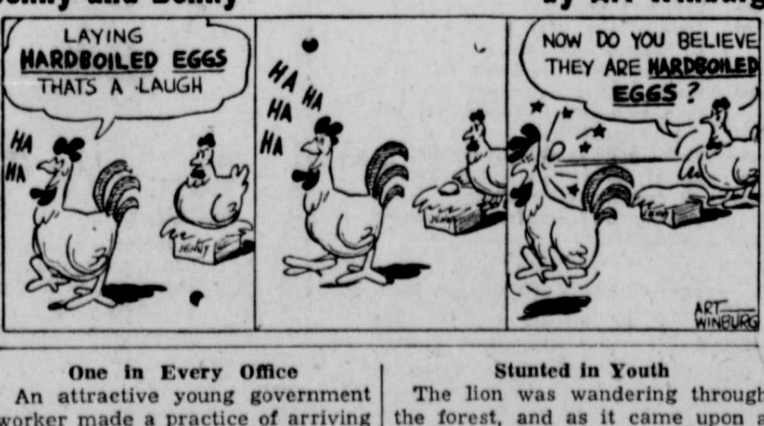
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BACK HOME AGAIN

By Ed Dodd

SHE'S YORE GIRL, AIN'T SHE? AN' SHE SENT YOU A MASH NOTE AN' GOT CAUGHT AN' TH' SUPERINTENDENT'S GONNA GIVE 'ER A LICKIN'... ARE YOU GONNA STAND BY AN' LET 'IM DO THAT?



Jenny and Benny

by Art Winburg

LAYING HARDBOILED EGGS THAT'S A LAUGH. HA HA HA HA HA HA. NOW DO YOU BELIEVE THEY ARE HARDBOILED EGGS?

One in Every Office An attractive young government worker made a practice of arriving at the office a few minutes late every day. Repeated warnings by her supervisor had no effect. Finally, in exasperation, he announced: "Miss Brown, I am tired of talking about your tardiness. I am, therefore, suspending you for one day without pay. When would you like to take the day?" "Well, if it's all right with you," she replied, instantly, "I'd like to use it up being late."

Stunted in Youth The lion was wandering through the forest, and as it came upon a tiger, said, "Why aren't you as strong as me?" and proceeded to tear the tiger to pieces. Other huge jungle animals met with the same question and the same treatment. Finally, the lion came upon a little mouse, grabbed it up in his huge paw, and asked: "Why aren't you as strong as me?" The mouse looked the lion in the eye and replied in a meek voice: "I've been sick, you know!"

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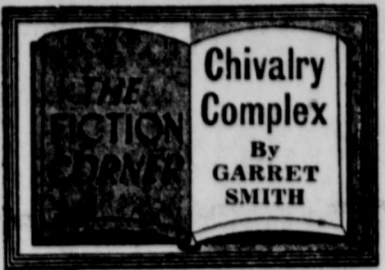
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U. S. SAVINGS BONDS Are Always A Good Buy



BY NOON forlorn hoppers in the employment manager's ante-room at Cromby & Co. boiled down to Jimmy Wheeler and the "Plucked Chicken." They had simmered since nine, waiting to be hired or to hear "We'll file your application and let you know if anything turns up."

As for the Plucked Chicken, Jimmy considered the Old Run-around formula a sure thing. He hadn't given her a second look for fear he'd find her a maid in distress, the formerly chivalrous Jimmy admitted guiltily. But he'd seen too many such lately. He'd soured on the sex anyhow since his boss's secretary lied her-self out of a jam and him into one after he'd stood up for her. "That chivalry complex of yours is a nuisance," the boss had roared. Old Fletcher needn't worry, Jimmy agreed with him now.

The assistant manager gave Jimmy a blank to fill and turned to the Plucked Chicken. Elizabeth Bond was her name actually. Someone's private secretary once, would grab a typist job now. "We have a long waiting list. I'm afraid it isn't worth while calling again" was all she drew. Not even the Old Run-around! Jimmy handed in his blank. "Thanks," said the assistant. "We'll file your application—"

"—And let me know if anything turns up," Jimmy finished. He wondered how many such days his hundred-buck reserve would stand, as he followed Miss Bond's wake.

The girl was waiting for the elevator, a fragile arm braced against the wall. The dim light here softened the cheek-bone, hid worry-lines and ash-grey bleakness. Why she was class, a beauty once, before she began starving to death! The elevator came and she swayed toward it, would have fallen if Jimmy hadn't caught her.

"Thank you, I'm clumsy!" Her face lit and Jimmy looked into deep violet eyes. Then face and eyes went dead again. She'd keel over on the street, he worried. No breakfast probably. He must do something quick. At the street door Jimmy clutched the germ of an idea.

"Pardon me. Aren't you Miss Bond—in Cromby's just now? They said you might do a letter or so for me. I'm James Wheeler. Publicity man. With the Fletcher bureau once. Cromby had another good typist on their list but couldn't reach her. Leaves me in a jam." Her eyes widened warily then turned eager.

"Yes, I'm free this afternoon." "Got a date then," Jimmy improvised. "Have to dictate at lunch. Mind going to Mike's place around the corner?" He hoped she wouldn't cave in and have to be carried. But she made it and dropped in a chair with a sigh that sounded contented. Jimmy mumbled something about phoning and hunted up Mike himself. Jimmy knew the answers for too much food and drink. But how did they treat a gal all out of practice? And not let her know it? He told Mike all.

"You start her easy, Mr. Wheeler. Leave it to me." Jimmy returned to her table as Mike brought cups of golden bouillon.

"Won't you try our new special on the house?" Mike invited. "Shall I fix up a nice little lunch as usual, Mr. Wheeler?"

Jimmy deferred to Miss Bond. She was already sipping her bouillon blissfully.



"She swayed and would have fallen if Jimmy hadn't caught her."

"I've a feeling anything here'll be good," she agreed and set down her empty cup. "I'm a pig! Just couldn't help it," she added wistfully, with a blush.

Jimmy grinned. "Won't have stenographers who aren't good feeders."

She laughed. Jimmy heard silver bells. Her bouillon worked fast. Violet eyes stayed alive now. Jimmy would like to spend a week feeding this girl. He had learned she was called "Betty." Jimmy thought "Betty" was his favorite name. By the time Mike brought second aid, he had her talking. He liked it. No whining. She was alone and on her own like himself, flotsam and jetsam from small towns. Jimmy told job-hunting yarns, too; made them light, set them in a remotish past. She loved the one about the boss's secretary who balled up her letters which Jimmy corrected until a prize ball slipped by and the boss got wise. "And I was the one the boss bawled out," Jimmy added. "Called it my fault for coddling the girl and spoiling her."

"That was while they sipped demitasses." Betty's phone was ringing as she stumbled into his apartment. "Mr. Wheeler?" a remote voice said. "This is Mr. A. B. Fletcher's secretary. Could you see Mr. Fletcher here tomorrow morning? He didn't tell me to call you but he spoke about you today. Said he'd hoped you'd be over your grouch and back on your old job before this. I'm just tipping you off."

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"Aren't bumps fun to look back on!" she laughed. She could laugh at bumps only one meal and a couple of bucks away! She'd walk out of his life and begin starving again. Jimmy might as well not want her to starve. Jimmy almightily didn't want her to walk out of his life. How could he help it? The query fuddled his bogus letters to theoretical publicity prospects as Betty pot-hooked them like a streak on paper Mike furnished. She had to tinker his sentences.

Suddenly a thought popped up like an unexpected check. Why not really mail those letters? He might land free lance work and keep on using Betty!

"Look here," he said. "How about a regular job, if we're satisfied after swapping references? My office is under my hat yet, but I'll find a cubby-hole."

Betty's former employer told him over the phone she was as good as Jimmy thought, lost her job only be-

cause the company failed. Jimmy persuaded her to take expense money and a week's salary in advance, by pretending he'd be away on business most of the week. Betty had a feeling this was all the reference she needed from him. Jimmy didn't argue. Old Fletcher might say something sour if Jimmy referred her to his ex-boss.

But, at parting, qualms began to wriggle around in Jimmy.

"Look here," he said. "If you get a chance at a better job, take it!"

"I've a feeling you may back out if I don't run," said Betty.

AFTER Betty ran, everything went greyish. The impossible didn't seem as possible. It seemed plain impossible later, after long hours of hammering at his best prospects. The only spark he struck was "Come and see us after business picks up." By five Jimmy hit bottom. He started home deciding he'd just tear up those letters Betty had agreed to send over by messenger. But the letters weren't there, the hall man reported. Jimmy thought that over, feeling as if somebody had kicked him. Stung again! Neat little game! That reference he called up, a plant, of course. He ought to have seen she came out of her dumps a little too fast! He was a fine judge of women!

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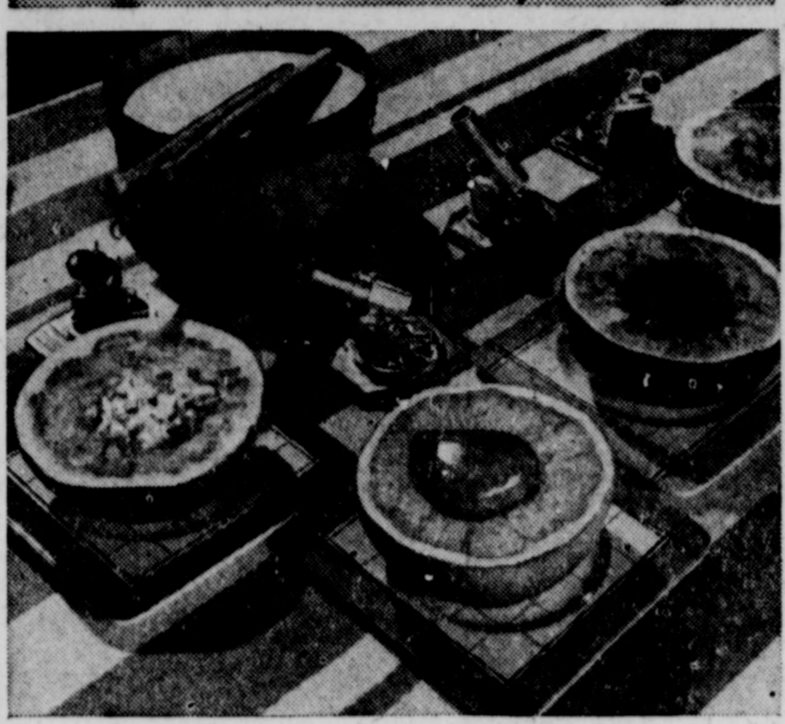
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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Serve Fruit Desserts for Meal Contrasts (See recipes below.)

## Fruit Desserts

Food studies show that people do not get as many fruits in winter as in summer, and frequently this is thought to be a result of their lack of availability; but a good percentage of fruits available in their fresh form are canned, and thus made available for use.

Then, too, there are a number of fruits more available in the cooler months than during the warmer summer — apples are in their prime, and so are pears. Look to the citrus fruits, also, if you want particularly luscious fruits that are scarce in summer. Make good use of the dried fruits like prunes and apricots for they have excellent vitamin and mineral values.

This is the season to make full use of the canned fruits you stored during the warmer months. Serve them chilled with simple cookies for an easy dessert or make them into one of the many delectable puddings such as the following:

**Deep Dish Plum Dessert. (Serves 8)**  
3 cups canned plums  
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg  
2 tablespoons butter

Pit and chop the plums. Pour with 3/4 cup of their juice into a greased shallow baking dish. Sprinkle with the spices and dot with butter. Cover with crust made as follows:  
1 1/2 cups sifted flour  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
6 tablespoons shortening  
1/2 cup milk  
2 tablespoons sugar

Sift dry ingredients; cut in shortening. Add milk to make a soft dough. Roll dough to 1/2 inch thickness and make a few short slashes in it. Place over the fruit in the baking dish. Sprinkle with 2 tablespoons of sugar. Bake for 45 minutes in a preheated oven (400°F.) Serve warm.

**Princess Custard. (Serves 8)**  
2 large bananas, diced  
1 1/2 teaspoons orange rind, grated  
6 tablespoons orange juice  
3 tablespoons sugar  
2 tablespoons cornstarch  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cups milk  
2 egg yolks, slightly beaten  
2 egg whites  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1/2 cup sweet crumbs (cake, cookie, graham cracker or vanilla wafer crumbs)

Combine bananas, orange rind and juice. In a double boiler, combine sugar, cornstarch and salt. Add milk gradually and cook until all is thickened. Slowly stir into egg yolks. Cook until thick. Remove from fire and fold in fruit mixture. Chill. Gradually add sugar to stiffly beaten egg whites, fold into custard. Place in sherbet glasses and sprinkle with crumbs.

**Caramelized Apples. (Serves 8)**  
8 apples  
16 marshmallows  
1 cup butter  
1 cup brown sugar  
1/2 cup nut meats, almonds preferred

Arrange layers of apples, cut in eighths with marshmallows cut in thirds, butter cut into pieces, brown sugar and nuts in a buttered baking dish. Bake in a moderate oven (350°F.) basting occasionally. Cool. Serve with whipped cream. Cook until thickened. Add butter and vanilla. Cool until lukewarm. Remove crusts from bread, cube and toast, under broiler. Combine prunes with bread cubes and remaining sugar. Arrange half in bottom of a large pudding dish. Spread one half of crust mixture over the prunes. Add remaining prune mixture, top with custard and toasted coconut. Chill 8 to 10 hours.

**Save Food Dollars By Using Everything Edible**  
Celery tops may be dried in the oven, then crushed to a powder and kept in a jar. They add a pungent flavor to soups, stews, casseroles, dressings and salads.

To increase the volume of egg whites, add a tablespoon of water before beating. Do not add more water than that. Slightly longer beating is required when water is added.

Two tablespoons of orange marmalade folded into one cup of whipped cream makes a delicious topping for plain cake. Leftover cake may be used if heated slightly to freshen.

If you want to use your leftover fat, do not keep it on the stove while it accumulates. The constant heat will make it rancid. Storage should be in the refrigerator where it will keep sweet.

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## SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

### Gay One-Yard Apron for Gifts

### Clever Date Frock for Misses



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- 2. Approximately how many of Bolivia's 3,000,000 population is pure Indian?
- 3. How much leaf surface has a tree?
- 4. The mythological dog who guards the gates of Hades is named what?
- 5. What is the only state split completely into two parts?
- 6. When was the first life insurance policy issued in this country?
- 7. Hawaii is how far southwest of San Francisco?
- 8. What kind of wood did Noah use in building the ark?

## THE ANSWERS

- 1. Hamlet—Act I, scene 3.
- 2. 1,500,000.
- 3. A large oak may have as much as 87,000 square feet of leaf surface. That is, if all the leaves from the tree were spread flat on the ground and touching, they'd completely cover two acres.
- 4. Cerberus.
- 5. Michigan.
- 6. On December 15, 1792, by the Insurance Company of North America.
- 7. About 2,000 miles.
- 8. The Bible says gopherwood. In this country gopherwood is called stinking cedar.

## AROUND THE HOUSE

To make a ladder safe on soft ground nail a board across the ends of the legs to keep it from sinking into the earth.

A monkey wrench can be used as a lever for bending the various kinds of soft metal.

A furnace that does not do the job adequately often can be "coaxed" along merely by permitting a little air to get into the basement. Leave a window open. Furnace men will tell you that a poor air mixture often is responsible for incomplete combustion.

If your china baking dishes have become slightly discolored, try using a little whitening to clean them. Rinse well in warm water.

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## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Horizontal

- 1 Person without gentlemanly instincts
- 4 To confuse
- 9 Fondling bed
- 12 Eggs
- 13 Mole gray
- 14 Poetic: to uncloise
- 15 To arrange in battle position
- 17 To imbue
- 19 Slang: brisk energy
- 20 To bring down on oneself
- 21 To stimulate
- 23 Part of "to be"
- 24 Ancient Anglo-Saxon chariot
- 27 Rowing implement
- 28 European mountain system
- 30 Prefix: half
- 31 Japanese measure
- 32 Stupidity
- 34 French conjunction
- 35 Principal member of a theatrical company
- 37 Widemouthed pot
- 38 Insect
- 39 Giant
- 41 Thus
- 42 To release
- 43 To divert
- 45 Siamese coin
- 46 Belgian King in World War I
- 48 Tropical American wildcat
- 51 Edible seed
- 52 More certain
- 54 Female sheep
- 55 Snake-like fish
- 56 To habituate (var.)
- 57 Russian

Vertical

- 1 Important food fish

Solution in Next Issue.

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Answer to Puzzle Number 37

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## Once Mighty Empire

Now Is Small Power

Szeizman "The Magnificent" or "The Law Giver" (1520-1566) conquered Mesopotamia and Persia, pushed through North Africa and laid the first siege to the city of Vienna in 1529. The Ottoman Empire was at the zenith of its power during the reign of this monarch. With the failure of the second siege of Vienna in 1683, under Mehmed IV, the decline of the empire began.

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## Sheep and Cattle Peg Declines Felt In Most Farm Commodities Markets

Many Southwest farm products declined in value last week, though most sheep and cattle sold higher, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports in a release prepared for The Times.

Wheat prices fell sharply during the week, and most other grains also suffered losses. Weakening factors included uncertainty concerning possible price programs, European shipments, more favorable weather in the corn belt, and increased supplies of new corn. No. 1 wheat closed Friday at \$3.03 1/2 per bushel at Texas common points.

Prices of many feed ingredients followed the downward trend of grains. Alfalfa hay showed a slightly easier undertone this week, while interrupted peanut picking at many points with little damage to the crop. Wool buying continued active in Texas and the Southwest at first choice lots at \$19.25 to \$20. Good and choice bought \$22.75 to \$23.25 at Wichita.

Southwest cattle closed the week generally steady to 50 cents higher compared to a week earlier, except at Oklahoma City losses ranged from 25 cents to \$1, with cows and heifers losing most. Common and medium cows sold at \$12 to \$14.50 at Houston, while medium and good grades cashed at \$15.50 to \$16 at San Antonio, \$13.25 to \$16 at Fort Worth, and \$14 to \$17 at Oklahoma City. Wichita bought good weight cows at \$16 to \$18.50, and Denver paid \$14.75 to \$16.25 for common and good kinds.

Spot cotton markets saw another active week with large volume of sales. Prices declined mostly 50 cents per bale. Rains delayed harvesting in many sections.

**Time-Piece Work.**  
A negro called upon an old friend, who received him in a rocking chair. The visitor observed not only that his host did not rise, but that he continued to rock himself to and fro in a most curious way. "Yo' ain't sick, is yo', Harrison?" asked the caller anxiously. "No, I ain't sick, Mose," said Harrison.

There was a moment's silence, during which the caller gazed wide-eyed at the rocking figure. "Den," continued Mose, "why does yo' rock yo'self 'at way all de time?" Harrison exclaimed: "Yo' know Bill Blett? Well, he said once a liver wash clean, an' if I steps moving like dis, dat wash don't go."

Vacationist—"Any big man born here?" Native—"Nope. Not very progressive 'round here; best we can do is babies. Different in the city, I suppose."

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No one's life is completely well rounded unless it provides for reckoning with the spiritual side of one's nature. To be sure, all of us realize that there will be a hereafter. Where we shall spend that eternity will depend on how we spend this life.

There is a spark of spirituality in the bosom of every blessed son and daughter of us. Our nurturing that spark will bring us the fuller life.

Scurry County is blessed with good churches and ministers. Dropping the cares of the work-a-day routine often and sharing the sublimity of a church of your choice will add much to your contentment and happiness. Go to church often!

## Soil for Now and Future

From its very beginning Texas has lived off of the fruits of its soil—and it will continue to live and grow by the production of Mother Earth.

Minerals, oil and industry are contributing an increasing amount of revenue to the prosperity of Texas, but these will never replace the basic contribution which agriculture and livestock raising to progress of Texas as a whole.

Crops and livestock have consumed much of the soil fertility, and terrible inroads have been made by erosion to deplete the fertility of the soil. But Texans have realized their folly. They are doing something about their waning fertility. Soil conservation is the common practice among farmers and ranchers in this part of Texas.

Terracing and contouring are saving precious moisture that formerly made wide ditches and barrow pits, carrying away the very life of the soil. Planting of legumes and other soil-building vegetation is restoring lost humus so vital to proper balance of the soil's ingredients.

Scurry County farmers and ranchers are cooperating in the "Save the Soil and Save Texas" campaign that will pay off now and in the years to come.

## Band Adds Spizzerinktum

Ever notice how enlivened a feller becomes when he hears the lit of good music? He nearly invariably puts his foot—and somehow or other it puts a smile on his face. The rhythm permeates his entire being, and the world looks rosier than before.

Reorganization of the Snyder Tiger Band will be worth many times the cost in cheerier faces around the Snyder community. The Times heralds the new organization as a harbinger of joy and gladness that will affect all the Snyder territory. We will again come to be known as a people with a permanent smile and rhythmic dispositions. It's a health-giving anti-blues dose, too. May we all drink deeply of the spizzerinktum which the band will bring to us.

The band program is one in which all the community can have a part in, too. Funds are still needed for the purchase of instruments and music for the organization.

Parent-Teacher Association, Rotary Club, Lions Club, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, ladies' club and other organizations and individuals have rallied to Director Purris Williams' call for aid in getting the Tiger Band on its feet again. And already these organizations and citizens feel they are being well repaid for their investment.

## Editorial of the Week

**MORE DRUNK DRIVING**  
In our fellow Panhandle city of Canyon last week a man was found guilty of murder without malice in connection with a car accident in which Paul Foster of Hereford was killed.

In the course of the testimony, a chemist swore that he had tested the defendant's blood and urine shortly after the accident and found sufficient quantities of alcohol to cause drunkenness. Another man testified he was with the defendant when they drank alcoholic beverages together. Further testimony indicated the defendant's car was seen swerving badly back and forth across the road.

## 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  
Unfortunately, and one can well tell by the way used cars are being "gobbled up" in this area, dealers are expecting a sharp increase in used car prices on November 1, when installment buying restrictions come to an end. . . . Prices doubtless will not level off until January at least, when cold weather and introduction of some 1948 models will put a damper on demand. . . . In far too many towns over the country the used car business was carried as a "racket" during the war years; and if Congress wanted to do something really worthwhile, federal law can make mandatory check of the "death bugles," with a seal and true statement of condition of each vehicle before purchasers were allowed to buy used cars. . . . If a vehicle has defective steering mechanism, brakes or body, the prospective buyer should know the truth before he risks his neck and the necks of loved ones in vehicles which are temporarily quietened with heavy grease and sawdust.

Word is getting around that Washington planners are considering the purchase abroad, and especially in Canada, Australia, Argentina and Brazil, with U. S. dollars of some of the European aid supplies. . . . Behind their line of reasoning is the idea that spreading the dollars around instead of putting them all in one place will halt inflationary trends at home. . . . It is rather significant to note that grain men who are in sound financial shape and expect continuing high prices are withholding millions of bushels of wheat until after January 1 of 1948 in order to avoid higher 1947 income tax brackets. . . . This practice will make the "Food for Europe" program slightly rugged until the current year draws to a close.

Already the chilling winds of another autumn are bringing a new pall of gloom across Europe. . . . The tunnels in the mines over Germany have a damp, muggy tinge and the gaunt horseman of the centuries—famine—is edging around the rim of Europe's communities. . . . When snow starts falling overseas, Europe will doubtless face the grimmest winter in over 200 years, and only one beacon light remains to penetrate the gloom—the magic land of America. . . . Regardless of whether or not we call a special session of Congress, institute a measure of stop-gap aid or break down and grant direct relief to Europe, human lives are at stake by the thousands, and the challenge, and how we meet it, will pencil the world's fate for decades ahead. . . . If we truly meet this challenge and curb Russia, with her avowed plans of world conquest, we will have advanced Christianity 500 years. . . . If we fail, only a higher power could chart the extent of international chaos.

One major problem which is closely allied with the critical food situation now existing in Japan is the availability of adequate amounts of fertilizers for application to growing food crops. . . . If Japan is to produce for domestic consumption a maximum amount of foodstuffs, it is very essential that present soil fertility levels be maintained, or even increased, by application of all kinds of fertilizers—both commercial fertilizers and farm manures. . . . It is well known that Japanese farmers make rather efficient use of all available fertilizer materials.

Organic wastes in Japan such as leaves, grasses, potato vines, rice and wheat straw and similar materials are used as fertilizers by adding them to the soil as green manures, or by first composting them to make the plant nutrients which they contain more readily available to plants, and then applying the composted organic material-wastes to the soil. . . . Seeing that Japan has fertilizer to produce every ton of food and fiber possible will come to the forefront rapidly—if the United States is to retain any type of real control over the people who, allegedly, have been guilty of sabotaging their own reconstruction projects to an extent.

Governor Beauford H. Jester of Texas has gained the reputation over the Southwest as our "Gadabout Governor," and while Texas should not give judgment too hasty on the matter, it appears that Jester is becoming accustomed to portraying the role of an executive "here today and in South America tomorrow. . . . Since he returned from Guatemala, Jester has, according to the record, been out of Austin more than he has been in the city. . . . Unfortunately, Jester has left himself open to some criticism by flying around Texas snipping ribbons, crowning queens, nipping a few "bracers" with fellow Kappa Sigma here and there and leaving much of the state's work to Henry, Bill and John.

Recurrent and rather premature talk about a possible rationing of sugar has spurred many housewives over the country to purchase and hoard sugar. . . . Truth of the matter is that there are ample supplies of sugar; so much in fact the Commodity Credit Corporation, which sought the 1947 Cuban crop, has persuaded the U. S. Army to purchase 400,000 tons for shipment to occupied areas of Europe and Japan in an effort to hold up the present price structure. . . . With wheat selling well over \$3 per bushel at mid-week and with other commodities hiked, a slight increase in the price of sugar per pound may be probable—but not rationing at this phase of "after-Ides reconstruction.

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