D. & R. BURNEY IS DRILLING IN PAY HORIZON

Porosity in Northwest Extension at Sharon Looks Good-Mooar Test Resumes After Fishing

their attention late Wednesday Scurry County Rodeo Association. afternoon to one of the Sharon lines of the northwest corner, north- day, August 5-6. east one-fourth of Section 143-97- The two clowns that will be used

Wednesday night at 2,395 feet. Miami, Oklahoma, and other mem- structions for the Friday and Saturat the well this (Thursday) morn- they will make at the rodeo. ing to witness its completion. The Rules for the cutting horse conpool's latest producer will probably test were completed and approved fine. be given nitro shot Friday after- at Tuesday night's gathering, and

F. W. Merrick was moving in test approved. drilling equipment to two locations | Rodeo association directors aneast of his No. 1 Dora Roberts, pre- nounced that all persons due to paratory to spudding his No. 2 Dora receive passes to the county's Roberts. Location is in the north- fourth annual rodeo were approved west corner of the north quarter of at the meeting. Passes will be mailthe southeast one-fourth, Section ed to the eligible persons Monday.

Northwest of Snyder Coffield & holders and helpers' supper at Wolf Guthrie's No. 1 J. Wright Mooar Park Thursday night, August 1, were wildcat, which has attracted a con- announced, and Harrie Winston siderable amount of attention the selected to cook the fatted calf. past two weeks, had completed a Navajo Indian blankets for the fishing job late Wednesday after- rodeo's three winning senior sponnoon, and was drilling again at 4,- sors were ordered this week direct 361 feet, in lime. Contract depth is from the Navajo Indian Reserva-

Otho Barbee Is Named Coach of Snyder Schools

High School, athletic coach here for type staged here since the Scurry a number of years, turns over the County Rodeo Association was orathletic reins to Otho Barbee, for- ganized. mer Howard Payne football star. Barbee will coach football and basketball, but Hill will continue to made that present chutes have been coach the track and field squad.

Frank Weaver, a June graduate of McMurry College, Abilene, was placed, and the grand stand in named assistant coach. Barbee gained a considerable amount of throngs who will be here August recognition at Comanche during 9-10 for the boots-and-saddle round-1939, where he was high school up.

Weaver was a regular end at Mc-Murry for the past three years. He took over a first string berth in the middle of the 1937 campaign when Dick Dunlap was shifted to the backfield.

R. M. Medley, then coach at McMurry, rated Weaver the finest sophomore end he had ever had at the Methodist school. Weaver was hurt in the final game of the season against ACC, and since then has been bothered somewhat by old injuries.

Two instructors in the primary department, Mrs. W. E. Montgomer of Colorado City and Mrs. Jewel Walker of Roby, were selected this week by school board members Teaching staff for the 1940-1941 school term at the local school is now compete with the exception of a home economics teacher.

M. M. Gideon Given Trades Day Money

Fully 3,000 people from this immediate trade territory were at tracted to Snyder Wednesday afternoon for the regular weekly Trades Day prize awarding at 3:00 o'clock. M. M. Gideon, who lives four blocks north of the square, was given \$50.69 on a 10 per cent ticket Wednesday afternoon's funds, from which the award was made, totaled \$506.93.

TAKE MEN TO HUNTSVILLE

Sheriff John Lynch took H. A Leonard, Carl Crocket and Glenn Merritt to Roby early Friday morning and transferred them to "Uncle Bud Russell's "Black Maria," where they were taken on to Huntsville The trio of county boys were recently meted out prison sentences on indictments returned by the grand jury in the summer term of court.



A daughter, the Gaither Bells Belinda, weight seven and a half pounds, arrived in a local hospital at 6:30 o'clock Monday morning,

July 22. Veima Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley of the Union community, Saturday night at 10:40 o'clock, weight seven pounds seven

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Ford of Polar, a son, Arlon Dale, Saturday.

PARADE AT RODEO TO BE FEATURE THIS YEAR VICTIM FOUND

Firms and Clubs-Improvements Made at Show Grounds

Mapping of final plans for a rodeo members of the oil fraternity turned lighted this week's activities of the Snyder Higginbotham-Bartlett yard.

Feature of Tuesday night's rodeo pool's northwest extension tests, D. association meeting at the Chamber & R. Oil Company's No. 1 W. F. of Commerce office was the formu-Burney, which was drilling in upper lation of detailed plans for the pay saturation after drilling plug. pre-rodeo rally here Saturday night. D. & R.'s No. 1 Burney, located August 3, and mapping of the two-330 feet from the north and west day booster trip Monday and Tues-

H&TC Survey. was drilling early in the county's fourth annual rodeo here were present at Tuesday night's D. & R. Oil Company officials of meeting, and were given final in-

all routine for the sponsor's con-

Final plans for the annual stock-

tion in Wyoming

Response shown by the public to the forthcoming rodeo parades each day of the rodeo was reported by officials as more than gratifying. All flags have been reworked preparatory to putting up around the square Tuesday, July 30.

Details of the forthcoming street dance Thursday night, August 8, were made available to directors. This street dance will, in all probweeks ago as principal of Snyder ability, be one of the biggest of its

> In the nature of rodeo grounds improvements, announcement was remodeled and three new ones added. New drop gates have been Wolf Park now awaits only the

Not only have stock for the twoday rodeo been obtained-which Angelo to be week-end guests of the Double Mountain Fork of the are said to be plenty salty-but the W. M. Scott. Fishing, boating, Brazos River. tribute to the flag written, as has swimming, golf and various other While Borden County is not yet institution for the grand entry.

See PARADE—Back Page

Floats Being Pledged by Business Jay Vaughan Goes to Yard At Hermleigh

Transfer last week of Hugh Vaughn, manager of the Hermleigh here August 9 and 10 that will Higginbotham - Bartlett Company surpass anything of a similar na- lumber yard, to Roscoe, made neces-County oil operators and other ture ever staged in Snyder high- sary a personnel change at the

> Jay Vaughn, who has been employed at the Snyder lumber yard, became late last week manager of the Hermleigh Higginbotham-Bartlett yard. He and Mrs. Vaughn moved to their new location Friday.

Bettie Lee, moved to Snyder last about 20 miles.

AGED AMNESIA BY LOCAL MEN

Andrew Bynum Found Saturday on Hugh Taylor Place After Search By Party from Snyder

A 30-car caravan of Snyder citisens, led by Sheriff John Lynch and members of Snyder Volunteer Fire Department, joined Saturday morning 14 miles west of Snyder in a successful search for Andrew By num, 73-year-old amnesia victim.

When found in the Hugh Taylor pasture in the Arah communit Harold Clement of Sudan has at 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning, been employed at the Snyder yard Bynum was in a dazed condition not return Friday night, whereupon to replace Jay. Clements, his wife and and unable to walk. Officers estheir two children, Patsy Jean and timated he had walked and crawled morning.

Bynum, a bachelor, lives with his Hugh Vaughan, Mrs. Vaughan brother, George Bynum, one mile cal hospital, rested easy Saturday

Another Big'Un

Henfruit of the size usually eferred to as "meals" became a lively subject for discussion in The Times office Tuesday afternoon when J. E. Davis, who lives near the First Presbyterian Church, placed on exhibit a hen egg that measured six and a half by seven and a half inches.

The egg, laid by a Brahma hen, was the second large egg to be placed on exhibit in The Times office this year. "The hen that feathered her nest to lay this kind of an egg," a visitor stated Tuesday night, "would make a fine mother for almost any kind of chickens."

an alarm was spread Saturday

Election Finally Given Notice by Jittery Folks

PREXY NAMES COMMITTEES IN LIONS CLUB

Bullock Announces Appointments at Tuesday Meeting-Club to Have Float in Rodeo Parade

Naming of club committees for the ensuing year by Pat Bullock, Lions Club president, highlighted Tuesday's regular Lions Club luncheon at the Manhattan Hotel. Committees named by Bullock, vith the chairman of each committee named first, tollow:

Attendance-Earl Louder, J. E. Bakey and Alfred McGlaun. Boy Scout-H. L. Wren, Leighton Griffin and Allen Beacei Blind-W. R. Bell, R. H. Odom and Dr. H. G. Towle.

Civic-R. C. Miller Jr., Marcel Be in Proposed Soil District Josephson and Joe Graham. Membership-Lee Stinson, Sterng Williams and J. O. Stimson. School affairs-E. L. Farr, O. D.

McGlaun and Roy O. Irvin. Parks-R. G. Dillard, Frank Farmand J. D. Scott. Wanda Mills, accompanied by

Mrs. Daisy Cavin, gave two excellent vocal numbers, "Over the Rainbow" and "Oh, Johnny." Guest speaker was Henry Brandon

day pre-rodeo booster trips that will Members of the Hobbs girls' group be made Monday and Tuesday,

establishment of the Scurry County Turkingua quick silver mines. Lions Club will sponsor a float in Principal speaker was Bob Riggs which is drawing a considerable Led by Cleveland Littlepage, the rodeo parade that will be staged of the Spur Experiment Station, amount of fire, county voters seem upplied the stock for 10 rodecs in X. B. Cox Jr., county agent, is Hobbs vocational agriculture teach- each day of the rodec. Lions Roy O. who various parts of West Texas. The joined by other county agricultural er, 28 Hobbs High School boys re- Irvin, H. L. Wren and Joe Graham trench silos and the most efficient brahmas, buffalo, wild steers and officials in inviting each and every turned Wednesday night from a were named committee members to use of silage. Dale McWhirter, Py-

Zeiglers Return to County from Dallas new trench silos. summer trip did so at a cost of \$3

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ziegler, proneer Scurry County residents, returned Monday from Dallas, where they munity announced Tuesday that party have resided since last October. of Education at Austin announced moved back to their Dermott resi- Hill tabernacle Sunday mbrning at on county, district, state and conbeen the history of the rodeo as an forms of recreation are always on included in the proposed soil con- Tuesday that the first payment on dence, state they are happy to be 11:00 o'clock. People of Pleasant Hill. tap for the annual visit. In the servation district setup for Scurry high school tuition will be placed "back in Scurry County because it and nearby communities are cor-The pre-rodeo rally that will be group will be Scott's son, J. D. and Kent Counties, it will be if a in the mails within the next few is, after all, the right place to call dially invited to attend the meetstaged here Saturday night, August Scott, his brother, J. W. Scott, Earl majority of the Borden County days. Payments, state school of home." Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler, despite ing, day services of which begin Pyron, Dermott or Gail.

Heads Lions

Karl M. Sorrick of Jackson, Michigan, shown, who was named today (Thursday) president of the International Association of Lions Clubs during closing sessions of Havana, Cuba, conference. Dr. H. G. Towle, delegate of the local Lions Club to the Havana conclave, advised The Times late Wednesday night he was having "a highly enjoyable time mingling with the club delegates at the crosspoint of ocean commerce."

Trench Silos Talked At Pyron Farm Meet

Thirty-five farmers of the Pyron outstanding affair, and believe this tention this week to the public mer tour of the Carlsbad Caverns, out for the county's fourth annual monthly meeting of the Pyron definitely assertained Agricultural Association that was definitely ascertained. rodeo for visitors and contestants Thursday, August 1, in regard to Alpine, the Alpine Museum and the Announcement was made that the held at Pyron School Tuesday night. ron vocational agriculture teacher. states a considerable amount of interest is being shown by community farmers at this time in building

Leaders of the Pleasant Hill com-Rev. M. R. Gaines of Comanche will Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler, who have begin a summer revival at Pleasant at 8:15 o'clock.

MILITARY AND

NAVAL FACTS

United States Army

Regulars 264,000 National Guard 242,300

Reserve Officers ... 109,000

Total 615,300

Mechanized Units

Tanks (heavy) NONE

....

297 #

Scout cars

Combat cars

Tanks (medium) ...

Tanks (light)

Local and State Candidates as Interest Primes for Vote itizen this week.

Saturday's primary election is on he tongue of almost every county

WAR, WEATHER

HAVE BEEN IN

Last-Minute Appeals Being Made by

VOTERS' MINDS

From Fluvanna to Arah, and Snyder to Bison, Dunn, Ira, Camp Springs, Hermleigh, Pyron to other county communities people have whole-heartedly focused their attention on an election that is slated to see some vital changes made in county, state and maybe one or two congressional offices.

The changing aspect of the war abroad, the lack of sufficent July rainfall and other kindred subjects seem to have held the attention of ounty voters until this week, when they awoke to the fact that primary election day was just barely around the traditiona lcorner.

Not only are county voters being approached by candidates making their last-minute appeals, but they are also planning to be in Snyder by the hundreds Friday morning when Governor W. Lee O'Daniel addresses the assembled county voters on the eve of election time.

County politics are getting so varm this week that observers predict some 3,500 people will be here Saturday night for the election party staged by The Times. Returns rom county, district and state races will be posted on an election board community attended the regular in front of Bryant-Link Company

Aside from the sheriff's race, county commissioner races, so far as

county politics are concerned. The 2,827 county voters who paid poll taxes for the privilege of voting this year, plus the "overs" and "unders," will make 3,000 or more votes that will be cast in Saturday's election. Just how these votes went will be determined Saturday night if you attend The Times' election

And Sunday morning, for those who want the last minute returns gressional races, The Times will have an election extra for you at Camp Springs, Hobbs, Ira, Dunn,

Band To Be Used As Musicians for Rodeo Activities

Preparatory to taking a leading part in the county's pre-rodeo rally Saturday night, August 3, and a prominent role in Scurry County's fourth annual rodeo August 9-10. Snyder Tiger Band members will be issued uniforms Tuesday night. Herman Trigg, band director,

states the band uniforms will be seued Tuesday night at 8:30, at the high school band room. Band members are urged to be on time for ssuance of suits. Band practice will be held Friday

night, August 2, from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock, August 2, from 7:30 to 9:00 room, Trigg states. Saturday night, August 3, the band will lead the parade of those attending the prerodeo rally on the court house lawn. Then the two festive days of the

Scurry County Rodeo, August 9-10, Snyder Tiger Band, in uniform, will take part in the Friday and Saturday parades, and play for Friday and Saturday afternoon rodeo performances.

Rotan Man to Lead In Baptist Meeting At Plainview School

Beginning Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock, a 10-day revival will be held at Plainview School, six miles east of Snyder. Rev. Earl Powers of Rotan, Midway pastor, will be in charge of preaching services. Nell Verna LeMond and Lola Mae Littlepage will be in charge of music for the revival, and will direct the young people. Day services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and evening services at 8:15 p. m.

Church leaders of the Plainview community are enthusiastic over the Sunday School recently started there under the sponsorship of the Snyder Baptist Church. Attendance

Rev. Powers is joined by Rev. Ira Harrison, First Baptist Church pastor here, in inviting the people of Plainview and nearby communities to attend the Painview services.

bers of the oil fraternity arrived day, August 9 and 10, appearances and three children, James, Norman south of Claude McCormick's Seven night and Sunday. It is thought and Joan, stated Tuesday they are Mile Station on Highway 15. He that he will recover in a few liking their Roscoe location "mighty wandered away from the Bynnm days, since he seemingly suffered residence Friday afternoon and did from amnesia, or a lapse of memory Parts of Three Counties Will

Ollie Cox Advertises Double Heart Rodeo Slated August 2-3-4

Rodeo fans of Scurry and nearby counties were invited this week by Ollie Cox, ranch owner, to attend the three-day Double Heart Rodeo that will be held August 2-3-4 at the Double Heart Ranch 10 miles south of Sweetwater on Highway 70 Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cox, ranch

operators, set themselves more than a decade ago to the task of making the Double Heart's annual rodeo an

Double Heart Ranch has already Soil Conservation district. furnish special music during the Conservation Board officials. rodeo.

ANNUAL TRIP Leaving today, five local men are south of the Colorado River, and all except incidental expenses.

to make their annual trip to San all of Kent County lying south of

HEARING NEXT THURSDAY TO DISCUSS PLAN

To Attend Conference at Snyder With State Officials

Landowners of Scurry, Kent and

cows on hand for the three-day landowner of Scurry, Borden and tour of the same points the Hobbs' arrange for the float. rodeo are said to be unusually salty. Kent Counties to attend the hear- girls visited. The original Tune Wranglers will ing, to be conducted by State Soil Territory embraced in the proposed district includes all of Scurry County except the portion lying each. This cost included meals and

Fish, W. E. Holcomb and R. J. landowners so desire, soil conserva- ficia's report, will be approximately their advanced years, are enjoying at 10:30 a. m. and evening services tion board officials indicate.

Hobbs Students Are Back From Week's Tour of Big Sights

Accompanied by N. J. Guillet, Hobbs School superintendent, Miss of Dallas, who made a brief talk. N. J. Guillet and Miss Charlotte Brandon stated he and his Dallas Ballow, Hobbs home economics associates were here in the interest Landowners in Area Being Urged teacher, 30 Hobbs High School girls of putting in an oil refinery in returned Monday night from a Snyder. week's trip which took them to Lion J. O. Stimson stated everymany interesting points in the Big thing was in readiness for the two-Bend territory

Borden Counties turned their at- visited in the student's annual sum- August 5-6, and all details ironed they have an outstanding hearing that will be held here the MacDonald Observatory near rodeo August 9 and 10.

> Superintendent Guillet stated last Tuesday that the Hobbs boys and girls who made this year's annual

SCHOOL PAYMENTS SOON

Attaches of the State Department 90 per cent of the approved claims. good health.

UNPREPAREDNESS OF AMERICA IN WORLD AT WAR SHOWN BY ANALYSIS

BLITZKRIEG TIME TABLE

Sept. 1-Germany invades Po-

clare war.

Sept. 10-Canada enters war. Sept. 27-Devastated Warsaw falls, ending Polish cam-

Sept. 3-Britain and France de-

paign. April 9-Denmark occupied; Norway invaded by Ger-

May 2-British admit defeat in southern and central Nor-

May 10-Invasion of Low Countries begins. May 14-Netherlands capitu-

lates. May 14—Germans break through at Sedan.

May 28-Belgian Army surrenders. May 29-Dunkerque evacuation starts.

June 3-254 killed in air raid on Paris. June 10-Italy enters war.

June 14-Paris falls. June 17-Petain admits defeat of France.

June 22-France signs armis-June 24—Fighting ceases in

France with Germans in complete control. Next-Assault by sea, land and air on British Isles.

NOW-The United States cannot afford to gamble on what might happen to Brit-ish seapower. WE MUST PREPARE FOR DEFENSE

8000 GREENLAND CELAND U.S.S.R. CANADA STATES Pocific Ocean 世界 *Bermuda (BR) Homaiian Is. PUERTO RICO MEXICO "Wake (U.S) PHILIPPINES * Martinique (FR) THE ONLY ANSWER PANAMA CANAL ANA TER GUIANA NEW GLINEA BRAZIL BASE FOR INVASION SOUTH The eastern bulge of Brazil is less than 2,000 miles from bases in French West Africa, now at the disposal of Hitler and Mussolini. Invasion of Brazil at this point would give the aggressors bases from which to launch operations from which to launch operations from the air against the Panama Canal. Some military observers believe this will be the first step taken by the Nazi-Fascist combination, if it MERICA AUSTRALIA A Nations, dominions and protectorates now NEW ZEALAND at war or recently de vastated or conquered # DENOTES ONLY SHIPS IN COMMISSION

IGHTNING war in the Low Countries and France has brought home to Americans a consciousness of the inadequate defense establishment of the United States. While 30,000,000 men are under arms in Europe, Africa and Asia, there are less than 750,000 regular troops in the twenty-one republics of the entire Western Hemisphere. Counting reserves and U.S. National Guard, these nations could put into the field approximately 2,500,000 trained men-less than the number recently called

to the colors in Rumanta alone

BECAUSE of this weakness, the Western Hemisphere, with its vast natural resources and raw materials, now is as great a lure for conquest as ever existed. With our Navy in the Pacific, the British Fleet is our first line of defense in the Atlantic. Our second is our regular army of 264,000 men and a National Guard of 242,300, ill-equipped for mechanical warfare. How long can we continue to depend on the supremacy of the British Navy in the

DROVISIONS for the speedy expansion of our armed forces on a scale great enough to insure the continued safety of the nation are included in the selective compulsory training and service bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Edward R. Burke, Democrat, of Nebraska, and in the House by Representative James W. Wadsworth, Republican, of New York. Under this measure, sponsored by the National Emergency Committee of the Military Training Camps Association, a gigantic reservoir of manpower would be trained and be on call for service in emergencies, in numbers determined by the President and the Secretaries of War and Navy

(#Obsolete tanks and those on order not included. A single German Panzer division has greater striking force than the entire mechanized Aircraft U. S. Army 2,422 N. G. and Reserves ... 372

30,000 to 40,000 (About 1,600 U. S. Army aircraft are combat planes.) U. S. Army Anti-Aircraft Guns

37 mm.50 caliber machine guns 1,044 (#Only guns actually in service counted. If ALL of these guns were massed about a city the size of St. Louis, they would not be ade-quate to defend it against a mass air raid.)

U. S. (tons) 1,257,360 Britain 1,461,294 968.296 apan France 544,468 515,900 Italy 281,074 Germany

Germany and Italy have more than 10,000,000 fully-trained and equipped soldiers. Counting reserves, Russia has from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 troops.

Sunday morning was 69. The combined regular armies of the 20 Latin American republics is approximately 400,000, with partiallyequipped reserves totaling 1,750

The WOMAN'S Page 4th

Native of Scurry County Has Many Strange Tales About Stay in Palestine

were ordered back to America along | there. with other American citizens in No immediate fear of war had been ter, Edna Lee, of Dallas. Haifa because of the war situation felt by the American people in

Haifa (pronounced Hyfa with accented first syllable), is located on Mrs. Murphy and G. L. left Pales- and Pittsburg. Nero is a son of Mrs. the Mediterranean Sea coast in the time. She heard an unverified report northern portion of Palestine. A on the American boat after they couple will live in Dallas, where the town of about 25,000 inhabitants, it sailed that bombs had been dropped is the eastern-most outpost on the on Haifa soon after they left along Mediterranean. Distance from Sny- with 60 other Americans June 21. der to Haifa, according to Mrs. Murphy. is approximately 10,000 miles.

Strange but intensely interesting stories come from the lips of the former Snyder woman-she and her husband and son are all natives of Seurry County. Her large collection of souvenirs from all sections of the Old World is being shown to numbers of friends daily. It includes articles from Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Damascus and other places in Palestine, Greece, India, no shots were fired, Mrs. Murphy Egypt and many other foreign said.

Mrs. Murphy speaks of Bethlehem the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, the Dead Sea, the Sea of Gallilee and other places and people mentioned in Biblical history as naturally as local people speak of their immediate surroundings. "Life in Haifa." the narrator says, "is the most interesting thing that ever happened to us. We hope to go back as soon as the war situa-

A portion of the American oil company employees with the M. W. Kellogg Company were ordered out in February, but Mrs. Murphy and G. L. waited for the last American boat before the Mediterranean Sea was closed to foreign sea traffic, leaving Haifa June 21. Mr. Murphy among the final 50 men to leave Haifa July 10, went by airplane to Singapore and shipped on a Dutch vessel that is scheduled to land at

San Pedro, California, August 6. Work on the English refinery, contract for which is being handled by the American Kellogg Construction



FLOUR

Every day is open house day at | Murphy left Haifa. Impossibility to the C. T. Glen home here since obtain working materials and fear Mrs. A. D. Murphy, wife of an oil to abandon work on the plant and service company employee, and her 11-year- return their workers to the United stay in Haifa, Palestine. The two foreman of the boiler making crew

On the American ship, which brought Mrs. Murphy and her son back to the United States. On the American ship were loaded 280 people. It normally carries 125 passengers. At all boat stops-Mediterranean Sea guns of destroy- the creek for a watermelon feast. ers, battleships and submarines were

The two landed in New York July of their home country before coming on to Texas by train

Discussing native life in Palestine, Mrs. Murphy says that the people are principally of Arabic and Jewish descent, and that the average native speaks from four to six different languages. Living conditions of the natives are somewhat primi tive, but Haifa is as modern in improvements as many of our Ameri can cities. These natives, the Murphys thought, are the friendliest and most cordial race ever encountered The Americans were invited to festive engagement parties and weddings and ate many meals of the native food. Vegetables are plentiful, even though they must be grown on the hillsides in Palestine.

Young G. L., with his naturally curious mind, learned much more of history and geography than the local planist. average high school student here knows while living in Palestine. He attended school that was taught by

Murphy concluded, "most memorable among them was our Christmas visit to Bethlehem, birthplace of the Christ Child. This event will probably live longest in our mem-

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Former Snyder Girl Weds Dallas Man

Saturday evening in Abilene by Virginia Bertram of Clyde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bertram. former Snyder residents, and Loury arrival home of their daughter, of the war caused the American firm Nero of Dallas in a simple ring

Only wedding attendants were the old son, G. L., from an 18-month States. The former local man was bride's sister, Mrs. Claud Rittenberry, and Mr. Rittenberry of Abilene, Mrs. Lena Benoist and daugh-

The bride was wearing a navy in Palestine, which is a British man- Palestine until Italy entered the biue sheer frock with navy and war, Mrs. Murphy says. Italians white accessories for the ceremony bombed portions of Egypt before and for her wedding trip to Detroit Antonia Nero of Pittsburgh. The bridegroom is connected with the Guardian Life Insurance Company

Family Honors Mrs. Kate Thompson

Members of the family of Mrs. Kate Thompson gathered the past Syria, Greece, Naples and several week-end in a family reunion. Friothers-more war refugees were day afternoon the family was joinpicked up. Until the ship left the ed by a large number of friends at Included in the reunion were the trained on them at every port, but following: Mrs. Frank Brooks and children of Rock Springs, Mrs Charles Eastman and family of Union, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet and 11, visited the World's Fair and did children of San Diego, California, other sightseeing in the metropolis Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks and children of Mullen, Rev. and Mrs J. Lowell Ponder and children of Plainview. Local members of the family attending were Ed Y. Thompson and children, Elvin Thompson and children. Oran Thompson and family and Mrs. Henry McGuire and children.

Frances Stavely To Sing at KXOX Friday

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Stavely, will be presented over Radio Station KXOX, Sweetwater, in a program of vocal numbers Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, station 5c dues at the time. officials announce. Vocal selections

Miss Stavely, long a favored en- programs. tertainer in this section, has re- In the near future the club women cently returned from a New Mexico plan to entertain the entire coman American woman, but his con- vacation trip with her accompanist, munity with a chicken fry. stant relationship with the Arab- her teacher, Mrs. Hilton Lambert, Jewish people, made him so familiar and Mr. Lambert. While at Eagle of Keta Smith, read some interestwith the native language that he Nest Lake she appeared on programs ing and useful hints from the book-

program also this week, was asked to appear Friday, and if ness. She gave each woman present as well as she has with previous recipes. ories and be most inspirational in audiences, she will probably be given a contract with regular sponsor.

Three Numbers In LubbockVFW Revue

Three numbers from Elaine Lamsored by the Veterans of Foreign

and tap dance, and an exhibition took of food. Today life is more ballroom waltz by Louize Wilsford and Hilton Lambert, all accomanied by Margaret Dell Prim, will be the local dancers in the Lubbock show. Friday night, August 2, is the evening set aside for the Lambert entertainers at the weekly amateur programs given in the open air theatre in Ruddick Park in Colo-

Guests here Sunday of Dorothy Winston and June Clements at the nome of Miss Wniston's parents, the Wade Winstons, were Wanda June Williams, Jerry Kane, Scott Casey and Jack Giles, all students in Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fowler of Floyada were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler and daughter, Fontaine. The local highway department man and the Floydada isitors are brothers.

to come. Every scene of the n our minds as we viewed scenes of the Nativity on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day."

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Two-In-One



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Demonstration Club Notes

Estella Kabel, County Agent

CHINA GROVE REPORT The China Grove Home Demontration Club met at 2:30 o'clock

July 16 in the school building. There were seven members pres ent, and each answered roll call hurried. Mealtime is often irregu with useful suggestions, paying her lar and the simple "offering of

The club members discussed the o fthe Scurry County girl will be club's achievement day and the apacompanied by Margaret Dell Prim, proaching Scurry County Products Show. All plan to help in these two

Mrs. Bill Hairston, in the absence Auditioned Monday, the local girl bles to retain their garden fresh-

Next on program was Mrs. Jim Wood. She told about "Interior Home Improvement"-arrangement of furniture to best advantage, refinishing at least one piece of furniture, adding pictures and hanging correctly, and adding flowers ert's School of Dance will be pre- keep everything in order,' said Mrs ented in a periodical revue spon- Wood, "is most important in keep-Wars in the Lubbock senior high also discussed "Around the Dining school auditorium tonight (Thurs- Table." Mealtime should be a happy occasion, club members were told. ning numbers, and the program will Several decades ago American famiclude outstanding entertainers of liles gathered around the dining table three times a day. They ex-Dorothy Riley, 10-year-old acro- perienced the ritual of saying a patic artist, Frances Stavely, song grace or "blessing." Then they par-

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12-Day Trip To New York Begins

Mrs. Madge Sims, who has been n charge of local promotion of Charles of the Ritz beauty preparation since the line was introduced here several years ago, leaves Friday for a 12-day expense-paid trip employed in the Stinson No. 1 cosmetic department, will be the guest

ngs during her week's stay in New days here early in August. York City will be spent in Charles of the Ritz Salons at instruction chools. The representatives will be entertained afternoons and evenings with sightseeing trips, social affairs, plays and theatres.

Mrs. Sims will make her return crip in a more leisurely fashion, stopping over at various points of nterest, including Washington, D. She will be traveling with other Charles of the Ritz representatives

ATTEND FAMILY REUNION J. C. Beakley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and son, La-Velle, of Dunn attended the Beak-

ley annual celebration at Richard's dressed. Park at Brady last Sunday, July 21. among those present.

Sunday after a five-week visit with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt King Head of the Class.' of Dallas were here for the weekend, Patsy Sue and Margaret Deakins returning there with them. Miss Deakins will accompany her uncle on a 10-day vacation trip to Houston, San Antonio, Corpus Christi. New Braunfels and other South Texas towns.

thanks" is too often forgotten. Mrs. Wood set a dining table and showed the club women how to

arrange each article necessary for a dinner table. Last on the program was "Yeast

Mrs. Merket also to'd about reshe clicks with the station listeners a booklet which contained useful as well as she has with previous recipes.

She gave each woman present ments, don't serve a whole meal—Morton of Midland; and O. W serve something light and dainty. Curry of Seminole. and be sure it always looks attrac tive and refreshing. To illustrate, she served the group, assisted by fingers and homemade grape juice. New Mexico.

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PARTIES GIVEN **FOR OKLAHOMA**

Several parties were given by to New York City. Mrs. Sims, now local friends complimentary to Mrs. H. C. George of Sulphur, Oklahoma, who was a guest here of her sister of Ritz manufacturers on the en- | Mrs. W. E. Holcomb, last week. Mrs. George left Saturday to spend two Leaving from Sweetwater by weeks in Crosbyton and Midland rain Friday, Mrs. Sims will go before she is joined in Texas by her directly to New York City. Morn- husband. The two will spend several

Informal gatherings were held for Mrs. George all week. A morning party Thursday was hosted by Mrs Earl Louder, dinner and a theatre party Thursday night by Allene Curry and an afternoon forty-two and bridge affair was given by Mrs. Holcomb Friday.

matron wears early in the mornings" was typified Thursday morning at a "kidnap" party in the home of Mrs. Louder, complimenting Mrs. George. Leaving home at 8:30 in the morning, Mrs. Louder kidnapped the guests, requiring them to come Letcher, Nell Verna LeMond, Lucille site, 50 others joined them Satur-

Unique morning costumes were A picnic lunch, attended by 83 rela- worn by the guests, as follows: Mrs. Efland. tives, featured the occasion. Mr. Mmes. George, Holcomb, Carl Eng-Beakley's son, H. D. Beakley, and land, Haro'd Brown, R. J. Randals, Mrs. Beakley of San Antonio were J. G. Hicks, H. P. Redwine and Jim Cloud. Coffee was served at the arrival of the guests, and other re-Patsy Sue King of Dallas left refreshments at 11:00 o'clock. Major entertainment of the morning cenher aunt, Mrs. E. M. Deakins. Her tered on the quiz game "Go to the

Lovely cut flowers decorated and forty-two party. High score prizes were awarded Mmes. Grady Shytles and Carl England.

Delightful refreshments were served from the dining table-sandwiches, olives, cookies, cheese crackers, ice cream and iced tea. Others Lee T. Stinson, Earl Louder, H. P. Redwine, J. G. Hicks and Carl England and Allene Curry.

Guests of Mrs. A. M. Curry for Bread Goals," the subject taken by the week-end arrived Saturday Mrs. Stanley Mcrket. "Make a recipe night, remaining through Monday file for breads," she told the club morning. They included her daughmembers, "and yeast sweet breads ter, Mrs. J. A. Morrison, Mr. Moralso. Plan well-balanced and eco- rison, two of their daughters, Mmes. nomical meals. Use yeast breads Jake Ott and Maurice Williams, and for parties and school lunches, and Mrs. Ott's two children, Charlotte freshments. When serving refresh- Hobbs, New Mexico; Mrs. Herman

Dorothy Winston spent last week vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mrs. Jim Wood, some dainty apricot O. McCurdy of Hamin at Ruidoso,

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Return Missionary Is Guest Speaker

Mrs. Marvin Leech, return misonary from Mexico and wife of he Dunn Baptist pastor, was featured in an interesting mission ary program given at the week meeting of the Philicurian YWA of the local First Baptist Church Monday evening.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ethel Eiland, sponsor Interesting stories were told by Mrs. Leech, who's soft spoken words o fher work in Mexico were inspirational to the gir's present. Her low, clear, musical voice was in itself novel and of unusual interest to the YWA girls, and her mixture of religious experiences with everyday incidents in Mexico and discussion of native life was inspira-

Guests for the meeting included besides Mrs. Leech, Mrs. D. V. Merritt, Mrs. Clyde M. Boren. Lola Mae "What the well-dressed Snyder Littlepage and Mary Frances Echols of Dunn

Weller, Geraldine Shuler, Weller, Marva Nell Curtis, Vera rived early Sunday. Crumley, Martha Lou Holmes and

Iced watermelon was seved the group in the back yard at the close

Open House Honors Los Angeles Women

Mrs. A. O. Scarborough held open house recently to honor her two thur Baggett of Spring Lake, f. W. Mrs. Holcomb's home Friday after- Los Angeles, California, guests, noon when she entertained for her Mmes. Lee Boren and Jack Boren. the J. A. Leach family of Abilene. sister, Mrs. George, at a small bridge Friends were invited to call from 4:00 to 6:00 in the afternoon. Mrs. Lee Boren, sister of Dr. Scarborough, after a two-week visit with her and her late husband were early day grandmother, Mrs. J. R. G. Burt, in Snyder settlers.

Approximately 60 guests called to Keller, drove to Dumas for her greet the visitors at the delightful during the week-end. afternoon affair. Iced punch was served from a flower-decorated tea table by the hostess' daughter, Mrs. Roland Irving, and granddaughter, Enid Irving. The entire house was lovely in its decorations of cut lowers and pot plants. The California women left several

days ago, returning to their Los Jeannette Lollar left Monday for

Huntington, Pennsyivania, where

she formerly taught college courses

MORE THAN 100 ATTEND ANGEL GET-TOGETHER

Portions of the Angel Reunion. held at Buffalo Gap last week-end, came to Snyder to spend the week with the N. W. Autry and A. C. Martin families here. Mmes. Autry and Martin are members of the Angel family, annual reunion of which was attended by a large group of Scurry County people. Like occasions are held each year on the second Sunday in July.

Although the 157 people who regstered at the family gathering last week-end were all descendents them carried the Angel name. Relatives came from all parts of Texas and some from Redlands, California, for the annual meeting.

Music, swimming, skating, fishing Members attending were: Louise checkers furnished amusement for LeMond, Myrle Tate. Elsie Murthe reunion attendants. The T. W. phree, Daurice Worley, Velma Lee Angel family of Stanton and the Edmonson, Verna Price, Lottie Snyder A. C. Martins went down Ruth Priday night to establish the camp-Grimmitt, Maxine Jones, Clessie day night, and the remainder ar-

Sourry County attendants at the Angel reunion included: A. C. Martin and family, Buddy Martin and family. Onnie Martin and family the N. W. Autry family, G. L. Autry Jr. and family; the P. A. and Owen Miller families and Oscar Miller, all of Ira.

Guests of the local people last week were the Walter Angel family of Redlands, California, Mrs. Ar-Angel and family of Stanton and

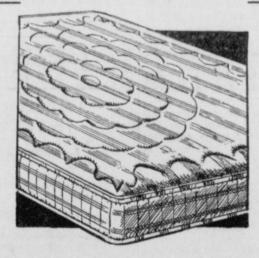
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put them to bed. I want two boys and two girls. "Do you?" His dark eyes were amused and tender. "Do you want

children, Gay?' "I've never thought of it especially; but now, after seeing Skippy and Nat, I'm sure I do."

"I'd be awfully jealous of them." He drew her close to him. "I have to touch you to be sure you're here. Downstairs in the office I couldn't



"What did you think?"

make myself believe it. But you are, aren't you? This is-you." "Darling! John!"

"This afternoon," he said after a moment, "when I came in and there I am and the situation is less comwasn't a letter from you, I was- I

thought-' "What did you think?" "What I always think; that you'd forgotten me, changed your mind-"

"Idiot!" She laughed softly. "I couldn't hold out any longer. Three days ago I flew from Palm Beach to New York.' "Flew? Literally?"

"Literally. What's the matter?" she asked in alarm. "You look-" the heavens, Gay. That will be perhaps one more thing for me to worry I am-" Suppose something had hap-

"But nothing did happen. We reached New York safely and un- portant." eventfully."

"I like it here." Her eyes moved around the warm comfortably-furnished room. "I like Mrs. Adams and Abbie and the children. How long may I stay?" "As long as you like. But-" He

"What, John?"

row. I'm free for the afternoon and SINGERS RAISE

"But I can come back here with you tomorrow night?" "I think Mother will expect you to stay with her for a day or two."

"You-can't?"

"I can run out at night after officehours and back early in the morning. It isn't far." His eyes searched her face. "You don't mind, Gay?"
"You've never told me," she said hesitantly. "What does your mother think of this-of us?" "She was surprised, of course,"

he said guardedly. "But she's gotten accustomed to the idea. She loved your sending flowers for her "Yes, she wrote me. I remember

the date because I helped you buy a birthday present for her in New

"It was sweet of you to remember. She's eager to meet you. My sisters, too. And Granny. Granny's all for romance.'

"I don't think I'll feel strange with her. Your mother, I mean. She's Uncle John's sister." He was silent.

"Is she like Uncle John was, friendly and wise and amusing? I that attended the program of felhave imagined her being that way." "Mother is rather reticent," John said slowly. "She's never gotten Bynum, who gave two gospel song over my father's death. And then numbers. In addition to members of her life hasn't been easy. My fa- the program committee, Dean Cochther died when I was twelve years ran, president of the community old. He left very little. She made singers' organization, and R. G. a great many sacrifices to send me Dillard, Chamber of Commerce

worshiped my father. We, Sarah ments.

tomorrow afternoon and evening fee makers. with her and then come back here?"

but I'd rather be with you."

"But I like it here. It's friendly bidders.

and impersonal. With your family-" She made a helpless gesture. "Oh, you know how it was in New York. We quarreled. People got in the way. We weren't happy unless we were alone." His bright pleading glance dark-

"We can't ignore Mother and my sisters.'

She sat for a moment, silent, looking down at her hands. Then she lifted her head. "I know. It's going to be all right. Don't look so despondent, darling." "Of course it is." His face bright-

ened. "You're more adaptable than "I'm not timid about meeting peo-

ple, usually. There isn't much of proper impression?"

"Just be yourself, Gay." "With no-modifications?" Mischief glinted in blue sparkles between her thick dark lashes. "Certainly not." His voice was in-

dignant. "You're so sweet and gay "You mustn't go flying around in and generous, really generous. Or perhaps I mean tolerant. More than

"I haven't much character. I can't seem to get agitated about most of the things that people think are im-

"That isn't a lack of character. It's poise, self-confidence, knowing what you want and how to get it." "I know what I want, but getting it isn't so easy."

soft hollow at the base of her throat. Mrs. T. C. Davenport. "Mother will love you," he said. "I hope so." With her hands on

"I called Mother tonight. She's his face she lifted his head. "But expecting us in Rockland tomor- if she doesn't, it isn't especially im-

Snyder General NICE SUM FROM Hospital SALE OF PIES

Thursday Entertainment and Eating Spree Attracts Nearly 1000-Singing Planned Tonight Total of \$34.12 was realized last Louise, of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brum-

nunity singers' organization as the urday night. sult of a pie sale festival held at the city tabernacle. The event and Brumley are still in the hosattracted approximately 950 people pital. Only other new patient since from Scurry and adjoining coun- last week is Mrs. Floyd Kiser of

In the gospel song program that boys with some roundly applauded McCarty, surgeries. string band numbers. Eddie Williams headed a Hobbs delegation

lowship, song and food. Soloist of the evening was Doyle to college and medical school. She manager, assisted with announce-

and Debby and I, have been her | Free coffee for attendants, eswhole life since his death. You pecially welcome during the conwon't be offended if she seems a lit- sumption of pies and other foods, There was silence for a moment. of Cochran. Al Preston, Ross Pate Then Gay said, "Can't we spend and Doc Bynum officiated as cof-

"Judge" Jim Cloud, W. W. Smith off for the occasion.

Dean Cochran, community singing

Purchaser of the pie selling for his first visit to Snyder. the highest price was the Scurry Whichever way you may lean and costly campaign of exploration night about 8:30 o'clock at his Asshown in the cake voting for the ing address. He will be here with his sand oil and gas fields in Texas and ducted final rites. prettiest girl. Allene Tate was voted Hill Billy Band and special sound discovery of sixteen billion barrels the prettiest girl.

pie sale will be used by community ment as far as necessary for people singers to care for costs of the regu- to hear him plainly. the shrinking violet in my tempera- lar Thursday night singings, pay ment. How shall I act to make the light bills and handle incidental ex- Ira Church of Christ penses that may come up for consideration.

> Announcements of special importance to county singers are scheduled to be made at tonight's Church of Christ announced Tues- information from C. F. O'Donnell of (Thursday's) regular community day that Bro. J. T. Bentley will Dallas, president, received here tosinging at the First Christian Church. The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend to
> Begin the church's annual summer day by the company's local representative, Mrs. Maude Holcomb. The report covers the period ending June

Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent Lavilla and Arland Bryant of Tyler are here on an extended visit He dropped his head to kiss the with their grandparents, Mr. and

HOME FROM HAWAII Clell Clark, youngest son of Mrs. Stella Clark, arrived home late Monday with honorable discharge from the United States Navy after erving four years. Leaving the Hawaiian Islands, where he has been stationed most of the four years, in mid-June, Clark spent everal weeks in California navy vards before coming on to his Texas home. He will be here several days onger, go on to Fort Worth and Dallas and probably back to San Francisco in August.

portant, is it? It doesn't matter, loes it? Does it, John?" His head dropped against her breast. Her arms went around him,

holding him close, "No - No, darling," he said. "Nothing matters except that you're

(CONTINUED NEXT WEEK)



Home Meats for Home Folks

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PARKS MEAT MARKET

East Side of the Square

local hospital is being announced this week. Belinda, seven and a half pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaither Bel!, was born Monday morning at 6:30 o'clock. The sever pound seven ounce daughter, Velma Thursday night by Snyder's com- ley, arrived at 10:40 o'clock Sat-

The two babies and Mmes. Bell

Hermleigh, medical. Remaining from previous reports preceded the hilarious pie sale, both late yesterday were the following: ass and special singing was on Charlie Byrd, accident; Mrs. B. L. tap for attendants. Henry Shipp Brannon of Arah, Mrs. Wilson Conof Hamlin was featured with a local nell, medical; Mrs. I. S. Cross, Mrs. quartet, as were the Jungle Town Des Bryant of Ira and Mrs. Effie

Governor Will Be Given Greetings To Snyder Friday

A royal welcome awaits Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas when he oilmen were called upon to furnish the primary election party on the arrives in Snyder Friday morning. fuel for the army and navy. Led by officials of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, a oil field in Southwest Scurry Coun- ity, church leaders point out, be was furnished through the efforts convoy of between 50 and 75 cars ty, for instance," Smith said, "has fore the conclusion of Saturday will meet Governor C'Daniel at the given this one county alone a proved night services. north edge of town, and escort him oil reserve-with the old Ira poolto the square, which will be roped of at least 1,000,000 barrels, not the meeting Keley is holding here,

"I'm afraid she would be offend- and J. P. Billingsley made an un- The rousing welcome for the Tex- be opened in the county." ed, but if you don't want to go . . ." excelled trio of auctioneers in hand- as governor has been planned by "I want to do what is courteous, ling the pies, attendants agreed the Chamber of Commerce not as contributed only 6 per cent of the Bro. Kelcy goes to Dora, New unanimously. The trio of auction- a political gesture, but as a citizen- oil produced in the United States. Mexico, to conduct a two-week re-"I'll come at night. If you were eers had the crowd convulsed with ship move. Governor O'Daniel is one Last year, despite closely curtailed vival. here I couldn't be with you during the hilarious pro- of the first Texas governors to visit output, the state produced 38 per ceedings of selling to the highest Snyder in many years, and one of cent. In 1922, first year oil reserves the few governors to visit the city were estimated, Texas was credited while in office.

president, states special thank are Residents of the entire territory due not only the auctioneers and are extended an invitation to hear coffee makers for making the pie Governor O'Daniel when he adselling festival a success, but to dresses county voters Friday morneach and every cafe of the city ing at 10:45 o'clock, not because he that donated pies, Manager Dillard is a candidate for reelection, but of the Chamber of Commerce, and because as governor of the state he the women of Snyder and surround- is entitled to have a large crowd of fected by the Texas oilman him- County resident. ng communities, who donated pies. citizens present to welcome him on self at his own risk and expense,"

County Chamber of Commerce. A politically, Governor O'Daniel in- covering the entire state has re- permont residence. Rev. H. L. considerable amount of interest was vites you to hear his Friday morn-sulted in opening nearly one thou-Thurston, Methodist minister, con truck. His message to people of this of petroleum reserves, of which ten Chattanooga, Tennessee. He brough Proceeds of last Thursday night's area will be carried by sound equip- billion are yet to be produced.

Opens Revival Friday

will be held at 10:30 a. m. and as an outstanding speaker.

ALL COUNTIES IN TEXAS BUT THREE GET OIL

Scurry Shown as One of Over 250 In State-Wide Survey of Oil And Gas Producing Areas

Scurry and all other but three of Bro. Raymond Ke'cy. Tuesday at the conclusion of a directing song services. statewide survey by his organization's statisticians.

Texas petroleum industry to meet more additions to report at the of the state's 254 now produce oil a great way." or gas or both, Mr. Smith said. An Night sermon subject texts anfor oil and gas exploration, making remaining services follow:

production within the past 18 of the Church of Christ. months," Mr. Smith said. "There Kelcy is joined by Morgan and gas fields in Texas in contrast with public, especially to attend Satur

counting other new pools that may church leaders especially urge the

with only 732,000,000 barrels in known reserves. Now Texas has 9,-768,000,000 (billions), or over half of all proven unproduced petroleum County residents who had known resources of the Nation. Last year James F. Irvin, 66, Stonewall County the state produced around 485,- stock farmer, attended Monday

discovered amount to 805,000,000.

Southwestern Shows Big Gain Says Agent

A gain of 16 per cent for the first half of 1940 is reported by South-Congregation leaders of the Ira western Life Insurance Company in report covers the period ending June

Mrs. Maude Holcomb.

Church of Christ Meeting To Close Sunday Evening

two-week revival being conducted ing.

gas activity, E. I. Smith of Dallas, Church of Christ, is being assisted ing services this week. Day services president of the Texas Mid-Con- in conducting the revival by S. L. begin at 10:00 a. m. and night tinent Oil & Gas Association, stated Morgan, supply minister, who is services at 8:15 p. m.

"We have many so far who have been added to the church," Kelcy Reflecting the readiness of the states, "and feel that we will have any demands of the U. S. armed conclusion Sunday night of the forces, a total of 158 counties out meeting. The Lord is blessing us in

additional 93 have land under lease nounced by Kelcy for the revival's a total of 251 out of the 254 with oil Tonight (Thursday). "Does the or gas activity. Only Mason, Llano Church of Christ Still Exist?;" Fri-

and Rockwall Counties are not in- day, "Why I Am Neither a Protestant nor Catholic " Saturday, "Ho "Twenty-four additional Texas Can a Person Know He Is Saved?; ounties were opened for oil or gas and Sunday, "Why I am a Membe

are now over 900 separate oil and congregation leaders in inviting the around 20 in 1917-19 when Texas day night's services, then attend west side of the square. Practicall "Discovery of the Sharon Ridge no returns will be available in total

public to attend Thursday through During World War days, Texas Sunday night services. From here

Scurry Countians Go To J. F. Irvin Funeral

A number of Scurry and Fisher 000,000 barrels, but new reserves afternoon funeral services which were held at Asperment Methodist All this expansion has been ef- Church for the pioneer Stonewall

In failing health for a number of Mr. Smith said. "The widespread months, Irvin succumbed Sunday

> his family to Stonewial County in 1919, and was accustomed to trading at Rotan and Snyder. He had been a member of the Methodist church since he was 18 years of age. He is survived by two sons, one daughter and five brothers. Mapies-Springer Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements with burial in Aspermont Cemetery.

> > LOSES HIS ONLY BED

Jack Dennis, an employee of the 9-R Ranch in Borden County, re-Gains were recorded for all classes ported Tuesday the loss of a roll evening services at 8:15 p. m. Resi- of the company's business, in- of bedding between Gail and dents of the county are extended an cluding ordinary life and group in- Snyder. Since this was all the invitation by church leaders to hear surance, and represented an average bedding he had, Dennis requests the Bro. Bentley, who is gaining a monthly volume of new business in finder to please leave the bedding reputation in West Texas counties excess of \$4,000,000, according to roll at the Hugh Taylor & Compan

Good Interest Shown In Mt. Zion Revival County 4-H Boys

Manifestation of interest to an musual degree composes a high light of the week's revival being conducted at Mount Zion by Rev S. A. Sifford, Methodist ministe Services of the kind that are at- of the Hermleigh charge. First tracting people from all parts of service of the meeting was conduct-

at the local Church of Christ by People of the Mount Zion and campment that was staged at San other nearby communities are cor- Angelo. Texas' 254 counties now have oil or | Kelcy, minister of a Lubbook dially invited to attend the remain-

Canyon News

Mrs. Dayton McCarter, Correspond.

ittle son, Coval, and Nadine Bee- Scurry County boys, who went by man of Round Top were Sunday truck. guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Carter. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goolsby and East Texas last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coody and joyable district gathering. ittle son, Phillip, of Odessa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Millhollan

Ed Millholland. Top spent Sunday with Catherine

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton McCarter visited Friday in the Ross Beeman

nome at Round Top. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Goolsby and little daughter, Betty Jane, of Bison are spending this week with Mr and Mrs. Edwin Goolsby.

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Jack Colwell Southwest Corner Square

Attend Two-Day San Angelo Camp

agent, 25 county 4-H Club boys county composes a highlight of the ed by Rev. Sifford Sunday morn- left early Monday morning for the Monday-Tuesday district club en-

Club boys in all sections of the county were sent invitations by the county agent's office to attend the San Angelo gathering, but some club boys found it impossible to go -due to their work in the field

being rushing Approximately 250 4-H Club boys from 14 counties met at San Angelo for the two-day camp period. A. H. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burrow and Merritt was truck driver for the

The Scurry County club boys, accompanied by Cox and Merritt, redaughter, Newana, returned from turned from San Angelo Wednesday night, with reports of a highly en-

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks and daughter, Laura, were Mrs. Pearl Hamilton of La-Miss Maxine Beeman of Round mesa and Mrs. Hattie Gray of Ros-

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Putnam Nine to Play Local Team Sunday

Of unusual interest to county baseball devotees will be a fastpaced game Sunday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, at Winston Field between Mexico, Arizona, Nevada and into the Putnam "putters" and the Sny- California. der "base grabbers."

Sunday afternoon's game is ex- son, Billy Jay, J. R. Meador and pected to attract a record crowd, Mrs. Eiland's mother, Mrs. J. B. in view of the fact Putnam has Taylor, returned here Sunday from played 12 games so far with but a vacation trip to the Pacific Coast played six games without a single fornia and en route there. loss to date.

The Putnam-Snyder melee is game, and will probably see Putnam and Mrs. W. T. Cook, in Crosbyton, arrangements for a room in Texas ter Funeral Home chapel in Abi- will be treated to a volley ball game her 75th birthday. -local fans predict-taken for a Mrs. George remaining there this Tech dormitory for this fall. neat trimming.

Frank Farmer Will Head Dunn Schools

Sweetwater School Board members C. E. Ferguson. His sister, Mrs Bob indicate that Cleo W. Tarter, Dunn Corley, accompanied him back Mon- and Mrs. Berry Cribbs and Horace he succumbed. School superintendent for the past day to his ranch home for a several- Jennings made a trip to Lampasas several years, has been named prin- day visit. cipal of the Sweetwater South Ward grade school.

superintendent, who recently com- dux, were at Christoval during the of Grand Saline, Mrs. Carl New- Anderson was operating a dry goods pleted his duties as field supervisor week-end to attend a two-district of the 19th District for the 1940 meeting of American National Life Census, was named this week as Dunn School's new superintendent Davis, a comparatively new Snyder for the 1940-41 school year.

late last week. Mrs. Eiland visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Saffle, there. The Plainview couple returned here with Mrs. Filand, and Sand birthday while visiting at Dal-week-end with their parents, the Vernon before moving to Clovis.

A. & M. College Short Course.

Vernon before moving to Clovis.

The club members are going returned here with Mrs. Eiland, and hart, and was greatly impressed John Trusses. the three were joined by her hus-with the oil fields she visited in the band for a week-end stay with the W. J. Largents at their Merkel Dalhart area.

a Red and White Stores picnic at home by Mrs. Claude Owen. Owen.





The Henry Rosenbergs are back from a vacation trip through New

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Eiland and

George of Sulphur, Oklahoma, spent week. The two were accompanied to

Grady Ferguson of Encino, New Mexico, was here the past week-end, Word received this week from guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Tuesday for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and Curtis Dyess and family of Winters, of Clovis, New Mexico. Frank Farmer, former county Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. E. F. Mad-Mrs. C. F. Markmon and children Born July 2, 1887, at Abilene Insurance agents and families. citizen, is agent for the company in this section.

this section Mrs. T. J. Thompson, 32-year-old now living.

nam visited last week at Grape Leon and LaRue Autry attended land, and they were accompanie Buffalo Gap Tuesday of this week. Kerney Bison and son of Grapeland were here Sunday visiting with the Dunnams en route to the Carlsbad Caverns. Miss Drunnam made the Carlsbad, New Mexico, trip with the Grapeland people

> A colored country preacher, who was strong on visiting the female miembers of his flock, was traveling along the road to the home of one of his flock when he met the small

son of the lady member. "Where's your maw?" he inquired.

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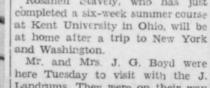
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grass went to Seminole to visit with

The Church of Christ revival

The Fluvanna Baptist revival

neeting is still in progress here.

the W. D. Logans.

lene Tuesday.

Sylvester with them.

bama, are visiting him this week.

ng with relatives.

last week.

Landrums. They were on their way to Dallas where they will make their home in the future. Mrs. Marion Clements, form

Faye Mears, and her chi'dren from Arizona, are here this week visiting Sam Boatman went to Post last

Mrs. Frank Watzl, Resident of County For 33 Years, Dies

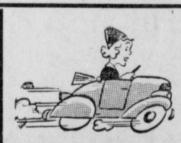
Death claimed Mrs. Frank Watzl, 47-year-old Hermleigh community resident, late Wednesday in a Sweetwater hospital following a brief

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schulze of Hermleigh, Mrs Watzl was born December 6, 1892. at Yoakum. She had been a Scurry County resident for 33 years. Survivors include her husband Frank Watzl: two daughters, Clara and Annie Watzl; a son, Antone Watzl; four brothers, Amil, William, Robert and Herman Shulze, all of Hermleigh and two sisters, Mrs. Walter Goebel and Mrs. Lewis Scapp f Hermleigh.

Funeral services were incomplete this morning (Thursday) as The Times went to press. Odom Funeral Home will have charge of funeral

"Good morning," said the stranger to a woman who had answered the door bell where a room was advertised for rent. "Would you like to uy some insect powder?" "No," she snapped. "I have no use

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



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Fluvanna News | Funeral for Man Killed Wednesday Frances E. Jones, Correspondent Mr. and Mrs. Howell and other Held at Abilene relatives of Mert Noel, all of Ala-

Tom Collier is still ill at the Funeral services for Will W. An- local WPA recreation program. homes of his children in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wedgeworth he was driving struck an embank- gram is free to the public. went to Lubbock Saturday. Billy ment, were held last Thursday af-

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Roberts and Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, First Bap- gies. Stunts and activities will be relatives and friends who attended Stacy. The family now lives at Post by Allene Curry, who visited daughter, Marjy Sewalt, of Loving- tist Church pastor of Abilene, con- on tap for both young and old. with Mrs. Jessie Voss and family ton were in Fluvanna Sunday visit- ducted funeral services for Ander-

> Mrs. Amos Wren, who has been Anderson died enroute to a local gram officials to have the entire occasion was barbecued in open pits visiting with the Jones family, left hospital last Wednesday afternoon Friday night program outdoors. with lunch spread each day under Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cribbs, Mr. rushed here in an ambulance when tors will have ample views of the

Survivors include his widow, two children, Whitney and Lucille, and Delma Dyess and family of Spur, a sister, Mrs. Jewell Harkins, all

berry and son of Amarillo and store at the time of his death at Adean Dyess of Midland spent their Clovis, New Mexico, in partnership vacations in the home of their par- with his sister, Mrs. Harkins.

While a young man, Anderson Dude Campbell has moved to entered the dry goods business at Fort Worth where his mother is Clyde, and operated a store at bers met at the home of Mary Lue Mrs. Royce C. Eiland and her over-night guest, Mrs. O. C. Cloyd over-night guest, Mrs. O. C. Cloyd from Dalhart, where she spent a week in Bangs.

Mrs. T. J. Thompson, 32-year-old now living.

Snyder resident, returned Monday from Dalhart, where she spent a week in Bangs.

O'Clock. After the minutes were read quarter of a century ago to become associated with the Campbell, and all the new business was transported by the company of the co Mrs. C. B. Shell and daughter of Bogar and Sellers Dry Goods Store. acted, Barbie Jean Stewart told of with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. relatives. Mrs. Thempson, who lives Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. He had been engaged in the dry her experiences on the trip to the

Jesse Sewalt and daughter of locally by Odom Funeral Home, 7:00 o'clock. Each member is asked Brooksmith are visiting this week and taken overland to Abilene early to come and bring a chicken and Miss Bill Brown and Ruby Dun- with relatives in this community. last Thursday morning. Burial was invite their parents to accompany Mrs. Flournoy and Lilly Lee Snod- in an Abilene cemetery.

Locals Among Those Present at Reunion

meeting closed Sunday night and Mrs. Dollie Green of Snyder and the baptismal services will be held S. A. J. Willingham of Hobbs were Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. among the many attendants of the Rev. Nipp preached in Rotan last Taylor County Old Settlers Reunion that was held Friday at Buffalo Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belew are in Gap.

Mineral Wells this week where she Birth of Taylor County and early is receiving treatment in a sanitar- days in West Texas were common subjects of discussion, as early day Daisy Nell Cavin and Delmus residents of many West Texas Perry of Snyder brought Frances counties gathered at the reunion E. Jones to Fluvanna Sunday after- grounds for the festive occasion.

For one full day, old timers, their The C. F. Landrums went to Abi- children and others mingled with friends and made new acquaint-Mr. and Mrs. Josie and chi'dren ances. Attendance Friday was over of Sylvester were here Sunday for 10,000 people—and slightly less than a visit with Mrs. Corinne Landrum. in 1939. More than 900 old-timer The Baptist meeting leader, Rev. registered from Taylor County Hensley, returned to his home in alone.

Rosanell Stavely, who has just It is always easy to begin a war empleted a six-week summer course but very difficult to stop one since at Kent University in Ohio, will be its beginning and end are not under at home after a trip to New York control of the same man.—Galus

Fourth Community Night Slated Friday

Fourth in a series of gatherings of its kind will be a Community Night program that will be presented Friday night at the local school nasium under auspices of the

Joe Landrum left from Gail for derson, 52, native of Abilene and Edward J. Strout, project supera 4-H Club trip with other Borden dry goods merchant of Clovis, New visor who is in charge of general union were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. a tumorous condition, attending County boys, his sponsor and county Mexico, who was fatally injured arrangements, states entertainment Woolever, who live five miles west physicians said. agent of Borden County, Mr. Med- late Wednesday afternoon two and for young and old will be furnished, of Snyder. one loss, ad the local nine have and other points of interest in Call- ley. They will spend several days a half miles northwest of Snyder with the formal program scheduled at Tankersly, near San Angelo. on Highway 84 when the automobile to begin at 8:00 o'clock. The pro-

between Hermleigh and Snyder rag-

nesday afternoon by recreation pro- games. Beef and goat meat for the years. about 5:30 o'clock. He was being Lights have been arranged so visi- convenient shade trees. entertainment numbers

Strout reports that Miss Marcia Holcomb is teaching an art class that has a daily attendance of from 15 to 20 students, and Mrs. Lucille Smith is conducting a shorthand school for local high school graduates as a leisure-time activity.

INDEPENDENCE CLUB

The Independence 4-H Club mem-Ovalo before returning to Abilene Merritt Monday, July 22, at 3:00

The club members are going to Body of Anderson was prepared have a chicken fry Friday night at

> The next meeting of the club will be held in the home of Velda Brown, and the mothers are invited to attend this meeting.

After playing games, iced punch and cookies were served to the following: Mrs. Stewart and children, Mrs. D. L. Moore and daughters Danna Sue and Don Weldon Broun, Mrs. J. W. Moore, Nelda Jean Hall, and Mrs. Will Merritt and Jimmie

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Annual Woolever **Reunion Attracts** 200 Last Saturday

The three-day event, which at-In addition to music and other staged by Mr. and Mrs. Woolever Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howell, a sister something in the nature of a gradge the week end with their parents, Mr Sims accompanied them and made ternoon, 5:00 o'clock, at the Laugh- forms of entertainment, attendants in honor of "Mother" Woolever on Eunice, and a younger brother for

Plans were completed late Wed- form of baseball and volley ball teaching at Semino'e the past 10 first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to

All of "Mother" Woolever's children, three sons and seven daughters, together with their families were present

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woo'ever and 'Mother" Woolever, together with other members of the family, wish to express their thanks to their many friends, who cooperated to make the reunion a success. Special thanks go to Oma von Roeder for the fruit she donated.

Wedding announcements at Times.

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Former Ira Teacher Succumbs at Gilmer

Death claimed the life of Eddie Lynn Howell, former local resident and teacher in Ira Schools, as she to kindly arrange their business was en route to a hospital and was matters accordingly, so that Saturforced to stop at Gilmer last Thurs- day's closing will not inconvenience Hosts Friday through Sunday to day. Miss Howell's death was atdepositors and others. the fifteenth annual Woolever re- tributed to ruptured appendix and

Miss Howell, who was about 45 years of age, will be remembered tracted approximately 200 people by many Scurry County people. She Saturday and Saturday night, was lived in Snyder with her parents, a number of years across the street Entertainment for the group of east from the residence of Mrs. M. the reunion was provided in the Pittsburg, and Miss Howell had been

BANK CLOSED SATURDAY nnounced Tuesday that the bank will be closed all day Saturday in observance of primary election day. Patrons of the bank are requested

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For State Senator, 24th District: WILBOURNE B. COLLIE GEORGE A. DAVISSON, Jr

For Representative, 118th District: A. A. (PAT) BULLOCK

For District Attorney, 32nd District: TRUETT BARBER

For County Judge: STERLING WILLIAMS (Reelection)

For Tax Assessor-Collector: HERMAN S. DARBY (Reelection)

For County Attorney: BEN F. THORPE (Reelection) BOB PATTERSON

For Sheriff: JOHN LYNCH (Reelection) J. G. (Pop) GALYEAN

SAM O. NATIONS For County Clerk: J. P. (Jimmie) BILLINGSLEY CHAS. J. LEWIS MABEL Y. GERMAN

For County Treasurer: MOLLIE PINKERTON (Reelection)

For District Clerk: MRS. E. E. WEATHERSBEE MARION NEWTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: HUBERT ROBISON (Reelection) LITTLE WESTBROOK JOHN ROBINSON FOREST JONES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: J. E. SANDERS A. M. McPHERSON

E. HUFFMAN (Reelection) E. E. (Earl) WOOLEVER For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: H. M. BLACKARD (Reelection)

LEE GRANT

J. B. (JOE) ADAMS For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: SCHLEY ADAMS D. Z. (DAVE) HESS J. E. HAIRSTON (Reelection)

For Constable, Justice Pre. No. 1: RAY HARDIN (Reelection)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: R. L. (Bob) TERRY (Reelection)

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1: P. E. DAVENPORT

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: CHARLEY BLEY

Central Texans to Gather August 3 In Get-Together BULLOCK.

Scurry, Fisher and Borden County people who are ex-residents of Hill, Johnson, Ellis, Navarro, Bosque Hamilton and Erath Counties were extended an invitation this week to attend the all-day reunion and officials stated late Wednesday get-together Saturday, August 3, which will be staged at Buffalo Springs Lake near Lubbock.

Every ex-resident of the above named counties, with his family, is invited by reunion officials to bring ficer, stated a two-day run Wedfestivities, at which many colorful chapters in the history of Hil, Johnson, Ellis, Navarro, Bosque, Hamilton and Erath Counties will be retold by speakers.

J. Y. Boyd, county auditor of Lubbock County, and secretary in charge of general reunion arrangements, states there will be no formal program at the get-together.

From 9:00 to 12:00 a. m., August 3, the reunionists will visit with each other and swap stories of their past from Central Texas. From 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. the arrangements committee plans an old-fashioned dinner on the grounds, to be replete with fried chicken, cakes and pies.

From 2:00 p. m. until conclusion of the old-timers and ex-residents roundup, there will be swimming and boating for those who desire. Pioneer residents of the Central Texas counties mentioned above in this article wil recount tales of other days in the history of making the counties great.

Those desiring further informa tion on the Buffalo Lake reunion are requested to write J. Y. Boyd. county auditor of Lubbock, at the Lubbock County court house.

SAM O. NATIONS ILL Sam O. Nations, a write-in candidate for sheriff of Scurry County, left Tuesday morning for Amarillo for an emergency operation. Nations, who was resting comfortably late Wednesday night, will not be back in time to obtain returns of

the primary election, but expects to return next week. His many friends join in wishing for a speedy

LIVESTOCK BUYER VISITS Ted Holloway, a cattle and mule buyer of Anson, was a Snyder visitor Tuesday. While here Holloway stated that cattle he inspected in Scurry County were in the best condition in which they had been during the past five years Holloway commended highly the condition of county range land, and said prospects were bright for an above-average crop in the county this year.

To the Voters

Since it is an impossibility for me e-see each voter in the six counties comprising the 118th legislative dis trict, I wish to take this method of personally soliciting your vote and for election to office, subject to influence for the office of State

> Some time ago I pub'ished my sixpoint platform and discussed it briefly. That platform is as fol-

1.—Against tax remission in local districts at the expense of the rest of Texas. 2.-For raising the truck load

3.-For taxing the equity only on iomes owned in part by individuals. Taxing the holders of the notes to cover the balance.

4.—For full immediate payment of old age pensions, aid for crippled children, aid for indigent blind and aid to match the teacher retirement

5.-For a tax on natural resources to choice supporting any other reason-

ance basis rather than on the scho-

lastic enumeration. Due to lack of space. I shall discuss here only one phase of the TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT above platform—that of social security obligation. In 1'35 the people of Texas, by a big majority, voted I will say that I have enjoyed meetinto our constitution an amendment ing each of you and will say again granting aid to crippled children, I certainly will appreciate your vote the indigent blind, the old folks and if elected will do my best to and the teachers. The people have make you a good commissioner. spoken, the governor has declared Sincerely, JOHN ROBINSON. himself as ready and willing to sign any tax bill sent to him by TO SCURRY COUNTY VOTERS: the legislature to take care of this Although my injured leg has preobligation. It is therefore squarely vented me from making a countyup to the legislature to pass such a wide canvass as I would like to have bill. I shall cast every vote as your done, please consider this my appeal representative in favor of passing for your vote Saturday. - Sincerely, such a bill. The governor of Texas Marion Newton, candidate for discannot pass a tax measure; he can- trict clerk. not control the legislature, the members of the house and senate-and they alone can solve this problem once and for all and get it out of the way. It not only should and sonally contact each voter in the must be paid because we owe it to county, please consider this my most the old people, the children, blind earnest solicitation of your vote and the teachers, also because it Saturday.—E. E. Woolever, candihas been a political football in Tex- date for Commissioner, Precinct No. as too long. An obligation as sacred 2 as this obligation should not be

and I shall be one to see that it I shall not be like the little boy who owned the ball and bat and other perplexing problems now fac- night.

ing the people of Texas. The next session of the Texas legis- were featured by the attendance at lature will be the most important in services of five Baptist ministers the history of Texas. In choosing including Rev. Marvin Rogers of you are choosing the most important Sardis gave special duet numbers. that I will not let you down.-PAT this week. (pol. adv.)

City Clean-Up Work Gets Good Response

The city's clean-up work has tend the remaining services. brought unusually fine results, city afternoon.

Leading the parade to have a clean city, devoid of back yard trash piles and various kinds of this (Thursday) afternoon.

second part of the city's clean-up speaking and pie sale will be cancampaign," Keller stated, "that even | celled.

"And now, gentlemen," said the tend the festivities en masse. leading speaker, "I wish to tax your memory

Ballots Cast By Absentees Show Decided Decline

through Tuesday.

The drastic decline in absentee voting this year was attributed early Tuesday night by county Demo cratic officials to the lack of such keen interest in local races and the governor's race as was evidence two years ago.

Record on absentee balloting was set in the county in 1936, when al most 200 votes were cast. Total of 150 absentee ballots in 1938 marked the first mile post reached in decline of absentee franchise exerraise money to pay this bill as first cising that continued through this year's voting

able measure should a natural re- of absentee votes ever cast in the county was 148 the total for 1934. 6.—For the aportionment of the state available school fund, or the state apportionment, on an attenda falling off of 124 in 1936 pol

NUMBER 1

As the election is drawing near,

TO COUNTY VOTERS:

Since I haven't been able to per-

dragged into the mire of partisan Meeting at Midway politics. The next legislature must Attracting Crowds pay the debt the state owes society, Under Brush Arbor

Splendid attendance at both day said if he could not pitch he would and night services features the sumtake his ball and bat and go home. Imer revival being conducted at Mid-If I cannot get my tax plan over, way Baptist Church in the eastern I shall go with the majority and part of the county by Rev. J. H. cooperate with both houses and the Skiles of Stamford. Initial sermon governor in solving this and many of the meeting was brought Friday

Sunday night's services, which at-We are living in perious times tracted approximately 300 people your representatives and senators California. The Chapman duet of

Rev. Skiles announces that da Especially is this true of the next services are being conducted at 10:30 egislature. I shall deeply appreciate a. m. and evening services at 8:15 your vote and influence for this all- p, m. A number of Snyder people important office and assure you have been attending night services

> Both morning and evening services are being conducted under an old-fashioned brush arbor constructed two weeks ago. Rev. Earl Powers, Midway pastor, extends the public a cordial invitation to at-

Ira Speaking and Pie Sale Plan Cancelled

Due to the fact the proposed candidate speaking and pie sale nesday morning in the east side festival scheduled at Ira for Friof Snyder that will be concluded day night conflicts with a revival meeting in progress at this southern "East Side residents have co- county community center, The operated so whole-heartedly in the Times has been advised that the

Governor O'Daniel would be sur- Since funds from the contemplatprised Friday morning at the work ed program of food, fellowship and done to give the city a clean-cut speaking were slated to go for care appearance." Trash and junk on the of indigent people in the Ira and west side of town was picked up by nearby communities, candidates had Keller in a two-day drive two weeks rescinded this week a prior resolution of not attending affairs of this type and had decided to at-Their decision to cooperate i

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Cecil Rhodes Accepts Sunday night. Rev. Rhodes has a Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith and revival meeting to conduct prior Mrs. E. M. Deakins spent last Wedday) for a week's visit with her in from their ranch at Polar for

Rev. Cecil Rhodes, haptist pastor of Arah, and one of the county s young ministers who has held pas-Falling sharply under the 150 and their two small sons, will leave -Austin, San Antonio, Houston, absentee votes cast in 1938, only in August for Melvin, where Rev Galveston and Port Arthur. They 80 absentee ballots-one of the Rhodes has accepted the pastorate were accompanied home by Joyce's lightest totals on record here the of the Melvin Baptist Church. sister, Mrs. B. R. Templeton of Port past eight years-were filed in Rev. Rhodes preached his fare. Arthur, who is visiting here with

the middle of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Joyce have torates at various points in this just returned from a 10-day trip trade territory, with Mrs. Rhodes to points of interest in South Texas County Clerk Chas. J. Lewis' office well message to his friends of the her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. First Baptist Church in Snyder last Joyce, and other relatives.

he plans to leave for Me vin about and friends in Floydada. They were Worth acompanied to Ralls by Mrs. T. W. Pollard, who visited with her daughter, Mrs. Medlin Carpenter, those

> Kenneth Snyder is spending the week wth his aunt, Mrs. Herman Morton, in Midland

Mrs. Jessie Prosser of Slaton was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sefton

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Pastorate at Melvin to leaving for his new pastorate, but nesday and Thursday with relatives son, Billie Lee, and family in Fort the week-end.

E. E. Mullins of Commerce, former teacher in Hermleigh Schools, was a Snyder visitor Tuesday and Wednesday of this week I married you for your money."

amateur theatrical. What would folks say if I were to wear tights?" "They would probably say that

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Dry Soaked PEAS Pure Maid Brand, 5c 1-Pound Can LIFEBUOY SOAP Stops B. O. These Hot Days, 19c 3 Regular Bars **CHEWING GUM** Harvey's-Six Flavors, 10c Four 5c Packages Bee Brand, A Real Insect Killer—Per Quart **FLY SPRAY** 43c Six Delicious Flavors, Genuine JELL-O 10c 3 Regular Packages SALAD DRESSING Miracle Whip, 31c Full Quart Jar Cello Bags, Two I-Pound Bags SPAGHETTI or MACARONI 25c LIPTON'S TEA 23c 45c

Read About Your Friends in the Rural Sections of the County

Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent

visiting her the past week.

and son, Boyd, of Breckenridge visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. week-end with Louise Wilson. Etheredge, last week.

tended church at Midway Sunday Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Bynum. night, Rev. J. H. Skiles of Stamford

children of Sylvester spent one day day with their daughter and sister, Milson and Howard Milson of Ama- parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ster- Hospital early last week, is reported recently with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mrs. Gilbert Merritt at Hereford, rillo, Mrs. A. Hartman and son of ling, returned home Wednesday of to be doing nicely.

late Saturday afternoon. Everyone John Devers.

McCombs. at Snyder.

Miss Fae Etheredge is spending time. Singing, volley ball, and a few days with her stater, Mrs. Jim games of all kind were enjoyed.

of Camp Springs and Mr. and Mrs. relatives in Brownfield. S. L. Etheredge spent Sunday with Mrs. Sherman Blakely is visit-

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge and Nolan Adams of Austin spent children and Misses Mable and Fae Tuesday night with his parents, Mr. Etheredge spent Saturday in Snyder, and Mrs. J. B. Adams.

THE BAREFOOT BOY

Blessings on thee, little man, Trudging down a dusty lane With no thought of future pain; You're our one and only bet To absorb the national debt. Little man with cares so few, We've a lot of faith in you: You are apt to need it soon. Have your fun now while you

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observance of a Holiday for Election Day.

You may be a barefoot man.

Union News

Doris Bynum of Levelland is visit-Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pence and

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Etheredge and and Mrs. Elmer Pence visited Sun- past week-end Mr. and Mrs. Nelvin been on an extended visit with her derwent an operation in the Young

The Hobbs School gir's returned ited recently with Mr. and Mrs. of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Jack

arrival of a daughter, Velma Louise, Sunday. Mrs. Meloda Anderson spent the who was born last Saturday night. week-end with her sister, Mrs. Les | The home of E. E. Woolever was the scene of the annual reunion of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Etheredge and the Woo'ever family and all relachildren of Roscoe visited Saturday tives. Visitors were present from pital. We hope she will be able to with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Etheredge. "the Plains," from California and return home soon. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rivers and many other places. Many friends children visited Sunday with Mr. and neighbors were guests during Bynum is not suffering any serious and Mrs. Afra Hudnall in Midway. the time and all reported a grand effect from having been lost in a

Faye Nell Bentley is at home Mr. and Mrs. Odell Faulkenberry after having visited recent y with

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hamilton at ing her daughter, Mrs. Alton Odom

Mrs. Kate Thompson enjoyed a reunion of her children and grandchildren. Those present were Mr. Barefoot boy with cheek of tan; and Mrs. Frank Poteet and family of California, Rev. and Mrs. Lowell Mrs. Frank Brooks and family of Brooks and family of Mullins, Ed-

> of Snyder. Since this community was selected as one of the centers for making mattresses, it has been a busy place.

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Arah News

Mrs. Tom Lay's mother and three Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathis and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Caldwell and sisters of Erath County have been daughter and Byron Wren of Colo- children had as their guests Sunday son and Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Bratton book spent the past week with her rado City visited Sunday evening two of Mr. Caldwell's brothers and and son visited over the week-end parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Groves. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Etheredge in this community with relatives. a sister-in-law, from Albuquerque, in Comanche County. Gradine Hardee of Ira spent the New Mexico, and a sister and brother-in-law of Lubbock.

Several people of this place at- ing this week with her grandparents, the past week but has returned to Spring visited last week in the brothers and sisters. Mrs. Reed will Snyder to work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Milson and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and children whom she has never seen. daughters, Emma Lee and Inez, Mr. children had as their guests the of Lompce, California, who have Mrs. J. A. Williams of Dallas vis- Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Page last week. Berry of Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Freizzell and children of Fluvanna visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lenoir. Mrs. Brannon is still in the hos-

We are glad to report that Mr pasture near here for a day and a

Big Sulphur News

Eunice Lewis, Correspondent

Miss Ona Beth Gibson and Louise Davidson is spending a portion of Madison in County Line. this week with Miss Davidson's afternoon. aunt at Camp Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hill of Snyder Ponder and family of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cary, and and Mrs. Odes White at Canyon. children of Colorado City spent

Rock Springs, Mr. and Mrs. George Sunday in the C. M. Cary home. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Corbell and ward, Elvin and Oran Thompson family and Mrs. C. A. Elston of Guard each merry whistled tune, and Mrs. Me'l Eastman and family Erath County and Oreta Myers vis- and Jack Taylor left Monday for ited in the M. J. Haynes home Sat-

Doyle Wemken of the German community spent the week-end with

C. Stewart of Ok ahoma visited Tuesday night and Wednesday with the Sears Cook home. his nephew, Buell Lewis.

H. B. and Roy Lewis spent part of the past week with their grandfather, R. H. Drennan, at Snyder. and family visited Sunday with Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Vineyard and Mrs. H. B. Lewis.

Helen Mahoney, Eunice and Clara Mae Lewis spent Friday with Miss Bertha Vineyard. Ann Mahoney joined them in the afternoon.

Mrs. T. H. Henley's sister and family of Anson spent Sunday with

People from nearby communities come here and make 10 to 12 mat- in Cisco Tuesday morning. esses a day. If you don't believe they can make good mattresses, and Mrs. O. D. Weir and baby recome and watch them. The mattresses are fluffy and good enough where they attended the camp meet-

"for a king to sleep on." The Baptist revival meeting begins here Friday night and will con- son, Jimmie, visited Monday night tinue through next week. Rev. Har-rison will do the preaching. Every-one is invited to come and the con-one con-one conone is invited to come and have a part in the meeting.

with economy

Ira News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent Mrs. J. H. Langford, Correspondent Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boyd and

A. Caldwell has been at home Tingle and sister-in-law of Big family reunion of Mrs. Reed's Eugene Kruse home.

Rev. Smith of Wastella filled the der General Hospital Tuesday night pulpit Saturday night and Sunday of last week for ruptured appendix was glad to get home and reported Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jones Chapman at the Baptist church in the ab- We wish for her a speedy recovery. a nice time. The boys will return Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley on the and children visited in Sweetwater sence of Rev. Strickland, who is in a revival meeting at Wastel'a.

> T. Bentley of Damon will do the last week. The proud mother is the children spent Sunday in the J. R Jordan home at Seagraves. Annie

week's visit there. Mr. and Mrs. Andy McWilliams and children of Houston returned home Saturday after an extended visit with his mother. Mrs. Mollie McWilliams and other relatives here

Bell returned with them after a

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Cook visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Preston

Eva Mae Tampin of Big Spring Sunday with Billie and Nell Bowlin ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tamplin. Mr. and Mrs. Autivee Crowder

spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan and House home in Fairview.

the 4-H Club encampment. Rosalle Franks is on the sick list

this week. We wish for her a speedy J. A. Cook and Jack Bills of Lov-

ing have been visiting this week in Mrs. G. L. Autry of Snyder spent

Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hardee and family. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades and daughter, Edith, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eades and little daughter

spent Sunday afternoon in the J. W. Eades home in Snyder. B. B. Black has been working on B. B. Black has been working on the Marvin Key house at Knapp Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mc-Millan, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mc-

Mrs. W. C. Crowder of Dallas is on an extended visit with rela-Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sterling and

children left for an extended visit Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sm

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boyd and

Those from here attending the Woolever reunion at the E. E. Woolever home at Union last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller and Raymond Mangum and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller and children, Aleta and Junior.

The Church of Christ members canned peaches for the Boles Or-Home recently. The box, valued at \$22.50, was sent to the

Mrs. Oscar Webb spent Monday night and Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Eades, in Snyder,

Turner News

Helen Morrow, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coppedge and son, Alton, of Rotan and Mrs. Arch Willingham and children. Ralph and Margueritte, of Hobbs

spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Morrow. Eugene Cochran, who has been staying with his grandmother, Mrs. Turner, and attending schoo', has

returned to California. Mrs. Matt Brackeen and children of San Antonio are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jeffress, Hughlene Jeffress and Helen Morrow were visitors Sunday in the M.

O. Berryhill home. Mrs. Josie Humphry, daughter of "Grandmother" Turner, is visiting FOR SALE—Five beautiful pediin the Turner home this summer. slowly improving.

with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Llonzo Brown and sons, James Maxie and Kenneth Noel, visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor.

We are glad to report a fine meeting at the Church of Christ revival. We extend everyone a special invitation to attend. Bro. Ke sey is doing the preaching.

DR. J. G. HICKS

DENTIST

Office: Over Snyder National Bank

Hermleigh News

Mrs. Walter Van Storey of Lub-Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reed and

Mrs. Lena Cress and son, Billy Herman Smith left Sunday morn-Jack, of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Jack ing for Rising Star to attend a also meet an uncle from Georgia

> Mrs. W. M. Sturdivant, who un-Mrs. Sam Cross went to the Sny

Mrs. Laura Patterson is announc ing the arrival of a new great grand-

The Church of Christ revival be- daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs gins Friday night, July 26. Rev. J. Nelson in the Roscoe Hospital early former Lenora Patterson, daughter Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bryce and of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson, and formerly a resident of this place. William Hollis left Saturday for

> Larry Joe Hall returned to his nome at Brownfield Friday after having spent several weeks with his grandparents, the J. J. Henrys Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall of Rama, New Mexico, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Campbell, and a brother, H. C. Campbell and family and also the J. J. Henry family.

Otis Bell and family of O'Dell spent the week-end as a guest in the Elmer Henry home. Mrs. George Maberry and four E. R. and Faye Joy Mahoney spent spent the week-end with her par- children of McCauley are visiting

this week with her sister, Mrs. K. B. Rector and a brother, B. D. Smith and their families Eder J. W. Shipman, wife and

three sons of Lubbock spent Sunday children visited Sunday in the Ellis night with their sister and aunt. Mrs. L. R. Fargason and family Raymond and Truman Jordan They were accompanied home by another sister, Miss Laura Shipman, and Bobbie Etheredge for short visit.

Mrs. W. A. Clift is in the Rosco Hospital for treatment.

Miss Billie Quinn of Amarillo i visiting this week with her aunt Mrs. A. A. McMillan and family She is a sophomore in the Amarillo Junior College

Guests in the W. W. Anderson nome Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. U. Q. Watson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Poole, all of Abilene; Miss Billie Quinn of Amaril'o, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Greene of Millan, Mrs. T. J. Peterson and Miss Clarice Harkins.

We are needing rain in our com nunity to keep the crops in shape.

"I couldn't serve as a juror, Judge One look at that fellow convinces me that he's guilty. "Sh-h-h-that's the district at

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Crowder News

Lola Mae McKinney, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. F. Walton of Pleasant Hill were Sunday night callers n this community Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKinney of Bison were visitors in this community Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kimbrough of Canyon were Thursday night guests

Polar News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent

Bro. Tinkle, Methodist pastor at Fluvanna, is conducting a meeting here this week. Bro. Buchanan of Fluvanna was

visitor in this community last week-end Rupert Ramage of Ennis Creek ent Saturday night with Mr. and

Mrs. Zed Randolph. Mrs. S. C. Cumbie has returned home after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Squyres at Flu-Mr. and Mrs. Burl Ford are en-

tertaining a new baby boy in their home this week. The young man has been named Arlon Dale and was born July 20th. Miss Guyletta Peterson of Encino,

New Mexico, is visiting with rela-Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hoyle and hildren are visiting relatives in El Paso and points in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Randolph enentained with a party Saturday Mrs. Henry Mitchell visited her aughters and their families at

Patricia last week. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Blair and Betty Jean and Scotty Fuller visited Monday in the Ray Blair home in

Othel Cumbie is working this reek for C. M. Lyons. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clanton and son spent the week-end with relatives at Brownwood.

Young Mosquito - "Soft picking hese days, aren't they?" Old Mosquito-"Yes, and to think when I was your age I could bite girls only on the face and hands."

Bison News

Mattie Shook, Corespondent

Rev. M. W. Clark of Snyder preached here Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Berry and children of Snyder visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Woody nd family

Keegan Townson of Temple, Oklahoma, is visiting in the F. M Addison home this week. Mrs. Jesse Coleman of Sweetwater is spending this week with her

sister, Mrs. Walker Huddleston, and The senior BTU enjoyed an ice

cream supper at the school building Friday night. Ida Faye, Emma Jean and Mar-

shall Cook of Ira spent a part of last week and a part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Addison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bishop attended the Woolever reunion Friday Hospital for several weeks. He is

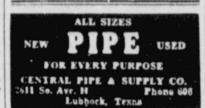
Mr. and Mrs. Walker Huddleston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodges and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and daughter went on a fishing trip near Sterling City Monday. They returned Wednes

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Cook of Ira visited Thursday night in the F. M. Addison home.

Those visiting in the Walker Huddleston home this week were: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Huddleston of Aran, Raymond Berryhill and son, Ray, of Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Goolsby and daughter visited in Oklahoma, Mississippi and other points in the East during the past two weeks. Rev. M. W. Clark of Snyder was a Sunday dinner guest in the Frank Strom home.

My reading of history convinces me that most bad government has grown out of too much governmen -John Sharp Williams



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Mrs. MAUDE HOLCOMB

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent Tom Rosson and family of Big

Spring visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mozell Roggenstein. This community extends sympathy to Mrs. Oren Sturdivent in the death of her grandmother. They

attended the juneral at Childress. Miss Ethel Mae Sturdivent spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sturdivant and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sturdivant and

Miss Gladys Mae Witten of Coolidge, Arizona, is visiting this week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mozell Roggenstein. Miss Bobbie Lou Harless has been chosen as senior sponsor for the

Snyder rodeo to represent this com-Luther Morrow has returned to his home after being in the Rotan

slightly improved. Though we took no part of the World War loot, we are now called upon to make sure the title to that

loot.-Wiliam E. Borah.

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8-2c

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> business buildings .- D. P. Yoder. 7tfc FOR RENT-My home, unfurnished, for one year; six rooms, brick modern. See Mrs. T. J. McDonnel at J. Wright Mooar Ranch, or John

furnished and unfurnished, and

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J. E. LeMOND, Secretary.

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Thursday, July 25, 1940

What's News in Scurry County Communities

Pleasant Hill News

Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent

at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore and

in this community. Hugh, Jimmie and Mary Lue Merritt spent the week-end with their one day last week Mrs. Thompson Mr. and Mrs. Leman Vandiver

A revival meeting will start here Mrs. Cole, Betty Coleman. Lon- with relatives. is invited to attend.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Epps of Pecos them for a few days' visit. are visiting this week in the D. M. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Reed and her sister, Mrs. Marvin Rogers, and

Mrs. Bill Pitts of California is vacation in California. Fred Russell.

Thursday with relatives in Anson. Edmonson home.

der visited Sunday afternoon with day. He was en route to Houston Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sturgeon and and Galveston.

dada has been visiting with the L. from a visit with relatives at Mor- been quite painfully burned, but is D. Sturgeons and Fred Russells this gan Mill and Mineral Wells.

in the O. Smith home. I. F. Smith and Bernarr and

Montie Rea Smith went to San little daughter of Union visited

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woods and family of Loraine spent Sunday with home. the C. P. Fishers. There will be a Mission Reviva

at Plainview school building beginning Sunday night at 8:00 p. m. the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend.

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sumers our own easy way of testing

"Anyway, it's almost like a game, dial-

ing your correct mileage on the Mile-Dial

-awfully clever. My husband says so,

too. By the way, my driving is just as economical as his, the way it proves out

on our Mile-Dial. Isn't that interest-

ing? And we're keeping on dialing to

make sure of our average in all different driving. Right now, after 61 gallons of

Bronz-z-z in all, we're a good 200 miles

ahead of what we used to expect from

Conoco Bronz-z-z for mileage.

that much gasoline."

Today's loss is not covered by tomorrow's policy!

Dermott News

Mrs. J. E. Sanders, Correspondent Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McPherson

family spent Sunday with Mr. and of Fort Worth, A. W. McPherson Mrs. Ernest Chancy and family of Burkburnett visited last Monday night in the A. N. Edmonson home. Mrs. Ellen Cole and little Betty family spent Sunday afternoon with Coleman of Gordon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Irvin at Camp Mrs. Russell Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Perriman visit-Mrs. Edna Hudson of Stephenville ed with their daughter and son-inis visiting this week with relatives law, Mr. and Mrs. King, in San Antonio last week.

Mrs. Russell had as her guests noids removed. sisters, Mrs. Floyd Mauldin and of Snyder, and her five daughters went to Lubbock to get their son. from different places. E. L., who has been visiting there

at the tabernacle Sunday. Everyone nie Coleman and wife of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson visited Mrs. Roy Ekins and Mrs. Tom Sunday in the W. P. Inman home. Heard visited recently with their The Sunday School classes of Mt daughter and sister, Mrs. "Red" Zion enjoyed a watermelon feast Boss in Hobbs. They were accom- Wednesday night. as Lamesa Tuesday night. Mrs. Boss | California, is visiting this week with and children returned home with Mrs. John Floyd.

children have returned from their family from California.

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thornhill and children of Abilene spent Saturday Head of Turner, Ellen Jo and Bud-

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jones spent night and Sunday in the A. N. die Avary of Hermleigh and Mr. and day and night. The results Monday Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nichols and Ira Burroughs of Lubbock was Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nichols of Sny- a guest of friends here last Thurs-

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scrivner and have moved their son, Billie, home Mrs. Bob Martin and son of Floy- son, Lowell, have returned home from the Rotan Hospital. He had

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Scrivner Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and and family of California are visiting son of Turner and Mrs. Clarence this week with their grandmother. Moore and son of Ira spent Sunday Mrs. Fannie Scrivner, and other

relatives here Sunday in the H. E. Greenfield

be sponsor for the juniors of Der- had been visiting for several there. mott and Jettie D. Elkins is to be Mrs. Wade returned home with the Baptist Workers Conference in senior sponsor. Juanita Heard is to them. She has been attending sum-Rev. Earl Powers of Rotan will do be sponsor for the Fuller Ranch in mer school in Denton the Snyder Annual Rodeo. Little Mrs. Frank Floyd and children Rustle Browning is to ride his well- of Pleasant Hill visited Sunday with trained goat in the parade.

Mrs. A. L. Jackson spent Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pitner, Mr and Sunday night with her sister, and Mrs. Buck Chandler of Sny-Mrs. Clint Reed. Clint Reed and der and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mar-"Fat" Reed of Snyder, with other tin of Ira visited Sunday with Mr. relatives from Justiceburg attend- and Mrs. Horsley. ed a reunion at Hamlin Sunday.

Miss Doris Davis underwent a tonsil operation this week. T. O. Greenfield and W. C. San-

ders made a business trip to Sey- back home after visiting in Cole-

2 TYPICAL EXPERIENCES

WITH THE FREE MILE-DIAL

left Sunday for a trip to Galveston. mother at Comanche where she has not used to that kind of a Mrs. F. F. Kelly was called to the been visiting recently. bedside of her mother, who recently The ball game played here Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd. YOU NEED ... WE SELL

ommunity picnic Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rainwater and L. R. Rainwater visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Tinsley Rainwater in Vincent.

day night with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Pitner, in Snyder.

Judge-"Did you hit this man in an excess of irascability?" Johnson-"Nah, sah, jedge; Ah

'DIDN'T CARE" type of driver says:

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would like one yourself and they're free

as air, around a Conoco station. You

ought to go quick and get yours."

IOCO BRONZ-Z-Z

"Now if you'll watch this smart

Strayhorn News

Joyce Floyd, Correspondent

Sunday guests in the W. W. Anrson home were Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Arch visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Mrs. Gardy Gafford. Poole, all of Abilene, Billie Quinn Knight, and other relatives. of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mc-Harkins, all of Hermleigh.

Sweetwater Saturday. Miss Ruby Steward is on the sick Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy

list this week, having had her ade- Stewart and family.

panied by Mrs. Dick Brown as far Mrs. Bill Pitts of Sunny Mead

Mrs. Walter Wall has as guests

recently were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mrs. Audrey Head and children. in their home this week the elders.

Guests in the E. L. Floyd home

John W. Allen and Mark L. Webster. from the Houston Mission. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fambro doing very well at present.

Ennis Creek News

Imogene Panter, Correspondent Mrs. Dee Robison is visiting this

week in Abernathy. Millie and Anthem Wade returned day to see Roy Weaks. Little Sue Stephens is going to from Denton Tuesday night. They

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Prather.

Loyce Horsley and Jean Panter Chandler at Snyder. Jerry and Virginia Robison are

man and O'Donnell.

between Hermleigh and Ennis Creek was won by Hermleigh. Mrs. Sidney Galyean of Snyder

visited Sunday with her parents, The "Ladies Aid" is giving a

Annie Rae Horsley visited Satur-

es' hit him in de stummick.

Mrs. M. M. Barber of Plainview Guests in the W. L. King home

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Mrs. Jack Caffey returned Sun-

Jake King is on the sick list this

Murphy News

Mrs. Ben Weathers and B. O.

Barrett spent the week-end in Tren-

Peggy Nell Murphy visited Sun-

Snyder spent Monday in the R. E.

Guests in the Ed Murphy home

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy attend-

ed the Woolever reunion at Union

Margaret and Billie Gray and

June Clements of Snyder were Wed-

nesday guests in the Ed Murphy

Mrs. Lloyd Murphy spent Thurs-

Bro. J. F. Fields filled his regular

Friday and Saturday

Barrier at Bison.

Warren home.

the W. F. Burney home.

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Rodgers and little son of California are

Midway News

Lena Weaks, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Porter of Sny- Sunday were Mrs. Willia Danie's children, Elector and Mrs. Clyde Millan and family and Miss Clarice der, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wade and of Post and Mrs. Birtie Stringer of Ryan of Dunn, called in the G. W. daughter, Betty Ruth, of Kings- Canyon. Mrs. Hugh Robinson and chil- ville, and Martha Preston of Mid-G. E. Chorn and family attended dren and Mrs. Garner visited in land, who is spending the summer a family reunion at Abilene Sunwith Mr. and Mrs. Porter, visited day, Jacque Chorn remained for a short visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Addison Casstevens of Sny-Keith Snowden is attending the der spent one day the past week 4-H Club encampment at San An- with her brother, Leo Nachlinger, and family

James Lay of Hobbs spent last week with Swanson Aucutt.

Doris Dixon, Billie Brown and Clyde Garrison of this community with Mrs. Roy Adams. enjoyed the trip with the Hobbs School group.

Pearl Dixon is working in Snyder this week. Don Snowden returned home Fri-

day after working two weeks at th Mrs. A. W. Weathers, Correspondent Nolan von Roeder farm. Bobby Watson of Hermleigh spent the week-end with Don Snowden. daughter, Mrs. Marshall Davis.

We have been having large crowds at the preaching services here both were six new additions to the church. ton. Mr. and Mrs. Ellington have had Rev. Skiles was called to Stamford Sunday but Rev. Marvin Rodgers day night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy filled his place.

Louise and Billie Carroll Davidson and Ona B. Gibsen of Dunn are visiting this week with relatives and friends here.

We are sorry to report that A. P. Alford, Mrs. Annie Irving, Mrs. T. O. Dixon and Bob Kincaid are on the sick list this week. Arthur Weaks and Modell Robin-

son of Snyder visited in the Roy Weaks home Sunday. Marshall Weaks of Pleasant Hill Cauble, Mr. and Mrs. Cauble of

made a brief business call Mon-

Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrier and children of Bison. Mrs. Cora Weathers and sister, People from all parts of the coun-Mrs. Dora Franks, spent the weekty and adjoining counties attended end with Will Warren and family in Colorado City.

Sharon News

Verlyn Trevey, Correspondent

The people of Sharon have received many compliments on the day with Mrs. Bessie Gregory a July 4 picnic and rodeo. The following letter was received by one of spent the week-end with Mrs. Buck Sharon's citizens: "I want to tell appointment here over the weekyou how we did enjoy the Fourth. I just lived like a feather in the end. air for a week-so thrilled about my trip, and I think Joe enjoyed Misses Lena and Vera Periman Robert Taylor has gone after his it almost as much as I. We are thing where everyone is so well behaved and where everyone has that glorious West Texas spirit. We had a rodeo here the last of June and it cost 50 cents to get in. There were drunks, men and women. But Joe said he did not see a drop of liquor or hear a curse word all day, and that was very unusual, and we surely enjoyed the rodeo—and eats. SALE issued pursuant to a judg-And if the Lord is willing, we will ment decree of the 32nd District And if the Lord is willing, we will ment be back next year if you have

> A shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. of Mr. and Mrs J. A. Thompson of Mr. and Mrs J. A. Thompson | Texas and County of Scurry, and last Tuesday night. A large crowd | The Snyder Independent School Diswas present and the young couple received many nice presents. Cookies

Creek, three miles south of Synder. The dinner was in honor of Daymon, Raymond and Jimmie Rollins of Snyder. A large crowd was present and enjoyed the day and the

Mrs. J. W. Joiner and grand. daughter, Dorothy Joiner, of Coahoma, spent part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Riggs-

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vaughn and

Thompson are both on the sick ist this week. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sterling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller and Raymond Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Davis and children attended the Woolever reunion at

The reunion lasted three days and was well attended. Dick Henderson, one of the genial deputy sheriffs of Scurry County, was a visitor in Sharon last

Earl Woolever's home near Union.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of Snyder visited for several days last week with their son, Johnnie Davis, and

Troy Crowder spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crowder, at 1ra. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henderson of Lubbock visited Priday with Mr.

and Mrs. Ernest Trevey.

Mrs. W. M. Howard of Ira spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Crowder, at Sharon. Mrs. J. D. Martin entertained her

father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J.

German News

Ollie Pagan Correspondent

A number of people from here attended the revival meeting at Big Sulphur last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bills and two Wemken home Monday. Almost everyone is up with his

work in this community and all are wishing for a rain now. Mrs. J. M. Pagan and son, James Pagan, visited in the Clyde Ryan

home at Dunn Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wemken spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Buford Patterson at Pyron.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bredemyer and day night from a week's stay in children, Helen and Lawrence, of Mineral Wells where she visited Divide, Noian County, are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hy Coldewey. Mrs. Bredemyer and children and Mrs. Coldewey and daughter, Mildred, called on Mrs. J. M. Pagan and Mrs. T. E. Reed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wemken and sons, Truman and W. L., visited Mrs. G. M. Mathis of Coahoma Dacus. Saturday evening with Mrs. Abe pent last week in the home of her

Alfrieda Schulze and Evelyr Schoppa were visitors in Abilene Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darden and

visited Sunday with Mrs. Darden's parents. Mrs. Frank Watzl underwent ar operation Thursday. She is in the

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Warren and Sweetwater Hospital. We wish for family spent Sunday in Snyder in her a speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. William Schulze Mrs. Stella Carter of Clovis, New are visiting this week in Moulton. Mexico, and Ruby Lee Burney of

family are visiting this week in South Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Rub Owens visited

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wolf at urday of the death of his nephew at Sunday were Bruce Murphy, Helen er Friday in the home of Mrs. Duke

When you asked for my advice, I knew what you really wanted was

R.L. Howell, M. D.

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Virtues are learned at mother's knee, vices at some other joint.

LEGAL NOTICES

my approval.

Court of Scurry County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1940, in a cer-tain suit No. 3211, wherein The City Aubry Cole was given in the home of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, was Plaintiff, and The State of trict, a body corporate, of Scurry County, Texas, were Interveners, and Olin May and Agnes May, a and fruits were served to nearly a hundred guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Trevey attended a birthday dinner on Deep tended a birthday dinner on Deep (\$889.62) Dollars for taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor f said plaintiff and interveners by he said 32nd District Court of the said 32nd District Court of Scurry County, on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1940, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Scurry County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in August A. D. 1940, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Scurry County, in the City of Sny-Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vaughn and Jeanetta Thompson were in Big Spring last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton McClure of South Texas visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vaughn and Louie Vaughn Jr. returned home with them for a short visit.

Mrs. R. R. Thompson and Parke Thompson are both on the sick of Scurry and State of Texas, to-wit:

And being Lots 2 and 4, Block 20, of the Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder, Texas, or, upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient por-tion thereof to satisfy said judg-ment, interest, penalties and costs: subject, however, to the right of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against property that may not be included herein and that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defend-ants or any person having an in-terest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the marner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights the defendants or anyone interested therein, may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment, together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction

SHERIFF'S SALE

W. Henderson, and daughter of Lubbock, during the past week.
Richard Parks of Arah visited in Sharon Saturday.

Mock Jenkins of Cuthbert visited in the Hoyle Cary and Lee Riggsfield homes last Monday.

Zelda Sinith of County Line is staying in this community for the present.

Orlan Cary of Brownfield was a guest the first of the week of his brother and family.

The State of Texas, County of Scurry:

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hamilton County, on the 13th day of May, 1940, by C. E. Edmiston, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Two Hundred and Ten (\$210.00) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. M. Adams in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3813, and styled J. M. Adams vs. J. H. Sheppard, et al., placed in my hands for service, I. John Lynch, as Sheriff of Scurry County. Texas, did on the 10th day

The State of Texas, County of Scurry:

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hamilton County, on the 13th day of May, 1940, by C. E. Edmiston, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Two Hundred and Court, for the state Suil Conservation Board on the first day of August, 1940, beginning at 16:00 clock a.m., at Snyder in the county of Scurry.

All persons who shall hold title to any lands lying within the limits of the above described territory as owners, and all other interested parties, are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the first day of August, 1940, beginning at 16:00 clock a.m., at Snyder in the county of Scurry.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of curry:

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF

ALE issued on the county of the county of the curry of 160 acres of land, more or less, in Scurry County, Texas, being all of the S. E. One-Fourth (1-4) of Section No. 383 in Block No. 97, Certificate No. 43-5694 of the H. and T. C. Surveys, patented by The State of Texas to C. F. Harper by Patent No. 512, Vol. 53, and being the same land described in deed from J. H. Sheppard to W. C. Tarter, recorded in the deed records of Scurry County, Texas, and levied upon as the y, Texas, and levied upon as the roperty of W. C. Tarter and that the first Tuesday in August, 1946 the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Scurry County, in the City of Snyder, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the high

est bidder, as the property of said W. C. Tarter. And in compliance with law, give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a wee for three consecutive weeks imme diately preceding said day of sale, in The Scurry County Times, a newspaper published in Scurry

Witness my hand, this 10th day of July, 1940-JOHN LYNCH ,Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, by Dick Henderson. 6-3c

BOARD OF TEXAS

Notice of hearing upon organiza-tion of proposed Scurry County Soil Conservation District, embracing land lying in Scurry and Kent Counties Torses Counties. Texas.

Whereas, on the 5th day of July 1940, there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conserva-tion Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 46th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 20, requesting the establishment of Scurry County Soil Conservation District; and Whereas, the lands described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Scurry and Kent Counties, described substantially as follows: All of

Scurry County except that portion

lying south of the Colorado River; and that part of Kent County lying south of the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition. on the question of the desirability nuit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Snyder, Texas, this the 8th day of July, 1940. — JOHN LYNCH, Sheriff of Scurry County.

LYNCH, Sheriff of Scurry County.

6-3 and upon all questions relevent to such inquiries. The said public hearing will be held by the State



Dr. Towle is out of his office this week, but will be back to serve his patients and customers

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Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

Before contributing to some of the innumerable

war charities that have sprung up in recent weeks in

every part of the Union, attaches of the State Depart-

ment pointed out that it's a mighty good idea to in-

vestigate before donating to some agencies. . . Al-

though people in this trade area, for instance, have

have been highly touched so far as war charity busi-

ness is concerned, more than 300 such agencies have

As many people already know, the State Depart-

nent requires all charitable organizations, whose con-

ributions go solely to war relief, to register with it,

but the department exercises no direct supervision

over their activities. . . . Many agencies are so in-

example of an efficiently operated relief organization,

Researchers of the nation are greeting with de-

Commercial bankers, with few exceptions, whose

lending funds have almost gone begging for borrow-

defense program . . . Bankers of the Southwest say

cautiously, that a number of new business loans will

Revisions of our government's strategy in the Ha-

to be especially astute move in the realm of states-

tain American newspaper correspondents recently

attaches of the State Department, through some

vitally informative documents, that pro-Nazi minded

porations-every important airport in South Amer-

ican countries, with the exception of the few owned

This contemplated course of action will inevitably

call for some type of resolution concerning impla-

European encroachments in this hemisphere, but

a sweeping program of collaboration to be announced

Just how the spectroscope aids the farmer in

producing better crops and cattle occupied the at-

tention of those who attended a conference on spec-

Institute of Technology last week. . . . From the very

every phase of modern business, including farming.

an analysis of plant materials, disclosed by the spec-

troscope as tiny portions, are burned at very high

Though 10 elements, including carbon, hydrogen,

manganese, etc., are needed in small quantities. . .

Getting down to cases in point, Rogers told of dis-

couraged farmers who had poor results raising tung

trees when they were first introduced into the United

States . . . Careful research with the spectroscope

suffering from bronzed leaves were actually lacking

in zinc. . . . Similarly, with sugar cane grown in the

newly drained areas in Florida, when the cane did

extremely poor, despite soil fertility, the spectroscope

showed a lack of zinc, which, upon correction, resulted

in greatly increased yields. . . . That the colors of the

rainbow can help farmers grow better crops is now a

The Bible is the only source of all Christian truth.

the only rule for the Christian life, the only book that

unfolds to us the realities of eternity.—Sir Matthew

proven fact, but only 10 short years ago was consider-

one or more essential trace elements.

Professor L. H. Rogers of the University of Florida

with the nations south of us until later.

light recent experiments conducted by Red Cross

nutrition experts in sponsoring the development of

recently been created in the United States.

the money collected.

valuable vitamin C.

repaid in serial installments.

by state governments.

That Refinery for Snyder

A first class refinery for Snyder, with entirely new equipment, a monthly payroll grossing several thousand dollars and a plant using Scurry County crude was brought a step nearer realization this week as a result of a meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce office with oilmen of Dallas and Big Lake, local business men and Chamber of Commerce officials.

Everyone interested in the future development of Scurry County realizes that a first class refinery, utilizing about 1,000 barrels of county crude daily, is Snyder's crying need.

Not only will a refinery revitalize business and bring a year-around payroll to the Scurry County seat, but it will result in prompt and orderly develop-

ment of the county's natural resources. In other words, Snyder and Scurry County have reached a point in their economic history where some outside capital is going to have to be employed to bring a new era of wealth to the city and county. Cattle, cotton, sheep, truck farming and poultry raising have been, and are still, the main springs that make the wheels go around here, but their possibilities tures almount to about three and a half per cent of as a means of adding new income to the county are

The possibilities in added income offered by a refinery are not limited. . . . For once a refinery is established here, we will not only see county-wide development of the proved oil reserves we have here, but we will see at least \$35,000 in new money coming into the county, at first as a primer, and larger amounts monthly as the county's oil reserves are developed

There is no reason in the world why Snyder cannot and should not have a refinery. . . . Colorado City, Big Spring, Abilene, Sweetwater and other points in this area of West Texas have refineries-plants which pay dividends to the farmers, ranchers, merchants and business men one way or the other the year

Producing Scurry County crude is one thing, keeping it at home to be refined is another. But the at home if we are to reap any of the benefits that supplement government financing as a tie-in with point remains that county crude needs to be refined the county's natural resources.

New chapters in the history of a county's destiny have always been, and still are, written by men who venture into new fields of activity. So it will be with an oil refinery for Snyder, a refinery which will bring all our Sharon Ridge oil field workers back to Snyder from Colorado City (where they've never really belonged), and an institution that will pump new lifeblood into the county's economic veins!

Editorial of the Week

SIGHT HEADS THE LIST

Sight ranks first in the health aims of Texas boys and girls.

This is suggested in replies from a cross section of 500 youths to a question by the State Health Department as to what phase of health was uppermost in their minds. The majority of replies had to do with the eyes.

Unexpectedly, the principal request for specific cures had to do with athlete's foot, corns and dandruff. detailed questions on matters of mutual defense will Next in order in the category of preservation of be left out. . . Since the United States government health came teeth, tuberculosis, weight control, skin wants to deal individually with Latin American naeruptions, dandruff, colds, cancer and sex-related tions--for fear Brazilian or Argentinian statesmen problems. The replies also showed that more than 75 may wreck assistance platforms—one cannot expect per cent of those quizzed were interested in the cause, improvement and cure of diseases.

The department concluded from the answers that the first responsibility of health educators is to make available understandable information regarding the

cause of disease and certain health conditions. The youths, ranging from 16 to 24 and about troscopy and its applications at the Massachusetts equally divided between boys and girls, were queried with the thought that perhaps health education too earliest uses of this instrument in metallurgical fields, often meant planning what the instructor thought its value has been extended until it enters virtually should be taught rather than something the pupi: wants. The project was planned because physicians noted that frequently many persons did not react told members of the eighth summer conference that in the way expected in connection with health educa-

The group was questioned with no attempt to temperature, shows plants need or make use of some indoctrinate it and, consequently, the replies were of the 92 elements in the table of atoms. considered to reflect the specific health problems in which the youths were interested.

Many of those questioned wanted to know something about the cause and transfer of tuberculosis, those essential to practically all plants, traces of many leading to an observation that perhaps the theory of others, such as molybdenum, sodium, cobait, boron, older generations that the disease is hereidtary has a foothold in the minds of many young persons.-Wil- The professor exhibited a large array of photos showliam E. Keyes in The San Angelo Standard-Times.

Up at Peekskill, New York, last week Raymond Douglas discovered that his 22-foot cruiser, Dottie, was blocked from the Hudson River by a draw bridge over Annsville Creek, a structure that had been closed for eight years. . . . When he requested a New York showed that the many American grown tung trees Central Railroad official to open it, he was told this incident of the closed bridge just happened to be too bad. . . . Rather thoroughly angered. Douglas complained to the War Department-since the army had jurisdiction over the navigable stream. . . . When Douglas tooted at the main line bridge for clearance, he got prompt results Thirty railroad employees, comforted by a lawyer and a division engineer, removed the rails, disconnected the signal block and ed, more or less, a lunatic's fancy by conservative raised the draw bridge within a period of three minutes. . . . Now that Douglas got his feat across the railroad officials face more of the same thing.

By continually looking upward, our minds wil themselves grow upward.-Dr. Arnold.

REELECTED TO **HEAD LEGION**

ROSENBERG IS

Fish Made Vice Commander and Elmer Louder Renamed Local Post Adjuant for Year

Selection of post officers for the ensuing year and naming of the date for hut dedicatory services highlighted last Thursday night's Will Layne American Legion Post meeting in the new Legion Hut the rodeo goodwillers will be acfour blocks west of the square. Legion Member Boss Baze preof the post commander, Henry by Rosenberg. Invocation of the meeting was pronounced by Ray Hardin | the motorcade of good-wilers will After some spirited balloting, Layne Post commander and Walla trol. D. Fish was selected first vice commander. Etner Louder was re- day tour follow: elected post adjutant.

Other officers named follow: mander; Harry S. Lee, finance of- homa, Colorado City and Dunn. ficer: Tollie A. Fayor, chaplain; W. P. King, historian, John De- Hamlin, Stamford, Anson, Abilene, Mond, chi'd welfare chairman; and and Hermleigh. W. M. Nichols, sergeant-at-arms.

Dedication services for the new Buddies and their wives and pens.' friends of this trade territory were extended an invitation this week by have to get his own breakfast. post officials to attend Sunday afternoon's ceremonies, which will

e open to the public. Elmer Louder, adjutant, was instructed to obtain material with which the local NYA boys will construct a hut desk and table

To be held under Legion auspices. a dance for rodeo sponsors, their efficiently run that operating costs eat up more than escorts and rodeo officials was dis-50 per cent of the funds collected. Most outstanding cussed by local post officials. It was decided to have the sponsor dance at the Legion Hut Thursday whose funds are going at the moment to war relief, is the American Red Cross, whose operating expendinight, August 8, preceding the August 9 opening of the county's fourth annual rodeo.

Edwards to Conduct Meeting at Dermott

concentrated foods designed to provide a high vitamin Beginning Sunday evening at 8.15 content, yet requiring a small amount of space for o'clock, services for Dermott's regular summer revival will be conducted shipment to civilian sufferers in war zones. . . . Food experts of the Red Cross have, for instance, perfected by Rev. Buster Edwards of Camp Springs, community leaders angreen powder that becomes thick soup when water nounced this week. is added, dried tomato soup chips, banana tablets and concentrated iruit beverages that contain the highly

Assisting Rev. Edwards in conducting the Dermott revival will be Rev. George Lloyd, Dermott pastor, who will direct song services. Rev. Edwards announces that day services will be held at 10:30 a. m. prayer services each evening at 7:45 ers, are already predicting the present upturn of business will become a substantial boom within the at 8:15 o'clock. The public is cornext 90 days as a result of the need for money to dially invited to attend all the services of the Dermott revival.

the muchly discussed and hastily planned national DeShazos Complete New Home on 25th probably be made for five-year periods, and will be

One of Snyder's newest residences s the two-room Jeff DeShazo frame structure, which is virtually comvana conference calls for the United States withholdpleted this week. The house is loing any and all proposals concerning U. S. rights to cated four blocks west of the square Latin America air and naval bases. . . . This seems on 25th Street.

Utilizing the latest in convenmanship, when one takes into account the fact cer- iences, the DeShazo structure has built-in cabinet work, and has just received a fresh coat of white paint, with a pleasing wall paper design for the interior. It is occupied by Germans own-individually or through dummy cor-Mr. and Mrs. Jeff DeShazo and their small daughter, Mary Lou.

PALACE Theatre

mentation of the Monroe Doctrine in respect to Thursday, July 25-

"New Moon" starring Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy.

Friday-Saturday, July 26-27-

"Sporting Blood" with Robert Young, Lewis Stone, Maureen O'Sullivan. Special Technicolor picture, "The Singing Dude"

and Our Gang Comedy. Saturday Night Prevue Only, July 27-

"La Congo Nights" with Hugh Herbert, Dennis O'Keefe. Constance Moore and others.

Sunday-Monday, July 28-29-"My Favorite Wife" starring Irene Dunne and Cary

Grant. News and Novelty. Tuesday, July 30-"The Saint Takes

Over" with George Sanders and Wendy Barrie. News and Cartoon Comedy. potassium, phosphorous and oxygen lead the list of Bargain Night-Admission 10 cents. Wed.-Thurs., July 31-Aug. 1-"The Mortal Storm"

with Margaret Sullivan, James ing normal crops and those raised in soil deficient in Stewart, Robert Young, Frank Morgan. News and Comedy.

TEXAS Theatre

"Outside the Three Mile Limit" starring Jack Holt. Red Ryder Ser-

ial and Comedy. Friday-Saturday, July 26-27-

"Lucky Cisco Kid" with Cesar Romero. Serial and Comedy.

Wed.-Thurs., July 31-Aug. 1-"Meet Dr. Christian" with Jean Hersholt. Red Ryder Serial and Comedy

HERE IS MORE CONCERNING **PARADE**

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

ance of the Snyder Tiger Band desiring to make transfers to do so 100 per cent payment on salary aid dent's office next week. on the program, and some especially at their very earliest convenience. grants for the coming year. snappy numbers arranged by various string bands.

Biggest thing in the way of pre-August 5 and 6.

On the August 5-6 booster trip, companied by string bands, soloists and some of the best entertainers sided at the meeting in the ablence to be rounded up in the entire coun-

Accompanying the 50 to 75 cars in be a sound truck, with stage, and Henry Rosenberg was renamed Will officials of the State Highway Pa-

Points to be visited on the two-

Monday, August 5-Post, Slaton, Lubbock, Tahcka, O'Donnell, La-Simon Best, second vice com- mera, Ackerly, Big Spring, Coa-Tuesday, August 6-Roby, Rotan. Shazo, service officer; J. E. Le- Merkel, Trent, Sweetwater, Roscoe

"Rise every morning," a magis- also discussed the 1940 Products

Wednesday Is Final | Salary Aid Grants Day for Transferring

Due to the fact Wednesday is the eadline for making student transfers in the county, the county super-

Following closely upon the student transfer deadline, a regular meeting of the county board will be rodeo activities will be the rootin', held Friday afternoon, August 2, tootin' two-day booster trip that at 2:00 o'clock in the county superwill be taken to West Texas towns intendent's office for the purpose

of this area Monday and Tuesday, of considering transfer applications Anyone desiring to appear before the county board at this time i extended an invitation to attend the board meeting. Any protests concerning transfers should be filed with the county superintendent's office prior to the August 2

Auctions and Show Discussed by C. of C.

Formulation of plans to show Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas every courtesy his office demands when he visits Snyder Friday morning and discussion of detailed arrangements for the forthcoming Saturday auctions here highlighted Monday night's Chamber of Commerce directors' meeting at the organization's office.

Chamber of Commerce director Legion Hut were set by Legion of- trate advised a man in court, "with Show that will be held here this ficials for 3:00 o'clock Sunday after- the fixed determinaion to make fall, and took up ways and means noon. Principal speaker for the oc- your wife realize that you are mas- of making the products exhibition casion will be a Lubbeck attorney. ter of the house, and see what hap-more colorful and appealing than previous shows staged in Snyder We know what will happen. He'll All directors, except one, were pres ent for Monday night's meeting

To Be Made in Full

Roy O. Irvin, county superinten- ers in full.

Since salary aid payments for the 1940-41 school year will be paid do you think you are?" on the same basis as for the past

mine before the opening of the forthcoming term how much to budget for the approved items of expense in order to pay the teach-

dent, was advised Tuesday that the Forms to be used in making apschools of Scurry County and other plications for equalization funds intendent's office requests those counties of the state can expect a will reach the county superinten-

> Traffic Officer-"Hey, there, who, Driver-"Oh, I'm just one of the year, the 4,023 schools participating taxpayers who pay your salary in this fund will be able to deter- for insulting us.'

Guidance in a Time of Stress-



May we take the responsibility of guiding you through the troubled time of bereavement? Our years of experience help us to serve you completely.

Lady Assistant In Attendance

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everything you need for dependable home canning

Pure Meat

Baby Beef

Pure Pork

STEAK

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CHEESE

Fresh Country

Baby Beef

Candled

EGGS

ROAST

BUTTER

BOLOGNA9c

Pound

Pound

15c

.10c

Pound

15c

Pound

.17c

Pound

25c

Pound

15c

Dozen

13c

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Watermelons 1-2c Frsh Load Every Day, Per Pound

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Bale of Six Balls,

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ICE CREAM Vanilla Full Quart 15c **CANDY** Regular .5c Bars, 11c 4 Bars for Green BEANS No. 2 Cans, 15c 2 Cans for Dried FRUIT Fancy Quality, 15c All 29c Sizes **LETTUCE** Large Heads, 10c

Vanilla WAFERS

Mason

Two 15c Packages

Domino Domino

25-Lb. Sack

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Exercise Your Right Of Expression!

Regardless of what side of the bed you get up from Saturday morning, or whether the weather man gave us that needed July rain or not, you should, by all means, cast your ballot in the primary!

Whoever you may favor for congressional, state, district and county offices, your vote will be the only means by which our election officials determine which men shall hold in their hands the reins of government for the rapidly changing and highly important days ahead.

Since the inception of Democracy within these United States, the right of franchise has been one of the most sacred legacies handed down from father the son, and in more recent years from mother to daughter.

Voting has been in America, still is and will always be not only a privilege, but a vital duty. It has been thus since our forefather's dethorned the king and placed in the common people's hands the right to vote in all elections, that the course of government might always rest upon the shoulders of the people.

If we escape entirely the possible menace down the years ahead of some unforeseen Praetorian Guard arising, and offering their country for sale to the highest bidder, it will be because the people have, by their ballots, said no such un-American menace shall ever darken the changing horizon of politics.

In this section of The Times, candidates for state, district, county and precinct offices have messages of vital importance to the voters that should serve as guide posts in naming the men of the citizens' choice to office.

The ramparts we watched and the independent form of government we hailed when Texas greeted the rising tide of Democracy with a government of its own for the people, and run by the people, shall ever be the birthright of the new citizens that make their appearance in the world if we always vote our ballots right.

The man who sits on the street corners and always whines around about times getting worse and the agencies of government, county and state going to the bad exercises about as much intelligence as a bullfrog. The man who gets up and hustles for a living while the day is yet with us, and crystallizes his sentiments in voting for the candidates of his choice is the one who helps run, and not run down, our blood- and iron-purchased form of government.

So whatever your faith or creed, put your sentiments in voting Saturday! Those who go around weeping for the golden eras of political plenty on the wane must somehow have overlooked the fact the records of the past are burned at night, and at runrise a new world of events is born again.

VOTE SATURDAY!

98 NAMES ARE ON BALLOT FOR VOTE CASTING

Biennial Election Saturday Expected
To Count 3,000 Voters in
Low-Interest Affair

Exactly how Saturcay's ballot will read is the thing nearest the hearts of Scurry County's 3,000 or more

The primary ballot will be headed: "Official Ballot, Democratic Primary Election, Scurry County, Texas, Saturday, July 27, 1940."

For the voter's approval, it carries this pledge: "I am a Democrat and pledge mysilf to support the nominee of this party."

Next will come state candidates, then district, county and precinct. In the following reproduction, home counties of the state and district candidates are given, following the candidate's name.

Here is an exact reproduction of the names and offices on the ballot—with the exception of the home town addition:

For United States Senator:

Tom Connally of El is County A. P. Belcher of Erath County Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County

For Congress, 19th District:

George H. Mahon of Mitchell County

M. D. Ramsey of Floyd County C. L. Harris of Dickens County

For Governor:
W. Lee O'Daniel of Tarrant Coun-

Harry Hines of Wichita County Jerry Sadler of Gregg County Miriam A. Perguson of Travis County

R. P. Condron of Cameron County Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County

Arlon B. (Cyclone) Davis of Dallas County For Lieutenant Governor:

Coke R. Stevenson of Kimble County

Charles Lavergne Somervil'e of Dallas County Alton M. Mead of Tom Green

County
For Comptroller of Public Accounts:
Clifford E. Butler of Harris

Geo. H. Sheppard of Nolan County

For State Treasurer:

Harry McKee of Travis County Charley Lockhart of Travis County

For Commissioner of the General Land Office:

Bascom Giles of Travis County

For Attorney General:
Gerald C. Mann of Dalas County
For Superintendent of Public In

For Superintendent of Public Instruction:

S. R. LeMay of Henderson County L. A. Woods of McLennan County

For Commissioner of Agriculture:
William N. Corry of Tarrant

J. E. McDonald of Ellis County
W. W. King of Sabine County

W. W. King of Sabine County For Railroad Commissioner:

Bryan Patterson of Jim Wells County

Olan R. Van Zandt of Grayson County

Eugene T. Smith of Travis
County
Errol Holt of Dallas County

Wm. H. McDona'd of Eastland County Walton D. Hood of Travis County

Charlie Langford Jr. of Galveston County Clyde E. Smith of Tyler County Olin Culberson of Jackson County

John Paul Jones of Rusk County
Pierce Brooks of Dallas County
Baker Saulsbury of Potter County
Ross Hardin of Limestone County
John Punct of Dallas County
John D. Copeland Jr. of Travis
County

Bai'ey Sheppard of Gregg County Larry Mills of Dallas County O. O. Terrell of Brazoria County

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STAY WITH JOE—AND



JOE'LL STAY WITH YOU!

J. E. Hairston

Candidate for Reelection as

COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4

He invites full investigation of his record in office as a basis for his reelection.

Vote for Hairston for Commissioner, Prec. 2, July 27

Arrange to Get Your Free Election Extra Sunday Morning!

"HE'S A CINCH-STAY WITH LYNCH"

REELECT

John Lynch



SHERIFF OF SCURRY COUNTY

Serving his first term as Sheriff of Scurry County, John Lynch has tried to make you a good officer. If reelected, he will continue to discharge the duties of the office in a fearless and conscientious manner.

VOTE FOR JOHN LYNCH FOR SHERIFF WHEN YOU GO TO THE POLLS SATURDAY

Much of State's Activity Carried on RUN-OFF LOOKS By Various Boards and Commissions PROBABLE NOW

most powerful boards, whose in- boats. The governor has two apfluence is fet in Scurry, Fisher, pointees. The board looks after all Noan, Kent, Borden and every wild life conservation; sells some other county of the state in many gravel. Sale of this gravel presumvarious ways are listed in the fol- ably was what O'Daniel referred to lowing article for voters who are in his Waco speech when he said showing greater interest than ever in functions of the state depart- natural resources of the state and ments

Board of Control—Three members, two of whom have been appointed by Governor O'Daniel. Supervises all state eleemosynary institutions; does all state purchasing; makes the biennial budget; supervises all state buildings.

Board of Public Welfare-Supervises the old age assistance commission; will also supervise other welfare departments-blind and dependent children-if funds ever are provided. All three of its members have been appointed by the gov-

Highway Commission-The biggest money spending board. Of the present board, Chairman Brady Gentry was named by Governor O'Daniel; members are Harry Hines and Robert Lee Bobbitt, named by James V. Allred.

Unemployment Compensation Commission-Supervises all the unemployment insurance and re-employment services; however, this board actually is responsible to the federal government, although its three present members were named by Governor Allred.

Public Safety Commission-Three members on board, serving without salary, supervising the state police system - highway paatrol, Texas rangers, narcotics division, drivers licensing, etc. Governor O'Daniel has one appointee on this board; the other two were named by Allred.

Fish, Game and Oyster Commission-Membership on this sixmember board likewise is honorary; about the only pay members

Some of the state government's get is an occasional use of state ... "to actual'y sell some of the spend the money in any manner it desires .

Educational Boards-There are several "staggered term" educational boards, including the State Board of Education, the University of Texas regen s, A. & M. directors, regents of teachers colleges and of several smaller schools Probably the most important is the State Board of Education, which fixes the amount which the state shall contribute to the support of local schools, and de ermines what textbooks shall be bought; and looks after the investment of the funds of the permanent school fund. Members get no pay.

Doctor-(having painted the patient's neck for sore throat)-"Three dollars, please."

Patiently (indignantly) - "Three ciollars! Why last week I had my kitchen painted for two-fifty!"

Judge O'Flaherty-"Haven't you been before me before?"

Prisoner-"No, your honor. Oi never saw but wan face that looked loike yours and that was a photygraf of an Irish king."

Judge O'Flaherty - "Discharged! Call the next case!"

There's only one way to deal with some people, and that's to leave them alone even if you do lose a few dollars' worth of their busi-

Anybody can do business if he's willing to be a banker on the other

FOR GOVERNOR

Concerted Campaigning by Other Candidates Cutting Down Lead Of O'Daniel in State

(Editor's note: Why a run-off is observer, Austin, the article is reproduced herewith for the benefit may be state observers: of Times readers.)

Almost for the first time since opened in Texas, the political experts last week were studying the possibilities of a run-off campaign. Because of the extraordinary showing made by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel two years ago, when he

won in the first primary without a run-off; because he has the publicity contact advantage of having talked with his flock every Sunday morning since that time; because of the difficulty of overcoming that advantage, due to the apathy of voters whose minds are pre-occupied with war, it had been generally believed earlier in the campaign that Governor O'Daniel stood an excellent chance of winning in the first primary again this year.

But now there exists what the lawyers call "changed conditions." Some of the reasons for the shifting of front on the part of the

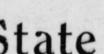
1.—From the start, the O'Daniel opposition reasoned that O'Daniel the 1940 gubernatorial campaigns polled his maximum strength when he made the grade in the first primary two years ago. The common aim of the otherwise divided opposition has been to alienate sufficient O'Danielites to force a run-off.

2.-While the war and national defense are still paramount in the public mind, the initial hysteria which accompanied the amazing fall of the Low Countries and France has died down to some extent.

3.-Taking heart from the apparent public willingness to hear more about state politics-a little more, anyway-all the major candidates have started extensive speaking campaigns; reports reached Austin to the effect that the crowds are picking up a part of the traditional Texas election spirit.

4.-As indicative of the renewed public interest, observers cite the crowd which heard Candidate Ernest O. Thompson at Waco. Not so big as the O'Daniel crowd on the same spot, true; but O'Daniel crowds always have been bigger than anyelse's in Texas polities. Thompson campaigners have gone back to their jobs with definite hope for their candidate.

Geo. A. Davisson, Jr.



State Senator

WAS AUTHOR OF: 1.-Constitutional Amendment submitted to voters of Texas making Old Age Pensions possible in Texas. 2.—The original liberal Old Age Pension Bill, before amended and deliberalized by the Senate. 3.—Welfare Legislation, including aid to the blind, aid to crippled children and destitute mothers.

FAVORS: 1.—Immediate payment of Old Age Pensions. .-Abolishing all useless Boards, Bureaus and Commissions. 3.—Economy in Government. 4.—Increase in the load limit for trucks. 5.—Abolishing lobbies before the Texas Legislature. 6.-Increased appropriations for the National Guard.



For a number of years I have been trying to make you a Judge of your 32nd Judicial District of whom you would be proud to say: "He's a good man for the place, and is making a conscientious, reasonable and justice-giving judge." I appreciate the words that have come to me to this effect.

That I shall ever be just such a representative of this District is my earnest endeavor. With close cooperation between the people of the District, the officers and citizens, we shall have a good system of courts.

I am in the race again for the judgeship of this fourcounty District. Although I have no opposition for the office I seek, I want to take this space in Your Home County Paper to express appreciation to you voters for past support. I want you to know that I am not unmindful of the voters who gave me the place I hold.

I crave your continued manifestation of support and cooperation. If I did have opposition for the place, I could promise no more than I do now-my best efforts to give you competent service.

JUDGE A. S. MAUZEY DISTRICT JUDGE, 32nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT

How They Voted In Previous Years

In the first primary of 1938, Scurry County polled 2,985 ballots, a figure that was slightly under the record number of 3,102 in 1936.

The 1928 total, according to unofficial figures, was 2,786; 1930, 2,860; 1932, aproximately 2,400; 1934, approximately 3,150; 1936, 3,102.

Voting, by precincts, in 1938, in proportion to po'l taxes, is seen in the following table:

	'39	'38
	polls	votes
Northeast Snyder	420	482
Cottonwood Flat	14	19
Ennis Creek	45	45
Dermott	48	65
Fluvanna	129	106
Turner	44	46
Bison	58	76
China Grove	55	55
Ira	164	165
Bethel	80	82
Dunn	132	133
Lone Wolf	35	31
Pyron	108	70
Hermleigh		294
Camp Springs	77	99
Canyon	64	55
Lloyd Mountain	47	37
Arah	14	17
Northwest Snyder	173	180
County Line	25	24
Crowder	59	75
TOTALS	2,827	2,985

"No matter what I say," remarked the darling wife, "it never seems to bear any fruit."

"Oh," murmured the precious husband from behind his paper. "Then why not try pruning it?"

Head Clerk-"I am very sorry to hear of your partner's death. Would you like me to take his place?"

Manager-"Very much, if you can get the undertaker to arrange it."

Gay parties always seem to come

County Friend



Harry Hines, shown, member of the State Highway Commission, who resigned to run for governor of Texas, has a good chance getting in the run-off, close observers state. During Hines' tenure of office as highway commission member, Scurry County has received more highway construction contracts than during any other period of the county's history. "Hines is the man," Texas people west of Fort Worth are saying.

'The motorcycle cop drove up beside the car that was holding up the line of traffic.

"Can't yer go any faster?" he roared.

"Sure, but I don't wanna leave the car."

He-There are a thousand reasons why I love you.

She-My goodness! He-That's one of them.

OVER 3,000 WILL CAST VOTES IN **COUNTY TILTS**

Over One-Third of 2,807 Poll Tax Payments Recorded for Four Voting Boxes in Snyder

Voters of Scurry County paid 2,-827 poll taxes for the privilege of voting this year. And most of them consider the primary the most important election in which they will cast ballots.

Of the 2,827 polls, 1,331 are in the four Snyder boxes. This figure does not indicate the relative strength of votes in Snyder and outside of Snyder, however, for several hundred persons who vote in Snyder boxes are farmers who live outside the city limits.

And the number of poil taxes paid does not indicate the number who will vote in Saturday's election. By adding "overs" and "unders," it is found that the total voting strength of the county is slightly past the 3,000 mark.

In order, the poll taxes paid by the 23 voting precincts are given in the table below. If you wish to determine the approximate number of votes that will be cast in each box, add 20 per cent to take care

of "overs" and "unders."	
Northeast Snyder	420
Cottonwood Flat	16
Ennis Creek	45
Dermott	72
Fluvanna	
Turner	44
Bison	56
China Grove	55
Ira	164
Bethel	60
Dunn	132
Lone Wolf	35
Pyron	108
Hermleigh	298
Camp Springs	77
Canyon	64
Lloyd Mountain	41
Arah	14
Northwest Snyder	173
County Line	25
County Line	347
Southwest Snyder	391
Crowder	59
TOTAL	2.827

We'd make more friendly social ca'ls if we didn't have to play with little ahead of income. so many dogs, admire so many children, and look at so many of our hosts' movies.

We can't resist free samples, even

Men should be eternally grateful that they don't understand women. living. There's something terrifying about a silent woman.

A lot of people prefer to appear dumb as a protective device.

The cost of living seems always a

Gravy, coffee and salads are beyond the knowledge and skill of four cut of five cooks.

Intelligent people welcome mechanical inventions which add to the comfort and convenience of

Women don't like women.

Why do publishers allow authors to write so much and say so little?

For Your NEXT SENATOR

Cecil A

Fisher County

Served as Representative from Eastland and Callahan Counties from 1932 to 1936. He has been in business in this District for 22 years.



-Favors paying old age pensions and other Social Security in cash instead of promises.

-He advocates consolidation of Bureaus and Commissions and reduction of State's expenses by 20 per cent.

-Favors reduction of automobile registration fees not to exceed \$5.00 per vehicle.

-Against any additional taxes on real estate. He is op-

posed to a retail sales tax. -Cecil A. Lotief is the only one in this Senate race who is not a lawyer. You have tried lawyers for the last 20 years and they have failed to do the job right. Just for a change, try a Plain Business Man once—you can't lose. He has a good, clean

Cecil A. Lotief for Your Senator!

Your Vote July 27 Will Be Greatly Appreciated

Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee

Seeks the Office of

Clerk of the District Court

On the basis of her qualifications to fill the office in an efficient, courteous man-

A Word from Mrs. Weathersbee:

Since I have of necessity had to work most of the time in order to try to make a living for my family. I have not seen many of you voters-but I solicit your support.

Having faithfully served as Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 he points to his record in office as best recommendation for a second term . . .

REELECT

H. M. Blackard

As Your

County Commissioner PRECINCT NO. 3

Scurry County is in better financial condition right now than it has been for several years. With continued "level headed" management it should see still better days in the future.

VOTE FOR

C. L. HARRIS



Candidate for

CONGRESS, 19th DISTRICT

C. L. HARRIS STANDS FOR-

A uniform system of Old Age Pension to be paid and administered solely by the Federal Government.

Establish production basis on each cotton farm—annual proration—parity price on portion domestically consumed—unrestricted production leaving the farmer to be his own judge of the amount of cotton he should produce for foreign markets.

A farm purchase plan for tenant farmers.

Elimination of discriminatory Freight Rates in West Texas.

Adequate appropriations for national defense but not one penny appropriation for sending the American Youth to fight abroad.

LET'S BE DEMOCRATIC AND

Vote for C. L. HARRIS

-IT WILL BE APPRECIATED

Here's Your Today's Lesson in Texas Government, Based Upon 1876 Rules

much interest the past few weeks in and fix responsibility. functioning of the Texas state government the following highlights on how the affairs of state are run are presented herewith:

The present state government of Texas is based upon the Constitution adopted in 1876 and retained today-with numerous amendments. The Texas administrative system consists of more than 100 officials, boards and commissions.

The legislative branch consists of the Senate of 31 members and the House of Representatives of 150 members. Our state judiciary system consists of the Supreme Court and Court of Criminal appeals having final jurisdiction in criminal cases, 11 Courts of Civil Appeals and 128 District Courts.

There are eight elective officials and one board in the state administrative system. These are the governor, lieutenant governor, commissioner of agriculture, commissioner of the general land office, superintendent of public instruction, state comptroller, state treasurer, attorney general and the railroad commission, consisting of three mem-

The governor of Texas appoints more than 100 administrative officials, "with the advice and consent of the senate." Although the appointive power is wide, the governor of the state does not occupy a particularly strong executive po-

Until recently low salaries have possibly further handicapped administrative efficiency in Texas, state government. However, the salary of the governor was raised 1936 from \$4,000 to \$12,000 a year were given commensurate increases.

There is a growing demand for reorganization of the state administrative system to eliminate dupli-

County voters have expressed so cation of effort, coordinate policies

There is also a movement afoot to have four-year terms replace the two-year terms now prevalent for tenure of office of single individuals and six-year overlapping terms for boards and commissions.

Most of the administrative and other difficulties confronting the state government have grown out of the lengthy state constitution that should have been left to the discretion of the state legislature.

The state constitution was written in 1875 and adopted in 1876, at the end of the Reconstruction period. This fact resulted, naturally, in a great many provisions being written into the constitution that would have been left to the legislature had it not been for the psy chology that had been created by 10 years existance of carpet bagger administrative, judicial and legislative systems.

The state is divided into 254 counties, which are the principal administrative units. Each county has a commissioner's court, consisting of four commissioners elected from individual precincts and an elective county judge.

All the important county offices are elective, including sheriff, assessor-collector, county clerk, county attorney, county teasurer and school superintendent.

The school system of Texas is largely organized independently of both county and city government, although in instances city and school administration, taxation and indebtedness are under on general supervision.

One should watch to know what by constitutional amendment in his errors are; and if this watching destroys his peace in error, should and other administrative officials one watch against such a result. He should not.

> Give a woman something to argue about, and she will be happy.

Cactus Jack



Vice President John Nance Garner, shown, is a native sen of whom Texans are still proud, although he failed to get to first base so far as the nomination for president at the Chicago Democratic convention is concerned, "Cactus Jack," whose loyalty to President Roosevelt is unsurpassed by any other New Deal official, has served the United States as vice president (two terms) since January of

Attorney General Declares Write-in Votes Will Count

Voters for write-in candidates in Scurry County's July 27 primary will be accepted by the county Democratic executive committee.

After careful investigation and requests for an opinion from some unimpeachable source. County Democratic Chairman A. C. Preuit announces he will be guided in the primary by an opinion from Attorney General Gerald C. Mann's

The attorney general's department ruled recently that voters have the right to write in the names of any candidates they may care to in any Democratic election in Texas.

Chairman Preuitt says the ruling of the attorney general was obtained through Clarence A. Butcher, secretary of the Texas State Democratic executive committee, wherein the opinion was inferred that a voter who has paid his \$1.75 poll tax and is otherwise qualified to vote cannot be penalized for any negligence on the part of a candi-

This ruling was obtained to clarify the Nolan County politcal situation, votes will be accepted at Sweetwater | ments.

RR Race Leads

Voters in Saturday's primary will notice that candidates for Railroad Commissioner of Texas, in contrast to two years ago, take the entire field in number, with 18 seeking this one state office.

Second in the number of candidates entered is the governor's race, with six men and one woman seeking the honor of ruling over affairs of state for the next two years.

Running three under that of two years ago, total of 98 names are on this year's ticket that faces county voters. This, of course, does not include a writein candidates. The important thing Saturday is to, without fall, vote, despite the fact you will have four less to consider than two years ago!

The attorney general's opinion further infers, Preuitt said, that failure of a candidate to get his in the primary at "par" value, an advice coming to The Times Tuesday said.

name on the ballot in regular form is no fault of the voter. The voter, if he prefers, has the right to cast his ballot for a candidate who may where two write-in candidates have have failed, for one reason or anothentered the sheriff's race. Write-in er, to meet certain party require-

Reports are being circulated by opponents of Wilbourne B. Collie that he failed to give support to efforts made to provide funds for financing the Social Security program in the Senate. The following copy of a letter from Governor W. Lee O'Daniel to Senator Collie is self-explanatory:



THE STATE OF TEXAS

W. Lee O'Daniel Governor

AUSTIN

May 30, 1939.

Senator Wilbourne B. Collie, Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas.

Dear Senator Collie:

I am sending you this little note to express my personal appreciation for the help you have rendered the old folks and others included in the Social Security Program by passing Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, to raise the money to finance these services.

I sincerely hope that the members in the House who voted for this Resolution will be joined by a sufficient number of their colleagues who will see the reasonableness of voting to submit this Resolution to the people for

If our united efforts fail, then RESPONSIBILITY FOR FAILURE WILL

Sincerely yours, W. LEE O'DANIEL.

To express my sincere apprecia-

Thanks

tion for the support and cooperation of the people of Scurry County in matters of law enforcement.

TRUETT

Your District Attorney

(This Advertisement Prepared and Paid for by Scurry County Friends of Senator Collie, who believe he deserves reelection)

Primary Two Years Had Its Election Sensations in Local and State Races

Here is your first primary story | ber first place for district attorfor the election July 23, 1938, from ney, with Outlaw second and Steak-The Times of July 28, 1938:

political melees Scurry County has tative, almost two and a half to one ever known, voters named all ex- here. cept one official in the first pri-

bent, for the county judge's place, tenant governor's race, Mann and 1461 to 1379. The race ran neck and neck election night, Williams pulling ahead when the last two boxes, Northeast Snyder and Hermleigh, came in.

Biggest runaway on the ballot was Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton, who far outdistanced three opponents for county treasurer. She tallied 1858 votes, Mrs. O. S. Williamson, incumbent, 513, Mrs. J. P. Avary, 364, and Mrs. Marion Newton, 237.

John Lnych Elected.

John Lnych, former city marshal, was given 1,540 ballots to overcome Clyde Thomas, present sheriff, with 931, and Henry Newman, former sheriff, with 387.

Only the county superintendent's race requires an August run-off. Roy O. Irvin led the ticket with 1420. Rufus Mize goes into the runoff with 820, and Frank Farmer, incumbent, trails with 768. Farmer was second until the last box, Hermleigh, put Mize into the run-off.

Herman Darby, former assistant tax assessor-collector, was in the clear over two opponents in the assessor-collector race. He received 1653, Sterling Taylor, former assessor, was given 807, and Elmer Louder of Hermleigh tallied 469. Uncontested Winners.

In uncontested races, Charles J. Lewis received 2,939 votes for reelection as county Clerk; Jimmie Billingsley, district clerk, was given 2,971 for reelection; and Ben F. Thorpe ran up 2,954 for county at-

In district races, Scurry gave Bar-

ley trailing. J. A. Merritt, native In one of the most hectic county son, led C. L. Harris, state represen-

In state races, O'Daniel led all opponents combined by 497 votes for Sterling Williams, county attor- the governorship, with Thompson an ney, nosed out H. J. Brice, incum- easy second. Ne'son led the lieu-Woodul were far ahead for attorney general. Critz led for associate justice, Stephens for the criminal appeals place.

Other leaders were: Sadler for railroad commissioner, Sheppard for comptroller, McDonald for land commissioner, Lockhart for state treasurer, LeMay for state superintendent and McDonald for commissioner of agriculture.

An enterprising Florida newspaper offered a year's subscription for the best answer to this question: "Why is a woman like a newspaper?"

"Because you can't believe anything they say."

"Because they are thinner now than they used to be."

"Because they are easy to read." 'Because they are well worth looking over."

"Because back numbers are not usually worth what they cost."

"Because they always have the last word." "Because they carry the news

wherever they go.' But the crowning answer of all and the one to win the subscription was this:

"Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbor's."

"Is your baby a boy or girl?" "Of course, what else could it be?"

Sergeant (at police station)-What! You back again? Prisoner-Yes, sir. Any letters?

Sunday Extra!

Remember the eight-page, fivecolumn extra that was issued by The Times on first-primary night der.

Another such extra will be issued this election night, and it will be delivered free to major points in Scurry County and Gail in Borden

If you want an extra, call for it at The Times office, at Hermleigh, Fluvanna, Camp Springs, Hobbs, Ira, Dunn, Pyron, Dermott or Gail.

tion news, anyway, and then issue morning! a FREE election extra? It is a genuine "thank you" gesture to folks of this trade territory, who have been true friends during The Times publisher's 12 years in Sny-

A portion of the expenses are defrayed by the advertisers who take space in the election extra, and The Times takes this oppertunity of thanking each of them in advance.

The extra will contain a complete tabulation, by boxes, of all county and precinct races, and many details of state and district races.

This election extra is yours for seem to be in the ring."

Why does The Times gather elec- | the asking. Ask for one Sunday

Sales Girl--Here's a lovely coll. You lay it down and it closes its eyes and goes to s'eep like a real

baby Customer (mother of seven) --Have you ever put a real baby to sleep, girlie?

The portly man was trying to get to his seat at the circus.

"Pardon me," he said to the woman, "did I step on your foot?" "I imagine so," she said, after glancing at the ring; "all elephants

RAY HARDIN

Your Constable

appreciates the cooperation the people of the County have given him in this office.

Although he has no opposition to recelction, he wants his friends to know that he still has not lost sight of the confidence the voters placed in him two years ago, and will continue to try to fill the office worth-



LIBERTY, JUSTICE AND EQUALITY SHALL BE PRESERVED!

REELECT FOR A SECOND TERM

John A. Sharp

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE Of the Supreme Court of Texas

The Supreme Court is a sanctuary of the rights and liberties of the people. If reelected, John H. Sharp pledges to continue, to the utmost of his ability, to safeguard those rights so essential to the continued existence of the Democracy under which we are privileged to live.

(This Advertisement Prepared and Paid for by Friends of John H. Sharp of the Bar in Scurry County)

FIRE APLENTY HAS KEPT BIG RACES BOILING

Governor and Railroad Commission Melees Promise to Give Voters Something to Think About

Candidates for congressional, state and district offices are finding themselves faced this week with an increasing amount of interest shown by voters on what basic platform planks candidates are seeking of-

For United States Senator, it is conceded by voters of this trade area that the veteran senator. Tom Connally of Falls County, will be renamed by a comfortable majority, even though he is opposed by A. P. Belcher of Erath County and Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County

Connally, it is admitted, has lost favor the past few years with some few voters, but impartial observers feel that Belcher and Fisher will little more than corner the votes of those who do not favor Connally's conservative policies.

In the congressional race of the 19th District George H. Mahon of Colorado City is well ahead of the other two candidates, a pre-election poll shows, in popularity. M. D. Ramsey of Floyd County and C. L. Harris of Spur, however, will probably give Mahon some close com-

And for governor we have seven candidates. including Governor O'Daniel, who is asking for a second term, that make the governor's race the type Texas was famous for in the booming twenties.

While all of the gubernatorial candidates promise, in one way or another, to take care of old age assistance with various tax raising measures, promise levied taxes "against those best able to pay" and are for the "common man," Governor O'Daniel's platform still appeals to Texas voters strongly.

In fact political observers in all sections of the state predict Governor O'Daniel will lead the primary ticket with a possibility of a runoff with one of the following:

Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, Jerry Sadler of Gregg County, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson of Travis County, former Texas governor; R. P. Condron of Cameron County, Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County and Arlon B. (Cyclone) Davis of Dallas

R. Stevenson of Kimble County is County, are thought by many as considered to run a comparatively safe race, and come out winner over Charles Lavergne Somerville of Dallas County and Alton M. Mead of Tom Green County

George H. Sheppard of Sweetaccounts, is considered by political observers to come out with an easy in over Ulliford E. Butler of Har-

Although the veteran state treas-

Their Race Is in State Spotlight



Dr. L. A. Woods, left, present state superintendent of public instruction, who is up for reelection, and S. R. LeMay of Athens, who is seeking the office of state superintendent of public instruction. This race



promises to be one of the primary's closest, especially in view of the fact LeMay has recently brought to light many interesting things which have occurred under Wood's tenure of office.

Scurry County boy, has admittedly Mills and O. O. Terrell. lost some yoting strength in certain parts of the state, keen political students predict he will "walk on these candidates: James P. Alexaway" with his race over Harry Mc-Kee of Travis County.

office, is without an opponent, as edge in this race over the other is Gerald C. Mann of Dallas County, who is asking for a second term as attorney general.

L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, up for reelection, is expected to encounter some rather stiff political competition from S. R. LeMay of Henderson County, but stands more than an even chance to be state superintendent for another two years.

In the muchly discussed race for commissioner of agriculture, J. E. McDonald of Ellis County, incumbent, is slated to be renamed to this office. His opponents are William N. Corry, former principal of the local high school, and W. W. King.

Almost anything, Democratic sages say, can happen in the railroad commissioner's race, with 18 candidates asking for election to this one office.

Pierce Brooks of Dallas, former president of the Texas Safety Coun-For Lieutenant Governor, Coke cil, and Olin Culberson of Jackson likely to be the two top men in the railroad commissioners race, but as stated previously, almost anything can happen in this race.

Other railroad commissioner candidates include Bryan Patterson, water, present comptroller of public Olan R. Van Zandt, Eugene T. Smith, Errol Holt, Wm. H. Mc-Donald, Walton D. Hood, Charlie trict, and Truett Barber of Colo-Langford Jr., Clyde E. Smith, Ohn Culberson, John Paul Jones, Ross ing a second term as district at-Hardin, John Pundt, John D. Cope- torney.

urer, Charley Lockhart, who is a land Jr., Bailey Sheppard, Larry

For justice of the supreme court, your guess is as good as anybody's ander, Tuck Chapin, John O. Douglas, Richard B. Humphrey, H. S. Bascom Giles, up for naming as Lattimore and Gordon Griffin. Latcommissioner of the general land timore is considered to have a slight candidates

> For associate justice supreme court John H. Sharp of Ellis County will probably mark up a "win" over Wm. Richard Watkins of Tarrant County

Tom L. Beauchamp of Smith County is expected to lead George E. Christian of Burnett County, so the political dope sheet indicates, for judge of the court of criminal

W. P. Leslie of Eastland County is without an opponent in seeking the office of justice of the court of civil appeals, 11th Judicial District.

For state senator from the 24th Senatorial District, it looks like Omar Burleson of Jones County and Wilbourne B. Collie of Eastland will be the two leading men of a field that numbers six candidates. Other candidates are Geo. A. Davisson Jr., John Lee Smith, Cecil A. Lotief of Rotan and Jim Stanley Phelps.

In the state representative's race, 118th District, Pat Bullock is favored to win over T. J. Teter, Democratic county chairman of the counties in the district say. But in this race, voters have two Scurry County men to consider, both of whom are running a good race.

A. S. Mauzey of Sweetwater has no opponent in asking for reelection as district judge of the 32nd Disrado City has no opposition in seek-

Election Bureau Handles Returns In Record Time

Folks who do not understand operation of the Texas Election Bureau consider it marvelous that returns can be gathered so completely within a few hours after the polls close, that a race is seldom in doubt by the time voters wake up Sunday morning.

The Texas Election Bureau is a cooperative agency for gathering unofficial Texas election returns, arranged primarily by the newspapers of Texas because of the slowness of gathering official returns. Unless races are very close, candidates accept results gathered by the bureau its list of present customers.

as the decisive report of the various

Headquarters are in the Dallas News Building. Officers of the organization are key newspaper men connected with the state's leading daily newspapers.

The Times is not a member of the bureau, only the larger papers having actual memberships. But the organization sends out returns to smaller papers for a set fee, which The Times pays, plus Western Union tolls. The Times, in turn, gathers state and district returns from Scurry and Borden Counties for the Texas Election Bureau.

Those who say this country can't be regimented have observed the cheering section at a college football game.

The gold mine of any company is

Ben F. THORPE

FOR

County Attorney

Asking for a second term on the basis of an honest endeavor in the past to make you a good officer.

YOUR SUPPORT SATURDAY WILL BE APPRECIATED

J. P. (Jimmie) BILLINGSLEY

Solicits Your Support in His Race for

COUNTY CLERK

He seeks promotion to a better paying place, with the assurance of courtesy and efficient service to all the people.

WHEN YOU VOTE FOR COUNTY CLERK NEXT SATURDAY—LET IT BE JIMMIE!

HERE IS MORE CONCERNING

BALLOT

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2

For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:

James P. Alexander of McLennan County

Tuck Chapin of Bexar County John O. Douglas of Harris County Richard B. Humphrey of Dallas County

H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County Gordon Griffin of Hidalgo County

For Associate Justice Supreme Court: John H. Sharp of Ellis County Wm. Richard Watkins of Tar-

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:

ant County

Tom L. Beauchamp of Smith County

George E. Christian of Burnet County

For Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District:

W. P. Leslie of Eastland County For State Senator, 24th Senatorial District:

Omar Burleson of Jones County Wilbourne B. Collie of Eastland County

George A. Davisson Jr. of Taylor County John Lee Smith of Throckmorton

County
Cecil A. Lotief of Fisher County
Jim Stanley Phelps of Taylor

County

For Representative of 118th District:
Pat Bullock of Scurry County

T. J. Teter of Scurry County

For District Judge, 32nd Judicial

District

A. S. Mauzey of Nolan County For District Attorney, 32nd Judicial District:

Truett Barber of Mitchell County

For County Judge: Sterling Williams

For County Attorney: Ben F. Thorpe Robert (Bob) Patterson

For District Clerk:
Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee
Marion Newton

For County Clerk: J. P. Billingsley Chas. J. Lewis Mabel Y. German

For Sheriff: J. G. (Pop) Galyean John Lynch

For Assessor and Collector of Taxes: Herman Darby

O'Daniel Will Speak At Snyder Friday

Winding up his personal appearance tour in West Texas, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas will speak in Snyder Friday morning at 10:45 o'clock.

Local followers of O'Daniel plan a rousing we come from the man who went into the governors office on a platform of old age assistance to the needy and a practical industrialization of Texas.

Snyder business men plan, through the Chamber of Commerce, to send a good sized delegation of people to the Santa Fe depot to extend a hearty welcome to O'Daniel.

O'Daniel, who will speak on the courthouse lawn, will be here only briefly. From here he goes to Sweetwater and Merkel, and will conclude his speaking campaign at Abilene Friday night.

For County Treasurer: Mollie Pinkerton

For County Chairman Scurry County:

County:
A. C. Preuitt

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: (Snyder) R. L. Terry

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: (Fluvanna) Charley Bley

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

John Robinson Hubert Robison Forest Jones Little Westbrook

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:

E. E. Woolever A. M. McPherson

J. E. Huffman J. E. Sanders

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

J. B. Adams H. M. Blackard

Lee Grant For County Commissioner, Precinct

No. 4: Schley Adams J. E. Hairston

D. Z. Hess

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct

No. 1 (Snyder):

P. E. Davenport

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct

No. 2 (Fluvanna):

H. C. Flournoy

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
(Snyder)

Ray Hardin

J. G. "Pop"

Jarycan

Solicits Your Support in His

Candidacy for

Sheriff

-HONEST

-COURTEOUS

It is the duty of each Legislator to work in harmony in order that the people of the State may be best served in the shortest time at the least expense posible to taxpayers of Texas.

Pat Bullock

CANDIDATE FOR

State Representative 118th District

Bullock's Six-Point Platform:

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1.—Against tax remission in local districts at the expense of the rest of Texas.

2.—For raising the truck load limit.

3.—For taxing the equity only on homes owned in part by individuals. Taxing the holders of the notes to cover the balance.

4.—For full and immediate payment of Old Age Pensions, aid for crippled children, aid for indigent blind and aid to match the Teacher Retirement Fund.

5.—For a tax on natural resources to raise money to pay this bill as first choice; supporting any other reasonable measure should a natural resource tax fail.

6.—For the apportionment of the State available school fund, or the State apportionment, on an attendance basis rather than on the scholastic enumeration.

He'll be a Sheriff for all the People

VOTE FOR GALYEAN SATURDAY

VOTE FOR BULLOCK SATURDAY!

--EXPERIENCED
---CAPABLE

-WORTHY

Year Will Still Be Filled with Plenty Of Interesting Political Goings-On

take place in the field of politics from the time of Saturday's primary to the inauguration of governor and lieutenant governor is given to county voters in the following political

July 27-Precinct conventions to name delegates to county conventions. Chairmen of county and precinct committees chosen.

August 3-County executive committee canvass returns.

August 4-Absentee voting begins for second primary.

August 6-Final day for third expense reports in first primary.

August 10-State executive committee meets in Austin to canvass primary returns and certify to county chairmen names for ballot in run-off primary.

August 12-16- Period for second primary expense reports.

August 21-Last day for absentee balloting in second primary.

August 24-Second primary.

August 26-Last day that an independent and non-partisan candidate may file with secretary of state application for place on genera! election ballot.

September 3-Final date for last campaign expense report.

September 9-State Executive committee opens and canvasses returns of the second primary and prepares delegate list for state convention.

September 10-State democratic convention declares nominees, determines platform, elects new chairman of state committee and canvasses returns for state offices. New state committee chosen for district caucuses. (September 3-Conflict in law apparently fixing state convention six days ahead of committee session to canvass returns was ignored by the democratic party in 1938, since the convention could not declare nominees).

October 1-Poll tax paying begins. October 16-Absentee balloting begins for general election.

October 16-Last day for party state committees to certify names

Twenty-eight events which will of candidates for president and vice president to the secretary of state. November 2-Absentee balloting

for general election closes. November 5 - General election; selection of presidential electors. November 8 - Presidential elec-

tors certify to county judges. November 8-Final date ("within 72 hours" from close of polls) for presiding judges to report returns to county judge. Then, within 48 hours. county judge shall deliver returns to

commissioners' court. November 11-County judges forward returns to secretary of state. November 11-(On Monday next after general election, and not before) commissioners' court shall examine returns and estimate result.

November 13-County judge shall, within 48 hours after commissioners' court examines returns, forward the same to secretary of state. (If court does not meet on Monday following election for this purpose, it shall meet "at earliest practicab's time" thereafter).

November 15 - Candidates file sworn expense statement with county judge

December 2 - Governor, secretary of state and attorney general open election returns, canvass and declare results and issue certificates of election.

December 16 - Presidential electors convene in Austin and cast Texas vote for president and vice president.

1941: January 1-Terms of all elective state and district officers except governor, lieutenant governor, senators and representatives,

January 14—Legislature convenes. Secretary of state delivers election returns for governor and lieutenant governor to speaker of house for canvass within first week of session.

January 21-Governor and lieutenant governor inaugurated.

Sambo-Where did you get dat black eye?

Rastus-Dat widow I met last week ain't no widow.

Spoke in Snyder



"Get in the saddle with Sadler" and "tax the mouths of oil wells rather than the mouths of the people" were two high points of Sadler's talk here last Thursday afternoon, Sadler, shown, is a candidate for governor on a platform that includes taxing those best able to pay.

Five Classes Barred From Casting Vote

Five classes of people are barred from voting in Texas elections under any circumstances, a careful reference to election laws deveals.

These are persons under 21 years of age, idiots and lunatics, all paupers supported by the county, a'l persons convicted of any felony unless they have keen restored to full citizenship, and all soldiers, marines and seamen employed in the army or navy of the United States.

All persons subject to none of these qualifications are eligible to vote if they have paid their poll taxes, are citizens of the United States, have resided in the county at least six months prior to election

Get office supplies at The Times.

VOTING BOXES FOR PRECINCT OFFICES GIVEN

Commissioners, Weighers, Justices Classified in Different Precincts For Saturday's Polling

Maybe it's a pretty foolish question to ask, but do you really know where you vote?

In view of the fact that several candidates in recent years have asked The Times exactly how the commissioners' and weighers' and justice precincts are divided, the following table of voting boxes is

Commissioners' Precinct 1-Northeast Snyder, Cottonwood, Ennis Creek, Camp Springs, Lloyd Moun-

Commissioners' Precinct 2-Dermott, Fluvanna, Turner, Bethel, Arah, Northwest Snyder.

Commissioners' Precinct 3-Bison, Ira, Canyon, County Line, Southwest Snyder, Crowder.

Commissioners' Precinct 4-Chi-

na Grove, Dunn, Lone Wolf, Pyron,

Hermleigh, Southeast Snyder. Justice Precinct 1 (justice of the peace and constable)-Northeast Snyder, Cottonwood, Ennis Creek, Bison, Bethel, Camp Springs, Canyon, Loyd Mountain, Northwest Snyder, Southwest Snyder, Crowder.

Weigher's Precinct 1-Northeast Snyder, Cottonwood. Ennis Creek, Turner, Bison, Ira, Bethel, Dunn, Camp Springs, Canyon, Lloyd Mountain, Northwest Snyder, County Line, Southeast Snyder, Southwest Snyder, Crowder.

Weighers' Precinct 2-Dermott, Fluvanna, Arah.

Weighers' Precinct 4 - China Grove, Lone Wolf, Hermleigh,

Justice Precinct 2-Dermott, Fluvanna, Arah.

Dad-You were out very late with this car last night. Did you have a

Son-No, I'd have been home real early if she had been.

Sam (to wife at show)-Tell dat niggah to take his arm away from 'round yo' waist.

Wife-Tell him yo'self. He's a stranger to me.

Indifference and inaction must always pay a penalty.

TOM L. BEAUCHAMP

(Of Tyler-Formerly of Paris-Was Secretary of State in 1939)

JUDGE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS OF TEXAS

CANDIDATE FOR FIRST FULL TERM

Unlawful activities in the Colored Section of Snyder for years have given continued trouble to peace officers. If elected, I propose to put a stop to the carousing down there by diligent enforcement of the laws of our State. Law and order can be maintained—and I pledge an honest endeavor to that end.

How To Vote Write-in Ticket

To Vote for Sam Nations for Sheriff:

Draw a line through the names of Galyean and Lynch, and write in the name of Sam Nations below their printed names.

FOR EXAMPLE:

For Sheriff:

J. G. (Pop) GAL

JOHN LYNCH SAM NATIONS

My Promise: Fair and Impartial Treatment to All

(Political Advertisement)

Let the Good Work of an Officer Be Rewarded By Another Term . . .

REELECT

Hubert Kobison

As Your

Commissioner Precinct No. 1

 Cast your vote for Hubert Robison and continued constructive handling of the County's affairs when you go to the polls Saturday.

RETURNS TO BE GATHERED BY PAPER AGAIN

Times Will Handle Returns From Saturday Election at Party on West Side of Square

The first primary election party held by The Times each two years has become an institution in Scurry County.

Folks come from miles around because they know The Times is bending every effort to get fast, accurate figures on state, district, county and precinct races.

This year, as in the past, the entire west side of the square will be roped off, and seats will be provided for the benefit of old persons.

A loud speaker will be used for broadcast of full facts and figures about all races. A huge board on the west side awning will give an eye's view of local races by boxes, district races by counties, and state races by large blocks of votes.

The Times has made special arrangements with other newspapers to secure returns on state representative and district attorney races. Full state returns will come from the Texas Election Bureau, by Western Union.

County and precinct returns, it is hoped, will all be posted before 9:00 o'clock, for every effort is being made to have precinct election judges bring, send, or phone their results as quickly as they are counted.

Two telephones, complete Western Union facilities, a group of volunteer workers are at The Times' service for these every-two-year election parties.

It is all free to those who wish to make political whoopee. Come to town Saturday evening—posting of returns will begin soon after the polls close at 7:00 o'clock—and stay as long as you like. Returns will be broadcast and placed on the board until about 1:00 a. m.

"Did you hear the one about the

machine-gun?"
"It's a killer!"

Chairman



Shown is A. C. Preuitt, chairman of the Scurry County Democratic Committee, who handles election supplies, instructs election judges and helpes gather election returns.

Deadline for Voting Transfers Tuesday

Tuesday marked the deadline for obtaining poll tax transfers in the county, the tax assessor-collector's office reported.

A person who moved from one voting precinct to another since his poll tax receipt, or exemption, was written, found it necessary to have his name transferred to the new precinct before being allowed to vote in Saturday's primary.

Deadline for transferring has been fixed by law at four days before voting. Although transfers this year were very light, the assessor-collector's office states several were made before closing time Tuesday afternoon.

First Hunter—And how can you detect an elephant?

Second—You smell a faint odor of peanuts on his breath.

NEW INTEREST BEING FELT IN BORDEN VOTE

Races for County Clerk and County Judge Top Interest in Neighbor County—Some Unopposed

Political interest in Borden County, Scurry's neighboring county to the west, reached a new high this week as residents of the state's most sparsely populated county, numbering 1,760, make ready to face a heavy county ticket in the July 27 primary.

In Borden's political arena, interest at the county seat, Gail, is centering on the county clerk's race. Miss Maggie Williams, seeking her thirteenth term, is opposed by Miss Mary Cantrill, who is seeking her first political office.

Charles Nunnally, county judge who is asking for his third term, has two opponents. He is opposed by L. A. Pearce, former county judge who served two full terms and the unexpired term of Judge Dave Dorward, and J. E. Nance, formerly associated with a Tahoka bank.

Two other first termers seeking reelection have no opposition. They are Sheriff Sid Reeder, candidate for resection with no opponent, and Mrs. Ruby Covey, rounding out her first term as county treasurer.

Those seeking reelection as county commissioners follow:

Precinct No. 1—W. M. Stephens, serving first term, is opposed for reelection by J. V. Burdett, former commissioner.

Precinct No. 2-Bert Massingill,

who has served eight years as commissioner, has no opposition for reelection.

Precinct No. 3-V. L. Skeen, now

rounding out his first term, is opposed by J. C. Shepherd. Precinct No. 4—1. W. Wills, com-

pleting his first term as commissioner, has no opposition for reelection.

County Democratic Chairman S.

C. Keen has served eight years in this capacity, and is considered by county voters as a "drafted" man for the next two years.

Qualified by Experience,
Worthy of Your Trust,
Courteous and Efficient . . .

A

B. A. McPherson

Candidate for

COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2

n

Your Support at Saturday's Election Will Be Appreciated

YOUR VOTE FOR

Robert (Bob) Patterson



will be a vote for a capable, efficient administration in the office of

County Attorney

Bob Patterson is a young man who is 28 years of age; a practicing attorney; a graduate of Cumberland University.

Because He'll Do His Best to Make You an Officer You Will Not Be Ashamed of—

Little Westbrook

Seeks Your Support in His Candidacy for

County COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1

He has lived in Precinct No. 1 of Scurry County for 40 years. Served several years as Alderman for the City of Snyder.

Let this name stand when you cast your vote in Saturday's election—

LITTLE WESTBROOK

NOMINATING OF ROOSEVELT **NOT SURPRISE**

Even in Face of Third-Term Hoax Selection of FDR Was Conceded From Very Beginning

Discarding last Thursday an ancient tradition of many years' standing in the Democratic party, delegates to the Democratic National Convention at Chicago noisi'y nominated Franklin D. Roosevelt for a third term as president of the United States.

A smashing majority of the convention's 1,100 votes had been cast for the president, to the clamor of the delegates and jammed galleries. James A. Farley, once a third term foe, and a candidate himself, made the motion that the rules be suspended and the president acclaimed the party's nominee.

Vice President John Nance Garner, who was the hope of many Texas delegates to the national convention to win the presidential nomination, didn't get to first base so far as the actual nomination was concerned.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace, whose name is revered by ranchers as the benefit payment at herself in puddles." head for the farm and ranch programs, received, amid mingled cheers and boos, the nomination for vice president.

Now that the third term applecart has been upset, so far as the Democratic party is concerned, the result of nominating Roosevelt for a third term is greeted by voters in Scurry and every other county of the nation with mingled feelings.

But Democracy, keeping up with the transitory times this nation is such a rate county voters fear it

Texas Delegation to Democratic Confab Split on Candidates

When the Roosevelt band wagon started last week at the Democratic National Convention in Chicago with the mention of FDR's name, Texas delegates were split literally and figuratively.

Holding back to give their votes to the state's favorite son. John Nance Garner, some Texas delegates objected to the state's standard joining in with demonstration for President Roosevelt.

A majority of Texas' 46 delegates to the national convention resented the nomination of Henry A. Wallace as vice president, and supported -until the struggle appeared fruitless-Senator Bankhead of Alabama for vice president.

Turn of the tide in naming Roosevelt for a third term started when James A. Farley, bald pated postmaster general and general whip cracker of the Democratic party, moved last Thursday that the rules be suspended and Roosevelt acclaimed the party's nominee.

Representative Rayburn of Texas was the one that turned Texas' 46 votes from Vice President Garner to Roosevelt.

"How's the new mare of yours turning out?"

"Oh. I wish now I'd bought a the nation's crop producers and horse. She's always stopping to look

> would indeed be disastrous to change horses in the middle of the turbulent political stream.

Naming of Roosevelt at the National Democratic Convention as a third term candidate is even being felt in Scurry and other counties of this area to the extent many county candidates for a third term have only to refer to the president as an example to follow all down going through, is marching on at the line-even to the portals of county seat government.

Re-Elect

GEORGE MAHON

For Congress





He has remained at his post of duty in Washington during our grave national emergency with a firm resolve to serve the National in every possible way regardless of political considera-

Congress is still in session and he is working for a program of strong national defense and a foreign policy designed to keep our Nation out of war. He is the only Texan on the Appropriations Committee and he has a vital part in the national de-

He has served the 19th District faithfully and efficiently throughout his term in office, and has acquired a place of influence in the House of Representatives.

He has worked for and voted for legislation to promote the best interests of the District and the Nation.

He has given prompt and diligent cooperation on the many community and individual requests made by the people of the

Let's give George Mahon an overwhelming vote of confidence in Saturday's primary. He will deeply appreciate it.

Arrangements For **Election Party Are** Being Completed

County voters evidenced an unusual degree of interest this week in The Times' election party that will be staged Saturday night.

Arrangements were made this week for a large bulletin board to be erected in front of Bryant-Link building, with returns, box by box, to be marked up on the board as they come in.

Not only the county's 3,000 or more voters are interested in this event sponsored each election year by "your home county paper," but also the candidates for county and district offices who will be here Saturday night, too.

Assisting The Times force in giv-

ing early election returns Saturday night will be R. G. Dillard, Chamber of Commerce manager, N. W. Autry, Warren Dodson, Edgar Taylor, J. V. Robinson, A. C. Preuitt, county Democratic chairman, and

Cooperating with the staff of The Times and the people named above will be county precinct chairmien and election judges, who have promised to get election returns in as early as possible after the voting polls close

You may be needing a rain, neighbor, or your best cow may not be giving as much milk as she should, but we'll be looking for you at Saturday night's election party!

"Did that course in English help your boy friend any?"

"No, he still ends every sentence with a proposition.'

Joe didn't listen, look or stop,

So they dragged his flivver to a shop.

It only took a week or two To make the car look as good as

But though they hunted high and

Maud—"I'm going to sell kisses at

They found no extra parts for

the Charity Bazaar tonight. Do you think a dollar apiece is too much to charge for them?" Marie-"No, I think not. People

expect to get cheated at these charity affairs." In our wakeful moments at night,

we wonder how many filing cabinets are in use in Washington, D. C., where they are located, and what acreage they cover.

J. B. (Joe) Adams

Candidate for

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

Seeks election to the office in the belief that he can fill the place to the satisfaction of all the people.

YOUR VOTE SATURDAY WILL BE **GREATLY APPRECIATED!**

Sterling Williams

YOUR

COUNTY JUDGE

is rounding out his first term as County Judge. He is thankful for fine cooperation the people of the county have given him during his tenure in office. Only through such cooperation can the best interests of the County be

Although he has no opposition for reelection, Sterling Williams has not forgotten the support of a majority of the people that elected him two years ago. He still pledges his efforts toward a continued efficient and cooperative administration.

Sterling Williams' Name Is on Saturday's Primary Election Ballot - Your Support Will Be Appreciated

It's Been Nearly 100 Years Since Texas Had First Named Governor

The man whom Texans elect governor this year will be the 34th individual to hold that vitally important post.

It was not Sam Houston who served as Texas' first governor. He was first president, and did later serve as governor-the seventh in

The complete list of governors follows:

J. Pinckney Henderson, February 19, 1846, to December 21, 1847.

George T. Wood, December 21, 1847, to December 21, 1849.

P. Hansborough Bell, December 21, 1849, to November 23, 1853.

J. W. Henderson (advancing from lieutenant-governor), November 23, 1853, to December 21, 1853.

Elisha M. Pease, December 21, 1853, to December 21, 1857.

Hardin R. Runnels, December 21, 1857, to December 21, 1859.

Sam Houston, December 21, 1859, until he resigned because of the state's secession March 16, 1961.

Edward Cark (lieutenant governor succeeding Houston), March 16, 1861, to November 7, 1861.

Francis R. Lubbock, November 7, 1861, until November 5, 1863, when he resigned to enter the Confederate Pendleton Murrah, November 5,

1863, until his administration was terminated by the fall of the Confederacy June 17, 1865. Andrew J. Hamilton, provisional

governor, June 17, 1865, to August 9, 1866.

James W. Throckmorton, August 9, 1866, to August 8, 1867.

Edmund J. Davis, appointed provisional after being elected January 8, 1870, to January 15, 1874.

Richard Coke, January 15, 1874, until he resigned to enter senate December 1, 1876.

Richard B. Hubbard (as lieutenant governor succeeding Coke), December 1, 1876, to January 21, 1879.

National Leader



United States Senator from Texas, Tom Connally, shown, who is expected to be renamed to this post despite the fact he has two opponents. Connally, a veteran at the game, is seeking reelection as senator for his third time, and is permanent chairman of the Texas Democratic state convention.

Oran M. Roberts, January 16, 1823 to January 18, 1887.

Lawrence Sullivan Ross, January 18, 1887, to January 20, 1891.

James Stephen Hogg, January 20, 1891, to January 15, 1895.

Charles A. Culberson, January 15 1895 to January 17, 1899.

Joseph D. Sayers, January 17, 1899, to January 20, 1903.

S. W. T. Lanham, January 20 1903, to January 15, 1907

Thomas Mitchell Campbell, Jan-Supreme Court of uary 15, 1907, to January 19, 1911. Oscar Branch Colquitt, January 19, 1911, to January 19, 1915.

James E. Ferguson, January 19, 1915, to August 25, 1917. William Pettus Hobby (advancing

from lieutenant governor), August 25, 1917, to January 18, 1921. Pat Morris Neff, January 18, 1921,

to January 20, 1925. Miriam A. Ferguson, January 20, 1925, to January 17, 1927.

Dan Moody, January 17, 1927, to January 20, 1931.

Ross Sterling, January 20, 1931, to January 17, 1933.

Miriam A. Ferguson, January 17, 1933, to January 15, 1935. James V. Allred, January 15, 1935,

to January 17, 1937. W. Lee O'Daniel, January 17, 1937, to present.

Few of us know where we are or pus. where we're going.

Texas Has Passed On 849 Questions

The Texas Supreme Court has passed upon 849 legal questions since January 1, according to a summary of the court's work by Chief Clerk Axel Philquist.

This is an average of 94 decisions for each of the members of the court. The summary was made as the court took its customary summer recess.

Since the first of the year, 98 cases have been taken off the dockets-91 with written opinions; while during the same period, 90 cases were added-71 in writs of error granted, 14 on certified questions from civil appeals courts, four by mandamus and one by habeas cor-

The court passed upon 463 writs commission.

of error, each writ being equivalent to a separate case, for the court either finds reason for a further study, or approves the decision of the lower court. Inere wire 78 writs of error granted. 120 refused, 216 dismissed because of correct judgment by the lower court, and 49 dismissed for want of supreme court jurisdiction

When the sart adjourned for the summer-recessed "subject to call"-there were 22 cases which had been submitted to the entire court, five set for submission befere the enti-e court, and seven which the entire court will hear but which had not yet been set for hearing.

Twenty cases were before section 'A" of the commission of appeals, 12 before Section "B." There were 140 other cases before the court which had not yet been designated for either the entire court or either

Experienced, Capable, Courteous, Efficient, Worthy

Mabel Y. German

Seeks Your Support for

County Clerk

Your Vote at Saturday's Election Will Be Greatly Appreciated

LET'S RE-ELECT

WILBOURNE B. COLLIE State Senator



For These Reasons:

- 1.-He has faithfully represented this District in the
- 2.—If reelected, he will have the opportunity of becoming the dean of the Senate and preside over its
- 3.—Seventeen Senators, or a majority of the Senate, will return because they hold over or do not have opposition. Our Senator, who would become dean, and who is now chairman of the Rules Committee, would certainly exert influence and prestige that could not be commanded
- 4.—He has made an outstanding record as our Senator from this District. The only reward his friends are able to give is loyalty for honest, conscientious and faith-
- 5.-No member ever had a better record of attendance upon the sessions and committee hearings. He is a member of 12 committees. His untiring services have been devoted to the welfare of the general citizenship.

He Advocates These Policies:

- 1.—Amending the Constitution by reducing the membership in the House of Representatives not to exceed 100, and in the Senate not to exceed 25; and, then, in this connection,
- 2.—Redistricting the State on the basis of the 1940 census, so that West Texas may gain the number of members of the Legislature to which it is
 - 3.—Reducing car license fees on family cars and small farm trucks.
- 4.—Lifting the truck load restrictions for the benefit of farm and livestock producers and for legitimate operators.
- 5.—Improving the Texas National Guard, armories and Department of Public Safety for defense purposes.
- 6.—Regulating utilities, so as to protect the consumer from unjust rates. 7.—Utmost economy, and the reduction of administrative cost at least
 - 8.—Making appropriations for the teacher retirement fund.
- 9.—Levying sufficient taxes to pay equal and uniform \$15 monthly payment from the State to our aged citizens qualified to receive pensions;
- 10.—Preferring the above revenue to be derived from the corporate intests and natural resources; opposing the levying of a general sales tax.

LET'S KEEP COLLIE THERE IN TIMES LIKE THESE

NAME JUDGES FOR 23 COUNTY VOTING BOXES

Following Men Will Direct Casting of Votes in First Primary Election Saturday

Chairman A. C. Preuitt announces the following election judges, by boxes and number, for the first primary Saturday:

Northeast Snyder (county court room), Joe Monroe.

- 2.—Cottonwood Flat, Jaspe
- Helms.
 3.—Ennis Creek, C. T. Davis.
- 4.—Dermott, John Cargile.
- 5—Fluvanna, W. P. Sims. 6.—Turner, C. A. Head.
- 7.—Bison, T. J. Sterling.
- 8.—China Grove, Frank White.
- 9.—Ira, J. E. Falls.
- 10.—Bethel, S. G. Lunsford. 11.—Dunn, J. E. Brown.
- 12.-Lone Wolf, A. H. Kuss.
- 13.—Pyron, W. A. Glass.
- 14.—Hermleigh, J. O. Leach. 15.—Camp Springs, W. C. David-
- son.

 16.—Canyon, J. S. Golden.
- 17.—Lloyd Mountain, A. A. Lockhart.
- 18.—Arah, Jones Chapman. 19.—Northwest Snyder (county superintendent's office), P.
- M. Bolin.

 20.—County Line, S. L. Brown.

 21.—Southeast Snyder (commissioners' court room), E. A.
- Black.

 22.—Southwest Snyder (justice of peace office), M. W. Clark.

 23.—Crowder, J. T. Biggs.

Thinking is so painful that most of us think only when we have to.

Teacher—Newt, can you te'l me what the four seasons are?

Pupil—Pepper, salt, mustard and vinegar.

Coming Friday



Shown here is Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas, who speaks here Friday motning at 10:45 o'clock in the interest of his candidacy for reelection. One of the most colorful political figures in Texas politics during the past decade, Governor O'Daniel will be here with his Hill Billy Band and special sound truck.

"Madam, you should get your husband to take out a life insurance policy."

"But, he has a policy against fire!"

"But fire insurance would not help you if he passed away." "Not even if I had him cre-

Jimmy (at the circus)—"Den't you wish you was one of them aerialists an' fly through the air?"

aerialists an' fly through the air?"

Johnny—"Naw, I'd rather be an elephant, eat peanuts an' squirt water through my nose."

Put Texas' Oil, Gas and Transportation Industries into safe, honest and experienced hands by electing the only real qualified man in the race . . .

mated?"

Olin Culberson

FOR

Railroad Commissioner

CULBERSON'S POLICY:

I will not consider any other office while I am Railroad Commissioner.

I will not tolerate special groups dictating special favors for special interests.

The office will be conducted so openly and fairly there will be no dark corners of special privilege.

Honest, fair and impartial enforcement of laws for the best interest of the State will be the keystone of my administration of this high trust.

(This Advertisement Prepared and Paid for by Members of the Snyder Volunteer Fire Department)

County Democratic Chairman Points Voters to Regulations for Elections

In the following statement made just prior to the first primary, County Democratic Chairman A. C. Preuitt stresses some points made elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

"There are aproximately 3,100 qualified voters in Scurry County, including 'overs' and 'unders,' and near y all of these are members of the Democratic party. I hope that every qualified voter who can do so will go to the polls Saturday and vote his or her choice for the various offices.

"I wish to thank every member of the executive committee for their attendance upon the meetings we have had and for their assistance in arranging the primary. We have a fine set of election judges and clerks to assist in holding the election at the various boxes, all of whom are anxious to serve you.

"I wish to request that each election judge send or bring his returns to The Times office at Snyder immediately after the poils close, in order that results may be learned in all races as quickly as possible.

"The candidates are to be congratulated for their many courtesies to the executive committee and for the clean manner in which they have conducted their campaigns. We want to hold a clean primary and to comply fully with the law in all respects.

"A few points of the law, not clear to everyone are cited as follows:

"Voters can vote only at their own election box. Votes cast in any other than your own precinct are unlawful and will not be counted.

"Those subject to the payment of poll tax, must have paid on or before February 1, to be eligible to vote.

"Those who are 60 years of age before January 1, 1939, are exempt from payment of a pell tax, but those who were under 60 on January 1, 1939, even though they may now have attained that age, are required to have a poll tax.

"Those who became 21 years of age after January 1, 1939, are not subject to a poll tax.

Eddie—Yes, I married that girl because she saved my life. Jerry—Say what did she do?

Eddie-She told her dad not to shoot.

Bashful Bess—If you're so crazy about that man, why don't you

marry him?
Sleepy Sue—Migosh. Do you think
I want to hook up with a guy that
snores all night?

Pride is always a better selling motive than fear.

"Fectionsering is not permitted in or near the polls.

"Election judges are not allowed to suggest for whom the voter shall cast his ballot.

"Thanking you for your cooperation in making this a clean election, I am, yours truly—A. C. Preuitt, chairman, Democratic Executive Committee."

A fat old lady struggled valiantly to mount the high step of the waiting bus.

"Come along, ma!" urged the conductor. "They ought to have given you more yeast when you was a gal; then you'd be able to rise better."

"Yes, young man," retorted the old dame, as at last she hoisted herself triumphantly up. "And if they'd given you a bit more yeast you'd be better bred."

Women in the United States spend approximately \$33,000,000 a year for perfume.

If to your trust I have been true, Change not the old one for the new!



Chas. J. Lewis

Seeks Reelection as

County Clerk

on the basis of good service rendered. With experience to his credit, he should be better able to serve you again.

Vote for Chas. J. Lewis Saturday!

FOR COUNTY COMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2—

E. E. Woolever

- CAPABLE
- THOROUGH
- HONEST
- EFFICIENT

Vote for E. E. Woolever at Next Saturday's Election

COMMISSIONER RACES TOP LIST FOR INTEREST

Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk And County Attorney Contests Also Will Draw Attention

Scurry County's proverbial political pot is likely to have some unrepairable cracks in its heavy lid if the county's 3,000 or more voters evidence much more interest this Week in Saturday's vitally important election.

Races attracting top flight interest at the moment are the four four candidates each seeking Prethree candidates each asking for No. 3 and No. 4.

Lineup in the commissioner races term, follows:

Precinct No. 1-Hubert Robison,

JOHN LEE SMITH for State Senator



JOHN LEE SMITH of Throckmorton County

Six years County Judge of Throck-morton County (1920-1926). Mem-2; and Ray Hardin, for constable. ber Democratic National Conven- Precinct No. 1. tion (1932). Campaigned for F. D. Roosevelt in 1936. Served in France in World War as private you and your wife had some words.

Urges: 1—Full payment of penthem. sions by performance, not promises. 2—Reduction of salaries of State employees at least 10 per it will be wise for business reasons cent. 3-Raise truck load limit to to keep our engagement secret. 12,000 pounds. 4—Tax levies on She-Oh yes, that's what I'm tellproperty groups best able to pay. ing all my friends.

incumbent, is opposed for reelection by Forest Jones, former commissioner; John Robinson and Little West-

Precinct No. 2-J. E. Huffman, incumbent, opposed for reelection by by E. E. Wootever, A. M. McPherson and J. E. Sanders.

Precinct No. 3-H. M. Blackard, incumbent, is opposed by J. B. Adams and Lee Grant, former commissioner.

for reelection, is opposed by Schley Adams and D. Z. Hess.

A considerable amount of interest is being shown by county voters in weeks' training period. the sheriff's race. John Lynch, completing his first term, is strongly opposed for reelection by J. G. (Pop) Galyean, former deputy, and Sam O. Nations, a write-in candidate and former deputy sheriff.

Rounding out his first term as county commissioner places, with county tax assessor-collector is Herman Darby, who is up for recinct No. 1 and No. 2 places, and naming as assessor-collector without opposition. Mrs. Mollie Pinkerthe commissionership in Precinct ton, county treasurer, is without an opponent in asking for a second

> County Judge Sterling Williams is without an opponent in seeking a second elective term as judge.

In the county attorney's race Ben F. Thorpe is rounding out his first term, and is opposed for renaming in the primary by Robert (Bob) Patterson. Patterson is seeking his first political office.

In the district clerk's race Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee is opposed by Marion Newton, Present district clerk, J. P. Billingsley, is a candidate for county clerk, as are Mrs. Mabel German and Chas, J. Lewis, incumbent.

Two Scurry County men, Pat Bullock and T. J. Teter, are the only announced candidates for reprepresentative of the 118th district which is composed of Dickens, Stonewall, Kent, Scurry, Borden and Garza Counties,

County Democratic Chairman A C. Preuitt, who has served six years in this capacity, is already considered a "drafted" man by county voters for the chairmanship another two years.

Other county races follow: R. L. Terry, for public weigher, Precinct No. 1; Charley Bley, for public weigher, Precinct No. 2; P. E. Davenport, up for reelection as justice of the peace, Precinct No.

Judge-The policeman says that Accused-I had some, your Honor, but I didn't get a chance to use

He-You understand, dear, that

Attorney General Is Officer With Many **Duties in This State**

Among duties of the attorney general are: To act as a "goveron expenditures by county Commissioners' Courts.

This "duty" was emphasized in an opinion of the attorney general's department last week holding that Precinct No. 4-J. E. Hairston, up Hunt County commissioners have no authority to expend \$600 to pay the personal expenses of boys called out for National Guard's six Antonio funds, in the county.

Commissioners' Courts, the de- authority to appropriate public the opinion of Hunt County, the tions to charities. department pointed out some of the similar proposals of Commissioners' Courts which had been turned down.

Galveston County could not spend money for life guards on Galveston

Marion County had no authority to pay a game warden.

Bexar County could not expend money on fire protection from San

A Commissioners' Court has no Observer, Austin.

partment has ruled consistently, are funds to charitable organizations limited in powers to those powers managed or controlled by private specifically set out by law; and in individuals, nor can it make dona-

Specifically, the department has had to hold that county funds could not be donated to a tuberculosis association, nor to the American Red Cross, nor to similar associa-

What the opinion did not tell was the number of expenditures by counties where officials did not ask in advance whether they had the authority to make them .- The State

LET LEMAY LEAD THE WAY To Better Education in Texas!



LET'S ELECT

R. LeMAY

State Superintendent of **Public Instruction**

Restoration of public confidence in the State Department of Education and the administration of school funds on a sound, non-political basis will be the keystone of his work as State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

A CITIZEN OF SCURRY COUNTY SINCE 1901—INTENDS TO STAY HERE FOR YEARS

SCHLEY ADAMS

Candidate for

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

Schley Adams understands the conditions and the needs of the County as they now exist. With a full realization of the importance of the office he seeks and the duties and responsibilities connected with it, he believes he can make a good Commissioner for Precinct No. 4 and all of Scurry County.

Your Support at the Polls Next Saturday Will Be Greatly Appreciated by This Your Friend

TEXAS NEEDS HIM! A DOER—NOT JUST A PROMISER!

Elect HARRY HINES Governor

Harry Hines is for payment of Old Age Pension, Needy Blind, Dependent Children, Teachers' Retirement, at once, by a fair, practical plan of Natural Resource Taxes and Corporation Franchise Taxes to pay these State Obligations



Harry Hines will be Governor for ALL the people. He is now completing an outstanding administration as State Highway Commissioner and is known all over Texas as a successful public official. His home town is Wichita Falls.

Harry Hines is the people's and the taxpayers' candidate for Governor of Texas. If you believe Texas is entitled to a Governor who will respect all classes of our people, vote for Harry Hines.

If you want a Governor who can give the State true leadership and who can work and cooperate with the Legislature and other branches of our government to get things done, vote for Harry Hines.

If you are against the sales tax, whether called that, the transactions tax, gross receipts tax, or any other mis-named sales tax on the poor, vote for Harry Hines.

If you want an economical, practical, workable, business administration of things accomplished—instead of idle gestures and promises, then vote and work for the election of Harry lines.

The special interests and certain rich men have the big money up, and look who they are backing— A candidate who, in order to get into office, posed as the people's candidate and who made all sorts of promises, non of which have been kept. Harry Hines says: "I haven't any condemnation or harranguing to heap on the heads of any other candidates for the governorship, but simply have the desire to bring to the attention of the voters of Texas why Harry Hines should be elected the next Governor of Texas."

RESTORE LEADERSHIP AND COOPERATION!

Harry Hines, as Governor, would restore real leadership and complete cooperation from the Governor's office to the Legislature and the other branches of our State government—so necessary if we are to have sound, capable, result-getting government.

Because of these serious times resulting from the war in Europe, and now that the people are shouldering a very high Federal tax burden for increased national preparedness, it is of vital importance that the State administration and legislation be careful, economical and in complete harmony for the necessary coordination in our State government

Harry Hines is a Friend of West Texas and Scurry County. This section has had a just share of road-building during his Highway Commission administration. Scurry County has been given more highway contracts during the past two years than in any previous like term in its history. Let's say "Thank You, Harry" with our votes Saturday.

(This Advertisement Prepared and Paid for by Scurry County Friends of Harry Hines, Who Believe He Will Make Us a Good Governor)