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BORDEN CLUB SHOW SLATED FOR MONDAY

Rodeo Contests Will Feature Fun Side of Annual Affair at Gail Expositions Leaders Says

County Agent Frank W. Medley of Borden County announced Tuesday that final plans have been mapped for Borden County's annual 4-H Club Livestock Show and Rodeo, which will be staged Monday at Gail.

Scurry County Chamber of Commerce officials stated Tuesday afternoon that a large delegation of Snyder business men and merchants will go to Gail Monday morning, and remain throughout the day to witness the Borden County show.

One of the chief drawing cards of the Borden County 4-H Club exposition will be a steer cutting contest Monday afternoon, with Uncle Rich Miller, prominent Borden County rancher, furnishing 30 head of Mexican steers for the event.

The three-year-old Mexican steers are said by observers to be as quick and devilish as rodeo animals can be, and to cut one from a herd—well, that will be the contestants' worry.

Divisions of the roping event, according to members of the rodeo committee, will be these five classes: World wide, Borden County, amateur, 4-H Club boys and men over 50 years of age. There will be no riding, other than a display of "home county" ability.

Rodeo committee for Monday's events is composed of Jess Slaughter, arena director; Ralph Nelson, Allen Stephens and Bill Miller.

Members of the rodeo committee also announce this week appointment of the following men to serve in these show capacities:

Jess Slaughter, director; Sam Keen, clerk; J. H. Beal Jr., assistant clerk; J. H. Beal, L. E. Long and Allen Stephens, judges;

J. N. York and Max Dillahunty, time keepers; E. T. Sealy, Olin Keen, Jess Stephens and Sam Skeen, gate help; with A. (Bud) Hollar working the catch gates.

Slaughter, J. N. York, Ralph Nason, Allen Stephens and Bill Miller were announced this week as members of the amateur roping committee.

Bill Miller, Clyde Miller, Frank Miller and Sid Reeder, Borden County sheriff, compose the personnel of the cutting horse committee.

Announcer for the livestock show will be W. W. Berzett, and Charlie Miller will act as assistant announcer for the rodeo.

Free dinner will be provided at noontime for the 3,500 people expected from Borden, Scurry, Garza, Dawson and Howard Counties.

Rodeo committee members state carnival attractions will be staged in conjunction with the all-day show, and plenty of soft drinks, candies and sandwiches will be for sale during the day.

Food Stamp Plan In County Given Stop Order Sign

Scurry County's federal Food stamp program was definitely related Wednesday to the attic of should have been projects."

The Food Stamp plan was originally set to begin here in early May, but the following letter from Forrest M. Wright of Lubbock, area marketing administration supervisor, to County Judge Sterling Williams will explain why the Food Stamp plan cannot be undertaken in the county this year:

"We have been notified by our Washington office that the Bureau of the Budget has impounded funds which were appropriated and allocated for Food Stamp expansion in our area this fiscal year.

"We are advised that this action was taken in view of the House of Representative's action on budget recommendations for our program. As a result of this decision, it will not be possible to extend the program to include Scurry County or the other counties which were to be opened May 1, 1942.

"We regret this action was necessary. We have been assured that, if and when, expansion is possible, further consideration of your application will be made."



Who's New In Scurry County

Carolyn Janette, seven-pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Cook of Petersburg, former Fluvanna residents, at the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Friday afternoon, 4:40 o'clock.

A seven-pound son for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, arrived at the local hospital Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. The name—Jay Larry. May.

Snakes Alive!

Business really picked up for a few minutes last Wednesday at the L. A. Pearce caliche pit west of Gail, when a drag line shovel full of caliche—containing 13 live rattlesnakes — was dumped into the bed of a dump truck.

The shovel, of course, happened to bite into a den of the "belly sliders," and had them in the dump truck before a person could say Jack Robinson. Two or three road hands reportedly "took to the brush," while the truck driver, fortunately, was not aware for several minutes of what had happened.

All the rattlers were yellowish-green, indicating that they had not left their winter quarters until the shovel brought them to light. Road hands stopped long enough to indulge in a good old snake slaying spree.

Methodists Get Underway With Revival Services

Despite inclement weather, Rev. R. L. Flowers, general evangelist of the Methodist Church, who conducts the spring Methodist revival in Snyder, and Mrs. Flowers arrived late Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Flowers conducted the first organization meeting Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church, Rev. F. A. Smith, pastor, states, and will complete organization meetings by Saturday evening. The spring revival officially opens Sunday morning at the 11:00 o'clock hour, and will continue through Sunday, April 19.

Rev. Smith urges members of the Snyder Methodist Church to attend Friday evening's gathering, at which time major groundwork for the revival will be laid.

Gospel singing and preaching will feature each revival service, Rev. Smith states, and the public is cordially invited to attend all services next week.

Morning services will begin at 10:00 o'clock and evening services at 8:30 o'clock. There will be a daily Bible story hour service for children at 4:45 p. m., and a young people's hour at 7:00 p. m.

The host pastor emphasizes that gatherings Wednesday through Saturday evening are purely for organization of church groups, but that the public will be warmly welcomed at every service from Sunday morning through Sunday, April 19.

County's Goal for Navy Relief Funds Scheduled at $240

H. L. Wren, recently named Scurry County chairman of the U. S. Navy Relief Society, announced Tuesday that the county's quota in the drive for funds has been set at $240.

Wren reports a goal of $210,000 has been set for Texas. All money realized in the state-wide drive will be used to assist families of men in the U. S. Navy.

"For example," Wren said, "more navy men of the United States were killed at Pearl Harbor than during the past five years. The navy has exhausted funds for care of navy men's families, so we are making a drive to obtain money to care for the folks navy men left at home.

"With a quota of $240, Scurry County should raise this amount in short order, and count it a patriotic privilege. Navy men are giving their all for the cause of freedom, and we should be touched enough by their heroism to help their families," Wren stated.

Highway Work Bogs Down Over County

Gentle rain of Tuesday and Wednesday caused highway construction work in Scurry County to "bog down," although everything is in readiness to begin asphalt work at the Fisher-Scurry line, and work westward.

Crewmen completed "ironing out" over the week-end a half-mile stretch of Highway 15, beginning at the Scurry-Fisher line, and coming westward, for the hot topping work.

Several days pretty weather, it is reported, will allow hot topping work to begin in earnest.

Schools Will Get $2 Per Capita Payment

Acting County Superintendent Pat Bullock announces Scurry County schools will probably receive this week-end payment of a $2 per capita apportionment of the state available school fund.

This week's payment, aggregating something like $4,500 for Scurry County schools, will make a total of $16 paid on the $22.50 apportionment for this scholastic year. Another $2 payment will be made in May.

SPECIAL RATE FOR TIMES TO BOYS ON DUTY

Sending of Home County Paper to Former Residents of County Suggested as Morale Builder

Numerous Snyder and Scurry County people who have boys in service have expressed a desire to see that their boys get The Times, so a good proposition is being made to Scurry County people in this form:

Men's Bible Class of the First Christian Church voted Sunday to send the paper, in this special offer, to all that church's Sunday School boys in military service. Other donations are coming in, so why not mail your contribution to The Times today.

The regular rate of The Times is $2.50 per year, but where Scurry County people donate $1 to send the paper to some boy in service, The Times will absorb the other $1.50 cost.

The publisher of "Your Home County Paper" is making this special offer in an effort to get the boys in service news from their home county.

"Since we are in the war," Pete Brady says in a letter to The Times, "and a large percentage of our young men have loved ones at home, we should do everything possible to see that the boys in military service gets The Scurry County Times.

"Nothing pleases a soldier boy more than to get his paper from home, and to show that a bachelor, too old for either draft, has his heart in the right place, I will give $10 or more to help pay soldier boys' subscriptions."

Snyder and Scurry County people who have boys in military service are urged to turn in the names of their boys to The Times. Subscriptions will be sent to soldier boys as money is contributed, and those whose names are turned in first will begin receiving the paper in order of their names on the list.

Government officials announced last week that henceforth all second class mail will be forwarded to boys in military service. This provision, not heretofore permissable, will make it possible for The Times to go to any American boy in service.

Names of donors will be published in The Times, and public acknowledgement made as received.

You people who have been wanting to do something for the boys in service are urged to take advantage of this offer, for it cannot be held open indefinitely.

Firemen Fight Feed Blaze with Waters From Deep Creek

Snyder volunteer fire department answered a call last Thursday night, 11:45 o'clock, to the Tom Belk residence, three blocks west of Stimson Camp Ground, when a stack of feed caught fire from undetermined origin.

Sidelight to the fire occurred after the blaze was extinguished, and the fire boys attempted to back their big truck away from the bank of Deep Creek—from which they had been pumping water to fight the fire.

When the big truck started backing, the front wheels hit a slick piece of ground, and the front of the truck swung toward the creek. A barbed wire fence, plus a good strong post, halted the "conga weave" of the truck.

The small fire truck of the department, plus a farm tractor, were required to rescue the big fire engine from the grasping fingers of Deep Creek.

Former County Boy Dies at Nevada Camp

Funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon at Amarillo for Staff Sergeant Dean Brown, former Scurry County resident, who has been stationed with the 79th Air Base at Las Vegas, Nevada. Sergeant Brown died last Sunday of heart failure after being in service about 15 months.

The widow will be remembered as the former Christine Duke. Those who attended the military rites included Mrs. G. L. Autry Sr., LaRue Autry and Edwina Duke Ezell of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hardee and Mrs. D. E. Clark of Ira; Mrs. Ed Strawn of Colorado City.

Beadel's Observing Second Anniversary

Allen Beadel, operator of Beadel's Food Store, east side of the square, is this week observing his second anniversary in Snyder, as his ad, found in this issue of The Times, indicates.

Beadel says he is thankful for the patronage he has received since moving to Snyder, and plans to be here permanently.

In addition to Beadel, employees of the store include Watt Glover, Sam Spikes, K. O. Pitner, and the two boys who work Saturdays, Billy Joe Stinson and Howard Crenshaw.

Going to Birds

When the English sparrows return to Snyder from outlying county communities, they believe in building for the future, as witnessed Saturday morning when a sparrow dropped a 12-inch length of maize stalk that evidently was intended for a nest behind the Stinson Drug Company No. 1 sign.

Ready verification of this incident was vouched for by a number of North Siders Saturday morning, 9:45 o'clock, including such reliable men as E. R. Butts, Dan Hamil, Bob Matthews and others.

If the sparrows keep this up, they might be stacking feed before long.

Two Cars Stolen From City Streets Sunday Evening

Crime wave that hit Snyder Sunday night resulted in the theft of two automobiles from parking places around the square, and the discovery Wednesday of one vehicle, which was abandoned in Big Spring.

First car stolen was the two-tone model Buick sedan that belonged to Mrs. Gaston Brock. The vehicle was stolen between 8:00 and 9:00 o'clock.

Second car theft occurred when the 1938 Plymouth sedan belonging to Mrs. Billy Wilsford disappeared from its parking place near the Palace Theatre.

Members of the Scurry County sheriff's department were notified Wednesday by Big Spring officers that the Brock Buick was found near the outskirts of the Howard County city early Wednesday morning, abandoned. It was reported to still be in good shape.

Both cases have been under investigation by state highway patrolmen.

After the thief who took the Brock automobile left Snyder, he stopped at the Hattaway Service Station between Snyder and Hermleigh, Sheriff John Lynch states; had his gasoline tank filled and started to drive away without paying for the "push water."

Whereupon Shorty Hattaway, station operator, opened fire with a gun. The trio of shots Hattaway fired, however, failed to halt the fleeing car thief.

Ordovician's Bishop Has 2,500 Feet of Oil

In the Sharon Ridge oil field this week, operators announced that Ordovician Oil Company's No. 1-A Bishop, located in the southeast quarter of Section 146, Block 97, H&TC Survey, has been deepened from 3,105 to 3,135 feet.

Approximately 2,500 feet of oil and water was standing in the hole Wednesday afternoon at the Ordovician No. 1-A Bishop.

Good showings of oil were encountered in the test at 2,547-58 feet, and at 2,979-92 feet. Operators plan to shoot both pay zones early next week.

Wheat Growers Will Vote on Quota May 2

Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, announces that Saturday, May 2, has been circled as date for the county and nation-wide wheat referendum.

On May 2, the wheat farmers of Scurry County and the nation will vote on marketing quotas for the second consecutive year. To be in effect on this year's crop, quotas must be approved by two thirds of the farmers voting, Cotten declares.

BEST RENAMED CITY MARSHAL IN HEAVY VOTE

Moffett, Baze and Harral Elected To Places on Council as Others Go in Without Contest

Tuesday's city election, which provided a considerable amount of interest to people outside Snyder's city limits, drew to a close Tuesday evening with Simon Best leading the field in the city marshal's race by polling 129 more votes than his three opponents combined. Best has completed two terms as city marshal.

Best, in a race colored with plenty of local predicting, rang up 384 votes. Earl H. Strawn, second man in the race, got 136 votes, unofficial returns revealed.

B. H. Connally, running third, marked up 81 votes, and Homer Snyder received 38 votes.

H. G. Towle, up for reelection as mayor without opposition, polled 622 out of 647 votes cast.

J. S. Bradbury, up for reelection as city secretary without opposition, rang up 631 tallies.

C. F. Sentell, without opposition, was named city attorney with 628 votes.

John DeShazo, also without an opponent, was named city recorder with 640 out of 647 votes cast.

In the city councilman's race, interest centered on the East Ward, due to C. M. Wellborn being named a Snyder School district trustee Saturday and resultant withdrawal from the race.

B. P. Moffett was the successful write-in candidate, with 99 votes to his credit. Alfred McGlaun received 37 votes, Buster Cauble two and Ixon Joyce one.

In the North Ward, A. B. (Boss) Baze, candidate for alderman without opposition, rang up 218 tallies.

In the West Ward, W. D. Harral emerged as successful candidate with 149 votes. Maurice Brownfield, a write-in candidate, received 40 votes.

Cotton Prices Show Improvement During Week on Markets

"Cotton prices continued to advance and gained a little more than $1 per bale last week," the agricultural marketing service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, reports.

"The 10-market average price for middling 15-16-inch cotton April 2 was 20.33 cents per pound, compared with 11.11 cents a year ago. Sales of 82,000 bales were reported by the 10 designated markets through last Thursday.

"Rain is badly needed," the agricultural marketing service continues, "in all sections as high winds have dried out the topsoil. Outlook for spring ranges is still favorable—due to the abundant subsoil in most areas of West Texas.

"Unfinished cotton cloth markets were active last week, and more goods were avilable for civilian uses. Prices for goods advanced to the highest levels since ceiling prices were put into effect," the marketing service concludes.

Mrs. Barnes Cancels Demonstration Here

Due to severe back injuries sustained Saturday in a fall, Mrs. Dora Barnes, clothing specialist of A. & M. College, will be unable to give her scheduled clothing demonstration here Wednesday, April 15, announcement made this week reveals.

Wednesday's gathering was slated to be an all-day affair, but will be reset later when Mrs. Barnes can be here, the county home demonstration agent's office states.

Company G Boys Plan to Carry Sugar on Trip Back to Blanding

First Sergeant L. A. Crenshaw headed a group of eight Company G boys, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guards, who arrived Friday evening from Camp Blanding, Florida, on 10-day furloughs.

In addition to Crenshaw, other Scurry County boys in Company G who obtained furloughs include:

Sergeant L. B. McCravey, and Privates First Class Earl Clinkenbeard, Chester Horsley, H. B. Thurman, Doc Rogers, Charles Rhodes and Lester Brown.

The Company G boys will leave Friday for Camp Blanding, and are visiting all relatives and friends possible this week—since furloughs in the futude will depend on war conditions, a Company G member says.

Sidelight of the Scurry County boys' trip from Camp Blanding to the Texas line, by bus, was the difficulty of securing sufficient sugar for coffee.

The sugar situation will be quite different going back to camp, Sergeant Crenshaw reports, since the boys intend to leave Snyder Friday with a 10-pound sack of the sweetening ingredient.

Then, when some cafe waitress outside Texas murmers the usual, "Sorry, no sugar today" story, the Company G boys can yank out their 10-pound sack and "funnel" sugar in their coffee to their hearts' content.

Private First Class Lloyd Bailey of Company G arrived last week on an emergency 21-day furlough, due to his undergoing an operation, and will remain here until the latter part of April.

"Sure, army life is fine in Florida," one of the Company G boys said, "and we feel proud of our commanding officers. We do get homesick for Scurry County, though, and greatly appreciate the letters and The Scurry County Times from home."

War-time censorship forbids mention of probable Company G location in the future, but the eight Scurry County guard boys now here say they're "raring" to do their part for the U. S. A. and folks back home—no matter what soil we might be needed to fight on to defeat the enemy."

Six to eight Company G boys will be here the next week-end passage.

Club Woman Bicycles to Meeting



Mrs. Guy Stoker, member of the Tri-Community Home Demonstration Club and a former chairman of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council, is pictured above the same as in the March issue of The Extensioner, magazine of the Extension Service, after she rode her son's bicycle two and one-half miles to a club meeting demonstrating use of whole grain products.

Lloyd Mountain To Stage Year's First Hare Drive

Invitation to the hunt was issued Scurry County hunters this week by Lloyd Mountain community people, who will stage the county's first rabbit drive of the 1942 season Tuesday and Wednesday, April 14 and 15.

Sam Cross, who has charge of general arrangements for the two-day hunt, announces that dinner will be served each day of the drive at Lloyd Mountain School. Women of the community are urged to bring basket lunches for the occasion.

Rabbit drivers are asked by Alfred Roggenstein and Wraymond Sims to meet Tuesday morning, 9:30 o'clock, at the Ben Harless place and Wednesday morning, 9:30 o'clock, at the Lloyd Mountain School.

Due to the fact the Lloyd Mountain community has a large jack rabbit population, a large delegation of Snyder nimrods—who have been itching to test their marksmanship—have accepted invitations to join in the hunt.

Hunters from Camp Springs, Ennis Creek and Strayhorn are scheduled to join Lloyd Mountain hunters in staging the community-wide drive. Additional details on the hunt may be obtained from Cross.

National 4-H Club Week Observance To Feature Radio

As a contribution to National 4-H Club Week, being observed April 5 through April 11, the Independence 4-H Club girls, accompanied by their sponsor and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, gave a 15-minute radio program Monday afternoon, 1:15 to 1:30 o'clock, over Radio Station KXOX, Sweetwater.

Barbara Jean Stewart told of her work and the things 4-H Club girls need to learn. She and her sister made 42 garments, a frame garden, a new brooder house and are working on their bedroom.

Neva Joyce Hall gave an account of the 12 girls' 4-H Clubs in the county. Emphasis was placed on club girls in Scurry County making cheese, raising poultry and turkeys, canning fruits and vegetables and otherwise helping in the national emergency.

Mrs. Cecil Hall, Independence 4-H Club girls' sponsor, gave the history of 4-H Club work in Texas. Those who participated in the program included:

Mrs. Hall, Glenda Gay Bills, Neva Joyce Hall, Ettie Fikes, Barbara Jean Stewart, Pauline Fikes, Joy Lankford, Nelda Jean Hall, Effie Lou Stewart, Maxine Fikes and Frances Short.

Draft Numbers to Be Printed Next Week

The Times was furnished late Wednesday with serial and order numbers for Scurry County's 672 draftees in the 20-44 year age bracket who registered February 16, but lack of space forbids printing the numbers and names this week. "Your Home County Paper" will cooperate with the draft board in publishing the names of the draftees at an early date.

J. N. Pattersons Easter Guests.

Captain J. N. Patterson of Camp Blanding, Florida, Mrs. Patterson and their children, Jim and Bernez, of Fort Worth, were Easter holiday guests of Captain Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson, and other local relatives. The army man flew to Fort Worth from Camp Blanding, and the family drove out to Snyder from there to spend the week-end.

Increase in State Tax Rate for 1942 Believed Certain

Inevitable increase of 19 cents in the state advalorem tax rate, putting it back to the constitutional maximum of 77 cents on the $100 property valuation, was forecast this week by various Scurry County officials.

This coincides with a statement by Pat Bullock, representative of the 118th District, that the school tax will have to be put back to the maximum of 35 cents, if the state per capita apportionment of $22.50 is to be maintained.

A deficit in the state general revenue fund, Bullock explains, precludes reducing the general revenue tax rate of 35 cents and the Confederate pension tax is fixed at seven cents by the state constitution.

According to officials of the county tax assessor-collector's office, the state advalorem tax paid this year was 58 cents. It was broken down to seven cents for Confederate pensions, 35 cents for general revenue and 16 cents for schools.

Drastic decreases in gasoline and oil taxes during the next six months, due to tire rationing regulations and decrease in travel, is expected to bring about a general revision of numerous state tax laws—unless the situation changes within the next few weeks.

Farmers of Region to Attend Roby Session

C. T. Levens, president of the Fisher County Farm Bureau, announced Wednesday that a number of Scurry County Farm Bureau members have accepted invitations to be in Roby Friday evening, 8:30 o'clock, to hear Cliff Day, who has spoken in this county, address a mass meeting of Fisher County farmers, ranchers and business men.

C. E. Eastman, president of the Scurry County Farm Bureau, urges as many county bureau members as possible to hear Day, who is employed by the federal government as an agricultural education worker. Walter Hammon, president of the Texas Farm Bureau, and T. R. Haggard, secretary of bureau District 6, will also appear on program at the Roby gathering.

Baptists of Area to Meet at Dunn Church

Baptists from Scurry and Mitchell County churches will convene Tuesday morning at the Dunn Baptist Church for the April workers' conference, Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association.

Those on program at Tuesday's gathering will include Revs. Buster Edwards, A. E. Travis, G. A. Elrod, Cecil Rhoades and Jimmie Bolton, H. H. Eiland and H. L. Wren.

Dinner for the workers' meeting will be furnished by Dunn ladies. The Tuesday evening Training Union and Brotherhood gathering will get underway at 7:45 o'clock.

District Court to Be Concluded Saturday

District court for the March, or spring term, is due to be concluded Saturday, district court officials reported Wednesday.

Members of the grand jury adjourned Tuesday afternoon, Truett Barber, 32nd District attorney, reports, and one more session of court is due to conclude the current schedule.

Judge A. S. Mauzey of Sweetwater will be back on the bench Friday morning, and expects to finish most court procedure Friday afternoon.

NEARLY INCH OF RAIN FALLS OVER COUNTY

Although Only Light Showers Fall, Moisture Gives Ground Good Soaking for Season

End to Scurry County's 1942 drouth was definitely predicted Wednesday, when precipitation Monday through Wednesday noon totaled .53 of an inch.

Only .05 of an inch moisture was marked up for Snyder Monday, which was followed by .06 of an inch Tuesday. Biggest fall of the week was gauged Wednesday, when .43 of an inch was tallied by Mrs. Wesley Evans, official gauger.

Prior to this week's installment of rainfall, Scurry County had received only .77 of an inch precipitation since January 1, 1942—the driest three-month period for January-March since 1930.

Farmers and ranchers in all sections of the county were overjoyed with the arrival of moisture. Early feed planting has been delayed because of insufficient rain, and the ranges were getting seriously short of grass. Several ranchers said moving cattle to greener pastures was only a few days away when Monday's shower struck.

High and low temperature readings, from last Thursday through Wednesday of this week, coupled with precipitation, follow:

DATE—	High	Low	Rain
April 2	76	35	....
April 3	87	50	....
April 4	92	55	....
April 5	91	61	....
April 6	82	55	.05
April 7	82	52	.06
April 8	60	39	.43

Dunn and Ira communities reported Wednesday approximately a half-inch rainfall, while the Sharon Ridge community marked up .62 of an inch fall.

Pyron and Hermleigh received well over half an inch precipitation, and Arah, west of Snyder, reports .48 of an inch. Camp Springs and Midway, in the eastern part of the county, received .52 of an inch Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning.

Sugar Rationing Board Members Go to San Angelo

Giles Bowers, chairman of the Scurry County Ration Board, and Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, are scheduled to go to San Angelo Tuesday to attend a district meeting concerning sugar rationing.

As indicated by Mark McGee of Austin, state rationing administrator, Pat Bulock will control local machinery for Scurry County's sugar ration set-up with the county ration board to have charge of distributing the ration books.

Bowers revealed Wednesday that commercial consumers of Scurry County will register at county high schools April 28 and 29.

The county-wide job of registering the county's 14,000 domestic consumers will take place in Scurry County schools May 4 through May 8, Bowers declares.

Arrangements are being made through Bullock and Bowers to register as many domestic consumers Monday, May 4, as possible in order that schools need close for one day only.

Bowers and Bullock are slated to receive final instructions at the San Angelo gathering concerning sugar rationing, and will make additional announcements on sugar ration days through The Times.

Two County Draftees Get Reclassifications

Only two classifications were made Mohday evening at the regular meeting of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board.

William Perry Rodman, holding order No. 342, was moved from Class 3-A to Class 1-A; and Loule Edwin Johnston, with order No. V-430, was transferred from Class 1-A to Class 1-C.

Wellborn and Clark Named New Trustees

Unofficial returns from Saturday's school trustee election reveal that C. M. Wellborn and G. B. Clark Jr. were named trustees.

Wellborn received 31 votes and Clark 26. Willard Jones received two tallies in the election, as did H. L. Vann.

Civilian Defense Head Resigns.

Due to the fact he is now located in Abilene with the rate department of Johnson Moto; Lines, J. R. Reeves, Scurry County civilian defense supervisor, tendered his resignation early this week to County Judge Sterling Williams. The county judge, Mayor H. G. Towle and Mayor Rufus E. Mize of Hermleigh are expected to name a new supervisor next week.

The WOMAN'S Page

Marie Womack Weds Slaton Man In Friday Rites

Marriage vows were repeated in an impressive single ring ceremony at 8:00 o'clock Friday evening at the Methodist Church by Marie Womack of Snyder and Robert Dewitt Reid of Slaton. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor, read the service as the couple stood before an altar arrangement of hydrangeas, gladioli and burning tapers in crystal candelabra.

Music before and during the ceremony was played by Mrs. W. W. Hamilton, organist, and included such favorite selections as "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms," and "I Love You Truly."

The couple was attended by Marie Maxfield of Coleman and Briggs Robinson, secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

The bride was dressed in a heavenly blue woolen suit. She wore a matching felt hat, white gloves and other accessories of black patent and carried an arm bouquet of rosebuds and fern. Miss Maxfield wore a white jersey frock, a flower hat of cornflowers and daisies and black patent accessories.

Mrs. Reid is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Womack of Sunnydale, California. She received her bachelor of science degree in home economics at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, and is area supervisor of school project lunchrooms in Scurry and Fisher Counties. She will continue her work.

Reid was educated in Brown University, Arkansas and Oklahoma University, and he is now employed as newspaper advertising manager of the Slaton Slatonite.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce C. Eiland and small daughter, Cherry Lynne, of Pecos, were week-end guests here of Mrs. Ethel Eiland.

Mrs. N. L. Adams Is Honored at Reunion

Mrs. N. L. Adams, 80-year-old pioneer of Scurry County, was honored at a family reunion last Wednesday at the old family home southwest of Snyder. The occasion marked the 80th birthday of Mrs. Adams.

Children and other relatives who participated in the festivities brought food for the dinner. Those present also brought lovely birthday gifts to the honoree.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Angel and LaVerne, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams and daughters, Tommie Adams and Alvin, Bobbie Adams and Troy J., Mrs. Roy Taylor and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Adams. Only one of Mrs. Adams' children unable to attend the celebation was Dee Adams, who lives at Cucamonga, California. The step-sons, Joe Adams of Pyron and John Adams of Abilene, were unable to attend, as was a step-daughter, who lives in Oklahoma.

Teacher Reviews "Life With Father"

Katherine Northcutt, teacher in Snyder Schools, gave a review of "Life with Father," current Broadway hit play, at a meeting of Art Guild Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. E. Holcomb. The review was both instructive and entertaining, members said.

Lilacs and irises were used for decorations by the hostess, and she served a dessert course with coffee at the close of the program.

Guests for the evening were Miss Northcutt and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, and members attending were: Mmes. A. M. Belsher, L. H. Butler, Ivan Gatlin, Ivan Hill, Billie Mitchell, Alice Montgomery, C. W. Popnoe, M. E. Stanfied and W. T. Edwards, Jewel Foster, Edith Grantham, Effie McLeod, Estella Rabel, Rayolene Smith and Maxine Rambin.

Wedding invitations at Times.

Woman's Culture Sews for Red Cross

Woman's Culture Club dispensed with its regular program Tuesday afternoon to sew for the local production program of the American Red Cross. Several garments were completed at the meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Alexander.

Plans for next regular meeting, April 21, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Clawson, were made Tuesday, and further plans for doing Red Cross sewing were discussed.

Mexico Topics Are Interesting to Alpha

Interesting discussion of Mexico furnished the program Tuesday afternoon at regular meeting of Alpha Study Club at the home of Mrs. C. F. Sentell. Mrs. Ixon Joyce, president, gave her report from the Seventh District convention at Lubbock recently.

Only guest speaker for the program was Mrs. Wayne Williams, who talked on "Mexico City of Today." Mrs. Wayne Boren was director for the discussions, and at intervals during the program she told history and traditions of Mexico. Mrs. Joyce's topic concerned the land of the Mayas, first Indian tribe to settle in Mexico, and Mrs. G. M. Heinzelmann mixed legends of Mexico with her talk on changes in social conditions and present leaders in the country.

Mrs. Strayhorn Is Hostess to El Feliz

Mrs. Joe Strayhorn decorated her house attractively with spring flowers Friday afternoon when she was hostess to El Feliz Club and guests for an afternoon of forty-two games. Her refreshment plate was a frozen salad and sandwiches served with punch.

Guests were Mmes. H. G. Towle, Pearle Shannon, Joe Stinson, J. C. Dorward, R. W. Cunningham and Miss Neoma Strayhorn, and the following members attended the party: Mmes. I. W. Boren, A. J. Cody, W. E. Doak, L. D. Green, J. E. LeMond, R. H. Odom, H. L. Vann, A. W. Waddill and W. G. Williams.

Mrs. G. H. Leath will be next hostess to El Feliz Club at her home Friday afternoon, April 17.

Baptists Hold Meet Monday Afternoon

Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for regular Bible study and business session. Mrs. H. L. Wren, vice president, was in the chair for the business meeting, and Mrs. Clyde M. Boren gave the devotional.

Mrs. John DeShazo, regular Bible teacher for the organization, presented a lesson from the Bible, which took in verses from Genesis 29 through Exodus 13. Eighteen members and two new members were present at the meeting.

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Victory Planter



Falling in line with the nation's victory program, the smart young miss will carry fashion from the flower garden to the vegetable garden this spring, planting most of her flower beds with carrots, beets, beans and other vitamin-producing foods. Ellen Drew, Paramount star, is shown wearing a bright red and white cotton outfit designed for comfort and style while gardening this spring.

Mrs. Pat Bounds Is San Souci Hostess

Mrs. Pat Bounds was hostess Tuesday evening to San Souci Club and guests. For the party her home was attractively decorated with lilac blossoms, iris and other cut flowers. She passed a salad course with coffee at the close of bridge games.

High score award of defense stamps went to Hattie Herm, and Gertrude Herm took second high prize. Guest award went to Mrs. Tom Boren.

Guests also were Mmes. W. H. Cauble and Joe Stinson, and the following other members attended: Neoma Strayhorn, Faye and Myrtle Harrell, Mmes. E. J. Anderson, Forest Sears and Lucile Strayhorn Dougherty.

Named Technical Sergeant.

Norris X. Anderson, son of the W. W. Andersons who live on Route 1, Snyder, has been promoted in the U. S. army to the rank of technical sergeant. Drafted one year ago, Technical Sergeant Anderson has received advancement in rating every four months. He is now stationedat Fort Lewis, Washington, with Company F, 156th Quartermaster Corps. The Andersons also have a son in the navy, William Powers Anderson, who is on the U. S. S. Pennsylvania in Pacific waters.

Junior-Senior Fete Scheduled for Friday

Annual junior-senior banquet for Snyder High School will be staged at the local school gymnasium Friday evening of this week at 8:30 o'clock. Approximately 125 students and teachers are expected to attend.

Sponsors of the host junior classes are Mrs. Hazel Arnold, Frances Farr and Jewell Foster. Senior sponsors are Mrs. Frank Weaver, Maxine Rambin and F. P. Patterson.

An entertaining program will be presented, and the occasion promises to be a highlight of the social season for the graduates and lower classmen.

Women Attend Midland Conference

Mrs. R. H. Odom, conference secretary of Wesleyan Service Guild work, is in Midland this week—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—to attend the Methodist Northwest Texas Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. She will be in the chair for reports from Guilds of the conference.

Also attending the Methodist meeting is Mrs. A. M. Curry, general president of the Snyder Woman's Society of Christian Service, who is local delegate. Women from the Fluvanna, Dunn, Ira, Hermleigh and possibly other churches of the county were also invited to the gathering.

Baby Girl for Hugh Cooks.

Mrs. W. E. Holcomb was a week-end visitor in Crosbyton with her parents, the W. T. Cooks, and with her small niece, Carolyn Janette, and her parents at the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock. Small Carolyn Janette, named for her grandmothers, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Cook of Petersburg. Mrs. Cook formerly taught school at Fluvanna and other places in Scurry County. The baby arrived Friday afternoon, weighing seven pounds, and she and her mother were to be moved home this week. The Hugh Cooks have one other child—a son, Bobby.

Visit New Grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Joyce and youngest daughter, Milton, who is a senior student in Texas Technological College, Lubbock, were in San Angelo for the week-end to get their first look at their new grandson and nephew. The baby is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Polk, named Billy Frank and born March 12. Mrs. Polk is the former Faye Joyce of Snyder.

Gene Boyd Louder, son of the Elmer Louders, came from Roscoe the past week-end to visit with Buddy Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Newton, and other local friends.

Demonstration Club Notes

Estella Rabel, County Agent

Ten Union Members Meet.

Union Home Demonstration Club met April 2 with Mrs. Leverett Lewis with 10 members present. Miss Rabel demonstrated making pies that require no sugar, as molasses pie, and other pies that require only a small amount of sugar. The pies were cut and passed with a cup of hot chocolate to each present.—Reporter.

"Food for Freedom" Discussed.

Discussions of "Food for Freedom" were the main points of interest Friday night, April 3, when the Lloyd Mountain Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Debbs.

Miss Rabel demonstrated the making of prune pie and an egg custard, using little sugar. She also made a syrup pie, using no sugar.

Two dresses of popular styles, and materials and several pairs of hose were displayed. Several pairs of shoes for women, cut about half in two, were showed so every one might know more about shoe construction. Miss Rabel also passed a number of booklets having samples of materials in them, with the information as to price, width and where each could be bought.

We are proud to have an increase in the number of members present at the past meetings. Members present at this meeting were: Mmes. I. S. Cross, Ben Harless, Raymond Lloyd, J. C. Massingill, Clark Nicks, Alfred Roggenstein, Clark Royal, Waymond Sims, and the hostess. Mr. Debbs entertained several men with 42 during the meeting.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. J. E. Hardin Friday night, April 17. Subject for the meeting will be "Home Improvement and Landscaping."—Reporter.

Tri-Community Club Meets.

"Overcooking green vegetables and using too much water are errors of most cooks," said Estella Rabel to the Tri-Community club women when they met in the home of Mrs. Hubert Robinson Wednesday afternoon. "If any liquid is left after vegetables are cooked, this should be saved and used, as there is much food value lost when liquid is wasted.

"Also, when buying green vegetables, secure fresh products as the food value is lessened when the leaves are old." Miss Rabel also had on display new materials, dresses with zippers properly sewed in and types of hose now being made.

Two new members, Mmes. John Green and B. Smith, were present, along with the following members: Mmes. S. T. Joyner, Nathan Wade, B. T. Pitner, M. K. Lemons, Guy Stoker, S. Trevey, Guy Glenn, the hostess and one guest, Mrs. Ruby Robinson. Refreshments of salad pickles, wafers, cookies and lemonade were served.—Reporter.

Mrs. J. J. Belew Hostess.

The Fluvanna Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday with Mrs. J. J. Belew, at which time a demonstration was given on choosing clothes, hosiery and shoes. This demonstration was directed by Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

Announcement was made that Mrs. H. C. Flournoy will represent the Fluvanna club at the District Home Demonstration Association in Lubbock Saturday, April 11.

Mrs. Belew served a drink and cookies to Mmes. Jess Bley, H. C. Flournoy, Ray Pulford, J. J. Belew, Eunice Nesbitt, Marvin Davis, Tom Collier, Lane Roddy, R. L. Daugherty, E. C. Robinson, John Jones, J. E. Smith, Robert Jones; Mary Frances Smith and Estella Rabel.

Bison Meeting Educational.

The Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday, March 27, with Mrs. Ted Haney. Miss Rabel's splendid program included: A collection of dress samples from various stores over the state; comparing costs and quality the ladies found they could shop at home stores as economically as any place. Second, she showed the exhibition of cotton hose, the construction of shoes and how to judge a good shoe, and ready-made dresses proved very educational. Third, Miss Rabel brought out a large basket overflowing with fresh vegetables. A tray with a bowl of fresh green salad, chopped raw spinach, radishes, hard-boiled eggs and onions with French dressing—a dish of buttered beets and creamed potatoes, was an example of a balanced lunch. Mrs. Haney served ice cream and cake. Those present certainly enjoyed the excellent program Miss Rabel and Mrs. Haney gave.—Reporter.

Because of the acute tin shortage, there will not be any more canned pork and beans or baked beans when the present supply of the metal is exhausted, Estella Rabel, county home demonstraation agent, warned members of the county home demonstration clubs Tuesday.

This curtailment shouldn't bother homemakers, because there are plenty of dried beans available. These keep well and taste good if they are prepared right, says Miss Rabel.

In preparing beans right the first rule is to give them plenty of time to soak—overnight in cold water or five or six hours in lukewarm water. Be sure to wash the beans before soaking them, and cook them in the water in which they are soaked, for this will save minerals and vitamins, she says. Beans are rich in iron and vitamin B1 and these food values "soak out into the water."

The county home demonstraation agent says to use soft water if it is available, for hard water toughens the beans. Cook them at a moderate temperature. In other words, simmer them—don't let them bubble and boil, for hard boiling cracks the skins, toughens the protein and makes the beans mushy. Never use soda to cook beans. This destroys the vitamin B1. Bake beans in a slow oven, about 250 degrees.

As far as cooking is concerned, dry beans may be treated pretty much alike. That is, although a recipe may call for one type of bean, usually almost any other variety may be substituted. Season beans with something salty, sour, fresh, crisp, or bright and spicy. Beans are bland and they combine well with crisp bacon, ham knuckle, salt pork, chili, a dash of lemon juice, onion or tomatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Elza left Monday for a three-week visit with relatives and friends at Temple and other Central Texas points.

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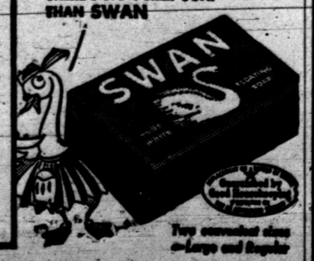
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Jack Albright Is New Manager of Motor Line Here

Effective Monday, Jack Albright of Oklahoma City assumed duties as manager of the Snyder office, Johnson Motor Lines.

Albright, who attended school at Texas A. & M. College, and who has been associated at Oklahoma City with the transfer company the past two years, replaces J. R. Reeves, who became associated Monday with the Abilene office, rate department, of Johnson Motor Lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Albright located here over the week-end, and have two daughters, Donnie Lou and Karla Jean.

Reeves has been manager of the motor lines office in Snyder since May 3, 1937. Previous to that time he was connected with Snyder Transfer Company four years.

Reeves was recently named Scurry County civilian defense supervisor, and had completed setup of the organization before promotion to the Abilene place.

Mrs. Reeves and the four children will remain here until school is out, she states. The children are: Grayce Lavonne, Mary Joyce, Billy James and Patsy Ann.

First Baptist Revival Closes with Baptism

"A revitalized church and greater spiritual awakening has resulted from our Church Loyalty Revival which closed Sunday evening," Rev. Vernon F. Shaw, pastor, stated Monday morning.

Dr. John W. Cobb, teacher of Bible and dean of Wayland College, Plainview, conducted the week-long revival, highlighted last Thursday evening by a family night service, and Friday evening by an address to students of Snyder Schools.

Rev. Shaw reports seven baptisms to the church as a result of the meeting, and increased attendance at Sunday School and other church services.

Rev. Cobb returned to Plainview Sunday night, and expressed sincere thanks to Snyder people for the cordial reception given him here.

Colored Man Is Great Believer in Good Education

Credit is given the Outside Man of The Times force for the following story, which will prove of interest to readers in this trade area:

How far would you go to give your children an education, if you lacked the conventional facilities of the public school?

George Miles, colored, who is employed on the D. D. Smith farm in the Dunn community, believes an education is worth any cost, and has borrowed text books from the Dunn School in order to teach his three children the elementary basis of education. Mrs. Miles approves heartily.

Miles, who has lived in Scurry County a number of years, saw 12 months of service in France, and stated the shell holes along front line trenches were not half deep enough when bullets from "them ole 77's came whizzing through the tree tops."

The colored man ran away from home when 15 years old, and first worked on a ranch as a bronc buster. He plans, however, to be so good to his own boy that he will never feel the urge to leave home and bump against the many stumps along life's changing thoroughfare.

W. W. Merritt Home on Furlough

Staff Sergeant W. W. Merritt of Gardner Field, Taft, California, arrived Thursday on furlough for a visit with his father, Joe Merritt of Pleasant Hill, and other relatives.

A graduate of Snyder High School, Merritt joined the U. S. Air Corps at San Antonio in September, 1940, as a typist. The Pleasant Hill community youth is now doing clerical work and says he has not missed a single copy of The Times since entering the air corps.

Penney's Doing Normal Business.

Manager H. L. Vann of the J. C. Penney Company store reports the repair job going on at the store is now to the point normal business has been resumed. Interior paint job, new front and new rugs upstairs constitute part of the repairs being made in the C. S. Perkins building.

PRACTICES OF NEW AAA PLAN ARE RELEASED

Regulations of Grazing, Grains and Soil Fertility Growths Included In Government Provisions

Explaining major provisions of the 1942 Triple A program, Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for the AAA, gives these pointers for the mutual benefit of county farmers:

"Twenty per cent of the total cultivated acres in a farm must be devoted exclusively throughout the 1942 crop year, in accordance with good farming practices, to the following and other crops and land uses listed in SRB, 601, Texas AAA Handbook, in order for the producer to receive 100 per cent of the special crop payments this year:

"Sudan for grazing must be close seeded in rows not to exceed 42 inches in width. Two rows of sudan and one row skipped, or two rows of sudan and two rows skipped will not qualify as conserving acreage.

"Millet for pasture must be close seeded.

"Sweet sorghum cut green for hay must be seeded in rows not to exceed 42 inches in width, with every row seeded. All of this acreage may be cut green for hay—provided a stubble of 12 inches or more is left on the land.

"Protected summer fallow.

"When peas are planted, a good stand must be plowed under on land that would not be made more subject to erosion by reason of the fact that crops are plowed under. A good growth means a growth which would justify harvest for a feed crop. If on land that would be more subject to erosion by plowing crops under, the peas must be left on the land.

"If a producer breaks out new land in 1942," Cotten concludes, "this land will not qualify as the 20 per cent minimum conserving acreage regardless of the crops or land uses."

Borden Courthouse Wired.

Borden County officials announced Tuesday that the Ashley Electric Company of Lamesa has completed wiring of the new Borden County courthouse at Gail. County commissioners of the county, who pushed the wiring project, deserve a good amount of credit for the job, Borden County people say.

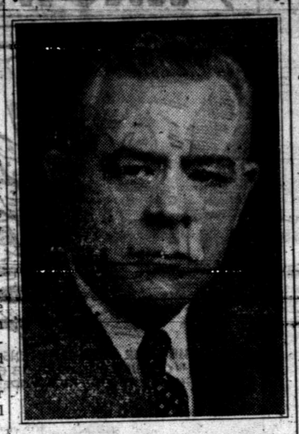
Dermott Boy's Steer Wins at Plains Show

Entry of Clarence Mason, Dermott community youth, placed fourth Tuesday in the steer class, 850 pounds up, held as a part of the twelfth annual South Plains Junior Livestock Show at Lubbock.

Mason was the only Scurry County boy to cop an entry place in the Lubbock show, which attracted entries from all parts of West Texas. Troy Overman of Whiteface exhibited the grand champion steer of the show. Judging was done by W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department at Texas Tech College.

Dorothy Simmons of Snyder, who is attending Draughon's Business College, Abilene, is among the high ranking students whose names appear on the honor roll this term.

Scrap Leader



George C. Gibbons of Dallas, recently named regional director of the War Production Board, this week issued an appeal to oil operators and individuals of Scurry County to concentrate all efforts to getting scrap iron and metal into defense channels. Gibbons is vice president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, and says the Texas oil industry has already contributed 65,000,000 pounds of scrap to the war effort.

Milton Bodzin Gets Chemical Warfare Berth in Maryland

Milton Bodzin, former manager of The Fair Store here, has been known as Private Bodzin since his recent induction into the service. Bodzin left for the army from Colorado City, his home before moving to Snyder, late in February. He is now stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland.

The former local store manager writes: "Strict military censorships prohibit revealing details of my work here, however I can say that I am training for chemical warfare service, attached to an aviation corps. As far as I can learn, I am the only Snyderite here, and it's plenty lonesome. Slight injury to both legs since I've been here will necessitate minor surgery within the next 10 days.

"Rains here at least six days a week, and all the people are Republicans—some country. Best regards to The Times force and my other friends there."

New B. A. Moore Ranch Home Boasts Modern Features

One of the show places of Northwest Scurry County, when completed, will be the six-room home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore, under construction four miles north of Dermott.

Mr. Moore states they are following "ranch style" as much as possible in building their home, which will have hardwood floors, a three-piece bath unit, butane gas system and other conveniences.

An attractive feature of the Moore residence will be the porch, with concrete floor, that runs almost the length of the house. The porch, Mrs. Moore states, will be screened.

Kitchen of the ranch home has built-in cabinet equipment, an electric refrigerator, butane gas stove and plenty of light. The Moores at present are utilizing a windcharger to supply electricity, which they find satisfactory.

Moore, who operates a farm and ranch spread of 1,780 acres, attributes much of his success to breeding and raising good Hereford cattle.

The long-time county residents are building a 6 by 12-foot brooder house, a 12 by 20-foot garage with concrete floor, and will move their old ranch house some distance from their new home to serve as headquarters for ranch and farm hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore are planting shade trees around their home, and have mapped plans for a home orchard.

Program for Visit of Governor Shaping

It isn't very often the governor of Texas visits Snyder, you know, so considerable importance is attached to Governor Coke R. Stevenson's forthcoming visit here June 1 from 11:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

Stevenson will be here on an important mission, Representative Pat Bullock states, and announcement concerning program of welcome will be mapped next week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Elza left Saturday for a vacation visit with relatives in Temple and other points in that vicinity. The two will be away probably three weeks.

SNYDER FIRE BOYS WIN FIRST PRIZE IN RACE

Time of 23 Seconds Racked Up by Locals in Pumper Contest at Colorado City Confab

Snyder's Volunteer Fire Department did not cop all the prizes last Thursday afternoon at the Midwest Fireman's Association convention in Colorado City, but the department brought back first place—and a $10 cash prize—in the pumper race.

The Snyder fire boys marked up a time of 23 seconds to win first in the pumper race. This figure was 10 seconds above the 33-second mark made by Baird for second place honors.

The Snyder boys lost out in the six-man hook-up event, due to faulty connection with a hose nozzle.

N. W. Autry, Midwest president, presided over the business session that began last Thursday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

Program speakers included Olin Culberson, state railroad commissioner; Bane Satterfield, chairman of the state Fireman's Relief Society; Rev. Hubert C. Travis of Snyder, Midwest chaplain; Hugh Nation of Crosbyton, a vice president of the state fireman's organization; Chief Chester Cheery of Ballinger and others.

Autry reports Baird emerged as successful bidder for the fall Midwest convention, which will be held in the Callahan County capital in October.

Besides Snyder, other Midwest towns represented at the Colorado City gathering incuded Loraine, Albany, Baird, Cisco, Merkel, Hamlin and the host place.

Following the business session and races, a feed for firemen and their ladeis was staged by the Colorado City Fire Department. A dance was given last Thursday evening at the American Legion hut for attending firemen.

In addition to Autry, chief of the Snyder Volunteer Fire Department, other Snyder fire boys who attended the convention included: E. J. Bradbury, Doc Bynum, J. M. Newton, Howell McClinton, Roy Porter, S. R. Butts, Buddy Martin, Clifton Gilmore, Ollie Blodgett, and Rev. Hubert C. Travis, Midwest chaplain. Several wives of Snyder firemen also attended the convention, and were entertained with features sponsored by wives of Colorado City's firemen.

Horse Races Added To Bill of Fare at Gail Show Monday

Members of the rodeo committee for Borden County's 4-H Club Livestock Show and Rodeo Monday announce a series of horse races as a special attraction of the all-day festivities.

The horse races, slated for staging Monday afternoon, will include the half-mile race, the quarter-mile and the tournament races.

This feature of the animal livestock show and rodeo is attracting considerable attention in Scurry, Borden and Garza Counties, since horse races are unusual in county rodeos.

Clyde Miller, Clayton Stewart and Dewey Everett, members of the committee in charge of the races, state a string of roping stock from Wichita Falls has been secured for the rodeo, besides animals secured in Borden County.

Producers Mailed Cards to Ascertain Production Goals

Attaches at the county AAA office announced Tuesday that Scurry County's 1,500 producers will be mailed questionnaires within the next few days in the form of cards, which should be filled out and returned to the county Triple A office immediately.

The questionnaire cards contain questions about intended 1942 farm operations. These include milk cows to be on the farm, milk to be produced, hogs to be slaughtered, gardens, peanuts and cotton production.

"It is very essential," county AAA officials say, "that the cards be filled out accurately and returned, 100 per cent, to the county office. The cards require no postage, and are vitally needed to determine whether farmers will reach their 1942 production goals."

Fellers, Get Yer Shootin' Irons Ready—It's Rattlesnake Season

Happy days are ahead, Mr. Snyder or Scurry County Sportsman, if you want the biggest game the county has to offer without restricted seasons.

Such game, of course, is provided in the form of rattlesnakes, which are beginning to bestir themselves from dens and prairie dog holes, and are sunning these warm afternoons.

Sport of rattlesnake hunting is provided with some risks, however, for amateurs, and the best policy for those not familiar with the business of hunting rattlesnakes is to secure the services of a seasoned hunter before ambling too far afield. Here are some tips that might help:

Never pour salt on the tail of a rattlesnake with the idea you can catch him. Most rattlers can jump twice their length, and can bite a person before one hardly realizes what's happening.

Always keep to the "windward" side of rattlers. You can get quite sick, remember, when a draft of wind brings the scent of snake venom to your nostrils.

Do not attempt to catch rattlesnakes with a forked stick. Leave that to experts, as well as extracting fangs of the "belly winders."

Just because a rattler has had its fangs extracted, don't forget that the fangs grow back within a few weeks.

After you have made a kill, and decided to keep the rattles and button of a snake, it never hurts to wash the rattles in either white gasoline or alcohol to neutralize any venom that might be on the rattles.

If you're seeking a good spot for rattlesnake hunting over the week-end, why not try the MacKenzie Mountains in Scurry's northwest corner, any of the hills around Fluvanna, the A. P. Gannaway Ranch or Lee Sturdivant place northeast of Hermleigh, the Lay Powell Ranch (formerly the 18 Ranch) east of Pyron, or any of the broken country south of Midway on the Clear Fork—just to mention a few places where the snakes can be found.

Jack Mathison Gets Job at Naval Station

According to information received Tuesday, Jack Q. Mathison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mathison, has been hired at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, as a helper-trainee at $120 monthly.

Young Mathison has been employed by the Corpus Christi National Youth Administration work center, and progressed rapidly through naval air station work and attended related training classes at night.

Swan Soap Samplers In Snyder This Week

W. W. Keturakat, campaign manager for Swan Soap, is heading a crew which has been at work this week in Scurry County to introduce the new product.

Junior Salesman Horton is here with a crew of sample men, and supplies for distribution to Scurry County homes. Levy Brothers, manufacturers of the new Swan soap, are relying on newspaper advertising to put their product into this trade area.

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How this oil with its modern synthetics—man-made betterments—triumphed in the Certified Death Valley Test. Why it out-mileaged five others more than 2 to 1 . . .

A PEBBLE starting an avalanche that wrecks a town can illustrate one big thing to you about getting full mileage from your oil change this Spring. (Spring change is a serious "must," all authorities warn you.)

Now folks in the hills take care not to give pebbles any start. And by changing to Conoco Nth motor oil you are taking care not to let thickening mush get a start in your crankcase. The added modern synthetic . . . man-made *Thialkene inhibitor* in Conoco Nth . . . is aimed to inhibit or ward off the very start of bad "jelling" that often drags down mileage these days.

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RAMBLING THRU SCURRY COUNTY

With the Outside Man

Driving in from a day's work in the country we picked up a small boy who proved to be quite a talker. We asked if his folks were subscribers to The Scurry County Times. His reply was that they did not take that paper, but were subscribers to the Snyder paper. . . . Questioning a well groomed young man, a tall, dark and handsome fellow, what he was doing for the good of the country we got this reply: "I've just been out turning corners on two wheels in order to save rubber."

The Outside Man is indebted to Pete Brady, one of Scurry's most substantial citizens and former Snyder business man, for some old issues of newspapers published in Snyder as far back as 1903. From an issue of The Western Light dated April 17, 1903, we quote from an ad of the Big Cash Store and, managed by J. O. Dodson, a few of the prices on shoes. Compare these prices with prices of today: The Brown Shoe Company's Queen Bee shoes reduced from $2.25 to $1.35; the same company's Hamilton shoe reduced from $1.50 to 90 cents.

Another ad that some of the old-timers who traveled "hack" route might remember is that of the Jones & Ellis daily hack line to Colorado City. The fare for riding this luxurious liner was $1.50 one way or $2.50 for the round trip.

So far as we are able to learn, the only business remaining in Snyder today that was represented in The Western Light at that time is the barber shop of Jim Lockhart, located on Avenue R. Lockhart can relate many interesting happenings of the early days in Scurry County, and telling of a wolf hunt of days gone by he made it so exciting that we could picture ourselves riding a mustang and taking part in the chase.

Turning the pages from 1903 to the good year 1942, let's see what some of our rural friends are doing since the tractor has pushed old Beck and Judy to the background.

Albert Bills and his good wife are making their farm pay. Enough eggs have been marketed through the winter to pay the grocery bill, and when the 300 baby chicks are a few months old they will be put on the profit list also. Wool from the sheep will be another source of income and the five head of hogs he is feeding out will bring a sizeable check. Diversification pays dividends on the farm.

We called at the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Berry, a few miles south of town, and learned they depend on The Times to keep them posted as to what is happening in Scurry. The daughters, Evelyn, graduate of Snyder High School of the 1941 class, and Bernadine, a senior, plan to attend college in the near future.

It was Saturday morning when we stopped to meet T. B. Bownds, principal of the Independence School, and found him on hands and knees digging in a flower bed. The school man is a bee enthusiast and has 18 hives. He told us about some pedigreed queen bees, but since they were of the Italian variety we didn't think too much of them. He says bees are a fine thing for the farm and pay well for the trouble and expense involved. The professor is a likeable fellow and we hope to get better acquainted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore are on the farm owned by their son, Clarence E. Moore. Considerable improving is underway on the place. One might say that an old house is being made into a new one. New wall paper and paint will do wonders when applied properly, and these people seem to know how to do the job. A new windmill furnishes the water supply and rebuilt chicken houses will provide comfort for the laying hens.

Jersey giant chickens are the pride of the Ross Beeman farm, and from what they say the hens are excellent layers. Mrs. Beeman had just received 100 baby chicks of the same variety, and paid the handsome sum of $23.90 for the lot. Beeman planted caster beans about the chicken houses and says he tried to find a market for about 1,000 pounds of beans from his planting. If you need caster beans, get in touch with him.

Patsy Ann, the little curly-headed tot of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson, took great delight in telling us about her shaggy puppy. We are sending them a few sample copies of The Times, and of course it won't be long until they are regular readers.

A few years ago the Outside Man had occasion to have dealings with a Catholic priest, and we had heard of his punctuality in keeping appointments. In one instance, he promised to see us at 3:15 p. m. a week from then. We jotted down the time. He missed his appointment four minutes. . . . Now, what we are driving at is the fact that a number of people whom we have called upon have promised to come in and subscribe. Many of them have kept their word. W. D. James, a jovial young farmer, was one that did not forget what he said. He was in the office Saturday. Sam Williams, another West Texan anyone would like, is another. Thanks, fellows, for all of you who have favored us in this manner.

Some fine horses at the John Fisher place almost made us want to trade our Chevrolet for a saddle horse.

Carlos Ray, two-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Amos, is the center of attraction at their home. He is a very pretty and attractive baby, just like his - - - father.

Four sons in defense work is the record for a Scurry County family, so far as we know. J. P., Melvis, Buck and Othal Ellis, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ellis, are all doing their part in building equipment for Uncle Sam's forces. The Ellises are strong in their praise for poultry on the farm, and were incubating 1,200 eggs at the time we called.

Among many other new readers of The Times, the F. P. Kelleys will receive the paper in the future. Kelley has two brothers in the U. S. armed forces, Gordon Kelley stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington, and Frank Kelley with the coast artillery in the Canal Zone.

Two bantam hens mothering 41 baby chicks each is quite a job for so small a bird. The hens and chicks are owned by Mr. and Mrs. James T. Walker, and they are quite proud of their two broods. H. B. Walker, well known in Scurry County and brother to James, is in the air corps and stationed at a field near Savannah, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Holder are among new readers of The Times, and here's hoping they enjoy every copy they receive. These fine people showed deep concern for their son, J. N. Jr., member of the 31st Field Artillery, which was supposed to have seen action in the Java conflict. The last word from their son was sent from Java some time ago. We trust that no news is good news and that the son is unhurt and well.

Billy Lightfoot, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lightfoot, is a member of the coast artillery and stationed in California. Perhaps he is a gunner and awaiting the time to swing his big gun in position and take a pot shot at a yellow livered pilot, or a sneaking Jap or Nazi submarine. We know Billy means business since he wrote his mother he is buying defense stamps out of his small earnings. Myrle, a daughter of the Lightfoots, has just completed a course in airplane work at a Dallas school.

Agent Says War On Insects Needed In County Flocks

Arrival of warmer weather has caused insect pests on poultry to become increasingly active, Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, says, and county poultry raisers are urged to practice proper control measures if they want to keep shipping 900 cases of eggs monthly from Scurry County.

The two most prevalent insects now are mites and lice, the county agent declares.

Lice are almost universally present in flocks of chickens, Hyman says. They spend their entire life upon the birds where the eggs are laid and hatched. Sodium fluoride is used most universally for eradication. It may be used by distributing 10 to 20 pinches in the birds' plumage, or as a dip by mixing one ounce to one gallon of water, but the most popular method among Scurry poultrymen is the dust bath.

A dust bath box is made about four feet square and six to 12 inches deep. This box is filled with a mixture of one-half sand and one-half wood ashes, by measure, and one pound sodium fluoride sprinkled over the top of the sand and ashes. Birds when given access to this dust bath are usually found to be comparatively free of lice. This mixture should be renewed each three months, the county agent continues.

Mites are one of the most destructive pests with which the poultrymen have to contend. These mites inhabit the house, but more especially the roosts and surrounding walls.

The first step is to clean the house thoroughly. The secret of controlling mites is to get there first. An early and thorough spring painting of the roosts, nests, floors and walls with a mixture of three parts kerosene to one part carbolineum eliminates the need of many later treatments. The dust bath, as recommended for lice, is also effective in control of mites.

These insect parasites will lower egg production and their control will pay dividends, Hyman concludes.

Demand Heavy for Cotton as Market at 13-Year High Mark

With cotton hanging around the 20-cent level, here are some facts, Mr. Scurry County Farmer, that should interest you—facts given by the U. S. Department of Agriculture:

Cotton mills are spinning at an all-time record speed, due to heavy military and civilian requirements. The cotton industry is now taking care of textile demands formerly filled by imported fibers.

You will be interested, also, in the fact approximately 65 per cent of our cotton mill output is going for military and defense uses.

Cotton prices are hovering around a 13-year high, so you can profit, accordingly, by planting medium or long staple cotton. This cotton will be urgently needed by America's war machine, and brightness of the entire picture is revealed when one considers very little cotton is being spun in Axis-controlled countries because of lost imports.

Fluvanna FFA Collects Metal.

Webb Jones, Fluvanna School vocational agriculture instructor, reports members of the Fluvanna Future Farmers of America chapter collected scrap paper last week as their contribution to Civilian Defense Clean-Up Week. Total of 800 pounds in discarded paper, cardboard and magazines were gathered by the Fluvanna boys in their community-wide campaign.

Judge: "Come now, you really don't think he meant to put your eye out?"

Pat: "No, I don't, but I do believe he tried to put it further in."

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS



Increase of 49 Shown In Car Registrations

Reversing a trend evident in several other counties of this trade area, Herman Darby, county tax assessor-collector, reports final tabulations indicate that sale of 1942 passenger license plates pulled out 49 tallies ahead of 1941 figures.

Final compilation of 1942 automobile license plates reveals 2,099 sets of "tags" were put over the counter, compared with 2,050 sets of plates in 1941.

Total of 250 farm vehicles were registered through Saturday at the assessor-collector's office, and 163 commercial vehicles.

Attaches at the assessor-collector's office report a few motorists are still having difficulty in securing certificates of title for their vehicles, but must have the necessary document before "tags" can be issued.

Juniors to Give Play At Fluvanna April 10

Myrl Gary, director, announced this week that Friday evening, April 10, has been selected as date for presentation of the junior class play, "The Haunted Castle," at Fluvanna.

The Fluvanna class play will be presented in the northwest county school auditorium, and proceeds will be used to help finance the junior-senior banquet, which will be staged at Snyder in the Manhattan Hotel. week's Times.

Measles Epidemic Is Worst in Many Years

The State Department of Health reported Monday that the present epidemic of measles, encompassing numerous cases in communities of Scurry, Fisher and other counties of this area, constitute the greatest "in the history of reporting in the state."

There is no sign of waning, the department announced, except where the epidemic has "burned itself out" in the lower South Plains. New areas, with at least one case to each 1,000 population, are in populous Central and Gulf Coast areas, reports to the department reveal. Deaths of children now are occurring from the disease.

The situation is almost as bad with mumps, the report added.

Be sure: That all you say is true.

Claude Cox Back on Job at Pollard Plant

T. W. Pollard, operator of Pollard Motor Company west of the highway bridge on Highway 1[illegible], announces this week that Claude Cox, veteran Scurry County mechanic, has assumed charge of the repair shop in the Pollard garage, and is prepared to do all types of automobile repairing and overhaul work.

Cox has been associated with Scurry County repair shops the past 16 years, and recently returned from New Mexico, where he had been located a year.

The origin of the name "Alamo" is unknown. According to one legend, the Alamo took its name from a grove of trees [illegible], once [illegible] means poplar or cottonwood. Another story tells that the Alamo was named for a group of soldiers bearing the name, quartered there.

INSURANCE . . .
Fire—Hail—Windstorm
Charles J. Lewis
North of Fair Store

HAVE YOUR CHILDREN BEEN ENUMERATED?

Scholastic census enumerators are working on the 1942 census within the Snyder Independent School District and cooperation of the parents of children within the school age limits are urged to give the workers their full cooperation. State Aid appropriations are based on the count of the

SCHOLASTIC CENSUS

and if our school is to get the financial assistance from the State that it needs, every child in the District ought to be counted. The census rolls must be completed within the next few days.

If your children have not been enumerated, will you please get in touch with County Superintendent A. A. Bullock in the Courthouse.

THANKS!

Snyder Ind. District School Board

KEEP YOUR TRACTOR ROLLING—

We have special tractor tire vulcanizing equipment that permits us to repair Tractor Tires by Firestone factory methods.

Bring in your big tractor tires to us—and we can put many miles of service into casings that have breaks and holes. Costs are reasonable.

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6 Check Clutch, Transmission, Rear Axle
7 Check Cooling System
8 Protect and Preserve Finish

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Behind every American fighting man, behind every tank, airplane, ship, jeep and truck are hours of work by American factory workers whose output is multiplied and speeded by electric power. Because of past years of preparation, factories were ready and electric power was ready to do a real job when the supreme test came.

Providing power to these industries and electricity for army camps and aviation centers is our No. 1 job these days, and we are devoting all-out efforts to this job.



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Political Announcements

Announcement rates (cash in advance):
City offices—$7.50.
Precinct offices—$10.00.
County offices—$15.00.
District offices—$25.00.

The Times has been authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the democratic primary, July 25:

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

For Attorney, 32nd District—
TRUETT BARBER

For Clerk of District Court:
MRS. E. E. WEATHERSBEE

For County Judge:
STERLING WILLIAMS
C. F. SENTELL
A. J. CODY

For County Superintendent—
RUFUS E. MIZE
SILAS DEVENPORT
J. M. GLASS
MRS. GASTON BROCK

For Sheriff:
DEE ROBISON
J. A. (LON) FOWLER
CLYDE THOMAS
JOHN LYNCH
ROBERT H. WELLBORN

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MOLLIE PINKERTON

For County Clerk—
J. P. (Jimmie) BILLINGSLEY

For Tax Assessor-Collector—
EDGAR TAYLOR

For County Attorney—
BEN F. THORPE

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1—
R. L. (Bob) TERRY
WALTER HOLMES
EDWARD Y. THOMPSON
EDGAR WILSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—
LITTLE WESTBROOK
T. B. KNIGHT
B. S. (Byron) PITNER
J. W. JENNINGS
WELDON JOHNSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2—
JOHN P. CARGILE
F. J. (Jones) CHAPMAN
CHARLEY BLEY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—
J. W. W. (Pat) PATTERSON
R. E. ADAMS
S. E. McCOWEN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
WORLEY EARLY
SCHLEY ADAMS
ROSS WILLIAMS
WALTER BISHOP
D. E. WATSON

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1—
P. E. DAVENPORT

Pleasant Hill to Host Singers of County

Attention of gospel singers and song lovers in Scurry and adjacent counties is directed this week to Pleasant Hill, which will be host Saturday evening, April 25, and Sunday, April 26, to the Scurry County Singing Convention.

J. M. Glass, convention president, says initial convention session will begin Saturday evening, April 25, at 8:15 o'clock. Class and speciality singing will be featured in all sessions.

Ben W. Newhouse of Hermleigh, convention vice president, and Leon Guinn, secretary, report program for the song festival is being arranged, with several quartets in this area secured for the Sunday sessions.

The Sunday morning session will begin at 10:00 o'clock. J. A. Merritt has promised the use of the new piano at Pleasant Hill for the occasion.

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26 Tire Approvals Issued Tuesday by Rationing Board

Issuance of approval certificates Tuesday for 12 farm tractor tires, three tractor tubes and 14 retread jobs on tires was announced Tuesday afternoon by Scurry County's Ration Board.

Certificates of approval for tractor tires went to:

Thurman Allen, Route 2, two tractor tires, 7:00x18; Sam B. Chorn, Route 2, two tractor tires, 5:00x15; Dean Smith, Route 1, Hermleigh, two tractor tires, 5:50x15, and two tractor tubes, 5:50x16; Joe M. Parks, Arah, two tractor tires, 5:50x15; Bart Branson, Knapp, two 5:50x16 tractor tires; Willie Kubena, Route 2, Hermleigh, one tractor tire, 6:00x16, and one tractor tube, 6:00x16; and R. L. Deere, Fluvanna, one tractor tire, 9:00x36.

Approval for retread jobs went to the following:

Jesse J. Koonsman, Route 2, three six-ply passenger type tires, 6:50x16; Hugh Birdwell, four passenger type tires, 6:00x16;

John L. Webb, two passenger type tires, 6:00x16; M. Fickas Bell, four passenger type tires, 6:00x16; and Victor Longbotham, Hermleigh, one truck type tire, 6:50x16.

Willie L. Turner of Dunn was issued a certificate of approval for one new passenger type tire, size 6:00x16.

Sheep Men Will Attend Saturday School on Wool

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, will head a delegation of Scurry County sheep men who will attend a wool school Saturday at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Hyman reported Tuesday afternoon that some 15 or 20 county sheep raisers have tentatively accepted invitations to attend the Saturday school at Texas Tech, which gets underway at 10:00 a. m.

K. J. Edwards, District 2 agent, states program subjects at the wool school will include government rules affecting prices, wool grading, hints for healthy sheep and sheep management in this trade area.

Representatives of Texas Tech College and the animal husbandry department, A. & M. College, will discuss phases of sheep raising, Hyman states, that will mean profit to each Scurry County sheep man who attends.

Reports from Garza and Borden Counties indicate that good sized delegations of sheep growers from both counties will attend the Lubbock conclave.

Best Thanks Voters For Marshal Support

To Snyder Voters:

I want to take this means of thanking you for the fine vote you gave me in Tuesday's city election, and pledge you my best efforts to make you a good city marshal during the months ahead.

My opponents ran good, clean races, and I want to offer them my sincere appreciation for keeping the marshal's race on an above-board level throughout.

Please feel free at any time to consult with me, and be assured that I am at your command to keep law and order in Snyder. With warm personal regards to all, I am,

Respectfully yours,
1p SIMON BEST.

Stock Pens Erected By Boss Baze on 23rd

A. B. (Boss) Baze announces this week the completion of new stock pens, feeding pens and barns near the Wooten Wholesale house on 23rd Street.

Baze has a nice string of young, springer cows on hand, and asks the public to drop by for an inspection visit. He will handle cattle and livestock, and has ample feeding and loading facilities to meet any need.



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SEED GRAINS NEED TESTING SAYS HYMAN

Low Germination and Presence of Smut Make Trials of Samples Important to Growers

Due to the fact a considerable volume of planting seed is dangerously low in germination tests, County Agent Edward S. Hyman urges the county's 1,500 farmers to treat all feed planting seed that is high in germination testings for smut.

Kernel smut in maize, kaffir, red top and other sorghums can easily be controlled by treatment of seed with organic dusts, the county agent declares. Sorghum smut for example, can be controlled with copper carbonate when applied at the rate of two to four ounces per bushel. Each seed must be coated with copper carbonate if effective control is to be secured.

Kernel smut of sorghums has also been very satisfactorily controlled by dusting the seed with ordinary sulphur, using two or three ounces per bushel. Sulphur in no way injures the germination of the seed and effectually kills the smut spores borne on the outside of the seed, which are carriers of the disease, the county agent asserts.

New improved ceresan may be used to treat sorghum seed but certain precautions must be taken when this fungicide is used. It should be applied only at the rate recommended by the manufacturer. Seed should be treated not more than two or three days in advance of planting. Failure to follow these precautions during the past few years has resulted in ruining a lot of good planting seed and convincing many farmers in the sorghum growing region that they do not want to treat their seed.

Seed have been overtreated or treated too far in advance of planting and the germination and seedling have been ruined. Short, stubby sprouts emerge from the seed and then die, resulting in a loss of stand. In overtreatment the chemicals penetrate the seed and interfere with cell division, causes deformities and finally kills the seedlings. Hegari, kaffir and sumac seed which had been overtreated with ceresan by farmers were examined last year and this typical reaction was found.

Smut can easily cause large losses in the sorghum grain crop and farmers who have had bad experience with seed treatment such as indicated above should not fail to treat their seed properly in the future. With priorities on the use of copper it may, together with chemicals for use in seed disinfectants, become difficult to obtain.

Experiments at the Kansas experiment station, farther north in the sorghum region where smut is more of a problem than it is in Texas, have shown that sulphur dust is effective in controlling kernel smut. Sulphur in the finer dusting forms is best and the cost is even lower than the commercial chemical dust, Hyman emphasizes.

Fluvanna Juniors To Present Ghost Play Friday Eve

Friday evening, beginning at 8:15 o'clock, the junior class of Fluvanna School will present its annual junior play in the high school auditorium, "The Haunted Castle," which is said to be a spine tingler throughout.

Theme of the production is built around the mythical country of Saxony. Tommy Barksdale inherits the old castle from his uncle, Alexis von Cluck. Tommy and his American friend, Johnny, soon find themselves in complicated situations—with ghosts, hooded figures and mysterious voices confronting them.

Matters grow worse when Tommy is asked to marry a girl he has never seen, and the climax is reached when a ghost forbids the marriage and Tommy's aunt forces the issue.

Cast of characters follow:

Weldon Miller, Tommy. Barksdale; Paul Mariner, Johnny Nolan; Geraldine Landrum, Aunt Martha; Barnie Greenfield, Fritz von Bismarkus;

Wanda Mears, Eloisa; Garlan Freeman, Manfred; Jeanne Miller, the Duchess; Clifford McKnight, Rinaldo; Weldon Ball, the Peasant; and Minnie Sue Landrum, Miss Take.

FSA Business to Go To Amarillo Office

First official visits of new regional heads to the local Farm Security Administration office came Wednesday. Shortly before the local FSA was changed from the Dallas Region 8 to Amarillo Area 12, official business will be sent to Amarillo hereafter.

The visiting officials were Henry Wilkinson, state director; Kay Meese, assistant regional director; Mrs. Ruby D. Mathews, associate state director; Charlie Richter, district supervisor; and Roberta Martin, district home management supervisor.

Ruth Wiman Elected H. E. Teacher at Ira

Election of Ruth Wiman as home economics teacher at Ira School for the 1942-43 term was announced this week by the Ira school board.

Miss Wiman, home economics instructor at Robertson, is a graduate of Texas Tech College, Lubbock, and has taught two years. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Wiman of Roscoe.

Mrs. T. M. Maples Dies Tuesday at Home in Graham

Mrs. T. M. Maples, 71-year-old former Scurry County resident who attended Snyder Schools in the 1890's, and spent her girlhood in Snyder, died Tuesday morning, 9:14 o'clock, at her home in Graham following a three-month period of declining health.

Born Julia Ann Ellis March 18, 1871, at Menard, the early day Scurry County woman first moved as a small girl with her parents to the present site of Fort Worth, where her father taught school several years.

When her parents moved to Scurry County in 1887, they settled in the Lloyd Mountain community on the old Williamson Ranch. Julia Ann Ellis was married August 8, 1891, to T. M. Maples at San Angelo.

The couple observed their golden wedding anniversary August 8, 1941, at their Graham home.

Funeral services for Mrs. Maples will be conducted this (Thursday) afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at Snyder's First Baptist Church.

Rev. H. C. Cole, Methodist pastor at Graham, assisted by Rev. Ira Harrison of Abilene, will officiate.

Survivors include the husband, five daughters, Mrs. Ada Mayfield of Lubbock, Mrs. Ruth Weimhold of Levelland, Mrs. Mae Keith of Lubbock, Mrs. Thelma Anz of Snyder, Mrs. Redah Anz of Abilene; three sons, Max Maples of Longview, Oscar Maples of Snyder, Loran Maples of Graham; two sisters, Mrs. W. T. Baze of Snyder and Mrs. Mary Rinehart of Fort Worth; three brothers, Frank Ellis of Snyder, Jasper Ellis of Flagstaff, Arizona, Med Ellis of El Paso; 12 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Interment will be in Snyder Cemetery near the grave of Mrs. Maples' mother.

45th Army Group Reminds Locals That War Is On

Snyder residents were treated Saturday morning to a sight that served as a grim reminder war clouds are rolling across the troubled lands of Europe in increasing heaviness—part of the 45th Division from Camp Barkeley, Abilene, going to new war-time training centers.

Total of 36 heavy army trucks, loaded with men, supplies and provisions, came across the square in one detachment, accompanied by nine trucks of an anti-aircraft battery and 20 army "Jeep" cars.

Other heavy army equipment included field pieces and units of the medical detachment, 45th Division.

Where the members of the 45th Division were going is, of course, no matter for publication, or for moration among civilians, who might blab military information to enemies of this nation.

Major General William S. Key and officers of the 45th Division state no information concerning the number of men in the units, or names of overnight stops, can be released because of War Department censorship.

The 45th Division has been in training almost 19 months, and the boys, according to one soldier, are "ready to give the enemy hell when we do get there."

Wedding announcements? Times.

Snyder General Hospital

Still in the hospital from previous reports are: Mmes. Ruth Saunders, J. D. Whitfield and W. E. Hassell, and A. J. McClery of Post, all medical patients; and Ilene Sterling, surgery.

Ruth Tarter, ration board secretary, was operated Friday and is still in the hospital. J. E. Rivers of Rotan is a medical patient.

Jo Lacy, seven-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, arrived at the local hospital at 9:45 o'clock Easter Sunday morning. The baby and Mrs. Jones, the former Netha Lynn Rogers, are still in the hospital.

Magnolia Sellers Go To Angelo Meeting

Rip Crenshaw, Clarence Wade and N. W. Autry were in San Angelo Monday evening, where they attended a regional meeting of Magnolia dealers and consignees.

C. A. Dodd of the Dallas Magnolia office was one of the principal program speakers. The Snyder group withessed picture shows in connection with the program and a stage demonstration of service station revamping.

Highway Contract Awarded.

Ernest Lloyd of Fort Worth has been announced as low bidder, at $108,520, for seal coating 98 miles of road in Fisher, Nolan, Howard, Kent, Shackelford, Stonewall, Callahan and Mitchell Counties. Work is expected to begin within the next few days.

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Camp Springs Folks Clean Up Cemetery

Clean-up and reworking of each grave in the Camp Springs Cemetery resulted last Thursday afternoon, following an all-day grave working campaign that attracted people from Snyder, Hermleigh, Eastern Scurry and Western Fisher County points.

All graves were reworked, and bear grass cleared from all vacant lots, as were other types of needless vegetation. Marion Hamilton and M. W. Bavousett report.

Basket dinner was served at the Camp Springs Methodist Church at noon, honor of the community. Donations were taken last Thursday afternoon for construction of necessary outbuildings for the cemetery.

Boren Now First Lieutenant.

William T. (Bill) Boren, oldest son of the Tom A. Borens, is now a first lieutenant in the U. S. army air corps, receiving his promotion just this week. Lieutenant Boren, who is a bomber pilot, is now stationed at Patterson Field, Ohio—moved there recently from Jackson, Mississippi.

On pay day, buy bonds.

March City Building Permits Total $7,000

Transaction of routine business matters and approval of bills marked Monday evening's City Council meeting at the city hall.

Announcement was made that building permits for March amounted to $7,000. Building permits for 1942 to date total $13,350.

Tax collections the past month, councilmen learned, amounted to $185.92 and water collections to $1,696.88.

Bills, totaling $1,596.38, were approved at the council gathering.

S. G. Holladay, city secretary, reported March disbursements amounted to $2,681.22, and receipts the past month reached the $2,790.04 level.

Card Comes From Florida.

Postal card addressed to The Times but meant for "the folks back home" came late last week from three wives of Company G men, who are now training at Camp Blanding, Florida. The card was signed Mrs. Ray Niedecken (formerly Marine Clark), Mrs. Grady Sellers (formerly Georgia Nell Blythe), and Mrs. Ralph Bates (the former Velda Jean Fambro). They say, "Just a line to let our friends at home know we are having a wonderful time in Florida. The camp is a pretty place, everything here is green and blooming and the lake at the camp is more than inviting . . . and yet we are all wishing we were "deep in the heart of Texas." The girls are living at Starke, Florida, a few miles from the camps.

Santa Fe Loadings Still Up.

Officials of the Santa Fe Railway Company announce that carloadings for the week ending April 4 totaled 22,683, compared with 20,407 for the same week in 1941. Received from connections were 9,182 cars, compared with 7,114 for the same week last year.

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Mince Meat	Old Time 9 oz.—3 For	29c
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JUNIOR MILK BONE Extra Fine for Puppies	7½ oz.	12c
Time to Change Oil in Your Car? MOTOR OIL 20, 30, and 40 Weight	Gulf Traffic —2 gal. can	98c
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$1.15 Swamp Root	98c
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$1 Jeris Hair Tonic	69c
$1.50 Lucky Tiger Deal	79c
25c Jergens All Purpose Cream	19c
50c Hinds Honey and Almond Cream	25c
60c Caldwell's Pepsin Laxative	47c
5 grain Aspirin Tablets 1 dozen in Tin box	5c

Landrums Improve Home at Fluvanna Damaged by Hail

"Crater" holes that were left in the roof of the C. E. Landrum home west of Fluvanna June 9, 1941, when the county's most destructive hail storm of last year hit, are completely obliterated as a result of a recoofing job completed early this week at the northwest county residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Landrum, long-time county community boosters, have not only put a new roof on their six-room home, but have repapered all rooms and arranged a new interior decoration scheme.

As a means of illustrating just how much hail damage they have improved, Mr. and Mrs. Landrum harvested only three bales of cotton from 120 acres of cotton land.

The Fluvanna couple is furnishing a son, J. C. Landrum, to the nation's armed forces. J. C. is stationed at Albuquerque, New Mexico, with the U. S. Air Corps, and will receive a second lieutenant's rating in May.

PALACE Theatre

Thursday, April 9—

"The Man Who Came to Dinner"

with Bette Davis, Richard Travis, Monty Woolley and others. News and Comedy.

Friday-Saturday, April 10-11—

"Pacific Blackout"

with Robert Preston, Marth O'Driscoll and others. "Stranger Than Fiction" and Walt Disney Cartoon.

Sat. Night Prevue Only, April 11—

"Man Who Returned To Life"

with John Howard, Lucile Fairbanks, Ruth Ford.

Sunday-Monday, April 12-13—

"Louisiana Purchase"

starring Bob Hope and Vera Zorina with Victor Moore and others. A great picture and all filmed in the latest new Technicolor. News and Novelty.

Tuesday, April 14—

"The Chocolate Soldier"

starring Nelson Eddy and Rise Stevens. News and Cartoon Comedy. Bargain Night. Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, April 15-16—

"They Died with Their Boots On"

starring Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland with big cast. All filmed in newest Technicolor. News.

TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, April 9—

"Father Steps Out"

with Frank Albertson, Jed Prouty, Lorna Day. "Riders of Death Valley" serial, and two-reel Musical Comedy. Bargain Night. Admisdon 11 cents.

Friday-Saturday, April 10-11—

"Raiders of the Range"

starring Bob Steele and Tom Tyler. "Holt of the Secret Service" serial and "Cactus Makes Perfect," starring The Three Stooges.

Wednesday-Thursday, April 15-16—

"Public Enemies"

with Philip Terry, Wendy Barrie, Edgar Kennedy, William Prawley. "Riders of Death Valley" serial and two-reel Comedy. Bargain Nights. Admission 11 cents.

College Students Visit Homefolks During Holidays

College students home for the Easter holidays brought along gaiety to the hometown the past weekend. Most of them returned to school early this week after spending their time at home visiting and in informal entertaining. The Times probably missed several of these students, but we saw the following:

From Tech, students arrived last Wednesday and remained through Monday of this week. These students included Misses Joyce Max West, Jeanne Taylor, Dorothy Winston, Margaret Gray, Leonard V. Gill, Patti Hicks, Buster York and Jean McLaughlin. Jean McLaughlin had guests at the Diamond M Ranch during the holidays.

Kathryn King and Frankie Jo Wilson were home from McMurray College, Abilene, for several days to visit with the W. P. Kings and Frank Wilsons.

Carolyn Dunn, daughter of the J. Nelson Dunns, and Mildred Herod, daughter of the M. C. Herods, were here from Texas State College for Women, where both are students. Carolyn is majoring in foods and Mildred in fine arts.

The LeMond sisters, Louise and Nell Verna, Elsie Murphree and Leon Autry, Hardin-Simmons University students, came in from Abilene for the Easter holidays.

Billie Lou Thompson, only local student in Southwestern University, Georgetown, was here to spend the holidays. Her brother, Whit Thompson, also came home along with Holman Odom. Whit and Holman attend Terrell Military College.

Vivian Chenault and Mary Brown Roberson were home from Trinity University, Waxahachie. Vivian is a senior this year, and she majors in speech arts.

Wilma Terry, D. V. Merritt and Claude Weathersbee, all of whom study at John Tarleton Agricultural College Stephenville, spent the week-end with their parents here.

Rev. Shaw Leads in Denver City Revival

Following conclusion of the Church Loyalty revival Surday evening at the First Baptist Church, Rev. Vernon F. Shaw, pastor, left Monday morning for Denver City, accompanied by J. Lawrence Deavers, to conduct a two-week revival at Denver City.

Rev. Shaw is doing the preaching for the revival underway in the Yoakum County town, and Deavers is directing song services. Rev. Walter Deavers, host pastor, reported Tuesday afternoon that the revival is "getting underway in a fine spirit, with indications of additions to the church and a number of conversions."

Navy Recruiter Will Be in Snyder April 15

S. L. Cooke, recruiting officer in charge of the U. S. navy recruiting substation, Big Spring, announces a recruiting officer will be in Snyder Wednesday, April 15, at 9:00 a. m. to examine and enlist men in the navy and naval reserve.

Cooke, CMM, U. S. Navy Retired, states the navy is needing recruits immediately, and is offering more advantages and opportunities for promotion than at any time in naval history.

PROGRESS REPORT OF SCHOOL AT HERMLEIGH SHOWS FACTS

Increase in Scholastics of District May Force Additional of New Teacher to Next Faculty

A progress report on Hermleigh School, taken from notes gathered by the deputy state superintendent, Anthony Hunt of Abilene, and compiled by A. C. Bishop Jr., Hermleigh School superintendent, follow:

Hermleigh Independent School District, second largest school in the county, is located in the southeastern part of the county and is composed of 101 square miles of territory. The original Hermleigh District was composed of some 25 square miles, but with the consolidations of five surrounding districts it has grown to its present size.

The following districts have consolidated in the past eight years: Bell, Gannaway, German, Sulphur and Strayhorn. Transfer students are received from several districts where the grade is not taught or the district does not maintain a school; namely, China Grove, Independence, Plainview and Lloyd Mountain.

The administration of the school is under a seven-man board of education, who have secured the services of a 12-man faculty headed by Superintendent A. C. Bishop Jr., High School Principal Geral G. Greene and Ward School Principal Rufus E. Mize.

Other faculty members are: Ben W. Newhouse, band; C. B. Bentley, vocational agriculture; Lee D. Herring, coach and social studies; Mrs. Hazel Hanback, high school English; Mrs. Jack Roten, social studies; Joyce Elrod, language arts and speech; Maurine Newman, fine arts; Mrs. Arthur Duff, third grade and home economics; Mrs. Minnie Duncan, primary.

The board of education is composed of: H. C. Campbell, president; P. A. Werner, secretary; Carl Gray, John Floyd, H. A. Wimmer, Luther Fargason and Roy Smith.

Indicative of the recent growth of the school is a modern bus shed and shop, with the school owning its own pumps and tanks for service. A first class gym-auditorium, a two-way inter-communication system, and the addition of a snappy 35-piece band are also late additions.

In the curricular department, credits have been added, according to a recent communication from the state department, after recommendations by Deputy State Superintendent Anthony Hunt, in band, speech and vocational agriculture. With these additional credits, the high school is carrying a total of 24½ credits at the present time. Elementary Spanish was placed in the school at mid-term, and will be offered in 1942-43 in grades three through eight—besides accredited work in high school.

The recently completed school census shows the district to have a slight increase in scholastic population. Enumeration shows 361 whites and 10 colored scholastics. Counting transfers, there is a likelihood of the need for an additional teacher in 1942-43 to take care of the pupil load.

More than two-thirds of the pupils of the district are transported in the four buses owned and operated by the school.

About one-third of the entire enrollment of boys belong to the Boy Scouts of America. Under the direction of Ben W. Newhouse, chief scoutmaster, Lee D. Herring and Rev. S. A. Sifford as assistants, the Boy Scouts meet regularly once a week. An activity of which the entire student body is proud is the daily flag ceremony which is under the direction of the Boy Scouts. Each afternoon at 4:00 o'clock the flag is lowered to taps by the Boy Scouts as the entire student body and faculty stand at attention.

The Girl Reserves, a recent organization under the direction of Maurine Newman and Joyce Elrod, has a membership of some 30 high school girls, and they have recently completed a number of sweaters, which they have knitted for the Red Cross.

In the past two years, the district has cleared up most of the delinquent taxes, and thereby cleared most of the outstanding indebtedness of the district. Recent survey shows the district to be in excellent financial condition in comparison with other schools of the state which operate on a state-aid budget.

Scholastics of County Schools Tabulated

Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, reported Wednesday that scholastic census returns from all common school districts of the county have been received, and are being tabulated this week.

Members of the census taking personnel reveal that splendid cooperation in furnishing information was shown by school patrons in the Snyder district and other districts over the county.

Official scholastic census count for the county is due to be released by Bullock in the near future.

Boy Pianists Play for Lions Club Tuesday

Fair attendance marked Tuesday's Lions Club luncheon, staged in the Manhattan Hotel.

On the entertainment side of the ledger, June Jones played two piano numbers, Paderewski's Minuet in G and Magnolia Blossoms, and Jerry Crumley played Tarentelle, by Denie, and Deep in the Heart of Texas.

"Property losses from fire won't help buy defense bonds," says Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner and fire defense coordinator. "Our best fire defense is fire prevention."

Jesse Browning Hits Stride in Feeding of Fine Hereford Herd

When Jesse Browning, son of John Browning of the Fluvanna community, returned from college his father told him an "understanding would have to be reached if he stayed at home."

Upon inquiry, Jesse discovered that his father was turning over to him the management of the Browning farm and ranch, with strict attention to be paid to feeding out good blooded Hereford cattle.

Jesse, at present, is feeding out 57 Hereford yearlings—some of the finest in this section of the state—and declares ensilage, when mixed with two pounds of cottonseed meal for each head of stock, is one of the best feeds for West Texas.

Jesse also finds that ground bundle stuff, when fed with five to six pounds of grain for each head of livestock, proves excellent for finishing yearlings. The Brownings have 460 tons of feed stored in three underground silos, and are finishing 40 head of feeder pigs for market.

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Mrs. William A. Vaughan Dies of Blood Infection

Mrs. William A. Vaughan, 21, 1938 honor graduate of Fluvanna High School, died early last Thursday morning in a Roscoe hospital, following a several months' critical illness from a sire blood stream infection.

Born September 28, 1920, Mrs. Vaughan was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sneed, prominent Fluvanna ranch couple, and took a prominent part in extra curricular activities during her Fluvanna High School days.

During her senior year at Fluvanna, Mrs. Vaughan was a member of the Curtain Club and pep squad. She was then Mada Ruth Sneed.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the Fluvanna Baptist Church.

Elder E. J. Norman of Wellington, assisted by Rev. T. L. Nipp, Fluvanna Baptist pastor, officiated.

Pallbearers were Horace Carmichael, R. B. Wills, Jess Bley, T. J. Rea, Homer Patterson and Mert Patterson.

Mrs. Rita Dowdy directed floral offerings, with Ina Lou Carmichael, Dot Rea, Myrle Sneed, Arlie Wills, Doris Glynn Wills and Doris Mae Bley as flower bearers.

Mrs. Vaughan had resided in Texarkana until she became ill, where her husband is employed on government construction work.

Surviving are the husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sneed; two brothers, H. D. and Norman Sneed of Fluvanna; and three sisters, Mrs. Bill Drum of Snyder, Mrs. Aubrey Stewart of McAllen and Mrs. James Beckham of Wink.

Maples Funeral Home had charge of funeral arrangements, with interment in Fluvanna Cemetery.

Have you bought Defense Stamps?

Coop Gin Renames Carrell and Angel At Monday Session

Annual stockholders meeting of the Snyder Cooperative Gin was held Monday, with an unusually good attendance of membership.

T. W. Angel was renamed gin manager for the 1942 season, and J. L. Carrell, T. M. Pherigo, O. J. Martin, J. W. Layne and J. B. Adams renamed directors.

Carrel was renamed president of the cooperative orgalnization, J. W. Layne vice president, and T. M. Pherigo, secretary-treasurer.

Good interest was shown by the membership in Monday's gathering, especially when Manager Angel gave a report of the coop's operation.

Reports were given by Angal on income and expense of the Snyder Cooperative Gin, and heartily approved. The manager asked for better cooperation during the 1942 season, and received ample assurances for such cooperation.

Former Snyder Boy Promoted.

Elmer Dorsett, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dorsett of Big Spring and formerly of Snyder, has been advanced to the rate of radioman second class in the U. S. navy, his mother writes The Times. The former Snyder boy is a brother of Mrs. W. A. Wells here. Enlisted in August, 1940, young Dorsett began his training at Corpus Christi, and he was selected to attend the radio school at Indianapolis. At the completion of this 16-week course he received his promotion, increase in pay and rating as a second class petty officer.

Elbie Miller Promoted.

It's Staff Sergeant Elbie H. Miller now, when addressing the former Scurry County boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], who is now stationed at Grenier Field, Manchester, New Hampshire. The recently promoted staff sergeant, graduate of Ira High School, enlisted in the air corps in January, 1941. Since entering the service, he has completed the armament course at the air corps technical school at Lowry Field, Colorado.

Mrs. Veale at Gas Office.

Mrs. Frances Veale, formerly associated with the General Land Office, Austin, became associated today with the Snyder office of Community Natural Gas Company, Manager Roy Porter announces. Mrs. Veale has had considerable experience in bookkeeping and other matters related to the work she is now doing.

Kenneth Snyder of Sweetwater spent Friday and Friday night in Snyder.

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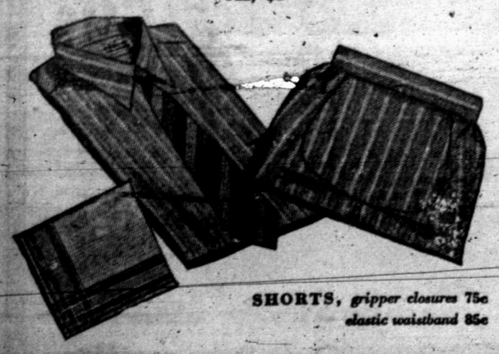
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PERSONALS

Mrs. J. B. Farr, mother of Superintendent E. L. Farr, and Mrs. Tom Farr, both of Collinsville, are visiting here with the local superintendent and daughter, Margaret Jane. Mrs. E. L. Farr is in El Paso, visiting with her sons, Joe and Francis Farr, who are stationed with army forces at Fort Bliss.

Corporal Jay Rogers, attached to the U. S. Air Corps base at Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rogers. Jay, former Times employee and former Company G, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard unit corporal, says his new line of duty for Uncle Sam is proving interesting. He received promotion to corporal's rank last week.

Mrs. Hollis Browning is visiting her parents, the C. N. Firestones, in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. A. M. Curry left Saturday for Midland, where she will be a guest for several days of her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Morton, and family. She attended a Methodist Missionary Society conference there Wednesday as delegate from the local Woman's Society of Christian Service, of which she is president. She plans also to spend a few days with her son, Raynor C. Curry, at Eunice, New Mexico, and Sykes Curry at Hobbs, New Mexico, before returning home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Teague of Amarillo visited here Friday with Teague's cousin, Allene Curry. The two were en route to Dallas from Amarillo, where Teague has been a physical education director in the schools. He is to leave from Dallas for Norfolk as a naval instructor of physical education to work directly under the former heavyweight fight champion of the world, Gene Tunney.

Ola D. Mauldin spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Mrs. Murray Gray of Groom, the former Irene Taylor of Snyder, left Sunday morning, returning there after a week's visit here with her parents, the Sterling Taylors, and the R. L. Grays. The J. C. Morgan family of Austin has also been guests of the Taylors.

Ray Helms, who is in defense work at the North American Aircraft factory in Grand Prairie, spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Helms. He drove the family car back to Grand Prairie.

Martin Koonsman of Abilene, former Scurry County resident and a state law enforcement official, was in Snyder Monday afternoon checking on car thefts and securing information regarding some vehicles that have passed through Scurry County recently.

The W. W. Hulls and Bobby were in DeLeon Wednesday to visit her father, H. P. McGinty, who is suffering from a fractured hip. Mr. McGinty returned home with the local people to spend several days.

Mrs. Clemons McCasland of Cisco, the former Francys Northcutt of Snyder, was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. George Northcutt, and sister, Katherine, teacher in local schools. Mrs. McCasland is a teacher at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce B. Drinkard of Hereford were in Snyder to spend the week-end with the J. S. Lewises and the J. G. Drinkards. Also a week-end guest of the Drinkards was their older son, Victor, who teaches in Odessa Schools.

Mrs. Max Brownfield and children, Bobby Max and Marjorie Kay, of Goldsmith spent the week-end here with the J. W. Scotts and the Donald Ray Scotts.

Mrs. Forstene Graves and Edith Baxter of Odessa were week-end guests of Mrs. Mary B. Shell.

Mrs. S. T. Elza was the guest Monday of last week of little Miss Anita Wedgeworth of Fluvanna.

Melvin Duke of Pecos spent Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. R. E. Duke.

Del Monte FLOOR SHOW



OLD FAVORITES AND — Del Monte FOOD PRODUCTS — NEW STARS FOR SPRING MENUS

WE'RE THANKFUL . . .

Since we came to Snyder two years ago, grocery and meat buyers of Scurry and adjoining counties have given us a liberal portion of their patronage. This week-end we offer you outstanding food values . . . . to show you our deep appreciation for your trade. Buy liberally of these values.

Thrifty MEAT Buys

CARROTS	Fresh 3 Bunches	7c
APPLES, ORANGES, BANANAS	25 for	25c
CABBAGE	Firm Heads Per Pound	2c
Potatoes	No. 1 Idaho Russet Mesh Bags 10 Pounds for	35c
LETTUCE	Firm Heads 3 For	13c
NEW POTATOES	Fresh Dug 4 Pounds	19c
Radishes	Fresh Tender 2 Bunches	5c

BEETS-BELL PEPPER-CELERY
GREEN ONIONS - TOMATOES
TURNIPS & TOPS — SPINACH
SQUASH - STRAWBERRIES
KILN DRIED YAMS-BERMUDA ONIONS

Flour	8-oz. Bottle Vanilla FREE; Light Crust 48 Pound Sack	2.00
MARSHMALLOWS	1-Pound pkgs. 2 For	25c
KRAFT DINNER....9c	3 for	26c
HI-HO Crackers Large Box		19c
Crustene	3 Pound Carton	53c

Del Monte Coffee	Drip or Percolator Pound Can	27c
Del Monte Peaches	Sliced or Halves 2 Tall Cans	29c
Del Monte Fruit Cocktail	Tall Cans 2 For	29c
Del Monte Pineapple	Sliced or Crushed 2 9-Oz. Cans	27c
Del Monte JUICE	Pineapple 2 12-Oz. Cans	21c
Del Monte Catsup	14-Oz. Bottles 2 For	31c
Del Monte JUICE	Tomato 3 13-Oz. Cans	19c
Del Monte CORN	Country Gentleman No. 2 Cans—2 for	29c
Del Monte Pears	Tall Cans 2 For	31c
Del Monte Peas	Early Garden 2 1-lb. Cans	25c
Del Monte Green Beans	No. 1 Cans 2 For	25c
Del Monte Lima Beans	No. 1 Cans 2 For	25c
Del Monte Raisins	Seedless 15-Oz. Pkg.	10c
Del Monte PRUNES	Medium Size 2 Pound Box	22c

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Don't Pass up These MEAT VALUES

Rolled Roast	Choice Prime Rib Per Pound	30c
BEEF ROAST	Chuck or Seven Per Pound	22c
ROAST	Rib or Brisket Lb.	19c
PORK ROAST	Shoulder Lb.	25c
SHANKS	Fresh Pork Lb.	18c
YEAST	Fleishman's 2 for	5c
CHEESE	Cottage 1 lb.	23c
MEAT	Veal Loaf—Pork Added Lb.	20c
SAUSAGE	Pure Pork Lb.	25c
BACON	Sliced—Cellophane Rolls Lb.	25c
BOLOGNA	Sliced or Piece Lb.	15c
CHEESE	Longhorn Lb.	25c
HAMS	Armour's Star Half or Whole Per Pound	35c
CIGARETTES	Popular Brands (Limit) 2 Pkgs. for	29c
Pinto BEANS	No. 1 10 Lbs.	54c
Potted MEAT	Pure 6 cans	25c
SYRUP	Ribbon Cane Gallon	59c
SODA	Arm & Hammer 2 1-lb. pkgs.	13c
CRACKERS	Sun Ray 2-lb. box	19c
BLACKBERRIES	No. 2 Cans 2 for	25c
Spry	PURE VEGETABLE SHORTENING 3 Lb. Can	69c
P&G SOAP	Laundry 10 Bars for	45c
SALMON	Raceland 1-Lb. can	19c
Macaroni or Spaghetti	1 Pound Cello pkg.	5c
SALT	Table 2 Pkgs.	5c

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Read About Your Friends in the Rural Sections of the County

Pleasant Hill News

Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Walker of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Ware and daughters of Sweetwater spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stephens and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart and children.

Margery and Lois Martin of Turner spent Sunday with Barbara Jean and Effie Lou Stewart.

Sergeant Benton of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, was dinner guest in the J. H. Hall home Sunday.

J. S. and G. E. Roof of Cleburne visited their sister, Mrs. Lynn Henderson, and Mr. Henderson last week and attended the funeral of their uncle, Z. P. Gillum.

Jimmie Merritt spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. Mattie Patrick of Snyder.

Sergeant Bud Merritt of Taft, California, is visiting his father, J. A. Merritt, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gillum and daughter are visiting in Yeso, New Mexico.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Worley Early is doing nicely after undergoing an appendix operation in the Young Hospital at Roscoe.

Several from this community attended singing at Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lynn Henderson was in Lamesa Friday, attending an Eastern Star meeting.

The Pleasant Hill community has just finished paying for a new piano for the tabernacle. We wish to extend a cordial invitation to everyone to attend Sunday School and also the Fourth Sunday Singing Convention, to be held here this month.

We extend our greatest sympathy to the relatives and friends of Uncle Zeb Gillum, who passed away last Tuesday evening.

Electric Welding



Complete Blacksmithing service, disc rolling, farm machinery repairs.

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Pyron News

Lucille Kinney, Correspondent

Mrs. L. W. Kimzey left Monday for Fort Worth to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimzey, who formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and son, Laurie Max, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Saturday. They were en route to Arkansas from San Diego, California.

Sunday visitors in the Walter Kinney home were: Mrs. Annie Taylor and grandchildren, Jerry and Virginia Robertson, Mrs. Edgar Wemken and Jackie, and Bobby Roemisch.

Sunday visitors in the M. A. Glass home were: Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Glass and children of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bourland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glass and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Kimzey.

Donald Parker underwent an appendix operation in the Sweetwater hospital Saturday afternoon. He was doing nicely at last report.

Leland Light of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, was visiting his mother Sunday.

Those visiting in the Bettie Light home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Light, Mrs. G. P. Light, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rannafeld of Brownlee, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Light of Plainview, Mrs. O. C. Darden and Laverne and J. R. Light of Plainview.

Mrs. Pred Mize and her mother, Mrs. Maggie Cox, visited relatives in Camp Springs over the week-end.

Mrs. Herns Pettigrew is spending this week with relatives in Justiceburg.

Those who visited in the George Smith home were: Mr. and Mrs. Schley Adams and son, Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Arval Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kinney, Mrs. L. S. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and son, Laurie Max, of San Diego, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mason and children of Hermleigh.

Mrs. W. F. Young, who recently underwent an operation in the Roscoe hospital, is doing nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lofton of White Flat spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Lofton Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Lofton Jr. and children were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Darden.

"Yes, madam, what can I do for you today?"

"I'm going to be married next Tuesday and I would like to get some silk pajamas. What color is appropriate for a bride?"

"White is the preferred color if it is your first marriage and lavendar if you have been married before."

"Well, you'd better give me some white ones with just a wee touch of lavendar in them."

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Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. IRWIN DRUG STORE. 1

Two Champions at Stock Show



Snyder and Scurry County folks who attended the Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show, will recognize Gene Autry, the screen star, holding halter on Arngibbon Reserve, grand champion shorthorn bull of the show. Autry, who was reared on a Texas ranch, is owner of the Flying A Ranch in Oklahoma.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Children of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carrell who were home for the Easter holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carrell of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert and children of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson and daughter of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Luther Holmes and children of Snyder spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Scott.

Sallie Shook of Abilene spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughn visited Mrs. W. H. Lindley of Pleasant Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Starnes and Mrs. Jesse Bunch of Snyder visited in the W. A. Barnett home Sunday.

The Primary Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church gathered at the home of their teacher, Mrs. J. L. Carrell, Sunday afternoon for an Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McHaney and son, Jimmie, of Martin spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McHaney.

David Connell of Lubbock spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wren and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathis and children of Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hogue and son of Brownfield visited the W. B. Lemons family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones and children of Novice visited in this community through the Easter holidays.

German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent

Mrs. Herman Wenetschlaeger and sons, Henry and Jack, left Friday morning to visit with relatives in parts of South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulze had as their dinner guests Easter Sunday their daughter, Alfreida, and George Ruppert of Snyder.

Anita Bartels, who is working in Sinton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bartels. She returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sienberger of Wichita Falls spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hoepfl.

Frank Watzl and daughters, Clara and Annie, were shopping in Sweetwater Thursday afternoon.

Joe Albreight left for Wisconsin after making his home with his niece, Mrs. Emil Schulze, for the past seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schulze had Easter dinner for their children: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wimmer, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darden and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman Jr. and Lilly Mae.

Mrs. Charlie Hilcher and daughted, Anna Bell, were shopping in Sweetwater Thursday.

Lloyd Wemken has been transferred to Duncan Field, San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wimmer Wednesday afternoon.

Annie Schulze of Roscoe spent Monday afternoon at home with her folks.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Dock Chambers has been ill for the past three weeks, and is now in a Roscoe hospital.

Mary Brown Roberson of Waxahachie is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roberson.

Ira Layman of Hermleigh visited Jimmy Charles Chorn over the week-end.

Louise Rea of Hermleigh spent Friday night with Joyce Chambers.

Bill Jordan, who is employed in Lubbock, spent the week-end with his family.

Melvin Foster and family of Lamesa spent the week-end visiting their son, Glen Foster, and other relatives here.

J. B. and Glen Tate went to Colorado Sunday to attend the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Minnie Abernathy, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Will Caffey of Bell, Mrs. Bentley and Mrs. Hanback of Hermleigh, in company with several Snyder women, attended the O. E. S. school of instruction at Lamesa Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gill and children and Mr. and Mrs. Loy Marsh of Bell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swartz of Fisher County.

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reep and children, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Inman, all of Camp Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reep of Hobbs spent Sunday with Mrs. J. J. Koonsman.

Ed Jordan and family of Snyder spent Sunday with Clark Nicks and family.

Darlene Beavers of Abilene spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers.

J. V. Christian spent last week with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holladay of Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haney and son, Don, of Ira spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers.

Dorothy Simmons of Abilene spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Simmons, and son, Kenneth.

Mrs. Luther Morrow and daughters, Betty June and Lete, of Hermleigh spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Dabbs.

Quite a few in this community enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the Raymond Sims home Sunday.

This community is to have a rabbit drive April 14.

Polar News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent

This community received some rain Sunday and Monday, and it is still looking favorable for more rain this (Tuesday) morning.

Dorothy Ball and Lomell Riddle, students in Fluvanna School, spent the week-end in the J. B. Riddle home and entertained Sunday afternoon with an Easter egg hunt. Reta Sue Randolph and Lee Roy Hammitt got the prizes for finding the lucky eggs.

Mrs. R. T. Ramage and children of Snyder spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Zed Randolph and son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sanders and daughter of Snyder spent Sunday with relatives here.

Midway News

Doris Dixon, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Davis of Colorado visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Helms of Rotan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudnall.

Roy Hargrove of Ennis Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Ruth of Snyder visited Friday in the Roy Davis home.

Mrs. Bill Hudnall spent two days last week in Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Mattie Dixon and children visited Mr and Mrs. T. O. Dixon Sunday.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Grady Williams, Mrs. Bill Smith and Mrs. Afe Hudnall.

Jimmie Snowden visited in Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Lay of Hobbs visited Mrs. Snowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Rotan visited their son, Bill Smith, Sunday.

Hobbs School will have its style show Friday night, April 10. Every one is invited.

Thomas and Pearl Dixon made a business trip to Sweetwater Saturday.

We invite every one to our B.T.U. programs Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock.

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Arah News

Mrs. J. H. Langford, Correspondent

The Clinkenbeard brothers who are in the service visited their parents Easter and attended Sunday School at Arah. Earl returned to Florida Monday and J. W. returned to Oklahoma Wednesday.

H. L. Parks is ill.

Mrs. Wills of Snyder has been a guest of Bertha Brannon the past week.

Last week-end Mrs. R. W. West visited her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Langford, and family.

Mrs. Lenoir had as her guest her mother and sister, Mrs. Weems and Johnny Weems, of Snyder, several days ago.

Mrs. J. H. Langford and Mrs. Cecil Parks and Mrs. Joe Clinkenbeard are attending the Red Cross nursing school at Snyder.

Crowder News

Mrs. J. A. McKinney, Correspondent

We have had some rain since the last writing.

Crowder school children and the teachers and parents enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the school house Friday afternoon.

We are glad to report Frita Davis back in school after having scarlet fever. No new cases have been reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson and daughter, Bobby Joyce, of Post visited her parents here Tuesday.

Quite a few of the young folks and children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at the home of Dewey Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ryan returned from a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Robert L. McKinney of Snyder visited in the J. A. McKinney home Thursday.

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WE SELL ALL THREE!

1.—BABY CHICKS—We can help you arrange for High Quality Chicks—they're bred for high production, built to live and grow. Come in.

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3.—SANITATION PRODUCTS—Use Purina Chek-R-Tabs in the drinking water. One tablet to a quart of water kills germs—also acts as a fungacide and a bowel astringent.

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REAL BARGAINS in cockerel chicks at Snyder Hatchery. 41-tfc

DEFENSE STAMPS are available now at your preferred variety store. Call for them at Ben Franklin store. 42-tfc

FOR SALE—600-watt, 32-volt Delco light plant; glass jars, cheap.—Ennis Creek School. 44-2p

HOUSE FULL of radios, priced right.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply, three blocks north of square. 44-tfc

FOR SALE—Nice pen-fed fryers.—Jack Darby. 1c

FOR SALE—Two vegetable cases, one electrically operated. See H. P. Brown. 1c

FOR SALE—Four Jersey cows, three to six years old; good milkers.—Sam Cross, Lloyd Mountain. 1p

FOR SALE—15 good Jersey milk cows.—R. A. Smith, 2½ miles southeast Midway. 45-2p

GOOD MATTRESS for sale. Call at 1612 Avenue R, Mrs. Chesbro. 1p

CROSS TIES—We still have some. See me at 1601 Avenue K.—O. C. Floyd. 1p

FOR SALE—Used Coolerators, used ice refrigerators. We also have used Kelvinator refrigerators for sale or for rent.—King & Brown, Frigidaire dealers. Telephone 18. 10-tfc

PIGS FOR SALE—Lots of them.—J. M. Newton. 1c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Nice, gentle Shetland pony; consider saddle, work horse, calf or what have you.—Pat Bullock. 1c

Real Estate

4% INTEREST on farm and ranch loans, 20 to 34 years time.—Hugh Bowen, secretary-treasurer, Snyder Midland Farm Loan Association. Time is money. 35-tfc

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PLUMBING AND CONCRETE work guaranteed. Phone 346. — Mike Lewis. 1-tfc

PLENTY OF MONEY to loan; low rate of interest; long terms.—Spears Real Estate. 15-tfc

SEE Spears-Louder-Deffebach for quick, easy auto loans. Over Economy store. 22-tfc

J. W. W. (Pat) PATTERSON and Jess Garner, two doors north of the bank, cater to hard-to-please customers with their barber work.

GET ON the brighter side again by eating at E&H Cafe. Plenty of seats! 1c

WATER TANKS—Does yours leak? I can fix it good as new.—O. C. Floyd, Route 3. 1p

Lost and Found

LOST—Blue Jersey cow, brand AW (connected) on left side.—Mrs. W. B. Robinson. Notify Mitchell's Dairy, telephone 35. 1c

LOST from car on northeast corner of square, man's blue vest with gray stripe. Finder please notify M. E. Boren, Lamesa, Texas, and get reward. 45-2p

LOST—Roller type 1½-ton jack, near 30th treet and Avenue X. Substantial reward.—Chapman Service Station. 1c

Miscellaneous

FOR BUTANE gas tanks and Detroit Jewel gas stoves see L. 1 Stewart Appliance Company, Phone 193. 11-tfc

CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate the kindness and assistance of neighbors, friends and the entire staff of the Young Hospital, and for the beautiful floral offerings in the illness and passing of our loved one. — William A. Vaughan (husband), Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sneed and children. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all our neighbors, friends, doctors and nurses who gave words of sympathy and acts of kindness to us during the illness and death of our father. May each of you have such friends in your hour of sorrow.—Claud Gillum, W. S. Gillum and family, and J. E. Whitefield and family. 1p

WILL BUY good hegari bundles.—Mitchell's Dairy. 44-tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT—One three-room house; one two-room house; both lovely and with lights, water.—Mrs. Frank Berry, telephone 154. 1p

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, south of Presbyterian Church.—Jim Davis. 1p

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, 2101 27th Street. See Wade Davis, 1710 28th Street. 1p

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county), at least once a week for 20 days previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of B. F. Womack, deceased.

Zeb Womack has filed in the county court of Scurry County on the 20th day of March, 1942, his final account and exhibit to close said administration, which said application and account will be heard by said court on the 20th day of April, 1942, at the court house of said county, in Snyder, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 20th day of March, 1942.—J. P. BILLINGSLEY, Clerk of County Court, Scurry County, Texas. 43-3c

Miscellaneous

LET THE TIMES print your butter wrappers and make egg stamps for better looking produce!

NEW bill of sale forms for livestock transactions in stock at The Times. $1 per book of 50 sets, postpaid. 16-tfc

Wanted

WANTED — Farm hand.—R. W. Webb. 1p

WANTED: Clean cotton rags at Times office. Will pay three cents per pound.

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News About Folks in Scurry County You Know

Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent

Lavelle Brown of John Tarleton, Louise Davidson of Alpine, Robbie Brown of A.C.C., Abilene, and Mary Evelyn Davis of Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, were Easter holiday guests of their parents here. Lavelle was recently promoted to military reporter on the school paper at Tarleton.

Emily Newman was at Merkel over the week-end with her parents, and Floy Massey was a guest of her parents at Lubbock.

Mrs. Curtiss Brown of Lake Charles, La., and Elizabeth Parker of Dunn are home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Parker, after finishing a course at the aeronautical school at Dallas.

This (Tuesday) morning finds the farmers and everyone else joyous over the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keller were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnston. Glen Johnston returned to his home at Big Spring Sunday after a four-day visit in the Johnston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Herring and son, Doyle, spent Sunday at Aspermont with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Henson and Wanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Richardson and children of Snyder were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Richardson.

Sergeant Clark Favor of the signal corps, Midland, was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Favor, and sister, Hontas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smallwood, Genelda and J. B. Jr., spent Saturday and Sunday at Odessa and Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Johnson were host and hostess to their Sunday School classes last Friday evening at their home west of Dunn. The Easter theme was carried out throughout the evening in games and refreshments. Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Swindall, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Richardson, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davidson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott. Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches in the shape of rabbits and chickens with green and yellow bread, pickles, orange punch and home made chicken shaped cookies. Mrs. Scott assisted Mrs. Johnson with the entertaining and serving.

Doctor: "Wait a minute. You are too quick. I didn't tell you to say 'ah-h-h'."

Patient: "I know you didn't. I just caught a glimpse of the new nurse."

R. W. Webb
Attorney
Upstairs in Bryant-Link Co. Building

Big Sulphur News

Eunice Lewis, Correspondent

Tessie Mae Mahoney is visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harris of Maryneal.

Mrs. Dean Smith and son, Charles Gary, accompanied E. L. and Ruth Jones to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Haynes visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Corbell and children.

Doyle Wemken of the Gerhart community spent Saturday afternoon with his cousin, Helen Mahoney.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and son, Charles Gary, spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. E. T. Haney of Lubbock.

J. H. Jr., Harvey and Oreta Myers and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Corbell and daughter, Cloyce, were brief callers in the M. J. Haynes home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville D. Dever and children and Lonzo Webb of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Rice of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harris of Maryneal spent Sunday in the A. J. Mahoney home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smoot were brief callers in the M. J. Haynes home Sunday morning.

J. L. Vineyard and daughter, Bertha, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis and children.

E. L. Jones visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stephens and children of Dermott, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cary and children of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hill of Snyder, Arland Cary of Weatherford and Ben Cary of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, spent Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary.

Sergeant Claude Wright, Corporal Eddy Hollaway of Camp Barkeley and Frances Smiley of Sweetwater spent Sunday morning with Helen Mahoney.

Mrs. J. G. Hale and daughters, Veda and Reba, and granddaughter, Barbara Jean Summerlan, visited in the M. J. Haynes home last Thursday afternoon.

Little Ineta Callahan has been on the sick list.

Ona Beth Gibson, who is attending college at Alpine, is visiting her mother and brother, Mrs. W. P. Gibson and Drep.

Melvena Callahan of Wink is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary.

T. J. Henley, who is working at Bastrop, spent the week-end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dever and children enjoyed Easter Sunday in the Lawrence Campbell home.

Magdalene and Marie Blankenship spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Ida Wyatt, and husband of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Willie Lloyd and son of Bastrop are visiting a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Henley, and family.

A food demonstration was held Friday afternoon in the Stewart home.

The Times—office supply house.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Mrs. Eula Belle Bundick returned Saturday from El Paso, where she has been visiting her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Layhe Roddy and son, Harold Lee, of Fluvanna spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Snelling and children of Odessa spent the week-end with her brothers, Tommie and Wille Sterling.

Eugenia Faye Carlile spent Saturday and Sunday wth Mrs. Eula Belle Bundick.

Anna Mae Nabors of Lubbock spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nabors, and sons.

Mrs. Silas Devenport and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiman of Roscoe. Mr. Devenport joined them Sunday.

Burta Mae Kelley spent the week-end with Mrs. Owen Miller of Snyder.

Mmes. Eugene and Amil Kruse visited in the Bison and Murphy communities Sunday afternoon.

There was a nice Easter program rendered at the Church of God Sunday night.

George Wright returned Monday from a 10-day visit with relatives in Delta County.

Jack Webb returned home Sunday from Fluvanna, where he has been working for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Miller had visiting them Sunday the following children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and daughter, Laverne, of the Waskom Ranch; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor and daughter, Helen Joy, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Price and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Pannin, all of Snyder; and Mr. and Mrs. Rea Falls and children of Ira.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Edgar Eades not much improved with an infected eye. She was taken to Abilene Monday to an eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Essie Taylor and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee of Colorado City.

Mrs. J. R. Payne of Snyder spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Webb, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sorrells and children of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. W. E. Sorrells, and other relatives first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hardee, Mrs. Drew Clark, Edwena Duke and La-Rue Autry attended the funeral of Mrs. Clark's and Mrs. Hardee's niece's husband, Dean Brown of Amarillo, last Thursday. He died while in service at Las Vegas, New Mexico. Mrs. Edd Strain accompanied them and all visited Edd Strain in the Veterans' Hospital while there.

Ann Mae Nabors of Lubbock visited with Virginia Suiter Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Strickland of Dunn visited in the H. M. Blackard home Sunday afternoon.

Morris Hardee visited his sister, Mrs. Buddy Branum of Artesia, New Mexico, over the week-end.

R. T. Hailey spent Friday night and Saturday with H. L. Erwin of County Line and also accompanied them to Lubbock Sunday, where he visited his sister.

We are glad to report Uncle John Taylor some better.

Mrs. W. O. Webb accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. O. Payne, to Dunn Sunday afternoon.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

Mrs. Maude Wright spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bounds of the Independence community.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Rosson and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reed are visiting their son, Fred, and other relatives in California this week.

Flossie Mae Walls of Hermleigh is spending the week in the Fred Russell home.

Ruth and Alva Jones are spending a few weeks in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. D. M. Pogue and Mrs. John Woodard visited Monday with Mrs. Jay Grubbs of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Thornburg and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant and children and George Burns spent Sunday in the Jim Thornburg home of Roscoe.

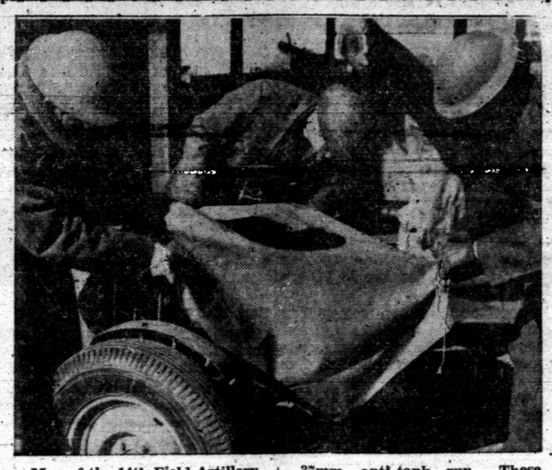
Lottie Mae Weller of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weller and son of Snyder spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Weller.

Mrs. D. M. Pogue gave her husband a "42" party Friday night in honor of his birthday. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

We are expecting a big singing Sunday night, and invite every one to be present.

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Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm White of Midway and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Westfall of Rotan visited Sunday in the E. C. Westfall home.

Little Nelda Beth Beeman of Round Top spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pherigo and children.

Mrs. Ross Beeman and son, J. C., attended church here Sunday.

Celeta Pherigo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Frances Wall of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Henderson visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Millhollon and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Millhollon and son.

Granny Millhollon of Snyder spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Millhollon and children.

Several from this community attended singing at Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Buck Layne spent Saturday night and Sunday with Kenneth Ray Huddleston of Ira.

Grandmother Adams celebrated her eightieth birthday with a birthday dinner. She was happy to have all of her children with her but one son. We wish Grandmother Adams many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layne and daughters, Luella and Anna Belle, and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Kimbrough spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Layne and children of Bison.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Thomas are entertaining new babies in their homes.

Bro. J. E. Corbin of Lamesa and son, Richard, of Abilene spent the week-end in this community. Bro. Corbin filled his regular appointment here.

Please remember, if you have any news, send it to me not later than Monday if possible.

Martin News

Mrs. Fay Gibson, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Amon Weaver spent Sunday with their parents, the Tom C. Davises. Mrs. Davis has been ill, but is able to be up part of the time.

Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lemons were his parents and sisters.

Mr. Vanwinkle had the misfortune of losing his best milk cow last week. He was having his cattle dehorned. This cow didn't give them any trouble, but as soon as her horns were sawed off she laid down and died. She is survived by twin heifer calves.

All of the G. D. Gibsons' children were home for Easter. Mrs. W. P. Gibson and son, Drep, and daughter, Ona Beth, of Big Sulphur also spent Sunday in the G. D. Gibson home. Ona Beth is home from Sul Ross College, Alpine, for the Easter holidays.

Since this correspondent will be in Las Cruces, New Mexico, for the next few months with her husband, Willie Gibson, who is bookkeeper for the Oliver Sales & Service Company there, Norma Lee Collins will be your correspondent hereafter. I'm hoping all you Martin folks will help her get the news.

Mrs. Hamilton, the former Vera Parker, and sister, Johnnie Lee Parker, left Saturday for California. They will visit their brother, Earl Parker, and family, before going on to the camp where Mrs. Hamilton's husband is stationed.

Fluvanna News

Rita Dowdy, Correspondent

George Sneed, who is stationed at Camp Barkeley, Abilene, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sneed, and children.

J. C. Dowdy made a business trip to Waco and Centerville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and daughter, Laveta, spent Sunday in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Creek and daughters.

Mrs. Victor Baze of Snyder spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Browning and daughter, Gayle, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Farquhar at Sydney.

The death angel again made his appearance and took from our midst Mada Ruth (Sneed) Vaughan, beloved wife of William A. (Billy) Vaughan, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sneed. We wish to express our sympathy to the bereaved families.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Logan of Fort Stockton were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Flournoy and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Beaver.

Mrs. Coke Chumley has been visiting relatives in Abilene the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hughes spent the week-end in Ira.

Billy Sims and Elizabeth Miller, Texas Tech students of Lubbock, spent the Easter holidays with homefolks.

J. H. Mariner has been visiting in Amarillo and Plainview with his children.

Mrs. Opal Beaver was a business visitor in Midland last week.

Rosa Nell Stavely, teacher in the Roscoe Schools, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stavely.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stavely and daughter spent Sunday afternoon in Southland with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Craft and children.

Miss Behringer spent the week-end in Ballinger with her parents.

Miss Nystel spent the week-end in Abernathy with her parents.

Anagene Ainsworth, A.C.C. student of Abilene, spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ainsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bethea spent several days in Lubbock visiting relatives.

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

People of this place enjoyed an all-day picnic on Bull Creek Tuesday. It was given in Glyn Ed Murphy's honor. Glyn Ed left Friday for air corps training in Oregon.

Several from here attended the program at Ira Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franklin and children visited from Wednesday until Saturday with relatives at Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder and the J. G. Davises attended the Von Roeder show at Cuthbert Friday night.

Mrs. Howard Brooks and daughter of Midland are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sorrells, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Sorrells and granddaughter, Mrs. Ella Richter and Ruddie and Buford and Curtis Sterling of Bison visited in the Ed Murphy home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mathews and son of Big Spring spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. M. G. Davis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden Gray of Snyder visited in the Ed Murphy home Thursday night.

Jackie Horton is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Melton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murphy and Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy and Brent, Clarence Lowell and Sherry Minton, C. N. and Nolan von Roeder and others attended the Easter egg hunt at Jim Sorrells' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Niedecken and children of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franklin and children visited relatives at Vincent Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathews of Big Spring spent Sunday in the M. G. Davis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davis were in Colorado City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Magill and daughters of Lamesa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder.

Pyron Youth Makes Record in Gardening

Outstanding record in raising a victory garden during 1941 was marked up by L. Q. Young, 12-year-old Pyron 4-H Club member, County Agent Edward S. Hyman states, after double checking Young's production figures.

The Pyron 4-H Club boy's garden, which covered one acre, furnished all the fresh vegetables for a family of five during the garden season.

In addition, L. Q. sold 135 pounds of tomatoes, 10 bushels of black-eyed peas, 50 pounds of cucumbers, 10 gallons of dried pinto beans, saved dried pea seed and raised plenty of watermelons.

In addition to the fresh vegetables for his family, L. Q. reports 1,092 jars were canned, including 48 jars English peas, 250 jars string beans, 176 jars black-eyed peas, 148 jars cream peas, 200 jars cucumbers and 200 jars tomatoes.

Numerous 4-H Club boys all over the county are planning to follow L. Q.'s example and plant victory gardens in 1942.

Fluvanna Youth Relates Experiences In U. S. Navy to His Mother on Visit

Mrs. William Mull, long-time resident of the Fluvanna community, is relating many interesting experiences this week her son, Corporal Kenneth W. Mull, attached to the U.S.S. Mississippi, U. S. Marine Corps, has had during the past few months.

Mrs. Mull recently returned from San Francisco, California, where she visited Corporal Mull while his ship was in the harbor. The Fluvanna youth, a 1937 graduate of Fluvanna High School, could only leave his ship for a few hours at a time, and related these incidents for the benefit of his parents:

"Our ship is one of the largest battleships in the navy, and has made an extensive trip through the Newfoundland area, to Iceland, Denmark, Hawaii and other places.

"The U. S. S. Mississippi was the first American battleship to go through the Straits of Denmark, and was in on the chase of the German battlewagon, Admiral Sheer. We kept on the tail of this ship several hundred miles.

"Due to the fact our ship was the first American ship to go through the Arctic Circle, all marines were given cards of membership in the White Bear Club, and each marine was presented with a bar and scroll.

"While on one of our convoy assignments, we had to leave a slower ship than ours behind. After we had fulfilled our mission we returned to our slower speeded ship—only to discover it had been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine.

"Morale of Scurry County boys in the armed forces is excellent, but I find all the boys get homesick for news from home. Those who get their home county paper do not fail to read every line."

Mr. and Mrs. Mull live five miles south of Fluvanna, and are justly proud of the record Corporal Kenneth Mull is making as a member of the U. S. Marines.

"Next to a beautiful girl, what do you consider the most interesting thing in the world?"

"When I'm next to a beautiful girl, I don't bother about statistics."

Cribbs Use Railroad Cross Ties to Build Old-Time Corrals

Log type corrals, constructed Tennessee fashion from railroad cross ties, first attracts attention of visitors to the B. B. Cribbs home northwest of Fluvanna. Mr. and Mrs. Cribbs are finishing this week a new four-room house that is built along the Cape Cod type of architecture.

The log corrals enhance the appearance of the barns and outbuildings, and take people back to the yesteryears when such fences were vitally important in keeping livestock penned.

Mr. and Mrs. Cribbs are installing hardwood floors in their new home, and have ample storage and clothing space at convenient locations through built-in shelves.

This Fluvanna couple has a three-year-old son, and operate a 640-acre place.

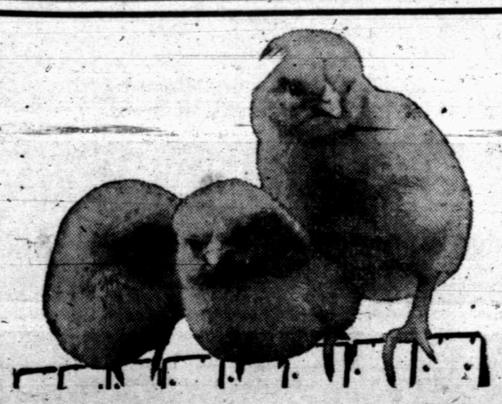
Cribbs is running approximately 30 head of Hereford cattle at present, and is milking five cows. He took five head of aged cows to Lubbock Saturday, and received an exceptionally good consideration for the four head that went through the auction ring.

Donald Ray Scott Is Ration Board Aide

Ruth Tarter, secretary for the Scurry County Ration Board, who suffered an acute attack of appendicitis early Friday morning, underwent an operation in a local hospital Friday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, and is reported well on the way to recovery.

Ration board members report the hiring of Donald Ray Scott as temporary secretary this week and next, and advise the public that Scott is on the job to answer any inquiries. He is located at the chamber of commerce office, and is rapidly getting the "hang" of ration regulations.

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Indication that the groundwork is being laid, right here in Scurry County, for a concrete manifestation of the good neighbor policy with our sister republics south of the border is reflected in the teaching, for example, of Spanish in the grammar grades at Hermleigh and Pyron Schools. These two schools find elementary Spanish not only easy to teach in the grammar grades, but interesting to students taking the course.

Grammar grade students at Pyron and Hermleigh, as an illustration, not only are showing considerable enthusiasm for the "romance language," but are really grasping the fundamentals that may well mean good financial returns when their high school days are over. Those adept at translating and using the Spanish tongue will doubtless find numerous opportunities for employment in our post-war world that will stress the good neighbor policy in Central and South America. If we carry on extensive trade with South American countries, we will need men and women who can speak the language of those with whom we trade.

Good Neighbor Foundation

Indications early this week were that Snyder and Scurry County will be well represented Monday at the Borden County 4-H Club Livestock Show in Gail. County ranchmen, especially, are expressing interest in the annual event that is becoming something of a Borden County institution.

One of the chief drawing cards of the Gail exposition, naturally, will be the rodeo Monday afternoon, which is slated to attract good riders for the salty stock that yearn to kick the cobwebs from the sky when they get good and mad. The Borden County people sponsoring the show deserve plenty of credit for their efforts, and a good audience to witness the show and rodeo events is expected.

Asphalt on Highway 15

Snyder and Scurry County people who have been working unceasingly through the years for the paving of Highway 15 across Scurry County will be cheered by the fact "hot topping" on the East-West Highway between the overpass southeast of Snyder and the Fisher County line will be well underway within the next 10 days. Initial asphalt work began this week, and is expected to go forward at a steady clip.

Highway 15 from Snyder west to the Borden County line has already been oil surfaced, offering motorists of this trade area a taste of what to look forward to during the months ahead. Highway 15 across the county will not only be completed during 1942, highway engineers promise, but Highway 101 between Snyder and Dunn will be finished, they say. We're for early completion of both roads, and the increased trade such construction will bring to Snyder.

Editorial of the Week

"THE BEST HOPE ON EARTH"

Far be it from us, mothers, wives, men of America, to create false hopes. If it has taken us ten thousand years to progress to the point where we are today, can we hope for much improvement, even with victory, in our generation? Only after serious reflection do we answer. We are reminded that even in our short lifetime, marvels of invention and science have been achieved such as men have dreamed of for five thousand years. It is not too much to hope that out of this war will come a period when the peoples of the earth will make equally rapid strides in the art of living one with another. Among the hundreds of millions of people united in the cause of freedom, class distinctions, political lines and color prejudices are being swept away. In the white-hot heat of war, men are being purged of selfish greed. Out of it all may be forged, not a perfect world, but one much better than man ever before has seen.

That is what we see. And for that reason, we say the difference between victory and defeat is the difference between life and death.

So look up, mothers! Look up, sons! Look up, all men of America! Upon you today rests the "last best hope of earth!"—The Stamford American.

Those who predicted, two to three years ago, that the nation's production of 100 octane aviation gasoline would have to be quadrupled are finding their predictions rather tame, in view of the fact the United States is now fighting for its very life. . . . Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, says aviation gasoline production must be stepped up "beyond the hopes of the most visionary pipe dreamer if America is to turn the tide of battle during 1942."

The word "Texas" is thought to have originally been an Indian inter-tribal watchword, probably meaning "friendship." Its first use is dated from the expedition of De Leon and Father Massanet in 1689. Before then, the land now comprising the state of Texas was known variously as Amichel, Florida, Apacheria (Land of Apaches), Nueva Felipinas (New Philippines) and Quivira.

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

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

War news, especially in the Pacific theatre, still holds the limelight of the day, and authentic reports from American forces at Bataan, for instance, will find a ready audience for several months to come. . . . Rumors of an early offensive by General Douglas MacArthur are without foundation, at present, since he cannot obtain sufficient supplies, ammunition or warships within the next few weeks to start anything on a major scale.

Best bet, according to reliable sources, is that MacArthur will launch small, but exciting, offensive drills, and will probably undertake to drive the Nipponese out of New Guinea very shortly. . . . Far too shrewd to waste American manpower or overplay his hand, General MacArthur is a firm believer in harassing the Japs as much as possible, and patiently waiting for the day when he will have adequate supplies and guns to outfight and overcome numerically superior forces of the "little yellow race from," as MacArthur says, "the land of the setting sun."

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Believe it or not, the Dutch are determined to carry on their fight against the Nazis, and have purchased almost $100,000,000 worth of war supplies in the United States which are paid for but not delivered before the downfall of Java. . . . Netherlands officials have approached the United States to trade for two cruisers and a number of destroyers, but this request is almost sure to be turned down in view of the fact the U. S. Navy wants every warship that slides down the ways of American shipyards. . . . We cannot deliver sufficient war materials to our besieged forces at Bataan, much less supply our best cash customers overseas with the equipment they need so urgently.

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Scurry County people who have boys in the armed forces will be interested in the fact that all men in military service between the first emergency proclamation on September 8, 1939, and December 7, 1941, will shortly receive a special decoration. . . . President Roosevelt has authorized and the Quartermaster Corps designed a National Defense Service Medal which will go to an estimated 1,580,000 officers and men. . . . Critical metal shortages may delay the striking of bronze medals honoring those under hostile fire at Pearl Harbor or elsewhere, but an accompanying blue and gold ribbon has been ordered for immediate distribution.

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Remember those devices of the gay 1920's for saving automobile tires known as inner liners? . . . With and hamlet of the nation, there is considerable talk the current rubber shortage being felt in every nook among tire companies of swinging into quantity production of the inner liners. . . . The liners, made from miscuts of fabric and rubber left-overs, would sell for about $5 a pair, and would add hundreds of miles that would otherwise be useless.

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People in this trade area are cautioned to be on the alert for phoney "servicemen" in trucks who offer to tune-up radios, repair vacuum cleaners, etc., on "field trips." . . . Such guys, after getting possession of machines, usually tinker a few minutes and inform the owners the radios, toasters or cleaners must be taken to the shop for repairs. . . . A receipt is given, and the shop—naturally—turns out to be non-existent, with the machines gone for good. . . . Such rackets are cropping up in various places, and could well be undertaken in this vicinity since the impending shortage of durable household goods is looking indeed serious.

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The U. S. Army is still having trouble with adequate submarine detection, and is reported this week to be considering the proposed plan of utilizing civilian pilots in their own planes to augment the present army-navy patrol of shipping lanes. . . . This plan, from all indications, would be advocated as a last resort, since several drawbacks are at once apparent. . . . Such planes could not carry bombs, be subject to gunfire from submarine decks and have short ranges; but could well spot enemy craft and bring attack units to the scene.

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Believe it or not, but the nation's steel industry is ready to admit that drastic action will be necessary before many more weeks, in view of the fact vital shortages are cropping up in various kinds of steel for ships and other war equipment. . . . The nation-wide scrap iron campaign did not bring in half enough scrap to keep smelters operating at full speed, and steel concerns have lately been trying to keep the good will of old customers—a thing that will call for some of the "drastic" action hinted by government officials.

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Believe it, or leave it, U. S. Treasury officials are becoming gravely concerned over the growth of hoarding, and are considering drastic remedies. . . . More recent proposal is to change the size of paper money, call in all present size bills to exchange for smaller ones, and after a certain date declare all old currency worthless. . . . Such action would force hoarders to turn loose their caches and have the additional advantage of voiding American currency in enemy hands.

REPORT SHOWS SCHOOLS HERE IN FINE SHAPE

Addition of One-Half Unit Credit Gives High School Affiliation Of 35½ Units of Work

E. L. Parr, superintendent of Snyder Schools, announces this week that Snyder Schools now have two full credits in high school algebra—the maximum allowed under existing state laws. One-half credit in algebra was approved several days ago by the State Department of Education.

Parr, in pointing out the high level of accrediation now enjoyed by the Snyder Schools, reported Tuesday that the system now has 35 1-2 affiliated credits.

Report on the general progress of Snyder Schools, prepared by Anthony Hunt of Abilene, deputy state superintendent, and received this week, follows:

"The philosophy and objectives of this school will be placed in their final written form when the present study of the Evaluative Criteria is completed by the faculty. The objectives and philosophy harmonize with the entire school program.

"The pupil activity program is well organized in Snyder Schools. Emphasis is placed on all phases of the program. The school assembly program in the high school is outstanding.

"The curriculum and courses of study successfully meet the needs of students and community.

"The high school library is not up to the same standard as the rest of the school; however the policy of the present administration in adding to the library as rapidly as finances will allow is very commendable."

(As a matter of explanation, it might be stated that the reason the school library is not up to par is due to the school fire of 1938. Books are being added rapidly, and contributions from school patrons will soon place the library on a standard rating.)

"The faculty is well trained and satisfactorily assigned to teaching fields of major and minor college operation. The teaching load is fairly and evenly distributed throughout the system.

"The school buildings are modern and well equipped. The new science equipment and hot lunch program added this year deserve special mention and commendation.

"The superintendent and his principals make up a highly capable and efficient team. The administrative staff is well qualified," Hunt concludes.

Three Scurry Women Go to Lubbock Meet

Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, announces that Mmes. H. C. Flournoy of Fluvanna, Marvin Lemons of Tri-Community and Stanley Meeker of China Grove will represent Scurry County Saturday at the district Home Demonstration Association gathering in Lubbock. Miss Rabel will accompany the three delegates.

The district home demonstration gathering will get underway Saturday morning, 10:00 o'clock, on the campus of Texas Technological College, with representatives of the Texas Extension Service to appear on program. The county delegates and the home demonstration agent are scheduled to return Saturday evening.

LOCALS

Allene Curry was a week-end visitor with her brother, A. E. (Bill) Curry, and family at San Angelo.

Mrs. H. P. Wellborn of San Diego, California, has spent the past 10 days with her parents, the Estell Whitefields of Colorado City, and the C. M. Wellborns here. Mrs. Wellborn is the former Katti Whitefield, 1941 graduate of Snyder High School, and she returned here during the illness of her grandfather, Z. P. Gillum, who died here last week. She will be accompanied back to the West Coast by Mrs. C. M. Wellborn, who will spend two weeks with her and her husband, the elder Mrs. Wellborn's oldest son.

Joe Christian, Messrs. Crump and Nix, Shelby County commissioners, accompanied by County Superintendent Hardy Hairston of Shelby County, visited E. P. Parker of Round Top, a former Shelby countian, Friday.

Geraldine Shuler, teacher at Dawn, spent the Easter holidays in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wren.

Lola Mae Littlepage, who teaches at Southland, was a holiday visitor here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Littlepage.

The J. C. Cards of Sweetwater spent the past week-end in Snyder with local relatives and friends.

Nearly 6,000 County People May Mobilize

The Times was informed Wednesday by the War Production Board that the fastest growing trend in the nation today is toward all-out registration and mobilization for the assignment of civilians to vital war production jobs.

It was estimated Wednesday that 3,200 Scurry County men and 2,700 county women could participate in the all-out mobilization of civilians for urgent war production work.

A high ranking member of the Roosevelt administration predicts that the president will set up machinery within a month toward the all-out mobilization objective. Woman power would be registered on a voluntary basis.

Ather Ellis Stays Home and Carries On in Production

Ather Ellis, 15-year-old Dunn community youth and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ellis, has literally taken over the motto of "carrying on," since his four older brothers have left the farm to enter defense work.

J. P., Melvis and Othal Ellis are employed in aircraft production work in California and Leo Ellis is engaged in similar work in Dallas.

According to County Agent Edward S. Hyman, Ather has made an outstanding record as a 4-H Club member, and is assisting his father to keep farm work going smoothly.

Ather, it will be recalled by county 4-H Club boys, was selected as the district representative for a tour in 1939, and entered the county achievement award contest this year.

The Ellis boy is in the hog production business in his own right, and has a large flock of good-blooded white leghorn chickens.

More Schools Name Teachers for 1942-43

Reelection of teachers at county schools, The Times was informed this week, include:

Conley Bullock, renamed teacher at Canyon School;

Mrs. Gaston Brock and Mrs. Ivan Gatlin, renamed to direct Martin School for the 1942-43 school year;

Mrs. Lida Rhodes and Mrs. Nola Brister, renamed this week to teach at Lloyd Mountain School.

Slap a Jap! Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps!

Open House Set By Housekeeping Aide Wednesday

Snyder's WPA housekeeping aide project invites the public to visit the project center, located just east of the First Baptist Church at 2608 Avenue Q, between the hours of 2:30 and 7:00 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon. Open house is being held by the aide, according to Alma Byers, assistant supervisor.

Miss Byers cites there are a number of things that will prove of interest to the public, including an attractive desk made from a victrola cabinet, storage space, a cleaning closet built from apple boxes and various articles of furniture renovated.

The project center is divided into one and two-unit homes to illustrate profitable use of space and equipment. A trundle bed is used to demonstrate the possibility of providing adequate sleeping space for a family.

To further the interest of the personnel in gardening, three types of home gardens are being grown at the project — plot, sub-irrigated frame and tub gardens. Those interested in victory gardens may get valuable ideas from the housekeeping aide center, Miss Byers says.

Schedule Announced By County Clubber

Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, lists her schedule from Friday through Thursday, April 16, as follows for the benefit of Home Demonstration Club members desirous of clipping the schedule:

Friday, April 10—Turner girls, Fluvanna girls and Ennis Creek women.

Saturday, April 11—District Home Demonstration Association in Lubbock.

Monday, April 13 — Canyon and Crowder girls.

Tuesday, April 14 — Bethel girls, Plainview and Ennis Creek girls.

Wednesday, April 15 — Camp Springs women.

Thursday, April 16—Pyron women.

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