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No Need For Control Agency Truman States

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (AP) — President Truman said today he does not contemplate a revival of the World War II OPA.

Mr. Truman told his news conference that old-line federal agencies will handle any economic and other emergency controls which may be necessary as a result of the Korean crisis.

"May we take to mean there will be no revival of OPA," a reporter asked.

"You may take it to mean that if you like," the President answered.

He said, too, that all-out mobilization is not yet in sight.

The President said he expects to leave to the Senate and House the exact terms of an economic controls bill now nearing a decision on Capitol Hill.

WANTS NO DELAY

Mr. Truman made clear that he would like discretionary power to fix prices and wages but that he still feels his original modified recommendations should not be delayed by debate over stronger executive weapons.

The House was on the point of passing a bill giving him discretionary authority much along the lines he asked—but with some additions.

Still to be decided was how much authority Mr. Truman should have to restrict credit and control commodity market speculation.

REJECTS OPA

In rejecting the idea of a New Office of Price Administration, Mr. Truman said he had spent most of his years in the White House trying to improve the departmental and administrative structure so it could do whatever job is necessary.

There is no reason, the President said, why existing agencies, improved by reorganization plans, can't operate successfully in any crisis.

The House was driving toward a vote today on the controls bill.

Gainesville Man To Open Funeral Home

L. C. Dennis of Gainesville, Tex., has bought the Willard Jones residence at 2808 Avenue T and expects to open his new funeral home there soon.

The house is being remodeled and redecorated and will probably be ready for a Sept. 1 opening, Dennis said yesterday.

Dennis was in the funeral home business 20 years. He is also an owner of theatres in Gainesville. Both he and his wife are licensed embalmers and funeral directors.

He will offer emergency service day and night and will have all new equipment, including two new ambulances. Later he expects to build more garage space and a large chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis will live temporarily at the funeral home, with their adopted son, Don Dennis, 8 years old. They have a daughter, Regenia Dennis, who is a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Dennis said that they would join the First Baptkst Church here. In Gainesville he is vice-president of the school board, a member of the Kiwanis Club and active in Chamber of Commerce work.

Tax Hike Gets Quick Action By Committee

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (AP)—The Senate Finance Committee today unanimously approved Uresident Truman's proposal for a $1,500,000,000 a year increase in corporation taxes—boosting the top corporate income rate from 38 per cent to 45 per cent.

The committee acted shortly after President Truman told a news conference that an excess profits tax will be enacted eventually.

The committee ruled that the higher rates shall apply as of July 1, 1950. It refused to accept Mr. Truman's proposal that the increases apply to all of 1950 corporate income.

The corporate increase is part of Mr. Truman's overall $5 billion tax increase proposal, to help finance the Korean war and America's armanent against Communist aggression.

The committee probably will vote tomorrow on the President's proposal for a $3 billion increase in levees on individual incomes—raising the rates by 20 per cent in some income categories.

The corporate rate approved today would be 25 per cent on the first $25,000 of corporation income, and 45 per cent on income above $25,000.

President Truman said that he would of course approve an excess profits tax if it is added to his $5 billion interim tax proposal.

Mr. Truman said, however, such a tax was very controversial and should not be permitted to delay action on the original White House proposal.

Free Oil Is Developed In Nolan Wildcat

Cities Service Oil Co. No. 1 Cooper, wildcat in Northwest Nolan County, has developed free oil and some salt water on a drillstem test in the lower Pennsylvanian.

On the test at 6,738-66 feet the tool was opened three hours. Gas surfaced in two minutes. At the start of the blow gas volume was estimated at 500,000 cubic feet per day, but by the end of the test it had diminished to 25,000 cubic feet per day.

Recovery when the tool was pulled was 540 feet of clean 45.1 gravity oil, 360 feet of heavily oil-and-gas-cut mud, and 2,460 feet of salt water.

Operator drilled to 6,780 feet. Samples of this new section indicated possibly that the salt water was from un upper formation.

Another drillstem test is now being taken, over the entire section.

The No. 1 Cooper is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 41, block 23, T&P survey, two miles northwest of Roscoe.

HOWARD COMPLETION

Shell Oil Co.'s No. 1 O'Daniel located in Northeast Howard County, has been completed as a Pennsylvanian discovery.

The new well was completed for a calculated 24-hour potential of 404 barrels of 46 gravity oil, flowing naturally through a 3-8-inch bottom hole choke. The potential test developed no water and .3 per cent basic sediment.

Gas-oil ratio was reported to be 1,841-1.

The calculated potential was based on an actual flow of 303 barrels of oil in 18 hours from perforated section at 7,995-8,005 feet in a Pennsylvanian lime. This zone is thought to be the Canyon by some geologists but this has not definitely been verified.

Total depth of the well is 8,780 feet. The drillstem test developed water at 8,729-8,780 feet. Perforated casing was then set at 8,160 feet. Cement was drilled to 8,095 feet.

The No. 1 O'Daniel is 1,997 feet from west and 656 feet from south lines of section 2, block 30, T-1-N, east of Coahoma.

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IN TERRY COUNTY

The Ohio Oil Co. has staked a 11,100-foot wildcat in Central-East Terry County, six miles south and slightly west of the Mound-Lake Pennsylvanian pool.

The proposed venture is Ohio's No. 1-A A. R. Brownfield, located 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 10, block T, D&W survey.

Drillsite is approximately seven miles east south east of Brownfield, and 12 miles north of the Corrigan-

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American Tanks in Action in Chinju Area

American tanks, somewhere in the southern battlefront in Korea, fire on North Korean positions in the hills (background). This battle action picture was made by Associated Press Staff photographer Max Desfor.

Westerners In UN Draft Plan To End Malik Block to Action

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 10. (AP)—The nine non-Communist members of the United Nations Security Council met privately again today to consider further their plans to end the procedural blockade of their Russian president, Jakob A. Malik.

They were scheduled to meet privately with Malik this afternoon to make a direct appeal to him.

Diplomatic quarters said the new meeting was called to finalize measures discussed yesterday to break the council stalemate.

If they fail, the regularly scheduled council meeting this afternoon is likely to se toff a flood of anti-Communist oratory for the rest of August to match Malik's propaganda blasts.

Many council sources agreed there was little chance of winning concessions from Malik. In that event, the western delegates planned to match the Russian, speech for speech.

TWO ABSENT

All delegations except Russia and Yugoslavia — the former wasn't invited, the latter refused to attend —conferred in New York yesterday on the deadlock problem. Sir Gladwyn Jebb of Britain, who will be council president next month, was chairman.

After the closed session, they revealed that Arne Sunde of Norway, council president in July, had telephoned Malik asking him to meet the other delegates for a discussion on procedure in advance of the regular meeting.

The delegates gave little attention to such drastic action as changing the rules and throwing Malik out of the presidential chair.

If the closed meeting fails to move Malik, there may be other consultations on a new procedural step — but the speech-making is certain, the U. S. source said.

LONG EXCHANGE

Some delegates were resigned to a continuous verbal exchange until Sept. 1, when the British delegate takes over the council presidency.

"We have lots more to say," the U. S. source asserted. "If Malik is going to keep on making propaganda speeches, he is going to have to listen to a lot of American speeches, too."

Other delegates, who have chafed under Malik's tactic of giving himself the floor as Soviet Delegate whenever he wants to attack UN aid for South Korea, are ready to swell the chorus.

Spray Crew To East Highway

"Everybody seems glad to see us," said L. T. Barnard, sanitarian for the city-county health unit who is directing the city-wide campaign to eliminate flies and mosquitoes.

Dogs continue to take a resentful attitude toward the clean-up drive, he said, but the crews have not met one man or woman who was not co-operative.

Crews today moved to the east side of Twenty-fifth, and planned to proceed out the Sweetwater highway. Yesterday they began at the square and moved out the Lubbock highway as far as the new school building in the north end.

Men equipped with spray guns and tanks of kerosene sprayed all standing water and unsanitary conditions on both sides of the Lubbock highway.

"Mosquitoes seem to be worse," Barnard said, "where there is new construction not tied into the city sewer system. We found a great deal of contamination in the north end yesterday, but so far today it has not been nearly so bad on Twenty-fifth Street.

"We expect, however, when we move out onto the Sweetwater highway in the area of new construction that we will find conditions comparable with those found yesterday."

The drive is being made by the health unit in accordance with orders issued Monday night by representatives of the city and county, as a means to combat disease in Snyder, particularly polio.

The city's DDT duster now has been all over town except for a few places in low parts of northeast section, and it will start on the second time over the city today. It uses about 300 pounds of DDT a day and there is enough to last another day.

State School Fund $2 Installment Made

AUSTIN, Aug. 10. (AP) — Final $2 installment on this year's $50-per-student payment to public schools from the state available school fund was released yesterday.

A supplemental $2 payment authorized by the state board of education last month will be mailed later this month, state commissioner of education J. W. Edgar said.

Tyler May Be Made An Army Induction Center

TYLER, Aug. 10. (AP) — The Army is considering the possible location of a central induction center here.

Capt. D. L. Moore of Dallas checked facilities here yesterday. At present men being inducted into the armed forces from East Texas go either to Dallas or Shreveport, La.

Police to Fight Scene

The police were called to a tourist court early this morning to stop a fight. When patrolmen arrived on the scene, they found one man with a badly swollen eye, and blood over the front of his shirt. The participants were brought to headquarters for investigation. Both men, about 30 years of age, were to appear today in city court before Judge A. M. McPherson.

Connie Mack's Sons, Life Insurance Co. Buy Philadelphia A's

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10. (AP) — Connie Mack's two older sons, Roy and Earle, announced today they will buy controlling interest in the Philadelphia Athletics with the financial backing of the Connecticut Life Insurance Company.

Roy and Earle had disclosed ten days ago they hold options on stock owned by their step-brother, Connie Mack, Jr., and the heirs of Benjamin F. and Thomas Shibe who were partners with Connie Mack in establishing the club 50 years ago.

Extent of the life insurance firm's participation was not revealed.

Clerk To Face Five Grand Jury Counts

ATHENS, Aug. 10. (AP) — District Clerk Joe T. Miller has been indicted by the grand jury on five counts charging misapplication of funds.

The indictment was returned Tuesday. Miller posted $500 bond for each of the five counts.

Dist. Atty. John Dowdy said the indictment covered the period from Nov. 26, 1949, to March 27, 1950, and involved a total of $300 in cash and checks.

Mongrel Takes Job Of Seeing Eye Dog For Sightless Horse

SPENCER, Okla., Aug. 10. (AP) — Gal, a little four-year-old dog, has lent her eyes to Dollie, a sightless horse.

The pooch of dubious parentage has become a fretting mother over the bay mare—blind since a colt.

They make an odd looking pair bounding about the Green Pastures community farm of J. M. Collins east of here in Central Oklahoma.

But there's nothing odd about it to Gal. There's no one else to see to it that the seven-year-old Dollie gets to her barn every night and is not annoyed.

VISITS FARM

Collins, who lives in Oklahoma City but visits his corn and sweet potato farm every day, tells this story of the strange companionship.

Gal is never far from Dollie, and the horse has come to depend on the dog as a pair of eyes.

She becomes almost panicky when she senses that the dog is too far away.

When Collins arrives on his farm he only has to call for Gal and Dollie tags along. Or he can call for Dollie, and Gal will also come.

WELL-LIKED

An oil field has been opened in the area, and workers have become attached to the pair. They bring Gal tidbits, and the bright-eyed mongrel now waits for them each morning.

But as soon as she gobbles down the food, she goes off to Dollie.

"After I trained Dollie as a plow horse, the people I bought her from wanted to buy her back," Collins smiled. "She's a wonderful horse."

One of the few times Gal relaxes her watch on Dollie is when Collins is using her for plowing.

Like a smart dog, Gal curls up under a tree and goes to sleep.

Collins bought Dollie for $20 five years ago. He patiently trained the blind mare as a plow horse. A kind word, a gentle tug of the reins, and Dollie plows as straight a furrow as any horse with full vision.

Tenants living on Collins' farm took care of the horse and the dog until last December.

When they moved, Collins wasn't sure what to do with Dollie.

But he didn't worry long.

GAL STEPS IN

Gal, who previously had ignored the horse, stepped in.

Maybe it was instinct, or just the need for companionship, but the little white mongrel with a patch of black over one eye took charge. She saw to it that Dollie got to her barn every night, and that no stray dogs bothered her.

Smaller Scurry Cotton Yield, But Better Quality, Predicted

The estimated cotton yield in Scurry County is expected to be slightly under that of 1949, when a total of 54,129 bales were ginned, O. M. Fowler, county agent, said this morning. He also predicted that this year's crop will be of better quality than last year's.

Approximately 85,000 acres in the county are planted in cotton and a yield of about one-third of a bale to an acre is seen at this time.

WORMS DAMAGE

"The boll worm has done some damage to the cotton," he said. Fowler pointed out that the pest last year spread out over the entire county, while this year it has been confined to localized areas.

"The farmers of the county hit the boll worm with insecticides this year before it had made any great headway, and most of the crop is expectde to be somewhat better than in 1949," he said.

Cotton is maturing later this year than at this time a year ago, when the first bale was ginned in the latter part of August. This year pulling is not expected to get underway until sometime in September, the county agent predicted.

DRY IN SECTIONS

Northeast and southern sections of the county are badly in need of rain. Precipitation has been spotty over the county this summer, according to reporst from farmers.

Cotton pulling is expected to be a problem again this year, aggravated by the Korean war and the draft calls.

Other crops, including the orchards, are in fairly good shape.

Many pastures are in need of moisture, but no pasture shortage has been noted to date.

UN Forces Pushed Back In North; Trap Sprung On Reds Near Chinju

New Member of Staff At The Snyder Clinic

Dr. Durard Miller, 30-year-old physician who came to Snyder from Long Beach, Calif., has joined the staff of Snyder Hospital Clinic as general surgeon.

Dr. Miller was born in Monroeville, Ohio, attended Oberlin College and received his medical degree from Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. After an internship at Cleveland City Hospital, he spent two years as medical officer aboard an aircraft carrier in the Asiatic Pacific area.

He spent two years at Lakewood City Hospital, Lakewood, Ohio, and for the past two years has been chief surgical resident at Seaside Memorial Hospital, Long Beach, Calif.

Dr. Miller and his wife are living at 602 Twenty-ninth Street.

Endorsement Of MacArthur By President

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. — President Truman said today he is satisfied with what Gen. Douglas MacArthur is doing as American and United Nations commander in the Far East.

He also told a news conference he had not met anybody of the sort described by MacArthur in a statement last night in which MacArthur said appeasers in Washington were criticizing his recent trip to Formosa.

NO COMMENT

Mr. Truman steered clear of comment on MacArthur's trip and the controversy which has grown around it.

Asked for information on the report which he received yesterday from W. Averell Harriman, his foreign affairs co-ordinator, who is just back from Tokyo, Mr. Truman replied:

Harriman had expressed all that could be said on the subject at his meeting with reporters yeserday afternoon. What Harriman told newsmen then, the President added, is substantially what he had earlier reported to the President.

Later the chief executive was asked what he thought about MacArthur's charge that critics of the latter's meeting with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek in Formosa early last week were persons who have always favored appeasement in Asia.

NO MEETING

Mr. Truman said he had not met anybody of that sort yet. He went on to comment that MacArthur and he were in perfect agreement. He recalled that he appointed MacArthur to the posts which he now holds, most recently naming him United Nations commander for the Korean fighting. He said he is satisfied with what Gen. MacArthur is doing.

Another question involving Formosa was: Under its policy of neutralizing that island would the United States be prepared to use its Air Force and ground troops against a Communist attacker. Mr. Truman said he could not answer that.

Diplomatic authorities expressed hope that international confusion over American policy toward Formosa had been cleared up as a result of Harriman's rush trip to Tokyo.

The matter is considered highly important because it involves American relations with Britain, India and other nations which recognize Communist China. Also involved is the prestige of the United States among the independence-minded people of Asia generally.

Largest Bomb Raid Blasts Red Refinery

TOKYO, Aug. 10. (AP)—Seventy B-29 bombers from Japan and Okinawa bases pounded North Korea's day with the war's most powerful air strike.

Waves of B-29s bombed visually in their mass raids on the Wonsan railroad center and switching yard, the railroad repair shops and the big Chosen (Korean) oil refinery.

The most spectacular damage was at Chosen. A tail gunner on the last B-29 in the second wave that hit Wonsan, Staff Sgt. Richard F. York of Whiting, Ind., said the smoke column "pushed up even above our altitude which was more than 15,000 feet."

BLACK SMOKE

The third wave had trouble locating their aiming points because of the greasy black pall of smoke over the target.

More than 400 tons of bombs were dropped on three separate Wonsan targets and more than 200 strategic targets in the Communist transportation network north of Parallel 38.

Early reports on the record total of 625 tons point to "extensive damage done to the Communist war potential," the Far East Air Forces command announced.

The center of the huge Wonson railway switching center was filled with loaded trains when the B-29s struck. FEAF said their aim was accurate.

HUGE PRODUCTION

The Chosen oil refinery had an annual production capacity of well over 1,500,000 barrels of crude oil storage capacity was estimatdse Its storage capacity was estimated at 20,000 barrels. Bombs hit the heart of the refinery.

The North Korean's already badly crippled transportation system was largely dependent on the Wonsan locomotive and car repair shops to patch up its rolling stock.

The B-29s returned to the refinery target because previous strikers had failed to knock it out. The installation is 89 miles north of 38.

The previous high B-29 bomb drop on North Korean targets was 500 tons in one day.

Circus Men At Rotary Lunch

Visiting the Rotary Club at their luncheon today were W. C. Evans, of Shreveport, La., and Ralph (Bozo) Harrell, of Indianapolis, representing the Barker Brothers Circus, which will open tomorrow night at the Scurry County Rodeo Grounds.

Evans, business manager of the circus, announced the show as one entirely clean, with 12 per cent of all gross income, including income from concession stands, going to benefit the Youth Center.

Bozo Harrell, with Chick Dale, heads the group of white-faced clowns. Other features of the show, which will last two and a half hours, are acts of three baby elephants, 12 Morocco liberty horses, a dog act, and trapeze performance.

All members of the Rotary Club will sell tickets at $1.20 for two children or one adult. An outgrowth of the Ward Brothers Shrine Circus, the new circus will begin its Snyder showing at 8:15 o'clock tomorrow night.

Fighter Base Target For New Attack

Korean Reds Retreat To Chinju Leaving Equipment Behind

TOKYO, Aug. 10. (AP)—U.S. forces surged ahead 13 miles today and snapped shut an armored trap around 1,000 North Koreans on the Chinju front in deep South Korea.

But to the north erupting Red attacks made a new threat against Taegu and imperilled a main American fighter plane base on the Korean east coast near Pohang Port.

The southern gains were the biggest of the war for the Americans. Two advancing combat teams in force were almost on the outskirts of Chinju, main Red base in the South.

The enemy also loosed new attacks along the northern front, putting renewed pressure on the important supply city of Taegu, 55 miles northwest of Pusan.

They were advancing against resisting South Koreans on a front about 30 miles north of Teagu. The enemy still held a Naktong River bridgehead 29 miles southwest of Taegu against fierce American attacks. Another bridgehead 12 miles northwest of Taegu was reported wiped out.

U. S. Eighth Army leaders took hasty steps to protect the fighter plane base. It is eight miles southeast of Pohang on the sea of Japan 55 miles north of Pusan.

Two Red forces rolled back crumbling South Korean troops there. AP Correspondent Hal Boyle at Pohang said the Reds were protected from American naval guns by lofty mountains in some of Korea's most rugged country.

The Pohang-bound Communists hammered down from Yongdok, which they retook Thursday, and drove on four miles to the south.

The main threat to the fighter base came from another Red force rolling toward it from the mountain village of Kigye, eight miles northwest of Pohang. A North Korean patrol of 30 men commanded the Yongchon-Pohang supply road with machineguns.

Four U. S. Mustang fighters were shot down by ground fire after taking off to machinegun the invaders. One pilot was lost and three were rescued, Boyle reported.

Twenty-nine miles southwest of Taegu, the main U. S. base on the central front, a battalion of Reds held off elements of the U. S. 24th and Second divisions on the banks of the Naktong River.

The U. S. 8th Army Headquarters in a communique at 9:45 p.m. (5:45 a.m. CST) Thursday said United Nations troops battled aggressively on all fronts to expand gains in the south.

Elements of the 24th Division tried to dislodge river - crossing Communists dug in southwest of Taegu but were unsuccessful.

The First U. S. Cavalry Division annihilated another enemy force northwest of Taegu about 7 p.m. (3 a.m. CST) Thursday, killing 300 Reds and capturing 20, the communique said.

Farther north on the 140-mile front, South Koreans captured three Russian-made tanks in close fighting. Planes knocked out six more.

The allied gains on the south coast were the biggest of the United Nations offensive which jumped off Monday westward from near Masan, south coast port.

Defense Department Studies New Military Training Plan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (AP) — A Defense department spokesman told senators today that a new proposal for universal military training of youths should reach Congress soon.

Rear Adm. H. A. Houser, who represents the Defense Department on legislation, gave that information to the Senate Armed Services Committee.

UNDER STUDY

Chairman Tydings (D-Md) had told his committee that he understood a vast training program, probably applying to all youths 18 and 19 years old, now was under study.

Tydings asked a group of uniformed Army, Navy and Air Force officers, present for the committee session, if this were true.

Adm. Houser said a new UMT plan is "receiving intensive study of the Department of Defense" and should reach Congress soon. He gave no details.

MORE NEEDED

Tydings remarked that additional methods, beyond the present draft act and calls to duty for some National Guard and reserve groups, probably must be found to provide the manpower needed by the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marines.

The UMT disclosure came as the Senate group voted to suspend provisions of the draft act that directed the Army, Navy and Air Force to allow 18-year-olds to volunteer for one year of service and thus avoid being drafted at age 19 for 21 months of service.

Under present law 18 year olds cannot be sent overseas.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. A few scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers. Not much change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature. Moderate southeast and south winds on the coast.

'Dr. Mary' Was Looking For A Challenge, Found It Here

Member of a family of physicians, Dr. Mary Booth did not break the tradition. —(Joe Dave Scott photograph).

Working in Athens, City of Her Ancestors, Was Early Ambition

"Doctor, Lawyer, Merchant, Chief,
Richman, Poorman, Beggarman, Thief!"

Dr. Mary Booth, fairest member of Snyder's roster of physicians, perhaps once chanted the old nonsense rhyme as all kids do. Today, she tapped her stethoscope, neatly resting in its leather case, and mused, "It was a long, hard road, being a doctor, with not so much time for fun as I would have liked, but I love pediatrics, and pediatrics in Snyder is a double challenge."

"Dr. Mary" might be labeled a bit serious-minded but for that occasional twinkle which bespeaks a healthy sense of humor. Proud of her Greek ancestry, she was strongly tempted to intern in Athens, fatherland of her parents. She also had a great desire to become a ship's doctor and was chagrined because all steamship lines except one foolishly sail without women on their staff of doctors.

This same sense of adventure and love of new experiences overcame the lady doctor, when after two years of training for a nurse, she suddenly decided that road was not for her. She promptly shifted to her father's confectionery store, and after selling bon bons a year, was ready to set her sights again on that M. D.

She flashed through Southwestern Medical College, Dallas. The foreign language prerequisites did not bother her, and she today speaks Greek, most difficult of languages, fluently. Her penchant for doctoring comes naturally, as hers is a medical family. Dr. James Booth, her brother, is interning in Kings County, N. Y. Dr. Ernest Booth, another brother, is at Southwestern Medical College. One sister is a housewife.

A mere 26 years of age, slight of stature, attractively brunette, Dr. Booth receives invitations to speak at men's club luncheons and holds them spellbound while she earnestly discusses underprivileged children, her pet peeve.

She finds Snyder a definite challenge, lacking in sufficient welfare facilities. She is appalled at some conditions she notes in little patients from this area. She wants something done about it. And, the chances are, she will achieve what she wants, just as she got that M.D.

Services for Infant

Graveside services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mason of Hermleigh were held in the Pyron Cemetery at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The child was born at 10 o'clock Tuesday night in Snyder Hospital Clinic, where attendants reported the condition of Mrs. Mason to be very good Wednesday morning.

Snyder's Fame Spreading To Nova Scotia

Snyder and Scurry County, deep in the heart of West Texas, not only is getting national but international publicity. This was proved yesterday when George R. Killam, Jr., lawyer here, received a newspaper clipping from the Yarmought Light, of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia.

The article, believed to have been taken from the May 31, 1950, issue of The Wall Street Journal, under the heading 'A FABULOUS FIND' says:

"Snyder, a little town in cactus-studded West Texas in the centre of a fabulous new oil field, where the two local churches, Baptist and Methodist, are drilling for oil on their property and where drilling is taking place at a filling station, probing the earth for oil while gas is being dispensed at a nearby pump. The town has jumped from 4,000 to 30,000 in the last year; town lots which sold at $400 a year ago are now going at $12,000, and bank deposits increased from $7,000,000 to over $15,500,000. The 700 wells that are now pouring forth oil are from 6,000 to 7,000 feet deep and cost $65,000 to $75,000 to drill. The field is now 33 miles long and geologists are wondering if it will not make a crescent of 70 or 80 miles. It is estimated that there are 15,000,000 barrels of oil in the field. That's more oil than located by drilling in the entire State of Oklahoma, and is more than was found in the East Texas field in the first two years."

Big Robbery A Mistake

A misunderstanding last week caused the Snyder police and sheriff's office lots of worry for a few hours.

It came about this way. O. W. Killam, Laredo oilman, told the officers that someone had stolen $10,000 worth of new oil well casing from the Weldon Johnson ranch, near the Lloyd Mountain School house sometime Wednesday night. He said he saw the pipe on the ranch at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, but early yesterday it was gone.

"It would have taken two large trucks to cart off the pipe, which consisted of 35 joints, and weighed about 50,000 pounds," Killam said. The pipe was purchased at Fort Worth and unloaded at the ranch, he told the officers.

Description of the pipe was broadcast by police radio, and Leslie Haynes, deputy sheriff, accompanied Killam to the scene of the stolen pipe. No clues could be found, so Killam departed for Abilene.

Shortly after noon yesterday, a long distance phone call came to the sheriff's office, from Abilene, saying the pipe had been located—that it was all a mistake. It was not stolen, but one of Killam's employees had moved it without telling him.

Miss Murphy, Ernest Buffington Married At Home of Bride

A double ring ceremony in the home of the bride August 2 united Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buffington. Mrs. Buffington is the former Miss Valerie Murphy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Murphy, 3212 Avenue K. Mr. Buffington is the son of J. N. Buffington, 1504 Twenty-sixth Street.

The Rev. G. E. Roberts, Jr., Baptist pastor of Manifest, La., and uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Buffington wore a suit of navy gaberdine with a pink blouse and navy accessories. Her flowers were pink carnations. Attending the bride was Mrs. Lawrence Hearne, Chatham, La. Mrs. Hearne wore a tan flowered crepe dress with green accessories.

A reception followed the ceremony. Mrs. H. D. Roberts, Levelland, Tex., and Mrs. Nolen Roberts, Whiteface, Tex., served the three tiered wedding cake, with a miniture bride and groom on it.

Out of town guests for the wedding were: Mrs. Lula Roberts, Tullos, La., grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts and son, Tullos; the Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Roberts and daughters, Manifest, La; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hearne, Chatham, La.; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Roberts and daughter; and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Roberts and son, Whiteface.

Mr. and Mrs. Buffington will make their home in Snyder.

Police Department Hires Fingerprint Expert; Three Resign

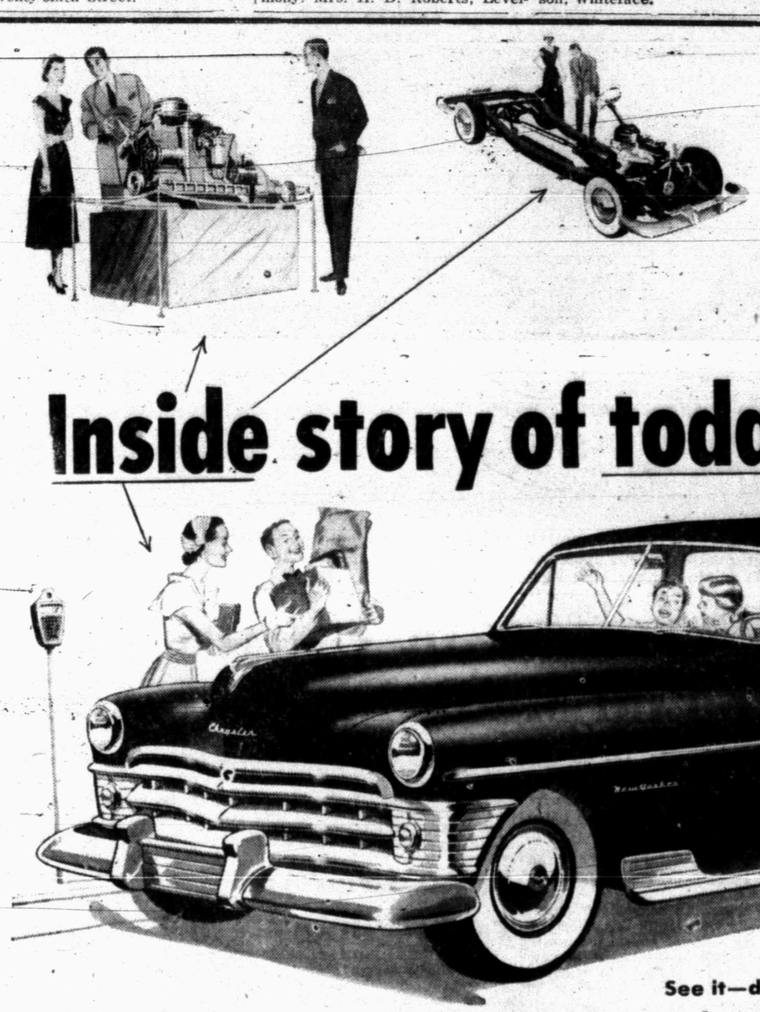
Three men have resigned and two others have been employed on the Snyder police department, it was announced Saturday by Chester Barrington, chief of police.

Those who quit the department include Buster Collins, Ed Thornal and John Walker.

New men on the force are E. O. Bassinger and Dave Cook.

Bassinger comes to the Snyder department from Pomona, Calif., and is an expert fingerprint man of long experience, Barrington said. He quit a similar job there to join the police department here.

There are now 14 men on the force, and two more are slated to be hired at an early date, Barrington said.



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Fusselman field.

Proposed depth should possibly test in to the Mississippian zone in that area. Operations are to begin in the near future.

The No. 1 Brownfield is to be 1,000 feet east of a 1,070-foot dry hole drilled by J. A. Estes.

LOGS SOME SHOW

W. C. McBride, Inc., No. 1 E. M. Conrad, Southwest Scurry County wildcat, 17 miles southwest of Snyder, and three miles south of the southwest side of the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field, logged some signs of oil in samples and put a scum of oil in the pits in drilling the section at 4,527-40 feet in a lower Permian lime.

Operator was running a drillstem test at 4,525-40 feet.

A drilling break was encountered at 4,527 feet. The section drilled soft to 4,540 feet. The formation is some zone of the lower Permian.

Location is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 73, block 24, H&TC survey. The venture was originally started to dig to around 8,000 feet to explore through the Pennsylvanian lime.

It is on a 40-acre farmout to McBride from Amcan Oil Corp.

Deep Rock Oil Corp. and Phillips Petroleum Co. are supporting the exploration.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

A possible producing well has been indicated at Plymouth Oil Co. No. 1 Tomerson, wildcat in Central-North Schleicher County, 12 miles south of the Susan Peak field which is in Southeast Tom Green County.

On a drillstem test taken at 3,240 to 3,265 feet, with tool open two hours, recovery was 30 feet of slightly oil cut mud, 30 feet of fluid containing 50 per cent oil and 50 per cent mud.

Bottom hole flowing pressure on the test was 26-55 pounds. After 15 minutes shutin pressure was 100 pounds.

The wildcat is now a drillstem test at 3,270-3,324 feet in Cisco sand and lime.

When this test is completed, operator will drill ahead. Contracted depth of the project is 6,500 feet, which is sufficient to explore the Ellenburger.

Exact location is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 66, block H, GH&SA survey.

CLEAR FORK DICCOVERY

A large-flowing upper Clear Fork discovery has been reported in extreme Southeast Crane County at Union Sulphur Co. of Lake Charles No. 1 R. B. Robbins and others-Gulf Oil Corp.

An estimated flow of 50 to 60 barrels hourly was reported from perforations at 3,407-430 feet. That section had been shot with 1,000 gallons of acid and the well kicked off after swabbing.

The 50 to 60 barrel-per-hour flow was then estimated. Water, then mud was used to kill the well. Testing was to be resumed with a heavier control head.

The No. 1 Robbins-Gul was drilled to the Devionian at 5,503 feet. Operator then plugged back to 3,452 feet, set casing and perforated.

This discovery is 660 feet from northeast and southeast lines of section 27, block 35, H&TC survey, and six miles west of McCamey.

TERRY LOCATION

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas to drill a quarter mile north offset to Anderson-Prichard Oil Corp. No. 1 H. C. Bevers in South-Central Terry County.

It will be the No. 1 Allie A. Scales, 660 feet from east and south lines of section 14, block DD, John H. Gibson survey. It is scheduled to be drilled to 10,200 feet to test the Canyon reef of that area.

The No. 1 Bevers, discovery well of the reef, was completed for a calculated daily potential of 1,280 barrels of 42.5 gravity oil. Potential was based on a six-hour flow through one-inch opening on two-inch tubing and perforations from 9,712 to 9,726 feet, 9,734 to 9,792 feet and 9,795 to 9,805 feet.

Drillsite is 10 miles southwest of Brownfield, five miles west of the Adair field and three miles southeast of Welman.

TAYLOR FAILURE

Lion Oil Co. No. 1 Bartee, Southwest Taylor County wildcat, one and three-quarter miles west of Shep, failed to show any signs of oil or gas in a drillstem test in the top of the Ellenburger at 5,751-98 feet.

That zone was drillstem tested for one hour. There was a slight blow of air for five minutes and it then died. Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud.

The prospector is now making new hole below 6,198 feet in an unidentified formation.

Top of the Ellenburger is at 5,745 feet. That is on a datum of minus 3,501 feet.

Location is 2,450 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of the 157 acre B. Herog survey.

So far this wildcat has not logged any shows for production in any zone it has penetrated.

DEEPEN IN GARZA

Standard-Fryer Drilling Co. and R. L. York of Midland No. 1 Justice Heirs, wildcat in Southeast Garza County, recovered sulphur water on a drillstem test of a Permian lime at 4,838-76 feet.

The venture was reported deepening ahead below 4,876 feet on a 7,500-foot contract.

Drillsite is one and three-fourths and four and one-half miles west of the shallow Dorward San Andres field.

Exact location is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 19, block 6, H&GN survey.

IN DIAMOND M

Sun Oil Co. will begin operations by Aug. 13 on two edge projects at the extreme east side of the Diamond M-Canyon field in Southwest Scurry County.

They are the No 6 Henry Rosenberg and No. 4 J. W. Voss.

No. 6 Rosenberg will be 660 feet from north and east lines of section 195, block 97, H&TC survey, nine miles west of Snyder.

No. 4 Voss will be 467 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 203, block 97, H&TC survey. Both ventures are slated to be dug to an estimated 7,000-foot depth with rotary.

KELLEY-SNYDER

The Kelley-Snyder area is also scheduled for two ventures. Sunray Oil Corp. No. 6 P. W. Cloud and Lone Star Producing Co. No. 2-B J. E. Davis.

No. 6 Cloud will be drilled at the east side of the field, 2,867 feet from west and 467 feet from north lines of section 159, block 3, H&GN survey, five miles north of Snyder.

Lone Star's No. 2-B Davis will be at the southwest edge, 2,000 feet from south and 1,667 feet from east lines of section 255, block 97, H&TC survey, seven miles west of Snyder.

The Kelley-Snyder projects will be drilled to estimated depths of 7,000 feet.

COMPLETION

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. has filed a completion report with the Railroad Commission of Texas for its No. 1 Nick Alley, wildcat in Central-Southwest Gaines County; but Stanolind specified that it will not attempt to make a commercial producer out of the project.

The No. 1 Nick Alley was completed on the pump for 6.9 barrels of 27-gravity oil plus 80 per cent water daily from a Permian lime section above plug back total depth of 4,585 feet.

Six-inch casing was set at 4,115 feet. Top of the pay was picked at 4,130 feet. The pay zone had been treated with 5,000 gallons of acid.

The No. 1 Nick Alley was bottomed in granite wash at 11,187 feet. No other section yielded possibilities of commercial production.

Operator will plug and abandon.

This failure is 1,963 feet from east and 660 feet from north lines of section 22, block A-27, psl survey, and 17 miles southwest of Seminole.

GAINES COUNTY FAILURE

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. likely will plug and abandon its No. 1-C Jones, one-mile northwest outpost to the Cedar Lake-San Andres pool in Northeast Gaines County.

The venture was bottomed at 4,839 feet, and operator attempted to plug back to 4,734 feet. Cement plugs failed on several attempts, then a drillstem test with packers at 4,640 feet was taken.

The tool was open one and one-half hours. A slight blow of air surfaced during the first part of the test, but died by the end of the test. Recovery was 580 feet of mud and slight show of water at the top of the recovery. No shows of oil or gas were developed.

The No. 1-C Jones is 660 feet from south and 1,984 feet from east lines of section 14, block H, D&W survey, and 17 miles east of Seagraves.

Truman Hits Malik For Using Delaying Tactics In Council

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (AP) — President Truman accused Soviet Russia today of filibustering in the United Nations Security Council.

He said the Russians were filibustering, no doubt about it.

In a news conference discussion Mr. Truman lauded Warren Austin, U. S. representative on the council, for doing what he said was a good job.

Once again the President rejected the idea of a meeting with Premier Stalin and other heads of state. But he said he would decide later, if such a suggestion were made, on whether there should be a meeting of high level leaders of the Untied Nations after settlement of the Korean crisis.

HITS MALIK

In hitting at Russian filibustering, Mr. Truman obviously was referring to obstructionist tactics by the council president and chief Soviet delegate, Jacob Malik.

Malik has been using council meetings for oratorical propaganda blasts to such an extent that not much business can be done.

At Lake Success, council members planned to meet informally with Malik today to try to get him to stop his delaying operations. They held in reserve a threat to meet speech with speech.

Mr. Truman was asked what he thinks of the tactics of Malik and the Russian delegation.

HGHLY PLEASED

He said he wasn't interested in their tactics but was highly pleased with the performance of the United States and British delegation.

He added that he doesn't like filibusters and the Russians are filibustering—no doubt about that.

He was asked if he thought the Russian filibuster was good or bad with reference to the possilibity of eventual permanent peace.

The President replied that he couldn't answer a hypothetical question like that, that he didn't know.

The President was asked whom the Russians are "filibustering against?" He grinned and quipped that he thought they were filibustering principally against themselves—by which he apparently meant their own interests.

"Do you think an East-West meeting now would do any good?" one reporter wanted to know.

Replying by indirection, Mr. Truman said the United Nations is working for a peaceful settlement.

Still, he said he favors doing anything that would contribute to peace.

Day For Dogs And Old Maids

DENTON, Aug. 11. (AP) — A Texas old maid rebelled today against several decades of giving and suggested old maids get some gifts.

Miss Dorothy Babb wants an "Old Maid's Day"—just like Father's Day, Mother's Day, etc.

Or, for that matter like graduation day, birthdays, bridal showers, baby showers, wedding anniversaries.

Miss Babb, an instructor at North Texas State College here, figures these "days" have cost her $1,500 in 25 years.

But old maids are even denied birthdays. As Miss Babb says, "We seldom mention our ages."

"Every dog has his day," she argued in a statement, "Why shouldn't we old maids have ours?"

She wants her day on "Aug. 15, right between Labor Day and the dog days of summer." And she wants no misunderstanding about how old maids are to be honored.

"With gifts," she explained, "so that we may be repaid in part for the many presents we've given in our lifetimes."

Orange Loses Commissioners, Police Chief

ORANGE, Aug. 10. (AP) — Mayor Joe Runnels, Jr., is putting off naming two new city commissioners "until we can find somebody who would be elected by the people if they ran for the offices."

Runnels, newly installed mayor, began reshaping his city staff yesterday after three commissioners and the police chief quit.

Runnels and one remaining commissioner, W. J. Mullins, appointed a new commissioner, and then the trio named the city's department heads.

Commissioner F. H. (Tom) Williams, Orange druggist, resigned after Runnels was installed Tuesday night. Commissioner Howard S. Peterson, president of the Texas Creosoting Company, and Commissioner Charlie Taylor quit yesterday. Police Chief E. L. Nance resigned Tuesday night. Williams had been elected to a third term.

Runnels and Mullins named Charlie Mann, an insurance broker, to succeed Taylor on the commission. These three named businessman Alvin Keown to head the police department.

Commissioner Williams said he resigned because of "basic differences in philosophy of government and opinions of how a city should operate" between himself and Runnels.

Nance said he quit the police department because of "conditions over which I have no control."

Rites in Church Here For W. D. Mitchell

Funeral services for W. D. (Billy) Mitchell, who died yesterday morning at his home in Lamesa, will be held at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist Church here.

The Rev. Jordan Groom, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Lamesa, will officiate.

The body will lie in state at the Methodist Church here this afternoon. Burial will be in the Snyder cemetery.

Journalism Student Learns Police Beat

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 10. (AP) —James Ford, Minneapolis, was assigned to study police department operations as part of his course in journalism at the University of Minnesota.

He spent two hours at headquarters yesterday afternoon.

Then he spent $8.55 to get his car back—$5 for parking in a restricted zone and $3.55 to tow it out of there.

"The lessons at school don't cost that much," commented Ford.

Idaho Voting Favors Clark Over Taylor

BOISE, Aug. 10. (AP) — The hard-fought battle for the Democratic nomination to the six-year U. S. Senate term in Idaho remained inconclusive today—two days after the primary election.

But the count definitely favored former Sen. D. Worth Clark, seeking to oust incumbent Sen. Glen E. Taylor.

With 779 of 839 precincts counted, Clark held a 1,000 vote margin over the guitar-playing former cowboy from Pocatello.

The count showed: Clark, 26,475; Taylor, 25,409.

A third man in the race, Rep. Compton I. White, had 14,507.

Only a plurality is necessary to win in Idaho, making a run-off unnecessary. If Clark winds up with only one more vote than Taylor, he still will win the nomination.

Taylor said he would wait for the final count before conceding.

Sen. Henry C. Dworshak was assured of the Republican nomination for the four-year Senate post. Dworshak now is serving by appointment the term left vacant by the death of Sen. Bert H. Miller, a Democrat.

His probable Democratic opponent for the four-year post is Claude J. Burtenshaw, political science professor at Rick College in Rexburg.

Herman Welker, who received campaign blessings from his personal friend, Bing Crosby, received the big vote for the Republican six-year nomination. With most precincts counted, he held a 5,000 vote lead over his closest opponent.

Police Investigate Tourist Court Theft

The theft last night of $450 from the office of the Western Courts, 1212 Twenty-fifth Street, was reported to the police today by Maxine Priest, manager of the courts.

She told police that the money was in a strong box in the office, and consisted of $350 in cash and $100 in checks. Investigation is continuing and no arrests have been made.

B. W. McMillan Funeral Today In Hermleigh

Funeral services for Burton Wesley McMillan, 78, farmer southeast of Hermleigh, were to be held at 3 o'clock today in the Hermleigh Methodist Church.

Mr. McMillan died in the Young Hospital at Roscoe last night. He had been ill for seven months with a heart ailment.

Born June 7, 1872, in Dixon, Miss., Mr. McMillan had lived in Scurry County for the last 18 years. He came to this county from Western Fisher County, where he had lived since 1920.

The Rev. G. W. Parks, retired Baptist pastor of Roscoe, and the Rev. W. E. Lynn, Methodist pastor at Hermleigh, were to officiate for the funeral services. Burial was to be in the Pyron cemetery under the direction of Bolger-Barnes Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were to be Dave Ammons, Theodore Soules, Pete Hale, Fred Glass, A. V. Carmack and Bill Carmack.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Cora Stribling McMillan; two sons, Hubert Lee McMillan, route No. 3, Roscoe, and Edgar Roger McMillan of Sweetwater; two daughters, Miss Lulu Evelyn McMillan of Hermleigh and Mrs. Mary Hale of Hermleigh; and three grandchildren, Hubert Dean McMillan, Tom Weaver McMillan and Bobby Curtis McMillan.

Also surviving are three brothers, Ed McMillan of Lubbock, and Isaac McMillan and Ross McMillan, both of Mississippi; and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Cooper, Mrs. Anna White and Mrs. Emma Watkins, all of Union, Miss.

Boy Is Paroled In Juvenile Court Case

The 13-year old boy, who was apprehended recently in connection with a series of burglaries over the city, was paroled to his father this morning following a juvenile hearing before Edgar Taylor, county judge.

The youth had admitted about 15 burglaries following his arrest, including a forgery count.

San Angelo Councilmen Resign; Vote Sept. 23

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 10. (AP)—San Angelo's city commissioners resigned Wednesday, each telling Mayor Armistead Rust that personal affairs demanded his time.

Commissioner No. 1 M. L. Leddy and Commissioner No. 2 Perry Maxwell will remain in office, however, until replacements can be obtained through a special election Sept. 23.

Mayor Rust said today he had known for some time that the commissioners intended to resign but had urged them to continue "hoping that things would settle down and that their actions might not be misinterpreted."

The commission recently underwent severe criticism in relation to taxable property valuations.

The National Geographic Society says the first New Year's Day caller in an English home is called the "first foot."

Live Stock Market

FORT WORTH, Aug. 10. (AP) — Cattle 1,000; calves 400; slow, about steady; common and medium slaughter steers and heifers 20.00-27.00; 1,047 lb. steers 26.30; beef cows 19.00-21.00; canners and cutters 12.00-19.00; sausage bulls 18.00-23.50; good and choice fat calves 25.50-28.50; common to medium 19.50-25.00; culls 19.00 down; stock and feeder steers, yearlings and calves 20.00-28.00; choice absent.

Hogs 400; steady; good and choice 190-260 lb butchers 23.00; good and choice 160-180 lb 21.50-22.75; sows 18.00-21.00; feeder pigs 20.00 down.

Sheep 900; slaughter yearlings string to 50 cents higher, others steady; good and a few choice spring lambs 28.00-50; medium to mostly good slaughter yearlings 22.00-50; good fat ewes 15.00; cull ewes 11.50; no good feeders; common to medium feeder lambs 20.00-24.50.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 10 (AP) — Noon cotton prices were 5 to 15 cents lower than the previous close. Oct. 38.27, Dec. 38.30 and Mah. 38.31.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 10 (AP) — Action in radio-television issues put the rest of the stock market in the shade today.

TV issues following through yesterday's surge of strength, advanced a few cents to around $2 a share. Trading was heavy.

The balance of the market was virtually ignored. Small price changes were pretty well divided between the plus and minus columns.

Women's Calendar

THURSDAY

Home class of the Baptist Church has regular meeting 8 p. m. with Mrs. Lyle Alexander, 3600 Avenue V.

Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club meets at 2 p. m., Country Club, with Mrs. Charles Cooper entertaining.

Friendly Fellow's Forty-Two Club meets with Mrs. W. D. Harral, 2900 Avenue U, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

Hobo picnic for the intermediate department of the First Baptist Church, 7:30 p. m., church.

Y. W. A. of First Baptist Church has a mission dinner, different courses to be served in different homes.

Bridal tea shower for Miss Jo Alyce Goss from 5 until 7 o'clock at the R. J. Randals ranch home, Lamesa Highway.

Furniture committee for new Educational Building meets at 7:30 at First Methodist Church.

SUNDAY

Family of John Carmichael hold large reunion in the afternoon at ranch home northeast of Snyder.

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Open-Fire Cookery Taught At First Girls' Day Camp

Tourist homes for insects, spatter paintings and charcoal sketches were on display Friday evening when girls who attended the Girl Scout day camp the past week invited their parents to attend the last session.

For entertainment, and also to show some of the things they had learned, the girls formed groups representing two of the constellations. Linda Sides, who moved here from Abilene this summer, and Margie Sanders, a newcomer from Corpus Christi, told stories about the constellations.

Throughout the week the girls had met in the Girl Scout area at the Memorial Park for nature study crafts and outdoor cookery.

BUG HOUSE

Early in the week they had built little round screen wire cages as "tourist homes" for insects. Mrs. Tom Carney, graduate nurse who was on the job in case of accident, explained that the girls were not encouraged to keep the insects in captivity very long at a time. They just observe their habits for a while and turn them loose again—thus the name tourist homes, since the insects only stop over for a little while.

Mrs. Carney had plenty of time for helping the girls with nature study, since luckily nobody needed first aid all week long.

Under the direction of Mrs. Lindy Clark, volunteer camp director, the girls learned how to make splatter paintings. This new art form was one of the most engrossing occupations of the camp to Billie Joyce Martin, Mary Ethlyn Deffebach, Grace Ann Adcock, Paula Dupree and Carol Strom.

LEAF PICTURES

They learned to make pictures by placing a leaf on a sheet of paper and splattering ink over it, through a screen wire. When they were through they found they had made a picture of a white leaf against an inky blue background.

Carol Strom and Brenda Ann Fenton were proud of the charcoal sketches they had done of the scenery around the camping area.

Outdoor cookery was a favorite with most of the children. Every afternoon they built a camp fire, supervised by Miss Mary Cates, professional Girl Scout worker from Abilene. The campers, most of them 8 to 10 years old, almost believed Miss Cates was one of them-selves and were proud of the fact that one of the mothers mistook her for a senior Scout.

Miss Cates had attended day camps over a wide West Texas area this summer. Snyder's camp was one of the newest and smallest she had attended, and she said she enjoyed most working with the small group of Snyder girls, even though the camp was situated on a nearly bare hillside with no camping facilities.

CAMP CASSEROLE

Ruth Adcock was one of the girls who liked cooking best and she especially liked the coffee can casserole that Miss Cates taught them to make. Hamburger patties and a variety of vegetables sealed in a coffee can and baked in the ashes made a delicious supper dish, Ruth thought.

Dena Dupree, Judy Ivy and Jane Patterson liked cooking on sticks. They cut green willow boughs, speared a wiener on each, wrapped it in biscuit dough and when it cooked over the camp fire had a genuine super hot dog.

The girls tried a different kind of outdoor cookery each day, ending with aluminum foil wrapped around the food which was cooked in the ashes.

Tony Best, in Snyder only a month form her former home in Houston, liked the camp because it was a good place to get acquainted.

Planned for any girl in Snyder who was interested, the day camp was instituted by the Girl Scout Council. Girls who finally registered included Scouts and non-Scouts, children of new-comers and old-timers.

Instructions On Freezing Given By H-D Agent

"Harvest your black-eyed peas early in the morning before they have opportunity to absorb the heat," advises Mrs. Mildred Sparks, County Home Demonstration Agent. The bumper crop of peas in Scurry County should mean great activity in the freezing line, and Mrs. Sparks instructs homemakers upon correct procedure.

"For the best quality of frozen peas," she said, they should be very tender and at the stage when generally eaten. Once they are picked, the preparation and processing for freezing should not be delayed.

"The peas should be washed, then shelled or cut as you would prepare them for eating or canning. Next, scald them in boiling water. For scalding, use a large kettle, one gallon of boiling water, and only about one pound of the prepared peas should be in the kettle at one time.

"It is best to use a wire basket or a cheese cloth for holding the peas while they are scalding. After the peas are placed in the kettle, the lid should be replaced and the heat kept high so the pot will continue to boil.

"Scald small peas with a large percentage of snaps for three minutes. Shelled green peas should be scalled four minutes. Chill peas immediately in cold water from the faucet. This chilling prevents any further cooking and prevents any loss of quality. It will require two or three minutes to cool the peas.

"Next they should be drained and packed in moisture-vapor-proof containers. Seal the containers immediately. Black eyed peas that are carefully selected, prepared properly, and frozen will retain their quality for one year.

"To cook frozen peas, bring one cup of salted water to a boil and add one pint of peas that have not been thawed. Boil until done. (It will take less time than fresh peas) and season exactly as you like it."

Youth Passes Vacation-Time With Parties, Trips, Camp

By JOE DAVE SCOTT

The teen-age social at the Country Club was one of the highlights of the week for the younger crowd. About 25 or 30 young persons ate hot dogs and danced to the juke box. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Herod, who are in charge of the youth activities at the club.

Many of the college set enjoyed swapping yarns that they had learned this past year. Gerald Heinzelmann, who recently returned from a six weeks tour of R.O.T.C. camp at South Fort Hood, Tex., told the attentative audience of the strange animal many of the boys encountered while at camp. It seems this animal will attack anything it sees and as yet has never been brought to captivity. Gerald states the animal is the meanest in the world and is called the "Gabboon." Further information may be had from Gerald Heinzelmann.

Mark McLaughlin, who will attend the University of Texas, went to Houston last Wednesday on a business trip. Mark attended Rice for the past two years and spends the summer working on his father's ranch west of town.

A Snyder boy, Rob Preuitt, is attending West Point and writes that the school is keeping him very busy with the pre school summer activities. Robert attended Arlington State College for two years before going to West Point this summer for a four-year stay.

Joe Sentell returned from a fishing trip at Possum Kingdom and showed evidence of the bright sun and what it can do to a fellow if he stays out in it too long.

A cheerful clerk in one of the downtown dry good stores is a newcomer to Snyder from Houston. Miss Judy Ivy, employed at Owen's Department store for the summer, will be a senior here this fall. Judy attended Glen Park High School in Hoaston, but says she likes the people here in Snyder. Those of you who need some school clothes, Judy is an excellent saleswoman and very pleasant, too.

Registration Of Students Set Tuesday

Pre-school registration for all students who will attend Snyder schools this year will be held next Tuesday, M. E. Stanfield, superintendent, announced today.

It is important that every child who will enroll in school here register next week, he said, so that school authorities may know whether buildings now in progress will be sufficient and whether it will be necessary to employ more teachers.

High school students will register in the auditorium, junior high in the temporary junior high school building east of the RS&P tracks on Twenty-eighth Street, and the first through sixth grades in the primary building at Twenty-eighth Street and Avenue K.

Information required will include name, grade, age, birthdate, parents' name, mailing address, residence address and telephone number.

Stanfield said families who expected to be out of town on the day of registration could leave the necessary information with a neighbor who could register for them, or that students might register a few days before or after registration day.

No child who reaches the age of 6 years after Sept. 1 may attend school this year, Stanfield said. Birth certificates will be required of all six-year-olds at the opening of school, but they will not be checked at the pre-registration Tuesday.

High school students will not be given class schedules, or building and teacher assignments until the opening of school.

Members of the Methodist Wesleyan Guild who went to Colorado City Monday night to join the guild there for a meeting were Mrs. J. D. Scott, Mrs. J. C. Stinson, Mrs. H. G. Towle, Mrs. Joe Payton, Mrs. Bob Dupree, Mrs. Leslie Bynum, Mrs. T. J. DeShazo and Mrs. R. H. Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nowlin Lease Amusement Concession

The amusement park of the Scurry County Memorial Park concession of J. Dean Williams of Brownwood, has been leased to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nowlin who were to assume management of the grounds today.

Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin, who will reside at the amusement park, will operate the recreation features on a profit percentage basis for Williams, owner of the concessions, who rents the grounds from the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion, owners of the park. They also have an option to buy the concessions, Williams said.

IN THE ENGINE

"The Chief," will continue to be operated by Snyder's youngest railroad engineer, 11-year-old Fred Dean Williams, who has throttled the locomotive as its sole engineer since his father opened the park last April. Engineer Fred plans to help Mrs. Nowlin until school starts, when he will join his parents in Brownwood and be replaced here by a new engineer.

The miniature train, which has a realistic set of air horns, and runs on 1,100 feet of 24-guage track, is part of $1,100 worth of amusement equipment on the grounds. The clickety-clack of the wheels against the steel rails duplicates the sound of a genuine streamliner as it pulls its two 16-passenger chair cars through the tunnel of love.

The park also features rides on Shetland ponies, electrically driven kiddie cars, and an arrangement of rocket planes for the kiddies who want to take up jet aviation.

PINT-SIZED GOLF

For the teen-agers and adults, the park has a complete, 18-hole miniature golf course. Of course, adults are also permitted to ride the train, Williams said, and at the same price of 9 cents a ride or six rides for 50 cents. The price of tickets is uniform on all the rides and will continue to be the same under the new management.

Soft drinks and snow cones will be sold at the park too, and plans are being made for a barbecue pit and other measures to offer the public some free entertainment, Williams said. Also in the plans for the future are a ferris wheel, a boat ride, and a bingo game, and sometime next summer it is hoped the park will have a small zoo with monkeys, racoons, and other small animals.

WINTER SCHEDULE

The amusement facilities, which cover about three and a half acres in the park, will be open throughout the summer, and at least on fair week ends during the winter, Williams said.

Williams, who plans to return to his Brownwood home where he has operated a similar park for about eight years, said he was well pleased with his association in Snyder.

"I am sure the public will enjoy the park under the direction of the Nowlins," he said, "and I want to thank the people for their support."

Sewalt Family Holds Reunion In Big Spring

An annual reunion of the Sewalt family was held July 23 in Big Spring at the Big Spring City park.

The reunion was attended by Sewalt relatives from all parts of Texas, especially the Panhandle.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sewalt, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Burl Belew and sons, Fluvanna; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Sewalt, Jayton; Mrs. Burl Murdock, Jayton, Avon Sewalt, Jayton; Mrs. Eunice Nesbitt, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Nesbitt, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Farquhar and son, Big Spring; Mrs. Anda Sewalt, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Sewalt and sons, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oden, Brownwood; Alvas Sewalt, Brownwood; Mrs. Morris Harris and son, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Sheid, Brooksmith; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson, Encinita, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hair, Odessa; Mrs. Dessie Bennett, Bangs; Mr. and Mrs. John Waits, Lovington, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wolforth, Lubbock; Warren Courville, Loco Hills, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Hersell Sewalt, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gleghorn, Artesia, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Melton Gleghorn, Artesia, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Harrvell Gleghorn and son, Artesia, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Woods, Lamesa; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farquhar, Fluvanna.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gray of Lubbock were here yesterday. Mr. Gray is the owner of the Snyder Gray Lumber Co.

Miss Earlene Lloyd Honored at Party In Cone Merritt Home

Another in a series of prenuptial parties honoring Earlene Lloyd, who will be married August 18, to Homer Hutto, Jr., of Abilene, was given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Cone Merritt at her home southeast of Snyder.

Favors were miniature wedding bands inscribed with the names, Earlene and Homer H., and the date of the wedding. Games, also featuring the bride-and-groom theme, were played, and refreshments of punch and cake were served.

Those attending, besides the honoree, were:

Mrs. Dee Myers, Mrs. J. A. Merritt, Jr., Mrs. Minnie Evans, Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Mrs. J. E. Patrick, Mrs. T. A. Berry, Mrs. Willie Lloyd, Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mrs. Jimmie Merritt, Mrs. Dock Kelley, Mrs. Jesse Clements, Mrs. Florine Merritt, Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mrs. Alfred Rosson, Mrs. C. R. Rucker, Mrs. Will Merritt, Mrs. John Merritt, Miss Charlene Stewart, Miss Delores Stewart, Miss Martha Evans, Miss Mary Evans, Mrs. G. W. Keel of Comanche, grandmother of the honoree, and Mrs. George Lloyd, mother of the honoree.

Sheriff's Department Sets Up Own Police Radio Dispatcher

A shortwave remote control unit was installed in the office of Lloyd Merritt, sheriff, Tuesday, which enable the office to contact their radio equipped cars without going through the police department.

The sheriff's department has three cars with two-way inter-car communicating systems. Another car is slated to be equipped this week, said Sheriff Merritt.

Mrs. Ruby Devers, office deputy, has been designated as official dispatcher for the unit.

B. & P. W. Elects At Meeting Last Night

The Martins', 1111 Thirty-first Street, was the scene of an ice cream supper Wednesday night, following a business meeting of Business and Professional Women's Club.

The club elected the following officers: Mrs. Betty Wendell Snyder, president; Miss Winnie Garner, first vice-president; Mrs. Vera Miller, second vice-president; Mrs. June Sparks, corresponding secretary; Miss Mae Lyons, recording secretary; Mrs. Reca Haney, treasurer; and Mrs. Raymond Williams, parliamentarian.

Next meeting will be the dinner meeting Aug. 22 at the Martins'. All members are urged to bring guests to that meeting.

Junior Chamber Will Hold Ladies' Night

Wives of Junior Chamber of Commerce members will be guests at the meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the Country Club. They will have dinner and play games afterward.

The Junior Chamber will have a short business session, at which they will decide who is to represent the Snyder chapter at the bi-regional meeting in Odessa Aug. 13 and 14.

Stray, Unlicensed Dogs to Be Confined

A war on stray, untagged dogs in Snyder has been declared by J. T. Hillyard, city dog catcher.

Beginning tomorrow, an intensive drive to collect and confine all dogs in the city that do not possess a dog license, when found roaming the streets and alleys, will get under way, Hillyard said.

"Stray dogs in the city are becoming a nuisance, and when found, will be taken to the dog pound on Avenue T and Twenty-third Street and confined for three days, then destroyed if not claimed," he said.

A total of 92 dogs were destroyed in the city in July.

People who have dogs that do not possess a tag can obtain one from Hillyard at the pound. The fee is $1 for male and $2.50 for female. Veterinarians charge $2 for vaccinating a dog, he slad.

Second Year Plans Made By Garden Club

Flowers will bloom in Snyder gardens, and women will cherish attractively-arranged floral centerpieces if plans materialize which were discussed when the Snyder Garden Club met July 28.

About 30 women attended the breakfast meeting at the First Christian Church.

Business centered around plans for the club's second year, the year book of study, the flower shows and pilgrimages which may be undertaken and schools and lectures available to members.

Mrs. W. R. Bell, Sr., introduced the speaker, Joe Kelly, a June graduate from the Texas A. & M. school of horticulture. Mr. Kelly spoke on "Growning Plants" and discussed both plants for home enjoyment and specimans for flower shows.

"The success or lack of it in flower raising cannot be attributed to luck or green thumbs but comes by giving plants proper care," said Mr. Kelly. "The five environmental factors are light, moisture, aeration or ventilation, nutrition, and temperature."

Joe Dave Scott showed the group slides of scenes from the flower show recently given. The pictures were in color and will be sent to Garden Club Magazine.

Frances Henderson, Tommy Cary of Bison Are Wed in Carlsbad

The marriage of Miss Frances Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ermal H. Henderson, 2800 Avenue G, to Tommy Cary, a native of the Bison Community, has been announced.

The couple were married in a simple civil ceremony in Carlsbad, N. M., Monday, July 25.

Mrs. Cary has lived in Snyder all her life. She attended Snyder High School. She is now employed as an operator at the local telephone company.

Mr. Cary is employed by the Snyder Meat Company.

The couple are residing temporarily at the Canary Courts.

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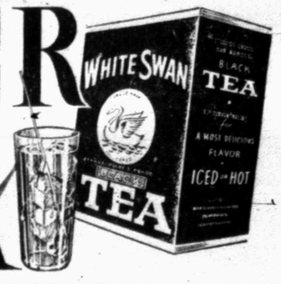

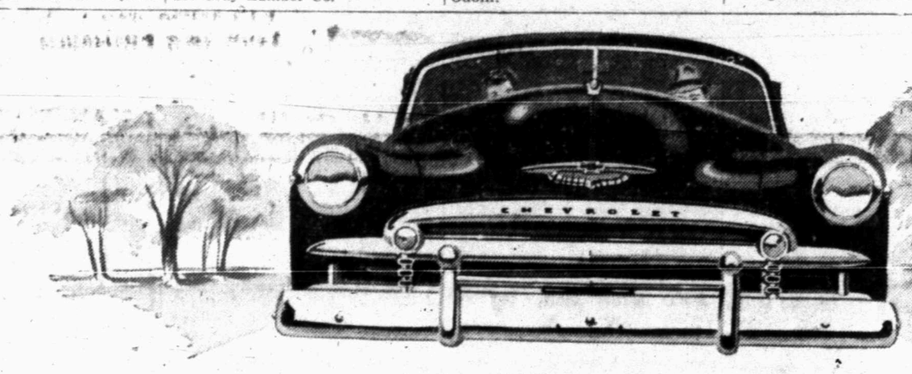

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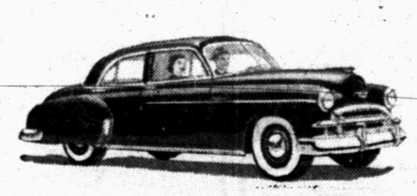

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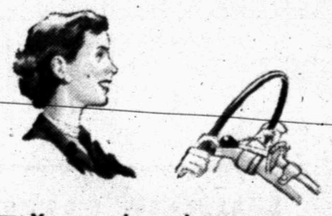

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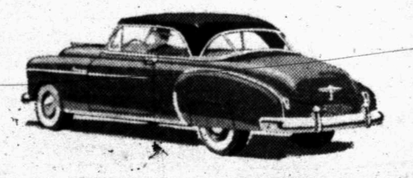

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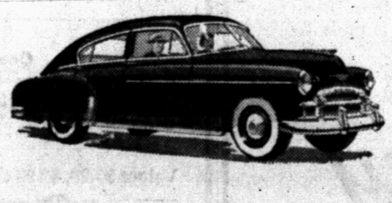

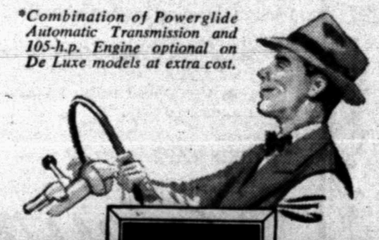

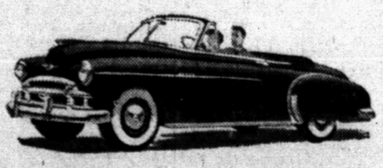

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TALK OF THE TOWN

BY FRANCES BIOW

"Man works from Sun to Sun;
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Any housekeeper is going to agree wholeheartedly with this verse, surely composed by a woman. There's a book just out, "How To Keep House," by Mary Davis Gillies, which has you believing woman's work might be done in a lot shorter time if you could master her short cuts and ways of efficiency on the home front. No matter your circumstances, she has the answer down pat.

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She takes the case of Mrs. S, a hypothetical lady who belongs to six women's clubs, gathers clothing for a needy Greek society, is a pillar in the P.-T. A., turns her own five children out looking decent and fed, and greets her husband and world with a well-groomed look.

This fabled character leaves you breathless. It seems she does it (I'm not certain whether before or after reading this book) all with a little efficient planning.

Dishes are done once a day, cleaning once a week in a terrific swoop and laundering may accumulate weeks, then be done in an operation that goes from dawn to midnight with Mr. S. (a minor character in the story) pitching in as first mate.

Hers is not a normal schedule, but she used every trick of mechanical gadgetry known to date, relies heavily on lists concocted to combine lots of visits-in-one. Mrs. S. gets happiness from it, even though to the average femme it would prove exhausting. You could never say Mrs. S. was sitting at home, vegetating.

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Mrs. X. is another type housewife, happy with it, but apt to grab relaxation from it if you don't watch her. To offset the week's drudgery cleaning bathrooms and polishing silver, she has worked out an elaborate Friday afternoon program, a morale lifter. She brushes, combs and washes her hair. She may have a special rinse or home permanent. Nails are manicured, and a facial indulged in. Maybe the whole works, a bubble bath, pedicure and any old luxurious treatment of the body lovely she can conjure up. This makes the usual jobs easier to take day after day.

The point the author brings home is the well-taken one that every woman has a particular capacity for and desire or lack of desire for homemaking. Whatever the degree or manner, she will and must do some housekeeping. Even if she has nothing more than a rented bedroom, she wants her lingerie fragrant and straight in the drawers. So, with the help of this book, she may decide to what extent she is going to Keep House and do it IN AN EFFICIENT WAY.

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How to keep holidays, how to iron, how to make cocktail snacks, how to save the funiture from the children, what books and magazines to buy, how to snatch recreation, and how to get on with the neighbors ACCORDING TO YOUR NEEDS AND WANTS are gone into. A handy bible of womanly helpfulness. Sells $3.50, Harper & Bros., available through McCall's Magazine.

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The only drawback about making a column from research in a book like this is that with its slick new jacket it looks like a latest novel and the boss, stealthily keeps passing troubled glances at you, wondering if now you've taken to reading love stories in office hours.

H. W. Taylor, Formerly Of Ira, Succumbs

Harvey Willis Taylor, long-time Scurry County resident, who died unexpectedly July 21 at his home, 2301 Avenue T, was born in Grayson County, Tex., April 18, 1868.

He was reared in a family of 14 children, all of whom preceded him in death except two brothers, Van Taylor and Joe Taylor, both of Denton, Tex., and one sister, Mrs. Sallie McCombs of McAllen, Tex.

Other survivors included the widow, Mrs. Pearl Baugh Taylor of the home; four sons, Elmer Taylor and Sterling Taylor, both of Snyder; Essie Taylor of Ira, and Raymond Taylor of Dallas; four daughters, Mrs. Ross Riley and Mrs. Bushy Hedges, both of Snyder, Mrs. Andy Stroud of Dora, N. M., and Mrs. Mable Barnett of Abilene; and 25 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

He was a framer in the Ira community many years before moving to Snyder several years ago.

Stokes Descendants Attend Reunion At The Winston Ranch

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stokes, pioneer Snyder residents, were reunited Saturday night when they and their families attended a chicken fry on the Winston Ranch.

The occasion of the reunion was the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Young from College Station, Tex. Mrs. Young is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stokes.

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Young, with their husbands and wives, attending were Mrs. Wade Winston, Roy Stokes, Mrs. Warren Dodson, Mrs. Maurice Brownfield, Aubrey Stokes, and Mrs. R. W. McCurdy of Sweetwater.

Their children present were Mrs. Sam Joyce, with Mr. Joyce, and their children, Johnny Joyce and Helen Joyce, Mrs. Scott Casey, Mr. Casey, and their son, Bickey Casey; Miss Durelle Stokes, Billy Dick Stokes, Franklin Brownfield, William Brownfield, Wayland Dodson, Miss Anna Bell Young and V. G. Young, Jr.

Also attending were Harrie Winston and Miss Barbara Brown of Midland, guest of Miss Stokes.

Ordinance For Inspection Of Meat Due Soon

A meat inspection ordinance will be prepared for the city of Snyder, it was decided at the meeting of the city-council last night.

C. W. Parks, Jr., of the Snyder Meat Packing Co., appeared before the council to ask the ordinance be passed to enable him, and any other local slaughter house, to compete fairly with government inspected packing houses in other cities.

The ordinance will be drawn up, and presented for the council's approval later. It probably will be voted upon Aug. 21.

Only stumbling block in the way of the ordinance appeared to be the question of how the city could afford to hire a meat inspector at $100 a month. It was decided that the ordinance will be drawn up to provide that local slaughter houses pay the $100 inspection fee, which will go to a licensed veterinarian.

Besides Parks establishment, the only other packing house in Snyder is the Jones Locker Plant.

Council Orders Speedy Action To Co-operate in Road Project

The city council last night ordered a speed-up in the paper work which must precede the paving of Avenue R, Avenue S, and the Clairemont Road.

Expressing themselves as eager to expedite the collection of assessments and the clearing of the right-of-way deeds, councilmen voted unanimously to direct the city attorney to prepare an ordinance enabling the city to put assessment leins against property on Avenue R, where owners have not paid their share of the paving, curbing and gutter costs. That ordinance is expected to be presented for the council's approval Monday night.

The council heard a report that $10,210 had been paid in by Avenue R property owners as their share of the joint city-state paving project, and that eight property owners had not paid. The cost to the property owner is $1.50 a foot for the curb and gutter and $1 a foot for the 16 feet of paving.

JOINT PROJECT

When it was decided that the state highway department and the city would co-operate in paving Avenue R, the state agreed to pave a 24-foot strip down the center of the road, if the city would put in curbs and gutters and would pave 16 feet on either side of the central strip.

The contract for curbs and gutters on Avenue R was let last February to Holland Page Construction Co. of Austin, and is to be paid in cash. For this reason the job cannot begin until all the money from property owners is in, or the city has guaranteed the contractor that the money will be paid him.

The city is also preparing to act, in conjunction with the county, to clear right-of-way deeds required before the highway department will proceed with the paving of the Clairemont Road.

The highway department regards as one project the paving of Avenue R, Avenue S, and the Clairemont Road to the Kent County line.

Avenue R will be used as a by-pass for the highway when Avenue S is being repaired.

Before the package contract on paving the two city streets and the county road can be let by the state highway department, all the right-of-way must be procured, or be reasonably assured.

READY TO CONDEMN

To this end, W. W. Park, city attorney, is preparing to file about 50 condemnation proceedings to gain necessary additional right-of-way on both sides of the new road.

"Within the city limits," he said, "there are 9 or 10 property owners whom we cannot reach."

"Many of the deeds on property along the Clairemont Road were filed in the courthouse in 1908, and by now the owners cannot be found," Park stated.

"There are about 50 whose property will have to be condemned," he added. "The first step is to file the petitions for condemnation, which I hope to do this week.

"The second step will be for the county judge to appoint a special commission to appraise the land and the damage. And the third step will be for the property owners to be cited by publication to appear at a hearing. The hearing, final step in the condemnation proceedings, cannot be held until 42 days have elapsed after the citation by publication."

Civic leaders, and city and county officials are hopeful that the papers on the entire project will be in sufficiently good order by next month that the highway department will include the Clairemont Road and the two city streets in its September contracts.

PAVING PLANS

James V. Curnutte, city engineer appeared before the council last night to report that next week his plans and specifications on the city paving program and the city's bridge program will be ready to be presented to the council.

It was agreed that the council would hear his report Monday night. Curnutte urged speedy action on the program, in order that reinforcing steel for the bridges could be bought before it became scarce.

"Reinforcing steel," he said, "is the only material used in our program which has become critical due to the war."

Man Overcome by Heat

Robert Glover, roughneck for Loffland Brothers Drilling Co., was admitted to Snyder Hospital Clinic last night after having been overcome by heat while working on a derrick yesterday afternoon.

New Valve Placed In Water Tower; Pump To Be Installed Thursday

An automatic altitude valve is being placed on the old overhead water storage tank on Thirty-second Street, between aveunes Y and Z today, according to Jay Ramsey, city water superintendent.

In the future the tank will open and close by automatic pressure heretofore, hand operation had been necessary. The two other tanks are elevated sufficiently that no pressure control is needed, it was pointed out by Ramsey.

Water to seven or eight houses in the area was cut off during the valve installation today.

But here is good news to water users of Snyder.

"It will not be necessary to cut water from any large areas in the future as has been done recently," Ramsey said, explaining that valves recently placed in the system enable workmen to operate without cutting off water in a large area of the city.

Placing of a 400-gallon per minute pump on the new city well on Avenue Z is slated for Thursday or Friday of this week, said Ramsey. All equipment is expected to be in readiness by that time, he added.

Lawyer Plans Trip To Illinois and Michigan

C. E. McGaw, Snyder lawyer, will leave sometime tomorrow for a 12-day vacation trip through Illinois and Michigan.

From here he will go to Longview, where he will join his daughter, Miss Rose Marie McGaw, a member of the Rangerettes marching team of the Kilgore Junior College, and will accompany the team to Chicago.

McGaw plans to attend the professional football game between the Philadelphia Eagles and the College All-Stars, where the Rangerettes will march before an expected 102,000 fans at Soldier's Field Friday night.

Sunday he plans to go to Grand Rapids, Mich., where he will attend the international convention of the Knights of Pythias, an order of the Masonic Lodge, as a supreme representative Monday through the following Friday. He will return here Aug. 21.

Women Play Vital Role In War on Uncleanliness Here

The housewife has a big part to play in helping control polio, Dr. Fred Dinkler of the city-county health unit said yesterday.

If she has children, the housewife can protect them by keeping them at home as much as possible and away from crowds. She should see that they do not get overtired and that they get enough rest.

USE OF KEROSENE

Houses which are not connected to city sewers present a special problem. Cess pools and septic tanks should be doctored with one-half gallon of kerosene per tank. The kerosene can be flushed down any drain, Dr. Dinkler said, and the treatment should be repeated every two weeks with about half the original amount of kerosene.

No standing water should be left anywhere, but if there are pools that cannot be drained, kerosene should be poured over the water.

In Snyder there are a number of fish ponds which can become breeding places for mosquitoes. Dr. Dinkler said that if people with ponds would call the health unit, the ponds would be treated in such a way as not to injure the fish.

AIR CONDITIONERS

Drains from air conditioners should be connected with city sewer or septic tank, and not allowed to form a pool of standing water. The same thing goes for open drains from houses and trailers — there just should not be any.

Overhead water tanks can be made mosquito proof with a covering of one-sixteenth inch mesh screen wire. The water should also be given a light coating of kerosene.

Troughs for watering stock should be emptied and scrubbed out with a brush weekly—the housewife may not do this herself, but she can see that it is done, Dr. Dinkler implied.

Abandoned wells should be filled in and eliminated. If that is impossible, they should be treated with kerosene.

Mosquitoes can also breed in old tin cans filled with rain water.

Garbage containers should be tightly covered, and no other filth should be allowed to remain around a house. The housewife should insist on cleanliness in the house and all around it.

County School Board Classifies Various Units in the System

Transfers of scholastics in the county were approved Saturday at the regular meeting of the Scurry County school board.

There were four transfers from Snyder to Hobbs, three from Hermleigh to Snyder, two from Ira to Snyder, four from Snyder to Ira, and three from Hermleigh to Roscoe.

The board authorized the continuation of the county crippled children's school for another year.

Classification of county schools was also made. Snyder white school was classified as a 12-grade system and Snyder colored school as an 8-grade system. Hermleigh, Fluvanna and Ira schools were designated as 12-grade systems.

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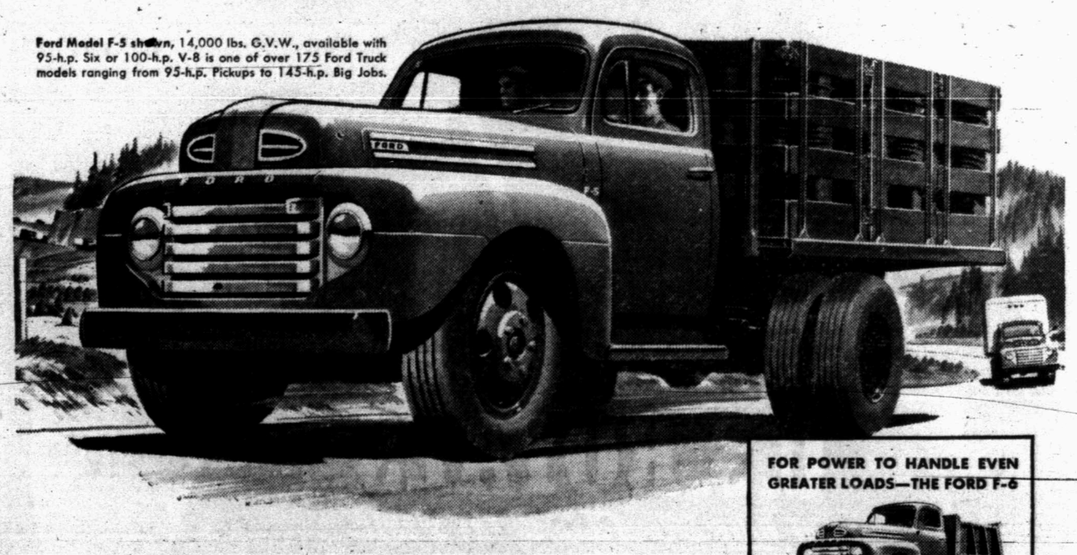

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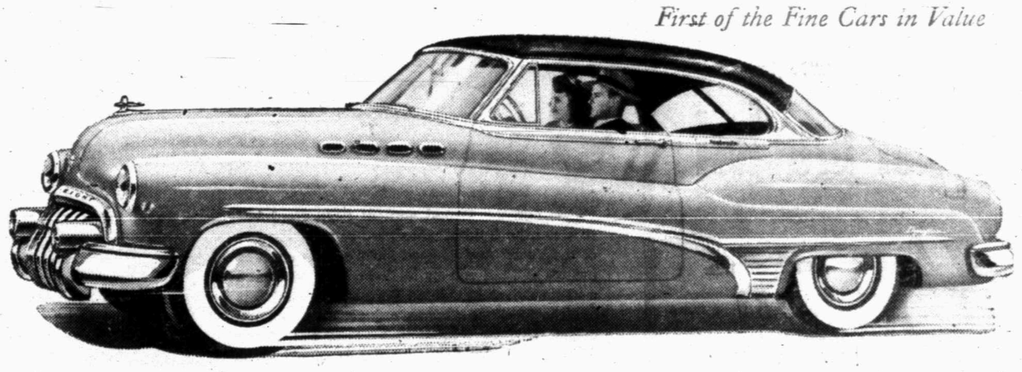

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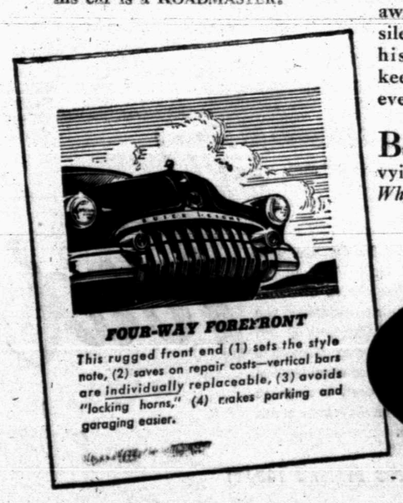

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TO: TOM KRENNER.
GREETING:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 28 day of August, A. D., 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14 day of July, 1950.
The file number of said suit being No. 4910.
The names of the parties in said suit are: BETTY J. KRENNER as Plaintiff, and TOM KRENNER as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: DIVORCE.
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Issued this the 14 day of July A. D., 1950.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 14 day of July A. D., 1950.
Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk
District Court, Scurry County, Texas.
By Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO, CLAUDIA CASTLEBERRY PELLEY, GREETING:
Your are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 4th day of September, A. D., 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 21 day of July, 1950.
The names of the parties in said suit are: BILL PELLEY as Plaintiff, and CLAUDIA CASTLEBERRY PELLEY as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: DIVORCE.
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 21 day of July A. D., 1950.
Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk.
District Court Scurry County, Texas.
By Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: WILLIAM O. WINKLE.
GREETING
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 4th day of September, A. D., 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable 32nd District Court of Scurry County at the Court House in Snyder, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 16th day of June, 1950.
The file number of said suit being No. 4862.
The names of the parties in said suit are: GERENE P. WINKLE as Plaintiff, and WILLIAM O. WINKLE as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows to wit:
Suit for divorce by plaintiff against defendant, on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, plaintiff alleging that the parties accumulated no community property, and no children were born to them. Plaintiff prays for divorce, for costs of suit and general relief.
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Issued this the 24th day of July A. D., 1950.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 24th day of July A. D., 1950.
Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk.
District Court Scurry County, Texas.
By Deputy.

Snyder Films to Be Seen By Millions in East, West Coast

A television audience estimated at 20 million persons probably will see Snyder and its booming oil industry during the next week, according to Maurice Levy, southwestern representative of the National Broadcasting Co.

The greatest concentration of television sets is in the East, the Middle-West and in California.

VARIETY OF SCENES

Levy was sent here by N.B.C. last week, and Thursday and Friday he took hundreds of shots, using about 1,700 feet of film, Harold Bennett, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, said yesterday. Bennett assisted Levy in arranging the scenes to be photographed.

The scenes will show a sharp contrast from the hurly-burley oil field boom in the East Texas several years, to an orderly, modern boom that is Snyder's distinction, Bennett said.

The televised program of N.B.C., "Watch The World" is scheduled to release the scenes in New York City and the Los Angeles areas, perhaps next week.

Film shots of the temporary and permanent housing situation in the area were taken Friday, showing many new buildings under construction, supply houses, unloading sheds, newly built tourist courts and trailer housing projects.

One of the best scenes was filmed on a farm five miles north of the city, where a herd of Herford cattle was grazing while an oil well in the background was being drilled. It was during the filming of this scene that Levy was attacked and stung by a swarm of wasps, before he retreated from the scene.

Shots of a newly-built drive-in theatre, a school being moved into the city from the country, of the new addition to the First Methodist Church under construction, and general view of the square.

Thursday shots were taken of an oil well being drilled just north of the city, traffic jams, crowds flocking into the West Texas State Bank, a picture of Ernest Taylor, who uses his car as an insurance office, school groups, the Country club and busy street scenes; also the police and sheriff's departments.

Before leaving, Levy expressed his thanks for the fine co-operation given by the people of Snyder and Scurry County.

"The value of this fine publicity for Snyder and this section cannot be over-estimated, and we are fortunate in having the National Broadcasting Co., send its cameraman here for the television scenes," stated Bennett.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To E. G. Smith
You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Scurry County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse in the City of Snyder in said County, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of Monday, Sept. 18, 1950, and answer the petition of Bonnie Fay Smith, plaintiff, in Cause No. 4941, styled Bonnie Fay Smith vs. E. G. Smith, which petition was filed in said Court on the 4th day of August, 1950, and the nature of which said suit is as follows: for Divorce.
If this citation is not served within 90 days from date of issuance, is shall be returned unserved.
Witness, Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Snyder, Texas, this 4th day of August, A. D., 1950.
Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.
SEAL
Issued this 4th day of August, 1950.
Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.

Latin American Group Scheduled to Meet At Lopez Home Tomorrow

A mass meeting of all Mexican people residing in this area has been called to convene at the home of Charles Lopez, on the Lubbock highway, at 730 o'clock tomorrow night.

The purpose of the meeting, one prominent Mexican said, is to raise funds for Simon Quiros, recently shot and wounded by a city policeman, for future legal action if decided upon.

It was hinted that a widely-known San Antonio lawyer of Mexican descent may be employed by the Mexican group here.

Quiros is still a patient in the Snyder Hospital, but much improved, hospital attendants said yesterday.

Bridal Shower Given To Honor Mrs. Land

Mrs. L. C. Beaty, 309 Twenty-ninth Street, entertained last week with the last of a series of showers and bridal parties or Mrs. Charles Land, the former Miss Ann Dillard. Miss Dillard was the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Dillard, 1209 Twenty-sixth Street, before her July marriage to Mr. Land.

More than 20 guests attended the shower at Mrs. Beaty's home. Punch and cake were served to the guests. Mrs. Everett Gollihor assisted Mrs. Beaty in hostess duties.

W. D. Mitchell, Former Snyder Resident Dies

W. D. (Billy) Mitchell, 37, former Snyder resident who had lived in Lamesa the past three years, died Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock of a heart attack suffered at his home. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the Lamesa hospital

He was an instructor in vocational agriculture at the veterans' school in Lamesa.

Survivors include his wife, the former Ethel Lynn Hayes of Snyder; a son, William Dunn Mitchell, Jr., 1 year old; his mother, Mrs. J. K. Mitchell of Snyder.

He is also survived by three brothers, J. K. Mitchell of Pierre, S. D.; P. C. Mitchell of Lubbock and J. D. Mitchell of Seminole; and three sisters, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. Sterling Williams and Miss Oleita Mitchell, all of Snyder.

Mitchell attended Snyder schools and was a graduate of Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Charter For Real Estate Company Here

The H. & H. Development Co., of Snyder, was granted a state charter as a corporation July 27 under the name of Heath & Haney, Inc., with C. A. Heath, Eva. H. Heath, and William L. Haney as incorporators.

The company was organized a little more than a year ago when Heath and Haney became partners in the real estate business, establishing headquarters here Aug. 1, 1949. The present Snyder office is located at 508 East Highway.

Before coming to Snyder, Haney was in real estate business in Odessa, and Heath was in the land title business in Childress, Tex., both men also doing some business in California as well as Texas.

Capital stock for the new corporation was listed at $5,000.

The company has recently completed 30 houses in Snyder under the approval of the Federal Housing Administration, 20 of which were constructed on Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Streets between Avenues D and E, and 10 of which were on Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Streets between Avenues C and D.

The foundations for 10 more have just been poured between Avenues C and D on Thirty-fifth Streets.

Health Unit Crews Into North End

Literally millions of mosquitoes were found Wediesday when a crew from the city-county health unit began its second day of canvassing the city to eliminate flies, mosquitoes and unsanitary conditions.

L. T. Barnard, senior sanitarian of the health unit, who directed the group this morning, said they had found enough mosquitoes in four or five blocks to contaminate half the city.

ON LUBBOCK ROAD

The three-man team operated today on the Lubbock highway, in an area devoted both to business and residential buildings.

This afternoon the team was to be augmented by two new recruits, Barnard said, and probably by tomorrow more would be added.

The teams are covering every building in the city, in accordance with instructions received Monday night from representatives of both the city and county governments.

"Today we found mosquitoes swarming in vast numbers in cooling towers on big buildings, in air-conditioners on houses," Barnard reported.

"We dug into abandoned cesspools at buildings which have been tied into the city sewer system," he added, and exposed places where mosquitoes were breeding by the tens of thousands.

"We haven't run into a cesspool yet that was not filled with the pests."

The inspection crew, armed with three or four gallon tanks on their backs, sprayed kerosene over all surfaces today where they found mosquitoes or other insects breeding.

"I have ordered DDT crystals and chloridane," Barnard said, adding that the mixture sprayed to eliminate the insects will be more lethal when these compounds can be added to it.

The crews move through the city in a truck, two men taking a block, which they inspect thoroughly for any unsanitary conditions.

So far, Barnard said, a bulldog has offered the only resistance encountered. With that single exception, everyone has been very co-operative, he reported.

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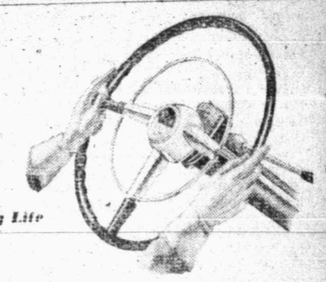

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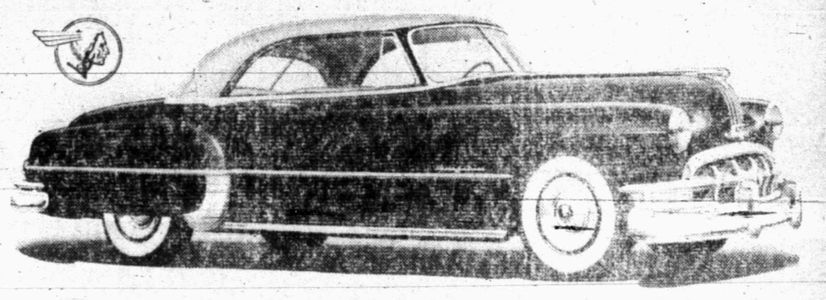

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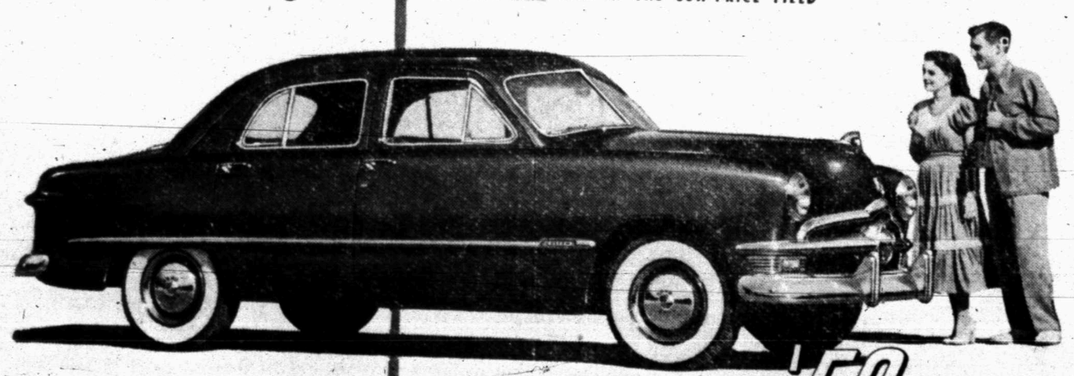

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Mahon Urges Larger Allotment For West Texas Cotton Farmers

By TEX EASLEY
AP Special Washington Srevice

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9. — A controversy among Texas members of Congress over the cotton quota bill broke out anew Wednesday before the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Reps. Mahon and Poage, Texas Democrats, voiced opposing views on a provision which applies strictly to their state.

Under discussion was a section of the pending legislation providing that in any state where 1950 cotton plantings topped 3 million acres, grain sorghums, flax and other "war crops" should be regarded as cotton in figuring 1951 quotas.

ONLY ONE

Only Texas grew more than 3 million acres last year.

The new provision would cause Texas congressional districts losing acreage while the remaining 17 dis- a redistribution of quotas in the state, with four South and West tricts would gain.

Mahon, whose district would be the heaviest loser, told the senators:

"We in West Texas can produce cotton at a lower cost per pound than any other place in the country.

"In East Texas many farmers are not planting their acreage. We feel the allotments should go to those who need and want to use their quotas."

MINORITY

Mahon admitted that his views were shared by a minority of the Texas House members.

"On the basis of principle," he said, "cotton should be planted where it can be most economically produced. We don't think you should write a provision of law here to apply just to Texas. Let us take our chance along with other states in regard to operation of the cotton quota law."

Poage testified after Mahon. He promptly countered with the observation that the pending proposal was designed to wipe out a "discriminatory interpretation" of the 1950 quota law by the Agriculture Department.

It's still anybody's guess how the 1951 cotton acreage quotas under the government crop control program will be distributed among Texas farmers.

But one thing at this time appears fairly certain: Texas in all probability will receive the same allocation she received under the cotton acreage law for 1950, approximately 7,600,000 acres.

PMA Gives Break-Down On $73,905 Paid Out In Scurry During 1949

Figures released this week by the Production and Marketing Administration office in Snyder show that $73,905.24 was paid to 289 Scurry County farmers in 1949.

Payments were made for certain soil building and other farm improvement practices for which federal funds are available to farmers.

County farmers received $59,240.-74 for building terraces on 264 farms, $2,325.30 for diversion terraces of 47 farms, $649.50 for subsoil construction on four farms, $52.50 for control of bindweed on one farm, $1,507.70 for drainage ditches on 11 farms, $4,645.50 for wells for livestock on seven farms, $3,682 for earthen dams on nine farms, and $1,802 for elimination fo mesquite on four farms.

Floyd Smith of the PMA office said the 1950 allocation was $116,950. This means, he said, that there will be such an amount available to farmers in 1950, although all of it may not necessarily be paid.

Police Force Adds 3 New Patrolmen; Quota Of 16 Now Is Filled

Three men have been added to the Snyder Police department, bringing the force to 16 men, the allotted quota, Chester Barrington, chief of police, said today.

The new officers are John Mullins, Troy Gideon and Paul Tanner. All are from this area and have had some police experience, said Chief Barrington.

"All members of the police department, both present and future officers will be fingerprinted and given special police identification cards with the prints on the card," said Barrington.

Mays Is Given Jail Sentence In Liquor Case

Curtis Mays, 34, of Snyder, was sentenced by a county court jury Wednesday morning to serve 180 days in the county jail and was in addition assessed a fine of $500. The jury was in deliberation about 10 minutes.

Mays, who still has a similar charge pending against him, was convicted of selling a pint of whisdy to a member of the state liquor control board on April 8 at the City Hotel.

Ross Hemphill, of Snyder, was attorney for the defendant, who was prosecuted by Ben Thrope, county attorney, assisted by Jack Kennedy.

The other county court cases, which were both set for hearing yesterday, were to be called for again this afternoon, according to Judge Edgar Taylor, who said he would order the bonds forfeited if the men did not appear.

They are Bedney W. Gunter, 29, of Snyder, charged with swindling by worthless check, and James T. Linebough, 34, charged with driving while intoxicated. Linebough was involved in a minor accident.

Both men are free on bond. Sureties for Gunter's $100 bond are L. V. Prince and J. S. Elliott, and the sureties for Linebough are Foch Walton and A. E. Dennis for a $250 bond.

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PERSONALS

The Rev. W. W. Adcock and Mrs. Adcock and children left Monday for Dalhart, Tex., where they will visit relatives and continue on to other points in Texas. The Methodist minister and his family will be away for two weeks.

Dr. Ben L. Costin and Mrs. Costin, 1208 Twenty-fifth Street, recently returned after a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom. Their son accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Jr., spent the past week end in Grand Prairie, Tex., visiting with Mrs. Patterson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Periman have just returned from Seminole, Tex. They drove there with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell of Seminole who had been here with them for a few days.

Jeff DeShazo has been commuting from Sweetwater each day, assisting in the produce department at Cash Food Store. Mr. DeShazo is with the Sunbeam Enterprises, working in the Sweetwater store. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. DeShazo, 2503 Avenue V.

Miss Mary Lou Devenport, 2611 Avenue X, and Miss Marybelle Weathersbee, 1708 Twenty-seventh Street, are on a trip of a few days to Gallup, N. M., where they will see the Indian rain dance. Miss Devenport is on her vacation from the Roe Home and Auto Supply Co., and Miss Weathersbee is vacationing before beginning her school term at Fluvanna.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rainwater, 1208 Twenty-seventh Street, Miss Wanda Jane Rainwater, and Mrs. Allen Stone and children went to Andrews, Tex., last week end. They visited with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floyd and family. Miss Rainwater is now back at her post at Crowder-Hall Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Botts from Amarillo visited here with Mr. Bott's uncle and family, the Dr. and Mrs. R. D. English, last week end. Dr. and Mrs. English also have with them their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nunn from Sulphur Springs, Tex. The Nunns will be here for an indefinite length of time.

C. T. McLaughlin has returned from an air trip to Canada. Accompanied by W. H. Peterson, vice-president of the Fort Worth National Bank, and Charlie Hillard of Fort Worth, Mr. McLaughlin flew in his plane to Calgary, Alberta, and after inspecting the Canadian oil fields, proceeded to Banff and Lake Louise.

Mrs. Bobby McCormick is the new clerk at the Williams' Jewelry store. Mrs. McCormick came to Snyder from Abilene recently as the bride of Mr. McCormick, who is manager of the Phillips 66 Super Station on the East Highway. The couple live near the station.

John Trost, owner of Town and Country Furniture store, has just purchased a Taylor craft single-engine two-passenger airplane. Mr. Trost will use the plane in business for his three stores, here, in Lubbock and in Tucson, Ariz. He will leave in it for Tucson tomorrow. The plane has a hangar at Winston Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berenson have just moved into their new home at 605 Thirty-second Street. Mr. Berenson is with Town and Country furniture store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Abels, 2800 Avenue Q, spent the week end vacationing at Pilot Point, Tex. They took their two small children with them.

Mrs. Elma Browning, 2800 Avenue Q, has had as house guests her two grandchildren, Miss Ila Jean Browning and Butch Browning from Hermleigh.

Billie McKinzey who recently underwent an appendectomy at Roby Hospital is back at his job at Harris Pharmacy today. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKinzey from Bishop, Tex., left yesterday after coming here to visit during his illness.

Mrs. Jack Yeaman is in the Root Hospital, Colorado City, where she recently underwent minor surgery. Her condition is reported to be excellent and she will be released from the hospital soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy, route No. 2, Snyder, are the parents of a 5 pound, 13 ounces baby girl born last night.

Mrs. R. H. Curnutte, 2306 Thirty-second Street, recently returned from a three-week trip to North Hollywood, Calif., where she visited with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Dodson. House guests this week in Mrs. Curnutte's home are another daughter, Mrs. Donald Mahler from San Antonio and her two children. Mrs. Mahler came to Snyder to be near her sister, Mrs. Jack Yeaman, who is in the Root Hospital, Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egner, 1010 Twenty-eighth Street, have as house guests this week Miss Ana Pruzekup and Frank Mihalik from Detroit. Miss Przekup is a reserve in the Women's Army Corps and expects to go on active duty at any time. Mrs. Egner, who was a WAC staff sergeant in World War II, served in the same detachment with Miss Przekup.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Warren from Colorado City were in town one day this week visiting with Mrs. Allen Warren, Warrencrest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stinson and their grandson, Joe Dave Scott, are in Carlsbad, N. M. and Ruidoso, N. M., this week. In Carlsbad, Mrs. Stinson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Collins, and in Ruidoso the party will stay with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott, Mr. Scott's paternal grandparents.

Easy Test Determines Whether Can Opener Is Cutting Properly

One of the most used gadgets in the kitchen is the can opener. But it is doubtful, according to Mrs. Mildred Sparks, acting county home demonstration agent, that many homemakers ever check by a simple test to see whether the mechanism is cutting properly.

For example, Mrs. Sparks said, many can openers permit slivers of tinned steel to fall into the can's contents during the opening process.

Here is a simple check that one can easily make. Empty the contents from a can of food. Then wash and dry the can carefully. Hold the can firmly upon a sheet of white paper — with the opened end down — and open the bottom end of the can with the can opener that you are checking.

Any slivers of metal released by the opener this time will fall upon the paper where they can be seen. If more than the barest amount of tinned steel shows on the paper, you'll know the can opener is not cutting as it should, Mrs. Sparks stated.

NEWS FROM FLUVANNA

BY MRS. C. A. DAUGHERTY

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Daugherty spent Saturday through Wednesday visiting relatives and friends in Bell County.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Givens of Austin arrived here Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bley, here from Missouri. Mr. Givens returned to Austin Sunday, and Mrs. Givens remained for a longer visit.

Joe Sneed of Westmoreland, Calif., is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reeves of Mason are visiting J. T. Reeves and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shows and children of Norwalk, Calif., visited Tuesday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Miller attended the junior rodeo at Post Wednesday. They were accompanied by Miss Dewey Faye Everett of Snyder. Ralph Miller entered in one of the events.

Mr. Opal Evans and son of Houston were here Tuesday visiting his brother, Bunyon Evans and family, and transacting business.

Walter Blue of Gordon, Tex., and his grandson, Scotty Fulford of Fredericksburg, Va., are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Henry Wilhelm of California is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavender.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Myers of Bakersfield, Calif., are here visiting the D. H. Hankins family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Aaron and son visited his parents, the Homer Aarons, in Rotan over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton have returned from a visit with his people in Commanche County and her sister in Erath County.

Mrs. Betty Whatley is home again after an extended visit with the Joe Rendons of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Silberberg of Mount Dora, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reynolds, of Dalhart.

Mrs. Panch McDonald, and Mrs. Sam Beaver of Snyder left Saturday for Savannah, Mo., where Mrs. Beaver will receive medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kinsley and children of Robert Lee are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fulford and Victor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bley of Exeter, Mo., are here for a visit with old friends and relatives. They arrived Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Craft and daughter, Agnes, of Sweetwater visited in the John Stavely home Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Stavely took them back to Sweetwater Sunday afternoon.

Dan Ed Whatley of Wichita Falls is here visiting his mother Mrs. Betty Whatley.

John Stavely and several others from Fluvanna attended the annual barbecue and membership meeting in Roby Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Springfield have moved to Dermott. Residents welcome the Davis family who are moving into the home vacated by the Springfields.

The Rev. and Mrs. Bain, of Georgetown are visiting the Leo Beavers. Mr. Bain is conducting the revival meeting now in progress at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Eckert and children of San Angelo arrived last Wednesday for a visit with their sons here.

F. W. Lavender has returned from East Texas after a visit with relatives and friends. The Carl Horton's of Rotan brought him home and visited several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Boyd of Dallas spent the week end with the J. G. Landrums. Sherry Lynn and Randy returned to Dallas with their parents after visiting here.

Mrs. J. G. Landrum was in Big Spring last Monday visiting Burke

NEWS FROM UNION

By MRS. J. B. ADAMS

Guests in the J. E. Woodson and D. B. Clendening homes this week were Mrs. G. W. Kelley and Miss Bette Gordon of Kaufman and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. New of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. David Connell of Hobbs, N. M., visited over the week end with home folks, the F. A. Connells and Homer Bentley.

Mrs. Lela Woodson left Thursday for an extended visit to Kaufman, Waco, and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Thane Mebane and children are vacationing in California this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pate and boys are on an extended trip to Mexico.

Mary Vanzandt of Colorado City is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. M. H. Sanders.

Guy Seuter of Aspermont visited Sunday with his parents.

The Rev. Jack O'Neal and family and Raymond Lunsford and family left Monday on a vacation trip to Colorado Springs.

Elmer Bentley became ill Saturday night and was carried to Temple for medical treatment.

The revival at the Methodist Church is to begin Aug. 20, with the Rev. Mason doing the preaching. Everyone is urged to attend both day and night services.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Clendening and daughter of San Angelo visited Sunday with the D. B. Clendenings.

Mrs. Dee Myers and Mrs. J. B. Adams attended the wedding shower Thursday for Earlene Lloyd in the home of Mrs. Cone Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith have bought a new home in Snyder and are moving this week.

Mary Jo Harrell of Snyder was a guest of Bette Gorden in the Clendening home Wednesday.

NEWS FROM MURPHY

By MRS. BEN WEATHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy and son, Brent Murphy, attended a reunion in South Texas last week.

Mrs. Lula Alexander and Mrs. Leona Weathers were Sunday visitors in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weathers visited Saturday night in the Ben Weathers' home.

Jimmy Joe Key spent Sunday with Leon Huddleston.

Mrs. Barbara Barrier is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Loyd Murphy and family.

Mrs. Cora Weathers spent the week end in the Harley Smith home.

The Rev. J. Cal McGahey of Palestine, Tex., and Cicero Peneley of Wayland College are in the revival meeting at the Knapp Baptist Church, assisted by the Rev. Altum.

Mrs. Clarence Carter and daughter left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ben Weathers last week received a Notary Public commission for Borden County.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, Jr., were guests Sunday in the Harley Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis held their annual reunion last week end with 87 descendants present. Only two grandchildren were unable to attend.

Banker's Wife Is In Colorado City Hospital

Mrs. Nolan Watson was taken to the Root Hospital, Colorado City, Friday, for medical treatement. Her husband said today her condition is fair and that she will remain several days in the hospital before returning to her home in the Highland Park Addition. Watson is president of the West Texas State Bank.

Junior Chamber Holds Ladies Night Meeting

About 60 members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and their wives attended the dinner meeting held last night at the Country Club.

The Junior Chamber goat, A. W. O. L., which is awarded to absent members each week, was put in the custody of Charles Mathews.

The program was largely social, in honor of the women guests.

Minister Says Parents Are 'Delinquents'

"We have far more parental delinquency than juvenile delinquency among us today," declared Boyd D. Fanning, minister of the Church of Christ on Twenty-fifth Street, at the Lions Club luncheon today.

Guest speaker at the luncheon, Mr. Fanning spoke on world and national affairs, attributing most of our problems to the "problem of individual homes, which is the greatest problem of all."

Because so many parents don't want to take the responsibility of directing the activities of their children and teaching them the proper things in life, he said, "We have many parents that can scarcely be considered fathers and mothers.

"The activities of nations depend upon the desires of those controlling their countries, and the actions of those are dependent upon the training they received in the home as children," Fanning said.

Also featured on the program were several piano solos by Harold Wade.

Co-operation of Civic Groups to Be Talked At Dinner Meet Thursday

A dinner meeting, to which the heads of all civic and patriotic organizations in the city will be invited to discuss civic problems affecting this community, has been set for Thursday night at the Country Club, it was announced today by Harold Bennett, manager of the board of directors of the chamber, presidents of the Lions, Kiwanis, Rotary, Junior Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Edgar Taylor, county judge, and Mayor Forest Sears, Bennett said.

The main purpose of this gathering to discuss plans for the co-operation and co-ordination of any proposed projects for the benefit of the entire community.

Miss Ida Jo Hart, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hart, who live south of Snyder, is away on a vacation trip to Colorado Spring, where she is attending the rodeo. She is accompanied by friends, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Killam have as guests today Mrs. Killam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pickett from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tate and children spent last week end with Mrs. Tate's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hart in Marshall, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taggart, and grandson, 2526 Avenue R, have just returned from a few days visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Chaney in Carlsbad,

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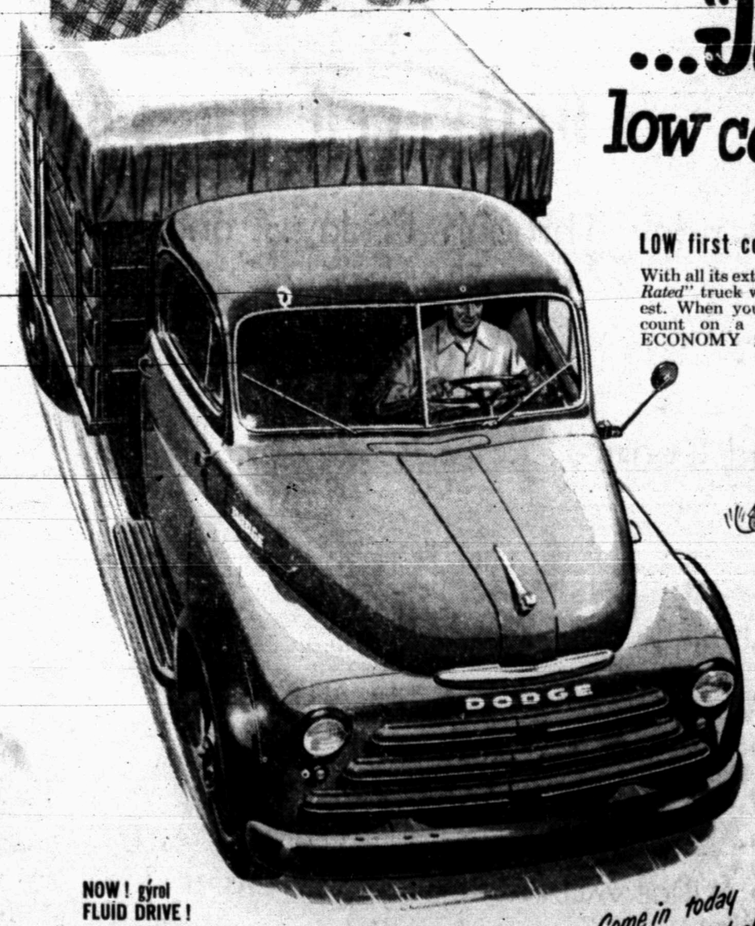

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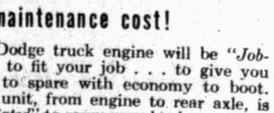

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