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The Sunday night-Monday morning freeze, following on the heels of snow and sleet that whipped across the county Sunday, constituted the low point mark of the New Year, and of the entire winter to date.

Not since two winters ago have county residents felt such a cold spell—one that froze water pipes, faucets, numerous automobile radiators and several car and truck batteries.

First snow of the New Year according to Mrs. Wesley Evans, was marked up Saturday, when a fall of .11 of an inch was tallied. Intermittent snow and fine sleet Sunday did not lay heavy enough for gaughing.

The cold spell that continued unabated over the week-end, and through Wednesday, was really a "follow through" of the cold wave, weather men say, that struck Scurry County Christmas Day, when the wind changed from west to northwest, bringing sand and dust from the South Plains to the doorsteps of Snyder and Scurry County.

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Members from Scurry County's Company G of the 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, in this group are, left to right, front row: Sergeant J. C. Williamson, Sergeant C. H. Reynolds and Private Sowries V. Rhodes; back row, Corporal R. L. Swint, Corporal Jesse H. King, Sergeant James W. Headstream, [illegible] Cravey and Corporal Kenneth W. Pointer. The picture, taken several days ago at Camp Bowie, fails to show many of the boys of the company.



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Loans and discounts were listed at $266,201.77, and CCC cotton loans and certificates of interest at $691,005.53.

Deposits, which are a good barometer of general business conditions, were listed at $2,112,907.95.

United States securities at the close of business December 31 reached the $164,200.00 level, and cash and exchange totaled $1,048,695.24. Total liabilities were listed at $2,291,640.55, in balance with total resources.

MERCURY DIPS TO 10 FIRST OF WEEK FOR LOW

Freezing Weather Continues During Entire Week as County Has Snow, Sleet, Winds

Old Man Winter heralded over the week-end with flurries of snow and sleet, showed Snyder and Scurry Counnty folks just how cold his breath could be Sunday night and early Monday morning by causing the temperature to power dive to a level just nine degrees above zero.

Temperatures nose dived again Wednesday night to nine degrees above zero, Mrs. Evans states.

The Sunday night-Monday morning freeze, following on the heels of snow and sleet that whipped across the county Sunday, constituted the low point mark of the New Year, and of the entire winter to date.

Not since two winters ago have county residents felt such a cold spell—one that froze water pipes, faucets, numerous automobile radiators and several car and truck batteries.

First snow of the New Year according to Mrs. Wesley Evans, was marked up Saturday, when a fall of .11 of an inch was tallied. Intermittent snow and fine sleet Sunday did not lay heavy enough for gaughing.

The cold spell that continued unabated over the week-end, and through Wednesday, was really a "follow through" of the cold wave, weather men say, that struck Scurry County Christmas Day, when the wind changed from west to northwest, bringing sand and dust from the South Plains to the doorsteps of Snyder and Scurry County.

Intermittent snow and sleet continued through Wednesday. U. S. Bureau officials gave no indication Wednesday night that the cold wave, causing appreciable damage to livestock and sheep, would let up within the near future.

On the bright side of the ledger, county farmers were happy over the prospect that the cold spell would

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School Men Attend State-Wide Meeting In Austin Today

Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, accompanied by three superintendents of Scurry County schools, and Superintendent N. J. Guillet of Hobbs, left Wednesday morning for Austin, where the group will attend Thursday through Saturday a state-wide gathering of county and school superintendents.

In addition to Bullock and Guillet, others in the group were Superintendents E. L. Farr of Snyder Schools, A. C. Bishop Jr. of Hermleigh School, and E. O. Wedgeworth of Fluvanna School.

Those appearing on the Thursday-Saturday school program will include outstanding school men of the Southwest, and representatives of the State Department of Education. Problems vital to every school child in Scurry, Fisher and other counties of the state will be discussed. The county school officials will return Saturday afternoon.

THESE SCURRY COUNTY MEN ARE VETERANS IN ARMED FORCES SWORN TO ROUT AXIS ARMIES



Members from Scurry County's Company G of the 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, in this group are, left to right, front row: Sergeant J. C. Williamson, Sergeant C. H. Reynolds and Private Charles V. Rhoades; back row, Corporal B. L. Stint, Corporal Jesse H. King, Sergeant James W. Headstream, Sergeant Lee B. McCravey and Corporal Kenneth W. Pointer. The picture, taken several days ago at Camp Bowie, fails to show many of the boys of the company.



These eight soldiers, all of the Scurry County National Guard unit, Company G of the 142nd Infantry, Camp Bowie, Brownwood, are, left to right, front row: Sergeant Ferrel W. Hollis, Sergeant Hugh H. Merritt, Sergeant Robert S. Taggart and Sergeant Robert A. Graves; back row, Private Robert Rollins, Private 1st Class Beasel T. Marchbanks, Private John E. Rogers and Corporal Raymond M. Racker. Other Company G members were on furlough when this picture was taken.

The WOMAN'S Page

Lloyd Family Furnishes Material for Pair of Marriages During Holiday

Three sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lloyd, who live three miles south of Snyder, played important roles in two holiday marriages. One was a bridegroom, another a best man and then a bridegroom, and the third, who is himself an engaged man, served as a best man.

Evergreens, pot plants and lighted candles formed an impressive setting at the First Presbyterian Church Christmas Eve night, 9:30 o'clock, for the marriage of Wernette Faver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Faver, and Earnest Lloyd, son of the W. W. Lloyds. Rev. Hubert C. Travis, pastor, read the vows in a ring ceremony.

Attending the couple were the bridegroom's brother, Claude Lloyd, and Wylna Clark of Dunn. Mrs. Travis and son, Alfred Murray, were also present.

Mrs. Lloyd was attractively dressed in a costume of soldier blue and wore a blue hat and other accessories in black. She is a 1940 graduate of Snyder High School, where she was active in sports and other activities. She captained the girls' volley ball team her senior year in high school.

Lloyd attended the Ira School, and he is now employed at the Humble Service Station, north of McClinton & Noble. The couple is living in the Elza apartment, 2401 Avenue N.

New Year's Eve was the date chosen by Wylna Clark, daughter of Mrs. Bama Clark of Dunn, and Claude Lloyd, son of the W. W. Lloyds, for their marriage. The two repeated their marriage vows in a ring ceremony last Wednesday evening, 9:00 o'clock, at the local Presbyterian manse, with Rev. Hubert C. Travis officiating.

The couple's attendants were the bridegroom's brother, J. P. Lloyd of Camp Bowie, and his fiance, Rachel Hartness, who is a resident of Arkansas and has been visiting in Scurry County.

The bride, graduate of the Ira High School, did special work in home economics in high school. Her mother is now postmaster at Dunn. For her marriage she wore a costume of brown and beige with matching accessories.

The couple will be living at Dunn, where Lloyd works at the Smallwood Service Station.

Cotton Beauty



When it came time to "pick" cotton in Indiana, Jean Bernard, brunette beauty from the University of Indiana was chosen as cotton queen at the famous health spa of French Lick Springs. To add a touch of cotton to the picture the Indiana queen wears a crown topped by tufts of cotton.

Mrs. Sefton Installed New Guild President

Mrs. H. T. Sefton, elected recently to succeed Mrs. F. L. Pierce as president of the Methodist Wesleyan Service Guild, was installed Monday evening in annual installation and pledge service held at the home of Mrs. H. G. Towle. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor, was in charge of the evening program.

Other officers taking places in the installation included: Nellon Minix, vice president; Mrs. Pierce, recording secretary; Mrs. Martin Norred, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. P. King, treasurer; Mrs. R. H. Odom, spiritual life; Hattie Herm, missionary cultivation; Mrs. C. I. Hill, Christian social relations and church activities; Gertrude Herm, social and recreational activities.

Present for the evening were the following: Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Mmes. Joe Oaton, King, I. A. Smith, Pierce, Odom, Tom DeShazo and Sefton, Rev. Smith and Mrs. Pearle Shannon, guests.

First study meeting of the new year will come January 19 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Smith. All members are urged to attend.

District Officer to Visit.

Buela Betsy Hoback of Lamesa, district deputy Grand Matron, will make her official visit to the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star at a stated meeting of the chapter Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

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John Covey Jr. Is Married Last Week

Marriage of Mabel Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Knight of Crowley, to John R. Covey Jr. of Camp Bowie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Covey of Snyder, was solemnized at the home of the bride's brother, O. L. Knight, in Fort Worth New Year's Eve. Rev. Fred Swank read the service.

The bride was dressed in a powder blue frock with matching accessories and she wore a corsage of red rosebuds. For "something old" she wore a heavy gold locket, which formerly belonged to the bridegroom's mother. She carried a "borrowed" white Bible.

The Coveys and the Knights were neighbors, near Crowley, before the Coveys moved back to Snyder. The young couple arrived in Snyder and were week-end guests here through Sunday of the bridegroom's parents, who live northwest of Snyder, and their also visited with others of his relatives.

Young Covey, private first class with Battery B, 132nd Field Artillery, at Camp Bowie, returned to the army camp Sunday, leaving his bride here with Mr. and Mrs. Covey. He is now serving his second enlistment in the United States Army. He was inducted the second time November 25, 1940.

A speech should be like a woman's skirt—long enough to cover the subject but short enough to be interesting.

Joe Strayhorn's to Have Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strayhorn will hold open house Sunday, January 18, observing their golden wedding anniversary. Children of the long-time Snyder residents will assist them in entertaining callers.

Friends are invited to call between the hours of 3:00 and 6:00 o'clock at the Strayhorn home here for the couple's 50th wedding anniversary observance.

Jeannette Lollar Again Takes Red Cross Production

Jeannette Lollar has again assumed chairmanship of the Scurry County production program of the American Red Cross. Completing a year in this capacity last week, Miss Lollar has again agreed to direct the Red Cross work for 1942.

Individuals and organizations of the town and county have pledged cooperation to the fullest extent of productions. Clubs and other civic organizations have already voted to devote many meetings during the year to Red Cross sewing and knitting.

Scurry County women who will volunteer their services at the Red Cross work center for one day a month from 2:00 until 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon are requested to telephone Mrs. Wayne Boren. Mrs. Boren is making out the schedule for volunteer workers and will assign days to county women.

Initial 1942 shipment of materials for Red Cross work is expected to arrive within the next two weeks, Miss Lollar says. Women of the county are asked to watch The Times for an announcement concerning hours the work center will remain open each day and other important items.

These materials were ordered two weeks or more ago, and until they arrive the Red Cross headquarters on the southeast corner of the square will not be open. Materials for hospital garments and operating robes will probably compose this first shipment from the national center.

Red Cross work—sewing and knitting—will continue to go on locally as long as the materials may be furnished, leaders for the county work say. Continued cooperation of workers is urged by the chairman and her assistants.

Some knitting that was due for late 1941 shipment to the national headquarters is still out. As these sweaters are completed, Miss Lollar requests that they be left with Mrs. H. T. Sefton at the Manhattan Hotel.

Installation-Pledge Service Impressive

Monday's annual installation of new officers and pledge service was indeed impressive to members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor, assisted with the service.

Mrs. A. M. Curry was installed as new president and Mrs. J. O. Littlepage as vice president. Mrs. Harry S. Lee is retiring president of the Methodist women's group.

The new president and other leaders join in urging all women of the church to join one of the church societies for 1942. "We need the help of every woman in the church in the New Year's work that promises to be one of the hardest years of the present generation," the new leader says.

Next Monday at 3:00 o'clock the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the church to organize the circles. All members are urged to attend and assist with the organization and beginning of 1942 work.

Better Attendance Is Feature of Lions Club Feed Tuesday

Increased attendance was a feature of the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of Snyder Lions Club at the Manhattan Hotel. The club is this month observing Melvin Jones month in commemoration of the organization's founder. Several new members are slated to be initiated during January as part of the special month.

T. E. Deffebach, P. T. Wright and Pat Ross were guests at the Tuesday gathering.

Wright and Ross are in charge of the recently established Texas Highway Patrol sub-station at Snyder. Wright spoke during the session. "We are here to help control the mounting traffic accidents, principally in the state's defense areas," Wright told Lions.

Besides the loss of life involved in traffic accidents, each accident averages about $125 in property loss also, Wright told his listeners. In spite of average beliefs, he said, the greater proportion of traffic accidents involve only one vehicle. "We need to check our automobiles more carefully and make them safer to drive," he concluded.



Shelburne's Daughter Is Married in Hamlin

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Shelburne of Snyder are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Clara Louise, to Cecil L. Sellers of Burbank, California, which took place Friday afternoon, December 26, at 1:00 o'clock in the Hamlin home of the bride's brother, Delma Shelburne, and Mrs. Shelburne.

The couple stood before an improvised arch covered with ferns and pink and white gladiolii as they repeated their vows in a single ring ceremony. Rev. J. E. Harrell, pastor of the Hamlin Methodist Church, was the officiating minister. Only the two families and a few friends were present.

For her wedding costume, the bride chose a two-piece plaid tailored suit in pastel tones and harmonizing accessories. Her flowers, arranged in a shoulder corsage, were white gardenias.

Mrs. Sellers graduated with honors from Hamlin High School in 1939 and attended Howard Payne College, Brownwood. She has been employed for several months as secretary of the F. & M. National Bank in Hamlin. The Shelburne family formerly lived in Hamlin.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sellers of Hamlin, is also a Hamlin High School graduate of 1939. He is now employed by the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation at Burbank, California.

The couple left immediately after the reception in their honor for California, where they will live.

The Delma Shelburnes were joined by Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Shelburne of Snyder in hosting a reception after the service to honor the newlyweds. The dining table was covered with a Quaker lace cloth and the centerpiece was an arrangement of white gladiolii and silver bells in a white pottery bowl and burning tapers in crystal holders.

Punch was poured by Dorothy Gardner of Hamlin. Loletta Ubben and Hazel Adkins of Hamlin and Frances Shelburne of Snyder assisted with the serving.

Family Reunion In T. A. Faver Home

Reunion of Mrs. Faver's family attracted a group of local as well as out-of-town people to the T. A. Faver home here Sunday, where the group enjoyed turkey dinner. All the family was present with the exception of one sister, Mrs. S. H. Wilborn, who now lives at Shamrock.

Family members attending the all-day gathering included: Mr. and Mrs. Finis Werner of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Will Werner and daughter and Mrs. Gale Gilmore of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lloyd and the Faver family. Friends who were guests for the day were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McMillen, Mrs. P. C. Chenault and daughters, Frances of Abilene and Vivian of Trinity University, Waxahachie.

J. A. Guinns Pass 54th Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Guinn, Scurry County residents for the past 51 years, quietly celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary Sunday at their home, 2311 28th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guinn were married January 4, 1888, at Waxahachie, and moved to Eastern Scurry County in 1890. With the exception of a brief stay in New Mexico, they have resided continuously in this county.

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Works of Snyder Students Published

Snyder students in McMurry College, Abilene, are breaking into print. Articles written by Frankie Jo Wilson and Frances Head appeared in the first semester issue of the Galleon, literary magazine published by McMurry students each semester.

Frankie Jo's tall tale, "The Legend of Lame Creek," told the story of how Lame Creek got its name from Lame Bill, who returned to the creek after a long absence. The local high school graduate is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wilson.

Miss Head, an honor graduate of Snyder High School, who is retaining her high scholastic standing at McMurry, turns to the more serious trend, giving her views on "The American Way of Life."

Couple to Live in Union Community

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bailey, who were married last Thursday evening here, will live in the Union community. Mrs. Bailey is the former Ben Lenore Floyd, daughter of the O. C. Floyds.

Marriage vows were taken by Miss Floyd and Bailey, who is the son of Mrs. Galloway, west of Snyder, at the Floyd home here, with the bride's father, Rev. O. C. Floyd, performing the ceremony. Several friends were present.

The bride wore a beige frock with brown accessories for the service. She and her husband spent several days in Sweetwater, before returning here to make their home west of town.

Recent Bride



Mrs. W. T. Edwards, shown above, is the former Jewell Walker of Snyder, teacher in local schools, who became the bride of a Perry, Georgia, Soil Conservation Service employee in a Christmas Eve marriage service held in Abilene. The couple is living here and she will continue teaching. Perry is awaiting induction into the United States Army.

Study of Armed Forces Interesting

Twentieth Century Club members enjoyed a program given by Mmes. H. J. Brice and W. H. Cauble Tuesday afternoon concerning the United States' defense program. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Ely, and Mrs. R. W. Gunningham, vice president, directed the business session.

Mrs. Brice, program leader, discussed the U. S. Army Air Corps, and Mrs. Cauble told of the navy marines. Both discussed "How the United States Is Protecting Her Outposts."

Sandwiches, pickles, cherry pie and hot tea were passed to the following at the close of the program: Mmes. Cunningham, P. C. Chenault, J. Nelson Dunn, Allen Warren, H. M. Blackard, John R. Covey, Joe Strayhorn, Brice, J. E. LeMond, Cauble, H. C. Travis, L. W. Boren and the hostess.

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President Hoste To Altrurian Cl

Mrs. J. C. Dorward was hostess to Altrurian Club, of which she is president, this ... Friday afternoon at her home. Mrs. R. English directed a panel program on "America and World Understanding" from the Reader's Dige

Panel speakers were Mmes. W. Waddill, R. H. Curnutte, I. P. Brown and John R. William

During the business discsions, the club members talked ways and means of helping in the fense program. Altrurians voted buy defense stamps and bonds th as a club and individually.

In the discussion members of the study group agreed that e are especially urging that a mite of prayer be observed daily h every member of every family in ar vicinity." Ministers of the tn are being requested to designe the time and insist that the enti town and county join' Altrurla Club members in regula intenls of prayer.

Baptist Women in First 1942 Meeting

Members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society gathered at the Church Monday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, for their first meeting of the New Year. Mrs. Vernon Shaw, president, was in charge of the business session, outlining work for the year.

Sixteen women heard the Bible study as presented by Rev. Shaw, who used as his subject "Paul As a Pattern."

During the business hour, the president urged members to attend the board meeting Friday at Buford of the Mitchell-Scurry Association.

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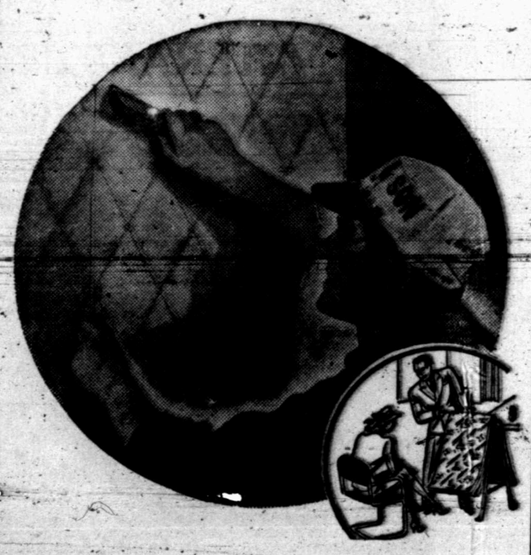
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Reclassifications for Scurry County Draftees Given by Board This Week

Members of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board have completed reclassification of nine county draftees from other brackets to Class I-A, available for immediate military service.

Reclassifications were made as follows:

Class I-H to Class I-A—Eugene Schattel, order No. 1; Milton Richard Bodzin, order No. 509; Wissie Loney May, order No. 754; Leo Schattel, order No. 769; Newt Fay Rowland, order No. 975; Oran Kendale Clark, order No. 1005; and Jesse Homer Roberson, order No. 476.

Louis Edwin Johnston, order No. V-430, was moved from Class III-A to I-A, as was Theldon Eugene Palmer, order No. 1360. Walter Townsend, order No. 418, was moved from Class I-H to Class II-A.

Scurry County registrants given an original classification of I-A include:

James Loyce Adams, order No. 142; Reuben J. Richburg, order No. 213; Hawl Scott, order No. 366; Lawton Henry Dacus, order No. 376; Burney Woodbery Dunnam, order No. 480; Herbert Fleetwood Anderson, order No. 501; Sylvester Milton (colored), order No. 505; George Vestal Rogers, order No. 551;

Jesse Edwards Lemons, order No. 583; Marcus Leonard Cormack, order No. 596; Edward Eugene Shuler, order No. 602; Hardie Harvie Robinson, order No. 699; Marvin Ray Sorrells, order No. 762;

William Donald Clark, order No. S-744; Wilbur Dudley Day, order No. 807; Hugh Boren Jr., order No. 866; Olen Henry Davis, order No. 880; James Edward McCright, order No. 883; William Ercel Laster, order No. 886;

Joe K. Lopour, order No. 899; Fred Bowers Gary, order No. 920; Johnnie Davis Cagle, order No. 931; Robert Smith (colored), order No. 958; Gilbert Oscar Richter, order No 988;

Raymond Albert Moore, order No. 1008; Francisco Hinjosa, order No. 1055; Amis Franks, order No. 1080; Arlie Sneed, order No. 1098; Henry Orville Wells, order No. 1117; Donovan Francis Thompson, order No. 1145;

Dan Neithercutt, order No. 1249; Garth Thomas Berryhill, order No. 1153; Milton Leon Autry, order No. S-1267; Wayne Allen Davis, order No. 1272; Everett Odella Duke, order No. 1290; Artie Sneed, order No. 1318; Anton Joseph Watzl, order No. 1341;

Renal Boyd Rosson, order No. S-1342A; James Whitcomb Haynes, order No. 1348; Emil Joseph Wimmer, order No. 1352; Gillie Lewis Wells, order No. S-1362; George Ray Sherrod, order No. 1376; Marcus Hunter Durham, order No. 1382; James Lonnie Mize, order No. S-1400; and Leon Sanders (colored), order No. S-1419.

County registrants placed in classification I-B are:

Cecle Clement, order No. S-1039; George Weldon Huffstutler, order No. 1054; George Dempsey Darden, order No. S-1115; Jack Bedford Crawley, order No. S-1172; Howard Jones, order No. 1191; J. D. Kinney, order No. 1242; Myrl Gordon Gary, order No. 1321; Wiley Thomas Brice, order No. 1346; and Emerson Ethridge Thompson Jr., order No. 1373.

Class II-A—Melvin Maurice Clark, order No. 687; W. D. Harless, order No. 1137; and McCrandle Richardson, order No. 1363.

Draftee Barny Milton Prince, order No. 620, was placed in Class III-A; Cleotha Lewis (colored), order No. 665; and Arthur Ross Phipps, order No. 1263, in Class IV-F.

Dunn Church Draws Crowd.

Although snow and sleet fell throughout most of the day, a nice sized crowd was attracted Sunday to Dunn Baptist Church for the "Member Attendance Day" campaign services. Rev. T. D. Wiman occupied the pulpit for both morning and evening services.

Man to Receive Waste Papers Is Named by City

As a means of assisting in the city and county-wide drive to get discarded newspapers, magazines and cardboard ready for shipment, Snyder's city councilmen voted Monday evening, at their regular monthly meeting, to give S. B. Clouse a small salary to act as receiver of the discarded papers.

Clouse will be stationed at the paper receiving depot, back of Colwell Tailor Shop on 26th Street, to receive waste paper, pasteboard and magazines anytime donors wish to bring them by. Clouse should be notified, however, of what time donors will bring in papers, etc.

As stated previously, receipts from waste paper will be turned over by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woody to the Red Cross war relief campaign.

Council agreed Monday evening that candidates for city office be required to sign a request, and have their names placed on ballot in the city secretary's office.

March 16 was named final filing date for city office candidates. Councilmen point out that absentee voting will begin March 18, with city elections to follow the first Tuesday in April.

Councilmen learned that Snyder's building permits for 1941 totaled $50,000, even. Total was seen as reflecting greatly improved business conditions throughout the business and residential districts.

Bills approved amounted to $907.91. The city recorder reported $12, which involved minor law infractions.

December water collections, it was announced, reached $2,228.91. Tax collections the past month showed up remarkably well, and totaled $4,564.11.

J. S. Bradbury, city secretary, reported December receipts at $3,746, and disbursements for the past month at $1,991.21.

Community Folk Attend Services For Union Prayer

"One of the finest gatherings of its kind" was the most frequent comment of attendants at Snyder's union prayer services conducted last Thursday evening at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Vernon F. Shaw, pastor, presided.

Marking a new phase of prayer life for the Snyder community, last Thursday evening's prayers were offered in a sincere, fervent appeal to a Divine Providence for the leaders of the United States;

Second, all men and women employed in national defense industries; and prayers that all boys in the nation's armed forces be prepared spiritually when they go into battle.

Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Church, participated in the union services, as did Rev. Hubert C. Travis, First Presbyterian Church pastor. The Methodist and Presbyterian congregations were well represented at the gathering.

Closing events in the union prayer services included testimonials as to what Snyder and Scurry County people should pray for, and a prayer that Snyder and Scurry County residents would be equal to the tasks ahead.

Mrs. Houston Quiett At Father's Funeral

Funeral services were held last Wednesday afternoon in Colorado City for Sterling McDearmon, 64, father of Mrs. Houston Quiett of Hermleigh, who was stricken last Tuesday at his home in the Lone Star community of double pneumonia.

Death of McDearmon occurred on the 41st anniversary of his marriage to Pearlie Magnolia Finley in Purvis on December 30, 1900. Mrs. McDearmon passed away August 21. Born near Chicago, McDearmon had resided in Mitchell County 17 years.

Survivors, in addition to Mrs. Quiett of Hermleigh, include Mrs. Earl Britton of Colorado City, Mrs. Truett Fulcher of Abilene; a son, Finley McDearmon of Loraine; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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Dr. Howell Hears His Daughter Is Safe

Anxiety of Dr. R. L. Howell, veteran Snyder physician, over the welfare of his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Barry, the former Josephine Howell, was greatly relieved last Thursday when he received a cablegram that "all is well."

Last word Dr. Howell had from Mrs. Barry, previous to last Thursday's cablegram, was in the early fall. At that time his daughter, wife of an English army officer, was in Bombay, India. The cable did not state where Mrs. Barry is now located.

Tabernacle Baptist Church

Snyder Tabernacle Baptist Church is beginning the New Year with Elder Earl Creswell as pastor. Visitors, especially, will be cordially welcomed at all services.

Sunday School begins each Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock, and preaching services at the 11:00 o'clock hour. Sunday evening services will begin at 7:30 o'clock; WMU each Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Why not worship with us?—Rev. Earl Creswell, Pastor.

Sister of Mrs. Glen Dies of Attack in Home at Big Lake

Death Sunday morning of Mrs. E. I. Cunningham, sister of Mrs. C. T. Glen, was attributed to a heart attack. Mrs. Cunningham, almost 69 years of age, died at her home in Big Lake.

Oldest sister of Mrs. Glen, Mrs. Cunningham had been living in Big Lake for 40 years. Her husband, for years a county officer, died there four years ago. Final rites were held for the Big Lake woman Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, but Mrs. Glen was unable to attend due to the bad weather this week.

Mrs. Cunningham, who is known to numbers of local people, is the former Bernice Hamilton. She is survived by four daughters, four grandchildren, two great grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers.

Scurry Automobile Owners Asked to Get Tire Numbers

Snyder and Scurry County automobile and truck owners can render a vital service to the Texas Department of Public Safety, Pat Ross and Phlemon T. Wright, Snyder's new highway patrolmen, said Tuesday, if they copy the numbers from their tires to aid police in recovering those that are stolen.

Ross and Wright point out that the numbers stamped on the sidewall of the tires are the only positive means of identification where theft of tires occur.

City and county officers are urged to report the serial numbers of stolen tires to state police headquarters in Austin so the search for them can be extended throughout the state of Texas.

Get your typewriter at The Times.

New Agent Replaces Man Called by Army

Jack Hurster, insurance and credit report agent of Sweetwater, who has been covering Scurry and other counties in this immediate trade area for the past several months, was called to the army Monday and is in Mineral Wells to receive his basic training.

Replacing Hurster is Marion Hart of Abilene, who states he will give business firms of Snyder and neighboring towns the same type of service, as far as possible, Hurster gave. Hart will specialize in all types of credit and insurance reports.

CITY OF SNYDER
COMPLETE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR - 1941

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS

1941	Disbursements:	Receipts:
By Cash Balance Jan. 1		$ 257.04
By Payments on Paving Liens		62.67
By Corporation Court—City Recorder		172.40
By Salvage (Junk Wire Etc.)		31.05
By Gay McGlaun (Account)		67.50
By Ad Valorem Taxes		7,433.10
By Franchise Taxes (Gas Company)		25.00
By Transfers from Water & Sewer		14,000.00
To Inventory (Cement)	$ .70	
To Salaries & Labor—S & B Dept.	1,793.90	
To Gasoline & Oil—S & B Dept.	507.84	
To Machinery and Mdse. S & B Dept.	142.41	
To East 25th St. Imp. S & B Dept.	90.72	
To Misc'l. Street Imp. S & B Dept.	198.33	
To Equipment Repairs—S & B Dept.	612.51	
To Resurface Pavement—S & B Dept.	399.15	
To Tires—Maintainer S & B Dept.	250.11	
To Miscellaneous—S & B Dept.	258.48	
Total S & B Department	4,233.85	
To Lighting City Hall	40.88	
To Fuel—City Hall	77.44	
To City Jail Building	295.47	
To Corporation Court—Salaries	305.00	
To Corporation Court — Fees	102.80	
To Corporation Court — Prison Expense	38.70	
To Fire Department—Men	697.25	
To Fire Department—Miscellaneous	131.57	
To Housekeeping Aide Project	229.61	
To NYA Shop	296.87	
To NYA Building	251.53	
To Recreation Project	20.00	
To Sanitary Project	60.00	
To Texas Relief Comm.—Salaries	335.30	
To Texas Relief Comm.—Misccellaneous	73.41	
To WPA Sewing Room	558.86	
To Insurance Items	420.32	
To Nursing (Charity)	40.30	
To Police Department—Salaries	2,569.50	
To Salaries—Clerical	300.00	
To Salaries—Other Than Clerical	16.80	
To Salaries—Outside	730.00	
To Sanitary Department—Salary	1,480.00	
To Sanitary Department—Mdse. Etc.	153.45	
To Street Lights	1,790.74	
To Traffic Lights	28.59	
To Warehouse & Shop Lights	8.38	
To Warrants Paid	4,086.84	
To Interest on Warrants Paid	347.95	
To Miscellaneous Expense	815.12	
To Cash Balance, Dec. 31	1,512.23	
	$22,048.76	$22,048.76

DETAIL OF GENERAL FUND ITEMS NOT SHOWN IN DETAIL ON STATEMENT

Machinery & Merchandise—S & B

To Second Hand Grader—County	$ 50.00	
To Washed Sand	8.00	
To Lumber Etc.	84.41	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 142.41
	$ 142.41	$ 142.41

Resurface Pavement—S & B

To Amount Paid Contractor	$ 220.00	
To Amount Paid for Asphalt	151.20	
To Amount Paid for Mdse.	1.80	
To Amount Paid for Gasoline & Oil	8.93	
To Amount Paid for Sand	1.30	
To Amount Paid for Labor	15.92	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 399.15
	$ 399.15	$ 399.15

Miscellaneous—S & B

To Amount Paid for Mdse.—Local	$ 85.86	
To Amount Paid for Grader Blades	104.40	
To Freight	.72	
To Drivers License	3.00	
To Tire Repair	.50	
To Caliche	4.20	
To Shop Work	57.50	
By Cash from Cemetary Ass'n		$ 8.00
By Cash from Snyder Gin		5.00
By Cash from W. H. Sterling		5.00
By Net Amount Expended		238.18
	$ 256.18	$ 256.18

City Jail Building

To Merchandise & Material	$ 27.95	
To Gravel	1.92	
To Cement	20.10	
To Labor	245.50	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 295.47
	$ 295.47	$ 295.47

Fire Department—Men

To Salary—Regular Foreman	$488.75	
To Amounts Paid for Fire Calls	208.50	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 697.25
	$ 697.25	$ 697.25

Fire Department—Miscellaneous

To Telephone	$ 71.35	
To Gasoline and Oil	16.93	
To Merchandise	9.54	
To Expense of men to Firemen's Convention	35.00	
By Amount Paid in for Personal Calls—Tel.		$ 1.25
By Net Amount Expended		131.57
	$ 132.82	$ 132.82

Housekeeping Aide Project

To Merchandise	$ 168.85	
To Lighting	2.42	
To Fuel	24.90	
To Telephone	8.44	
To Rent	25.00	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 229.61
	$ 229.61	$ 229.61

Insurance

To Employer's Liability	$ 370.26	
To GMC Truck—Collision, Fire, Theft	52.31	
To Dodge Pick-Up—Fire, Theft, etc.	20.70	
To Warehouse and Shop Building	13.80	
By Amount Recovered account Hail Loss		$ 36.75
By Net Amount Expended		420.32
	$ 457.07	$ 457.07

NYA Work Shop

To Light and Power	$ 38.92	
To Rent	200.00	
To Material	46.85	
To Repairs	16.60	
To Grease	.64	
By Amount Paid in By Chamber of Com.		$ 6.14
By Net Amount Expended		296.87
	$ 303.01	$ 303.01

NYA Building

To Cement	$ 92.46	
To Gravel	13.68	
To Lumber and Other Mdse.	110.03	
To Gasoline and Oil	12.11	
To Labor	25.25	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 251.53
	$ 251.53	$ 251.53

Sanitary Department—Miscellaneous

To Inspection Fee—H. E. Rosser	$ 2.50	
To Fumigators	3.00	
To Disposition of Animal Carcasses—Keller	148.95	
By Paid in by S. E. Keller—Col. from R. E. Gray		$ 1.00
By Net Amount Expended		153.45
	$ 154.45	$ 154.45

Street Lighting

To Electric Current	$ 1,770.80	
To Repairs to Light Standards Etc.	15.73	
To Merchandise	11.70	
By Paid Claim—Damage to Light Standard S. W. Paper Co.		$ 7.49
By Net Amount Expended		1,790.74
	$ 1,798.23	$ 1,798.23

Traffic Lights

To Electric Current	$ 21.78	
To Merchandise and Repairs	6.81	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 28.59
	$ 28.59	$ 28.59

Texas Relief Commission Office

To Lights	$ 5.64	
To Fuel	34.32	
To Merchandise for Repairs	33.45	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 73.41
	$ 73.41	$ 73.41

WPA Sewing Room

To Material—Cloth, Buttons, Sundry Items	$ 478.54	
To Lighting	17.44	
To Fuel	60.38	
To Labor	2.50	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 558.86
	$ 558.86	$ 558.86

Miscellaneous General Fund

To Telephone	$ 65.19	
To Merchandise—Various Items	112.43	
To Expense Account—Mayor	60.00	
To Postage	39.50	
To 1 Elm Tree	2.40	
To Blank Checks	8.00	
To Election Supplies	10.00	
To Election Expense—Election Officials	36.00	
To Advertising	2.15	
To Traffic Markings	27.25	
To Bonds of City Officials	50.00	
To Expense of Trip to Austin—C. F. Sentell	30.00	
To Dues—League of Texas Municipalities	40.00	
To Flag Decorations	7.45	
To Signs (Board Signs—No Parking)	12.00	
To Weed Mowing	120.00	
To Board of Equilization	36.00	
To Tax Roll Etc.	50.00	
To Repairs—City Hall	77.22	
To Book for Registering Births and Deaths	25.23	
To Tax Inventories (Blank)	11.40	
To Taxes	3.00	
By Paid in By Individuals for Personal Telephone Calls		$ 8.10
By Net Amount Expended		815.12
	$ 823.22	$ 823.22

OPERATIONS

Water and Sewer Account

1941	Disbursements	Receipts
By Cash Balance, Jan. 1		$ 393.01
By General Fund Inventory		.70
By Collections — Net		22,054.61
By Insurance—Farm Account		2.34
By Rent Cotton—9 Bales—Farm		183.32
By Government Payments—Farm		57.05
By L. C. Rollins—Note		90.00
By L. C. Rollins—Interest		10.00
To Salaries—Clerical	$ 900.00	
To Salaries—Other	1,704.15	
To Merchandise and Machinery	1,369.13	
To Gasoline and Oil	79.76	
To Water Pumping	2,097.75	
To Sewer Pumping	318.15	
To Miscellaneous Items	69.62	
To Transfers to General Fund	14,000.00	
To Cash Balance Dec. 31	2,252.47	
	$22,791.03	$22,791.03

Meter Deposit Account

By Cash Balance Jan 1		$ 3,368.76
By Deposits Received		1,010.00
To Deposits Refunded	$ 905.00	
To Cash Balance, Dec. 31	3,473.76	
	$ 4,378.76	$4,378.76

Farm Account

By Cash Balance Jan. 1		$ 1,628.83
By Rent Cotton—9 Bales		183.32
By Government Payments		57.05
By L. C. Rollins—Note		90.00
By L. C. Rollins—Interest		10.00
By Insurance—Hail Damage		27.14
To Insurance Premium Paid	$ 24.80	
To Cash Balance Dec. 31	1,971.54	
	$ 1,996.34	$ 1,996.34

Recapitulation Water and Sewer Accounts

By Cash Balance Meter Deposits		$ 3,473.76
By Cash Balance Farm Account		1,971.54
To Cash Balance W & S Proper OD	$ 3,192.83	
To Net Cash Balance	2,252.47	
	$ 5,445.30	$ 5,445.30

DETAIL OF WATER AND SEWER ACCOUNTS ITEMS NOT SHOWN IN DETAIL ON STATEMENT

Merchandise and Machinery

To Merchandise Etc.	$ 1,348.35	
To Freight on Merchandise	15.68	
To Shop Work	5.10	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 1,369.13
	$ 1,369.13	$ 1,369.13

Miscellaneous Water and Sewer

To Merchandise	$ 54.80	
To Freight on Merchandise	.57	
To Shop Work	14.25	
By Net Amount Expended		$ 69.62
	$ 69.62	$ 69.62

Condensed Statement of All Operating Accounts

By Cash Balance—General Fund Jan. 1		$ 257.04
By Cash Balance—Water and Sewer Jan. 1		393.01
By Total Receipts—General Fund		7,791.72
By Total Receipts—Water and Sewer		22,398.02
To Total Disbursements—General Fund	$20,536.53	
To Total Disbursements—Water and Sewer	6,538.56	
To Cash Balance—General Fund Dec. 31	1,512.23	
To Cash Balance—Water and Sewer Dec. 31	2,252.47	
	$30,839.79	$30,839.79

Statement of Open Accounts Against Individuals

Name of Individual	For What Account	Amount Due
Joe Graham, Curb and Gutter		$ 13.50
Mrs. Ella Hamilton, Curb and Gutter		27.50
John Johnson, Truck Tires		10.00
Margie McClinton, Curb and Gutter		22.00
T. J. McDonnell, Curb and Gutter		72.50
O. D. McGlaun, Curb and Gutter		25.00
A. R. Norred, Curb and Gutter		25.00
John Spears, Curb and Gutter		55.00
Pete Brooks, Use of Maintainer		3.50
J. W. Rogers, Curb and Gutter		10.00
J. P. Billingsley, Curb and Gutter		30.00
Jo Hailey, Curb and Gutter		45.00
J. E. Shipp, Curb and Gutter		30.00
E. R. Butts, Curb and Gutter		22.50
J. P. DeShazo, Curb and Gutter		45.00
Mrs. Viola Drennan, Curb and Gutter		25.00
Maurice Brownfield, Curb and Gutter		21.00
Jim Cloud, Curb and Gutter		15.00
J. B. Early, Curb and Gutter		60.00
I. A. Joyce, Curb and Gutter		21.00
Total		$578.50

OPERATIONS BOND ACCOUNTS

Street Improvement Bonds, Series 1925

1941	Disbursements	Receipts
By Cash Balance, Jan. 1		$ 2,369.90
By Collections Ad Valorem Taxes		3,589.32
To Bonds Retired	$ 1,000.00	
To Interest Paid	1,870.00	
To Commission Paid	5.68	
To Exchange Paid	5.75	
To Cash Balance, Dec. 31	3,077.79	
	$ 5,959.22	$ 5,959.22

Funding Bonds, Series 1935

By Cash Balance, Jan. 1		$ 4,500.62
By Collections Ad Valorem Taxes		10,771.03
To Bonds Retired	$ 2,000.00	
To Interest Paid	4,867.50	
To Commission Paid	14.16	
To Exchange Paid	13.76	
To Cash Balance, Dec 31	8,376.23	
	$15,271.65	$15,271.65

W W & S Refunding Bonds, Series 1938

By Cash Balance, Jan 1		$ 1,848.74
By Collections Ad Valorem Taxes		3,378.90
To Bonds Retired	$ 1,000.00	
To Interest Paid	1,508.75	
To Commission Paid	2.39	
To Cash Balance, Dec. 31	2,716.50	
	$ 5,227.64	$ 5,227.64

Condensed Statement—All Bond Accounts

By Cash Balance—All Issues, Jan. 1		$ 8,719.26
By Ad Valorem Taxes, All Issues (13 mo.)		17,739.25
To Bonds Retired—All Issues	$ 4,000.00	
To Interest Paid—All Issues	8,246.25	
To Commission Paid—All Issues	22.23	
To Exchange Paid—All Issues	19.51	
To Cash Balance All Issues Dec. 31	14,170.52	
	$26,458.51	$26,458.51

Statement of Bonded Indebtedness

Name of Bonds	Original Issue:	Int. Rate	Retired	Outstanding
St. Imp.—1925	$47,000.00	5½%	$14,000.00	$33,000.00
Funding—1935	93,000.00	5½%	6,500.00	86,500.00
Funding—1938	37,000.00	4½%	2,000.00	35,000.00
Totals	$177,000.00		$22,500.00	$154,500.00

California Couple Recalls Early Day Experiences in This Section of State

Several weeks ago the Los Angeles, California, Times carried a story concerning Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert G. Williamson, early settlers of Mitchell and Scurry Counties. The couple's marriage, if Williamson remembers correctly, must have been the first marriage held in Colorado City. At any rate, he says the marriage took place in the first church built there in November, 1882.

The story appears below:

"A man shouldn't be tied too closely to his home, thinks 84-year-old Mrs. Gilbert G. Williamson of 24 N. Gramercy Place—and so yesterday, on the 91st birthday of her husband, to whom she was married 59 years ago at Colorado City, Texas, she insisted that he attend a stag party at the Kipling Hotel in the evening while she entertained their mutual women friends at home. Later in the evening the men joined the party at the Williamson residence.

"Among those at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Williamson's five children, 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The children are Gilbert D. Williamson of Yuba City, California; James Gordon Williamson of Chico, California; H. E. Williamson and Mrs. James Paul of Los Angeles and Mrs. Harry C. White of Vista.

"Williamson is a native of Springfield, Ohio. Mrs. Williamson was born near Placerville."

In March, 1882, Williamson and several others from this section went to New Mexico and bought 5,000 head of cattle and drove them to Texas. "I located my ranch in what was later known as Scurry County but was then unorganized. Later that year Mrs. Williamson and I were married," the former Texan writes.

"When the county was organized, I rode all over the county getting petitioners for the election. When the election was held, I was elected county commissioner, serving for eight years. At that time the little town of Snyder consisted of a few scattered houses, a blacksmith shop and a small grocery store, but the town was selected as county seat.

"In 1905 our home in Snyder burned and we decided to move to California. This we did and located at Santa Ana, but it was not until 1907 that I closed out all my business in Texas. That year we became engaged in the citrus business in Santa Ana and planned to remain here permanently. In 1917 we moved to Los Angeles, where we are now living."

Health of Mrs. Williamson has not been good for several years, but Mr. Williamson writes that with the exception of poor hearing and eyesight, his general health is good for a man of his age.

Tigers Withdraw From Basketball Race in District

Snyder's goal tossing Tigers and the Roby Lions opened the District 6-A basketball race in Roscoe Friday evening with easy victories in a double-header program.

Snyder's Tigers, in their clash with the Merkel Badgers, seemed to sense victory from the start, and buried the Badgers by a tally of 30 to 12.

Snyder rang up, in fact, a 17-3 lead over the Badgers at halftime, then coasted to an easy win. Miller Price was high point man for Snyder with 11 tallies, and Jack Melton picked up exactly half the Badgers' scoring with six points.

According to Coach Frank Weaver, Snyder's starting line-up for the Snyder-Merkel scrap was as follows: Junior Miller and Forrest Bruton, guards; Miller Price and E. A. Birdwell, forwards; and John Terrell Lynch, center.

Hope of Snyder gaining a top-rung place in the District 6-A race was nipped in the bud Tuesday afternoon when it was decided by school officials that the Tigers would have to cancel other January games.

School officials give the national defense program, with the resultant scarcity of rubber, as reason for asking the Tigers to cancel future court games. Coach Weaver says it would impose too much on individuals to ask them to furnish cars for transportation to games and risk injuring tires of private car owners.

In the Roscoe tilt Friday evening between the Roby Lions and the Roscoe Plowboys, Roby nudged the Roscoe quintet by a tally of 31-26. Clay Feagan set a fast pace for Roby with 18 points, and Stewart was high man for Roscoe with 11 marks.

Contributions to Red Cross Relief Continue to Come

Figures tabulated Tuesday by officials of Scurry County's Red Cross war relief campaign reveal that contributions to date in the county-wide drive have reached the $1,981.20 level.

R. O. Dillard, county chairman of the 1941 Red Cross Roll Call, is directing activities of the war relief drive, and reports contributions are still coming in at a steady pace.

War relief campaign donors, listed since the last published roll, follow:

J. D. Boone, W. D. Webbs, Will Clay, Fores. Jones, D. P. Yoder, Mr. A. Richburg, Mrs. J. E. Ammons, Mrs. Mamie Wills, J. M. Glass, J. C. Farrell, C. E. Elliott, Avery Soules, Theodore Soules, Co-op Gin, Garrett Soules, E. J. Onken, Cecil Campbell, Jim Light, Mrs. Jim Light, Mrs. A. E. Duff Jr., Maurine Newman, R. E. Mize, Joyce Elrod, M. A. Murdock, Ben W. Newhouse, C. B. Bentley;

Mrs. Minnie Duncan, Mrs. W. W. Early, Thomas Heusler, Mrs. Mary C. Kimzey, Joe Roemisch, S. M. Kemp, Henry Beeks, Mrs. S. M. Kemp, Minnie Lee Williams, W. A. Bowen, W. A. Cross, Eliza Simmons, Grover Barnes, J. J. Henry, S. A. Armstrong, Mrs. C. M. Adams, Mrs. K. B. Rector, W. T. Stevenson, John Roemisch Jr., Alvin Hall, Mary Senkirk.

State Highways to Be Improved With New Federal Fund

The Federal Works Agency has apportioned to the states $137,500,000 to be used for highway improvements during the fiscal year starting July 1, 1942.

The Texas apportionments were: For regular federal aid, $6,313,832 for secondary or feeder roads, $1,104,926; for elimination of hazards at grade crossings, $1,098,295.

Unfinished gaps of State Highway 15 in Borden, Scurry and Fisher Counties will probably be pushed to early completion, members of the county commissioners court declare, because Federal Works Agency officials say projects undertaken with the money will be restricted to those being used for defense traffic.

Assistant Administrator Baird Snyder III said $100,000,000 was to be used on the federal-aid highway system, $17,500,000 for secondary roads, and $20,000,000 for elimination of grade crossings.

Gordon Joins Marines.

Wayland Gordon, 20-year-old Snyder youth, was one of five young men accepted Tuesday afternoon at the Abilene recruiting station of the U. S. Marine Corps. Gordon and the other men accepted Tuesday were sent to Dallas today (Thursday) to be sworn into the marine corps. Just where the new recruits will be sent for basic training was not available as The Times went to press.

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

Snyder General Hospital

Four boys and one girl were born at the local hospital during the past week. First to arrive was David Wesley May, seven-pound six-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley May of Odessa, who was born Friday night at 9:50 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin are announcing their son born at the hospital Sunday night at 11:25 o'clock. The baby weighed seven pounds 15 ounces, and he and his mother have gone from the hospital.

Jerry Lee, seven-pound six-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron H. Roe, was born Tuesday at 12:39, just past noon. Two babies arrived at the hospital Wednesday. The W. P. Ruths of Ira are announcing their eight pound, 13-ounce daughter, born at the hospital at 2:08 Wednesday morning, and the seven pound 13-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Grubbs arrived at 2:40 Wednesday afternoon.

Mmes. May, Roe, Grubbs and Ruth and their babies were still in the hospital late Wednesday. Other new patients there included R. W. Jones, accident burns; Ramona Thompson, John W. Leftwich, Ed Underwood and Myrtle Turner of Odessa, all medical patients.

Remaining from last week are: Mrs. A. C. Martin, medical last week, who has since had surgery; Jack Carnes, medical; and Mrs. Woodrow Allen and her week-old daughter.

Freight Rate Fight By WTCC Scores At ICC Hearing

Since Texas freight rates are currently 60 per cent higher on equal hauls than those in Eastern territories, Ed Byars, traffic counselor for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, recommends only 5.25 per cent increase for Texas a the ICC hearing in St. Louis Monday.

Scurry County's Chamber of Commerce, R. G. Dillard, manager, reports, is backing the WTCC in its frieght rate fight.

The railways of the nation will ask a blanket 10 per cent increase in freight rates for the whole country when they present their petition to the ICC.

"We do not object to the increase," Mr. Byars said, "but we want it to be in line with the freight rates Texas pays."

Byars, who represented the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and county Chamber of Commerce units, attended this week a meeting of the National Independent Traffic League in St. Louis.

"C" Section Wiring Project Due Work

Troy Peeples, superintendent of Midwest Electric Cooperative, Roby, reported Tuesday afternoon that representatives of Walco Engineering & Construction Company are due to be back in Scurry and Fisher Counties within the next 10 days to complete additional wiring operations of Midwest's "C" section.

Crewmen of Walco Engineering & Construction Company, in Winters the past few days on a high line wiring contract, are due back in Fisher and Scurry Counties in view of enough copper wire being released. Peeples says to finish some needed extensions from the "C" Section trunk line.

Roy Irvin Is Captain By New Promotion

Officials of the 36th Division headquarters at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, announced this week promotion of First Lieutenant Roy O. Irvin, commander of Scurry County's Company G of the 142nd Infantry, to the rank of captain.

Captain Irvin, who is still commander of the Scurry County National Guard unit, has been in line for the promotion to captain for several weeks, and his elevation is said by 36th Division headquarters to be in line with promotions given nine other officers of the All-Texas Division.

Captain Robert S. Phinney of Austin was named 36th Division finance officer this week to succeed Captain Barry D. Green.

J. J. Dyer Jewelry Has Larger Space

One of several business moves over the week-end was the removal of the J. J. Dyer Jewelry Store, south side of the square, to new quarters, four doors north of Snyder National Bank. New location is the former Chamber of Commerce and Snyder Appliance Company site.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer completed moving to their new location Tuesday, but still have some furnishings to rearrange. The Dyer's new home of the bank gives customers considerably more room, allows four show cases and a china-ware display case to be used, and attractive front-end display windows to be featured.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer have resided in Snyder eight years, and have changed business locations four times since moving here from Anson.

We've MOVED
Visit us in our new location in the Yoder Building
Across Street from City Hall
Snyder Appliance Co.
R. A. Irving, Mgr.

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WAR DEMANDS FOR COTTON TO CUT SURPLUS

Equipping of Soldiers Requires 250 Pounds of Cotton Each for a Year, Government Says

Now that the United States is engaged in an all-out war against Axis powers, cotton producers of Scurry and nearby counties are advised by the United States Department of Agriculture that the government needs more cotton than ever for military clothing and equipment.

It takes around 250 pounds of cotton to clothe and equip each of our soldiers for a year—around 500,000 bales for each 1,000,000 men. Of course, we do not know how fast the government will expand the armed forces.

Still, there is no question but that the government will require an ever greater proportion of our cotton textile output. Usually when we think of military clothing and equipment we think of uniforms and tents. But the list continues into sheets, towels, water bags, barrack bags and mattresses and that's not all by any means. So, you can see how the government demand for cotton can affect the whole cotton industry.

And besides, a bigger marketing demand for cotton, we civilians are apt to be wanting more cotton goods. For instance, folks are already buying black-out cotton cloth. It is a possibility that our blacking-out operations will need lots of cotton in the months to come.

Last November the mills established a new record for using raw cotton. Each day in November the U. S. mills pushed 43,600 bales of cotton on the road to finished products. That is a lot of cotton to be used each day. And, in spite of the present strong demand, it is likely that cotton consumption will continue at the same rate—a greater rate if the mills are able to get the labor and equipment they need for production.

With this very big demand for cotton one would naturally expect cotton prices to go up. Well, they have to a certain extent. However, the Office of Price Administration either has already, or soon will set ceiling prices on all cotton goods.

Bud Rodgers' Sister Dies.

Mrs. D. O. Sparks of Farmersville, only sister of W. A. (Bud) Rodgers, died at her home early Saturday morning. The local man was unable to attend funeral services at Farmersville this week because of his health and the bad weather.



Neighborliness

Speaking of the week-end freeze that kept many faucets and water pipes frozen in Snyder residences, as well as in all sectors of the county, J. V. Davis, pioneer county citizen, says it takes such freezes to "show how many neighbors we have."

Davis points out that frozen water pipes caused across-the-street neighbors to grab water buckets, kettles and other vessels to go "water borrowing." Such occasions renew friendships that the hustle of every-day life lets get in a bad state of disrepair, Davis says.

Fire Destroys Fruit Stand Near Highway

Fire which virtually destroyed the fruit and grocery stand operated by Bill Brown on the highway just north of Snyder General Hospital Wednesday evening about 7:00 o'clock was the first "wet" fire in Snyder for several months. Cause of the fire was supposedly a spark from the oil-burning heater in the building.

Fire Chief Autry reports total loss probably about $400, with none of it covered by insurance. Brown's son, who had been left to care for the business while the owner went home, was across the street at a filling station when the fire started. The small building was completely aflame when firemen reached the scene.

Most Motor Licenses Have Been Renewed

Attaches at the county tax assessor-collector's office reported Wednesday that Snyder and Scurry County motorists who hold drivers' licenses with numbers above 900,000 need not renew such licenses before April 1, 1942.

Herman Darby, county tax assessor-collector, says a number of county motorists have inquired within the past few days how soon they should renew drivers' licenses.

Motorists and truckers who hold licenses with numbers below the 900,000 mark, however, are cautioned to secure renewal of drivers' licenses at the earliest possible moment.

Mavis White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley White, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in San Antonio and Kerrville.

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Terracing of Scurry County Farm Lands May Be Done Against Parity

Have you been waiting to get your farm land terraced, but just have not had time, money or equipment to do it?

Now is your chance to get the job done by cooperating with the AAA's conservation materials program, according to George J. Brumley, chairman of the county AAA committee, but you had better let your county committeemen know it now so they will not pass up the program.

Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for the Triple A, states the county AAA office would like to have, immediately, bids from any person who would like to do public terracing work during 1942.

If a Scurry County producer would like to have his farm terraced, for instance, but cannot get around to this work before planting time, he is urged to have terracing lines run, and skip these lines when planting cotton or feed.

If land skipped for terracing after planting time is kept clean, the land, ranging from 40 to 45 feet, can still qualify on 20 per cent of neutral acreage, even if terraces are not constructed during the 1942 crop year.

County producers can have terracing done, if they have not the ready cash on hand, up to 70 per cent of their 1942 soil conservation checks, Brumley declares.

Here is how the program works. The county AAA committee receives offers for terracing work on the easier farms in the county. On the basis of these offers, the committee sets up a fair price for terracing. That sum price will not prevail, of course, for every terracing job, but it gives a yardstick for prices to be paid for more difficult or easier jobs.

Then, once the machinery of the program is set up, all a farmer has to do to get his land terraced is obtain from the AAA office a list of contractors who are cooperating. The farmer gets bids on the job from the contractors, takes the bid he likes best, and gets his terracing done. The AAA pays the contractor and deducts the charges from the farmer's AAA conservation payment.

During the month of January representatives of the AAA state office are visiting every county in the state where terraces are needed. They are discussing the terracing program with county committeemen and are helping those who want to use the program to get it set up properly. The point is, the program will be used in all counties where the producers have indicated they would like to have it, so those producers who want to get their land terraced should tell their committeemen about it now.

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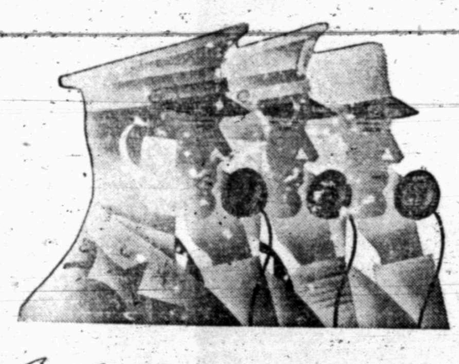
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Lettuce	Firm head Each	6c
Potatoes	No. 1. 10 Pounds	35c

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For Clerk of District Court:
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For County Superintendent—
R. G. DILLARD
RUFUS E. MIZE

For Sheriff:
DEE ROBISON
LON FOWLER
CLYDE THOMAS
JOHN LYNCH

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MOLLIE PINKERTON

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

For Tax Assessor-Collector—
EDGAR TAYLOR

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1—
R. L. (Bob) TERRY

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

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
WORLEY EARLY
SCHLEY ADAMS
ROSS WILLIAMS

Edgar Taylor Gets In Collector's Race

Completing his fourth year as deputy assessor-collector, Edgar Taylor announced this week his candidacy for Scurry County tax assessor-collector. This is Taylor's first announcement for a public office.

Taylor, who has resided in Scurry County 44 years, says his "record in office should give county voters a yard stick in measuring ability to handle the duties of assessor-collector." His formal statement will appear later.

J. P. Billingsley in Clerk Race Again

J. P. (Jimmie) Billingsley, who is finishing his first term as county clerk, announces this week his candidacy for re-election as county clerk of Scurry County.

"Since I have familiarized myself with the duties of office, I feel I can make Scurry County people a good clerk, and offer them my services for another term," Billingsley said. His formal statement will be made later.

Jones Chapman Gets In Commissioner Run

P. J. (Jones) Chapman, long-time resident of the Arah community and a man who has lived in Scurry County practically all his life, announced Wednesday his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Chapman has had a considerable amount of experience with road work, and believes he will make the voters of Precinct No. 2 a good representative on the commissioners court. He invites voters to investigate his record.

Ross Williams New Precinct Candidate

A Scurry County resident for 33 years, Ross Williams, prominent farmer of the Hermleigh community, announces this week his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 4. His statement follows:

"I moved to Scurry County in 1907 with mother, and although an orphan assumed the duties of a man when 15 years old. With the help of a smaller brother I supported my mother and two sisters until I married at 21.

"I have been married 28 years and want the voters of Scurry County to investigate my ac serve as commissioner. Having served the public previously I feel qualified to discharge the duties of commissioner with favors to no one person. I urge voters to consider my candidacy, then vote for the person of their choice."

John Lynch to Make Try for Sheriff Age

Announcement, made this week by the friends of the present sheriff, announce his candidacy for re-election as sheriff of Scurry County.

The above statement was made with Sheriff John Lynch's permission and strictly by close friends. They feel sure the sheriff will make a formal statement later.

State Senator Speaks At Joint Club Meet

State Senator John Lee Smith of Throckmorton addressed a joint meeting of the Lions, Kiwanis, Rotary and Civitan Clubs of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Monday. His subject was "All Out for America."

Smith, serving his first term as senator from this district, is a candidate for lieutenant governor in the 1942 primaries. He is supreme vice chancellor of Knights of Pythias.

Giles First State Candidate.

Bascom Giles, state land commissioner, was the first candidate to file for a state office in the 1942 Democratic party primaries. State Democratic Chairman E. B. Germany said in Dallas Monday that Giles sent his application, and the $100 filing fee, by registered letter from Austin.

Only Six Cars in Hands of Snyder Dealers When "Freeze" Invoked

When the government "froze" all new car stocks last Thursday by prohibiting the sale of new passenger vehicles or trucks, Snyder automobile dealers were placed in a good position, compared to dealers of other towns, The Times learns.

Snyder car dealers only had two new passenger vehicles in stock, two pickups and two commercial trucks when the government order was released.

Freezing order on sale of new automobiles and pickups was issued by Donald M. Nelson, Office of Production Management priorities director.

A checkup reveals that Stimson Camp Ground, for instance, had no new Pontiacs or Buicks on display when the new car ban was ordered.

I. W. Cox Motor Company had only two new Ford automobiles in stock, one Ford pickup and a one-and-one-half ton Ford truck. More new Ford cars are understood, however, to be "on the road" to Cox Motor Company.

Scurry County Motor Company had only a half-ton Chevrolet pickup and a one-and-one-half ton Chevrolet truck on hand to be "frozen," but some new Chevrolet cars are said to be en route here.

Louder Motor Company and the J. Ralph Hicks Motor Company were reported to have no new automobiles on hand when the OPM order was issued.

Office of Production Management officials estimated this week that at the present some 45,000 passenger cars are in stock with dealers. No figures were available as to stocks of light and heavy trucks.

OPM officials point out that action will soon be taken to complete conditional car sales, chattel mortgages and similar automobile purchase contracts if delivery was made prior to January 1. The orders will be amended, it is reported, to permit repossession of cars under such contracts in accordance with laws governing such repossessions.

Significant to note in the ban on new automobile sales is the OPM order that provides "passenger automobiles" under the prohibitory regulations means a 1942 model passenger car or any automobile which has been run less than 1,000 miles.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Guests last week of Mrs. M. Stacy here were the A. S. Grahams of Wynnewood, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Edna B. Tinker is home from a two-week holiday visit with the Jim Bridgeman family in Dallas.

Mrs. H. V. Williams returned home last Tuesday from a holiday visit with her children in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. (Jack) Wright were visiting in Hubbard with his father and sisters from Thursday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bell came home Monday from a six-day visit with the local man's sister, Miss Vela Bell, in Ennis and with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bell Jr. in Austin.

Sergeant Bill Shield of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and his wife, the former Dorris Bertram, spent the week-end in Snyder with Shield's mother, Mrs. Eupha Shield, and grandmother, Mrs. M. Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Burge of Alexandria, Louisiana, are in Texas again, spending several days with Mrs. Burge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins, in Snyder and visiting with relatives and friends in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Trigg, former local residents, were guests here Sunday and Monday of Mrs. Alice Montgomery. The couple was en route to Brownfield for a several-day visit with Mrs. Trigg's parents, the A. J. Stricklins, before returning to Brownwood, where they now live.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Morris were the J. E. Johnsons and their sons, Morris L., who works at the Fort Sam Houston army camp, and Wayland, student in Jefferson High School, of San Antonio. The Johnsons formerly lived in Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snelling and daughters, Loli a and Joyce, of Big Spring spent all last week with the Morrises.

Pleasant surprise visitor with the W. [illegible]alls and S. R. Pickas Tuesday was Pickas Pitfield of El Paso, field agent and picture expert with the Standard Oil Company of Texas. The 27-year-old son of the former Effie Pickas, the oil company employee holds a responsible position with the firm as well as an interesting one. At present he is making pictures and fingerprinting every employee of Standard in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bullock spent Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Noble and daughter, Mary Nell, spent the Christmas holidays in Lubbock.

The T. H. Duffs of Plainview and the Earl Harrises of Abilene spent Christmas with Mrs. J. D. Isaacs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tate and two children of Project City, California, arrived last Wednesday for a several-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Church of Wichita Falls spent last Thursday with Mrs. Mellie Pinkerton and daughter. The visitors returned to Wichita Falls Friday.

Christmas week guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bullock was Mrs. Frances Veale of Austin, who is employed in the general land office. Mrs. Veale left Saturday evening for the capital city.

Mrs. C. N. Firestone of Clovis, New Mexico, arrived in Snyder Tuesday night for a visit with her daughters, Mmes. Myron H. Roe and Hollis Browning, and their families here.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Scott Hickey and children here were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hickey Jr. of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickey of Gilmings, Louisiana, Colonel Montgomery and Scott Hickey Sr. of Abilene.

Daisynelle Cavin is here from Washington, D. C., to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Daisy Cavin. The former Snyder girl is in civil service work in the nation's capital, and she will return to her work January 12.

Mrs. Irene Boren of Long Beach, California, arrived last Thursday for a holiday season visit with the A. O. Scarboroughs, the Hugh and Tom Boren families and other relatives. Mrs. Boren left Wednesday afternoon for her California home.

Sally Evelyn Boone of Jacksboro visited homefolks during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hicks and Miss Boone visited in Roscoe and Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Hicks and Miss Boone also visited in Lubbock, Muleshoe and Clovis, New Mexico, this week.

Christmas holiday guests of the A. J. Codys included Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith and the Walter Neals and son, Jack, all of Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Mineral Wells.

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Former County Representative Dies Last Week

Snyder friends and former business associates received word over the week-end of the death in Little Rock, Arkansas, Friday of T. F. Baker, former representative from the 118th District and former county superintendent of Scurry County schools.

Baker was well known to old-time residents of Scurry and nearby counties, and was county superintendent of Scurry schools at the turn of the century. He was state representative from this district from 1916 to 1917.

Most Scurry County people remember Baker as a partner, from 1909 to 1914, in the insurance and land loan firm of Baker, Grayum & Anderson. This partnership was located in what was then the county's new court house, in the room in which the county superintendent's office is now located.

Baker, who was manager of the Arkansas Fire Prevention Bureau at the time of his death, pioneered in early-day fire prevention work of the Texas Fire Insurance Commission. He was, years ago, cashier, respectively, of Snyder's First National Bank and the First State Bank & Trust Company.

Assembly of God in Services Each Night

Despite the coldest weather of the winter, Rev. D. B. Chaney, pastor of Snyder's Assembly of God church in North Snyder, reports the nightly services in connection with special week of prayer observances are attracting nice crowds.

Congregation leaders of the Assembly of God church set aside the period of Sunday, January 4, through Sunday, January 11, as a week of prayer in conjunction with other churches throughout the country.

Guest speaker at the Snyder church from Wednesday evening through Sunday is Rev. H. M. Reeves, superintendent of the West Texas Assemblies of God. The public is invited to attend the prayer services each evening, which begin at 7:00 o'clock.

Plans for Junk Drive To Be Released Soon

R. G. Dillard, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager, announced Wednesday that additional details on Scurry County's forthcoming county-wide scrap iron drive will be released as soon as plans for the campaign are complete.

The chamber of commerce will not act as a collection agency for the scrap iron drive, which will be extended to include virtually every kind of metal, but will be directed by Snyder's senior civic organization.

PALACE Theatre

Thursday, Jan. 8—
"Shadow of the Thin Man"
with William Powell and Myrna Loy. Thin Man fun is back on the screen. News and Novelty.

Friday and Saturday, Jan. 9-10—
"Lone Star Ranger"
starring John Kimbrough in Zane Grey's great Western story. Musical Comedy and Cartoon Comedy.

Saturday Night Prevue Only, January 10—
"South of Tahiti"
with Brian Donlevy, Brod Crawford, Andy Devine, Henry Wilcoxon and 50 sarong-class goddesses of love.

Sunday-Monday, Jan. 11-12—
"Texas"
with William Holden, Claire Trevor, Glenn Ford, George Bancroft. News and Musical.

Tuesday, Jan. 13—
"Target for Tonight"
Actually filmed under fire. The RAF is its cast. News and Novelty. Also Pop-Eye Cartoon. Bargain Night—Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 14-15—
"H. M. Pullman, Esquire"
with Hedy Lamarr, Robert Young, Ruth Hussey, Charles Coburn, Van Heflin, [illegible]den. News and Cartoon.

TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, Jan. 8—
"Sis Hopkins"
starring Judy Canova. Last chapter of "The Jungle Girl" Serial. Bargain Nights—Admission 11 cents.

Friday-Saturday, Jan. 9-10—
"Six Gun Gold"
starring Tim Holt. "King of Texas Rangers" Serial, and Comedy, "A Quiet Fourth," starring Edgar Kennedy.

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday Matinee, January 10-11—
"A Missouri Outlaw"
starring Don (Red) Barry. Musical Comedy and Cartoon.

Sunday Night, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 11-12-13—
"Buy Me That Town"
with Lloyd Nolan, Constance Moore, Albert Dekker, Edward Brophy and Warren Hymer. Musical and Novelty.

Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 14-15—
"Hurricane Smith"
with Ray Middleton and Jane Wyatt. Cartoon Comedy and Chapter 1 of "Riders of Death Valley." Bargain Nights—Admission 11 cents.



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MINCE MEAT	Pecan Valley 9 oz. pkg.—3 for	29c
Macaroni Dinner	Liberal Size Per Package	9c
Rolled OATS	K. & B. 5 lb. Bag	31c
COOKIES	Texas 2 large pkgs.	25c
Blackeyed Peas	15 oz. can 3 For	27c
BLACKBERRIES	No. 2 Can 2 For	29c
Vanilla Extract	Worth Brand 8 oz. bottle	13c
Strawberry Extract	McCormick's 3 oz. bottle	19c
Fruit Juices	Hearts Delight (Assorted Plum Apricot, Orange etc. 9 oz.	9c
Chili Powder	Vinnedge Brand Half Lb. 19c	One Lb. 35c
Barbecue Sauce	Gebhardts oz. 10c	Oz. 15 Oz. 15c
Salad Dressing or Sandwich Spread	Wonder Whipped, Full Quart	35c
Pancake FLOUR	Light Crust Self Rising—pkg.	9c

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SPUDS	Idaho No. 1 Select — 10 Lbs.	35c

FROZEN VEGETABLES

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FROZEN STRAWBERRIES OR RED RASPBERRIES, per pkg.	30c

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California Couple Recalls Early Day Experiences in This Section of State

Several weeks ago the Los Angeles, California, Times carried a story concerning Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert G. Williamson, early settlers of Mitchell and Scurry Counties. The couple's marriage, if Williamson remembers correctly, must have been the first marriage held in Colorado City. At any rate, he says the marriage took place in the first church built there in November, 1882.

The story appears below:

"A man shouldn't be tied too closely to his home, thinks 84-year-old Mrs. Gilbert G. Williamson of 324 N. Gramercy Place—and so yesterday, on the 61st birthday of her husband, to whom she was married 59 years ago at Colorado City, Texas, she insisted that he attend a stag party at the Kipling Hotel in the evening while she entertained their mutual women friends at home. Later in the evening the men joined the party at the Williamson residence.

"Among those at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Williamson's five children, 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The children are Gilbert D. Williamson of Yuba City, California; James Gordon Williamson of Chico, California; H. E. Williamson and Mrs. James Paul of Los Angeles and Mrs. Harry C. White of Vista.

"Williamson is a native of Springfield, Ohio. Mrs. Williamson was born near Placerville."

In March, 1882, Williamson and several others from this section went to New Mexico and bought 5,000 head of cattle and drove them to Texas. "I located my ranch in what was later known as Scurry County but was then unorganized. Later that year Mrs. Williamson and I were married," the former Texan writes.

"When the county was organized, I rode all over the county getting petitioners for the election. When the election was held, I was elected county commissioner, serving for eight years. At that time the little town of Snyder consisted of a few scattered houses, a blacksmith shop and a small grocery store, but the town was selected as county seat.

"In 1905 our home in Snyder burned and we decided to move to California. This we did and located at Santa Ana, but it was not until 1907 that I closed out all my business in Texas. That year we became engaged in the dairy business in Santa Ana and planned to remain here permanently. In 1917 we moved to Los Angeles, where we are now living."

Health of Mrs. Williamson has not been good for several years, but Mr. Williamson writes that with the exception of poor hearing and eyesight, his general health is good for a man of his age.

Tigers Withdraw From Basketball Race in District

Snyder's goal hopes for Tigers and the Roby Lions opened the District 6-A basketball race at Roscoe Friday evening with easy victories in a double-header program.

Snyder's Tigers made short work with the Mustangs, seized to seize victory from the start, and buried the Badgers under a tally of 39 to 12.

Snyder rang up in fact, a 17-3 lead over the Badgers at halftime, then coasted to an easy win. Miller Price was high point man for Snyder with 11 tallies, and Jack Melton picked up exactly half the Badgers' scoring with six points.

According to Coach Frank Weaver, Snyder's starting line-up for the Snyder-Merkel scrap was as follows: Junior Miller and Forrest Bruton, guards; Miller Price and E. A. Birdwell, forwards; and John Terrell Lynch, center.

Hope of Snyder gaining a tie for top rung place in the District 6-A race was nipped in the bud Tuesday afternoon when it was decided by school officials that the Tigers would have to cancel other January games.

School officials give the national defense program, with the resultant scarcity of rubber, as reason for asking the Tigers to cancel future court games. Coach Weaver says it would impose too much on individuals to ask them to furnish cars for transportation to games and risk injuring tires of private car owners.

In the Roscoe tilt Friday evening between the Roby Lions and the Roscoe Plowboys, Roby nudged the Roscoe quintet by a tally of 31-26. Clay Feagan set a fast pace for Roby with 18 points, and Stewart was high man for Roscoe with 11 marks.

Contributions to Red Cross Relief Continue to Come

Figures tabulated Tuesday by officials of Scurry County's Red Cross war relief campaign reveal that contributions to date in the county-wide drive have reached the $1,981.20 level.

R. G. Dillard, county chairman of the 1941 Red Cross Roll Call, is directing activities of the war relief drive, and reports contributions are still coming in at a steady pace.

War relief campaign donors, listed since the last published roll, follow:

J. D. Boone, W. D. Webb, Will Clay, Fores Jones, D. P. Yoder, M. A. Richburg, Mrs. [illegible] Ammons, Mrs. Mamie Wade, J. M. Glass, J. C. Fatrell, C. E. Elliott, Avery Soules, Theodore Soules, Co-op Gin, Garrett Soules, E. J. Onken, Odell Campbell, Jim Lane, Mrs. Jim Light, Mrs. A. Bedduff Jr., Maurine Newmar, R. E. Mize, Joyce Elrod, M. A. Murdock, Ben W. Newhouse, C. B. Bentley;

Mrs. Minnie Duncan, Mrs. W. W. Early, Thomas Housley, Mrs. Mary C. Kemzey, Joe Roemisch, S. M. Kemp, Henry Beeks, Mrs. S. M. Kemp, Minnie Lee Williams, W. A. Bowen, W. A. Cross, Elza Simmons, Grover Barnes, J. J. Henry, S. A. Armstrong, Mrs. C. M. Adams, Mrs. K. B. Rector; W. T. Steyman, John Roemisch Jr., Alvin Hall, Mary Senkirik.

State Highways to Be Improved With New Federal Fund

The Federal Works Agency has apportioned to the state $17,500,000 to be used for highway improvements during the fiscal year starting July 1, 1942.

The Texas apportionments were: For regular federal aid, $6,313,832 for secondary or feeder roads, $1,104,926; for elimination of hazards at grade crossings, $1,098,295.

Unfinished gaps of State Highway 15 in Borden, Scurry and Fisher Counties will probably be pushed to early completion, members of that county commissioners court declared. Some federal Works Agency officials say projects undertaken with the money will be restricted to those being used for defense traffic.

Assistant Administrator Baird Snyder III said $100,000,000 was to be used on the federal-aid highway system, $17,500,000 for secondary roads, and $20,000,000 for elimination of grade crossings.

Gordon Joins Marines.

Wayland Gordon, 20-year-old Snyder youth, was one of five young men accepted Tuesday afternoon at the Abilene recruiting station of the U. S. Marine Corps. Gordon and the other men accepted Tuesday were sent to Dallas today (Thursday) to be sworn into the marine corps. Just where the new recruits will be sent for basic training was not available as The Times went to press.

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

Snyder General Hospital

Four boys and one girl were born at the local hospital during the past week. First to arrive was David Wesley May, seven-pound six-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley May of Odessa, who was born Friday night at 9:50 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin are announcing their son born at the hospital Sunday night at 11:25 o'clock. The baby weighed seven pounds 15 ounces, and he and his mother have gone from the hospital.

Jerry Lee, seven-pound six-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] was born Tuesday at 12:39, just past noon. Two babies arrived at the hospital Wednesday. The W. P. Ruths of Ira are announcing their eight pound, 10-ounce daughter, born at the hospital at 2:08 Wednesday morning, and the seven pound 13-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Grubbs arrived at 2:40 Wednesday afternoon.

Mmes. May, Roe, Grubbs and Ruth and their babies were still in the hospital late Wednesday. Other new patients there included R. W. Jones, accident burns; Ramona Thompson, John W. Leftwich, Ed Underwood and Myrtle Turner of Odessa, all medical patients.

Remaining from last week are: Mrs. A. C. Martin, medical last week, who has since had surgery; Jack Carnes, medical; and Mrs. Woodrow Allen and her week-old daughter.

Freight Rate Fight By WTCC Scores At ICC Hearing

Since Texas freight rates are currently 30 per cent higher on equal hauls than those in Eastern territories, Ed Byars, traffic counselor for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, recommended only 5.25 per cent increase for Texas at the ICC hearing in St. Louis Monday.

Scurry County's Chamber of Commerce, R. G. Dillard, manager, reports, is backing the WTCC in its freight rate fight.

The railways of the nation will ask a blanket 10 per cent increase in freight rates for the whole country when they present their petition to the ICC.

"We do not object to the increase," Mr. Byars said, "but we want it to be in line with the freight rates Texas pays."

Byars, who represented the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and county Chamber of Commerce units, attended this week a meeting of the National Independent Traffic League in St. Louis.

"C" Section Wiring Project Due Work

Troy Peeples, superintendent of Midwest Electric Cooperative, Roby, reported Tuesday afternoon that representatives of Walco Engineering & Construction Company are due to be back in Scurry and Fisher Counties within the next 10 days to complete additional wiring operations of Midwest's "C" section.

Crewmen of Walco Engineering & Construction Company in Winters the past few days on a high line wiring contract, are due back in Fisher and Scurry Counties in view of enough copper wire being released. Peeples says to finish some needed extensions from the "C" Section trunk line.

Roy Irvin Is Captain By New Promotion

Officials of the 36th Division headquarters at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, announced this week promotion of First Lieutenant Roy O. Irvin, commander of Scurry County's Company G of the 142nd Infantry, to the rank of captain.

Captain Irvin, who is still commander of the Scurry County National Guard unit, has been in line for the promotion to captain for several weeks, and his elevation is said by 36th Division headquarters to be in line with promotions given nine other officers of the All-Texas Division.

Captain Robert S. Phinney of Austin was named 36th Division finance officer this week to succeed Captain Barry D. Green.

Local Minister in Fargo for Family Reunion Last Week

Occasion of double enjoyment last Wednesday and Thursday in the Fargo community, 10 miles north of Vernon, was the Shaw family reunion. Rev. and Mrs. Vernon F. Shaw and son, Kenneth, attended.

The reunion, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs F. E. Shaw, not only marked celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw's 50th wedding anniversary, but the first family gathering in 18 years, the seven Shaw children attended together.

Rev. Shaw states the boys chipped in and presented the pioneer Wilbarger County couple with a new Kelvinator refrigerator as an appreciation token on reaching the 50th wedding milepost.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shaw have resided in Wilbarger County 32 years, and 24 years on the Fargo community place they now live. The couple has held membership in the Fargo Baptist Church 27 years.

In addition to Rev. Vernon Shaw, the other Shaw children with their families, present for the festivities included:

Shelton Shaw of Vernon, Rev. Aaron Shaw, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lockney; Odis Shaw of Electra, California; Rev. Melvin Shaw, pastor First Baptist Church, Hull; Eugene and Evelyn Shaw of Vernon.

J. J. Dyer Jewelry Has Larger Space

One of several business moves over the weekend was the removal of the J. J. Dyer Jewelry Store, south side of the square, to new quarters, four doors north of Snyder National Bank. New location is the former Chamber of Commerce and Snyder Appliance Company site.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer completed moving to their new location Tuesday, but still have some furnishings to rearrange. The Dyer store of the bank gives customers considerably more room, allows four show cases and a show window display case to be used and attractive front-end display windows to be featured.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyer have resided in Snyder eight years, and have changed business locations four times since moving here from Anson.

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WAR DEMANDS FOR COTTON TO CUT SURPLUS

Equipping of Soldiers Requires 250 Pounds of Cotton Each for a Year, Government Says

Now that the United States is engaged in an all-out war against Axis powers, cotton producers of Scurry and nearby counties are advised by the United States Department of Agriculture that the government needs more cotton than [illegible] and equipment.

It takes around 250 pounds of cotton to clothe and equip each of our soldiers for a year—around 500,000 bales for each 1,000,000 men. Of course, we do not know how fast the government will expand the armed forces.

Still there is no question but that the government will require an ever greater proportion of our cotton in textile output. Usually when we think of military clothing and equipment we get as far as uniforms and tents. But the list continues into sheets, towels, water bags, barrack bags and mattresses, and that's not all by any means. So, you can see how the government demand for cotton can affect the whole cotton industry.

And besides, a bigger marketing demand for cotton, we civilians are apt to be wanting more cotton goods. For instance, folks are already buying black-out cotton cloth. It is a possibility that our blackout operations will need lots of cotton in the months to come.

Last November the mills established a new record for using raw cotton. Each day in November the U. S. mills pushed 43,600 bales of cotton on the road to finished products. That is a lot of cotton to be used each day. And, in spite of the present strong demand, it is likely that cotton consumption will continue at the same [illegible] rate—a greater rate if the mills are able to get the labor and equipment they need for [illegible].

With this very big demand for cotton one would naturally expect cotton prices to go up. Well, they have to a certain extent. However, the Office of Price Administration either has already, or soon will set ceiling prices on all cotton goods.

Bud Rodgers' Sister Dies.

Mrs. D. O. Sparks of Farmersville, only sister of W. A. (Bud) Rodgers, died at her home early Saturday morning. The local man was unable to attend funeral services at Farmersville this week because of his health and the bad weather.



Neighborliness

Speaking of the week-end freeze that kept many faucets and water pipes frozen in Snyder residences, as well as in all sectors of the county, J. V. Davis, pioneer county citizen, says it takes such freezes to "show how many neighbors we have."

Davis points out that frozen water pipes caused across-the-street neighbors to grab water buckets, kettles and other vessels to go "water borrowing." Such occasions renew friendships that the hustle of every-day life lets get in a bad state of disrepair, Davis says.

Fire Destroys Fruit Stand Near Highway

Fire which virtually destroyed the fruit and grocery stand operated by Bill Brown on the highway just north of Snyder General Hospital Wednesday evening about 7:00 o'clock was the first "wet" fire in Snyder for several months. Cause of the fire was supposedly a spark from the oil-burning heater in the building.

Fire Chief Autry reports total loss probably about $400, with none of it covered by insurance. Brown's son, who had been left to care for the business while the owner went home, was across the street at a filling station when the fire started. The small building was completely aflame when firemen reached the scene.

Most Motor Licenses Have Been Renewed

Attaches at the county tax assessor-collector's office reported Wednesday that Snyder and Scurry County motorists who hold drivers' licenses with numbers above 900,000 need not renew such licenses before April 1, 1942.

Herman Darby, county tax assessor-collector, says a number of county motorists have inquired within the past few days how soon they should renew drivers' licenses.

Motorists and truckers who hold licenses with numbers below the 900,000 mark, however, are cautioned to secure renewal of drivers' licenses at the earliest possible moment.

Mavis White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley White, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in San Antonio and Kerrville.

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Terracing of Scurry County Farm Lands May Be Done Against Parity

Have you been waiting to get your farm land terraced, but just have not had time, money or equipment to do it?

Now is your chance to get the job done by cooperating with the AAA's conservation materials program, according to George J. Brumley, chairman of the county AAA committee, but you had better let your county committeemen know it now so they will not pass up the program.

Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for the Triple A, states the county AAA office would like to have, immediately, bids from any person who would like to do public terracing work during 1942.

If a Scurry County producer would like to have his farm terraced, for instance, but cannot get around to this work before planting time, he is urged to have terracing lines run, and skip these lines when planting cotton or feed.

If land skipped for terracing after planting time is kept clean, the land, ranging from 40 to 45 feet, can still qualify on 20 per cent of neutral acreage; even if terraces are not constructed during the 1942 crop year.

County producers can have terracing done, if they have not the ready cash on hand, up to 70 per cent of their 1942 soil conservation checks, Brumley declares.

Here is how the program works. The county AAA committee receives offers for terracing work on the easier farms in the county. On the basis of these offers, the committee sets up a fair price for terracing. That sum price will not prevail, of course, for every terracing job, but it gives a yardstick for prices to be paid for more difficult or easier jobs.

Then, once the machinery of the program is set up, all a farmer has to do to get his land terraced is obtain from the AAA office a list of contractors who are cooperating. The farmer gets bids on the job from the contractors, takes the bid he likes best, and gets his terracing done. The AAA pays the contractor and deducts the charges from the farmer's conservation payment.

During the month of January representatives of the AAA state office are visiting every county in the state where terraces are needed. They are discussing the terracing program with county committeemen and are helping those who want to use the program to get it set up properly. The point is, the program will be used in all counties where the producers have indicated they would like to have it, so those producers who want to get their land terraced should tell their committeemen about it now.

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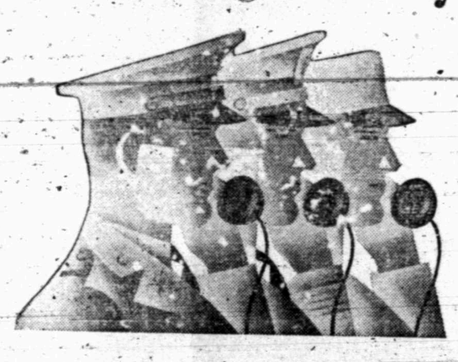
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Potatoes	No. 1 10 Pounds	35c

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

For County Superintendent—
R. G. DILLARD
RUFUS E. MIZE

For Sheriff:
DEE ROBISON
LON FOWLER
CLYDE THOMAS
JOHN LYNCH

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MOLLIE PINKERTON

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

For Tax Assessor-Collector—
EDGAR TAYLOR

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1—
R. L. (Bob) TERRY

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

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
WORLEY EARLY
SCHLEY ADAMS
ROSS WILLIAMS

Edgar Taylor Gets In Collector's Race

Completing his fourth year as deputy assessor-collector, Edgar Taylor announced this week his candidacy for Scurry County tax assessor-collector. This is Taylor's first announcement for a public office.

Taylor, who has resided in Scurry County 44 years, says his "record in office should give county voters a yard stick in measuring ability to handle the duties of assessor-collector." His formal statement will appear later.

J. P. Billingsley in Clerk Race Again

J. P. (Jimmie) Billingsley, who is finishing his first term as county clerk, announces this week his candidacy for reelection as county clerk of Scurry County.

"Since I have familiarized myself with the duties of office, I feel I can make Scurry County people a good clerk, and offer them my services for another term," Billingsley said. His formal statement will be made later.

Jones Chapman Gets In Commissioner Run

P. J. (Jones) Chapman, long-time resident of the Arah community and a man who has lived in Scurry County practically all his life, announced Wednesday his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

Chapman has had a considerable amount of experience with road work, and believes he will make the voters of Precinct No. 2 a good representative on the com... court. He invites voters to investigate his record.

Ross Williams New Precinct Candidate

A Scurry County resident for 33 years, Ross Williams, prominent farmer of the Hermleigh community, announces this week his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 4. His statement follows:

"I moved to Scurry County in 1907 with mother, and although an orphan assumed the duties of a man when 15 years old. With the help of a smaller brother I supported my mother and two sisters until I married at 21.

"I have been married 29 years and want the voters of Scurry County to investigate my ac... serve as commissioner. Having served the public previously, I feel qualified to discharge the duties of commissioner with favors to no one person. I urge voters to consider my candidacy, then vote for the person of their choice."

John Lynch to Make Try for Sheriff Again

Announcement, made this week by the friends of the present sheriff, announce his candidacy for re-election as sheriff of Scurry County.

The above statement was made with Sheriff John Lynch's permission and strictly by close friends. They feel sure the sheriff will make a formal statement later.

State Senator Speaks At Joint Club Meet

State Senator John Lee Smith of Throckmorton addressed a joint meeting of the Lions, Kiwanis, Rotary and Civitan Clubs of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Monday. His subject was "All Out for America."

Smith, serving his first term as senator from this district, is a candidate for lieutenant governor in the 1942 primaries. He is supreme vice chancellor of Knights of Pythias.

Giles First State Candidate

Bascom Giles, state land commissioner, was the first candidate to file for a state office in the 1942 Democratic party primaries. State Democratic Chairman E. B. Germany said in Dallas Monday that Giles sent his application, and the $100 filing fee, by registered letter from Austin.

Only Six Cars in Hands of Snyder Dealers When "Freeze" Invoked

When the government "froze" all new car stocks last Thursday by prohibiting the sale of new passenger vehicles or trucks, Snyder automobile dealers were placed in a good position, compared to dealers of other towns, The Times learns.

Snyder car dealers only had two new passenger vehicles in stock, two pickups and two commercial trucks when the government order was released.

Freezing order on sale of new automobiles, trucks and pickups was issued by Donald M. Nelson, Office of Production Management priorities director.

A checkup reveals that Stimson Camp Ground, for instance, had no new Pontiacs or Buicks on display when the new car ban was ordered.

I. W. Cox Motor Company had only two new Ford automobiles in stock, one Ford pickup and a one-and-one-half ton Ford truck. More new Ford cars are understood, however, to be "on the road" to Cox Motor Company.

Scurry County Motor Company had only a half-ton Chevrolet pickup and a one-and-one-half ton Chevrolet truck on hand, to be "frozen," but some new Chevrolet cars are said to be en route here.

Louder Motor Company and the J. Ralph Hicks Motor Company were reported to have no new automobiles on hand when the OPM order was issued.

Office of Production Management officials estimated this week that at the present some 45,000 passenger cars are in stock with dealers. No figures were available as to stocks of light and heavy trucks.

OPM officials point out that action will soon be taken to complete conditional car sales, chattel mortgages and similar automobile purchase contracts if delivery was made prior to January 1. The orders will be amended, it is reported, to permit repossession of cars under such contracts in accordance with laws governing such repossessions.

Significant to note in the ban on new automobile sales is the OPM order that provides "passenger automobiles" under the prohibitory regulations means a 1942 model passenger car or any automobile which has been run less than 1,000 miles.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Guests last week of Mrs. M. Stacy here were the A. S. Grahams of Wynnewood, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Edna B. Tinker is home from a two-week holiday visit with the Jim Bridgeman family in Dallas.

Mrs. H. V. Williams returned home last Tuesday from a holiday visit with her children in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. (Jack) Wright were visiting in Hubbard with his father and sisters from Thursday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bell came home Monday from a six-day visit with the local man's sister, Miss Vela Bell, in Ennis and with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bell Jr. in Austin.

Sergeant Bill Shield of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and his wife, the former Dorris Bertram, spent the week-end in Snyder with Shield's mother, Mrs. Eupha Shield, and grandmother, Mrs. M. Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Burge of Alexandria, Louisiana, are in Texas again, spending several days with Mrs. Burge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Drakins, in Snyder and visiting with relatives and friends in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Trigg, former local residents, were guests here Sunday and Monday of Mrs. Alice Montgomery. The couple was en route to Brownfield for a several-day visit with Mrs. Trigg's parents, the A. J. Stricklins, before returning to Brownwood, where they now live.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Morris were the J. E. Johnsons and their sons, Morris L., who works at the Fort Sam Houston army camp, and Wayland, student in Jefferson High School, of San Antonio. The Johnsons formerly lived in Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snelling and daughters, Lolla and Joyce, of Big Spring spent all last week with the Morrises.

Pleasant surprise visitor with the W. R. Bells and S. R. Pickas Tuesday was Pickas Pifford of El Paso, fingerprint and picture expert with the Standard Oil Company of Texas. The 27-year-old son of the former Effie Pickas, the oil company employee holds a responsible position with the firm as well as an interesting one. At present he is making pictures and fingerprinting every employee of Standard in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bullock spent Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bullock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Noble and daughter, Mary Nell, spent the Christmas holidays in Lubbock.

The T. H. Duffs of Plainview and the Earl Hartises of Abilene spent Christmas with Mrs. J. D. Isaacs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tate and two children of Project City, California, arrived last Wednesday for a several-day visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Church of Wichita Falls spent last Thursday with Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton and daughter. The visitors returned to Wichita Falls Friday.

Christmas week guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bullock was Mrs. Frances Veale of Austin, who is employed in the general land office. Mrs. Veale left Saturday evening for the capital city.

Mrs. C. N. Firestone of Clovis, New Mexico, arrived in Snyder Tuesday night for a visit with her daughters, Mmes. Myron H. Roe and Hollis Browning, and their families here.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Scott Hickey and children here were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hickey Jr. of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickey of Winnings, Louisiana, Colonel Montgomery and Scott Hickey Sr. of Abilene.

Daisynelle Cavin is here from Washington, D. C., to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Daisy Cavin. The former Snyder girl is in civil service work in the nation's capital, and she will return to her work January 12.

Mrs. Irene Boren of Long Beach, California, arrived last Thursday for a holiday season visit with the A. O. Scarborughs, the Hugh and Tom Borens families and other relatives. Mrs. Boren left Wednesday afternoon for her California home.

Sally Evelyn Boone of Jacksboro visited homefolks during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hicks and Miss Boone visited in Roscoe and Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Hicks and Miss Boone also visited in Lubbock, Muleshoe and Clovis, New Mexico, this week.

Christmas holiday guests of the A. J. Codys included Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith and the Walter Neals and son, Jack, all of Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Mineral Wells.

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TOWNSENDS' SERVICE STATION

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Former County Representative Dies Last Week

Snyder friends and former business associates received word over the week-end of the death in Little Rock, Arkansas, Friday of T. F. Baker, former representative from the 118th District and former county superintendent of Scurry County schools.

Baker was well known to old-time residents of Scurry and nearby counties, and was county superintendent of Scurry County at the turn of the century. He was state representative from this district from 1916 to 1917.

Most Scurry County people remember Baker as a partner, from 1909 to 1914, in the insurance and land loan firm of Baker, Grayum & Anderson. This partnership was located in what was then the county's new court house, in the room in which the county superintendent's office is now located.

Baker, who was manager of the Arkansas Fire Prevention Bureau at the time of his death, pioneered in early day fire prevention work of the Texas Fire Insurance Commission. He was, years ago, cashier, respectively, of Snyder's First National Bank and the First State Bank & Trust Company.

Assembly of God in Services Each Night

Despite the coldest weather of the winter, Rev. D. B. Chaney, pastor of Snyder's Assembly of God church in North Snyder, reports the nightly services in connection with special week of prayer observances are at racting nice crowds.

Congregation leaders of the Assembly of God church set aside the period of Sunday, January 4, through Sunday, January 11, as a week of prayer in conjunction with other churches throughout the country.

Guest speaker at the Snyder church from Wednesday evening through Sunday is Rev. H. M. Reeves, superintendent of the West Texas Assemblies of God. The public is invited to attend the prayer services each evening, which begin at 7:00 o'clock.

Plans for Junk Drive To Be Released Soon

R. G. Dillard, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager, announced Wednesday that additional details on Scurry County's forthcoming county-wide scrap iron drive will be released as soon as plans for the campaign are complete.

The chamber of commerce will not act as a collection agency for the scrap iron drive, which will be extended to include virtually every kind of metal, but will be directed by Snyder's senior civic organization.

PALACE Theatre

Thursday, Jan. 8—
"Shadow of the Thin Man"
with William Powell and Myrna Loy. Thin Man fun is back on the screen. News and Novelty.

Friday and Saturday, Jan. 9-10—
"Lone Star Ranger"
starring John Kimbrough in Zane Grey's great Western story. Musical Comedy and Cartoon Comedy.

Saturday Night Prevue Only, January 10—
"South of Tahiti"
with Brian Donlevy, Brod Crawford, Andy Devine, Henry Wilcoxon and 50 sarong-class goddesses of love.

Sunday-Monday, Jan. 11-12—
"Texas"
with William Holden, Claire Trevor, Glenn Ford, George Bancroft. News and Musical.

Tuesday, Jan. 13—
"Target for Tonight"
Actually filmed under fire. The RAF is its cast. News and Novelty. Also Pop-Eye Cartoon. Bargain Night—Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 14-15—
"H. M. Pullman, Esquire"
with Hedy Lamarr, Robert Young, Ruth Hussey, Charles Coburn, Van Heflin, Bonita Granville, Fay Holden. News and Cartoon.

TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, Jan. 8—
"Sis Hopkins"
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Friday-Saturday, Jan. 9-10—
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starring Tim Holt. "King of Texas Rangers" Serial, and Comedy, "A Quiet Fourth," starring Edgar Kennedy.

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday Matinee, January 10-11—
"A Missouri Outlaw"
starring Don (Red) Barry. Musical Comedy and Cartoon.

Sunday Night, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 11-12-13—
"Buy Me That Town"
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Big Sulphur News

Bunice Lewis, Correspondent

Mrs. Dean Smith accompanied Ruth and Alva Jones to Roscoe Friday night to visit their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pierce of Ladonia spent Monday in the A. J. Mahoney home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cary and children of Colorado City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary and son, Wesley.

Theresa Rea spent Tuesday afternoon in the M. J. Haynes home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones and Ruth, Alva and E. L. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy and children of Roscoe visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children. They celebrated Dean's birthday.

Melba Jaye Haynes visited Tuesday afternoon with Oreta Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maldon Rice of Sweetwater spent Saturday with her father, A. J. Mahoney, and family.

Lloyd Wemken of German community, A. J. Burney, Oreta Myers and Cleo Corbell visited Thursday night with Melba Jaye Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Corbell visited Monday afternoon in the M. J. Haynes home.

Mrs. Izora Pride and son, Henry Claude Drennan and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Honey and daughter, Helen, of Andrews visited first part of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alph Huddleston.

Little Eulatha Huddleston received a severe burn in the palm of her right hand Monday when she became overbalanced and fell against the stove.

The community was covered by a snow Friday night.

Bison News

Mrs. A.W. Weathers, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murphy and daughter, Peggie Nell, of Murphy spent the week-end in the Roy Barrier home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burney and sons visited relatives in Sharon Sunday.

Wright Huddleston and family visited in Snyder Saturday.

H. A. Smith of Crowder spent Saturday night with Alfred Weathers Jr.

Your correspondent will appreciate any news sent her during the week.

Wedding invitations at Times.

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Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent

We are really having some winter weather down here. There has been snow and ice everywhere for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crawley and son, Gene West, and Marcus Hamilton of Grass Valley, California, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, here, have returned home.

We are in sympathy with the loved ones of Mrs. Carrie Hawkins, who passed away last week.

Pete Carney of San Angelo visited with his homefolks, the G. G. Carneys, for a few hours Saturday night.

Bob Etheredge is enjoying an extended visit with his brother, Franklin, at Canadian.

Elaine Carney, who has been with her parents, the G. G. Carneys, through the holidays, returned Sunday to Pecos, where she will resume her school work. She was accompanied to Colorado City by G. G. Carney, Mable and Fae Etheredge and Sue Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Etheredge and children visited recently in the Knutson home at Brady.

Mrs. Ava Bone of Hanford, California, is visiting relatives.

This correspondent received word from her brother, V. E. (Evan) Hamilton, who is in Honolulu, Hawaii. Evan sailed from Los Angeles November 28. This word was the first heard from him by his folks here.

Thelma McCutchin of Lubbock, who spent the holidays with her parents, the Charlie McCutchins, has returned to school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cave and children visited recently with her folks at Throckmorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cave of Wink spent the week-end here.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hodges, who were married one day last week. Mrs. Hodges is the former Lena Weaks of Midway, who graduated from Hobbs High School in 1940. Carroll is the son of Mrs. Mack Hodges of this place. We wish the couple a very happy married life.

Tura Lou Etheredge spent part of the holidays with Mrs. Eula B. Maddox of Elida, New Mexico.

Ready for Her.

Two sweet young things were discussing affairs of the heart.

"So you've accepted Tom?" said one acidly. "I suppose he didn't happen to mention that he had previously proposed to me?"

"Well, not exactly," replied the other blandly, "but he did confess that he'd done a lot of silly things before he met me."

Thought for Most Any Day

Do right and fear no man; don't write and fear no woman.—Lord Fisher.

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Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

At this writing we are experiencing a severe cold spell following a nice snow that fell Saturday.

The community welcomes the new people who have moved into our vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheridge of Hermleigh have moved to the Leonard Spence farm.

J. C. Williamson of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, is spending several days at home this week.

Don Adams returned to his camp Friday after spending five days at home.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Charlie Eastman in a Dallas hospital for treatment of an injured limb. R. L. Jones was taken to an Abilene hospital Sunday for treatment. Doctors there say it will be Thursday before they will know anything of his condition.

Ella Adams is at home after visiting in East Texas for some time.

Not That.

"What do you mean by telling people that I was deaf and dumb?"

"I didn't say deaf."

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koonsman have had some new additions built on their house and now are having it painted. Also Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rodman have their new home completed and have moved in.

D. G. Dabbs has returned to his home in Dallas after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dabbs. His sister, whom he had not seen in several years, was also here.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Nola Brister in the death of her husband. She is our primary school teacher.

We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O'Briant, who have moved to the Hobbs community. Clark Nicks and family have moved into the house on the Travis Rhoades place, which was occupied by the O'Briants.

Pleasant Ridge

Imogene Wells, Correspondent

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coldewey, who recently moved to the Pierce farm, north of Loraine. We welcome the Pettit family, who moved into the Coldewey's former home.

Hindenburg Coldewey of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, visited his parents New Year's Day.

Mrs. Sam Haggerton has returned from her mother's home in Roscoe, where she has been recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Calling cards at the Times office.

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German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuss, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss and daughter and also Bernice Krejci returned Friday after spending 10 days in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Grossman of Roscoe have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hundsnurcher.

John Zolman was taken to Fort Worth Hospital Sunday. He underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schattel and children of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schattel, and family.

Among those on the sick list in our community are Bernice Bartels and Sandra Jo Darden.

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of H. J. Schulze to help Mrs. H. J. Schulze celebrate her birthday and bring in the New Year. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenetschlaeger and son and Joe Mueller returned Monday from South Texas.

Mrs. R. W. West of Ballinger spent Saturday with Mrs. J. M. Pagan.

Will Mahoney of Loraine and sons, George of the U. S. Navy and Cortus of California, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wemken Monday.

Ed Brown spent the holidays with his brother and family in Fort Werth, returning home last week.

S. O. Casey and family moved to Oklahoma City last week.

Lee West of Ballinger visited in this community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pagan visited Mrs. Ray Niedecken at Dunn Thursday. Mrs. Niedecken was in a car wreck December 27 near Colorado, and is pretty badly bruised.

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

Folks of our community are about through gathering their crops.

We want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Ed Franklin and children into our community. The Franklins moved here from Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder and children spent the week-end with Mrs. von Roeder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sterling and Doris Nell and Mrs. Buford Sterling spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Mrs. Eupha Shield and Helen Kay are back at home after spending the holidays with relatives at Snyder and elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis and Lura Davis spent Sunday with relatives at Snyder.

Mrs. Alvis Minton and children spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt at Pleasant Hill.

We regret very much to have Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Owens move from our community. They are moving to Coahoma.

Mrs. Sammy Pitz was in Big Spring on business Thursday.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Virginia Voss has returned to Weatherford to resume her studies after spending several weeks working in the Roscoe State Bank and enjoying the holidays with her parents here.

Mrs. Myrtle Bowen was hostess to a New Year's dinner, with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. B. Simmons and daughter, Elsa and John Simmons of Pyron, Fern Higginbotham, O. H. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore, Nova Bowen of San Angelo and the hostess and her family.

The New Year is here and there will be many changes made. Bula Sturdivant is located at the old Shell Service Station, formerly occupied by Ray Vernon, but will handle a different product. We have not learned Mr. Vernon's future plans.

Bill Adams and Jesse Hillis have been enjoying a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hillis. Bill returned Saturday to the CCC camp at Floydada, while Jesse left Monday for Cema, California.

Nova Bowen has returned to San Angelo, where she has been training as a nurse since her graduation from high school here some time ago.

Mrs. J. L. Breeden has rejurned home from the Young Hospital, where she was recovering from a fall. We are glad she is improving.

Tom Groves is erecting a two-room structure on his farm east of town, in which Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Corley will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barfoot have returned from Phoenix, Akizona, where they spent the holidays with their two daughters.

We have had severe winter weather the past several days and quite a bit of snow.

Harold Pettit of Columbia, South America, spent the holidays in the Victor Longbotham home as a guest of Weldon Longbotham. The two boys left Sunday for A. & M. College to resume their studies. Jean Longbotham also left Sunday to take up her college wor kat Denton.

Passenger—"Have I time to say good-bye to my wife?"

Conductor—"I don't know. How long have you been married?"



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Mt. Zion News

Mrs. S. T. Minor Jr., Correspondent

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hamilton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Crowley of Snyder, Mable, Fay and Toodle Etheredge of Hobbs.

Mrs. W. P. Inman was carried to a Lubbock hospital Sunday. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Gerald Walton of Snyder visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor, has been very ill, but is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Morton of Plainview community visited Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor Tuesday. Mrs. Mattie Minor returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maule of California have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Maule.

A census enumerator approached a lounging negro dandy. He asked and learned the man's name, age, place of residence; then inquired, "What's your business?"

The answer came superciliously: "I owns a hand laundry, I does."

"Where is it located?"

"Dar she comes now."

My health having improved, I can now attend a few calls and cases of Obstetrics and consultation.

If You Will Come After Me

A. O. Scarborough M. D.

Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs. Evans Millhollon and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bo McCright of Sharon.

Those visiting in the Ed Taylor home Christmas week were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Krop and son, Howard, of Rico, California, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Knapp of O'Donnell, Raymand Taylor of Arlington and Roscie Knapp of Treadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCarter entertained the young folks with a party Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ed Taylor and daughter, Bobbye, visited her sister, Mrs. A. J. Hester, at Electra.

Church was not very well attended Sunday because of the cold weather.



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For Sale

FOR SALE or trade—Good kid pony; gentle.—Billy Gray, phone 86W. 1p

TWO diamond rings, ladies', set with small stones; bargains for cash.—Nathan Rosenberg. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—404 acres, 100 in cultivation; 100 head sheep, milk cows; sheep fenced, house, fairly good sheds, good grass, plenty water; 11 miles Snyder, old Gail highway. Immediate possession.—J. B. Scott. 1p

FOR SALE—Young Buff Orpington roosters, 75 cents each.—Mrs. Holley Shuler. 1p

FOR SALE—Three good four-year-old Jersey milk cows; bring calves soon, $65 each.—R. H. Bonner, Hermleigh. 1p

TWO GOOD Singer sewing machines for sale. John Keller Furniture. 32-2c

TWO SETS of 1125x24 used tractor tires.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 32-2c

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

FOR SALE—First year red, rust proof Nortex oat seed; also barley seed, free from Johnson grass, at my farm, five miles south Hermleigh. Emil Schattel, Hermleigh, Texas. 30-5p

FOR SALE—Coming three-year-old mules.—Joe Wishert, five miles southwest of Ira. 31-2p

SEE US for used tractor tires and tractor tire anti-freeze solution.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 31-tfc

FOR SALE—New and really good used tractors, plow shares for all makes of implements at $2.50 each as long as they last. See us today.—Hammond Brothers. 32-4c

FOR SALE—Second hand J. I. Case tractor and double-row implements; priced to sell. See G. L. Hartley, Snyder. 1p

CHINESE ELM shade trees, five to seven feet high; 25 cents each.—Ray Martin, at Martin's Swimming Pool. 1p

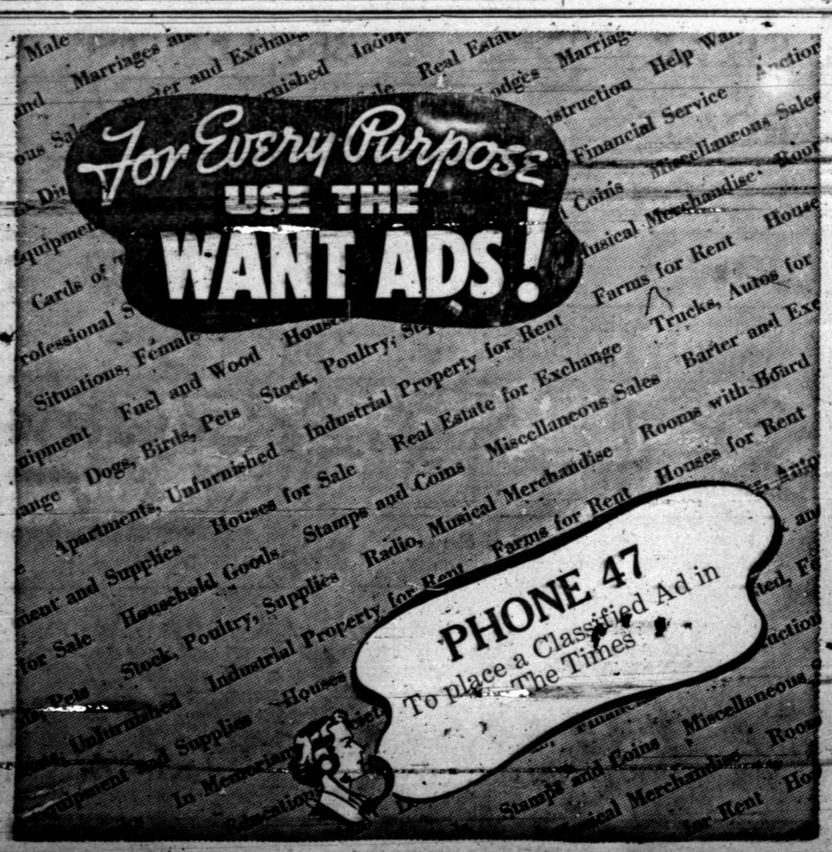
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COME IN TODAY and make one-third saving on your furniture purchases during our Cleanup Sale.—A. E. Duff Furniture. 1c



News About Folks in Scurry County You Know

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Old Man Winter made his appearance in a big way Friday night when the ground was covered with snow. It has been very cold ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children visited in the Clyde Childress home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt visited in the Champion community over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trigg and son Billy, of San Angelo were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard.

Jack Webb spent two days last week with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Eades, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and sons, Leonard and Robert, spent New Year's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haney, in East Snyder.

Mrs. Isabelle Holladay and daughter, LaVera, of San Angelo visited Mrs. O. H. Holladay and children Saturday.

Sidney Mae Webb of Snyder visited part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb.

J. J. Moore of Stanton is having a new house built on his place south of Ira. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holladay are living there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore of Stanton spent Saturday of last week with his sister, Mrs. O. H. Holladay. He also visited his new building on his place, south of Ira.

Mrs. Mattie Minor of Tyler returned to her home Wednesday after a two-week visit with her children here.

There is quite a bit of moving going on in our community at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boyd and son, Jimmie, of Turner visited in our community New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haney and children of Snyder visited in the Bill Childress home Saturday night.

We regret to lose from our midst Mr. and Mrs. Sears Cook and children. They have moved to Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hickman at Murphy.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Silas Davenport and children into our community. Mr. Davenport is our new teacher. He replaces Pat Falls.

Rev. W. A. Strickland of Dunn filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church over the week-end.

Anna Mae Nabors returned Sunday to Lubbock, where she is attending Texas Tech, after a two-week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nabors.

Rev. R. E. Bowden of Big Spring will fill his appointment at the Church of God Sunday afternoon and night.

I want to thank everyone who has given me subscriptions and also express appreciation for your help with the Ira news. I am asking for your continued cooperation during the coming year.

Mrs. J. F. Jordan and sons spent the Christmas holidays in Beaumont with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. J. P. Gentry and husband the A. L. Chesser family and Eula Bell Jordan. Eula Bell returned home with them after a two-month stay in Beaumont, where she was working. They were accompanied on their trip by Mrs. A. Q. Gentry of Haskell, who visited her son, J. P. Gentry, and wife. On returning home they visited Mrs. Jordan's brother, J. R. Handy, at Olney and her sister, Mrs. Trudy Hamlett, at Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Newman were host and hostess Tuesday night of last week to a farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Sears Cook, who are moving to Buford. A large crowd attended and the Cooks received lovely farewell gifts.

J. R. Jordan and family of Seagraves spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howard of Midland spent several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tamplin.

Wedding announcements? Times.

Fluvanna News

Rita Dowdy, Correspondent

Ross Belew, Cecil Boren, Wayland Mathis, Frank Beaver, J. D. Patterson and R. B. Wills Jr. were in Dallas last week to take their examinations in the Southwest Aeronautical Institute.

Mrs. H. H. Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ivey, returned to her home in Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert S. Jones left Sunday for the Milling Sanitarium, where Mrs. Jones will remain for several weeks' treatment. Mr. Jones went on to Wichita Falls, returning home Tuesday.

Avon Sewalt son of Mr. and Mrs. Wib Sewalt of Roby, and John A. Stavely, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Stavely, left Tuesday for California to enter defense plant work.

Bunk Green, who was operated for appendicitis in the Young Hospital at Roscoe, is doing fine and was brought home Monday. Layeta Jones was brought home last week from the Snyder General Hospital. She also had an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lindsay are entertaining a new son in their home.

Remember our Red Cross drive for old papers, magazines and pasteboard boxes. Also save your old silk hose—they will be needed. Helping in this drive means help for our boys in the service.

E. P. Ainsworth and J. C. Dowdy made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belew and Ross made a trip to Dallas, returning in a new car. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sims are also driving a new car.

Mrs. W. A. Temple and sons, William and Kay, spent New Year's Day in Stamford with Mrs. Temple's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mixon and son have moved to Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ball and children have gone to San Diego, California, to take a new trailer house to their son, E. L., and wife.

Don't forget to renew your subscriptions to The Scurry County Times. The bargain rates will be on for several weeks more.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

It seems like Old Man Winter has come to stay.

Joyce Floyd has returned to Abilene after having spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd.

Colleen Smith spent the week-end in Snyder with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Hassell.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant and children have moved into the Strayhorn community.

Little Charles Gary Smith of Big Sulphur is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. C. H. Jones.

L. D. King of Coleman spent a few days last week with Rex Woodard. Rex and L. D. went to Dallas to attend the Southwest Aeronautical Institute.

Your correspondent wants to express thanks to all who gave their subscriptions to her. Bargain Days on The Times will continue for several days more.

Singing will be held at Plainview Sunday night.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Hardy Chorn of Abilene visited his brothers in this community Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Miner and young son have returned to their home in Pomona, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Foster visited relatives in Lamesa during the week-end.

Mary Brown Roberson of Waxahachie is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roberson.

Oscar Hooper and family have moved to the Warren Sturgeon farm.

Jay Conner and family of California are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Conner.

Demand for Dried Milk Growing



Snyder men say the magic of the modern dairy industry now makes it possible to shrink five quarts of fluid milk into one quart of dried milk. Dried milk is in great demand for export to friendly nations abroad, since dried milk occupies little space in the holds of ships, stays sweet without refrigeration and can be used as a substitute for fresh milk.

Three Lunch Rooms Being Operated In County Schools Under WPA Lead

Three schools in Scurry County are now running full-fledged lunch rooms, serving hot lunches to students every school day, according to Marie Womack, county supervisor for the lunch rooms.

Snyder WPA lunch room had been in operation exactly a month January 1 and seemed to be proving satisfactory. The lunch room started serving an average of 189 children daily, and at present it is serving an average of 265 hot meals daily.

Four additional washers have been added to take care of the vast increase. The washers show marked improvement in planning their work and managing their time.

Snyder Parent-Teacher Association, which is sponsoring the WPA lunch room, has been most cooperative in helping to put the project over, Miss Womack states. They have purchased extra equipment to take care of increases in number of hot lunches being served. Equipment purchased includes another gas stove, a large preparation table, a serving table and benches, some cooking utensils and benches.

Ira WPA lunch room got a little later start than the Snyder project. Last month five workers served an average of 159 meals daily. This project is also proving satisfactory. After weighing the children, teachers found there were around 190 undernourished children in the Ira school. Of the number eating daily there are only about 30 children who do not pay a dime.

This project is also sponsored by a Parent-Teacher Association organization, which has shown enthusiasm in putting the project over.

Monthly consolidated report for Scurry County shows that 5,887 hot meals were served in the two schools at a total cost of $421.89, making the average cost per lunch only seven cents. Of this total sponsors' contributions amounted to $252.51, and the Snyder marketing administration furnished commodities amounting to $149.38.

A typical hot lunch served includes hamburger patties, pinto beans, browned potatoes, graham muffins, banana pudding and cocoa.

Turner School began operation of a WPA lunch room January 2. The one mother, who is to serve 35 children and two teachers, is handling the job nicely. Total enrolled in the school was given instruction for operating a lunch room efficiently and the lunch room was put in order to serve the first meal Monday, January 5.

The Turner lunch room is being operated in a room formerly used by the home economics department, but several improvements had to be made. The project is sponsored by the Turner school board, which made the improvements and purchased the equipment. Cabinets are painted white and enclosed with red and white checked curtains. The floor and cabinet top have been covered with new linoleum. Other equipment includes two oil stoves, two preparation tables already in the department. New kitchen utensils had to be purchased. Each child furnishes his own dishes.

Hermleigh Bows to Loraine in Cage Tilt

In a practice game at Hermleigh School gymnasium Tuesday evening, Chubby James' Loraine Bulldogs defeated the Hermleigh Cardinals, 25-15 in a basketball game that was hotly contested the first two stanzas of the game.

The Hermleigh girls made a much better showing than the boys, and in their tilt with the Loraine girls won by an easy tally of 47 to 27.

Heads Up and Eyes Down!
Happin After Dark!!

James A. Cowan Quits NYA Place For School Post

Effective Monday, James A. Cowan, foreman of Snyder's National Youth Administration work shop since November 9, 1939, tendered his resignation to accept a position as head of the industrial arts department in Wichita Falls High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan and their two children, Waymond G. and Jeanetta Yvonne, left Saturday night for Wichita Falls in order that Cowan could assume teaching duties Monday morning.

"I want to thank the people of Snyder and Scurry County who have been so nice to us during our stay at Snyder," Cowan said before leaving. "Especially do I treasure the friendship of the NYA employees at the work shop, and wish for them and their instructor, John E. Spelce, the best of luck."

Before moving here in November of 1939, Cowan was principal of Dawson County's Union High School near Lamesa, a position he held several years.

Area NYA officials at Lubbock attribute much of the growth of Snyder's National Youth Administration unit during the past two years to Cowan, and to his untiring efforts in behalf of NYA employees.

Snyder's NYA work shop, west of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company, is one of the best equipped in the Lubbock District, area officials report.

Snyder Appliance in New Yoder Location

R. A. Irving, who has operated the Snyder Appliance Company the past several months, four doors north of Snyder National Bank in the south half of the Chamber of Commerce location, moved this week to the Yoder building, southwest of the square on 26th Street.

Irving has all equipment moved, and is stocking a line of Crosley radios, refrigerators, gas ranges, Electrolux cleaners and other household appliances in the Yoder building.

4-H Club Organized By Ennis Creek Boys

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, completed organization Friday of a new boys' 4-H Club at Ennis Creek, and announces seven members have been enrolled to date.

Earl Horton, principal of the Ennis Creek School, was named sponsor of the 4-H Club, and accepted the job of guiding boys for 1942 project work.

Duane Davis and Horace Davis, two outstanding Ennis Creek club boys, were presented by County Agent Hyman with 1941 4-H Club achievement pins. Duane, Horace and Carl Voss Jr. are reported making good progress feeding out club calves.

Horton states officers for the Ennis Creek boys' 4-H Club will be named in February.

Diamond M Cattle In Fort Worth Sale

C. T. McLaughlin, owner of the Diamond M Ranch, 11 miles southwest of Snyder and drilling contractor in this area, announced this week that he and H. H. Wilkirson, Fort Worth banker and cattleman, will hold a combination sale of Herefords, February 5, in the Ross Brothers mule barn in Fort Worth.

The forthcoming sale, scheduled to attract cattle buyers from all sections of Texas and three neighboring states, will feature some exceptionally good animals, McLaughlin states. Several offerings from the Diamond M will be included in the sale.

Food Talk

Diner—"Here, waitress, take this chicken away, it's as tough as a paving stone."

Waitress—"Maybe it's a Plymouth Rock, sir."

First Presbyterian Church

During the momentous days we are going through, we want to extend visitors and non-church goers a special invitation to worship with us.

Sunday school begins Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock, and morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "Work and Pray."

Young people's meeting Sunday evening will be held at 6:15 o'clock, and evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. Meeting of the women's missionary society will be held Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock; and prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The pastor will speak at prayer service on "Prayer." Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.—Hubert C. Travis, pastor.

"The barber takes the red-hot towel
As though he were just learning,
And drops it quickly on your face
To keep his hands from burning."

New Patrolmen to Help Motorists in Conserving Tires

Pat Ross and Phlemon T. Wright, Snyder's new state highway patrolmen, report an important part of their job will be to help motorists of Scurry and adjacent counties help save the automobile tires that must last and last.

Statement from the duet of state department of public safety representatives was given after the Council of State Governments, Washington, wrote all state governors this week recommending a reduction in speed limits on state highways.

Purpose of the drive to reduce ways, as pointed out by the patrolmen, is two-fold:

To make people drive slower, thereby stopping, to a great extent, burning up automobile tires.

To save lives, because if people do drive too fast on old, worn tires their worries about rubber conservation may cease abruptly.

School Buildings For Sale

The school buildings at Sulphur and Strayhorn will be sold at public auction on Monday, January 12, to the highest bidder. The public sale will be held at the Hermleigh School House at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

The buildings are being sold by the Hermleigh School District since the Sulphur and Strayhorn districts have been consolidated with the Hermleigh District.

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THINK OF THE WOMEN FOLKS

When the knock is on your door; it's the women who answer it. Your wife or mother must bear this humiliation. Sometimes in the presence of friends. She will have to put off the bill collector. She is greatly embarrassed.

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Big Sulphur News

Beulah Lewis, Correspondent

Mrs. Dean Smith accompanied Ruth and Alva Jones to Roscoe Friday night to visit their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pierce of Ladonia spent Monday in the A. J. Mahoney home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cary and children of Colorado City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary and son, Tommy.

Theresa Rea spent Tuesday afternoon in the M. J. Haynes home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones and Ruth, Alva and E. L. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy and children of Roscoe visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children. They celebrated Dean's birthday.

Melba Jaye Haynes visited Tuesday afternoon with Oreta Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maldon Rice of Sweetwater spent Saturday with her father, A. J. Mahoney, and family.

Lloyd Wemken of German community, A. J. Burney, Oreta Myers and Cleo Corbell visited Thursday night with Melba Jaye Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Corbell visited Monday afternoon in the M. J. Haynes home.

Mrs. Izora Pride and son, Henry Claude Drennan and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Honey and daughter, Helen, of Andrews visited first part of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alph Huddleston.

Little Eulatha Huddleston received a severe burn in the palm of her right hand Monday when she became overbalanced and fell against the stove.

The community was covered by a snow Friday night.

Bison News

Mrs. A.W. Weathers, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murphy and daughter, Peggie Nell, of Murphy spent the week-end in the Roy Barrier home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burney and sons visited relatives in Sharon Sunday.

Wright Huddleston and family visited in Snyder Saturday.

H. A. Smith of Crowder spent Saturday night with Alfred Weathers Jr.

Your correspondent will appreciate any news sent her during the week.

Wedding invitations at Times.

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Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent

We are really having some winter weather down here. There has been snow and ice everywhere for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crawley and son, Gene West, and Marcus Hamilton of Grass Valley, California, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, here, have returned home.

We are in sympathy with the loved ones of Mrs. Carrie Hawkins, who passed away last week.

Pete Carney of San Angelo visited with his homefolks, the G. G. Carneys, for a few hours Saturday night.

Bob Etheredge is enjoying an extended visit with his brother, Franklin, at Canadian.

Elaine Carney, who has been with her parents, the G. G. Carneys, through the holidays, returned Sunday to Pecos, where she will resume her school work. She was accompanied to Colorado City by G. G. Carney, Mable and Fae Etheredge and Sue Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Etheredge and children visited recently in the Knutson home at Brady.

Mrs. Ava Bone of Hanford, California, is visiting relatives.

This correspondent received word from her brother, V. E. (Evan) Hamilton, who is in Honolulu, Hawaii. Evan sailed from Los Angeles November 28. This word was the first heard from him by his folks here.

Thelma McCutchin of Lubbock, who spent the holidays with her parents, the Charlie McCutchins, has returned to school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cave and children visited recently with her folks at Throckmorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cave of Wink spent the week-end here.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hodges, who were married one day last week. Mrs. Hodges is the former Lena Weaks of Midway, who graduated from Hobbs High School in 1940. Carroll is the son of Mrs. Mack Hodges of this place. We wish the couple a very happy married life.

Tura Lou Etheredge spent part of the holidays with Mrs. Eula B. Maddox of Elida, New Mexico.

Ready for Her.

Two sweet young things were discussing affairs of the heart.

"So you've accepted Tom?" said one acidly. "I suppose he didn't happen to mention that he had previously proposed to me?"

"Well, not exactly," replied the other blandly, "but he did confess that he'd done a lot of silly things before he met me."

Thought for Most Any Day

Do right and fear no man; don't write and fear no woman.—Lord Fisher.

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Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

At this writing we are experiencing a severe cold spell following a nice snow that fell Saturday.

The community welcomes the new people who have moved into our vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheredge of Hermleigh have moved to the Leonard Spence farm.

J. C. Williamson of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, is spending several days at home this week.

Don Adams returned to his camp Friday after spending five days at home.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Charlie Eastman in a Dallas hospital for treatment of an injured limb. R. L. Jones was taken to an Abilene hospital Sunday for treatment. Doctors there say it will be Thursday before they will know anything of his condition.

Ella Adams is at home after visiting in East Texas for some time.

Not That.

"What do you mean by telling people that I was deaf and dumb?"

"I didn't say deaf."

Lloyd Mountain

Irdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koonsman have had some new additions built on their house and now are having it painted. Also Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rodman have their new home completed and have moved in.

D. G. Dabbs has returned to his home in Dallas after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dabbs. His sister, whom he had not seen in several years, was also here.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Nola Brister in the death of her husband. She is our primary school teacher.

We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O'Briant, who have moved to the Hobbs community. Clark Nicks and family have moved into the house on the Travis Rhoades place, which was occupied by the O'Briants.

Pleasant Ridge

Imogene Wells, Correspondent

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coldewey, who recently moved to the Pierce farm, north of Loraine. We welcome the Pettit family, who moved into the Coldewey's former home.

Hindenburg Coldewey of Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, visited his parents New Year's Day.

Mrs. Sam Haggerton has returned from her mother's home in Roscoe, where she has been recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Calling cards at the Times office.

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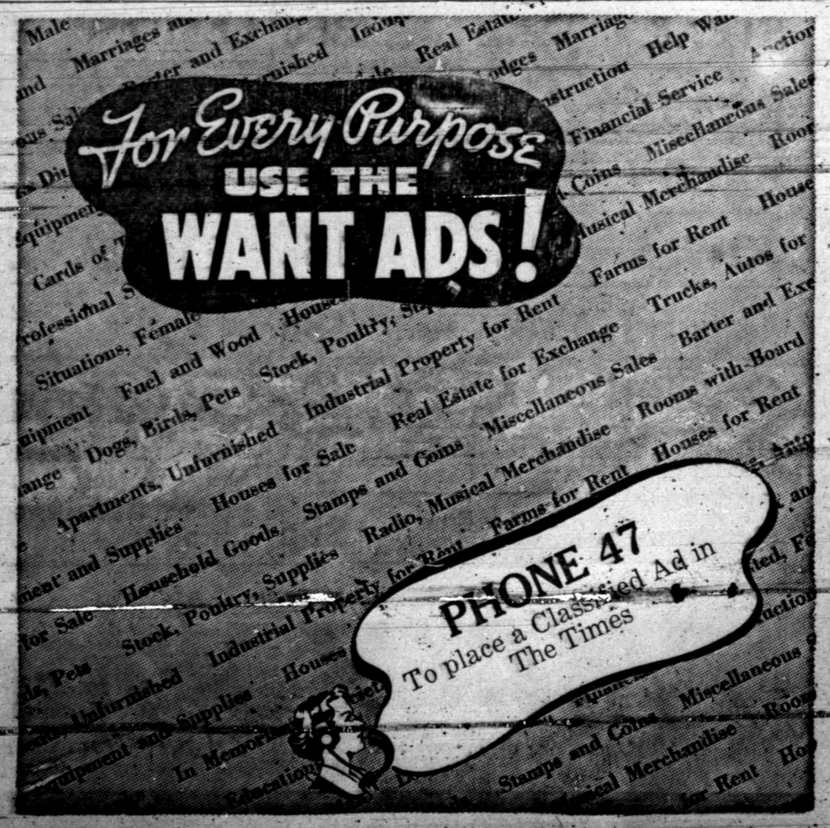
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German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuss, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss and daughter and also Bernice Krejci returned Friday after spending 10 days in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Grossman of Roscoe have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hundsnurcher.

John Zolman was taken to Fort Worth Hospital Tuesday. He underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schattel and children of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schattel, and family.

Among those on the sick list in our community are Bernice Bartels and Sandra Jo Darden.

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of H. J. Schulze to help Mrs. H. J. Schulze celebrate her birthday and bring in the New Year. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenetschlaeger and son and Joe Mueller returned Monday from South Texas.

Mrs. R. W. West of Ballinger spent Saturday with Mrs. J. M. Pagan.

Will Mahoney of Loraine and sons, George of the U. S. Navy and Cortus of California, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wemken Monday.

Ed Brown spent the holidays with his brother and family in Fort Worth, returning home last week.

S. O. Casey and family moved to Oklahoma City last week.

Lee West of Ballinger visited in this community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pagan visited Mrs. Ray Niedecken at Dunn Thursday. Mrs. Niedecken was in a car wreck December 27 near Colorado, and is pretty badly bruised.

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

Folks of our community are about through gathering their crops.

We want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Ed Franklin and children into our community. The Franklins moved here from Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder and children spent the week-end with Mrs. von Roeder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sterling and Doris Nell and Mrs. Buford Sterling spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Mrs. Eupha Shield and Helen Kay are back at home after spending the holidays with relatives at Snyder and elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis and Lura Davis spent Sunday with relatives at Snyder.

Mrs. Alvis Minton and children spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt at Pleasant Hill.

We regret very much to have Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Owens move from our community. They are moving to Coahoma.

Mrs. Sammy Fitz was in Big Spring on business Thursday.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Virginia Voss has returned to Weatherford to resume her studies after spending several weeks working in the Roscoe State Bank and enjoying the holidays with her parents here.

Mrs. Myrtle Bowen was hostess to a New Year's dinner, with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. B. Simmons and daughter, Elza and John Simmons of Pyron, Fern Higginbotham, O. H. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore, Nova Bowen of San Angelo and the hostess and her family.

The New Year is here and there will be many changes made. Bula Sturdivant is located at the old Shell Service Station, formerly occupied by Ray Vernon, but will handle a different product. We have not learned Mr. Vernon's future plans.

Bill Adams and Jesse Hillis have been enjoying a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hillis. Bill returned Saturday to the CCC camp at Floydada, while Jesse left Monday for Cema, California.

Nova Bowen has returned to San Angelo, where she has been training as a nurse since her graduation from high school here some time ago.

Mrs. J. L. Breeden has returned home from the Young Hospital, where she was recovering from a fall. We are glad she is improving.

Tom Groves is erecting a two-room structure on his farm east of town, in which Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Corley will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barfoot have returned from Phoenix, Arizona, where they spent the holidays with their two daughters.

We have had severe winter weather the past several days and quite a bit of snow.

Harold Pettit of Columbia, South America, spent the holidays in the Victor Longbotham home as a guest of Weldon Longbotham. The two boys left Sunday for A. & M. College to resume their studies. Jean Longbotham also left Sunday to take up her college wor kat Denton.

Passenger—"Have I time to say good-bye to my wife?"

Conductor—"I don't know. How long have you been married?"

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Mt. Zion News

Mrs. S. T. Minor Jr., Correspondent

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hamilton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Crowley of Snyder, Mable, Fay and Toodle Etheredge of Hobbs.

Mrs. W. P. Inman was carried to a Lubbock hospital Sunday. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Gerald Walton of Snyder visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor, has been Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hinor, has been very ill, but is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Morton of Plainview community visited Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor Tuesday. Mrs. Mattie Minor returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maule of California, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Maule.

A census enumerator approached a lounging negro dandy. He asked and learned the man's name, age, place of residence; then inquired, "What's your business?"

The answer came supercilliously: "I owns a hand laundry, I does."

"Where is it located?"

"Dar she comes now."

My health having improved, I can now attend a few calls and cases of Obstetrics and consultation.

If You Will Come After Me

A. O. Scarborough M. D.

Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs. Evans Millhollon and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bo McCright of Sharon.

Those visiting in the Ed Taylor home Christmas week were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Krop and son, Howard, of Rico, California, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Knapp of O'Donnell, Raymand Taylor of Arlington and Roscle Knapp of Treadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCarter entertained the young folks with a party Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ed Taylor and daughter, Bobbye, visited her sister, Mrs. A. J. Hester, at Electra.

Church was not very well attended Sunday because of the cold weather.

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160-ACRE FARM for sale; can give possession; a dandy; only $1,250 cash. Better act quick. A REAL bargain in new home on West Side; only $600 cash. See J. W. Scott. 1c

For Sale

FOR SALE or trade—Good kid pony; gentle.—Billy Gray, phone 86W. 1p

TWO diamond rings, ladies', set with small stones; bargains for cash.—Nathan Rosenberg. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—404 acres, 100 in cultivation; 100 head sheep, milk cows; sheep fenced, house, fairly good sheds, good grass, plenty water; 11 miles Snyder; old Gail highway. Immediate possession.—J. B. Scott. 1p

FOR SALE—Young Buff Orpington roosters, 75 cents each.—Mrs. Holley Shuler. 1p

FOR SALE—Three good four-year-old Jersey milk cows; bring calves soon, $65 each.—R. H. Bonner, Hermleigh. 1p

TWO GOOD Singer sewing machines for sale.—John Keller Furniture. 32-2c

TWO SETS of 1125x24 used tractor tires.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 32-2c

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

WANTED—House work by efficient girl.—Rosa Lou Senftleben, Route 1, Box 123. 1p

Help Wanted

WANT pleasant outdoor work in a business of your own? Good profits selling over 200 widely advertised Rawleigh home and farm necessities. Pays better than most occupations. Hundreds in business five to 20 years or more! Products and equipment on credit. No experience needed to start—we teach you how. Write today for full particulars.—Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-697-145, Memphis, Tennessee. 1p

Miscellaneous

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

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

INSURANCE—Fire, hail and windstorm. See Charles J. Lewis, back of Fair Store. 23-tfc

PLUMBING AND CONCRETE work guaranteed. Phone 346. — Mike Lewis. 9-tfc

NOTICE

Stockholders meeting of Fluvanna Mercantile Company will be held the third Tuesday in January (January 20), 7:30 p. m., in the Mercantile Building at Fluvanna. 30-4c

WINTER DAYS call for E. & H. Cafe food to keep you in "circulation." Why not try a dinner there now? 1c

Lost and Found

FOUND—Pair men's leather gloves. Owner call at Times and pay for this advertisement. 1c

YOUR DOLLAR buys more at A. E. Duff Furniture during our Clean-up Sale. Two more days of this event. 1c

YOUR INCOME TAX—Begin now on your return. I have prepared a special form to insure accuracy. Yours for the asking.—E. J. Anderson. 1p

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For Sale

FOR BUTANE gas tanks and Detroit Jewel gas stoves see L. I. Stewart Appliance Company.—Phone 198. 11-tfc

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

FOR SALE—First year red, rust proof Nortex oat seed; also barley seed, free from Johnson grass, at my farm, five miles south Hermleigh. Emil Schattel, Hermleigh, Texas. 30-5p

FOR SALE—Coming three-year-old mules.—Joe Wishert, five miles southwest of Ira. 31-2p

SEE US for used tractor tires and tractor tire anti-freeze solution.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 31-tfc

FOR SALE—New and really good used tractors, plow shares for all makes of implements at $2.50 each as long as they last. See us today.—Hammond Brothers. 32-4c

FOR SALE—Second hand J. I. Case tractor and double-row implements; priced to sell. See G. L. Hartley, Snyder. 1p

CHINESE ELM shade trees, five to seven feet high; 25 cents each.—Ray Martin, at Martin's Swimming Pool. 1p

TWO MORE DAYS of our Clean-up Sale. One-third off on furniture and other items.—A. E. Duff Furniture. 1c

FOR SALE—Good late cut hegari.—E. M. Denson, 10 miles south of Snyder. 1p

FOR SALE—Pure bred dark Cornish Game cockerels.—Mrs. Alfred Weathers, Snyder, Route 1. 1p

FOR SALE—Second hand Monitor windmill.—Mrs. Mary Pesmire, 1901 Avenue M, phone 306W. 1p

COME IN TODAY and make one-third saving on your furniture purchases during our Clean-up Sale.—A. E. Duff Furniture. 1c

News About Folks in Scurry County You Know

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Old Man Winter made his appearance in a big way Friday night when the ground was covered with snow. It has been very cold ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children visited in the Clyde Childress home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt visited in the Champion community over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trigg and son Billy, of San Angelo were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard.

Jack Webb spent two days last week with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Eades, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and sons, Leonard and Robert, spent New Year's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haney, in East Snyder.

Mrs. Isabelle Holladay and daughter, LaVera, of San Angelo visited Mrs. O. H. Holladay and children Saturday.

Sidney Mae Webb of Snyder visited part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb.

J. J. Moore of Stanton is having a new house built on his place south of Ira. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holladay are living there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore of Stanton spent Saturday of last week with his sister, Mrs. O. H. Holladay. He also visited his new building on his place, south of Ira.

Mrs. Mattie Minor of Tyler returned to her home Wednesday after a two-week visit with her children here.

There is quite a bit of moving going on in our community at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boyd and son, Jimmie, of Turner visited in our community New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haney and children of Snyder visited in the Bill Childress home Saturday night.

We regret to lose from our midst Mr. and Mrs. Sears Cook and children. They have moved to Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hickman at Murphy.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Silas Davenport and children into our community. Mr. Davenport is our new teacher. He replaces Pat Falls.

Rev. W. A. Strickland of Dunn filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church over the week-end.

Anna Mae Nabors returned Sunday to Lubbock, where she is attending Texas Tech, after a two-week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nabors.

Rev. R. E. Bowden of Big Spring will fill his appointment at the Church of God Sunday afternoon and night.

I want to thank everyone who has given me subscriptions and also express appreciation for your help with the Ira news. I am asking for your continued cooperation during the coming year.

Mrs. J. F. Jordan and sons spent the Christmas holidays in Beaumont with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. J. P. Gentry and husband the A. L. Chesser family, and Eula Bell Jordan. Eula Bell returned home with them after a two-month stay in Beaumont, where she was working. They were accompanied on their trip by Mrs. A. Q. Gentry of Haskell, who visited her son, J. P. Gentry, and wife. On returning home they visited Mrs. Jordan's brother, J. R. Handy, at Olney and her sister, Mrs. Trudy Hamlett, at Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Newman were host and hostess Tuesday night of last week to a farewell party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Sears Cook, who are moving to Buford. A large crowd attended and the Cooks received lovely farewell gifts.

J. R. Jordan and family of Seagraves spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jordan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howard of Midland spent several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tamplin.

Wedding announcements? Times.

Fluvanna News

Rita Dowdy, Correspondent

Ross Belew, Cecil Boren, Wayland Mathis, Frank Beaver, J. D. Patterson and R. B. Wills Jr. were in Dallas last week to take their examinations in the Southwest Aeronautical Institute.

Mrs. H. H. Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dowdy, returned to her home in Otsego, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert S. Jones left Sunday for the Milling Sanitarium, where Mrs. Jones will remain for several weeks' treatment. Mr. Jones went on to Wichita Falls, returning home Tuesday.

Avon Sewalt son of Mr. and Mrs. Wib Sewalt of Roby, and John A. Stavely, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Stavely, left Tuesday for California to enter defense plant work.

Bunk Green, who was operated for appendicitis in the Young Hospital at Roscoe, is doing fine and was brought home Monday. Laveta Jones was brought home last week from the Snyder General Hospital. She also had an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lindsay are entertaining a new son in their home.

Remember our Red Cross drive for old papers, magazines and pasteboard boxes. Also save your old silk hose—they will be needed. Helping in this drive means help for our boys in the service.

E. P. Ainsworth and J. C. Dowdy made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belew and Ross made a trip to Dallas, returning in a new car. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sims are also driving a new car.

Mrs. W. A. Temple and sons, William and Kay, spent New Year's Day in Stamford with Mrs. Temple's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mixon and son have moved to Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ball and children have gone to San Diego, California, to take a new trailer house to their son, E. L., and wife.

Don't forget to renew your subscriptions to The Scurry County Times. The bargain rates will be on for several weeks more.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

It seems like Old Man Winter has come to stay.

Joyce Floyd has returned to Abilene after having spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd.

Colleen Smith spent the week-end in Snyder with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Hassell.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant and children have moved into the Strayhorn community.

Little Charles Gary Smith of Big Sulphur is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. C. H. Jones.

L. D. King of Coleman spent a few days last week with Rex Woodard. Rex and L. D. went to Dallas to attend the Southwest Aeronautical Institute.

Your correspondent wants to express thanks to all who gave their subscriptions to her. Bargain Days on The Times will continue for several days more.

Singing will be held at Plainview Sunday night.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Hardy Chorn of Abilene visited his brothers in this community Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Miner and young son have returned to their home in Pomona, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Foster visited relatives in Lamesa during the week-end.

Mary Brown Roberson of Waxahachie is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Roberson.

Oscar Hooper and family have moved to the Warren Sturgeon farm.

Jay Conner and family of California are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Conner.

Demand for Dried Milk Growing



Snyder dairymen by the magic of the modern dairy industry now makes it possible to shrink five quarts of fluid milk into one quart of dried milk. Dried milk is in great demand for export to friendly nations abroad, since dried milk occupies little space in the holds of ships, stays sweet without refrigeration and can be used as a substitute for fresh milk.

Three Lunch Rooms Being Operated In County Schools Under WPA Lead

Three schools in Scurry County are now running full-fledged lunch rooms, serving hot lunches to students every school day, according to Marie Womack, county supervisor for the lunch rooms.

Snyder WPA lunch room had been in operation exactly a month January 1 and seemed to be proving satisfactory. The lunch room started serving an average of 189 children daily, and at present it is serving an average of 265 hot meals daily.

Four additional washers have been added to take care of the vast increase. The washers show marked improvement in planning their work and managing their time.

Snyder Parent-Teacher Association, which is sponsoring the WPA lunch room, has been most cooperative in helping to put the project over, Miss Womack states. They have purchased extra equipment to take care of increases in number of hot lunches being served. Equipment purchased includes another gas stove, a large preparation table, a serving table and benches, some cooking utensils and benches.

Ira WPA lunch room got a little later start than the Snyder project. Last month five workers served an average of 159 meals daily. This project is also proving satisfactory. After weighing the children, teachers found there were around 190 undernourished children in the Ira school. Of the number eating daily there are only about 30 children who do not pay a dime.

This project is also sponsored by a Parent-Teacher Association organization, which has shown enthusiasm in putting the project over.

Monthly consolidated report for Scurry County shows that 5,887 hot meals were served in the two schools at a total cost of $421.89, making the average cost per lunch only seven cents. Of this total sponsors' contributions amounted to $252.51, and the Snyder marketing administration furnished commodities amounting to $149.38.

A typical hot lunch served includes hamburger patties, pinto beans, browned potatoes, graham muffins, banana pudding and cocoa.

Turner School began operation of a WPA lunch room January 2. The one mother, who is to serve 35 children and two teachers, is handling the job nicely. Total enrolled in the school was given instruction for operating a lunch room efficiently and the lunch room was put in order to serve the first meal Monday, January 5.

The Turner lunch room is being operated in a room formerly used by the home economics department, but several improvements had to be made. The project is sponsored by the Turner school board, which made the improvements and purchased the equipment. Cabinets are painted white and enclosed with red and white checked curtains. The floor and cabinet top have been covered with new linoleum. Other equipment includes two oil stoves, two preparation tables already in the department. New kitchen utensils had to be purchased. Each child furnishes his own dishes.

Hermleigh Bows to Loraine in Cage Tilt

In a practice game at Hermleigh School gymnasium Tuesday evening, Chubby James' Loraine Bulldogs defeated the Hermleigh Cardinals, 25-15 in a basketball game that was hotly contested the first two stanzas of the game.

The Hermleigh girls made a much better showing than the boys, and in their tilt with the Loraine girls won by an easy tally of 47 to 27.

Hands Up and Eyes Down!
wonderful or goody fighted mask the silver alien should see you
Tool of every 10 lovely stage traffic catastrophes
Happen After Dark!!

James A. Cowan Quits NYA Place For School Post

Effective Monday, James A. Cowan, foreman of Snyder's National Youth Administration work shop since November 9, 1939, tendered his resignation to accept a position as head of the industrial arts department in Wichita Falls High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan and their two children, Waymon G. and Jeanetta Yvonne, left Saturday night for Wichita Falls in order that Cowan could assume teaching duties Monday morning.

"I want to thank the people of Snyder and Scurry County, who have been so nice to us during our stay at Snyder," Cowan said before leaving. "Especially do I treasure the friendship of the NYA employees at the work shop, and wish for them and their instructor, John Ed Spelce, the best of luck."

Before moving here in November of 1939, Cowan was principal of Dawson County's Union High School near Lamesa, a position he held several years.

Area NYA officials at Lubbock attribute much of the growth of Snyder's National Youth Administration unit during the past two years to Cowan, and to his untiring efforts in behalf of NYA employees.

Snyder's NYA work shop, west of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company, is one of the best equipped in the Lubbock District, area officials report.

Snyder Appliance in New Yoder Location

R. A. Irving, who has operated the Snyder Appliance Company the past several months, four doors north of Snyder National Bank in the south half of the Chamber of Commerce location, moved this week to the Yoder building, southwest of the square on 26th Street.

Irving has all equipment moved, and is stocking a line of Crosley radios, refrigerators, gas ranges, Electrolux cleaners and other household appliances in the Yoder building.

4-H Club Organized By Ennis Creek Boys

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, completed organization Friday of a new boys' 4-H Club at Ennis Creek, and announces seven members have been enrolled to date.

Earl Horton, principal of the Ennis Creek School, was named sponsor of the 4-H Club, and accepted the job of guiding boys for 1942 project work.

Duane Davis and Horace Davis, two outstanding Ennis Creek club boys, were presented by County Agent Hyman with 1941 4-H Club achievement pins. Duane, Horace and Carl Voss Jr. are reported making good progress feeding out club calves.

Horton states officers for the Ennis Creek boys' 4-H Club will be named in February.

Diamond M Cattle In Fort Worth Sale

C. T. McLaughlin, owner of the Diamond M Ranch, 11 miles southwest of Snyder and drilling contractor in this area, announced this week that he and H. H. Wilkirson, Fort Worth banker and cattleman, will hold a combination sale of Herefords, February 5, in the Ross Brothers mule barn in Fort Worth.

The forthcoming sale, scheduled to attract cattle buyers from all sections of Texas and three neighboring states, will feature some exceptionally good animals, McLaughlin states. Several offerings from the Diamond M will be included in the sale.

Food Talk

Diner—"Here, waitress, take this chicken away, it's as tough as a paving stone."

Waitress—"Maybe it's a Plymouth Rock, sir."

First Presbyterian Church

During the momentous days we are going through, we want to extend visitors and non-church goers a special invitation to worship with us.

Sunday school begins Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock, and morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "Work and Pray."

Young people's meeting Sunday evening will be held at 6:15 o'clock, and evening worship at 7:00 o'clock. Meeting of the women's missionary society will be held Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock; and prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The pastor will speak a prayer service on "Prayer." Choir practice Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.—Hubert C. Travis, pastor.

"The barber takes the red-hot towel
As though he were just learning,
And drops it quickly on your face
To keep his hands from burning."

New Patrolmen to Help Motorists in Conserving Tires

Pat Ross and Phlemon T. Wright, Snyder's new state highway patrolmen, report an important part of their job will be to help motorists of Scurry and adjacent counties help save the automobile tires that must last and last.

Statement from the duet of state department of public safety representatives was given after the Council of State Governments, Washington, wrote all state governors this week recommending a reduction in speed limits on state highways.

Purpose of the drive to reduce ways, as pointed out by the patrolmen, is two-fold.

To make people drive slower, thereby stopping, to a great extent, burning up automobile tires.

To save lives, because if people do drive too fast on old, worn tires their worries about rubber conservation may cease abruptly.

School Buildings For Sale

The school buildings at Sulphur and Strayhorn will be sold at public auction on Monday, January 12, to the highest bidder. The public sale will be held at the Hermleigh School House at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

The buildings are being sold by the Hermleigh School District since the Sulphur and Strayhorn districts have been consolidated with the Hermleigh District.

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The First of the Month . . .

When Someone Knocks On Your Door Do You Hate to Answer?



Does a guilty conscious whisper "maybe it's the Collector." Perhaps you have been ignoring his monthly statement—not paying your bills promptly as you should. You know you have reason to dread the knock on the door when bills are past due. Your continued negligence has brought the embarrassment upon yourself. And this condition affects others.

THINK OF THE WOMEN FOLKS

When the knock is on your door, it's the women who answer it. Your wife or mother must bear this humiliation. Sometimes in the presence of friends. She will have to put off the bill collector. She is greatly embarrassed.

AVOID THE EMBARRASSMENT

Don't let your bills run past due. Attend to your every bill, big or little each month. And should unfortunate circumstances overtake you, go and see the man you owe. Do this and you will not have the collector knock on your door on the first of the month. And you will not have a 'slow' mark by your name on the merchants books. You can make your account appreciated, not tolerated.

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Repair Now

Officials of Scurry County's U. S. Department of Agriculture Defense Board issued a special appeal this week to county farmers and producers to get farm machinery in perfect condition at the earliest possible moment. Those who delay obtaining needed parts and repairs may find, unexpectedly, some morning the repairs will be difficult to obtain if not secured now. Repair now is the watchword, while parts can still be obtained!

Return to Thrift

Appointment over the week-end of a tire rationing board for Scurry County, plus the admonition of U. S. Department of Agriculture officials and the OPM for American people to start conservation of vital foods and materials, one can see, as a result of our united war effort, a return to thrift.

Thrift in rubber and gasoline conservation, thrift in purchasing household necessities, appliances and in saving all materials on hand so that shortages during the "duration" may be held off as long as possible. While economy in any country has its disadvantages, if it will again create a sense of thrift in American people, it will have at least one major advantage.

Land That We Love

Those who listened Tuesday morning, by radio, to the address President Roosevelt gave to the 77th Congress of the United States could not help but feel, deep down, that the land we love will eventually emerge victorious, as a nation, over Axis aggression.

In asking Congress for record appropriations to keep the United States war machine functioning, President Roosevelt strongly inferred that this nation would undergo hardships and sacrifices, in order to win World War II, but many people still did not seem to think it would be needed.

The president made it plain that this war would be a "long war, a bloody conflict, but we, the United States, will, and must win." Roosevelt seemed to have struck a keynote when he warned that the striking power of Japan and Nazi Germany should not be underrated, even though the U. S. Navy is already out to avenge the attack-in-the-back suffered at Pearl Harbor.

By way of emphasis, President Roosevelt left no doubt that taxes would have to be raised to keep America's war effort steadily increasing. . . . Increasing until the United States could produce, by 1943, as much as 75,000 tanks. In his message to Congress, Roosevelt did not fail to pull punches with the John L. Lewises, the Lindberghs and the Robert Woods when he stated unity would carry the United States to victory over all threats from abroad. That unity, like charity, could well begin at home.

Editorial of the Week

OUR APPEASEMENT POLICY

In spite of our boasting during recent months about the power and efficiency of the United States Navy, in spite of the assurances given us by Secretary Knox scarcely more than two months ago that our navy was already supreme on two oceans, we are compelled to admit today that the Japanese Navy dominates most of the Pacific and that our own Navy on the Pacific seems to be practically helpless.

True, it was greatly crippled by the treacherous surprise attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, but even if we had not lost a ship in that attack it is doubtful if our Navy could have maintained supremacy on the Pacific. We do not know how strong Japan's sea forces are, but the fact remains that Japan absolutely dominates the China Sea, lying between the Phillipines and the main land of Asia, and has prevented our sending aid of any kind to our hard-pressed little army in the Phillipines or to the British forces in Malaya.

And as Chamberlain and Deladier and the British and French statesmen generally sought to stop Hitler by "appeasement," so we have sought to stop Japan by the same policy. We have been terribly afraid that we would offend her. Because Japan arised a big hullaballoo a few years ago, we backed off from our plan to fortify even Guam Island in the Pacific. And while she was making a dirty, aggressive war upon China, we continued to sell her oil and scrap iron. We sold her countless tons of this scrap iron and stuck the price down in our pockets with great satisfaction. We continued to sell her oil up to the very time, almost, that she struck at us at Pearl Harbor. We did this to keep

And now the checkens are coming home to roost.—The Lynn County News.

One will note, from news dispatches released from various European points, that Italy is just about ready for a nation-wide revolt. . . . Winston Churchill stated last week he was "deeply convinced that the industrious Italian people are on the throes of rebellion" a fact news items bear out from European capitals. . . . The Italian people are doubtless fed up with war, and only the presence of 100,000 German soldiers and Gestapo agents in the land of the spaghetti lovers is said to prevent, for the present, a full-fledged uprising.

A woman may forgive, but she never forgets.

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

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

As an indication of how seriously Texas is taking the acute shortage that has developed in rubber, Governor Coke R. Stevenson announced this week that he would approve a deficiency appropriation, if necessary, for the University of Texas to complete research on a new substitute for rubber . . . The new rubber substitute is the invention of Dr. Eugene Schoch, veteran director of the University's bureau of industrial chemistry.

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Dr. Schoch is withholding announcement of details involved in the rubber substitute process until the university can obtain adequate patent rights on the discovery . . . It is reported the process differs from others heretofore announced, in that waste natural gas is used as a basis for the invention . . . The synthetic creation, University of Texas researchers state, will outwear the present type of rubber tires approximately 200 per cent, and is expected to cost considerably less than other synthetic rubber from a production angle.

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Information released in Washington this week indicates the next Federal Bureau of Investigation campaign against Fifth Columnists will be directed against former aliens who are now naturalized American citizens . . . The FBI has recently rounded up suspected aliens, and is preparing a long list of naturalized citizens suspected, on good grounds, of subsersive activities. . . . Special legislation will be needed before the Federal Bureau of Investigation will have clear leeway, but key agents are keeping close tabs on certain people in each section of the country, who are engaging in activities that will at least arouse justified suspicions.

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Housewives of this trade area are given a hint that major can companies of the nation, expecting a tin shortage within the near future, plan to introduce alternative types of containers, which have been in the process of development for the past several years. . . . In addition to glass jars, major can companies are planning to popularize metal containers coated with enamels and lacquers; cans made of steel treated by the Bachite process to make them non-corrosive and numerous types of steel-rimmed paper containers.

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Probable introduction of can substitutes, due to the expected tin shortage, will first await inspection and approval by the United States Department of Agriculture, and will give the men of research a break to try out some ideas they have been mighty anxious to see work for the past decade. . . . In accepting substitutes for tin cans, housewives of this trade area will have to use more care in canning and food preservation than with the conventional tin cans —especially in viewing of the expanding Food-for-Freedom fight.

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It is of interest to note, for the benefit of the hundreds of Americans who obviously are being wounded in the Pacific today, and thousands more will suffer before the fighting is over, medical science has produced a startling development for treatment in the field: A recently improved blood transfusion technique. . . . The new technique is proving highly effective, yet all necessary equipment is compactly assembled in an emergency kit about the size of a cigar box.

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When a casualty occurs, a medical officer quickly opens two tin cans carried in the kit. . . . From one he takes a bottle, containing about half a pint of distilled water which is sterilized, and from another bottle a light yellowish powder—an extract of normal blood. . . . In the space of a few minutes, the powder and water are mixed and the injured soldier given a blood transfusion that will probably save his life until he can be taken to a base hospital. . . . The new type of blood transfusion was only a hope in the minds of researchers during 1917-18, and is made possible because the yellowish powder is dried blood plasma. . . . The 1941 version of blood transfusion will not entirely replace the old-time variety, but will help greatly in emergency cases.

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Dried blood plasma is really an outgrowth of post-war attempts to overcome obstacles that prohibited the giving of conventional blood transfusions in instances where army or navy field forces could not be transferred, where injuries occurred, to base hospitals for several days. . . . The Red Cross obtains blood from volunteer donors, ships it to commercial laboratories, where it is divided into cells and plasma separated by scientific centrifuges.

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If you have noticed the silhouettes of Jap planes which the U. S. Navy recently released to a number of American magazines for publication, you probably can detect a good amount of humor in the resulting situation. . . . Private aviation experts claim the silhouettes were crudely executed, and nearly all represented Japanese planes of 1925 to 1938 vintage. . . . Few of the ships, therefore, would probably be used by the Nipponese in attacking the American mainland.

A good way to torture yourself is to figure how much fun you could have had with the money you've lost in "investments."

C. of C. Moves to New Quarters on South of Square

Tuesday and Wednesday were nailed down as two important dates in the history of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, in that Snyder's senior civic organization moved to new quarters.

Chamber of Commerce headquarters have been maintained the past five years four doors north of Snyder National Bank, but were moved Tuesday to the former J. J. Dyer Jewelry Store location on the south side of the square.

R. G. Dillard, Chamber of Commerce manager, moved the furnishings and CC records several days ago to the old Piggly Wiggly location, north side of the square. This move was temporary, however, and in no way affected the normal transaction of business, Dillard states.

Complete removal of all Chamber of Commerce furnishings and fixtures to the square's south side will not be finished for several days, the CC chief says, since the former J. J. Dyer location is undergoing major repairs.

Interior of the former Dyer Jewelry location, in fact, is being changed entirely. Partitions are being put in so that a Chamber of Commerce council room will be separate from the reception center.

Dillard, attired in overalls and gloves, has been right in the midst of moving operations, and was busy Wednesday assisting workmen to "clear decks" for the new CC offices.

Scurry Tire Quotas Released by OPM Information Body

Officials of the Office for Emergency Management, division of information, release January tire quotas for Scurry and nearby counties in the following table.

In the table below, the column designated "A" is the quota, Scurry County tire rationing board members state, for passenger cars, motorcycles and light trucks; column "B" is the quota for passenger car, motorcycle and light truck tubes; column "C" is designated for truck and bus tires; while column "D" is the January quota for truck and bus tubes.

County—	A	B	C	D
Scurry	26	22	50	42
Borden	1	1	3	3
Fisher	20	17	38	32
Kent	5	4	17	14
Mitchell	26	22	51	43
Nolan	41	34	78	65
Garza	14	12	23	19
Stonewall	7	6	18	15

Singing Class Meets Sunday at Church

Despite flurries of snow and sleet throughout the afternoon, a nice crowd of Scurry County singers was attracted Sunday afternoon to the Tabernacle Baptist Church for the regular bi-monthly songfest of the church singing class.

Walter Holmes presided over Sunday afternoon's song sessions. He announces that plenty of new song books will be on hand for the next singing the third Sunday afternoon, January 18. Several quartets have been secured for the third Sunday singing.

Pictures to Be Shown For Boys at Turner

Treat of the new year for 4-H Club boys of the Turner and adjacent communities will be the showing this (Thursday) evening, 7:00 o'clock, at the Claude McCormick service station, of a motion picture on Rural Electrification and Dairying.

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, will be in charge of the motion picture show, and urges that all 4-H Club boys of Turner and nearby communities bring their parents for the free show.

Improvement Seen In Hermleigh Band

Ben W. Newhouse, director of Hermleigh's Cardinal School band, reported Tuesday that band members, attired in their new red and black uniforms, are showing considerable improvement in band practice.

Newhouse announces Teddy Joe McMillan is drum major of the band, Kathryn Reeves flag bearer; Dorothy Kubena and Sylva Glen Bentley, majorettes.

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from [illegible] and kill out other types of crop damaging insect life. Excellent winter season, plus the freeze that has held on steadily seven days, will create "top mulch" on farm land, county agricultural officials state, and put land in ideal shape for farming.

Real grief of the early January freeze is expected to result when the weather begins to warm up. City and county residents are warned by volunteer fire department members to use great care in thawing out water pipes with improvised torches and gasoline-saturated rags. Hot water is just as effective, if the water is at all available—and is just as rapid in thawing pipes.

Those who have open flame and wood burning stoves are urged to exercise caution, since such stoves create fire hazards in the type of weather prevailing this week.

Temperature readings from last Thursday through Wednesday follow:

	high	low
January 1	47	20
January 2	33	15
January 3	33	17
January 4	47	17
January 5	34	9
January 6	30	13
January 7	34	21
January 8	25	9

Cotton Insurance Now Available in West Texas Area

Attaches at the county AAA office announced Tuesday that cotton crop insurance, in effect for the first time this year, will be available to Scurry and Borden County farmers who make application before March 15.

Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for the Triple A, points out the March 15 deadline was announced, over the week-end, by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Washington.

Other counties, in addition to Scurry and Borden, in which applications for cotton insurance must be filed prior to March 15, include Jones, Martin, Mitchell, Nolan, Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Dawson, Fisher, Eastland, Runnels, Shackelford and Stephens.

South Plains farmers will have until March 31 to apply for the new crop insurance, but those in South Texas must file applications before January 31.

The March 31 deadline will affect such nearby counties to Scurry as Dickens, Garza, Kent and Stonewall.

New Officer Named Over "G" Members

Major Van W. Pyland of Waco was placed on special duty last Thursday as commanding officer of the 36th Division special troops at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, Scurry County's Company G unit of the 142nd Infantry is a part of the 36th Division.

Major Pyland is a member of the 143rd Infantry, and replaces Lieutenant Colonel Henry L. Taylor of San Antonio, who is now attached with the General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Special troops that Pyland will command include, the division's military police, Headquarters, Ordnance and Signal Companies.

Brotherhood Meets Monday.

Myron Roe, president of the men's brotherhood of the First Baptist Church, announces that the regular monthly brotherhood gathering will be held Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock, at the church. H. L. Wren, member of the program committee, states program for the Monday evening meet will be announced Sunday at church services.



Who's New In Scurry County

Mr. and Mrs. Myron H. Roe, a son, Jerry Lee, weight seven pounds six ounces, at the local hospital at 12:39 o'clock Tuesday.

David Wesley, seven-pound six-ounce son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley May of Odessa, Friday night at 9:30 o'clock at the Snyder General Hospital. Mrs. May is the former Evanelle Arnold, and her husband is band director at Odessa.

The Jack Martins, a boy, seven pounds 15 ounces, Sunday night at 11:25 o'clock, at the local hospital.

A daughter for Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ruth, Wednesday morning at 2:08 o'clock, at Snyder General Hospital, weight eight pounds, 10 ounces. Mr. Ruth is with Coffield & Guthrie in Sharon Ridge oil activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Grubbs, a boy, weight seven pounds, 13 ounces, born at the hospital Wednesday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock. Mrs. Grubbs is the former Myrle Woodard, daughter of the John Woodards and formerly assistant in the county superintendent's office.

The Arvil Martins of Dos Angeles, California, announce the arrival of their son, Tommy Wayne, on December 23, weight seven pounds, 12 ounces. Mrs. Martin is the former Jhy Nell Ryan, and both she and her husband, a North American Aircraft employee in Long Beach, are former Scurry Countians.

Events to Raise Fund for Infantile Paralysis Slated

George Waverly Briggs of Dallas, vice chairman in charge of the 1942 celebration of the President's Birthday to raise funds for the fight on infantile paralysis, announced Monday that A. B. "Boss" Baze has accepted the organization's county chairmanship for Scurry and Borden Counties.

This year, Baze points out, the campaign has been made necessary due to the entrance of the United States into the World War.

Baze, who is commander of the Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181, declares organization of infantile paralysis foundation chapters is being urged in every community of Scurry and Borden Counties to assist in administering the funds and caring for victims of the dreaded disease.

The Scurry-Borden chairman of the celebration to raise funds for infantile paralysis victims states county-wide festivities will be staged in Scurry and Borden Counties Friday evening, January 30.

Celebrations for raising funds will consist of forty-two parties, amusements and indoor games in which both old and young can participate while assisting the worthwhile cause.

G. M. Garner Is Safe Cablegram Reveals

Word received this week reveals "all's well" with G. M. Garner, grandson of George Garner, prominent farmer west of Snyder, and nephew of Mrs. Walla Fish and Miss Winnie Garner, who is stationed at tiny Midway Island in the Pacific with the U. S. Marines.

A cablegram received by the Garner family advises them that young Garner, right in the midst of the war zone the Japanese are fighting over, is doing his part for Uncle Sam, but no details were included in the terse message.

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SCURRY COUNTY'S COMPANY G COMPOSED OF SEASONED MEN

Following article on Scurry County's Company G, now [illegible] Guard, 142nd Infantry, was written by an Abilene Reporter-News staff writer, and appeared in Sunday's edition of the Reporter-News:

Company G, 142nd Infantry, a former Snyder National Guard unit, is now commanded by Captain Roy O. Irvin, who was second in command when the company was mobilized one year ago last November.

Captain Irvin was county superintendent of Scurry County schools when the company was inducted into federal service for one year. Captain Tim O. Cook was in command when the company moved to Camp Bowie, Brownwood, one year ago.

Other officers at the time were George Richardson and Homer M. Spence, both second lieutenants.

Enlisted personnel of the company has undergone considerable change since the 36th infantry division returned to Brownwood from two months of maneuvers in Louisiana.

Many of the former members of the company have been given honorable discharges since the division returned to Camp Bowie, including those more than 28 years of age July 1, 1941 and before induction, and men discharged for hardship and dependency causes.

These men are now being ordered back to duty and it is possible that not a few of them will be re-enlisted in Company G, which is not now at full strength.

Discharged men, however, have been partly replaced by recruits from infantry training centers and today the company roster includes boys from all sections of the country.

Most of the veterans of the company now are non-commissioned officers or have specialists ratings [illegible] Army [illegible] that above that received by most soldiers.

Like other companies of the 71st infantry brigade, Company G has been engaged in small unit combat training since returning from Louisiana. During a recent visit to Bowie by staff members of The Reporter-News the company was on the infantry landscape target range and making good records in spite of the sub-caliber ammunition being used.

"Yeah, we're ready for those blankety-blank Japs any time and anywhere," said several of the Snyder lads when asked if they would like a little foreign service.

Captain Irvin said morale of his company was excellent.

Mrs. W. H. Shuler, the former Peggy Burt, arrived Tuesday night from Charleston, South Carolina, for a local visit with her mother, her brother, Jimmy, and the Harvey Shulers. She traveled by plane to Fort Worth and was met at the train in Sweetwater Tuesday evening by the Shulers.

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