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48 SELECTEES CLASSIFIED BY DRAFT BOARD

Seven Others Put in Group Pending Army Physical Examinations At Monday Meeting

Personnel of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board, at their regular meeting Monday evening placed 27 registrants in Class 1-A and 21 in Class 1-C. Seven county draftees were placed in the "pending army physical" group.

Classifications made Monday evening follow:

Pending army physicals—David C. Henkell, order No. 178; William Arnim Moffett, 443; William J. Marsh, 562; Winston M. Lemons, 1142; and Delbert H. Allen, 10,782.

Placed in Class 1-A—James O. Beck, order No. 298; Melvin M. Clark, 687; John G. Moore, 900; Leon Eades, 941; Alton C. Greenfield, 1,174; Ernest J. Richardson Jr., 10,284; Gerald K. Johnson, 10,383; William S. Williams, 10,637; James H. Mitchell, 10,642; William E. Parker, 10,673; Curtis M. Henley, 10,676; Howard W. Goswick, 10,679; Claud G. Lloyd, 10,681; John W. Jones, 10,682; Calvin R. Cox, 10,684; Guin A. Thate, 10,686; Newton T. Morton, 10,689; Weldon L. Spykes, 10,700; Marion A. Lilly, 10,701; John A. Nabors, 10,706; Truman C. Davis, 10,708; Fred Sanches, 10,710; Bernell Thate, 10,715; J. B. Price, 10,716; Woodward W. Leatherwood, 10,718; Junior L. King, 10,724; and Alton Andrew Goswick, 10,727.

Placed in Class 1-C—Andrew D. Dodson, order No. 375; George E. Linceeum, 704; Ollie L. Blodgett, 753; Malven Helmers, 1270; John F. Wilson, 10,009; Henry Sellhelmer, 10,300; John A. Hausler, 10,310; Thayne W. Mebane, 10,343; Andrew J. Williams, 10,350; Glen G. Perry, 10,351; Thomas L. Bowen, 10,596; Odie L. Layman, 10,677; Clyde L. Casey, 10,680; Jack M. Adams, 10,693; Fricona L. Eicke, 10,702; Bernard W. Smith, 10,702-A; Clay L. Garrison, 10,703; George A. Weaks, 10,713; Chester H. Dorman, 10,729; Chesney V. Thompson, 10,730; and Scott M. Bavousett, 10,791.

Clyde P. Gilmore was listed as a volunteer, and Jack E. Isaacs, order No. 253, was placed in Class 4-F.

Mahon Votes Not to Give Vote to Soldiers

George Mahon, congressman of the 19th District, voted this week against letting boys in military service abroad vote without payment of poll taxes. The bill provided for elimination of poll taxes by the armed forces.

Since Scurry County had, at the last unofficial count, 542 boys in the nation's armed forces, elimination of poll tax payments would cut down funds for Scurry County's democratic machine by $948.50—if all 542 in the service paid poll taxes.

Reports Wednesday indicated a bitter fight over the proposal to eliminate poll tax payments by boys in military service abroad, but it is felt certain the Senate amendment will be approved.

Humble Test Drills At Near Mile Depth

Still headed for the Ordovician pay horizon, Humble Oil & Refining Company's No. 1 W. T. Newman wildcat, 10 miles west of Snyder, was drilling Wednesday at 5,080 feet, in black shale.

Humble has attracted considerable attention with the wildcat since it was spudded. Location is in the west one-half of Section 258, Block 97, H&TC Survey.

Rattlesnake Bite Not Fatal.

Don Snowden, employee at Pyote Air Base and son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Snowden of Midway, who was bitten Friday by a diamond back rattlesnake, while on duty, was reported Wednesday to be resting well. He recently was married to the former Mary Nell Lay of the Hobbs community.



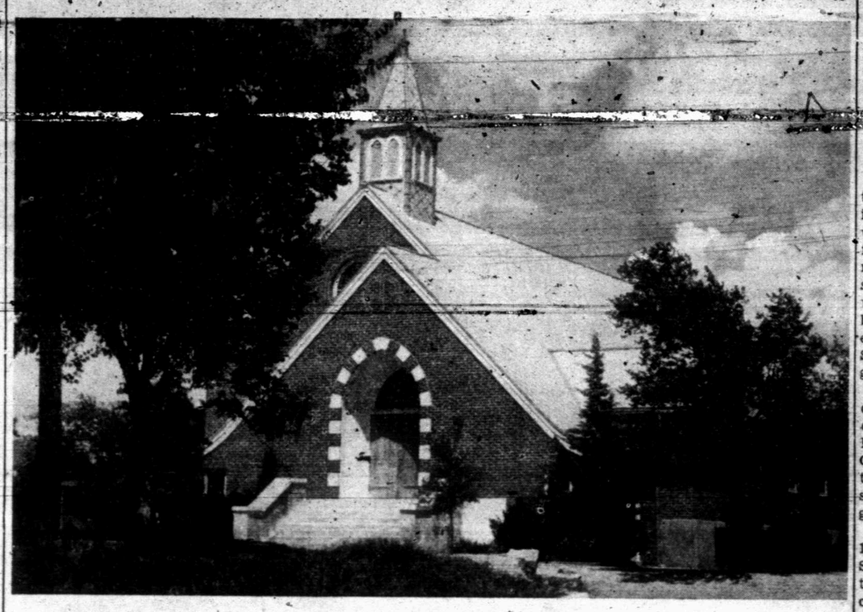
Who's New In Scurry County

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beavers are announcing arrival of a baby son, Ronald Alfred, born September 13 and weighing seven pounds. Mrs. Beavers is the former Ruth Shipp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shipp. Beavers is stationed at Camp Royal, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baggett of the Bison community are announcing a daughter, born September 13, who weighed eight pounds.

Technical Sergeant and Mrs. R. J. Rosson of Mission have a daughter. Rosson formerly lived in the Martin community.

Snyder Presbyterians Celebrate 50 Years of Existence



Fifty glorious years of service to the people of the Snyder community is marked by the town's First Presbyterian Church, two blocks south of the square on Avenue R, which is observing its golden anniversary milepost. Rev. Hubert C. Travis, pastor, soon will distribute 1,000 copies of the church's golden anniversary history—a history that begins with organization of the church in June, 1892, with seven charter members, and carries the church history to the present time. The Presbyterians are receiving congratulations on carrying spiritual work forward a half century.

LABOR CAMP IN CITY WILL AID CROP HARVEST

Representative of U. S. Employment Service Will Come to Assist Work of Snyder Unit

Prospects for harvesting the county's 1942 cotton and feed crop have brightened considerably this week, with establishment of a migratory labor camp at the city tabernacle and lot, one block north of the square. City of Snyder and County of Scurry officials are working with the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, sponsor, to get the camp operating in full swing.

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, and the county Agricultural Adjustment Administration are cooperating with the Chamber of Commerce, city and county officials in setting up the labor camp.

Word received by the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday reveals a representative of the U. S. Employment Service, Sweetwater, will be here within the next few days to direct activities of the camp.

Any of Scurry County's 1,500 farmers who want hands to help with cotton or feed harvesting are requested to contact them at the labor establishment, or ask the Chamber of Commerce or county agent's office for complete information.

Indication that the camp is already operating for the benefit of Scurry County farmers was seen Wednesday, after a number of Mexican workers were set up at the city lot. Farmers and ranchers of the county who have crops to harvest are urged to make full use of the labor camp, and counsel with CC officials or the county agent when a large group of hands is needed at one farm.

Snyder Tigers Open Season with Lamesa

Despite warring conditions, the Snyder High School Tigers will play football this season. First game of the year will be played with the Lamesa Tornadoes Friday on the Lamesa gridiron.

Probable line-up, Coach Weaver states, will be: Dorman and McMullen, ends; Early and Blanchard, tackles; Bruton and Randals, guards; Majors, center; Richardson, Rollins, Thompson and Hicks, backs, with Richardson calling signals.

Other games on the Tiger schedule are as follows:

Anson, September 18, there.
Fluvanna, October 2, here.
Roby, October 9, there.
Loraine, October 16, here.
Merkel, October 23, there.
Rotan, October 30, here.
Baird, November 11, here.
Roscoe, November 19, there.

First of Programs at School Well Received

Presented Friday morning in Snyder School auditorium as the first assembly program for the new school year, the Croatian Tamburitza Ensemble attracted considerable attention from the school's student body.

Superintendent E. L. Farr reports the program was the first in a series of six that will be presented during the 1942-1943 school term. All will be given under the Southern School Assembly Program plan, it is announced.

Expert Coming

Edward S. Hyman, county agent, and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, wish to publicly invite all Scurry County people to participate Saturday, September 26, in the one-day educational encampment which will be staged here.

Program for the occasion, scheduled from 10:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m., will be marked by appearance on program of four specialists of Texas A. & M. College Extension Service—possibly constituting the last time for the war's duration this number of extension service specialists will visit Snyder.

Officers Pick Up Boy Who Escaped Reform School

Brief career in crime for Eldon Newton, 16, escapee from the Gatesville reformatory, was brought to a close Friday evening, 7:00 o'clock, when Constable J. G. Galyean of Scurry County and John Little, Texas highway patrolman, picked up the youth two miles north of Roscoe.

Newton and two other boys, who last week escaped from the Gatesville institution, had stolen cars at Gatesville, Hamilton, Hamlin and Rotan, officers say.

Sheriff Bogue Wilkins of Fisher County called here Friday night just before midnight, and took Newton to Roby, where he was lodged in jail on a car theft charge.

According to a story released by the Fisher County sheriff's department, Newton and the other two escapees abandoned a "pretty badly shot" Ford Mercury in Rotan last Thursday night, in tall weeds near a carnival ground, and stole a 1939 Ford bearing Fisher County license plates. Officers allege Newton and his companions turned over the 1939 Ford Friday afternoon near Sweetwater Hospital, and following the wreck scattered out.

Officers in Nolan, Mitchell, Jones, Taylor and other nearby counties had been "posted," and were on the lookout for the boys when Galyean and Little picked them up.

Used Tin Cans May Be Purchased at CC

Would you, Mr. and Mrs. Scurry County Citizen, like to purchase some second hand tin cans, used only once and carefully sterilized, at one cent each?

If you would, you are asked to contact the Chamber of Commerce office immediately, because cans suitable for use, during the current tin shortage, will sell mighty quickly.

The cans, totaling 100 dozen, were used in Snyder's WPA-sponsored school lunch room project, and are guaranteed to be in sound condition. WPA employees on the lunch room project were careful, it is reported, in opening all canned goods, and left the cans in excellent condition.

Snyder Seniors Get Rings.

Total of 80 class rings for Snyder School seniors arrived Saturday at Williams Jewelry Company. Delivery of the rings to senior class members was made Monday. The rings, with Snyder imprinted on a shield, have replicas of Tiger heads on each side of the ring set.

POOLS TO AID COTTON HAULS TO BE TALKED

Conference Scheduled This Morning At Courthouse Designed to Ease Problems of Cotton Raisers

Pooling of transportation resources, on a county-wide basis, to move the 1942 cotton crop to county gins will be the theme of a meeting that will be held this (Thursday) morning, 9:30 o'clock, in the county court room.

The meeting, called by the Scurry County War Price and Ration Board, was expected to attract all community AAA committe members, and personnel of the county AAA committee, members of the Scurry County U. S. Department of Agriculture War Board and others interested in the transportation problem.

Members of the county war price and ration board state the "time has arrived when we must reach some decision as to how we will handle the 1942 cotton hauling problem—scheduled to be one of the toughest—in view of conditions—we have encountered in recent years."

War price and ration board personnel hope to work out a plan, whereby one man in each Scurry County community can handle cotton transportation problems for the community. If approved, the community man named would handle all tire and tube ration approvals needed in moving the crop.

City's Mail Delayed By TP Train Wreck

Snyder's morning mail Wednesday, due here around 7:00 o'clock, was delayed until well into the afternoon—due to a train wreck at Bennett, west of Weatherford, when 14 cars of a west-bound freight overturned. This delayed Texas & Pacific passenger train No. 7, which carries a heavy portion of mail from the east into Sweetwater, at least hours.

Officials were investigating Wednesday to determine the cause of the derailment. No crew members were injured. Schedules of all west-bound trains, bringing Fort Worth and Dallas mail, were disrupted until the overturned freight cars were cleared from railroad tracks.

Here Is New Angle on Salvage Drive—Women, Save Silk Hose!

(Editor's Note: Here's a delightfully refreshing article, written by a Times reader, which gives a new angle on an entirely new salvage campaign—that for collecting used silk stockings.)

"They laughed when we saved our old silk hose: now we laugh!

"Wipe your specs off, women of Snyder and Scurry County, and let's take a look at the plan for a big used hose salvage drive.

"The War Production Board has declared that all old silk stockings can be used for gun powder bags, and has issued a call for a collection of silk hose to be delivered to or for the account of the army, navy or marine commissioners.

"Now don't go away; we are enlisting every woman's club in Snyder and every home demonstration club in the county in this Hose Salvage Drive,' which must begin now.

"To the rural communities, we suggest you choose a captain to contact your women, to designate a centrally located place for delivery of used silk hose.

"Here in Snyder a box will be placed in the Red Cross rooms and both Snyder and rural women may deposit their collections there.

"Remember, only silk and rayon can be used. No nylon. Time is important. We must get our silk hose salvage drive underway immediately, and of course every woman in the county who has saved old hose, will want to contribute.

"The Altrurian Club is sponsoring the drive. Mrs. Hugh Boren heads the committee and from her you may get any desired information."

SENATE RACE MAY ATTRACT SIX-MAN FIELD

Jesse R. Smith of Breckenridge Is Latest Entrant in Bid for Place Vacated by John Lee Smith

Race for senator of the 24th District assumed an increased note of importance this week for Snyder—which has two candidates announced for the post, with word that Governor Coke R. Stevenson has called a special election for November 3 for the 24th District. This election is being called to fill the vacancy caused by nomination of John Lee Smith, Throckmorton, as lieutenant-governor.

Date for the special election coincides with the November general election. In reply to inquiries as to how the special election will be held, Governor Stevenson explains that the special election ballots will be small ones, and separate from the general election ballot.

Representative Pat Bullock of the 118th District and Sterling Williams, Scurry County judge, announced their candidacy for the Smith vacancy several weeks ago. Former Senator Wilbourne B. Collie is regarded this week as another prospective candidate, and Dean W. A. Stephenson, professor of government and assistant dean of the liberal arts college of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is considering announcing, in what may become a six-way race.

Jesse R. Smith of Breckenridge, county judge and former state senator, announced his candidacy for the post this week. Frank S. Roberts, also of Breckenridge, attorney and Spanish-American War veteran, is regarded a prospective candidate.

The 24th District includes Scurry, Eastland, Callahan, Taylor, Nolan, Mitchell, Throckmorton, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Shackelford and Stephens Counties.

John Lee Smith formally resigned as senator Friday.

Abilene Old-Timer Says Most of City's Cronies Are Gone

Uncle Billy Slaughter of Abilene, one of the few remaining buffalo hunters in this section of the state, paid Snyder a visit Tuesday, and declared that "time had changed things immensely since Pete Snyder had his trading camp on Deep Creek."

Mr. Slaughter, who recalls many early day incidents relative to West Texas, was interested in locating an early day buffalo gun in order to secure a picture of the "weapon that consuered the Plains."

Slaughter, accompanied by Bill Stephenson, also of Abilene, belated the fact "nearly all the old timers, people who helped build this section of the state, have passed on to a better reward."

The veteran citizen, who knew the late J. Wright Mooar well, is 85 "years young," and declares he is, first, an Irishman; second, a Baptist, and third, a prohibitionist—all qualities of character he is justly proud. He still retains an active mind, and can quote considerable amounts of poetry.

County Agents Go to Instruction Courses

Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, are attending a five-day instruction course this week at College Station.

Hyman and Miss Rabel are expected to return this week-end. Texas Extension Service workers are appearing on the Tuesday through Friday classes, and are discussing the part farmers and rural women can play in the nation's all-out battle for food and feed production.

Grain Sorghums Seen As Source for Rubber

ENCAMPMENT SLATED SEP. 26 BY HD WOMEN

Gathering Will Probably Be Last Appearance of State Extension Specialists for Duration

Red letter events of recent months for Scurry County's Home Demonstration Council will be the staging here Saturday, September 26, 10:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m., of a one-day educational encampment.

At a meeting of the county council Saturday afternoon, announcement was made that these specialists will appear on program: Mrs. Dora Barnes, clothing specialist with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service; Winifred Jones, food preservation specialist; E. R. Eudaly, dairy specialist, and Mr. Smith, beef specialist.

Demonstrations will be given by Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent with the Extension Service.

Committees for the encampment were named Saturday as follows:

Hospitality—Mmes. Paris McPherson, L. N. Periman, Guy Stoker, Stanley Merket, H. C. Flournoy and Mary Belew.

Committee to assist Mrs. Barnes—A. D. Dodson Jr., John Langford and Edgar Shuler.

Committee to assist Winifred Jones—Mmes. Guy Glenn, Robert Warren and Jim Boothe.

Invitation was extended this week to the entire county to participate in the encampment. Nundreds of Scurry County farmers have expressed desires to have specialists explain successful livestock practices, and are urgently requested to attend the meet here.

36 in County Will Get Certificates In First Aid Work

Elmer Taylor, chairman of the first aid program for the Scurry County Red Cross chapter, announced Tuesday that 36 people have been recommended by Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkpatrick and Hettie Taylor of Colorado City for standard Red Cross first aid certificates.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Miss Taylor, who conducted the recent first aid course in Snyder, were high in their praise of the ones who completed the course, and express the hope that more first aid work can be conductetd here at a future date.

Those recommended by Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Miss Taylor for certificates follow: Mrs. H. D. Brown, L. O. Bynum, Nan Blakey, Mrs. L. O. Bynum, Marcel Josephson, J. P. Nelson, C. F. Sentell, Mrs. J. C. Stinson, Mayme Lou Stokes, Neoma Strayhorn, Arlie M. Taylor, Mrs. Hubert C. Travis, Mrs. John R. Williams, Mrs. C. I. Hill, Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, Mrs. C. F. Sentell, Mrs. Robert Spencer, Mrs. Ross Blanchard, Forest Bowers;

Florene Fisher, Mrs. Gerald G. Gordon, Mrs. Addie Mae Hamilton, Gertrude Herm, Hattie Lillian Herm, Ralph H. Odom, Evelyn Pollard, Mrs. H. A. Preston, Hyram A. Preston, Marie Reid, Mrs. H. G. Towle, M. U. Vernon, Mrs. Sam Williams, Sam Williams, Phil Roland Williams and Mrs. R. H. Wilson.

Wallace Ware Listed As Killed in Action

Mrs. Salina Chastain of Snyder was notified this week by the Eighth U. S. Naval District, public relations office, Dallas, of the death of her son, Weldon Wallace Ware, while on "active duty."

Young Ware was a gunner's mate, third class, with the U. S. Navy. Where he was killed "in action" was not revealed by the brief communique, which covered the navy's 12th casualty list, from August 31 through September 6.

Eight Lettermen Out For Snyder Eleven

With the beginning of the football season in Scurry County, the Snyder High School Tigers have nine lettermen and 15 others working out.

Lettermen are: J. B. Early, three years; Orval Rollins, two years, and Jimmie Randals, Addie Richardson, Forest Bruton, Jack Blanchard, W. T. Thompson, Howard Crenshaw and Bobby Hicks, one year each.

Boys' Pictures

The Times has contemplated running the pictures of Scurry County boys in armed forces of the nation, but due to the fact in excess of 500 boys are now in various branches of military service, the cost of having plates made would be prohibitive.

"Your Home County Paper" is, however, running pictures of boys where space permits and parents of the youths pay for having the cuts made. All Times readers will please take note, because this paper wants to be of service to every reader, and feels this explanation of policy is necessary to keep from offending anyone's feelings.

County Ginnings Pass 367 Bales in Wednesday Poll

Unofficial figures gathered by The Times reveal cotton ginnings in Scurry County, through Wednesday noon, totaled 367 bales. The 1942 ginning season is now really getting underway, and should acelerate with continued sunshine.

A number of county farmers are still poisoning for insects, and in instances are plowing over cotton land another time—since August rains brought up a record late summer weed crop.

Several groups of Mexican cotton pickers have already arrived in the county, and pickers are expected to be in great demand within the next four weeks.

Sunshine is reported to result in cotton opening right along, and fields are drying in ample time to permit initial harvesting. Farmers in various county communities were still trying Wednesday to locate "maize headers," and hands to shock bundle feed.

Waste Paper Depot Opened by Woodys In NYA Building

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woody, who have been in charge of collecting discarded newspapers, cardboard and magazines, announced Tuesday that a new paper collection center has been opened in the NYA war work center, just south of the city waterworks on 26th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody, it will be recalled, discontinued purchase of the materials several weeks ago when the market price dropped to a record low.

The Woodys announce, however, that collection of discarded papers and cardboard is being resumed in full swing, and someone will be at the new collection center each week day to assist in unloading.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody announce all proceeds derived from sale of papers and cardboard, as was customary formerly, will be given to the American Red Cross. Those who have waste papers of any kind are urged to bring their bundles to the NYA shop collection depot.

First County Teacher Meet Set Saturday

Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, announces the first county-wide teachers' meeting for the 1942-1943 school year will be held Saturday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the county court room.

Bullock states the gathering will be of vital importance to every teacher in the county, and all members of school faculties are urgently requested to attend. "Evaluative Criteria" for elementary schools of the county will be up for discussion, Bullock states, as will organization of defense stamp sales days in all county schools.

The gathering will be informal, and round table discussions will mark the theme of the meeting.

Dove Season Opens With Plenty of Game

Scurry County's dove season opened Wednesday morning, with plenty of Snyder and Scurry County nimrods out early to get their first "pot shot" at the game birds, which are reported to be plentiful this year.

Representatives of the Texas Game, Fish & Oyster Commission point out restrictions on hunting this year, which all county hunters must observe. Shotguns must be plugged to a three-shell capacity, and must not be larger than 10-gauge.

SYNTHETIC TO BE VITAL WAR SUBSTITUTION

Possibility of Part Scurry County's Head Grains May Play in War Effort Being Discussed

Scurry County's 1942 crop of grain sorghums, approximating 55,000 acres, loomed this week as a mighty important cash crop, in view of the fact ethyl alcohol, made from grain sorghums, will be used in making synthetic rubber.

This county's grain sorghum crop, in fact, and like crops in nearby counties, is considered of such vital import to our war program that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Abilene, supported by the Scurry County CC and other county units, is asking Washington to give sorghums prior consideration. Importance of grain sorghums in helping make synthetic rubber from butadiene, was brought to light recently by the Baruch rubber fact-finding committee.

In making butadiene, the synthetic from which substitute rubber is produced, these facts are outstanding, the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce declares: Ethyl grain alcohol can easily be made from grain sorghums. One gallon will produce enough butadiene to make two and one-half pounds of synthetic rubber.

The WTCC has presented facts to government officials in Washington showing that grain sorghums do rank high in alcoholic content. One ton of grain sorghum will produce 79 and one-half gallons of highest ethyl, while a ton of wheat will produce 85 gallons. On basis of current prices, one pound of sorghum derived rubber would cost 11 cents.

The rubber committee recommends establishment of plants near grain sorghum producing areas to convert the sorghums into ethyl alcohol. Scurry County, it is asserted, can put in a bid for such a plant while the time is opportune.

Scurry County, the past five years, has average raising around 45,000 to 60,000 acres of grain sorghums annually, and could well stand additional income from the vital feed crop. West Texas, the Scurry County CC declares, produces 40 per cent of the nation's supply of grain sorghums.

Schools Urged to Encourage Sales Of Stamps, Bonds

Pat Bullock, county chairman of war bond and stamp sales, is making an appeal this week to every Scurry County school to set aside one day each week to push sales of defense stamps.

"County schools had so much success last year in pushing defense stamp sales one day each week that we urge the same setup for the 1942-1943 school year," Bullock says.

Teachers can, Bullock declares, name one day each week, at which time defense stamps will be sold to students. By having a set date, students can have their money ready, and can boost, substantially, the sale of the stamps to keep our fighting forces fighting.

Fines Await Fire Onlookers in City Judge's Decision

Motorists who follow members of Snyder Volunteer Fire Department to fires, and obstruct, in any way, fire fighting activities, will have some "rough sledding," John DeShazo, city judge, announced Tuesday.

And as a timely warning, DeShazo points out that any person guilty of running over a fire hose will be assessed the maximum fine permissible under city ordinances. As an instance that running over fire hose will not be tolerated, DeShazo points out that Alvis Lockhart, who ran over a hose several weeks ago, has been assessed a fine of $5.

Lockhart has since joined the U. S. Army, but did not escape paying the fine for violating this city ordinance, DeShazo says. City officials declare that fines in the future will be increased for those who run over fire hose, or hamper efforts of fire department members in any way.

In fact of the business, non-firemen who follow the fire boys to fires will encounter trouble, the city judge declares, because spectators have no business going to fires.

The WOMAN'S Page

Joe College and Betty Coed Leaving For School Terms at Scattered Points

September again finds college students ready to leave their home town for institutions of higher learning. Pre-college activities are in evidence among college boys and girls in Snyder. Many are making plans to leave this week-end, and several already have gone.

There will be a number of their classmates absent from the campuses this year—as flying cadets, as enlisted men of the army, navy, marines and coast guard, defense workers, nurses, stenographers and other war-work places. Few students will leave for school without some member of their families or close friends having become a part of the government or military service.

Even so, student bodies are a more eager and enthusiastic lot than they were "before Pearl Harbor," and will carry on the fun-loving traditions of the American colleges.

Those leaving this week to take part in rush activities at John Tarleton Agricultural College, Stephenville, are: Billy Alexander, Freida Kelley, Patsy Snodgrass, LaVohn Roberts, Jimmie Billingsley Jr., Max West and Claude Weathersbee. Dunn sends these three to the same school: T. E. Grimes, Lavelle Brown and Forrest Beavers.

Mary Brown Roberson will leave this week-end for State University, Austin. Several are returning to Texas Tech, Lubbock—Jeanne Taylor will enter as a sophomore, as will Leonard B. Gill, who has been spending part of the summer in Snyder; Alice Birdwell will enter as a freshman, as will Jack Kruse and Curtis Sterling of Ira.

Charlie Dunn has been attending A. & M. College and will continue there this fall. Jimmie Burt also will attend A. & M. Billy Lou Thompson left the early part of September to enroll at Southwestern University, Georgetown. Leon Autry is scheduled to leave around October 1 to attend Notre Dame. Autry is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Wilma Terry left last Friday to finish school at Abilene Christian College. Tissie Whatley and Virginia Preuitt left Sunday for Dallas, where they will attend Southern Methodist University.

Enrolled in Texas State Teachers College for Women at Denton are: Carolyn Dunn, who enters as a junior, home economics major; Helen Stewart, who will receive her B. A. degree at mid-term, who also is a home economics major; Marjorie Stewart, a physical education major. Sue Denson of Dunn will enter as a freshman.

Genevieve Yoder left Tuesday for McMurry College, Abilene, Holman Odom, who finished high school in Terrel last year, entered Texas Military College there, along with two other Snyder boys, Marshall Erwin and Whit Thompson. They all left early this week.

Merrian Crowder of Dunn left Sunday to enter Abilene Christian College.

Louise Moore and Lester Hoyle Marry

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Moore of Northeast Snyder are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Lester Hoyle of Whatley. The couple was married August 22.

Single ring ceremony was read by Rev. Claude Cogswell of the First Christian Church, Colorado City, at his home. The bride was dressed in a blue trimmed white dotted swiss, with beige accessories.

Hoyle left September 1 for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he is serving in the army. Mrs. Hoyle is remaining in the home of her parents, but will join her husband later.

Esrudoma Class Fetes Newcomers

Esrudoma Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church entertained 15 newcomers to the church at a seated tea given at the home of Mrs. Wayne Williams Monday. Thirty women of the adult department of the Sunday School were guests.

Fall leaves surrounding a fruit bowl centered the dining table, with a colorful array of dahlias to make a dainty setting for one of the first teas of the fall season. Decoration of entertaining rooms was under direction of Mrs. Forrest Sears and Mrs. Hollis Browning.

Mrs. Williams, hostess, and Mrs. G. B. Clark Jr., president of Esrudoma, met guests at the door and presented Mrs. John DeShazo, the teacher, who presented Mrs. Vernon Shaw, pastor's wife, who introduced honored guests.

After musical numbers, Mrs. Shaw gave a very unique welcome. Harold Lewis Wade and John Jay Boren played a piano duet, "Que Vive," by W. Ganz; Mary Ellen Williams played a piano solo, and Louise LeMond gave a patriotic reading of "The Star Spangled Banner," accompanied by Nell Verna LeMond. Polly Harpole, Mary Ellen Williams, Louise and Nell Verna LeMond played piano selections throughout the evening.

During the social hour, Mrs. DeShazo poured coffee. Mmes. Lyman Wade, Roy Porter and Pat Bounds were in charge of refreshments.

Mrs. Autry Hosts Presbyterian Guild

Members of the Presbyterian Guild gathered at the church Monday, with Mrs. G. L. Autry as hostess.

Frances Boren was in charge of the program. She gave the devotional and responsive reading was by the group. Mrs. Autry reviewed the story of Lot's wife.

At the close of the meeting, iced Coca Cola and wafers were served to Johnnie Mathison, Miss Boren, Mmes. H. P. Redwine, Hubert Travis, Horace Roe and Autry.

Mrs. Eiland on Vacation.

Mrs. Ethel Eiland, employee of Texas Electric Service Company, concludes today (Thursday) a two-week vacation—a vacation that took her to Abilene, Stanton, Merkel and Midland. Mrs. Royce C. Eiland and daughter, Cherry Lynne, are visiting this week with Mrs. Eiland. Royce is moving from Midland to Merkel, where he will be employed on the Largent Ranch.

Wedding invitations at Times.

Baptist Intermediates Give Pattons Party

Intermediates of the First Baptist Church Training Union gave a surprise farewell party and handkerchief shower Friday evening at the church for their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patton. The Pattons left early this week for Lubbock, where he probably will enter the United States Air Corps as a mechanic.

The party group played games and enjoyed hamburgers, punch and cookies. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Patton, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton of Floydada, Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Shew and son, Kenneth, Gwendolyn Tate, Mr. and Mrs. John Taggart, Helen Joy Taylor, Mary Bell Weatnersbee, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harral and son, Max Wayne, D. P. Connally, Billy Eiland, Jack Taylor, Maxine Reynolds, Margie Taggart, Mrs. Edgar Taylor, Ola Margaret Leath, Tommy Todd, Miller Price, J. R. Meadows and June Jones.

Wesleyan Guild Meets Monday

Members of the Wesleyan Guild of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. T. Sefton, president, with 12 members and one visitor present.

Mrs. Sefton led the business meeting. Mrs. I. A. Smith conducted the worship service, and Mrs. H. G. Towle reviewed a letter concerning present condition of the mission fields.

Hattie Herm, study leader, gave an introduction of the new study course to begin soon. At the close of the program, refreshments were served.

Next meeting will be September 28 in the form of a covered dish luncheon, for members, with a guest speaker.

Larue McCowen and Wallace Haney Wed

Larue McCowen became the bride of Lieutenant Wallace G. Haney of Foster Field, Victoria, Sunday afternoon, September 6, at 12:30 o'clock. The single ring ceremony was solemnized in the field chapel, along with 14 other couples. All the soldiers had recently received their wings. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McCowen and Lieutenant Haney is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haney of Snyder.

The bride chose for her wedding costume a Dutch tan military suit with black accessories, and her corsage was of gardenias and carnations.

The couple's only attendants were Lottie Jo Roberts of Oklahoma City and Lieutenant James W. Gulick of Foster Field.

Both bride and groom are Snyder High School graduates, and were prominent in their school affairs. They will make their home in Amarillo, where Haney is employed in defense work.

Stahls Entertain for Mrs. Glass' Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stahl entertained at their home last week with a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Joe Glass. Games of forty-two were played, after which Mrs. Glass opened many lovely gifts.

Hot gingerbread with whipped cream and coffee were served to the following: Charlie Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Dual Blair and Mrs. Tate Lockhart.

Cleta Anderson and Hardie Robinson Wed

Cleta Fern Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Andersen of the Union community, became the bride of Hardie Robinson, son of W. J. Robinson, Thursday night in Sweetwater. The ring ceremony was read by Rev. M. L. Moody in his home in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Anderson wore a soldier blue dress with antique brown accessories. For "something old," she wore a gold locket belonging to Fay Nell Bentley. For "something borrowed," she wore a gold bracelet which belonged to her sister, Mrs. Welton Bentley.

The bride is a graduate of Lubbock High School.

Robinson is a young farmer-rancher of the Strayhorn community, where the couple will make their home.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for an extended wedding trip in East Texas.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Vandiver entertained with a wedding shower in their home Tuesday evening. Forty-two was played and lovely gifts were presented by friends of the couple. Punch and cookies were served to the guests.

Gerald Walton Weds Colorado City Girl

Ornetha Inman of Colorado City and Gerald C. Walton of Snyder exchanged wedding vows last Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the Snyder Methodist parsonage. Rev. I. A. Smith read the ring ceremony.

The bride chose for a wedding costume a beige dress of alpaca crepe, with red accessories.

Those attending the wedding were: Larry Morton, Wayland Walton, Ruby Lee Reep of Snyder and Ilene Wood of Colorado City.

Mrs. Walton is a 1941 graduate of Snyder High School and is a sister of Jack Inman here. Walton also attended school in Snyder.

The couple left immediately for Carlsbad, New Mexico, for an extended wedding trip, after which they will be at home on a farm near Snyder.

Mrs. Huddleston Gives Party for Son

Mrs. Wright Huddleston entertained last Thursday at the Bison School with a birthday party in honor of her son, Ellis, and his teacher, Sue McKeown.

Guests were pupils of Miss McKeown and Strayhorn teachers. At the close of the occasion, punch and cookies were served.

Snyder General Hospital

Two entered the hospital this week for tonsilectomies. They are Dick and Jim Sealy.

Mrs. G. B. Williams and Mrs. Emma Evans remained over from last week.

Those entering Tuesday for surgery were Bobbie Warren and Doyle Onita Paulk.

Mrs. C. M. West received medical treatment this week.

Billy James was carried home Wednesday.

Methodist Society In Monday Session

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church for a special spiritual life retreat.

Mrs. M. W. Clark, leader, was in charge of the afternoon program. Mrs. A. C. Preuitt offered piano selections between a series of meditations, first of which was "Colonies of the Kingdom," given by Mrs. J. O. Littlepage. Mrs. W. Wells.

Announcement was made concerning observances of the second birthday for the WSCS, which will be held Monday, September 28, in the form of a covered dish luncheon. Every woman of the church is invited to attend, and each charter member of the society is especially urged to be present.

Leaders of the society announced that a conference officer will be principal speaker for second birthday festivities. Methodist women are asked to watch The Times and the Methodist Church Bulletin for additional announcements on the birthday luncheon.

"Personal Commitment" was given Monday afternoon by Mrs. R. M. Stokes, and Mrs. Warren Dodson gave the meditation on "Disciples of Life-Stewardship." Stated prayers were read by Mrs. Charles Burk, Mrs. C. V. Morris and Mrs. H. T. Sefton.

Total of 17 members attended the retreat. Monday, September 21, will be used for the regular monthly business and social meeting of the society, to be held in the home of Mrs. H. P. Brown.

Altrurian Club in First Meet of Year

Altrurian Study Club met in the home of Mrs. H. P. Brown Friday afternoon for its first meeting of the club year.

The meeting was opened with the group singing the national anthem and a salute to the flag. A panel program was carried out with Mrs. Hugh Boren as director. Speakers were Mmes. J. C. Stinson, Robert Gray and R. D. English. During the business session the president appointed a chairman to collect silk hose for the war effort.

After the program, an attractive refreshment plate was passed to members and to Mmes. Sam Williams and Harold Brown, guests.

Kathryn Lynch Gives Farewell Party

Kathrine Lynch entertained Monday night in the home of her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. John Lynch, in honor of Fred Boren, who is entering the army air corps, Lubbock, and Claude Weathersbee, who is leaving this week for A. & M. College.

Those present for the affair were: The honorees, Mr. and Mrs. John Terrell Lynch Jr., Laverne Moffett, and the hostess, Mrs. Lynch Jr. is the former Cyrella Fish.

Mrs. Miller Hostess To Duce Bridge Club

Mrs. R. C. Miller Jr. was hostess last Thursday evening at her home in East Snyder to Duce Bridge Club. High score prize of defense stamps was awarded Rube Lee.

After the games, a delicious refreshment plate was served to the following: Mrs. Herman Doak and Mrs. P. W. Gloud, guests; Johnnie Mathison, Rube Lee, Frances Boren, Mmes. Alden Burge and Bruce Murphy.

Mrs. Burge will be hostess at the next meeting, September 24, at the Manhattan Hotel.

Jean Longbotham to TSCW.

Jean Longbotham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Longbotham of Hermleigh, left Sunday for Denton, where she will enter Texas State College for Women as a speech major. Shortly after her initiation into the Alpha Alpha Society of Dramatic Players last semester, she was elected to serve as secretary to the society this year, the first time any other than a senior has held that position at TSCW in six years.

Schulzes Entertain With Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulze, who live six miles southwest of Hermleigh, acted as host and hostess last Thursday evening at a surprise birthday party given for Joe Mueller on his 21st birthday.

Joe was sent to Hermleigh, on pretext of securing some supplies, while gifts were arranged for him and a two-tiered birthday cake was placed on the dining table. When he returned, a chorus of "Happy Birthday," given by guests, greeted him.

After young Mueller cut the cake, sandwiches, hot coffee and cocoa were served to the following: Rossen Lee Jones, Travis Early, Alfreida Schulze and Ruth Tarter, all of Snyder; Bussie Wimmer, John Roemisch, Edwin Kuss, Albert Kuss, Clarence Mueller, Annie Schulze and Baby Schulze. A number who did not attend sent gifts.

El Feliz Club at Mrs. Doak's.

El Feliz Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Doak Friday, September 18, at 3:00 o'clock, officials of the club announce.

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LIST OF REFUSALS FOR TIRES AND TUBES GROWS IN COUNTY

Bus and Truck Owners Again Get Major Portion of Permits to Buy Precious Casings

Scurry County's War Price and Ration Board announced the following approvals of certificates for tires, tubes, retreads and recaps and passenger retreads through Tuesday afternoon. Applications denied also are given.

Truck and bus tires and tubes—Maurice Brownfield, one 7.00x15 tire and tube; Jim Norred, two 7.50x20 tires and tubes; State Highway Department, one 12.50x24 tire; Ira School, three 6.50x20 tires and tubes; two 7.00x20 tires and tubes; Luther B. Corbell, Hermleigh, one 5.00x15; W. W. Wood, one 7.00x20 tire; Independence School District, two 7.00x20 tires.

Passenger retreads—Jesse Koonsman, one 6.50x16 tire and tube; R. L. Jones, Arah Route, two 6.00x16 tires; Calvert D. Smith, Route 1, Hermleigh, two 6.00x16 tires and one 6.00x16 tube; Riley Dow White, Star Route, Ira, two 6.00x16 tires; W. H. Murphy, Ira, two 6.00x16 tires.

Truck and bus retreads—Travis Rhoades, two 6.00x16 tires; Jim Norred, four 8.25x20 tires and tubes, two 7.50x20 tires; Joe Merritt, trustee, two 7.00x20 tires.

Obsolete tires and tubes—George B. Norris, Clairemont Route, two 4.50x21 tires and tubes; Casey V. Bishop, Route 1, two 4.50x21 tires and tubes; Charlie E. Grant, two 5.50x19 tires and tubes; Emil Schultz, Route 1, two 5.25x19 tires and tubes; Ben Thompson, one 4.50x21 tires and tubes.

Applications denied—Frank Roemisch, Hermleigh, four 4.75x19 trailer tires; Bill G mmett, two 7.00x20 tires and tubes, truck; Luther V. Prince, two 6.00x16 tires, pickup; James C. Helms, Snyder, one 6.50x16 tire and tube, pickup; Mrs. M. Donaldson, two 32x16 tires and tubes, truck; William T. Helms, Hud Route, Rotan, two 6.00x16 tires, pickup; Oscar Harry Coldewey, Roscoe, one 7.50x20, one 7.00x20 tires, truck; Alvin Koonsman, three 32x6 tires and tubes, truck; Emil Schattel, Hermleigh, one 6.50x16 tire and tube, pickup; G. C. Ellis, Fluvanna, two 6.50x16 tires and tubes, pickup; Jesse Browning, Fluvanna, two 6.00x16 tires and tubes, pickup; A. D. Higginbotham, Hermleigh, two 6.00x16 tires and tubes, pickup; Jim Mears, Fluvanna, two 7.00x15 tires and tubes, pickup; Thurman Allen, Route 3, two 6.00x20 tires, truck; Newell J. Sealy, two 6.00x16 tires and tubes, pickup; Richard D. Parks, Arah, two 6.50x16 tires and tubes, pickup; William A. Jones, Hermleigh, one 6.00x16 tire and tube, pickup; Joe M. Parks, Arah, two 6.50x16 tires and tubes, pickup; Martin Murphy, Hermleigh, two 6.00x16 tires and one tube, pickup; R. E. Bratton, two 6.00x16, passenger; Lee Sturdivant, Hermleigh, two 6.00x16 tires, trailer; Riley D. White, Ira, two 6.00x16 tires and tubes, trailer; Edgar Wemken, Hermleigh, four 4.75x19 tires, passenger car.

Passenger tires and tubes approved—Virgil L. Land, one 6.00x16 tire and tube; Joseph H. Myers, Hermleigh, two 6.00x16 tubes.

COTTON QUIZ



Lubbock Air School To Be Glider Course

Times readers who have boys in the South Plains Army Flying School at Lubbock will be interested in an announcement, made Tuesday, that the school will become one of the nation's largest advanced glider schools. The announcement, made by the War Department, indicates that all facilities at the Lubbock school will be greatly enlarged. Twelve Scurry County boys already are taking air corps training work at the school.

Equipment to be placed at Lubbock will include 15-passenger carrying gliders, and pilots will receive final instructions in war-time operation of the craft.

Three Stores Close For Jewish Holiday

Ben Franklin Store, Pick & Pay and Economy Dry Goods Company will be closed Monday, it is announced, for observance of the Jewish holiday, Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement. Patrons are asked to arrange their business accordingly, so no inconveniences will result.

The three firms will open again Tuesday morning, at their regular hours.

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Mrs. Ida Crosby Attends Nutrition Refresher Course

Mrs. Ida J. Crosby, home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, has returned from Big Spring, where she attended a three-day refresher course in nutrition—a course that was staged in the Settles Hotel.

Hazel Brattley, representing the Office of Defense and Welfare Service, Federal Security Agency, was in charge of the triple day gathering. Following her return, Mrs. Crosby stated Wednesday: "Good food in all Scurry County homes will have a prominent place in winning the war and in keeping the peace. America, the most productive nation in the world, has more ill people whose troubles can be directly traced to food deficiencies, poor eating habits and improper food preparation.

"Hidden hunger and hollow hunger are lurking in many wealthy homes and across the cafe counters because many people are unwilling to take time out to learn about foods—the fuel that makes their bodies continue to function. Poor families are not always the ill-fed families. Classes in nutrition are being held throughout the nation in every town and hamlet in order to acquaint the public with vital points in food consumption. It is hoped by this method to build a healthier, happier nation of people in the future years," she concludes.

Do Your Part—Buy Victory Bonds

Defense Directors Urge Perfection of Community Units

J. D. Pigman, county director, and A. B. (Boss) Baze, general chairman for Scurry County's Office of Civilian Defense, issued a call Tuesday to all county communities which have not yet perfected community civilian defense units to do so at once.

Pigman and Baze declare the county Office of Civilian Defense is now ready to issue a catalogue of the civilian defense organization for Scurry County, but must await perfection of units in all county communities which plan to participate in the work.

"We know," Pigman states, "that people are awfully busy these days, but we hope they will put forth extra effort to get their community units set up so we can issue our catalogue giving the county-wide setup."

Leaders of county communities are urged to contact Pigman at the Chamber of Commerce office immediately after a community civilian defense unit is perfected.

Workers Physically Handicapped To Be Utilized as Laborers

The war, and its resultant manpower shortage, has established a golden era in Scurry and adjacent counties for the physically handicapped, a representative of the State Department of Health pointed out here Tuesday afternoon.

"Demands of employers for workers who have permanent physical handicaps have increased 1,000 fold in the past 12 months, and will continue to increase," the official said. "Employers in Central West Texas and elsewhere have grown tired of having men taken from their establishments almost as quickly as they are put to work. Consequently, they are calling upon the vocational rehabiliation service, State Department of Health, to supply them in increasing numbers wih men whom they know will not be drafted."

The official estimated that Scurry County has in excess of 110 physically handicapped men — men who will not be drafted—who can fit into the economic setup with resultant benefits to themselves and their employers.

J. M. Bird Goes with Wife to Mayo Clinic

J. M. Bird, district conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, who supervises work units of the SCS at Colorado City, Snyder, Post and Spur, left Sunday for Rochester, Minnesota, with his wife, who will undergo treatment at the Mayo Brothers Clinic.

Word received Wednesday indicated that Mr. and Mrs. Bird had reached the clinic, and Mrs. Bird was resting well. The Soil Conservation chief for this district is scheduled to return this week-end.

A. Q. Flournoy of Fluvanna Passes After Long Illness

The death angel called Wednesday morning, 3:00 o'clock, at Mack General Hospital, and took A. Q. Flournoy, '55, prominent Fluvanna community civic leader, away from the walks of men following a six-week illness. Mr. Flournoy succumbed from a mastoid infection.

Born February 24, 1887, in Van Zandt County, Flournoy was moved to Smith County while just a small boy. He moved to Scurry County in 1920, and had resided six miles south of Fluvanna, where he gained a reputation as a progressive farmer and outstanding community leader. He retained membership in the First Christian Church at Tyler.

Funeral services for Flournoy are scheduled to be held this (Thursday) afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at the Fluvanna Methodist Church. Rev. I. A. Smith, Snyder Methodist pastor, assisted by Rev. L. B. Taylor, Fluvanna Methodist minister, will officiate.

Surviving are two sons, H. A. and L. P. Flournoy of Fluvanna; two daughters, Doris Alene Flournoy and Abbee Jean Flournoy, both of Fluvanna; two brothers, H. C. Flournoy of Fluvanna and G. M. Flournoy of Dallas, and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be B. O. McDow, Frank Coleman, Lenoir Clarkson, J. C. Freeman, W. E. Whitaker and Algie Brooks. Peggy Whitaker, Billy Whitaker, Marjorie Chapman, Minnie Sue Landrum, Doris Mae Bley and Aletha Hughes will be in charge of floral offerings.

Maples Funeral Home will direct funeral arrangements, with interment in Fluvanna Cemetery.

J. R. Covey Named New Moderator for Abilene Presbytery

Elder John R. Covey of Snyder was named moderator of the Abilene Presbytery, at the annual fall meeting of the organization in Abilene's Central Presbyterian Church last Wednesday.

Rev. Hubert C. Travis, Snyder Presbyterian pastor, brought the 11:00 o'clock sermon last Wednesday on "Keeping Our Faith." The Matthew Memorial Church in Albany was voted the 1943 spring meeting.

One of the principal speakers at the Abilene Presbytery conclave was Dr. W. W. Jackson, vice president of Trinity University, San Antonio, who spoke on the "Moral Front."

Pat Jones of Fluvanna represented the Fluvanna church at the two-day gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grissom and daughter, Gail, of Abilene spent last week in Colorado. On their way back home they stopped over the week-end to visit in the home of Mrs. Grissom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brown.

THE PEDESTRIANS' PRIMER

No. 5—*Be Doubly Alert During the First Few Steps*

THREE out of four pedestrians involved in accidents are struck before they reach the center of the roadway, indicating that the first few steps are the most dangerous. Be alert—absent-mindedness is one of the principal causes of accidents.

Travelers Safety Service

Snyder Man's Mother Passes at Fort Worth

Mrs. Elizabeth Littlepage, 87-year-old Fort Worth resident and mother of Jim Littlepage of Snyder, died Monday morning at her Fort Worth residence following a brief period of illness.

Funeral services for Mrs. Littlepage were held Tuesday morning, 10:30 o'clock, at Fort Worth's Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Rev. Horace Taylor officiated.

Survivors include seven sons—Jim of Snyder, Will of Knox City, Ben of Mineral Wells, P. S. of Dallas, John and Dewey of Fort Worth, and Joe of Handley; three daughters—Mrs. Nancy Meals of Spring Creek, Mrs. Della Sewell of San Antonio, Mrs. Dora Woods of New Mexico; 47 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Renal B. Rosson Gets Two Navy Advances

Two promotions in the U. S. Air Corps within the past two weeks have been rung up by Staff Sergeant Renal B. Rosson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rosson of Union, who has been stationed at the Lubbock Army Flying School.

Colonel Thomas L. Gilbert, commanding officer of the Lubbock school, states Renal was promoted from sergeant to staff sergeant September 1. This week the Rosson boy received appointment to attend the air forces administrative officers' school at Miami, Florida.

A 1938 graduate of Snyder Schools, Staff Sergeant Rosson attended Texas Tech, Lubbock, from 1938 to 1942. He would have received a BA degree in May had he not answered the call of his country.

C. of C. Endorses Plan to Use Grain For Lab Rubber

Officials of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce announced this week they were heartily in full accord with efforts of the regional body, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to secure prior consideration for grain sorghums in West Texas in the nation's synthetic rubber program.

The West Texas CC has entered pleas at Washington that grain sorghums in this area be given prior consideration because recommendations have been made by the Baruch rubber fact-finding committee that plants to extract ethyl alcohol be set up near grain producing sections of the country.

Ethyl grain alcohol is a source product for making synthetic rubber, the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce declares. One gallon of ethyl alcohol will produce enough butadiene to make two and one-half pounds of synthetic rubber.

Should the WTCC be successful in its bid to get favorable consideration on grain sorghums, it will mean thousands of dollars for farmers of Scurry and nearby counties. West Texas produces 40 per cent of the nation's grain sorghums.

Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps!

Cotton Prices Hit New Levels as Mills Taking Carryover

In its regular weekly cotton market review, the agricultural marketing administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, points out that cotton prices advanced to new levels last week.

"Sales of 105,000 bales were reported by the 10 designated markets last week, compared with sales of 73,000 bales the preceding week and 124,000 bales in the corresponding week a year ago," the review declares.

"Domestic mill activity continues at a high level, and in some quarters it is thought that shortage of labor may adversely affect the rate of consumption. Ginnings prior to September 1 totaled 738,000 bales, compared with 506,000 bales for 1941 and 606,000 for 1940.

"The Dallas price Friday," the review closes, "was 18.57 cents, 12 points higher than that of a week ago. Sales for the week constituted a bright spot, and shippers' demand was strong through the six-day period."

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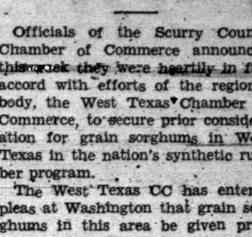


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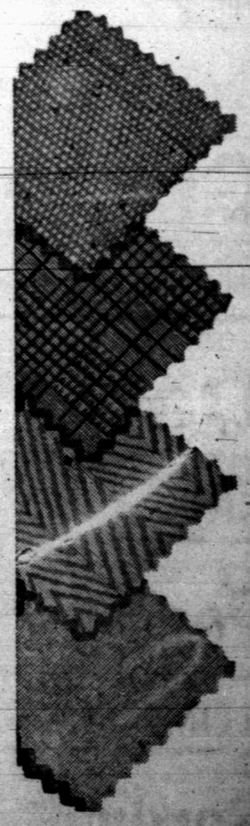
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300,000 Pounds of Scrap Iron, Steel Raised in County

Figures released Tuesday by the Scurry County scrap salvage committee reveal that approximately 300 tons, or 600,000 pounds, of scrap iron and steel have been collected, to date, in the county-wide drive. Total of 47,120 pounds of scrap metals have been donated, Chamber of Commerce officials report, to the American Red Cross. Proceeds from sale of the scrap has benefitted the Red Cross by $188.48.

Collection total of 300 tons of scrap metals to date in the drive was gathered by the CC from the Wells and Bruton Wrecking Yards.

The county scrap salvage committee has adopted the slogan, "Crash Through with Your ..." as a means of stimulating interest in the campaign.

Farmers or ranchers of the county who have sizeable quantities of scrap iron and steel, and who have no means of transporting the metal, are urged to contact the Chamber of Commerce immediately. Trucks, in such cases, will be sent to obtain the metal.

If you happen to have any scrap iron and steel left around your place, Mr. Scurry County Citizen, why not "join the scrap to slap the Japs" today? The salvage committee will greatly appreciate your full cooperation.

Leon Andress, in Air Corps, Gets Advance

Promotion from rank of staff sergeant to that of Technical Sergeant for Leon Andress, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Andress, was announced Monday by U. S. Air Corps officials. Technical Sergeant Andress was also moved from Tacoma, Washington, to Paine Field at Everett, Washington.

Andress has advanced steadily in the U. S. Air Corps since entering the service 22 months ago. He is attached to the 38th Fighter Squadron, and his wife, who has been visiting him since mid-July, has moved to his new post at Everett.

Staff Sergeant Garland Yeatts of Danville, Virginia, spent last week-end in the B. H. Moffett home.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Evelyn Pollard, Verlaine Smith and Lyndal Westbrook, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Abilene.

Nathan Rosenberg was accompanied to Dallas on a business trip first of the week by E. M. Deakins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Roberts and daughter, LaVohn, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Roberts' son, Ollie Bruton, and family in Lubbock.

Sergeant and Mrs. N. R. Clements spent last week-end here visiting relatives. They visited in Sweetwater the first part of the week.

Hollis Browning, employee at Duncan Field, San Antonio, spent the week-end with Mrs. Browning and their two sons, Tommie and Gene.

Faydene Norred, who has been attending a business school in Austin during the summer, is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Norred.

Approximately 35 Methodist young people met last Thursday evening for a picnic supper and various entertainment at the Snyder School park.

Mrs. Tate Lockhart and sons, Jimmie and Bobbie, moved to Lubbock last Thursday to join their husband and father, who is employed in defense work.

Gilbert Richter of Fleshing, New York, a son of Mrs. Ella Richter of Knapp, was recently transferred to the eastern part of Pennsylvania to do radio work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stahl were accompanied to Big Spring last week by a nephew, James Beights, who went from there to enroll at Sul Ross State Teachers College, Alpine.

Mrs. Minnie Henderson of Lubbock visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Martin, and family of Ira last week. She also visited in Snyder with her sister, Mrs. C. E. Walker, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton of Floydada were week-end guests of their son, R. C. Patton, and Mrs. Patton. Mrs. R. C. Patton's mother, Mrs. McRoberts, also of Floydada, also was a guest of the local couple.

Dr. R. L. Howell received word last week of the promotion of his son, M. S. Howell to rank of corporal. Young Howell is chief operator on teletype of the 17th bombardment group in the communications office at Barksdale, Louisiana.

visited here Sunday and she returned home with them.

Novis Rodgers is spending this week in Eastland, on business.

Mrs. J. G. Whatley visited her son, M. B. Whatley, and family in Wichita Falls last week.

Violet May McElyea underwent an appendix operation at Young Hospital, Roscoe, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Wade and son of Clovis, New Mexico, visited with relatives here the past week-end.

Robert Boren, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boren, left last week to enlist in the army air corps at Dallas.

Audie McElyea returned last week-end from Amarillo, where he had undergone medical treatment for several weeks.

Thelma Coleman returned last week-end from a two-week vacation spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Titsworth, in Trent.

Carlton Daugherty of Fluvanna is a new employee at Sears Dry Goods Company. He has had a business course at Draughon's, Abilene.

Corporal Lester Hanback of Camp Edwards, Massachusetts, visited his mother in the Roscoe hospital, and with relatives in Snyder last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Carrell and children of Anthony, New Mexico, former Snyder residents, were here to attend the funeral of Miss Roxie Bearden Tuesday.

Delmus Perry of Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, visited with relatives in Snyder last week. Young Perry is a son of Ab Perry and a former employee of Graham & Martin.

Alice Hudnell, who has been employed with Snyder Abstraft Company several months, leaves September 23 for Roby, where she will be a stenographer in the REA office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelm and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woody were in Clyde last Sunday to visit their son and brother, Henry Wilhelm, and family.

Milton Joyce spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Joyce. Miss Joyce has been employed with the civil service office in Big Spring since the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Isaacs of Clovis, New Mexico, were week-end guests of relatives in Snyder. Mrs. Isaacs is the former Rayolene Smith. Lela Isaacs, a sister of Jack, accompanied the couple here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tatum and daughters, Edith and Jenny Sue, moved here last week from Abilene. Jenny Sue began her junior year in Snyder High School. The family is at home at 2512 Avenue M.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hartman and son, Donald, were accompanied to Galveston and Houston for a vacation trip by Hartman's mother, Mrs. Roxie Hartman. While in Houston they visited with Mrs. and Mrs. Billy Cauble.

Mrs. Burt King of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins and daughter, Mrs. Alden Burge. Pat King spent the summer months here with the Deakins and returned to Dallas with her mother Sunday.

Myra Jo Jenkins visited the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jenkins of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vernon of Hermleigh. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jenkins of Dallas, visited here Sunday and she returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nelson and son, Paul, were accompanied by Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, to Dallas Monday morning. Nelson went by train from Dallas to Carrolton, Alabama, to visit with his mother, Mrs. N. Nelson, while the other local people remained in Dallas to visit a nephew of Mrs. Strayhorn, Olin Hendricks, and family.

Austin Erwin Visits.

Sergeant Austin Erwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Erwin, who is attached to the U. S. Naval Base at Alameda, California, arrived Friday for a 15-day furlough. Sergeant Erwin, who is a payroll clerk, is scheduled to leave for his post Tuesday. Alameda is located only a short distance from San Francisco.

Insurance Board Praises Agencies For Fight on Fire

The insurance business in Texas is one of major importance to the commercial life of every city and town, is the opinion of Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner.

"A person writing fire, windstorm, and kindred lines of insurance," he added; "is engaged in one of our leading professions. Today's requirements make it mandatory for an insurance man or woman to be licensed in order to do business.

"To secure a license from the Board of Insurance Commissioners a person wanting to engage in the insurance business must pass a written examination. Therefore, it is necessary for him to have a knowledge of insurance before he is granted a license.

"Changes during recent years in insurance matters have in practically every instance resulted to the benefit of insurance buyers. Today our insurance is handled by persons, who are specialists in this line. With any of our problems requiring the services of a professional person we find it advisable to consult with them. This is applicable in matters of individual insurance problems. Insurance agents are in the best position to advise us on securing adequate protection to meet our needs."

Hall praised the insurance agents for the heary cooperation they have extended the Board of Insurance Commissioners. Insurance men and women, he said, have done everything possible to aid in promoting fire prevention in Texas.

"An insurance man or woman," Hall continued, "occupies a unique position. By his familiarity with insurance coverage he can render invaluable aid to his clients."

As an example of the patriotic service being rendered by insurance agents at this time, Hall said: "those in the insurance business have accepted the responsibility of handling war risk insurance for the government's war damage corporation by writing such policies. This service is handled at a minimum cost, and in a large number of instances the expense involved exceeds the compensation received."

Club Women Listen To Delegate Report

Total of 22 members was present Saturday afternoon for the regular meeting of Scurry County's Home Demonstration Council, held in the offices of Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. C. R. Roberson gave an educational report, "Hints on Planting a Fall Garden." Interesting report on her recent trip to College Station was given by Mrs. Stanley Merket of China Grove.

Mrs. Paris McPherson, chairman of the one-day educational encampment to be staged here Saturday, September 26, urged each club in the county to present an educational number and a stunt as a contribution to the program.

Rev. Clark to Preach at Bison.

Leaders of the Bison community announced Tuesday that Rev. W. M. Clark, retired Snyder Methodist minister, will preach Sunday morning, 11:00 o'clock, at Bison. "In this time of world chaos and crisis, we must not relax our service to God," Rev. Clark says, "and invite the public to the Bison service Sunday morning."

COTTON QUIZ



Pyron School Off To Good Start on New School Year

Frank Andrews, superintendent, reported Wednesday that Pyron School, located in Southeastern Scurry County, is getting well into the year's work for the 1942-1943 school term. The school has gained considerable recognition among rural consolidated plants of this area, since the district proper lies in parts of four counties, Scurry, Fisher, Mitchell and Nolan, and attracts students from the four counties.

Enrollment approximates 200, Andrews reports. School buses have been repaired, and are said to be in excellent condition from the standpoint of tires. The school still lacked a first and second grade teacher Wednesday. Mrs. Arvil Allen is acting as substitute instructor for the two grades.

In addition to Superintendent Andrews and Mrs. Allen, the teaching staff follows: Dale McWhirter, vocational agriculture; Verna Emma Westbrook, home economics; Mrs. Gladys Powell, social science in high school; Lona Mae Leech, fifth and sixth grades; Mozella Huggins, third and fourth grades; and Mrs. Roxie Soules, English and Spanish in high school.

Record Mill Activity Ups Sales of Cotton

Reporting a new high in cotton sales the past week, the agricultural marketing administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, states that "sales of 73,000 bales by the 10 designated markets compares brightly with 57,000 bales the preceding week.

"Mill inquiries," the department of agriculture continues, "were up from last week, but sales in Texas and Oklahoma markets was limited. Activity in Texas and Oklahoma spot markets continues dull this week.

"Domestic mill activity, which always affects the price of cotton, is reported at near record levels. Considerable part of the new cotton crop being moved is ear-marked for government loans hence the slowness of cotton going in direct sales channels" the review concludes.

Buy Defense Stamps every week.

Typhus Control In Texas Areas Is Crucial Problem

Strengthening a campaign for the control of typhus in Texas, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, announced this week that the State Department of Health in collaboration with the League of Texas Municipalities has prepared a pattern ordinance for the disposal of garbage which it is hoped will be widely adopted by cities and communities throughout the state.

"Rats, like any other animals, seek those fields which offer the most food and best shelter," Dr. Cox said. "Any typhus control program must necessarily hinge on making food inaccessible to rats. It has been found that the rat population in Texas is much greater in those towns where no regular garbage collection is maintained."

Dr. Cox said that this pattern ordinance conforming with war restrictions eliminates the use of critical materials substituting wooden garbage pails for the cast iron type formerly used. In order to eliminate the use of war materials for building incinerators the ordinance provides for the use of the land-fill method.

Some of the cities now considering the adoption of this ordinance are Brownwood, Mineral Wells, Killeen, Velasco, Fort Stockton and other defense areas. Dr. Cox stated that full information concerning this ordinance can be had through the State Health Department and suggested that all cities and communities which might be benefitted by such protection consult the State Department of Health for full particulars.

Federal allotment of funds for garbage disposal have been made in some instances, in defense areas where local funds were inadequate.

Feed Wheat to Be Available to County Farmers This Year

Any Scurry County farmer who wishes may obtain feed wheat this year.

So announced Scurry County's AAA committee Tuesday, members of which report feed wheat will be distributed directly by the Commodity Credit Corporation, or through the regular channels of trade.

Producers may have wheat delivered at their customary shipping points upon certification that it will be used for feeding livestock and poultry. Purchase of wheat, however, outside the immediate community will require proper approval and identification from the county AAA committee.

County AAA committeemen point out a recent Congressional action permits the CCC to distribute, at 85 per cent of parity price for corn, 125,000,000 bushels of wheat for feeding purposes.

Officer's Car Hits Lady's Machine as Brakes Give Way

Who should take over a law enforcement official when his vehicle crashes into another?

An attractive young feminine motorist wondered about this Monday afternoon, when the car of a city officer banged into the back of a Dodge she was driving. It happened this way:

The feminine motorist parked her automobile immediately in front of the Snyder post office. Shortly thereafter, a city officer parked in the middle of the street, square's south side, and went into the post office to mail some letters.

While he was gone, his vehicle started rolling south—the emergency brake failed to hold—and a resultant crash into the Dodge followed. (Before you take this story too seriously, damages were only minor, since only a small amount of paint was scraped off and dry fender mud was jarred loose.)

H. B. Patterson Goes To Fisher AAA Post

Effective Saturday, H. B. Patterson Jr., who has been employed at the Scurry County AAA office the past two summers, was named county administrative officer with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration for Fisher County.

Patterson moved to Roby this week, where he assumed duties as Fisher County Triple A administrative head. He has been county AAA performance supervisor here the past two years, and previously had worked here as county AAA performance reporter and community committeeman.

Mrs. Patterson and their two children, Connie and Donna Ray, plan to move to Roby this week-end.

John Blum Enlists in Air Corps of Navy

Dr. John Blum, who has been associated with Dr. H. G. Towle in the optometry business here the past several years, left Monday for Abilene, where he enlisted in the U. S. Air Corps.

Blum, it it reported, is now attending a special training school in Abilene, and his wife is remaining here for the present.



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In checking the calendar, we came to the realization yesterday that we had been in Snyder two years. It's difficult to realize that time has passed like that! Maybe it's because the passing two years have been happy and fruitful ones for us.

We would be ingrates if we failed to here express our sincere appreciation for a bountiful business given us since we came here. We now count our patrons by the hundreds, and we are truly thankful for the portion of business that has been given us by our friends. As we enter our third year among you good people, we want to pledge our continued efforts to provide you with competent service in our business relations. Insurance of all kinds, real estate, bonds, loans, accounting—these are what we specialize in.

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FSA Client Reports 37 Pigs Farrowed By Three OIC Gilts

Pete T. White, tenant purchase borrower of the Farm Security Administration, who resides one mile north of town, is believed to have rung up a record this week, when three OIC gilts he had, bred to the same male, farrowed an accumulative total of 37 pigs.

Gerald G. Gordon, county Farm Security Administration supervisor, points out the 37 pigs at weaning time will bring at least $5 per head, giving a total of $185.

Should White choose to feed out the pigs, he will realize at least $1,000 from them, which would be a considerable income from three gilts.

Naturally, the FSA borrower believes there's always a black sheep in the livestock family, for 36 of the pigs are solid white and the 37th animal is white, with black spots. Mr. White believes the three gilts he has have contributed, now, their part to the food-for-freedom program.

Former Football Star Joins Navy Air Corps

Announcement made Monday reveals that Chester H. Dorman, 1941 honor graduate of Snyder Schools and former member of the Tiger football squad, will report in the next few days to the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School at Athens, Georgia.

Chester, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dorman of North Snyder, not only lettered as a Tiger squad member, but took an active part in track events and other extra-curricular activities while in school here.

Snyder Business Firms to Discuss Part in War Plan

Managers and owners of all Snyder business firms were urged Wednesday afternoon by the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce to attend a meeting that will be held this (Thursday) morning, 10:30 o'clock, in the Commissioners Court room for the purpose of discussing problems vital to every merchant in town.

Miss Laura J. Wilson of the University of Texas will be in charge of the meeting, which is scheduled to result in ways and means being found for Snyder merchants to blend their programs with war-time emergency demands.

Modern methods and technique of salesmanship, in line with war-time policies, will be discussed by Miss Wilson along the lines of a three-point program. The enrollment will include new-workers in Snyder stores and businesses, regular workers, and a third division for managers, owners and business executives.

Announcement was made late Wednesday that classes, conducted by Miss Wilson, will be sponsored by E. L. Farr, superintendent of Snyder Schools, and the Chamber of Commerce, and will begin Friday morning. Classes will be held at 8:30 and 9:30 o'clock in the Commissioners Court room.

The how and why of Snyder business men blending their business with the nation's war emergency, and how they can best keep fall trade in Snyder will be outlined and discussed in detail by Miss Wilson.

Most Crops for 1942 Past 10-Year Level

"Most Texas crops this year will exceed the 10-year average production," the September 1 crop report issued by the Santa Fe Railway Company states, "notable exceptions being cotton and oats.

"Such crops as cotton, corn and hay will top last year's figures, but grain sorghums and potatoes will fall below the 1941 level. Weather conditions the past 10 days have been favorable for cotton, despite the fact heavy rains in Scurry and nearby counties caused a heavy invasion of insects. Texas, it is indicated, should make 3,177,000 bales.

"Texas," the crop report concludes, "has met its war effort goal in peanuts, with an estimated 556,500,000 pounds to be harvested. Corn is estimated to yield 81,270,000 bushels in the state."

Fluvanna Squad Will Play Loraine Friday

Fluvanna Buffaloes are to start their football season Friday night, playing the Loraine Bulldogs at Loraine. Coach for Fluvanna this year is Myrl Gary, and he reports there are 22 boys working out.

Probable starting line-up for the Buffaloes: Turner, left end; McKnight, left tackle; Sullenger, left guard; Ainsworth, center; Ball, right guard; Moore, right tackle; Freeman, right end; Stavely, quarterback; C. Sullenger, fullback; Maples, left halfback, and Green, right halfback.

Highway Engineer Here.

S. J. Treadaway of Abilene, District 8 highway engineer, was in Snyder Wednesday on official business. Due to the war-time emergency and uncertainty of obtaining materials, Treadaway had no comments to offer on the immediate future of highway work in Scurry or adjacent counties.

The Times—office supply house.

Raising of Castor Bean Here Seen



Castor beans, vital to America's war effort, may well prove a profitable crop in the Scurry County trade zone, in the opinion of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. Castor beans, including Conner seed and other varieties, have been tested in this area and around Lubbock, and have been found adaptable to local soils. The Commodity Credit Corporation will buy castor beans at prices up to four cents per pound.

Snyder Tigers Beat Colorado in Practice

By a score of 18 to 0, the Snyder Tigers overwhelmed the Colorado City Wolves in a scrimmage tussle here last Friday afternoon. Outstanding for Snyder was Orval Rollins, who accounted for all of the tallies.

Although the team looked good, the Tigers were not at their best. Several penalties were taken by both teams, but no one was injured in the game. After this win, the Tigers are looking forward to a good season.

Max Mobley to Get Air Cadet Training

Max Breeden Mobley, a graduate of Hermleigh Schools and son of A. W. Mobley, former Hermleigh resident who now lives at Garland, has been selected for training as a naval aviation cadet, and will report to the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School, Athens, Georgia, it was announced Tuesday by navy recruiting officials.

Mobley is well known to people of Hermleigh and nearby communities, and in high school played left end in football, left forward in basket ball, and was on swimming, track and tennis teams. He attended Weatherford Junior College prior to enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

This would be a poor time for the meek to inherit the earth.

August Bond Sales Total $26,012 Here

Pat Bullock, county chairman of war bond and defense stamp sales, announced Tuesday that bond and stamp sales for August totaled $26,012.75.

Report on the August sales was furnished Bullock by Frank Scofield of Austin, state administrator.

Bullock points out that August sales give Scurry County a much better rating, and brought sales for 1942, to September 1, to $268,010.

Quotas to January 1 follow: October 1 quota, $278,700; November 1, $309,667; December 1, $340,634; and January 1, 1943, $371,600.

G. B. Clark Dies Early Thursday In Snyder Home

The Times learns this (Thursday) morning of the death, 12:20 a. m., of G. B. Clark Sr., 76, long-time Scurry County resident and pioneer lumberman.

Mr. Clark had been in declining health for some time at his home, 1700 26th Street.

Funeral arrangements, incomplete this morning, will be handled by Odom Funeral Home.

One of Snyder's prominent civic leaders, Mr. Clark had been in the lumber business 35 years, and was manager many year of the O. L. Wilkirson Lumber Company.

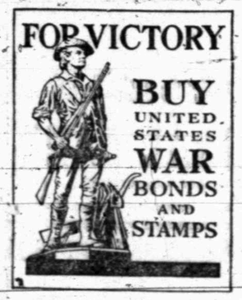
Survivors include the widow, one son, five daughters, five sisters and a brother.

Kin of Snyder Folks Killed by Electricity

Herschel Gunter, 16-year-old ticket taker at the Star Theatre, Abilene and the baby brother of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullins' son-in-law, was electrocuted last Wednesday morning when he touched live wires in his south side hotel room. The North Snyder couple were notified of Gunter's death last Wednesday.

Funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon at Merkel. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gunter of Merkel, and by seven brothers.





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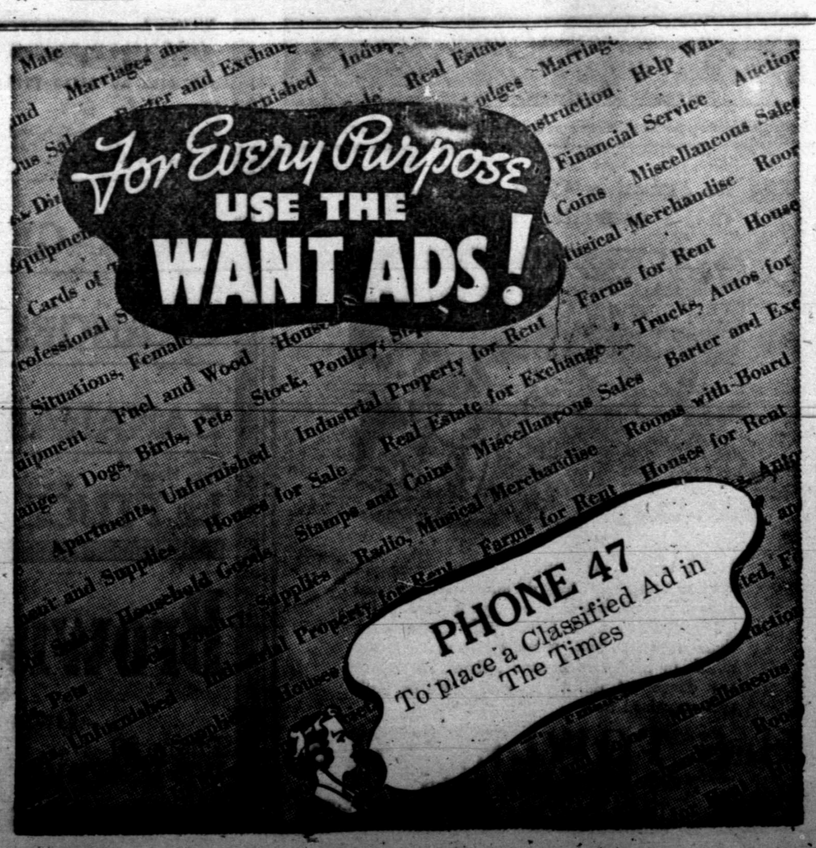


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JOWLS — Dry Cure, Per Pound 17c
FRYERS — Dressed and Drawn, Per Pound 35c
BUTTER — Falfurrias, Per Pound 55c

EGGS — Fresh — Doz. . 22c
OLEO — Meadow Lake — Lb. . . 23c
BUTTER — Banner Brand — Lb. . . . 49c

PIGGLY WIGGLY

AAA Says Farmer Can Expect $46.50 Ton for Cottonseed

Personnel of Scurry County's Agricultural Adjustment Administration committee announce that a recent survey indicates the average Scurry County farmer can expect at least $46.50 per ton for cottonseed this year.

Members of the county Triple A committee report the 1942 cottonseed program, recently announced by the Commodity Credit Corporation, enables oil mills to enter into contracts with the CCC—contracts that govern the purchase, crushing and sale of cottonseed products.

The Commodity Credit Corporation, where contracts are signed with oil mills, require the mills to buy cottonseed on the basis of U. S. standard grades, as amended in July, 1930. These grades tend to keep the price of cottonseed at a firm level.

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Sunflower Seed

If you don't think S. J. Casstevens, operator of the Casstevens Ranch, knows how to raise chicken feed, you should see the one-acre patch of Russian sun flowers he is harvesting.

Casstevens says he raised an acre of the plants this year, because he believed they would make excellent chicken feed. He is now harvesting the sun flowers, many of which measure 14 inches across—plant tops that are completely filled with the nutritious feed that is suitable for both chickens and turkeys.

Emergency Makes Typewriter Repairs Pressing Problem

How much, even during our wartime economy, should one typewriter spring be worth?

That's what the Scurry County tax assessor-collector's office wants to know, after several trips to typewriter repair shops has finally resulted in a spring on a typewriter, used in preparing 1942 tax rolls, that is expected to last through September—at least.

It all started several weeks ago, when the spring on the machine first snapped in two on one end. A typewriter repair man who surveyed the damages said one trip to the shop would fix the machine for good, but he evidently underestimated the kind of operation required.

Anyway, the typewriter in question has been to Abilene twice and to Lubbock once to have the matter of the broken spring attended to, and officials of the assessor-collector's office believe it will now work—for a spell—if anyone doesn't breathe too hard when near the machine.

P. S.—It has been suggested the precious typewriter spring might be wrapped in velvet, or silk cloth at night.

Barber—"Shall I give you a shampoo, madam?"

Mrs. Newlyrich—"I can afford the best—a genuine poo or nothing at all."

Action is the parent of results; dormancy the brooding mother of discontent.—Murdock.



Production of Castor Beans Here Talked

Give Scurry County's 1,500 farmers time to learn production methods, and they can profitably raise at least 2,000 acres of castor beans each year, the Scurry County War Board predicted Wednesday.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration has inaugurated a castor bean program, since the war has cut off imports from the Far East.

Castor beans have been tested around Lubbock, and are adaptable to several soils in Scurry County. The Commodity Credit Corporation, working trough the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, is buying castor beans at prices up to four cents per pound—depending on the grade.

Drivers Urged to Get Renewal of Licenses

Warning was issued this week to Scurry County motorists by the state police that the final period for renewing drivers' licenses will expire November 1.

Application forms for renewals, good for two years, can be obtained at the sheriff's office in Snyder and from state police district headquarters. They may also be obtained by mail from state police headquarters at Austin. Renewals cost 50 cents.

Issuance of renewals began last October. To facilitate issuance of renewals, periods were set for renewals according to the number on the old drivers' licenses.

Bubba Boren Given Flying Captain Rate

Word was received last week by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boren from W. T. (Bubba) Boren, their son, informing them of his promotion to the rank of captain. Captain Boren is with the United States Air Corps and is stationed at Tampa, Florida.

Captain Boren, a graduate of Snyder Schools, is a squadron commander, and has been in the U. S. Air Corps three years. He has specialized recently in bomber instruction.

I like to see fat people laugh, because there seems to be so much of them having a good time.

Acute Shortage of Teachers Felt By Schools of County and Region

"Know where you can find an available school teacher?"

This question might have sounded a little unusual three or four years ago, but it is a serious question, right now, with school boards in Scurry and nearby counties, for teachers are difficult to find.

Although most county schools have started on their 1942-1943 term, several gaps remain in the teaching staffs, and the county superintendent's office doesn't know just where the needed teachers can be secured.

Indication of how serious the teacher shortage is this year may be judged from the fact the school superintendent of Post, accompanied by his school board, was here Friday looking for teachers. It really marks a milepost, when those looking for teachers bring their boards with them.

Since those in the teaching profession have been sadly underpaid, from the viewpoint of experience and cost of obtaining their degrees, many former teachers are now in government employ, and a number of men teachers have been called to military service for their country.

Members of the teaching profession welcome the radical change that has been brought about, for only a few years ago teacher supply exceeded the demand and often as many as 35 to 40 teachers would file application for a position in one school.

School boards hard pressed to complete training faculties are finding, however, that a number of teachers, who took leave of absence from the teaching profession, are falling in line again, and are more than willing to do their part in the all-out, global war-time economy.

So, if you hear someone asking where a school teacher may be found, don't think it's funny—for board members who looked far and wide for teachers say all the fun has been taken out of the situation weeks ago.

Bottlegger "Fed Up" With Rough Handling

"I've got hogs to slop, and besides I'm fed up with the rough way I've been treated in Scurry County," T. Reed of Colorado City told officers when he and Mrs. Lucile Ledbetter, also of Colorado City, were released Saturday, following their apprehension last Wednesday morning on a bootlegging charge.

Records at the Scurry County courthouse reveal Reed and Mrs. Ledbetter have paid the county at least $297 in fines during the past 60 days, officers declare. They were picked up in the last "roundup," it will be recalled, in East Snyder by Constable J. G. (Pop) Galyean and a representative of the Texas Liquor Control Board, and had three cases of whiskey in possession.

Nickelless Nickel

The humble nickel, which is a favorite medium of legal tender with all Snyder and Scurry County people, is assuming a place of importance these days, since the U. S. Treasury announces all new nickels will have no nickel in them.

If the nickel is to have no more nickel in it, what a nickelless nickel it will be; a five-cent piece often needed in the nick of time without benefit of having nickel alloyed in its circular body. Well, however the nickel without any nickel in it may be, we hope, by Nick, that a nickelless nickel with any other metal in it would pay for soda pops and copies of The Times just the same.

Men With Wives, Dependents Not Needed May Says

Chairman Andrew J. May, Democrat, Kentucky, of the House Military Affairs Committee, expressed the belief in Washington this week that on the basis of a Selective Service survey of manpower requirements, married men with dependent wives and children "should not be drafted for another year and a half."

It is estimated that Scurry County has approximately 375 married men, registered under the Selective Service Act, who have dependent wives and children.

Chairman May, in elaborating on his statement, expressed the opinion that "married men with dependent wives and children should not be drafted at all."

"In any event," May declared, "married men with wives and children who have no other means of support and have no families to which they may return, should permanently be deferred by draft boards. That is the intent of the draft law, and if it is not clear it should be made clear."

Weldon Longbotham Enters Marine School

A U. S. Marine reserve since last March, Weldon Longbotham, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Longbotham of Hermleigh, is now at Quantico, Virginia, where he is entering a candidate's class for a commission in the U. S. Marine Corps.

Weldon, a 1939 Hermleigh School graduate, holds a BS degree in animal husbandry, and in July received a Smith-Hughes certificate in vocational agriculture.

I don't mind washing dishes for you," wailed the hen-pecked husband. "And I will even sweep the floors, but I ain't gonna fun no ribbons through my nightshirt just to fool the baby."

Teacher—"How many make a dozen?"

Pupil—"Twelve."

Teacher—"How many make a million?"

Pupil—"Very few."

Guessers Wary of Early Estimates On Cotton Yield

You had doubtless thought the matter over several times, but do you think, Mr. Average Citizen, you would venture a guess on how much cotton Scurry County will make this year?

A Times reporter, who asked a number of farmers and several ginners, got negative replies on probable total for the 1942 crop. One veteran crop observer sums the cotton situation up like this, which seems to be typical of the average person's attitude:

"I've noticed crop conditions in Scurry County for the past 23 years, and previously could at least give what would seem like a fair guess on the crop. Insect damage the past few days since we've had rain make it difficult to even make a wild guess."

If a man does not know to what port he is steering, no wind is favorable to him.—Seneca.

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Cotton Forecast For Texas Upped Nearly Million

Cotton production for Texas, Scurry County producers learn, was forecast last Wednesday by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at 3,484,000 bales, based on conditions of September 1.

Those forecast compares with 2,652,000 bales produced in 1941, and an average of 3,686,000 bales for the 10-year average period, 1931-1940.

Abandonment of acreage from all causes was estimated at 4.5 per cent of the acres in cultivation July 1, leaving 8,146,000 acres for harvest. Indicated yield per acre on the acreage remaining for harvest is 206 pounds, compared with 165 pounds in 1941, 184 pounds in 1940 and 160 pounds average for the 10-year period 1931-1940.

The forecast yield per acre, if realized, will be the highest for the state since 1912.

The forecast of 3,484,000 bales represents an increase of 307,000 bales or about 10 per cent over the August 1 forecast. The improvement in prospects occurred largely in the northwest districts where opportune rains were received during the month.

Excellent prospects prevailed throughout the high plains and the low rolling plains and in the northwest and in the irrigated areas of extreme West Texas.

Pleasant Hill News

Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and son spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Land of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis House of Ira spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson and daughter.

Mrs. Frank Dale and Mrs. Bob Baker of Midland spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glass and children and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turner, all of Turner, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bownds.

Those visiting in the C. A. Hall home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall, Mrs. Bernice Harless of Bethel, Frank Dale, Mrs. Bob Baker of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McClain of Bethel and Mrs. Tom Burrus of Colorado City.

Private Sidney E. Brown of Camp Barkeley, Abilene, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Irvin of Camp Springs spent Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Moore and family.

Emmitt Hall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McClain of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Foch Walton and son and Overton McKinney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney of Crowder.

For fine printing call The Times.

PALACE Theatre

Thursday, Sept. 17—
"The Gay Sisters"
with George Brent, Barbara Stanwyck, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Donald Crisp and others. Drama.

Friday-Saturday, Sept. 18-19—
"Pierre of the Plains"
with John Carroll, Ruth Hussey. Bruce Cabot and others. Comedy and Novelty.

Saturday Night Prevue, Sept. 19—
"Sweater Girl"
starring Eddie Bracken with June Preisser, Betty Rhodes. Songs, Laughs and Girls.

Sunday-Monday, Sept. 20-21—
"Holiday Inn"
starring Bing Crosby with Fred Astaire, Virginia Dale and others. News.

Tuesday, Sept. 22—
'Road to Happiness'
starring John Boles with Mona Barrie, Billy Lee, Roscoe Karns. News. Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Sept. 23-24
"Men of Texas"
starring Robert Stack, with Brod Crawford, Jackie Cooper, Anne Gwynne, Ralph Bellamy, Jane Darwell. Big as all Texas. News.

TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, Sept. 19—
"Mr. Wise Guy"
starring The East Side Kids. Comedy. Admission 11 cents.

Friday-Saturday, Sept. 18-19—
"The Cyclone Kid"
with Don "Red" Barry. Comedy and Novelty.

Wednesday-Thursday, Sept. 23-24
"Top Sergeant Mulligan"
with Nat Pendleton, Marjorie Reynolds, Carol Hughes. Comedy. Admission 11 cents.

He's in Marines



Weldon Longbotham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Longbotham of Hermleigh and a 1939 honor graduate of Hermleigh Schools, is now at Quantico, Virginia, where he is entering a candidate's class for a commission in the U. S. Marines. Now 20 years old, Weldon holds a BS degree in animal husbandry.

Uncle Jimmie Nunn Makes Flying Trip To Tennessee Home

J. H. "Uncle Jimmie" Nunn, one of Scurry County's few remaining pioneer cattlemen and a pioneer in this section of the state, set something of a speed record when he arrived Friday morning in Nashville, Tennessee, where he will spend the winter.

"Uncle Jimmie," as he is widely known in the county, made the 1,000 mile trip from Snyder to Nashville in 22 hours by automobile. He will visit this winter in Nashville with two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Davidson and Mrs. Beryl Rodgers, both former Scurry County residents.

Mr. Nunn, old-timers recall, moved to Scurry County in an early day, when range land was unfenced, and with his brother, John W., established one of the county's first cattle ranches in the eastern edge of Scurry. The Nunns, for years, had one of the largest "spreads" in this section of West Texas.

"Uncle Jimmie" is now 87 years old, and is a brother of Miss Annie E. Nunn, 3101 Avenue N. He has been a member of the Masonic Lodge many years.

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Roxie Bearden Dies Sunday of Lengthy Illness

Roxie Bearden, 51 Scurry County resident the past 23 years, succumbed Sunday night, 11:30 o'clock, in a local hospital following a two-month illness.

Born December 14, 1890, in Liberty, Arkansas, Miss Bearden moved to Scurry County in 1919. She had retained membership in the Kermit Methodist Church for a number of years.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at the Snyder Methodist Church. Rev. Harvey Carrell, Methodist minister of Pyote, assisted by Rev. I. A. Smith, Snyder pastor, officiated. Pallbearers were Doc Bynum, Herman Darby, J. L. Carrell, T. B. Knight, E. Y. Thompson and W. A. (Bud) Rodgers. Flower bearers were Mmes. Doc Bynum, T. B. Knight, Herman Darby and E. Y. Thompson.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bearden of Snyder; a brother, H. L. Bearden of Pyote; and five sisters, Mrs. Lester White of Snyder, Mmes. J. I. Almon and E. L. Jetton of Lone Oak, Mrs. C. N. Rowell of Odessa, and Esther Bearden of Perryton.

Odom Funeral Home directed arrangements, with interment in Snyder Cemetery.

Pyron News

Thelma Kinney, Correspondent

This community was saddened by the death of Jesse Lee Patterson, 71, who has been a resident of this community since 1900. Mr. Patterson passed away Saturday night in the Roscoe hospital. Funeral services were held at the Patterson home Sunday afternoon with Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe officiating. Pallbearers were Lee McMillan, Pete Hale, Willie Kimzey, Dave Ammons, Frank Andrews and Vern Gilmore. Mmes. Pearl McMillan, Leota Ammons, Mabel Adams and Opal Brock were in charge of flowers. He is survived by his wife and three sons, Buford of Lamesa, John and Weldon of Sweetwater, and four grandchildren. Interment was in the Pyron Cemetery, with Yates Funeral Home of Sweetwater in charge.

Alton Collier of Sweetwater spent the week-end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Collier.

Mozelle Huggins spent the week-end with Alma Talley.

Lola Maye Leach visited homefolks in Hermleigh the past week-end.

Delmon Pieper of San Diego, California, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Pieper, and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Autry of Claytonville visited in the Arthur Allen home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hill of Sylvester visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young, Sunday.

Ginners Requested to File Price Reports

Operators of Scurry County's 14 cotton gins were reminded Tuesday that they must file detailed price reports with the Dallas headquarters of the Office of Price Administration on or before Saturday.

After Saturday, no ginner in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana may supply any cotton ginning services unless he has filed a report for each of his establishments.

As carried in The Times recently, new OPA regulations provide three formulas ginners may go by in fixing their charges for ginning the 1942 cotton crop.

Report Feed to C of C.

Officials of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce ask farmers of the county who have threshed maize and headed maize for sale to report to the Chamber of Commerce. This favor will be appreciated, since the CC wants to locate such feed immediately.

"Pocket Size" Destroyers Tested



Plowing through calm offshore waters of the Atlantic, Canadian built Corvettes, so fresh from the shipyards rivets are hardly cooled, head for the high seas to be put through their paces before being declared fit for service. Alphonse Normand, right, of the Royal Canadian Navy, is typical of the seasoned, rugged sailors who man the new and modern destroyers. The "pocket size" destroyers are joining in the grim battle of the Atlantic to maintain vital life lines of the Allied Nations.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

By Estella Rabel, Scurry County Home Demonstration Agent

Schedule of Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, for the week of September 21-26, follows:

Monday, September 21—Turner.
Tuesday, September 22—Dermott.
Wednesday, September 23—Tri-Community.
Thursday, September 24—Fluvanna.

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Members of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council expansion committee, at a meeting Saturday afternoon, voted to urge all county families to check their food supplies and make sure their budget is complete—then check with neighbors to see they have sufficient food supplies.

Suggested year's food supply for a family of five, as set out by the committee, follows:

Green and yellow vegetables—250 quarts; other vegetables, 250 quarts; potatoes, 1,000 pounds; tomatoes and citrus, 125 quarts; other fruits and juices, 250 quarts; meats and fats, 875 pounds; pickles and relishes, 65 containers; jams, jellies and preserves, 65 containers; apples, other fruits, 220 pounds; eggs, 150 dozen; milk, 454 gallons; whole grain, 850 pounds.

The home demonstration agent reminded all present to get those vitamins! She had an exhibit of stew, prepared by using liver, carrots, potatoes, onions and tomato juice, a sprig of Snyder grown parsley; and exhibited an apple upside down cake.

As more doctors and nurses are called into the nation's armed services, it is increasingly important that Scurry County communities and neighborhoods take every precaution to prevent illness.

Right now, on the heels of prefall rains, it's a good idea to drain all pools and water holes nearby, pouring oil or kerosene in water where mosquitoes might breed, Miss Rabel says. She also advises removal of moss and weeds from the edge of stock ponds and tanks. These should be stocked with top water minnows, while lily ponds can be kept free with mosquito eating fish.

Guarding rain barrels, cisterns and wells will also help in combatting the mosquito menace, Miss Rabel points out. So will getting rid of tin cans which catch rain water. Preventing malaria will stop tremendous waste in time, and contribute to human resources in winning the war, the agent concludes.

Gaines E. Faver Promoted.

Wilfred McCormick, public relations officer at post headquarters, Fort Bliss, announced Tuesday promotion of Sergeant Gaines E. Faver, Snyder, to the rank of staff sergeant. Promotion for Faver is effective immediately, and is given in recognition of his application to duty.

Social Security for Farm Hands Urged By Regional Chief

In this part of the state there are a great many men and women who spend most of their time working on farms or in domestic service, except for the fall and winter months, when they find employment covered by the Social Security law, it was stated this week by W. O. King, manager of the Abilene field office, Social Security Board.

Each of these workers should have a Social Security account number card, said King, because wages earned in such jobs are credited to an account maintained under this social security account number. Upon their death before age 65 or retirement after age 65, they or their survivors may qualify for an old-age and survivors' insurance benefit.

Many of these people, King said, do not believe that this short period of employment from one to three months, could effect their entitlement to an old-age insurance benefit. However, it is just this type of employment that might fulfill their requirements for entitlement at some future date.

County Agent Urges Planting of Fall Gardens as Part of Program for Food

Have you, as one of the 1,500 farmers in Scurry County, planted your fall turnip patch?

Most people have, but if they rely on a turnip patch as their fall garden, they are missing a good pet, according to Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent with Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Hyman counsels with county farmers, in the midst of the gigantic food-for-freedom battle, to plant every foot of fall garden stuff they can, since vegetables planted now will have plenty of time to mature.

"I know you are saying right now, 'It's too late to plant anything but turnips,' but you are wrong. Did you know that Tennessee green pod and Burpee stringless green pod beans will mature in 52 to 54 days? Plant a row this afternoon and in 52 days have fresh snap beans for dinner.

"And cabbage planted now, in these cool days in September, will head in December. It will stand zero weather and remain fresh all winter," Hyman says.

"But before we plant our fall gardens the soil should be well prepared. The weeds should be removed, not plowed under, and well rotted barnyard manure should be turned under, plowing it into the soil about four or five inches.

"To get back to the vegetables—carrots will stand a light frost and will add variety and vitamins to your fall and winter diet. The Danver half long variety will mature in 75 days. If you will bank dirt about an inch and a half over the crowns after frost comes they will keep in the ground all winter.

"Spinach will thrive in the cool days to come. Plant it about October 1 along with mustard and kale and rape and swiss chard. If you have not tried rape as salad greens, you are missing a treat and rape will stand cold weather even better than cabbage or turnips.

"The little multiplying bunch onions will afford another table delicacy. Plant them deep, three and one-half inches deep, to give them long bleached roots. Planted this way, they will stand the coldest weather and remain fresh all winter.

"Did you realize that all of these vegetables would have a proper place in your home garden? And there are even more. Cucumbers, planted now, the Davis perfect and the improved long green and the Chicago pickling varieties, will mature in about 58 days. Squash, both white and yellow varieties, will mature in 55 days.

"These are not just general recommendations. They are for West Texas, and are the result of the practical experience of a West Texas gardener," the county agent concludes.

Civil Service Exams On

The United States Civil Service Commission announces this week examinations for these positions: Purchasing officer, $2,000 to $4,600 per year; assistant refuge manager for federal and state wildlife refuges, $2,000 to $2,600 per year; junior graduate nurse, $1,620 per year; and student physiotherapy aide, $420. Full information may be secured on these examinations at the Snyder post office.

Polar News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent

Rev. Bob Palmer is conducting a meeting here this week. Bro. Fullbright is song leader. You are invited to attend.

Mrs. Nona Cumble and children of Snyder were dinner guests in the H. J. Randolph home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Elkins and son of Snyder visited in the A. C. Elkins home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sanders and daughter of Snyder were dinner guests in the A. C. Cargile home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sellars and children of Whatley attended church services here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore of Dermott attended church here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cumble of Abilene visited Mrs. S. S. Cumble Sunday.

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White Shade Linings give more light. You can "roll your own" by marking the shade outline on good white paper. Trim to fit inside of the shade and fasten with Scotch tape.

Keep Spare Fuses on hand to save you time and trouble if a fuse blows. First, disconnect any lamps or appliances that may have caused the fuse to burn out, and then replace the blown fuse.

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News About Folks in Scurry County You Know

Big Sulphur News

Eunice Lewis, Correspondent

W. L. Wemken and Justin Corbell of German spent Saturday night and Sunday with E. R. and A. J. Mahoney.

Little Ineta Callahan, who has been spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cary, returned home with her mother, Mrs. Melvena Callahan of Wink.

Ben Cary, who is in the air corps at Lubbock, spent a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary.

We wish to express our most heartfelt sympathy to loved ones of Lee Patterson, who passed away Saturday night.

Callers in the A. J. Mahoney home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dever and children of Snyder, Don and Truman Wemken of German and Mrs. H. B. Lewis and children.

We are glad to report Ben Cary has been promoted to rank of sergeant in the air corps.

J. H. Myers, who has been stationed at Camp Wolters, is now stationed in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bruce and son of Ennis Creek are spending this week in the Bishop Vineyard home.

Leslie Gibson is in the air corps and is stationed near Salt Lake City. Rhea Gibson, who is in the army, is stationed at El Paso.

We are sorry to lose so many from this community. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yeager and children, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smoot, who moved to Hermleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Cooper and children, who have moved to Colorado City.

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Davis visited Sunday afternoon in Snyder with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sterling and children of Ira attended preaching here Sunday and had dinner in the C. N. von Roeder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Beavers of Clovis, New Mexico, spent several days in the Nolan von Roeder home. Mrs. Beavers is Mrs. von Roeder's sister.

Our meeting closed Saturday night. Rev. Cecil Ahodes delivered some fine sermons.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murphy and Peggy visited Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Sorrells Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Richter and Rudie and Mrs. H. von Roeder visited in the C. N. von Roeder and Ed Murphy homes a few days.

Mr. Matthews of Big Spring visited his daughter, Mrs. M. G. Davis, and Mr. Davis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brooks and children and Lura Davis spent Monday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis.

Nolan von Roeder and Max and Clarence Lowell Minton attended the 4-H Club camp at the Johnston tank near Gail Saturday night.

Mr. Barrett of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weathers and attended church here Thursday night.

W. H. Merritt and daughter, Jimmie, of Pleasant Hill visited in the Alvis Minton home Wednesday.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Visitors in the G. E. Chorn home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Layman and daughter, Annie Ray, Mrs. J. I. Chorn of Hermleigh.

Marcia Beavers of Snyder spent Friday night with her aunt, Mrs. Sam Chorn. They were shopping in Sweetwater Saturday.

Visitors in the Grady Gafford home Sunday afternoon were L. A. and Mac Hill, Bill Brown of Strayhorn and Elmer Howell.

Roy Spykes was in Fort Smith, Arkansas, several days the past week, where he attended the burial of a sister.

Mrs. Roy Spykes and sons, W. L. and Ken, visited Gwendolyn Spykes of San Angelo Sunday.

Ross Williams and family visited Sunday in the Johnnie Reed home. Mrs. Jones of Massachusetts, formerly Sybil Williams, arrived the past week for a stay with her parents.

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Marion Dabbs in the death of her aunt. She attended the funeral at Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore of Hermleigh visited Sam Cross and family Sunday night.

Warren Sturgeon of Hermleigh visited Jess Osborne Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Roggenstein and children and Mrs. Oz Roggenstein spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Davis of Ennis Creek.

Darlene Beavers and Peggy Harless, who are working at Post, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Several from this community enjoyed a weiner roast and chicken fry at the school house Saturday night.

Bennie Sims had a tonsil operation in the Rotan hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harless of Snyder and Mrs. Ben Harless and daughters, Bobby Lou and Geleska, have been visiting relatives in Amarillo.

Turner News

Nell Morrow, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Austin of Snyder visited in the J. E. Porry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glass spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bounds of Pleasant Hill.

Mrs. Frann Taylor and son of Midland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr and Mrs. L. M. Irion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sharp and baby of Killeen are visiting his sister, Mrs. Warren Boyd, and family.

Mark Boyd of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Boyd of Lamesa visited in the F. C. Boyd and Walter Boyd homes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boyd and son, Jimmie, were visitors in Snyder and Ira Sunday.

This community enjoyed a chicken fry Friday night at the school house, in honor of Ralph Bates, who is on furlough from Camp Edwards, Massachusetts. Everyone reported a nice time.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

Our school is progressing nicely, with Mrs. Eupha Shield and Treasea Williams as teachers. We welcome the teachers into our community, also Marseline Hickman and Bonnie von Roeder of Knapp. They are living at the teacherage and attending school at Snyder.

Mrs. Emmitt Bolin and children of Hermleigh visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones over the week-end.

Frances Evans, who is attending college at Lubbock, and Reginald Evans, who is working there, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Evans.

Bobby and Wayne Jones, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jones, are spending a few days here.

Jeanne Popejoy of Roscoe and Charles Gary and Nelda Dean Smith are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren and small son of Big Spring were guests in the Fred Russell home Sunday. Mary Frances returned home with them for a visit.

F. A. Payne of California visited Sunday with E. J. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sturgeon and sons of Colorado were dinner guests Sunday in the Floyd Jones home, as were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hassell of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Henley and children of Alba are visiting his sister, Mrs. Curtis Corbell, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Autry Light made a business trip to Colorado Tuesday.

G. W. Parks attended a rodeo at Midland Sunday.

J. P. Pitner Jr. of Bethel spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Corbell and children.

Dorothy Baron of Snyder was a supper guest of Letha Woodard Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Corbell and Patricia Kay visited with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades of Ira, last Wednesday.

Plainview is going to organize a singing class this fourth Sunday night. We invite everyone to come and help.

Martin News

Carolyn Ann Riley, Correspondent

Garland Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, enlisted in the navy Sunday.

Corporal and Mrs. James T. Comer and children of Abilene visited Geraldine Riley Friday evening.

Congratulations to Technical Sergeant and Mrs. R. J. Rosson of Mission on the arrival of a daughter. Technical Sergeant Rosson is formerly of this community.

I. O. Shaw of Big Spring visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Collins and daughter, Norma Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vickers of Ennis Creek visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jap Beck and sons.

Ida Jo Hart of Snyder spent last week-end with Dorothy Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rosson and children, Allie Beth and Eldon, of Crowder visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wray Huckabee.

Mrs. Tom C. Davis has been visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Weaver, and grandchild, who has had an operation.

George Gibson had as guests last week his brother and family of Lubbock.

Mrs. Guy Glenn has accepted a position as primary teacher at Dermott.

German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hilcher and daughter were in South Texas last week, visiting friends and relatives.

Alfred Goebel left for the army Thursday, September 10. He is stationed at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuss and children in the loss of their nephew, Edward Krecji of Hattisville, who was accidently killed last week.

Joe Mueller was honored on his birthday last Thursday night with a surprise party given by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulze. Gifts were unwrapped and admired, games were played and later in the evening refreshments were served. The following were present: Joe Mueller, Bussie Wimmer, Albert Kuss, Edwin Kuss, Johnnie Roemisch, Clarence Mueller, Henry Wenetschlaeger, Rosser Lee Jones and Travis Early of Snyder, Lilly Mae and Annie Schulze, and Ruth Tarter and Alfreida Schulze of Snyder.

Grandmother Schulze spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goebel and children.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darden and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wimmer, Mrs. Louis Schoppa and daughter and Evelyn Schattel spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schulze.

Ennis Creek News

Mrs. J. F. Panter, Correspondent

Mr. Hodge spent Friday night with his daughter, Mrs. George Parks, of Snyder.

Bill Deal and family of Pleasant Hill and Clifford James and family of Fisher County visited in the Loso home Sunday.

Mrs. Babe Prather and daughter returned to her home in Amarillo Sunday, after an extended visit with relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Caton visited in the Higginbotham home at Hermleigh Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Hart visited in Snyder Sunday.

Virgus Hart attended the roping contest at Midland Sunday.

Frank Eades has an abscess on one of his eyes. It has bothered him for two or three weeks and we are sorry to report it is no better.

Mrs. Evans and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Evans of Snyder visited in the Earl Davis home Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Stringer is on the sick list this week. She is taking treatments at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilson and children of Ira visited Allen Davis Sunday night.

School dismissed Friday for five or six weeks so the children can help pull bolls.

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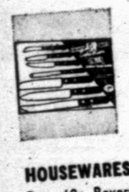
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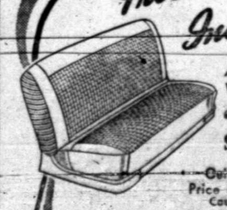
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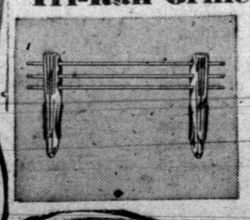
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Midway News

Doris Dixon, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Smalley, Mrs. Russel Halburt and son of Roby visited Sunday in the Grady Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scott and son of Garden City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weaks, Sunday. Lena Hodges returned home with them.

Wayne Seago and Jimmy Harris of Plainview are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Benton of Grand Falls visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Snowden and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford of Lubbock visited Saturday in the E. P. Alford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm White have moved to Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reep and children visited Sunday with Mrs. M. D. Reep of Roscoe.

Wanda June and James Gray Snowden visited Mrs. Bernice Worthington of Snyder Tuesday.

We are sorry to report Don Snowden in the hospital from a snake bite.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dixon and daughters visited his mother, Mrs. H. F. Dixon of Snyder, Sunday.

Mrs. Kincaid's sisters are visiting with her.

Sunday is regular preaching day. Everyone attend.

Bethel News

Helen Watkins, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson and daughter of Lubbock were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. (Pat) Johnson visited in the Hayes home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Watkins and children, Private Harmon and Helen, and Private Marvin Thompson were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clark of Snyder.

Mrs. N. A. Watkins visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Holland, in Snyder Monday.

Vivian Bullard is working in Snyder at Stinson Drug No. 1.

Mildred Watkins and Murry and Don Holland spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Watkins.

We are glad to see the pretty weather after so much rain. Cotton, which is opening fast, can be gathered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bullard were visiting in Snyder Sunday.

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Crowder News

Mrs. J. A. McKinney, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Foch Walton and little son, Raymond, visited relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. G. Moore and Mrs. Dewey and children visited in Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Farmer and son of Ira visited in the H. A. Smith home Sunday.

Farmers of this community have gone to pulling their cotton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Connell and Opal Faye spent the week-end visiting relatives at Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baggett are the proud parents of an eight-pound baby girl.

Callers in the Elza Rollins home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rollins of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Trevey, all of Sharon.

Joe Rollins had the misfortune of breaking an arm Thursday. His pony pitched him. His arm is doing nicely.

Mrs. Ted Haney has been on the sick list but is improving.

Mrs. Bill Baggett's mother, Mrs. Blair, of Blackwell is here visiting her new granddaughter, little Miss Baggett.

O. H. Rollins spent Saturday night with Allan Rollins of Snyder.

Mrs. Elza Rollins received the sad news that her aunt, Mrs. Joe Parks of Millet, died last Monday and was buried Tuesday at Necessity.

J. A. McKinney Jr. left Saturday for Sweetwater as a volunteer in the army air corps.

Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Some of the folks here have started gathering their cotton.

Celeta Pherigo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ray Walls of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pherigo and Tommy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sterling and Lorita were Sunday afternoon callers in the J. C. Walls home of Hermleigh.

Congratulations to Bertha Mohana and Sterling Woods of Lubbock, who were married Saturday afternoon at Idalou in a single ring ceremony read by Rev. Stevens, pastor of the Idalou Methodist Church, at his home. Mrs. Woods chose for her wedding costume a navy dress with black accessories. Mrs. Woods is well known in this community.

Gaynell Pherigo spent a few days last week in Lubbock visiting with friends. While there she attended the wedding of Bertha Mohana and Sterling Woods.

Several from this community attended the association at the Tabernacle Baptist Church Thursday and Friday.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Mrs. Frank Short of Oklahoma City returned home Tuesday after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rodgers.

Elnora Dosier is staying with Mrs. M. A. Dillard, who is recuperating from a tonsil operation at Colorado City.

J. C. and William Carruthers of California spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Carruthers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weir Sr. made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday of last week.

Eugene Kruse and J. E. Falls, accompanied by their sons, Jack and Jiggs, made a trip to Lubbock last week and made preparation for the two boys to enter school at Tech.

Annabelle Bryce left last week for Levelland, where she will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Webb and son, Lloyd, accompanied Mrs. G. W. Wiley and son, Walter, and John Wiley to Post Sunday.

Singing was fairly well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Angel and Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Price of Snyder visited in the P. A. Miller home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder of China Grove spent Sunday in the H. M. Blackard home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Franks and children, O. B. and Rosalee, of Round Top visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carlile and daughter, Eugenia, attended a party in the H. V. Dosier home at Sharon Ridge Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rogers were host and hostess to a group of young people at a picnic supper on Bull Creek Sunday afternoon. Sandwiches and cold drinks were served to the crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Autry of Snyder visited in the R. A. Hardee home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O W. Holloday and Mr and Mrs. Travis Allen and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen of Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carnes of Big Spring spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb, and his sister, Mrs. Eugene Kruse. Mrs. Carnes remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruse Cook, Mrs. Hill, and Mrs. J. D. Hambrick and sons of Winnsboro are visiting their daughter, sister and aunt, Mrs. J. G. Suiter.

Lieutenant Campbell Lloyd of South Carolina visited first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lloyd.

J. A Nabors visited in Big Spring Saturday.

Anna Mae Nabors returned to school at Lubbock Tuesday.

Virginia Suiter and Sarah Frances Kruse underwent tonsil and adenoid operations at Snyder General Hospital last week.

Mr. Hooten made a trip to Abilene Thursday for an army examination.

Mrs. Elmer Taylor of Snyder is teaching English here until we can get a permanent teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kruse accompanied their son, Jack, to Lubbock Tuesday, where he will enter Texas Tech.

Boll pulling is getting underway in our community this week.

Doyle Kelcy of Abilene filled his regular appointment at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and night.

John Favors left Sunday to work in an oil field at Odessa.

Mrs. O. H. Holladay and daughter, Doris, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elton Crowder of Dunn, one day last week.

Faye Chapman returned Saturday from an extended visit in California.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Connell and Opal Fay spent the week-end visiting in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones and daughters, Helen Cherry and Judith K., are visiting in this community.

The Earl Woolever family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bishop of Bison.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bryant of Smithville and Nathan Goolsby of Brownwood visited with the Shook family last week.

The Baptist pastor, Rev. Tatum, and family have moved to Snyder, where he could be closer to his work.

Delayed One Week.

Another big rain fell in this community Monday.

Rev. Ivy Biggs and family spent the week with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Biggs.

Mrs. Fred Gilbert and son of Plainview visited the J. L. Carrell family over the week-end.

Mrs. W. B. Lemons is visiting in Brownfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheredge visited in Hermleigh Sunday.

Staff Sergeant Renal Rosson of the Lubbock Air Base spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rosson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, Mrs. R. L. Jones and Opal and Myrtle Etheredge attended the Baptist Association at Hermleigh Monday.

Congratulations to Cleta Fern Anderson and Hardy Robinson, who were married last Wednesday.

E. M. Boles of Lamesa came by the J. B. Adams home Sunday afternoon on his way to Abilene, where he is working with the government maintainer.

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Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bolin and son, Ramon, spent Friday and Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sherrod, and sister, Mrs. G. Bowers, Mr. Bowers and James. The Bolins were returning to Amarillo to live, after spending five months in San Antonio, where R. B. was employed.

Mrs. Callie Mae Coons left Tuesday evening for her home in Los Angeles, California, after spending a few days here with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Williams, and brother, Sam, and family. Mrs. Coons came from Washington, D. C., where she had spent six months in government work as a dietician. Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Halbart and daughter, Elaine, of Sweetwater were also week-end guest of the Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Crowder carried their daughter, Merrian, to Abilene Sunday to enter Abilene Christian College.

Dewey Denson and son, Wayne, with Tommie Denson and Dale Cotton, carried Sue Denson to Denton Sunday. Sue enters college as a freshman.

O. H. Bowers of Center spent from Sunday through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and son, James.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hargroves of Camp Springs, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and son of Ennis Creek, W. C. Davidson of Rotan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davidson, Louise, Billie and J. B. Raymond Price of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, was a Saturday night guest in the Davidson home.

T. E. Grimes and son, T. E. Jr., of Dunn and J. P. Billingsley and son, J. P. Jr., of Snyder were in Stephenville Tuesday to make arrangements for the two juniors to enter John Tarleton next week. Lavelle Brown and Forrest Bowers also will attend Tarleton.

Mrs. J. B. Smallwood. Genelda and J. B. Jr. were in Amarillo over the week-end visiting with their husband and father. Mrs. John Sherrod and children accompanied the Smallwoods for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Nail, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sherrod and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nail and children have moved from the China Grove community to the farm formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McCollum. The McCollums have moved to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete White report the remodeling of their home is nearing completion.

Fluvanna News

Rita Dowdy, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rea Sr. and children of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rea Jr. and baby of Amarillo have been guests of their parents, Mrs. J. R. Wills and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rea and T. J. Rea and family.

Mrs C. F Landrum left Monday for Washington, D. C., for an extended visit with her daughter, Frances E. Jones, who is a government employee.

Mrs. G. Ball and son, A. V., and daughter, Mrs. Dee Pylant, and baby have returned from a visit with her daughters, Waunita and Alma Nell of Dallas. A. V. will leave soon for the army.

Mrs. James Beckham and baby daughter, Gwendolyn, of Kermit are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sneed and children. Mrs. Beckham is the former Eura Sneed.

Mrs. W. R. Craft and daughter, Agnes, of Southland were week-end guests of her daughter, Mrs. John A. Stavely.

Mrs. Cliff McKnight is in Houston attending her three granddaughters, who have been seriously ill but are improving. They are children of Mrs. Jessie Parker.

Nathan Beaver has returned home after an appendectomy at Snyder General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Flournoy and Mrs. J. J. Belew went to Lubbock Sunday to see A. Q. Flournoy, who was seriously ill in a Lubbock hospital. H. C. Flournoy remained with his brother.

The young people met Sunday night to organize a Young People's Association. The following officers were elested: Minnie Sue Landrum, president; Patsy Jones, vice president; L. C. Smith, secretary; Geraldine Landrum, treasurer; H. D. Smith, publicity chairman; Myrl Gary, sponsor.

A social was given Wednesday night at the home of L. B. Taylor, pastor of the Methodist Church. About 22 were present.

Two bales of cotton were ginned here Monday. E. K. Wills brought in the first bale, followed by Martin Freeman. A premium was given to Mr. Wills by the merchants for the first bale of the season.

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

DR. J. G. HICKS
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Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Sudie Bell, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vess Barnes, was operated Thursday in the Roscoe hospital for appendicitis. She returned home late Saturday and is doing nicely.

Several from our community attended the funeral of Lee Patterson Sunday afternoon at Pyron. Mr. Patterson had been ill in the Roscoe hospital several days before his passing there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Avary and children returned last week from Honey Grove, where they attended the funeral of his uncle, Marion Avary, 80, who was the only living brother of Mr. Avary's father, Dr. Avary formerly of Snyder. Dr. and Mrs. Avary, now of Lamesa, accompanied the local folks to Honey Grove.

ElRoy Reeves spent the week-end with his wife and other relatives here. ElRoy is serving in the U. S. Navy at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Roy Patterson of Sweetwater and her daughter, Mrs. Tubby Nelson, and small daughter of Orange took supper Sunday with Mrs. Laura Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscie Williams and children of Bell, Mrs. J. O. Jones Jr. of Holyoke, Massachusetts, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Williams and two children had dinner Sunday in the J. G. Reed home.

Mrs. Lloyd Panky will leave tomorrow (Wednesday) to meet her husband at a point in New Mexico. Mr. Panky has been in training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, for the past several weeks.

J. R. (Bud) Patterson has received his wings at Oklahoma City. Bud formerly attended school here, at Fluvanna and Snyder. He is the grandson of Mrs. Laura Patterson.

School days are here again and the children will get to enjoy the vocational agriculture building just completed, of which our community is justly proud.

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

Bison News

Mrs. A. W. Weathers, Correspondent

W. F. Burney of Snyder and Joe Burney and son, JoRue, made a business trip to Dora and Portales, New Mexico, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Burney of Dallas are entertaining a new girl.

Alfred Weathers Jr., who has been suffering from severe burns, is improving.

Margaret and Billy Davis of Ira visited Mrs. Joe Burney during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Huddleston entertained friends and relatives Sunday with a birthday dinner given in honor of Mrs. Huddleston's sister, Jessie Coleman of Sweetwater. Those who enjoyed the affair were: Mmes. Mabel Martin, Ross Claton and daughter, Ada Henderson and Jessie Coleman of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodge and son of Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Huddleston and boys of Ira, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weathers of Dermott, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Huddleston and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Huddleston and son of Sharon. Mr. and Mrs. Gene House and daughter of Ira called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baggett are entertaining a new girl in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haney visited Mrs. Haney's brother in El Paso last week.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids, accompanied by certified check in amount of 5 per cent of bid will be received at 2:00 p. m., September 25, at gymnasium building, Ira, Texas, by the Ira Independent Consolidated School Board of Trustees for rebuilding of high school building. Bids to be addressed to Ira School Board, Perry Echols, president, R. A. Hardee, secretary. Specifications and instructions can be secured from D. S. Castle Company, Architects, Abilene, Texas. The Ira School Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids for any cause. 15-3c

WORDS OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deepest and most sincere appreciation for the many kind favors and for the liberality shown us in the loss of our home, which was destroyed by fire. It is great to be remembered by our friends in such a nice manner. May God bless each of you, and out of sorrow, if sorrow should come, may we look to Him.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Davis and Ruth. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all for their words of comfort and acts of kindness, shown us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother. Especially do we appreciate the services of the Young Hospital. Also, for the beautiful flowers. May God's richest blessings be upon each of you.—H. W. Drum and children. 1p

IF YOU REALLY want good eats these September days, and service with a smile, see Worley Early at E.&H. Cafe. 1c

THIS WILL advise my appointment as independent executive of the estate of D. P. Yoder, deceased. All arrangements concerning accounts due the estate, as well as accounts against the estate will be made with me personally.—Mrs. D. P. Yoder, Ind. Exec. Est. of D. P. Yoder, deceased. 15-3c

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For Rent

FOR RENT — Furnished room and 4-room unfurnished apartment. Reasonable. Over Ben Franklin Store.—Nathan Rosenberg. 13-tfc

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FOR RENT—South one-half of duplex at 2712 Avenue S; unfurnished.—Dr. Scarborough. 1c

Real Estate

4% INTEREST on farm and ranch loans, 20 to 34 years time.—Hugh Boren, secretary-treasurer, Snyder National Farm Loan Association, Times basement. 35-tfc

602 ACRES, 75 in cultivation, five-room rock house, all modern conveniences, plenty water; sell with or without stock.—R. P. Marchbanks, Route 1, Snyder. 16-3p

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PLENTY OF NEW radios; all types; range of prices.—Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 11-tfc

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Lost and Found

LOST—15-month-old Jersey heifer; small spot in forehead. Please notify Marvin Snowden. 13-4p

LOST — Two female Dachshunds, black with brown markings. Please Notify Mrs. J. A. Stallings at Post, or phone 188, Post, collect. 1p

For Sale

FOR SALE — Excellent 150-acre black land farm; cash.—W. A. Cross, Hermleigh, Texas. 5-tfc

FOR SALE—Burroughs adding machine.—Ben Franklin Store. 13-tfc

ONE A. C. Model Allis-Chalmers tractor, power lift; one McCormick-Deering binder; one Papec feed mill; one cattle self-feeder. All practically new at prices to sell. Also one milk cow, fresh in six weeks.—R. O. McClure, three miles west, half mile north. 14-3p

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine; also the city incinerator building of sheet metals. Bids should be submitted to the city office.—J. S. Bradbury, city secretary. 15-2c

FOR SALE — One gas range, one kerosene range and seven rambouillet bucks. Inquire E. L. Darby Blacksmith & Welding Ship. 1c

FOR SALE—Seed wheat, clear of Johnson grass.—Steve Murphy, six miles northeast of town. 16-2p

GOOD BICYCLE for sale. See Sterling Taylor at Ford garage. 1p

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ALL-PURPOSE six-year-old Percheron stallion; sell cheap, $100. Good Jersey heifers and weaning pigs reasonably priced.—R. H. Bonner, Hermleigh. 1p

FOR SALE—50 pullets; 20 white leghorns, 15 buff orpingtons, 10 light brahmas, five silver lace wyandottes.—Mrs. J. W. W. Patterson, 3111 Avenue V. 1c

FOR SALE—One flat-top shop metal desk, one Simmons studio couch, one coffee table and two over-stuffed chairs. Phone 330J. 1c

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Saving Vegetable Seed

Edward S. Hyman, county agent, and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, point out the need of Scurry County farm families saving all good vegetable seed possible, since they will not only be high, but will be hard to get, next year. Seed of all vegetables, it is pointed out, should thoroughly mature, and after harvesting be spread out to dry. If thoroughly dried, seed of vegetables can be stored in paper containers and should be kept in a cool, dry place. Hanging containers of planting seed from rafters in barns and sheds will not be a bad idea, either, to keep rats and mice from the seed. Beans and peas should be treated with a teaspoon of carbon disulphide to a quart of seed to prevent weevil damage.

Behind Our Lines

"Beware of an America aroused," the current issue of Acco Press quotes from a message the Link-Belt Company is getting to people in all sections of the country. "Sure we've been rolling on rubber, eating our sirloin steaks, and lolling in the luxuries which only free Americans have the God-given genius to create. But we can still take it, and dish it out," the message warns.

"The world knows now that this 'love of luxury' is just a thin outer garment, easily whipped off in an emergency, and that, underneath, are muscles of steel. Sacrifice," the message of fighting words continues, "we will sacrifice anything but our liberty. We still remember Valley Forge, and the blood of our fathers in the snow. Death? Better death, any day, than life without freedom."

So closes a challenge to all red-blooded Americans on how people behind American lines of production are meeting the all-out war efforts so necessary to preserving freedom.

Strong Words, Neighbor

The following reprint of a Times editorial appeared in Monday's Dallas Morning News, State Press column. The editorial, plus the comments of the State Press man, J. J. Taylor, follow:

"Speaking along lines that got close to the hearts of Scurry County people, Hon. George Dupree of Lubbock, special assistant United States attorney, told people assembled here Saturday afternoon for flag dedicatory ceremonies that 'anyone who would intentionally hamper our war production program deserves a special seat in hell.' Those are strong words, neighbor, but they were spoken by a man who knew his subject, a man who makes it his business to keep his part of governmental duties clicking for Uncle Sam.

"The Honorable George used strong language, but, as The Times implies, it was thoroughly justified. For those of a skeptical generation who deny the existence of a literal hell, it might be added that we also have a special seat here in the United States for those who would intentionally hamper our war production program. This is a device making use of well-known principles of thermo-electricity and is known vulgarly as the hot seat, or frier. Any well-regarded penitentiary has one of these devices and a deliberate saboteur may expect to end his earthly career in one of these devices when caught and convicted. What we have to worry about now is the unintentional hampering of war production that goes on in this country. Many well-intentioned folks who think they are good citizens fall into this second and larger category. They are the folks who waste precious war materials or fail to help in rounding up precious scrap materials. It would be too strong perhaps to say that these people deserve a seat in hell. But they'll probably have to stand up a long time when they get to heaven while the true patriots are being served at the first sitting."

Editorial of the Week

AMERICA'S NATURAL RESOURCES

In the laboratories of America, miracles are in the process of being wrought. New frontiers of science are being explored. And old and commonplace materials are being turned to new and marvelous uses.

Coal and oil are cases in point. We think primarily of coal as a substance which provides motive power for industry and which heats homes. We think primarily of oil as a variety of liquids which propel our engines and lubricate our machinery. But coal and oil are the basis of new materials which serve a thousand other vital purposes.

The loss of our natural rubber is leading to the creation of a vast new synthetic rubber industry. Some kinds of synthetic rubber are made from oil derivatives. Other kinds are made of derivatives of coal. All the various synthetic rubbers have special and important uses. And the chemists are certain that, in time, we will have an abundant supply of artificial rubber which will be superior in all ways to the natural product.

We are just on the verge of what might be termed the "plastic age." Again, coal and oil enter prominently into the picture. They are the basis of a long list of plastics which will be used for an astonishing variety of purposes in the future. Plastic autos, plastic airplanes, plastic window glass, plastic furniture, plastic home utensils—these are but a few of the revolutionary chemical developments of the time.—The Post Dispatch.

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.

Taking the long and optimistic view of things, it can be said now, if we take for granted that Soviet Russia will remain a fighting force through the winter months, that replacements for the German army during 1943 bids fair to become one of Hitler's major problems. . . . Those who keep an eye on the military situation believe the German war machine will require a minimum of 1,000,000 men to maintain its present strength. . . . The Red Verdun at Stalingrad has caused thousands of wounded Germans to overflow hospitals near the eastern front, and the death rate in the German army is increasing in an alarming volume.

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Should Hitler call up the newest military class and retain the oldest, he will have about one-half the needed men for another year. . . . Since Hitler probably will reach out to vassal states for all the men he can muster, by methods of brutality and intimidation, the United Nations are due to call for greatly increased armies and navies to at least match the Hitler menace to the world during 1943. . . . This all-out global war is becoming more serious by the hour, and the sand in the hour glass of American freedom, war commentators admit, has dipped to its lowest level since the American Revolution.

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Contrary to rumors of the past few days, the U. S. Navy and U. S. Marines have not yet agreed for the draft to be extended to these branches of the nation's armed forces. . . . Both services will continue to rely on voluntary enlistments for the present, and hope that intensified enlistment programs will bring in badly needed recruits. . . . The army and navy, despite half-cracked rumors, are cooperating splendidly on voluntary enlistments, and high ranking officers in both services declare a great deal of harmony prevails at all recruiting stations. . . . Naturally, both branches of the service need more men as fast as they can get them, but one branch doesn't want to rob the other of enlistment "timber."

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Forthcoming congressional elections are causing members of both houses to run "political fevers," and the fear prevails that the administration will lose a number of seats in Congress this fall. . . . For the first time in President Roosevelt's career, it is feared the "silent vote" will go against him. . . . Conduct of the war, plus opposition to absentee voting for soldiers and other factors may result in the Democrats losing as many as 30 seats in Congress—if things don't go along "just right" between now and November. . . . It is regretable, in a way, that general elections would roll around during this critical time of war, and economic upheaval, but since it is inescapable, voters of the country might as well "get decided" on the issues at stake, and devote their minds to more important business—such as purchasing war bonds and stamps, and increasing food production to help feed those here and in many foreign lands.

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Take it for what it's worth, but numerous large mortgage holders are getting the mortgage blues in a grand way these days. . . . They have no legal authority to compel a mortgagor to safeguard his own property against possible war damages, and are hoping for a "break" to give property owners justification for taking out war-time policies against war damages. . . . The idea is not to impress on property owners the idea that sabotage might crop out anywhere, but rather that the risk from air raid demands some type of safeguard. . . . The government is being pressed to urge property owners to take out war damage insurance, which is, to the moment, inexpensive. . . . Just as a precautionary move, many mortgage holders are taking out insurance policies themselves—which gripes considerably.

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Since the entry of Brazil into the war, the feared coffee pinch is expected to be eased for the United States and Central America. . . . Convoyed ships ought to return, it is believed, with at least partial loads of the precious "ambrosia of morning beverages," and rationing of coffee should not be invoked before December 1, observers declare. . . . It's hard to tell whether consumers are unwilling, or unable, to trade in used tubes, but a survey conducted last week indicates toothpaste is gathering dust on the shelves of many dealers.

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Drastic curtailment of civilian travel for purely pleasure reasons has caused hotel men over the nation to predict that the era of big and expensive hotels, like some the U. S. Army has taken over, is definitely at an end. . . . Hotels of the future are expected by hotel men to be much less elaborate and seldom with more than 100 rooms.

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With all the involved problems brought in focus, freight deliveries are going to be slower, as the fall months roll around. . . . Attaches of the Office of Defense Transportation have even gone so far as to slow down fast freight schedules to insure full loading at all points. . . . Due to pressing demands of war, even mail service over the nation isn't what it was six months ago, and probably will change considerably during the next six months. . . . Consumers are learning, day by day, that war orders have priority, and are asked to anticipate needs, if possible, a few days ahead of time so freight shipments will not arrive too late for utilization of goods.

FAMOUS CLOSE SHAVES By Barber Sol



Best Attendance Of Year Reported By Lions Tuesday

Tuesday's Lions Club luncheon in the Manhattan Hotel, set aside as 100 per cent attendance day, was marked by the best attendance enjoyed at a club luncheon the past six months, Lyle Deffebach, president, states.

E. O. Wedgeworth directed the entertainment program, which consisted of orchestra numbers by a musical group assembled from all parts of the county. Musicians were Teddy Joe McMillan of Hermleigh, Lloyd Clark of Snyder, Lavell Brown of Dunn, Jack Price of Ira and Wedgeworth. The Elkins sisters gave some vocal numbers.

Pat Bullock, 118th District representative, gave an interesting talk on "Fundamentals." Tall Twister Allen Beadel was reported to have fined almost every Lion present.

Announcement was made that the Snyder club will send a good-sized delegation of Lions and their ladies to Lamesa Thursday evening, September 24, when the Lamesa club sponsors a chicken barbecue at the Lamesa Country Club. The session is a zone meeting.

Invitation for Snyder Lions and their ladies to be guests of the Lamesa club was extended by J. H. Norris, zone chairman for District 2-T.

Meat Conservation in County Being Urged

The War Production Board recommended this week that Scurry County civilians limit the amount of beef, veal, pork, lamb, mutton and sausage they buy, in view of the fact nation-wide meat rationing doubtless will be a reality in the near future.

Consumers are urged by the county board to conserve meats as closely as possible, and make sure that all waste fats and greases are sold to county grocery stores or meat markets.

Employment Offered By Snyder Concerns

Snyder and Scurry County housewives and others who would like to be considered for full-time employment selling in Snyder business firms during the cotton picking season were asked this week to contact the Chamber of Commerce by noon Saturday.

It is believed a number of housewives, who will want extra spending money, will be interested in part or full-time employment in Snyder firms and stores, and those interested can secure full information from the Chamber of Commerce.

County Folks Urged To Tune In "Texans On Alert" Sunday

All Snyder and Scurry County radio owners are requested by the Scurry County Civilian Defense Council to tune in Sunday afternoon, 2:00 o'clock, for presentation of "Texans on the Alert" over Texas Quality Network stations.

"Texans on the Alert" will be presented in Sunday afternoon series of broadcasts, and programs are also to those interested in civilian defense work, the county OCD states.

Ranger Dub Naylor, narrator for the series sponsored by the National Defense Committee for Texas and produced as a public service feature of the Texas Quality Network and the Texas School of the Air, advises local office of the OCD that copies of these regular programs can be made available upon request.

Sunday afternoon's program will be the sixth production in this series of Civilian Defense broadcasting from the studios of WFAA in Dallas, and carried over WOAI, Houston, WBAP, Fort Worth, and KPRC, Houston.

Paul Mariner Volunteers.

Paul Edwin Mariner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mariner of the Fluvanna community, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy, and has been assigned to Company 511, U. S. Naval Training Station at San Diego, California. C. W. Mariner, another son, is in the U. S. Army at Camp Bowie, Brownwood.

Have you bought Defense Stamps?

Soldier Favers Gets Promotion on Visit

Staff Sergeant Elmo Favers, on a six-day furlough, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Favers, and other relatives the past week. Sergeant Favers is stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso. While in Snyder, he was notified by wire of his promotion to staff sergeant. Jeff Favers and family, accompanied by Marguerite Wilson, all of San Antonio, also were here for a visit with relatives. Miss Wilson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obe Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Favers were accompanied by [illegible] and Morris, and Miss Wilson last week to attend the world's championship calf roping contest. The company's mascot, "Pearl Harbor," a wire-haired Scottie, of the 1852nd service unit, accompanied Sergeant Favers to Snyder.

Two Snyder Boys Go To Navy Enlistment

T. Weldon Mebane and Fricona Laurice Eicke, two Snyder boys, will do their part to "keep 'em flying," since they have enrolled as aircraft mechanic specialists in the army air forces. Mebane and Eicke, along with others enlisted at Abilene, have been assigned to Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells.

Pictures of the two local youths were printed in Sunday's Abilene Reporter-News as [illegible] listees boarded a bus bound for Dallas, area concentration point for the

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So many of our skilled, experienced service men are now members of the armed forces or are engaged in war industries that we have no choice except to organize our many service calls well in advance of the usual fall rush in order that all customers can be accommodated in ample time for winter. During this emergency it will be our sincere desire to comply with each customer's request as soon as possible before cold weather.

Skilled labor and conservation of rubber will continue to be vital factors in the serious business of winning the war. Therefore, we will appreciate your co-operation and personal assistance in all matters involving service calls. By taking good care of all your gas appliances for the duration you will be assisting our service organization to direct the major portion of its time to the serious responsibility of providing DEPENDABLE WAR-TIME GAS SERVICE.

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