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FIRST MEXICAN OF AREA KILLED AT WAR FRONT

Francisco Hinojosa Dies in Germany March 22—Nephew of County Judge Alps Reported Killed

Scurry County's war toll grew this week involved the first county Mexican dead of this war, Private First Class Francisco Hinojosa, who met death without flinching on March 22, and Sergeant H. V. Richards Jr., nephew of County Judge and Mrs. F. C. Halsten, killed in action February 23.

Both soldiers had previously been reported missing in action.

Private Hinojosa, in the last letter to his wife, Lola Hinojosa, on March 14 of this year said:

"This fighting is getting bitter and I feel that I will give my life for something worthwhile. Our country is such a sacred country that means everything to me and all Americans who give their lives for something we must keep alive. I'm praying to God that some day we will see the lights of peace over our country. If I get killed it's o. k. for my country and for a great peace to my countrymen."

Private Hinojosa entered service at Fort Bliss on February 12, 1942. From there he went respectively to Camp Wallace, New Orleans, Louisiana, and served 19 months in the Coast Guard in Puerto Rico.

Hinojosa was attached to Company F, 398th Infantry Regiment, U. S. Army, and only recently was awarded the Bronze Star medal for meritorious service. The citation which accompanied the award read:

"For meritorious service during the period of November 10, 1944, to December 10, 1944, in Eastern France.

"Throughout the period Private Hinojosa has performed his duties as rifleman with marked courage and aggressiveness. On one occasion, while ascending a hill occupied by the enemy, when his platoon leader, squad leader and two other men were ambushed by the enemy and the remainder of the platoon was subjected to terrific, small arms fire, he and two others succeeded in wiping out a hostile automatic weapon position which was vital to defense of the hills, and then firing his M-1 rifle with deadly accuracy was in the forefront of the assault which cleared the enemy from the hill."

Hinojosa, in addition to Bronze Star, held the Combat Infantryman's Badge and three campaign bars.

Messages of condolence were received this week by Mrs. Hinojosa and the mother, Mrs. Victor Ordena, from General George C. Marshall, chief of staff; George Mahon, 19th District congressman, and Major General W. A. Burress, U. S. Army, commanding.

The Snyder Mexican soldier is survived by his wife, Lola; the mother; and little sister, Lupe Cadena.

Sergeant Richards was killed in action February 23, somewhere in Germany, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Richards Sr. of 1333 Poplar Street, Abilene, are informed.

Young Richards, almost 22 years of age, was a nephew of Judge and Mrs. F. C. Hairston, and was attached to the 405th Infantry, 102nd Division, Ninth Army.

Richards had been overseas since September, and landed in France last September 26. He is survived by the parents; three sisters, Marjorie and Lillian of Abilene and Mrs. D. M. Cranfill Jr. of Grand Prairie; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richards of Goldthwaite.

High School Exes to Play Tigers April 20

Snyder High School exes will play Friday evening, April 20, 8:30 o'clock, next year's prospectives at Tiger Stadium.

Proceeds from the April 20 game, Coach Roy Thruston states, will go to buy football jackets for the Tiger players.

Admission prices will be 50 cents adults and 25 cents for children and students.

Who's New In Scurry County

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. White are announcing the arrival of a young lady in their home, who has been named Mary Elizabeth. New daughter of the Hermleigh couple, born April 3 at Snyder General Hospital, weighed eight pounds 11 ounces.

Lynda Gayle is the name given the new member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Praley of Route 1, Snyder, who was born April 4 at Snyder General Hospital. Lynda Gayle weighed nine pounds one ounce at birth.

Land or Water

The "Weasel," in which Snyder area service boys have ridden numerous times, scrambles out of a lake and up a steep bank "somewhere overseas." This type of equipment goes where even the enemy fears to tread.

Light Vote Cast In School Trustee Polling Saturday

Unusually light voting marked Saturday's school trustee elections in Scurry County school districts. In Snyder Independent School District only 14 votes were polled.

C. V. Thompson was reelected county school trustee for Precinct No. 3, and D. Z. Hess was reelected for Precinct No. 4 trustee.

Trustee election results, with reelected trustees indicated, follow:

Snyder—C. M. Wellborn and O. H. Clark, reelected.

Cottonwood—E. O. Murphy, reelected.

Canyon—O. P. Martin, reelected and Jim Sterline.

Bison—Morris Springer, reelected.

Bethel—Erdist Rinehart.

Independence—Jack DeWald.

Dermott—W. T. Steele.

Crowder—Elza Rollins, reelected.

Martin—Raymond House.

Ennis Creek—Frank A Wilson, reelected, Carl Brumley and Gaither Bell.

Turner—Tie between E. H. Williamson and J. D. Boyd, with three votes each.

China Grove—Lester Hall and Owen Lesley.

Whatley—Bill Riley.

Arah—Richard Parks.

Pyron—O. C. Hess and H. L. McMillan.

Lloyd Mountain—Sam Cross.

Dunn—Burton Echols, reelected, and Marvin Crabtree.

Fluvanna—T. M. Hughes and Doe Pylant.

Hermleigh—Harry McHaney and A. W. Roundtree, elected.

No report was available late Wednesday from Ira and Woodard.

Victory Council Will Meet Tuesday at 2:30

Next Tuesday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock a meeting of all community leaders in Scurry County's Victory Council will be held at the county agent's office, it was announced this week.

Purpose of the gathering will be to discuss the 1945 farm labor program as it applies to county farms—fixing up and taking care of labor during the 1945 harvest season.

D. A. Adams, state farm labor supervisor, of Plainview will discuss the 1945 program with all community Victory Council representatives.

Notices are going out this week to all Victory Council representatives. Any other persons interested in Scurry County's 1945 farm labor program are urged to attend the conclave.

Billie Mitchell Takes Dawson FSA Place

Billie Mitchell, formerly associated here with Cantrell Motor Company and former dairy operator, this week assumed duties as Farm Security Administration supervisor for Dawson County, with headquarters at Lamesa.

Mrs. Mitchell, teacher in Snyder Schools, will join her husband at conclusion of the present school term.

Alice Faye Mathis in Sam Houston Camp

Second Lieutenant Alice Faye Mathis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mathis of Fluvanna, is now stationed at Fort Sam Houston, with the U. S. Army Cadet Nurse Corps, where she is taking basic training, her parents learn.

Alice Faye graduated from Fluvanna High School in 1943, and was voted the school's best all around girl in 1941. She entered nurse training in 1942, and finished the nurse's course at Lubbock General Hospital January 25.

Lieutenant Mathis has a brother, Wayland L. Mathis in the U. S. Marine Corps, who has been with the marines in the South Pacific for over a year.

RATION BOARD SAFE STOLEN BY YEGGS TUESDAY

Large Haul of Gasoline Coupons, Some Food Stamps and Nine Tire Stamps Stolen

Scurry County's War Price and Rationing Board opened Tuesday morning, but to business, said enterprise, was transacted for several hours because some time between 8:30 p.m. Monday and 8:00 a.m. Tuesday a safe containing gasoline coupons was stolen from the board office.

Safe robbery, according to information gathered from the scene, evidently occurred Tuesday morning about 1:30 o'clock. One person sleeping in the rear of Marshall's Furniture Store heard a considerable amount of traveling in the alley back of the ration board at that time.

The safe crackers apparently loaded the OPA safe into the two-wheeled trailer, took the safe to a point near the city dump grounds southeast of town, and blew the bottom out of the safe here.

Trailer was left near the safe, and the safe was brought back Tuesday morning to back of the ration board in the conveyance.

Finger prints were taken on the safe, and a Department of Public Safety representative was here Tuesday. Sheriff Earl Strawn is assisting investigating officers in the case.

Safe crackers gained entrance to the rear of the ration board by breaking open door, and had to break a second door before they gained access to the strong box, kept in the ration board office proper.

Coupons taken in the Monday night "haul" included:

Gasoline Coupons—X6977888, one book; X045959 through 961, 10 books, 50 coupons; C6556000 through 6999, 22 coupons; X6014520 through 4700, 181 coupons.

Food Coupons—R-1333, 20 coupons; R-1334, 24 coupons; R-1614, 41 coupons; R-1615, 30 coupons; R-571, 497920 N through 922, three certificates.

Shoe Stamps—Sheet No. 313561A, nine stamps.

Anson Wins First Place in District Contest Saturday

Final count of all events in the District 5-A Conference meet held in Anson Saturday, in which Snyder was a contestant, showed Anson winner of the meeting with total of 95 points, Stamford as second with 85 points.

Events in the Anson conclave included tennis, literary, field and track events.

Entries in literary events were light, with several places being won by default.

In track events, Snyder boys' 440-yard relay won fourth place. In this event were Kenneth Snyder, Charlie and John Jay Boren and Louie Vaughn.

John Jay Boren won fourth place in the 440-yard dash and fourth in low hurdles. Raymond Bynum was an entry in both 220- and 880-yard dashes.

E. J. Moore entered shotput and discus throw, and Kenneth Snyder was a contestant in high jump.

Spring Training for Snyder High Tigers Started Last Week

Spring training for Snyder High School Tigers, which started last week, is going ahead on schedule, Coach Roy Thruston reports, with 29 boys being issued equipment.

Four senior boys have been named assistant coaches: Arel Paver, drill master; Kenneth Snyder, backfield coach; Charlie Boren, line coach; John Jay Boren, end coach; and Bro. Clifton Rogers, general flunky.

The following boys are reporting for training: Billy Joe York, Billy, Bob, and Jack Longbotham, Eldon and Weldon Perry, Rex Millhollon, Raymon and Don Bynum, Harland Birdwell, Louie Vaughn, Don Everett, Jack Gorman, Robert Preuitt, Bobby Shahan, Gerald Heinselmann, Elwood Blakely, R. L. Beasley, Joe Reynolds, Royce Higgs, Buster Woolver, George Richardson, Don Jones, Ford Spikes, E. J. Moore, Richard Land, J. H. Rollins, Wayland Bruton, and Bobby McMullan.

21 New Families to Snyder with Oil Jobs

Snyder this week gained a total of 21 new families as a result of new activities on Scurry County's oil front.

The new families, being welcomed to Snyder community, are rapidly filling up all vacancies in houses and apartments over town.

Men folks of the families are attached to drilling crews which are starting at least two new tests within the county's borders.

Could You Share Some Clothes?

Daily problem of this youngster is to get his head, arms and legs through the right holes in his only garment. Your contribution of used clean clothing will make life liveable for this youngster and thousands like him in war ravaged lands of Europe. Have a part in Scurry County's salvage clothing drive.

First GI Loan For County Goes For Robert Milliken

Scurry County's first approved GI loan, a livestock loan, has gone to Robert Milliken for purchase of livestock, it was revealed Tuesday.

Milliken, a discharged veteran of World War II, is quite honored to obtained the loan, because it constituted the second approved in the state.

Passage of the Farm Security Administration bill would provide funds for loans to approximately 600 Texas veterans now cut off from GI loans for farm purchases through banking and insurance laws, Ted Watson, assistant regional FSA director, said.

The FSA bill, voted out of the House appropriations committee Monday night, carries a $67,500,000 appropriation for rehabilitation loans, $25,000,000 of which is reserved for veterans, Watson said.

Of this amount Texas would get $2,000,000 reserved for veteran loans, and FSA average loans show that this would provide money for 365 men to purchase farms, Watson said.

In addition, $1,300,000 would be allotted this state for the general farm ownership program. Since veterans are given preference in these loans, another 235 could be served through the appropriation, Watson said.

Camp for Boy Scouts Sought by Area Men

Lyle Deffebach, Friday and Saturday made a tour in the Davis Mountains with other Buffalo Trail Council officials in an effort to locate a summer Boy Scout camp for the council.

Deffebach was in a party of 11 Scout officials including P. V. Thorson, council executive secretary, and W. A. Martin of Midland, former Snyder District Scout executive.

Camp Philmont, in New Mexico, will be closed to all except senior Boy Scouts, 15 years of age and up.

Buffalo Trail Council officials are endeavoring to get a Scout camp near Fort Davis, where adequate buildings are available in a former CCC camp.

Archie Holman Gets Bronze Star For Battle Action

Private Archie W. Holman, serving with the Second Infantry Division in Germany, has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for gallantry in action, Major General Walter M. Robertson, who made presentation to Holman, reports.

Citation accompanying the Bronze Star award to the Snyder soldier read in part:

"The Germans were laying an intense artillery barrage which preceded their attack to take the vital town of Elsenborn. During the shelling an infantry outpost, which was directly in front of Private Holman's position, was set on fire and overrun and expanded, paving a large gap in the lines.

"Private Holman, with utter disregard for his own personal safety and amidst a constant rain of enemy artillery, carried a 50-caliber machine gun into an open field and fired at the enemy. This action by Holman assisted in closing the gap and thus prevented the enemy from carrying his attack to a successful close."

12 Shriners to Make Amarillo Convention

Group of 12 Scurry County shriners, seven of whom will take Shrine work, will leave Friday afternoon for Amarillo, where they will attend Saturday the spring session of Khiva Shrine Temple.

Those who will take Shrine work are: Earl Strawn, J. P. Billingsley, who is a ring candidate, Carl Hairston, W. M. Davidson, Jack Byrd, Stanley Merkel and Martin Murphy, O. W. Holladay, Sam Williams, Ted Harry, J. B. Turner and Ernest Peterson of Pecan, who have already taken their work, compose remainder of the group.

The county group of Shriners will return over the week-end.

Dermott Gets RC Quota.

Dermott community, with Mrs. Bessie Perkins as chairman, is this week "over the top" in the community's Red Cross war fund drive. Dermott was assigned a goal of $107.

Salvage Clothes Drive Slated for Next Week

COUNTY RURAL SCHOOLS PLAN FOR PLAY DAY

All One-, Two- and Three-Teacher Schools Urged to Send Entries To Dunn Event April 20

County-wide Play Day for all one-, two- and three-teacher schools in Scurry County, will be held Friday, April 20, at Dunn, the Scurry County Teachers Association voted unanimously Saturday.

C. J. Smith, Dunn principal, extended the invitation to have the Play Day staged at the southern county school.

Mrs. Lida Rhoades of Lloyd Mountain was elected story telling director, and assembled teachers voted to have this event in two brackets, as follows:

Story telling for third grade students who are attending school the first term. In this event the child will learn the story and retell it.

In story telling for the second and third grades the story will be read to children and they will retell the story.

Other events, in addition to Play Day, which are regular Interscholastic League events, will include:

Spelling, second and third grades, with 50 words to be taken from spelling books. Spelling, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades, 100 words each, with words to be taken from school spellers.

Mrs. J. M. Glass, teacher at Fluvanna, was named spelling director.

Earl Horton, Ennis Creek principal, was selected director of playground events which will include 50- and 100-yard dashes, broad jumping and high jumping.

M. K. Maples, Dermott principal, was elected director for playground ball.

The teachers association extends invitation to every one-, two- and three-teacher school in Scurry County to participate in the April 20 Play Day events at Dunn.

Three County Boys Enlist for Navy Duty

Steve Harris Bavousett, J. W. Warren and Billy Mack Sullenger are Scurry County's three most recent joiners in the U. S. Navy, reports the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station at Abilene.

All three boys enlisted last Wednesday.

Bavousett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bavousett of Camp Springs; Warren the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Warren of Fluvanna; and Sullenger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sullenger of Snyder.

7,400 Checks Issued For Soil Conservation

Through Tuesday 7,400 soil conservation checks for 1944 had been mailed direct to Scurry County producers, Henry Carder, county AAA administrative officer, reports.

Checks for 1944 conservation practices mailed to date represent approximately $200,000 in federal payments to Scurry County.

On the basis of over-all total, check average was $142.85.

Pays with Life

Staff Sergeant Melvin Barron, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barron of Snyder, met death in combat on the dismal day of March 23 inside Germany, the War Department reports. Sergeant Barron attended Snyder Schools and was attached to an armored infantry division of the army.

Area Fruit Crop Ruined Tuesday By Dry Freeze

Scurry County orchard owners concluded this week that the county's 1945 peach crop had gone "by the board," and that only 10 to 15 per cent of the county's 1945 plum crop is left.

Nolan von Roeder of Von Roeder Seed Farms said this week that last Tuesday night's freeze had cost them $10,000. There will be no peaches this year in the von Roeder orchards.

A portion of Scurry County's 1945 berry crop, however, is believed to be saved and berry growers are hopeful of harvesting at least a fair crop of berries.

Scurry County, prior to last week's freeze, which was called a dry freeze, had the best prospects in 13 years for a fruit crop.

308 County Farmers Take Crop Insurance

Total of 380 Scurry County farms are covered by 1945 crop insurance, a check-up Tuesday night, after insurance deadline was past, reveals from the county AAA offices.

Insurance in county farms totals approximately $300,000, Henry Carder, county Triple A administrative officer, informs a Times reporter.

County producers, in taking out 1945 federal all-risk insurance, have crops insured against hail, rain, windstorms, insects, drouth and other hazards.

Tuesday, April 10, as Scurry County producers have been advised, marked the deadline for taking out crop insurance.

Commissioon Agent Praises Club Calves

Clarence Keen Commission Company of Fort Worth this week extends congratulations to Raymond King, county agent, and Buford Browning, Snyder vocational agriculture instructor, on the grand job done in supervising and handling of 19 4-H Club and FFA calves which last Wednesday brought the ceiling price on the Fort Worth market.

"The Scurry County calves," Keen Commission Company says, "were the only cattle that have brought the price of $17.35 on the Fort Worth market. Up to this sale the choice club calves on the Fort Worth market have brought from $14.50 to $16.50."

Paving Sealcoat Job In City Nears Finish

Given fair weather, Johnson Construction Company will this week finish seal coat application on approximately 70 blocks of Snyder streets this week-end.

So states Buddy Johnson, construction concern head, who expects to finish all machine application of asphalt with regular run today (Thursday) at noon.

After regular run is completed, hand application of asphalt will be made with a hand hose, under pressure, on intersections and odd turns where it would be impossible for the asphalt machine to operate.

Johnson states that select gravel is working nicely into the asphalt, and that streets already seal coated are in A-1 shape.

CITY RECEIVING DEPOTS SET UP FOR DEPOSITS

Campaign to Begin Monday, With Concerted Pick-Up Scheduled In Snyder Next Friday

Final plans with Tuesday's drive here for Scurry County's Salvage Clothing campaign, which will get underway Monday morning and continue through next week, Lyle Deffebach, county chairman, reported Wednesday.

While contributions of clean, usable and serviceable clothing will be welcome all next week, Friday, April 20, will be the big day of the campaign.

On Friday, April 20, business men of Snyder will be asked to contribute their pick-ups between the hours of 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m. for collection of used clothes at street corners.

On next Friday boys and girls within Snyder's city limits will make a house-to-house canvass for used serviceable clothes, and place collections on street corners for pick-ups.

Lindsey Griffin has been named chairman of the motor transportation committee, and members are Willard Jones and M. E. Stanfield.

All next week used clothes, sockets, underwear and substantial shoes as well as household linens, may be left in clothing boxes at stores of Snyder's dry cleaning plants, Chamber of Commerce, Snyder post office, basement of the Red Cross buildings, which will be collection headquarters.

Clothing, Deffebach stated, contributed next week will be for victims in the devastated areas of Europe and will when shipped be packed in 100-pound bundles.

Housewives who will not be at home, or who for not want to be disturbed Friday, April 20, are asked to put clothing for donation on front porches. Boys and girls will take up clothing to corners of city streets for collection by pick-ups.

Saturday, April 21, will be deadline for contributions, it is pointed out.

Mrs. John E. Sentell, chairman of the packing and sorting committee, will need volunteer help the following week in sorting and packing clothing.

Women who can help the week after the drive in packing clothes, etc., are urged to contact Mrs. Sentell at once.

Attention of clothing donors is called to arrangement with Snyder dry cleaners whereby used clothes will be cleaned for six cents per pound. Under this arrangement clothes so handled must go direct to shipping officers. Bundles of woolens to be cleaned by the cleaners should be weighed beforehand.

C. N. von Roeder has been named chairman of the drive's shipping committee, and the group is arranging shipping facilities.

Snyder and Scurry County people are urged to get behind next week's drive 100 per cent, for without clothes, woolens and linens thousands of war refugees in Europe will die during the next six months.

Henry J. Kaiser, of ship building fame, is national collection drive chairman.

Bullock to Speak at FFA Banquet Friday

Pat Bullock, 24th District senator, will be principal speaker Friday evening when Snyder High School's Future Farmers of America chapter stages its annual banquet in the high school gymnasium.

Buford Browning, Snyder vocational agriculture instructor, states the fathers of Snyder FFA boys will be special guests at the FFA banquet.

In addition to Bullock, other guests will include 118th District Representative Sterling Williams, Superintendent E. L. Parr, High School Principal M. E. Stanfield, Chamber of Commerce President Lyle Deffebach, J. F. Patterson, science teacher, and Coach Roy Thruston.

Canyon Test Drilling In Lime at 3,600 Feet

Still "making hole," George Livermore of Lubbock No. 1 Rollins wildcat test, three miles west of Canyon School, and 11 miles southwest of Snyder, was drilling today (Thursday) below 3,600 feet in hard lime, with unchanged formation.

No. 1 Rollins test is in the northwest corner, northeast one-fourth of Section 100, Block 97, H. & T. C. Railroad Survey.

IT TOOK SOME TALL MANEUVERING FOR CLUB CALVES TO BRING CEILING PRICE ON MARKET

It took a considerable amount of "business transacting" last Wednesday, but 19 head of yearlings fed by Scurry County 4-H Club and FFA chapter members brought the ceiling price in Fort Worth of $17.35 on the open market.

So reports The Fort Worth Star-Telegram, which says of the sale (first this year in which ceiling price was paid for yearlings on a group basis):

Last Wednesday 19 choice fed yearlings, bought by merchants of Snyder from farm club boys at the Scurry County Livestock Show, arrived at the market. The yearlings were bid the ceiling by H. L. Whisenant, buyer for Columbia Packing Company of Dallas, contingent on the production of certificates showing that the yearlings were actually 4-H fed beeves.

C. L. Keen Jr., salesman for Clarence Keen & Sons at the market, assured the bidder the papers would be forthcoming. But, in the meantime, an OPA official in Dallas asserted the price might be over the ceiling price and that started a series of conferences between buyer, salesman and OPA authorities and telephone calls from Fort Worth to Dallas, Snyder and other points to assure the legality of the sale.

In was learned that the OPA office in Lubbock had sanctioned the Scurry County club boys' sale. OPA officials in Snyder made affidavit that the sale was within the rules and sanctioned by the OPA. County Agent R. L. King of Scurry County rounded up the affidavits that the animals were genuine club boy feeding projects. Highest OPA officials in Dallas studied the case from all angles. All this investigation took from Wednesday morning to Friday.

Finally OPA approval of the sale at the ceiling price was granted. Keen & Sons could pay the Snyder merchants the maximum ceiling price for live cattle and forget the whole thing. Whisenant and the Columbia Packing Company could relax—they were within the law. The business men of Snyder could be proud to have marketed the first load of cattle to sell at the ceiling at Fort Worth. County Agent King and his 4-H Club boys were equally proud to have hit the ceiling with their fine cattle.

Everybody was happy, but it wasn't easy.

The WOMAN'S Page

Johnston Family In Sunday Reunion

A whole week-ender, with parties and a picnic outing, was crowded at Thompson's Dam Monday by the family of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston have six girls and four boys, three of the boys who have been in service having been furloughed home to see their sister Dora at Dallas. This was the first time they have all been together in several years.

The get-together was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hale and his children, Lavelle Lockwood, Max Duncan Bone and small son, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnston, Aviation Machinist's Mate Jack and Mrs. Bone Johnston and Beverly, Preston Marlin, Tinker, and Sarah Johnston.

Eastern Star to Meet

Stated meeting of the Snyder Chapter No. 434, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Masonic Hall. All members are urged to attend. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Dora Wood, secretary. Mrs. Hendrix, worthy matron.

In Nurse Corps

Now stationed at Fort Sam Houston for basic training is Cadet Nurse Alice Faye Mathis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mathis of Fluvanna. A 1943 graduate of Fluvanna High School, Alice Faye was voted best all around girl in 1941. She has received commission as a second lieutenant in the Cadet Nurse Corps.

Mrs. Owen Miller Feted on Birthday

A surprise birthday dinner for Mrs. Owen Miller of Abilene was given Sunday by Grandmother Woodever, Raymond Murphy and wife, Earl Woodever and family, Jack Davis and family, Paul Davis and family, Albert Miller and wife, Olen Pannin, Jimmy Rea and family and Bob Grant of Snyder, Tommy Sterling and family, Hoyle Cary and family, Mrs. Andy Tracey of Knapp.

A bountiful dinner was served to the guests. A nice time was reported by the attendants.

D. V. Merritt Honored on Birthday

Mrs. D. V. Merritt was hostess Sunday evening to a host of friends and relatives honoring her husband with a surprise birthday tea.

Large quantities of punch, his initial gifts, birthday cake was cut and served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Ray Hudson, Rev. N. E. Mooney of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merritt, Will Merritt, Mrs. Curtis Jeffries of Abilene, Mrs. Herbie Duncan, Dorries Worley, Loella Eades, Dorothy Knowlton of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bonner and daughter, Mrs. Charlene Coundrey, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Merritt Jr., Mrs. Ora Pitts, Sylvia Merritt of Sweetwater and Mrs. Arthur Duff.

Esrudoma Class In Monday Session

Esrudoma Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Wade, with Mrs. Edward Thompson as co-hostess.

Harold Wade gave two sacred piano selections, after which the house was called to order by the president. Fourteen members answered roll call by Mrs. Forest Sears. Minutes were read and reports were heard from the various committees, after which an interesting program was enjoyed, led by Mrs. W. D. Harral.

The program was opened by a prayer by Mrs. Harral. Mrs. Silas Davenport gave an inspirational devotion, followed by several poems read by Mrs. Clyde Boren. A song was rendered by Mrs. Boren, accompanied by Mrs. Melvin Newton at the piano. Mrs. Amos DeShazo closed the program with a prayer.

Refreshments of cake, topped with ice cream and fruit, were served to Mmes. Amos Joyce, Silas Davenport, Clyde Boren, Edgar Taylor, W. D. Harral, John DeShazo, O. B. Clark Jr. Melvin Newton, J. W. Nelson, Forest Sears and the hostesses. Mrs. T. M. Rylander and Mrs. C. R. Robertson were guests.

Two County Girls On ACC Honor Roll

Two Scurry County girls, Doris Bley of Fluvanna community and Merrian Crowder of Dunn, this week had their names placed on the honor roll at McMurry College, Abilene, for the fourth six weeks, college officials state.

Miss Bley had her name placed on the honor roll as a result of making a superior grade in three subjects. A freshman, she is majoring in business administration. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bley of Fluvanna.

Miss Crowder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. (Buddy) Crowder of Dunn, also made a superior grade in three subjects. A junior in ACC, Miss Crowder is majoring in art.

New Leaders Take Girl Scout Troop

Sue Sentell and Mrs. Addie York this week became leaders of Snyder Girl Scout Troop No. 5, senior girl organization.

Miss Sentell and Mrs. York report plans are underway for increasing activities in Troop No. 5, especially in activities for the summer months.

SHIRTS Finished 15c EACH
Snyder Steam Laundry
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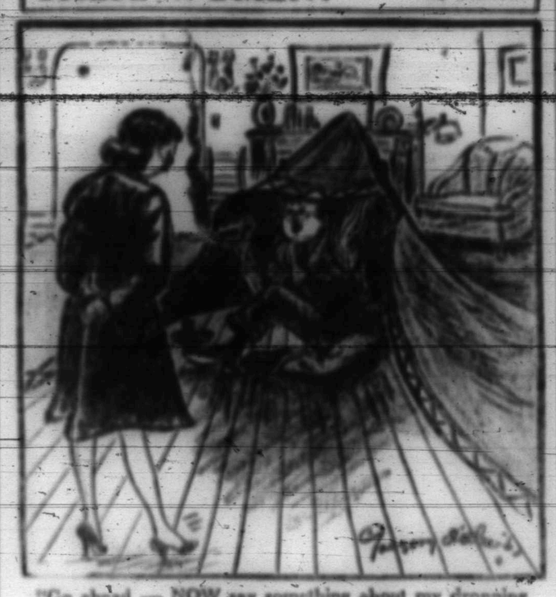
THESE WOMEN! * By d'Alessio



"Go ahead — NOW say something about my dropping ashes on the rug!"

PERSONALS

Mrs. Lee Roy Pounire of Shawnee, Oklahoma, spent last week here with his mother, Mrs. Mary Pounire.

Mrs. D. M. Cogdell and son, Billy, returned Monday from Dallas, where Billy received medical treatment.

Private First Class Clyde Black spent last week here with his family. He is stationed at Camp Maxey, Paris.

Private First Class L. D. King, who is stationed at Childress, spent Monday here with relatives and friends.

Claude Warren and family of Merkel were Sunday guests of Mrs. Juanita Bullenger and Mrs. Lora Warren.

Private First Class and Mrs. Rosser Lee Jones of Lubbock visited Rosser Lee's mother, Corene Jones, over the week-end.

Mrs. Ray Niedecken and her mother, Mrs. Buna Clark of Dunn, visited in Big Spring Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of Throckmorton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers, Sunday.

Mrs. T. V. Robertson of Phoenix, Arizona, is this week visiting her father, G. W. Lewis, and her sisters, Mrs. J. T. Ikard and Mrs. Rufus Davis.

William H. Haney, who recently received an honorable discharge from the army, spent last week-end at Odessa visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Roger McMillan, Tom Weaver McMillan and Bobby Curtis McMillan, all of Sweetwater, were week-end guests of Mrs. T. J. Weaver of East Snyder.

Private and Mrs. Travis Inman and boys of Sweetwater were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Inman Sunday. Private Inman has been stationed at Mineral Wells for the past few months.

Mrs. C. W. Studdleffield of Ballinger arrived here Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Pitner, and her brother, J. C. Pitner, who has been overseas for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Edwards entertained Mr. Edwards' sister, Mrs. Donald R. Stines, and her husband in their home Sunday. Mr. Stines' mother of Portland, Oregon, also visited in the Edwards home.

Visiting in the Jim Ikard home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cardwell of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Lee Moreland of Abilene and Mrs. T. V. Robertson of Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Webb received word last week that their daughter, Mrs. Maurice Pilcher, had moved from Pittsburg to New Orleans, Louisiana. She spent a few days here with her parents last week before moving to her new home.

BTU Group Enjoys Wiener Rost Tuesday

Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock the young people's department of the First Baptist Church Training Union enjoyed a wiener roast on the lawn of the church.

After playing several games, a fire was built in the barbecue pit, where attendants roasted their own wieners, and they were served with pickles, olives, buns, onions, mustard, cookies and iced tea.

Following the feast, a business session was held, with President Louella Eades presiding.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Merritt, Louella Eades, Evelyn Dorman, Martha Lou Henley, Margie Taggart, Barbara Jean Stewart, J. O. Morrison, Maxine Reynolds, Ralph Evans and Donald Devenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Thayne Mebane of Temple are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Mebane and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Berry, this week.

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Annie Floyd and Dock Rogers Marry

Words pattermen at 8:30 o'clock Annie Floyd and Sergeant Dock Rogers were married. Rev. Ray Hudson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the single ring ceremony in the parsonage.

The bride wore a blue two-piece dress with black accessories. For "something old" she carried a lace handkerchief belonging to Mrs. J. J. Allen. For "something new and blue" she wore a blue veiled hat. For "something borrowed" she wore a ring belonging to her sister, Mrs. John Rogers.

Attending the ceremony were Mrs. John Rogers, Mrs. Lloyd Bailey, sisters of the bride, and Mary Frances Rogers, sister of the bridegroom.

Annie the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Floyd of North Snyder. She attended Snyder High School and is well known among her age group. For the past few months the bride has been employed at the Abe Rogers Tailor Shop.

Sergeant Rogers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rogers, now residing at Bethesda, formerly of the Ennis Creek community. He spent 18 months overseas with the 142nd Infantry, Company G. For the past few months he has been stationed at Camp Maxey, Paris.

The couple spent a few days here and then left for a short honeymoon Wednesday. The couple will make their home at Paris.

Wesleyan Guild Meets in Towle Home

Wesleyan Service Guild of the Snyder Methodist Church met last week in the home of Mrs. H. O. Towle.

Next meeting of the group will be April 16 at 8:00 o'clock with Mrs. B. H. Odom.

Business and professional women of the town are invited by officials of the Guild to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Evans spent last week at Pyote visiting their son, Raymond Evans, and family.

Elda Jeann Littlepage New Sub-Deb Prexy

The Sub-Deb Club met April 9 in the home of Mary Dove Pyeor to elect new officers. The new officers are: Elda Jean Littlepage, president; Jean Taylor, vice president; Mary Lou Devenport, secretary; Patsy Spikes, treasurer.

After a discussion about the new members, the club adjourned.

Refreshments of ice cream and chocolate cake were served by Mary Dove to Patsy Spikes, Joy McClean, Mary Lou Devenport, Frances Sentell, Jean Taylor, Ella Jean Littlepage, Connie McMullen and Wanda Mills. Betty Bayouth and Mildred Glenn were not present.

China Grove Women Meet in Merket Home

China Grove Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Stanley Merket, with eight members, one visitor and Miss Rabel present.

The demonstrator gave an interesting talk on control of rodents and others pests, and a round table discussion on gardening was held.

Lieutenant Boden, registered nurse, was interviewed by members of the club which was very interesting.

Food and clothing demonstrators gave reports.

Members are supposed to bring socks to be exchanged at the next meeting which will be held with Mrs. Owens Lauter.

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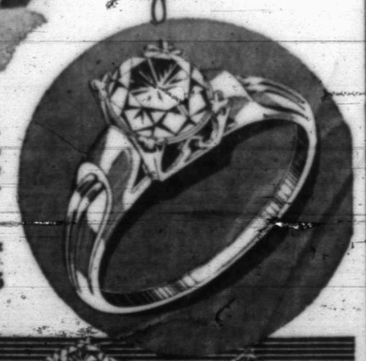
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2.—Take your contribution to your local COLLECTION DEPOT by Friday, April 20. These collection depots are, Snyder Tailoring Company, Jack Colwell, Tailor Shop, Joe Graham Tailor Shop, Abe Rogers Tailor Shop, Snyder Steam Laundry, Davis Laundry, Treet's Helpy Selfy Laundry, East Side Wash House, Ideal Laundry, Chamber of Commerce, County Agent's Office, Post Office and the NYA Building.

There will be a city-wide drive, Friday, April 20 for all clothes that have not been turned in. Don't wait for the drive however, but bring your clothes as soon as possible to one these places.

Rural communities will send or bring used clothing to their respective school houses where they will be picked up.

Hard and cruel have been the lives of young ones in war-torn countries. Children like these—20 million of them—are hungry, homeless, nearly naked. Deaths from exposure are often as many as deaths from starvation. Tuberculosis and typhus run rampant among them.

Never will their brave hearts forget the horrors of war. Never will their grateful hearts forget your gift of the clothing they so sorely need—clothing which now hangs unused in your closet—or reposes forgotten in your attic. And remember, these pitiful children of today will be our proud partners of tomorrow in keeping the permanent peace we are all fighting for! Isn't their everlasting friendship worth your spare clothing.

American must help clothe about 125 million men, women and children in Europe alone. This month, America must collect 150 million pounds of serviceable used clothing to take care of part of their needs.

Some of that clothing must be yours—as much as you spare.

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Mahon Advocates Holding Pacific Islands as Bases

Speaking recently in the House of Representatives on the 43rd anniversary of the United States retaking the Philippines in the Pacific, George Mahon, 19th District congressman, said:

"As a member of Congress, and as an American citizen, I respectfully urge that our government make no commitments which would preclude our retaining after the end of this war possession here which have been bought by American blood and money—lives by the 100,000 and billions of dollars, respectively. This is certainly in keeping with the Atlantic Charter.

"This is certainly in keeping with Mahon's view of the situation.

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Next Baptist Confab Set at Loraine Church

Scurry County Baptist churches were well represented Tuesday at monthly meeting of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association Workers' Conference held at Spade Baptist Church.

[illegible] United Tuesday's business. Program speakers included Rev. W. L. Munroe of Westbrook, Rev. Horton of Snyder, Temple Lewis and O. L. Hoof of Roscoe.

Bro. O. W. Parks, pastor of Spade Baptist Church, reports the Mission Study will be held with Loraine Baptist Church.

Legion Auxiliary to Give Radio Program

Member-ship radio events are slated to full EXXIX, Memorial Order (Thursday), at 4:15 p. m. with Mrs. R. H. Harber, president of the Odessa City American Legion Auxiliary, will speak on Child Welfare Month.

American Legion Auxiliaries take [illegible] in promoting work of loyalty and registering citizens of veterans to World War I and World War II. April has been designated Child Welfare Month for this purpose.

[illegible] and the rest of Uncle Sam's Defense Makers extends his remarks to declare that more than even a merchant marine we must have bases.

"We lacked," he pointed out, "operating bases in the Alaskan area and had none in the Far East except for isolated and inadequate Guam, none in the Central Pacific except Pearl Harbor, and only those recently acquired in the North and Central Atlantic outside of Cuba and the continental United States."

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14 Classified 1-A At Monday Meet Of Draft Board

Scurry County Selective Service Board in regular weekly meeting [illegible] registrants and made a total of 58 new classifications. Fourteen registrants were put in Class 1-A in the two classifications.

Results of Monday evening's board meeting follow:

Continued classifications:

Class 1-A (available for military service)—M. C. Burditt Jr., [illegible] Hester Bennett, [illegible] Wade Pratter, 1,[illegible] and Amery Clinton Bishop Jr., 1,304.

Class 2-B (engaged in war production)—Roy Lewis Cotell, order No. 11,304.

Class 2-C (deferred farmers)—Pearce Jones Bush, order No. 4,538.

New classifications:

Class 1-A (available for military service)—Jack Julian Reynolds, 375; Pete Tomas White, 1,292; Riley Wade Flood, 1,301; Robert James Flood, 11,737; Floyd Kenneth Moss, 11,116; Raymond Lawrence Duck, 11,346; Allen Marcellus, 11,347; Joe Brenton Goss, 11,348; Glyn Henry Roemer, 11,349; and Thurston Henry McCrary, 11,350.

Class 2-A (limited essential deferment)—Alpha Harmon Olivier, order No. 99.

Class 2-C (deferred farmers)—Antonio Peterkin Wickert, 97; and Curtis Talmadge Hendrix, 11,351.

Class 1-C (inducted)—J. E. Brown, 8-1,343; W. O. Webb Jr., 10,705; Cur Lee Thompson, 10,902; Perry Wilbert Mason, 10,851; Clarence Wilson Stokes, 10,906; Lloyd Valentine McGlaun, 11,009; Alvis Overton Niedecken, 11,053; John Luther Pargason Jr., 11,004; Herbert Clyde Bearden, 11,101; and William Lee Weaver, 11,118.

Class 1-C (inducted)—Luther Ray Reith, 10,989.

Class 2-AF (disqualified for military service but engaged in occupation necessary to national health and safety)—John Lemuel Beaton, 9; Lee Howell McCombs, 62; J. P. Walker, 65; George Milton Fletcher, 83; Apiinan Costilla Romero, 87-A; Marshall Gibson, 96; Orval Wilkey Cates, 140; Roy Clinton Holdren, 174; James Albert Clark Jr., 188; Thurman Melvin James, 192; Murray Davis Smith, 199; John W. Powell, 211; John Patrick Boyer, 502; Horace Dillard Richardson, 10,249; William Troy Bentley, 10,404; Oscar Donald Aucutt, 10,835; Everett Ray Clark, 10,978; and Raymond R. Van Zandt.

Class 2-BF (disqualified for military service but engaged in war production)—Clarence D. Wells, 152; Harry Junior Gill, 10,116; James Severn Cotton, 10,388; Roy Hugh Kinney, 10,402; Marshall Allen Gleghorn, 10,475; and James Hubert Wells, 10,668.

Class 2-GF (disqualified for military service but engaged in agricultural work)—Clyde Benjamin Garrison, 10,704; Cranford Lanney Twilligan, 36; Joptha Henry Landrum, 166; Kennell Pettie Lofton Jr., 708; Gerald C. Walton, 10,305; Anderson Davis Jr., 10,378; James Hulett Tate, 10,582; William Cornelius Hart, 10,698; Pasqual Castillo Romero, 10,821; Aaron Allen Lepour, 10,908; Darrell Newson Sims, 11,139; and Earl Henry Barton, 11,140.

Class 4-F (rejected for service in physical examination)—Panch McDonald, 1,304; Vernon Calloway Eggleston, 10,801; Porfirio Sanchez, 10,404; Gray Ora Webb Jr., 10,503; and Lee Edward Gill, 11,139.

New H-SU Head

Long associated with Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, Dr. R. S. Richardson is the new H-SU president. Dr. Richardson succeeds the late Dr. J. D. Sandefer.

Robert Hall Reports To Fort in Maryland

Corporal Robert L. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hall, former Cuba Grove residents now at Colorado City, has returned to camp after spending a 10-day furlough with relatives and friends of Scurry and Mitchell Counties.

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Gonzalez to Preach For Mexican Church

Rev. E. P. Gonzalez, pastor, who returned this week from Dallas, where he held a revival meeting, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning and evening for services at the Mexican Baptist Church.

Rev. Gonzalez will preach morning at the 11:00 o'clock hour and again Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Santa Fe Area Crops Look Good on April 1

"Entire area around Snyder served by the Santa Fe is enjoying a [illegible] of activity as crops continue to make satisfactory progress," says the April 1 agricultural condition report of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company.

"Running true to form, the report continues, "indications point to increases in sale, peanuts and cotton. The type mains, while that of hybrid corn and grain sorghums will be reduced.

"Livestock of all kinds is generally in good condition, with plenty of feed, including early spring grass and small grain fields being pastured are holding up remarkably well.

Mrs. Claude Lloyd of Abilene was a week-end guest of Mrs. Ray Niedecken.

Bus Schedule T. N. M. & O. Bus Lines

NORTH BOUND

2:25 A. M.	3:55 P. M.
6:00 A. M.	6:55 P. M.
10:05 A. M.	10:05 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND

4:24 A. M.	2:24 P. M.
8:54 A. M.	4:54 P. M.
	9:54 P. M.

EAST BOUND

12:25 P. M. to Roby, Anson, Albany.

WEST BOUND

7:00 P. M.—to Gail, Lamesa, Seminole, Hobbs, New Mexico. Connections to El Paso

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REPORT OF AUDIT OF

J. V. ROBINSON, Tax Collector

SNYDER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SNYDER, TEXAS

As per agreement I have made an audit of Mr. J. V. Robinson, Tax Collector for the said school district, for period beginning April 1, 1944 and ending April 6, 1945, a detail report of which follows.—A. C. PREUITT, Auditor.

DEBITS: TAX COLLECTIONS

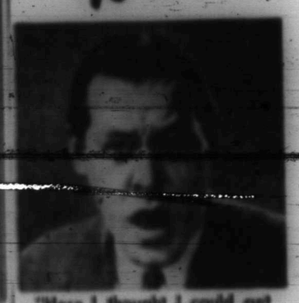
Current 1944 taxes collected	$19,792.36	
Delinquent taxes collected	2,884.26	
Penalty and Interest collected	839.82	
Total collections	$23,516.44	
Less Bank Service Charge on out of city checks	3.74	$23,512.70

CREDITS: DISTRIBUTION OF COLLECTIONS
Deposits to the credit of the respective school funds.

Dates of Deposits	Sinking Fund	Local Fund	
April 1944	$ 131.59	$ 197.39	
May 1944	118.34	177.51	
July 1944	182.14	273.21	
September 19, 1944	76.92	115.38	
October 16, 1944	57.70	86.56	
November 3, 1944	2,171.79	3,257.69	
December 19, 1944	1,144.04	1,716.07	
January 30, 1945	1,955.99	2,933.98	
March 6, 1945	2,863.99	4,295.99	
April 6, 1945	128.92	193.37	
April 6, 1945	563.22	844.84	
Total	$9,394.64	$14,091.99	$23,486.63
Cash in hands of J. V. Robinson, Collector			$ 26.07

In going over the records of Mr. Robinson, Tax Collector, I found them accurate and complete in every instance and handled in a truly business like manner. A. C. PREUITT.

"What a terrible blow to me!"



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"What a blow! Now I find out it may be V-Day plus maybe two or three years before I can get one."

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Pork LIVER	Fresh Per Pound	23c
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Stew MEAT	Boneless Lean Per Pound	29c
Wieners	Large Per Pound	25c
SHORTENING	Swift's Jewel 4-Lb. Carton	79c
TEA ½ LB.	Schilling's ¼-Lb. Package	25c / 45c
Olives	Mrs. Winston's—Select Spanish—Good—Pint	33c
Coffee	Folger's 3-Lb. Jar	69c
PECANS	Shelled—We Sacked Em—½ Pound	59c
TOMATOES	Fresh Per Pound	19c
AVACADOS	Fresh Each	25c
Carrots	Fresh 2 Bunches	15c
GOBLIN	Turnip or Mustard Greens—No. 2 Can	11c
Fruit COCKTAIL	Gold Bar No. 2½ Can	33c
Plenty Carnation Milk for Infants	BRING THE INFANT!	
CRACKERS	Sunshine Graham—Fr for Cooking—1 Lb.	19c
Soap	Lux or Lifebuoy 2 Bars for	15c

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Lions to Present "Home Fronters" As Benefit Play

"The Home Fronters" is the title for the comedy-mystery Lions Club sponsored play which Roy Thruston and Lions Tuesday had been selected for presentation here in the near future.

Thruston has been selected to direct the forthcoming production for the club. Announcement was made at Tuesday's luncheon that the play would be staged this week-end and date for the event, which is sponsored by the club for the benefit of its welfare projects, will be set later. Proceeds will go to the club fund. Thruston outlined the play and plans for presentation.

Two intriguing plays were given Tuesday by members of the speech class of Snyder High School. Mrs. Gerald Gordon is speech class director.

"Dixie Lee Ousty" was presented with Etch Wilburn as Mrs. Wilson, Mary Martin as Mrs. Peters and Wayne Pitner as Mr. Harris.

In "Aunt Betsy and the Oil Stock" Del Wilson was Aunt Betsy and Wayne Pitner acted the role of salesman.

Announcement was made by Lyle Deflebach, county salvage clothing chairman, that plans had been completed for the county-wide rag and clothing drive here next week.

Club guests were John Downs of Abilene, Mary Martin, Wayne Pitner, D. L. Wilson, Etch Wilburn of Snyder High School speech class and Coach Roy Thruston.

Hereford Head

Roy is Lloyd Wheelock, new president of the Texas Hereford Association by almost a unanimous vote of ballots. Snyder gave 1000 members toured this week. Wheelock succeeds Jack Frost of Sweetwater. Harvie Winston of Snyder was reelected as a director of the Texas Hereford Association.

Mrs. H. V. Williams Attends Funeral of Sister at Maypearl

Mrs. H. V. Williams returned last week from Ellis County, where she went to attend the funeral of a sister, Mrs. N. J. Blair of Maypearl, who died March 12. The funeral was held at Maypearl March 12.

Mrs. Blair was 72 years of age. She had lived near Maypearl all her life and had been a member of the Methodist Church many years.

Surviving Mrs. Blair are her husband, N. J. Blair; and four sons, Mercer Blair of Lubbock, Lloyd and Weldon Blair of Maypearl and William Blair of Arlington; three sisters, Mrs. D. T. Copeland of Auburn, Mrs. H. V. Williams of Snyder and Mrs. Georgia Martin of Maypearl; and six grandchildren.

While gone Mrs. Williams attended a birthday celebration of one of her brothers-in-law, D. T. Copeland, who was 80 years old on March 24. She also visited relatives at Waxahachie, Maypearl, Auburn, Grandview and Abilene.

O. P. Trueblood Passes Sunday at Home at Age 79

Death came Sunday, 11:40 o'clock, in Southeast Snyder and claimed the life of Oliver Perry Trueblood, 79-year-old Snyder bricklayer. Mr. Trueblood was at his home and had been in failing health for several months.

Born April 28, 1866, in Virginia, Trueblood had lived in Scurry County 30 years and had been a member for many years of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the Snyder Methodist Church. Rev. O. D. Hurley, pastor, assisted by Rev. Roy Thurman, Snyder First Baptist Church pastor, officiated.

Pallbearers were Joe Eaton, John Abercrombie, P. L. Pope, Joe Graham, Edgar Snyder and R. A. Pitner.

Mmes. Leland Wood, J. W. Green Jr., W. H. Shirley and Ray Phillips were in charge of floral offerings.

Mr. Trueblood is survived by one wife; a son, Elmer Trueblood of El Paso; and three step-children, Mmes. J. L. Green and Harvey Shuler of Snyder, L. B. Putnam of Dallas and Mrs. W. A. Prescott of Big Spring; and a number of nephews and nieces.

Odom Funeral Home directed arrangements, and burial was made in Snyder Cemetery.

To the Voters of North Snyder

I wish to thank each of you for your support in last Tuesday's city election. It seems to me that we can get along on our side of town, but this time some outsiders had to butt in as usual.

Several years ago a certain business man was selling the city several hundred dollars worth of goods each year, at the same time owing the city several years back taxes. I made a motion that the city give him credit on his taxes instead of paying him the cash. The above mentioned motion carried and he has been riding me ever since. Last week he had a lot to say as to why I should not be reelected, but as usual people did not pay him much attention. This same gentleman does not live in this part of the city, so I think he should dry up like Scurry County was in 1917 and 1918.

I am for this side of town at all times, but am also for anything that will help the entire city. I think my record will show that to be a fact, but I am not going to be bulldozed into something that I don't think we need.

Assuring you that I appreciate your support and that I am ready at all times to render any service possible, I remain—Wright Monroe, Alderman, Ward No. 1, Snyder. 1p

Leonard Spence on Way Home.

First Lieutenant Leonard Spence, 36th Division, recently liberated from a German prison camp by onrush of the mighty Soviet army, is still in the East but en route to the United States, according to word received here by his brother, G. C. Spence.

Mrs. M. A. White and children are here visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Doak. They are from Texas City.

Buddy with County Boy Visits Parents

Unexpected news came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones of Route 1, Hermleigh, Sunday when Staff Sergeant John Miller of New York, New York, arrived for a brief visit.

Sergeant Miller was with the same B-17 Flying Fortress crew as the Jones' son, Technical Sergeant John W. Jones, over in England. The young boy is now a prisoner of war in Germany, and to recall a recent letter from him.

Sergeant Miller finished his mission and came back to the States in October, and was en route home to give the family some complete information on the Hermleigh air corps member.

H. V. Dosier Works As Leader of Squad

Private H. V. Dosier of the Ira community has been made an acting squad leader at the Infantry Replacement Training Center at Camp Roberts, Robert Fielding representative reported Wednesday.

A member of Company D, 34th Battalion, 11th Training Regiment, Private Dosier's leadership ability won quick recognition in his basic training cycle and he now leads the 12 men in his squad during field maneuvers.

Young Dosier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dosier Sr. of Star Route, Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Crenshaw are this week visiting homefolks here. The Crenshaws are employed at Pantex ordnance plant at Amarillo.

First Baptist Church

The month of April has started off in a good way in our church life. We hope this will continue and even get better and better as the weeks pass. Our revival meeting helped all of us in many ways. We want to express our appreciation that Br. McCuen brought us.

The pastor will speak at both services Sunday. The morning sermon subject is "Only Consecration of Men." At the evening hour the subject will be "God, Redemption."

We urge you to make attendance at the Lord's house on the Lord's day a definite part of your program. Visitors always welcome. Rev. Roy Thurman, Pastor.

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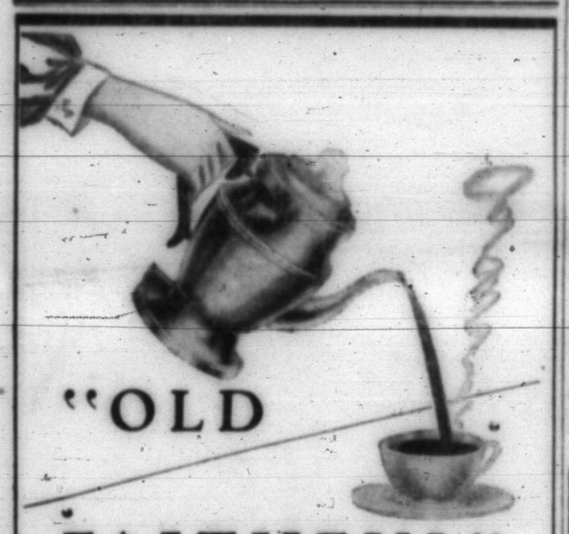

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APRICOTS	Masterpiece No. 2½ Can	25c
Turnip GREENS	Goblin 2 No. 2 Cans	25c
MILK	Kraft Powdered Package	25c
MACARONI	Sunset Gold Package	10c
Mince MEAT	Lady Betty Per Jar	35c
Oats	Sunset Gold—Quick Cooking—3 Pounds	23c

California ORANGES	Lb.	11c
Winesap APPLES	Lb.	14c
Fresh Green BEANS	Lb.	18c
Fresh EGG PLANT	Lb.	12½c
Fresh CARROTS	Bunch	7c

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News About County Folks You Know

Bison News

Sue McKinney, Correspondent

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Worley of Dunn were Sunday visitors in the Frank Jones home.

Mrs. Mona Lewis of Sweetwater is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Ella Jones.

Charles Brown of Sweetwater visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Brown, last week.

Mrs. Ella Jones visited with her children and Thursday to visit in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Ella Jones and Mrs. Frank Jones were visitors in Sweetwater Thursday.

Mrs. Ella Dotson of Fort Worth is visiting in the A. C. Cargile home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Milner of Sweetwater moved into our community. We are always glad to welcome new families into our community.

Private J. E. Kemp Jr. of Camp Polk, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kemp, has returned to camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Ford and son, Carl Wayne, of O'Donnell visited in the E. E. Ford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Truswell of Sweetwater spent the week-end in the Walter Truswell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stallcup and children spent Saturday night at dinner with the Pirtle family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clanton and son and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Rudolph and daughters visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beaver of Melvin and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beaver of Lubbock.

The C. C. Randolph family and the Bed Randolph family spent Sunday with the Homer Randolph and the Bud Ford families of O'Donnell. Mrs. C. C. Randolph returned home with them.

Junior Randolph is visiting with relatives at O'Donnell this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Blair visited over the week-end at Robert Lee and Mrs. Blair's father and brother, Mesers. Jones, returned home with them for a visit.

Camp Springs

Mrs. Chas. Smith, Correspondent

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We had a Easter program, with Easter "on the ground" Sunday.

Rumors have been circulated that the stores at Ira are closed on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Pooler and children spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton [illegible].

Mrs. Cora Clark died on Mrs. Bessie Mosley Saturday.

Dewey Beaver of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, visited his parents, the Jim Beavers, Easter Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Williams and Mrs. John Russell made a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jim Beavers visited by phone with W. [illegible] on Sunday night.

Mrs. Jim Beavers visited in the Tom Flanders home at Hermleigh Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. B. Williams of Hermleigh visited Mrs. W. M. Wells Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Pooler and two children spent Sunday, April 8, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ward.

Polar News

Bessie Randolph, Correspondent

Mrs. Garland Wall spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Aleta Richards and Mr. Joe Wells of Ottawood Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bailey of Lacy Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cargile.

Mrs. Bessie Crawford of Sweetwater is in her mother's home nearby with a sick [illegible].

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Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Gladys Hill of Bullinger is visiting with Mrs. O. D. McPherson and Mrs. A. Elmore here. They were roommates while attending school at San Angelo several months ago. Sergeant O. D. McPherson is with the air corps in England.

Mrs. Tom Mitchell and son of Duncan, California, are visiting her mother, Mrs. O. D. Patterson, and family.

First Lieutenant R. Patterson of Lowry Field, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Patterson of Dallas were here Monday with their [illegible].

Uncle and grandmother Mrs. Laura Patterson, J. R. has been transferred from Lowry Field, where he has been flying B-17s and B-24s, to Lincoln, Nebraska, where he will fly B-29s and go overseas when he completes his course there. He graduated from the Kearney Air Base, stationed before his induction in the Infantry February, 1941, and trained with the National Guards at Camp Bowie, Brownwood. After several months there he was transferred to the air corps and has been in several states. He formerly lived here with his parents.

Tom Stewart was honored Sunday on his seventy-seventh anniversary with a dinner, and greatly enjoyed the pleasure of having all his living children present for the first time in 13 years. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart moved here from Comanche about 13 years ago. Those present were J. V. Stewart of Abilene, Morley Stewart and family of Texas, New Mexico, O. C. Stewart of Webster, Jim Stewart of Comanche, Mrs. Ira Schaal of Clovis, New Mexico, Mrs. C. E. Hills and Finley Stewart and families of this place. Mrs. Tom Stewart and the honoree. Seven of his 28 grandchildren also were present. He and the present Mrs. Stewart were married 35 years ago in Comanche County.

Second Lieutenant Beatrice Carruth of Meadow, a niece of J. A. Henry, is serving as a nurse with a hospital unit attached to a B-25 Mitchell bomber group and has been with air corps units throughout the North African, Sicilian and Italian campaigns since December, 1942. She completed her three years of nurse's training at Lubbock General Hospital in June, 1941, and joined the Army Nurses Corps April, 1942, [illegible] Army Air Bases.

Sergeant and Mrs. Forest Beavers of Del Rio visited in the Frank Nachlinger home last week. Sergeant Beavers was formerly football coach of the Hermleigh Cardinals.

Mrs. Maude Leverett of Abilene called to see Mrs. Laura Patterson Saturday. She formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Williams and daughter, Joan, of the Plainview community and the Aubrey Williams family took dinner with the writer Sunday.

Mrs. Aubrey Williams has learned that her brother, Private Albert Kuss, who was wounded in Europe several weeks ago, is returning to the States for medical care.

Mrs. P. E. Wade left Sunday to [illegible]

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

The junior Sunday school class enjoyed a picnic lunch and Easter egg hunt in the home of H. Grel Lenfield. Mrs. Lottie Brett is the teacher.

Mrs. Ab Williamson spent several days at Roscoe at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Jones, who was hurt in the hospital. She is now improved at this writing and able to be home.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cox visited at Brookshire over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Garrett and [illegible] and Mrs. Cecil Brown and Alta Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gibson at Martin Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers and [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. Bertner of Dunn spent Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Mashburn and Pat were Sunday dinner guests of Dean Miller and family at Arch.

[illegible] relatives at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. W. W. Early of Snyder visited friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Joyce spent the week-end at Lubbock with Corporal and Mrs. Joy Vaughn.

A. W. Mobley is in the Roscoe Hospital for medical care. He operates a barber shop here.

Seaman Second Class Robert H. (Bunky) Lee is visiting his wife and young son this week. Robert has just finished boot training at Sampson, California, and will take a 19-day radio course after his furlough is up.

Mrs. George O. Brown of Ivanhoe, California, learned last week that her husband, Private George Brown, was a German prisoner-of-war. He was captured in December. Atchley-Brown is the former Florene Atchley and lived here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Atchley, before moving to California.

Plainview News

Mrs. John Woodard, Correspondent

L. D. Kiser of the Children Army Air Field was a dinner guest Monday in the Fred Russell home.

Pauline and Ruth Pearl Green of Dunn and Colleen Smith of Snyder spent Friday night with Lottie Woodard.

Anita Hoad of Sweetwater visited with Polly Pope Sunday.

Mrs. Reveille J. Pierce was in Abilene Monday on business.

E. J. Hazel and Irvin Sturgeon are spending a few days in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Calley Tarrant and children of Phoenix were guests [illegible] Sunday.

Visiting Sunday in the John Wood[illegible] home were Mrs. Homer Pulley and son, Billy, and Omer Parker, all of Snyder, Mrs. J. Grubbs and Mrs. Doyle Crowder of Sweetwater.

Sprinkle Falls Tuesday.

Snyder citizens Tuesday afternoon gave Snyder only a trace of rain, although prospects were bright for heavy showers. The rain, which amounted to a sharp sprinkle, was not enough to count in town.

Bill Mederith and family of Abilene visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

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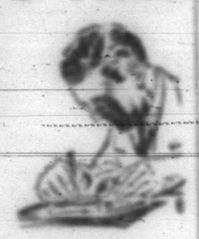

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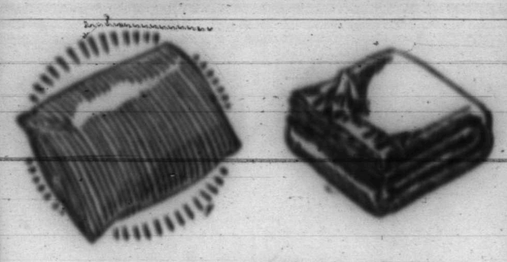

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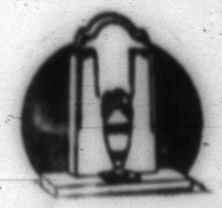

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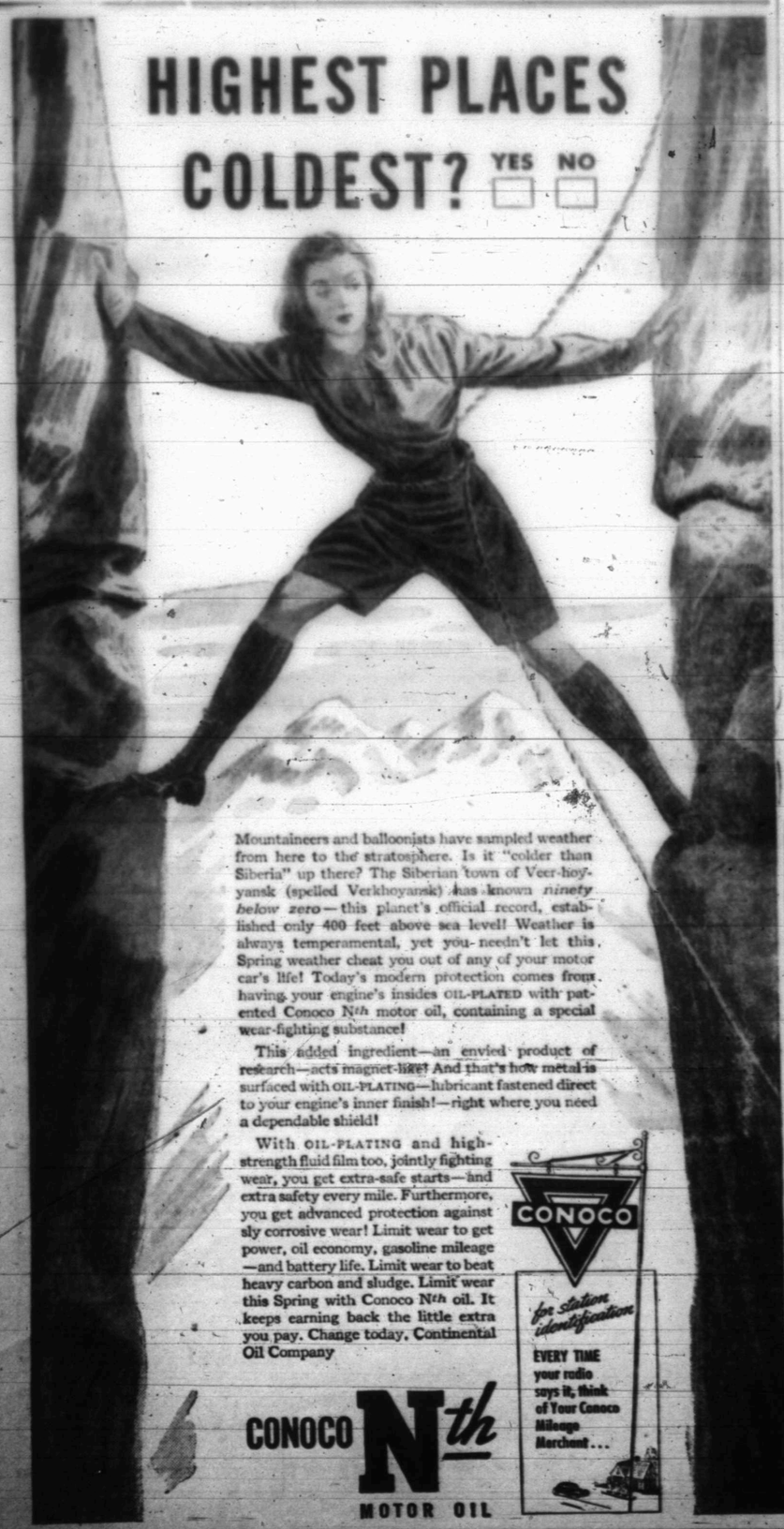

Mountaineers and balloonists have sampled weather from here to the stratosphere. Is it "colder than Siberia" up there? The Siberian town of Veer-hoy-yansk (spelled Verkhoyansk) has known *ninety below zero*—this planet's official record, established only 400 feet above sea level! Weather is always temperamental, yet you needn't let this Spring weather cheat you out of any of your motor car's life! Today's modern protection comes from having your engine's insides OIL-PLATED with patented Conoco Nth motor oil, containing a special wear-fighting substance!

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Round Top News

Mrs. Buddy Crowder, Correspondent

Noelle Franks is visiting her sister, Mrs. Preston Crowder, at Bank Springs.

Mrs. W. R. Payne spent Sunday with Mrs. L. P. Dunn at Triangle.

Winnie Evelyn Hoop spent the week-end with relatives at Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reeves spent Thursday visiting her brother, R. J. James, and wife at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brown were visitors in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brown of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Durham while Friday night.

Mrs. Delmar Roth of Lubbock spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Durham.

Mrs. W. A. Payne and daughter, Pauline, are spending the week with her parents at Cisburne.

Katrina Smith and Julia Eva Ellis attended the junior-senior banquet at Snyder Friday night.

Mrs. Graham Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Glasscock, at Snyder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm James spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Crowder.

Marlin James spent the week-end with Don Reeves.

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Hobbs News

Mrs. Sam Etheredge, Correspondent

W. B. Etheredge and family of Midway spent Sunday with Sam Etheredge and family. B. B. Etheredge and family of Hermleigh and Bobby Jo Reep of Sweetwater also visited in the Sam Etheredge home.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe [illegible] visited their parents. They were Mrs. Buster Tygart and daughter of Dallas, Mrs. Jimmie Hopson and little son of Greenville and Haskell Tompkins, who is in the Navy and stationed at San Diego, California.

A big crowd attended the all-day singing Sunday at the Hobbs school house.

James Holleton has lately spent a few days with his parents. James is in the navy, stationed at San Diego, California.

Hobbs High School boys attended the track meet at Highland Saturday. They won several first, second and third places. They will go to Abilene Saturday and attend the regional track meet.

Tora Lee Etheredge of Fort Sumner, New Mexico, who has spent the last three weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Etheredge Sr., has returned to her job there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reep visited in the Martin Reep home at Camp Springs, Saturday.

Mrs. Pete Morris and two children of Rotan visited in this community last Friday.

Sam Etheredge and family visited in the S. L. Etheredge home Saturday night.

All kinds of news at The Times.

Murphy News

Mrs. Ben Weathers, Correspondent

Alvis Minton and son visited last Monday in the Ed Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franklin and children of near Snyder visited with friends in the community Sunday.

Morris Lynn Crowder spent Saturday night with his cousin, Billy Murphy, and family.

Alec D. Murphy visited Tuesday in the Lee Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Davis and son were week-end visitors of Snyder relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crowder visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Bonney Pitner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sellers and children spent Saturday night in the J. N. Sellers home in Snyder.

Messrs. Bonney Pitner, C. C. Sellers, L. T. Nelson Sr. were off early Monday morning to Devil's River for a two or three-day fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Bowder and Max were Friday night guests in the Bonney McGill home at Lorenzo.

Lloyd Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hastings and children of Sand Springs spent Friday night in the L. T. Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowder and children of Meadow visited Sunday in the Lloyd Murphy home with his sister, who has been bedfast the past five weeks for a heart test.

Misses Ed and Alex Murphy attended court at Gail Monday.

Our Red Cross report this week stated that Borden County was the first in the state to go over its goal.

Floyd Burhanna and son were community visitors Sunday.

Ben Weathers was a business caller at Big Spring Monday morning.

The largest per cent of the fruit crop was lost to Jack Frost the first of last week despite the fact that the old memory notes had leafed out and that assorted birds were to be seen before Easter.

Sunday is church day at Murphy.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Our community suffered a cold spell last week that got all the fruit and gardens.

Mrs. Lena M. Holladay and daughter, Doris, and Mrs. Hoad Prather and each daughter, Judy, visited Friday with Mrs. O. W. Holladay and mother, Mrs. Lona Holladay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb and son, Jerry, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webb at O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Webb at Lubbock.

Pfc Etta Stewart of Abilene and Mrs. J. W. Crowder and son, Roy, of Forsan spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eades and son, Benny Mack, of Iuka spent Sunday in the Doyle Eades home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children, Betty Lou, Billie and Robert, spent Sunday in the W. A. Henry home of Snyder.

Pranny Ackey of Iuka spent the week-end with Loarita Crowder.

Dale Crowder spent the week-end with his daddy, J. W. Crowder, at Forsan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilburn of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Sweely Allen and children, Calvin Sandra and Carol, of Triangle visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Allen.

Mrs. O. W. Holladay and daughter, Jan, of Triangle attended church here Sunday and were guests at noon of Mrs. Lona Holladay and daughter, Doris.

We welcome into our midst Rev. and Mrs. O. E. Williams and sons. They come from Clovis, New Mexico. Rev. Williams will pastor the Church of God.

Corporal and Mrs. Herle Kruse and son, Stanley Wayne, spent the week-end with relatives at Orlando, Kermit and Garfield, New Mexico.

We are glad to report Mrs. A. A. Turner recovering nicely after an operation in a Colorado City hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carruthers visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kidd at Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy and son, Billy, visited in the Ed Grant home at Dunn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Sterling of Knapp spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hardee.

O. E. Finley of Coahoma spent the week-end with his wife and children.

Several from here attended a party in honor of Mrs. R. O. Brewer of Dunn Monday. Many lovely gifts were opened. Cookies and punch were served.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Oeral Green and Mrs. John L. Green in the loss of their grandfather and father, O. P. Truebloed, who passed away Sunday night.

Burton Kelly, Grady Sutter and Edgar Eades made a business trip to Abilene first of the week.

Mrs. Cleo Keller is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keller at Snyder.

Jerry Pitner spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pitner.

Mrs. Jesse Grizzle is staying with Mrs. Porter and taking care of Jimmy.

Mrs. J. R. Walling and Alice Cross spent the week-end with relatives at Merkel.

The Ira High School seniors will present their play, "Calling All Girls," Friday night. Admission will be 15 and 20 cents. Cast of characters follows: James Schels as George Hanks, Walton Key as David Hanks, Billy Lee Childress as Polly Hanks, Marilyn Howe as Molly Hanks, Joe Dunn as Hank Mayfield, Lanette Crowder as Reta Davis, Anita Belle Layne as Maxie Morris, Helen Sutter as Norma Linden, Julia Ellis as Bessie Brown, Troy Thompson as Julius Johnson, and Juke Autry as Jim Hilton.

The juniors and seniors enjoyed a banquet at the Manhattan Hotel in Snyder Friday night.

Principal O. R. Porter carried a group of boys and girls to Greenwich and played baseball. The Ira boys and girls were defeated.

Turner News

Mrs. T. C. Morrow, Correspondent

L. L. Lewis and family of Crowder visited in the home of J. H. Perry Sunday.

Everett Clarkson and family visited in the home of Mrs. Clarkson's sister, Mrs. Julia Bynum, in Snyder Sunday.

[illegible] visited in the home of A. C. Bailey and family.

Paul Davis and family visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. W. M. Davis, Sunday.

Jack Rainey and family of Crowder community visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Sammy Read, and family Sunday.

L. N. Lillybridge and family visited in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Martin, at Rotan Wednesday night.

[illegible] visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Johnson, Sunday.

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Flavanna News

Ola Steely, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McDaniel enjoyed having seven of their children home over the week-end. Their daughter, Mrs. Johnny Mae Darden and family of Big Spring, Lt. Dale, of Reno and Jackson, of Camp Maxwell and wife of Shreveport, La., were present for a dinner for the occasion. Pfc. Jackson has recently returned from overseas duty and is now stationed at Camp Maxwell.

Clay and Roy Dooley took some cattle to the stock market at Lubbock Tuesday. While there they visited Roy's mother, Mrs. C. E. Dooley.

Sergt. Dick Miller spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller. He was on his way to the West Coast for an embarkation center.

Mrs. Leo Dorsey spent last week at Sweetwater with her people. Her husband, Pfc. Leo Dorsey, who has been stationed several months now while in the Pacific theater, was home.

O. W. Noel and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Wills, visited with Mrs. Claud Beach Sunday, who is with her daughter at Winters, route 2.

Mrs. Pat Jones took her mother, Mrs. W. J. Bauer, to Fort Worth for dental work. Mrs. L. P. Dorsey accompanied them.

Corporal Melton Steely, who has been stationed at Lubbock Army Air Field, was recently sent to Madison, Wisconsin, where he will study radio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wills visited with their son, R. B. Jr., last Wednesday at Lubbock before he was transferred to Fort Hood, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Maddox visited at Rotan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lipan of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lipan, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones spent to Lubbock Friday on business.

Ennis Creek News

Mrs. Alice Davis, Correspondent

Rev. Authrey Wade of Abilene will conduct services at the school house at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning, April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosie Walker and baby visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and daughter, Ann, of Snyder.

Lois Davis of Sweet Home spent Friday night and Saturday with Rhea and Tommy Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brumley and Mrs. Gaither Bell made a business trip to Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton and sons, Hilton and Tommy, were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Davis at Mount View.

Richard Davis spent Wednesday night of last week with Tommy Davis at Winters.

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Thomas Gets to Sister's Funeral.

Cpoln Thomas J. Walker's furlough was called in San Texas this week upon weight of word that his sister passed away. Additional details will be carried in next week's Times.

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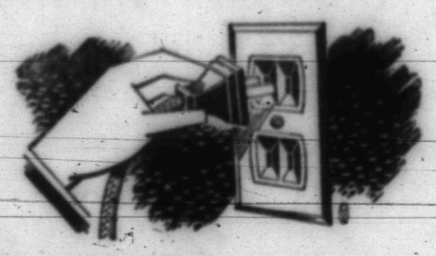

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Big Sulphur News

Clara Mae Lewis, Correspondent

Visitors in the H. B. Lewis home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rea of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Huddleston and daughter, of Hermleigh, J. E. Lewis and daughters and Mrs. M. E. Lewis.

Venita Joy and Debna Gay Henley spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Adams at Snyder.

Homer Alderman of Toledo visited in the J. H. Henley home part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Vineyard and son spent Monday in the H. B. Lewis home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Hobbs and daughter in the Plainview community. They were celebrating little Grace Hobbs' birthday.

Mrs. M. E. Lewis is visiting this week with her son, Buell Lewis, and family.

Mrs. Jim A. Adams and son, Jimmy, of Sweetwater visited over the week-end with a sister, Mrs. J. H. Henley, and children.

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FRESH and heavy springer cows; one for every purse.—Worley Early at Coop Gin. 38-tfc

FOR SALE—450 bushels of Hopper cottonseed; first year from pedigreed.—C. M. Perry, Route 1, Fluvanna. 42-4p

FINE VIOLIN for sale. If interested write O. L. Matthews, Polar Route, Dermott, Texas, and let him tell you about this violin. 44-3p

GRASS SEED—Bermuda, blue grass and clover seed, $1 per pound. Vigoro is a good tonic for your lawn—we have it.—Bell Flower Shop. 44-2c

RESIDENCE LOT in West Snyder, across from 2305 Avenue U for sale; size 75x181 feet. Write Otis D. Carter, 233½ North Brand Boulevard, Glendale 3, California. 44-7p

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FOR SALE—Two-wheel cattle trailer with fair tires, and pre-war hay bed. Call Raymond Rossen at telephone 48. 45-2p

FOR SALE—New Perfection oil burner cook stove and ice refrigerator.—Thompson Barber Shop. 1p

FOR SALE—Four acres of land, five room house, barn and out houses. See W. R. Cox, Northeast Snyder, Texas. 45-3p

FOR SALE—New improved Porter tomato plants.—Ruth Seabourn, 2212 26th Street. 1p

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WANTED — To keep your income tax records on a contract basis. Accurate and reasonable. Call 219 Lyle Deffebach. 29-tfc

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WANTED—Someone with combine to thresh bundle bonita.—G. M. Garner, 4½ miles northwest of Snyder, Texas. 45-2p

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Mrs. T. J. Weaver, 1200 28th Street, Snyder. 1c

Legals

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

To Odis Smith, Greeting: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1945, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the courthouse in Snyder, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 2nd day of April, 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 4161. The names of the parties in said suit are: Opal Smith as plaintiff, and Odis Smith as defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Divorce; grounds, abandonment.

Issued this the 3rd day of April, 1945.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1945.—Eunice Weatherbee, Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 44-4t

Lost and Found

LOST — 17-inch tire and tube on wheel, lost between my place and Snyder. Reward for return to W. B. Rogers, four miles north of Ira. 1p

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1945 Crop Insurance

That Scurry County farmers are really put on the matter of federal crop insurance for the 1945 crop year is indicated by the fact several federal fellows are now [illegible] in the county [illegible] crop protection.

Crop insurance is also a money in the farmer as building and automatic insurance is on the production and hazards that. With crops insured from 50 to 75 per cent of normal yield, producers can be assured of some income this year, come what may, and can feel assured that shortages of yesteryears will be entirely delivered during this decisive year of the war.

Key Pacific Bases

George Mahon, 19th District congressman, raises a very timely issue with his recommendation that the government retain at all costs key Pacific bases after the war—since such bases are being bought this very day with the blood and flesh of American soldiers from this area and elsewhere.

There is considerable question over wisdom of our wading in, for example, on Iwo Jima—a worthless hunk of volcanic lava and ash—but since we paid so high a price we would be worse than foolish to relinquish our claims to this blood-stained bit of land, or any other, after the war.

We speak of important marine needs, of international agreements among nations in commerce for tomorrow, but worst of all we will need the key bases in the Pacific's lesson if we maintain peace. We were not adequately prepared with advance bases for this war, and we must simulate a like mistake again.

Give Your Used Clothes

Scurry County's annual salvage clothing campaign slated for next week will truly be successful if every family in the county contributes of their full means to the drive.

If every family in the county can contribute only a small amount of clean, mend clothing, suffering and misery of several million war victims overseas will be greatly alleviated.

When it comes to the point of seeing peoples in any part of the world going naked because they have no clothes to wear, our hearts in this Christian nation not only go out to the innocent victims of Axis warfare, but our actions must bespeak our helpfulness in so great a humane cause.

If you have but a few items of clean, serviceable clothing to donate next week, do not hesitate to do so. We in America have not really been hurt by the war yet, but we must in a spirit of Christian love help clothe the naked and help feed the orphans of a war we did out utmost to avoid.

Editorial of the Week

GREATEST WAR CASUALTY

Education in America is one of the most critical casualties of the war. . . .

Two hundred thousand teachers have left the classrooms since Pearl Harbor. Thousands have entered the armed forces. The rising cost of living has forced other thousands to accept the higher wages of war of teachers. Classes have been enlarged. Courses industry.

Schools have been closed because of the shortage have been modified or eliminated. Like their teachers, millions of students have left school for the battlefield or war work.

Education has been inevitably cut, condensed and disrupted to meet the insatiable demands of victory.

It is a false hope to believe that victory itself will automatically restore all that we have lost in the field of education. The ravages of war go deeper than that. Reconversion is as grave a problem in the classroom as it is in the workshop.

It will not be enough to return to peace-time levels of education. The 1940 census showed that 10,000,000 Americans—13 per cent of our people—were illiterate. Selective Service records show that 4,366,000 American physical or mental defects, including illiteracy. That men were rejected for military service because of total equals the number serving overseas with our army.

These are tragic figures. Our system failed those men in the past. We must not fail them in the future.—The Texas Outlook.

On this year's cotton crop, price support will be supplied if necessary by Commodity Credit Corporation. . . . It looked this week as though the government will have to clamp a ceiling price on raw cotton instead of buying to support the market. . . . We frankly could get along very well this year without any more lint cotton, but we have, one way or the other, simply got to have a big 1945 cottonseed crop. . . . And cotton, by the way, has not yet been crossbred to the point it will produce only seed.

Words Not in Your Dictionary

WIZARD—Anyone who saves money nowadays; he's more than a miser.

MODERN MOTHER—A person who never strikes her child except in self defense.

UMBRELLA—The only thing that some people put away for a rainy day.

SHAPELY WOMAN—A female who seems to be afraid that a square meal will spoil her curves.

MOTHER—A person who, seeing there are only four pieces of pie for five people, promptly announces that she never did care for pie.

Current Comment

Editor's Note: Expressions of opinion 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 our view on a topic of the day.

BY LEON GUINN

With war news developing at lightning speed on the European front, there is considerable discussion as to merits of the World Security Conference, scheduled to be held soon at San Francisco . . . . Politics will be to complete and involved at the conference, it is held, that several months' time will be required to arrive at any suitable and just solution to post-war government in Europe not to.

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Really and truly, after the war, there will be ample time to set up a security part for the world at large and "iron out" such problems as colonial trusteeship, League of Nations mandates and use of armed force in maintaining the peace in future periods of stress and turmoil. . . . American policy at the hour is to concede the world organization ultimate authority over all world real estate not contained within boundaries of an established nation.

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If we can keep all or at least practically all vehicles now on the roads "alive through '45," there holdout now hope this week that America may be able to keep parts controlled to retail points in enough volume to keep our transportation system from going entirely to pieces. . . . When one considers congested conditions in bus terminals, railroad stations and airline offices, one can appreciate all the more any type of "jalopy" that will still roll under its own power.

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Over what is left of Germany the long, white leaves of vapor trails from our Flying Fortresses, B-29's and other ships are ranging this week unhalloweed by what was once the Nazi Luftwaffe. . . . People in this of war are apt to be a little forgetful, but we have been pounding German targets day by day and month after month for three years. . . . The boys who started the world war against Germany and who are keeping it up deserve a greater vote of thanks than we ever here will probably give them, but every airforce member knows that in modern warfare there is not let up, no slackening of the pace that will spell a complete victory for the Allied Nations.

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Just exactly how to guarantee jobs to more veterans is now under consideration in high administration circles, and a survey shows that most veterans will be young men who have never held a regular job. . . . Those who in civilian life have held only temporary jobs are not entitled to reemployment under the Selective Training and Service Act, and the War Mobilizer's office has asked for a full report on the matter. . . . Any way the matter is handled, reemployment of World War II veterans will be a mighty big job and will require the best brains of this nation to handle on an equitable basis.

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In conjunction with the problem of post-war jobs, some administration planners are concerned that the legislative branch of the government is taking the ball from the executive branch in planning for those 60,000,000 jobs. . . . President Roosevelt still has issued no orders for a coordinated research on his employment goal. . . . Only reports made so far to the banking group represent individual views of various departments and not a presidential approved policy.

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Although it is well known that our carbon black shortage is the nation's No. 1 bottleneck at present, full details on the why and wherefore will probably not be available until the Mead Committee makes a report. . . . It's conceded, however, that disagreement within the War Production Board was a big factor in the current expansion program. . . . There has been entirely too much dickering all the way along the line in the synthetic rubber picture, and Washington suspicions were high for awhile that army requirements might by inflated. . . . If the army said it needed a certain volume of tires and tubes, these should have been arranged for without a question. . . . We still have too many arm chair strategists in Washington whose idea of winning the war is to make scatter-brained plans over juicy T-bone steaks, with the mess of pottage smothered in onion gravy—while our service men overseas haven't even the steak.

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Administration insiders admit that a rapid deterioration of support for President Roosevelt's peace plans, both at home and abroad, is reaching the stage of alarm. . . . Even though foundations for a world peace can be laid at San Francisco, the picture at the moment is getting into focus as another tragic Wilsonian failure.

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News freshly culled from the sources of information at government command reveal a short cotton crop is expected this year. . . . Lack of labor and unfavorable weather may lift the price to parity, which would be $22.25 a bale for 15-16 inch staple—and without government help for the first time since start of the war. . . . Price at present is about $4 a bale under parity. . . . Argument is that the weather has been favorable for several seasons and is about due for a break.

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General idea that the Americans are chicken-hearted is being brought out forcefully inside Germany, where women and children civilians are shooting many of our American boys on sight. . . . General Eisenhower has been greatly upset by the matter, but if we had the eye-for-an-eye method of the Russians, and exterminated the Germans as we came across them, the Germans would not be quite so anxious to see that the Americans reach Berlin first.

High School Tale Named Winner in Class in District

[illegible] Snyder High School newspaper, printed by The Times, was this week selected as a winner in its class and district of the Interscholastic League Press Conference, and will participate in state contests.

In reports Dr. DeWitt Reddick, ILPC director, in a Message to Uncle Sam, the Times Tale and Mr. Gerald G. Gordon, Times Tale business manager, [illegible]

According to the book structure of the I. L. P. C. the two best papers in each of the four classes into which the papers are divided are chosen by judging committees and are permitted to participate in the state meeting. Because in one book [illegible] several a number of good [illegible] papers are excepted within one group the judges are also permitted to select six other papers at large to be classified as "standouts" and to be permitted to enter advertisements in the state book. Thus in the district classification, 20 of the best school papers are chosen. Your paper is one of these 20, and ranks as one of the two to four best papers for your classification. You will be sent an Award of Distinguished Merit."

Two representatives will be sent to Austin to compete in the contests.

Shaken Speaks at Polar

Brooks Shaken, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Snyder, will conduct services at the Polar school house Sunday at 2:30 p. m. All who will are urged to attend this service by church leaders in the community.

Mrs. L. E. Porter and Mrs. Joe Norris are this week visiting Mrs. Porter's daughters and Mrs. Norris' sisters at Bonham.

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Snyder General Hospital

Surgical patients admitted to Snyder General Hospital since last week's report included Mrs. T. E. Spencer of Ira's Route.

Medical patients admitted were Mrs. R. C. Gaddet of Bronwood. She was dismissed Monday. Mrs. A. J. Dodd of Ira, who was dismissed Friday. R. N. Kinsey of Snyder, Mrs. Lucy Murphy of Ennis, who was dismissed Sunday. Mrs. W. C. Davidson of Snyder, Mrs. Jack Davis of Snyder, and Roy Elkins of Loraine.

Patients previously reported in the hospital include: O. H. Brown of Fluvanna, Mrs. J. T. McCoy of Snyder, W. W. Early of Snyder, Mrs. Ira Wilson, Mrs. C. L. Finley and baby girl, and Don Herkin.

Merritt Installs New Blacksmith Fixtures

Henry Merritt, Snyder, announces the addition of $1,000 worth of new equipment to his blacksmith shop on the square, and installation of a new tire roller.

Merritt's Blacksmith Shop is one of the best equipped in West Texas, and is carrying a full supply of blacksmith tools. People of the area are asked to inspect recently installed equipment and blacksmith facilities.

Reuben Jones Serves On Aircraft Carrier

"Working hard and feeling fine" is the way Reuben Berard Jones, aviation gunner's mate first class, U. S. N., describes his work on the "book" to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones.

Reuben, who is on the aircraft carrier U. S. S. Bunkard Bay, Bunker escort, in November, 1943. An graduate of Snyder High School, he trained at San Diego, California, Farragut, Idaho, and Bremerton, Washington.

Jones has seen four years in the Philippines, the China Sea, Pelelio and Hawaii.

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RATION GUIDE

For the Week Beginning April 15th

Processed Foods— Book 4, blue C2 through G2 expires April 20; H2 through M2 expires June 2; N2 through S2 expires June 30; T2 through X2 expires July 31; value ten points each.

Meats and Fats— Book 4, red T5 through X5 expires April 20; Y5, Z5, A2 through D2 expires June 2; E2 through J2 expires June 30; K2 through P2 expires July 31; value ten points each.

Sugar— Book 4, No. 35 expires June 2.

Shoes— Book 3, Airplane No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3, one pair each; good until used.

Gasoline— A15, value 4 gallons; B6 and B7, C6 and C7, value 5 gallons each—good until invalidated.

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Flour — Everlite, 50-Lb. Sack — $2.19

Clinton PUDDING — 6 Boxes — 29c

Diamond MATCHES — 6-Box Carton — 29c

COFFEE — MAGNOLIA, 3-Lb. Jar — $1.09

Apple Butter — Primrose—Ration Free—Quart — 25c

Lipton's TEA — 1-4 Lb. — 29c

Creamy Crustene COMPOUND — 3 Lbs. — 59c

Stanton's Feeds

Big S Print Bag Egg MASH — 100 Lbs. — 3.35

Red Star SWEET FEED — 100 Lbs. — 2.69

Stanton's All Mash STARTER — 100 Lbs. — 3.95

Stanton's Growing MASH — 100 Lbs. — 3.90

POST'S TOASTIES — FRESH STOCK Limited — 2 Boxes...15c

Vanilla Wafers — Cello Bag — 2 for....25c

Bananas, 1,000 Lbs.

Texas ORANGES — Pound — 9c

Green—Fresh and Crisp BEANS — Pound — 19c

Solid Heads CABBAGE — Pound — 5c

Sunkist LEMONS — Dozen — 35c

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