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## FAIR YIELD OF GRAIN SEEN IN SPITE OF LOSS

**Combines Busy Harvesting Wheat And Oats That Escaped Storms For 50,000-Bushel Crop**

Scurry County wheat fields are yielding this week to the onward march of the combine and binder, as work of harvesting the county's 1941 grain crop gets underway on all fronts.

Combines in fact were put to work in county grain fields last week and were pushed right along over the week-end in an effort to save wheat and oats from further damage by wind and water.

Some combines were run Sunday on the pretext the "ox was in the ditch," but in most sectors of the county were halted Sunday afternoon by intermittent showers that caused wheat stalks to choke up machinery.

A survey conducted Wednesday by The Times indicates that Scurry County's probable wheat production is disappointing as a whole. Grain producers, buyers and agricultural officials feel that the county will fall short of an estimated 50,000-bushel production.

Probable production of 50,000 bushels of wheat for the county was set last week, after hail, wind and rust laid many grain fields low. This was a drop of 24,000 bushels from the 74,000 bushels predicted earlier in the season.

Attaches at the county AAA office reported Wednesday that a 100 per cent loss had been marked up for 10 wheat fields of insured producers that were inspected.

Due to the fact that grain producers of Scurry and other wheat producing counties of the nation recently approved wheat marketing quotas, producers will get around 90 cents per bushel for their wheat, if it is placed under government loan.

Grain producers of the county, however, who sell their wheat on the open market will do well to average around 70 cents per bushel for grain, the county AAA office reports.

Excessive rainfall during the early part of the season is credited with lowering the quality of county grain. Excessive rainfall seems to have lowered the protein content of wheat, for example, which will result in slightly lower prices.

About the smallest grain yield per acre was reported this week by C. W. Sawyer of the Bethel community. Sawyer's wheat was severely damaged by hail and rain and the turnout on acres harvested amounted to two bushels per acre. Sawyer had some 300 acres in wheat.

A. M. Armstrong, who lives north of Snyder, reports that his grain yield averaged seven bushels per acre on 20 acres.

J. O. Leech of the Hermleigh community averaged five bushels per acre on 20 acres of wheat, and another Hermleigh farmer, J. F. Groves, "rang the bell" with an average of 11 bushels per acre on 40 acres of grainland.

Best yield reported to The Times was that of Emil Schattel, who averaged 18 bushels per acre on a major portion of his wheat land.

Schattel, a prominent farmer of the Inadale community, has already shipped a carload of grain and will probably mark up several hundred more bushels before harvesting is entirely completed.

While an accurate figure on the number of combines and binders at work in the county was not obtainable, it was indicated Wednesday by implement dealers and others that some 12 machines are engaged in harvesting the golden grain from ripened acres so that people can have bread to eat.

**Topping Put on Highway.**

The State Highway Department is bringing hot topping work on Highway 15 right into town this week. A considerable part of Highway 15 in East Snyder has already received a coat of asphalt, and more is scheduled to be "topped" by this week-end.

## Who's New In Scurry County

Warren Kendred, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Elkins, at 8:52 o'clock Sunday evening, local hospital. Mrs. Elkins is the former Katherine Scrivner, and Elkins is an employee of a local dry goods store.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Pieper of Wastella, a son, Stanley Dean, Sunday, June 15.

A daughter, Dolores Ann, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Teaff, Arah Route, June 19, at 11:05 o'clock in the evening, Snyder General Hospital.

Jack Madison, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eades of Route 1, arrived in the local hospital last Thursday afternoon, 9:42 o'clock.

## Workers Needed

Can you spare an hour or so of your time?

If you are a business or professional employee, and can spare just a little time, Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board would appreciate your contacting the board's clerk at the city hall.

More volunteer workers will be needed, draft board members state, to assist in Tuesday's registration of young men who have reached their 21st birthday.

Several volunteer workers have already proffered their services for the July 1 registration, but the obtaining of more workers is urgent if the registration is to be carried along on schedule.

## Burglars Put In Busy Week-End In Snyder Stores

Burglars have been rather active in Snyder the past few nights, and made one haul Friday night that ran up close to $115.

Major haul made by vandals was Friday night, when the Seiberling Tire Store, operated by Bob Bryan, was burglarized of tires, tubes and batteries to the tune of approximately $115.

Tracks left near the Seiberling Tire Store indicated that the vandals backed up to the rear of the store on 25th Street, a block west of the square, and entered through a rear door. Pedestrians passing the store late at night evidently frightened the thugs away and kept the haul from being larger than it was.

Also entered Saturday night was Browning Food Market, north of the square on Avenue S. Hollis Browning, operator, reports that the office safe and desk were rifled, but little of value missing.

The thieves who broke into Brownings entered by a rear door and came through the engine room to obtain access to the "office" desk.

Burglars broke into the Snyder Auto Supply, east side of the square, and obtained several parts and accessories.

Officers have been warm on the trail of the culprits, but and no arrests to report up to midnight Wednesday.

## NYA Employment Official Will Enroll Boys, Girls July 7

O. G. Evers, National Youth Administration counsellor for this district, announces that he will be at the local NYA workshop Monday, July 7, to take applications for NY work.

Evers, who will be here from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., says he will be glad to discuss the NYA program with interested youths and will be here every two weeks on Mondays.

Evers states that work experience for girls is now being offered in clerical, radio and homomaking projects. Interested girls are urged to contact him at the local NYA workshop.

Work experience is also being offered by the National Youth Administration to young men in aviation mechanics, welding, radio, auto mechanics, printing, plumbing and woodwork.

Boys or girls who are desirous of NYA employment are strongly urged to see Evers July 7. He will be here on Mondays, each two weeks, but an interview July 7 will probably result in quicker employment on an NYA project.

## Oil Men of County Attend Odessa Meet

Operators of the Sharon Ridge oil field were well represented Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the second Little International Oil Show staged in Odessa.

Shapely Martha Cochran of Big Spring, a choice of most Scurry County operators, was named queen of the Little International Exposition.

Dr. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, and a man who has spoken in Scurry County several times, rang down the curtain Sunday evening when he addressed an oil men's union church service.

## Deep Creek Bridge Nearing Completion

Commissoner Joe Hairston reports this week that construction work on a 40-foot span across Deep Creek, one mile south of Dunn, will be virtually complete by Saturday.

The new bridge, of vital importance to county motorists, has concrete abutments, seven steel I-beams and a wood floor. From this new structure, traffic will be directed east to connect with Highway 101.

A petition was circulated early this week by Nat Billingsley to close the mile stretch of road south from Dunn. Reports indicate the petition gained numerous signers.

## EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM SET BY CLUBBERS

**Home Demonstration Council Will Sponsor Gathering Scheduled in Church Thursday, July 3**

Sponsored by the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council and the local Farm Security Administration, in cooperation with the Texas Extension Service, an educational program will be held Thursday, July 3, in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church.

County women interested in nutrition for defense and in the vital methods of food preservation are extended a cordial invitation by FSA, the Extension Service and the Home Demonstration Council to attend the program.

Complete program for the day follows:

9:00 a.m.—Opening, Mrs. J. T. Johnston, chairman of the County Home Demonstration Council, presiding.

9:05 a.m.—"Life Begins with Nutrition," Mrs. Jim Boothe, Plainview homemaker.

9:15 a.m.—"Let's See Who's Here," Mrs. Stanley Merket, China Grove homemaker.

9:20 a.m.—"Preparation and Killing of Poultry," Horace Seely, rural FSA supervisor, Edward S. Hyman, county agent, and Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, Bison homemaker.

9:50 a.m.—"Canning of Poultry," Mrs. Jacqueline Crosby, FSA home management supervisor, Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, and Mrs. Alfred Roggenstein, Lloyd Mountain homemaker.

10:30 a.m.—"Testing of Gauges," Mrs. Maxine Kelley, Dermott homemaker.

11:00 a.m.—"Pressure Cooker Canning," Mrs. Jacqueline Crosby, Estella Rabel and Mrs. A. L. Jones, Union homemaker.

12:00 noon—Lunch, preparation of wheat, Mrs. Jacqueline Crosby, Mrs. Roy Hargrove, Ennis Creek homemaker.

1:00 p.m.—"Water Bath Canning," Miss Rabel, Mrs. Crosby and Mrs. Edgar Smith, Fluvanna homemaker.

1:30 p.m.—Announcements by the chairman.

2:00 p.m.—"Preparation of Food for Freezer Lockers," C. V. Morris of Piggly Wiggly, Hugh Birdwell, assistant FSA rural supervisor, Miss Rabel and Mrs. O. C. Hess, Pyron homemaker.

## Snyder Doctors Are Officers in Medical Group for Vicinity

Current issue of the Texas State Journal of Medicine contains some information that will prove of interest to Times readers.

In the Scurry - Dickens - Kent - Garza - Borden - King - Stonewall Counties Medical Society, Dr. Grady Shytles is listed as president. Dr. H. P. Redwine is secretary of the seven-county organization.

Other officers include Dr. Robert L. Howell, Dr. T. M. Howle, Dr. W. R. Johnson, Dr. H. E. Rosser, Dr. A. O. Scarborough, Dr. D. C. Williams of Post and Dr. A. B. Alexander of Spur.

Full roster of officers for the Nolan-Fisher Counties Medical Society is listed in the current journal. Dr. H. A. Logsdon of Colorado City is listed as president and Dr. J. K. Richardson, Sweetwater, as secretary.

## USO Group Meets In County-Wide Session Tonight

Lee T. Stinson, county chairman of the United Service Organization, and William Fuller, local chairman for Snyder, announce that a county-wide USO meeting will be held this (Thursday) evening in the Chamber of Commerce office.

"Scurry County must come forward and carry its part of the program in this war-time emergency," Stinson and Fuller state.

"We have had a good response shown toward United Service Organization work in the county, and feel that we will now get organized so we can raise our quota within the next few days," the USO officials continued.

Membership ni the USO may be received by any of the organization officials in the county, or may be secured at several local business firms.

Stinson, Fuller, Mrs. H. T. Sefton, R. G. Dillard, Henry Rosenberg or Willard Jones will be happy to receive USO contributions.

Those who participate in the United Service Organization as donors will be given an attractive USO sticker and a lapel button. The USO stickers are proving popular where they have been introduced.

## Entries Mounting For Horse Show at Diamond M Ranch

West Texas owners of good horseflesh are showing a considerable amount of interest this week in the Fourth Annual Diamond M Ranch fine gaited horse show, which will be staged at the well known ranch 14 miles southwest of Snyder Sunday afternoon.

O. T. McLaughlin, Diamond M Ranch owner, reported Wednesday night that over 60 fine blooded animals from Texas stables have been entered in the show, which will be divided into nine classes.

Events of the fourth annual horse show will begin Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Entries received in the Diamond M show include animals from stables at Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth, Midland the Frank Kelly stables at Colorado City

Many out-of-town visitors are expected to attend the horse show, for which no admission charges will be made.

## Bob Moser Leaving For Welding School

Bob Moser, wholesaler of fruits and vegetables in Snyder for several years, was this week preparing to leave for Fort Worth, where he will enter a welding school, preparatory to employment with a shipbuilding concern on the Texas coast. The shipbuilding program is part of the national defense setup.

Virgil Moser of Colorado City, brother of Bob, will assume the Snyder territory for Moser Brothers Produce Company.

## DUNN FARMER KILLED FRIDAY BY GUN SHOT

**Verdict of Suicide Rendered After Delayed Investigation of Tragedy In South Part of County**

"Death from gunshot wounds, self-inflicted," was the verdict returned Saturday morning, by P. E. Davenport, justice of the peace, in the death of Oscar Worthington, Dunn community farmer whose body was found early Saturday morning in a 1928 Chevrolet touring car one mile northwest of Dunn on a county road.

Worthington had been dead since Friday noon. A number of people had passed the Chevrolet touring car, but it was not known the Dunn farmer was dead until T. A. Echols, en route to a field on a tractor, discovered Worthington's body Saturday morning, slumped over in the front seat.

Justice of the Peace Davenport and Sheriff John Lynch made a careful investigation Saturday morning, prior to Davenport returning a verdict of suicide. Part of the Dunn farmer's head had been blown away by the blast from a double-barrel shotgun.

Worthington was born July 23, 1908, at Midland. He had resided in Scurry County for a number of years, and had been a member of the Dunn Masonic Lodge.

Funeral services for Worthington were held Sunday morning, 11:00 o'clock, at the Dunn Baptist Church. Rev. A. T. Strickland of Dunn officiated.

Survivors include the widow, three daughters, Addice Opal, Doris and Audrey; a son, Charles; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Worthington, prominent Dunn community farm couple; and two sisters, Mrs. Huddleston Wright and Mrs. Seth Bertram, both of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Burton Echols, Hugh Billingsley, Carl Hairston, Nolan Bolding, Martin Murphy and Gordon McDowell.

Yvonne Harrison, Ilene Turner, Mary Allen Echols and Mary Frances Echols were in charge of floral offerings.

Odom Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements, with burial in Dunn Cemetery. Dunn Masonic Lodge officiated with graveside Masonic rites.

## Scattered Rain Falls Over County Sunday

Scurry County was bathed Sunday afternoon with rainfall that ranged from .17 of an inch in Snyder to almost an inch in the Dunn and Ira communities.

Reports received Monday morning indicated that Sunday afternoon's precipitation did not damage cotton and grain crops, as have previous installments of moisture.

Sunday afternoon's fall was heaviest from Snyder south and west. A good rain was reported in the Union and Bethel communities, with a nice shower marked up for Canyon.

In the east part of the county, rainfall ranged from a shower at Strayhorn to .14 of an inch at Camp Springs.

The extreme western part of Fisher County was saturated with from .18 to .24 of an inch, residents of the Hobbs community state.

# Senate Race Comes to Torrid Close Saturday

## Times Poll of Local Voters Shows Mann in Lead, Johnson Is Second

Pre-election polls are always subject to criticism, since last-minute trends of opinion can change the picture, but a private poll conducted by The Times reveals some generally accepted facts.

The poll, of course, wasn't taken over the entire county. It was taken locally and is given to show the cross-section of opinion on the forthcoming senatorial race Saturday.

In the cross-section of opinion poll, Gerald C. Mann pulls out in the lead with 47 okeys out of 115 people questioned. Lyndon B. Johnson ranks second with 36 approvals and Governor W. Lee O'Daniel third with 32 promised votes.

Pre-election polls gathered late Wednesday night on a state-wide basis indicates that Gerald C. Mann, Lyndon B. Johnson and Governor O'Daniel were "nip and tuck" for first place position in Saturday's battle royal.

Election supplies are being prepared today (Thursday) for election judges and will go out in plenty of time for Saturday's balloting.

This poll is interesting when compared with other county polls:

The official ballot, as certified Wednesday by the Secretary of State, follows:

Democratic Party — Joseph C. Bean, E. A. Calvin, Arlon Barton Cyclone Davis, Martin Dies, Guy B. Fisher, W. E. Gilliland, A. E. Harding, Commodore Bazil Muse Hatfield, Robert Grammer Head, O. F. Heath Sr., Bubba Hicks, Lyndon B. Johnson, W. W. King, Gerald C. Mann, Sam Morris, Starl G. Newsome Jr., W. Lee O'Daniel, Floyd E. Ryan, Walter A. Schulz, C. L. Somerville, Joseph Thompson, Edwin Waller III, W. C. Welch and John C. Williams.

Republican Party—Politte Elvins.

Independent Party—W. R. Jones.

Communist Party—Homer Brooks.

## Sewing Room To Be Closed Friday By WPA Office

The WPA sewing room, located on 25th Street, will be officially closed Friday afternoon after being in continuous operation here for a number of months.

Mrs. Sam O. Nations, supervisor of the sewing room, will probably leave Saturday for Missouri to join her husband and children.

The local WPA sewing room has meant a livelihood, since its inception, to many indigent women of Snyder. Just how they will subsist while the sewing room is closed down was a matter of conjecture Wednesday night, when word of the impending closing was first received.

WPA officials at Lubbock explained Wednesday night that the sewing room will be closed down at the end of the government's fiscal year, which is July 1. Women employed in the sewing room, however, will put in their allowable hours for the current period through Friday.

No indication of when the sewing room might reopen was received up to the hour The Times went to press. It is understood that eight WPA sewing rooms in this district will be closed by Work Projects Administration officials.

**Elmo Faver Enjoys Army**

Elmo Faver, cowboy-entertainer son of the G. R. Favers, is enjoying army life at Fort Bliss, El Paso, after a month of it. Young Faver, Scurry County's singing cowboy, was drafted into the United States Army, and is stationed permanently at Fort Bliss, where he is again in familiar surroundings helping take care of the army horses. Mrs. Faver expects her son home about July 4 to spend a few days.

## Preliminary Data For Soil District Is Being Checked

E. H. Varnell, soil conservationist with headquarters at Abilene, and J. M. Byrd, Soil Conservation Service official of Dublin, were here Monday to check over preliminary data for the Scurry-Borden Soil Conservation District.

Byrd, who taught vocational agriculture in Post several years ago, will move here Tuesday to establish headquarters. He has been stationed at San Angelo, Stamford and Vernon as soil conservationist.

Haskell Baird, another representative of the Soil Conservation Service, has been in town this week checking over the original SCS district, known officially as the Upper Colorado Soil Conservation District No. 115. Baird will also locate here.

This year's Soil Conservation allotment for the Scurry-Borden district has been made, Varnell points out, such allotment calling for from 10 to 12 men moving to Snyder within the near future.

The SCS representatives, in fact, will move here to establish an office as rapidly as conditions and the current soil conservation program will permit.

Next meeting of the Scurry-Borden Soil Conservation District will be held Wednesday, July 9, at the courthouse, SCS officials state. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m. and continue until about 3:00 p.m.

SCS officials point out that the appropriation for soil conservation work in Scurry and Borden Counties has already been made, and that an immediate work program will be drafted at the July 9 gathering.

## Insurance Adjusters Having Busy Time In Area This Week

Hail insurance adjusters have had a busy week in Snyder and Scurry County.

In the rural areas of the county adjusters have been working fast and furious to settle claims growing out of hail, wind and water destruction to row crops and grain.

In Snyder, hail damage to roofs of business houses has been extensive. The courthouse roof was damaged severely by the frozen pellets that rained down last Friday afternoon.

Re-roofing operations have been completed, for instance, this week at J. C. Penney Company, Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company, Bryant-Link Company, Irwin's Drug, The Fair Store and many other places.

No accurate estimate of hail damage to roofs in the town's business section was obtainable when The Times went to press, but the general opinion was that roof damages would mount to approximately $6,000.

## Fisher Man Convicted On Murder Charges

J. R. Gallagher, 41, Fisher County man whose 1941 model Ford tudor burned recently six miles east of Snyder on Highway 15, was found guilty of murder without malice last Thursday afternoon by a Roby jury, in the slaying of George Mayberry, Rotan negro, last September. J. B. Nettleton was foreman of the 104th District Court jury that imposed a two-year prison sentence against Gallagher.

## COUNTY VOTE WILL BE HIGH FOR OFF YEAR

**Interest Runs High as Record Ticket for Senate Seat Should Cast Over 2,200 Scurry Ballots**

County absentee balloting in the torrid senatorial race drew to a close Wednesday afternoon. J. P. Billingsley, county clerk, reports that 30 absentee ballots had been cast up to the deadline.

Saturday's race for United States Senator already gives evidence of being the hottest in many years. The Times, as in past years, will gather election returns Saturday night and have returns available for the public.

Scurry County voters paid only 1,760 poll taxes this year, compared with 2,837 marked up last year. If over and under voters run true to form, some 450 over and under ballots will be cast in Saturday's senatorial fracas, bringing current voting strength to some 2,210.

The Times requests that election judges in county voting precincts bring, or send in their returns as soon Saturday evening after the polls close as possible.

"Your home county paper" will also gather election returns from Borden County, and requests that Borden County folks assist with getting returns to Snyder as early as possible.

## Company G Boys Put in Good Time On Field Range

Seven Company G boys of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, granted a five-day furlough, arrived here Wednesday morning and will visit with friends and relatives through Sunday.

Boys of the "home town" guard unit granted a furlough included Sergeants Clarence Brush, John C. Portis, Winfield Starnes, Privates Clinkenbeard, Bill Walker, Dock Rogers and Corporal R. B. Etheredge.

The Company G boys, bronzed and in good physical trim, state that Snyder's guard unit, with others of the 36th Division, is engaged in field maneuvers involving the entire division.

In fact Company G and other National Guard Units included in the 36th Division have been engaged in field maneuvers for the past several days, toughening the boys for extended maneuvers later in the summer.

Sergeant Portis, speaking for the group, reports that a considerable amount of experience has been gained by Company G boys on the rifle range, with the boys becoming familiar with the various types of guns Uncle Sam has for defense.

Few cases of severe sickness have been reported among Company G members, Portis continues, although several of the boys have recently been "laid up" at the army hospital, Camp Bowie, with minor ailments.

## Insurance Agency Moves to New Place

Sporting a new front and a completely remodeled building this week is Snyder Insurance Agency, located on the square's south side just two doors west of Dunn Confectionery.

Wayne Boren, Snyder Insurance Agency operator, states remodeling operations include new plate glass display windows for the front, the popular new vitrolite glass bottom and border and other improvements. Boren asks his friends to inspect the new agency headquarters.

## Closed July 4th

**In compliance with annual custom, Snyder will close shop Friday, July 4.**

**A survey conducted late Wednesday afternoon among the town's business men and merchants indicates that the town will join almost 100 per cent in fittingly observing July 4.**

**Independence Day observances this year can mean a great deal, county officers and Department of Public Safety officials point out if motorists use care in driving on the open road. "Let's make this July 4 a deathless day for Scurry County folks" is the motto officers want county residents to adopt.**

## 100 MORE DRAFTEES SENT QUESTIONNAIRES

Members of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board announced Tuesday that 100 questionnaires, ranging from order No. 1031 through 1132 inclusive, had been mailed for county registrants.

Any registrant sent a questionnaire, and whose order number is included in the ones sent out, and who seeks a deferred classification, may within five days from the date received submit proper affidavits to the local board.

The registrant may submit such affidavits in the space provided in his questionnaire, or submit them separately. Any other qualified person seeking deferred classification for the registrant shall use Form 42 (Claim for Deferred Classification by Dependent, Employer or Other Person), or other applicable forms available at the local draft board office.

Failure of the registrant or any other person concerned to exercise any right or privilege within the time authorized by the Selective Service regulations or within an extension of time granted by the local board, may constitute a waiver of such right or privilege, local board members state.

Draftees to whom questionnaires, ranging from order No. 930 to 1132 inclusive, have been sent since last publication of the list in The Times follow:

R. C. Miller Jr., Johnnie Davis Cagle, Henry Card Camp, Thomas J. Teer, Horace Bishop Patterson, Marvin Stamper Dunlap, Carl Monroe Eades, Horace Walter Roe, Ray Houston Woody, Sam Glover, Clyde George Black, Leon Eades, George Forrest Chaney, James Herman Davis, Weldon Charnel Simpson, Aryen V. Ball;

Z. B. Morrow, Vernon Loys Littlepage, L. B. Scruggs, William Merel Hoover, Reuben Charles Popnoe, Roy Lee Williamson, Charles Clifton Lawrens, Hurston Boyce Lemons, Pellam Alvin Ware, Bruce Murphy, Smith Sample Adams, Ross Osbar Bishop, Robert Smith;

Leroy Howard Patrick, D. T. Pierce, Albert Dennis Browning, Travis Claude Thompson, Raymond Clifford Lunsford, Dock Floyd Rogers, Lewis Larkin Seay, John Muriel Morgan Jr., Merton Boyd Noel Jr., Graham Richard Smith, Lawrence Hardaway Jones, Truman Woodrow Wells, Ivan Frances Hardy, Jay Letcher Vaughn;

Royce Cherry Elland, Newt Fay Rowland, Howard Hunter, Joe Tant Johnston, Cullen Hurley Toombs, Herbert Algie Martin, William Alfred McGlaun, Autry Light, Harold Eugene Clement, Erma Hardwick, Ottis Lloyd Webb, Manuel Costillo, William Clark Sturdivant;

Frank Joe Schulze, Gilbert Oscar Richter, Marvin Smith, Lidward Arlis Haynes, Oliver A. Johnson, Odell Oran Faulkenbery, Lowie Eugene Brock, August Richard Hamm, Lester Newman Minton, Thomas Arlin Rosson, Charlie Edward Hunter, Thomas Manry Verner, Herman Ellis Doak, Charles Ivan Hill, Clyde Euel Childress;

Waymon Laddell Tankersley, Thomas Vernon Irvine, William Frank Weaver, Oran Kendale Clark, Harry James Adkins, Thomas Grady Marsh, Raymond Albert Moore, Sam Lawson, Wiley Wayne Floyd, Francis Maurice Brownfield, Wendell Calven McCrary, G. F. Evans, Jimmie Christopher Dyess, Charnell Hubert Surratt;

James William Hughes, Charlie Luther Johnston, Denver Lee Pettitt, Opal Afton Buttrell, George Henry Harmon, G. W. Sheid, Aubrey Denon Cole, Willie Graves Deel, Silveser Hendrix, Erneso Marinez, Herbert Robert Zinke, James Martin, John Tatum Hughes, Travis Pershing Allen, G. C. Spence Jr., Hugh Monroe Taylor;

William Grady White, Clifton Nolan Thomas, Walter Butler, Edwin Elmer Minor, Ezekiel H. Vaughn, Oran Leon Guinn, Woodrow Montgomery Smith, Bunyon Lee Evans, Alvin Loyd Pankey, Oscar C. Draughan, Jim Clayton Sterling, Gregorio Sains Gonzalez, W. H. Grant Jr., Wilburn Marshall Palmer, Neil Holder, Homer Alvin Reeder, Doyle E. Eades;

Chester Audie Seale, Ervin Elun Glass, Roy Clem Lacy, Oliver Camel Taylor, George Weldon Huffstutler, Francisco Hinojosa, Jesse Alonzo Johnson, Jimmie George Rollins, John Robert Joyce, Eugene Roosevelt Dever, Ivy Gray Sturdivant, Marshall Young Butler, L. T. Nail, Inez Andrade;

E. L. Ball, Howard Milson, E. J. Pinkerton, Otis Leon Jenkins, Ramond Way Prather, William Robert Johnson, J. C. Pylant, Robert Lee Hairston, Earl Edward Gallagher, Luther Edward Thomas, Glenn Abraham Breneman, Walter Wallace Morgan, Luther Henderson Williamson, William Dunn Mitchell, Amis Franke, I. O. Fannin, Roy Elmer Davis, Odis Garfield Davis, Charlie McKinney, Lewis Davenport Turner;

Joe Speer Brown, Ray Lenard Garrard, William Clay Reeder, Emmitt Geard White, Ulmer Vernon, Willie Collier Shook, John Flippin, Marion Brown Pevehouse, John Edward Paul, Jess Lee Ferguson, James E. Sharp, Raymond E. Watkins, Arlie Sneed, Ira Truman Ivison, Oliver David Odom, Emmitt Roedalphus Butts;

Franklin Pierce Stevenson, Alvis Eslie Sturdivant, Charles Franklin May, Warren Charles Floor, Roy Polk, Ralph Ray Ross, Esker Thomas Land, Earl Smith, Wilmer Wayne Chick, Frank Roemisch, Jessie Eitel, Ollie Harvel Morton, Eddie Lloyd Millhollon, Oscar Harry Coldewey, Charlie Lawson White, Henry Orville Wells, Crockett Coke Brown;

James Willard Lane, Paul Alvyious Wenetschlaeger, Hollis Wilmot Browning, Earl Allbright, Paul Davis Yarborough, William Henry Preston, Julian Manchack, Ernest Harold Craig, Wade Brooks Rogers, William Mays Smyrl, Robert Lane McKinney, Robert Goering Dillard, Morris Dotridge Sanders and Evert Leeman Vandiver, order No. 1132.

# The WOMAN'S Page

## Crowd Present at Methodist Church Sunday for Deakins-Burge Wedding

Margaret Deakins, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins, became the bride of Alden Burge of Leesville, Louisiana, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Burge of Sweetwater, in a setting of garden daisies, ferns and burning white tapers Sunday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the local Methodist Church. Several hundred wedding guests were present.

Rev. H. H. Black of Colorado City, rector of the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, read a single ring ceremony. The white leather-bound book from which the vows were read was presented to the bride at the close of the service, a gift from Bishop E. C. Seaman of Amarillo.

Mrs. Black sang "I Love You Truly" before the service, accompanied by Mrs. Novis Rodgers, organist, who also played other wedding music from Lohengrin and Mendelssohn.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a floor-length frock of white cotton eyelet pique, simply designed with a low neckline, tight bodice and flaring skirt, and a sweetheart hat of the same material. She wore a gold heirloom locket and carried a white prayerbook showered with white stephanotis blossoms.

Her attendants, also, were gowned in cotton frocks, each in a different pastel color of eyelet pique, with daisies in their hair and carrying nosegays of garden flowers. Mrs. Vernon G. Young of Lawton, Oklahoma, was matron of honor, and the bride's cousin, Patsy Sue King of Dallas, maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Johnnie Mathison, Rube Lee and Jeannette Lollar of Snyder, Gwen Gray of Abilene and Roberta Raybon of Lubbock.

Joel Hodges of Sweetwater attended the bridegroom at best man. Ushers were: The bride's brother, Jack Deakins of Floydada, N. R. Clements of Randolph Field, Phil Kreaps, Wilbur Williams and Hershel Gordon of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Deakins were hosts to the wedding party and approximately 75 others at an informal reception at the Manhattan Hotel, following the wedding. The lace-covered tea table was centered with a crystal bowl of daisies. The wedding cake, cut by the bride and bridegroom, was served by Miss King, and Mrs. Young poured the punch.

The couple left immediately after the reception for a honeymoon in New Orleans, before going to Leesville, Louisiana, to make their home. Mrs. Burge traveled in a brown and white sheer frock, wore brown and white accessories and the flowers from her prayerbook arranged in a shoulder corsage.

Out-of-town wedding guests, besides those in the wedding party, included the following: Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Burge of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Burt King of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Guy King and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. John King and sons, Gary and Burt, of Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Jack Deakins and daughter, Margaret Ann, Mrs. J. R. Maddox and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williams, Floydada; Mrs. O. P. Thrane, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Cap Roy, Post; Mrs. W. T. Raybon and Evelyn Raybon of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett LeFors, Pampa; Mrs. Ella Neel, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sibert, Los Angeles, California; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wallace of Polar; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shipley, Mrs. Wilbur Williams, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Fife, Margaret Fife, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Griggs, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodges and Virginia Hodges, also of Sweetwater.

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A series of parties in Snyder and Sweetwater, honoring the bridal couple, has claimed local society interest the past two weeks. Miss Deakins was hostess to her attendants at a 1:00 o'clock luncheon at the Manhattan Hotel Saturday.

The table centerpiece was a bowl of daisies and white tapers in crystal candelabra. Gifts for the guests were tiny sterling silver spoons, fashioned as lapel ornaments, in the bride's chosen silver pattern. Three-course meal was served.

Geneva Voss of Post, high school mathematics teacher at Crane, spent Tuesday in Snyder, guest of her cousin, Allene Curry.


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## Mrs. Murray Gray Honoree at Shower

Mrs. Murray Gray, the former Irene Taylor, was made honoree at a delightful tea-shower at the Wade Winston home Friday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 o'clock. Hostesses were Dot Winston and Jonisue Cogdell, who greeted the 75 guests as they called in four groups.

Others in the receiving line were: Mrs. R. L. Gray, who presented the honoree, Mrs. Murray Gray, and her mother, Mrs. Sterling A. Taylor. The bride was attractively dressed in a floor-length frock of white embroidered starched chiffon.

Patti Hicks, pianist, furnished the program for the entire two hours of calling at the affair.

A pastel color note for decorations was effectively carried out in entertaining rooms with cut flowers. Huge orchid and pink asters in a crystal bowl and burning pink candles in crystal holders were placed on reflectors to form the centerpiece for the dining table, on which was laid a lovely Italian cutwork cloth. Smaller asters in an arrangement of frosted glass flowers on the buffet were flanked by other crystal holders and lighted pink tapers.

Margaret Gray and Mrs. Borden Gray poured punch from the fostoria bowl, which was surrounded by a chain of asters and ferns. The punch was served with dainty sandwiches and heart-shaped cookies. Virginia Taylor, young sister of the honoree, handed out the bridal favors in the dining room.

Assisting with the serving were: Mmes. Winston, D. M. Cogdell, Collin Forbes, Herman Trigg and Johnny Boren, and Horrence Leath.

Mrs. Sam Joyce and Mrs. Wilmeth Wade were in the gift display room Mrs. Wade presiding at the register. Gifts from party attendants and others were attractively arranged for guests to view.

## Birthday Party at Arnett's Tuesday

LaVerne Arnett, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnett, observed her birthday Tuesday afternoon by inviting friends for an afternoon party. Gifts were brought by the guests, and several who were unable to attend sent gifts to the honoree.

The afternoon was spent playing games and eating fruit, and at tea time the birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream to: The honoree, Don Fish, JoAnn McGlaun, Lois Marie Belcher, Nadine Todd, Charlotte Faver, Nelda Belle York, J. W. Burleson and Clarice McGlaun.

Nelda Belle York was prize winner in the "pinning the tail on the donkey" contest.

## Jane Webb DeWald Is Party Honoree

Jane Webb DeWald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeWald, celebrated her fifth birthday last Wednesday at a birthday party given her at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Webb. Nine little friends brought gifts for Jane.

Outdoor and indoor entertainment was furnished the youngsters, and the birthday cake was served with iced fruit punch to the following party guests: Betty Lynn Gatlin, Patsy Logan, Lynn L. Logan, Jeanine Smith, Shirley Gillum, Jo Evelyn and Nell Marie Hudson, Jeanine Deal and Phil Curtis.

Grownups present besides Mrs. DeWald included Mmes. Webb, Loy Logan, Buster Curtis and Bill Deal.

## For Bulging Matronly Figure

For the tophcavy woman of 40 who insists she can't dress smartly, the magazine's fashion experts suggest this print. It is of lively rayon crepe with a decided softness over the bust, has young pockets and neckline. A spring tonic for all women!

## Sweetwater Parties Given for Couple

Two parties were given in Sweetwater last week, complimentary to Margaret Deakins of Snyder and Alden Burge of Leesville, Louisiana, who were married here Sunday. Several others in Snyder were in their honor.

Mrs. Kenneth M. Camp of Sweetwater was hostess for dinner last Wednesday evening, inviting local members of the wedding party. Cocktails were served at the Camp home, where roses in lovely arrangement were the principal decoration. Mrs. Camp presented the couple an olive fork in their silver pattern.

Dinner was served at the Blue Bonnet Hotel, and elaborate decorations there followed a yellow and white theme combined with turquoise. Daisies in blue hobnail glassware containers and turquoise candles in matching holders centered the dinner table. Place cards were attached to nosegays of daisies tied with satin ribbons.

Guests were: The honored couple, Jeannette Lollar, Johnnie Mathison and Rube Lee of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams, Margaret Fife, Phil Kreaps, Hershel Gordon and Joel Hodges.

Miss Deakins and Burge shared honors Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams, newlyweds, at a picnic given by Margaret Fife and Joel Hodges at the Fife cabin at Lake Sweetwater. Other guests there were: Mrs. Vernon Young, Patsy Sue King, Misses Mathison, Lollar and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Fife, Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford, Kay Donahue, Hershel Gordon, Dudley Alton and Phil Kreaps.

Wedding invitations at Times.

## Former Officer Weds Arkansas Girl June 6

Staff Sergeant Gordon F. Wills of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Wilma McEntire of Clinton, Arkansas, were married at Clinton June 6. Wills, native of Athens, was formerly a Snyder watchman and is known to a number of local people. He is attached to the medical corps at Fort Sill.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Cora McEntire of Clinton, was born and reared in the Arkansas town. Following her graduation from the Clinton Vocational Training School, she completed work at the Chillicothe Business College of Chillicothe, Missouri.

The Times is indebted to L. N. Periman, prominent county stockman and a friend of Wills, for the marriage notice, which appeared in the Van Buren County Democrat, Clinton, Arkansas. The bride was formerly associate editor of the publication.

V. E. Browning and wife of Blytheville, Arkansas, and Mrs. E. L. Price and son, Tommy, of Lubbock, were guests of the Hollis Brownings and other relatives here during the week-end.

## Margaret Deakins Honoree Thursday

Margaret Deakins, charter member of Duce Bridge Club, was named honoree at the club's alternate-weekly meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Allene Curry. Miss Deakins, bride-elect of Alden Burge of Leesville, Louisiana, resigned from the club at the meeting.

Bridal appointments bore printed best wishes for the honoree, and a butter spreader in her chosen sterling silver pattern was her gift from the club. High score in bridge was won by Mrs. R. M. Phillips, and Frances Boren retained the traveling prize.

A salad course with sweets and iced tea was passed to Mrs. Vernon G. Young of Lawton, Oklahoma, former club member, who was the only guest, and the following members: Miss Deakins, Johnnie Mathison, Rube Lee, Jeannette Lollar, Frances Boren and Mmes. R. C. Miller Jr., Loy Logan, Buster Curtis, Phillips, and Sam Joyce. Mrs. Curtis will be next club hostess.

## Relatives, Friends Gather at Lewis Home

Relatives and close friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis, near Hermleigh, Sunday for a reunion of former Scurry Countians. R. H. Drennan enjoyed having one brother and a major portion of his children and grandchildren at the affair.

Dinner at noon was served to the group, and the afternoon was spent in visiting and making pictures.

Those present included: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilcox of Los Angeles, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Terrell and granddaughter, Barbara Jo, of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dowell and daughter, Lorene, of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Drennan and children of Sterling City; Mrs. J. F. Drennan of Hermleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ryan and son, Essie, and R. H. Drennan Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hooks, J. L. Vineyard and daughter, Bertha, and Alton Vernon, Hermleigh.


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Mrs. Billie Mitchell, shown in the above picture, is the former Ethel Lynn Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hays, who is a June bride. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell are living at 3105 Avenue T since their return from a New Mexico wedding trip. The marriage was June 14.

Mrs. J. R. Huckabee and daughter, Mrs. Joe Hale, left Snyder Tuesday morning for a month's vacation—first toward Yellowstone National Park and the state of Oregon down the West Coast.

## Baptist Women to Hold Evening Social

Women of the First Baptist Church are cordially invited to attend the W.M.U.'s fifth Monday social next week in parlors of the church, announces Mrs. A. P. Morris, president. The social will begin at 8:00 o'clock Monday evening.

Young Women's Auxiliary will be in charge of the entertainment program, and attendants are assured of a pleasant evening, leaders say. YWA girls are also expected to attend the social.

**Mrs. Nicks Takes Studio**

Mrs. Mildred Nicks arrived here early this week from Dallas to take over operation of Miles Studio, formerly in charge of her niece. The Dallas woman has had experience in handling the studio, having worked here with Mrs. Miles several times. She will do kodak printing and portrait work and reprint work from the Miles negative files as well as kodak developing.


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# COTTON STAMP GROUP FORMED TO STUDY PLAN

### H. L. Vann Heads Organization to Explain Working of Program To Retailing Merchants

Formation of a Cotton Stamp Committee for Scurry County to cooperate with the U. S. Department of Agriculture in the operation of the Supplementary Cotton Stamp Plan was announced Tuesday afternoon by Edward S. Hyman, county agent.

H. L. Vann, a local merchant, was elected chairman of the committee. Other members, representatives of the cotton industry in Scurry County, includes:

Forest Sears, local merchant; Wallace Jones of Fluvanna, Floyd Merket of China Grove and A. C. Kincaid, another local business man.

Vann stated that the main purpose of organizing the committee was to assist the government in helping to acquaint all retailers and wholesalers of cotton goods in the county with the manner in which they can cooperate and participate in the benefits of the program.

Vann points out that a time and place will be announced later for a mass meeting of all store operators and their clerks handling cotton products.

In stressing the importance of attending the forthcoming gathering, the committee chairman states that merchants cannot accept cotton stamps for redemption by the government until they have completed a "Retailer's Statement" form entitling them to participate.

The "Retailer's Forms," it is announced, may be obtained from the county agent, and the rules and regulations governing the plan's operation will be fully explained at the forthcoming mass meeting.

"We feel sure," Vann reports, "that every retailer of American grown and manufactured cotton produces in Scurry County will want to cooperate wholeheartedly with the government's effort to aid our cotton farmers and the cotton industry as a whole."

Edward S. Hyman, county agent, states that all county merchants are being contacted, or mailed applications, to participate in redeeming cotton stamps. A list of county merchants was furnished the county agent this week by the county Cotton Stamp Committee. Any merchant who may not have received an application to take part in the Cotton Stamp program is requested to obtain an application at the county agent's office.

County Agent Hyman and W. H. Seal, district official for the Cotton Stamp program, contacted Snyder National Bank in regard to taking care of the Cotton Stamps. The bank has agreed to handle the stamps for Scurry County merchants.

# HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

Estella Rabel, County Home Demonstration Agent

Good attendance featured the Achievement Day program of the Ennis Creek 4-H Club girls, held Tuesday at the home of Charlene Prather, poultry demonstrator.

During the business hour Maxine Panter, 4-H Club president, was named to represent the Ennis Creek 4-H Club at the A. & M. College Short Course.

Allene Davis, Vera Nell Hart and Bobbie Bea Walker were appointed committee members to arrange a club party. Tentative plans call for eating supper at one of the girl's homes, then hike to another member's home and spend the night.

Those present for the occasion were Lillie Mae Pearson, Bobbie Bea Walker, Marinell Wilson, Virginia Robertson, Veldean Davis, Charlene Prather, Gene Hart, Vera Nell Hart, Allene Davis, Vivian Davis, Mmes. Edgar Shuler, Charlie Prather, Earl Davis and Estella Rabel, home agent.

"Sponge cakes make delicious desserts," Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, told memebrs of the Pyron Home Demonstration Club last Thursday at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Wayne Rogers.

Miss Rabel demonstsated the making of a large angel food cake, and was assisted by Mrs. Clifton, food demonstrator. The following recipe was used:

One and a half cups cake flour, two cups sugar, one and a half cups egg whites, one-half teaspoon salt, one and a half teaspoons cream of tartar and one and a half teaspoons flavoring. Measure and sift the flour three times, with about one-third of the sugar. Beat egg whites and salt until foamy, add cream of tartar and beat until foam will just "peak." Work quickly and add rest of sugar and beat rapidly for a half minute.

Stir in flavoring with a few strokes. Add flour mixture rapidly—enough to incorporate into three minutes—and continue stirring for a full minute. Fill an ungreased tube pan about two-thirds full and bake at oven temperature of 333 degrees Fahrenheit. When done invert pan and allow to cool before removing from pan.

Mrs. Wayne Rogers presented a bought angel food cake which was auctioned off for $1.88. Each lady paid the number of pennies she bid. The cake cost 30 cents.

Mrs. O. D. Kiker was announced will represent the Pyron club at the short course. Delicious refreshments were served to the 17 members present in Mrs. Rogers' lovely front yard.

### Enjoyable Meeting at Bison

Angel's food cake making was demonstrated by Estella Rabel, home agent, at a meeting of the Bison Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ross Huddleston.

The group of club members, the Bison 4-H Club girls, who will meet with the women during summer months, and several visitors gathered to witness the mixing demonstration. Mrs. Huddleston has made an attractive kitchen table from an old library table, adding rollers and covering it with linoleum painted to match other kitchen furnishings. Miss Rabel also gave a demonstration of an inexpensive tufted bedspread.

Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, president, presided as members answered roll call with discussions of what they have done in club work the past year. Some were of unusual interest. Mrs. Eubanks, herself, has raised 300 baby chickens; Mrs. Gilmer Davis, clothing demonstrator, has made clothing for her family and has added a new clothes closet to her home; grame gardens have been built; and besides making cotton comforts, club members have done a great deal of other quilting and have made covers for old quilts.

Bison Club's delegate to the short course at A. & M. College July 13-15 will be Mrs. Milton Davis. Two alternates selected Friday were Mmes. Nolan von Roeder and Bill Baggett.

The following were present: Mrs. Wright Huddleston and her mother, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Houston Woody and daughter, Fern, Mrs. Ernest Rhinehart and Barbara Barrier, guests; Lucille and Ellen Sorrells, Frankie Beth Strom, Marian Barrier, Muriel Woody, 4-H Club girls; Mmes. Frank Strom, Loyd Murphy, Hickman, Gilmer Davis, Oppy Owens, Milton Davis, Alvis Minton, Ed Murphy, Roy Barrier, J. D. Oxsheer, A. R. Fowler, Wiley Eubanks, Jim Sorrells, Ella Richter, Nolan von Roeder, Oma von Roeder and Bill Baggett, club members.

Good representation of county home demonstration clubs highpointed a meeting of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council Saturday afternoon.

All officers were present for the occasion. Reports were given from seven clubs and 20 women registered as club representatives.

All short course delegates, eight women, six girls and a sponsor, were urged to attend a meeting that will be held Saturday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the office fo Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

Council members voted Saturday afternoon to pay the advance room rent at College Station for county attendants and that county clubs repay the council.

The encampment committee reported that each club woman will invite one guest to the encampment, with the affair to be held at the city tabernacle July 23, 4:00 p.m. Reports from the short course, recreation and supper will be the chief attractions.

The encampment committee, the council reports, will meet Saturday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the county home demonstration agent's office.

Plans were presented and discussed for the county-wide educational program that will be held Thursday, July 3, at the First Presbyterian Church.

Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council will sponsor a radio broadcast over KXOX, Sweetwater.

A member of the home demonstration council and a representative of girls' 4-H Clubs in the county will put on the program. The public is cordially invited to dial KXOX, Sweetwater, for the broadcast.

The county home demonstration agent's office reports that the next Cotton Stamp program meeting will be held Thursday, July 24.

Achievement Day program was held Monday by the Independence girls at the homes of Neva Joyce and Nelda Jean Hall, Pauline and Ettie Fikes.

The girls met first at the Hall home, displayed their clothing articles and told the story of their work.

Neva Joyce showed her work as follows:

Cup towel, pot holder, a gown that cost 34 cents, a bonnet that cost 15 cents, a dress that cost 68 cents, a slip that cost 37 cents, an apron made of scraps, pillow cases that were made of mash sacks.

Neva Joyce and Nelda Jean have 45 chickens, which are a month old. Since Neva Joyce was clothing demonstrator for her club, she says: "My mother and daddy helped me make a clothes closet. We built it so I could hang my clothes in my room.

"The clothes closet opens into the bath room, and mother can utilize the top for storage. We used sheetrock, and found that it was a bit high but made a permanent storage space."

Anna Beth Bills, Barbara Jean Stewart, Effie Lou Stewart and Pauline Fife met the goal set by the cooperators.

A refreshment course consisting of lemonade and cookies was served attendants.

A trip was then made to the Fife residence, where Ettie showed her 400 chickens which she helped raise. She kept an account of the expense and profit for the entire flock. The group that made the tour included:

Mmes. Leo Heath, E. J. Chaney, Albert Bills, Charlie Stewart and C. A. Hall; Barbara Jean and Effie Lou Stewart, Nelda Jean and Neva Joyce Hall, Pauline and Ettie Fikes, Delphene Hataway, Charlene and Dolores Stewart, Margie Heath, Joyce Bills, Olene Bishop and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

During the business session it was decided that Anna Beth Bills or Neva Joyce Hall be named to attend the A. & M. College Short Course. Each girl is donating a hen to pay for the trip.

"If one has a pressure cooker," Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, told home demonstration club members this week, "one's biggest contribution to defense may be keeping the pressure cooker in good working order and utilizing the cooker for a more abundant food supply.

"Because the country's supply of virgin aluminum is being used for defense needs faster than it can be produced, there may not be any aluminum pressure cookers available in 1942, one manufacturer declares.

"Companies manufacturing cookers from virgin sheet aluminum have been particularly hit, they write, since the only metal available has been scrap or 'secondary' aluminum," Miss Rabel points out.

A recent statement from the consumer representative on minerals and metals for the national defense commission explains that "although it appeared some time ago supplies of aluminum in the form of scrap would be made available, it now appears that supplies may be restricted to a much greater extent than foreseen."

# Oldtimers Plan To Attend Cowboy Reunion July 3-5

Those almost mythical days of the open range, of boots and spurs and six-guns and large herds of cattle on the trail, will be relived at Stamford July 3, 4, and 5 at the 12th annual Texas Cowboy Reunion, when thousands of the Southwest will gather for their annual meeting. Scurry County members are planning to attend the celebration.

Each year, old-time cow-punchers, some 800 of them, assemble here during the reunion, elect new officers for their association, renew acquaintances, swap yarns and recall stirring events which occurred when the West was young. Membership is limited to men who were actively employed as cowboys on ranches at least 35 years ago and the roster now includes more than 1,800. Members who have paid their annual dues are issued badges which entitle them to a chuck wagon dinner at noon each day of the reunion, and free admission to each performance of the rodeo.

Membership in the association include the following from Snyder: W. H. Cauble, J. C. Helms, J. J. Koonsman, B. O. McDow, G. W. Underwood, J. M. Stewart, F. J. Helms and T. J. McDonnell.

# Hopper Poison

**Fluvanna's grasshopper poison mixing plant is going full blast this week.**

**So reports Edward S. Hyman, county agent, who states that approximately 10,000 pounds of the hopper mash has been distributed to county farmers.**

**Reports received by Hyman through Wednesday noon reveals that the grasshopper poison, as concocted at the Fluvanna plant, is proving very effective. Hoppers by the hundreds are biting the dust after indulging in the carefully prepared poison.**

**Those in charge of the Fluvanna plant report that plenty of grasshopper poison is still available. County farmers who are being troubled by hoppers are urged to get their supply of poison immediately.**

## Final Payment for Year Apportionment Will Be Paid Soon

Mrs. Roy O. Irvin, attache at the county superintendent's office, announced Tuesday the receipt of information from the State Department of Education indicating that Scurry County schools will receive $3 more per scholastic on this year's apportionment.

This being the case, Scurry County schools will receive the full $22.50 scholastic apportionment promised by the state.

Coincident with the announcement, the State Department of Education released warrants this week in payment of $1 per capita, aggregating $1,537,688. County schools have received $19.50 of the per capita apportionment so far.

In a message to the county superintendent's office, the State Department of Education points out that the remaining payment should reach county schools late in July or in the early part of August.

## B. M. Glass Is New Man at Browning's

New meat market man at Browning Food Market, located north of the square on Avenue S, is B. M. Glass, who hails from Post. The new market man has had several years' experience in the various phases of butchering, and comes here well recommended.

Hollis and Venita Browning, operators of Browning Food Market, invite newly formed friends of Glass to visit him in his new location. Glass will move his wife and baby son, Dennis, here within the next few days.

Bill King, home on furlough from Camp Bowie, Brownwood, has as his guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. King, Fritz Lindsey of Brownwood.

# Plainview to Host Singing in Fifth Sunday Session

"Big pot is expected to put in the little one" Sunday afternoon when Plainview acts as host to the Scurry County Fifth Sunday Singing Convention.

Convention officials state that the afternoon program of gospel singing will begin at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Several quartets and duets from Scurry and nearby counties have been booked to appear on the program.

County singing classes are urged to send representatives to the convention and have delegates on hand for the convention's business session.

Principal business up for transaction Sunday afternoon will be the selection of officers for the ensuing year.

"L. M. Irion, present convention chief, writes that "Sunday afternoon's program should be one of the snappiest and best organized yet staged.

"Singers and song lovers of this immediate territory are requested to bring as many of the new convention books, Pilgrim Songs, as possible for the occasion," Irion concludes.

Eddie Williams of Hobbs indicated Tuesday that a large delegation of Hobbs singers will attend the Plainview song fest. Singers from Sweetwater, Westbrook, Post, and Gail will be on hand for the festivities.

Plainview is located six miles due east of Snyder on what is known as the "middle road."

John Woodard, Dock Morton, Will Tate and other community leaders report that the Plainview School building has been readied for the convention and seating arrangements completed to care for a capacity crowd.

## Miller Body Works Will Reopen July 5

Miller Body Works, service department of which is temporarily located at the Manhattan Garage, will be ready to open around July 5 at the new headquarters, northeast corner of the square, operators announced.

Arice Jones, budget man for Miller Body Works, states that a full line of B. F. Goodrich tires will be carried by Miller on the Goodrich budget plan—a new kind of plan for purchasing tires and tubes.

Carbon paper at The Times office.

## Second Registration Day Slated Tuesday

Every Scurry County youth who has attained his 21st birthday after October 16, 1940, and before midnight Tuesday will be requested to register Tuesday for Selective Service, local draft board members announced this week.

Aliens, as well as American citizens, who are 21 years old on July 1 must be registered. Local draft board members point out that all men between 21 and 36 years of age who have come here since the October 16 registration of last year, and have not registered, must appear Tuesday before the local board to register.

Every man subject to registration who is an inmate of an asylum, jail, penitentiary, reformatory or similar institution on July 1 will be required to register on the day he leaves the institution.

## Beadel's Food Store Installs Produce Rack

Beadel's Food Store, located on the square's east side, announces this week the installation of a brand new porcelain Progress vegetable rack.

The vegetable rack, one of the most up-to-date installed in a local store, is arranged so that fresh vegetables can be kept on ice at all times, without the ice becoming mixed with the products of farm and truck patch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sawyer of Texas City are visiting here most of this week with Mrs. J. M. Doak. Mrs. Sawyer is the former Ruth Doak.

## Earl Louders Go to Goliad for Funeral Of Drowning Victim

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Louder returned home early this week from Goliad, where they attended funeral services for August Luedecke, 26, the local man's brother-in-law, who was drowned at Victoria last Wednesday. Mrs. Louder, who had been visiting in Wichita Falls, joined her husband in Abilene for the South Texas trip.

The young Victoria businessman, who with his wife moved from Bay City to Victoria only a week earlier, was buried on the family lot at Goliad, following 5:00 o'clock services last Thursday.

Luedecke met his death in swift currents of the Guadalupe River in a futile attempt to save the life of nine-year-old Rex Ball, son of Bay City friends, who had spent the week with the Victoria man and his wife. Bodies of the two were recovered after several hours' search.

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Astute political observers and many leading newspaper editors throughout the state have narrowed the U. S. Senate race to two of Texas' present officials—Gerald C. Mann, attorney general, and W. Lee O'Daniel, governor. Numerous polls throughout the state, in addition to the accurate state-wide Belden Poll, have shown conclusively that the list of candidates is headed by Mann.

The most recent release of state-wide results of the Texas Survey of Public Opinion, conducted by Joe Belden and published in 16 daily newspapers, Gerald Mann led all opponets. His nearest rivals follow in this order: O'Daniel, Dies, Johnson.

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## Young People of Area in Snyder for Apostolic Session

Excellent attendance featured the Apostolic young people's rally, held Sunday at the city tabernacle one block north of the square.

Visitors were attracted to the all-day rally from various parts of the county, from Ralls, Vealmoor and other points in this area.

Evangelist Elvis Bishop of Ralls, who is conducting a two-week revival at the tabernacle, brought the principal sermon Sunday morning.

Dinner, the old-fashioned picnic variety, was spread on the grounds at noontime.

The young people took formal charge of the rally at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The president, Silas Clanton, of Vealmoor, presided.

Bonnie Martin of Ralls gave the secretary's report, after which Paul Clanton, vice-president, took charge of the program. Services Sunday afternoon were concluded with a testimony service.

Announcement was made that the next young people's rally will be held at Vealmoor the fourth Sunday in July.

Evangelist Bishop announces that the Apostolic meeting will continue through this week. The public is cordially invited to attend services, which begin each evening at 8:30 o'clock.

## Snyder General Hospital

Mrs. T. E. Chumbley of Fluvanna and her young daughter, who arrived at 2:33 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, were still in the hospital late Wednesday afternoon.

Other new patients are: Mrs. M. McGuire, Mrs. Homer Lewis of Ira, Mrs. Buck Burdine, Mrs. Roe Resson, Billy Jones and Barbara Ann Holladay of Ira, all surgical patients.

Dismissed last week are: Mrs. Orie Smith of Seguin and Mrs. Alfred Pauls of Sweetwater, surgeries, G. M. Helzelmann, accident, and Wiley Akers, medical.

Three other babies, two boys and one girl, were born at the local hospital the past week, but they and their mothers were dismissed from the hospital early this week. Dolores Ann, daughter of the J. B. Teaffs of Arah Route arrived last Thursday night at 11:05 o'clock, and a few hours earlier, at 3:42 in the afternoon, Jack Madison, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eades, was born. The Herman Elkinses are announcing the arrival Sunday evening, 8:52 o'clock, of their son, Warren Kendred.

## Locals Will Attend Annual Slaton Rodeo Friday and Saturday

Final plans were thrown in the hopper Wednesday for Slaton's two-day rodeo, which will be staged Friday and Saturday at the Lubbock County city.

Scurry County is expected to have a good-sized delegation of rode boosters, contestants and goodwillers on hand for the Friday-Saturday festivities.

R. G. Dillard, local Chamber of Commerce manager, will handle the microphone as announcer for the boots and saddle festival.

Beginning Friday at 12:45 p.m., a mammoth street parade will be held. Afternoon rodeo performances will be held each day at 2:30 p.m. and evening performances at 8:30 o'clock.

Many expert feminine riders of the South Plains have been invited to ride as sponsors for their home towns, generous prizes to be offered for the best performers. Two outstanding trick riders and ropers, Juanita and Weaver Gray, will perform at each rodeo session.

## Homemakers To Be Signed Under Defense Program

The local Farm Security Administration, with offices over Bryant-Link Company, was designated this week as local registration headquarters for the signing up of all home economists in Scurry County.

Mrs. Jacqueline Crosby, county FSA home management supervisor, was named to have charge of the [illegible] of country home economists, or homemakers, will be done under a national defense program request made by the U. S. Agriculture.

In the national defense program, it is pointed out, there is a vital need for home economists in the county, whether home economists or home-making instructors, to register for service later on.

In an appeal to such persons in the county this week, Mrs. Crosby requests that they telephone 300 and leave their names and addresses—if it is impossible to turn in their names personally.

Any person who has had as much as two or three years' work in a recognized college, and who has carried home economics as a major or minor is urged to call Mrs. Crosby as soon as possible.

Announcement will be made later by Mrs. Crosby when a meeting of county home economists will be held.

Each and every home economist and homemaking instructor in the county is extended an invitation to attend the educational program that will be given Thursday, July 3, in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church. Complete program for the occasion will be found elsewhere in this issue.

LaRue Autry has as her guests this week at the home of her parents, the N. W. Autrys, Joy Green and Juana Jean Henderson, both of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Griffin and twin sons visited in Brownwood from Sunday through Tuesday. They were accompanied as far as Abilene by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith.

Two nieces of N. W. Autry, Mrs. Jay Clay of Indianapolis, Indiana, and Mrs. Christine Brown of Amarillo, arrived Tuesday for a three-day visit with the local fire chief and his wife. Mrs. Clay was accompanied by her son, Jay Clay Jr.

Bobby Sims of San Angelo is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Darby.

Miss Mary Heath of Dallas, former teacher in Snyder Schools, was a recent guest of the W. P. Kings.

Corporals Richard Brice and Clyde Boren Jr. and several friends from the army camp at Fort Sam Houston, spent Wednesday night with their parents, the H. J. Brices and Clyde M. Borens, en route to their permanent army assignment at Spokane, Washington.

Mrs. Willard E. Lewis and children, Willard Jr. and Linda, of Hobbs, New Mexico, are guests for the rest of the week of Mrs. W. H. Clements. They were brought here Monday night by Lewis, former local drug store employee, and Glynn Curry Snyder, 1941 graduate of the local high school, both of whom returned to Hobbs early Tuesday.

Esther Bearden, housekeeper for C. Wedgeworth, former superintendent of schools here now residing in Perryton, returned to the Panhandle town first of the week after a several-day visit with relatives at Snyder.

## Callis Sees Kin First Time in Fifty Years

Fifty years is a mighty long time in the lives of most of us. A good number of us have to imagine how long that would be. But some folks in Snyder Monday were counting their days back that far.

Guest of the C. H. Callis family first of the week was G. W. Guinn of Dallas, uncle of Callis. The two last saw each other in Collin County exactly 50 years ago. Guinn, who is hale and hearty for his four score years, is the only living relative [illegible] another's people.

A superannuated Methodist minister, Guinn and Callis recalled many interesting experiences of previous days.

## Five Are Hostesses To Methodist Women

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Allen Beadel Monday afternoon to hear a temperance lesson directed by Mrs. J. O. Littlepage. Other hostesses were Mmes. Warren Dodson, J. E. Blakey, R. G. Dillard and Lida M. Hardy.

Mrs. Joe Strayhorn gave the meditation following scripture reading in unison by the 18 members present. Mrs. Kenneth Eades was presented in a reading, "Rise Up O Men of God." Mmes. Ollie Blodgett and T. M. Howle gave the two outstanding discussions of the afternoon on "The Use of Alcohol Destroys Mind and Body" and "Narcotics Are Detrimental to Body and Mind."

The hostesses served a salad plate with iced tea to the members attending the weekly society gathering.

## Drivers Urged to Use Caution Over Holiday Season

The Fourth of July will bring the biggest traffic jam in the state's history, the Texas Safety Association predicted this week in a release to The Times.

More important, it also will bring the biggest holiday traffic toll of the year, the association warned, unless the [illegible] use extra caution.

More than 1,726,200 vehicles will pack the highways over the three-day holiday period, the association said. They will travel 130,000,000 miles—the greatest total ever rolled up on the state's speedometers in any one week-end.

An estimated 30 persons will be killed and 360 suffer injuries in the annual jamboree of carelessness which marks Texas' observance of Independence Day.

This all-time high will result from the fact that defense production means full pocketbooks and full gas tanks. More people are driving more cars more miles. And over the Fourth thousands of soldier will be going home on leave.

The vacation season will be in full swing. Traffic will be rolling in high.

To meet the threat of a record-breaking traffic toll, the Texas Safety Association called on every driver and every pedestrian to enlist in a state-wide effort to avoid accidents. City officials and civic organizations were asked to join in the campaign to cut the holiday toll.

Diner—"Young lady, I would like to change my order."

## Longest Day Was Moderate as Sun Starts Return Trip

Old Sol, the ageless gentleman that rouses a whole world each morning, has started back on his slow but sure journey to the South.

Saturday marked the reaching of summer solstice for the sun—the most northward point reached by the provider of light before starting back toward the equator.

Summer solstice is an important milepost for many people. [illegible] since it marks [illegible] the longest day of the year.

From now until December 21 the nights will get a "tincy" bit longer each 24 hours—such a brief period that one would hardly notice the difference day by day.

Summer solstice also marks an important milepost for those who till the soil. This event marks the time when the planting season for current crops is virtually over. Fall crops, of course, may be planted until the middle of July. These include fall vegetables, late feed on wheat or grain land and sudan for fall grazing.

Saturday, as the longest day of the year, proved fairly comfortable. High temperature recording for the day was 91 degrees, the low 57.

Guests of the John Abercrombie family from Monday through Saturday of last week were Mrs. Abercrombie's brother, W. P. Hye, Mrs. Hye and their son, Buford, of Sapulpa, Oklahoma. The reunion of brother and sister was their first in 25 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce C. Eiland and baby daughter, Cherry Lynn, of Childress were guests here late last week of Eiland's mother, Mrs. Ethel Eiland. The Childress couple and the baby spent the week-end with Mrs. Eiland's parents, the W. J. Largents, in Merkel.

Mrs. O. P. Thrane of Abilene and young Pasty Webb, daughter of the George Webbs of Cleveland, Ohio, were visiting with local relatives and friends over the week-end.

## Court of Honor Set Monday at Church

Regular court of honor for the Snyder District will be held Monday evening, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, at the Methodist Church, Boy Scout officials of the Snyder District report.

Presiding at the court of honor will be H. G. Dillard. Good attendance from troops in the district is expected, since a number of awards will be made at the court of honor.

Mrs. Ben Driver of Carlsbad, New, [illegible] her mother, Mrs. J. T. Hayes.

The Frank Farmers of Roby visited the Claud Cottens and local friends early this week.

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The labor unions representing engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and switchmen are demanding a 30 per cent increase in wages, amounting to 190 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay are the highest in history.

Other unions representing a greater number of railway employees are demanding wage increases ranging as high as 95 per cent—averaging 47 per cent—and amounting to 580 million dollars a year—although their present rates of pay also are the highest in history.

Thus the wage increases being demanded by the labor unions amount to 770 million dollars a year, an average increase in excess of 41 per cent.

In addition, certain of these labor unions have demanded advances in their pay not included in the above figures, and more rules for the creation of unnecessary jobs.

The situation, then, is this: The total cost of complying with all the demands made would be approximately 900 million dollars a year!

The average weekly earnings of railway employees are now 15 per cent higher than in the peak year 1929, while the cost of living is 12 per cent less.

The demands of the railway labor unions are being made when the entire nation has just been asked to make a supreme effort for National Defense.

The railways cannot meet these demands without a great increase in the cost of transportation. They exceed by more than 700 million dollars the income that the railways had left after paying their annual expenses, taxes and charges in 1940.

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## Rodeo Trimmers to Advertise Event August 4 and 5

Officials of the Scurry County Rodeo Association report that additional plans were drawn this week for making Scurry County's fifth annual rodeo August 8 and 9 the outstanding rodeo of West Texas.

Plans were outlined Tuesday for making August 8 house one of the most elaborate and effective yet staged by a Snyder delegation.

Association officials point out that a group of four men are making all rodeos in this territory to glean ideas for the county's August roundup.

The four men attending rodeos in this area are exchanging ideas and planning for this year's show to be outstanding. It is the honest opinion of rodeo association officials that this year's show will be the outstanding one in West Texas.

The rodeo arena at Wolf Park was cleared of a top soil layer this week and preparations made to put on a new top coating. The arena has been enlarged 15 feet over last year's dimensions.

All chutes are now in the open, where spectators can have an unlimited view of performances. Several large trees have been removed so that an unobstructed view of the arena may be had from any angle.

Directors voted this week to have the officials' and helpers' supper on the evening of July 31, rather than on August 1 as originally planned. This change was made to avoid a conflict with the Post rodeo August 1 and 2.

### Williams, Fowlers Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams, Mary Ellen and Billy Wayne Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler returned late Tuesday night from a five-day visit in Monterrey, Mexico. The Fowlers' young daughter, Fontaine, spent the time with her grandparents in Ozona. In spite of the rainy weather, Mary Ellen relates, the group had a grand time. Sightseeing trips to Saltillo and other points of interest near Monterrey filled many interesting hours, and visions of the native dancers performing in floor shows each evening were enjoyable.

## Quiet Juneteenth

**Last Thursday composed about the most peaceful "June Teenth" that local officers have witnessed here in recent years. Colored residents of the town and county celebrated Emancipation Day in a big, but rather sane way.**

**Local officers report that many colored folks gathered last Thursday evening in the town's colored section for a community-wide social, but that the celebrations were conducted in good order.**

**"I believe if we would encourage our colored folks to have more sane and sensible celebrations," a city officer commented Friday, "we wouldn't have nearly as much trouble where law enforcement is concerned. Some colored folks celebrated by working last Thursday—a rather unusual occurrence on 'June Teenth'."**

## All-Girl Orchestra to To Appear Monday For Return Program

Sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, reappearance of C. A. Hetrick's All-Girl Orchestra of Amarillo is scheduled to be made Monday evening at the local skating rink.

The dance that will be given under Jaycee auspices will be carried on a strictly up-and-up basis, officials point out. Those who are out for a "rootin' tootin' wild time" will not be allowed admittance.

Swing music, as turned out by the All-Girl Orchestra, will begin at 9:00 o'clock Monday evening. This orchestra will reappear here by popular request, and mark the third monthly dance sponsored by the Jaycees.

Admission charges for the Monday evening dance will be $1.10 per couple, tax included. Marie Hetrick will be featured with a piano solo-vox, a device that doubles and reproduces 14 different instruments.

Onlookers express considerable interests these days in a cage containing three squirrels that has been placed in front of Pick & Pay Store, northeast corner of the square. The animals, Operator Marcel Josephson states, were brought here from Merkel.

## Mrs. J. H. Huey, Resident 30 Years, Passes Monday

Death claimed Mrs. J. H. Huey, 55, county resident for the past 31 years, Monday afternoon at the East Snyder home of a daughter, Mrs. Carl Keller, following a several-week illness. Death was attributed to a breast cancer.

Born October 16, 1885, Mrs. Huey moved to Scurry County in 1910, and had lived in Texas since 1904.

Funeral services for Mrs. Huey were held Tuesday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Ira Harrison of Abilene, assisted by Rev. R. E. Bratton of Canyon, conducted final rites.

Surviving are the husband, five daughters, Mrs. Carl Keller, Hannah Faye Huey, Mrs. Glen Breneman, Josie Lee Huey and Mrs. Ray Woody, all of Snyder; four brothers, Joe, Steven, John and Will Murphree, also of Snyder; and two sisters, Mrs. Ida Huffstutler and Mrs. A. M. Weller.

Pallbearers were J. E. LeMond, C. V. Thompson, Roy Barrier, Hoyle Cary, Wright Huddleston and J. H. Woody.

Nell Verna LeMond, Mattie Shook, Sybil Irvin and Marjorie Nell Bruton, of Abilene were in charge of floral offerings.

Odom Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements, with burial in Snyder Cemetery.

Out-of-town relatives and friends attending the funeral were: Mrs. Joe Bruton and daughter, Margie Nell, Abilene; H. T. Huey, Sonora, Oklahoma; V. C. and Herchel Huey of Marlow, Oklahoma; Dan Corley, Mrs. Gussie Gill and daughter and Mrs. Ruby Myers, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Newt Morton, Maryneal; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Putman and children, Westbrook.

## Half Year's Work For Presbyterian to Be Climaxed Sunday

Sunday marks the last Sabbath for the first half of 1941. We have had good attendance at all services during the first half of this year and we want to bring the current six-month period to a close with record attendance.

Sunday School will begin at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning, with the morning worship service scheduled to begin at 11:00 o'clock. The young people will have charge of this service and the pastor will preach on "Thy Kingdom Come."

Mary Brown Roberson will be leader for the young people's meeting Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock. Regular preaching services will begin Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the church.

Wednesday evening the choir will have a brief practice period, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting will follow at 8:15 o'clock.

Members of the Presbyterian Church are urged to attend the services and visitors will be extended a cordial welcome.—Rev. Hubert C. Travis, pastor.

## All-Kid Rodeo Set For July 3 and 4 at Double Heart Ranch

Ollie Cox, operator of the Double Heart Ranch 10 miles south of Sweetwater, stated while here Wednesday that numerous entries from Scurry and nearby counties are being received in Double Heart's forthcoming All-Kid Rodeo at the famous ranch July 3 an 4.

Preceding the first rodeo performance, a street parade will be staged in downtown Sweetwater July 3 at 10:00 a.m.. Rodeo performances will start at 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., July 3 and 4.

The Double Heart Ranch is the only one in Texas that owns all stock used in its rodeos, including a herd of buffaloes. This year's rodeo will be the 11th one staged at the Double Heart.

All contestants 18 years old and under are eligible to participate in the All-Kid Rodeo, provided a release blank is signed by the contestant's parents.

## Roof for Justice

**County officials at the courthouse will be assured this summer of a roof over their heads!**

**Workmen began Wednesday morning with re-roofing repairs on the county seat of government, and are making extensive repairs where hail, wind and water caused severe damage last week.**

**In answer to a jibe by a tourist Wednesday that the courts as long as the sun was shining, commissioners court members point out that "rainy days will be here later. If it started raining one couldn't work while rain was falling."**

## Ballard Says County Prospects Look Good

Luke Ballard, former county agent of Scurry County and present field representative of the State Soil Conservation Board, Temple, was an overnight visitor here Monday.

Ballard, en route to Plainview on soil conservation business, declared that "Scurry County still looks mighty promising. Crop conditions are above average for West Texas counties and it looks like county farmers and ranchers will be on top on the money barrel this fall."

## Mail Carrier Gets Spider Bite on Eve Of 21st Anniversary

Friday marked the 21st anniversary J. E. LeMond, rural carrier, has been carrying the mail, but a vinegaroon spider, two inches long, cut short his mail-carrying Friday morning.

LeMond started out on his route at usual, but was bitten on the main leg, above the knee, by the poison-carrying spider when 16 miles out.

The local carrier drove into town to a local hospital, where emergency treatment was administered.

LeMond used to carry the mail out of Tahoka before moving to Scurry County. He has carried the mail out of Snyder on his route for 13 years.

A check of records reveals that LeMond has driven over 400,000 miles in carrying the mail for Uncle Sam—a record that many other carriers may well envy.

A report received Tuesday from LeMond indicated that he was resting easy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson of Sweetwater were visiting in Snyder Wednesday.

Mrs. B. G. Johnson and children, Basil and Bobbie, are spending the week with Mrs. Johnson's parents, the O. E. Easthams, at Baird.

## Pecos Rodeo to Offer Big Prizes July 3-4

Final plans were whipped into shape this week for what promises to be the greatest rodeo ever presented in Pecos, home of the world's first rodeo 58 years ago.

This year's show, the 12th under the sponsorship of the American Legion, will be presented July 3 and 4 with afternoon and night performances daily. With more than $2,000 offered in prizes and with the best of the world's rodeo talent expected here, a record number of top contestants are expected to compete. Indications point to large crowds for the two-day program. New attractions and the fact that fewer competing attractions are scheduled on the Fourth of July holiday in this section probably will swell the attendance.


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### Bank to Be Closed Saturday.

Officials of Snyder National Bank announced that the local bank will be closed all day Saturday, since Saturday, July 28, is election day. Patrons are advised of the closing and are requested to arrange their transactions accordingly.

Miss Vela Bell of Ennis is a guest here of her brother, W. R. Bell, and Mrs. Bell.

Mrs. John R. Williams came home last week from a several-day visit with relatives in Dallas and Houston.


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# Read About Your Friends in the Rural Sections of the County

## Sharon News

**Mrs. L. S. Trevey, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers have returned from a three-week vacation spent at Rotan, Abilene and Corsan. Albert Midkiff, who [illegible] by the Magnolia Petroleum Company to take his place, has returned to Big Spring.

C. B. Trevey of Beaumont spent the week-end with relatives at Sharon. He is a U. S. naval reserve officer and has been called to service at New Orleans August 1. His son, C. B. Jr., is spending this week and part of next here, before returning to Beaumont.

Elnora Dosier spent last week in Snyder visiting relatives.

Charley Jones spent the week-end at home last week. He is in training at Camp Bowie, Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Griffith of Seven Wells visited with homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

Louie Vaughan has been selling peaches in the nearby communities the past week from his orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Trevey and daughters of Snyder were visitors in the Emmett Trevey home last Sunday.

Jack Thompson visited in the Noe Griffith home at County Line Saturday.

Jim Holcomb was a business visitor one day last week with a load of peaches from the Von Roeder orchards.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Gray and son of Canyon were week-end visitors in the R. R. Thompson home.

## Polar News

**Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent**

Several from this community attended church services at Snyder over the week-end.

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

Lucille Nix of Camp Springs visited her parents here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore visited relatives at Snyder Sunday.

Othel Cumbie, who is working for Charlie Cochran, visited Mrs. Nona Cumbie at Snyder over the week-end.


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## Lone Wolf News

**Gladys R. Mahoney, Correspondent**

Mrs. J. R. Layfield and daughter, Mary, accompanied by Mrs. N. A. Layfield of Roscoe, have been visiting [illegible]

Beth and Ruth Mahoney visited in Sweetwater recently with Mrs. J. S. Grimes and children, who were visiting relatives there. The Grimeses are residents of Odessa.

Mrs. Myrtle Pieper is announcing the arrival of her first grandbaby, Stanley Dean, born to Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Pieper, of Wastella, Sunday, June 15.

J. R. Layfield received medical attention in Loraine recently. He has been suffering from an infected eye.

Jake and Alvin Hardy of Snyder and Ira Griffith of Roscoe were visitors of Dempsey Darden last week.

Johnnie Barnett of Dallas spent her summer vacation here with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Pieper.

Beth and Ruth Mahoney attended funeral services for Mrs. Ed Wayne Britton in Loraine last week. They were flower bearers for the service. The J. C. Richburgs also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Avant Norrell and children and Mrs. J. G. Norrell were visitors in the Jess Bollinger home at Inadale Tuesday evening.

LaWanda and Ann Bollinger of Inadale spent Wednesday night in the E. M. Mahoney home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Norrell and son, Charles, of Abilene were visitors of Grady's mother, Mrs. J. G. Norrell, Friday.

Mrs. Joe Wheeler and children, Farris and Patsy, of Sweetwater spent Friday in the J. R. Wheeler Sr. home.

Mrs. Ella Kuck of Loraine and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Wemken of Sbiner, were visiting the W. C. Dardens two afternoons last week.

Mrs. H. J. Schulze of German community was a business visitor in this community Friday.

Beth and Ruth Mahoney, accompanied by Mrs. Jess Bollinger and daughters of Inadale, were visitors in Colorado City and in the home of Mrs. D. L. Bollinger at Champion Thursday afternoon.

O. P. Blair states that his son, T. J., who has been in Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming, has been sent to Fort Lewis, Washington. T. J. has spent the past three months in the Wyoming army camp.

The J. C. Stahls have recently installed a butane gas plant in their home.

Ruby Prescott accompanied other homemaking girls of Loraine to the state park near Abilene for a very enjoyable week-end. Thirty-six persons made the trip and enjoyed going through Camp Barkeley. Jack Claxton of this community drove the school bus for the group.

Lucille Martin has been visiting her cousins, Marion and Marie Newton of Midland. The girls are twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Newton of that city.

Biddie Ledbetter of Colorado City was visiting her sister, Mrs. Avant Norrell, Saturday.

Grandfather Claxton of Loraine moved to the home of his son, Bill, in this community Wednesday.

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haggerton have received word that the Haggertons, who are in a Dallas hospital, are responding to treatment and are planning to return home in the near future. They have been away several weeks.

Mrs. Erma Stevens and sons of Rotan spent Thursday night with her brother, Emmitt Rasco, and family.

Beth Mahoney was the week-end guest of Ople Richburg of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and son and daughter, Harold and Mamie, of Colorado City were visiting the Alex Gilbreaths and the Jim Stewarts Sunday.

E. M. Mahoney was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Georgia Leggott at Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg and little son of Loraine and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Herm of Colorado City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richburg.

Denfer Hale left last week for Mesilla Park, New Mexico, to visit his brother, Claude, who is employed there.

S. McWhirter of Lone Star, Mitchell County, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Stahl, and family.

Jack—"Say, have you seen Bill?"

Henry — "Yeah. He's 'round in front."

Jack—"I know he's round in front, but where is he?"

The secret of success is constancy to purpose.—Disraeli.

## Union News

**Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson Sr. and children, James and Nannelle made a trip to El Paso and brought home with them Mrs. [illegible] and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starnes of Camp Bowie visited W. A. Barnett's family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Scott of Ira attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Scott.

Sallie and Mattie Shook visited Mrs. Huey of Bison, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Keller, in Snyder.

Mrs. Carrie Line and son spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ruthie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson and daughter, Margaret Bata, drove to Abilene Sunday to see Camp Barkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Champion and son of Ladonia have been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. E. Land, and report lots of rain and poor crops in Fannin County.

Little Deloras Anne Teaff came last Wednesday to stay with Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Teaff. Congratulations!

Iris Lynn Blakely visited Fayn Bentley Sunday.

Jocile Adams from Swinlin is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams.

## Big Sulphur News

**Eunice Lewis, Correspondent**

Helen Mahoney spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Dean Smith.

Oreta Myers spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huey and family of Bison community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilcox of Los Angeles, California, arrived here Wednesday night. They were en route home from Flint, Michigan, where they purchased a new automobile. When they get back to California they will have been in 18 states and two foreign countries. They are visiting her two sisters and father and many friends in Scurry County. Their brother, Charlie Drennan of Sterling City, joined them here. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox are old residents of Scurry County.

Truman and W. L. Wemken of German community and Jessie Henley of this community spent Sunday with E. R. and A. J. Mahoney.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gressitt of Lafayette, Louisiana, spent Monday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Bishop Vineyard, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilcox of Los Angeles, California, and Charles Drennan and family of Sterling City spent Saturday night with the Buell Lewis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Vineyard met with all the latter's sisters, brothers and father in a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cannon Burdett in Snyder last Sunday.

Close friends and relatives met in a reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis Sunday.

We are sorry to report that Bishop Vineyard has been on the sick list the past few days, but is better at this writing.

"I wonder why Mr. Smith didn't preside at our meeting," said Mrs. Jones.

"I hear that his wife wouldn't let him," ventured Mrs. Brown.

"The very idea—being ruled by a woman! If I'd been his wife, I'd have made him go!"

## Martin News

**Mrs. Fay Gibson, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Musgrove visited their sons, Fred and Neal, and families in Childress last Monday and Tuesday. They carried Roy Pierce to work for Fred, who has been suffering from a spider bite. They report crops have been rained out several times in parts of that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce and family, who moved from this community three years ago to Arkansas, have returned to this community. A married daughter and family returned with them.

Mrs. Nola Gladson is able to sit up, after being ill with pneumonia. Rex and Eugene Gladson and families visited their mother while ill.

E. W. Lewis, wife and son of Clovis, New Mexico, visited his grandparents before going to Colorado for the summer.

Mrs. A. M. Armstrong has a sister, Mrs. Arthur Smith of Arlington, visiting her.

Mrs. Clarence Brush and daughter visited Sergeant Brush at Camp Bowie recently.

Mrs. O. P. Thrane of Abilene was in this community last week looking after their farms. The hail and rain damaged all of their farms.

Some of the farmers lost all of their oats, while some are getting half of their crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Luster Huckabee of Shallowater visited the Huckabees here for a short time last week.

Mrs. Tom C. Davis has had as guests her sister, Mrs. Farris of San Angelo, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Raymond Mullen of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson and son, Horace Gene, are visiting relatives at Denison this week. They are due to return here Friday.

## Bethel News

**Helen Watkins, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haney spent Sunday in the C. W. Beavers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greene and son were visitors in the Jim Greene home over the week-end.

We are happy to announce that Walter Coonrod is able to be up again.

Mary Lou Beavers is visiting her cousin this week at Camp Springs.

## Pyron News

**Lucille Kinney, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Odessa are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Lera Light, who is employed in Sweetwater, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Betty Light, and family.

Mrs. L. S. Daniel of Sweetwater is visiting in the Walter Kinney home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Simmons visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Taylor in Sweetwater Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Wemken and baby, who have been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barnes, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Patterson of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patterson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Patterson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patterson visited in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Vernon and children of Roscoe and Mary Etta, a daughter, of Lubbock visited in the K. P. Lofton Jr. home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Morton Grindstaff visited Mrs. K. P. Loften Sr. Thursday evening.

Mrs. George Smith visited Mrs. Walter Kinney Friday evening.

Mrs. Fritz Hill of Sylvester spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young.

Will Richburg, who has been ill for three weeks, is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Young visited in the Floyd Light home Sunday evening.

Lucille Kinney and Maxine Cooper of Roscoe spent Thursday evening in the Walter Kinney home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glass of Snyder visited in the Mark Glass home Sunday evening.

Black—"Confidentially, your wife is telling it around that you don't keep her in clothes."

White—"I gave up trying. I built her a house and I can't keep her in that either."

"So live that you wouldn't be ashamed to sell the family parrot to the town gossip."—Olive View Point.

## Turner News

**Helen Morrow, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Jolly Irion left to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Nate Brooks, near San Antonio, who is ill.

home Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turknett and baby and Mrs. Maggie Agnew of Cisco.

Helen Morrow spent last week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Coppedge of Rotan.

Mrs. Wayne Coppedge and son, Alton, of Rotan and Mrs. R. T. Pippin of Snyder visited last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Morrow, and family.

Doyle Blakely of Camp Bowie spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Sherman Blakely, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Teaff are the proud parents of a baby girl, born last Thursday night.

Helen Morrow visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berryhill in New Mexico.

**IN STYLE**

A doting aunt and uncle were taking a very small, but very lively, boy for a walk. They kept him between them in order to protect him from cars and other dangers.

"Hullo, Bobby" an acquaintance hailed the little fellow. "Is that your daddy and mammy?"

"No," retorted Bobby, "ther're my convoys."

Happiness is the legitimate fruitage of love and service.—Arthur S. Hardy.

## Bell News

**Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent**

Fred Russell and family of Plainview community and Bush Shaw and family of Hermleigh were visitors in the Oscar Hoover home Sunday.

[illegible] and Mrs. Joe Cooper and Katherine moved to California last week. The Armstrong family moved to the place they vacated.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers visited in the Mel Andress home at Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chorn spent Sunday with Mrs. M. J. Deavers of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers and small son moved from Ennis Creek to the Gafford place Monday.

J. S. McCright of Canyon community visited Mrs. L. A. Hill the past week. Leslie Hill and family were callers in the Russell home of Plainview community Sunday afternoon.

The weekly quilting club met with Mrs. Luther Prince the past Wednesday.


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SADDLE for sale or trade.—Inquire at Newton Grocery. 1c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1937 Ford V-8.—Bushy's Service Station. 1c

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FOR SALE—National cash register; like new; half price.—Ben Franklin Store. 1f

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FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished three-room apartment. 2301 26th Street. 1p

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FOUR-ROOM UNFURNISHED upstairs apartment for rent. Ben Franklin Store. 2-tfc

FURNISHED ROOM for rent. Upstairs over Ben Franklin Store. 2-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern 3-room unfurnished apartment. 2000 Avenue S or Stimson Camp. 3-2p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, electric refrigeration.—Mrs. Nettie Wasson, 1308 30th Street. 3tfc

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### Wanted

WANT TO RENT four-room house. —B. M. Glass at Browning Food Market. 1p

WANTED—Good used cream separator.—Wraymond Sims, Route 2, Snyder. 1p

MARRIED MAN and single man wanted to work on farm.—Sidney Johnson. 1c

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CARD OF THANKS

As the dark clouds of grief have hovered over us, friends have come to our side with consoling words and kind deeds that have made the tragedy easier to bear. We cherish such thoughtfulness with thankful hearts. Especially do we appreciate the splendid services of Odom Funeral Home.—Mrs. S. O. Worthington and children, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Worthington, Mrs. Huddleston Wright and Mrs. Seth Bertram. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

Every day we learn to appreciate our friends and neighbors a little more. We are truly grateful for your kindnesses to us at the death of our loved one, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Hamilton. Sympathy and assistance given us during our sadness is acknowledged and appreciated. We trust that you may have these kindnesses in your hours of need.—Mrs. Ira Sturdivant and family and other relatives. 1p

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received by Scurry County at the courthouse at Snyder, Texas, until 10 o'clock a.m. on July 7, 1941, for the purchase of one Motor Grader, 4-wheel drive and 4-wheel steer, powered with gasoline motor of approximately 68 horsepower, bidder to accept in trade one Austin Western 77 Sr. Motor Grader as part payment of the purchase price of new equipment. Bidders are requested to submit bids on one motor grader. Certified check or bid bond, in the amount of 5% of the bid will be required. Notice is given that warrants will be issued in the maximum sum of $4,000 payable serially, last maturity date not later than April 15, 1942, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, interest payable semi-annually. Specifications for such materials are to be found at the office of the County Judge of Scurry County, Texas. Dated at Snyder, Texas, June 16, 1941.

STERLING WILLIAMS,
County Judge, Scurry County, Texas 3-2c

# News of Folks in Scurry County Communities

## Ira News

**Mrs. [illegible], Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Huddleston and sons accompanied by Walker Huddleston and daughter of Bison made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. R. L. Howard and J. D. Matthews of Midland visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard, one day last week.

Our sympathy goes out to the loved ones of Oscar Worthington of Dunn, who died Friday.

Mrs. E. A. Crowder has been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Homer Lewis, who underwent major surgery at the General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Martin and daughter, Patsy Sue, of Canyon spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Marshall Boyd, and family.

Rev. Buster Edwards of Champion preached at the Baptist Church Friday night. He was accompanied by his wife. They visited in the Burton Kelley home that night.

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

Mrs. Minnie Webb and LaRue Cotton of China Grove and Bobbie Webb of Tahoka visited in the John Webb home Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Webb visited her sister, Mrs. W. C. Eades, in the General Hospital Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Eades are entertaining a new son, who will answer to the name Jack.

Rev. Brown of Buford filled the pulpit in the absence of Rev. Cockrell, who is away at pastor's school. He was accompanied by Rev. Prentice. They were dinner guests in the Whit Farmer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herring of Colorado City visited friends here Sunday.

We are sorry to report Little Barbara Ann Holladay is in the hospital. She underwent an appendix operation Thursday.

Little Glen Hoyle Holladay had a tonsil operation last week. He is at home doing well.

Mrs. Eugene Kruse had as visitors Thursday Mrs. Charlie Marr of Borger and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Bates of Dumas.

Buddie and Bobbie Webb returned to their home at O'Donnell after a two-week visit with relatives here and at China Grove.

Mrs. A. P. Snider spent this week with her daughter, Mrs. Garland Fambro, of Lloyd Mountain.

Sunday visitors in the R. T. Tamplin home were Elton Tamplin and a cousin of Big Spring, Mrs. R. C. Howard of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Stiles Trevey ahd daughters of Snyder. Mrs. Howard remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb spent Saturday night with Mrs. Minnie Webb of China Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb and son, Lewis, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lloyd of East Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant and son, Will, of Union visited in the John Webb home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, accompanied by Mrs. Minnie Webb and LaRue Cotton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Webb of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard visited at Dunn and China Grove Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to report J. S. Webb much worse at this writing. E. B. Kelley took him to Snyder to the doctor Sunday.

The Fifth Sunday Singing will be at Plainview next Sunday. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

We welcome into our midst Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sweatt. Mr. Sweatt is our superintendent for next year.

## German News

**Ollie Pagan Correspondent**

Lloyd Wemken, who has been at home for a few days, returned to Dallas Sunday to resume his course at the Aeronautical Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Fain Jackson were at Sweetwater Wednesday. A friend of Mrs. Jackson's returned home with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pagan of El Paso visited his mother and other relatives Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dinner guests in the home of Mrs. J. M. Pagan Sunday were: Mrs. Ben Caswell, Mrs. Eunice Lee, Uncle Jeff and Fred Ison, all of Loraine.

Mrs. Edgar Wemken and small daughter, Darlene, have returned home.

Mrs. J. M. Pagan has staying with her her daughter, Mrs. Autry Light, of Plainview community, who is entertaining a new daughter, Audie Louise.

Mrs. M. C. Millhollan of Snyder spent last week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Pagan.

The people of this community extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenetschlaeger and son, for the loss of Baby Jerome Charles.

Alfreida Schulze of Snyder and Annie Schulze of Sweetwater spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulze and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schulze.

Mrs. Herman Wenetschlaeger returned home Wednesday from Lubbock where she has been visiting.

## Murphy News

**Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent**

Bruce Murphy was at home over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar West and baby of Monroe enjoyed dinner Saturday with the Nolah von Roeders.

Mrs. Milton Davis has been selected to represent the Home Demonstration Club of Bison at the A. & M. College short course.

Mrs. Nolan von Roeder and son, Max, made a business trip to Abernathy Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murphy and daughter have visiting them Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. Barbara Barrier of Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. "Tuffy" Sanders and son of Vincent spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franklin and family.

B. C. Taylor, Mrs. Martin and niece, Billie Lou Taylor of Slaton, visited friends in our community Friday night and Saturday.

J. G. Davis visited in Coahoma with his daughters, Mrs. Jack Bryant and Laura Davis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murphy spent Sunday with the Ray Barriers of Bison.

Rev. and Mrs. Cone Merritt and son of Post visited with the Alvis Mintons last week.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Cox and family into our community.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Jimmie Hill on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Weathers and son of Dermott visited with Mrs. J. L. Weathers and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy Friday.

Mmes. Ed and Loyd Murphy and Mrs. Barbara Barrier visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sorrells of Bison.

Rev. Jim Fields of Snyder is to conduct a singing school in our community starting this Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Burney McGee and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Addison and daughters of Lamesa enjoyed dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder. Mrs. McGee is Mrs. Von Roeder's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Davis and son and Mrs. Melton Davis were in Lamesa over the week-end.

## Midway News

**Doris Dixon, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crumb and daughter, Blessie Lou, of Melvin, are visiting John Ayers, Mrs. Crumb's brother.

Helen Stewart of Snyder spent Sunday and Blessie Lou Crumb of Melvin visited Lena Weaks Friday afternoon.

Edgar Lynn Hudnall was operated at Rotan last week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Albert Hicks and family visited her sister, Mrs. Sterling Willingham, Tuesday.

Happy Hicks of this community went to Wichita Falls with his uncle to work.

Mrs. Walter Wall entertained her Sunday School Class at her home Friday afternoon. After various games were played ice cream cones and cookies were served to the following: J. D. Faulkenbery, Helen and Lou Stewart, Clay and Clyde Garrison, Charles Knight, Don Snowden, Jake Harris, James and Flossie Wall and Mary Nell Loy.

Visiting in Hall Higginbotham home Sunday were Mark Reep and family, Bryon Etheredge and family and E. C. Smith and family, all of Sylvester, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Higginbotham visited in the John Akers home Sunday night.

Mary Frances and Billie Alford spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart last week.

Mrs. John Moore of Monahans visited Mrs. Guy Casey Wednesday afternoon.

Judge Jim Stinson of Abilene visited his sister, Mrs. Guy Casey, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Snowden and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snowden attended funeral services for Oscar Worthington Sunday morning at Dunn.

Mrs. Malcolm White spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Westfall, of Camp Springs.

Mrs. Oscar Worthington and children are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Snowden, and family.

Patsy Chester of Rotan visited Billie Alford Tuesday afternoon.

Hunter Alford of Odessa spent Tuesday night with his brother, Perry Alford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Helms of Camp Springs visited in the T. O. Dixon home Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Buster Edwards of Champion is going to preach at the Midway Baptist Church Sunday morning. Everyone is invited to come.

## Round Top News

**Mrs. Walter Brown, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mitchell and girls visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, last Thursday. Mrs. Brown and Joy accompanied them back to Littlefield to spend a week there.

Bonnie Durham returned home Saturday from a month's visit with relatives in Jal, New Mexico.

Visitors in the R. G. Crowder home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. James and family of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reese and son of China Grove.

Sammie Marie Williams of Dunn visited Robbie Jo Brown Sunday.

Bonnie Lee Harvey of Sweetwater is spending a few days in the Dildy Smith home.

Sue Denson of Dunn visited Mariene Crowder a few days last week.

## Bison News

**Mrs. A.W. Weathers, Correspondent**

Mrs. Bertha Clark and sons, H. F. and Lloyd, and Slim Stevenson visited last week in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mrs. Clark's little granddaughter, Janice Springer, returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woody have been in Snyder for several days at the bedside of Mrs. Woody's mother, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Black and daughter of Odessa spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clark and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Barrier and son, Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murphy and daughter and Mrs. Barbara Barrier of Murphy spent Sunday in the Roy Barrier home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McKnight of Fluvanna visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Weathers Wednesday.

Bro. Bratten filled his regular appointment over the week-end.

The farmers are busy in this community as at last it is dry enough to plow.

This community extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones of Mrs. Huey, who died in Snyder Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cary and children of Brownfield spent last Sunday in the home of the writer.

## Hermleigh News

**Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent**

Mrs. Alice Howell spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Allen, and family at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Vernon and daughter, Elsie, spent their vacation last week visiting relatives at Clifton and Waco. They also viewed the graves of Mr. Vernon's parents near Killeen.

The writer and her mother spent Saturday night and Sunday near Tahoka with the latter's brother, Bob Corley, who is very ill.

Mrs. W. E. Hassell will return this week to her home at Best after spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Louder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mason of Lee, New Mexico, are visiting relatives here.

We are glad to report J. E. Fargason is improved. He has been ill at Snyder for some time.

Mrs. George Avary went to Levelland Monday to attend the bedside of a sister, who underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Smith spent Monday and Monday night with the former's brother, B. D. Smith, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hunter and Mrs. Martha Saunders of Champion visited their aunt, Mrs. M. E. Williams, Monday.

Cecil Wade and mother have moved to Grandmother Schulze's place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coker and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coker of Westbrook visited friends here Sunday.

## Dermott News

**Mrs. J. E. Sanders, Correspondent**

The farmers have really been busy the past week. The rain and hail last Sunday got nearly all the crops around here.

Donnie Box was called back to Sweetwater where he is employed.

Uncle George Elkins of Lubbock is visiting with relatives here.

Lucien Thomas, Virginia Browning and Thell Browning of Lubbock were visiting relatives and friends here Sunday.

Grandmother Williams is still on the sick list but is improved. Their youngest daughter, Eula, from California, is still visiting with them.

Ed Williams of Roundup visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams, the first part of the week.

Jimmie Smith had the misfortune of getting hurt with his tractor. He received bruises but no serious ones.

Harvey Greenfield and Melton Greenfield of Muleshoe, who are with the extra gang there, visited with homefolks Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Greenfield and children have returned home from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baggett, in Eastland County.

Mrs. Maxine Kelly and children have been visiting with her parents Ira last week.

near Loraine.

Mrs. Luther Edmonson and children visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, and family near Ira last week.

Velma Lee Edmonson is spending her vacation at home this week.

A meeting will begin here Sunday night, July 6, with W. L. Farmer of Oklahoma City preaching. Everyone is invited.

## Mt. Zion News

**Mrs. S. T. Minor Jr., Correspondent**

Mrs. W. R. Inman was hostess last Tuesday evening at a miscellaneous shower for Ruby Stuart, who left Wednesday for the Coast to be married.

Basil Marchbanks of Camp Bowie spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marchbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Inman, newlyweds, were honored at a shower last Wednesday night. Many useful gifts were received by the couple, and refreshments were served by Mmes. Dock Morton and Will Tate.

Those visiting in the Hall Higginbotham home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Reep, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Etheredge and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith, all of Sylvester.

Mrs. Travis Inman spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reep, of Snyder.

## Pleasant Hill News

**Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bills and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Woolever and family of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLain of Bethel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall and daughters.

Rev. Scott Hickey of Colorado City preached at the tabernacle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willer of Hermleigh were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Henderson.

Laoma Woolever of Union is visiting her sister, Mrs. Weldon Bills, and family.

Mrs. O. P. Thrane of Abilene and Patsy Webb of Cleveland, Ohio, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Webb.

A birthday party was given last Wednesday in honor of Jane DeWald on her fifth birthday. The birthday cake and cold drinks were served to the following: Patricia Logan, Jeanene Smith of Bethel, Bettie Lynn Gatlin, Phil Curtis of Snyder, Lynn L. Logan, Shirly Gillum, Jo Evelyn and Nell Marie Hudson and Jeanine Diel.

## Canyon News

**Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. Navy Wade and family of Mogollon, New Mexico, have been visiting here and in the surrounding communities.

Lucy Bowing of [illegible] spent Sunday evening with Louella Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Ford and children of Gail visited Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo McCright spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Les Hill at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Ford and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Kimbrough.

## Lloyd Mountain

**Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent**

Oleta Bell and Janette Roggenstein of Monahans are visiting relatives here.

We wish to extend sympathy to Mrs. Ira Sturdivant and other relatives in the death of their mother and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reep, of Camp Springs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Koonsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Sturdivant and daughter, Twilla Joy, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sturdivant and daughter, Lou Carolyn, spent Sunday with their mother and sister, Mrs. Ira Sturdivant and Ethel Mae, and they visited with some relatives from California.

Mrs. D. G. Dabbs and son, Stanley, and Beatrice Morrow of Dallas are spending this week with their mother and sisters, Mrs. Luther Morrow and daughters.

Mrs. M. E. Corner of Seagraves visited Mrs. J. J. Koonsman Saturday night and Sunday. She was a schoolmate of Mrs. Koonsman.


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## A Breathing Spell

In an offensive that began at dawn Sunday, Germany literally went "to the mat" with Soviet Russia in what may well turn out to be a needed breathing spell for Great Britain and the United States. The formal declaration of war against the U.S.S.R. had been expected for weeks among informed observers.

Hitler did his best to veil the real reasons of declaring war behind a smoke screen of "intrigues made against Germany's back" and violations of the "Russo-German frontier." This, of course, as Italian commentators pointed out, did not excuse the fact that Germany is reaching out after the grain fields and oil reserves of the fertile Ukraine territory.

Germany's war machine, to keep rolling, must have a minimum of 2,000,000 gallons of gasoline and distillate, 178,500 gallons of lubricants and necessary repair parts. For this reason Hitler is taking a long chance of brow-beating Russia into yielding her petroleum output to Germany for the next six months.

Should Nazi Germany and Soviet Russia become involved in an extensive war—one of long duration—it will indeed give Great Britain and the United States a chance to organize for a final drive by Britain against Nazi domination, once and for all.

Josef Stalin, the iron-fisted boss of Russia, is acutely aware of the fact that Hitler is also out after the Ukraine grain supplies—the bread-basket area of the entire Soviet Union—and is turning, in his hour of crisis, to Great Britain and the United States for moral and material backing.

Possibly there are not over a few hundred radicals in the nation—outside of Communist Party members—who agree with Russia's philosophy of life in the pagan and godless form, but of the two evils Russia is considered a much smaller evil than Germany with her ideas of world domination.

Probably we will do well, as a nation, to keep our noses out of other people's business—until that business automatically becomes some of our own—but many Americans are hoping that the Russo-German conflict will occupy the spotlight for the next three or four months and provide the breathing spell for Great Britain and the United States.

## Looking Good

Interviews with farmers and ranchers of the county reveal the fact that range and farm conditions are invariably good—despite recent setbacks. In fact, indications now are that farmers and ranchers of the county may be able to pay out this year—for the first time in over four or five years.

On the farming front, farmers have suffered, in many instances, from loss of their cotton and feed crops. Hail, wind and water have cut a destructive and irregular path across the county, but farmers are optimistic over replanting and getting their crops "in the green" again.

On the county's ranching front, ranchers are experiencing the loss of calves from hemorrhagic septecemia and loss of some animals from blackleg. Despite these reverses, ranchers are encouraged over the prices choice steers and cutter cows are bringing on the market.

Things are indeed looking good for farmer and rancher alike. The national defense program, plus troubled conditions abroad, are keeping commodity price levels up to the point where a farmer or rancher can look forward to a nice profit on sales.

Those who witnessed the black chapter days that county farmers and ranchers went through in 1934 and 1935 cannot refrain from being cheered at the conditions that look so promising now. People are desirous that farmers and ranchers can come out on top of the money box this year—because farmers and ranchers compose the element that governs spending volume in Scurry County.

The Times joins business and professional people of Snyder in wishing both farmer and rancher a successful and profitable year. Our farmers and ranchers have been operating on such small amounts of capital the past several years that a few extra "cart wheels" this fall would be indeed music to anyone's ear!

## Editorial of the Week

GAS-LESS SUNDAYS

It looks as though gas-less Sundays are coming.

To the people in our town who like to go motoring on Sunday or who use Sunday as a day to drive out to see relatives and friends, it would be a definite sacrifice at first to leave the car in the garage all day.

But many of us would welcome the opportunity to make such a sacrifice, if it was evident that by so doing we were strengthening our nation's defense.

As far as the people of this town go, gas-less Sundays would be taken in stride and there wouldn't be any complaining. But the small group in our town who happen to be in the gasoline business, running local stations, would suffer real hardship if their most prosperous business day was taken away from them.

The purpose of gas-less Sundays would be to reduce our consumption of gasoline and oil and that means taking dollars out of the pockets of the gasoline dealers. They, too, will be willing to make that sacrifice if the government finds that it is vital to do so, but we hope, if there are any other practical solutions to the oil problem, such as pipelines to the eastern coast, they will be adopted.

Any action which penalizes one group without affecting others is always distasteful to Americans. We know that one group after another, during the present emergency, will be called upon to sacrifice; but we hope that none will be asked to do so unnecessarily.—The Canadian Record.

## Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

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

Those who have been alarmed for the past several weeks over the age of many high ranking army officers were cheered this week by the announcement that a number of older army officers in the field would shortly be replaced with much younger and more adaptable men. . . . Attaches of the army's chief of staff have wanted for several years to take out of the field forces many veteran officers—especially those who are strongly set in their ways.

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It was hinted this week in reliable quarters that the U. S. Army's General Staff has worked out complete plans for rapidly providing competent young officers with the field experience and testing which is needed before they can be advanced to higher grades. . . . Many able observers have felt that the army would never be adequately modernized until younger officers were placed in charge of field maneuvers. . . . Old officers who will likely get the "axe" in the forthcoming shakeup should not be retired, necessarily, but can still render able service to their country in staff and recruiting offices of the army.

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As predicted in this column several weeks ago, major personnel changes are in the making for the now famous Office of Production Management—the one organization charged with the responsibility of priorities and other pertinent matters relating to the national defense program. . . . Complaints of divided authority, too many bosses and overlapping orders has finally reached the stage where Roosevelt feels that a lot of lost motion can now be taken out of OPM offices. . . . The proposed change becomes public just before the Office of Production Management places some 5,000 questionnaires in the mail for manufacturers who hold defense contracts. . . . The questionnaires are seeking definite information on the reasons why manufacturers aren't expending production facilities more than they are at present.

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People in the United States are beginning to hear details of the amazing work being done in Uruguay by Jesus Pueyo on what's hoped to be a specific vaccine for tuberculosis. . . . Work of the celebrated South American scientist has been carried on for several years under auspices of the Uruguayan Ministry of Public Health, and available information reveals that the new vaccine is in no way dangerous—if not too helpful in last-stage cases. . . . While there has never been a "cure-all" found for T. B. in its final phases, American researchers want to learn more of Pueyo's vaccine and are willing to help finance testing of the serum here.

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Shall we send physicians to Great Britain? This question remained unanswered in Washington this week as officials of the Red Cross and other mercy agencies scanned a survey showing that replies to President Roosevelt's April 1 plea for 1,000 volunteer doctors for Great Britain had been negligent. . . . The American Medical Association classified some 11,000 members as eligible to serve Great Britain in this trying hour, but only 1,217 inquiries reached Red Cross headquarters. . . . This week applications dwindled down until only 68 physisians signified their intention of helping out on the bomb-spattered British Isles.

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In a trend that is being gradually influenced by defense—present and future—considerations, American industry has increased its scientific personnel until over 36,000 professionally trained people in technical research are now employed at an estimated annual salary of $300,000,000, including administrative expenses. . . . This gigantic budget for the working out of science developments was announced last week as part of a far-reaching report prepared by the National Resources Planning Board.

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Until some two or three months ago, a constant hue and cry was raised by business and industry alike for more and better goodwill visitors to South America. . . . This cry has been sharply reversed within the past few weeks, with the State Department and the South American Embassy in Washington complaining alike of too much good will. . . . Most people who went south of the border expected to be graciously and expensively entertained and make long speeches. Now that entertainment and audiences have been about exhausted, the State Department requests that tourists going to South America refrain from labeling themselves goodwill ambassadors.

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One can look for many of the nation's railroads that have been bankrupt for years to turn up this fall with cash resources equal to those of solvent roads of comparable size. . . . Sharply increased business, due to the national defense program, is expected to bring many lines out of the red this year and result in many stockholders—who haven't been getting interest on their investments—to get both interest and nice dividends. . . . The railroads of the nation are the surest taxpayers in the country when they have the money with which to pay taxes, so county, state and federal governments can expect to be "in" on the railroad windfall. . . . Major railroads of the country were just about ready to holler "calf rope" in many instances, when the defense program, with a resultant move of materials by the hundreds of tons—happened along.

## BARBER TELLS LIONS TO COUNT OUR BLESSINGS

### District Attorney Points to Luxuries Americans Enjoy—New Officers For Club Year Installed

"Let us count our blessings in this country which no other country can now count," District Attorney [illegible] told attendants at the semi-annual ladies night program of the Snyder Lions Club Tuesday evening at the Manhattan Hotel. Barber was the guest speaker for the occasion.

"Our people are taking the soft things of life for granted, and sometimes lose sight of the little things that make the United States different from other lands. Perhaps the little things that make our country great are the little deeds that are done for others. Take the work of Lions Clubs throughout our land, for example; providing glasses for children with defective eyesight, aiding worthwhile projects of civic and humanitarian nature — these make our land great."

Barber continued: "Free schools, no starvation, freedom of religion, thought and press—these are the bulwarks of our civilization. With only 7 per cent of the population of the world, the United States enjoys a great proportion of the world's luxuries. We are proud of our government that exists to assure its citizens life and liberty, in contrast to those totalitarian governments that exist to make their citizens slaves to the government of a few dictators."

Retiring Secretary Wayne Boren was in charge of installation ceremonies for new officers for the Lions Club following the banquet and Barber's address. New officers are: Herman Darby, president; Earl Louder, first vice-president; E. L. Farr, second vice-president; Lyle Deffebach, secretary; Leighton Griffin, treasurer; J. M. Newton, lion tamer; J. E. Blakey, tail twister; Allen Beadel and A. C. Bishop, new directors; Lee T. Stinson and R. C. Miller, holdover directors.

Willard Jones was toastmaster for the evening's program. Mrs. L. A. Chapman played for group singing before and after the banquet. Mary Brown Robertson and Nell Verna LeMond gave piano numbers during the meal.

In addition to Lions and their ladies present, guests were the Truett Barbers, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Newcome, Miss Vela Bell of Ennis, Mrs. Pearle Shannon and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boren.

## Boosters Advertise Reunion at Stamford

Riding in a chartered bus, Stamford's Cowboy Reunion boosters arrived in town Wednesday morning, 10:55 o'clock, amid a din of western music, cowhand yells and honking of automobile horns.

Following a snappy musical program, announcement was made concerning the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford July 3, 4 and 5. Appearance of the goodwillers here was sponsored by the Stamford Business and Professional Women's Club.

### Beauty Shop Redecorated

Every Woman's Beauty Shop, located on the square's south side, has a new plate glass front and front-end interior improvements that add considerably to the appearance of the beauty salon. Woodie Scarborough, operator, invites her friends to drop by and notice the improvements made at Every Woman's Beauty Shop.

## PALACE Theatre

**Thursday, June 26—**
"Love Crazy"
starring William Powell and Myrna Loy, with Gail Patrick, Jack Carson. News and Novelty.

**Friday-Saturday, June 27-28—**
"The Bad Man"
starring Wallace Beery with Lionel Barrymore, Laraine Day, Ronald Reagan. Novelty and new Walt Disney Cartoon, "The Baggage Buster," starring The Goof. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

**Saturday Night Prevue Only, June 28—**
"The Black Cat"
with Bela Lugosi, Basil Rathbone, Hugh Herbert, Gale Sondergaard.

**Sunday-Monday, June 29-30—**
"Reaching for the Sun"
starring Joe McCrea and Ellen Drew with Eddie Bracken, Albert Dekker, Billy Gilbert. News and Musical.

## TEXAS Theatre

**Thursday, June 26—**
"Misbehaving Husbands"
starring Harry Langdon with Betty Blythe, Ralph Byrd. "Green Archer" Serial and Comedy. Family Night—All the immediate family admitted for 20 cents.

**Friday-Saturday, June 27-28—**
"The Lone Rider Crosses the Rio"
starring George Houston. "Green Hornet" Serial, and two-reel Comedy.

**Sunday-Monday-Tuesday, June 29-30-July 1—**
"Affectionately Yours"
with Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan, Rita Hayworth, Ralph Bellamy. Cartoon Comedy.

## Announcement

At the request of the Treasury Department we announce a new feature of interest and service to many readers who are buying or will buy Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps. This will be called the Defense Bond Quiz, and will start in next week's issue.

The questions will be chosen from among those asked by most Bond and Stamp buyers. The answers will tell what the new Defense Savings Program means to the individual and to the nation.

## Presbyterians Take Active Part in Camp At Summer Confab

The First Presbyterian Church received its share of honors in the Presbyterian young people's summer conference conducted at Buffalo Gap, Rev. Hubert C. Travis, pastor, reports. The conference opened Monday, June 9, and was concluded Saturday.

Irene Barron was elected vice-moderator of next year's conference and Bobby Whitaker won a blue ribbon in swimming events.

At the Buffalo Gap encampment Wernette Faver and Irene Barron represented the young people's society of the local Presbyterian Church from June 9 to June 16.

From June 16 to 20 Bobbie Whitaker and Arel Faver, members of the Intermediate Sunday School class, attended the Pioneer Conference for intermediates.

Rev. and Mrs. Hubert C. Travis attended the Buffalo Gap conference as workers and report a great spiritual uplifting as a result of the gathering, which was concluded Saturday.

## Tracy Smith Speaks For Lyndon Johnson

Tracy Smith, a native of Snyder and present attorney at Big Spring, and Mrs. Smith were in Snyder last Thursday afternoon and again early this week in behalf of Lyndon B. Johnson's candidacy for United States senator.

Smith, well known in Scurry County, praised Johnson as "a man the people of Texas can place their confidence in. As a senator, he would, without back-slapping, get the job done."

## Odes Whites Host Family Reunion At Home Sunday

Hosts Sunday at an enjoyable homecoming and family reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Odes White of the Canyon community, who entertained relatives from a number of local and West Coast points.

An old-fashioned basket lunch was spread at the White home at noon, relatives contributing lunches to make the occasion a festive one.

Relatives and others gathered for the family reunion enjoyed an afternoon of singing, music and visiting. Those present included:

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White and children and Roland White of Richmond, California, who visited several days last week with the reunion hosts; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Davis of Odessa;

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ellis and two children, Evelyn and Bobbie, of Cottonwood; Mr. and Mrs. Autise Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Greenfield and children, Larry and Ramona, of Sharon Ridge, Ida Mae White;

Mrs. C. B. White, Mrs. Ira Sturdivant and daughter, Ethel Mae Sturdivant, of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hefner and son, Raymond, of Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newby and two children, Iralyn and Wallace Bryant, of Snyder;

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Sturdivant and small daughter, Twilla Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sturdivant and small daughter, Lou Carolyn, all of Lloyd Mountain; Mrs. Dave Stevens and Junior Holland of Los Angeles, California; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Olive of Sweetwater.

H. A. Thompson of Paris is visiting in Scurry County with his sisters, Mmes. W. P. Gibson and J. A. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Williams and son, Larry Jack, are home from a week-end visit with Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, at Rockport. Several-day family gathering was held at the Rockport home of the elder Williams couple.

## Dog Days Come To Town—Folks Entertained

"Sissie," an educated German police dog, and the owner, J. S. Smith, attracted quite a crowd Tuesday when the traveling man and his dog gave several impromptu shows at convenient spots around the square.

"Sissie," a dog of unusual intelligence and training, would pick any one person out of the crowd assembled when a nickel was tossed to Smith and the person's name called.

Many who gathered around to see "Sissie" perform thought at first the entire show was a gag, but were convinced otherwise when the trained canine singled out people entirely strange to the dog.

Such pepole as Mrs. H. G. Towle, Mrs. Al Simpson, Dr. R. D. English, Rev. I. A. Smith, J. C. Ezell and many others were singled out by "Sissie," who put a foot on the person's shoe when located.

### Greene Employed at Amarillo

Geral Greene, who with his family visited with the John L. Greenes and other Scurry County relatives and friends over the week-end, is moving soon to Amarillo, where he has accepted a place in the offices of C.I.T. Corporation. Greene, a graduate of the local high school, received a degree in journalism from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, early in June.

## D. & R. Burney No. 4 Shows Good After Sunday Shot

In the Sharon Ridge oil field D. & R. Oil Company's No. 4 W. F. Burney well, seventh producer in the north one-half of Section 143-97-H&TC Survey, was shot Sunday morning with 1,085 quarts of nitro and made several flows by heads.

D. & R.'s No. 4 Burney was declared a good producer Tuesday by operators, and is located in the southeast corner of the southwest one-fourth of the northeast quarter, Section 143.

Drilling rig is being moved to the O. L. (Jack) Burney lease in the south one-half of Section 146, the new location being a northeast offset to D. & R.'s No. 3 W. F. Burney, and is in the southeast part of the southwest quarter of the southeast one-fourth, Section 146.

Pearson-Sibert Oil Company's No. 4 Wetzel et al test, southeast part of the northwest quarter of the southwest one-fourth, Section 146, was drilling ahead, as was Pearson-Sibert's No. 4 Bishop.

Pearson-Sibert's No. 4 Bishop is located in the northwest part of the northeast one-fourth of the northeast quarter, Section 145.

Lookabaugh & Schroeder's No. 1 Ella Richter test has set pipe and R-Y Oil Company's No. 1 Bishop, a north offset to Coffield & Guthrie's No. 1 Burney, was drilling past 1,800 feet after setting pipe.

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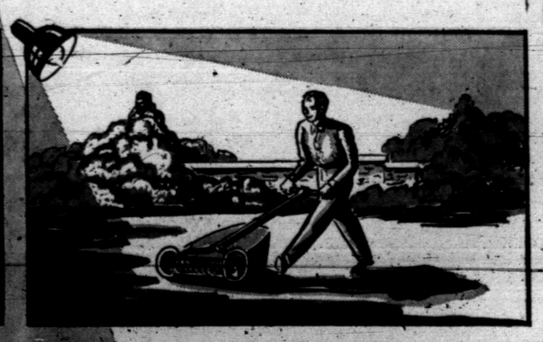

Mowing the lawn or trimming the hedge is not nearly as unpleasant if it's done after dark by the light of a brilliant yard light.