

By ROGER W. BABSON

Babson Park, Mass., April 12.—War came to the rescue of the railroads. The decline in traffic and earnings which had persisted since the 30's ceased. Volume of traffic and net income reached new peaks.

TRAFFIC OUTLOOK

Volume of freight traffic varies in proportion to business activity. Before the war, their competitors (trucks, automobiles, pipe lines, shipping and airplanes) had cut in to the railroads' revenues.

The Federal Reserve Board's Index of Industrial Production shows an increase from 110 in 1929 to 171 in 1941. In line with these increases, railway freight traffic jumped to a new prewar peak in 1941 with an increase of 25 billion ton-miles carried over those of 1929.

The Department of Commerce estimates a "Gross National Product" of \$150,000,000,000 for 1947. This could produce an increase in railroad gross earnings over 1941 of 5 per cent for 1947.

HIGHER COSTS INEVITABLE

It must, however, be remembered that there has been a 20 per cent increase in wages since 1941 which will absorb \$300,000,000 in 1947.

The greater operating efficiency attained during the war carried over into peacetime economy should help overcome the wage increases granted between 1941 and 1946.

FIXED CHARGES LOWER

We find that the 600,000,000 net income of 1941 with the wage and price increases which will have occurred since that date will be highly inadequate to meet 1947 operating expenses.

The plan was presented to the Commission by Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City, Senator Sterling J. Parish of Lubbock, Representative Sterling Williams of Snyder, and Commissioner T. B. Knight also of Snyder.

CONCLUSION

It is evident that railroad net earnings will hinge on both higher rates and an expanded volume of traffic. If the next several years favor both these factors, railroad net income should remain fairly good.

Masons To Have Easter Program

The following program will be an observance by Knights Templar Masons at the Snyder Methodist Church Sunday, April 21, 1946, at 8:00 a.m.

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LEGIONNAIRES, EX-SERVICEMEN HOLD TWO MEETINGS THIS WEEK

In a called meeting of the American Legion members and ex-service men Monday night, April 15, a large group took up work on a schedule that entailed a number of features previously discussed by individuals for the past few weeks.

The meeting was called to order by Commander Robert L. McKinney, and business discussions followed.

One of the chief planks presented was to enlarge membership of the Legion. Other topics were appointment of several committees, including a civic for the purpose of working with the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations.

Necessity for a regular meeting night of the Legion was brought up, and received action. Regular meeting nights will be every other Thursday, beginning this schedule on May 2.

A group was also selected to accompany members of the Chamber of Commerce to Lubbock in the interest of highway projects. This group included Bushy Hedges, Claude Ingram, Jess Rogers, and J. C. Wall.

Announcement was also made of organization of a Junior Chamber of Commerce, the action taken April 17, 1946, in the Chamber of Commerce office.

In a follow-up meeting of Legionnaires service and ex-service men, Chamber of Commerce officials and other interested organizational members held Tuesday night, a previously discussed plan was carried further by Snyderites pushing forward in a program that has been designed to keep Snyder abreast of other West Texas towns in Development.

A platform of improvements was drawn for the City of Snyder and Scurry County that would have a far-reaching effect on the future of the town and area. Some of the features branded with an ok by the group were:

1. An effort on the part of all ex-servicemen to work with the civic committees of their organization in an effort to bring about closer relations between County and City officials, Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, and other organizations for civic improvements of city and county.

2. An endeavor to bring the citizens to a greater degree of interest in their city, and make it everybody's town by having public meetings open, where the public might express themselves openly and effectively.

3. A regular budget to be made by the mayor for each year, as prescribed by law, and to be published by the mayor and city council.

4. Any project of hire the city may have in maintenance or improvements to cost over \$100.00, should be hired by one of three competitive bidders, and shall be held open for at least three bidders.

5. An audit of the city books should be made each year by a competent auditor, and recognized by that profession as competent.

6. Make it compulsory that any individual building or erecting property in the corporate limits of the city be requested to obtain a building permit before building.

7. This would enable the city to keep up with new buildings and assist the levying of city property taxes.

8. A more modern valuation be put on all city property to fit the increased values of such property.

9. It is proposed that a medium could be struck by raising valuations, and lowering present tax rates, and in this way afford the city opportunity for bond issues.

10. Strict enforcement of Sanitation laws that have been enacted in the city and county.

11. A certified copy of the minutes of the city council to be published following each meeting for benefit of citizens.

12. Sponsoring of a city park which the town needs so badly for the recreation of all.

13. Support of the extension of the water and sewerage systems that are inadequate.

14. Supporting of the lake project that will be a more permanent solution to the water shortage. (Possibly lake and park could be worked into one project.)

15. The great need of a public swimming pool for recreation and entertainment of children.

16. Supporting of the highway project through the north and south parts of the county (includes program of better Farm to Market roads throughout county).

17. Enforcement of selling all vacant city property that is delinquent in taxes. (There is a great deal of city property that has been delinquent for years—will probably never be paid up. It needs to be in the ownership of someone that will be paying city taxation on such property.)

18. The extension of all types of utilities into the parts of town that are now deprived—such as gas, telephone, water and sewerage. This should also include a program for better telephone service. Also the extension of street-lighting service.

Representatives Of County Go To 'Hub' Road Meet

The Scurry County Commissioners Court consisting of Messrs. Knight, Hanes, Adams, Chapman and Judge Hairston went to Lubbock Tuesday where they met the Commissioners Courts of Kent and Dickens Counties.

This road will serve locally much of the south half of Kent County, especially the Polar community, which comes to Snyder. This community alone produces annually 1000 bales of cotton or more, and an abundance of grain and grain sorghums.

The road will likewise serve the oil field now developing in South Kent and North Scurry Counties. Numerous tourist and visitors will find this road the shortest and most direct route leading south, especially to Del Rio where many of our emigrant laborers embark in the fall of the year.

The plan was presented to the Commission by Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City, Senator Sterling J. Parish of Lubbock, Representative Sterling Williams of Snyder, and Commissioner T. B. Knight also of Snyder.

The different counties each had a contingent of citizens representing them. Representing Scurry County, aside from the Court were Messrs. Ollie Stinson, F. G. Sears, A. D. Erwin, Sam Williams, H. O. Beard, N. W. Autry, C. N. Von Roeder, H. L. Vann, Don Robinson, Claude Ingram, J. C. Williamson, Don Adams, and N. T. Underwood.

The Court will be informed later as to the decision of the Commission concerning the road.

HERE FROM SWEETWATER

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Teaff, of Sweetwater, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sheid, Jr., in Snyder Tuesday night.

HERE FROM WINK

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Judkins of Wink are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Neal They are planning a move to Carlsbad, N. M.

VISITS SWEETWATER

Mrs. Dewey Everett made a trip to Sweetwater the first of the week, visiting and attending to business matters.

TO THE CITIZENS OF SNYDER, TEXAS:

Have just returned from a seventeen-day trip to Brewster county, hence the delay in this article. Since coming to Snyder, some forty-one years ago we have enjoyed a continual growth from a community of approximately four hundred population to our present City of paved streets, brick office buildings, stores and all community conveniences as police protection, abundance of good water, fire protection, modern highways, flood control, sewage disposal, schools, churches, for a thriving city of five thousand population. This has been made possible through hard work and cooperation of every citizen.



HUGE GASSER in Blue Lake Field—Flare gas roars from McCarthy Oil and Gas Corporation's huge new gas well brought into production April 14 in the Blue Lake Field, 12 miles west of Angleton, in Brazoria county, Tex. The flare

(top photo) was 300 feet long, 100 feet high, at its peak. The well is out of sight at far right. The flare was turned off after the well had cleaned itself. Volume on open flow was estimated at 300,000,000 cubic feet; pressure soared to over 8000

pounds per square inch. In bottom photo inspecting the well's pressure gauge (left to right) are: Bryan Slaughter tool pusher; W. P. Larkin Field Superintendent; Louis Baker drilling superintendent and Glenn H. McCarthy well owner.

DONATIONS FOR SOFTBALL

The following people have donated generously to the new Softball League of Snyder, and those representing the League have expressed thanks for the fine support.

- Mrs. Sam Williams \$ 5.00
Joe Graham 2.00
Haskell Beard 1.00
John Keller 2.50
Stinson Drug Co. 10.00
John Blum 5.00
C. E. Whitfield 2.50
The Fair Store 5.00
Schooling Motor Co. 5.00
Pick & Pay 2.50
Western Auto 2.50
Abe & Jay Rogers 3.00
D & R Food Store 5.00
Pitner's Grocery 1.00
White Auto Store 1.00
Wades Bakery 5.00
Record Shop 5.00
Bryant Links 10.00
Sterling Williams 1.00
Piggly Wiggly 2.50
Shiek Mangran 2.00
Snyder Tailoring 5.00
Snyder Drug 5.00
Williams Jewelry 5.00
Snyder Abstract 5.00
X. B. Cox 5.00
John Lynch, Jr. 5.00
Irwin Drug 5.00
Snyder Implement Co. 5.00
Jess Garner 5.00
Bernard Gordon 2.50
Sunshine Grocery 2.50
Ben Franklin Store 2.50
Colwell Tailor Shop 1.00
West Tex Appliance 1.00
Bernard Longbottom Jr. 5.00
Earl Strawn 5.00
Mrs. Sam Williams 5.00
Hugh Boren & Son 2.50
N. T. Underwood 5.00
Johnny Boren 5.00

Snyder Fixture Shop Omitted By Error

The Snyder Fixture and Cabinet Shop was left out of the list of new businesses in Snyder in last week's paper. This shop was opened in October, 1945, and is owned and operated by George Moore, who was associated with Globe Aircraft Corp. in Fort Worth prior to coming to Snyder.

Mahon Furnishes PO Receipt Tabs

In a tabulated form furnished the Times by Congressman George Mahon from Washington, in answer to requests made recently by the people of Snyder, the figures are somewhat amiss of expectations, but still leave open plans that may yet materialize for a postoffice building.

Chief barrier to securing a post-office for any place at present, Congressman Mahon writes, is that most of the building materials have been set aside by the government for allotment to ex-servicemen and that the entire program has been dormant during the war. Just when it could be revived was not seen from present conditions.

Although war-inflated areas have moved upward in the line of figures in the past three years settled conditions could bring Snyder back into good running for a time when building materials are available for such projects.

The figures show Snyder in third place for the past three years of 1943, 1944, 1945:

Table with 3 columns: Year, Snyder, Other locations. Shows Snyder's ranking in 1943, 1944, and 1945.

Pampa Show Set For August 16-17

Dates for the second annual Top of Texas Rodeo and Quarter Horse Show at Pampa, Texas, have been set for August 16th, 17th and 18th. Wade Thomason, president of the association announced this morning. This year's show will feature the best amateur cowboys in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, with prizes being offered in all of the different cowboy contests, including bronc-riding, calf roping, wild-cow milking, bulldozing, cutting horse contests, etc. Lyons and Mayo of Petrolia, Texas, with prizes being offered in all of the different cowboy contests, including bronc-riding, calf roping, wild cow milking, bulldozing cutting horse contests, etc. Lyons and Mayo of Petrolia, Texas, will again furnish the stock for the show.

The colorful cowgirl sponsored contest will again be featured all three days of the show, with appropriate prizes being offered winning contestants.

The quarter horse show will be held on Friday afternoon, August 16, and winners will be exhibited at each rodeo performance. For further information communicate with the Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

VON ROEDER SEED FARM ASKED TO FILL HUGE SYRIAN ORDERS

Veterans May Get Farm Advice Here

Veterans who wish to catch up on wartime farming developments or to obtain assistance on their first entry into some farming activity will find local representatives of the U. S. D. A. and co-operating state agencies ready to help them, according to J. L. Matthews, assistant in agricultural planning for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

First stop for the farm-bound veteran should be the county agricultural agent. His job is to help all farmers and he has been designated to work with returning servicemen. The county agent, whose office is generally at the courthouse, can answer almost any question relating to agriculture or will refer the veteran to farm agencies working in special fields.

In most agricultural counties, veterans can obtain the practical and valuable counsel of working farmers serving on the county veterans advisory committee. This committee may be approached through the county agent.

County AAA committees are ready to give assistance available under the AAA conservation program, either in the form of cash payments or in conservation of materials and services.

Farm Security Administration long-term loans can be arranged through county FSA personnel. The National Farm Loan Association or the Production Credit Association also provide assistance in obtaining loans.

Information about the extension of rural electrical service can be obtained from the REA, and Soil Conservation Services will provide technical assistance.

Dr. C. R. Cockrell Has New Drainage On Scurry Farm

Dr. C. R. Cockrell has recently finished one of the most complete drainage systems in the Upper Colorado Soil Conservation District.

This drainage system was constructed on the farm north of Snyder and includes two large channels with a total length of over 4000 feet and around 16 miles of terraces.

It was planned and laid out by local soil conservation service personnel assisting the district men, and was built to specifications under a cooperative agreement between Dr. Cockrell and the district men.

Veterans who have been assigned to the upper Colorado Soil Conservation District for training are: Glenn H. Mueller, Lewistown, Montana; Roy Owen, Athens, Texas; Jim Sullinger, Snyder; and James C. Reed, Rigby, Idaho.

The Snyder Work unit of the Soil Conservation service is the training center for the following districts: Upper Colorado, comprising Scurry and Borden Counties; Mitchell County; Upper Clear Fork, comprising Fisher and Nolan Counties; King-Stonewall, composed of King and Stonewall Counties; and Duck Creek, composed of Kent, Garza and Dickens Counties.

EN ROUTE TO PANAMA

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POLITICAL THERMOMETER POINTS TO 'WARM' JULY 7 IN SOUTH OF THE BORDER ELECTIONS

Over the years the government party got tight control of politics. The President, his cabinet and almost every official belonged to the party and they still do. It is nicknamed "Inevitable."

This year the demand for a real count of ballots is such that President Manuel Avila Camacho had Congress change the election laws and promised the people their votes would be effective. He did this after the party said no changes were necessary: They liked the law as it was. Opposition parties haven't expressed any conviction that ballots will replace bullets.

The new law establishes local election boards with all leading political parties represented, provides for publication of eligible voters and know what goes on.

One point criticized by the opposition is that the Federal Commission of Electoral Ignorance, the highest body of appeal, is composed of two members of the cabinet, two congressmen, all good PRI party men and two members of parties one of whom also must be PRI. Five PRI members to one outsider looks to the opposition like a packed court.

"Honest elections" seems a time-war and sincere slogan as a national issue but Mexicans take the matter seriously and they ought to know what goes on.

Cub Scouts Meet At School April 11

Pack 7 of Snyder met at the High School Auditorium on April 11 at 7:30 P. M. Fifty Cubs of the pack were present and approximately one hundred parents and visitors.

Rev. Earl Creswell, Cubmaster was in charge of the meeting. Each of the five dens put on a skit or stunt under the leadership of their Den Chiefs and Den Mothers.

Bird houses had been the theme of the handicraft for the past month and the Cub Scouts had their bird houses on exhibition. They had a wide variety of types, and designs.

Bro. Creswell presented an award to Den No. 2 under the leadership of Mrs. Earl Horton, Den Mother, for having the highest percentage of Parents present. The award is to be in the form of a banner to be kept by the winning Den for the following month and kept by the Den that has won it the most months out of the year at the beginning of a new year.

Since Cub Scouting is a program for the Boy in the Home and calls for the boy doing his advancement under the guidance of his parents, special stress is being laid on getting the parents to attend the Pack meetings to be held once each month.

DR. B. B. HARRIS OF DENTON SAYS CONSERVATION IS WATCHWORD

By DAVE CHEAVENS
Associated Press Staff Writer

Dr. B. B. Harris, dean of North Texas State College, solemnly says he doesn't accomplish as much for Denton County in one year as the average owl.

Dr. Harris is widely known as a conservationist: soil, water and wildlife preservation are his hobby and his life work. He goes around over the state telling people their very lives depend on conservation, and when he makes a statement like the one about Dr. Harris and the average owl, he is proving something.

How has the owl got it over Dr. Harris? Well, he says, the average owl each year catches and kills 1,000 rats, but in 30 years residence in Denton County, Dr. Harris is sure he hasn't caught and killed that many.

What's the matter with rats? Plenty, he says. They eat grain, they destroy anything that can be gnawed into or to pieces, and they carry fleas which get on people and give them typhus fever and other horrible diseases.

Dr. Harris thinks Dr. Harris and every other citizen should be more aware of such things. He believes it is a part of good citizenship.

A lack of general interest is one of the chief sources of danger to Texas wildlife, and by wildlife he includes the soil, the water, the birds, the animals, and all the folks. Our wildlife is going down the river at an alarming rate.

"Wildlife, human life, the water and the soil are so closely connected they can not be separated," Dr. Harris says. "It takes 500 pounds of water to produce one pound of dry or cured matter of a crop, but most of us seem to be totally unconcerned about what happens to a drop of water after it hits the earth."

He thinks Texas needs a completely integrated conservation program aimed at teaching men not to let the substance of the earth wash into the Gulf of Mexico. He does not think it is too much a legal matter as it is a matter of education.

Texas' wildlife has been given an annual value of \$93,000,000. This,

he considers, would be chicken feed compared to the amount it would be worth if there were such an integrated program. It should result in at least a partial restoration of nature's balance—soil cover to prevent erosion and to give bacteria an opportunity to play their part in feeding plants, soil cover to afford protection to game animals they feed on and to give hunters more animals to hunt, and so on.

All he wants man to do is to apply his native intelligence to the problem. For example, it was once thought that hawks—all hawks—ought to be slaughtered on sight because they killed a few chickens and rabbits. But it has been found they kill many times more animals that have been proven harmful, such as rats, therefore they ought to be left alone. But lots of people are still cracking down on every owl they see.

Dr. Harris was one of the original advocates of the plan to do away with closed seasons on game fish on the theory that with a minimum of control, the laws of nature will provide plenty of bass and white perch. Game commission experts are coming around to the view that at least so far, the new system hasn't hurt fishing and probably will make it better.

Scientists have been experimenting to determine what happens when the human body is immersed in water. We can tell 'em. The telephone rings.

Cruisers cost the U. S. Government an average of \$12,500,000.



Shown at a recent conference at Midland, Texas, were representatives of the Navy, War Shipping Administration, office of War Mobilization and Conversion, and the Army explained a Navy request for more Texas crude, were (left to right), seated: Beauford H.

Jester and Ernest O. Thompson, Texas railroad commission. Standing: Commander Ralph S. Fowler, USN, chief fuel division, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts; Capt. B. B. Viggs, USN, deputy executive officer, Army-Navy Petroleum Board; Michael J. Deutsch, of

Office of War Mobilization and Conversion; Lt. Col. George Abert, member Joint Army-Navy Purchasing Agency, and Maury Wells, chief Bunker Fuel Division, War Shipping Administration. (AP Photo).

Fear of Cotton Surplus Dies In 'Scarcity Wails'

Fear of a cotton surplus, which has so long haunted Cotton Belt farmers, is vanishing as the so-called surplus rapidly disappears, with many better grades of lint already scarce, according to A. L. Ward, Educational Director National Cottonseed Products Association.

"Combined with the highest prices in two decades the American cotton supply situation offers farmers in 1946 the strongest encouragement for increased production that they have had in many years," he pointed out.

"Farmers, who recall the way in which so-called surpluses of corn, wheat and other crops became shortages, can easily foresee the possibility that cotton supplies may soon be insufficient to meet the demand."

"Cottonseed products, especially oil and feed products, are critically scarce and have been for a number of years; and the need is acute for increased production to meet American and foreign requirements for meats and fats."

Ward stated that value per acre of cotton was far above the average for other crops in most Cotton States last season when yields were very low and prices less favorable than today; and that, on the average, cotton is both the most dependable and valuable crop that most farmers can grow.

From the standpoint of both income and the need for its products, the outlook for cotton is very favorable this season where farmers make it the keystone of a balanced farming and livestock program, and follow practices that will increase yields and lower production costs, he added.

Rembrandt's painting "The Anatomy Lesson" was done for a dissecting room.

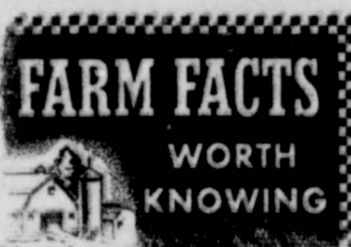
A rainfall of one inch over one acre of ground means a downpour of 27.14 gallons of water, or 603 barrels of 46 gallons each.

The famous painting "Mona Lisa" was stolen from the Louvre in 1911.

Educational Movies Seen By Junior Hi And Grade Students

Junior high and grade school have been seeing movies at activity period for the past few weeks. These movies have been both profitable and entertaining. Obtained and presented by Mr. Farr, these movies are of timely interest and are of general interest to students of all ages.

"Much meaning has been added to class studies by the presentation of this supplementary material," stated Mr. Thurston.—Tiger's Tale.



Q. Is it true that cows of an alfalfa or clover because of a poison contained in these legumes?

A. "No" is the answer indicated by studies made at the Iowa Station. Bloating apparently is entirely a physical problem, and occurs when cattle eat too much alfalfa or clover in too short a time.

Q. Can hog lice ever be completely eliminated?

A. Work at the Idaho Experiment Station proves that hog lice can be controlled by spraying hogs twice at 14-day intervals with either a rotenone or DDT preparation. DDT preparations were found to be the more practical because of their residual effect. Two treatments are necessary with either DDT or rotenone because neither of these insecticides will destroy eggs. After the second treatment, pigs will grow to maturity free of lice.

Q. How much money does a farmer make when he cuts a dock plant before it matures and produces seed?

A. Every time a farmer cuts a dock plant which has not produced seeds, he may credit himself with two or three dollars. In Illinois, one healthy dock per acre will produce enough seed to make a bushel of red clover seed unsaleable.

Q. How much feed does it take to produce a pound of poultry meat?

A. The University of Illinois gives the following figures: Duck, 3.3 lbs.; goose, 3 lbs.; Rock broiler, 3.5 lbs.; and turkey, 4.2 lbs. of feed per pound of meat.

Q. Is it possible to control blue-back in turkey flocks, and to cure it when it occurs to individual birds?

A. Study at the Purina Research farm showed that blue-backs were the result of exposure to sunlight after feathers were plucked or broken. Covering the birds with turkey saddles causes the skin to regain its normal color in 3 to 4 weeks.

Send your questions about any phase of farm management to FARM FACTS, 215 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 9, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, at a service of this newspaper.



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The TIMES

Willie Plyant Dies In Big Spring 15th

Willie Plyant, 45, resident of Scurry County for 18 years, passed away in Big Spring April 15. He had been in that city for some time, although the family had remained at their home in Fluvanna.

Funeral services were held in the Fluvanna Baptist Church April 17, 4:00 p.m., with Rev. Smith, pastor of Dunn, officiating at the last rites. Pall bearers were: Bunnion Evans, Thomas Sturdivant, Mert Jones, Charlie Blye, Harris Carmichael and Bog Forhead.

Flower girls were Virginia Ball, Betty Jo Forhead, Coy Nell Sturdivant and Helen Jo Warren.

Survivors are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Plyant, of Fluvanna; six brothers: Lester Plyant, Everman, Texas; Jessie Aokley, Texas; J. C. and Orvil of California; Dee, of Fluvanna, and Lois, in the United States Navy. Two sisters: Mrs. Mamie Lemons, Fluvanna, and Mrs. Stella Kelley, who resides in California. There are two children: Willie, age 10, and Hoyett, age 9.

Geneva, Switzerland, was the seat of the League of Nations. Schiaparelli is a Parisian dress designer.

The Mirabeau B. Lamar Library of the University of Texas, with 702,429 volumes, is the largest library in the South.

A U. S. destroyer will cost around \$1,750,000.

Oliver Cromwell was one commoner who became ruler of England.

The facade is the principal front of a building.

Sir Joshua Reynolds painted the "Age of Innocence."

Bambino is an Italian word meaning the child or babe.

What we know today as royal purple was originally a deep crimson.

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ONCE UPON "ATOM"

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THOMAS EDISON NOT ONLY EXPERIMENTED WITH HELICOPTERS BUT ALSO AIR TRAVEL. (1909)

AIDE-DE-"STORK"! A WILD MALLARD DUCK WAS HATCHED FROM A CRACKED EGG! MISS HOLLY HINCKELMAN OF LA JOLLA, CALIF., RESEALED THE CRACK WITH A PIECE OF "SCOTCH" TAPE AND THE REPAIRED EGG HATCHED WITHIN THE NORMAL TIME.



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- White or Yellow Lb. SQUASH10c

-MEAT DEPARTMENT-

- BEEF ROAST Pot Roast, choice, lb... 28c
Rolled, Tied, Boneless, 38c
- LEG OF PORK Pound Half or Whole 35c
- COUNTRY STYLE SAUSAGE, lb.....35c
- BONELESS BARBECUE, lb.45c

- BETTER BUY NOW
- SOFT - AS - SILK
- CAKE FLOUR
- Large Box.....29c
- KARO-
- BLUE LABEL
- 1 1-2 Lb. Jar17c
- 5 Lb. Jar43c

- SOAP-
- LADY ALICE
- GRANULATED
- Large Box.....23c

"REACH FOR A POTATO INSTEAD OF MORE BREAD"

RUSSETS 57c

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CHOPS, LEG OR SHOULDER

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MORE IN THE STORE - BARGAINS GALORE

A DIRECTORY OF GOOD PLACES to BUY IT RENT IT SELL IT... OR HAVE IT REPAIRED

PHONE 47

Business Services

INCOME TAX SERVICE—I would appreciate your business. Accurate and reasonable. —Bernard Longbotham, Jr. 361c

BABY CHICKS, light and heavy breeds available now, from one day to four weeks; priced right. Book your orders now for future delivery. We also pay premium prices for hatching eggs.

TOWNSEND POULTRY FARM "The Home of Better Chicks" Route 2, Snyder. 301c

ELECTRIC MOTORS repaired, re-wound, re-conditioned, bought and sold; any phase or voltage. 2306 Avenue N. 3 blocks north of school. Andy Jones. 40-41p

FOR HAULING AND DELIVERING any part of city any time and any amount, satisfactory service, see J. C. Tucker leave orders at phone 188.

FARMERS and ranchers, come see our water tanks on demonstration. We set them up and guarantee them. Also foundation blocks of any size and building tile. Grinnett Brothers Sand & Gravel Co. tfc

WE REPAIR electric irons! Bring us that iron that has been giving you trouble—let us get it back in service.—King & Brown. 45-11c

24-HOUR recapping service on all popular size passenger and truck commercial tires, from 4.5x19 to 700x16.—Roe Home & Auto Supply, three blocks north of square. 45-11c

FOUR PER CENT INTEREST on farm and ranch loans, 20 to 34 years time.—Hugh Boren, secretary-treasurer, Snyder National Farm Loan Association, Times basement. 35-11c

USE WOOD PRESERVER in your chicken houses to kill and repel insects, mites, fowl ticks (blue bugs) and termites. Application lasts for years.—H. L. Wren Hardware. 43-11c

PLENTY OF MONEY to loan; low rate of interest; long terms.—Spears Real Estate, Over Economy. 15-11c

THE NEW FRIGIDAIRE is here! We want to continue to give you service on your old refrigerators—and sell you new ones as they are available.—King & Brown, Your Frigidare dealers. 22-11c

PALACE THEATRE

Program for Week—Wed. and Thurs. April 17-18

"Doll Face" with Carmen Miranda, Vivian Blane, Dennis O'Keefe, Perry Como, Martha Stewart. News and Novelties

Fri. and Sat., April 19-20

"Call of the Wild" with Clark Gable, Loretta Young, Jack Oakie. A reissue. News and Walt Disney Cartoon

Sat. Night Preview, April 20

"Smooth As Silk" with Kent Taylor, Virginia Grey, Jane Adams.

Sun. and Mon. April 21-22

"Scarlet Street" with Joan Bennett, Edward G. Robinson, Dan Dureve, Jess Barker. News and Novelty

Tuesday, April 23

"Pill of Death" with Lon Chaney, Brenda Joyce, News, Novelty and Comedy Bargain Night Admission 14 and 25 cents

Wed. and Thurs., April 24-25

"The Lost Weekend" with Ray Milland, Jane Wyman, Phil Terry, Howard DeSilva. News

At the TEXAS

Wed. and Thurs., April 17-18

DOUBLE FEATURE "Murder is My Business" and "Law of the Saddle" Friday and Saturday, April 19-20

"Six Gun Man" with Bob Steele. Chapter 8 of "THE SCARLET HORSEMAN" and Comedy

Sunday and Monday, April 21-22

DOUBLE FEATURE "Frontier Outlaw" with Charles Starrett and "Out of the Depths" Wed. and Thurs., April 24-25

DOUBLE FEATURE "Club Havana" and "Gentlemen With Guns"

Business Services

I AM NOW EQUIPPED to give the best of windmill and tank service. Your patronage will be appreciated; satisfaction guaranteed. 3 miles north of Inadale 5 miles south of Hermleigh.—T. L. (Pete) Bowen Hermleigh Rt. 2. 45-21c

EXPERT radio repair. Doyle Bynum, Boss Electric Shop. 45-21c

For Sale

MILK BOTTLE CAPS of the finest quality—30¢ per tube of 500. special two tubes for 75 cents.—Ben Franklin Store. 37-11c

JUST received shipment of Zipper Note Books. Times Publishing Co.

GOOD USED truck tires; A-1 shape. Priced right. Roe's Home & Auto Supply. 42-11c

FOR SALE—Kids saddle pony, 3 years old, no blemishes. Donald Ray Crowder, Ira, Texas. 43-21p

FOR SALE—Macha storm-proof cotton-seed, re-cleaned, \$2.00 and \$2.25 per bushel. Also some sweet Sudan seed, 10¢ pound. Clark Sturdivant, Lloyd Mountain Community, Rt. 2. 43-41p

FOR SALE—'38 Chevrolet pickup and a '37 sedan. Kenneth Smith, Rt. 1, Snyder, Texas. 44-11p

FOR SALE—One Clipper combine, six-foot 1945 model; good condition, \$650.00. E. L. Ham, Star 4, Lamesa, Texas. 51p

FOR SALE—10x36 and 11x36 six-ply used tractor tires. Roes Home and Auto Supply. 44-11c

FOR SALE—A small girls' bicycle. Call 153-J, or see B. Longbotham, Jr. tfc

NURSERY SALE

Having a surplus of fruit trees, about 4 to 5 feet, nice plants with good roots, original price \$1.25 each, we will offer them while they last at 2 for \$1.25. Also big lot of bridal wreath, original price 50¢ each, now two for 50¢.

Western variety, soft shell pecans, original price \$4.00, now two for \$4.00.

BELL'S FLOWER SHOP 800 25th Street 43-21c

FOR SALE: One baby bed and buggy, good condition. Call 315 W. 11p

FOR SALE: Small Shetland Pony, bridle and saddle included. one-half mile east of Plainview school-house. Hubert Bennett. 45-11p

FOR SALE: Four Room house, boxed, to be moved. Located on Roby highway 6 miles east of Snyder. R. H. Bonner, Hermleigh, Texas. 1-1p

FOR SALE: WINDCHARGER, 6 glass batteries. Bargain, all for \$25.00. Doc Leech 2 1-2 miles west Hermleigh, Phone 1711. 45-31p

FOR SALE: Maytag motor just like new. Can be seen at the Dunn Post Office. Troy Thompson. 45-21p

WOULD SELL—One of the better built homes in Snyder. Six large rooms with extra large bathroom. Two garages, concrete cellar. Lot 100x140 feet on corner. Paved both sides. J. S. Bradbury. 45-11c

FOR SALE—Zenith Windcharger, Wiring, Glass Battery, Tower. Good condition. J. E. Woodson, four miles west on 180 Highway. tfc-45

FOR SALE: 2 room house and 50 by 150 ft. lot. See Mrs. Joe Halpain 2307 Ave. I. 45-11p

FOR SALE—1942 Ford Jeep. 4 6-ply tires. Phone 51W. 45-11c

TOMATO and PEPPER Plants. Fresh pulled daily. Bells Flower Shop. 45-4th

FOR SALE: Rug and pad, \$20. Mrs. Weldon Johnson. 2112-27 St. 45-11c

FOR SALE—PIGS—R. G. Crowder. 45-21c.

FOR SALE: 1946 Babson Almanacs. Contains fifty famous forecasts for 1946. Compiled by Roger W. Babson, based upon 40 years experience. The Times Publishing Co.

The reason some husbands speak sharp and to the point is because that is the only way they can get a word in edgewise.

Why jeopardize your position by letting eye-strain slow up your work? Have glasses fitted NOW!

If your examination shows that you do not need glasses, we will frankly tell you so.

DRS. TOWLE & BLUM DOCTORS OF OPTOMETRY Phone 465 Northwest Corner Square

For Sale

FOR SALE: One whole block of land in Southeast Snyder. Aubrey Clark, Box 234, Snyder, Texas. 11p

FOR SALE—8 ft. air motor windmill in good condition also 65 barrel tin tank, and 80 ft. pipe and cylinder, has been in use two years. For further information see Simon Best, at Police Dept. 45-41p

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 1929 Ford pickup; one 1932 Pontiac coupe; two two-wheel trailers; one thousand size kerosene brooder; one quick change can sealer; one power pack radio less battery; one new kerosene heater—all in fair shape. L. W. Wiseman, Snyder, Route 3. 44-41p

FOR SALE—7 weeks old Duroc Jersey pigs, subject to registration, #10—J. H. Kimmel, 7 miles west of town. 44-21p

FOR SALE—One electric fence charger that works off highline, 100 posts and 1 1-2 miles wire, \$40.00. See Weldon Sumrall, on George Garner farm. 44-31p

FOR SALE—Hand-painted pictures in oils and water colors. They are on exhibit at Snyder Auto Supply. Mrs. E. F. Wilson. 44-11c

FOR SALE—Nice fryers. Mrs. A. E. Vernon, 800 27th St. 45-11c

FOR SALE—1 garage door to cover 8-foot opening. Also 1 to cover 10-foot opening. Like new; complete with track and hangers.—Jack Darby. 45-11c

FOR SALE—Chem-Craft Chemistry set, also a 58lb. Draw 6ft. Bow. Billy Devers, 2208 Ave Q. Phone 52J. 45-11c

FOR SALE: Six weeks old pigs, see Fred Davis at Farm Supply Store. 45-11c

FOR SALE—Double row planter and cultivator, Horse drawn. J. E. Maule, Rt. 2, Snyder, Texas. 45-11p

FOR SALE: Practically new five room house located in southwest part of Snyder. See Al Simpson Phone 463-W.

FOR SALE: 1940 model Ford, radio and heater, fog lights and spot lights. R. L. McKinney, Call 136, 1026th St.

GOOD USED late model cars for trade, at Honeycutt Service Station. 11p

Miscellaneous

"CHICKEN DINNER"—Does that sound pleasing to the appetite? Come to the E. & H. Saturday and Sunday. I have engaged 50 choice Fryers for your taste on these days. Rex Lightfoot. 11p

WE WORK Button Holes, do hemstitching, crochet and cover buckles. Mrs. W. M. (Bill) Nichols, 2601 Ave. U. 45-61p

BUTTONHOLE Workers, motors, and repairs for all sewing machines. H. B. Stevens, 511 Y. New Mexico, Sweetwater, Texas. 45-21p

I HAVE a concrete mixer and would appreciate your business in making grave lot curbs and any other concrete work.—O. C. Floyd, telephone 143-W. 28-11c

CLOCKS REPAIRED—Electric and spring wound. Quick service. A. M. Roberts, 2411-Ave. L. 39-41p

CHARIS Foundation Garments—Girdles, two-way stretch panties, bandeaus and brassiers; special training in fitting these individually made garments; phone me for an appointment.—Mrs. Carl Keller, 2311 Avenue I, on 24th Street Telephone 360-J. 26-11c

Sore Throat—Tonsillitis! Our Anesthesia-Mop is a Doctor's Prescription that gives quick relief from pain and discomfort. Guaranteed to be the best Mop you ever used—or money refunded. Generous bottle with applicators only 50¢ at IRWIN DRUG STORE

DO NOT DELAY IN APPLYING AT THIS TIME. Our sole interest is to reach everyone who wants electricity at the earliest possible date.

REMEMBER THIS IS A CO-OPERATIVE. ALL MEMBERS RECEIVING SERVICE ARE STOCKHOLDERS. Lines are constructed with funds borrowed from your government and we must have your application for service before we can apply for the necessary funds. The quicker you act either as individuals or by groups or communities, the quicker you will begin to receive the benefits which your farm or ranch and family or your tenant has been waiting for.

J. H. CARLOCK, 43-21c President.

Lessons-Up—Expels Thick Choking Phlegm

Bronchial Coughs Coughs due to Colds

Spend 45 cents today at any drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture. Take a teaspoonful, let it lie on your tongue a moment then swallow slowly. Feel a powerful effective action spread through throat, head and bronchial tubes. Its fast to ease coughing spasms loosen up thick choking phlegm, it seems to clog the tubes and get better night's rest.

Buckley's Canadiol on our sales classification of money. 45c. 55¢—all drugstores.

Lost and Found

LOST—Brown leather ladies glove with yellow stitching. Phone 212W. Mrs. J. W. W. Patterson. 45-11p

TWO YEARLINGS strayed away from my place. R. H. Bonner, Reward, Route 2, Snyder, Texas. 1-1p

LOST—cup towels, between 2911 Ave. E and Mrs. Gilliam's Laundry. Phone 855-W. 45-21c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Electric floor waxer. Pick and Pay. Phone 115. 44-41c

FOR RENT—Bedroom, private entrance, bath, and garage. Phone 231. 45-11p

Wanted

WANTED—YOUR WET WASH—Mrs. B. N. Stone, long-time at the Modern Wash House. Your laundry done in the right way at 4¢ per pound 2008 Ave R, 1 block north of Modern Wash House. Call 445-J.

WANTED—To keep your income tax records on a contract basis; accurate and reasonable.—Lyle Defebach, telephone 219. 29-11c

WANTED—TO BUY 4 or 5 room house in Snyder.—Ralph A. Martin, Gen. Del., Big Spring. 45-11p

WANTED—HAULING, all kinds—Robert Martin and Sons, Hermleigh, Phone 12. 45-41p

Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Several nice farms and ranches; also a number of good residences that you would like. See us for loans and insurance.—Maude Holcomb, office in Towle Bldg., Phone 284. 32-11c

FOR SALE—17 acres good land, good well water, inside city limit, near Santa Fe depot. Aubrey Clark, Box 234. 41-31p

FOR SALE—Two-room house, 14x20 garden, orchard, grapes, berries, fenced with new posts and wire. House and all new Lot 60x140, or 100 foot front. Reasonable price. See Jess Faulkenberry, N. E. Cross, R. R. Snyder. 45-11p

FOR SALE—Five-room house, to be moved.—See A. C. Preuitt, phone 188. 44-21p

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Good six room home, furnished; large corner lot; possession immediately.

Four-room house, large corner lot; well, garage, near school. Possession now, priced at bargain.—Scott & Scott, Towle Bldg. 44-21c.

NOTICE

The City of Snyder offers to sell a certain used road grader and will receive sealed bids therefor. Bids should be in the office of the City Secretary on or before the sixth day of May, 1946. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 44-21c

NOTICE TO FARM AND RANCH OWNERS

LIVING IN MITCHELL, SOUTHERN SURREY, WESTERN NOLAN, EASTERN HOWARD AND SOUTHEASTERN FISHER COUNTIES TO SOUTHWESTERN FISHER.

The Lone Wolf Electric Co-operative, Inc. (REA) which serves the above areas at this time or has proposed lines to serve these areas is once more ready to accept your applications for REA electric service.

Due to the material shortage, some of the proposed rural distribution lines have not been constructed, but we believe that the material shortage will clear up in the near future.

This Co-operative wants to complete its area coverage at the earliest possible date. To make this possible, it will be necessary for the people not yet reached but who are within reach of present and proposed lines to call at our Colorado City Office, 247 Walnut Street, and sign application for service, or the people of any section may ask for a representative of the Co-operative to meet with them at an appointed time, date and place on several days notice.

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Ennis Creek News

Mrs. Allen Davis, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Boland Sullenger and children of Justiceberg and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sullenger of Dermott were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hart and small son.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wade and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Wade's mother, Mrs. H. S. Hart and family at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brumley and daughter Velma Lou, Mr. and Mrs. George Brumley made a business trip to Sweetwater Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Shearer and children of Breckenridge were week-end guests of Mrs. Shearer's parents, the Cliff Birdwells. E. A. Birdwell of the U. S. Navy and who is stationed at New Orleans, La., is home on furlough.

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Donald McGlaun from San Angelo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and Marjell.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal from Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Terry of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Duck from Linden were Sunday visitors.

THANKS I wish to thank my neighbors and friends for their kindness and flowers during my illness. Mrs. Mary Fesmire

CARD OF THANKS H. C. Flournoy wishes to thank his many friends for their sympathy shown at the death of his adopted son, Wadell Travis, Ellis Flournoy, which occurred in an automobile wreck in Madisonville, Tenn., March 30, 1946. 45-11p

CARD OF THANKS We want to thank the many friends who so faithfully stood by us through the sickness and death of our darling mother, and for the beautiful floral offerings. May God bless each of you in our prayers. Lizzie Smith, Ollie Harris, John Davis, Maude Ordener, Eva Lowrie, Minnie Davis

666 Cold Preparations Liquid, Tablets, Salve, Nose Drops Use Only as Directed

RUTH'S Beauty Shop located west of the highway near Drennan's Filling Station MODERN EQUIPMENT For Better Permanent Waving Visit Us RUTH HAGOOD Operator Phone 15—Hermleigh

Hermligh Trustees

Return New Trucks Wayne Rogers, Frank Romisch, and G. F. Chorn, School Trustee returned Thursday from Lima, Ohio, with two 1946 Ford school buses for the Hermligh schools.

The patrons and students of this district are very proud of these buses as they were so badly needed.

Hermligh Track Meet News Henry Grady Gafford, Kenneth Brackeen, W. E. Wright, Fred Bowen, Jake Smith, Bobby Sims accompanied their coach, A. L. Kerby to the district track meet at Hobbs, Saturday. They won 26 points placing them second.

Kerby will take four of the boys to the regional meet at Abilene, Saturday. Gafford will enter the mile race, Bowen the 440 yard dash, Bobby Sims the 220 yard dash and Smith the high jump.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hess of Pylon spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis Sunday. Mesdames T. D. Leech and H. R. McHaney of Hermleigh visited Mrs. Raymond May of Pylon Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Huddleston and sons of Ira visited her sister, Mrs. C. W. Kimbrough, husband and son Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Cliff and children of Hermleigh were brief callers Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis and children were callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Kimbrough Sunday night.

People kid us about being fat, but when the time comes, if it ever does, when we can have as much fun taking it off as we had putting it on, we'll reduce.

DON'T SCRATCH! Durham's Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve itching accompanying Eczema, Rash, Piles, Ordinary Itch and other minor skin irritations—or purchase price refunded. Large 2-ounce jar only 60¢ at IRWIN DRUG STORE

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MRS. OPAL STEPHENS

VISITING IN SNYDER Mrs. Opal Stephens candidate for District, and County Clerk over in Borden county, was in Snyder visiting and attending to business matters Saturday.

Mrs. Stephens ordered printing material and says she will begin campaigning in her territory immediately, as her duties permit.

Inez Brown, Mmes. J. L. Suits, Don Fortis left Sunday morning for Dallas and Fort Worth. They are taking Herbert Don to the hospital and plan to attend the Iteacapades Monday night in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Alden Burge and son Jack Alden, accompanied by Mrs. Burge's father, left Friday for Shreveport, La., where Mr. and Mrs. Burge will make their home. Mr. Deakins will return Monday night.

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Sidelights From Washington

By George Mahon

Legislation is in the making which will provide so-called terminal leave pay to enlisted men of the Army and Navy. The policy of providing terminal leave pay for officers and denying it to enlisted men cannot be justified. The Military Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives is giving consideration to the proposed legislation, and I expect to vote for the bill when it is considered in the House.

During the war, commissioned officers were allowed "leave" at the rate of 2 1-2 days per month. But many officers, particularly those overseas, had little chance to take this "leave," and it was permitted to accumulate and the officer was paid for this "leave" at the termination of his active service.

Enlisted men were allowed certain furlough privileges, but by reason of their service overseas or duties otherwise, they, too, had inadequate opportunity to take the furloughs to which they would ordinarily be entitled.

Under the proposed legislation, the "leave" of the enlisted man would accumulate and he would be paid for it in like manner as officers are paid for terminal leave, officers and enlisted men being thereby accorded the same treatment. The proposed legislation involves the checking by the War and Navy Departments of millions of servicemen's records and the expenditure of a large amount of money, but simple justice demands that such action be taken.

The final draft of the bill providing federal aid to communities which are interested in airport construction is scheduled to pass the Senate this week and go to the President for his signature. The House took final action on the bill several days ago, having passed the bill originally on October 18, 1945.

The bill commits the U. S. Government to a broad national airport development program and the expenditure over a seven-year period of a total of \$500,000,000. The work will be done on a basis of cooperation with the states and local communities.

The bill provides that the Federal Government may contribute not exceeding 25 per cent of the cost of the land for an airport; the Federal Government would contribute 50 per cent of the cost of construction incident to the development of the airport.

Air transportation will become increasingly important throughout the nation as our country takes step to retain our leadership in the field of aviation.

The appropriations subcommittee on government corporations, of which I became chairman a few weeks ago, began consideration on April 11 of the bill which we expect to present to the house late in May, following many days of hearings. Among the government corporations involved are the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Commodity Credit Corporation, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, a group of corporations which operate under the Farm Credit Administration, Government corporations which operate in South America in connection with the good neighbor policy, and many others, large or small and of various types. We are investigating the programs and spending policies of a total of 40 Government Corporations. A law enacted last December provides for the first time that Congress undertake to delve into the working of corporations and seek thereby to keep a rein of their operations. Indications are that we will recommend the liquidation of a number of government corporations and, in some instances, a definite change in policy in others.

According to the National Conservation Bureau, less than half of the 1,928,000 miles of county and local roads serving our vast agricultural areas have all-weather surfaces.

The windiest point in the United States is on top of Mt. Washington in New Hampshire.



May we remind you again to "Make a Date with CLARION" before you buy your postwar new radio. We will be among the first to show you smart new FM models bearing this famous old name.

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4-H Girls Making Own Outfits Now

COLLEGE STATION, April 17—Budget wise girls enrolled in the National 4-H Clothing Achievement program are making their own spring outfits, according to Mary Routh, associate clothing specialist of the A. and M. College Extension Service. Through this activity, girls are learning the fashion rules and secrets of being attractively dressed, with due regard for the family income.

Outstanding achievements in this activity will be given recognition in the form of medals of honor to county winners and educational trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, December 1-5, to state champions. Twelve of the state champions will be selected to receive a national award of a \$200 college scholarship. This is the first year that the clothing achievement program has been carried on through the National Clothing Contest for 4-H Club girls in Texas.

Miss Routh says that "participants develop initiative and imagination. They learn to combine a practical knowledge of clothing

OPA Figures To 'Last Red Cent'

Whether you are getting ready to build a new home, a trailer, or repair your garage or hen house, you will soon be able to figure the maximum dollar-and-cent cost right down to the last piece of flooring.

Area pricing orders on building materials and services for this district were issued on or about April 1, 1946, OPA announced today. OPA said that the orders would cover new and used lumber, hard building materials, plaster board, sand, gravel, cement, stock mill work, stock screen doors plywood, roofing, siding, insulation plumbing services and installed materials.

OPA explained that the dollar and cent prices on building materials and services for this area were established as a result of recent surveys of local lumber dealers, plumbers and retail merchants engaged in the building materials

business. "Many purchasers will find that they will be able to buy some materials under the ceiling price, but in no event should they pay more," OPA said.

Mary Bell Weathersbee will visit her mother, Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee, during the Easter holidays. She is attending college at TSCW.

OPA Rules on New Electric Appliances

All new electrical appliances displayed in retail stores must have the OPA ceiling price pre-ticketed on them. In instances where the manufacturer failed to supply such tickets, the merchandise must be held up by the retailer until this ticket is obtained by the retailer from the manufacturer.

Jewelers should make applications to the district OPA office in Fort Worth, Texas, for prices on imported Swiss watches if the jeweler did not sell the SAME watch in March, 1942, or if the watch is not priced by MPR 499 or by an order issued under the regulation.

business. "Many purchasers will find that they will be able to buy some materials under the ceiling price, but in no event should they pay more," OPA said.

Mary Bell Weathersbee will visit her mother, Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee, during the Easter holidays. She is attending college at TSCW.

Common School Districts Get Fund

Scurry County Common school districts received a four dollar apportionment this week, making a total of twenty-five dollars of the thirty dollars paid on the 1945-46 scholastics, says Mrs. Gaston Brock, County School Superintendent. This makes a total of \$58,175 received up to date.

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WHAT ABOUT SUMMER RECREATION?

Perhaps you have given considerable thought to a summer recreation program—perhaps you have some good ideas and plans in mind? Or have you? If you haven't, it is time for you to give much thought to some form of wholesome recreation for the teen-age youngsters up through the old folks—they all enjoy good, wholesome entertainment. This program should be so organized and planned that it will afford recreation for all age groups.

It should be diversified enough to satisfy the recreational desires of various groups or individuals. That is, some will enjoy tennis, others softball, volleyball; still others will like less strenuous forms of entertainment, possibly such as sing-songs, group parties, ring games, amateur contests put on by our talented youth, and many other types of wholesome entertainment which is represented in Snyder in such a manner as to afford good clean, wholesome entertainment for all.

Most likely this program should be of a competitive nature or should include competition among groups and even individuals. This will go far to stimulate a friendly sportsman-like atmosphere among the youth and older folks of this community. Most important, the development of good sportsmanship in our youth instills in them a sense of fair play, builds self-confidence, and develops a strong character. The true sportsman loves "a fair field and no favor;" by nature he is that way. In other words, the true sportsman cares not whether he wins or loses, but is most concerned about how he plays the game.

The proposed organization of a softball league in Snyder will be an answer to part of this recreational program. This league can afford much entertainment for themselves as players and the public as spectators. Maybe these games could be played at night, thus giving the majority of the people an opportunity to attend.

Possibly a public sing-song one night a week would offer the music lovers a chance to get together. This group could meet out in the open with the public taking part in the singing. This group could be led by a local song leader and by means of a lantern slide the music and words of the songs could be cast on a screen, thus giving the entire audience a chance to be a part of the sing-song. It is very impressive to hear several hundred voices singing in harmony. The fact the sing-song is out in the open under the stars and surrounded by the peace and quietness of the cool evening stimulates the entire group to sing with spirit, harmony and enthusiasm. It makes one feel better toward his fellowman. Just being out in the open means you are in communion with nature.

Since school is about out a recreational program that will entertain the youth of Snyder is now a must—more so than in any other year because gas is plentiful, tires are coming on the market, and our young people have money to spend. Therefore, the youth of this community will be using the family car searching this section for miles around for some form of entertainment. These young people are entitled to entertainment; what is more, they will find it, in some form or other. And mothers and dads, it is up to you to offer them good, wholesome entertainment here in Snyder; otherwise, they will find it in neighboring towns—possibly in places and in an atmosphere that will not meet with your approval.

How about Snyder organizing a recreational association whose purpose will be to furnish good, wholesome recreation for our teen-agers, our young folks, and our old folks—in fact, entertainment for the entire community?

To be brutally frank, it appears that the citizens of Snyder are too busy thinking about business and themselves to give our young folks any consideration. The evidence is positive in this respect, because there are too few opportunities for entertainment here. Snyder has no parks, swimming pools, community center, or any other place, where our young people can get together. In fact, it looks like our future citizens have been forgotten.

Snyder could sponsor a club for teen-agers, with trained personnel. It could be entertaining, exclusive, wholesome, and could be operated at no loss and very definitely it would satisfy these young folks.

You cannot expect to keep these young people at home at night—they crave action, entertainment, and, most of all, they must have it to grow and develop into our leaders of tomorrow. If they don't get this entertainment it is your fault—yes—it is your fault because you have not prepared any centers or places to entertain our youth in Snyder. It is up to you—who is going to be the first person or first group to make a move to start this recreation program—for youth—in fact, for all age groups?

COUNTRY PRESS AND INFLATION

The Industrial News review recently sent a questionnaire to the editors of the country weekly, smaller city daily, and urban and neighborhood papers in larger cities throughout the 48 states, asking their opinion on the following statements, and inviting comment:

1. I do not believe we can continue or expand present government economic controls and retain personal freedom and our representative form of government.

2. I believe we can continue to even expand present government economic controls and retain our personal freedom and representative form of government.

3. I would rather risk inflation and hardship than submit to rigid government dictation over myself and family.

4. I would rather submit to rigid government dictation over myself and family than risk inflation and hardship.

Out of the first 500 replies, approximately 90 per cent marked items one and three. Nearly all the editors answered made highly illuminating remarks as to why they preferred to risk inflation rather than submit to government dictation. In general, their opinion can be summed up by the statement of Editor Welty, Bartlesville, Okla., Examiner-Enterprise. He said:

"There can be no half-way measures. Either we shall go farther down the road to state socialism or turn back. The natural forces of nature, supply and demand and all the other homely two-and-two-make-four fundamentals must return or else we shall simply consume ourselves with regimentation, failure, and finally collapse. We must work as individuals, save as individuals and recognize our personal responsibilities as individuals or else become mere monkeys on the end of a Christmas toy."

A very small percentage of the replies which thought that controls might be maintained for a limited period to prevent greater inflation are illustrated by Editor Rossman of the San Francisco, California, Labor Herald, who said in part:

"Controls of the right sort can curb inflation and hardship without 'rigid government dictation' over the individual, as such. It is precisely inflation and resultant depression which could undermine American representative democracy and set this nation on the road traveled by Germany and Italy, not wise and effective government controls."

The 90 per cent of the editors who favored taking their chances with inflation rather than dictatorial controls, largely based their decisions on the belief that continued bureaucratic controls were not a guarantee of making the people dependent on government, and destroying private enterprise and individual opportunity as we have known it in the United States.—The Sun-News.

FOOD OR DRINK!

Renewed demands for further restrictions on the use of grain for beverage alcohol are amply justified in view of worsening conditions abroad and the continued failure of the United States to meet its monthly relief allocations. Herbert Hoover has just warned that a general European famine is "inevitable unless we land for the next few months every ton of overseas food we can summon." That means—or should mean—every ton that is not absolutely essential for human or livestock consumption at home.

Yet, as Representative Voorhis has pointed out to Congress, distillers and brewers are using 225,000 tons of scarce cereals—corn, rye, barley, rice, and so forth—per month, all of which are suitable for food and feed. Lack of these grains forces milk, egg, and meat producers to use precious wheat for food, or cut down production.

Quoting statistics to the effect that 18,000,000 bushels of grain could feed 15,400,000 persons for 120 days, Mr. Voorhis declared:

"Thus the 58,000,000 bushels allocated to liquor and beer production so far this year could have prevented starvation of 45,600,000 persons, a high price to pay for such utterly unnecessary production."

Americans who agree that this price is far too high will lend their support to the Voorhis and Aiken bills now before Congress. These bills would prevent the use of grain for the manufacture of liquors or other nonessential purposes so long as the shortage lasts. Christian Science Monitor.

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CHICK STARTER	100 Lbs.	4.00	Hand Packed	2 Cans
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<i>Household Supplies, Drugs, etc.</i>				
Johnson Wax		63c	Green Cut	2 Cans
Johnson Glo-Coat		91c	BEANS	25c
Gulf Spray, D.D.T. added, qt.		41c	Silver Dollar	Can
Rubbing Alcohol pt.		24c	Chile BEANS	10c
Phillips Milk of Magensia		39c	Red	Can
Jergen's Lotion \$1 size		89c	Kidney BEANS	10c
Griffin or Jet Oil, 3 for		25c	Can	
Khempl Shampoo, 60c size		49c	SARDINES	10c
Johnson Baby Powder, 25c size		20c	Large Cans	Each
Johnson Baby Oil, 50c size		39c	MACKEREL	13c
Jergen's Face Cream, 50c size		39c	Phillips	Can
IN OUR MARKET—				
we have only the best in meats. We do our own butchering and kill only calves that we have had on feed in our own feed pens from 30 to 90 days.				
Round Steak, Lb.		44c	SOUPS	15c
Sirloin Steak, Lb.		42c	3 Boxes	
T-Bone Steak, Lb.		40c	Noodle Soup Mix	25c
Rump Roast, Lb.		35c	2 Boxes	
Chuck Roast, Lb.		33c	PI-DO	19c
Rib or Brisket Roast, Lb.		20c	All Flavors	3 For
Pure Pork Sausage, Lb.		33c	PIE MIX, 25c size	50c
Hamburger Meat, Lb.		23c	Bird Brand	3-Lb. Crtn.
Pork Links, Lb.		40c	SHORTENING	60c
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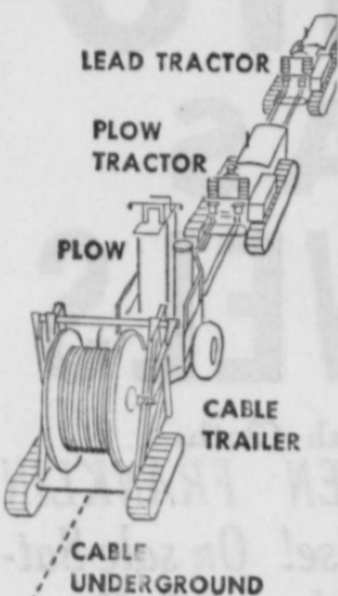
Q's And A's For Veterans

Q. In reinstating a National Service Life Insurance policy that has lapsed, is a veteran required to take a physical examination?

A. Veterans who have let such policies lapse may reinstate them without taking a physical examination if they submit a signed statement to the Veterans Administration that they are in as good health

New circuits are on the way

Here's how long distance underground cable is allowed in ..



A new coast-to-coast "coaxial" cable now being laid underground across the Southern route, in addition to providing new paths for radio broadcasts and television, will carry more long distance calls than the four other transcontinental telephone lines put together. It will have a capacity of 1,920 circuits.

This cable is part of the Bell System postwar construction program which aims at achieving prewar speed of long distance service.

The cable train is now in the vicinity of Dallas, Texas. The Shreveport-Dallas section of the cable will be placed in service this summer.

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County Livestock Group Has Meet

A barbecue and business meeting of the Scurry County Junior Livestock Association will be held Tuesday night starting at 7:30 p.m., at the Snyder High School park.

Junior Livestock Association members will be the guests of the FFA club for the barbecue, and during the business meeting 1946 officers will be elected.

Hugh Taylor, president of the association urges every member to be present at the barbecue and business meeting in order to plan a strong program for the year.

as at the time of the lapse. This provision will remain in effect until January 1, 1947.

Q. May a guaranty of loan be secured from the Veterans Administration to buy an automobile?

A. Yes; but only if an automobile is necessary and is to be actually used in the conduct of a business or a farming operation.

Q. How does a veteran apply for weekly unemployment allowances?

A. Application should be made at a local office of the United States Employment Service. Discharge papers must be presented at the time of application.

Q. How may application be made for hospital care of a veteran?

A. Veterans Administration Form P-10, which may be secured at all VA offices, should be completed and forwarded to the nearest Veterans Administration office.

Q. Can a seeing-eye guide dog be secured from the Veterans Administration for certain blind veterans?

A. Blind veterans who are entitled to disability compensation or pension for a service-connected disability are entitled to seeing-eye or guide dogs.

Q. Must a veteran have experience in business to get a guaranty of loan for business purposes?

A. The ability and experience of the veteran, and the conditions under which he proposes to pursue such occupation, must be such that there is reasonable likelihood he will be successful.

Texan's In The Nation's Capitol

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Texans in the Nation's capital will observe Easter Sunday in a special way since it also is San Jacinto Day.

Spearheading the activities will be the National Capital Texas A. and M. Club, whose 140 members will celebrate their annual April 21 "Muster" as a tribute to all Ex-Aggies who died during the past year.

Hundreds of Texans were expected to gather in historic Fort Myer chapel across the Potomac River for a 45-minute program, then adjourn to the Unknown Soldier's tomb for a wreath-laying ceremony honoring the more than 700 former Aggie men who lost their lives in World War II. The toll in World War I was 52.

While General Dwight D. Eisenhower is scheduled to attend the principal "Muster" held on the A. and M. campus at College Station, many high ranking army officers will join in the occasion here.

The president of the local A. and M. ex-students' group is T. Lee Gaston, formerly of Gainesville. A 1924 graduate, he is now with the Soil Conservation Service in the Agriculture Department.

AROUND THE CAPITAL: The food situation here is probably as acute as any place, if not more so, but everyone seems to agree that the shortage isn't too serious.

It can have its advantages, says Mrs. George Mahon, wife of the West Texas congressman.

"I've lost three pounds during the past week," she noted with a smile, "so you see it is working nicely with my own diet program."

"Seriously, though, I don't think cutting down will hurt any of us. And as for the proposal to put out a half-size loaf of bread, I think that's the most sensible idea anyone ever had. Since our daughter has gone off to college, George and I frequently find that we won't use

up a whole loaf before it gets stale."

Mrs. Ed Gossett, wife of the Wichita Falls Congressman, well knows what the average housewife here has to do to prepare three meals a day.

"You have to shop around at different stores to get everything you need for a proper diet for growing children," she commented.

"We couldn't indulge in any luxuries even if we wanted to, and in fact, maybe we are eating a little more healthfully. Beef is always scarce here, but at least fresh fruits and vegetables seem abundant."

As for eating out in Washington restaurants—men's there also reflect the president's program to save on food so as to help fill foreign relief commitments. Servings aren't so plentiful as in the past. This is particularly true of the big state dinners and other elaborate affairs.

Lavish dinners still are part of the regular life in the foreign embassies, but even there the diplomatic dignitaries are apparently cutting down a little. Whereas a seemingly unexhaustible source seemed to keep tables loaded with roast pigs, ducks and delicacies of all kinds in former times, the end of an evening's social function now frequently sees a well-picked-over layout of edibles.

Two young Texas war veterans have gone to work in the House Office Building postoffice on the patronage of Congressman Bob Poage of Waco.

One is Neal Grimland, formerly of Clifton, who won a battlefield promotion from a sergeant to a second lieutenant out in the Philippines on Luzon Island. His widowed mother, Mrs. N. G. Grimland, lives in Waco. The other ex-G.I. is Bob Cross, formerly of Gatesville, who fought in the European theater.

Since his recent bombshell announcement of voluntary retirement from Congress, Dallas' Rep. Hutton W. Summers has been swamped with invitations to address various civic, patriotic, commercial and professional groups over the nation.

His mail has become so heavy that he has hired, out of his own pocket, a secretary to handle the correspondence of that kind. His acceptance have included gatherings in New York, Los Angeles, Roanoke, Atlantic City. Despite exceedingly attractive offers in a financial way for addresses, he has adopted a policy of accepting only reimbursement for his actual expenses in traveling. He reportedly has turned down a big offer by a New York law firm wanting to engage him on its staff and by a sponsor of a radio network program.

When he announced his intention of retiring, the veteran Texas congressman observed that he would carry on his fight for a return to the states of powers taken over by the federal government by giving talks over the country and arousing the people to their responsibilities.

Corpus Christi's Congressman John E. Lyle won a real achievement for a newcomer when the House passed the federal pay raise bill.

Rarely can any member put across a substitute on the floor for an amendment drafted by the committee which has considered the legislation upon which a vote is being taken. But the young Texan did. He moved that the increase be a flat \$400 annually for all civil service workers, rather than an 18 1-2 per cent hike as proposed by the committee.

He argued that the flat pay boost would be more just in that it would

AMBASSADOR



There are many ambassadors of goodwill, but King Cotton claims to have the most beautiful. She is Miss Gwin Earnwell of Gastonia, N. C., and Greenwood, Miss., the 1946 Maid of Cotton. Miss Earnwell is busy carrying the cotton industry's greetings to business and civic leaders of major United States cities.



E. D. GILLIAM, who knows about bees, prepares to rake a swarm from a traffic light at a busy Dallas street corner. Police called him when the bees stalled traffic. (AP Photo).

MEXICO—

(From Page 1, Section 1)

The besieged police killed one and wounded two of the crowd.

In two other towns mayors likewise were thrown out and crowds "installed." Candidates they declared really were elected.

In Monterrey, chief industrial city of Mexico, tens of thousands marched in a protest parade against installation January 2 of the "official" mayor and the crowd held a public mock installation of the opposition candidate who had not been allowed to vote at the city election.

The Supreme Court refused to intervene in any such cases after the mass shooting at Leon. It said every community in Mexico would drag in its election disputes.

The Government party disclaimed responsibility but promptly it changed its name to PRI (Partido Revolucionario Institucional).

As the Supreme Court said, defeated candidates often think their votes weren't counted, but the widespread voting of charges against

extend the benefits primarily to the low-income group which most sorely needed the raises to meet higher living costs. . . those in the brackets of \$3,000 or less. In addition the flat raise would save taxpayers many millions of dollars annually. The majority of the House agreed with him and approved the substitute.

PRI obviously is more than that. In fact, the President, member of PRI, elected by it and supported by it, felt it necessary to change election laws radically after the party said no change was required.

Control of elections is said by critics to have been maintained through its cast-iron hold on patronage, its thorough system of organization in every village, its elimination of opposition voters from election list compiled by officials who also were party members and by strong-arm methods.

The strong-arm part consisted previously in the rule that the first nine voters at the polls constituted the election board. The party could give orders to the police or even to troops through its officials who were members. Disputes over this and any other matter were settled by officials, also members of the party. In addition, the party had money and it could hire all the bodyguards it needed. They are called "pistoleros" and prominent political characters employ them regularly. Politicians also pack guns and party critics say an opposition gunman always had bad luck with the police and that witnesses didn't lie to testify for them.

Since the party and its critics differ widely the truth may lie in the middle but the apparent revolt against the official government party running everything seems to support the critics.

Mexican elections usually have been violent but the troops that

fired on the crowd at Leon exceeded the customary allowance for political casualties.

Leading the opposition is Ezequiel Padilla, former foreign secretary, who denounces the official party methods in his campaign.

The government party candidate is his former associate in the cabinet, Miguel Aleman, secretary of the interior (Gobernacion), who can't feel happy about having all the charges of political crookedness and responsibility for the dead and wounded loaded on PRI which is backing him.

However, he may defend the party in minor matters, he could not defend openly the Leon shooting which was condemned so thoroughly by everyone from the president down. Obviously, Aleman had nothing to do with the shooting by troops or even with troops being there but he happens to be the PRI candidate and PRI and its methods get the public blame for the killings. In the six months from the Leon affair to election day, the people may forget and again they may not.

Carbon black plants in the Panhandle of Texas account for 70 per cent of the entire carbon black production in the United States.

The 1944 cotton crop of 2,558,439 bales was the smallest produced in Texas since 1921.

Our modern girls don't care if their hair does look like a mop. They don't know what a mop looks like.

City Drivers' License Office Closed Week

The drivers license office was closed this week because the examiner in Abilene took his vacation, and the examiner who usually comes here on Tuesdays worked the Abilene schedule this week.

All persons wanting to complete or take their examinations may come in next Tuesday.

For the benefit of ex-servicemen and others wishing to make renewals, someone will be in the sheriff's office Saturday afternoon at 1:30, Mrs. Thabata Groves, drivers license agent announces.

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Have a Smile of good faith for all during this Sacred Easter Season

Attend some service this Easter — meet and enjoy friends.

For a healthful as well as enjoyable Easter Dinner, our Bread will be on your table.

Wade's Bakery



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The WOMAN'S Page



Miss Virginia Preuitt Becomes Bride of H. F. Clark, Jr., April 12

In one of the most attractively appointed church scenes for arrangement and presentation noted here in many years, Miss Virginia Preuitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preuitt, became the bride of H. F. Clark, Jr., son of Mrs. H. F. Clark, Friday evening, April 12, eight o'clock.

The single-ring ceremony was presented for vows by Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor of the Methodist Church, assisted by the bride's grandfather, Rev. M. W. Clark, with friends of the families in attendance to share the sacred words.

Mrs. W. C. Hooks of Colorado City was at the organ, presenting traditionals of entree.

Miss Ruth Reese was maid of honor and best man was Whitt Thompson, with Janice Springer and Mary Ann Doak as junior bridesmaids. Bridesmaids of attendance were Billie Lou Thompson and Mary Louise Taylor. Jerry Springer was ring-bearer.

Ushers were Johnnie Boren, J. M. Sterling, Jimmy Garner, and Ray Helms. Candles were lighted by Joe Dave Scott and Robert Preuitt, while Mrs. Hooks interpreted "Evening Star" at the organ.

The bride's father, A. C. Preuitt, gave the bride away in the tradition of Anglo wedlock.

Mrs. W. R. Martin of Colorado City gave a vocal rendition of "Ave Maria," and during the ceremony, softly to the sacredness of the occasion, organ renditions included "Lebestrom" and "Tramer."

The bride wore a lovely white satin trailing gown with extended veil, accented by chantilly lace, long-pointed sleeves, and carried a fragrant bouquet of gardenias and white sweetpeas. For something borrowed, she wore pearls from her maid of honor; and for something unique, a one-cent piece of American copper from a friend in Iran was placed in one of her slippers.

The maid of honor wore a blue embroidered silk frock with blue net, and carried pink roses. The junior bridesmaids wore pink net and carried pink gladioli in lengthened bouquets. Billie Lou Thompson wore green net and carried peachstone gladioli, while Mary Louise Taylor wore yellow net, carrying vari-colored gladioli in bright dawn tone.

Each girl wore a bandeau in color accord with flowers of their bouquets.

For a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Clark went to San Antonio, returning to Snyder where Mr. Clark is in business, and where they will soon reside in their newly constructed home.

Miss Elree McMillan Marries Wichita Man in Vernon

(From Vernon Daily Record) Miss Elree McMillan, assistant Wilbarger County Superintendent, was married to Marshall C. Mason of Wichita Falls in a simple but impressive ceremony held Saturday in the study of the First Baptist Church. Rev. P. N. Tilden performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a becoming two-piece shell pink, dressmaker suit with black accessories, and carried a white Bible topped with a shower arrangement of white carnations and gardenias. Miss Marilyn Davis, her maid of honor, wore a gray suit with black and white accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Lloyd Blaine of Anadarko, Okla., served as best man. Other guests at the wedding were Mrs. Lloyd Blaine and Mrs. W. S. Tarter.

Mrs. Mason is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan of Hemphill, Texas, prominent citizens of Scurry County. She graduated from high school at Hemphill and then attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, where she was a member of the Hardin-Simmons "Cowgirls." Following her graduation, she taught school at Roscoe and Chillicothe. She has been assistant county superintendent here for the past 18 months.

Mr. Mason, the son of Mrs. Florence Mason of Lubbock, graduated at Post, Texas, and attended Texas Tech at Lubbock. For the last four years, he has been serving with the Army Air Corps, for two years in the ETO. When discharged, he held the rank of captain.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason will make their home in Wichita Falls where Mr. Mason is now employed with Western Electric Company.

During the second decade of our life we taste more lustily, hear more sharply, see more acutely, and have finer control of our muscular coordinations than during any other decade.

RECENT BRIDE



MRS. HERMAN CRAIG
The former Cora Nell Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Browning, of Fluvanna, who recently became the bride of Herman Craig of Snyder. The couple are making their home in Brownfield, Texas.

National Home Demonstration Week May 5-12

COLLEGE STATION, April 17—National Home Demonstration Week will be observed in Texas, as elsewhere, on May 5 to 12. But the Texas observance is expected to differ considerably from those in the 47 other states and in Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

In addition to receiving public acclaim, club women and 4-H Club girls will work actively in a program to help rebuild war-wrecked homes in other parts of the world. Miss Maurine Hearn who is in charge of the home demonstration program for the A. and M. College Extension Service says she is asking club women and girls to join the Texas home demonstration clubs.

Each women's and girl's club in the state is being asked to give one or more of several kinds of gifts either to their fellow club members in the Philippines or to families in Europe and the Far East. For famine relief, each club may give one or more cases of evaporated or condensed milk, or one or more cases of other canned food needed especially in hunger areas. These need most desperately are meat, fish, peanut butter, baked beans, baby foods, stews, soups and fruits.

In the Philippines the great need is for summer clothing. Miss Hearn said. Distribution of clothing sent by Texas club groups will be handled by Miss Presentation Atienza, Filipino home demonstration agent who with Miss Natividad Mrodeeth, received part of her field training in Texas homes in the early 1930's. For Philippine relief, clubs are being asked to give one or more cotton garments per club member, one or more bath towels, or two or more feed sacks per club member with needles and thread attached. Purpose of the nation-wide observance is to focus attention on the contribution of the home and family toward progress and world peace. The theme for the week will be "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World."

Under high-altitude flying conditions, where the oxygen pressure is reduced, persons of more advanced years actually do better than their young colleagues. They are less liable to fainting and collapse because their cardiovascular systems are more stable, and they suffer less loss of memory.

Mental maturity is not reached increase slowly until sixty.

Calendar of Snyder Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
J. Wm. MASON PASTOR
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
H. C. Michael Jr., S. S. Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
Intermediate and Junior G. A. and Junior R. A., Monday at the church, 4:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
O. B. HERRING PASTOR
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Lyle Deffebach, Supt.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:15 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:15 p. m.
Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Women's Society of Christian Service, each Monday, 3:00 p. m.
Wesleyan Service Guild, first and third Mondays 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
REV. PAUL INGLIS PASTOR
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Young People's Service, 7:00 p. m.
Sunday evening preaching services, 7:15 p. m.
Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Avenue B and 15th Street
Song Service, 10:45 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, at 7:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
1912 28th Street
Services every Sunday, 11 a. m.
Testimony meeting first Wednesday in the month at 8:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
CLIFTON ROGERS Minister
Shirley Morgan, Associate Minister, Sunday.
Bible School, 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship, 10:55 A.M.
Sunday evening, young people's service at 5:45 o'clock at Colorado City.
Evening worship at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday.
Midweek Worship Service at 8:00 o'clock.
Friday, Program over KXOX, Sweetwater 1:15 P.M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
L. GUY AMBENT PASTOR
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Roy Brown, Superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
Women's Society, Monday, 3:00 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH
EARL CRESWELL PASTOR
Sunday School, 1:00 a. m.
Preaching Services, 11:00 a. m.
Young People's Services each Sunday evening, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Services, 7:00 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Services each Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SNYDER AND FLUVANNA
C. C. DOOLEY PASTOR
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching services 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. each Sunday at Snyder, except the fourth Sunday, which is the preaching day at Fluvanna.
Sunday School at Fluvanna each Sunday at 1:00 a. m.

Titian, the painter, created some of his outstanding masterpieces after the age of eighty, and he was still going strong at ninety when the plague carried him off.

Verdi discovered the diurnal and monthly changes of the moon when he was seventy-three years of age.



CROWNED QUEEN, Katharine Reece, junior from Menard, Texas, was selected as Redbud Queen from 25 hundred students at Texas State College for

Women. The attractive blond was chosen for possessing the ideal criteria of poise, beauty, graciousness and scholastic standing.

Annual F. F. A. Father-and-Son Banquet April 23

Plans are being made for the annual FFA father and son barbecue, in which the sons treat their fathers to a feast," announced Donnie Everett, chairman of the program committee. The barbecue will be held in the school park Wednesday, April 23.

Speakers for the occasion will include Representative Pat Bullock and W. K. Roberts, "Your Exchange manager."

All members of the Scurry County Junior Livestock Association have

been invited through the Scurry County paper.

"We expect at least 300 guests and members at the feast," stated Mr. Browning, vocational agriculture supervisor in Snyder schools.

Tiger's Tale
People over 45 years of age comprise more than a quarter of the population of the United States, or about twice the proportion of a century ago.

Research reveals that mill hands over sixty years of age experience only half as many incidents as those in their early twenties.

Garrett Neuman Studios of Sweetwater

will be at the Junior-Senior Banquet making industrial and table pictures.

A WARDROBE MUST



This "indispensable" cotton town suit designed by Mollie Paris of New York, is the National Cotton Council's "dress-of-the-month" for March. The suit's rounded skirt line and tiny basque jacket are definitely different. It can be worn with the jacket for town, or without for country.

Culture Club Meets With Mrs. Clawson

The Woman's Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Clawson, Tuesday afternoon, with 12 members present.

Mrs. F. J. Richardson was leader of the program.

Mrs. J. W. Clawson discussed "The Way to Peace. Treaties or World Law."

Mrs. Northcutt spoke on "G. I. Partners in America's Reconstruction."

Following the business meeting, refreshments of angel food cake and grape punch were served.

Mrs. Rob Webb of Odessa is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Reece, this week.

Bennett-Hamilton Vows In New York

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Grace Bennett of Olean, N. Y. to Mr. William S. Hamilton, son of Mrs. W. W. Hamilton of Ft. Worth. William was reared in Snyder and is a graduate of the local high school, he served two years in the European war area. The couple will make their home in Olean.

Mrs. W. W. Hamilton attended the wedding.

The late Commodore Vanderbilt earned well over \$100,000,000 after he was seventy years of age, by increasing the extent of his railroads from 120 to 10,000 miles.

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Record Breaking Building Boom Is On In Texas

By The Associated Press

The old home town ain't what she used to be.

A record-breaking building boom in Texas is altering the appearance of Main Streets, residential sections, parks, school districts, factory areas.

Thirty-one towns checked by an Associated Press survey revealed, almost without exception, that building permits issued during the first quarter of 1944 had broken all-time records.

Construction included homes, office buildings, hotels, apartments, hospitals, schools, theaters, factories, plants, warehouses, churches, tourist courts, everywhere.

Major construction almost everywhere was homes. Permits for new homes led all other classifications.

Among the cities, Houston was leading with a first-quarter total of \$28,771,837 compared with a 1945 first-quarter total of \$5,818,959.

Dallas was second with a 1946 quarter total of \$15,569,383 compared with a 1945 quarter of \$1,315,971.

San Antonio was third with \$8,306,352 compared with 1945's \$1,309,070 and Fort Worth was a close fourth with \$8,503,812 compared with 1,316,674.

A list of the largest building permits broken down by classification follows. Of the 31 towns reporting, many did not report actual totals for homes.

Getting material for homes was a problem. Waco said majority of the lumber was coming from East Texas forests, and McAllen said the Valley was using imported Mexican lumber.

Homes—Midland, 84 for 282,000; Denton, 33 for 499,000; Austin, 809 for \$2,000,000 plus about \$400,000 to be spent by the University of Texas for hutments, etc.; Beaumont, 99 for \$310,400; Houston, at least \$3,000,000; Marshall, one permit alone for 30 homes to cost \$180,000; Abilene, 163 for \$482,291; Fort Worth, "heavily residential" with a Parkside Veterans Village to cost \$380,000; Dallas, one contract alone for 92 homes at \$368,000; another for 99 homes at \$245,000; San Antonio, 826 at \$3,251,603.

New business buildings and plants—Midland, theater, \$25,000 (plus 20 other types of new buildings); Brownsville, showroom and garage, \$25,000; San Angelo, Sears, Roebuck, \$250,000; Denton, Moore business forms plant, \$200,000; Amarillo, Golden Light Coffee Company plant, \$75,000; Waco, Bird-Kultgen Co., Ford dealers, \$68,000; McAllen, Interstate theater, \$25,000; McAllen, grocery, \$18,250; Austin, Moto truck depot and service station, \$52,000; Calcasieu Lumber Co., building addition, \$140,000, department store addition and alteration, \$80,000; Andra bottling plant, \$40,000.

Texasrka, wholesale grocery, \$25,000, abattoir and storage plant, \$25,000, and frozen food lockers, \$50,000; Galveston, Bell Telephone Exchange addition, \$100,000, Interstate Neighborhood Theater, \$32,000, and four commercial buildings to cost \$60,000; Pampa, Garage and Auto Supply building, \$42,000; Houston, Foley Bros. department store, \$3,300,000; Marshall, Marshall Industries, Inc., garment plant, \$200,000.

San Angelo, store building \$20,000, and a beer distributing plant, \$19,050; Sherman, Quaker Oats office addition, \$40,000, and the Grayson County Bank remodeling, \$30,000; Beaumont, department store remodeling, \$76,000, new oil well supply building, \$45,000, and a new Electric Company building, \$40,000;

Denison, dairy, \$10,000; Fort Worth, Telephone Exchange building, \$120,000; Dallas, Dr. Pepper plant, \$676,000, and two buildings for the Atlantic Refining Company to cost \$392,000 and \$60,000; San Antonio, six new factories to cost \$227,000, and 69 stores to cost \$2,688,384, largest of which is the \$325,000 W. T. Grant building; Plainview, Maggard-Nail company, \$18,500; Odessa, office building, \$500,000.

Schools—Midland, "two elementary schools to cost \$267,000"; San Angelo, a public school program costing \$1,750,000, and a \$400,000 program at the Junior College; Abilene, Hardin-Simmons, Abilene Christian College and McMurry College, \$627,000; Waco, Student Union building, \$175,000 (resumption of project halted by war); Galveston, St. Patrick (Catholic) addition, \$40,000; Sherman, Austin College Administration building, \$235,915; Fort Worth, two TCU dormitories, \$688,659; Odessa, \$500,000 school plant.

Hotels, Apartments and Tourist Courts—Amarillo, Capitol Hotel Addition, \$50,000; Galveston, Tourist Hotel, \$40,000, and three apartments to cost \$54,000; Houston, the huge Shamrock Hotel by the Glenn H. McCarthy interests, \$5,000,000; San Angelo, tourist court, \$40,000; Sherman, Hotel Grayson (remodeling), \$60,000; Texarkana, Apartment, \$15,000.

Office Buildings—Midland, Magnolia Oil Co., \$100,000, Rhodes and Chapple, \$100,000 (both under construction), Honolulu Oil Co., \$175,000.

Hospitals—Wichita Falls, Bethesda hospital expansion, \$235,000; McAllen, Dr. P. H. Frenzel Clinic, \$9,000; Big Spring, Big Spring Clinic and Nurses home, \$40,000; San Angelo, dental clinic and apartment, \$29,500.

Churches—McAllen, Lutheran Church, \$20,000; San Antonio, nine to cost, \$102,625.

Parks—San Angelo, Mary E. Lee project, \$30,000.

1. Houston	28,771,837	5,818,959
2. Dallas	15,569,383	1,315,971
3. San Antonio	8,503,812	1,315,971
4. Austin	4,503,812	543,788
5. Odessa	4,000,000	
6. Co's Christi	3,066,344	1,823,201
7. Amarillo	2,688,143	
8. Abilene	1,822,801	
9. Lubbock	1,373,021	437,637
10. San Angelo	1,305,451	219,533
11. Tyler	1,103,219	150,258
12. Beaumont	1,063,110	314,553
13. Midland	981,850	241,865
14. Wich. Falls	961,440	84,136
15. Galveston	716,768	165,158
16. Waco	714,417	161,017
17. Denton	674,650	11,467
18. Marshall	645,242	
19. McAllen	630,300	77,740
20. Big Spring	454,280	166,290
21. Sherman	338,424	41,827
22. Plainview	269,000	32,300
23. Brownsville	249,280	35,969
24. Denison	239,838	42,577
25. Texarkana	216,789	
26. Pampa	204,450	77,050
27. Kilgore	194,650	11,250
28. Paris	148,900	47,900
29. Gainesville	126,755	20,985
30. Corsicana	104,850	

Funeral For Mrs. J. W. White Held April 1st In Tulla

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. White, who passed away March 30, at her home in Northwest Tulla were conducted by Rev. H. E. East, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Tulla, April 1, 1946, at 3:00 p. m. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were J. E. Holly, John Adams, J. L. Pogue, Orville Weeks, C. C. Griffith and D. J. Wheeler. Ursula Josephine Logan was born August 4, 1865, near Gatesville, Texas. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Logan. She became a Christian at the age of 12 years in a home altar service conducted by her father, a Baptist preacher, and was united with the Missionary Baptist Church and was a faithful member and attended services of the church as long as she was physically able.

She has twenty-one living grand children and three who died in infancy and twenty-three great-grand children. Mrs. White, who is known here as Mrs. J. W. White, moved with her husband and family from Coryell County to Bryant Co., Texas, in 1898. From there the family came further west to Snyder, Texas, in 1910. While there the husband and father passed away in 1919.

In 1922 the remaining family came to Briscoe County and lived there until 1929 when they established a home in Tulla, where she lived with her daughter, Miss Dollie White, until her death. She had been an invalid for over four years. She lived a Christian life.

Besides her immediate family she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Mary Barner, and Mrs. Lucy Rutherford, Goose Creek, Texas, and Mrs. Teanile Ross, Palestine, Texas. Three brothers James Harrison, Logan and Thomas Monroe Logan, Gatesville, Texas, and Andy Joe Logan, Snyder, Texas, and a large number of nieces and nephews.

One niece and nephew, ten grand-grandchildren and four great-grandchildren were here for the funeral. All the children who attended the services except three who were unable to attend.

The parents and six brothers and sisters preceded her in death.

We feel a very great loss in her going, but we know that our loss is heaven's gain. We grieve, but not as those who have no hope, for Jesus said, "I go to prepare a place for you; I will never leave you nor forsake you."

Virginia was named after Queen Elizabeth, who was known as the Virgin Queen.

Charles Farrar Browne, the humorist wrote under the pen name of Artemus Ward.

Be as kind as you can today; because you may not be here tomorrow.

In war plants, tests proved that if the workers drank a half pint of milk in mid-morning and another in mid-afternoon the net result was a significant decrease in the accident rate.

President Calvin Coolidge wrote a History of the United States in 500 words.

"The danger is that collectivists will seek to fasten on us for an indefinite period the so-called temporary economic controls."—M. S. Rukoyser, economist.

"I still feel able to give the people of Kansas as good service as ever."—Senator Arthur Capper, on being 80.

"I spend \$300 a month for food. I can't cook."—Mrs. Erna Rubenstein, Hollywood, asking alimony.



TEXAS FLOWERS FOR Convention—A thousand bluebonnets, Texas state flower, are presented to the National Council of State Garden Clubs, meeting in New Orleans April 9-11, from Mayor Tom Miller of Austin. Left-to-right above, Mrs. Walter Carroll, New Orleans, convention chairman, looks on while Mrs. William H. Chaplin of Rochester, N. H., National Council president, receives the beautiful bouquet from Mrs. G. D. Smedley of Austin. (APPHOTO).

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New Machine For Controlling Cotton Insects Being Used

F. L. THOMAS

Chief, Division of Entomology

During the past two or three years considerable interest has been aroused among cotton farmers in several sections of Texas over the possibilities of so-called "bug-catching" or "insect exterminating" machines designed to collect injurious insects on certain crops, especially cotton, and thereby produce an increase in yield of the crop.

These machines or devices, which are attached to the front end of a tractor, force a strong blast of air through the cotton plants from a high pressure fan driven by a belt from the pulley of the tractor. The purpose of the air blast is to dislodge insects on the plants and to collect them in bags at the ends of large ducts through which these insects are blown.

One of these machines was given a thorough test in Brazos Bottom cotton in 1945 by the Division of Entomology of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Where it was operated six times during the season there was a yield of 678 pounds of seed cotton per acre, or an increase in yield of 68 pounds over adjacent untreated cotton, which produced 608 pounds of seed cotton per acre. In the same experiment, however, another block of cotton dusted seven times with insecticides for comparison, produced 1,388 pounds of seed cotton per acre. This was more than double the yield.

Produced where the "bug catching" machine was used.

One-third of the insects collected by the machine were injurious; a little more than one-third were beneficial. Of the injurious insects collected, flea hoppers were in largest numbers and boll weevils were causing more damage to the cotton than any of the other pests.

The machine appeared to be more effective when the cotton was small. As the plants grew larger, the air blast was not as effective in dislodging the insects, and the last time the machine was used some of the plants were injured.

The test with the "bug catching" machine showed that where cotton is in danger of boll weevil damage it is far more profitable to follow a well-planned dusting program than to depend upon the type of machine studied.

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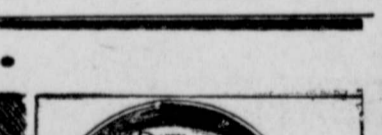
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65 Seniors Make Plans For Their May Graduation

Senior graduating class of 1946 is making plans toward Commencement Day by ordering diplomas, invitations, caps and gowns.

A total of 65 Senior students were measured for their caps and gowns for graduation at a meeting in the auditorium Monday, April 8, during activity period.

Approximately 2,500 plain and leather invitations were ordered from the Schmidt Engraving Company at Waco, Texas. On the front of the invitation will be a tiger and the letter "S" while on the inside is a picture of the Snyder High School Building. The leather invitations are souvenir invitations of white leather. These will cost 60 cents each.

"Diplomas are being paid for by the school this year rather than by the students," states Mr. Stanfield. Covers for the diplomas must be bought by the students, and everyone in the graduating class ordered a cover. These will cost between \$1.25 and \$1.50. Tiger's Tale

George Clemenceau, the French statesman, was nicknamed the "Tiger."

Greater Efficiency In Kitchen With Right Utensils

Enough of the right tools for the job gives greater efficiency in the kitchen, but too many utensils have the opposite effect. This is the opinion of Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement for the A. and M. College Extension Service, who maintains that "duplicates and unnecessary extras that tend to collect in kitchen drawers and cupboards take up space, slow down work, and waste time and energy."

Mrs. Claytor recommends occasional "weeding out" of equipment. She advises getting rid of the unnecessary pans and kettles, the broken knife or wobbly egg beater, and the fancy gadgets that have proved unsuccessful.

One of a kind is enough for many items of equipment such as knife sharpeners and bottle openers. Sometimes more than one utensil makes work more rapid, however. Two measuring cups, one for dry and one for liquid ingredients, are necessary for efficiency. Twin sets of salt and pepper shakers—one at the stove and one at the mixing

Seniors Schedule Trip To Abilene Saturday, April 26

The Seniors of '46 are being given a new kind of treat for their senior activities. Hardin-Simmons University has invited the Senior Class of Snyder High School to be its guests for High School Senior Day beginning at ten o'clock Saturday, April 27th. The program for the day will include the band, presentation of the University Queen, free barbecue, a football game and many other worth-while entertaining activities. The class will leave on the buses around 7:30 or 8 o'clock Saturday morning and return Saturday evening.

In addition to the trip to Abilene the seniors will be given Friday, April 26, off. On this day there will be no school sponsored activities; however, any activities that are carried on that day will be strictly between the students and their parents. Tigers Tale

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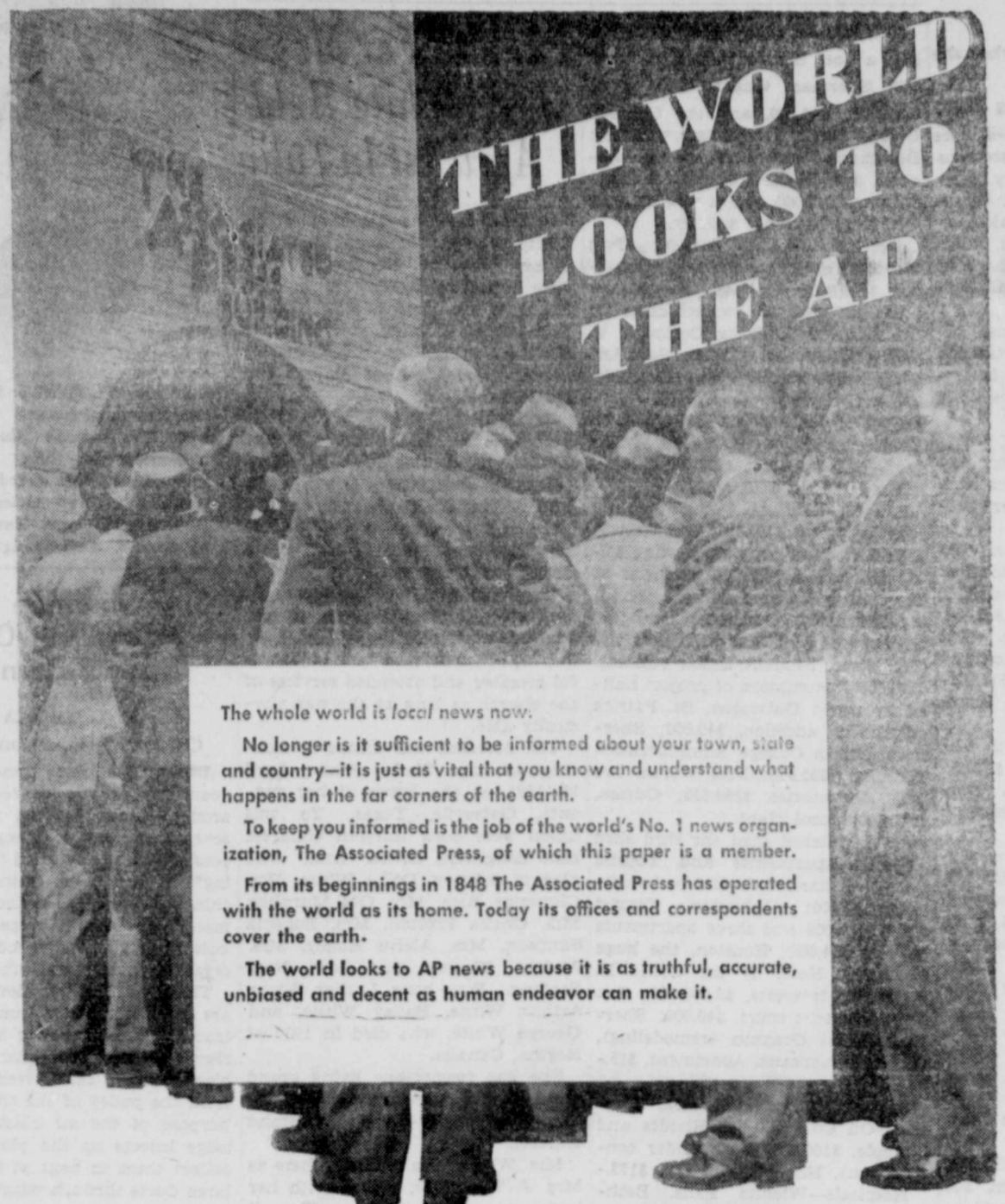
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Plans For Their May Graduation
 in Kitchen With Right Utensils

The students of the Snyder High School are preparing for their graduation exercises which will be held in the school building on May 15. The students are being instructed in the use of kitchen utensils as a part of their home economics course. This instruction is being given by the home economics teacher, Mrs. J. W. Smith. The students are being taught how to use various kitchen utensils such as knives, forks, spoons, and spatulas. This instruction is being given in the kitchen of the school building. The students are being instructed in the use of these utensils in a practical manner. This instruction is being given in the kitchen of the school building. The students are being instructed in the use of these utensils in a practical manner. This instruction is being given in the kitchen of the school building.



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APpreciation

In announcing with this issue of The Times our membership in The Associated Press, the meaning should be made clear to the readers.

Although there is an excessive amount of AP material carried in this issue, it will not be the general rule. The choice is to remain in its place—in the Country Field, and The Times will carry each week three or four of the best, newsy pictures, coming to you at the same time they are released to other newspapers having membership in The Associated Press. They are the "picture-news" you want while it is NEWS. We think the readers deserve it. Along with these few pictures, we will carry one good feature story—and, beyond this, make a greater attempt at all times to cover the local field for news and advertising messages not reached or covered by any daily paper. In other words, your HOME COUNTY PAPER still wants the home news FIRST.

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TEXAS MANAGING EDITORS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—Guarding the news front—that Texas and the World may have the most complete and accurate dispatches in words and pictures from the Four Corners of the Globe—and the Outside World's bird's-eye view of what Texans are doing.

History of AP Service Described From Pony Express Days to Present Flashes

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Scurry County Times has become a member of The Associated Press, world-wide non-profit cooperative news-gathering association, serving more than 2,500 newspapers and radio stations the world over. In this connection, the following story of The Associated Press is presented.

By The Associated Press

General William R. Scurry, for whom Scurry County was named, and other members of the last Congress of the Republic of Texas were winding up affairs of the Republic in preparation for statehood when the first serious effort at organized news-gathering was attempted.

The United States and Mexico—destined to become good neighbors and allies in arms against world dictators—were at war. The population of the United States concentrated in the East was hungry for war news, hungry for news from the Texas country north of the Rio Grande.

That news came in dribbles, un-

certain reports that traveled by pony express, rickety railroad or by the sparse new telegraph lines. Real systematic news-gathering was yet to come, but the momentous Mexican war and the aggressiveness of James Gordon Bennett, publisher of the New York Herald, in reporting it played a vital part in its development.

A few years before—while Texas struggle for independence was reaching its climax—Prof. Samuel F. B. Morse had successfully operated the first telegraph line, between Washington and Baltimore. Another three years saw wires extended to New York and run westward to Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Louisville and St. Louis along the line of the rapidly increasing westward migration.

Bennett with characteristic vigor-ousness lost no time in taking advantage of this new means of communication to further increase the pace of his news-gathering activities, already famous in the

newspaper world of the day. He hired "telegraph reporters" along the ever lengthening line of the telegraph. As soon as the situation with Mexico became serious, he established a courier system between New York and New Orleans, center of news coverage for activities along the Rio Grande. This began in 1845 and Bennett's express beat the United States mails by from one to four days. Soon after the war broke out in the spring of 1846 Bennett lengthened the express service with the aid of the Philadelphia Ledger and the Baltimore Sun. The telegraph lines between Philadelphia and New York served to speed the news over their last few miles saved many hours otherwise needed to bring the news by train-messenger.

Bennett was the first with the news of the fall of the City of Mexico in 1847 and he not only gave the news to the other papers but to the government at Washington as a matter of public service.

Not long after that David Hale, publisher of the New York Journal of Commerce, proposed to Bennett that the Herald and the Journal of Commerce join forces in the collection of their news. Bennett agreed. The following year Hale made the proposal that four other New York newspapers join The Journal of Commerce and The Herald in the formation of The Associated Press.

Bennett's aggressive tactics in pursuit of telegraphed news forced the other New York papers to follow suit or be left in the lurch. It was not long before the scant telegraph lines were jammed with an overload of copy. Costs for each paper soared. Newspaper editors found each paper was paying six or seven times the amount necessary to get the telegraphed story into New York because each paper was paying full rate for each item. Since many of the items were virtually the same, there was considerable waste of money. A practical solution was necessary if these newspapers were to continue in business. Hale proposed the forma-

tion of The Associated Press in 1848 to carry out this aim. His plan was accepted and he was named first president. The young association represented the first noteworthy attempt at systematic gathering of news for newspapers, and newspaper owners throughout the United States then turned to this privately owned enterprise as a means of getting their news.

As the list of subscribers increased they gathered together in loosely formed geographical groups to make business dealings with the New York Associated Press and to collect and transmit news to papers within each group. Among these groups were the Southern Associated Press, the Western Associated Press and the New York State Assembling front that were to change the whole basis of systematic news-gathering in the nation.

While the Civil War was still being fought, members of the Western Associated Press began a struggle for equality with the New York organization, a struggle for an equal voice in the management of the news-gathering work and an equal share in the expense. This struggle went on for many years until an impossible stage was reached in 1892. The New York organization, privately owned, then threatened to have complete control of all news gathering and to be in a position to force all papers to pay heavy tribute for their news service.

The Western Associated Press led a revolt. It sought and obtained the support of the Southern Associated Press, the New York State Associated Press and the kindred groups. Together they formed the modern Associated Press under the laws of the State of Illinois. The plan was for each paper to pay a fair share of the total cost of collecting and distributing the news and for each paper to have a voice in the management of the organization's affairs.

The first president was Victor F. Lawson, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, and the first general manager, Melville R. Stone, Lawson's partner. They laid down the rule that the association's news (Continued on Page 3, Section 2)

Local Fishermen In "Pink" On Catches

J. B. and Truman Chick spent the weekend fishing on Brownwood Lake, Brownwood, Texas. The evidence these two fishermen brought home indicates they know how to fish. At least they caught over 30 pounds of fish, which was mostly bass. The largest bass weighed five pounds and there were others that ran across second.

The Chick brothers used artificial lures among them a top water bug in colors red and yellow which seemed to be a choice morsel for the fish. They also used live iron side minnows.

Truman hung one fish or some other water creature that broke a 48 pound test line. Truman feels this would have been an easy catch if his line would have only held.

Safety Campaign Urged for County

Joining the nation in a much-needed campaign to bring about safer driving habits, the City of Snyder and Scurry County this week has entered into the attempt to direct attention to all safety rules, with Chief of Police Simon Best urging drivers to take an interest of protecting life and property.

An advertisement appears on this page of the Times, under auspices of the local police department, and sponsored by local firms, attempting to create friendly interest in the

Safety Campaign Urged for County

Best also drew attention that many things are against the drivers of today. Traffic accidents are multiplying alarmingly. With the average car over 8 years old, with bad brakes and dangerously worn tires,

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Walter Clark, County Pioneer, Dies in Dallas

W. G. (Walter) Clark, member of one of Scurry County's oldest families and for the past few years a resident of Dallas, died at the family home in that city Sunday, April 7, interment being made there.

Walter, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark, was born in Scurry County January 23, 1883, and spent his boyhood school days in Snyder. He was well known to many of the county's pioneers, as were his parents, credited here with early developments in ranching and contributing much to the advancement of Snyder.

Mr. Clark was a nephew of the pioneer Nunns, giving much to the early advancement of Snyder. At one time J. W. Nunn held one of the largest ranches in this area, northeast of Snyder in the Samp Springs area. And another uncle, T. N. Nunn, is described here by old-time friends as a liberal friend to Snyder. He contributed ground for Snyder schools, for the court house, and also for the Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches. Two other members of the Nunn family, J. H. and Dr. W. R. brothers to Mrs. H. C. Clark, also took part in helping to get Snyder started as a good western town.

Parents of Walter moved to Dallas from Scurry County many years ago, where both later died.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Leta Clark; three sisters: Mrs. R. C. T. Jacobs and Misses Ruby and Jessie May Clark, all of Dallas; one brother, Aubrey Clark, and an aunt, Miss Annie E. Nunn, both of Snyder. There are also a number of nephews, nieces and other relatives in Post City, Colorado City, and in Nashville, Tennessee.

Softball Club Gets Big Lift

According to the enthusiastic remarks by members of the newly organized Softball league, the club has been given a big lift and fine support by business houses of Snyder, professional men and others interested in the sport, and the group can go forward with plans originally made to secure needed equipment and start playing.

A second meeting was held Tuesday night in the Boren & Son Insurance office, and the boost taken advantage of to make more immediate plans. Teams were formed with the following managers installed and lineups:

X. B. Cox, manager, and players: Miller Price, Victor Baze, Pat Johnston, J. N. Eicke, Red Neal, Bud Boren, Bill Smedley, John Pratt, R. J. Kidd, Claud Weathersbee, Truman Phenigo, Gilbert Fields, Truman Davis, Jimmy Walker, J. A. McKinney, Kenneth Wood and Charles Land.

Delbert Johnston, manager, and players: Raymond Morgan, Howard Crenshaw, John Lynch, Weldon Strayhorn Forest Beavers, John Blum, Levi Self, Eddie Richardson, Fred Rosson, E. A. Birwell, D. H. Smedley, E. J. Strickland, J. P. Pitter, Carl Harris, Louie Minton, J. C. Eades and William Leftwitz.

Johnny Boren, manager, and players: Ervie Lee Keller, Bob Mills, A. C. Alexander, Leonard Keller, Frank Teagarden, E. J. Richardson, John Birdwell, Jack Terry, Don Sealy, Acalee Kincaid, Buck Woolver, Clifton Rogers, Clyde Boren, Billy Mitchell, J. C.

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Here's a way to rate yourself in the **POLICE TRAFFIC SAFETY CHECK**

Let's be honest, now... remember, your own safety and that of your family depend on the way you drive.

YES	NO	1. Do you always signal before turning or coming to a stop (never play guessing games with the driver behind you)?	YES	NO	4. Do you obey traffic lights—even when you're in a hurry?	YES	NO	8. Do you know and observe the rules of the road in your community? (Frankly, now, have you ever looked them up?)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Do you always come to a full stop at a stop sign (never coast through)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Do you drive in and turn from the proper traffic lane?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Do you keep alert when driving—keep your mind on traffic?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Do you refuse to drink before driving? (Think, now, before answering.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10. Do you drive within the speed limits—never yield to the temptation to do a little "low altitude flying"?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. Do you give the pedestrian a break even though he may not have the right of way? (Remember, you walk sometimes, too.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Do you drive with extra caution in fog, rain or snow and on wet or icy pavement?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

10 "YES" answers—Are you really that good?
8 to 10 "YES" answers—Good driving. We need more of you!
6 to 8 "YES" answers—Fair driving. You must improve.
Less than 6 "YES" answers—Poor driving. You're headed for trouble; possibly injury and serious financial loss!

P. S. Take another look at your score. Would your family and friends rate you the same?

Seriously, don't you wish when you and your family are on the streets that all drivers could truthfully answer Yes to all ten questions? Of course you do—and the next driver feels the same way about it. So start today to improve your score.

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These are the mechanical features that will be examined in the Police Traffic Safety Check:

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LIGHTS—Do any bulbs need replacing? Are headlights properly focused and aimed? Are tail and stop lights in good condition?

TIRES—Are they all in safe condition? (No cuts, fabric breaks, excessive wear?)

WINDSHIELD WIPERS—Do they operate satisfactorily? Do blades need replacing?

HORN—Does it operate easily and when you need it?

Are there any other safety items that need attention, such as steering, defects in glass, rear view mirror, muffler, etc? (Have these checked regularly.)

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Home Demonstration Club Week May 5-12

Observance of National Home Demonstration Club Week May 5-12, in Texas is expected to differ considerably from those in the 47 other states and in Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

In addition to receiving public acclaim, club women and 4-H Club girls will work actively in a program to help rebuild war-wrecked homes in other parts of the world. Miss Maurine Hearn who is in charge of the home demonstration program for the A. and M. College Extension Service says she is asking club women and girls to join the Texas home demonstration staff in a gift of gratitude for "the things home demonstration club work has brought to them."

Each women's and girls' club in

the state is being asked to give one or more of several kinds of gifts either to their fellow club members in the Philippines or to families in Europe and the Far East. For famine relief, such club may give one or more cases of food needed especially in hunger areas. Those needed most desperately are evaporated or condensed milk, meat, fish, peanut butter, baked beans, baby foods, stews, soups and fruits.

In the Philippines the great need is for summer clothing. Miss Hearn said. Distribution of clothing sent by the club groups will be handled by the presentation officer. Philippine home demonstration agent, for Philippine relief, clubs are being asked to give one or more cotton garments per club member, one or more bath towels, or two or more free socks per club member with needles and thread attached.

Purpose of the nation-wide observance is to focus attention on the contribution of the home and family toward progress and security. The theme for the week will be "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World."

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Hermleigh News

Miss L. G. Williams, Comptroller

Mr. Sammie Koenig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koenig, has returned home with a discharge the second of April 2, at Camp Claiborne, Miss.

Billings joined the army in November 1943, going to Europe in October 1944 and returned to the U. S. last March.

He holds the ETO campaign stars with four battle stars, a bronze star, the American theater and victory ribbons, and the ETO occupation ribbon.

He attended the M.A.S.

Mrs. Gordon May honored her son, Bruce with a birthday party, Thursday afternoon at four o'clock.

Several games were played after which the two-tiered birthday cake bearing six candles was served with punch to the following guests:

Tommie and Lonnie Henry, Butch Nachlinger, Sandra Sturdivant, Sue Ann Mayo, James McAz, Donna McGuire, Gary Quaid Richburg, Jerry and Carolyn Cliff, Donna and Judy Spayks, Smitty and Betsy Maberry, Wallace Wall, Dorothy Paul, Clinton Lewis, Bernard and Ann Patteson, Mary Ellen Grossman, Carl Bayless, Twilla Jackson, Jerry Gannaway, Mrs. Ivy Sturdivant, Mrs. Elmer Henry, Mrs. Jesse Spayks, Mrs. J. B. Patteson, Mrs. Herman Richburg, Mrs. Shorty Hendrix, Mrs. Grover Wall, Mrs. Frank Nachlinger, Mrs. Edd Mraz, Mrs. Duke Grassman, and Mrs. Geo. Mayberry of McCauley who was accompanied home by her nephew, the honoree. Bruce received many nice gifts and all had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Evro Holoman of Rising Star spent the weekend here with relatives. Mr. Holoman is a brother to Mrs. John Reed and Lem Holoman. The couple and their three children formerly lived here.

Miss Ella Hintz, H. E. teacher, spent the week-end with relatives at Muleshoe.

The PTA officers met Thursday afternoon and discussed plans for the 42 party which it will sponsor in the high school auditorium, Friday, April 26, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Boatman spent the week end with his father and a brother at Henrietta.

Will Early and family of Sweetwater and Boyd Badley of Snyder took dinner in the O. E. Patterson home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Woolsey of Ira called in the afternoon. Mrs. Badley was a guest in the home Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Leftwich and Mrs. J. T. Bryant will entertain their students with an Easter egg hunt on the school campus and nearby grounds, Friday afternoon. The mothers of these pupils are invited to be present for the hunt.

The PTA officers met Thursday afternoon and discussed plans for the 42 party which it will sponsor in the H.H.S. auditorium Friday, April 26, at 8 p.m.

There will be a large collection of items on display for auction. Various games will entertain you and there will be ice cream and cold drinks a plenty. You will be surprised to see Ipta the hidden mystery.

A lighted play ground will be provided for the children which will be supervised.

A small admission charge will be made with the proceeds from everything being used on the school library debt. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Dee Brock of Orangefield has been visiting his brother, Louie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Campbell honored his mother, Mrs. C. J. Campbell with a birthday dinner Monday. The honoree was surprisingly joined by her daughter, Mrs. Winfrey Grimes of Copperas Cove. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Campbell, Mrs. J. S. Farr and Miss Edith Campbell were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin (Bula) Sturdivant have purchased the home of the late Mrs. M. C. Kinzey. Sturdivant operates a filling station while she is employed at the Ammons grocery.

Mrs. Tony Vernon attended the bedside of Mrs. Ray Sturdivant in Snyder Monday. Mrs. Sturdivant is a sister to Tony and a former resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon May spent Sunday in the Geo. Maberry home at McCauley Sunday and were accompanied home by their son, Bruce who had spent a few days there. Mrs. Mayberry is an aunt to Mrs. May.

Mrs. K. B. Rector, Mrs. A. W. Mobley, Mrs. B. D. Smith and daughter Betsy were shoppers in Big Spring Wednesday of last week. Jesse Holdridge received a wire Sunday that his mother, Mrs. G. W. Holdridge underwent an operation in an Oakland, Calif., hospital Saturday and was doing nicely.

A social and business meeting was held in the Methodist church Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The song service lasted about 30 minutes and a short talk by Rev. A. T. Mason was enjoyed after which R. A. Dubose was elected as a delegate to the district conference to be held at Snyder, April 25. Punch, sandwiches and cookies furnished by the young adult class were served to about 45 persons and all had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Corley of Haskell are visiting the writer this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall and son Larry Joe, Mrs. J. O. Hall of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Merris Hall of Fort Defiance, Arizona, visited in the J. J. Henry home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Henry and boys of Hermleigh were also there.

work. They are building a lot of new line soon.

H. C. Flournoy is here from the trip to Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Beaver and daughter, Mrs. Pat Jones went to Lubbock and carried some horses for the Texas Tech rodeo. While there they visited their granddaughter and daughter Patsy Jones.

Rev. Charles Harris a returned Chaplain from the navy made a talk at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 3 o'clock. In behalf of the Trinity University. He had a good response.

Elton Fulford recently discharged from the navy is here visiting his relatives and grandmother Mrs. Henry Fulford. He is enroute on his way home to Virginia where his parents Old Fulford and family live.

Mary Nell Courville and boys are returning to Oteasa where they will make their home until their new home is finished at Victoria.

C. F. Landrum has had another operation at Temple. He is reported doing nicely.

Allen Sturdivant and wife from San Diego, Cal. was here visiting his parents, J. T. Sturdivant and wife.

Wallace Jones went to Abilene to attend the Presbytery Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Short Dible and family from Colo., was here visiting Thomas Sturdivant and family over the weekend.

Sam Beaver and wife were here visiting friends and relatives Sunday.

Giles Wehler from Jettison was here visiting her children the past week. Mrs. Weldon Gotcher and Billie Joe Browning.

Albert Noel and son Curtis Noel, Soliver, Morley and Zach Browning all went to Bronco last week hunting. They also visited Jim Springfield and other well there.

Mr. Zach Browning is returning back to Wm. Reamont General

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L. Guy Ament, Minister

Easter Sunday, next Sunday, we will have a Sun-Rise Prayer meeting. The time will be 6:30 a.m. It will be open to every one. Come with a prayer. The day will mean a lot to you. Come in the Spirit of the Master. Be on time. Come in quietly and have in the same manner. Let the thoughts presented remain in your heart all the day.

Regular services at 11 a.m. Special music and messages for the occasion. Be happy on this resurrection day, let joy fill your heart.

hospital where he will receive medical treatment.

The trustee election was like this. Meet S. Jones 22; Cullen Tombs, 32; Jack Martin, 22; Buford Browning, 13; and Clay Reeder 5.

Douglas Lovender and Oren Johnston went to Amarillo Sunday visiting their brother Harvey Johnson and family.

Gwendine Landrum and Janette Landrum was here from Lubbock visiting over the week end.

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Phonograph News

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Corley spent a part of their week-end in Bogie county with their son Benny Corley and family.

Dr. and Mrs. N. C. Leiber visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sims Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Jennings is visiting her father H. W. Johns in Gottswalt. Mr. Johns is ill.

Mrs. J. C. Ross and son Billy and Dorothy Jean Boren of Lubbock visited relatives here Sunday.

Delmer Doss of Spur has been visiting his parents the A. J. Dyesses. He returned home Thursday.



Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dyess and Shirley Ruth returned with him and spent the day.

Mrs. Atwood from Lubbock is here visiting and is going to stay with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Boren for awhile.

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Scary Annual Singing Convention Will Be Held In Fluvanna 28

County Sunday, April 28, the Scary County Singing Convention will convene in Fluvanna, and plans have been made for one of the biggest gatherings ever to attend the event.

According to information from M. O. (Jack) Patrick, president of the association, a fine program will be waiting for those who attend. Dinner will be on the ground, and everyone who can is urged to bring a well-filled basket.

Singers are also urged to bring their Stamp Quartet song books, or Stamp-Books books, and to invite friends to come with them. Singers are expected to be on hand from Sugar, Mason, Calmes, Nolan, Sweetwater, Roscoe, and probably other towns. Other communities and towns are urged to send singers if it can be arranged.

Merit System Exams To Be In Lubbock

The Merit System Council has announced open competitive examinations to be held in various cities throughout the State on May 11. Examinations for this area will be given in Lubbock, and applications must be received in the State office by April 23.

Examinations will cover the following positions: junior claims examiner, claims interviewer, field worker, child welfare worker, clerk, junior stenographers, apprentice clerk, clerk typist, and bookkeeping machine operators.

Applications blanks can be obtained by writing: The Merit System Council, 808 Tribune Building, Austin, Texas.

The general public has been invited to attend the all-day convention. Mrs. Alma Patrick, its secretary.

SAFETY CAMPAIGN

(From Page 1, Section 2) accidents involving worn-out equipment have more than doubled. After the end of gas rationing, most drivers began cutting loose, and it has brought the death toll to a sad figure. The five months following the termination of gas rationing, traffic accidents jumped 36 percent.

"Just check your memory," Best admonished; "you can call to mind probably more than one acquaintance or friend, or perhaps a relative that has been victim. Don't you think as much of the safety of other acquaintances and friends? Sure!"

"By heeding the warning now, you can help the International Association of Chiefs of Police, and our home county, in their efforts to stop this slaughter."

Starting on May 15th and continuing for at least 6 weeks, the police of the United States and Canada will conduct the Traffic Safety Check program. The program will stress the absolute necessity for safe driving practices and for keeping automobiles in the best possible mechanical condition. During the program, police officers will check the brakes, lights, tires, windshield wipers and horns of all cars involved in accidents or traffic violations. Drivers with defective cars will be admonished to have repairs made immediately.

Your advertising can help make this much needed program a success in Scurry County—and, at the same time, promote good will for yourself.

Use of Phosphates in Pastures Studied At A.&M.

Phosphates applied to pastures in the central and eastern parts of Texas caused a considerable increase in the percentage of phosphoric acid in many of the pasture grasses, according to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Relative increase in the percentage of this essential element, however, was found to vary widely with different soils, grasses, grades of growth and season.

The station is releasing findings of a study, "Effect of Phosphates Upon the Percentage of Phosphoric Acid in Pasture Grasses," which was made by J. F. Udege, chief, Division of Chemistry, and R. R. Lancaster, Extension pasture specialist. This research consisted of analyzing samples of grasses, principally Bermuda and carpet grasses, secured at different seasons over a three-year period by county agricultural agents from phosphated and unphosphated pastures where demonstration work is being conducted in co-operation with the Tennessee Valley Authority. In most instances, phosphated areas received 100 pounds of phosphoric acid per acre from either 46 per cent superphosphate or calcium metaphosphate.

Findings reported in the current body—Progress Report 996—are in essential agreement with those secured in other phosphate studies conducted recently by the station. These are Bulletin 1872, "The Value of Different Phosphates for Various Texas Soils and Grasses as Indicated by Pot Experiments;" Bulletin 1873, "Yield, Chemical Analysis and Fertilizer Response of Eleven Grasses;" and Progress Report 993, "Effect of Large Amounts of Phosphates Upon Field and Composition of Grasses."

YES, THERE'S SOME BLUEBONNETS



BLUEBONNETS are on the bloom in Texas and Marlin, where they grow in all their glory, is set for its annual Texas Bluebonnet photo fiesta, April 13-14. The Marlin Camera Club, sponsor of the fiesta, expects a record crowd. Fields of bluebonnets and pretty girls to pose as models, as pictured above are promoted amateur camera fans. (AP-Photo.)

LIONS' DINNER CHANGES HOUR

The Snyder Lions club digressed from the regular noon luncheon last Tuesday and changed the time to Tuesday night in order to have the guests of the "Cowhands" as the Snyder Lions Club and their wives with a musical program.

The "Cowhands" came from where the "West Is" dressed colorfully in rodeo costumes. Their musical program included a trio with Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Stone playing violins and Mr. Gardner accompanying them on the piano. They gave several selections, including "The Hungarian Rhapsody."

The organization consists of Dr. Harry Logan, director; Sen. Pat Bullock playing the xylophone; Virgil Morgan playing the mandolin; Oscar Smith with the guitar; Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Gardner playing violins; and Mrs. Gardner playing the cello.

A quartet composed of Gardner, Bullock, Morgan and Smith sang two numbers, and Gardner played the solo.

The entire orchestra played "Home, On The Range," "Easter Parade," and other numbers which made a very enjoyable program. "Snyder Lions are indeed grateful to the Colorado City people for such a splendid evening of entertainment and extend them an invitation for a return engagement very shortly," says Len N. T. Underwood.

School Trustees Are Elected Saturday

John Staveland and George Brunley were elected precinct trustees from districts one and two respectively in Saturday's School Trustee election.

School trustees for whom election returns were not in at the time of the last issue are: Ghina Grove, G. C. Cox; Woodard, Nathan Wade; and Fluvanna, Charles Tombs, Mert Jones and Jack Martin.

RECEIVES WORD GRANDSON IS MARRIED IN LOUISVILLE

Mrs. J. C. Maxwell has received the announcement of the marriage of her grandson, Dr. John B. Maxwell to Miss Barbara Jenkins of Louisville, Kentucky.

Dr. Maxwell, who received his medical degree in March, is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxwell.

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AP HISTORY

(From Page 1, Section 2) should be written upon verified facts without bias or partisan color. This has become the accepted principle for news-writing by all American newspapers.

In 1900 The Associated Press re-incorporated under New York law. One of the incorporators was the late Col. A. H. Belo of Dallas. In that year the organization had 612 newspapers on its membership list and approximately 30,000 miles of telegraph wire were under lease for the distribution of news.

By 1920, after the close of the World War the association pointed to a membership roll of 1,181 and to a total of 65,000 miles of leased wires for news distribution. In that decade the automatic high speed typesetters began to supplant the older Morse telegraph circuits in most cities, increasing the ever-quickening pace of news distribution.

The Associated Press continued its growth until now, operating on a budget of more than \$1,000,000 monthly, it serves more than 2,500 newspapers and radio stations the world over.

The first AP dispatch to a Texas newspaper trickled in over a tottering telegraph wire shortly before the turn of the century. This abbreviated service continued for more than a decade. In 1910 the first Texas branch was established in Dallas, and the association's Texas system rapidly expanded to the State's four boundaries. The Scurry County Times joins 80 other newspapers in maintaining the most extensive state service in the association. Bureaus are maintained in Dallas and Austin. The personnel is made up of experienced reporters and editors, some drawn from member newspapers.

In addition to the news supplied by the Texas membership and gathered by staff reporters, about 300 correspondents file by telegraph or telephone news of the small communities. One of the officers of The Associated Press is Houston Harte, publisher of the San Antonio Standard-Times. A former director, he is now vice-president.

Thousands of newspaper reporters the world over work for The Times, because The Times is a member of The Associated Press. Bureaus are maintained in the great news centers across the nation. Besides the AP's own staff of hundreds of trained newspapermen and women, there are the staffs of member newspapers also contributing to the great task of reporting the news of the day because each member paper as a part of its membership privilege

provides the news of its area to the association.

Main trunk wires radiate the United States, touching points in each state; other news wires connect the smaller cities.

In recent years the development of photography and the perfection of methods by which pictures could be printed made newspaper readers and editors alike picture-conscious.

When Kent Cooper became general manager of the AP in 1925 he saw that pictures had become as much a matter of routine as written words in the field of news. The Associated Press quickly set up a photo service to collect and distribute the news pictures as the organization had been collecting and distributing news stories. As pictures became more popular, newspaper readers wanted to see pictures of news events at the same time they read the written accounts. Telegraph Associated Press sought means to speed delivery of pictures, to make it possible to publish pictures along with the news.

The problem was solved in 1925 when The Associated Press began operation of its Wirephoto network and became the first news organization to send news pictures by wire parallel with the news.

As a further function The Associated Press supplies its members with a complete feature service, comprising news photos, news feature stories with illustrations, comic strips and news cartoons.

Robert McLean, publisher of the Philadelphia Bulletin, is president of The Associated Press. He succeeded Frank B. Noyes, publisher of the Washington Star, who retired a few years ago after serving 30 years as head of the association.

The general headquarters of The AP are in The Associated Press Building, Rockefeller Center, New York City—the most modern press association plant in the world.

The news room of the New York office and other bureaus operate 24 hours a day, pouring a volume of more than 250,000 words daily into newspaper offices from coast to coast—items of state, national and international importance, sports news, human interest bits of universal appeal, a daily cross-section of the world's activities.

Aaron Hartman of Jal, N. M., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Roxie Hartman, and his little son, Don. He is working in Jal with the El Paso Natural Gas Company.

Mrs. George Hart and two children of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alvey of Coleman visited their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Evans of Snyder.

Tennis Tourney Held At Tech April 13-14

Texas Technological College held its annual tennis tournament April 13th and 14th. Patsy Hardee and Lucille Sorrells, both Scurry County girls, were champions in girls doubles of this eventful affair.

Patsy Hardee, a graduate of Ira High school, participated in a county tennis tournament when she was a Freshman, district when a Sophomore, and regional when a senior. Lucille Sorrells, when a Junior, entered regional from Ira as Miss Hardee's partner; and when a Senior, she represented Snyder in singles at regional. Miss Sorrells is a 1935 graduate of Snyder High school.

Miss Hardee, an English major, and Miss Sorrells, a Home Economics major, take active part in the Women's Recreational Association, a club which promotes girls athletics on the Tech campus.

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HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

By Estella Rabel, Scurry County Home Demonstration Agent

Bison Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Ed Murphy April 11 at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lloyd Murphy gave a program on India.

"India has very good rich soil which is just now beginning to come into use, because people over there have been too ignorant to make progress in anything.

A missionary from England induced a young college professor to go there who has made some great improvements in that country, directing the building of hospitals, and schools; greatly reducing the leprosy deaths, etc.

The Indians on account of their religion could not be persuaded to make great strides in beef production, because their white cattle were sacred to them. They would not allow them to be killed or butchered. In the dairy line though this professor achieved successful improvement."

Mrs. Rabel then added a few words saying that India was the country that was "just in the making." The late Mahatma Gandhi had been a very much beloved man. He was very rich, but his sympathy for the poor was so great that he lived their kind of a life instead of as the usual rich man.

Mrs. A. R. Fowler's part on the program was arrangement of pictures since Mrs. Collins who could not be there had turned her part over to Mrs. Fowler.

"Family photographs should be hung in bed rooms. Pictures should

have simple frames and should go with other house furnishings." "To make a living or dining room most attractive," said Mrs. Nolan von Roeder. "It must have one very large glass or window to give full view of the outside."

Miss Rabel figured that a hardwood floor 12'x12" was several dollars cheaper than an inlaid linoleum covered floor same size.

Also Miss Rabel stressed the use of semisart treatment on seeds. After business was over a shower was given to Mrs. Curtis, the former Mae Davis. Mesdames Melton Davis and Clint Sellars who served as hostesses passed refreshments to the following:

Mrs. Estella Rabel, and Ertis Davis, Mesdames C. C. Sellars, Ella Richter, Bernhard Bartels, Ed Murphy, T. J. Sterling, Loyd Murphy, Ross Hudleston, A. R. Fowler, Nolan von Roeder, Gilmer Davis Sr., Marshall Davis, Melton Davis and Jim Sorrells.

Rev. Fox to Preach

Elder Willie Fox of Amarillo, will preach at the Primitive Baptist church in Snyder Saturday night at 7:30 and Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

The public is cordially invited to hear Rev. Fox at these two services.

County Home Demonstration council will meet Saturday, in the agent's office at 3:00 p.m.

Committee chairmen and members will meet at 2:30 to plan reports.

I Give You Texas

BY BOYCE HOUSE

For years, I have broken out into a sweat when the dentist began drilling on one of my teeth—but decently, he drilled and I smiled sweetly. The ravages of time had made a bridge necessary and he was drilling on the bridge while holding it in his hand.

I can understand the sentiment of the cowboy who had a tooth pulled and said he wanted to keep it in a glass and look at it and say, "Now, ache, darn yuh!"

Traveling over Texas: Bluebonnets seem earlier than usual this year; saw my first ones just north of Ennis on April 2. . . . Little lambs along the hillsides in Coleman and Runtell counties . . .

Just out of Athens, beside the highway, a big dogwood tree, with thousands of blossoms; and near Rusk a thicket against a hill with so many dogwoods in bloom that the trees looked as though they were sprinkled with snow. . . . Approaching Jacksonville, plumes of smoke hovering over a valley at twilight; they came from burning sawdust piles and were held low by the damp air; fresh sawdust burning has a fragrance of its own.

South of Alto, the Neches was in semi-flood and a house on stilts was surrounded by water. Seated on the porch was an old Negro, unconcernedly reading a newspaper. . . . Judge Hal Leaverton, who was mayor in Breckenridge, and then county judge of Gregg county, is now living at Carthage. . . . Timpanon was probably the smallest town in the United States (about 1,500 inhabitants) with a daily paper; the daily was discontinued, however, a year ago after 43 years. . . . A sign in Stephenville, "If you are too busy to go to church, you are too busy."

The only sea voyage I ever took was to Catalina Island, off the coast of Los Angeles. True, the distance was only 25 miles but the ship's deck developed quite an angle at times and walking wasn't easy.

The craggy island rises high from the sea, presenting a sight familiar to movie-goers for it has furnished the background of many a saga of the ocean—shipwrecks, marooning of sailors and hunts for pirate treasure; and it has been the locale for many an idyl of a South Sea isle.

On the way, you see flying fish. There are many beautiful homes—including the one that belonged to novelist Zane Gray—scattered on the precipitous slopes, which are clad in shaggy, green bushes. Then there is a drive over the island and from the crest, you look down upon what seems a toy village, and creamy waves, incredibly little, break against a miniature shore.

But none of these constituted the most memorable feature of Catalina Island, which by the way is owned by William Wrigley, the chewing

gum magnate, and he spent millions of dollars in the original purchase and in its beautification.

Nor was the most vivid experience the ride in the glass-bottomed boat, though you saw many marvelous ferns and flowers growing in the water and fish of many kinds glided at your feet and stared at you with their big eyes; and, as the climax, the diver went overboard and you beheld him far below, on the bed of the sea, and after what seemed a minute, he started back to the surface with a big shell in his hand.

No, the most remarkable thing about the island, and it was literally "about" the island, was the water that lapped its shores, water not blue but actually purple—so rich in hue that it looked as though it had been dyed; but of course that could not be for it stretched far out to meet at last the baby-blue of the arching sky, which was dimpled with clouds.

You'd like Catalina Island.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Winston Sherwood, area supervisor for the State Department of Public Welfare, was in Snyder, Tuesday, at the local Welfare office.

Scott Casey is recovering nicely from an appendectomy which he underwent April 3, at the Snyder General Hospital.

Mrs. Dick Randall and daughter Mary Ann, and Mesdames E. E. Wallace Jr. and Sr., made a business trip to Lubbock last Thursday.

Explains Fertilizer For Plant Raising

Since the problem of what commercial fertilizer to use on which vegetables often arises, J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist for the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, offers the following suggestions on the subject:

Commercial fertilizers that are available from most seed stores are 4-12-4, 5-10-5, and 6-8-4. For leafy vegetables such as lettuce, mustard, kale and spinach, Mr. Rosborough advises 6-8-4 because the higher percentage of nitrogen will stimulate rapid growth of the foliage. For root crops such as beets, carrots, radishes, and turnips, a 4-12-4 mixture is probably best. For tomatoes and peppers, as well as eggplant, a 5-10-5 mixture is recommended. If only one fertilizer is to be used for all vegetables, a 5-10-5 will be the best choice.

In applying fertilizer, the proper rate is five pounds per 144 feet of row space. The fertilizer should be thoroughly mixed with the soil before the seed are planted. Where vegetables already have been planted, fertilizer may be used as a side dressing. In side dressing, take the corner of the hoe and open the furrow three to four inches deep on either side of the young growing vegetables. Sprinkle the fertilizer in the furrow, then mix it with the soil and refill the furrow. To make cucumbers "grow like magic," a side dressing of 5-10-5 will do the job.

After the plants have begun to grow and have reached the height of 12 to 18 inches, a second furrow toward the ends of the runners with an application of three to four pounds additional fertilizer will keep them coming.

Ira News

Bessie Randolph, Correspondent

Our community received a sandstorm from the north Monday.

Mrs. Irene Ried of Millersand, New Mexico spent part of last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Carruthers.

Visitors Friday and Saturday in the D. E. Clark and Sam Smallwood homes were Mrs. Roxie Duce of Abilene, J. W. Waldrip of Midland and Mrs. G. L. Aubry of Snyder. Rev. O. D. Dial of Rotar, filled his regular appointment: at the Church of Christ Sunday and Sunday night. He was accompanied by his wife and son O. D. Jr., and were guests at the noon hour in the T. P. Bryce home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bussey and Lois White of Big Spring visited in the J. Z. Carruthers home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jay Gentry and sons and Mrs. Bill Burdick and daughters of Dallas arrived Saturday for an extended visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore of Odessa spent the weekend in the Amil Kruse home.

Mrs. Marie Kruse spent Sunday afternoon with her father A. J. Carnes of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Clark and son Kelton attended the birthday dinner of her father C. C. James of Snyder.

We are sorry to report Uncle John Taylor back in bed after a fall. We wish him a speedy recovery. Pfc J. C. Kelley arrived home Saturday for a 60 day furlough after seven months in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eades and son Mackey of Sweetwater spent Sunday in the W. E. Eades home.

Mrs. Ruby Eades was hostess at her home for a birthday dinner honoring her father, H. G. Moore of Snyder.

We regret to lose from our midst Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kelley and children who are moving to Decatur. We wish them good luck in their new home.

Rev. Hutchings of Big Spring filled the pulpit at the church of God Friday night. He was accompanied by a few young people from the Big Spring congregation.

A. L. Halley of Odessa spent Monday afternoon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Holley.

Mrs. W. O. Webb surprised her daughter Mrs. B. P. Eades with a supper Friday night honoring her 25 birthday. Birthday cake and ice cream with trimmings were served.

Mrs. Tessie Mae Walling spent the weekend with her daughter-in-law Mrs. J. R. Walling and baby daughter of Merkel.

Rev. C. D. McEntire will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brinkley of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bishop Saturday. They all enjoyed fishing and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mishert.

Flo Etta Howard who is working at Midland spent this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. James and son Joe of Snyder spent Thursday with their daughter Mrs. J. C. Clark and family.

The pie supper and musical was a great success Friday night. The pies brought \$95. The proceeds will go for Junior and Senior banquets.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sutterfield and daughters accompanied by Virgil Brumit returned Thursday from Kerrville, where they visited their son and brother, Pvt. Vern Sutterfield who is stationed at Ft. Sam Houston.

We are glad to report Mrs. Garnett Kelley able to be back at home

STAFFERS BACK ON A. & M. JOB

Four members of the staff of the department of agronomy of Texas A. and M. College have returned, according to announcement of Dr. Luther G. Jones, acting head of the department.

Newest member of the staff is Dr. Carl E. Ferguson, a specialist in soil fertility. He received his doctor's degree from the University of Missouri in 1941 and spent three years in the Army. He taught at the American Army University at Biarritz, France.

Lieut. Col. L. M. Thompson, in service since 1942, has rejoined the staff and his specialty is soil mapping, soil conservation and pedology. He will work on his Ph. D. degree this fall.

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Major Larne C. Chapman has returned after an absence of four years with the Army Air Forces, engaged in training of pilots and other Air Force personnel.

after several days in the Snyder general hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Sunday visitors in the T. P. Bryce home were Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Dial of Rotan, Mrs. James Israel and baby of Seagraves and Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Lilly and children of Ira.

We are sorry to report W. O. Webb on our sick list this week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Doyle, Bobby and Glenna Faye Newton spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Baird and son Robert, returned to their home in Redlands California after an extended visit in the Fred Price and Roy Chapman homes.

James Perry Echols who is attending Texas Tech Lubbock spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Echols.

The C. C. James home in North Snyder was a scene of a family reunion and birthday dinner honoring Mr. James on his 62 birthday.

Birthday cake and all the trimmings were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil James and sons of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford James and sons of Union, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williamson and sons of Turner, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Camp and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark and son Kelton of Ira; Joe and J. C. James, Mrs. C. C. James and the honoree. All departed in the afternoon wishing him many more happy birthdays.

Host To Third Sunday Singing

Snyder Church of Christ, 25th Street and Avenue O, will be host to the third Sunday singing beginning at three o'clock April 21. All members and friends of the churches of Christ in Scurry County and surrounding communities are extended a cordial invitation to have a part in this special service. Visitors are expected from several towns outside this county, and an inspirational hour is anticipated.

Winnie Garner made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

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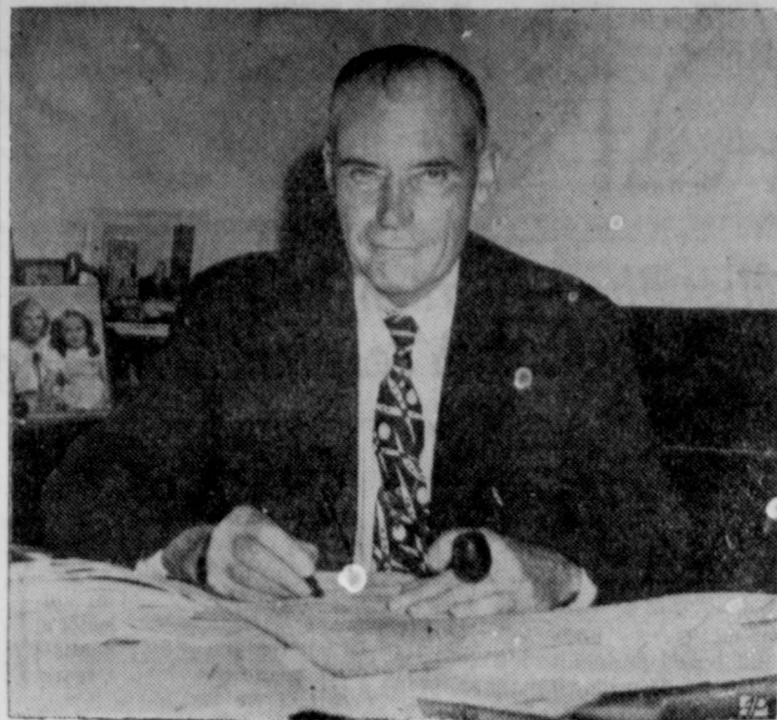
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Case No. 2. Jess Robinson and his brother Cleo, Future Farmers who are also of Quail, enrolled in vocational agriculture and for a while it seemed that the family could not provide them with projects but finally their father decided that they

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ROUND-UP ON FOOD CANNING

Home canning is just as necessary and just as important this summer as it was any summer during the war, according to Esetta Rabel, home demonstration agent.

Having known shortages of equipment in the past, many of you are probably asking what supplies will be available. Miss Rabel has given the following report concerning supplies:

First, the prospect for canners is good. Aluminum is fairly plentiful and the enamelware industry is running well above its pre-war production. With these in good supply, it follows that you should have no trouble in getting a pressure canner or a waterbath canner.

As for jars and tops, the stocks on hand are greater than at any time during the war or before the war.

Rubber rings will also be plentiful, and they'll probably be better quality rings than during the war. Somewhat more natural rubber is being used in the rings at present.

Now about jars. Miss Rabel urges you to use glass jars for your home canning this year. The supply of tin for cans continues to be scarce, and the chances are you will be unable to get tin cans for your home canning.

Sugar supplies remain short, but you can use spare ration stamp number 9 to get sugar for home canning any time between now and October 31. Only one additional stamp for home canning sugar will be issued this year. But the prospect is that you will be able to get up to 10 pounds of sugar for home canning for each person in your household. You can put up a lot of good fruit with that much sugar, Miss Rabel says.

With the need for food in the world so great, every home canner will want to put up her family's share in 1946, Miss Rabel concludes.

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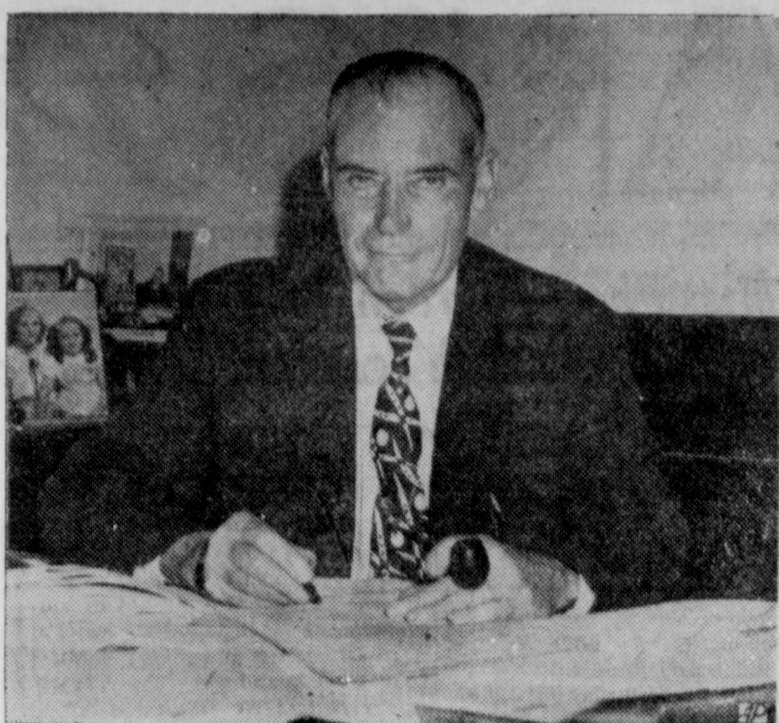
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Case No. 1. Pete Dowell who lives one mile south of Quail, a boy interested in agriculture enrolled in vocational agriculture his freshman year in high school. His dad was a salaried man but had a small place where Pete could keep a pig, and some pigs for pork production, or lambs for mutton, so he began his project work with a sow pig, and twelve lambs for mutton. His father continued to feed and clothe him and pay his expenses through high school though he doubted if he could send him and his sister to college at the same time. If Pete could make enough on his projects and summer work to pay his own way pay the daughter's expense and through college the family could both would be enabled to go to college at the same time. Pete and the agriculture teacher believed that it might be done and went to work. At the end of the second year he had made \$201.00 and had it all in cash. He got an opportunity to rent eighty acres of land which he did and borrowed enough more money to buy some work stock and make a crop. By the time he graduated from high school he had five hundred dollars in cash, and four head of work stock, a few cows, hogs and sheep all paid for. He had done such a good job farming that it was no trouble for him to secure more land which he did. He used his five hundred dollars to go to college his first year and his dad took care of his livestock while he was away. After he rented a section of land, more than five hundred fifty acres of which is in cultivation, some dealers sold him a tractor on time, and the local bank loaned him money enough to pay the farm hand and other operating expenses. He now has 135 acres of cotton, 300 acres of grain sorghum, and 70 acres of cane, besides sudan and cow pea pasture for his live stock and expects to make all payments; and have money to pay for his sophomore year in college. He believes that he will be able to pay all his own college expenses and establish himself in farming at the same time. His long-time farming program calls for a tractor, four mares and colts, eight head of registered cows and registered herd bull, five registered sows, and five hundred laying hens all paid for when he graduates from college.

Case No. 2. Jess Robinson and his brother Cleo, Future Farmers who are also of Quail, enrolled in vocational agriculture and for a while it seemed that the family could not provide them with projects but finally their father decided that they

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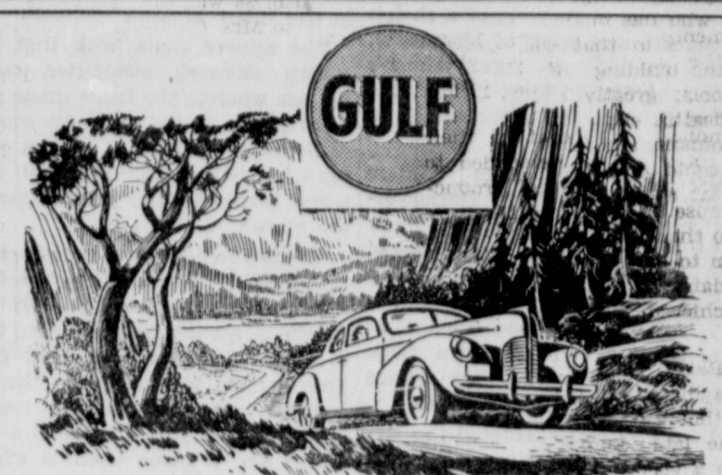
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The WOMAN'S Page



Texas Today

Thousands of reprints of a sketch of the life and work of Maggie W. Barry, specialist in rural women's work who died in May, 1945, at the age of 63 will be distributed to Texas women.

The sketch, by John Williams Rogers, appeared in the Spring issue of the *Southwest Review*.

Mrs. Barry, with a long record of leadership as a teacher and extension service at College Station in 1918, on six months' leave from Kidd-Key College, but her service lasted 27 years until her death.

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Every American homemaker owes a debt to Mrs. Barry for the dissemination of rural womanhood. Until Mrs. Barry, the Department of the United States census was not taken in the home and the home was not considered an important part of the national life. Mrs. Barry's work was so successful that the census was taken in the home and the home was considered an important part of the national life.

U. OF T. SWEETHEART



Norma Stratton (above) of Sulphur Springs, a senior student with red hair and green eyes, was chosen by the University of Texas student body as campus sweetheart. She was chosen from an original field of 15 candidates; narrowed to five in a runoff. (AP Photo.)

Miss Pherba Jordan, Bride Elect, Honored With Tea Monday Evening

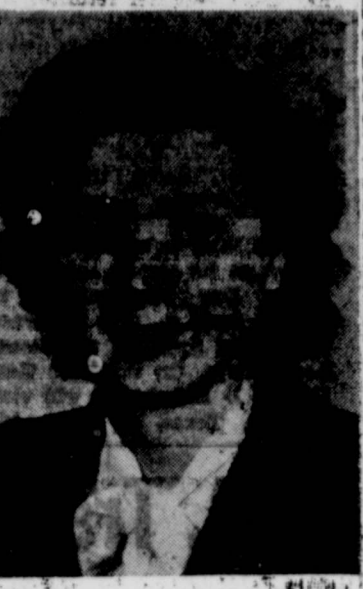
A tea, honoring Miss Pherba Jordan, bride elect of Max H. Williams of Lubbock, was given in the home of Mrs. J. W. Boren, 2112 S. 11th St., Monday evening.

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EASTER BRIDE



KAY PINKSTON

Mrs. Katherine Pinkston of Corsicana, Texas, announces the wedding of her daughter, Kay, to Mr. Elmer Ellsworth Folk of Lubbock, ceremony to be read in St. John's Episcopal Church of Corsicana at 5:00 p.m. Easter Sunday, April 21, 1946.

Miss Pinkston is a graduate of Texas Technological College at Lubbock and Mr. Folk will receive his degree from the same school in August.

Miss Pinkston has been employed as a staff writer for the Scurry County Times for the past two months, resigning her position this week.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock following a honeymoon trip planned for the next two weeks.

Sidney Mae Webb Married To Alan Jarred April 13

Sidney Mae Webb and Alan Jarred were united in marriage, April 13 at 3:30 p.m. The marriage ceremony was held in the Methodist parsonage with Rev. O. B. Herring officiating, using the ring ceremony.

Mrs. Jarred is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gray I. Webb of Ira. She is a graduate of Snyder High School and attended a Beauty Culture school in Abilene. For the past year Sidney Mae has been employed in Abilene, near Abilene.

Alan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarred of Monument, New Mexico. He served 24 months in our armed forces in Iceland and Norway, and since his discharge has been employed with the Halliburton Co. of Abilene, New Mexico.

The bride wore a printed Bemberg sheer with brown accessories. She carried a small white Bible. For something old and blue a handkerchief, a string of pearls for something borrowed, and for something new a ring, a gift of the bridegroom.

The wedding attendants were Elaine Grayley and Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb, Jr.

The couple left Sunday for Abilene, where they will make their home.

Baugh-Smith Wedding

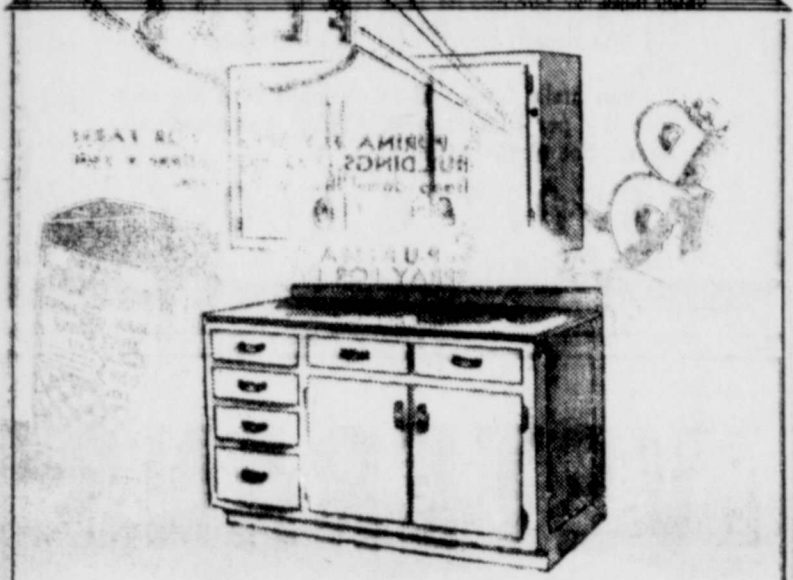
Miss Wilma Baugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Baugh of Rockwood, and James L. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith of Dermott, were married April 3, at the home of Rev. Hugh B. Warner.

Attending the couples were Gladys Grayson and Bill Grayson of Rockwood.

After the ceremony the couple left for Rockwood to spend a few days with the bride's parents.

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Wesleyan Guild Met Monday

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist church met Monday in the home of Mrs. L. O. Bynum. There were seven members and one guest present for the meeting.

Mrs. T. W. Pollard, president, called the meeting to order. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and financial report, a brief discussion of impending business and future plans was held.

Mrs. Tom DeShazo led the opening prayer. The devotionals were given by Miss Oletta Mitchell, who chose as her scripture, Mark 12: 28-34. Mrs. Bynum then directed the discussion of chapter four of "The Cross Over Africa."

After adjourning the business meeting, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Next meeting of the guild will be held May 6, in the home of Mrs. Roy Thurston. Business and professional women are cordially invited.

with varying degrees of success and failure. With this explanation, you will readily see why I should have found my work and my objectives in whatever field I have centered in and around people. If I have contributed anything to agriculture it is a by-product of my interest in people.

Mrs. Vernon G. Young and daughter Annabell spent last week-end with Mr. Young in Midland.

El Flez Club Meets

El Flez Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. I. W. Boren, with 12 members and four guests present.

Four tables of "forty-two" were played and those present were served cake, strawberry whip and ice punch.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. H. L. Wren.

Johnnie William Wemken Jr. was discharged April 11 by the U. S. Naval Personnel Separation center in San Pedro, Calif. He had been in the Navy since Nov. 6, 1943.

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Any variety of winter pear will serve equally well for this recipe. Use the green to creamy-yellow skinned Anjou or Comice or the small russet Nells, whichever your market has available. All are spicy and sweet.

Slightly under-ripe fruit may be used in this pudding, since steaming will complete the ripening cycle. However, for fresh eating, pears must be ripe. The only way to judge is to feel a pear gently. If it yields, it's ripe, regardless of skin color (which in the case of Anjou and Comice may be quite green even after the pears are ripe). Keep only ripe pears in the refrigerator.

You'll win real compliments on this steamed pudding. And it's wonderfully easy to make! Incidentally, try serving it with Spiced Hard Sauce: Blend together 1 cup powdered sugar and 1/4 cup butter or fortified margarine. Add 3/4 teaspoon allspice. M-m-m!

STEAMED PEAR PUDDING

3/4 cup shortening	1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 cup sugar	1 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 cup honey	1/2 tsp. nutmeg
1/2 tsp. vanilla	1/2 tsp. cloves
1/2 cup lemon juice	2 cups chopped fresh pears
1 1/2 cups flour	1 cup lemon juice
1 tsp. double-acting baking soda	1 cup chopped nuts

Cream together shortening, sugar and honey. Add flavorings. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Mix and measure flour. Sift again with baking powder, salt and spices. Peel, core and chop pears. Sprinkle with lemon juice. Add to creamed mixture alternately with dry ingredients. Add chopped nuts. Pour into one greased 3-pound mold or two 1 1/2-pound molds, well-greased. Cover lightly. Steam 2 1/2 to 3 hours, or until done. Serve with spiced or plain hard sauce or whipped cream. Best served warm. Serves 10 to 12.

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Garden Reminders

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If your plants already have been set out and growth is well started,

they should be staked. Make the stakes 4 feet long and drive them firmly into the ground. In the near future, tie the plants to the stakes to support their rapid upright growth.

Concerning other vegetables, Miss Rabel advises not to be in too big a hurry to thin your sweet corn, cucumbers and squash plants. This is also true for leaf lettuce and mustard. Wait until the corn plants are 10 inches in height and you can tell which ones are the most vigorous. This same principle should be applied to all types of thinning. Save the strong ones and pull out the weak. Remember, too, that crowded plants become spindly if left too long competing one against the other.

Check your hot and if these have not already been planted in your garden, plant them at once: sweet corn, squash, cucumbers, cantaloupes, watermelons, and leaf lettuce. Be sure that the next 10 days do not pass without getting these in the ground: green bush beans, bush lima beans, pepper plants, okra, New Zealand spinach, and a second planting of sweet corn, mustard and radish. ZA planting that is made in April will produce fresh green peas in mid to late June.

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Dann News

Mrs. Bama Clark, Correspondent

We have just received a sand storm and norther which lowered the temperature very much.

Mrs. Blake Durham has been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Shied at Snyder, who is suffering with an infected foot. Her daughter, Mrs. Snyder returned home with Mrs. Durham for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallmark of Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent last Thursday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Echols. Their little daughter returned home with them after spending several weeks with her grandparents.

Miss Pauline McCormack who has been nursing in the Snyder general hospital has accepted a position in the Police Hospital at Lufkin. Pauline was raised in this community. We wish her much success in her new home.

Mrs. Eulene Koch of Lubbock, spent several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Blake Duram.

Mrs. A. J. Hooks and son Jay of Buford were Monday night visitors of Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Browder and son Bobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Billingsley and Frances of Snyder, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Billingsley. In the afternoon they all visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Blumhagen at Buford. James Perry Nichols who is going to school at Tech in Lubbock, was to visit with Troy Tompson Sunday evening.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Denson were Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Denson and Mrs. Billie Jo Brown of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Lavella Brown and son Bobby of Snyder.

Mrs. Jim Aubrey of Ira was a Sunday visitor with Mrs. T. J. Tompson. Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Browder were at Buford Sunday where they filled the pulpit Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Aubrey of Midland spent Sunday in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Astley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Russell were in Colorado City Monday.

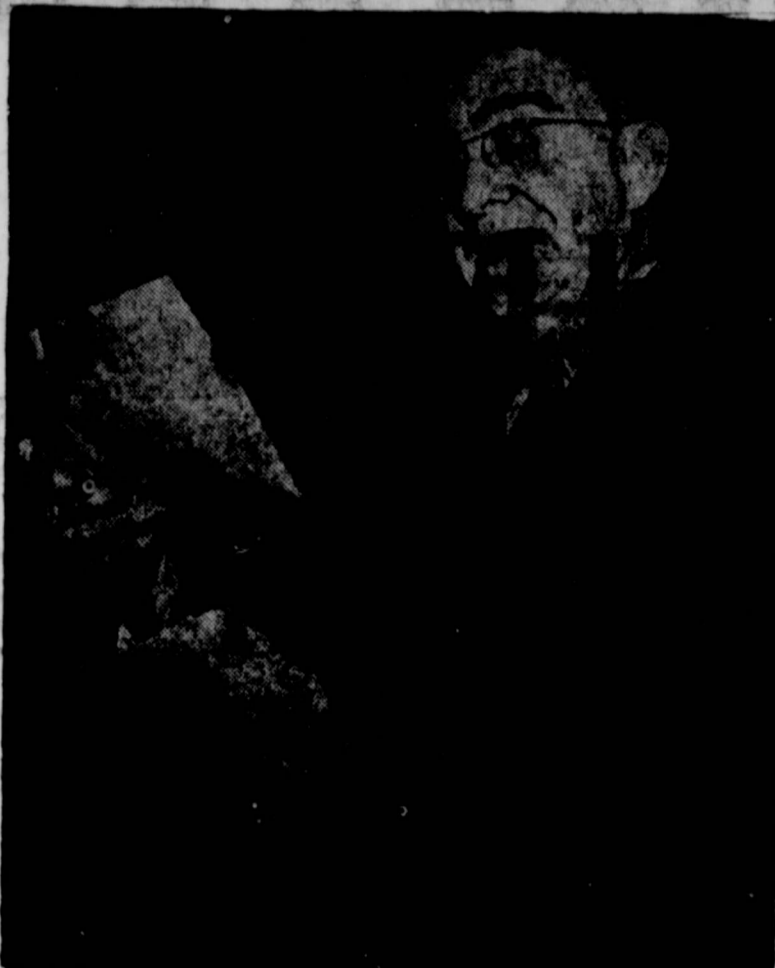
Mrs. V. S. Summerford arrived home this week. He has recently received his discharge from service.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Murphy had as their guest his sister, Mrs. Geo. Wilson of San Angelo and sister-in-law, Mrs. J. M. Murphy of Temple.

Doyle Lay is reported on the sick list. He has the mumps.

Miss Wanda Balding daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Balding became the bride of Floyd W. Hansen of

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S. J. Littlepage in Past Three Months

Mr. S. J. Littlepage has been in the past three months. His condition is not much improved. Out-of-town visitors in their home during the past ten days include each of his two sisters and five brothers: Mrs. L. Stovall of San Antonio; Mrs. A. E. Wood of Big Spring; John and Dewey Littlepage of Ft. Worth; Joe Littlepage of Arlington; P. S. Littlepage of Dallas; Mrs. Littlepage of Weatherford; Mrs. Miss Opal and Mary Littlepage of Ft. Worth; Mrs. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Littlepage and daughters Dorothy and Cleo of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Theo Wood and Mrs. Lillie Ham of San Diego, California; Mrs. Gertrude Head of Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Durward Head, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Witterding and Mrs. Virgil Teague of Milleshoe; Mrs. J. P. Collins and Vanita Sue of Austin, who will remain for awhile.

Reginald Balding, brother of the bride was best man and Mrs. P. W. Balding mother of the bride was the bridesmaid.

Rev. R. O. Browder read the single ring ceremony. The bride wore a suit of heavenly blue wool with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of sweet heart roses.

The bride is a graduate of Colorado City high school. For the past year she has been employed in Miami, Florida. Mr. Hansen is the son of Mrs. H. W. Hansen of Perry, Okla., and is a graduate of Skerton high school. He has recently been discharged from the navy. They will be at home in Perry, Okla.

Last Tuesday Mrs. Blake Durham was hostess for a bridal shower in honor of Mrs. Andy Huddleston who before her marriage was Miss Marie Lewis.

The living room was beautifully decorated with roses and locust blossoms.

After an enjoyable hour the gifts were presented and opened, and admired. She received many nice and useful gifts.

Refreshments of iced tea and hobo cookies were served those present and sent gifts were: Mrs. J. E. Lewis, Mrs. W. H. Huddleston, Blagoe Devers, C. D. Franks, T. J. Fuller, W. J. Fuller, Jackson Ellis, T. A. Echols, Burton Echols, Walter Brown, C. J. Smith, Eulene Koch, J. O. Shied Jr. of Snyder; Mrs. Marion Cockron, of Snyder; Mrs. Lenora Evans of Hermleigh; Mrs. Bobby Huddleston and Mrs. McCracken of Big Springs Mrs. Wright Huddleston Knapp, Mrs. Everett of Water Valley, Mrs. Gray Smith, Mrs. H. M. Blackard, Sam Williams Fred Cotton Houston Cotton, J. T. Sparks, Bama Clark Mark Holmes, D. M. Denson Buddy Crowder, and Miss Joy Brown.

Plainview News

Bobby Corbell, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Lankford and Joy of Ira visited in the Luther Bates home Sunday night. M. J. Bates returned home with them to spend this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard and Letha were in Snyder last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pogue and daughters spent Friday night and Saturday in Merkel with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Toombs and children and Mrs. Pogue, Connie and Elzada.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eicke and children spent Sunday in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parks and Dian.

The Edgar von Roeders had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haswell and Mrs. Meda Bell Smith of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and Ervin Sturgeon of this community.

Rex Woodard of the U. S. Marines left China April 2nd as he has informed his parents. We hope he will be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Toland and son Jimmy who have been visiting her parents the Luther Bates' are now in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ferguson of San Angelo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pitner and son J. P. Jr., visited in the C. L. Corbell home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toombs and family of Pecos visited Sunday in the B. H. Pogue home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Elms of Big Spring visited Sunday in the Raymond Smith home.

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Q. How much rabbit meat can one doe produce annually?
A. In a well managed rabbitry, a doe should raise approximately twenty-five young rabbits that should weigh four pounds in ten weeks, making a total of 100 pounds of rabbit meat per year for one doe.

Q. Is it better to use day-old cockerels or straight-run chicks for broilers?
A. Either may be used, but commercial broiler raisers purchase straight-run chicks, feeling that mixed sexes do well in confinement.

Q. What concentration of DDT is effective in controlling potato pests?
A. A three per cent DDT dust will control the potato leaf hopper, the potato flea beetle, and the potato aphid. DDT in this concentration has no damaging effects on the potato plant.

Q. Why should dairy cows receive a special grain ration during the dry period?
A. High producing cows are unable to consume enough food nutrients to nourish the unborn calf, produce a heavy flow of milk, and keep up their bodies. Therefore, they need a special grain ration, high in minerals and vitamins, during the dry period. Data from the Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company indicate that each pound of condition put on dry Holstein cows means 25 pounds extra milk next lactation period.

Q. How can the weight of dairy animals be determined when scales are not available?
A. A specially developed tape, marked off in pounds, will give a close estimate of the body weight. The tape should be placed around the animal's body directly back of the front legs.

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●● Today you have a double reason for taking good care of your car. You want to keep it rolling and protect your trade-in value! ●● While production of the new Ford is being increased as rapidly as possible, it will be some time before enough new cars are built to supply all who want them. In the meantime, it's a common sense precaution to give your car the best possible care and attention. ●● Your Ford dealer has the skilled mechanics and modern equipment to save you time and money. Right now he can give you fast service. ●● So it's good business to bring your car "home" to your Ford dealer. He knows your car best—uses genuine Ford parts—and gives you friendly, dependable service. Remember—Ford's out in front in service, too!

Ford

Cantrell Motor Company
YOUR AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER
Snyder, Texas
Phone 466

PURINA PLANT FOOD
Complete ration for lawns, trees, shrubs, gardens, and flowers.

IT IS A FOOD FOR YOUR PLANTING NEEDS

PURINA GARDEN DUST
An Effective Insecticide and Fungicide

Kills many insects on contact, kills chewing insects by stomach poison. Prevents certain fungus diseases.

Winston Feed Store
PURINA CHOWS
Food — Hay — Coal — Salt
Phone 406

HOW TO CONTROL FLIES

1. PURINA FLY SPRAY FOR FARM BUILDINGS. Two applications a year keep down flies in the barn.

2. PURINA FLY SPRAY FOR DAIRY CATTLE. Should flies come into the barn on the cows, this quickly kills and repels them.

FOR FARM FUN AND MUSIC
Tune in on Purina's OPRY HOUSE MATINEE
Your Mutual Station 12:00-1:30 CST. — 1:00-1:30 EST.

The CHURCHES of SNYDER

and SCURRY COUNTY COMMUNITIES

Invite You to
Come to Church Easter



For generations before the crucifixion of Jesus Christ, the cross was an emblem of sorrow, pain and death. After the glorious demonstration of Christ over this cross by His resurrection on Easter Sunday, it became, to those who believed, the symbol of life abundant and eternal.

Today, Christ, the great burden bearer, brings hope for the future . . . that all may know the peace that accompanies faith in Him. Accept his invitation, "Come unto me all ye that are heavy laden and I will give you rest," by attending the church of your choice on Easter Sunday.

- Hugh Boren & Son Insurance Agency
- Snyder Abstract & Title Co.
J. V. Robinson
- King & Brown Refrigeration and Appliances
"Our Business Is to Keep You Cool"
- Don Robinson Tractor Co.
- Cozy Corner Cafe
- John Keller Furniture Co.
- G. I. Joe Cafe
- Western Auto Associate Store

- Joe Brown Grocery
- McClinton & Noble
- J. C. Penny Co.
- Stinson Drug
- J. J. Dyer Jewelry
- Spears-Louder-Deffebach
- Schooling Motor Co.
- Burton Lingo Co.
- Sterling Taylor
Realtor
- D. & H. Auto Supply

- Bryant & Sons Service Station
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- Cochran Grocery
- Von Roeder Seed Farm
- Bynum Produce
- Snyder Auto Supply
- Pitner Grocery
- Lee Home & Auto Supply
- The Fair Store
- Holcomb Insurance Agency

- Sunshine Grocery
- Odom Funeral Home
- Farm Supply Store
- Tate & Stanley Cabinet Shop
- Snyder Drug
- H. L. Wren Hardware
- Pierce Barber Shop
- Army Store
- Denson Chemical Co.
- Pick & Pay Store