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THE SNYDER NEWS

Scurry County Should Raise More Than 20,000 Bales of Cotton This Year Experts Say

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Scurryly Speaking---

I JUST sit here in the News booth at the Fair and watch the folks filter by. Most of them pass slowly, like molasses in winter time. . . But I like to watch them, no matter their speed. They are all my neighbors, although some of them seem to give me unknowing stares, and I seem to some of them an utter stranger.

This is the most business-like fair I have ever attended.

When visitors pass down the aisles of the exhibit hall, stopping before an intricate piece of handwork or a mouth-watering jar of preserves, they seem to be saying to themselves: "That is good; I believe I'll try it myself."

"I smile as I think of the 11-year-old boy who was feeding his prize calf with handfuls of choice hay. He was profiting from the Fair in a more lasting way than most of the folks I saw. Some day he may be an ideal farmer, diversifying—making the cow, the sow, the hen, and other year-round money-makers pay his bills.

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SOME folks think that fellows who make their livings by causing others to laugh and enjoy life are somewhat apart from ordinary mortals. When the three entertainers at the Fair appeared in street togs they were followed by curious eyes. My eyes followed them, too.

The youngster, whose eyes were wide and blue, and whose skin was girl-like, watched everything around the Fair when he wasn't on duty. I'll bet he got homesick many times Do you suppose "Mirandy" is his father? Perhaps his mother is wondering about him tonight.

The trapeze artist and herder-extraordinary of the bucking Ford wore distinctive clothes, and he had a distinctive way of saying things. He has been caressing bars and doing other stunts for a good many years. His muscles are hard. He says he is more than 50 years old.

The slack wire walker, he of the baggy clothes, looked wrinkled and old off the platform or out of the old Ford. Puffing away on a black cigar, he looks like some of the clowns in story-books, who laugh in public and brood over tragedies in their private hours.

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WHEN I was wandering out among the livestock and their keepers, I talked a while to L. N. Perriman, superintendent of the sheep department, who was one of the pioneers in the Scurry sheep business. "They told me I couldn't raise sheep in this country—that they would lie down and die," he said. Mr. Perriman was always ready to give Fair onlookers a few pointers about the Rambouillets and Delaines.

Those Delaines with crinkly hides, like a rhinoceros, were like some folks who found fault with everything at the Fair, whether they went through the gates or not—all wrinkled up in their skins long before old age had overtaken them.

J. A. J. Jones, one of the "fixers" of the prize winning booth, tells how his community wins the blue ribbon almost every year. "We just prepare what the catalog says to prepare," he explained. "It isn't always the big exhibits that win, for smooth, firm products are better than overly large ones. Some of the other communities had more exhibits because they have had better crops, but they didn't pay enough attention to the catalog, the arrangement, and the exhibits. The Fluvanna exhibit, by the way, has won first place every year the fair has been in progress except one; then Union, which was second this year, was in first place.

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COY Watkins, who is an employe of the Texas Public Utilities Company ice plant, placed a gun on exhibition at the Fair that was used by his grandfather more than 75 years ago.

"That's the first gun I ever shot," said Mr. Watkins, as he passed by the News booth. It was once a rifle, but it was reamed out as a shot gun a good many years ago. The gun was one of the much-looked-at exhibits in the curio section.

J. S. McGlothlin, of the Snyder Music Company, was one of the most consistent "stayers" at the Fair grounds. His booth was visited by piano players of all varieties. To the News booth, just a few feet away, the music, much of it plaintive, far from the fair spirit, trickled delightfully, giving Eloise several trips into day-dream land as she smiled to passersby with a "Have a News!"

Miss Jessie Lee Davis, who goes about her work of teaching farm girls and women what to do and how to do it in such an unassuming way, explained the grading of all those delicious looking cans and jars of vegetables, fruits and pickles to this ignorant writer.

In my dreams these nights I imagine myself in a paradise of canned beans and pear preserves, like those on the Fair shelves, eating them by the quart and never suffering from stomach ache.

The only reason I don't write some more about the Fair and some of the folks who were there is that my allotted space has run out.

"[illegible] like rain" as The News goes [illegible] Thursday afternoon. The [illegible] of Scurry County farmers [illegible] now for a few more dry, [illegible]-making days.

FISHER VOTES APPROVAL FOR NEW ROAD TAX

Bonds for $1,400,000 Get Majority Overwhelmingly in Roby and Rotan Last Saturday.

Fisher County voters Saturday approved a $1,400,000 road bond issue for the hard-surfacing of its two highways, improvement of lateral roads and retirement of outstanding district bonds.

Roby, Fisher County seat, went on record as favoring the issue 371 to 57, while Rotan polled 321 votes for and 123 against the project. In seven precincts the majority of the voters opposed the road building program.

Intense interest in the Fisher County election has been evident in many Scurry County circles, for the new project will bring paved road up to this county's line on the east. Since this is on highway No. 83, known as the Dal-Paso Cavern highway, most direct route to the Carlsbad Cavern, the election in the neighboring county is a challenge, in the opinion of road authorities, for Scurry to prepare to dress up her part of the route.

The All-Texas motoreade, which came through this county several weeks ago as a booster party for the route that lops more than 100 miles off the Bankhead route to the Cavern, emphasized the fact that highway No. 83 through Scurry County, though kept in good condition, is very dusty in dry weather; and many travelers have found that heavy mud hinders progress when wet weather prevails.

The identical issue was voted on in Fisher County exactly a year ago last Saturday, with 659 favoring and 683 opposing the program. Final returns this year indicate that the issue passed by a majority nearing two-to-one.

Of the amount, $605,000 will be used for hard-surfacing the two main highways through the counties, No. 83, the Dal-Paso Caverns highway leading east and west, and No. 70, extending north and south. The same amount is to be expended for improvement of lateral roads and bridges in the four county precincts and the remainder, $190,000, will be used for retiring outstanding bonds in the various parts of the county.

Improvement within the precincts is to include construction of 135 bridges, at an estimated cost of $314,000. Work in precinct No. 1 calls for 59 bridges, to cost $109,100; No. 2, 33 bridges, $70,400; No. 3, 16 bridges, $58,900; No. 4, 27 bridges, $75,600.

The state and federal governments are expected to put up approximately $1,000,000 in addition to the county fund.

Several good roads advocates from Scurry County have spoken in behalf of the Fisher County bonds recently.

C. of C. Moves Into East Side Building

Shortly after sun-up Wednesday morning a truck backed to the curb on the northeast corner of the square, and a trio of transfer men were busy carrying envelopes, chairs, desks and other bulky belongings into the basement of the building now occupied by the Star market and grocery.

They weren't preparing for an auction sale. They were just moving the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce paraphernalia from the basement of the First State Bank & Trust Co. building to its new location.

The organization, with Secretary J. W. Scott at its helm, will occupy the space alone for the present. The Business and Professional Women's Club will use it as a meeting place, it was decided this week.

Paving Report May Be Heard by Council

A report from the Hussey engineering concern, which recently made a survey of Snyder streets, looking toward the paving of 30 blocks, will probably be heard at the regular first Monday meeting of the city council Monday night, according to Mayor H. G. Towle.

If the report is acceptable to the council, bids for the work will be called for soon.

The council will continue to meet at the R. S. & P. office, where Secretary A. C. Preuitt has all records easily available, rather than in the new Chamber of Commerce hall, as previously announced.

Cozy Theatre to Be Open in Few Days

The Cozy Theatre, which has been undergoing extensive repairs for several weeks, will be opened in a few days, according to Manager P. W. Cloud.

A roomy, artistically decorated box office and lobby, and complete new inside equipment, plus a brick front are features of the new house of entertainment.

A special opening program will be announced in a few days.

Cotton Thieves on Job in This Area

Sheriff F. M. Brownfield warns cotton farmers to watch their picked crop with an eagle eye, for the cotton thief is on the job.

One farmer lost 2,500 pounds from his field near Rotan a few days ago, when a heavy truck drove in and out without being seen or heard.

The sheriff points out that it is almost impossible to catch cotton thieves if they are not discovered in the act, since they leave no tracks or other clews after they once reach the highway. He suggests that farmers either gin their cotton as soon as it is picked or keep guard over it at night.

FARM GIRLS TO RECEIVE TRIPS

Four Scurry County club girls will get free trips to the Dallas Fair as the result of their exhibits at the county fair, according to Miss Jessie Lee Davis, home demonstration agent. Their names will be announced next week.

Warren Bros. drug store has ordered a loving cup, which will be given to the best club in the county. Permanent ownership will be established only after the cup has been won three years in succession. The Hud club will be the first to receive the cup, for its present year's work. Lloyd Mountain was second.

Of the 16 girls' clubs in the county, 15 had exhibits at the fair, while all of the seven women's clubs were represented. Forty-eight individual winners were represented when the final awards were made. The Union club was first among the complete exhibits, while the Gannaway club, which has been organized only five months, was second. Camp Springs was third.

A feature of the club exhibits were the 570 containers of canned fruits and vegetables.

SCHOOL BOOTH GETS INTEREST

Snyder high school's booth at the county fair, stretching just in front of the east entrance to the exhibit hall, was viewed with interest by practically every visitor last week-end.

The health house, built of oatmeal, raisins and other foods, shared honors with the chemical apparatus and the bottled snakes as first-attention getters.

Each department in the school was represented by drawings, notebooks, and other specimens of workmanship. A hand-made miniature airplane was always an eye catcher; and the penmanship, shorthand and typewriting specimens, which represent comparatively new departments in the local school, were examined by many.

The vocational booth of the high school, prepared by J. P. Jamison, instructor, stressed the need of pure-bred, tested stock and seeds. It was attractively decorated with signs and diagrams stressing various ideas for making farm life more profitable and happy. Some of the signs read: "Sell the Loafers," "Feed the Layers," "Culling Is the Keystone of Flock Improvement," "Save the Soil by Terracing, "Good Sires and Dams," "Sell the Culls."

BAND TO PLAY AT NOLAN FAIR

The manager of the Midwest Exposition, Sweetwater's contribution to West Texas fairdom, was so well pleased with the combined Snyder and Fluvanna band when it played at the Scurry County Fair last week-end that he extended Bandmaster J. W. Crowley a special invitation to play in the Nolan County capital Saturday afternoon.

Accompanied by J. W. Scott and other band backers, more than 30 musicians will leave Snyder Saturday morning to fill the engagement. They will render special music on Sweetwater streets and then proceed to the fair grounds, where they will be the center of attraction for Midwest Exhibition visitors for a half hour or more.

BEST BALANCED COUNTY FAIR SHOWS MANY GOOD EXHIBITS

"The best balanced fair in the history of Scurry County."

That statement describes, without any element of exaggeration, the county's 1929 fair, which closed Saturday night at Wolfe Park after a three-day session.

The absence of misfit exhibits, the continuous three-day patronage, the smoothness with which every feature of the exhibition functioned, and the cooperation of farmers and Snyder business men in the annual affair were high points to be marked up on Manager J. W. Scott's score book.

Coming down the home stretch with the smallest deficit it has yet known, in the face of increased awards, an unaccustomed gate charge, and early-summer drouths, the fair gives promise of blossoming forth next year into an even better, more representative county-wide event, according to O. P. Thrane, president of the Fair Association.

Friday was easily the outstanding day of the three. In the afternoon Roscoe Armstrong & Co. performed on trapeze, slack wire and in a Ford before a crowd that jammed the grandstand and sidelines. The football game that preceded, between Snyder and Rotan high schools, was also viewed by a large crowd. All Snyder business houses closed their doors from one o'clock until after the ball game in observance of "Snyder Day."

In the evening the three performers again were seen by an overflowing crowd, and the old fiddlers' contest that followed concluded a full day of entertainment. On this day, as on the other two, Snyder and Fluvanna bands, under the direction of J. W. Crowley, played at 2:30 and 8 o'clock, and were heard by ever-increasing crowds who marveled that such pleasing music could be made by a band so young and inexperienced.

The attractiveness of booths and displays from one end of the exhibit hall to the other was noticeable to all who entered. No vacant spaces were to be found, yet there was no crowding, and all exhibits were plainly displayed. While the eight community exhibits were probably the center of attraction, the other departments came in for their share of observation and comment. Each department superintendent expressed himself as well pleased with the entire exhibition.

In the livestock department there was an abundance of Herefords and sheep. Some departments fell below last year's showing in quantity, but better quality stuff was noticeable from one end to another. The Hereford group, headed by a bull for which $5,000 has been refused, is said to have totaled more than $18,000 in value.

BETTER ROADS CLUB SUBJECT

That it is time for Scurry County to pave her highways and improve her lateral roads was the sentiment of several members of the Snyder Luncheon Club at its weekly meeting Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock. O. P. Thrane, calling attention to the large bond issue voted by Fisher County last week, stated that it is squarely up to this county to improve her roads or see travelers using surfaced routes outside this county.

It was pointed out that Dawson County, and possibly Gaines and Howard Counties, may cooperate in a road building program, which would leave Scurry County in an embarrassing position if she were to refuse to take action. Spur, Lubbock, and other towns in that section are diverting more and more of the plains traffic in that direction, according to Mr. Thrane, who advocated taking immediate steps to provide better roads before it is too late.

Joe Stinson and Ralph Hicks also spoke in favor of improved roads.

A. A. Bullock served as chairman at the meeting, due to the absence of C. Wedgeworth, who is at his wife's bedside in Tenaha. J. M. Harris presided at the luncheon Wednesday of last week in the superintendent's absence.

County Attorney Warren Dodson spoke at length on "How Many Crazy Married Men Are There in Snyder?" Describing all those as crazy who failed to brag on the wife's first biscuits, who brought mud into the kitchen, and who scattered ashes in the clean living room, the orator at last lapsed serious. He gave several suggestions, taken from his father-pastor's recent sermon on the subject of crazy husbands, as to how home life and community life may be made more attractive and happier by husbands treating their wives as sweethearts after they are married.

Manager J. W. Scott and President O. P. Thrane of the Scurry County Fair Association gave incomplete reports of this year's fair, which closed Saturday. P. W. Cloud, manager of the local theatres, stated that the Cozy Theatre, which has been undergoing repairs and remodeling, would be open in the near future.

Dr. A. J. Davidson of Guymon, Okla., was a guest at the meeting.

Report on Marking Of Streets Expected

Engineers who surveyed Snyder streets for permanent markings several weeks ago will report to the city officials early next week, if information reaching Mayor H. G. Towle is correct. Action will be taken on their report as soon as feasible.

The surveys call for systematic naming and numbering of all local streets and houses. A simple system, employing only the alphabet for avenues and figures for streets, has been worked out, which will enable a stranger to find his way about town without trouble.

GINNINGS PASS TOTAL OF 4000

Four thousand and five bales of cotton had been ginned in Scurry County through Tuesday, according to the report furnished The News by the Fuller Cotton Oil Co., through W. T. Raybon.

Cool nights and two weeks of clear, cotton-making weather have meant a jump in ginning estimates for Scurry County from as low as 12,000 bales to as high as 28,000 bales. The majority of those who have watched cotton seasons come and go for many years declare that the county is assured of gathering 20,000 bales, and some say that almost 30,000 are possible with exactly the right weather conditions.

Certain it is that with more than 2,000 bales ginned during a single week—last week's report indicated 1970 bales—which is many more than are usually ginned at this time of year, all but an optimistic few are raising their guesses in the thousands of bales.

Snyder gins alone have put out 1976 bales, more than last week's total for the county. Hermleigh is next in line with 504 bales to its credit. Complete figures follow:

Snyder	1976
Hermleigh	504
Inadale	350
China Grove	348
Ira	318
Dunn	244
Camp Springs	138
Fluvanna	127
Total	4005

Judge Smith Holds Court at Sweetwater

District Judge Fritz R. Smith is holding his second week of court at Sweetwater this week. No spectacular cases appear on the docket, and the "bench and bar" of Gail is expected to return to the home town without additional gray hairs.

The next term of court here will begin about the middle of October, with a medium docket.

Paper Sent to First Child Born in Scurry

Among the papers mailed to old timers of Scurry County last week was one to Mrs. C. L. Ezell, daughter of Uncle Billy Nelson. She was the first child to be born in this county. Her birthplace was a house which once stood on the present courthouse site.

R. F. Brumbach, now of Ennis, operator of Snyder's first light plant, was another receiver of the special edition.

A number of the old timers have sent copies of the combination Fair and old timers' edition to their friends. The News still has several copies of the paper, which will be mailed for those who bring in the addresses.

Tigers Fed and Ice Creamed Friday

After downing Rotan by a 20-0 count in the first conference game of the season last Friday, the Tigers were herded into the Manhattan Hotel by several business men and given the feed of their fighting lives.

And that wasn't all.

They traipsed over to Stinson drug store No. 1 and had all the ice cream they wanted dished out to them as free as the air they breathed.

That was only a secondary evidence that Snyder is backing her football team this year, for the business men were out in full force to see them romp away with three touchdowns on the fair gridiron.

FLUVANNA HAS BEST EXHIBITS

"Fluvanna—The Top of the Pot" was more than a motto for an attractive community exhibit at the fair last week. It proved to be a prophecy, at least as far as winning prizes is concerned.

With a score of 876 out of a possible 1000, the Fluvanna exhibit was awarded first place among the eight communities represented, and received $75 as a result. Union Chapel, with 860 points, received $50 for second place prize. German was third with 838 points, and will receive a $25 prize. The other communities competing—Dermott, Dunn, Gannaway, Ennis Creek, and Canyon—received $10 cash prizes each.

The community exhibits were superior in number and quality to those of former years. Fluvanna has won first place each year of the fair with one exception, when Union received the higest award. Fluvanna's chief points of superiority over her neighbors were in the cotton, legumes and arrangement divisions.

CLASS HEADS ARE SELECTED

Officers for each class in Snyder high school were elected Tuesday and presented in general assembly Wednesday morning. The class president, acting as spokesman for his class in each case, introduced other officers to the entire student body and faculty. A two-minute talk was given by each president, on the subject of making the high school better in every respect.

Following is the complete roster of new officers:

Senior A—Miss Effie McLeod, sponsor; Cloyce Drinkard, president; Robert Garner, vice president; Treva Hunt, secretary-treasurer; Paul Claybrook, reporter.

Senior B—R. S. Sullivan, sponsor; Maxie Chenault, president; Audra Jenkins, vice president; Meva Doak, secretary-treasurer; Gladys Lewis, reporter.

Junior A—Mr. Cotton, sponsor; Austin Erwin, president; Allene Curry, vice president; Dodson Smith, secretary-treasurer; Grace Avery, reporter.

Junior B—Mrs. Gibson, sponsor; Bobby Chambers, president; Clarence Walton, vice president; Leighton Griffin, scretary-treasurer; Ruth Yoder, reporter.

Sophomore A—Mr. Cox, sponsor; Mary Jo Glenn, president; Maurine Stimson, vice president; Margie Thomas, secretary-treasurer; Rodney Glasscock, reporter.

Sophomore B—Miss Mattie Ross Cunningham, sponsor; Esther Jones, president; Hilda Gene Williamson, vice president; Georgia Jones, secretary-treasurer; Janice Erwin, reporter.

Freshman A—Mrs. Nelson, sponsor; Earl White, president; Grover Scott, vice president; Gwendolyn Gray, secretary-treasurer.

Freshman B—Miss Persons, sponsor; Dinaween Bridgeman, president; Bob Webb, vice president; Ada Nell Teague, secretary-treasurer; Elizabeth Wilsford, reporter.

Women's Clubs Will Sponsor Sale of Seals

A representative of the tuberculosis seal sale bureau was a visitor in Snyder last week-end making arrangements for the Christmas seal sale here, to begin November 12.

This year's sale of seals will be sponsored by the County Federation of Women's Clubs, of which Mrs. W. W. Hamilton is president, it has been announced.

B. W. Neal Assumes Store Management

Coming to Snyder from Slaton, B. W. Neal has assumed the managership of Lloyd's dry goods store. He and his family have located in East Snyder.

Mr. Neal is an experienced dry goods man, and Mr. Lloyd commends him to the town and community as a good citizen.

The new manager invites the public generally in to meet him.

SNYDER WINS FROM ROTAN IN 20 TO 0 GAME

Passing Attack of Visitors Stopped For 2 First Downs; Loraine To Play Here Friday.

With 11 men wearing the Tiger uniform in a conference game for the first time, Snyder High stopped the Rotan eleven's passing and running attack Friday afternoon at Wolfe Park, before a large Fair crowd, and pushed over three touchdowns of their own. The score was 20 to 0. It was the first conference game.

Snyder's backfield snapped into action before the game was well under way, and missed a touchdown by inches before three minutes had passed. Marching down the field a second time, they shoved across six points in the middle of the quarter, and made the extra point when the pass from center was high and Huestis passed behind the goal to Clark. Martin made the touchdown.

A pass, Huestis to Martin, for 16 yards, placed the ball in scoring position again in the third quarter, and Martin shoved the remaining two yards for a touchdown. A series of line plays, after the visitors seemed worn down to the nub, scored the last touchdown of the game in the last period, with Ferguson doing the scoring.

With Ferguson at quarter and Huestis at end, Coach Ottis Moore presented a faster, harder fighting, team than that which went down before Spur 19 to 13 in a game on the preceding Friday. Two or three spots in the line failed to give much headway for the backfield men, and two or three Rotan passing threats almost filtered through for counters, but on the whole the squad played a heads-up game.

Rotan presented two heady backfield men in Hardy and Smith, but their passing attack netted only two first downs while Snyder was making 10, and they gained few yards through the line. McClinton, who won his way into the line-up during the Spur game with his brilliant running plays, was again good for yardage almost any time against the Fisher County boys.

A feature of the afternoon was the performance of Rotan and Snyder pep squads. At the half more than a score of the visitors' yellers, ar-

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Loraine High's gridsters will be the guests of the locals this (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 on the new grass field. In this, their second conference game, the Tigers will be face to face with a team of unknown quantity. Judging from past records and their early play this season, the visitors should be disposed of without undue trouble. But Coach Moore is putting his men through hard workouts every afternoon, and the Loraineers will be up against an eleven that is primed just like they were in the Rotan game.

No changes have been announced in the Snyder line-up. The game has been called for 3:30. The prospect of cooler weather than was had for the last game is expected to draw a big crowd and add pep to the game.

Laundry Will Open New Cleaning Plant

Installation of a new and complete cleaning and pressing plant is being made at the Snyder Laundry plant by S. A. LaRue, proprietor. The new division will be formally opened on Monday morning, October 7.

The very latest in washing, extracting and pressing equipment is being placed, and when completed the plant will compare favorably with any in this section.

Charles Reasenover has been placed in charge of the cleaning and pressing department. He is an experienced cleaner and presser, having years of experience in large plants to his credit. He comes to Snyder from Hamlin. Mr. Reasenover and his family have located in East Snyder near the high school building.

Turner School Will Have More Rooms

It is almost a month before the Turner school opens, but it's not too early to call attention to the fact that the school in the western part of the county is preparing for its annual student invasion.

When the doors are opened November 4, the youngsters will be greeted by a new room, in which the home economics department will hold forth. And hot only that, but they will view a new building on the campus, which is called a farm shop. In the new room Miss Mell Thompson, principal, will teach a class of girls some of the fundamentals of housekeeping, while Victor Drinkard will have a class of boys in his industrial training work in the new building.

With these two added departments, and new space in which to do valuable work, the school is looking forward to an unusually successful year.

Exhibit Gives Eating Pointers

If you passed by the appetizing group of cans and jars in the southeast corner of the Scurry County Fair exhibition hall without taking a good look, you missed a golden opportunity to learn what to eat. Over the seven rows of canned goods was a sign which read, "Four-H. Pantry for Family of Five for Six Months."

You may have an unusually sweet tooth, but that ideal pantry says that you must hold it in check and feed your body a lot of black-eyed peas, turnip greens, and other building foods. Preserves, jams, jellies and marmalades fill only 48 pints, which would be only slightly more than a pint and a half a month for each member of the family.

Leafy vegetables filled 120 quarts of the ideal exhibit. Succulent vegetables, such as carrots and beets, filled 90 quarts, while starchy vegetables, such as sweet potatoes, were equivalent to 30 quarts.

Fruits, said the ideal pantry, should occupy 125 quarts. Pickles and relishes fill 15 quarts and 25 pints, respectively, while 50 quarts were set aside for building foods, such as meats, shelled limas and other beans.

Assisting Miss Jessie Lee Davis, home demonstration agent, in preparing the unusual exhibit, were: Mmes. George Lewis of Ira, Tom Hailey of Ira, T. E. Crabtree of Ira, J. L. Carrell of Union, Oscar Coston of Camp Springs, C. N. Rhodes of Pleasant Hill, and D. E. Watson of Gannaway; Misses Gladys Wade of Ennis Creek, Eloise Lewis of Ira, and Mildred Davis of Ennis Creek.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN READERS

MISS ELOISE SCOTT, Society Editor
TELEPHONE 266

Twentieth Century Club Holds Meet

The Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. M. Blackard, with Mrs. Blackard as hostess and Mrs. Joe Strayhorn as leader.

Roll call was answered by members telling of "natural scenery in Texas that I know about." "The Legend of San Saba or Bowie Mine" was the subject of Mrs. W. M. Scott's paper. Mrs. Ollie Bruton discussed "The Legend of Blanco Mine" and Mrs. W. T. Raybon's subject was "A Lucky Post Hole."

Mrs. Blackard, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Williams, served a delicious refreshment plate to the following: Mmes. I. W. Boren, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chenault, T. H. Duff, Nelson Dunn, C. E. Fish, I. A. Griffin, W. M. Scott, B. M. West, Joe Strayhorn, Allen Warren, R. W. Webb, O. S. Williamson, J. J. Taylor, W. T. Raybon and Ollie Bruton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodson Entertain Club

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dodson were host and hostess to members and guests of the Thursday Night Bridge Club at their home on Thursday evening of last week.

After interesting bridge games, Mrs. W. T. Raybon, Mrs. R. H. Curnutte, Jr., and Dr. J. G. Hicks were awarded high score prizes.

A lovely refreshment course was served to Messrs. and Mmes. W. T. Raybon, Forest Sears, J. E. Sentell, Wayne Boren, Clyde Shull, J. G. Hicks, Mrs. G. B. Clark, Jr., and Mrs. George Oldham, members. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hale, Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Curnutte were guests.

Miss Ora Thompson Bride of Abilene Man

James Lollell Conder of Abilene and Miss Ora Thompson of this city were united in marriage Sunday morning at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. W. F. Ferguson performing the ceremony.

The attractive bride, daughter of Mrs. Kate Thompson, wore a beautiful gown of brown crepe and had accessories to match. She is a graduate of Snyder high school and has been attending Simmons University for the past two years.

Mr. Conder is with the Citizens National Bank of Abilene and the young couple are making their home in that city.

Surprise Is Given Mother Meadow

Mother Meadow was given a delightful surprise Sunday, when a son, and many granddaughters, grandsons, nieces and nephews came from Big Spring and prepared a lovely dinner for the honoree.

Mother Meadow lives in the north part of Snyder. Her friends are numberless and she is indeed a spry little lady to be 82 years of age.

Those who caused tears of happiness on Mother Meadow's cheeks were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meadow, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Meadow and family, Mrs. J. G. Davis, Jammy Lee Meadow and Miss Kathrine Meadow, all of Big Spring; Miss Dorothy Bobby of Pecos, and Mrs. Charles Stimson of Snyder.

Soft, Feminine Lines New Styles Seek Can Be Obtained by Free Use of Lace

BY HARRIET

LACE will be very important in the new styles.

This is quite logical. For all the new modes stress the soft, feminine lines. And what is more feminine or softer in its effect than lace?

Bits of old heirloom lace will have their day this winter. An old rich gold velvet, for instance, will be given just the right touch if a bit of valuable lace fills in the deep neckline and softens the wrists. Royal blue satin is softened by a bit of rich ecru lace. Soft pink makes twice as entrancing an evening gown if a lace yoke is used or lace insets ornament the bodice and skirt.

Lingerie makes much of lace. The newest bit of underwear is the petticoat, missing these many years since the straight line silhouette became fashionable. New petticoats are mere trifles of chiffon, fine crepes and lace used in diagonal, circular or flounce trimmings. Slips and envelope chemise sets use lace abundantly and most of the new nighties have some lace touch.

Even hats are endorsing lace. The very newest headgear is the restaurant turban and black cire lace is the smartest fabric from which one of these can be made.

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THE new use of lace on frocks, however, is the most noticeable one this season. From the sports frock that may take a lace stitch in its sweater blouse to the most formal evening gown, lace is important.

One especially charming dinner gown, the kind of frock indispensible in even a meager wardrobe, is a black velvet one trimmed with a deep flounce of heavy cream colored lace. The frock itself is cut on semi-princess lines, emphasizing the higher waistline by the placement of a soft, crushed girdle at approximately normal placing. This lace flounce is placed to give a longer backline, and drops abruptly at the sides, suggesting a train.

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LACE is equally important for the October bride as for her sisters. Many a bridal gown this fall will stress the new reign of lace. Of course, lace veils are ever lovely. But the introduction of lace into the gown itself is the new point of fashion.

A very charming and very new bridal gown for October is one that has its entire waist and sleeves made of lace and its full, draped skirt of heavy satin. The lace bodice fits snugly, the neck is modestly rounded and the sleeves long and tight. The bodice ends over the skirt, like a little peplum, making a charming thing of that theme. This bodice buttons up the back, in quite a quaint manner, by little lace buttons and tiny loops. The skirt is quite uneven in its lower edge and is longer on both sides than in the back.

These two creations show the prominent part lace plays in the new styles for fall.

Business Women in Meeting Tuesday

The Business and Professional Women's Clubs held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Walln Fish Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, president, presided and a regular business session was held, after which a short program was given. Miss Ora Norred complimented the guests with a piano solo. A very humorous reading was given by Mrs. R. E. Gray.

It was decided that hereafter the club would meet in the basement of the new Chamber of Commerce location.

Those present at the meeting were: Mmes. Cus McClinton, John Keller, R. S. Moore, R. C. Buchanan, W. W. Smith, Joe Caton, Mabel German, A. G. Elland, R. E. Gray, Bert Baugh, Melvin Blackard, A. P. Morris, R. L. Howell; Misses Effie McLeod, Joe Hailey, Mae McClinton, Mattie Clark, Maggie and Ora Norred, Martha Gray, Lucille Carpenter, Blanche Mitchell and Eloise Scott, Mrs. Earl Fish and little daughter, Miss Dulce Jones and Mrs. C. M. Fish were club guests.

Williams Home Scene Of Bridge Party

On Friday afternoon, interesting bridge games were enjoyed at the home of Mrs. W. G. Williams, with Mmes. Williams, Tom Gates, G. B. Clark, Jr., George Oldham and Wayne Williams as hostesses.

Cut flowers of many hues made attractive bouquets in the lovely home of Mrs. Williams.

At the conclusion of the bridge games, high score prizes were awarded to Misses Neoma and Cecil Strayhorn. A dainty refreshment course was served to Mmes. J. G. Hicks, Clyde Shull, Wayne Boren, Fritz R. Smith, C. H. Cooper, J. M. Harris, O. P. Thrane, Forest Sears, Maurice Brownfield, Oma Ruth Bailey, J. E. Sentell, Ixion Joyce, Melvin Blackard, Alford McGlaun, Lewis Blackard, Garrett Harrell, A. J. Towle, Dixie Smith, W. R. Johnson, W. D. Beggs, Bob Warren, W. T. Raybon, R. H. McCurdy, P. M. Chambers, A. D. Erwin, W. D. Lee, R. H. Curnutte, W. H. Ritzenthaler, O. O. Harris, Henry Rosenburg, J. P. Nelson, Jess Sellers, Addison Casstevens, W. R. Patton, G. A. Hagan, Tom Ezell, H. G. Towle, E. M. Deakins, R. H. Curnutte, Jr., Wilson Hartgrove; Misses Cecil and Neoma Strayhorn, Claribell Clark, Fay and Myrtle Harrell, Lary Beth Waskom, Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Marilu Rosser, Mildred Henry, Lucille Carpenter and Blanche Mitchell.

Mrs. Solomon Says:

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A mending list will not let you forget to sew the button on Tom's coat and take a tuck in Sue's skirt. The menu list makes your mind rest easy when you are to have company. It permits you to prepare the food in advance and not to forget any of it as you are serving. The odds-and-ends list help you to chink in numbers of little jobs when you have a few spare minutes. And what an exhilaration it is to cross off your deeds done, one by one, and know that there are no loose ends in your household management! The list habit gives a new meaning to the word "listless."

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Sisters Have Birthday Party Wednesday

Misses La Ruth and Elgene Johnston entertained a number of their friends with a lawn party in honor of their eighth and twelfth birthdays Wednesday afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnston.

Various games were played, after which delicious refreshments were served. Favors proved to be golf ball suckers. The honorees received many remembrances from friends.

The party was composed of Misses Geraldine Longbotham, Mauricen Wolfe, Lora Keathley, Melba Clark, Helen Singletary, Margaret Howell, Ewanda Spears, Violet Rucker, Lura Keathley, Joan Strayhorn, Georgia Fauker, Dale Johnston, Johnnie Baze, Valdene Keller, Kathrine Moffett; Messrs. Victor Baze, Tommy Singletary, W. H. Fauker, Royce Johnston, Roy Allen Baze, Beserly and Elgene Johnston, and Miss Elva Lemons.

Morning 42 Party Given Friday

A lovely forty-two party, at which Mmes. W. G. Williams, George Oldham, G. B. Clark, Jr., Tom Gates and Wayne Williams were hostesses, was given Friday morning at the home of Mrs. W. G. Williams.

Various cut flowers made beautiful bouquets in the entertaining rooms. After the games, attractive and tempting refreshment plates were passed to the following guests: Mmes. Earl Fish, Howard McDonald, A. V. McAdoo, J. Nelson Dunn, B. M. West, L. E. Trigg, F. M. Brownfield, Joe Wilson, H. M. Blackard, H. L. Davis, A. C. Elkins, W. P. King, H. E. Rosser, R. H. Odom, J. C. Dorwood, C. W. Harless, Dora Cunningham, E. E. Wallace, George Northcutt, Hugh Taylor, Joe Monroe, W. W. Smith, H. P. Brown, C. J. Yoder, H. J. Brice, Guy Stoker, C. R. Buchanan, W. H. Cauble, W. M. Scott, Dick Randals, R. D. English, W. W. Hamilton, Joe Stinson, E. J. Richardson, T. L. Lollar, Wade Winston, Hugh Scarborough, Joe Strayhorn, O. S. Williamson, Roy Strayhorn, I. W. Boren, P. C. Chenault, Estelle Wylie, L. O. Smith, Tom Boren, J. P. Avery and Sam Casstevens.

Miss Boone Hostess To San Souci Club

Members and guests of the San Souci Club were entertained by Miss Sallie Boone Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks.

Bridge games were enjoyed by Mmes. J. P. Nelson, Cecil and Neoma Strayhorn, Edith Grantham, Hattie and Gertrude Herm. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sentell, Messrs. Wayne Boren, J. P. Nelson, Ralph Hicks and Dan Gibson.

Cocktail Dressing.

For oysters, shrimp, tuna fish or salmon, make a dressing in the following proportions: Teaspoon vinegar; tablespoon catsup, chili sauce or horse radish; teaspoon lemon or grape fruit juice; a few drops of tobasco sauce and a pinch of salt. Put the fish into sherbet glasses, pour the dressing over it and let stand in the ice box to chill and blend before serving.

Miss Mildred Henry Honored at Party

Less Davis was host at a party given Friday evening at the Manhattan Hotel, honoring Miss Mildred Henry of Pikeville, Tenn. Miss Henry is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins.

Bridge games and music were enjoyed during the evening and delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Messrs. and Mmes. George Oldham, O. O. Harris, Jess Sellers, R. H. Curnutte, Jr., Billie Wilkerson of Dallas, Misses Lucy Bean, Mary Harkey, Claribell Clark, Eloise Scott; Messrs. George Blackerby of Wichita Falls, Roy McCurdy, Marshall Higgins, D. D. Boulder and Erro Taylor.

Sine Cura Club Meets In Erwin Home

Mrs. Austin Erwin was hostess to members and guests of the Sine Cura Club Tuesday afternoon at her lovely home.

Beautiful autumn flowers, principally dahlias, added to the attractiveness of the entertaining rooms.

At this meeting, an election of officers was held. Miss Cecil Strayhorn was the newly elected president, Mrs. R. H. Curnutte vice president, Mrs. Fritz R. Smith secretary, and Mrs. W. R. Johnson, treasurer.

Bridge was the diversion for the afternoon, with Miss Cecil Strayhorn winning high score prize and consolation prize being awarded to Mrs. Dixie Smith.

Dahlias were emphasized in the place cards, plate favors and also in the refreshment course, which was served to the following:

Mmes. E. J. Anderson, R. H. Curnutte, W. R. Johnson, W. D. Lee, G. A. Hagan, J. M. Harris, Verne McMullan, Dixie Smith, George F. Smith, A. J. Towle, Fritz R. Smith, H. G. Towle, Wayne Boren, Miss Cecil Strayhorn, members; Mmes. Hugh Boren and O. O. Harris were club guests.

When Bureau Drawers Stick.

If the bureau drawers do not slide easily, plane off the sides and on the bottom of the drawer and then rub the runways with paraffin, soap or tallow. Never plane off the top, especially if it is finished with stain.

Directory of Clubs and Sunday School Classes

County Federation.

Object: Closer cooperation between the town and rural women. Meetings: The second Saturday in each month at the court house, 3:00 p. m. President: Mrs. W. W. Hamilton.

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Twentieth Century Club.

Course of study: Legends of Texas and varied programs. Meetings: Alternate Tuesdays beginning September 17. President: Mrs. Allen Warren.

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San Souci.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Second and fourth Fridays in each month; President: Mrs. Forest Sears.

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Business and Professional Women's Club.

Character of work to be accomplished: Better Business Women for a Better Business World. Meetings: The first and third Tuesday evenings in each month. President: Mrs. C. R. Buchanan.

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El Feliz Club.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: First and third Fridays in each month. President: Mrs. L. T. Stinson.

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Alpha Study Club.

Course of study, art and dramatics; also varied programs. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President: Mrs. J. E. Sentell.

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Sine Cura Club.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: First and third Tuesdays in each month. President: Miss Cecil Strayhorn.

Musical Coterie.

Course of study: Musical instruments. Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President: Mrs. A. C. Preuitt. Instructor: J. W. Crowley.

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The Mother's Self Culture Club.

Course of study: Foreign arts, dramatics, music and sculpture. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President: Mrs. B. M. West.

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Thursday Night Bridge Club.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Thursday evenings. President: W. T. Raybon.

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Parent-Teachers

Object: Closer cooperation between the teachers and parents. Meetings: Third Thursday evening in each month. President: Mrs. Hugh Taylor.

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Altrurian Club.

Course of study: History of Western Literature; also life of Juline Caesar. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning September 20. President: Mrs. Joe Caton.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES.

Euzelian—First Baptist Church.

Meetings: First Thursday in each month. President: Mrs. Clyde Boren.

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Victory—M. E. Church, South.

Meetings: Second Wednesdays in each month. President: Mrs. J. C. Dorwood.

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Alathean—First Baptist Church.

Meetings: First Thursdays in each month. President: Mrs. W. M. Scott.

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NOTES OF NEWS FROM FLUVANNA

MRS. J. G. LANDRUM, Correspondent

J. R. Truss and family spent Monday in Abilene.

Bill Miller and Bob Snodgrass have gone to Seminole to buy calves.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Matlock and son, W. D., have returned from Kansas.

Miss Ollie Sneed left Sunday for Abilene to take a course in beauty culture.

John A. Stavely and mother went to Lubbock. Mr. Stavely went on to Meadow.

H. H. Haynes, E. A. Boles and L. T. Cole made a business trip to Big Spring last Saturday.

J. I. Pylant and sons, Jesse, J. C., Dee and Orvie, left Monday for Brownfield to pick cotton.

J. G. Landrum and family spent Saturday in Abilene. Emma Leata remained to attend McMurry College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dowdy spent the week-end with Mrs. Dowdy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. White, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reeves of Lubbock came Saturday. Mr. Reeves returned Monday, Mrs. Reeves staying for a visit.

E. H. Josey and family and C. E. Stephen and family of Big Spring spent Sunday with J. G. Landrum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Boren went to Lubbock Thursday and returned Friday. Mrs. Boren went for medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson and son, Joe, and family spent Saturday night with Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. J. F. Dowdy, and family.

FLUVANNA BOOTH TAKES FIRST PRIZE AT CO. FAIR

Fluvanna carried off first honor with her booth again at the county fair. The prize was $75. So far as could be learned, the following were awarded prizes at the fair from this community:

W. C. Miller—first on saddle horse.
W. C. Miller—second on polo horse.
J. R. White—first in old fiddlers' contest.
E. V. Boynton—first on calf.
Dan Fry—second on calf.
Charley Bley—third on calf.
Mrs. Jas. H. Tate—first on sudan.
Ed Jones—second and third, feed.
Mrs. J. H. Rody—first on pickles.
Mrs. J. J. Belew—second on preserves.
Mrs. W. P. Sims—second on pickles.
Mrs. Raymond Seale—third on scarf.
Mrs. W. F. Mathis—third on ladies' dress.
Mrs. R. B. Wills—second on little girl's dress.

There are possibly others who won at the fair whom we failed to get. Their names will be published in next week's paper if the correspondent is notified.

NEW HOME BEING BUILT BY ARCH LAVENDER HERE

Arch Lavender is having a three-room house built on Mulberry and Thirteenth Streets. C. E. Tarter and J. I. Boren are doing the work.

MRS. C. F. LANDRUM BACK FROM THE SANITARIUM

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Landrum returned home from Lubbock last Monday. Mrs. Landrum has been in the sanitarium there 64 days the last time. We are glad to report that she is doing well.

KNOWS NO NEWS BUT HAS BOUQUET FOR THIS PAPER

One man at Fluvanna was asked for news and he replied that he had no news but he had heard something on The Snyder News. On being asked what it was, he replied: "I heard a man say that last week's issue of The Snyder News was the best issue that has ever been published in Scurry County."

CHURCH NOTES

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Jas. H. Tate, every second and fourth Sunday.

Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.

Fluvanna Baptist

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. D. G. Wells, every second and fourth Sunday.

B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.

Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening.

Church of Christ

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Barnhill, every third Sunday.

Bible study for the ladies each Monday at 3 p. m.

The Ladies Aid of the Church of Christ quilted a quilt last Monday afternoon for the orphans' home at Tipton, Okla.

First Baptist Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. V. Montgomery, every fourth Sunday.

Fluvanna School News

(Note: The e interesting, well written news articles from the Fluvanna schools are prepared for The News by Superintendent E. O. Wedgeworth, his faculty and student body. They will be regular features of this paper. The publishers take this opportunity to publicly thank the entire school, and Mr. Wedgeworth especially, for their cooperation).

FLUVANNA SCHOOLS ARE SCENE OF MUCH ACTIVITY

Fluvanna independent schools have been the scene of much activity in the last week. Classes have been organized in the high school, athletic organizations have been organized; in fact, a general trend toward organization has been witnessed by those observing the school closely.

The chief advantage of the athletic organization in the entire school is the fact that every child on the campus has not only the opportunity but the encouragement to participate in some form of organized play entirely supervised by a teacher. The little fellows have not been overlooked nor neglected. Organized and supervised play is to the growing child what water and cultivation are to the growing plant.

For the older students volley ball, playground ball and basket ball have been started. The campus has a giant stride which furnishes playground equipment for several. Much more equipment will be added in the near future.

Much Interest in Fair.

Much interest was shown in the fair by both faculty and students. Many students belong to the band; and since Thursday was Fluvanna Day at the fair, the band played both in the afternoon and at night. Fluvanna was the recipient of many first places. First of all, our booth took the blue ribbon, which brought in quite a substantial sum of money. Many first places were received, which shows the progressiveness of our community. In taking part in the fair, not a single lesson was omitted or lost. Every class was heard and the schedule followed exactly except as to recess periods.

The band (this is not entirely a school organization, although several school students belong) is making rapid steps forward. Under the able and efficient leadership of Director J. W. Crowley, the band is fast whipping into shape. A concert is planned for the near future for the people of Fluvanna and other nearby sections.

To Try for Affiliated Units.

It is the aim of Superintendent Wedgeworth and his faculty to affiliate several subjects with the state department of education. This means a long, hard fight on the parts of the teachers and pupils. It will take the best of cooperation between teacher, pupil and parent. It is planned to get enough affiliation in two years to enable students graduating from our high school to enter any higher institution of learning in the state. Other schools have done it; so can we.

The enrollment is gradually increasing; however, the attendance is somewhat short. Several pupils are out of school helping gather the crops. When the crops are all gathered and the attendance climbs back to normal, the overcrowded condition will again prevail. Occupancy of the new building in the near future will forever eliminate that condition.

All Busses Are Running.

All four of the school busses are running on schedule time. Not a single one has been late. The roads around the routes are being kept dragged and in excellent condition. Attendance on the busses compares favorably with the rest of the school.

This week completes the fourth week of school. All teachers have begun surprising their classes with pop quizzes. There remain only two more weeks until the six-week exams will begin.

"RINKY-DINKS" AND "RIVER RATS" FURNISH MUCH PEP

The boys of the Fluvanna school have found much delight in the organization of the "Rinky Dinks" and the "River Rats," two boys' clubs sponsored by Tarter and Greer, respectively. These clubs have been organized to create a good spirit and good feeling among the boys. They have already organized baseball teams and the first of a five-game series was to be played at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon. All boys up to 15 years are eligible to join.

The Rinky Dink Club met in room No. 205 Monday afternoon and the following officers were lected:

J. R. Patterson, Jr.—Captain.
Brud Boren—President.
J. T. Beaver—Secretary; E. V. Boynton—Sergeant-at-Arms.

The members: Guy Turner, Jr., Burl Belew, J. R. Patterson, Jr., E. V. Boynton, Jr., L. V. Alexander, Jr., Merton Noel, J. T. Beaver, J. W. Haynes, Boles Fry, Brud Boren, Elmo Faver, Morris Bowden.

The River Rats met in room No. 204 Monday afternoon and the following officers were elected:

Jeff Faver—Captain and Wizard.
Mr. Greer—Secretary-Treasurer.
Hurston Lemons — Sergeant - at - Arms.

Robert Roddy, Harris Polk, Homer Patterson—Membership Committee.

Members—Jeff Faver, R. Boles, H. Patterson, H. Lemons, M. Lemons, R. Roddy, H. Polk, D. Blakely, P. Coldozer, W. Huffine, F. J. Moore, C. Landrum.

BEAVERS AND PYLANT TO LEAD CLASSES FOR 1929-30

The senior, junior and sophomore classes began the school year right by meeting and organizing their classes early.

The senior class met September 15. They unanimously elected Marie Lynn Beaver as class president, May Belle Tucker as secretary-treasurer, and Ruby Bley, as class reporter. These leaders are all well-liked students and will prove able leaders. The class was unanimous in choosing Superintendent E. O. Wedgeworth as their sponsor.

At the same time the seniors met with L. Smith, representative of the Stafford Engraving Company, and gave him their order for the class rings, diplomas and invitations.

The seniors are well organized and great things are expected of them this year. If their plans are carried out, this year will be one of the busiest and most enjoyable of their lives.

Mamie Pylant Leads Juniors.

The juniors came not far behind the seniors. Their class meeting and organization occurred last week. Mamie Pylant was elected president, Lawrence Shipman secretary-treasurer, and Willie Mae Fry class reporter. The sponsor chosen for the juniors was Miss Chloe Collins.

The juniors have already ordered class pins, are ready for work, and are interested in everything happening. Though they are few in number, they are ready for action.

Another Beaver Heads Sophs.

The sophomores met this week and organized their class. Another Beaver, Inez, was elected president of the second year class. Maurine Roddy was chosen as secretary-treasurer, and Inez Harris as reporter.

The class colors are pink and green, with the harmonizing flower, the pink rose.

The sophomores boast the largest class in school, having about 35 members. They are full of pep, and we can expect them to be seen and heard throughout the year.

Mother: "Daughter, dear, I'm afraid that young man is a bad egg."

Daughter: "He's all that, and even worse."

Mother: "What do you mean?"

Daughter: "He's a bad egg that's broke."

"How much do these dogs cost?"

"Ten dollars apiece."

"Well, how much does the whole dog cost?"

A colored agent was summoned before the insurance commission.

"Don't you know," said the commissioner, "that you can't sell life insurance without a state license?"

"Boss," said the darky, "you-uns said a mouthful, I knowed I couldn't sell it, but Ah didn't know the reason."

My folks will be proud to get this letter."

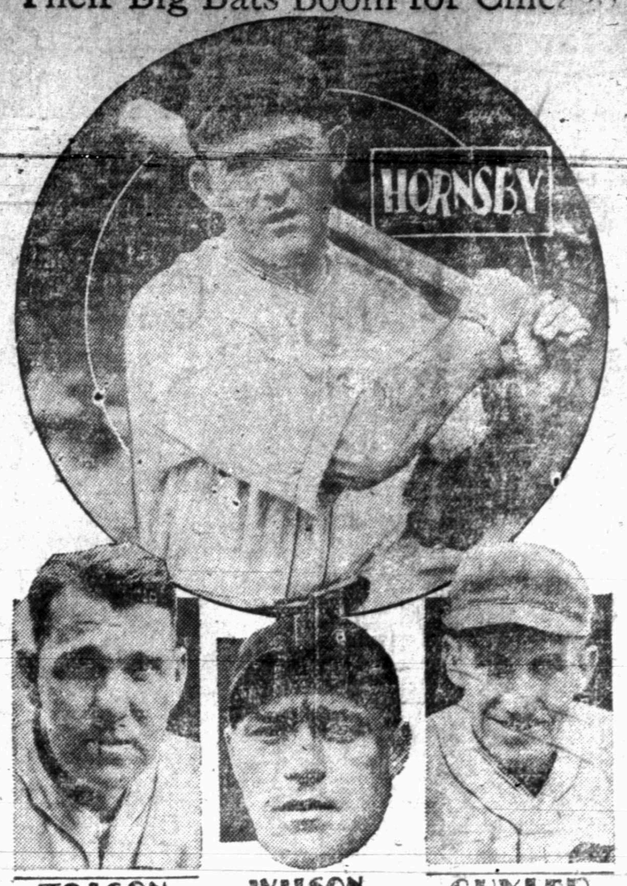
"Why is that?"

"They thought I'd have hard work to get a job, and here I've had six already this month."

A bulletin board outside a church announced Sunday's sermon: "Do you know what hell is?"

Underneath was printed in smaller letters: "Come and hear our new organist."

Their Big Bats Boom for Chicago



If the Chicago Cubs win the National League pennant this year—and they seem a cinch to do so—this quartet of players will wield big bats for the Cubs in the 1929 world series. Above are Rogers Hornsby, premier second baseman of the league; Charles Tolson, who was brought in at mid-season to play first following an injury to Charley Grimm, and Hack Wilson and Kiki Cuyler, outfielders. Each hits at a healthy clip.

New Golf King

Although Harrison R. "Jimmy" Johnston, above, became the new national amateur golf champion at the recent Pebble Beach (Calif.) tournament, it was 19-year-old Johnny Goodman, below, who furnished the big thrill of the meeting. Little Johnny defeated Bobby Jones, emperor of golf, in the first round. With Jones out, Johnston won the title. The new champion is from St. Paul

Scenes of Religious Warfare in Palestine

These pictures show scenes in Palestine during a recent clash in the religious war between Arabs and Jews. Frightened Jewish inhabitants are shown (at right) as they fled before the advance of Moslem attackers. At top, members of the Jewish community grouped at the postoffice to send news of their safety to friends and relatives. Below, left, a child victim of the Arab raid is shown, head bandaged, after being rescued by its mother. British soldiers guarding Jaffa Gate are shown below, center, searching Moslems for forbidden arms as they enter the town.

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81 inch Bleached Sheeting 35c yd. Value 19c YARD Limit 5 yards to a customer.	Men's Canvas Gloves 12½c Values 5c PAIR Limit 5 pairs to a customer.	Boys' Hickory Stripe Coveralls 48c PAIR Limit 2 suits to a customer.	8 oz. Cotton Sack Tubing 29c YARD Limit 6 yards to a customer.
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Bobolink Hose $1.00 Values 79c PAIR Limit 2 pairs to a customer.	Mercerized Colored Thread 3c SPOOL Limit 5 spools to a customer.	36 inch Brown Sheeting 12½c value 5c YARD Limit 5 yards to a customer.	White Table Oil Cloth 35c Value 19c YARD Limit 3 yards to a customer.

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The Weekly Dozen.

Life and our socks are just one darned thing after another.

He who laughs last laughs at his own reflection in the mirror of public opinion.

Now that the fair is over, what will the chronic griper have to cuss? The 1930 fair, maybe.

A scientist says humans would be healthier if they ate like hogs. But what would become of the flat-nosed Irishmen?

Someone remarked, after gazing for long at the Fluvanna community exhibit at the fair: "Where's the top of the pot?"

The advocate of "long handles" would have received our heartfelt o. k. the other night when a stiff breeze blew onto our thinly-covered self.

The Simmons University student who preached in pink pajamas evidently believed that "The apparel that attracteth attention, it shall be dyed."

Just a clipping: "Don't permit yourself to be forgotten by the people upon whom you depend for your patronage. Advertise regularly in the weekly newspaper."

The sparrows on the courthouse lawn at dusk sound like water falling on a tin roof; or like a thousand tiny babies singing in high C; or like static when the wires are damp.

"Don't let the bed bugs bite" was once the admonition of careful mothers. Now the bed bugs are all asleep when son or daughter breezes in on the wings of a rumble seat.

The Perpetual Pessimist says you can't put square pegs into round holes; neither can you square a circle. But he knows several clean-limbed flappers who circle the square more than a dozen times on a busy Saturday.

Now the animals and the fowls are in the midst of their annual scraps. The Mavericks down the Ponies; the Bears whip the Eagles; the Frogs trounce the Hill Billies. But the most unusual disclosure of all is that the Saints and the Pirates were not in the win column.

For Your Friends.

The News still has several copies of last week's edition, in which a number of stories and pictures of old-timey scenes and persons in Scurry County are depicted. If you have friends—especially those who lived here during frontier days—who would like to receive a copy of this issue, just bring the addresses to the office. We'll wrap and and mail the papers.

Fisher Says "O. K." to Good Roads.

When Fisher County voted to use more than $1,000,000 on her two highways and her lateral roads, she put herself on the map in more ways than one.

Exactly one year ago Scurry's neighbor county attempted to float a bond issue for road improvement, and the voters put their foot down on it. But Fisher County' far-sighted believers in good roads had the kind of faith that does not sit back in a morris chair and cry over spilled milk. They worked for another year. They interviewed farmers, business men and housewives personally, showing them the advantages of improved roads, how their small investment per capita would be returned many fold in a short time. They held community gatherings. They invited speakers from other sections. They talked good roads until they got folks to believing in good roads.

Fisher County will soon be shoving her paved highway to the very door of Scurry County's castle. Travelers will ease onto this county's roads from macadam or concrete; onto a cloud of dust if the weather gods have been skimpy or onto a sea of mud if they have wept.

"I wonder what county this is?" the traveler will say. Then he will pull out his road map, run his finger down the index until he comes to "Scurry." It won't matter much then whether the county has skyscrapers and signal lights, clean streets and bountiful fields. When the traveler gets back home—and he'll probably return from the Caverns on the long southerly route—the folks will ask him about Scurry County, maybe.

"Oh, that's where I ate enough dust to ruin my appetite for the whole trip," he'll say.

It's worth thinking about, anyway—that bond issue floated by Fisher County. And if farmers won't to increase their property value and business men their county's and county seat's prestige, it's worth talking and working about.

Washington Letter

By Hehn News Service, Inc.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The indolent Spaniard's ejaculation, when asked to do anything involving exertion, is usually "manana"—tomorrow. A movement is on foot to have the word adopted in our language, so that it may be applied to some of the procrastinative barn-locking tactics of Congress.

When first informed that federal prison conditions were approaching the unspeakable, Congress murmured "manana." When asked, during the years prior to the Shearer imbroglio, why paid lobbyism was tolerated, Congress whispered "manana." "Manana," says Congress to the earnest seekers for real farm relief. The elimination of needless extravagance in governmental expenditures will have attention—"manana." And it looks very much like it's "manana" for acceptable—or, possibly, any other variety of—tariff revision.

But, in spite of the old adage to the contrary, tomorrow does seem to come occasionally, if one has infinite patience, even to Congress. A tomorrow dawned when lives were sacrificed and property destroyed at Leavenworth penitentiary. Another seems to have arrived in the matter of protection of this country's defense secrets. Chips from the Shearer expose flew in many directions—undoubtedly all have not been counted, as yet—and one appear to have struck those who are supposed to safeguard American military and naval secrets. The now pending Shearer investigation brought to light more than a possibility of a "leak" in certain supposedly sound-proof halls.

Representative W. Frank Jones, of Michigan, member of the Committee on Military Affairs, has introduced in the House a bill giving the president new and unprecedented powers. It provides that, at his order, information concerning military construction shall not only be withheld, but that contracts may be awarded without a public call for bids. Evidently the bill is designed to keep prying eyes from military and naval plans. The decision of the president as to whether a matter shall be kept confidential is "final and conclusive" under provisions of the measure.

In spite of the fact that the bill is said to have been introduced at the request of the War Department, which may or may not in itself be cause for some dubiousness, it will undoubtedly meet with strenuous opposition by those solons who quake with fear whenever enlargement of presidential powers is mentioned, thus threatening "usurpation of congressional prerogatives." Provisions of the bill may be somewhat far-reaching, and its passage may be said to be exceedingly doubtful. The necessity for secrecy in connection with some military and naval operations is and for some time must have been apparent, and the strange thing about it is that Congress chose to wait for a Shearer to point out the path of obvious duty.

Among other ramifications of the Shearer exposures is the now probable revification of the old lobby issue. Whatever may be the result of the inquiry under way, enough has already been disclosed to indicate that the whole lobby question may be reopened at the December session of Congress. The sentiment is gaining strength that William B. Shearer was hired by three American shipbuilding companies to "throw a monkey wrench" into the Geneva conference on naval limitations in 1927. Nevertheless, it is a fact that this apparently deliberate intention to prevent consummation of the expressed desire of our government has been less provocative of general censure than the means employed for its accomplishment.

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In testifying before the Senate investigating committee, C. L. Bardo, president of the New York Shipbuilding Co., testified that his company had expended $143,000 in a large part to build up sentiment for a large American merchant marine. In spite of the fact that some of this money might have found—and probably did find—its way into Mr. Shearer's pockets, and the fact that American shipbuilders are selfishly interested in the merchant marine, it remains that in common with every other citizen of America they have the right to urge the need for American commerce of America owned and operated overseas merchant vessels. Without now referring to men-of-war, nor to self-motived interference with international compromises on limitation of armaments, there would seem to be no good reason why the shipbuilding interests should not have the same right to advocate laws which encourage a noteworthy merchant marine as other industrial concerns and groups have to urge the enactment of legislation which makes possible the growth and development of manufacturing.

What does particularly besmirch any contention of purity of motives in efforts to induce or prevent legislation is the secrecy with which lobbying and propagandism is most often surrounded. When interests or persons come out into the open and say just what they are doing and why, to influence legislation, all who can read are informed and can weigh the matter. It is the insidious, under-cover lobby that is abominated, even if in the end it does react toward its own purposes once its existence is brought to light.

Mr. Shearer was known to be an advocate of a large navy. His engagement to represent the shipbuilding companies at Geneva was a secret matter. Probably it never would have been called to the attention of either Congress or the public had it not been for the suit brought by Shearer himself for additional compensation claimed to be due. Now the burden is heavily upon the shipbuilding interests to prove that he was employed merely to "observe" and report. Furnishing a skeptical citizenry with convincing proof of this will be, in the vernacular, "some job."

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Those who attended the session of the Senate Agricultural Committee during which Alexander Legge was "examined" in expectation of sensational explosions, were doomed to disappointments. Tall, ruddy-faced and deliberate, Mr. Legge took two hours of rapid-fire questioning with undiminishing equanimity, and little was elicited from him beyond the fact that the Board had obligated itself for about $40,000,000 of the $500,000,000 allocated by Congress under the Farm Relief Act, and had made actual cash advances totalling a comparatively small amount.

Mr. Legge indicated the method thus far pursued by the Board had been one of extreme caution, and in the two months of its operation, since its first meeting, Juy 15, had done little else than seek information from various groups. The policy outlined by the Board, he said, was one of "feeling its way." He thought that inasmuch as Congress had spent five years enacting farm legislation too much should not be expected from efforts of the first few months to put the legislation in operation.

Intensive probing by Chairman McNary, Senator Caraway and others into such matters as the extent of Mr. Legge's holdings in the International Harvester Co., the past and present market value of these holdings, his connection with importing houses and foodstuff concerns, and matters other than the policy, operation and accomplishments to date of the new board, are accepted by many here as reliable indication that Mr. Legge's nomination will not be confirmed. Just what would be the ultimate effect of a failure to confirm no one ventures to predict, but that it would be far-reaching no one doubts.

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However, not all of the news and news comments flowing out of Washington this week is tinctured with bile. It is announced that the treasury may confidently be expected to follow the lead of President Hoover and make a recommendation to Congress for a reduction of taxes. While the amount of that reduction is still uncertain, and obviously will have to remain so for several weeks, assurance has been given that such is the treasury's purpose, and the regular session of Congress will be told of the treasury views soon after it takes up.

It is announced that income tax receipts are running far ahead of what the department expected; that miscellaneous taxes are producing greater revenue than had been estimated, and from custom duties and other sources the totals are gradually climbing to new heights for peacetime operation of the department. There are some who believe that the recommendation may be for a cut of as much as $300,000,000. This estimate was based on computations which assumed that the business of the country will continue on the present basis of volume, and those who see the possibility of a cut of anything like that amount believe that the department will have a surplus even larger.

Of course, it was pointed out, only two and one-half months of the current fiscal year have elapsed and many changes in conditions may come but the treasury recognizes that 1929 has produced probably the greatest volume of business on record. It has established a level higher than 1928 business on the income of which taxes are being collected this year. This unprecedented prosperity has been and is being reflected in the government's income tax receipts. The treasury apparently is willing to give business further encouragement by offering a further reduction in the taxes it bears, but as yet none can foretell the form of the revision, nor forecast what effect the new tarift rates will have on the revenue if the pending bill is enacted. However, customs authorities say that the natural result should be an increased return to the government. If this proves to be the case, there will be a few additional millions which may be clipped off of the internal tax total.

The policy of gradual reduction of the federal taxes undoubtedly has been productive of excellent results. With the lessening of the tax rates, more and more American capital has found its way into industrial and commercial enterprises. There has been a greater inclination to place money in productive business rather than keep it invested in tax-exempt securities. President Hoover may be expected to give the matter most careful consideration. It is not to be entered into lightly, desirable as it may be from the standpoint of the tax-payer and also from that of the holder of political office who must go to the people for re-election in 1930.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME : By NEA Service

Your Wants Supplied at Home.

A live town, with live merchants, invariably affects real estate and farm values and the desirability of that community as a place to live. By the people of a community continually trading with the local merchants the spirit of cooperation is born. The merchant in turn, almost without exception, is made to realize the necessity of having complete lines of goods.

The daily paper, the telephone and rural delivery have inaugurated a new system of merchandising, impossible under former conditions, and, as a rule, people of the different communities are enabled to buy all their wants and needs in their home town. Careful investigation has proved beyond doubt that the average small city merchant is as thoroughly alive to the wants and needs of his patrons as are the tradesmen of the larger cities. The one thing only that is needed to make the cooperative scheme a success, and thus bring larger assortments of style and quality merchandise, is the united patronage, of the buyers of that particular community.

Some may say that they are unable to satisfy their wants in the smaller city or town. If such is the case, it is because the merchants of that town have not had the patronage necessary to justify their carrying the added stocks. At least this is the case in nine out of 10 such complaints. On the other hand, there is the possible chance but only in very rare instances, of a merchant who will not see the trend of the times and who will not modernize his stocks to meet the new conditions. And this being the case, there will be but a very short time elapse before that merchant has of necessity been either forced to see the light or his trade has been assimilated by a more progressive man and the opportunity of a good trading place afforded the buyer.

There is no town in the country immune to the locating of "live wires."—Exchange.

Farm Fires.

It is difficult to comprehend that every 15 minutes a farm building is destroyed by fire. In other words, each year fire destroys 35,000 farm buildings estimated to be worth $150,000,000. Besides this loss, there are 3,500 people burned to death in farm fires each year. This loss is appalling and can be materially lessened if the following suggestions of the National Fire Protection Association for fire prevention are observed:

Provide a system of running water under pressure.

Provide all buildings with proper lightning protection equipment.

Rebuild all defective chimneys and see that all heating apparatus is properly installed. Keep chimneys, flues and stoves clean.

Allow no smoking in barns, or elsewhere where combustible material is stored.

Use fire retarding roofings.

Thoroughly cure hay, pea vines, and other roughage before they are stacked in barns. Do not allow horse manure to accumulate in large piles in stables or against buildings.

Provide proper facilities for the storage and handling of gasoline and kerosene. Do not use gasoline for home cleaning or kerosene for starting fires.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture offers three recommendations for the prevention of spontaneous combustion: First, mowing only properly cured hay; second, the use of salt on green hay; and third, free ventilation after storage. In the heating of hay, combustible gasses are formed and by ventilation they are permitted to pass out of the barn and, naturally, lessen the danger of fire.

Besides taking these various precautions enumerated, it seems to us a few fire extinguishers kept in convenient places would also help materially to cut down the loss from fire. These fire extinguishers are convenient to use and will put out a small fire almost instantly. At any rate, farm fires are so expensive that every farmer is warranted in taking these precautions.—Hoard's Dairyman.

GUARDIANSHIP NOTICE.

In the matter of the guardianship of Harrold W. Bozarth, a minor. Probate docket No. 475 in the county court of Scurry County, Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of Harrold W. Bozarth, a minor, guardianship on said estate now pending in the county court of Scurry County, Texas, on the probate docket thereof:

Know ye: That I, A. C. Wilmeth, guardian of the estate of the above named minor, on the 26th day of September, 1929, filed in the county court of Scurry County, Texas, an application for authority to execute an oil, gas and mining lease covering the said minor's interest in the following described land, to-wit: Said minor's interest, being an undivided one-third interest in said land, but it being the intention of said guardian to include all of said minor's interest in said land, whether the same be more or less than one-third, the land being described as follows:

Being eighty (80) acres out of the R. H. Carter Survey, Section No. 1, Abstract No. 752: Beginning at stake N. 15 W. 868 varas from the N. E. corner of the R. W. Carter Preemption Survey, being the S. E. corner of the R. W. Carter Survey; thence N. 15 degress, W. 434 varas a stake; thence S. 75 degrees, W. 1040 varas to a stake in the E. line of Elias Malone Survey; thence S. 15 degrees, E. 434 varas to a stake in Elias Malone Survey; thence N. 75 degrees, E. 1040 varas to a place of beginning, being the S. half of the R. H. Carter Survey containing 80 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to A. C. Wilmeth by B. Blankenship by deed dated January 4, 1895, recorded in Vol. 5, Page 32, deed records of Scurry County, Texas;

And said application for authority to execute said oil and gas lease has been set down for hearing and will be heard by the county judge of Scurry County, Texas, at the court house of Scurry County, Texas, at Snyder, Texas, on the 14th day of October, 1929.

A. C. Wilmeth, Guardian of the Estate of Harrold W. Bozarth, a Minor. 1tc

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¶ THE reader cannot overlook the slovenly introduction he receives to the content of the message, and he invariably discounts all it contains.

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CAR OWNER'S SCRAPBOOK

By G. W. DONALD.

What Causes a Piston Slap.

The annoying piston slap, which is so often difficult to locate, is generally caused by looseness of the piston or by a bent connecting rod. For the best operation a piston should be a good fit in the cylinder and there should be a very slight looseness. Usually the piston is about one thousandth of an inch smaller than the cylinder bore for each inch of piston diameter at the point where the least heat is present, or at the bottom of the piston. However, at the top a greater allowance is necessary, as the expansion is greater, due to the direct heat of the explosion. In most instances the clearance is graduated. For example, a piston which is five-thousandths smaller than the cylinder bore at the bottom would be about 65 ten-thousandths at the top. Should more clearance than this exist the piston will produce a slap in the cylinder.

Wrong Battery Connection.

Should a battery be connected in reverse, it is indicated by the ammeter needle swinging back and forth. The battery bucks the charging current delivered by the generator, causing the output to vibrate and practically neutralizes the current produced by the generator until this condition is overcome.

On some systems the battery voltage is sufficient to influence and control the generator polarity and the generator will soon reverse itself, charging the battery in the proper direction, though the ammeter will read in the opposite direction from what it did originally. In many cases where the generator does not reverse itself, the holding down of the cut-out switch for a few minutes will cause a reversal of the generator fields and the battery will receive the benefit of the charging current. The advisable method, however, is to connect the battery as it should be as soon as this mistake is discovered.

How to Test Oils.

Here is a simple way to test oils to ascertain if they contain certain solid impurities. Take a half cup of the oil and add kerosene until the mixture becomes thin. Pass this thin fluid through filter paper or an ordinary colorless blotting paper. Just as soon as all of the thinned oil has passed through the paper, wash the paper with kerosene. If any residue remains it will show whether the oil contains any solid impurities.

Still another way is to smear a piece of ordinary corresponding paper with the suspected oil and then hold it to the light. If the oil is free of any solid impurities the blot of oil will be equally transparent at all the points. But should any solid particles or sediment be contained in the oil they will be plainly visible.

Repairing an Electric Plug.

Quite often the threaded portion of an electric light connection will become so worn that it will no longer hold, but as this composition becomes soft upon the application of heat it is an easy matter to make a successful repair. Place the part having the internal thread in boiling water. This will soften it. Then place over the part having the external thread and press around the outside with the fingers so as to compress the softened rubber into the other thread. Now remove the softened part carefully by unscrewing and drop it immediately into cold water so that it will harden. If just a little pains is taken an entirely new thread will be formed and the plug will be of as much service as a new one.

Do Not Slip the Clutch.

A great many drivers form the practice, when slowing up for traffic or turning a corner, probably at five or six miles an hour, of letting the clutch slip, then picking up speed without shifting to a lower gear. This is not a good method. It is far better to use the lower gear, as a continual slipping of the clutch will invariably wear it out far ahead of its natural life.

A careful car owner or the best drivers will seldom slip the clutch, preferring to use the gear shift lever, which is provided for that purpose.

Filing Washers.

It is often possible to use a washer to take up play in some worn part. But usually the washers on hand are too thick, and to hold them in a vise while filing the face is too difficult. A good method is to drive a nail into the workbench, or into a block of wood, so that the head of the nail is just below the surface of the washer. Lay the washer over the nail, then file in a forward manner only, a little to one side of the center which will cause the washer to turn slowly while being filed. In this manner an even cut can be taken from the entire surface of the washer.

Keep the Radiator Clean.

Every radiator will eventually become clogged with grease or foreign matter and impair the circulation of the water, unless it is cleaned occasionally. And of course the result of a clogged radiator is overheating.

The use of a little washing soda mixed in boiling water and allowed to stand for a few hours will clean a radiator wonderfully. But be very careful to drain off this solution and then flush well with the hose, using considerable force of water.

The Oil Gauge.

A car owner should inspect the oil gauge frequently to see that it is free to move, and that the indication it gives is correct. It must be remembered that oil deteriorates under heat and the spoiled oil in the crankcase thickens, accumulating carbon from the cylinders and forming into thick, pasty mass that will not pass through the pump.

How to Prevent Rust.

A mixture of one-half kerosene and one-half engine oil makes an excellent lubricant for small exposed parts. The kerosene loosens the rust, evaporates and leaves the engine oil.

"What?" queried the unsophisticated youth, "is the best way to find out what a woman thinks of you?"

"Marry her," replied the Shelbyville sage, "then wait a few days."

'Puzzles Exercise Brains'---That's Theory Of National Puzzlers' League

NO stranger group in convention seems possible than the National Puzzlers' League which meets bi-annually. Yet, in all, it is not so strange to its members who have banded together on the theory that puzzles provide a wholesome, clean, beneficial relaxation.

What is this organization? Who are its members? What does it do?

The answers are simple.

The National Puzzlers' League has about 500 members whose mental hobby is a puzzle. Physicians, bankers, architects, engineers, teachers—people of every profession—are members. The league promotes the advancement of puzzles of a "higher order" on the theory that they provide clean, beneficial mental relaxation. It encourages individual initiative.

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WHEN one is admitted into membership, he adopts a nom de plume

For instance: Mrs. J. F. Kobus, a prominent lawyer and clubwoman of Camden, N. J., is president. She's known as H. S. Law. Reason: spell "H. S. Law" backwards and you have "Walsh." That was her maiden name, and there you are.

Mrs. Kobus wants women of the country to understand the league's work.

"We're not nuts," she explains, "although now and then we are the victims of 'kidding' newspaper stories. Some of us became interested because of our natural fondness for mastering puzzles. Others because our husbands, or wives, or friends were puzzlers.

"Working puzzles is fascinating. The puzzles we are interested in are the very highest forms of art. They are difficult, yes; but they can be solved by using the brain—and that is what we are working for. We want to see people use their brains."

Weir fexli pul ipnaplis yuew ryl pux, kmr iewlkesd ilri rylw psuovr oh p weul weskuh kepr, rypr'i pnn.

Abcdz-ycxwv yfgh ijvbfxzk, uzhv kiaz jahzv, actfsjgz hwfkiq-uirzb vwbzq aiqzbyjp twfoacig lzbapjgl; yijp tpfcozk.

If you want to have some fun—and also tax your brain—try working these cryptograms. This scrambled mess of words are two sentences. They make sense, too. These are samples of the puzzles members of the National Puzzlers' Association find fun in working.

THE league's members are strictly amateurs. They meet twice a year. Sixty-two of them met recently in Cincinnati. Known by their peculiar names such as "Arty Ess," "Gi Gantic," "Willie Wildwave," they come long distances to meet old friends and discuss their hobby. The bonds of cryptograms and anagrams are strong ones.

"Gi Gantic" is one of the league's most prominent members. He, in life, is Dr. A. F. Kleykamp of St. Louis. He was given this name because of the respect that his fellow members have for his mental powers. Dr. Kleykamp doesn't look so gigantic—but he is a master of the Spanish, German, Italian, Greek, Polish, Croatian, Servian and, of course, English languages, and has solved puzzles in all of them.

The league numbers among its members several code experts. These experts are now at work in an effort to decipher a document found on a sailing vessel in 1820, which in all these years has defied the best efforts of professional decoders.

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A GLANCE at their official publication, The Enigma, convinces one that it takes brains to solve puzzles. Crosswords are not worked—they're too easy, the members say. But the brain teasers in The Enigma are something to worry many an hour over. One of the most popular puzzlers is the cryptogram, which greatly resembles the puzzle in Poe's "Gold Bug," and which is a scrambled mass of letters which must be unscrambled by solving the key. Try one some day, if you want to put the brain to overtime duty.

Found Wreckage of Plane

Wreckage of the Transcontinental Air Transport passenger plane in which six passengers and two pilots lost their lives was found on the side of a mountain 100 miles west of Albuquerque, N. M., by Pilot George Rice, above, of the Western Air Express. Rice sighted the missing plane while on a regular plane run

First Church of Christ

One hope: The Christianization of the world; one aim: Christian unity the paramount prerequisite to Christianization; one method: The Bible its own interpreter; one theme: The self-will in all things subordinated to the Christ-will.

Bible school—9:45 a. m.

Sermon: "Setting Sai on the High Seas"—10:45 a. m.

Lord's Supper—11:30 a. m.

Christian Endeavor—6:30 a. m.

Sermon: "The Prince of Kings"—7:30 p. m.

The morning sermon is in keeping with the program previously instituted for the special benefit of our new members, but is also arranged so as not to be unattractive to older ones. It is a study of the fundamentals of Christian living.

The evening sermon is third in a series now being studier from Revelation. It includes many of the fundamentals of the interpretation of this great and inspiring book. The entire series is an illustration of the great principle of the Bible its own interpreter.

A cordial invitation to all.

Thomas M. Broadfoot, Pastor.

Politeness to Children.

Courtesy is as "catching" as profanity. Say "Excuse me," "Thank you" and "If you please" to your child every time there is occasion for it, and you will have no trouble teaching him good manners. The same is true of good grammar. We are creatures of environment, and the easiest way to teach a child is by example, to fill the atmosphere with the kind of thing we want him to take on.

Raw winds, hot sun, soapy dishwater, and the preparation of vegetables are all hard on the hands. To keep them soft and attractive, one should rub a heavy oil into the skin once or twice a day. Plain olive oil or a simple hand lotion will do. Cheap cotton gloves, worn at night, will protect the bedding and keep the oil from rubbing off.

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About Snyder People

Phone 266 When You Have Guests in Your Home or Go Out of Town

she and Mr. Hooper will make their home.

E. B. Hull of Sweetwater visited relatives in Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Evans of Breckenridge is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hull of Rotan spent Sunday in Snyder with Mrs. D. J. Hull.

Miss Erma Taylor of Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor.

Mrs. R. L. Howard and Miss Mildred Howard of Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eager Sunday.

Mmes. L. E. Trigg, J. A. Hood, T. L. Lollar and Clarence Wenninger were visitors in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. Gerstle Vaught and children of Colorado are in Snyder visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bertram.

J. G. Stimson, O. Oleson and Misses Pearl Letha and Eula Moulton of Sweetwater were guests of Miss Anne Duncan Sunday.

Misses Edith Grantham, Lucille Brown, Mariwade and Mildred Harless and Mrs. Lee Newsom visited with friends and relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Eiland of Stanton were in Snyder Sunday visiting with relatives. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor and little daughter, Evelyn.

Mrs. T. B. Reins and children of San Angelo returned to their home Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Butts. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Butts and Raymond Butts, who returned to Snyder Sunday evening.

Mollie and Me have fresh fruits, vegetables and meats.

Mrs. Ellamay Vaughn of Colorado is visiting with Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

W. O. Logan and W. M. Scott attended the Lubbock Fair Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Teter and little son were visitors in Big Spring Sunday.

Miss Nora Walters of Rule is visiting with her sister, Dr. Harietta Walters.

Garfield Heron of Hot Springs, Ark., is visiting with his brother, E. W. Heron.

Mrs. Lona Roberts of Eureka, Calif., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. John Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kit Porter at Colorado Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Bates of Durant, Okla., is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

You can get your fresh meats, fruits and vegetables along with your groceries at Mollie and Me.

Mrs. L. Y. Duke of Amarillo has been in Snyder this week at the bedside of her father, G. L. Autry. Mr. Autry has improved and Mrs. Duke is returning to her home the last of this week.

Earnest Pope and A. C. Watt of Roscoe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Card returned Sunday from a trip through West Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

Messrs. George, Ed and Bill Owen of Rising Star spent last week-end with their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Martin.

Miss Hazel Smyth of Big Spring was the guest of her brother, J. C. Smyth, and other relatives here Sunday.

W. W. Hamilton and family attended the funeral of Mr. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. J. O. Hamilton, held in Merkel Monday.

Mrs. Wayne Williams and little daughter, Mary Ellen, and Misses Gladys and Oleta Mitchell were visitors in Sweetwater Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson of Guymon, Okla., returned to their home Wednesday evening after a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

Fresh fruits, vegetables and meats of all kinds at Mollie and Me.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephenson, formerly of Sweetwater, have moved to Snyder. Mr. Stephenson is selling insurance in connection with the Modern Woodman's Association.

J. O. Hamilton of Merkel is visiting with his son, W. W. Hamilton. Guy Hamilton of Quitague, Okla., and Mrs. Winnie Pope of Anson are also guests in the Hamilton home.

Miss Gladys Mitchell is the new bookkeeper for Yoder-Anderson Motor Company. Mrs. C. W. Hooper, who formerly held that position, left Wednesday evening for Big Spring, where

"Health Garage" Is Club Feature at Fair

"Chug! Chug! Chug!"

Up drives the worn-out traveler to the garage over which these signs are hung: "Visit This Filling Station Daily," "We Recharge Batteries," and "Consult Us on Rebuilding Bodies."

The station, by the way, is known as "Health Garage," and its workmen are employed to recharge human batteries, to fix human flat tires, and to provide accessories for human health.

During the Scurry County Fair the Health Garage was located just to the left of the east entrance of the exhibit building. It was built by several club girls of the county, who have learned what it takes to keep the human body hitting on six cylinders every day in the year.

The filling station to which the two long arrows pointed was none other than a huge milk bottle, assisted by tomatoes, bread, and other correct edibles. The battery charging station, equipped with real wires, used celery, milk, fruits, canned goods, and even onions for its equipment.

Thomas Will Attend State Penney Meet

H. H. Thomas, manager of the local J. C. Penney Co. store will leave Saturday for Dallas, where he will attend the fall convention of the J. C. Penney Co., to be held at the Baker Hotel, in that city. The convention will open on Monday, October 7, and continue for the balance of the week.

Representatives from the New York office of the J. C. Penney Co., who will preside at the convention, will include: Chairman L. V. Day and H. H. Schwamb, personnel department; W. W. Weitlich, merchandise department; J. A. Fitz Randolph, sales; D. C. Andrews, district manager; C. H. McClure, real estate. Seven buyers for important merchandise departments will also be present.

"The fall convention this year," said Mr. Thomas, "will be largely devoted to sales promotion, in line with the Gold Star sales contest recently inaugurated by the company. This contest is not only to increase sales but to improve service to the public by bringing individual clerks in closer contact with the entire organization, thus giving them a better understanding of efficient selling methods.

"This year has already seen the greatest growth ever made in the development of the J. C. Penney Co. More stores have been opened than in any previous year, and sales are larger than ever before."

CORRECTION.

Beneath the old timers' group picture on the first page of the second section of The News last week, the name of W. D. Sims was given as W. D. Davis. The publishers cheerfully make this correction.

"Tommy, can you tell me one of the uses of cowhide?"

"Er, yes, sir. It keeps the cow together."

NEWS FROM DUNN COMMUNITY

School News

Examinations in Vogue.

Examinations have been the vogue of the day in Dunn high school. The students are getting back into the swing of things and much good work is evidenced.

We're All Owls Now.

Maroon and white have been unanimously chosen as the colors of the Dunn high school. Both the teams of boys and girls will use the "Owl" as their emblem. The Owls are to enter the first practice game of the season on Friday of this week.

Chicken Fry for Faculty.

Superintendent and Mrs. Claude Hooks and Mrs. Edwards honored the faculty of Dunn school with a chicken fry Thursday of last week.

Basketball Practice Going on.

Basketball practice is in full swing. There has been some let-up in practice on account of bad weather. Coach Stark is showing wondering ability in showing a winning team. Seven men are in the ranks. We will play a practice game with Fluvanna Friday. The teams will appear with owls on their jerseys this year.

REV. W. M. SPECK TALKS TO WOMEN OF CHURCH

On Friday afternoon of last week Rev. W. M. Speck of Snyder met with the women of the church and taught them a fine lesson. They are taking up each book of the New Testament, learning who wrote it and why he wrote it. Next Friday they will study the women's work in the church.

Rev. Speck again gave a fine lesson Friday night to a large audience, who enjoyed it very much.

Next Sunday Mr. James will make a talk on foreign missions.

Last Sunday the classes were taught by the regular teacher and then the services were turned over to the smaller boys. J. P. Ellis read a chapter and Calvin Long led in prayer.

The whole congregation read 1200 chapters last week and all are intending to make it 3000 next week.

SEVERAL FROM DUNN GO TO ROSCOE S. S. MEETING

Several of the pupils of the Baptist Sunday school, accompanied by the superintendent, attended the Sunday school association meeting last Sunday afternon at Roscoe. Much interest is being taken in the church work. There was an attendance of about 70 in Sunday school Sunday.

The senior B. Y. P. U. met at 7:15 last Sunday evening. A very interesting program was rendered by group No. 2. John Nixon acted as president and Susie Johnston as secretary. The program for next Sunday night was read. The young people are very interested in the work.

REGULAR SERVICES HELD AT METHODIST CHURCH

Regular Sunday school and preaching services were held at the Methodist church last Sunday. Rev. Riley filled his regular appointment in the morning. A special effort to increase Sunday school and preaching attendance next Sunday is being made.

The Epworth League met Sunday night and was well attended. Good talks were made by Rev. Riley and Mrs. Grimes.

ONE DAY SERVICE!

AN UP-TO DATE CLEANING PLANT—OPERATED BY SKILLED WORKMEN

WE'VE CUT 'EM—

OUR PRICES ON CLEANING AND PRESSING

Several months ago we made drastic reductions in the prices of Cleaning and Pressing. And again, effective now, we are making a still further reduction in prices, as follows:

MEN'S PRICE LIST

Suits Cleaned and Pressed	$1.00
Suits Pressed	.50
Pants Cleaned and Pressed	.50
Pants Pressed	.25
Men's Overcoats Cleaned and Pressed	1.00

LADIES PRICE LIST

Plain Dresses Cleaned and Pressed	$1.00
Plain Coats Cleaned and Pressed	1.00
Pleated Dresses Cleaned and Pressed	$1.25 and Up
Plain Dresses Pressed	.50

Our modern $5000 Cleaning Plant, operated by experienced men, enables us to give you the best of work and quickest service every day in the week.

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Chambers & Rogers

FAIR AWARDS—

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ond, Union; Mrs. Inez Seale, third, Gannaway.

Suit—Mrs. J. O. Mebane, first, Union; Mrs. H. G. Campbell, second, Gannaway; Mrs. S. O. Stokes, third, Camp Springs.

Child's Dress, Ages 2 to 5—Esther Bearden, first, Union; Mrs. R. B. Wills, second, Fluvanna; Mrs. E. R. Jones, third, Gannaway.

Child's Dress, Ages 7 to 9—Mrs. M. Bynum, first, Union; Mrs. J. W. Wade, second, Gannaway; Mrs. T. W. Pollard, third, Camp Springs.

Woman's Dress—Maggie Boone, first, Camp Springs; Mrs. Paris McPherson, second, Union; Mrs. W. F. Mathis, third, Fluvanna.

Sacer Dress—Mrs. Oscar Coston, first, Camp Springs; Mrs. Geo. Lewis, second, Ira; Mrs. D. E. Watson, third, Gannaway.

Record Book—Gannaway Club, first; Camp Springs Club, second; Union Club, third.

Two Quarts Canned Vegetables—Mrs. J. T. Biggs, first, Union; Mrs. J. R. Truss, second, Fluvanna; Mrs. H. G. Campbell, third, Gannaway.

Two Quarts Watermelon Rind Products—Mrs. D. E. Watson, first, Gannaway; Mrs. S. P. Sims, second, Gannaway; Mrs. Jim Beavers, third, Camp Springs.

Two Quarts Preserves—Mrs. J. R. Wilson, first; Mrs. J. J. Belew, second; Dannie McCormick, third, Camp Springs.

Jelly, Three Containers—J. L. Carrell, first, Union; N. B. Wallace, second, Hermleigh; Mrs. J. P. De Shazo, third.

Record Book Contest, Club Girls—Hud Club, first; Lloyd Mt. Club, second.

Record Book Contest, Club Women—Union Club, first; Gannaway Club, second; Camp Springs Club, third; Fluvanna Club, fourth.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT,

Mrs. Joe Caton, General Supt.

Fine Arts and Decorations,

Miss Alma Nell Morris, Supt.

Oils—Mae McClinton, first, Snyder; Mae McClinton, second, Snyder; Nell Teague, third, Snyder.

Water Colors—Carwin Patterson, first, Snyder; Blanche Mitchell, second, Snyder; Blanche Mitchell, third, Snyder.

Pastels—Carwin Patterson, first, Snyder; Irene Spears, second, Snyder; Elsie Hollie, third, Snyder.

Best Article—Mariam Hannabiss, first, Snyder; Mrs. R. Hebel, second, Snyder; Mrs. Claude Sims, third, Snyder.

Best Collection—Mae McClinton, first, Snyder; Carwin Patterson, second, Snyder; Mrs. Claude Sims, third, Snyder.

Textile Department,

Mmes. Clarence Wenninger and A. J. Cody, Superintendents.

Bed Spread—Mrs. C. A. Rucker, first, Snyder; Mrs. Etoil Huddleston, second, Knapp; Mrs. Melvis Neal, third, Snyder.

Luncheon Set—Mrs. Sam Hamlett, first, Snyder; Mrs. Chenault, second, Snyder; Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, third, Snyder.

Handkerchiefs—Miss Myrtle Harrell, first, Snyder; Miss Myrtle Harrell, second, Snyder; Claire Patterson, third, Snyder.

Center Pieces—Mrs. G. H. Leath, first, Snyder; Mrs. W. B. Stanfield, second, Snyder; Mrs. C. P. Chenault, third, Snyder.

Pillow Cases—Mrs. Etoil Huddleston, first, Knapp; Mrs. W. M. Scott, second, Snyder; Iris Grout, third, Knapp.

Vanity Sets—Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, first, second and third, Snyder.

Braided Rugs—Esther Bearden, first, Snyder; Mrs. Carroll, second, Snyder.

Towels—Ina May Hailey, first, Ira; Maxine Hailey, second, Ira.

Cotton Quilts—Mrs. G. W. Lewis, first, Ira; Mrs. W. A. Taylor, second, Dunn; Mrs. Melvin Newton, third, Snyder.

Silk Quilts—Mrs. Harrell, Snyder.

Canned Products,

Mmes. Allen Warren, Joe Taylor, W. M. Scott.

Blackberries—Mrs. R. B. Hester, first, Snyder; Mrs. Cornelius Davis, second, Snyder; Mrs. D. N. Price, third, Snyder.

Peaches—Mrs. Hollie Shuler, first, Snyder; Mrs. W. M. Scott, second, Snyder; Mildred Davis, third, Snyder.

Plums—Mrs. J. A. Woodfin, first, Snyder; Mrs. J. E. Jones, second, Fluvanna; Mrs. J. C. Wilsford, third, Snyder.

Pears—Mrs. Emma Bilbee, first, Snyder; Mrs. G. W. Brown, second, Snyder; Mildred Davis, third, Snyder.

Tomatoes—Mrs. Hollie Shuler, first, Snyder; Mrs. D. N. Price, second, Snyder; Mrs. H. W. Taylor, third, Snyder.

String Beans—Mrs. Coy Watkins, second, Snyder; Mrs. Coy Watkins, third, Snyder.

Kraut—Mrs. J. L. Boore, first, Snyder; Mrs. John Truss, second; Mrs. W. P. Bowlin, third.

Peach Preserves—Mrs. D. N. Price, second, Snyder; Etoile Huddleston, third, Bison.

Watermelon Preserves—Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, first, Snyder; Mrs. S. D. Hayes, second.

Pear Preserves—Mrs. J. D. Boone, first, Camp Springs; Mrs. Mildred Jagoar, second; Mrs. W. M. Scott, third, Snyder.

Plum Jelly—Mrs. Owen Morton, first, Snyder; Mrs. C. W. Morton, second, Snyder; Mrs. G. W. Brown, third, Snyder.

Apple Jelly—Mrs. W. M. Scott, second, Snyder.

Berry Jam—Mrs. D. N. Price, third, Snyder.

Peach Conserve—Mrs. Jack Bowling, third, Snyder.

Pickled Cucumbers—Mrs. P. A. Mebane, second; Mrs. Mollie Lenoir, third, Fluvanna.

Pickled Beets—Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, first, Snyder; Mrs. W. D. Bowlin, second,

Bird Department,

Mrs. Melvin Newton, Supt.

Best Canary, Clear Yellow—Mrs. A. J. Cody, first, Snyder; Mrs. Clarence Wenninger, second, Snyder; Mrs. Crowder, third.

Best Canary, Variegated or Marked—J. M. Newton, Jr., first; J. M. Newton, second, Snyder.

Flower Department,

Mrs. Roland Bell, Supt.

Best Bouquet—Mrs. Joe Caton, first (golden glow); Mrs. H. P. Rogers and Mrs. C. C. Higgins, second (queen's wreath); Mrs. D. N. Price, third (zennias).

Best Pot Plant—Miss Mabel Bryan, first (begonia); Mrs. T. J. Caskey, second (dew plant); Mrs. Joe Caton, third (geranium).

Best General Display—Mrs. J. M. Newton.

Dairy Products,

Mrs. T. W. Pollard, Supt.

Butter—Mrs. C. W. Morton, first; Mrs. Lemons, second; Mrs. J. E. Blakey, third.

Miscellaneous.

Cold Process Soap—Mrs. S. D. Hayes, first; Mrs. R. B. Hester, second; Mrs. G. W. Lewis, third.

Cooked Soap—Mrs. H. W. Taylor, first; Mrs. J. G. Reed, second; Mrs. G. W. Lewis, third.

Culinary Department,

Mrs. C. C. Higgins, Supt.

Angel Food—Mrs. C. C. Cody, first; Mrs. G. H. Leath, second; Mrs. C. T. Glenn, third.

Devil's Food Cake—Mrs. H. P. Brown, first; Elizabeth Hays, second; Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, third.

White Loaf Cake—Mrs. Joe Strayhorn.

Oat Meal Cookies — Elizabeth Hayes.

Tea Cakes—Mrs. J. G. Reed.

Steamed Raisin Brown Bread—Mrs. George Brown.

Corn Muffins—Mrs. John Blakey, first; Mrs. W. W. Hamilton, second; Mrs. J. E. Jones, third.

Biscuits—Mrs. G. W. Lewis, first; Mrs. W. W. Hamilton, second.

Fudge—Naomi Strayhorn, first; La Frances Hamilton, second.

Date Loaf—Frances Northcutt.

Divinity—La Frances Hamilton.

Mints—Naomi Strayhorn, first; La Frances Hamilton, second.

URGES TESTING OF DAIRY COW

The vocational department in the high school will run butter fat tests on cream or whole milk for anyone in the community who so desires this information.

We have in our laboratory a Babcock milk tester and are anxious to furnish this information on whole milk or cream. By testing the cream or whole milk you can determine which cow in the herd is loafing on the job. Maybe you have a cow or several of them that you might cull out and sell and get almost as much cream as if she was out of the herd entirely.

A cow's butter fat percentage can not be increased by feeding or any other way. If her butter fat test will go only two per cent she will remain two per cent regardless of the feed you might give her. You could decrease the amount of milk she would produce, but not her butter fat content. So why not find out about your cow?

Now, one sample of whole milk will not be an accurate test on your cow or cows. It will take two or three samples to get an accurate test on them. For example: The milk which is secured after milking, from the top without stirring from the bottom is richer than from the middle or bottom of the milk, for the fat content begins to rise as soon as the milking begins into the milk pail.

To get a good sample for testing, secure the milk from the cow you want tested as soon as milking is finished and stir from the bottom up toward the top. About two ounces of milk is plenty for a test. Send in a sample from the morning milking and in a few days a sample from the night's milking and a better test can be gotten.

In sending in samples of cream or whole milk for testing, the bottle must be clean and sanitary for an accurate test. It is better to scald out the vessel the day before the sample is to be secured for sending in for testing.

We want you to feel free to use this department for any useful information which we are capable of dispensing.

J. P. Jamison.

Have you tried a Snyder News classified a decently? Week by week in every way they are getting better and better. Let us help you write it today.

SNYDER WINS—

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rayed in white and orange, gave special yells and made formations on the field. Snyder's group of 40 pepsters followed with several clever stunts and yells.

How they lined up:

ROTAN—		—SNYDER
Pritchard	Left End	Huestis
Whitfield	Left Tackle	J. T. Trice (c)
Roach	Left Guard	Jenkins
Morrow	Center	Dan Trice
E. Collins	Right Guard	Isaacs
C. Collins	Right Tackle	Drinkard
Lee	Right End	Jones
Hicks	Left Half	McClinton
Hardy (c)	Right Half	Clark
Smith	Fullback	Martin
Abernathy	Quarterback	Ferguson

Snyder substitutions: Clements, Winston, Howell, Webb, Dodson Smith, Erwin.

Wraymond Sims, referee; Earl Fish, umpire; Fritz R. Smith, head linesman; Chubby Ritzenthaler, timekeeper.

How They Played.

Smith for Rotan kicked high to Snyder, who made a short return. On the first down McClinton failed to gain, but on the second he circled right end for 6 yards. Huestis punted to Hardy, Rotan safety, who fumbled, and Snyder recovered on their 30-yard line. First down was made by two plunges over left guard. Martin faked through right tackle for a second first down on the 10-yard line. Two plunges put the ball within less than a yard of the last chalk, but the Rotan line shook itself together and stopped Martin on the last down with only a few inches to go.

Hardy punted out of danger, Captain Trice recovering. McClinton lost a half yard. Two passes, Huestis to Ferguson, failed, and the 5-yard penalty was given. Huestis attempted a field goal from the 25-yard line, but it was low. A Rotan linesman touched the ball on the 10-yard line and, thinking it was dead, allowed a Snyder man to recover. Clark made 1 yard over center and McClinton gained 5 through right tackle. Martin ploughed through center for the first touchdown. A bad pass from center went beyond Huestis, who recovered and passed to Clark behind the goal for the extra point. Score, Snyder 7, Rotan 0.

Smith for Rotan kicked to McClinton, who was downed on the 39-yard line after a short return. After a time-out period, McClinton failed to gain on right end, and Martin made 1 yard over left guard. Clark made 10 and one-half yards and first down on left end. After McClinton had failed to make a yard, Martin went through right tackle for 6 yards, and Clark made a first down by inches. Two passes, Huestis to Ferguson, failed, and the 5-yard penalty was given. McClinton made no gain over right tackle. Snyder's ball on 43-yard line as quarter ends.

Second Quarter.

Huestis punted 40 yards and Hardy returned 10. Rotan promptly punted out of their own territory to McClinton on the 48-yard line, who returned 12. Clark went around left end for 2 yards and Martin made no gain over left tackle. Huestis punted 20 yards to the 33-yard line. Dan Trice stopped Hardy for a yard gain through center. Pritchard grabbed a 12-yard pass from Hardy. Dan Trice was slightly hurt when Rotan plunged through left guard for a yard gain. Abernathy snagged a pass from Hardy for 4 yards, but Rotan lost 1 yard of it back when they tried a center plunge. Hardy punted 35 yards to McClinton, who made a pretty 15-yard return to the 20-yard line. After a 5-yard penalty on the first down, Huestis punted. He was blocked, but recovered on the 17-yard line. A 40-yard punt was returned 12 yards by the weaving Hardy. The first play netted a yard, and Pritchard then caught a pass from Hardy for a bare first down on the 20-yard line. A pass failed. Hardy was stopped for 1 yard over right tackle. Pritchard caught two passes in a row, for 5 and 3 yards, missing a first down by line measurement. Huestis punted 20 yards out of bounds when the ball was turned to Snyder.

Smith lost a yard at right end, and a pass to Pritchard failed. Clements went in for Isaacs. Drinkard blocked a Rotan punt on the 50-yard line. McClinton failed to gain and then made 8 yards at right guard. A pass failed and McClinton made 3 yards over right tackle again. A 12-yard punt was rturned by Whitfield for 10 yards. After a pass had failed, Pritchard caught a second toss from Smith for a 12-yard gain to the 19-yard line. Five yards was made on a third pass. A right end run failed to gain as the half ended.

Second Half.

Hardy caught Huestis' kick for a short gain. No gain was made on the first down and the second lost 3 yards. It was Snyder's ball on the 35-yard line after a punt. Martin hit center for 5 yards and McClinton made 3 over right tackle. Martin barely ploughed through for a first down. McClinton fumbled and Whitfield for Rotan recovered on the 41-yard line. A pass failed. Abernathy caught a pass from Hardy for 5 yards. Hardy went outside after a 1-yard gain at right end. Drinkard blocked his second punt of the day and Huestis recovered for Snyder on the 50-yard line.

The quarter ended after a series of plunges and passes among which a 16-yard pass Huestis to Martin was uppermost. Rotan had the ball for two downs but failed to gain materially.

Fourth Quarter.

McClinton, trying his hand at the passing game, shot one to Martin for 9 and one-half yards. He then made the remaining three feet over tackle for a first down. Huestis gained 4 yards at right end. Substitutes began coming in from both sidelines. Huestis made 6 for a first down. No gain was made on a plunge from the 3-yard line, but Ferguson reeled over for a touchdown over center after time out was called. Huestis kicked goal. Score, Snyder 20, Rotan 0.

Abernathy was downed on the 20-yard line after Snyder's kick-off. After a 25-yard pass to Pritchard from Hardy, Rotan fumbled and Snyder recovered. Two line plays netted 3 yards. A pass failed. It was Rotan's ball on the 10-yard line after Huestis' punt. A pass failed. A 30-yard punt to Clark was returned 10 yards to the 27-yard line. Morrow downed Martin for a 2-yard loss, but Martin came back with a 3-yard gain over right guard. A long end run failed to gain, but a 2-yard pass made a first down. A Snyder substitute was downed for a loss. A pass to Clark was fumbled. Snyder punted but got the ball again in a hurry when Rotan failed to gain much on three plays. Martin made 11 yards for Snyder over right tackle, but Smith downed Clark for no gain. The game ended as Clark tried a second plunge with no gain.

FALL TIME is bargain time. Read the News classified section.

Heads G. O. P.

The first southerner ever to head the Republican party, Claudius H. Huston, above, of Tennessee, is the new chairman of the National Republican Committee, named to succeed Dr. Hubert Work, resigned. Huston hopes to perfect the G. O. P. organization in the southland.

Wedgeworth Is Back From Wife's Bedside

C. Wedgeworth, superintendent of Snyder schools, returned Thursday from Tenaha, where he has been at the bedside of his wife for eight days. He reported Mrs. Wedgeworth's condition as serious, with little change during the past week. She has been in ill health for some, and is now suffering from the effects of a recent operation.

The patient was carried to Marlin for treatments as Mr. Wedgeworth made the rturn trip.

Camp Springs Will Open School Oct. 7

The Camp Springs school, with Earl Horton as principal and Miss Pearl Horton as assisting teacher, will open Monday morning, according to County Superintendent A. A. Bullock.

With eight full grades and possibly a few students in the ninth grade, the Camp Springs school is expected to have one of the best years in its history.

No special opening program will be prepared.

Fiddling Center of Attraction at Fair On Friday Evening

Bob White of Fluvanna won first place in the old fiddlers' contest at the Scurry County Fair Friday evening, with Tom Smith of Colorado running him a close second. In third place was Sam Bullock of China Grove. Mr. Gray of Plainview won fourth honors.

One of the largest crowds which gathered at the fair heard "Hell Among the Yearlings" and the other fiddling favorites, as eight or 10 of the resin artists played on the band platform.

Second String Team Beats Hamlin 12-0

Snyder High's second string eleven journeyed over to Hamlin Saturday morning and administered a 12-0 beating to the follow-up men of that city's high school football team.

It is said that the secondary defense for Coach Moore's charges put up a pretty fight on the foreign field, and some of them will probably be given a chance to show their stuff in today's (Friday's) game as a result. Howell and Winston shoved over the two touchdowns.

NUNN TABERNACLE IS SCENE OF REVIVAL MEET

A series of meetings and special Bible lessons are being conducted by Rev. W. H. Lyon of Clovis, N. M., at the Nunn tabernacle, at the west side of the school ground, sponsored by Albert Buchanan, Ike Kidd and others of like faith.

Judge Holley Goes To Judges' Meeting

County Judge Horace Holley is in Houston this week attending the state judges' convention. He is expected to return Sunday.

The magistrates are expected to consider and adopt resolutions looking toward the betterment of county court conditions in the state. Several outstanding speakers are slated to address the gathering.

Judge Holley is expected to bring back new ideas of road financing and construction which will be of benefit to Scurry County in the near future.

The News is still the biggest value in Scurry County at $1.50 a year.

Classified Section

RATES FOR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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FURNISHED ROOMS for rent.—Mrs. W. R. Bell. 2tfc

ROOMS FOR RENT—See Mrs. Eunice Jackson at Will Clark's Grocery Store. Phone 307. 1tp

FOR RENT—Good 4-room house, with garage; few blocks east of school.—G. H. Barnhart. 8p

FOR RENT—One suite of rooms for light housekeeping, near school building. See T. V. Williams. 8tfc

ATTENTION

SHEET MUSIC, instruction books, instruments, string and other supplies; expert repairing.—Boyd Music Store, first door south Palace Theatre. 53tfc

BARGAIN IN good used Washing Machine.—Yoder Electric Co. 1tc

WANTED TO BUY—Maize.—Winston Bros. 2tc

FRESH fruits, vegetables and meats of all kinds at Mollie and Me.

FOR SALE

BARGAINS IN repossessed Electric Radios.—Yoder Electric Co. 1tc

TRUCK FOR SALE—Will take in one seated car on it.—Hamrick Plumbing Shop. (1tc)

FOUND—On a street in Snyder, a purse containing some money; owner may have same by making proper description.—Perry T. Brown, county attorney of Kent County, Clairemont, Texas. 1tc

YOU CAN get your fresh meats, fruits and vegetables along with your groceries at Mollie and Me.

MOLLIE and Me have fresh fruits, vegetables and meats.

THE REASON why so many folks turn to the News classified section first is because they have learned that it is an outstanding advertising medium. 8-2tp

$100,000 to loan on good farms.—John Stears, Real Estate and Loans, Snyder, Texas. 3-3tp

Announcing---

The Opening of a

Modern Cleaning and Pressing Plant

We are installing a Complete New Cleaning and Pressing Plant this week-end to be operated in conjunction with the Snyder Laundry, and we will be able to take care of your work in this line within a few days.

The best equipment money can buy, including a Scherer Clarifying System, Matteer Washer and Extractor and New Style Hoffman Press is being placed in the plant.

Open October 7

The following Introductory Week Prices will be effective all next week on Cleaning and Pressing:

Men's Suits Cleaned and Pressed	75c
Men's Suits Pressed	50c
Pants Cleaned and Pressed	50c
Pants Pressed	25c
Men's Overcoats Cleaned and Pressed	$1.00
Ladies' Coats Cleaned and Pressed	$1.00
Ladies' Plain Dresses Cleaned and Pressed	$1.00
Ladies' Pleated Dresses Cleaned and Pressed	$1.25 Up

Charles Reasenover, an experienced Cleaner and Presser, will be in charge of the New plant. He comes to us highly recommended, having had a number of years of experience in large cleaning plants of the country.

PHONE 211

SEND YOUR CLEANING AND PRESSING WITH YOUR LAUNDRY—MAKE ONE CALL!

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam LaRue, Props.

PALACE Theatre

VITAPHONE

PROGRAM FOR WEEK

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"The Voice of the City"

with

Robert Ames, Sylvia Field and Willard Mack

100 per cent all talking. The greatest talking thriller ever filmed.

"Book Lovers," talking novelty and "Caught in the Kitchen" Comedy.

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MONDAY and TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7-8

"Wonder of Women"

with

Lewis Stone, Peggy Wood and Leila Hyams

Complete music score and part dialogue.

Also: Talking play, "The Man Higher Up," and Paramount News.

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WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9-10

"Thru Different Eyes"

with

Mary Duncan, Warner Baxter and Edmund Lowe.

A 100 per cent all-talking Fox Movietone Feature.

Talking Vaudeville Act and Paramount News

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We will be located just east of the R. S. & P. Depot about January 1.

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