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UTENSILS FOR SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM SOUGHT

Open House and Shower Scheduled By Sponsoring Parent-Teacher Organization Monday

General public of Snyder and adjacent communities was extended an invitation this week to attend the open house of Snyder's School lunch room project, which will be held Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock, in Snyder School gymnasium, local Parent-Teacher Association officials report.

P-TA officials ask that a shower of utensils be given in connection with open house festivities, in order to provide Snyder's School lunch room project with the necessary equipment for operating.

Utensils needed to operate the school lunch room include: Dinner plates, cups and saucers, heavy water glasses, forks, spoons and knives, large baking pans, large cookie sheets, egg whips, cooking spoons, paring knives, butcher knives and dish towels.

"The less we have to buy," P-TA officials declare, "the more appetizing meals we can serve to needy children. Such commodities as we receive from the Surplus Commodities Administration do not compose balanced meals in themselves, so funds from the Parent-Teacher Association will have to supplement other food contributions."

Courses of refreshments will be served throughout the evening, and attendants at the open house party will find plenty of games for entertainment.

Members of the P-TA committee for receiving the utensils are Mrs. Clyde Boren, Mrs. Howell Harpole, Mrs. Ross Blanchard and Mrs. Henry Rosenberg. Cash donations will, of course, be gladly received.

Enrollees of Snyder's NYA work shop have made the necessary tables and benches needed for the lunch room project. Stoves needed for operating the lunch room have also been secured.

Parent-Teacher Association officers declare Snyder's School lunch room project will be placed in regular operation just as soon as an okay of commodity requisitions is received by the Lubbock Surplus Commodities Administration office from Washington, D. C.

36th Division to Get New Command Soon

Officers of Snyder's Company G, 142nd Infantry of the Texas National Guard, who are now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, with Company G members for firing range practice, reported this week that Colonel Percy W. Clarkson, graduate of A. & M. College, will be the new chief of staff of the 36th Division, and stationed at Camp Bowie.

Colonel Clarkson succeeds Colonel George D. Sears, who was recently transferred to Third Army headqualters in San Antonio as assistant chief of staff, G-1.

Colonel Clarkson, who holds the Purple Heart decoration for his World War service, will be over Company G and the other units of the 36th Division.

Legion Will Pay Off Several Bonds Soon

Next week will be pay day so far as Snyder's Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181 is concerned.

So declared Boss Baze, Legion Post commander Wednesday, who states that a number of Legion Hut building bonds will be retired next week. Further details will be available early next week.

Who's New In Scurry County

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ebling of Sagerton, a girl, born this (Thursday) morning. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ross of Snyder are the maternal grandparents.

The Lee Prescotts of Lone Wolf, a son. Mrs. Prescott is the former Evelyn Claxton Self.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hall of Los Angeles, Cal., a girl last Thursday night. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Llando Hall and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. (Abe) Rogers of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford of Lone Wolf, a daughter. Mrs. Lankford was formerly Mamie Sue Stewart.

Carolyn Sue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Goodlett of Dunn, born Sunday, November 2. Mrs. Goodlett was formerly Wanda Harrison of Dunn.

Daughters, one each, for the Harold Martins and the Milton Martins of Canyon community.

A son, Billy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm White of Hobbs.

Charles Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis of Midway.

Production of Cotton in Bales for Fourteen Years

County—	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
Callahan	7,975	10,542	6,533	3,822	10,365	9,622	8,266	5,229	6,522	4,980	3,989	1,366	2,548	4,158
Coleman	29,059	41,640	26,562	11,764	34,909	39,862	22,627	18,528	26,247	23,168	25,982	8,419	11,969	18,359
Fisher	34,012	38,736	16,112	11,940	29,079	63,051	47,825	12,543	26,760	21,008	42,795	28,118	18,796	27,888
Haskell	50,865	35,194	24,682	30,018	38,884	82,295	55,367	11,932	40,808	20,125	45,838	31,907	19,942	39,106
Jones	63,974	41,096	24,650	16,302	47,629	107,265	88,443	23,513	60,729	36,613	65,887	37,195	24,442	53,827
Mitchell	29,729	30,209	25,462	17,317	29,728	49,883	21,949	12,574	21,193	16,233	29,349	22,308	17,224	24,304
Nolan	18,928	12,430	10,645	8,327	20,637	38,229	21,470	7,680	18,429	16,025	27,054	9,106	10,208	13,848
Runnels	54,136	60,260	43,210	32,567	68,041	78,172	42,307	22,201	39,539	49,478	60,893	26,140	18,700	36,423
Scurry	35,550	13,430	18,674	18,481	21,206	55,589	31,948	9,171	23,252	15,186	46,468	26,778	18,721	22,992
Stonewall	16,052	9,832	6,054	5,311	10,206	20,797	18,575	3,930	10,580	5,450	14,582	9,118	5,641	7,180
Taylor	41,987	30,725	21,102	15,008	36,494	59,060	32,420	18,948	31,363	22,691	31,993	12,068	16,248	23,049
TOTAL	384,267	316,094	215,686	174,857	339,178	603,825	401,197	141,249	305,522	230,857	394,828	212,523	164,439	271,134

GRAND TOTAL 5,348,562

NYA Work Shop Taking Shape as Walls Installed

Snyder's new National Youth Administration work center, located just south of the city waterworks, was rapidly taking shape Wednesday.

Crewmen with the International Derrick Company, in fact, had the sheet metal roof for the NYA center approximately 20 percent complete late Wednesday afternoon.

Practically all walls for the 40 by 140 foot metal structure are now up, and the 12 men employed in erection activities predict that the shop will be virtually finished with a few more days pretty weather.

Several crewmen were busy Wednesday afternoon placing glass window panes in the steel frames, north side of the building. Several hundred panes will be required for the north side of the structure. Plenty of light will be available throughout the daylight hours, crewmen declare.

Snyder residents en route to work, and going home for lunch, have been inspecting construction work the past two or three days, and express pleasure at the rapidity with which the new NYA headquarters is being finished.

Snyder to Observe Thanksgiving on Final Thursday

Snyder business men and merchants were generally agreed Wednesday afternoon, after a Chamber of Commerce check-up, that Thursday, November 27, will be observed as Thanksgiving by nearly all Snyder business firms.

Due to the fact Snyder Schools will observe the last Thursday in this month as Thanksgiving, Governor Coke R. Stevenson has proclaimed this date Thanksgiving, and due to the fact utility firms, Snyder National Bank and the post office will close the 27th, the last Thursday will be virtually 100 per cent observed, it is felt.

Some Scurry County folks, of course, will observe "Franksgiving," which falls today (Thursday). Those who do not wish to miss either occasion have the liberty, Governor Stevenson points out, to observe both holidays.

President Roosevelt, who started all the jumble about "Franksgiving," by moving the proverbial date up a week, admitted recently that the act had proved a flop, and that American people would be urged next year to go back to observing the traditional and customary last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving.

Telephone Concern Working on Trunk Lines in Territory

Good news for telephone users of this trade vicinity was contained this week in an announcement from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company officials that a crew of workmen are now placing longer poles and a four-wire circuit from Roscoe to Lubbock.

Wednesday, the telephone company employees were putting in new and longer poles, and new wire north of Dermott. General improvement of communication service from Snyder to Lubbock, as well as to Roscoe, will result from the construction activities.

Representatives of Southwestern state that increased loads on their "trunk" wires between West Texas cities, plus construction for defense purposes, made the new line construction work necessary.

Gatlin to Move to New Quarters Next Week

Ivan Gatlin, groceryman on the east side of the square for some time, has announced that he hopes to move into new quarters sometime next week. New home for the grocery and market will be the former stand of Trigg's Band Wagon on the east highway. Herman Trigg has moved to Brownwood.

Gatlin expresses appreciation for patronage of Scurry County folks in his business on the square, and invites them to the new location. He stresses the fact that he will have a complete shopping center for food buyers, and that plenty of parking space will be available.

Wed 50 Years

Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Hester, for 21 years residents of Snyder, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home here Sunday. Rev. Hester is pastor of the Primitive Baptist Church, having led the church for the past 20 years.

50th Anniversary For R. B. Hesters Observed Sunday

Home of Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Hester was filled with relatives and friends Sunday as the pioneer West Texas couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Flowers and other gifts were brought in numbers to the couple by the attendants and others.

Rev. and Mrs. Hester moved to Snyder from Mitchell County 21 years ago, and for the past 20 years Rev. Hester has been pastor of the local Primitive Baptist Church. The couple had 11 children, three boys and eight girls, nine of them living. Only one of the remaining nine failed to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration.

A huge anniversary cake decorated with pink and white was the centerpiece for the table placed in the Hesters' yard, and 70 guests were gathered for the noon meal.

An enjoyable day was spent by the visitors and by Rev. and Mrs. Hester. Guests were welcomed into the newly decorated Hester home by the couple and their children.

Box-Pie Supper Scheduled Friday At Turner School

Program of fun, food and fellowship will be on tap Friday evening at the Turner School, when a community-wide box supper and pie supper is staged, community leaders announced early this week.

J. M. Glass, Turner School principal, will be in general charge of the box and pie supper, and will be assisted by Mrs. Glass in presentation of a short Thanksgiving program.

Friday evening's festivities will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock, so that those attending the affair can return home at an early hour.

Proceeds from the box and pie supper will be used to purchase playground equipment and a new set of curtains for the school. Ladies and girls of Turner and adjacent communities are requested to bring boxes and pies, and the men folks some extra change.

Scurry County Chamber of Commerce officials report that a sizeable Snyder delegation will attend the Turner School festivities.

Tigers Play Plowboy Squad Here Tonight

"Beat those Plowboys!" will be the pep squad cry this (Thursday) evening, when Snyder's Tigers meet the Roscoe Plowboys in a conference game at Tiger Stadium. The tilt is called at 7:30 o'clock.

The game between Snyder and Roscoe was first reported last week as scheduled for the evening of November 27 here, but information obtained Wednesday evening reveals that the tilt, in which almost anything could happen, will be staged this (Thursday) evening.

Directed by pep squad leaders, members of the Snyder School pep squad held a "jam" session Wednesday evening at the court house bandstand, working up the proper spirit for this week's gridiron tangle, when the two clubs will be trying to evade the cellar in district standings.

Ordovician Firm To Go Deeper for Sharon Field Oil

In the Sharon Ridge oil field, Ordovirian Oil Company's No. 1 Bishop test, located 1,650 feet west of the east line and 330 feet north of the south line of Section 162, Block 97, H&TC Survey, has reached the depth of 3,005 feet, and was showing saturation in brown lime Wednesday night.

Deep production in Ordovician's No. 1 Bishop, correlated with the old Murphy well in Section 114, should be encountered around 3,300 to 3,400 feet, operators believe.

A deep well in this part of the field would confirm the belief of many that deeper production underlies the entire Sharon Ridge area. Humble Oil Company's holdings in the area were taken and are being held on this belief.

Coffield & Guthrie, Inc., are endeavoring to plug off heavy flow of water and air encountered from 1,250 to 1,290 feet in their No. 3 W. F. Burney test.

R-Y Oil Company is drilling at 1,450 feet in the firm's No. 1 Bishop test, located in the southeast part of the southwest of the northeast portion, Section 145. This test is an "inside" location.

New State Auditor Is Former Snyder Boy

New state auditor for Texas is C. H. Cavness, former Snyder boy and grandson of Mrs. G. C. Buchanan, whose appointment was announced recently by Governor Coke R. Stevenson.

Cavness, a graduate of Southwestern State Teachers College, San Marcos, was reared in Snyder. Many long-time county residents will remember his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cavness, now of Corpus Christi, who formerly resided here.

W. H. Shultz Takes Position at Miller's

New Goodrich Company credit man at Miller Body Works is W. H. Shultz, who came here Monday from Fort Worth to assume his duties. A single man, Shultz was associated with the Goodrich firm in the Tarrant County city.

"I really like the friendliness of Snyder and Scurry County people," Shultz stated, "and am already liking my new location." He will be credit manager, also, for Miller Body Works.

Arice L. Jones, who has been associated with Miller Body Works, northeast corner of the square, since April 1 as credit manager for the B. F. Goodrich Company and the local firm, left Saturday evening for Hamlin, where he is taking over his mother's farm.

Show Man Sadler Buys Palomino at Snyder for Gloria

When a groceery man sells a well known West Texas show man like Harley Sadler a horse, one can tell the world both parties know their "hosses."

So declared members of Harley Sadler's troupe here last week, after J. M. Newton, Snyder grocer, sold Harley Sadler a dandy two-year-old Palomino for A. T. Hammond, one of Snyder's Ford tractor duet.

The animal Newton sold Sadler for Hammand will be used by Harley's daughter, Gloria, who has been a keen lover of horse flesh for years.

Price on the animal wasn't revealed, but it was said by Sadler to be a substantial sum, considerably in the upper three figure bracket.

Time was, of course, when grocerymen didn't have horses to sell for their customers, but changing conditions, the national defense program and, well, the fondness of grocerymen to have hobbies has brought about a remarkable change within the past few years.

Rev. I. A. Smith Returned to City Methodist Charge

Rev. I. A. Smith, Snyder Methodist pastor, Mrs. R. H. Odom, alternate, and D. P. Yoder, district lay leader, led a large delegation of Snyder and Scurry County Methodists who attended the annual Northwest Texas Methodist Conference in Big Spring last Wednesday through Sunday.

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt announced the following appointments Sunday afternoon, which will prove of interest to Snyder and Scurry County Methodists:

Rev. C. A. Long, former district superintendent of the Sweetwater District six years ago, was named superintendent to replace Rev. E. B. Bowen, who goes to Pampa.

Rev. Smith was renamed pastor of Snyder's Methodist Church for the coming year, Rev. A. B. Cockrell reniamed at Dunn, and Rev. L. B. Taylor appointed Fluvanna pastor. Rev. J. N. Tinkle, former Fluvanna pastor, goes to Loraine. Rev. S. A. Sifford was returned to the Hermleigh charge.

Rev. Sam Young, former Snyder Methodist pastor, was named district superintendent of the Stamford district, leaving a like post at Sweetwater.

League Directors Meet.

Scurry County Interscholastic League basketball directors met last Thursday night at Hermleigh School to map plans for basketball tournaments that will be held at Hermleigh the last week in January of 1942 and the first week of February.

Autry Reelected Fire Chief Fifteenth Time; Gives Fine Report for Year

In annual business session Friday night at the first hall, Snyder volunteer fire department elected officers for the new fiscal year and heard Fire Chief N. W. Autry's report for the past 12 months. E. R. Butts, who has been acting president since the department's president, B. G. Johnston, was transferred by Community Natural Gas Company to Oklahoma recently, acted as chairman for the night.

These new officers were named: Autry as chief for the fifteenth successive year; Doc Bynum, assistant chief; Melvin Newton, president; Butts, vice president; Buddy Martin, secretary-treasurer; Rev. Hubert C. Travis, chaplain. Roy Porter, who replaced Johnston as gas company manager here, was elected to membership to fill a vacancy made when Arice Jones moved from Snyder last week.

Final plans were mapped for the department's annual Thanksgiving banquet, which will be held at the fire hall Tuesday evening.

Following is Chief Autry's report:

To the City Council, Fire Department and citizens of Snyder:

I herewith submit my report for the fiscal year beginning November, 1940, and ending November, 1941.

I am proud to report another year of success from the standpoint of fire losses, both insured and uninsured. I want to thank each individual citizen of our city for continued support, which behooves each of us to do our part to keep our losses at a minimum.

Your department for the year ending has answered 19 calls, of which only three were wet fires, eight dry and two false alarms. We also have answered six alarms outside of the city limits. We have had 25 regular meetings, five called meetings and 16 extra practice runs for the purpose of being better able to fight fires here in our city and to compete in races at state and district conventions. Eleven of our membership attended state conventions at Wichita Falls, and 10, including team, attended the district convention at Merkel. Fourteen visited Post at a special meeting.

Due to the national defense program, we have had some of our members drafted and some to move away; therefore, we have not had our regular membership throughout the year. The department consists of 13 regulars, eight reserves, chaplain and public relations man and only one paid fireman. Our attendance average through the year was 17.7, which, considering the fact our being short from our regular members, for part of the time is a nice

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ALL HIGHWAYS OF COUNTY TO BE PAVED SOON

Designated Routes in All Directions Contracted for and Slated to Be Topped by Mid-Summer

Announcement that all highways in Scurry County would be completed by the early summer of 1942 was made this week by County Judge Sterling Williams and members of the Commissioners Court.

The announcement, cheering news indeed for the property owners and motorists of Scurry and Borden Counties, followed closely on the heels of announcement that McKowen & Son, Amarillo contractors on the Highway 15 job, west of Snyder, had virtually completed moving in heavy machinery preparatory to beginning construction activities.

Contract on the 12.6 miles of flexible base and asphalt surface treatment on Highway 15 from the overpass, southeast of Snyder, eastward to the Fisher County line was let several months ago. Actual construction work has yet to get underway, however.

Members of the Commissioners Court state that December 3 has been set as the deadline for contractors to begin work on the East-West road job in Scurry County, the East-West stretch from the overpass east and Highway 15 from the Borden County line east to Snyder.

A road crew was reported Wednesday to be engaged in preliminary grading on Highway 15 from the Gravvitt Creek bridge in Eastern Borden County eastward to the Scurry County line.

Members of a highway crew were also said Wednesday to be making minor repairs on Highway 15, beginning at the Borden County line and moving eastward. The repairs consist of making patches in the roadbed where oil surface treatment is showing signs of wear.

Road activities, outside of those mentioned above, are at a comparative lull just now, but highway engineers say it compriises something of a "lull before all-out construction work."

Foursome of Snyder Hunters Bring Back Two Mason Deer

R. H. Odom, W. E. Holcomb, R. J. Randals and son, Jimmie, accompanied by a colored cook, Booker T. Washington, returned late Wednesday afternoon from a deer hunt in Mason County that netted the quintet two four-point bucks and a lot of fun in their search for the fleet footed animals.

The group of Snyder nimrods left Saturday, en route to the Mason County game trails, and report that they had a wonderful place to camp on the Jordan Ranch.

Exceptionally hot weather, prevailing in Mason County at this time of season, kept most of the deer under cover. Only 832 animals were reported killed in the county Wednesday.

Unlike several other parties that were in Mason County over the week-end, the local group had the "proof of the pudding" in their pickup, and had no complaints concerning the deer that didn't care to be hunted during hot, sunshiny days.

School Press Group Goes to Lubbock Meet

Miss Effie McLeod, faculty member of Snyder Schools, accompanied four Tiger's Tale representatives last week-end to the fifth annual West Texas Scholastic Press Clinic at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Addresses by Wesley Izzard, associated with the Amarillo News-Globe, DeWitt Landis, manager of Lubbock's radio station KFYO, and Charles A. Guy, publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche and Journal, were features of the Friday-Saturday gathering.

Snyder representatives at the press clinic were: Freida Kelley, Tiger's Tale feature editor; Dorothy Murphree, editor; Marion Letcher, business manager; and Virginia Preuitt, society editor.

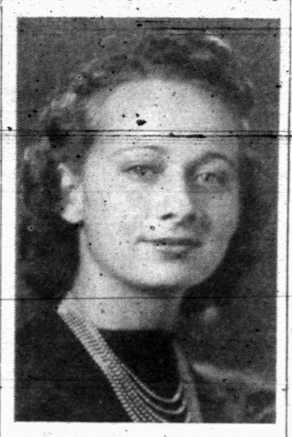
Ginnings for County Nearing 30,000 Bales

A checkup Wednesday afternoon with the county Triple A office and other sources indicated the Scurry County cotton ginnings through Wednesday noon just barely passed the 28,000 bale mark, already more cotton ginned than the county reported for the entire 1940 season.

Ginners, county-cotton producers and others are showing an unusual amount of interest in total ginnings week by week, especially since the total is nearing the 30,000 bale level.

Pretty weather the past two weeks has had much to do with hoisting cotton ginning totals at the county's 14 gins, and with continuance the next three weeks will mean the salvation for several thousands more acres of late cotton in scattered sectors of Scurry County, it is reported.

Campus Queen



Attractive Louise LeMond, pictured above, was elected campus queen at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, in election finals held Tuesday. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMond, Louise is a senior at Hardin-Simmons. Secretary of the student council, membership in the Cowgirls, Alpha Psi Omega and the Players' Club are a few proofs of the local girls' popularity in the school.

NEW CONTRACT WITH GAS FIRM MADE BY CITY

Cheaper Rates in Big Quantity and Dropping of Service Charges Included in New Franchise

Special council meeting held Tuesday evening at the city hall with Mayor H. G. Towle presiding, resulted in the City of Snyder signing a new 25 year franchise between the city and Community Natural Gas Company.

Under terms of the franchise, signed Tuesday evening between city officials and representatives of the gas company, the minimum charge on gas bills will be $1 per month as heretofore.

It was announced that gas rates, effective with the next meter reading, will be 45 cents per 100 cubic feet until 400 cubic feet of gas are used. A charge of five cents per 100 cubic feet will be made from the 400 cubic foot figure until 25,000 cubic feet are reached.

Terms of the new franchise also provide that the 50 cents ready to serve charge will be eliminated by Community Natural Gas Company, and the $2 re-connection charge abandoned.

Under additional terms of the new charter, the gas company will pay to the City of Snyder a street rental charge of two per cent of certain gross receipts, city and gas concern representatives point out.

Ira P-TA to Stage Carnival to Raise Lunch Room Aid

Residents of Ira and surrounding communities were extended an invitation this week to attend the Parent-Teacher Association sponsored carnival that will be held Friday evening at Ira School, Paul Sweatt, school chief, announces.

First carnival event will be a basketball game between Ira and Fluvanna. Admission charges will be five and 10 cents.

From 7:15 to 8:45 o'clock, a picture show will be staged, with charges of 10 and 15 cents admission made. Main event of the evening will be the crowning of the carnival queen, with a program to be given in connection. Charges of 10 and 15 cents will be made for this event.

Music throughout the evening festivities will be furnished by the Wilsons of Westbrook and James Herrington of Colorado City.

Funds derived from the P-TA sponsored carnival will be utilized to equip the Ira School lunch room project. Contributions to date for the community lunch room total $167.82, whereas remodeling of the building that will house the project has amounted to approximately $120.

Candidates for carnival queen Friday evening include these students through Wednesday: Grade school, Billie Jean Cary; ninth grade, Betty Sue Dunn; tenth grade, Merle Woody; eleventh grade, Marceline Hickman; and twelfth grade, Emogene Cook.

Temperature Tumbles.

A cold wave that hit Snyder late Wednesday night sent the thermometer tumbling to the 40-degree mark shortly after midnight—a mark that was only eight degrees above freezing. The cold spell hit on the heels of a wave that brought snow south to Amarillo.

MOST OF PLAN SHEETS SIGNED FOR AAA YEAR

Less Than 200 Unsigned Sheets Are Reported by County Committee As Deadline Neared

Taking up a lot of slack Friday and Saturday, Scurry County producers really "snowed" the county AAA committeemen under with pleas to sign 1942 farm plan sheets—with the result that 1,332 have been signed to date.

Figures released Tuesday by the county Triple A office show that only 163 farm plan sheets now need to be signed for the coming year. Sending the plan sheets to the state AAA office at College Station will be delayed, however, until a 100 per cent sign-up is secured in Scurry County.

Farmers who have not yet signed their 1942 farm plan sheets are urgently requested to do so immediately—if not sooner. Each day's delay will only mean, county AAA committeemen point out, a much longer delay next year in obtaining Triple A payments.

County farmers are doubtless busy as "hunting dogs," getting feed and cotton harvested, but county AAA committeemen have been busy, too. The committeemen devoted all of last week to assisting producers with plan-sheet signing.

It is mandatory that 1942 farm plan sheets be signed 100 per cent in Scurry County, so farmers who have not yet signed their sheets are asked, most urgently, to do so right now. Payment of thousands of dollars in federal funds for the next crop year will swing in the balance until the sheets are properly executed.

Once Scurry County farmers understand the vital necessity of getting their plan sheets on the way to the state Triple A office, county AAA attaches believe the remaining 163 will be executed immediately.

Farmers should consider farm plan sheet signing a patriotic duty, too, since the sheets have provisions for increasing production of basic farm commodities to meet national defense needs.

Scurry County producers showed fine cooperation in signing up for 1941 soil conservation checks, which are now arriving in sizeable sums, that AAA committeemen believe the producers will show the same spirit in signing the farm plan papers. Producers who wish to sign should contact the county AAA office at the earliest possible hour.

Hobbs Homemakers Attend Lubbock Meet

Maudell Carney, Doris Dixon, Louroy Stewart, Odessa Weems, Hobbs High School students, and their sponsor, Miss Black, attended the Area 2 meeting of Future Homemakers at Lubbock last week-end.

Theme of the program was "The Part of the Future Homemakers for National Defense." Some of the business of the day was election of corresponding secretary, who was Christine Davis of Sundown, and choosing of an area song.

Delegates at the meeting discussed a camp for the next area gathering next summer, and decided the session would be at Breckenridge the first Saturday in March.

Later in the day the girls visited the Texas Tech museum and did some shopping in town. They returned home late Saturday.

Pleasant Hill to Host Song Group Sunday

Next session of the Scurry County Singing Convention will be held at Pleasant Hill the fourth Sunday in April of 1942, the convention's site selection committee reported Tuesday.

Emmitt Butts, Dewey Niedecken and Jack Patrick, committee members, voted over the week-end to accept the invitation to meet at Pleasant Hill. The invitation was presented on behalf of the community by J. A. Merritt.

Although the next session of the Scurry County Singing Convention is still several months distant, officers are already mapping plans for the forthcoming songfest, J. M. Glass, president, states.

More Soil Checks for County Are Received

Attaches at the county AAA office announced over the week-end the arrival of 495 soil conservation checks for 1941, totaling $49,449.99.

Triple A benefit payments to Scurry County so far, in the form of 1941 soil conservation checks, now totals $85,852.16, Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for Triple A, reports.

According to reports received from the state AAA office at College Station, Scurry County producers are out in front with federal farm benefit payments. This has been due largely to splendid cooperation county producers showed sometime back in signing applications for payments in record time.

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Six Months, in advance $1.25
Elsewhere:
One Year, in advance $2.50
Six Months, in advance $1.50

Red Cross Roll Call

Inaugurated Tuesday, as this part of the world paused to observe Armistice Day, was Scurry County's annual Red Cross Roll Call drive, a drive that will need the unstinted support of every man, woman and child in the county. R. G. Dillard, Roll Call chairman, officially got the membership campaign in high Wednesday morning with a kick-off breakfast at the Manhattan Hotel.

This year's Red Cross Roll Call in Scurry has a more significant meaning than at any time since World War days. The Red Cross, as the nation-wide agency of mercy, has a heavier load to bear, more people to take care of and more places to utilize what funds the organization gets than ever before.

Snyder and Scurry County people should count it a privilege to become a Red Cross member this year. This organization, supported entirely by public donations, has spent thousands of dollars in Snyder and the county through the years, and deserves the wholehearted support of all people willing to call themselves Americans.

"Let's go, Scurry County," seems to be the theme of this year's Roll Call campaign, which will continue through Thanksgiving. . . . And Scurry County should be willing to go the entire length for the Red Cross—to make the membership quota of 1,050 seem small and insignificant before this year's drive is over.

So, whether you live in town, or in one of the county's rural communities, join the Red Cross now! Join the organization that helped feed your neighbors during the black chapter years of 1930-31, and the agency that poured thousands of dollars worth of goods and materials into Snyder when our 1939 "Juneteenth" flood left many Snyder families homeless. By all means, join the Red Cross today!

Cellophane Pinch

Another American institution that may be relegated to the attic for the duration of the present emergency seems destined to be our newly adopted custom of wrapping—for gifts—everything we can think of it cellophane . . . gifts ranging from birthday presents, anniversary remembrances and Yuletide articles to year-around items, such as perfumes, soaps, chewing gum and tobaccos.

The cellophane pinch, given official sanction by the Office of Produce Management, happens to fall at a rather opportune time—a time when American researchers could really find a cellophane substitute in low grade cotton, grown right here in the United States. Orders to cease the making of gift wrappings were given due to a shortage of chlorine, a chemical utilized in making smokeless powder and causing, in turn, shortages of phenol and glycerine.

Then, too, we can get by without cellophane for several months if we must. Gifts and remembrances, stripped of their glamour clothes, will do a lot to remind people that it is the spirit behind gifts, after all, that keeps the wheels of sentiment and affection going.

We hate to give up cellophane, of course, because we have become accustomed to the transparent wrapping material as an addition to the Amreican way of life, but we will probably become accustomed to many things during the next 12 months we didn't think we could become used to or tolerate.

The cellophane pinch will touch nearly all of us, indirectly, because low grade cotton is used extensively in making certain grades of cellophane. When this emergency, however, is over, it should teach us, as a country, to start yelling for still greater consumption of cotton in making cellophane is achieved and becomes another chapter of chemical and industrial history.

Editorial of the Week

PUSHING COTTONSEED PRODUCTS

Among the hundreds of "publicity" bulletins which find their way to the editorial desk was one this week which we feels merits more than usual attention from newspaper folks and cotton growers. We refer to a pamphlet published by the National Cotton Council of America, in behalf of an important by-product of the cotton industry, namely, oleomargarine, a food product which provided an outlet in 1941 for approximately 136,000,000 pounds of cottonseed oil.

Without going into the subject of nutrition or relative food values of butterfat and oleo, a pound of which is 80 per cent cottonseed oil, it is readily seen that the cotton farmer has as much at stake in the nation's food production as has the dairy farmer.

It is certainly poor policy for Texas farmers, on whom the loss of foreign outlets and a glutted market at home imposed such a heavy burden, to allow themselves to be influenced by propaganda against manufacture and sale of any item, either food, cloth or other material made from cotton or any of its by-products.

Imposition of a prohibitive tax or tariff to hamper manufacture or sale of anything which utilizes the natural resources of the nation and employs thousands of people is not only foolish but short-sighted. We have been and expect to continue to be ardent boosters of the "cow, sow and hen" program which includes diversified farming projects but with everybody in the dairy business we would have over-production and glutted markets in which nobody would make a profit. Texas land is still capable of producing cotton, and the more market outlets we have for cotton products the better it will be for all of us.—The Electra News.

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

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

Hints were given in Washington this week that a new nation-wide campaign will be inaugurated in the near future to round up all kinds of scrap metal, including iron, steel and scrap brass. . . . Lessing Rosenwald of the Office of Production Management's Industrial Conservation Division intends, during the scrap iron drive, to profit from the blunders of the aluminum campaign—a campaign that was so jumbled that several large collections of pots and pans are still awaiting transport to smelting centers, strange as it may seem.

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Those who have been watching the metal markets the past few months have suspected that a drive for scrap iron and steel was just around the corner, and have expressed considerable enthusiasm for the contemplated campaign. . . . Widespread publicity and a nationally sponsored series of advertisements will tell the public whom to contact in order to dispose of the junk metal.

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November, of course, is a crucial month in world history, but informed government officials here and abroad believe that Soviet Russia can hold out through the winter and spring, although the situation in Southern Russia grows worse hourly. . . . Exceptionally severe winter weather, coupled with snow and sleet, has virtually bogged down the German advance on all sections of the eastern front, except in the south, and indications now are that the United States, with its new billion dollar lend-lease program for Russia, can ship several thousand tons of vitally needed war materials to Russia before the Germans can gain too much more territory.

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Last week United States Army officials created a minor stir when they revealed that a portable airport, based upon the type Germany utilized in the Norwegian invasion, had been laid down on a field near Hoffman, North Carolina, and had passed all tests successfully. . . . A B-18 bomber made three landings and take-offs without a mishap, proving that American ingenuity can get the job done when necessary. . . . The army's portable airport consists of a series of 10-foot long corrugated steel panels, pierced with holes to reduce weight, and result in a runway 3,000 feet long and at least 150 feet wide.

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Texas Technological College, Lubbock, was asked this week to assist in obtaining men for operation of industrial branches of the division of civilian supply for the Office of Production Management. . . . Men between 30 and 55 years of age who are graduate engineers and economists are wanted by OPM officials, and although they will have certain requirements to meet, it is felt many Texas men in the age bracket will be drawn into the civilian supply departments of the OPM.

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A duet of depression-born agencies, the Civilian Conservation Corps and the National Youth Administration, are finding so many vacancies in their ranks that plans are shaping up rapidly now to merge both creations with the Farm Security Administration. . . . The Civilian Conservation Corps was run by the War Department for eight years, and did a great job of giving unemployed and needy youths work and training. . . . Such a program has resulted in some 50,000 former CCC youths obtaining private employment within the past six months.

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Henry Ford has accomplished so many things within the past few years with by-products and waste materials that his latest feat seems mild—when compared to previous innovations. . . . The fact was brought to light last week that Ford, in testing Pratt & Whitney aircraft engines built in his Dearborn plant has done away with the usual practice of attaching a propellor to the motor. . . . Instead he harnesses the engines to turbines and lets the 1,850 horsepower giants help operate the plant.

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Concerns doing defense work are taking particular pains now to see that their wage-hour records are in good shape. . . . Many wage-hour inspectors, who were borrowed by the OPM to check over defense plants, are now using an opportunity to look over many firm's wage-hour records—and find, in instances, that records are in bad shape. . . . Attaches of the Wage and Hour Division will not be inclined, it is reported, to accept the rush of defense work as a legal excuse for not keeping accurate wage tabulations on employees.

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Good news to millions of Americans was contained this week in an announcement from reliable sources that the America First Committee is about to fizzle out, despite all the money and time R. E. Wood of Chicago and others are putting into the movement. . . . Resignation of leading members is still increasing, with Major Al Williams dropping out of the America First limelight, along with Charles Lindbergh, Thomas N. McCarter and others.

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We in America can feel gracious for many things these days, in spite of the fact groceries are going up, costs of living are higher and the most trivial of luxuries are considerably higher now. . . . In France, for instance, the gaunt figure of famine is casting its shadow across a land that once was one of sunshine and happiness. . . . The same is true of Belgium, Norway and other conquered countries. . . . So, don't forget during the day to give thanks for what we do have in America—because we could have a lot less some day.

Ginnings by Cotton Joe

I always wear cotton seersucker in summer, 'cause it feels so right an' cool. But since seein' all these girls in their new seersucker swim suits, I've gotta admit it looks even better on them than it feels on me.

45TH DIVISION UNITS RAMBLE THROUGH CITY

About 650 Men Go from Barkeley To Lubbock for Armistice Day Parade Celebrations

Approximately 650 men of the 45th Division, Camp Barkeley, Abilene, passed through Snyder Monday noon on their way to Lubbock for Armistice Day celebrations, and back through Wednesday noon on their way to Abilene.

Both Monday and Wednesday noon, county residents were treated to the sight of big army trucks, guns and anti-aircraft batteries on the move.

Members of the Military Police who directed civilian traffic through Snyder both days, while the army trucks were rolling by, stated that Snyder and Scurry County people, as a whole, showed a fine degree of cooperation in giving army vehicles the right-of-way.

Included in the units of the 45th Division that passed through Snyder were crack detachments from the 3rd Battalion, 158th Field Artillery, the 189th Field Artillery Band, 160th Field Artillery and the 120th Medical Corps.

The army trucks gave an impressive insight to the army's motorized might, as they rumbled across the square, carrying soldiers, heavy field artillery guns, anti-aircraft guns and other field equipment.

Detachments of the 45th Division gave an exhibition of army guns and equipment Tuesday in Lubbock. The 189th Field Artillery Band participated in concerts throughout Armistice Day in the "Hub of the Plains" city.

Motor trouble that developed just northwest of town Wednesday resulted in one heavy army truck being pushed through town by another heavy truck of the field artillery. "Grease monkeys" who took the truck in tow had quite a time maneuvering the vehicle through civilian traffic, but really got underway with the limping truck when they crossed the square. Local officers assisted each time in directing civilian traffic.

Snyder Unit Gets "Hell on Wheels" Name at Fort Sill

Men of the 142nd Infantry, Camp Bowie, including Snyder's Company G unit, have adopted the nickname of the "Hell on Wheels" regiment since moving to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, for a month's period of training on the firing range, it was announced this week.

During recent war game maneuvers in Louisiana, for example, the regiment marched 22 miles behind the 2nd Armored Division, known as the "Hell on Wheels" Division. Only 21 of the foot soldiers fell out of the march.

Commanded by Colonel Nat S. Perrine, Fort Worth, the 142nd Infantry earned the reputation of striking quickly during summer war games. During tactical phases of the maneuvers, the 142nd Infantry marched more than 570 miles by motor and 120 miles on foot, and pushed enemy elements back 43 miles after contact had been made.

Forming the spearhead of the 142nd Infantry's attack was the 2nd Battalion, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel John E. Sentell of Snyder. Although many men were captured during the drive, the 2nd Battalion captured more than twice as manly men as were lost.

By the Side of the Road.

Let me live in my home by the side
of the road,
Where the tourist clans go by;
For someone will sell them hot dogs
to eat,
And it might as well be I.

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

Fluvanna Drubs Hermleigh Crew Tuesday by 14-6

Surging from behind in the final quarter, Fluvanna's Buffaloes downed the Hermleigh Cardinals, 14-6, Tuesday. The afternoon game was played at Fluvanna where a large crowd gathered there for the annual school carnival.

Hermleigh scored first in the second period when Patterson passed to Mason over the goal line. West tried for extra point but failed to convert.

Both of Fluvanna's scores came on line plunges through the center of the Hermleigh line, Fullback Noel doing the carrying. Wilson made the extra points on line plunges.

First downs favored Fluvanna, five to three.

Hermleigh goes to Roby Saturday night for a game with the Roby Lions, and Fluvanna is slated for a game with Jayton at Jayton Friday.

Starting line-ups;

Fluvanna—Wilson and Creek, ends; Lilly and Johnson, tackles; Marner and Miles, guards; Noel, Hunnicutt, Wilson and Sullenger, backs.

Hermleigh—West and Mason, ends; Wall and Ellington, tackles; Henley and Brawley, guards; McMillan, center; Knight, Patterson, Burklow and Kubena, backs.

Scurry County's Class B standings thus far look like:

Team—	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Fluvanna	4	1	0	.800
Dunn	2	2	0	.500
Hermleigh	1	5	0	.166

Her car and his collided head-on. Both got out and, with a fine show of courtesy, began to apologize profusely.

She—"It was all my fault and I'm sorry."

He—"Not at all, madam. I was to blame."

She—"But I insist it was my fault. I was on your side of the road."

He—"That may be true, madam, but I'm responsible just the same. I saw you coming for several blocks and I had ample opportunity to turn down a side street."

Polylingual.

Head Waiter—"Would monsieur prefer Spanish, French or Italian cooking?"

Diner—"I don't mind—I want a soft-boiled egg."

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grayum and son, Patrick, of Fresno, California, arrived here Monday for a two-week visit with Mrs. I. W. Boren and other relatives. Mrs. Grayum is the former Pauline Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kincaid drove to Littlefield Monday, returning Tuesday from a visit with Mrs. Kincaid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Springer. The Springers are visiting in Snyder this week.

Mrs. T. W. Pollard and younger daughter, Evelyn Pollard, visited in Ralls with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Medlin Carpenter, and Mr. Carpenter.

Verlaine Smith is in Clayton, New Mexico, this week, visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ocer Pyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Duke and Mrs. Jack Clark and son and L. T. Autry, all of Pecos, visited Mrs. G. L. Autry and Mrs. R. E. Duke Sunday. Mrs. Junior Duke and son returned to Pecos with them for a visit.

Mrs. Bob Davenport and son, Sammy, of San Angelo are visiting here with the L. D. Greens and Tippy Burns.

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County Women Aid Defense Work

Due to the fact many Scurry County boys are being called to the colors, Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, has pointed out that rural county women are doing more farm chores than usual. They are, therefore, invited to investigate new work clothes, such as the one-piece cotton coverette, shown at the left, and the fiel dsuit shown at the right. The field suit has slide fasteners which close the legs at the ankle and half sleeves that snap on and off to suit the job being done.

Services Underway At Church of Christ

Spirited messages compose a high point of the revival meeting, started Sunday morning at the Church of Christ, seven blocks north of the square, with Evangelist Howard Peacock doing the preaching.

Bro. Peocack, whose home is at Lusk, will speak Friday evening on "Is the Sunday Morning Bible Class Scriptural" and Saturday evening on "God's Children."

The general public is extended an invitation by congregation members to hear the visiting minister, and attend the remainder of the revival services.

Is He From College?

Look in your gas tank. If tank is empty, son is at home.

Wire to college offering him $100. If no reply of acceptance within an hour, son is home.

Count your best neckties. If none is missing, son is still at college.

Ask neighbor's daughter.

Openings Plentiful in U. S. Marine Corps

Sergeant Hugh C. Lindsey of the U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Colorado City, stated this week that the sky is the limit on the number of men to be accepted during November for the U. S. Marine Corps.

The new enlistment policy, Lindsey reports, is in line with the marine Corps goal of greatly increased strength during the next 60 days. Scurry County youths interested in marine enlistment are urged to contact Lindsey at the Colorado City post office.

From Father to Son.

Father (facetiously)—"Don't you think our son gets his intelligence from me?"

Mother—"He must have. I've still got mine."

Mrs. Ernest Pope of Sweetwater is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Banks, here.

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TELEPHONE 84—DAY OR NIGHT

Baird Romps to Easy Victory Over Luckless Tigers

Baird's Buddy Brumbaugh led the Armistice celebration there Tuesday afternoon, scoring five touchdowns as the Bears defeated the Snyder High School Tigers, 45 to 0.

Brumbaugh got going with a plunge from the four-yard line in the first quarter. The counter ended a 65-yard march which began with receipt of the kickoff.

The star back's biggest quarter was the second, when he went over three times. He crossed from the one stripe to top a drive started in midfield. The next two tallies were practically identical, on passes thrown by Raymond Cook from scrimmage originating on the Snyder 30-yard line.

In the third Baird marched 72 paces, the last five of which were credited to Cook, and in the same period Cook broke through the right side of his line to chase 25 yards for the sixth score.

The second team took over in the fourth period, and scored on a blocked punt.

All the extra points were by Cook.

Snyder failed to threaten and went without a first down until the fourth period, when it registered five. The Bears made their yardage 16 times.

Dr. Hicks Back on Job.

Dr. J. G. Hicks, popular Snyder dentist, who has been under the weather for the past several days with influenza and a touch of asthma, was able to be back in his office Wednesday, located over Snyder National Bank. Dr. Hicks is still weak, but believes he will be able to remain in his office the major portion of each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gray of Abilene were week-end visitors here with the R. L. Grays and Sterling Taylors.

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All of us want our children to have the best education possible. Most of us look to the public schools for this.

Fortunately, Texas has the best public schools in the South. Helping to build and operate them is the Texas petroleum industry which pays 24 million dollars a year in taxes for school purposes.

These petroleum taxes pay an average of one-fourth the cost of educating our children. Altogether, they meet the entire expense of schooling nearly 400,000 Texas boys and girls.

In addition, oil has contributed substantially to the 70 million dollar permanent school fund. Oil is also responsible for much of the 80 million dollar permanent university fund, which has made possible the expansion of the University of Texas and A. & M. College.

Furthermore, taxes on petroleum products add another 11½ million dollars a year for the schools of our State.

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UTENSILS FOR SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM SOUGHT

Open House and Shower Scheduled By Sponsoring Parent-Teacher Organization Monday

General public of Snyder and adjacent communities was extended an invitation this week to attend the open house of Snyder's School lunch room project, which will be held Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock, in Snyder School gymnasium, local Parent-Teacher Association officials report.

P-TA officials ask that a shower of utensils be given in connection with open house festivities, in order to provide Snyder's School lunch room project with the necessary equipment for operating.

Utensils needed to operate the school lunch room include: Dinner plates, cups and saucers, heavy water glasses, forks, spoons and knives, large baking pans, large cookie sheets, egg whips, cooking spoons, paring knives, butcher knives and dish towels.

"The less we have to buy," P-TA officials declare, "the more appetizing meals we can serve to needy children. Such commodities as we receive from the Surplus Commodities Administration do not compose balanced meals in themselves, so funds from the Parent-Teacher Association will have to supplement other food contributions."

Courses of refreshments will be served throughout the evening, and attendants at the open house party will find plenty of games for entertainment.

Members of the P-TA committee for receiving the utensils are Mrs. Clyde Boren, Mrs. Howell Harpole, Mrs. Ross Blanchard and Mrs. Henry Rosenberg. Cash donations will, of course, be gladly received.

Enrollees of Snyder's NYA work shop have made the necessary tables and benches needed for the lunch room project. Stoves needed for operating the lunch room have also been secured.

Parent-Teacher Association officers declare Snyder's School lunch room project will be placed in regular operation just as soon as an okay of commodity requisitions is received by the Lubbock Surplus Commodities Administration office from Washington, D. C.

36th Division to Get New Command Soon

Officers of Snyder's Company G, 142nd Infantry of the Texas National Guard, who are now at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, with Company G members for firing range practice, reported this week that Colonel Percy W. Clarkson, graduate of A. & M. College, will be the new chief of staff of the 36th Division, and stationed at Camp Bowie.

Colonel Clarkson succeeds Colonel George D. Sears, who was recently transferred to Third Army headqualters in San Antonio as assistant chief of staff, G-1.

Colonel Clarkson, who holds the Purple Heart decoration for his World War service, will be over Company G and the other units of the 36th Division.

Legion Will Pay Off Several Bonds Soon

Next week will be pay day so far as Snyder's Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181 is concerned.

So declared Boss Baze, Legion Post commander Wednesday, who states that a number of Legion Hut building bonds will be retired next week. Further details will be available early next week.

Who's New In Scurry County

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ebling of Sagerton, a girl, born this (Thursday) morning. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ross of Snyder are the maternal grandparents.

The Lee Prescotts of Lone Wolf, a son. Mrs. Prescott is the former Evelyn Claxton Self.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hall of Los Angeles, Cal., a girl last Thursday night. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Llando Hall and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. (Abe) Rogers of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford of Lone Wolf, a daughter. Mrs. Lankford was formerly Mamie Sue Stewart.

Carolyn Sue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Goodlett of Dunn, born Sunday, November 2. Mrs. Goodlett was formerly Wanda Harrison of Dunn.

Daughters, one each, for the Harold Martins and the Milton Martins of Canyon community.

A son, Billy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm White of Hobbs.

Charles Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis of Midway.

Production of Cotton in Bales for Fourteen Years

County—	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
Callahan	7,975	10,542	6,523	3,822	10,365	9,622	8,266	5,229	6,522	4,980	3,989	1,366	2,548	4,158
Coleman	29,059	41,640	26,562	11,764	34,909	39,862	22,627	13,528	26,247	23,168	25,982	8,419	11,969	18,359
Fisher	34,012	26,736	16,112	11,940	29,079	63,051	47,825	12,543	26,760	21,008	42,795	28,118	18,796	27,888
Haskell	50,865	35,194	24,682	30,018	38,884	82,295	55,367	11,832	40,808	20,125	45,838	31,907	19,942	39,106
Jones	63,974	41,096	24,650	16,302	47,629	107,265	88,443	23,513	60,729	36,613	65,887	37,195	24,442	53,827
Mitchell	29,729	30,209	25,462	17,317	29,728	49,883	21,949	12,574	21,193	16,233	29,349	22,308	17,224	24,304
Nolan	18,928	12,430	10,645	8,327	20,637	38,229	21,470	7,680	18,429	16,025	27,054	9,106	10,208	13,848
Runnels	54,136	60,260	43,210	32,567	68,041	78,172	42,307	22,201	39,539	49,478	60,893	26,140	18,700	36,423
Scurry	35,550	13,430	18,674	18,481	21,206	55,589	31,948	9,171	23,252	15,186	46,468	26,778	18,721	22,992
Stonewall	16,052	9,832	6,054	5,311	10,206	20,797	18,575	3,930	10,580	5,450	14,582	9,118	5,641	7,180
Taylor	41,987	30,725	21,102	15,008	36,494	59,060	32,420	18,948	31,363	22,691	31,993	12,068	16,248	23,049
TOTAL	384,267	316,094	215,686	174,857	339,178	603,825	401,197	141,249	305,522	230,857	394,828	212,523	164,439	271,134

GRAND TOTAL 5,348,562

NYA Work Shop Taking Shape as Walls Installed

Snyder's new National Youth Administration work center, located just south of the city waterworks, was rapidly taking shape Wednesday.

Crewmen with the International Derrick Company, in fact, had the sheet metal roof for the NYA center approximately 20 percent complete late Wednesday afternoon.

Practically all walls for the 40 by 140 foot metal structure are now up, and the 12 men employed in erection activities predict that the shop will be virtually finished with a few more days pretty weather.

Several crewmen were busy Wednesday afternoon placing glass window panes in the steel frames, north side of the building. Several hundred panes will be required for the north side of the structure. Plenty of light will be available throughout the daylight hours, crewmen declare.

Snyder residents en route to work, and going home for lunch, have been inspecting construction work the past two or three days, and express pleasure at the rapidity with which the new NYA headquarters is being finished.

Snyder to Observe Thanksgiving on Final Thursday

Snyder business men and merchants were generally agreed Wednesday afternoon, after a Chamber of Commerce check-up, that Thursday, November 27, will be observed as Thanksgiving by nearly all Snyder business firms.

Due to the fact Snyder Schools will observe the last Thursday in this month as Thanksgiving, Governor Coke R. Stevenson has proclaimed this date Thanksgiving, and due to the fact utility firms, Snyder National Bank and the post office will close the 27th, the last Thursday will be virtually 100 per cent observed, it is felt.

Some Scurry County folks, of course, will observe "Franksgiving," which falls today (Thursday). Those who do not wish to miss either occasion have the liberty, Governor Stevenson points out, to observe both holidays.

President Roosevelt, who started all the jumble about "Franksgiving," by moving the proverbial date up a week, admitted recently that the act had proved a flop, and that American people would be urged next year to go back to observing the traditional and customary last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving.

Telephone Concern Working on Trunk Lines in Territory

Good news for telephone users of this trade vicinity was contained this week in an announcement from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company officials that a crew of workmen are now placing longer poles and a four-wire circuit from Roscoe to Lubbock.

Wednesday, the telephone company employees were putting in new and longer poles, and new wire north of Dermott. General improvement of communication service from Snyder to Lubbock, as well as to Roscoe, will result from the construction activities.

Representatives of Southwestern state that increased loads on their "trunk" wires between West Texas cities, plus construction for defense purposes, made the new line construction work necessary.

Gatlin to Move to New Quarters Next Week

Ivan Gatlin, groceryman on the east side of the square for some time, has announced that he hopes to move into new quarters sometime next week. New home for the grocery and market will be the former stand of Trigg's Band Wagon on the east highway. Herman Trigg has moved to Brownwood.

Gatlin expresses appreciation for patronage of Scurry County folks in his business on the square, and invites them to the new location. He stresses the fact that he will have a complete shopping center for food buyers, and that plenty of parking space will be available.

Wed 50 Years

Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Hester, for 21 years residents of Snyder, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home here Sunday. Rev. Hester is pastor of the Primitive Baptist Church, having led the church for the past 20 years.

50th Anniversary For R. B. Hesters Observed Sunday

Home of Rev. and Mrs. R. B Hester was filled with relatives and friends Sunday as the pioneer West Texas couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Flowers and other gifts were brought in numbers to the couple by the attendants and others.

Rev. and Mrs. Hester moved to Snyder from Mitchell County 21 years ago, and for the past 20 years Rev. Hester has been pastor of the local Primitive Baptist Church. The couple had 11 children, three boys and eight girls, nine of them living. Only one of the remaining nine failed to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration.

A huge anniversary cake decorated with pink and white was the centerpiece for the table placed in the Hesters' yard, and 70 guests were gathered for the noon meal.

An enjoyable day was spent by the visitors and by Rev. and Mrs. Hester. Guests were welcomed into the newly decorated Hester home by the couple and their children.

Box-Pie Supper Scheduled Friday At Turner School

Program of fun, food and fellowship will be on tap Friday evening at the Turner School, when a community-wide box supper and pie supper is staged, community leaders announced early this week.

J. M. Glass, Turner School principal, will be in general charge of the box and pie supper, and will be assisted by Mrs. Glass in presentation of a short Thanksgiving program.

Friday evening's festivities will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock, so that those attending the affair can return home at an early hour.

Proceeds from the box and pie supper will be used to purchase playground equipment and a new set of curtains for the school. Ladies and girls of Turner and adjacent communities are requested to bring boxes and pies, and the men folks some extra change.

Scurry County Chamber of Commerce officials report that a sizeable Snyder delegation will attend the Turner School festivities.

Tigers Play Plowboy Squad Here Tonight

"Beat those Plowboys!" will be the pep squad cry this (Thursday) evening, when Snyder's Tigers meet the Roscoe Plowboys in a conference game at Tiger Stadium. The tilt is called at 7:30 o'clock.

The game between Snyder and Roscoe was first reported last week as scheduled for the evening of November 27 here, but information obtained Wednesday evening reveals that the tilt, in which almost anything could happen, will be staged this (Thursday) evening.

Directed by pep squad leaders, members of the Snyder School pep squad held a "jam" session Wednesday evening at the court house bandstand, working up the proper spirit for this week's gridiron tangle, when the two clubs will be trying to evade the cellar in district standings.

Ordovician Firm To Go Deeper for Sharon Field Oil

In the Sharon Ridge oil field, Ordovirian Oil Company's No. 1 Bishop test, located 1,650 feet west of the east line and 330 feet north of the south line of Section 162, Block 97, H&TC Survey, has reached the depth of 3,005 feet, and was showing saturation in brown lime Wednesday night.

Deep production in Ordovician's No. 1 Bishop, correlated with the old Murphy well in Section 114, should be encountered around 3,300 to 3,400 feet, operators believe.

A deep well in this part of the field would confirm the belief of many that deeper production underlies the entire Sharon Ridge area. Humble Oil Company's holdings in the area were taken and are being held on this belief.

Coffield & Guthrie, Inc., are endeavoring to plug off heavy flow of water and air encountered from 1,250 to 1,290 feet in their No. 3 W. F. Burney test.

R-Y Oil Company is drilling at 1,450 feet in the firm's No. 1 Bishop test, located in the southeast part of the southwest of the northeast portion, Section 145. This test is an "inside" location.

New State Auditor Is Former Snyder Boy

New state auditor for Texas is C. H. Cavness, former Snyder boy and grandson of Mrs. G. C. Buchanan, whose appointment was announced recently by Governor Coke R. Stevenson.

Cavness, a graduate of Southwestern State Teachers College, San Marcos, was reared in Snyder. Many long-time county residents will remember his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cavness, now of Corpus Christi, who formerly resided here.

W. H. Shultz Takes Position at Miller's

New Goodrich Company credit man at Miller Body Works is W. H. Shultz, who came here Monday from Fort Worth to assume his duties. A single man, Shultz was associated with the Goodrich firm in the Tarrant County city.

"I really like the friendliness of Snyder and Scurry County people," Shultz stated, "and am already liking my new location." He will be credit manager, also, for Miller Body Works.

Arice L. Jones, who has been associated with Miller Body Works, northeast corner of the square, since April 1 as credit manager for the B. F. Goodrich Company and the local firm, left Saturday evening for Hamlin, where he is takihg over his mother's farm.

Show Man Sadler Buys Palomino at Snyder for Gloria

When a grocery man sells a well known West Texas show man like Harley Sadler a horse, one can tell the world both parties know their "hosses."

So declared members of Harley Sadler's troupe here last week, after J. M. Newton, Snyder grocer, sold Harley Sadler a dandy two-year-old Palomino for A. T. Hammond, one of Snyder's Ford tractor duet.

The animal Newton sold Sadler for Hammand will be used by Harley's daughter, Gloria, who has been a keen lover of horse flesh for years.

Price on the animal wasn't revealed, but it was said by Sadler to be a substantial sum, considerably in the upper three figure bracket.

Time was, of course, when grocerymen didn't have horses to sell for their customers, but changing conditions, the national defense program and, well, the fondness of grocerymen to have hobbies has brought about a remarkable change within the past few years.

Rev. I. A. Smith Returned to City Methodist Charge

Rev. I. A. Smith, Snyder Methodist pastor, Mrs. R. H. Odom, alternate, and D. P. Yoder, district lay leader, led a large delegation of Snyder and Scurry County Methodists who attended the annual Northwest Texas Methodist Conference in Big Spring last Wednesday through Sunday.

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt announced the following appointments Sunday afternoon, which will prove of interest to Snyder and Scurry County Methodists:

Rev. C. A. Long, former district superintendent of the Sweetwater District six years ago, was named superintendent to replace Rev. E. B. Bowen, who goes to Pampa.

Rev. Smith was renamed pastor of Snyder's Methodist Church for the coming year, Rev. A. B. Cockrell renamed at Dunn, and Rev. L. B. Taylor appointed Fluvanna pastor. Rev. J. N. Tinkle, former Fluvanna pastor, goes to Loraine. Rev. S. A. Sifford was returned to the Hermleigh charge.

Rev. Sam Young, former Snyder Methodist pastor, was named district superintendent of the Stamford district, leaving a like post at Sweetwater.

League Directors Meet.

Scurry County Interscholastic League basketball directors met last Thursday night at Hermleigh School to map plans for basketball tournaments that will be held at Hermleigh the last week in January of 1942 and the first week of February.

Autry Reelected Fire Chief Fifteenth Time; Gives Fine Report for Year

In annual business session Friday night at the first hall, Snyder volunteer fire department elected officers for the new fiscal year and heard Fire Chief N. W. Autry's report for the past 12 months. E. R. Butts, who has been acting president since the department's president, B. G. Johnston, was transferred by Community Natural Gas Company to Oklahoma recently, acted as chairman for the night.

These new officers were named: Autry as chief for the fifteenth successive year; Doc Bynum, assistant chief; Melvin Newton, president; Butts, vice president; Buddy Martin, secretary-treasurer; Rev. Hubert C. Travis, chaplain. Roy Porter, who replaced Johnston as gas company manager here, was elected to membership to fill a vacancy made when Arice Jones moved from Snyder last week.

Final plans were mapped for the department's annual Thanksgiving banquet, which will be held at the fire hall Tuesday evening.

Following is Chief Autry's report:

To the City Council, Fire Department and citizens of Snyder:

I herewith submit my report for the fiscal year beginning November, 1940, and ending November, 1941.

I am proud to report another year of success from the standpoint of fire losses, both insured and uninsured. I want to thank each individual citizen of our city for continued support, which behooves each of us to do our part to keep our losses at a minimum.

Your department for the year ending has answered 19 calls, of which only three were wet fires, eight dry and two false alarms. We also have answered six alarms outside of the city limits. We have had 25 regular meetings, five called meetings and 16 extra practice runs for the purpose of being better able to fight fires here in our city and to compete in races at state and district conventions. Eleven of our membership attended state conventions at Wichita Falls, and 10, including team, attended the district convention at Merkel. Four attended Post at a special meeting.

Due to the national defense program, we have had some of our members drafted and some to move away; therefore, we have not had our regular membership throughout the year. The department consists of 13 regulars, eight reserves, chaplain and public relations man and only one paid fireman. Our attendance average through the year was 17.7, which, considering the fact our being short from our regular members, for part of the time is a nice

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ALL HIGHWAYS OF COUNTY TO BE PAVED SOON

Designated Routes in All Directions Contracted for and Slated to Be Topped by Mid-Summer

Announcement that all highways in Scurry County would be completed by the early summer of 1942 was made this week by County Judge Sterling Williams and members of the Commissioners Court.

The announcement, cheering news indeed for the property owners and motorists of Scurry and Borden Counties, followed closely on the heels of announcement that McKowen & Son, Amarillo, contractors on the Highway 15 job west of Snyder, had virtually completed moving in heavy machinery, preparatory to beginning construction activities.

Contract on the 12.6 miles of flexible base and asphalt surface treatment on Highway 15 from the overpass, southeast of Snyder, eastward to the Fisher County line was let several months ago. Actual construction work has yet to get underway, however.

Members of the Commissioners Court state that December 3 has been set as the deadline for contractors to begin work on the East-West road job in Scurry County—the East-West stretch from the overpass east and Highway 15 from the Borden County line east to Snyder.

A road crew was reported Wednesday to be engaged in preliminary grading on Highway 15 from the Gravvitt Creek bridge in Eastern Borden County eastward to the Scurry County line.

Members of a highway crew were also said Wednesday to be making minor repairs on Highway 15 beginning at the Borden County line and moving eastward. The repairs consist of making patches in the roadbed where oil surface treatment is showing signs of wear.

Road activities, outside of those mentioned above, are at a comparative lull just now, but highway engineers say it comprises something of a "lull before all-out construction work."

Foursome of Snyder Hunters Bring Back Two Mason Deer

R. H. Odom, W. E. Holcomb, R. J. Randals and son, Jimmie, accompanied by a colored cook, Booker T. Washington, returned late Wednesday afternoon from a deer hunt in Mason County that netted the quintet two four-point bucks and a lot of fun in their search for the fleet footed animals.

The group of Snyder nimrods left Saturday, en route to the Mason County game trails, and report that they had a wonderful place to camp on the Jordan Ranch.

Exceptionally hot weather, prevailing in Mason County at this time of season, kept most of the deer under cover. Only 832 animals were reported killed in the county Wednesday.

Unlike several other parties that were in Mason County over the week-end, the local group had the "proof of the pudding" in their pickup, and had no complaints concerning the deer that didn't care to be hunted during hot, sunshiny days.

School Press Group Goes to Lubbock Meet

Miss Effie McLeod, sophomore member of Snyder Schools, accompanied four Tiger's Tale representatives last week-end to the fifth annual West Texas Scholastic Press Clinic at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Addresses by Wesley Izzard, associated with the Amarillo News-Globe, DeWitt Landis, manager of Lubbock's radio station KFYO, and Charles A. Guy, publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche and Journal, were features of the Friday-Saturday gathering.

Snyder representatives at the press clinic were: Preida Kelley, Tiger's Tale feature editor; Dorothy Murphree, editor; Marion Letcher, business manager; and Virginia Preuitt, society editor.

Ginnings for County Nearing 30,000 Bales

A checkup Wednesday afternoon with the county Triple A office and other sources indicated the Scurry County cotton ginnings through Wednesday noon just slightly passed the 28,000 bale mark—already more cotton ginned than the county reported for the entire 1940 season.

Ginners, county cotton producers and others are showing an unusual amount of interest in total ginnings week by week, especially since the total is nearing the 30,000 bale level.

Pretty weather the past two weeks has had much to do with hoisting cotton ginning totals at the county's 14 gins, and with continuance the next three weeks will mean the salvation for several thousands more acres of late cotton in scattered sectors of Scurry County, it is reported.

Campus Queen

Attractive Louise LeMond, pictured above, was elected campus queen at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, in election finals held Tuesday. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMond, Louise is a senior at Hardin-Simmons, Secretary of the student council, membership in the Cowgirls, Alpha Psi Omega and the Players' Club are a few proofs of the local girls' popularity in the school.

NEW CONTRACT WITH GAS FIRM MADE BY CITY

Cheaper Rates in Big Quantity and Dropping of Service Charges Included in New Franchise

Special council meeting held Tuesday evening at the city hall with Mayor H. G. Towle presiding resulted in the City of Snyder signing a new 25 year franchise between the city and Community Natural Gas Company.

Under terms of the franchise, signed Tuesday evening between city officials and representatives of the gas company, the minimum charge on gas bills will be $1 per month as heretofore.

It was announced that rates effective with the next meter reading, will be 45 cents per 100 cubic feet until 400 cubic feet of gas are used. A charge of five cents per 100 cubic feet will be made from the 400 cubic foot figure until 25,000 cubic feet are reached.

Terms of the new franchise also provide that the 50 cents ready to serve charge will be eliminated by Community Natural Gas Company and the $2 re-connection charge abandoned.

Under additional terms of the new charter, the gas company will pay to the City of Snyder a street rental charge of two per cent of certain gross receipts, city and gas concern representatives point out.

Ira P-TA to Stage Carnival to Raise Lunch Room Aid

Residents of Ira and surrounding communities were extended an invitation this week to attend the Parent-Teacher Association sponsored carnival that will be held Friday evening at Ira School, Paul Sweatt, school chief, announces.

First carnival event will be a basketball game between Ira and Fluvanna. Admission charges will be five and 10 cents.

From 7:15 to 8:45 o'clock a picture show will be staged, with charges of 10 and 15 cents admission made. Main event of the evening will be the crowning of the carnival queen, with a program to be given in connection. Charges of 10 and 15 cents will be made for this event.

Music throughout the evening festivities will be furnished by the Wilsons of Westbrook and James Herrington of Colorado City.

Funds derived from the P-TA sponsored carnival will be utilized to equip the Ira School lunch room project. Contributions to date for the community room total $107.82, whereas remodeling of the building that will house the project has amounted to approximately $120.

Candidates for carnival queen Friday evening include these students through Wednesday: Grade school, Dixie Jean Cary; ninth grade, Betty Sue Dunn; tenth grade, Merle Woody; eleventh grade, Marceline Hickman; and twelfth grade, Emogene Cook.

Temperature Tumbles.

A cold wave that hit Snyder late Wednesday night sent the thermometer tumbling to the 40-degree mark shortly after midnight—a mark that was only eight degrees above freezing. The cold spell hit on the heels of a wave that brought snow south to Amarillo.

MOST OF PLAN SHEETS SIGNED FOR AAA YEAR

Less Than 200 Unsigned Sheets Are Reported by County Committee As Deadline Neared

Taking up a lot of slack Friday and Saturday, Scurry County producers really "snowed" the county AAA committeemen under with pleas to sign 1942 farm plan sheets—with the result that 1,332 have been signed to date.

Figures released Tuesday by the county Triple A office show that only 163 farm plan sheets now need to be signed for the coming year. Sending the plan sheets to the state AAA office at College Station will be delayed, however, until a 100 per cent sign-up is secured in Scurry County.

Farmers who have not yet signed their 1942 farm plan sheets are urgently requested to do so immediately—if not sooner. Each day's delay will only mean, county AAA committeemen point out, a much longer delay next year in obtaining Triple A payments.

County farmers are doubtless busy as "hunting dogs," getting feed and cotton harvested, but county AAA committeemen have been busy, too. The committeemen devoted all of last week to assisting producers with plan sheet signing.

It is mandatory that 1942 farm plan sheets be signed 100 per cent in Scurry County, so farmers who have not yet signed their sheets are asked, most urgently, to do so right now. Payment of thousands of dollars in federal funds for the next crop year will swing in the balance until the sheets are properly executed.

Once Scurry County farmers understand the vital necessity of getting their plan sheets on the way to the state Triple A office, county AAA attaches believe the remaining 163 will be executed immediately.

Farmers should consider farm plan sheet signing a patriotic duty, too, since the sheets have provisions for increasing production of basic farm commodities to meet national defense needs.

Scurry County producers showed fine cooperation in signing up for 1941 soil conservation checks, which are now arriving in sizeable sums, that AAA committeemen believe the producers will show the same spirit in signing the farm plan papers. Producers who wish to sign should contact the county AAA office at the earliest possible hour.

Hobbs Homemakers Attend Lubbock Meet

Maudell Carney, Doris Dixon, Louroy Stewart, Odessa Weems, Hobbs High School students, and their sponsor, Miss Black, attended the Area 2 meeting of Future Homemakers at Lubbock last week-end.

Theme of the program was "The Part of the Future Homemakers for National Defense." Some of the business of the day was election of corresponding secretary, who was Christine Davis of Sundown, and choosing of an area song.

Delegates at the meeting discussed a camp for the next area gathering next summer, and decided the session would be at Breckenridge the first Saturday in March.

Later in the day the girls visited the Texas Tech museum and did some shopping in town. They returned home late Saturday.

Pleasant Hill to Host Song Group Sunday

Next session of the Scurry County Singing Convention will be held at Pleasant Hill the fourth Sunday in April of 1942, the convention's site selection committee reported Tuesday.

Emmitt Butts, Dewey Niedecken and Jack Patrick, committee members, toted over the week-end to accept the invitation to meet at Pleasant Hill. The invitation was presented on behalf of the community by J. A. Merritt.

Although the next session of the Scurry County Singing Convention is still several months distant, officers are already mapping plans for the forthcoming songfest, J. M. Glass, president, states.

More Soil Checks for County Are Received

Attaches at the county AAA office announced over the week-end the arrival of 495 soil conservation checks for 1941, totaling $49,449.99.

Triple A benefit payments to Scurry County so far, in the form of 1941 soil conservation checks, now totals $85,852.16, Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for Triple A, reports.

According to reports received from the state AAA office at College Station, Scurry County producers are out in front with federal farm benefit payments. This has been due largely to splendid cooperation county producers showed sometime back in signing applications for payments in record time.

The WOMAN'S Page

Laura Banks Becomes Bride of J. M. Lewis in Simple Ceremony Saturday

Marriage of Laura Banks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks, and J. M. Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Lewis of Ira, was solemnized in a single ring service read by Raymond C. Kelcy, local Church of Christ minister, at his home here Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Only service attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Robison and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McChesney and small daughter, Bobbie, all of whom live on the F. W. Merrick oil lease between Dunn and Colorado City.

The bride wore a tailored gold crepe dress with brown accessories for her marriage costume, adding a brown cloth coat for traveling. The couple left immediately after the service for a week-end spent in Colorado City and Big Spring.

Mrs. Lewis, a 1932 graduate of the local high school, received business training in Snyder Schools. She has been an employee of the local J. C. Penney Company store for more than four years, and she will continue to work there.

Lewis, graduate of Ira High School, is employed by F. W. Merrick, Incorporated, in the Mitchell County oil field, 23 miles south of Snyder. Both his family and the Banks family are well known Scurry County residents.

The couple is living at 2403 Avenue N in the Cunningham apartment.

One of the biggest affairs in the way of registered guests held recently in Snyder to compliment a bride was the gift tea given Monday afternoon from 2:00 to 7:00 o'clock for Mrs. J. M. Lewis, the former Laura Banks. Calling in five groups, guests registering numbered 120, and 60 others sent gifts.

The shower was held at the A. C. Martin home. Mmes. Martin, R. E. Adams, Watt Glover and Arthur Forkner were hostesses.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. C. L. Banks, the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. G. O. Lewis of Ira, and Mrs. Martin received the guests. Entertaining rooms were lovely with arrangements of fall flowers.

On program during the tea hours were: Readings by young Parker Roe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Roe; readings by Jo Ann Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Onnie Martin; Billy Jean Henderson and Wanda Mills, singers; and Mrs. Cecil Reynolds, pianist. The singers were accompanied by Mrs. Alfred McGlaun as they sang "I Love You Truly" and "Yours."

Invited into the dining room, guests were served coffee and tea from silver urns on the lace-covered table and cookies. Mrs. Buddie Martin and Betty Pope of Sweetwater poured. Centerpiece for the table was a bouquet of dahlias in autumn tones in a bubble bowl.

Out-of-town guests attending were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Travis Green of Longworth, Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Rotan, Mrs. J. M. Barton and daughter, Juanita, of Colorado City, Mrs. Will Slater of Roscoe and Mrs. T. E. Pope of Sweetwater. A number of attendants from Dunn and Ira registered.

Mrs. J. M. Lewis

Shown in the above picture is Mrs. J. M. Lewis, the former Laura Banks, who is well known to county people. Mrs. Lewis was married Saturday evening, and she will continue working at J. C. Penney Company here, where she has been employed for over four years.

Baptist Young Folks Feted at Dinner

Mrs. W. R. Bell was hostess Tuesday evening at her home to officers and teachers of the First Baptist Sunday School's Young People's Department, of which she is superintendent. The occasion was a Thanksgiving dinner, an annual affair which Mrs. Bell has had for ten years.

Achievements and goals for the department were reviewed, and a Christmas party for the entire department was planned for early in December, which will be held in the church basement.

Those attending the dinner at the Bell home Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, Katherine Northcutt, Thelma Leslie, Rose Marie Clawson, Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, Leslie Kelly, Mrs. Vernon P. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Bell.

Couple to Live In California

Mrs. Earl Martin, the former Doris Cook, will join her husband, who is a previous resident of Snyder, in Los Angeles, California, where he is employed, in time for the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Martin was a senior in the local high school at the time of her marriage.

Miss Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook of Snyder, became the bride of the former Snyder resident, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin of Sweetwater, in a simple marriage service held at the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater Saturday, November 1. Only marriage attendants were Martin's mother and Mrs. Marshall Martin of Snyder. The bride wore a royal blue costume for the service.

Remaining in Snyder for the several weeks before Christmas, Mrs. Martin leaves for the West Coast in mid-December to join her husband for the Christmas holidays. The couple will live in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Harral to Give Review Monday Eve

Mrs. W. D. Harral will be presented in a review of "These Things Remain" by Ella Broaddus Robertson at the First Baptist Church Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The review will precede the Week of Prayer for the Lottie Moon Christmas offering.

Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society will all meet together Monday night to hear the review, and other women of the church are invited. Welcome also will be all young people of the church and the town who care to attend.

State Federation Reports Heard

Interesting reports from the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held in Dallas last week was given Alpha Study Club members at their meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Gertrude Herm. Speakers were Mrs. Wayne Boren, state fine arts chairman, and Mrs. T. M. Howle, Alpha delegate to the state gathering of club women.

Neoma Strayhorn gave the afternoon's book review on "You Can't Go Home Again" by Thomas Wolfe. The story is a "rich, full-blooded, profoundly moving story of the lost modern, who found himself—also described as the adventures of an honest man in search of truth."

Delightful refreshments were served by Miss Herm to the members present.

Victory Class Does Red Cross Quilting

Members of the Victory Bible Class of the Methodist Church met in the church basement last Wednesday for an all-day gathering. The women's group quilted three Red Cross quilts during the day.

Covered dish luncheon was served at noon by the hostesses, Mmes. D. P. Strayhorn, Mattie B. Trimble and C. E. Tarter. Special guests for lunch included Rev. I. A. Smith, local pastor, Rev. M. W. Clark, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle and Mrs. Wills of Fluvanna.

Mrs. E. F. Wicker, president, was in the chair for business reports of visits, flowers and trays to shut-ins and sick people. Christmas meeting of the class will be at the home of Mrs. Joe Strayhorn December 10.

Attending the all-day quilting last week were the following Victory Class members: Mmes. W. R. Shultz, Joe Strayhorn, J. T. Ramsey, Giles Garner, A. M. Curry, W. E. Doak, M. W. Clark, H. B. Winston, Allen Warren, J. I. Crawley, W. A. Rogers, Wicker, W. P. Smith, I. A. Smith and the hostesses.

Four Are Hostesses For Club Luncheon

Mmes. R. G. Dillard, Armor McFarland, John R. Sheehan and Willard Jones were hostesses Wednesday for the monthly luncheon of Snyder's Musical Coterie. The occasion marked the annual Thanksgiving observance for the local music group.

Tables decorated with autumn flowers and other Thanksgiving suggestions were arranged in the game room of the Jones home. An American flag formed an impressive portion of the decorations.

Devotional, presented by Mrs. A. C. Preuitt, combined her reading of Bible scriptures and group singing of hymns. Mrs. Lida M. Hardy was program leader for discussion of "Melody." Mrs. D. P. Yoder, accompanied by Mrs. Lucile Strayhorn Dougherty, sang "The Lost Chord;" Mrs. Hugh Boren sang "Thank God for a Garden," accompanied by Mrs. Preuitt; and Mrs. McFarland played piano numbers.

Announcement of an invitation from the Big Spring music club for local club members to present a program at the Settles Hotel in their city April 24 brought immediate delight. The invitation was accepted, and plans for the program are being formed.

Mrs. R. G. Dillard was elected secretary of the Musical Coterie Wednesday to succeed Mrs. Harry Ward, who has resigned from the club.

Practice on the Christmas cantata followed the luncheon and program. The annual music club presentation will come, December 14, with Mrs. Dougherty as director and Mrs. L. A. Chapman as accompanist.

Members attending the monthly luncheon were: Mmes. Melvin Blackard, Hugh Boren, Chapman, Dougherty, Hardy, W. C. Hooks, Preuitt, Yoder and the hostesses.

Rooms Lovely for El Feliz Party

Rooms of the Wade Winston home were lovely Friday afternoon with a variety of fall flowers when Mrs. Winston was hostess to El Feliz Club. A Thanksgiving motif was followed in appointments and other party details.

Centering the foursome tables at tea time, following a series of forty-two games, were burning candles in waxed apple holders. Refreshment plates held salted nuts, pie and coffee. Mrs. Warren Dodson, guest for her sister's party, assisted with serving.

Member attending were: Mmes. A. W. Waddill, Joe Strayhorn, H. L. Vann, A. J. Cody, G. H. Leath, J. E. LeMond, P. C. Chenault, R. H. Odom, J. W. Scott and the hostess. Mrs. I. W. Boren will be next El Feliz Club hostess at her home November 28.

Wesleyan Service Group at Sefton's

Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. T. Sefton. Mrs. W. M. Clark presented the final two chapters of the study book, "A Christain Imperative," and the eight members present entered into the discussion.

Total of 18 Guild members took part in the study of the book just completed. Next meeting will be November 24 at the home of Mrs. Joe Caton. All members and others are cordially invited to attend.

Thanksgiving Meal Enjoyed at Art Guild

Annual Thanksgiving dinner for Art Guild was held at the First Christian Church Tuesday evening with Mrs. Wilmeth Wade as hostess.

Members served the three-course meal. Decorations for the table and banquet room were in keeping with the Thanksgiving season.

Invocation was given by Mrs. Joe Caton, only guest for the occasion, and members answered roll call with "Things I Am Thankful For." Mrs. Horace D. Seely told an interesting Thanksgiving story and read poems after dinner.

Members attending were: Mmes. A. M. Belcher, L. H. Butler, Ivan Gatlin, Ivan Hill, C. M. Kiker, Billie Mitchell, Alice Montgomery, Seely, M. E. Stanfield, Misses Frances Boren, Edith Grantham, Effie McLeod, Estella Rabel, Frances Parr, Jewell Walker and the hostess.

Red Cross work was distributed to the group at the close of the evening. Garments will be completed and turned to club leaders before December 1.

Pyron Girls Enjoy FHT Meeting

Pyron Home economics club girls were in Lubbock Saturday for an Area 2 meeting of Future Homemakers of Texas held at Lubbock Senior High School building. The all-day program centered on "The Part of Future Homemakers in National Defense."

Registration at 8:45 o'clock opened the session, and the morning program and luncheon were thoroughly enjoyed by the Pyron girls and others from this area.

Afternoon amusement for the Scurry County girls included a conducted trip through Texas Technological College buildings and the West Texas Museum on the Tech campus. Making the trip along with Roberta Shafer, sponsor, were the following Pyron students: Katherine McGlothlin, Emma Mae Manning, Stella Mae Light, Opal Jo Williams, Mildred Goldewey and Arnita Williamson.

Snyder Entertainers To Present Program

Presenting the floor show Saturday night at the annual convention of the Texas-New Mexico Public Utilities Corporation at the Hilton [illegible] Lubbock will be pupils in Elaine Lambert's School of Dance. Accompanying the performers to Lubbock will be Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Lambert and Mrs. Cecil Reynolds, accompanist.

In the show will be a seven-girl line dance group composed of Vivian Lane, Wanda Moffett, Wanda Brack, Doris Jean Reed, Jane Hickey, Marcia Dever and Charline Stavely. Leverne Hardin will sing, and small Billie Biggs will be presented in her adagio, assisted by her older brother, John H. Biggs, and J. O. Sheid.

The Lambert pupils have been presented in floor show numbers of times in Lubbock, as well as other West Texas towns.

Jeannette Lollar Gives Review.

Jeannette Lollar was presented at the Monday evening meeting of Alturian Daughters in a delightful review of the popular novel, "The Sun Is My Undoing" by the English writer, Marguerite Steen. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, and Miss Lollar's review composed the entire program.

Baptist Women at Missionary Session

Baptist Women attended a regular missionary session Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Vernon Shaw, president, led the discussion, assisted by a number of the members and two YWA girls. Twenty-one members attended the meeting.

The discussions concerned with missions in Africa along the lines of schools and education of the people of the lands. Topic for the entire program was "An Urgent Gospel Dispels Heathenism."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and Helen Jo were in Slaton Sunday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin.

Former County Boy Weds in California

Barbara Trewhella and Conway Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Peterson of Hermleigh, were married October 12 at the Little Chapel of the Flowers Church in Richmond, California.

Conway, a former Hermleigh High School student, has been employed by the Santa Fe Railway Company at Richmond for the past four years.

Rev. Milton Terry of Richmond officiated at the service. Mrs. Peterson is a graduate of Richmond Union High School and honorary member of Richmond Bethel of Job's Daughters. The couple will make their home in Richmond.

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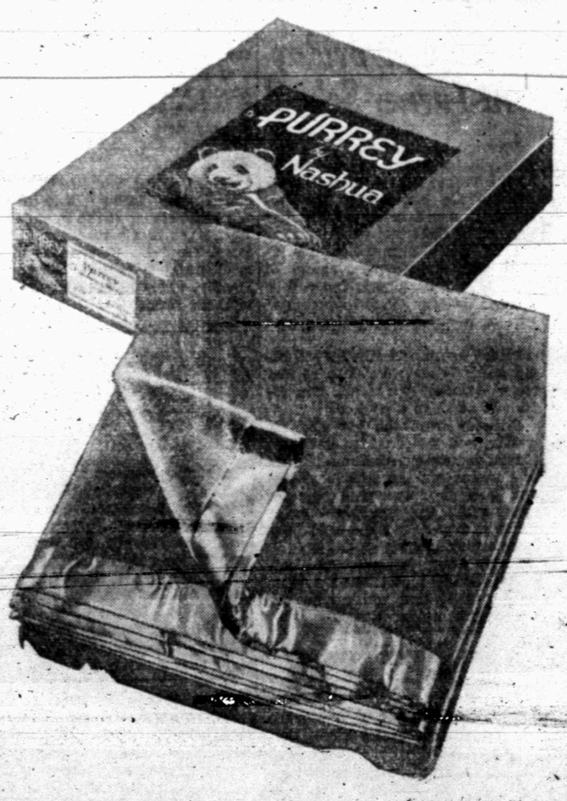

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John Crenshaw, County Resident 41 Years, Passes

John H. Crenshaw, 91-year-old county resident who moved to Scurry County in 1900, died Saturday night, 11:15 o'clock, at the East Snyder home following a week's illness.

Born in Henry County, Georgia, June 20, 1850, Crenshaw settled in the Strayhorn community, east of Snyder, at the turn of the century, and was prominent for many years in Strayhorn church and community work.

A member of the Methodist Church more than 70 years, Crenshaw was superintendent of the Strayhorn Sunday School for a long span of time, and on occasions spoke at community gatherings in absence of regular ministers.

Surviving are two sons, Loy and Sam Crenshaw of Snyder; a daughter, Mrs. L. T. Gay of McKinney; and 42 grandchildren.

Funeral services for the pioneer county resident and early day community leader were conducted Sunday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at Odom Funeral Home chapel.

Rev. J. W. McGaha, veteran county Baptist minister who conducted funeral services for Mrs. Crenshaw February 7, 1914, officiated.

Pallbearers were Hardy Robinson, Hugh Robinson, Sam Stokes, John Floyd, W. R. Bell and Ab Perry.

Nora Jane Floyd, Bobbie Lou Harless, Marcia Dever and Loree Mitchell were in charge of floral offerings.

Odom handled arrangements, with interment in Camp Springs Cemetery.

Influenza Reported On Increase by State Health Department

Fulfilling a prediction made several months ago by the State Department of Health, an epidemic of influenza in Texas is represented by the 1,392 cases reported for the week just ending, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. This total is six times greater than that shown for the same week, in the preceding seven years.

"Neglecting proper treatment of influenza, or allowing the patient to be up too soon may have disastrous results," Dr. Cox warned, "since persons suffering from influenza are particular susceptible to other infections."

Dr. Cox emphasized the importance of guarding against "flu;" drinking plenty of water, eating simple, nourishing foods, outdoor exercise, plenty of sleep in a well ventilated room, and sensible lress according to the weather were stressed as best precautions.

"Penumonia, frequently resulting from influenza, is a very dangerous complication," Dr. Cox stated, and advised that a patient go to bed immediately upon the first appearance of a cold and place himself under competent medical care.

Could Be.

Teacher (lecturing on perseverence)—"He drove straight to his goal. He looked neither to the right nor to the left, but pressed forward, moved by a definite purpose. Neither friend nor foe could delay him, nor turn him from his course. All who crossed his path did so at their own peril. What would you call such a man?"

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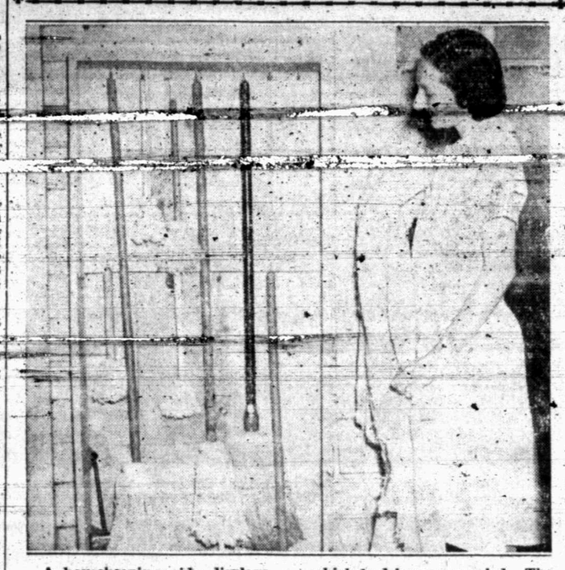

A housekeeping aide displays the raw material and the results when waste cotton products found in an average rural home are utilized. The six mops were made from cotton bagging and from length of cotton plow line which had been unraveled. The WPA housekeeping aide project is operating in more than half of the state's counties. Its purpose is to improve living conditions for families on relief. In many homes waste cotton is idle.

Thieves Steal New Rugs and Shades in Sharon Ridge Home

One can never tell just where a thief in the night will strike next.

So declared friends of R. D. White, Sharon Ridge oil field worker, located on the J. B. Stoddard lease, after the White home had been ransacked last Tuesday evening by vandals.

White, a driller, left his house last Tuesday evening for a period of two and a half hours. During his absence, and while his residence was unoccupied, some vandals broke into the house and proceeded to take up all the rugs that had been purchased recently.

Not content with a haul of rugs, the thieves, according to White, who related his story to The Times' Sharon correspondent, took all the window shades and other furnishings in the house.

It's bad enough for house looters to take all of the rugs in a residence, friends of White opine, but when they take all the window shades so one cannot have privacy in one's own home, well that's something or other for the record. No trace of the stolen belongings had been found Tuesday.

Singers in Bi-Monthly Gathering at Snyder

Spirited messages in gospel song marked the staging Sunday afternoon of the regular bi-monthly singing at the Tabernacle Baptist Church in North Snyder.

Walter Holmes presided over the afternoon song program, which included class and specialty singing. James Allen Patrick directed a quartet, and J. M. Glass of Turner led the Turner quartet in several numbers. Singers and song lovers were present from Scurry, Borden and Nolan Counties.

Professor—"Have you a good head for figures?"

Joe College—"No, as soon as I see a good figure I lose my head."

Boxing Bouts Not Scheduled in Snyder For Present Time

In reply to inquiries made the past few days by a number of Snyder and Scurry County sports fans, Ernest Townsend, boxing bout promoter, who is still known as the "Snyder Mauler," states he will be unable to promote boxing bouts in Snyder at the present.

Townsend, however, will soon start exhibition boxing bouts in Sweetwater, and will probably use two or three Scurry County boys on his initial venture in the Nolan County seat.

Site of the first boxing event Townsend will direct in Sweetwater will be seelcted in the near future, he states, and a complete card of events released.

The way has been paved, with passage of House Bill No. 305 through the Texas Legislature, for holding of boxing events in small towns like Snyder, through greatly lowered license fees, and Townsend declares he will have an announcement before long to make concerning a boxing program in Snyder.

First Bride—"Yes, sir, I've got my husband where he eats out of my hand."

Second Bride—"Saves a lot of dish washing, doesn't it?"

Golden Wedding Anniversry Held For J. T. Riggses

All living children attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riggs at their home in East Snyder Sunday, many relatives being present the previous Wednesday, November 12, but the observance was delayed until Sunday for convenience of those attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs, who have lived in Snyder the past 20 years, were married at Poolville November 12, 1891, by Parson Cantrell. The family group pictures made Sunday will become treasured possessions of the children, grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Picture of the honorees showed the couple holding their anniversary cake along with a piece of their wedding cake that was baked more than 50 years ago.

Enjoying the anniversary dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Riggs were the following: Three children, Mrs. Gene Prestidge, Ira Riggs of Dunn, and Howard Riggs; five grandchildren, Mrs. R. C. Popnoe, Billie Mae and Ramona Faye Leatherwood, Barbara and Ira Riggs Jr.; and one great-grandson, Floyd Charles Popnoe.

Other relatives and friends present included Mr. Riggs' sister, Mrs. Tom Tanner, and Mr. Tanner of Mineral Wells; his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riggs, and Mr. and Mrs. George Riggs, also of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tanner of Dallas; C. B. Bullard, Mrs. Riggs' brother of Ennis Creek; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bruce and son and Mrs. Floyd Leatherwood of Ennis Creek; Bill Leatherwood, Gene Prestidge, Bennie Prestidge, Reuben Popnoe, Mrs. Ira Riggs of Dunn, Mrs. John Spears, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Surratt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buchanan.

Many lovely gifts were brought to Mr. and Mrs. Riggs by attendants, and good wishes accompanied each one of them. Attendants enjoyed the day thoroughly, they said.

Inadale Pair Observe Anniversary Friday

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richburg, prominent farm couple of the Inadale community, observed their 34th wedding anniversary last Friday with a family dinner and homecoming for all their children and families.

The couple was married November 7, 1907, at Kemp. They have resided in Scurry County a number of years.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Richburg and son, T. D., of Inadale, Cristo Richburg, wife and three children of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richburg and three daughters, Jean, Morene and Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Iannon and son, Derrol, of El Paso.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

Estella Rabel, County Home Demonstration Agent

Plainview Club Meets Tuesday.

The Plainview Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Lillian Huffstuttler, home food supply demonstrator, for an achievement program on Tuesday, November 11.

A cookie demonstration was given as well as the crystalizing of fruits and peels for fruit cakes.

The group of ladies admired the poultry flock which Miss Huffstuttler has emphasized as part of her project.

Elected to serve as officers for the coming year were: Mrs. John Woodard, president; Mrs. Buford Light, vice president; Lillian Huffstuttler, secretary; Mrs. John Floyd, council delegate and clothing demonstrator; Mrs. Jim Booth, home food supply demonstrator.

Next meeting of the Plainview club will be at the home of Mrs. John Woodard November 25. Members decided to do work of the Red Cross at this meeting.

Officers Elected at Bison.

Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, November 7, with Mrs. Ella Richter.

New officers elected were: Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, president; Mrs. Melton Davis, vice president; Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, secretary-treasurer; Mrs Bill Baggett, council delegate; Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, reporter.

The hostess served her famous coffee cake and coffee. The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Sorrells Friday, November 21. All in the community are invited and urged to come.

Ennis Creek Girls Elect.

Ennis Creek girls elected the following officers at a recent meeting: Maxine Panter, president; Veldean Davis, vice president; Wynell Floyd, secretary; Bobby Walker, reporter; Lilly Mae Walker, recreation leader; Charlene Prather, bedroom demonstrator.

Marjorie Leads Turner Girl.

For the 4-H Club girls at Turner the following officers will serve for the ensuing year: Marjorie Martin, president; Billene Flippin, vice president; Wanda June Reed, secretary-treasurer; Virginia McHaney, reporter; Emma Louise Glass, recreation leader; Daphna Fay Stephens, program leader; Mrs. J. M. Glass, sponsor; Daphna Fay Stephens, bedroom demonstrator; Betty Sue Hicks, poultry demonstrator.

Dunn Girls Elect President.

Dunn 4-H Club girls met and with 20 girls present, Sammie Marie Williams was elected president to lead the group of girls this year. Other officers were elected next week.

Canyon Girls Elect Officers.

Canyon girls met recently and elected Celeta Pherigo president; Valda Brown, bedroom demonstrator; and Dorothy Adams, poultry demonstrator.

Plainview Girls Name Leaders.

Plainview girls elected Mary Dove Pogue as president; Vernelle Head, secretary; Mrs. Doyle Pogue, Mrs. John Woodard and Mrs. T. Glass, sponsors.

Girls Resuming Club Work.

Like all good club members and clubs and good Americans the girls in the various communities in Scurry County are resuming their club work with a new interest, vim and vitality to do their bit for themselves, their homes and their communities. All clubs will be reorganized this month. Their studies will be bedroom and poultry. With the world in the present condition it is necessary to make our place to live more livable and for more production these girls will increase their poultry flocks.

Doing a bit of handicraft, the girls are making necklaces and corsages and Christmas decorations, using cotton burs and painting them different colors. Then they use home-grown peanuts to make pins for coat lapels. A novelty pin can be made by painting a pecan, and colored beads with pumpkin and cantaloupe and other garden seeds. Then paint your empty cans for cannister sets or cookie and candy cans. These might be painted, and a knob from the 5-and-10-cent stores used to make it easier to open.

Mrs. Lemons Heads Tri-Community.

Mrs. M. K. Lemons was elected president of the Tri-Community Home Demonstration Club for the coming year when the club met in the home of Mrs. J. T. Johnston Wednesday afternoon. Other officers elected were: Mrs. S. T. Joyner, vice president; Mrs. Hubert Robinson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Guy Glenn, reporter; Mrs. Byron Pitner, council delegate; Mrs. Frank Patterson, home food supply demonstrator; Mrs. Nathan Wade, clothing demonstrator.

Miss Rabel gave a demonstration on gift ideas and the preparation of fruits for fruit cakes. Necktie aprons, peasant aprons, lapel ornaments, crocheted wrap-arounds, stenciled cannisters, fruit cake and other gifts were displayed and directions were given for their making.

Plans were made for the annual Thanksgiving dinner for the members and their families, to be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Robinson.

During the sorial hour, refreshments were served to Miss Rabel and the following members: Mmes. Clarence Brush, Willie Gibson, S. T. Joyner, M. K. Lemons, F. H. Patterson, Nathan Wade and Guy Stoker.

Bison Club News.

The Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday with Mrs. Ella Richter. This was a called meeting to elect officers for the coming year. The new officers follow: Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, president; Mrs. Melton Davis, vice president; Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, secretary; Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, reporter; Mrs. Bill Baggett, council delegate; Mrs. Joe Burney, recreational leader.

After the election of officers the club adjourned at 4:00 o'clock for the next meeting, November 21, at Mrs. Jim Sorrells. Everyone is invited to attend.

Those enjoying coffee and cake at last meeting were Mmes. J. D. Oxsheer, Joe Burney, Nolan von Roeder, Gilmer Davis, T. J. Sterling, Lloyd Murphy, Jim Sorrells, Bill Baggett and the hostess, Mrs. Ella Richter.

Independence Girls Elect.

Officers for the winning year were elected recently by the Independence girls as follows: Effie Lou Lankford, president; Joy Lankford, vice president; Nelda Jean Hall, secretary-treasurer; Ettie Fikes, reporter; Glenna Bills, recreation leader; Luley Moore, program leader; Mrs. Charlie Stewart, sponsor; Barbie Jean Stewart, bedroom demonstrator; June Bailey, poultry demonstrator.

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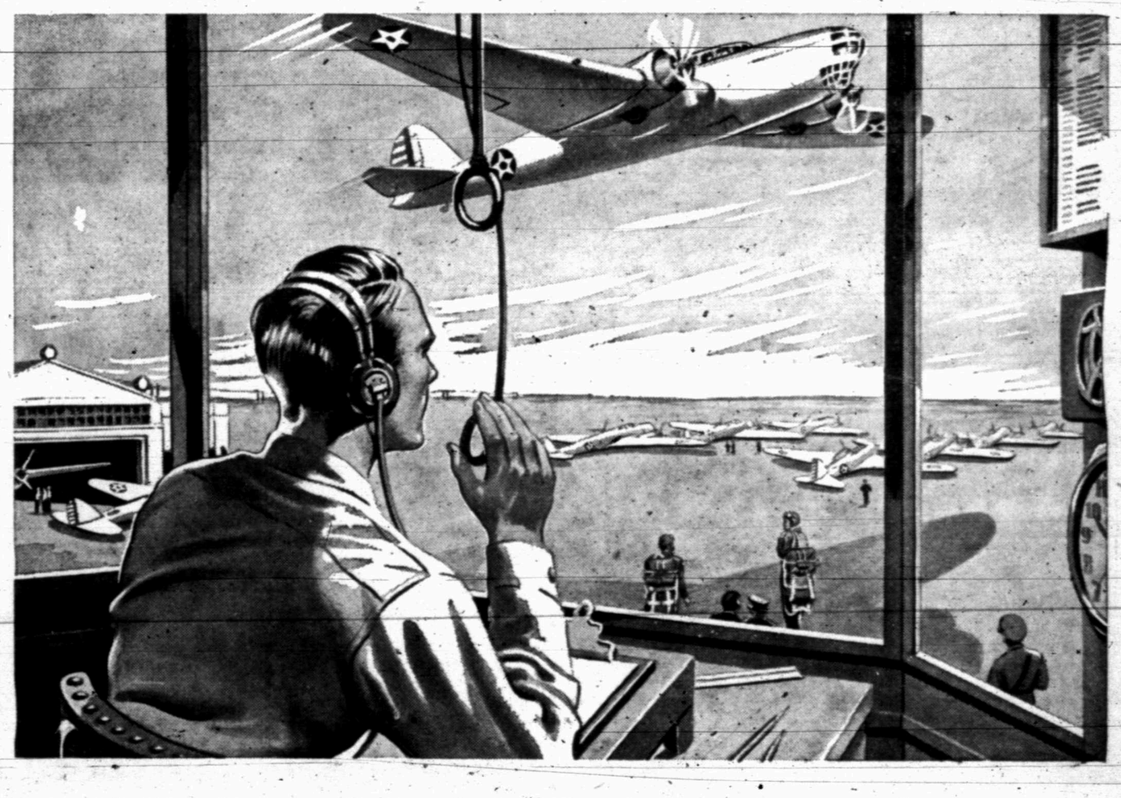

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The WOMAN'S Page

Laura Banks Becomes Bride of J. M. Lewis in Simple Ceremony Saturday

Marriage of Laura Banks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks, [illegible] Mrs. G. O. Lewis of Ira, was solemnized in a single ring service read by Raymond C. Kelcy, local Church of Christ minister, at his home here Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Only service attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Orville Robison and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McChesney and small daughter, Bobbie, all of whom live on the F. W. Merrick oil lease between Dunn and Colorado City.

The bride wore a tailored gold crepe dress with brown accessories for her marriage costume, adding a brown cloth coat for traveling. The couple left immediately after the service for a week-end spent in Colorado City and Big Spring.

Mrs. Lewis, a 1932 graduate of the local high school, received business training in Snyder Schools. She has been an employee of the local J. C. Penney Company store for more than four years, and she will continue to work there.

Lewis, graduate of Ira High School, is employed by F. W. Merrick, Incorporated, in the Mitchell County oil field, 23 miles south of Snyder. Both his family and the Banks family are well known Scurry County residents.

The couple is living at 2403 Avenue N in the Cunningham apartment.

One of the biggest affairs in the way of registered guests held recently in Snyder to compliment a bride was the gift tea given Monday afternoon from 2:00 to 7:00 o'clock for Mrs. J. M. Lewis, the former Laura Banks. Calling in five groups, guests registering numbered 120, and 50 others sent gifts.

The shower was held at the A. C. Marun home. Mmes. Martin, R. E. Adams, Watt Glover and Arthur Forkner were hostesses.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. C. L. Banks, the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. G. O. Lewis of Ira, and Mrs. Martin received the guests. Entertaining rooms were lovely with arrangements of fall flowers.

On program during the tea hours were: Readings by young Parker Roe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Roe; readings by Jo Ann Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Onnie Martin; Billy Jean Henderson and Wanda Mills, singers; and Mrs. Cecil Reynolds, pianist. The singers were accompanied by Mrs. Alfred McGlaun as they sang "I Love You Truly."

Invited into the dining room, guests were served coffee and tea from silver urns on the lace-covered table and cookies. Mrs. Buddie Martin and Betty Pope of Sweetwater poured. Centerpiece for the table was a bouquet of dahlias in autumn tones in a bubble bowl.

Out-of-town guests attending were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Travis Green of Longworth, Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Retan, Mrs. J. M. Barton and daughter, Juanita, of Colorado City, Mrs. Will Slater of Roscoe and Mrs. T. E. Pope of Sweetwater. A number of attendants from Dunn and Ira registered.

Baptist Young Folks Feted at Dinner

Mrs. W. R. Bell was hostess Tuesday evening at her home to officers and teachers of the First Baptist Sunday School's Young People's Department, of which she is superintendent. The occasion was a Thanksgiving dinner, an annual affair which Mrs. Bell has had for ten years.

Achievements and goals for the department were reviewed, and a Christmas party for the entire department was planned for early in December, which will be held in the church basement.

Those attending the dinner at the Bell home Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, Katherine Northcutt, Thelma Leslie, Rose Marie Clawson, Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, Leslie Kelly, Mrs. Vernon P. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Bell.

Couple to Live In California

Mrs. Earl Martin, the former Doris Cook, will join her husband, who is a previous resident of Snyder, in Los Angeles, California, where he is employed, in time for the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Martin was a senior in the local high school at the time of her marriage.

Miss Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook of Snyder, became the bride of the former Snyder resident, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin of Sweetwater, in a simple marriage service held at the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater Saturday, November 1. Only marriage attendants were Martin's mother and Mrs. Marshall Martin of Snyder. The bride wore a royal blue costume for the service.

Remaining in Snyder for the several weeks before Christmas, Mrs. Martin leaves for the West Coast in mid-December to join her husband for the Christmas holidays. The couple will live in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Harral to Give Review Monday Eve

Mrs. W. D. Harral will be presented in a review of "These Things Remain" by Ella Broaddus Robertson at the First Baptist Church Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The review will preceed the Week of Prayer for the Lottie Moon Christmas offering.

Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society will all meet together Monday night to hear the review, and other women of the church are invited. Welcome also will be all young people of the church and the town who care to attend.

Mrs. J. M. Lewis

Shown in the above picture is Mrs. J. M. Lewis, the former Laura Banks, who is well known to county people. Mrs. Lewis was married Saturday evening, and she will continue working at J. C. Penney Company here, where she has been employed for over four years.

State Federation Reports Heard

Interesting reports from the annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs held in Dallas last week was given Alpha Study Club members at their meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Gertrude Herm. Speakers were Mrs. Wayne Boren, state fine arts chairman, and Mrs. T. M. Howle, Alpha delegate to the state gathering of club women.

Neoma Strayhorn gave the afternoon's book review on "You Can't Go Home Again" by Thomas Wolfe. The story is a "rich, full-blooded, profoundly moving story of the lost modern, who found himself—also described as the adventures of an honest man in search of truth."

Delightful refreshments were served by Miss Herm to the members present.

Victory Class Does Red Cross Quilting

Members of the Victory Bible Class of the Methodist Church met in the church basement last Wednesday for an all-day gathering. The women's group quilted three Red Cross quilts during the day.

Covered dish luncheon was served at noon by the hostesses, Mmes. D. P. Strayhorn, Mattie B. Trimble and C. E. Tarter. Special guests for lunch included Rev. I. A. Smith, local pastor, Rev. M. W. Clark, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Tinkle and Mrs. Wills of Fluvanna.

Mrs. E. F. Wicker, president, was in the chair for business reports of visits, flowers and trays to shut-ins and sick people. Christmas meeting of the class will be at the home of Mrs. Joe Strayhorn December 10.

Attending the all-day quilting last week were the following Victory Class members: Mmes. W. R. Shultz, Joe Strayhorn, J. T. Ramsey, Giles Garner, A. M. Curry, W. E. Doak, M. W. Clark, H. B. Winston, Allen Warren, J. I. Crawley, W. A. Rogers, Wicker, W. P. Smith, I. A. Smith and the hostesses.

Four Are Hostesses For Club Luncheon

Mmes. R. G. Dillard, Armor McFarland, John R. Sheehan and Willard Jones were hostesses Wednesday for the monthly luncheon of [illegible] sion marked the annual Thanksgiving observance for the local music group.

Tables decorated with autumn flowers and other Thanksgiving suggestions were arranged in the game room of the Jones home. An American flag formed an impressive portion of the decorations.

Devotional, presented by Mrs. A. C. Preuitt, combined her reading of Bible scriptures and group singing of hymns. Mrs. Lida M. Hardy was program leader for discussion of "Melody." Mrs. D. P. Yoder, accompanied by Mrs. Lucile Strayhorn Dougherty, sang "The Lost Chord." Mrs. Hugh Boren sang "Thank God for a Garden," accompanied by Mrs. Preuitt; and Mrs. McFarland played piano numbers.

Announcement of an invitation from the Big Spring music club for local club members to present a program at the Settles Hotel in their city April 24 brought immediate delight. The invitation was accepted, and plans for the program are being formed.

Mrs. R. G. Dillard was elected secretary of the Musical Coterie Wednesday to succeed Mrs. Harry Ward, who has resigned from the club.

Practice on the Christmas cantata followed the luncheon and program. The annual music club presentation will come December 14, with Mrs. Dougherty as director and Mrs. L. A. Chapman as accompanist.

Members attending the monthly luncheon were: Mmes. Melvin Blackard, Hugh Boren, Chapman, Dougherty, Hardy, W. C. Hooks, Preuitt, Yoder and the hostesses.

Rooms Lovely for El Feliz Party

Rooms of the Wade Winston home were lovely Friday afternoon with a variety of fall flowers when Mrs. Winston was hostess to El Feliz Club. A Thanksgiving motif was followed in appointments and other party details.

Centering the foursome tables at tea time, following a series of forty-two games, were burning candles in waxed apple holders. Refreshment plates held salted nuts, pie and coffee. Mrs. Warren Dodson, guest for her sister's party, assisted with serving.

Member attending were: Mmes. A. W. Waddill, Joe Strayhorn, H. L. Vann, A. J. Cody, G. H. Leath, J. E. LeMond, P. C. Chenault, R. H. Odom, J. W. Scott and the hostess. Mrs. I. W. Boren will be next El Feliz Club hostess at her home November 28.

Wesleyan Service Group at Sefton's

Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. T. Sefton. Mrs. W. M. Clark presented the final two chapters of the study book, "A Christain Imperative," and the eight members present entered into the discussion.

Total of 18 Guild members took part in the study of the book just completed. Next meeting will be November 24 at the home of Mrs. Joe Caton. All members and others are cordially invited to attend.

Thanksgiving Meal Enjoyed at Art Guild

Annual Thanksgiving dinner for Art Guild was held at the First Christian Church Tuesday evening with Mrs. Wilmeth Wade as hostess. [illegible] served the three-course meal. Decorations for the table and banquet room were in keeping with the Thanksgiving season.

Invocation was given by Mrs. Joe Caton, only guest for the occasion, and members answered roll call with "Things I Am Thankful For." Mrs. Horace D. Seely told an interesting Thanksgiving story and read poems after dinner.

Members attending were: Mmes. A. M. Belcher, L. H. Butler, Ivan Gatlin, Ivan Hill, C. M. Kiker, Billie Mitchell, Alice Montgomery, Seely, M. E. Stanfield, Misses Frances Boren, Edith Grantham, Effie McLeod, Estella Rabel, Frances Farr, Jewell Walker and the hostess.

Red Cross work was distributed to the group at the close of the evening. Garments will be completed and turned to club leaders before December 1.

Pyron Girls Enjoy FHT Meeting

Pyron Home economics club girls were in Lubbock Saturday for an Area 2 meeting of Future Homemakers of Texas held at Lubbock Senior High School building. The all-day program centered on "The Part of Future Homemakers in National Defense."

Registration at 8:45 o'clock opened the session, and the morning program and luncheon were thoroughly enjoyed by the Pyron girls and others from this area.

Afternoon amusement for the Scurry County girls included a conducted trip through Texas Technological College buildings and the West Texas Museum on the Tech campus. Making the trip along with Roberta Shafer, sponsor, were the following Pyron students: Katherine McGlothlin, Emma Mae Manning, Stella Mae Light, Opal Jo Williams, Mildred Coldewey and Arnita Williamson.

Snyder Entertainers To Present Program

Presenting the floor show Saturday night at the annual convention of the Texas-New Mexico Public Utilities Corporation at the Hilton Hotel in Lubbock, [illegible] in Elaine Lambert's School of Dance. Accompanying the performers to Lubbock will be Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Lambert and Mrs. Cecil Reynolds, accompanist.

In the show will be a seven-girl line dance group composed of Vivian Lane, Wanda Moffett, Wanda Brack, Doris Jean Reed, Jane Hickey, Marcia Dever and Charline Stavely. Leverne Hardin will sing, and small Billie Biggs will be presented in her adagio, assisted by her older brother, John H. Biggs, and J. O. Sheid.

The Lambert pupils have been presented in floor show numbers of times in Lubbock, as well as other West Texas towns.

Jeannette Lollar Gives Review.

Jeannette Lollar was presented at the Monday evening meeting of Altrurian Daughters in a delightful review of the popular novel, "The Sun Is My Undoing" by the English writer, Marguerite Steen. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, and Miss Lollar's review composed the entire program.

Baptist Women at Missionary Session

Baptist Women attended a regular missionary session Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Vernon Shaw, president, led the discussion, assisted by a leader of the members and two YWA girls. Twenty-one members attended the meeting.

The discussions concerned with missions in Africa along the lines of schools and education of the people of the lands. Topic for the entire program was "An Urgent Gospel Dispels Heathenism."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and Helen Jo were in Slaton Sunday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin.

Former County Boy Weds in California

Barbara Trewhella and Conway Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Peterson of Hermleigh, were married October 12 at the Little Chapel, Richmond, California.

Conway, a former Hermleigh High School student, has been employed by the Santa Fe Railway Company at Richmond for the past four years.

Rev. Milton Terry of Richmond officiated at the service. Mrs. Peterson is a graduate of Richmond Union High School and honorary member of Richmond Bethel of Job's Daughters. The couple will make their home in Richmond.

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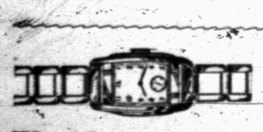

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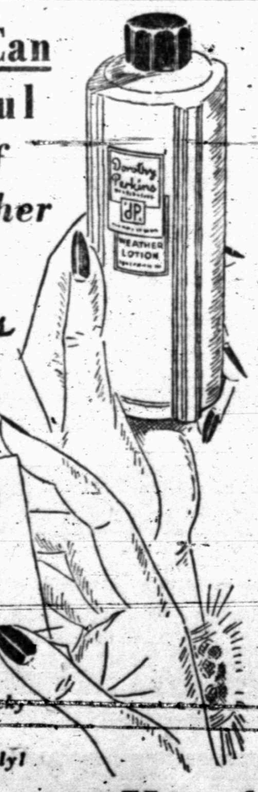

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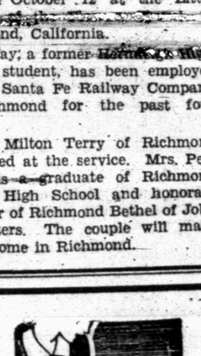

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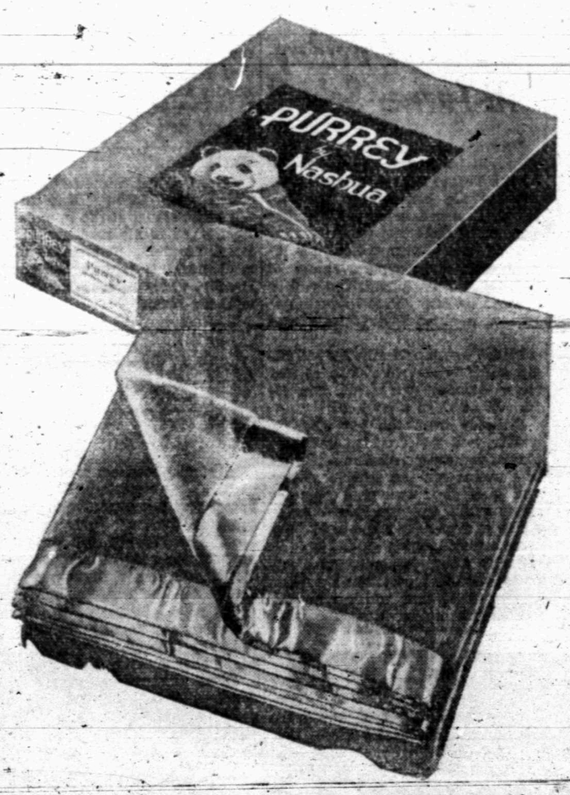

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John Crenshaw, County Resident 41 Years, Passes

John H. Crenshaw, 91-year-old county resident who moved to Scurry County in 1900, died Saturday night, 11:15 o'clock, at the East Snyder home of a son, Sam Crenshaw, following a week's illness.

Born in Henry County, Georgia, June 20, 1950, Crenshaw settled in the Strayhorn community, east of Snyder, at the turn of the century, and was prominent for many years in Strayhorn church and community work.

A member of the Methodist church since [illegible] years of age, Crenshaw was superintendent of the Strayhorn Sunday School for a long span of time, and on occasions spoke at community gatherings in absence of regular ministers.

Surviving are two sons, Loy and Sam Crenshaw of Snyder; a daughter, Mrs. L. T. Gay of McKinney; and 42 grandchildren.

Funeral services for the pioneer county resident and early day community leader were conducted Sunday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, at Odom Funeral Home chapel.

Rev. J. W. McGaha, veteran county Baptist minister who conducted funeral services for Mrs. Crenshaw February 7, 1914, officiated.

Pallbearers were Hardy Robinson, Hugh Robinson, Sam Stokes, John Floyd, W. R. Bell and Ab Perry.

Nora Jane Floyd, Bobbie Lou Harless, Marcia Dever and Loree Mitchell were in charge of floral offerings.

Odom handled arrangements, with interment in Camp Springs Cemetery.

Influenza Reported On Increase by State Health Department

Fulfilling a prediction made several months ago by the State Department of Health, an epidemic of influenza in Texas is represented by the 1,392 cases reported for the week just ending, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. This total is six times greater than that shown for the same week, in the preceding seven years.

"Neglecting proper treatment of influenza, or allowing the patient to be up too soon may have disastrous results," Dr. Cox warned, "since persons suffering from influenza are particularly susceptible to other infections."

Dr. Cox emphasized the importance of guarding against "flu;" drinking plenty of water, eating simple, nourishing foods, outdoor exercise, plenty of sleep in a well ventilated room, and sensible lress according to the weather were stressed as best precautions.

"Penumonia, frequently resulting from influenza, is a very dangerous complication," Dr. Cox stated, and advised that a patient go to bed immediately upon the first appearance of a cold and place himself under competent medical care.

Could Be.

Teacher (lecturing on perseverence)—"He drove straight to his goal. He looked neither to the right nor to the left, but pressed forward, moved by a definite purpose. Neither friend nor foe could delay him, nor turn him from his course. All who crossed his path did so at their own peril. What would you call such a man?"

Graduate (quickly)—"A truck driver!"

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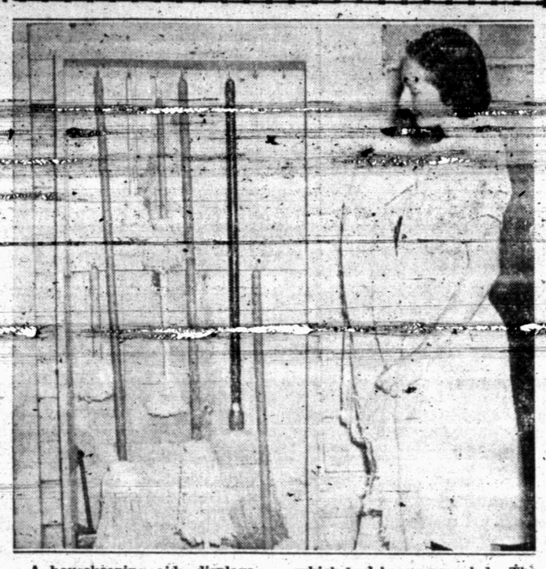

A housekeeping aide displays the raw material and the results when waste cotton products found in an average rural home are utilized. The six mops were made from cotton bagging and from length of cotton plow line which had been unraveled. The WPA housekeeping aide project is operating in more than half of the state's counties. Its purpose is to improve living conditions for families on relief. In many homes waste cotton is idle.

Thieves Steal New Rugs and Shades in Sharon Ridge Home

One can never tell just where a thief in the night will strike next.

So declared friends of R. D. White, Sharon Ridge oil field worker, located on the J. B. Stoddard lease, after the White home had been ransacked last Tuesday evening by vandals.

White, a driller, left his house last Tuesday evening for a period of two and a half hours. During his absence, and while his residence was unoccupied, some vandals broke into the house and proceeded to take up all the rugs that had been purchased recently.

Not content with a haul of rugs, the thieves, according to White, who related his story to The Times' Sharon correspondent, took all the window shades and other furnishings in the house.

It's bad enough for house looters to take all of the rugs in a residence, friends of White opine, but when they take all the window shades so one cannot have privacy in one's own home, well that's something or other for the record. No trace of the stolen belongings had been found Tuesday.

Singers in Bi-Monthly Gathering at Snyder

Spirited messages in gospel song marked the staging Sunday afternoon of the regular bi-monthly singing at the Tabernacle Baptist Church in North Snyder.

Walter Holmes presided over the afternoon song program, which included class and specialty singing. James Allen Patrick directed a quartet, and J. M. Glass of Turner led the Turner quartet in several numbers. Singers and song lovers were present from Scurry, Borden and Nolan Counties.

Professor—"Have you a good head for figures?"

Joe College—"No, as soon as I see a good figure I lose my head."

Boxing Bouts Not Scheduled in Snyder For Present Time

In reply to inquiries made the past few days by a number of Snyder and Scurry County sports fans, Ernest Townsend, boxing bout promoter who is still known as the "Snyder Mauler," states he will be unable to promote boxing bouts in Snyder at the present.

Townsend, however, will soon start exhibition boxing bouts in Sweetwater, and will probably use two or three Scurry County boys on his initial venture in the Nolan County seat.

Site of the first boxing event Townsend will direct in Sweetwater will be seelcted in the near future, he states, and a complete card of events released.

The way has been paved, with passage of House Bill No. 305 through the Texas Legislature, for holding of boxing events in small towns like Snyder, through greatly lowered license fees, and Townsend declares he will have an announcement before long to make concerning a boxing program in Snyder.

First Bride—"Yes, sir, I've got my husband where he eats out of my hand."

Second Bride—"Saves a lot of dish washing, doesn't it?"

Golden Wedding Anniversry Held For J. T. Riggses

All living children attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riggs at their home in East Snyder Sunday. The anniversary fell the previous Wednesday, November 12, but the observance was delayed until Sunday for convenience of those attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs, who have lived in Snyder the past 20 years, were married at Poolville November 12, 1891, by Parson Cantrell. The family group pictures made Sunday will become treasured possessions of the children, grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Picture of the honorees showed the couple holding their anniversary cake along with a piece of their wedding cake that was baked more than 50 years ago.

Enjoying the anniversary dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Riggs were the following: Three children, Mrs. Gene Prestidge, Ira Riggs of Dunn, and Howard Riggs; five grandchildren, Mrs. R. C. Popnoe, Billie Mae and Ramona Faye Leatherwood, Barbara and Ira Riggs Jr.; and one great-grandson, Floyd Charles Popnoe.

Other relatives and friends present included Mr. Riggs' sister, Mrs. Tom Tanner, and Mr. Tanner of Mineral Wells; his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Riggs, and Mr. and Mrs. George Riggs, also of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tanner of Dallas; C. B. Bullard, Mrs. Riggs' brother of Ennis Creek; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bruce and son and Mrs. Floyd Leatherwood of Ennis Creek; Bill Leatherwood, Gene Prestidge, Bennie Prestidge, Reuben Popnoe, Mrs. Ira Riggs of Dunn, Mrs. John Spears, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Surratt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buchanan.

Many lovely gifts were brought to Mr. and Mrs. Riggs by attendants, and good wishes accompanied each one of them. Attendants enjoyed the day thoroughly, they said.

Inadale Pair Observe Anniversary Friday

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richburg, prominent farm couple of the Inadale community, observed their 34th wedding anniversary last Friday with a family dinner and homecoming for all their children and families.

The couple was married November 7, 1907, at Kemp. They have resided in Scurry County a number of years.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Richburg and son, T. D., of Inadale, Cristo Richburg, wife and three children of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richburg and three daughters, Jean, Morene and Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Iannon and son, Derrol, of El Paso.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

Estella Rabel, County Home Demonstration Agent

Plainview Club Meets Tuesday.

The Plainview Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Lillian Mueller, home food supply demonstrator, for an achievement program on Tuesday, November 10.

A cookie demonstration was given as well as the crystalizing of fruits and peels for fruit cakes.

The group of ladies admired the poultry flock which Miss Huffstuttler has emphasized as part of her project.

Elected to serve as officers for the coming year were: Mrs. John Woodard, president; Mrs. [illegible], vice president; Lillian Huffstuttler, secretary; Mrs. John Floyd, council delegate and clothing demonstrator; Mrs. Jim Booth, home food supply demonstrator.

Next meeting of the Plainview club will be at the home of Mrs. John Woodard November 25. Members decided to do work of the Red Cross at this meeting.

Officers Elected at Bison.

Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, November 7, with Mrs. Ella Richter.

New officers elected were: Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, president; Mrs. Melton Davis, vice president; Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Bill Baggett, council delegate; Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, reporter.

The hostess served her famous coffee cake and coffee. The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Sorrells Friday, November 21. All in the community are invited and urged to come.

Ennis Creek Girls Elect.

Ennis Creek girls elected the following officers at a recent meeting: Maxine Panter, president; Veldean Davis, vice president; Wynell Floyd, secretary; Bobby Walker, reporter; Lilly Mae Walker, recreation leader; Charlene Prather, bedroom demonstrator.

Marjorie Leads Turner Girl.

For the 4-H Club girls at Turner the following officers will serve for the ensuing year: Marjorie Martin, president; Billene Flippin, vice president; Wanda June Reed, secretary-treasurer; Virginia McHaney, reporter; Emma Louise Glass, recreation leader; Daphna Fay Stephens, program leader; Mrs. J. M. Glass, sponsor; Daphna Fay Stephens, bedroom demonstrator; Betty Sue Hicks, poultry demonstrator.

Dunn Girls Elect President.

Dunn 4-H Club girls met and with 20 girls present, Sammie Marie Williams was elected president to lead the group of girls this year. Other officers of this club will be elected next week.

Canyon Girls Elect Officers.

Canyon girls met recently and elected Celeta Pherigo, president; Valda Brown, bedroom demonstrator; and Dorothy Adams, poultry demonstrator.

Plainview Girls Name Leaders.

Plainview girls elected Mary Bove Pogue as president; Vernelle Head, secretary; Mrs. Doyle Pogue, Mrs. John Woodard and Mrs. T. Glass, sponsors.

Girls Resuming Club Work.

Like all good club members and clubs and good Americans the girls in the various communities in Scurry County are resuming their club work with a new interest, vim and vitality to do their bit for themselves, their homes and their communities. All clubs will be reorganized this month. Their studies will be bedroom and poultry. With the world in the present condition it is necessary to make our place to live more livable and for more production these girls will increase their poultry flocks.

Doing a bit of handicraft, the girls are making necklaces and corsages and Christmas decorations, using cotton burs and painting them different colors. Then they use home-grown peanuts to make pins for coat lapels. A novelty pin can be made by painting a pecan, and colored beads with pumpkin and cantaloupe and other garden seeds. Then paint your empty cans for cannister sets or cookie and candy cans. These might be painted, and a knob from the 5-and-10-cent stores used to make it easier to open.

Mrs. Lemons Heads Tri-Community.

Mrs. M. K. Lemons was elected president of the Tri-Community Home Demonstration Club for the coming year when the club met in the home of Mrs. J. T. Johnston Wednesday afternoon. Other officers elected were: Mrs. S. T. Joyner, vice president; Mrs. Hubert Robinson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Guy Glenn, reporter; Mrs. Byron Pitner, council delegate; Mrs. Frank Patterson, home food supply demonstrator; Mrs. Nathan Wade, clothing demonstrator.

Miss Rabel gave a demonstration on gift ideas and the preparation of fruits for fruit cakes. Necktie aprons, peasant aprons, lapel ornaments, crocheted wrap-arounds, stenciled cannisters, fruit cake and other gifts were displayed and directions were given for their making.

Plans were made for the annual Thanksgiving dinner for the members and their families, to be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Robinson.

During the sorial hour, refreshments were served to Miss Rabel and the following members: Mmes. Clarence Brush, Willie Gibson, S. T. Joyner, M. K. Lemons, F. H. Patterson, Nathan Wade and Guy Stoker.

Bison Club News.

The Bison Home Demonstration Club met Friday with Mrs. Ella Richter. This was a called meeting to elect officers for the coming year. The new officers follow: Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, president; Mrs. Melton Davis, vice president; Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, secretary; Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, reporter; Mrs. Bill Baggett, council delegate; Mrs. Joe Burney, recreational leader.

After the election of officers the club adjourned at 4:00 o'clock for the next meeting, November 21, at Mrs. Jim Sorrells. Everyone is invited to attend.

Those enjoying coffee and cake at last meeting were Mmes. J. D. Oxsheer, Joe Burney, Nolan von Roeder, Gilmer Davis, T. J. Sterling, Lloyd Murphy, Jim Sorrells, Bill Baggett and the hostess, Mrs. Ella Richter.

Independence Girls Elect.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected recently by the Independence girls as follows: Effie Lou Lankford, president; Joy Lankford, vice president; Nelda Jean Hall, secretary-treasurer; Ettie Fikes, reporter; Glenna Bills, recreation leader; Luley Moore, program leader; Mrs. Charlie Stewart, sponsor; Barbie Jean Stewart, bedroom demonstrator; June Bailey, poultry demonstrator.

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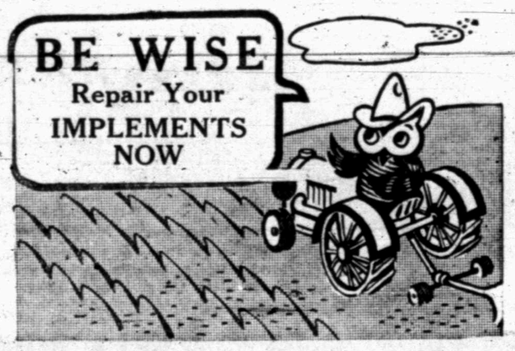

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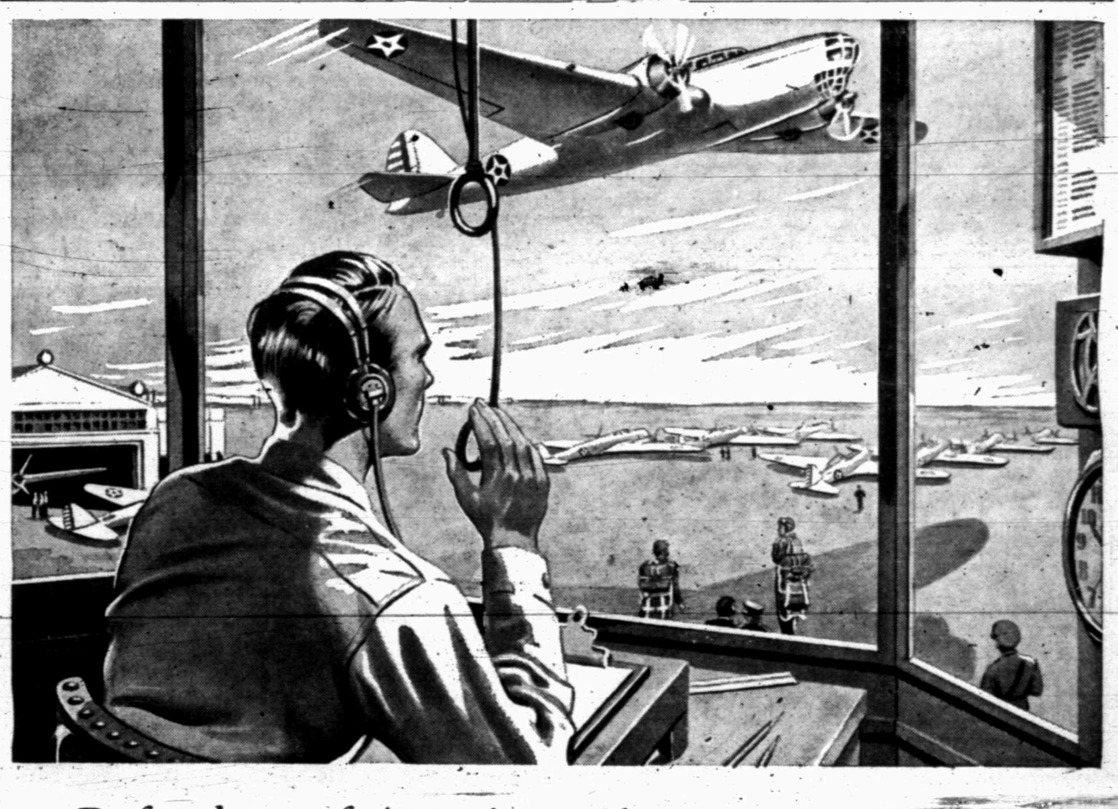

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Major Projects Face C. of C. at Friday Meeting

Transaction of major business and [illegible] of plans for [illegible] agricultural building to house all agricultural agencies of Scurry County highlighted a director's meeting of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce Friday evening.

As proposed by the Chamber of Commerce, the county-wide agricultural building would contain offices for various agricultural agencies, a small auditorium capable of seating approximately 150 people, a large, roomy ladies' lounge and other accommodations.

Farm-to-market roads for the county were discussed at the gathering, and resolutions passed on inter-territorial freight rates, legislation to curb strike abuses and cutting of non-essential non-defense expenditures.

CC directors voted to cooperate 100 percent with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in the regional organization's program to absorb the shock when the present emergency is over and defense expenditures cease flowing into trade channels.

Discussion that proved vitally interesting was built around Christmas activities for Snyder, and different arrangements for distributing Yuletide candies to the children of Snyder and Scurry County.

Next week's issue of The Times will carry definite arrangements and outline of the Yuletide program for Snyder. Full details of the Christmas tree home lighting contest that will be sponsored by the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce will also be released next week.

Coffee and doughnuts were served at the conclusion of the gathering.

Youth is a blunder; manhood a struggle; old age a regret.

J. R. Watkins Given South Texas Charges

J. R. Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watkins of Snyder, has been given his first Methodist pastorate. He will serve as minister for five small churches near Huntsville, and he and his wife will live in Huntsville.

Young Watkins, graduate of Snyder High School, attended Lon Morris Junior College, Jacksonville, for a year and a half, married a Methodist preacher's daughter in Silsbee, and the couple has lived in Silsbee for the past two years.

The young preacher began his ministerial training in Lon Morris, continuing with home study until he was appointed in a recent conference to pastor the five small churches.

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The TIMES

"Cat and Canary" Be Presented at Fluvanna Friday

"The Cat and the Canary," initial dramatic production of Snyder Thespian Club for the 1941 season, was presented Friday evening at Snyder High School auditorium to a $56 house, Rose Marie Clawson, director of the play, reports.

Presentation of the popular mystery comedy locally proved so absorbing, in fact, that the play will be repeated, by request, at Fluvanna School Friday evening.

Miss Clawson states that the curtain will rise Friday evening on the Fluvanna presentation at 8:00 o'clock. Admission prices will be 11 and 22 cents.

Bro. Guy N. Woods, who is conducting a revival meeting at the Fluvanna Church of Christ, states Friday evening services will be held at 7:00 o'clock so that all people can attend the evening service and witness the play presentation.

Star of the dramatic production Friday evening might be difficult to single out, although play attendants gave the nod to Landis Crosby. Ray Martin, Kathrine Lynch and Elizabeth Parker, as the Voodoo woman, turned in excellent performances. The entire cast rang up something of a merit award in producing the spine tingler.

"The Cat and the Canary" was presented locally by Snyder's Thespian Troupe 102, and really got underway when the Ambrose West will was read at midnight. From this point, interest in the play was carried at a high level of excitement until revelation of the Cat.

E. O. Wedgeworth, Fluvanna School superintendent, and faculty members of the northwest county school are drumming up interest in the repeat production there Friday evening. They predict a "sell out" for the play.

Plane Landmark

Scurry County doesn't have first grade landing fields for airplanes, but it at least can serve as an excellent landmark, if the army planes that flew across the county Sunday offer an indication.

A number of army ships, more than at any time in many weeks, used the county courthouse as a landmark, it seems, with the largest of the ships being a four-motored Flying Fortress that was en route to a South Texas point with high ranking army officials as passengers.

November 30 Set as Definite Deadline on Range Conservation

Officials of the county AAA office acknowledged Tuesday receipt of a release from the state Triple A office at College Station, stressing the fact that November 30 will positively be the deadline for completing 1941 range conservation program practices in Scurry and other counties of the state.

Scurry and a number of other West Texas counties recently asked for an extension of time on the 1941 range conservation program, due to contractors being unable to secure enough machinery to complete current range practices before the November 30 deadline.

Since the machinery and equipment bottleneck has resulted, it now appears that some ranchers in Scurry and nearby counties will be unable to complete current practices before early December.

The county AAA office issued this week a final appeal to Scurry County ranchers to complete as much of their 1941 range conservation program as possible by November 30. Payment will be made for every bit of work accomplished before the deadline.

Regardless of initial luck, nearly everybody plays a slot machine until his money's gone.

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Snyder General Hospital

Remaining in the hospital this week are Mrs. Hogan Northcutt of Comanche, Mrs. C. M. Denniston and Mrs. Lee T. Stinson. Mmes. Denniston and Stinson are surgical patients.

New patients include: O. B. Higgins of Clairemont, accident; Mrs. Whitfield, medical; Mrs. Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burney, surgery; Elmo Kunkel of Sweetwater, Route 3, medical.

NYA Program Will Be Geared to Meet Needs for Defense

Effective December 1, the operating program of the National Youth Administration in the Lubbock area and other units of the estate will be geared to better meet the needs of national defense, Jennings T. Lewis, area NYA supervisor, stated Tuesday.

Increased emphasis will be placed henceforth on NYA defense projects, Lewis declares. He reports that a substantial change will be made December 1 in the Lubbock area, which serves Scurry and adjacent counties.

Beginning December 1, for example, the Lubbock area will be enlarged to serve 72 counties—a broad stretch of the state which begins at the Oklahoma line and runs southward to Brady and McCamey, west to Monahans and Kermit and east to Abilene and Coleman.

Under the new NYA set-up, the Lubbock area absorbs what was formerly the Amarillo and San Angelo districts. Twenty-six counties were in the Amarillo district and 22 in the San Angelo unit.

Including the boys and girls in Scurry and adjacent counties, hundreds in this area are now participating in the NYA program, Lewis declared. Approximately 33,580 Texas boys and girls in the state are now working on National Youth Administration projects.

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Information please! Where's my long underwear?

Plans Underway to Merge NYA and CCC

Officials of the Lubbock National Youth Administration area office reported this week that plans are underway in Washington to consolidate the Civilian Conservation Corps and the NYA.

Representatives of the Lubbock NYA office also stated that the two youth agencies, in which a number of Scurry County boys are enrolled, would probably turn back to the U. S. treasury about $100,000,000 of their appropriations for the current year.

Placement of youths from Scurry, Borden, Fisher, Garza and other counties in private employment—a drama that is being enacted all over the nation—was given as a major factor in sharply curtailed expenditures by NYA and the CCC.

FSA Trio of Officials At Sweetwater Meet

Horace D. Seely, supervisor of Scurry County's Farm Security Administration, Hugh Birdwell, assistant FSA supervisor, and Mrs. Ida J. Crosby, FSA home management supervisor for the county, attended a district FSA gathering in Sweetwater Wednesday.

Among Farm Security Administration officials present at the Sweetwater conclave were Charles M. Richter and Roberta Martin, new district supervisors for the governmnt lending agency.

Program of the Farm Security Administration officials included outlining of plans for 1942, the part FSA can play in the national defense program and how FSA borrowers can actively assist in the Food-for-Freedom campaign.

Church of Christ

Bible study Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock; worship at 10:45 o'clock.

Young people's class, 6:45 p. m.; preaching 7:30 p. m.

Ladies' Bible class, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Morning sermon subject will be "The Resurrection of Christ." Bro. Clarence C. Gobbel of Rotan will speak in the evening service. Raymond Kelcy, local evangelist, will preach at Rotan in the first of a series of services to be held there by preachers of this section.—Raymond C. Kelcy, Minister.

More Work Slated By Seismograph Crews in County

Probability that Scurry County will have a nice amount of seismograph work done in various sectors was heightened this week with the announcement that the Shell Petroleum Company has located a field unit at Sweetwater for exploratory geological work in the Sweetwater area.

Scope of the work, which is being undertaken for the probable purpose of defining new areas for developments, was not available to a Times reporter.

Scurry County oil men are sure that Shell will do some "shooting" in Scurry County, since the company has recently been carrying out a program of deep drilling in Fisher County.

Latest of the Fisher County tests was Shell's No. 1 Vaughn, which after plugging back to 6,800 feet several days ago, was scheduled for shot Wednesday to test two saturated horizons. No information is permitted. Location of the No. 1 Vaughn is in Section 205, Block 21-V, H. & T. C. Survey.

Exploratory work, including seismograph studies of potential oil territory in this vicinity, will be carried out, Shell representatives indicate.

Hermleigh FFA Boys Use Defense Projects

C. B. Bentley, Hermleigh vocational agriculture chief, stated Tuesday that Hermleigh FFA chapter members are working overtime at present to carry out the "Food-for-Freedom" theme this school year.

Each student who is an FFA member is now carrying on at least one project in food production. Each Future Farmers of America chapter member is also feeding balanced feeds to get more production from each head of livestock and each poultry flock, rather than increase the number of either hens or calves.

Supervised by Bentley, Hermleigh FFA chapter members are devoting their efforts to these projects: Total of 400 hens for egg production, 18 calves for beef production, 24 pigs for pork, eight cows for milk production and 10 gardens to supply vegetables for the boys' immediate families.

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A hunter was telling about a forest with trees so thick that he had to walk sideways, when he caught sight all at once of a buck, full antlered, running through the woods.

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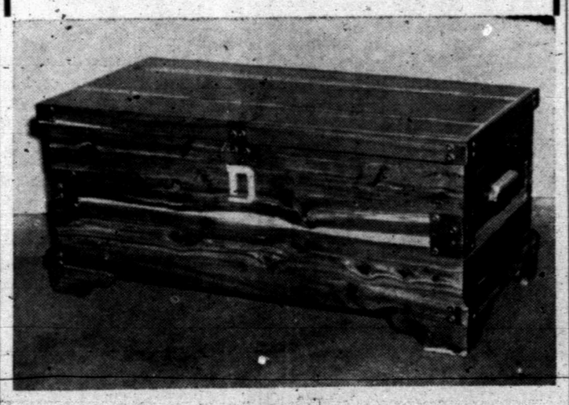

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Memberships Pour In as Red Cross Roll Call Drive Enters Second Week

Scurry County's 1941 Roll Call drive, which got off to a flying start last week, is gaining momentum daily, C. O. Dillard, Roll Call chairman, stated Wednesday.

First returns on the current Roll Call have been highly satisfactory, Dillard declares, and workers in all sectors of the county are really on the job this week.

Snyder Schools, with 29 faculty members, copped the Roll Call spotlight this week with a 100 percent signup of teachers. As an institution, Snyder Schools has one of the largest payrolls in the county.

Red Cross members obtained since the list published last week are listed by Dillard as follows:

Hande Dande Grocery, Allen Beadel, The Hollywood Shop, Ollie Blodgett, Western Auto Supply, Alfred McGlaun, A. C. Preuitt, The Vogue Beauty Shop, Gordon's Cafe, R. H. Odom, Mrs. R. H. Odom, Gaither Bell;

Odom Funeral Home, L. I. Stewart Appliance Company, Snyder Auto Supply, The Texas Company, Andrew E. Schmidt, Gay McGlaun, G. B. Clark Jr., Joe Caten, W. F. Cochran, Dwight Monroe, R. V. Williamson, O. D. McGlaun, Cunningham & Dew, Earl Wilson, Ed Stahl, Howell Harpole, Lil Jo Colwell, Marcel Josephson, Moffett & Rogers Tailor Shop;

Parks & Bell Meat Market, Petty's Cafe, Fuller Cotton Oil Mill Company's 50 members—John Abercrombie, Mrs. John Abercrombie, Ernest Townsend, Clarence Smyrl, Clyde Black, J. T. Rogers, Coy Watkins, C. V. McKeown, Will Powell, James Neal, R. T. Nichols, W. E. Bault;

James Lee Banks, Leon Sanders, Lloyd Merritt, Willie Hunter, Coffie Powell, Ennis Powell, Robert Forrest, Harry Flanagan, Stanley Cobb, Lonnie Rollins, Fred Irvin, Ed Milhollon, A. M. Corley, Henry Tanner, L. E. Rogers, O. W. Devers, Willis Davis, Rufus Miles;

Jim Jones, L. S. James, G. D. Dyer, Sam Fields, Roy Stewart, Houston White, T. M. Logan, Fred McElyea, George Beene, E. R. Devers, J. D. McElyea, Burnie Clardy, Arthur Corley, Albert Morton, Rufus Brown, Elisa M. Davis, Lacy Cornelius, Perry Hunter, Harvey Shuler, Charlie White (conclusion of oil mill members);

Jack Dennis, Bob Davenport, Weldon Johnson, Dan Hamil, E. R. Sutts, Cochran Grocery, Charlie Cochran, Bill Wood, Homer Robertson, H. A. Preston, I. A. Joyce, Olin S. Johnson, William R. Gibson, Sam Joyce, J. R. Joyce, Dewey Niedecken, Miss Eunice Smith;

John Blum, Dr. H. G. Towle, Mrs. H. G. Towle, Don Thompson, Mrs. W. K. Roberts, C. I. Hill, J. B. Pierce, Will Clay, "Snowball," J. C. Ezell, J. C. Penney Company, Economy Dry Goods Company, Milton Bodzin, Mrs. Sidney Galyean, E. J. Richardson, Jim Norred, Alford Browning, Stinson Drug No. 1, Perry Brothers;

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Joel Hamlett, J. W. Rogers, J. O. Littlepage, J. P. Nelson; J. E. LeMond, R. O. McClure, L. A. Vaughn, J. O. Morrison, Pat Patterson, H. A. Wimmer, G. E. Chorn, Tom Housler, Mrs. W. W. Early, F. A. Werner, Mrs. J. S. Farr, J. L. Fargason, W. C. Fargason, Jacob Brom, K. B. Rector, W. L. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Jones, Mrs. Joe Nachlinger;

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School Queen

The happy Fluvanna High School junior pictured above is Jerry Haynes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynes, who reigned as queen of the Fluvanna school carnival held November 11. Queen Jerry, a pretty brunet with gay winsome manners, was the successful candidate following a school election at Fluvanna several days before the carnival.

Dr. Scarborough to Be 81 Thanksgiving

Thursday, November 27, will not only be Thanksgiving Day for Dr. A. O. Scarborough, veteran Snyder physician, but it will also mark the reaching of the 81st birthday for the author of a recent publication, "Following a Doctor's Satchel."

Dr. Scarborough, who says he will be 81 "years young," is the oldest practicing physician in point of service between Fort Worth and El Paso, and proved that a man is often as vigorous, mentally, as he feels by turning out his first book several months ago. The book is enjoying good sales.

Brotherhood Region Meet Set at Midland

Brotherhood convention of the Big Spring Baptist Association will meet with the First Baptist Church in Midland Monday night, November 24, at 7:30 o'clock, Thomas J. Pitts, president, has asked The Times to announce. Important reports will be made and pending projects will be discussed on the program.

Representatives and delegates are to attend from all the churches of the association, and visitors are expected from other associations in this district, Pitts states.

He'll Wonder.

Mother—"You were a very tidy boy not throw your orange peel on the floor of the bus. Where did you put it?"

Johnny—"In the pocket of the man next to me."

Jaycees Move Step Closer Community Center Wednesday

Snyder's proposed community center, as planned by the town's Junior Chamber of Commerce, moved another step toward realization Wednesday evening at a social meeting of Jaycee members in the W. O. W. hall.

Ben Dennis, Jaycee president, presided over the gathering, which attracted several visitors. Henry Rosenberg, Warren Dodson and W. F. Newsome met with the group to work out details concerning the proposal.

Jaycee members voted to have a regular membership gathering Monday evening, at which time further plans will be taken up to decide on means and ways of getting the town's community center underway.

Hot chocolate and cookies, furnished by Clark's Cafe, were served at the conclusion of the gathering.

Fluvanna News

Rita Dowdy, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughan and children of Eastland spent a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haynes.

C. D. Cribbs and son, Berry, took a load of cattle to Fort Worth last Monday an dwent on to East Texas after a load of lumber.

Mrs. V. L. Patterson, Bud White and Mrs. J. C. Dowdy have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. P. White in Andrews County and also visited in Hobbs, New Mexico, with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Black and family and Elizabeth White.

R. B. Wills Jr. of Brownwood spent last week-end with his parents here.

Guests of their aunt, Mrs. H. Landrum, were Curley Glover of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Vanner Voss of Wingate.

Grandmother Milliken, who lives west of town, has moved in the home of Mrs. H. Lanham to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Browning and daughter, Clyde, spent a few days in Lubbock and Tahoka.

Homer Patterson was carried to the Young Hospital at Roscoe for an examination.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. George Hanback of Snyder, a former resident of this community. She is in the Young Hospital at Roscoe.

The Sew-and-So Club will meet with Mrs. Murt Jones Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sims spent Sunday in Lubbock with their son, Billy, who is a Texas Tech student there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stavely were visitors in Southland and Lubbock Sunday.

Miss Camille Behringer attended a homecoming at Denton last week-end.

Merrill Nystel spent the week-end with homefolks at Abernathy.

Wayland Mathis, J. R. Brown Jr. and Wilford Rhodes left to attend the Consolidated Aircraft School at Dallas.

Mrs. Tommy Farquhar is in Amarillo visiting her brother, H. M. Nesbitt, who has been operated.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stark of Lubbock were Sunday visitors in the Gilbert Mize home.

It is but a short step from the critical to the hypocritical.

The greater the difficulty, the greater the glory.

Fire is the test of gold; adversity of men.

This Turkey's Neck Is Safe

Holding the ax over his head doesn't scare this turkey a bit! He was declared the grand champion of Texas at the State Fair, and he knows these San Antonio students at Texas State College for Women—Mary Ann Curlee, left, Audreen Southwell and Jo Meree Ridgway—aren't going to chop his head off for anybody's Thanksgiving dinner. The W. T. Halls of Denton own the turkey the girls are threatening.

Borden County Well Attracting Attention

A Borden County wildcat test that held the attention of Scurry County operators Wednesday was Anderson-Prichard and Osage Oil Company's No. 1 Clayton & Johnson test on a Pure Oil Company farmout that was preparing to test at 4,503 feet in lime.

Located in Section 1, Block 1, John DeShazo survey, test was due to run a four-inch liner, which was to be cemented at the bottom of the hole with a packer near the top of the liner. The liner will then be run perforated opposite a section considered promising and oil shows in the zone will be acidized.

The test was drilled three feet below contract depth, and is attracting considerable interest from oil scouts in this section of the state, since Borden County has not heretofore obtained commercial oil production.

Revival at Fluvanna Church Draws Crowd

The Church of Christ revival, which began Sunday morning at Fluvanna, is well underway this week, congregation leaders report, with excellent attendance a feature of each service. Evangelist Guy N. Woods of Vernon is doing the preaching.

Bro. Woods is well known by all members of the Church of Christ, having a reputation as an outstanding evangelist of this generation. He is widely known as a debater and writer.

A large delegation of Snyder people attended the Fluvanna Church of Christ services Sunday afternoon, and a sizeable number are attending each evening service, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The general public is invited to all services.

Necessity is a powerful stimulant.

COTTON QUIZ

Women are so clever at deception that men look like infants when they attempt to compete.

Feed for Orphans Home to Be Loaded At Snyder Monday

Luke Powell, Earl Patrick, C. M. Boren and Joe Allen, who compose the First Baptist Church's feed-for-Buckner Orphan's Home committee, reported Wednesday that virtually one carload of feed has been pledged for shipment to the orphanage.

Monday was officially set as feed loading day at the Winston loading station and is proving successful. Members of the committee hope to obtain enough feed for two carload shipments, since the home urgently has urgently needs the feed for pigs for meat purposes.

Those interested in donating feed to the worthwhile cause, regardless of denomination, are urged to contact the feed committee as soon as possible. Those who haven't feed to donate, but who would like to purchase feed to ship, are also asked to see committee members right away.

"We feel," C. M. Boren stated as spokesman for the committee, "that Scurry County people will feel honored to have a part in such a cause, and believe that our set goal of two carloads will be reached."

Experts must travel a lot and very fast to retain their standing.

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Busy Saturday

Snyder added another link of evidence to its reputation of being a good "Saturday night" town, when something like 3,000 people jammed the streets and business firms again Saturday evening, city officers report.

As one of the first fine in several weeks, all places of amusement marked up something of a "sell out" in available seats from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m., with seats out of the question at a free medicine show sponsored by the local fire boys.

Merchants and Snyder business men expressed the opinion over the week-end that a few more Saturday nights like unto it would be warmly appreciated.

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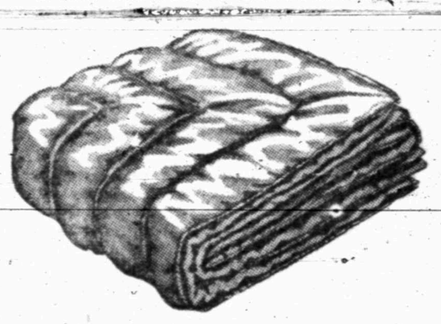

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Read About Your Friends in the Rural Sections of the County

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Mrs. E. W. Baldwin spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, at Follette.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Van Norman have as a visitor his mother, Mrs. Van Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller and Raymond Mangum made a business trip to Sweetwater Saturday.

Choc Eades of Snyder spent Saturday night and Sunday with Edith Eades.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard attended the funeral of a nephew, Lloyd Blackard, at Colorado City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Corbell and children of Plainview spent Sunday in the Edgar Eades home.

Mrs. R. E. Tamplin and daughter, Patsy, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tamplin at Big Spring.

J. W. Crowder has just finished a new house in Ira, south of P. A. Miller's place, and moved into it this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kelly and daughters attended the Baptist General Convention at Abilene Thursday.

Mrs. M. O. Barnes left Mr. Baldwin's Sunday for an extended visit with her son at Vincent.

Georgene Falls of Buford spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hamrick and children of Winnsboro spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Grady Suiter, and family.

Mrs. C. W. Bowen of Edinburg spent the week-end with her brother, E. B. Kelly, and family.

Those visiting in the T. C. Davenport home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Silas Davenport and children, Donald, Mary Lou and Joe, all of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Beeman and son, Harold Lee, and Mrs. Henry Flournoy and son, Silas Roy, all of Fluvanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children, Betty Lou, Billie and Robert, visited in the Clyde Childress home at Dunn Sunday night.

Mrs. Adell Holdren of Fairview spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tamplin.

M. L. Wilson made a business trip to Fort Worth last week.

R. C. Howard and a brother-in-law of Midland spent Sunday with R. C.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kelly and family spent Sunday in the P. L. Price home at Snyder.

Mrs. G. S. Cook was called to the bedside of her father, T. L. Shirley, at Frost Friday.

Those visiting in the G. W. Lewis home Sunday were Walter Lewis of Lyford; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Childress and children of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lewis and baby of Cuthbert, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bryce and daughter, Eutha Faye, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis and family of Ira and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Lewis of County Line.

Georgene and Eugene Lewis spent Sunday with Wanda Ruth and James Way at Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb and sons, Jack and Lloyd, spent Sunday in the W. C. Eades home at Crowder.

We extend sympathy to the loved ones of Lloyd Blackard, who passed away last Wednesday at Colorado City. Lloyd's parents are former residents of this county.

Rev. A. B. Cockrell of Dunn will fill his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. Cockrell is the new pastor on the Dunn charge.

The Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring a carnival at the gymnasium Friday night, November 21. Class queens are as follows: Billie Jean Cary, grammar school; Bettie Sue Dunn, freshman; Myrle Woody, sophomore; Marcelme Hickman, junior; and Emogene Cook, senior.

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Bison News

Mrs. A.W. Weathers, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. William West Arbuckle visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Dunn in the Vincent community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrier and children visited in the Murphy community Sunday afternoon.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strickland and children to our community. They moved here Monday. Mr. [illegible] visited in the B M. Strickland home, south of Colorado City, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holley Hilliard of Temple have been visiting the past few days in the home of the writer.

Mrs. Marion Addison accompanied her daughter, Zelma D., to Carlsbad last Thursday, returning Sunday.

Big Sulphur News

Eunice Lewis, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children visited Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Fred Popejoy, and husband at Roscoe.

Mrs. M. J. Haynes and son, Jimmy, visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Hubert Rea.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis and son, Clinton, visited Sunday afternoon with J. L. Vineyard and C. M. Cary. Both Mr. Vineyard and Mr. Cary are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones, Alva and Ruth Smith, Bernarr Smith, Frances Bentley and Montie Rea Smith visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children.

Mrs. M. J. Haynes visited Friday evening with Mrs. Bernard Gleastine.

Ray Norris did not go to Dallas, as stated in last week's Times, but will remain to live with his uncle, Jeff Norris, and wife.

Sergeant and Mrs. Leonard Surphur of the air corps at San Angelo, were brief callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis Friday.

Melba Joye Haynes has secured employment in Snyder.

Mrs. Stewart Cooper and children visited Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Ernest, at Colorado City.

Alvis Fox of San Antonio visited in the E. A. Burney home Saturday and Sunday.

Stewart Cooper Jr. attended the T. C. U.-Texas game Saturday at Austin.

Everyone enjoyed singing Sunday night. We were glad to have Rev. and Mrs. George Lloyd of Snyder with us.

We are glad to announce Rev. George Lloyd is expected to preach here Sunday morning after Sunday School.

Those visiting in the C. M. Cary home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Cary and children of Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cary and children of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hill of Snyder.

Helen Mahoney of Highland spent Saturday night with her father, A. J. Mahoney, and children.

Nellie Faye Cary of Plainview spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cary.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lemons of Lubbock attended the Baptist General Convention at Abilene last week and visited with their daughter, Mrs. O. B. Bentley, and family here.

Mrs. D. W. McMullen of Breckenridge visited her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Henry, last week. She was accompanied home Friday by Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Emory Doll and son, Larry Joe, who returned Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Patterson, Mrs. M. C. Nelson and daughter and Nell Carlton of Sweetwater and J. R. Patterson of Camp Bowie spent Sunday with Mrs. Laura Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Rea and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Panky motored to Brownfield Sunday to spend the day with their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. B. Conner, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barbour of Ontario, California, will be Times subscribers another year, through the courtesy of their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Hooper. The Barbours formerly resided here and say they enjoy reading about their old home town.

We are sorry to report that Harold Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mason, was serevely injured while playing a football game with Roby Friday night at Roby. He was taken to Snyder General Hospital for treatment. He was able to be back in school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscie Williams and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorrell and sons of the Bell community took dinner and supper Sunday with Mrs. M. E. Williams and daughter, Minnie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and Fern Higginbotham of Hollywood, California, spent part of last week with their respective parents, Mrs. Brown is th former Ila Early.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams, Earl Harrison, Dock Whatley, J. W. Rick, LaRue and Herbert Holanton of the Bell community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reed.

Emory Hall of Odessa, a Fort Worth Star-Telegram representative, spent the week-end with his wife and son in the J. J. Henry home.

Cotton picking in our community is nearing an end, with some farmers aready through.

Mmes. M. U. and John Vernon attended the bridal shower in Snyder Monday honoring Mrs. Buster Lewis, the former Laura Banks. She resided here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks, before moving to Snyder several years ago. tend congratulations to the new bride.

Cecil Caswell's grovery store became endangered Saturday night when one of his gasoline pumps caught fire. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done. We did not learn the origin of the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mobley spent Sunday afternoon with his sister and her family at Robert Lee.

Mrs. Alfred Higginbotham and son, Johnny Gayle, and Fern, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Higginbotham for a few days, returned Saturday morning to North Hollywood, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Caton of Ennis Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Higginbotham Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimes of Megargel visited in the G. R. Higginbotham home last Thursday. Also Mrs. Willard Jones and son of Newcastle were guests, and left also for California.

W. A. Bowen has been to Fort Worth this week with cattle.

Mrs. R. M. Coston was in Abilene Monday and went through a clinic. She has been in ill health several months.

Elmer Henry was operated in the Young Hospital Monday night.

Dermott News

Mrs. J. E. Sanders, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown of Snyder visited in the J. S. Sanders home Monday afternoon.

Aleta White, Arlie Wills, Billie Sprock and Bobbie Warren of Fluvanna visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

A. A. Browning and family visited in the Johnny Browning home Sunday.

Leslie Squyres, who is in training at San Antonio, visited with homefolks at Fluvanna and friends here the past week-end.

J. R. Brown Jr. and Wilford Rhodes left Sunday for Dallas, where they will enter an aerial training school.

The farmers here are all about up with their cotton pulling for a few days.

Mrs. Red Boss and children of Snyder visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elkins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Ira visited with their daughter, Mrs. Luther Edmonson, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Periman enjoyed a birthday and Armistice Day dinner at Justiceburg with Mr. and Mrs. Ott Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Periman spent Wednesday night with a brother of Mr. Periman's at Sweetwater, and then went on to the Baptist General Convention at Abilene Thursday.

Friends, remember the bargain days are here. See your local correspondent for subscription rates.

Mt. Zion News

Mrs. S. T. Minor Jr., Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anderson visited their son, Kelton Anderson, and family at Lubbock Sunday.

Henry Bishop and Larry Morris of Plainview spent Tuesday with Mrs. S. T. Minor Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Vandiver spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bruton, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sumruld spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sumruld at Ennis Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor and little daughter, Enid, and Mrs. Minor Sr. spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Reep and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Etheredge at Sylvester.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Inman of Strayhorn, Gerald Walton of Snyder and Ornetha Inman of Lubbock visited in the S. T. Minor home Monday night.

Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent

We are certainly glad to have all this nice weather. Most of our farmers are about through with their crop gathering.

Tura Lou, Mabel, Bob and Faye Etheredge attended the football game at Abilene Saturday.

We are sorry to learn of Don Snowden being in the hospital. He was operated last week for appendicitis.

Mrs. G. C. Irwin of Lamesa visited in the W. S. Etheredge home Saturday.

Mrs. Elmer Westfall is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Malcolm White. Mr. and Mrs. White are entertaining a new son, Billy Dean.

C. C. Littlepage and Pete and Schooner Etheredge visited in the Marion Hamilton home at Strayhorn Sunday.

Folks, don't forget that I'd be glad to take your subscriptions at any time.

Mrs. L. M. Reep and daughter spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reep at Camp Springs.

Midway News

Doris Dixon, Correspondent

Morris Casey of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Marie Casey of Lubbock visited in the Guy Casey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Davis and daughter, Ruth, of Snyder visited in the Roy Davis home Sunday.

Arthur Weaks of Roscoe visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Snowden visited with her sister, Mrs. Worthington, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm White have a new son, named Billie Dean.

We are sorry to report Don Snowden in the hospital. We are glad to report Mrs. Clyde Brown much improved.

Mrs. Hartsfield and three children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron this week.

Louray Stewart, Doris Dixon and Maudell Carney of this community attended the Area 2 meeting at Lubbock Saturday.

Charles Knight, James Eddie Walls and Donald Aucutt spent part of the week-end in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis have a new boy, Charles Mason.

Everyone is invited to attend BTU at Midway every Sunday at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

Please, Correspondents

Because Thanksgiving Day falls on usual "press day" for The Times next week, correspondents are asked to please cooperate with the publishers by getting their news letters in a day earlier than usual. The paper will be published late Wednesday.

For you, our correspondents, and all our friends, we are thankful at this Thanksgiving season, and pledge our continued efforts to constantly improve "Your Home County Paper."

Polar News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent

Bro. Bitsy Rees and Bro. and Mrs. Sidney Rees conducted church services here over the week-end and will be here Sunday for the young-folks' rally. Come and bring a basket dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Ramage and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Grannetbar at Lloyd Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Massingill and children of Lubbock spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Womack and children of Ballinger are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Matt Shifflett.

Unsle Gerome Ford has returned home from a visit with relatives at Snyder and in Nolan County.

Round Top News

Mrs. Walter Brown, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams and Sammie Marie and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Crowder and Marion spent Saturday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Connell and daughter, Opal Fay, of Crowder visited in the J. S. Pitner home Sunday.

Baby daughter, Nelda Beth, of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beeman had a minor operation and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. James of Colorado visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Crowder.

Private Rayburn Beeman of Seattle, Washington, is visiting homefolks this week.

Robbie Jo Brown of A. C. C., Abilene, is spending this week at home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent

Mary Dell Phillips of Carey is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oren Sturdivant, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koonsman and daughter, Wanda, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dee Robinson of Ennis Creek, visited an aunt in Corsicana over the week-end.

Clark Nicks and family attended Mrs. A. T. Nicks' birthday dinner at Snyder Sunday and also visited Mrs. Ray Sturdivant, who is ill.

Congratulations to Robert Helms of Cottonwood Flat and Loel Cox of near Snyder, who were married recently. Robert is a brother of Mrs. Alvin Koonsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Mozell Roggenstein accompanied her sister, Mrs. Wesley Cummings, of California to Loraine Sunday to visit their cousin, Mrs. Aidman Angel.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson are driving a new Buick.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryant and little daughter of O'Donnell visited their aunt, Mrs. Ben Harless, and family Sunday afternoon.

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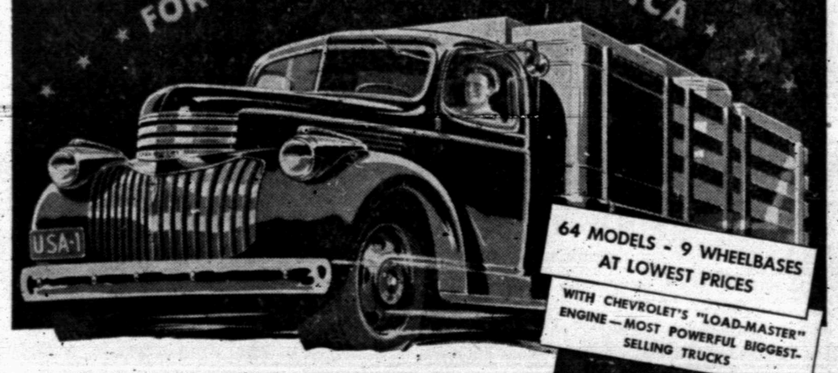
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FOR RENT — Unfurnished apartment over Ben Franklin Store. See Nathan Rosenberg. 1c

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$10 REWARD for return of valise lost on Highway 15, 17 miles east of Snyder, near county line. Contained man's Jaeger underwear, bed sheets, pillow cases and other articles, including Central American coins. Finder keep coin, return valise to The Times office, Snyder.—W. B. Akers. 1c

LOST—New tan boot, size 2½. Reward for return to Times. 1p

FOUND—Boy's jacket. Owner can have same by identification and paying for this ad.—John Bayouth at Frank's Department Store. 1c

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WANTED—Wheeled chair for aged lady. Will lease or buy. Address Mrs. J. W. Gladson, General Delivery, Snyder. 24-2p

WANTED—Middle age lady or couple to stay with elderly woman, pleasant surroundings.—A. W. Scrivner, Dermott. 24-2p

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FOR SALE—75 good Rambouillet ewes.—W. V. Jones, Camp Springs, Texas. 24-2p

SMALL stock farm, 350 acres, 200 in cultivation; small house, well and windmill; near town. Also house and lot in town. All for $7,800.—Aubrey Clark, Snyder. 1c

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FOR SALE—1941 super deluxe Ford tudor with radio and heater; 15,000 miles.—Andy Jones, Camp Springs, Texas. 24-2p

FOR SALE—26 acres town section of Tahoka, 780 feet fronting U. S. Highway 87; all in cultivation; improved, fine water, government allotment. This is not matched at any other county seat on the Plains. Choice for home and business, $2500, half its real value. Owner nonresident. See me at once.—A. W. White, Keltner Hotel, Tahoka, Texas. 24-2p

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BAN ON FAKE SOLICITORS IN CITY SOUGHT

Snyder Merchants To Turn Thumbs Down on Solicitors Without Approval of Committee

Snyder merchants were reported cooperating 100 per cent this week with the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce to make Snyder safe for legitimate solicitors.

As evidence that the movement is going over with the town's business men, stores and business firms throughout the business district placed cards in prominent places with this wording:

"Notice to Solicitors: No subscriptions, donations or other contributions for cash or merchandise will be made by this firm unless the solicitor has the sanction of the endorsement committee of the Chamber of Commerce."

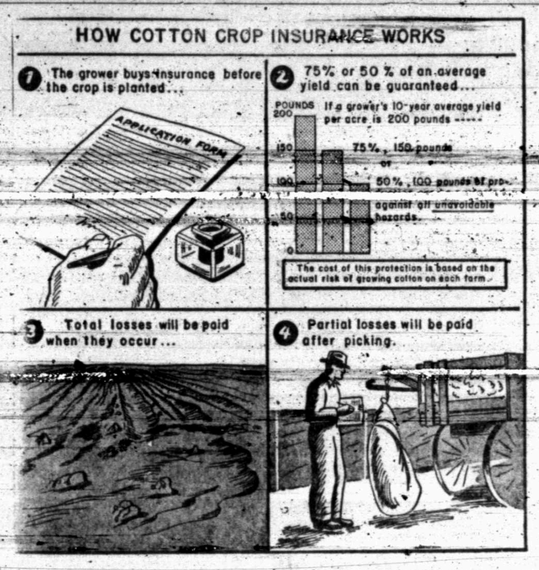
Purpose of the solicitor warning, R. G. Dillard, Chamber of Commerce manager, points out, "is not to discourage legitimate solicitors, or to keep the rural families of Scurry County from seeking aid when tragedy, disaster or sickness in the family makes such help necessary, but to keep shady fly-by-night people from filching Snyder business people of small and large donations."

Members of the Chamber of Commerce endorsement committee declare that no legitimate solicitor will be turned down, or discouraged to seek proper help from Snyder business firms, but that the lid will be clamped down on persons who hit town, solicit funds for a thousand and one causes, then leave as suddenly as they came here without explanation of where donations go.

Those who desire to obtain contributions from Snyder business men or firms for good causes, such as community box and pie suppers, aid for destitute families who have suffered "burn outs" or other disasters, and other worthwhile movements, must first get the Chamber of Commerce endorsement committee for approval of their cause.

"If people in all sections of the county will first get the approval of the endorsement committee," Dillard states, "we can quickly 'freeze out' the unwanted solicitors, and keep our funds right here within the county's borders. Those who have worthwhile causes to seek donations for should not mind obtaining proper approval."

Chamber of Commerce directors say it would be a good idea for people seeking contributions for churches, schools and community-wide projects to contact the endorsement committee for suggestions and advice that will, at all times, be friendly.



ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Strout of Lubbock were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Spears here. Mrs. Strout is the former Fay Nell Spears.

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Mrs. Dan Whatley left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will be a week-end guest of her daughter, Tissie, who is a student in the Hockaday School for Girls.

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Frank Bayouth of Frank's Department Store is in Dallas purchasing ladies' coats and dresses and general merchandise. He probably will return to Snyder this week-end.

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Rev. Jack Selcraig of San Antonio, who was in Abilene last week for the Baptist General Convention, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Roger Wayne here.

*

Mrs. J. W. Scott and son, Donald Ray, student in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, left Wednesday for a week-end visit with Mrs. L. E. Scott and other relatives and friends in Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Merrill of Dallas are visiting in Snyder with their daughter, Mrs. Wesley Evans, and Mr. Evans. Former Snyder residents, the Merrills have lived in Dallas the past seven years.

*

Jack Craft of San Angelo, who has been previously associated with Curley's Studio here during fall and winter seasons, will be in Snyder again this year, according to Curley Johnson, owner of the local studio.

*

Clarice Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hartley, is home for a 15-day furlough from Fort Sam Houston, where he is a member of the signal corps of the United States Army. Hartley is due to return to camp November 30.

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Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Chapman and children included Mrs. Chapman's mother, Mrs. M. E. Whitworth, Mrs. A. A. Eberle and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyles, all of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. King Sides and son, James, of Big Spring.

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Mrs. Vernon G. Young of Lawton, Oklahoma, whose husband is an army officer at Fort Sill, is visiting in Snyder with her mother, Mrs. R. M. Stokes, and other relatives and friends. She will be here two weeks.

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L. M. Irion, former long-time Union community resident, who has been working at Richmond, California, this year, was in town Saturday renewing acquaintances and giving some first-hand information on the pretty California weather prevailing now.

*

Sergeant B. Pierce Moffett Jr. of Fort Bliss left last Thursday, returning to the army camp after a brief leave, which was spent here with his wife, the former Marie Sumruld, and her brother, V. D. Sumruld, at the Camp Barkeley Army Hospital, near Abilene.

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Week-end guests of Dot Winston at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Winston, here included Elmerine Barron of Lamesa, Marguerite Noble of Hamlin and Beatrice Wright of Eldorado. All four girls are students in Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Edwin Walton, U. S. Air Corps volunteer, left last Thursday, after spending 15 days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walton, for his permanent station at Victoria. Walton, first at Randolph Field, got special training in mechanics at Chanute Field, Illinois.

Identified.

The man from the country came to the camp to see his son, who had been drafted. As his name was Jones, it was difficult to locate the selectee. The officer on duty said to the farmer:

"There's Jones in the officers' mess. Perhaps that's your man."

"Yes, sir, that would be him," agreed the visitor.

"What makes you so sure?" asked the officer.

"Well," said the other, "he was always in some mess or other when he was at home, so it must be him."

Enough Proof.

After working for six months at a new factory, the superintendent thought that he wasn't popular, so he called aside an old worker.

"Bill," said the superintendent, "how is it the men don't seem to like me? Why at my last place they gave me a silver teapot when I left."

"Only a silver teapot?" said the candid worker. "Gosh, if you'll only leave here we'd make it a gold one."

Pleasant Hill News

Jimmie Merritt, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall and daughters visited relatives at Loraine Sunday.

John Bownds of Dumas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKinney and son spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Foch Walton and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall of Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Harless of Snyder were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall and daughters.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Logan and daughter of Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgs of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Logan and daughter.

Jimmie Merritt spent the week-end with Louise Stanley at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton McKinney spent the week-end in Rainbow with her father, who is ill.

Pay to Match Preach.

Once there was an Indian named Big Smoke, employed as a missionary to his fellow Smokes.

A white man encountering Big Smoke, asked him what he did for a living.

"Umph!" said Big Smoke. "Me preach."

"That so? What do you get for preaching?"

"Me get ten dollars a year."

"Well," said the white man, "that's damn poor pay."

"Umph!" said Big Smoke, "me damn poor preacher."

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PALACE Theatre

Thursday, Nov. 20—
"Honky Tonk"
starring Clark Gable and Lana Turner. News and Cartoon. Admission 11 and 30 cents.

Friday-Saturday, Nov 21-22—
Never Give a Sucker an Even Break"
starring W. C. Fields, with Gloria Jean, Leon Errol, Butch and Buddy. Cartoon, "Football Thrills," and Novelty. Admission 11 and 25 cents.

Saturday Night Prevue Only, Nov. 22—
"Nine Lives Are Not Enough"
with Ronald Reagan, Joan Perry, James Gleason. Admission 11 and 30 cents. Prevue tickets at 9:45 to see both shows.

Sunday and Monday, Nov. 23-24—
"Our Wife"
starring Melvyn Douglas and Ruth Hussey with Ellen Drew, Charles Coburn, John Hubbard. News and Cartoon Comedy. Admission 11 and 30 cents.

Tuesday, Nov. 25—
"Lone Wolf Takes a Chance"
with Warren William, June Storey, Eric Blore. News and Cartoon. Bargain Day—Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Nov. 26-27—
"Smilin' Through"
all filmed in technicolor with Jeanette MacDonald and Brian Aherne. News and Comedy. Admission 11 and 30 cents.

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

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TEXAS Theatre

Thursday, Nov. 20—
"Riding the Cherokee Trail"
starring Tex Ritter. "Jungle Girl" Serial, and Musical Comedy. Bargain Days—Admission 11 cents.

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 21-22—
"The Medico of Painted Springs"
starring Charles Starrett. Chapter II of "King of the Texas Rangers," and Comedy. Admission 11 and 25 cents.

Saturday Night Prevue and Sunday Matinee, Nov. 22-23—
"Billy the Kid in Santa Fe"
starring Bob Steele. Cartoon Comedy and Novelty. Admission 11 and 25 cents. Prevue tickets at 9:45 to see both shows.

Sunday Night, Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 23-24-25—
"Blondie in Society"
starring Blondie, Dagwood, Baby Dumpling and Daisy. Cartoon and Novelty. Admission 11 and 25 cents.

Nine County Women Attend Council Meet

Nine county Home Demonstration Clubs were represented Saturday afternoon at the meeting of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council, held in Frank Robers's office.

ing the current club year were given by representatives of each county Home Demonstration Club present.

Ladies present for the gathering were considerably enthused over reports given from each council officer. Council officers for the coming year are given as follows:

Mrs. Stanley Merket, chairman; Mrs. Jim Boothe, vice chairman; Mrs. P. A. McPherson, secretary; Mrs. J. D. Oxsheer, treasurer; and Mrs. Guy Glenn, reporter.

Members of the council's arrangements committee worked out plans for a Christmas tea that will be staged Saturday, December 6.

Chanters Heard in Presentation Sunday

People of Snyder and nearby communities were attracted Sunday morning to the Methodist Church in large numbers to witness the presentation of the McMurry College Chanters in a special program of

The Chanters are directed by Gypsy Ted Sullivan Wylie. Secular and sacred music was furnished by the group, with Nelda Walker, Howard McCoy, Bill Adams and others featured as soloists. James Tinkle, former Fluvanna youth, was in the group of touring singers.

Thirty-one members of the Abilene group are now on a 1,250-mile tour of West Texas, New Mexico and Colorado, giving special programs in churches, schools and other community gathering centers.

Men do not realize how great a revenue economy is.

Cured Anyway.

"Well, Miss Johnsing," said the colored physician to the worried wife, "Ah has finely knocked de fevah auten dat husband o' yourn."

"Sho' nuff ?" she said. "You mean he's gwine to git well?"

"No'm," said the doctor. "Dey hain't no hope fo' him to git well. But you has de satisfaction of knowin' dat he died cured."

"Your wife is very broadminded, isn't she?"

"Oh, yes. She believes there are two sides to every question—her own and her mother's."

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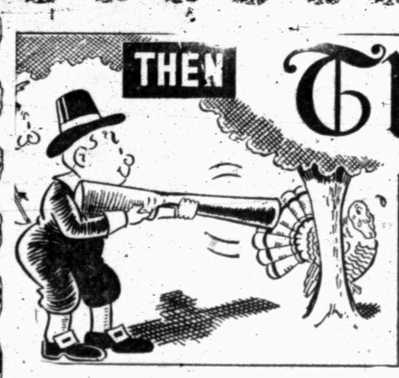

Thanksgiving

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Full Week of Specials, Beginning Friday, Nov. 21, and Ending Wednesday, Nov. 26

Flour	Sunshine Perfect Flour 48 lb. Sack	1.75
CRISCO	All-Purpose Shortening, 3-Pound Can	79c
PEAS	Del Monte, Early Garden, No. 2 Can	19c
Fruit Cocktail	Heart's Delight, Tall Can	16c
ASPARAGUS	Del Monte, No. 1 Can	21c
CANDY	Chocolate Covered Cherries 1-Pound Box	23c
Jell-o	Six Delicious Flavors, Per Package	7c
Marshmallows	Brown's, 1-Lb. Package	15c
Baking Powder	Calumet, 1-Pound Can	19c
Peas	Pecan Valley, Cream, Two Cans	25c
Chocolate	Hershey's Bittersweet, 2 Packages	25c
Shortening	Armour's Vegetole, 8-Lb. Carton	$1.29
Cheerioats	New Cereal by General Mills, Syrup Pitcher Free—2 Pkgs.	30c
Cake Flour	Swan's Down, Per Package	29c

CRACKERS
Saltine Krispy
1½-lb Box 25c

Cranbery Sauce
Ocean Spray
Can 15c

PUMPKIN
Stokely's
No. 2 Can . 10c

COCONUT
Long Shreds, Sweetened
1-Lb. Bag. 23c

MINCE MEAT
Pecan Valley
3 Pkgs....25c

CHERRIES
Red Sour Pitted
No. 2 Can..21c

Drug Department

Castoria	Regular 40c Bottle, Piggly Wiggly's Price	33c
Carter's Liver Pills	Regular 25c Value	21c
Absorbine Jr.	Regular $1.25 Value for	98c
Cardui	Regular $1.00 Size, Piggly Wiggly's Price	79c
Vick's Salve	Regular 35c Value for	29c
Vick's Nose Drops	Regular 50c Value	23c
Anti-Choke Nipples	Regular 7c Value	5c
Hind's Cream	Honey & Almond, Regular 50c	25c
Razor Blades	Marlin Double Edge 20 Blades for	23c
Hair Tonic	Wild Root, $1.79 Value and Pro-Phy-Lac-Tic Hair Brush	89c

BEANS	Ranch Style, 3 Cans for	29c
PECANS	Fancy Shelled, 1-Lb. Cello Bag	39c
SUGAR	Powdered XXXX, 3 Packages	29c
SYRUP	Red Label Karo, Quart Can	29c
OXYDOL	Makes Clothes White—Lge. Pkg.	27c

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CURED HAMS	Half or Whole, Per Pound	27c
Sliced BACON	Armour's Faultless, Per Pound	28c
Beef ROAST	Chuck Cuts, Per Pound	22c
SAUSAGE	Pure Pork, Sacks—Per Pound	29c
OYSTERS	Select Quality, Per Pint	45c
JOWLS	Dry Salt, Per Pound	15c

Fresh FRUIT and VEGETABLE VALUES

WALNUTS	New Crop, 1-Lb. Cello Bag	29c
CELERY	Jumbo Bleached, Per Stalk	15c
Cranberries	Fancy Eat-Mor, Per Pound	23c
Grapefruit	Texas Marsh Seedless, Per Bushel	99c
POTATOES	No. 1 Colorado, Reds—10 Pounds	23c
LETTUCE	Fresh and Crisp, 2 Heads for	9c
ORANGES	Texas, Nice Size, 2 Dozen	25c
APPLES	Washington Delicious, Per Dozen	15c

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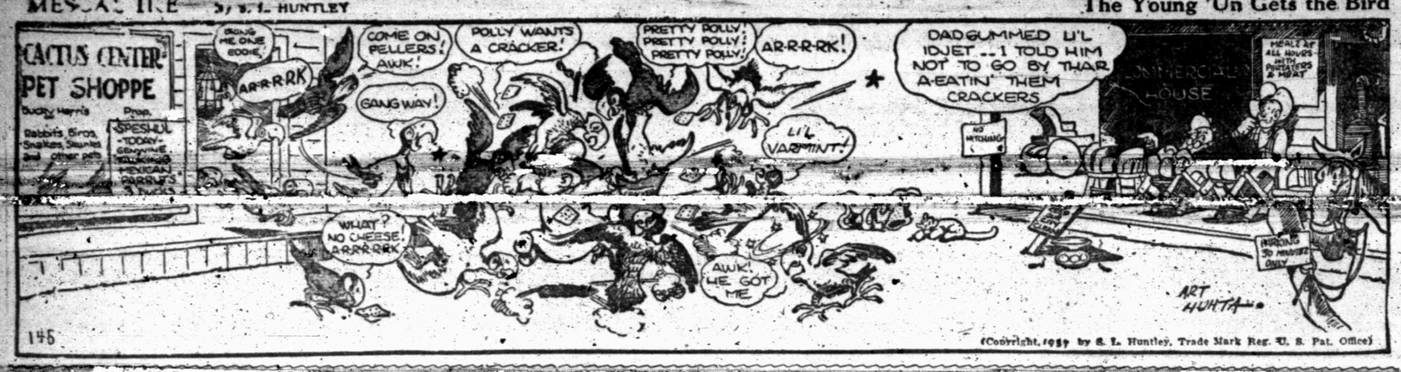
The Young 'Un Gets the Bird



Ira, Fluvanna and Union on Schedule For Educational Gatherings by FSA

Third in a series of educational community meetings started this week by Scurry County's Farm Security Administration wil be a gathering that will be held Friday beginning at 10:00 a. m., at Ira High School.

Sam Adams and Cecil Eades were named this week to act as member of the arrangements committee for Friday's gathering at Ira; Mmes. Judson McGaha and Odis White, named members of the lunch committee; Odis White, Eugene Parker and William T. Childress named program arrangements personnel.

The Ira gathering, which will be open to the public, includes the Ira, Dunn and Cuthbert communities.

First in the series of educational conferences sponsored by the Farm Security Administration was held Monday at Hermleigh. The Hermleigh Band, directed by Ben W. Newhouse, furnished music throughout the lunch hour, and C. B. Bentley, vocational agriculture teacher, assisted with program details.

Visitor at the Hermleigh meet was C. B. Estes, who is now in this immediate vicinity making estimates for FSA. H. P. Winter, committee chairman, was also present. Committees for the meeting included:

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Knight, arrangements; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Minor, lunch committee; Mrs. Hubert A. Martin, program chairman; and Mrs. Leon Cooper, secretary.

FSA borrowers and other interested parties of the Ennis Creek and Plainview communities met in Snyder Tuesday morning for the second educational gathering sponsored by FSA. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Prather, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jennings comprised the arrangements committee; Mr. and Mrs. John Derryberry and Mrs. John Cagle, lunch committee; John Curnutte, Mrs. Edgar Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tate, program committee.

Besides the Ira confab Friday, another educational FSA meeting of interest will be held Monday at Fluvanna High School. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mull, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeder comprise the arrangements committee; Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Green, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Holder, lunch committee; Mrs. John E. Smith will be the program chairman, Garland Parks and Furman Kelly, assistants.

Fifth FSA educational get-together will be held Tuesday at the Union Methodist Church, with the general public extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Guy Madison and Thad Morrow are on the arrangements committee for the Union gathering; Mrs. Douglas Burney and Mrs. Joseph Bates on the lunch committee; and James T. Stephens, assisted by Mrs. Harold Roberts and Garnett Kelly, will take care of the program for the day.

Topics under discussion in the series of community educational gatherings, according to FSA officials, include what Scurry County farmers can do to conserve soil, advantages of farm planning, more food for defense, better understandings between landlords and tenants, and steps that can be taken to make rural life more satisfactory.

Seely is joined by the Snyder FSA personnel in extending the public an invitation to attend the community-wide educational gatherings. Discussions will be open to the public and visitors will be given a warm welcome.

County Boys Given Advances and Move To New Air Bases

Private First Class Marvin Hanson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin H. Hanson of Dunn, was one of the 319 trained technicians in radio communication that recently received his diploma from the U. S. Air Corps at Scott Field, Illinois.

Graduation marked the termination of 22 weeks of intensive training in all phases of radio for young Hanson. Entering the "army's radio university" last July, the former Dunn youth received a thorough schooling in code, transmitters and receivers.

Private Hanson has now been assigned to Gowen Field, Idaho.

Another Scurry County boy who has also received his diploma in radio communications is Private First Class Robert L. Hairston, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hairston.

Hairston, Hanson and other members of the graduation class received a considerable amount of technical training on radio sets used in the army's vast communication system.

Hairston, private first class, was assigned this week to Mather Field, California.

Cotton Grades for Scurry Region Show Nice Improvement

Latest news on the 1941 cotton situation, released this week by the Agricultural Marketing Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is given in the following paragraphs for the benefit of Times readers:

"A summary of the remarkable increase in the number of cotton improvement groups of Scurry, Borden and other counties that have made application for the free classification and market news service provided under the Smith-Doxey Act is highly encouraging.

"For the entire Cotton Belt in 1939 there were 918 groups participating in the cotton improvement program. This year, in Texas alone, there were 1,300 groups and 190 groups for Oklahoma, many of which are county-wide.

"We are happy to report that the Agriculture Department's cotton improvement program, classing and market news services have made cotton producers quality and price conscious. Consequently, they have produced better cotton with longer staple that has both character and uniformity."

Young Wastella Wife Dies Early Saturday

Mrs. Barnett Piper, 24-year-old resident of the Wastella community, passed away early Saturday morning in a Roscoe hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral services for Mrs. Piper were held Sunday afternoon, 2:00 o'clock, at the Wastella Baptist Church. Rev. G. W. Parks, Roscoe Baptist pastor, assisted by Rev. Jimmie Bolton, Wastella pastor, officiated.

Survivors include the husband, a five-month-old son, Stanley Wayne; three sisters, two brothers and the grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Piper. A number of relatives from Dallas and Littlefield attended final rites.

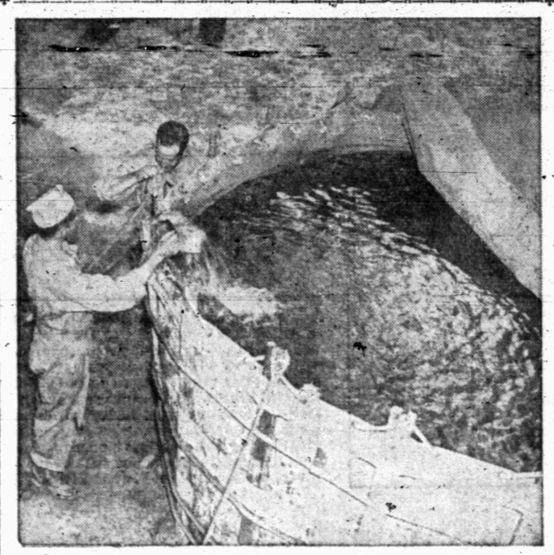
Adams Funeral Home of Roscoe was in charge of arrangements.

A doting aunt and uncle were taking a very small but very lively boy for a walk. They kept him between them in order to protect him against any danger.

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

"No," reported Bobby, "they're my convoys."

Army Uses Cotton Tank for Water



When the army wants water, it wants water in quantities. During the recent maneuvers in Louisiana these members of the 2nd Armored Division found the best way to keep a supply of water was to set up a big cotton canvas storage tank. Easily knocked down and moved from one area to another, the waterproof tank is afforded sanitary protection by the heavy canvas cover shown rolled back in the picture.

Hobbs 4-H Girls Hear Bedspread Pointers

"A good grade of unbleached sheeting or sacks may be used for tufted bedspreads," Jewell Hipp, Fisher County home demonstration agent, told members of the Hobbs junior girls' 4-H Club Monday at Hobbs School.

Miss Hipp pointed out to Hobbs 4-H Club girls that colored sheeting may be utilized for spreads in pastel shades, although more expensive than unbleached sheeting.—Martha Ann Guillet, Reporter.

New Outlet Seen for Cotton in Insulation Field Over Country

There is a new, almost untouched market for cotton, Scurry County farmers were advised this week by Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, that will use around 750,000 bales a year if only 10 per cent of the potential market is captured.

The field, Hyman points out, is that of insulation. Use of cotton for this purpose is apparently well past the experimental stage.

Most cotton insulation, as county farmers realize, has been used, to date, in home construction. Tests, however, show that the lightness and cohesiveness of cotton insulation make it a natural where settling by vibration is a factor.

For this reason, the county agent explains, manufacturers are turning to cotton insulation in refrigerator cars and trucks and in household refrigerators. The product is now being tested for use in marine and airplane construction.

Cotton insulation material, the Texas Extension Service advises Hyman, is impregnated with a fire resistant agent and houses insulated against cold, heat and sound treated in such a manner are actually more fire-proof than non-insulated structures.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture announces this week, coincident with Hyman's comments, that the Surplus Marketing Administration would provide payments of nine cents per pound to holders of approved certificates who manufacture and sell insulation made of cotton.

Payments of nine cents per pound apply, also, to insulation makers who utilize cotton card strips and cotton comber waste.

Lloyd Blackard Dies Wednesday After Early Morning Shot

Shot through the heart with a .410 gauge shotgun which lay beside him, Lloyd Blackard, 32, of Colorado City, and a cousin of Melvin Blackard, Snyder business man, was found dead on a couch at his Colorado City home last Wednesday morning.

An inquest verdict of suicide was returned by Justice of the Peace T. E. Arnold, who set time of death at approximately 5:30 a. m.

Blackard, who had been employed at the Col-Tex Refinery Company for the past several years, was well known in Mitchell and Southern Scurry Counties.

Survivors include the widow; a daughter, Sandra, six; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Blackard of San Angelo; two brothers, A. A. of Los Angeles and Clifton Blackard of Tulia; and a sister, Mrs. J. Lee Griffith of Tulia.

Landmark Home at Ennis Burns Tuesday

Mrs. H. S. Hart's seven-room residence, a landmark in the Ennis Creek community for many years, was destroyed by fire Tuesday, following explosion of a kerosene stove.

According to reports received by The Times, Mrs. Hart and her children were unable to save anything at all from the fire, so quickly did flames envelop the structure after the explosion.

People of the Ennis Creek and surrounding communities remember the Hart residence as the old Ben Davis home place. Built in an early day, the Hart houie had been the site of many community gatherings, parties and Sunday evening singings.

Scouts of District Continue Drive to Gather Old Paper

Present scarcity of waste paper, the raw material so urgently needed by paper-board box manufacturers, has brought about a new opportunity for service on the part of Boy Scouts in the Snyder District, H. L. Wren, district chairman, declared Tuesday.

Boy Scouts of the Snyder District it will be recalled, assisted sometime back in the county-wide aluminum drive and a number of Boy Scouts and Cubs have already cooperated in collection of discarded cardboard, scrap paper and rags. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Woody have supervised the shipment of several thousands pounds of paper and rags.

For several years, Scouts of the Snyder and adjacent districts have collected waste paper to finance troop activities, but have experienced difficulty in finding suitable markets. Now Scouts have the opportunity to "cash in" on the waste paper market if they can find the waste paper.

Should Boy Scouts of the Snyder District participate in a district-wide campaign to collect waste paper immediately, Wren declares that they will not infringe on the usual sources of various social agencies, which obtain a part of their income from such collections.

Snyder District officials declare that Scout troops in this district will contact every house in their respective communities to find new sources of waste paper. Collection of the paper is expected to start within the near future.

Hermleigh FFA Boys Go On Air Tuesday

Directed by C. B. Bentley, Hermleigh School vocational agriculture instructor, Hermleigh's Future Farmers of America chapter put on a 15-minute radio program Tuesday afternoon over Station KXOX, Sweetwater.

The broadcast, staged from 1:15 to 1:30 o'clock, was built around "The FFA's Part in Our Food-for-Freedom Fight." Harold Mason and Ray Burklow were the two chapter members that spoke on the broadcast.

Music was furnished by Hermleigh Future Farmers of America band, directed by C. A. Dacus.

Lesson in Backing Auto Given as Free Sidelight to Scrape

Just what does constitute the rights of a motorist here, or in any other West Texas city?

This question was raised last Thursday afternoon as an aftermath of a fender scraping incident which occurred just south of Piggly Wiggly on 25th Street, and the type of incident that causes motorists to reflect on where one person's rights end and the other's begin.

The fender scraping incident occurred when a 1939 Ford sedan began to back from the Piggly Wiggly curb, and a 1938 Chrysler coupe began to back out on the opposite side of the street. Result was that the two vehicles tangled left back fenders in the middle of 25th Street, according to eye witnesses.

The fender scraping incident brought forth Simon Best, city marshal, who was called upon to determine, if possible, which vehicle owner erred. A number of spectators were attracted to the site, with varied explanations on what constituted the safety lane of 25th Street, and who should stop where.

Exceptionally slight damage was done to the vehicles involved in the fender kissing, according to Best, but a lengthy and detailed discourse on backing out from the curb, proper courtesy to other motorists, etc. resulted. A number of Snyder and county residents who listened in on the question of traffic regulations said they got a real lesson, flavored with all the sidelights, free of charge and without benefit of a glass room lecture.

Visitor—"My, what a large skating rink you have."

Instructor—"Yes, indeed, it has a seating capacity of five thousand."

Elton O. Grant Given Rating in Air Corps

Elton O. Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grant, and now an airplane mechanic at Goodfellow Field, new basic air corps flying school at San Angelo, has been promoted from the rank of sergeant to that of staff sergeant.

Staff Sergeant Grant, who was called in the U. S. Air Corps in 1939, with other technicians of the 388th School Squadron, was promoted to fill a vitally important position in the rapidly expanding national defense program.

Grant served a three-year enlistment in the U. S. army at Fort Bliss, near El Paso, before he went into the air corps. He was mechanical instructor at the San Angelo field, the local man was first stationed at Kelly Field.

He and his wife are living at 722 East Harris, San Angelo. The two were married in August, and Mrs. Grant was formerly a resident of Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grant visited them last week-end.

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News of Folks in Scurry County

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

Rev. Jim Fields of Snyder filled his regular appointment here over the week-end. He delivered three fine sermons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Barrier and Jimmy of Sharon attended church here Sunday and took dinner with Mrs. Lloyd Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodges and son [illegible] a visit with Floyd's parents at Morton and with her relatives at Littlefield.

Carl Bartels of Taft is visiting the von Roeders and Murphys at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hill and son were in Colorado City on business Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Fields and James took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Minton Sunday and visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Burney McGee and daughters of Lamesa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder Sunday.

Lloyd Murphy and Ben Weathers are off on a deer hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sterling at Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Davis and Don spent the week-end at Snyder with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrier and sons visited here Sunday.

Lena Faye and Irene Fields spent Sunday with the J. G. Davises.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder visited with Don Snowden Saturday. Don underwent an operation in the Snyder General Hospital.

Mrs. Floyd Murphy and Peggy visited in the Roy Barrier home Friday.

Raymond Maxwell is staying with his sister, Mrs. Nolan von Roeder.

Wayland Sanders of Vincent spent Friday and Saturday with Brent Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Owens spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis at Coahoma.

Mrs. "Tuffy" Sanders of Vincent visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Lone Wolf News

Gladys R. Mahoney, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford are announcing the arrival of new babies. The Prescotts have a son and the Lankfords have a girl. Mrs. Prescott is the former Evelyn Claxton Self and Mrs. Lankford was Mamie Sue Stewart.

We extend sympathy to Barnett Pieper and baby in the loss of their wife and mother, who died Saturday. Mrs. Pieper, who was 21 years of age, was the former Flo Gene Williams. Death came to her in the Young Hospital at Roscoe after an extended illness. Survivors, besides her husband and five-month-old son, Stanley Wayne, include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd E. Williams, three sisters and two brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Barnett of Plainview, Mittie and Johnnie Barnett of Dallas have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Myrtle Pieper, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson and sons were visiting her father, O. P. Blair, Sunday.

Nola and Opal Richburg of Loraine spent Tuesday afternoon with Beth and Ruth Mahoney.

Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Bruce Cox of Snyder spent Friday night and Saturday with Rex Millhollon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elma Cummings and children, Elma Lynn and Sterling, of Roaring Springs are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sterling. They are also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sterling and Lorita.

Mrs. Sam Adams and daughter, Alvie Nell, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Ivy, at Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Golden visited their children on the Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Martin are both entertaining baby daughters in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Millhollon and children, Sara Louise and Jim Bob, and Mrs. Maudie Bruce visited in the Sharon community Sunday.

Jim Sterling, Mr. Coffey, Oran Coffey, Wayne Pherigo and T. M. Pherigo were in Dickens County, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Millhollon and Mrs. Lucy Millhollon visited in the Sharon community late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sterling and Mrs. T. M. Pherigo attended the funeral of Mr. Crenshaw at Snyder Sunday afternoon

Mrs. Jimmie Hill and son, Jimmie Lynn, of Murphy spent one day last week with Mrs. Jim Sterling and daughter, Lorita.

Martin News

Mrs. Fay Gibson, Correspondent

Congratulations to Rosa Mae Walls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Walls, and Harold Williams, who were married Saturday in Snyder.

Mrs. Lynn Parker has returned home from Mineral Wells, where she visited her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lemons and son visited the Jeff Patricks in Crosbyton.

Mrs. Will Shaw is here visiting her mother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gladson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Rex Gladson of Rotan to Post and Tahoka Sunday.

The Tri-Community Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Joe Tant Johnston Wednesday.

Mrs. Wray Huckabee is improving after being seriously ill, caused by a wasp sting.

Wedding invitations at Times.

Aerial Bomb Production in High

Scurry County people and others now employed in defense industries, especially in aviation plants, cheered last week as the one millionth aerial fragmentation bomb produced by the Budd plant was presented to Colonel D. N. Hauseman, left and Brigadier General B. O. Lewis, right, by Edward G. Budd, center, president of the Philadelphia firm. Exact rate of production on the new bombs is a closely guarded military secret, for the bombs are said to be the most deadly of their type in the world. The millionth bomb was placed on a stand.

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German News

Ollie Pagan Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Griffin and children, Francis and Wayne, of Loraine visited with Mrs. J. M. Pagan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Dacus of Hermleigh visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Wemken Friday.

Mrs. M. C. Millhollon of Snyder visited her daughter, Mrs. James Pagan, and husband a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Casey of Pampa are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Casey.

E. R. Mahoney of Big Sulphur spent the week-end with Truman and W. L. Wemken.

A. J. Burney, who has been helping G. W. Wemken, has gone to help his brother, Ernest Burney, at Big Sulphur to gather his crop.

Wanda Kelly of Snyder spent the week-end with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Pagan.

G. W. Wemken and son, Don, carried a load of calves to Abilene Thursday.

Mr. Wallace, who has moved on the T. E. Reed farm, has gone to Bonham for his wife and daughters.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Pagan and Mrs. J. M. Pagan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kelly of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Autry Light and children of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Casey, Mrs. A. Parker and J. O. Casey were in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gray of Big Sulphur visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wemken Sunday afternoon.

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Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar von Roeder entertained the young folks of this community Friday night. The party was in honor of Henry Bishop.

J. W. Tate is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady and son of Lubbock visited Sunday night in the Jim Greene home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ballard and son of Floydada spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin.

Florene Fisher attended an H. E. meeting in Lubbock Saturday.

Doris Cook of Snyder visited Saturday and Sunday with Hazel and Mozelle Allen.

Mrs. Betty Ballard of Floydada visited with relatives in our community Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Rogers and Grandmother Autry of Snyder visited Mrs. Joe Eicke Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camp of Snyder.

Mrs. Kate Tompson is visiting with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thompson.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Geraldine Pitner of Dunn visited Opal Fay Connell over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Biggs of the Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bentley Sunday.

J. C. Williamson of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, visited homefolks last week-end.

Virgil Jones made a trip to Novice last week-end. R. L. Jones accompanied him and visited his father, J. W. Jones.

Dee Nelson, son, Paul, spent Saturday night in the J. B. Adams home.

Mrs. Billie Mitchell of Snyder visited Mrs. Paris McPherson briefly Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Commings of Cooper, brother of Mrs. J. L. Carrell, visited here last week.

Singing will be at Plainview Sunday night. We have good light and good books so come out and help us.

Crowder News

Mrs. J. A. McKinney, Correspondent

Our school opened Monday morning after being closed for six weeks for cotton pulling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan and daughter, Patsy, of Hereford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Kinney, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Pete Brooks and daughter, Ann, of near Snyder and Mrs. Edna Brooks of the Ira community visited in the W. C. Brooks home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKinney and son of Fort Worth visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Mo-

Mr. and Mrs. Foch Walton and son of the Pleasant Hill community visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Nita Mae McCoy of Fort Worth visited in the J. A. McKinney home Sunday.

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Religious Moves Ahead

To those who desire a striking example of God's work on the move, we would like to cite the Baptist General Convention of Texas, held last week at Abilene, or the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference, held at Big Spring. Either gathering provided plenty of concrete evidence that the Lord's kingdom work is forging ahead to new victories in West Texas.

Critics often make the erroneous prediction that evangelism is on the wane, churches are strangled with more barren pews than in many years, and that religion is becoming more and more formal than spiritual. Such statements, and others that might be given by cynics are not only pure bunk, but contemtible falsifications of the most repulsive category.

We take off our hats to the Presbyterians, Methodists, Baptists, Church of Christ members or other denominations that are forging ahead with religious work and carrying the story of Jesus to unredeemed people in all walks of life. Continuance of such good work by all denominations is our most positive guarantee that the American way of life will prevail.

New Cotton Market

The county agricultural agent joins with the U. S. Department of Agriculture this week in advising farmers of Scurry, Borden, Fisher and nearby counties that there is a new market for cotton in the insulation field that will utilize up to 750,000 bales of the fleecy staple annually—if only 10 per cent of the probable market is captured. Cotton insulation is proving especially valuable in refrigerator cars and trucks and in household refrigerators, without mentioning many other phases of the insulation field.

The Times has always been for new industrial markets tha tmay be opened for cotton, and believes Scurry County farmers ought to let the U. S. Department of Agriculture know they appreciate efforts to introduce cotton in the insulation field. Anything that will help the cotton market will benefit the entire South and Southwest.

Editorial of the Week

"MY BROTHER'S KEEPER."

Leprosy is one of the oldest of known diseases. It is mentioned and described in the Bible. Sometimes in darker ages lepers were shot to death to get rid of them. Mostly they were shunned, shut off from the rest of the population and left to die without medical or religious care.

But in recent years all that has changed. Great Catholic and Protestant missions have interested themselves in the fate of lepers and devoted men and women have gone out to lonely, isolated places to help them and try to cure them.

The American Mission to Lepers, an organization supported by many Protestant denominations, has just made an encouraging and surprising report. Despite a war-torn world, it has received more money for its work this year than in any preceding period. Together with a sister organization in Britain, it cared for 100,000 lepers in 200 colonies in 48 countries.

"I am my brother's keeper" still rings true for many people who practice their religion with their deeds rather than with words.—San Angelo Standard.

Despite the fact this country is putting its best foot forward, top defense authorities are still far from satisfied with progress of defense production. . . . Top flight defense officials are rightfully contending now that the army is still too slow in awarding contracts and getting the "goods ordered a sufficient time ahead of needs" and anticipated requirements. . . . Truth of the matter is that strikes, cropping up all over the nation's industrial areas, are hindering the country's defense effort by millions of man hours, and result in the real production slow-down.

Word received this week from Washington reveals that the speed for national defense preparations is increasing weekly. . . . Demands for production are becoming greater, and for some farm products the need for more production is almost as great as greater production of ships, planes, tanks and guns. . . . With this in mind, it is interesting to note that these developments on the farm front can be expected:

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

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

One may look for greatly increased utilization of the automobile industry's machine tool shops as the nation's gigantic defense program gets into the "over drive" gear the next few months. . . . Donald Nelson, for one, has been quietly investigating the tooling capacity of the automobile industry, and is astonished that the full facilities of automobile manufacturers wasn't put into use several months ago, when the machine tool pinch set in.

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W. J. Morse, U. S. Department of Agriculture expert who introduced soybean production in the United States, is confident that when defense makes soybeans a commercial instead of a fodder crop, the entire South and Southwest will turn to it. . . . A variety of soybeans adaptable to use in counties like Scurry, Fisher, Borden, Garza and others hasn't been perfected, but is expected to be within the next two years—a drouth resistant variety that will average 25 to 30 bushels per acre.

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As the weeks go by, Americans will be called upon, gradually, to adopt many "ersatz" items—items composed of plastic substitutes that will really give us a taste of just what people in European countries have been going through for several years. . . . Defense program chiefs are considering the introduction of plastic cosmetic containers, cooking ware, coffee urns and cigarette trays as a means of conserving every pan of aluminum alloys possible. . . . Plastics have already taken the day along many lines of secondary household needs, and promise to be still further utilized in civilian commodities, especially since major research firms have allocated millions of dollars to "ersatz" research problems.

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Now that the bitterly fought Neutrality Act revision program has been successfully okeyed by a vote of 212 to 194, President Roosevelt is expected to become much firmer in his dealings wish the strike situation, and will probably get John L. Lewis and his entire gang of cutthroats in a well deserved corner before the matter of strikes and walk-outs is settled to the satisfaction of all concerned. . . . Labor has had a strangle hold on the Democratic party ever since John L. Lewis loaned the organization $500,000, and has used this as a big stick to wrangle concessions from key administration officials.

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Improvement in prices and income received by farmers at a more rapid rate than increases in the prices for commodities that farmers buy. . . . Continued greatly reduced export outlets for cotton, wheat, tobacco and most fruits. . . . Need for increased production of livestock products and some vegetable crops, and for moderate new or increased production of some strategic materials such as flax, castor beans and soybeans. . . . Shortages of metals for farm machinery and equipment, and difficulty in obtaining enough chemicals for fertilizers because of shipping and transportation problems, and a further increase in the demand for farm labor and decrease in the supply.

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As a part of its plan to get right up in the collar of the Japanese, the Roosevelt administration is really rushing enormous war preparations in the Pacific. . . . Bomber planes, big guns and other equipment are being sent to U. S. outposts and efforts being made to keep exact movement of "death weapons" secret until the proper time to deal with Japan firmly, and without benefit of "outside" intervention. . . . Since the United States has clamped the lid on Japanese imports, the Nipponese government is becoming fearful over the far-reaching consequences that will result.

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Despite all efforts to the contrary, a good old juicy political scandal will be uncovered, federal investigators say, in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, mint before many weeks roll by. . . . Investigators who have been on the scene the past several months checking into political "horn swoggling" have not only found wholesale violations of the Hatch Act practiced, but have been offered big bribes, subjected to heavy political pressure and even threatened. . . . The investigation will probably reach into state and federal agencies in the Keystone State, and will provide enough cuds for federal men to chew for many months to come.

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It is of interest to note that the SPAB moved in the nation's capital this week toward an all-out materials rationing system by ordering a survey of 1942 production plans for all industries. . . . The plan, as outlined early this week, calls for expanding the allocations system, which is now being used to provide defense industries with copper, nickel, nagnesium and synthetic rubber. . . . The rationing system, if introduced, will do away with the priorities system. . . . The priorities system has broken down in many instances because shortages have been so sereve with some defense producers that they could not obtain needed supplies.

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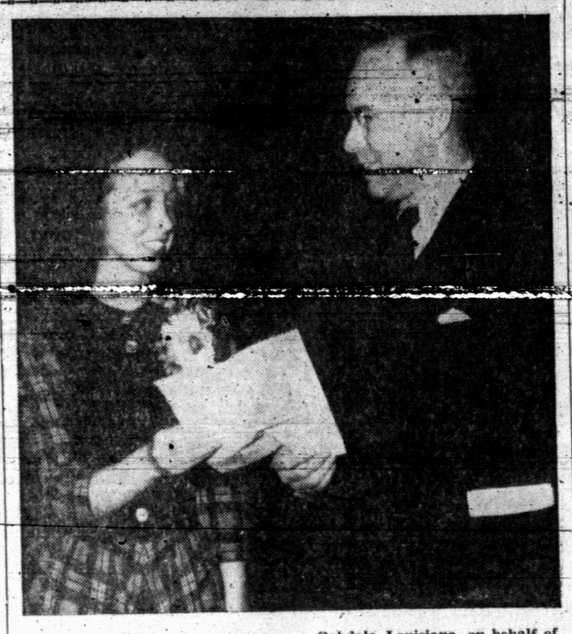
One short year ago, actual construction work was started at Mineral Wells on what has now become the largest of the nation's infantry replacement centers, Camp Wolters. . . . One year ago the site of the present cantonment was just another plot of ground covered by rocks, brush, hills and trees. . . . The name Camp Wolters then meant nothing in particular to the citizens of Mineral Wells—a sleepy little health resort of approximately 6,000 people. . . . Camp Wolters was just a spot for members of the Texas cavalry to spend several weeks each summer.

Hope for Better Post-War World



A message of hope for a better post-war civilization and of appreciation for the part food will play in achieving that better world was presented to R. M. Evans, national AAA administrator, by Mary Louise Gehring, Baylor University student from Oakdale, Louisiana, on behalf of the student body of the university. The occasion was a state-wide Food-for-Freedom rally at Waco attended by farmers from every corner of Texas, who heard Evans tell of British needs for American food.

Eastland Driller Jailed After Car Runs Wild Here

Just what can happen when a person's nerves "let go" in a general nervous breakdown was well illustrated here Tuesday morning, city officers declare.

A general nervous breakdown, they say, must have hit Pat Couch, long-time oil well driller of Eastland, just south of Brown & Son Grocery on Avenue S as he was nearing the square.

Couch, who was alone, ran into the back of the John Keller furniture truck, and hit the back of three cars, parked at the curb's west side on Avenue S before his vehicle was brought to a stop, almost completely demolished.

Simon Best, city marshal, happened to be near Snyder National Bank when the "carryings on" took place, and nabbed Couch as he alighted from his car.

Just to protect the general public and the visiting driller, Best escorted Couch to the county jail, and wired Eastland acquaintances.

It developed Tuesday afternoon, after three of Couch's close friends arrived here, that the driller was a respected citizen of Eastland and had been in Lubbock County to inspect some of his farm holdings. The only explanation that friends could offer was that Couch's nerves must have suddenly just "let go." He was taken to his Eastland home Tuesday night.

How They Get There.

"Mamma," said little Johnny, "don't men ever go to heaven?"

"Why, of course, my dear. What makes you ask?"

"Because I never see any pictures of angels with whiskers."

"Well," said the mother, thoughtfully, "some men do go to heaven, but they get there by a close shave."

"Now, said the youth after getting his father seated at the football game, "you'll see more excitement for two dollars than you ever saw before."

"I don't know," replied the old gent. "That's what my marriage license cost."

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HERE IS MORE CONCERNING

FIRE RECORD

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attendance record. This is proof that the boys have an interest in the work of giving their time from their business for answering calls and attending meetings.

Fire losses for the year from all calls inside the city is about $1,700. Of this amount only $1,525 was insured loss.

For all the services rendered by the department they have received $275.25, of which $67.25 was for merchandise.

I am proud to report no accidents of any nature, no loss of any equipment except for natural wear and tear.

In conclusion, I wish to thank each member of the department for his cooperative and loyal support.

Also I want to thank each member of the City Council for excellent cooperation and assure you and each of our citizens that we are at your service at all times, that we may make Snyder a better and safer place in which to live by keeping our fire losses as low as possible. We hope to have within the near future a good fire record credit on the policies of every insurance buyer in our city.—N. W. Autry, Chief, Snyder Volunteer Fire Department.

Sykes Curry of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. A. M. Curry.

Official Count Shows Ginnings Behind 1940

Farmers of Scurry, Borden, Fisher and nearby counties will be interested in figures released this week by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, showing that cotton ginnings in Scurry County prior to November 1 totaled 14,177 bales.

Scurry County producers and ginners who have been making inquiries concerning 1941 ginning figures will also be interested to learn that ginnings for the current season fell 547 bales behind 1940 ginnings prior to November 1. Up to November 1, 1940, 14,718 bales were turned out by Scurry's 14 gins.

Comparative figures for these counties, 1941 and 1940 respectively, follow:

County—	1941	1940
Fisher	23,436	19,131
Stonewall	5,249	4,725
Mitchell	18,541	18,801
Nolan	11,993	10,418
Dawson	12,482	23,849
Garza	1,647	2,853

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stevens and son, Don Franklin, of Midland were visiting here with the W. E. Holcombs during the week-end.

Fire Department Profits.

Snyder' volunteer fire department was reported this (Thursday) morning to have benefitted by a tidy sum from its sponsorship of the Tate-Lax medicine show, which has been located at the King & Brown building on 25th Street, for the past two weeks. Members of the show left this morning for Lubbock, where they will be located for several days. They report Snyder people have been exceptionally friendly, and that a number of friends have been made during the stage shows here.

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