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SIGNAL AWARD GIVEN WREN AT SCOUT SESSION

Silver Beaver Presented to District Scout President as One of Three Given at Annual Meet

Presentation of Silver Beaver awards by Rev. Dick O'Brien to H. L. Wren of Snyder, Tom Pickering of Odessa and H. D. Reed of Sweetwater for outstanding service to boys constituted a high point last Thursday evening of the annual Buffalo Trail Council meeting in Big Spring.

Snyder sent one of the largest delegations of Scouters to the council meet recorded in several years. Snyder attendants included: Wayne Boren, H. L. Wren, L. H. Butler, Lyle Deffebach, Willard Jones, Rev. Hubert C. Travis, Rev. I. A. Smith, E. J. Bradbury, Jesse Clements, Herman Darby and Leighton Griffin.

Ben W. Newhouse, A. C. Bishop Jr., Dave Ammons and E. D. Herring of Hermleigh and Paul Sweatt of Ira also were among Snyder District attendants.

Jeff Williams, Chickasha, Oklahoma, attorney, was principal attraction of the gathering, and called for a return to the precept that "all are created free and equal as the only basis for peace.

"If it had not been for our muddling, our boys would have been able to defend the American flag anywhere," Williams asserted, "and young people today have a big job cut out for them."

Some of Snyder's attendants at the council gathering reached Big Spring in time for the afternoon session. Others got there in time for the evening gathering.

Council officers named for the ensuing year included Wayne Boren of Snyder, council commissioner; George Abell of Midland, Rusy Bell of Pecos, B. Reagan of Big Spring and Tom Pickering of Odessa. Charles Paxton of Sweetwater was renamed president of the council for the twelfth time.

Woodys Receive Scrap Metals at Collection Center

Snyder's largest scale collectors of waste paper, magazines and pasteboard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woody, announce this week important addition of other articles to their growing collection.

Effective this week, Mr. and Mrs. Woody will accept rubber, brass, copper, aluminum, leather goods, wiring, tin foil, used razor blades and collapsible tubes at the waste paper collection center, rear of Colwell Tailor Shop.

Funds derived from the sale of scrap metals, Mr. and Mrs. Woody state, will be turned over to the Red Cross war relief campaign. This will follow procedure used in sale of waste newspapers, magazines and cardboard.

Donors who wish to contribute iron stoves and large pieces of scrap metal are asked to take the material to the former city tabernacle location, just west of the First Christian Church, on 27th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody report good progress is being made on working up another shipment of discarded paper and pasteboard. A big batch was baled Monday by Snyder gins in preparation for shipment.

Field Supervisor on Visit to Loan Offices

Ed F. Jay of Sweetwater, field supervisor for emergency crop loans, stated while here Tuesday that applications are coming in fine from 1942 loans—made available by the Farm Credit Administration.

Jay states Mrs. Armor McFarland will be in the district court room Tuesdays and Friday to accept emergency crop loan applications.

The field supervisor says crop loans will be made earlier this year to permit early preparation of farm land and immediate start on the 1942 crop year.

Who's New In Scurry County

An eight pound son, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]land Sullenger early Wednesday [illegible]orning at Snyder General Hos[illegible]ital. The Sullengers live at Der[illegible]ott.

The Chester Rogers of Granbury, former residents of the Bell community, a son, Kenneth Wayne, last week.

[illegible] Chancy Barrier of New Mexico, formerly of the Bison community, a daughter Virginia Jane.

1,450 Car Stamps Sold Wednesday At Snyder Office

While figures for Scurry County post offices as a whole were not available, tallies furnished by the Snyder post office revealed that 1,450 federal motor vehicle use tax stamps went "over the counter" by noon Wednesday.

Snyder and Scurry County motorists will need the green car stamps by February 1, if they continue driving their motor vehicles, officials of the U. S. Treasury Department declare.

Warren Dodson, Snyder postmaster, states sales of the green car stamps, at $2.09 each, have been steadily since the necessary tax tokens went on sale several days ago.

All Snyder and Scurry owners of automobiles, pickups, trucks and other vehicles are cautioned to have the federal motor vehicle tax stamps on their vehicles by February 1—if they want to continue operating their "flivvers" or trucks.

Sale of the green stamps will continue through February at Snyder and other post offices throughout the county, but the stamp must be placed on a vehicle before it is operated. Cars in storage will not require tax stamps until the owner gets ready to operate the transportation unit. Car owners who do not get tax stamps will be subject to arrest by state highway patrolmen, it is reported.

2192 Poll Taxes Paid in County Through Tuesday

Snyder and Scurry County citizens were reminded Tuesday by Herman Darby, county tax assessor-collector, that 1941 poll tax payments are entering the "home stretch."

Saturday night will mark the final date for purchasing poll taxes, and those who cannot obtain poll taxes earlier are urged to get them as early Friday or Saturday as possible.

Anticipating a last minute rush for poll tax receipts, Darby has temporarily obtained the services of Ira R. Sturdivant to assist him and Edgar Taylor in issuing the necessary voting "tender."

Poll taxes issued through Tuesday numbered 2,192, Darby states.

County residents who become 21 years of age between January 1, 1941, and January 31, 1942, are reminded again they must obtain exemption certificates this week before they can vote in this year's democratic primary.

Since poll tax payments in 1940—last year for which records are available—numbered 2,827, attaches at the assessor-collector's office feel that payments this year will reach the 3,000 mark. This is probable in view of the increasing interest developing in county political circles as well as interest in the forthcoming general election in November.

Mercury Climbs As Spring Comes Early

Information furnished the Times by Mrs. Wesley Evans, government weather guager, indicates that exceptionally moderate day-time temperatures have gone hand in hand the past few days with the "breather" of spring-like weather that prevailed through Wednesday.

Temperature readings from last Thursday, January 22, through Wednesday follow:

	high	low
January 22	64	22
January 23	71	25
January 24	69	30
January 25	73	33
January 26	77	42
January 27	70	35
January 28	68	27

Offices of AAA Will Be Closed Monday

Officials of Scurry County's Farm Security Administration announce that the county offices, located in the basement of The Fair Store, will be closed Monday.

Purpose of the Monday closing is to allow a district FSA meeting to be held in the Snyder office. Attaches, therefore, will not be in a position to see any borrowers Monday, but will be ready for "business as usual" again Tuesday.

Geral Greene Named To Hermleigh Place

Members of the Hermleigh School Board report the hiring Tuesday of Geral Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Greene of Snyder, to replace Mannon Murdock, resigned.

Greene assumes duties immediately, and will teach high school mathematics and science. He holds a BS degree from Texas Tech, Lubbock, and was formerly associated with the C. I. T. Corporation of Amarillo.

Help Him Walk

Snyder and Scurry County people are asked to help fight infantile paralysis by contributions to the President's Birthday Ball celebrations, which will be held at Snyder and Ira Friday evening, January 30.

Dance Principal Paralysis Drive Attraction Here

Major event Friday evening in celebration of the President's Birthday, will be the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored dance at Snyder High School gymnasium, A. B. (Boss) Baze, Scurry-Borden celebration chairman, stated Tuesday afternoon.

Ben Dennis, Snyder Junior Chamber of Commerce president, says the evening of gaiety will get underway at 8:00 o'clock. Fuzzy Green and his Sunshine Boys will furnish music for the affair.

Tickets for the Friday evening dance are on sale by Jaycee committee members at $1 each. Baze declares 50 per cent of all proceeds will remain in the county, and 50 per cent will go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"We're looking for a record attendance Friday evening," Jaycee officers state, "and want folks who are looking for a good, clean time to be with us. No undesireables will be admitted to the gymnasium."

Chairman Baze of the birthday celebrations also calls attention to the motion picture show that will be staged at Fluvanna this (Thursday) evening, with proceeds to go to the infantile paralysis fund; the Cardinal Band concert at Hermleigh School this (Thursday) evening and the bowling alley matches Friday evening at Keller's Bowling Alley.

Motion picture show will also be staged at Ira School Friday evening, with proceeds to go to the infantile paralysis fund.

Conference Slated at Hermleigh Sunday

Rev. S. A. Sifford, Hermleigh Methodist pastor, announces the first 1942 quarterly conference of the Hermleigh charge will convene Friday evening, 7:15 o'clock, at Hermleigh Methodist Church.

Rev. C. A. Long of Sweetwater, district superintendent, will preside at the conference session and bring the principal address of the evening.

All officers of the Methodist Church are extended an invitation to attend the Hermleigh conference, and visitors will be especially welcome, the host pastor states.

The Hermleigh charge is composed of the Hermleigh, Inadale, Camp Springs, and Mount Zion churches.

Ginnings Pass 40,000 Bale Mark Tuesday

Attaches at the county AAA office announced Tuesday that Scurry County ginnings for the 1941 season totaled 40,010 bales—a figure that has not been approached in several years.

Scurry County cotton ginners and producers have evidenced a considerable amount of interest the past two weeks in ginning figures—especially in view of the fact a total on 1941 production has been problematical until most of cotton's "second crop" popped open because of continued pretty weather right at the end of the 1941 crop season.

Smith and Yoder Go To Methodist Meet

Rev. I. A. Smith, Snyder Methodist pastor, and D. P. Yoder, district lay leader, attended a four-district Methodist conference Monday evening in Sweetwater's First Methodist Church.

Snyder was one of the many towns of the state represented at the gathering which included the Northwest, Central and North Texas Conferences, as well as the New Mexico Conference. Outstanding speakers included Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas and Bishop John M. Moore.

New Fire Truck Gets Approval of OPM This Week

N. W. Autry, chief of Snyder's volunteer fire department, received word early this week that the Office of Production Management had given approval to purchase of Snyder's new Ford fre truck.

Not only was OPM approval on the new truck, buta separate approval, was obtained on hose and equipment for the vehicle. The new truck, placed on a Ford chassis, is in process of completion by a Dallas firm, and will probably be delivered here within 90 days.

Equipment on the new all-white Ford fire truck will include 400 feet of two and one-half inch hose, 200 feet of one and one-half inch hose, estimated to cost $400; new nozzles, a 250 gallon booster pump and two five-gallon chemical pumps.

City officials say the new Ford fire truck will cost approximately $4,000, and will be of the high engine compression caliber. New truck, in addition to the duet already in service, will give Snyder one of the most complete fire departments its size in West Texas.

Fluvanna Woman Breaks Limb in Fall Down Creek Bank

Scurry County women still have plenty of courage to endure hardships and pain, as one can draw from the harrowing experience Mrs. Julia McKnight of Fluvanna went through Tuesday.

Rita Dowdy, Fluvanna correspondent for The Times, reports Mrs. McKnight, mother of Cliff and Raymond McKnight, started to a neighbor's house Tuesday morning, 9:30 o'clock, and fell down a 10-foot creek bank.

The Fluvanna correspondent says Mrs. McKnight was trying to find a way to cross when she slipped and fell. She was not found Tuesday afternoon until 5:00 o'clock, and was rushed to a Snyder hospital for treatment.

Mrs. McKnight is still in a local hospital, suffering from a broken limb and body bruises, but will be able to return home within a few days, reports indicate.

Pens for Paper Put On Square by Lions

Motorists, especially women, find it mighty convenient to leave discarded newspapers, magazines and cardboard in town now, since Snyder Lions Club placed collection pens on the west and east sides of the square Tuesday.

A collection pen was placed in the center of the square's west side and east side, respectively, so people in cars could drive by and place discarded papers in the pens without the need of getting out of their vehicles, Allen Beadel of the Lions Club states.

Merchants and business men around the square are urged to make use of the paper collection pens when possible. Members of the Lions Club say the collection units will be emptied as often as necessary.

Boys Brought Here to Face Burglary Trial

Deputy Dick Henderson of the sheriff's department returned Tuesday afternoon from San Angelo with James (Sonny) Cooper and Herman Craig, who are wanted by officers in connection with a recent burglary case in West Snyder.

Cooper and Craig have been remanded to the county jail by sheriff attaches, and had not been released early this (Thursday) morning as The Times went to press.

SHERIFF RUNS OVER SCHOOL GIRL WITH CAR

Seven-Year-Old Child Darts in Path Of Car Near Texarkana—Death Comes Monday Night

Unavoidable accident that occurred Monday afternoon 17 miles north of Texarkana, when Betty Lou Crane, seven, ran in front of Sheriff John Lynch's automobile, resulted in death for the school student Monday night in a Texarkana hospital.

Sheriff Lynch, accompanied by Tom Lee, was bringing back Albert H. McBroom from Nashville, Tennessee, on a forgery charge when the accident happened.

According to accounts from various sources, a school bus had stopped to let students dismount when the Lynch car approached at a moderate rate of speed. Lynch slowed down until it appeared certain, from in front of the school bus, that all students had crossed the road.

When the sheriff approached and started to pass the bus sounding his horn, seven-year-old Betty Lou darted in front of his vehicle. Lynch took the child, suffering from critical head injuries, to a Texarkana hospital and sat up all night with the child. The bus driver and school students who saw the accident verified the version contained in this article.

Sheriff Lynch and Tom Lee got back to Snyder with their prisoner Tuesday.

County to Fall in Line on Daylight Saving Schedule

As far as "Your Home County Paper" can ascertain, Snyder and Scurry County people will fall in line Monday, February 9, with the daylight saving plan that recently received presidential approval in Washington.

Daylight saving time will be instituted, proponents of the measure say, to speed up America's all-out war production effort.

Inauguration of daylight saving time in Snyder, for example, will mean that business people and employees who usually start to work at 8:00 a. m. will run their clocks up one hour and start to work at 7:00 a. m. Those used to beginning work at 6:00 a. m. would begin the day at 5:00 a. m. and on along the line.

Effect of daylight saving time for county farmers would be to increase the work period throughout daylight hours, and result in earlier retiring time. The daylight saving plan would even effect milking time for cows, a change for livestock feeding time and would cause hens—if they cooperate—to begin egg laying earlier in the day.

Sugar Beet Adapted To South Plains Area

Farmers of Scurry and adjacent counties expressed interest this week in an announcement from Dr. A. W. Young, head of the plant industry department at Texas Technological College, who said sugar beets could be profitably grown on the South Plains and in this trade vicinity.

Reporting increased interest in sugar beet production, Dr. Young said considerable improvement in yields can be expected by use of variety selections.

Yield of sugar beets in the larger acreages under production have been generally lower than the averages for sugar beet productions states. These lower yields, he stated, can be charged largely to the lack of experience and equipment in handling this crop.

LITTLE MARY MIXUP— BY R. M. BRINKERHOFF

Bond Sales Leader Will Speak at Hut

BANQUET FOR SCHOOL FOLKS SET MONDAY

J. W. O'Bannon of State Department And District Attorney Truett Barber to Be Speakers

Honorable J. W. O'Bannon, director of the department of high schools, State Department of Education, Austin, and Truett Barber of Colorado City, district attorney, will be chief speakers Monday evening at the annual Scurry County teacher-trustee banquet in Snyder High School gymnasium, Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, reported Wednesday.

Scurry County schools are expected to be represented 100 per cent at the Monday evening gathering, Bullock states, since the teacher-trustee confab replaces the county institute of former years.

Program invocation Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock, will be brought by S. L. Morgan of Snyder Schools, following which will be the banquet and group singing of "God Bless America."

Mrs. Wayne Arnold, Snyder School home economics instructor, will direct Snyder homemaking students in serving the "eats." It was reported Wednesday that adequate seating facilities have been secured to seat all school faculty members and trustees expected at the meet.

Immediately after the banquet, an entertainment number by Fluvanna School will precede an address by Truett Barber, 32nd District attorney.

Hermleigh School students will offer an entertainment feature, and Mrs. Merton Noel of Fluvanna will give a violin solo.

Principal address of the entire gathering will be brought at this point by Honorable J. W. O'Bannon of the State Department of Education.

Pat Bullock, who will act as master of ceremonies for the evening says a brief business session will follow O'Bannon's address. Benediction will be pronounced by Silas Davenport of Ira Schools.

Band to Sponsor Comedy Tuesday At Auditorium

Tuesday evening was nailed down early this week as the date for presentation at Snyder School auditorium of that delightful three-act comedy drama, "It's Papa Who Pays."

When The Times went to press last week, tentative date of staging the play had been set for this (Thursday) evening, but Rose Marie Clawson and C. M. Kiker, play directors, report the presentation date has been changed to Tuesday evening, February 3, because of other events.

Beginning at 7:15 o'clock Tuesday evening, Snyder's Tiger Band will present a 30-minute concert. "It's Papa Who Pays" will begin immediately after the concert.

Miss Clawson and Kiker state admission prices have been set at 11 and 28 cents, with proceeds to go into the general Tiger Band fund.

Here's the cast for the three-act play:

Colleen Morriss as mother; Doyle Stokes as dad; Burges Wilson as Dick; Pherba Lou Jordan as Babs; Estelle Wellborn as Edith; O. B. McKown as Wayne; Kathrine Lynch as Grace; Billy Jay Elland as Lee; Mary Belle Weathersbee as Miss Atwood; Dolores Higgs as Dora; Jimmie Merritt as Fixer; and Tommy Todd as Mr. Magoon.

Tigers to Clash With Roby Friday Evening

Third place position of the Snyder Tigers in the District 6A basketball race will be held in the balance Friday evening at Snyder School gymnasium when the Tigers clash with the Roby Lions.

Coach Frank Weaver reported Wednesday that the Tigers are in unusually good form, and itching to even the score with the Lions.

Scurryites See Grass Fire.

Dozens of Scurry County people motored to Borden County Sunday afternoon to witness the old time grass fire that raged for several hours north of Gail. Some four to six sections of good ranch land were reportedly seared and blackened before the blaze was brought under control.

Speaks Tonight

Frank Scofield of Austin, state administrator of defense bond and stamp sales, will address Snyder and Scurry County people this (Thursday) evening on the urgency of buying defense bonds and stamps now. His appearance is sponsored by the county defense bond and stamp sales committee.

CHIEF AUTRY NAMED LEADER OF FIRE DRILLS

Coordinated Defense Group Slated To Act as Volunteer Group in Case of Emergency

Mayor H. G. Towle announced Wednesday appointment of N. W. Autry, Snyder volunteer fire department chief, as fire defense coordinator for the City of Snyder during the war-time emergency.

Mayor Towle states that a Fire Auxiliary Corps will probably be formed by Autry within the next few days, and such organization will function under the fire chief's immediate supervision.

Interviewed by a Times reporter, Chief Autry states volunteers for the Fire Auxiliary Corps will register at the city fire hall with Richard Davis at any convenient time for emergency fire service.

Autry states such volunteers will not work with regular fire department members in answering all fire calls, but will be called upon only in cases of emergency.

Data available Wednesday afternoon indicates the new fire defense coordinator will conduct regular training classes as soon as enough volunteers are secured for coordinated work with the state organization.

Volunteers for the auxiliary corps will be divided, after registration, into districts according to needs for such division. Additional details of the proposed organization will be mapped, Chief Autry says, after present personnel of the fire department is checked, additional fire fighting equipment secured and a proper inspection is made of the town's main water supply.

Future Farmers at Pyron Set Show Date

Dale McWhirter, Pyron vocational agriculture instructor, announced Tuesday that Friday, February 13, has been selected for the date of the annual Pyron Future Farmers of America Project Show.

McWhirter reports that two classes of hogs, calves and dairy heifers will be exhibited, as will a class each of ewes, lambs and hens.

Boys who place first in the Pyron FFA show, the vocational agriculture instructor states, will win $1 in defense stamps; second place exhibitors, 75 cents; and third place exhibitors, 50 cents. Youth who shows the grand champion calf of the show will receive an additional $1 in defense stamps.

The Pyron FFA show will be open to the general public, and no admittance fees will be charged for FFA entries, McWhirter says.

Wren Speaks at Meet Of Sweetwater Men

H. L. Wren, District 8 brotherhood president, will be guest speaker this (Thursday) evening, 7:00 o'clock, in Sweetwater at a meeting of the Nolan County city's First Baptist Brotherhood.

Howard McLaurhlin will give the invocation, [illegible] Z. Harvey will introduce visitors and Rev. J. M. Sibley, pastor of Sweetwater's First Baptist Church, will give the closing prayer.

COUNTY DRIVE LEADERS WILL HEAR SCOFIELD

State Administrator Scheduled to Speak at 8:00 o'clock as Rally For County-Wide Drive

Frank Scofield of Austin, state administrator of defense bond and stamp sales, will address Snyder and Scurry County people this (Thursday) evening, 8:00 o'clock, in the American Legion Hut on the urgency of purchasing defense bonds and stamps immediately.

Hugh Boren, county chairman of defense bond and stamp sales, reports Scofield will be introduced by Pat Bullock, representative of the 118th District.

Indication that Snyder and Scurry County people are joining wholeheartedly in purchases of defense bonds and stamps was revealed by Boren Wednesday in figures showing 1942 purchases to date, through Wednesday, of approximately $45,000 in defense bonds and stamps.

Snyder's Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181, and representatives of the town's civic and social organizations are expected to be present for the occasion. The gathering will be open to the public.

Mayor H. G. Towle will be present at the gathering, as will other city officials. Scurry County will be represented by County Judge Sterling Williams and other officials.

Members of the Scurry County defense bond sales committee met Monday evening to map details of the county-wide gathering for this (Thursday) evening.

"America is at the crossroads during this war-time emergency," Boren points out, and stresses the urgency of "all Snyder business men and merchants, and community leaders of all Scurry County communities attending this evening's bond and stamp rally.

"Scurry County people who do not actually have boys in some branch of military service have close neighbors whose boys are," Boren declares, "and should buy bonds and stamps now to keep the boys fighting for our hard-won American freedom."

Bids on Terracing In County Asked by County AAA Office

Attaches at the county AAA office reported Tuesday that a sufficient number of bids have not yet been received from contractors to get underway with the newly created AAA terracing program for 1942.

Members of the county Triple A committee urge road contractors and general contractors who have suitable machinery to send in bids on terracing work at their earliest convenience—if interested in farm terracing.

Farmers in scattered parts of the county, especially around Dunn and Ira, have terraced several hundred acres of farm lands with machinery secured from private sources, but have not, to date, been able to get help under the Triple A terracing program.

Once bidders get in prices they could terrace land for, a basic terracing price for the county could be decided, Claud D. Cotten, county administrative officer for Triple A, emphasizes.

Defense Stamps Pay For Producers' Eggs

Not to be outdone by neighboring towns, several Snyder grocerymen have a clever stunt that is really getting defense stamps sold.

When customers, for instance, bring in eggs or other farm products, grocers offer to pay for the goods in defense stamps. This idea is selling several dollars worth of the stamps daily, defense bond and stamp sales committee members report.

Real He-Men

Army jibes about the general unfitness of young men, in general, for U. S. Army service does not hold true so far as Scurry County draftees are concerned. Here's some proof:

Of the 54 Scurry County registrants recently examined by army officers at El Paso, all but eight successfully passed their exams with honors. This seems to be something of a record for Scurry, since rejections from other counties run considerably heavier, it is reported.

The WOMAN'S Page

Recapitulation of Red Cross Garment Making in County Reveals Fine Work

Reports of Red Cross garments completed by Scurry County women and girls last year, from April through December, show excellent cooperation in the war production program of the American Red Cross during 1941. Total numbers of garments sent to the national headquarters are revealed this week by Jeannette Lollar, county chairman of the program.

Figures will be startling to most people of the county. To total the hours of work put into these garments clearly illustrates the charity in hearts of Scurry County women and girls.

Work for 1942 is slated to get underway at the earliest possible moment. The Red Cross work center will be open each afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock when the new materials arrive, Miss Lollar announces. Knitting yarns and the initial shipment of other materials are expected to arrive soon.

First 1942 yarns for United States army and navy knitting—including sleeveless sweaters, mufflers and sox—will be furnished by the Scurry County chapter of the American Red Cross. Check for $109 was mailed early this week to pay for 60 pounds of yarns, to come from the midwestern branch office of the American Red Cross, St. Louis.

Navy knitted garments will be in navy blue, and those for the army in olive drab. Approximately 12 ounces of thread is required for one sweater.

Foreign relief production program will carry on in 1942, Miss Lollar reports. In Scurry County's first quota, released recently, will be the following articles: Women's, men's and children's sweaters and mufflers, 32 men's pajamas, 60 children's pajamas, 60 women's skirts, 100 girls' skirts, 100 boys' pants. Invoice has been received locally on the boys' pants material.

During 1941 the following were sent to the national headquarters from the Scurry County Red Cross headquarters: 31 boys' shirts, 81 hospital bed shirts, 12 small boys' pants made from scraps, 166 girls' skirts, 279 girls' dresses, 10 quilts made from scraps, 71 men's pajamas, 63 women's dresses, and 98 complete baby layouts.

In each layette were included two dresses, two gowns, two shirts, two blankets, two slips, mittens, two pairs bootees, 12 diapers, two bands, six small safety pins, six large safety pins, a cap and a sacque. Extra baby clothing made by local women besides the layettes numbered 52 dresses, 57 shirts, 16 slips, 37 gowns and 33 blankets.

The cooperating knitters last year turned in 197 children's sweaters, 66 women's sweaters, 35 men's sweaters, 64 mufflers, 62 beanies, six shawls made from scraps and one afghan made from scraps.

Continued work from local people is urged by the chairman and her helpers. Announcement will appear in The Times when the materials arrive. Numbers of Sunday School classes and women's clubs over the county have already voted to work at least one day a week on Red Cross garments. Others are expected to keep in step by lending their assistance.

Adean Dyess Bride Of U. S. Army Man

Adean Dyess of Midland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dyess of Fluvanna, became the bride of Corlis M. White, private first class in the United States Army, Friday, in Fort Dix, New Jersey, where the bridegroom is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram were the only attendants. Mrs. Ingram is the former Vera Webb of Midland.

Mrs. White finished her high school education at Fluvanna, and she received training in beauty culture at Fort Worth. For the past two years she has been working at the American Beauty Shop in Midland.

Private First Class White is the only son of Mrs. Gertrude White of Richmond, Virginia. He has been in Battery A, 197th Coast Artillery Anti-Aircraft, since last June. He is quartermaster's clerk at the Fort Dix station.

After leaving Fort Dix, Mrs. White will visit in Richmond, Indiana, with the bridegroom's mother before returning to Midland.

Farewell Said to Sarah Beth Anderson

Winona Leech and Doris Gene Freytag were hostesses last week at the J. O. Leech home, near Hermleigh, at a farewell party honoring Sarah Beth Anderson, who is moving near Snyder with her parents, the W. W. Andersons.

Miss Anderson, who has been active in all school affairs at Hermleigh the past few years, will enter Snyder High School as a senior class member.

Games were played, and delicious refreshments of sandwiches and hot chocolate were passed to the following: The honoree, Rou Annah Vernon, James M. Bralley, Travis Patterson, Gwen Spykes, Zonelle Howell, Jimmie Charles Chorn, Hubert Henley, Ted McMillan, Betsy Smith, Fay Deene Gleastine, Robbie Nelle Jones, Avah Dell Mosley, J. L. Fargason, Don Moore, Floyd Mize and the hostesses.

Mrs. J. A. Woodfin Culture Club Hostess

Mrs. J. A. Woodfin was hostess to Woman's Culture Club members Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Clawson was leader for a Reader's Digest panel program on "Shaping America's Future."

Panel speakers were Mmes. E. J. Richardson and H. L. Wren. Mrs. Richardson, president, was in charge of the business session. Only members were present.

Youthful Appearance.

"Woman's quest for a more youthful appearance is eternal," says Mrs. Margie McClinton, who is in charge of Stinson Drug Company's cosmetic department. "Especially in these strenuous times when business women and housewives have taken on extra defense burdens is Charles of the Ritz revenescence cream a priceless beauty assistance. This cream is not classed as a lubricating cream nor powder base, because in a class by itself it immediately gives the skin a dewy, fresh and rejuvenated appearance," she continues. Special advertising concerning a special offer on Ritz rejuvenescence cream may be found on this page.

Health and Safety Topics Are Discussed

Mrs. Henry Kelley was hostess, and Mrs. Roy Hargrove directed the program last Thursday afternoon when Progressive Study Club held its regular study meeting. Subject for the day was a "Health and Safety" topic.

Members hearing the three interesting discussions included: Mmes. W. R. McFarland, Leon Wren, A. P. Morris, Dewey Everett, Edgar Wilson, Bryan Jordan, Hargrove, the hostess and those on program.

Mrs. Lora Miller discussed "Texas' New Hospital for Crippled Children;" Mrs. J. W. W. Patterson, president of Progressive Club, told of "Child Welfare Work in Scurry County;" and "The Highway Gambler" was Mrs. S. L. Terry's subject for discussion.

The hostess served a salad course with cake and hot punch to members at the close of the program.

Young Women's Group Meets Monday

Members of the Philicurian Young Women's Auxiliary of the local First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Ethel Eiland, sponsor, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock for a missionary program. Daurice Worley was leader for the program theme, "Golden Beams of Truth."

Opening prayer was led by Ola Margaret Leath, and program topics were given by Helen Joy Taylor, Ann Jones, Faydean Norred, Frances Shelburne, Ola Margaret Leath and Margaret Jane Farr. Mrs. Alice Montgomery, co-sponsor, gave the closing prayer.

Evelyn Clark, secretary for the organization, gave the pledge to three new members—Misses Taylor, Leath and Farr.

Others present were: Nelle Curtis, Maxine Jones and Mayme Lou Stokes, members; Mrs. Vernon Shaw, W. M. U. president, and Maxine Brown, guests.

Baptist Women Complete Study

Three circles of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society completed studies at their meetings Monday afternoon. Total of 27 Baptist women took part in the final afternoon's lessons.

For the Anabel Coleman Circle, chairman of which is Mrs. Howell Harpole, Mrs. J. A. Woodfin has been teacher for the mission study, "Fannie S. Heck." Mrs. H. H. Eiland, chairman of the Olive Walker Circle, and her group completed the study of "A Golden Cycle in Japan," with Mrs. Clyde M. Boren teaching.

"He That Giveth" was the study course on missions finished by the Elsie Clor Circle of Baptist women Monday. Mrs. H. L. Wren is circle chairman, and Mrs. O. S. Williamson taught the book. Mrs. Vernon Shaw is general president of the Baptist W. M. S.

Alpha Study of Pan American Continues

Continued study of Pan American Relations, the year's study course, centered on Peru, Bolivia and Brazil Tuesday afternoon when Alpha Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Ixon Joyce, president. Mrs. Vern McMullen was greeted as a new member.

Mrs. Forest Sears introduced other speakers on the program after she had thoroughly discussed the rubber market of Peru. Mrs. R. G. Dillard told interesting facts concerning Lima, capital of Peru, which is often described as the most picturesque city from the air in all the world. Old and new architecture are beautifully combined in Lima structures, and the Lima country club, Mrs. Dillard said, is the most famous in the world.

Mrs. David Strayhorn in her talk on Bolivia touched on description of the country, its climate, products (most important of which are tin and other mining ores) and the highest skiing jump in the world. Substituting the late Rio de Janeiro conference for the Lima Conference of old, Mrs. Joe Graham's sketch was interesting.

Members present for the Tuesday meeting were Mmes. Melvin Blackard, Wayne Boren, G. M. Heinzelmann, T. M. Howle, Edward S. Hyman, J. P. Nelson, Shirley Morgan, Alfred McGlaun, Sears, C. F. Seitell, David Strayhorn, Wade Winston, Dillard and McMullen, Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm and Neoma Strayhorn.

Ringside Group Plans Red Cross Work

Members of the Ringside Study Club voted at their last meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. O. F. Harris to devote one day a week to group Red Cross work in addition to holding their regular meetings. Mrs. B. H. Moffett, vice president, directed the business session and the program.

The hostess served delicious peach pie with whipped cream and coffee to the following members: Mmes. N. W. Autry, R. E. Adams, Frank Arnett, C. T. Glen, W. W. Headstream, Watt Glover, Oscar Maples, Moffett, J. O. Spears and R. L. Terry.

Health Program Is Interesting to Club

Last week's health program was interesting to members of Altrurian Daughters Club, who met at the home of Mrs. Frank Weaver. Mrs. Herman Darby, club president, directed the health study.

Thelma Leslie gave a discussion of "New Diseases," and Polly Harpole told of "Heart Diseases." Topic for discussion by Mrs. Billie Mitchell was "Cancer."

Ceasing study of United States possessions, Altrurian Daughters plan to devote future programs to Red Cross study and work. Safety topics concerning war productions and other such subjects will feature alternate weekly program meetings of the club.

Members attending the last meeting were: Mmes. P. W. Cloud, J. D. Scott, Herman Doak, R. C. Miller Jr., Darby, Mitchell, Joe Hale and Misses Leslie, Harpole, Katherine Northcutt, Estella Rabel, Rube Lee and Edith Grantham.

Broadway Play Given By Local Teacher

Review of the current Broadway play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," by Joseph Kesselring, by Mrs. W. T. Edwards, teacher in local schools, was given in a clear, clever way and was thoroughly enjoyed by members of Art Guild Tuesday evening. Mrs. L. H. Butler was hostess.

In the comical murder mystery, "Arsenic and Old Lace," 13 men succumb to one of the blandest murder games ever played, the speaker said, adding that it is swift, dry, satirical as well as an exciting drama.

The hostess passed a salad plate to: Frances Boren, Jewell Foster, Edith Grantham, Vivian Hill, Maude Holcomb, Effie McLeod, Ethel Lynn Mitchell, Alice Montgomery, Madge Popnoe, Estella Rabel, Mae Stanfield, Frances Farr, Doris Norrell and Jewell Edwards.

Marriage of Daughter Announced in County

Mrs. G. R. Newman of Ira is announcing the January 10 marriage of her daughter, Mildred McDonald of Albuquerque, New Mexico, to Private Alvin Cecil Dunbar, who is stationed at the Albuquerque base of the United States Air Corps.

The couple was married at Bernalillo, New Mexico, and their attendants were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunbar of Trinidad, Colorado.

The bride was wearing a frock of soldier blue with black accessories, and the elder Mrs. Dunbar wore black velvet. The wedding party returned to Albuquerque immediately after the marriage to attend a reception in their honor at El Fidel Hotel.

Mrs. Dunbar is a 1940 graduate of Ira High School, where she lettered in basketball all four years. She received her business training at Plainview, and she is employed at Albuquerque.

Private Dunbar graduated from the Trinidad, Colorado, High School in 1941. For several years he was leader of a popular orchestra there. They will continue to live in Albuquerque.

Mrs. Yoder Reviews Missionary's Lectures

Review of the lectures of Rev. Sam Hilburn, returned missionary from Japan, given by Mrs. D. P. Yoder, during the Spiritual Life program of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service meeting at the church Monday afternoon, touched the hearts of the women present, leaders say.

Rev. Hilburn, who returned to the United States only shortly before the outbreak of the war, was principal speaker at an all-day officers' training school for Methodist women in Big Spring last Tuesday. A group of local women attended the meeting. Main portion of the planned program was not heard, because of the group's interest in the missionary's remarks.

Program Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock was the first Spiritual Life program of the year, and members declared that it was one of the most inspirational of the past several years. Mrs. Yoder is Spiritual Life committee chairman and was in charge of arranging the program.

Mrs. J. O. Littlepage, vice president, was in charge of the business session. Mrs. M. W. Clark was assisted by Mrs. L. H. Butler in giving a topic on "Service and Stewardship." Mrs. R. W. West read the scripture from the book of Malachi, giving the history of Malachi's life and work.

Air Corps Volunteer Honored at Dinner

Garth Berryhill was honored Sunday at a birthday dinner at the home of his parents, the M. O. Berryhills, at the home four miles northeast of town. Young Garth left Monday for Lubbock to volunteer in the mechanics division of the U. S. army air corps. Friends and relatives at the dinner brought appropriate gifts for the honoree.

Enjoying the delicious dinner were the following: The honoree, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and daughter, LaVerne, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Cary and son, Tommy, of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb and daughter, Marcia, of Polar, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Berryhill and daughter, Vienna Kay, Helen Morrow, the M. O. Berryhills and daughters.

Hermleigh Women Install New Leaders

New officers for the Hermleigh Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service were installed in an impressive candlelighting and pledge service Sunday evening at the church. Subject for the evening was "For the Facing of This Hour," and Rev. S. A. Sifford, pastor, was in charge of the ceremony.

New leaders are as follows: Miss Donie Anderson, president; Mrs. J. P. Hale, vice president; Mrs. Dave Ammons, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Vertna Lee, recording secretary; Mrs. B. Y. Rea, treasurer.

Department heads taking part in the installation included: Mrs. Russ Layman, secretary missionary education; Mrs. Mildred Rea, Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. Opal Brock, young women's and girls' work; Mrs. S. A. Sifford, children's work; Mattie Mae Ammons, literature; Mrs. M. H. Hudson, supplies; and Mrs. Sam Paul, spiritual life.

San Souci Meets In Harrell Home

Faye and Myrtle Harrell were hostesses at the last meeting of San Souci Club at their home on the south edge of Snyder. Defense stamps were awarded as high score prizes to Mrs. E. J. Anderson, member, and Mrs. J. D. Scott, guest.

Salad course was passed at the close of evening bridge play to the following: Mmes. Scott and John F. Blum, guests; Mmes. Lucile Dougherty, Pat Bounds, Herman E. Doak, Anderson, James Ralph Hicks, Henry Rosenberg, and Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Neoma Strayhorn and Edith Grantham.

Mrs. Rosenberg will be next hostess to the bridge playing group.

Covered Dish Supper Served to Crusaders

Crusaders Class of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly social at the church Monday evening, each member bringing a covered dish for supper. Mrs. H. T. Sefton, class president, conducted a brief business meeting.

Attending were the following members: Mmes. R. H. Odom, T. W. Pollard, J. E. Spelce, J. P. Billingsley, J. O. Littlepage, W. O. Britton, C. R. Burk, H. T. Sefton, W. W. Headstream, C. V. Morris, Clay, I. A. Smith and Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Nellon Minix and Francea Billingsley, a guest.

Mrs. Harmon Is Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Roy Bonner of the Bell community, near Hermleigh, honored her mother, Mrs. B. S. Harmon of Pyron, on her 50th birthday anniversary Sunday. A number of relatives were present for the all-day affair.

Among them were: The honoree and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fauver and daughter of the Gannaway community and the hostess and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mason of Gannaway called in the afternoon.

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RATIONING TO BE FELT SOON BY COUNTIANS

Soft Drink Sales Will Be Affected By Sugar Bans—Hoarding by Housewives Is Hinted

As a result of the nation's wartime economy, Snyder and Scurry County people will soon get used to the idea of being rationed on such soft drinks at coca-cola and Dr. Pepper.

Rationing of the two patented soft drinks will be necessary here, as in other places throughout the country, because sugar is getting scarce, salesmen for the duet of bottling companies informed a Times reporter Saturday afternoon.

Snyder vendors of fountain Coca Colas, for example, are now allotted only so much syrup per week despite the customers demand for the drink. The sugar ration that goes into effect early in February will probably keep "coke" and Dr Pepper rations in effect here for months.

Take the case of the Coca-Cola Company, for example. Cutting down "coke" sales, especially fountain sales will save an estimated 1,000 tons of sugar daily for the soft drink concern.

War casualties in Snyder, so far as sweets are concerned, are not only soft drink vendors of "cokes" and Dr. Peppers, but Snyder grocerymen, who are now allowed to sell only a certain amount of sugar weekly.

Snyder grocerymen have been cautioning customers for the past several weeks that continued large scale purchases of sugar, for the purpose of "hoarding" would invoke sugar restrictions, but evidently customers here and elsewhere took just the opposite view point—they'd better buy while they could.

Women of this trade area, who believed a few days ago a real "pinch" would result in girdle sales, may find comfort in the fact the War Production Board says a limited amount of crude rubber will be available for the manufacture of foundation garments in general. It seemed certain last week girdles, corsets and other feminine articles would be relegated to the attic of war-time taboo.

Office of Production Management officials indicated this week, in Washington, that no immediate shortage of such staple grocery items as flour and meal was in prospect, due to ample supplies of grain left over from former years. Price of flour and meal, however has reached the highest level in a "coon's age," county customers state.

Scurry's Allotment For Cotton Acreage In Line with State

Scurry County's 1942 cotton acreage quota of 75,081 acres was reported Tuesday by county AAA attaches to be well in line with the state quota of 9,864,569 acres announced by the state Triple A office.

State quota for the 1942 crop year compares favorably with the 1941 quota of 9,880,197 acres. Figure on the state quota for the new crop year is reported to include various additions to the basic allotment of 9,730,972 acres.

Increased yields, a smaller national allotment and a decrease in the number of farms growing cotton are said to be responsible for the 15,528-acre cut in the state total. George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas AAA committee, informs The Times.

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Pork Judging Champions of U. S.

Presented in the picture above is the team of animal husbandry students from Texas A. & M. College which recently won the title of "America's Champion Pork Judging Team" at the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago. Team members are, left to right, Jay Pumphrey of Old Glory, Worth Parker of Roby, J. D. Jordan of Stephenville and C. E. Murphy, coach.

Club Officers in Session Saturday Training School

Mrs. Stanley Merket of China Grove, recently named chairman of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council, presided Saturday afternoon, 2:00 o'clock, at an officers training school held in Estella Rebel's office previous to regular meeting of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council.

Officers were introduced from Bison, China Grove, Dermott, Lloyd Mountain, Union, Plainview, Tri-Community, Fluvanna and Pyron Home Demonstration Clubs.

Following introduction of officers, all who held officer positions in county clubs were grouped and the principles of organization discussed.

It was pointed out the officers are not elected for the purpose of "running an organization"—since this is the responsibility of the membership. No officer, it was stressed shoud be named who has not demonstrated her loyalty to the ideals and objectives of a home demonstration club.

Following the officers training school, R. G. Dillard, manager of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, was a guest of the council, and discussed ways and means club officers can help in national defense.

Dillard emphasized the urgency of home demonstration clubs buying all defense bonds and stamps possible, and the need of appointing live wire committees to carry home demonstration and council work forward. "Now the time has arrived," he said, "when every person must be a George, and instead of letting 'George do it,' get on the firing line for the things that must be done now."

Agent and Women of China Grove on Air

"Exceptionally good" was the verdict of Station KXOX officials, Sweetwater, on the 15-minute radio program presented over the station Monday afternoon, 1:30 o'clock, by Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, and eight members of the China Grove Home Demonstration Club.

Subject of the broadcast was "Outside Appearance Comes from Inside Health." A clever rendition of the song, "Keep the Home Fires Burning," was given during the program. Mmes. Hoyt Murphy, Cliff Stevenson, W. H. Prescott, Martin Murphy, Bill Hairston, Jim Merket, O. N. Laster Jr. and Stanley Merket assisted with the program.

Wallace Haney in Air Corps.

Air corps officers at Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, reported Monday that Private First Class Wallace G. Haney, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haney, has been qualified for enlisted men's pilot training in the U. S. Air Corps. Haney has been attached to the 49th School Squadron, and will be ordered within the next few days to a primary flying school.

Ira Plans Varied Program as Part In Paralysis Fund

Celebrating the President's Birthday Ball Friday evening, so far as Southern Scurry County people are concerned, will be centered at Ira School, where a free motion picture will be shown and talks made in interest of raising funds for aiding infantile paralysis victims. Evening program will get underway at 7:30 o'clock.

A. B. (Boss) Baze, Scurry-Borden chairman of the President's Birthday festivities, states the first event on tap at Ira Friday evening will be presentation of a motion picture show by Nolan von Roeder of the Von Roeder Seed Farms, Knapp.

The Von Roeder picture show will include subjects of interest, such as scenes from the Von Roeder Seed Farms, rodeo shots at various West Texas points, flowers and intriguing scenes of an elk hunt in the Rocky Mountains

R. G. Dillard, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager, will make a brief address, as will others in interest of the infantile paralysis fund.

Superintendent Paul Sweatt of Ira School states all entertainment Friday evening will be free gratis. A free will offering will be taken, however, and people of southern county communities are asked to bring dimes, quarters and other change for contributions. Fifty per cent of all money collected will remain in the county, Sweatt states, for aid to paralysis victims.

Kendale Clark Joins Navy.

Orin Kendale Clark, 29-year-old Snyder youth who recently volunteered for U. S. Navy service as a motor machinist mate, second class in the naval reserve, was sent from Abilene to Dallas over the week-end for final enlistment in the Navy. Three other youths of this trade zone were sent with Clark for formal enlistment.

CLUB COUNCIL SELECTS NEW COMMITTEES

Plans of Demonstration Group for Year Discussed—Donated Made To Infantile Paralysis Fund

Enthusiasm marked the first meeting of Scurry County's Home Demonstration Council, held Saturday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock, in the offices of Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Stanley Merket, China Grove home demonstration president, who presided over the meeting, reports all officers and members were formally recognized from the nine home demonstration clubs represented.

Mrs. Merket and Miss Rabel announce the naming of standing committees for the ensuing club year as follows:

Year book—Mmes. Nolan von Roeder, Marion Dabbs, Bill Baggett and A. D. Dodson.

Finance—Mmes. J. D. Oxsheer, John Floyd, L. N. Periman and Rusty Prescott.

Exhibits—Mmes. H. C. Flournoy, Byron Pitner, Tom Davis and Paris McPherson.

Education—Mmes. A. Turner, C. R. Roberson, G. D. Gibson and Hubert Robison.

Expansion—Mmes. Jim Merket, Mozell Roggenstien, M. K. Lemons and Mary Belew.

The council had as a guest Mrs. Henry Rosenberg, who discussed Scurry County's program for aiding infantile paralysis victims. Members of the council voted to donate $5 to the county-wide infantile paralysis fund.

Plans were announced at the council gathering to buy defense bonds with money from the pantry that will be given away soon. Interested persons are urged to contact council members as soon as possible.

Miss Rabel reports plans were mapped for outstanding work to be done during the ensuing club year. With the nation at war, council members will do everything possible to put Scurry County farm women at the head of the parade in producing foods for home and market consumption.

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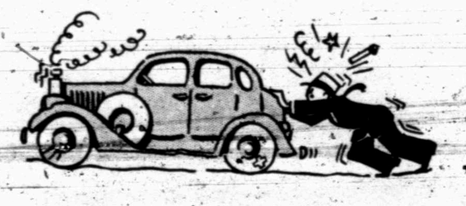

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QUOTAS MIGHT BE SLASHED IF LOANS REMAIN

Secretary of Agriculture Explains Premium on Socalled Cotton Insurance Is Cooperation

Following closely on the heels of an announcement by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration that Scurry County's 1942 cotton quota had been set at 75,081 acres, and a quota set for the state as a whole, Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard says another production cut may be made if the government continues its high loan system.

In his annual report, the secretary coined the phrase "cotton price insurance program" to describe the system by which the government maintains prices through a guaranteed loan rate of 85 per cent of parity.

"The premiums which farmers pay for this insurance are in the form of acreage adjustments and compliance with marketing quotas," he wrote. "If farmers do not pay these premiums, in other words, if they do not firmly regulate their production and marketing, the insuring agency—Commodity Credit Corporation—will suffer enormous losses which will have to be made up by the federal treasury."

He concluded, therefore, that to protect the insurance program, "some further reduction in our cotton output seems necessary."

The marketing quota program already has reduced cotton production to 12,000,000 bales or less per year. In 1937, the last unregulated year, the cotton output was nearly 19,000,000 bales.

Pointing out that the cotton situation with regard to stocks on hand was "far from satisfactory," Wickard said the government had made loans on about 10,000,000 bales since 1933.

As for the growers, however, Wickard declared they had fared better this season, despite the loss of foreign markets, than they had for a decade. He estimated the gross return from marketings at more than $1,000,000,000.

He defended the cotton control program against the charge, frequently heard at Washington, that it took away the American producer's foreign market. The secretary argued that the cotton programs were "much more largely the result than the cause of the export difficulty."

Valentine Box Supper Slated at Hermleigh

People of the Hermleigh and surrounding communities, from one week of age to 60 years young, were extended an invitation this week to attend the Hermleigh School's senior class Valentine box supper that will be staged Thursday evening, February 12, at the school gymnasium.

Officers of the Hermlegh senior class state the evening festivities will get underway at 7:30 o'clock. Entertainment will include an old fashioned candy walk, music, singing and specialty dance numbers.

Women and girls of the Hermleigh sector are urged to bring boxes for the Valentine auction, and men folks are asked to bring some extra change. All entertainment for the evening will be free.

Pleased with Snyder Growth.

E. J. Ely, faculty member of the Divide School in Nolan County, was in Snyder Saturday on official school business. While here, Ely expressed amazement at the progressive business improvements made during th past three years, and said all county teachers contacted were enthusiastic over 1941-42 term work.

Cotton Insurance Will Make Crops Sure for Farmer

Boll weevils and insects will be out of luck ths year insofar as insured Scurry County cotton farmers are concerned, Claud D. Cotten, secretary of the county Agricultural Adjustment Administration, stated Tuesday.

Cotton crop insurance, which guarantees 50 or 75 per cent of a farm's average yield, will be written this year, for the first time, Cotten says, and will be offered Scurry County AAA committeeman.

Scurry County farmers, for instance, who need cash to start cotton crops can use insurance contracts as collateral security for loans, Cotten advises. Lending agencies will be safe in their investments because 50 or 75 per cent of the normal crop is already on the dotted line, it is emphasized.

Cotten declares that cotton insurance will protect the 1942 cotton crop from the time it is planted until it is weighed in at the gin. All applications for crop insurance must be made previous to March 15, 1942, it is reported.

Scurry County's Triple A committee will start taking applications for cotton crop insurance as soon as the county AAA office receives individual yields and premiums rates on insurance from the state crop insurance office at College Station.

County AAA committee members declare crop insurance "has pegged the last hole in the nation's farm program. "We have," they say, "conservation payments for soil building, acreage allotments, marketing quotas and cotton loans for price security. Crop insurance this year will cinch the deal for yield security."

Former Resident of County Writes About Pearl Harbor Duty

Mrs. Tom Davis, long-time resident of the Martin community, received a copy of a letter this week from Olen Young, former Scurry County youth, recently sent to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young of Boyd Chapel, in Jones County.

Young is attached to the U. S. Naval Hospital at Pearl Harbor, and his message will interest Scurry County people who have boys in Hawaii now. The letter follows:

Dear Mom: Have been pretty busy the last two weeks and have not had time to write, but some of our patients have been discharged and the pressure has been relieved some. Have been working between 12 and 15 hours a day since the raid, but things will be run on the usual schedule by Monday. (Letter looks like it was dated December 19).

Guess you have heard all the details about the raid. The loss was pretty great, but not great enough to keep us from licking the Japs. They know that they are inferior to us, otherwise they wouldn't have struck like they did without actual war being declared. They caught us napping on a Sunday morning when we least expected it. Even with all the excitement that day, I still remembered it was your birthday.

All last week I worked on the morgue detail, identifying bodies and preparing them for burial. Most of the men were buried over here. Worked all of this week on the ward helping with the burned cases. It all was a pretty big mess. Am back in the hospital now.

Love, OLEN YOUNG.

Newspapers Pledged To Defense Economy

M. M. Donosky, former treasurer of The Dallas News who is now serving in Washington with the War Production Board as one of the "dollar-a-year" men, declared Monday that The Times and all other Texas newspapers would cooperate 100 per cent with the government in the nation's all-out war effort.

Donosky said business and industry would feel the shock of war mostly in shortages and curtailed advertising. Newsprint, inks and other supplies will go first to the war effort and whatever is left will go to newspapers, magazines, etc.

Folic acid, a vitamin discovered recently by a Texas scientist, is a member of the family of B vitamins. It was so named because of its abundance in leaves.

Cotton Uniforms Can Fight, Too

Tough, wind-proof cotton on the outside with a fleecy lining inside—that's what makes up the Second Armored Division's new winter combat uniform for tank troopers at Fort Benning, Georgia. A supply sergeant is shown fitting out a soldier with one of the hood-like caps. Other units are similarly equipped.

Midwest News Reviews Two Years of Consistent Growth of Lines for REA

January issue of Midwest News Flashes, released this week by Midwest Electric Cooperative of Roby, announces that the annual meeting of Midwest Electric Cooperative will be held at Roby Monday afternoon, February 2, at 1:30 o'clock.

Purpose of the annual gathering, to which all customers and directors of Midwest are invited guests, will be to obtain detailed reports from members, board of director personnel and name directors for the ensuing year.

Troy Peeples, Midwest superintendent, states the annual meeting will be held in the Roby court house.

"A real cooperative, such as we have, is first of all a community enterprise, the news flash continues. The Rural Electrification saw the feasibility of our enterprise, and made total loans of $379,000.00 to bring REA service to rural folks of Scurry, Borden, Fisher, Jones, Mitchell and Nolan Counties. Business men and all neighbors of Midwest consumers are urgently requested to attend the Roby meeting. Free refreshments will be served and prizes given to lady attendants.

"At the close of business on December 31, Midwest Electric Cooperative—organized in early 1939—had 433 miles of high line wire energized. This total lineage is serving 815 customers.

"REA officials at Washington made our first loan in 1939 of $137,000 to build 142 miles of line for 321 customers.

"On May 25, a $107,000 allotment was granted to build 161 miles of line for 233 members. After these lines were built, a surplus of $26,000 was utilized to construct a 52-mile extension for 119 customers.

"On December 19, 1940, a $135,000 allotment was made to build 217 more miles of line, servicing 459 members. This gives a total of 576 miles of high line to serve 1,194 members.

"The last portion of our "C" Section," the bulletin points out, will be completed during the next six weeks.

"New members connected in December by force account included Anton L. Brom of Hermleigh, E. U. Bullard and Douglas H. Burney of Snyder, J. R. Williamson, Mrs. J. S. Knight and Eugene Duke, all of Camp Springs.

"Members on our December honor roll included Hobbs School, 2,082 kilowatts; Fluvanna School, 226; N. J. Guillet of Camp Springs, 242; Fluvanna Garage, 122; Pyron School 115, Fluvanna Mercantile Company, 184; W. A. Barnett Store, 224.

"Fluvanna Gin, 419; Inadale Gin, 514; C. E. McCormick Service Station, 258; Cleveland Littlepage, 325, W. B. Willingham, 431, Sterling Willingham, 391, all of Hobbs; Ohlenbusch Store at Inadale, 839; Inadale Gin, 514; and others lack of space forbids mentioning," the news flash concludes.

Because of proper diet and early dental care, the teeth of the Dionne quintuplets show no signs of decay.

Girls Lead Boys On Honor Roll at Snyder Schools

Girls in Snyder Schools, from all accounts, seem to have a habit of leading the boys in making the honor roll, according to faculty members.

Jack Taylor is the only boy in Snyder School who made A's the first semester, while three girls were reported to have marked up A's. They are: Ola Margaret Leath Margaret Jane Farr and Muriel Bullard.

The seniors lead other classes in high ranking honors. Eleven girls and three boys made the honor list to total 14 for the seniors. Ranking second are the sophomores, with eight girls and four boys. The juniors come next with five girls and three boys.

Totals show that 11 boys and 27 girls made the honor roll. They are: Margaret Jane Farr, Ola Margaret Leath, Muriel Bullard, Jack Taylor, Mary Belle Weathersbee, Bobby Hicks, Mary Nell Noble, Mary Ellen Williams, Jean Campbell, Dale DeShazo, Melvina Dixon, Douglas McGlaun, F. L. Moseley, Lorene Thrash, Opal Kite, Bobby Vann, Gladys Hebel, Billy Pierce, Eddie Richardson, Frances Shelburne, Louise Hicks, Mayme Lou Stokes, Mary Frances Sheid, Eugene Hickey, Annie Rue Horsley, Evelyn Clark, Florene Fisher, Dorothy Irion, Marian Letcher, Dorothy Murphree, Patsy Snodgrass, Virginia Preuitt, Howard Turner, Nadell Wilson, Glendon Bynum, and Pauline Hicks.—Tiger's Tale.

Enrollment Grows at School in New Year

M. E. Stanfield, Snyder High School principal, reports new semester work in school is well underway, and that enrollment in senior high stands at approximately 280 students.

Economics is reported to be the only new course added to the schedule for the second semester of the 1941-42 term.

L. H. Butler, junior high principal, says junior high enrollment increased from 253 to 261. In elementary school, enrollment for the current semester tallies 427, compared with 425 for the first four and a half months of this school year.

COTTON QUIZ

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AMERICAN COTTON

Four AAA Officials At Big Spring Meet

Scurry, Fisher, Nolan, Borden and 14 other counties of this immediate area were represented last Wednesday and Thursday at a district Agricultural Adjustment Administration meeting, held at Big Spring in the Settles Hotel.

Claud D. Cotten, Triple A county administrative officer; Ruth Davis, clerk; and George J. Brumley, Perry Echols and W. M. Hairston, AAA committeemen, represented the county at the two-day gathering.

Theme of the Wednesday-Thursday meeting was 1942 cotton crop insurance—insurance that is being offered this year for the first time to farmers. Milton C. Puckett, state committeeman for the AAA, and Jack B. Hall, district Triple A field officer, presided over the gathering.

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Fifteen Lodges Represented at Degrees Session

Total of 15 Masonic Lodges, including a unit at Oil City, Louisiana, were represented Friday afternoon at the joint gathering of Scurry Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 706, and Ira Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 934, at which time seven master degrees were awarded.

Officials of Snyder's host lodge for the occasion estimate that 125 people were on hand for the conferring of master degrees, and the "feed" at the supper hour.

Lodges represented, in addition to the Snyder and Ira units, included those from Lamesa, Midland, Colorado City, McCaulley, Roby, Rotan, Post, Baird, Dunn, Hermleigh and Oil City, Louisiana.

Since conferring of a master degree in Masonic work requires approximately an hour and a half, the Snyder and Ira lodges feel something of a record was obtained. The meeting, which got underway at 2:00 o'clock, lasted 11 hours—including time out for supper.

Legumes conserve nitrates and other chemicals already in the soil by preventing leeching, add plant food through the roots, and become manure when plowed under.

Food Production to Help Aid One-Crop Diversion in County

In response to a plea from Secretary of Agriculture Wickard that the South be freed from the one-crop system, Edward S. Hyman, county agent, and Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, say hundreds of acres in Scurry County can be utilized in food crops and pasturage to supply county residents with a balanced diet.

County farmers, Hyman and Miss Rabel point out, would be interested more in Food-for-Freedom efforts, if they realized in excess of 1,000 additional acres in Scurry County could be devoted to more food crops alone.

The outlook for Southern freedom from the one-crop system is said by the extension service representatives to be brighter than at any time in many years. Improved pastures and a greater adaption of livestock to current needs will help in releasing this area from a one-crop system, the extension service officials conclude.

Through November 15 a total of 389,108 loans on 664,917 bales of 1941 crop cotton were reported by the Commodity Credit Corporation. According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, nearly one-half of it entered the loan in the Texas area.

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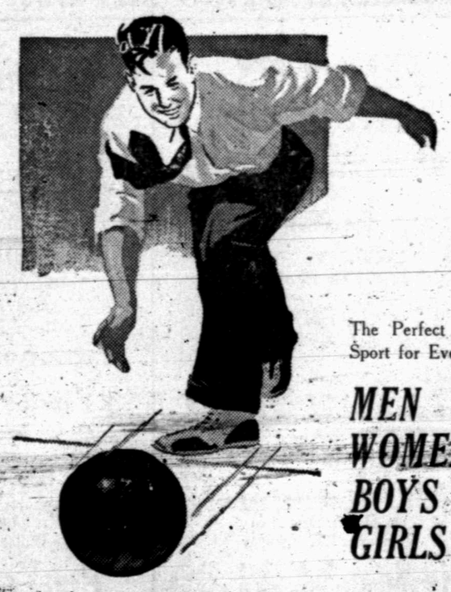

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Here are the things that the department classers look for—color, foreign matter, ginning preparation, staple length, uniformity, and character of the cotton fibers. The classers don't use a lot of "high powered" instruments in their classing. They refer constantly to government standards for grades and staple lengths, and rely on their senses of touch and sight to do the classing job. All they need is a room that's well lighted.

Experienced classers are able to judge the staple length to the tiniest part of an inch—probably more accurately than if they used a fine measuring stick each time they made a "pull." These classers make few mistakes, because they are constantly supervised and have government standards before them.

Bi-Monthly Singing At Church Sunday

Regular bi-monthly singing of the Tabernacle Baptist Church in North Snyder will get underway Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Earl Creswell pastor announces.

A number of visiting singers and quartets are expected to be present for the occasion and plenty of the new song books, "Lasting Peace," will be on hand, Rev. Creswell states. Walter Holmes, singing class director, urges county singers to bring all the visitors possible.

Hot Lunches for Boys and Girls in Britain from U. S.

American food sent to Britain is put to good use in the emergency feeding centers. Shown here are boys and girls who have lost their homes through bombing. Their school teachers help serve them with piping hot stew. Thousands of people throughout British towns and cities, in similar homeless condition, are being well fed at low cost at community centers.

Volunteers to Help With Registration in County Are Sought

Members of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board issued an appeal this week for volunteers to assist in the February 16 registration of Scurry County men from 20 to 44 years of age.

"We will require the services of 10 or 15 volunteer typists and clerks to help us February 16," draft board members state, "and urge those who can donate some time on this date to contact the local board office within the next few days."

Ida V. Ellis, clerk for the Scurry County Draft Board, states names, addresses and telephone numbers of all volunteers will be filed, and those who can spare only a few hours' time February 16 will be welcomed to assist with R-Day details.

It is estimated approximately 600 Snyder and Scurry County men who did not register previously, will be registered Monday, February 16.

The Buford Brownings of Quitaque were back to visit relatives and friends in the county. Browning formerly taught vocational agriculture at Fluvanna.

Snyder General Hospital

Remaining patients from last week's list at Snyder General Hospital are: Dr. J. G. Hicks and J. W. ...wich, surgeries; Oma Jones Aaron of Fluvanna; Sam Fields, Mrs. D. A. McKnight of Fluvanna and R. W. Jones, medical.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sullenger of Dermott are announcing the arrival of their eight-pound son Wednesday morning at 12:31 o'clock. Mrs. Sullenger and the son are still in the hospital.

Mrs. Cecil H. Parks of Arah is a new surgery patient; Mrs. M. E. Clarkson of Fluvanna, H. E. Greenfield of Dermott and Henry B. Clark are the new medical patients.

Mrs. Keller in Market.

Mrs. John Keller is in markets this week in Dallas and Fort Worth, buying ready-to-wear for the Hollywood Shop. New spring clothing is arriving daily, according to Mrs. Bill Vaughn, who is in charge of the shop this week. Mrs. Keller will be returning here in a few days.

Texas Will Observe Social Hygiene Day With Rest of Nation

Sixth national Social Hygiene Day will be observed in Texas Wednesday, February 4, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer and chairman on Health and Emergency Medical Service, announced this week.

"The menace of social disease will be made greater by the crowding of large groups of workers into war industrial areas," Dr. Cox said. "A recent survey of 216,000 industrial workers in one large city showed 2.98 per cent to be infected with syphilis and nine per cent with gonorrhea. We must fight vice and venereal diseases and protect our workers.

"Physical fitness not only of our soldiers, marines and sailors, but also of our civilian population will determine the effectiveness of our war effort," Dr. Cox stated. "We must realize that the nation's defense depends on a healthy civilian population, able to produce needed materials."

Social Hygiene Day, nationally sponsored by the American Social Hygiene Association, will be observed throughout the country on February 4. Army and navy officers, industry, management, labor unions, health and welfare agencies participate in this nation-wide campaign and collaborate on legal, medical, educational and protective measures to fight venereal disease among industrial workers.

"Physical fitness is the foundation of a sound national defense—the prerequisite for victory," asserted Dr. Cox. "More and more Americans are coming to realize that among the first enemies to be conquered in its present mighty effort are the venereal diseases. There can be no strong nation where bodies are unfit; and assuredly there can be no military victory where disease acts as an insidious 'fifth column' within the ranks."

Keith Keller Opens Bowling Alley Here

Keith Keller announces this week opening of a bowling alley in the former I. W. Cox Motor Company location, first door west of King & Brown on 25th Street.

Keller, who has installed good equipment for devotees of bowling, states all receipts Friday evening will go to infantile paralysis victims in conjunction with observances of the President's Birthday.

Snyder and Scurry County sports fans who like to bowl their way to health are urged to participate in Friday evening's matches. Visitors will find plenty of room in the bowling headquarters.

Two Volunteer for Air Service.

Garth Berryhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Berryhill, who lives four miles northeast of Snyder, and Ben Gary, son of the Cass Carys of Hermleigh, left Snyder Monday for Lubbock, to volunteer in the United States air corps. The two are especially interested in the mechanics portion. Garth has been employed in stock farming and trading, and Ben has been working at the Lubbock auction ring.

Mrs. T. V. Lindsey, who has been visiting Snyder relatives and friends, returned Wednesday to McCamey.

Oklahoma Scouts Inspect Sharon Field With Oily Interest

L. A. Wetzel of Miami, Oklahoma, president of the Robinson Oil Corporation, and Wallace Cossey of Muskogee, Oklahoma, arrived Wednesday and expressed considerable interest in Sharon Ridge oil field developments to date for 1942. Their presence here is reliably taken to mean more activity in the southwest county pool.

B & R Company's No. 14 W. F. Burney well, located in the north one-half of section 143, has been placed on pump and is rated a strong producer. Well swabbed 200 barrels of crude immediately following cleaning out operations.

Coffield & Guthrie's No. 3 W. F. Burney well in the southwest part of the northeast quarter, Section 144, has been put on pump, but initial test figures were not available when The Times went to press this (Thursday) morning.

Pat Riley of the Standard Oil Company, Texas, has been in town the past several days going over title work to leases. This section is in advance of the company's core drilling campaign that will start shortly, according to reliable informants.

Stationed at California.

Robert L. Keller, who was originally with Company G at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, transferred July 21, 1941, in the armed forces to the army air corps. Young Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Keller, was sent to the radio school at Scott Field, Illinois, completing his course there January 7. He is now stationed at Hamilton Field, San Francisco, California.

More Than 1,000 Go To Credit Firm Meet

J. C. Ezell, manager of Snyder's Sweetwater Production Credit Association office, reports in excess of 1,000 SPCA members were attracted to Sweetwater Wednesday for the annual stockholders' gathering of the association.

Members of the SPCA reside in Scurry, Borden, Fisher, Dawson and Mitchell Counties. High point of the occasion was the barbecue dinner served in hotels and visitors at the noon hour.

Early repair of farm machinery and equipment was discussed by SPCA officials and production shifts to suit the general economic outlook mapped.

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Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Laoma Woolever spent Thursday night with Mrs. Weldon Bills at Pleasant Hill.

Ella Adams is visiting friends at Hermleigh this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Mebane and son visited Sunday in the Henry Kelly home at Snyder and also visited Mrs. N. C. Wilson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Ab Williamson visited the R. L. Jones family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McPherson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughn visited Mrs. W. H. Lindsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams and ...la Adams spent Sunday at La...sa. We are sorry to report the ...dson, Jo Carl Boles, not doing ...ll at this writing.

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It is self evident that, with new automobiles unobtainable, the automobiles now in use will have to be conserved if they are to be used over a long period of time.

As a firm which will be called upon to render services to automobile owners in this territory, we wish to make the following suggestions to those who are looking to the future:

1—Drive your car at a low rate of speed, not over 40 miles per hour, 35 miles per hour top speed is best.

2—Keep your tires inflated and have them checked often.

3—Have your wheels inspected and aligned if they need it. Out of line wheels will wear out tires three times as fast as wheels that are properly adjusted.

4—Have your steering gear and bushings checked and adjusted if needed, to prevent shimmying, the greatest hazard of all the risks.

5—Have your brakes inspected and adjusted, if needed. Brakes that are out of adjustment will wear out tires faster than many other road risks.

6—Have your car lubricated every 1,000 miles. Poor lubrication not only burns out parts, but wears out tires.

7—Have your car serviced by modern mechanics, where genuine parts and proper equipment for servicing your make car are available.

8—Have your car checked at regular intervals, once each month is best, so that any adjustment or repair can be made before serious damage can occur.

9—Get full information from our Repair Department, for we know every detail of the car you drive and how best to care for it.

This is being published to stress the importance of caring for your car and to call your attention to the fact that, although your automobile dealer is not able to sell you a new car, he is in position to keep your present one in top running condition, because parts for cars are available at the present time and adjustments and repairs can be made.

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The Times is authorized to announce the following candidacies, subject to action of the city election on Tuesday, April 6, 1942:

For City Marshal:
SIMON BEST

Walter Bishop Enters Precinct No. 4 Race

Walter Bishop, a native of Scurry County who resides at Hermleigh, announced this week his candidacy for county commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

Bishop has worked as a road man for the present commissioner of his precinct the past five years, and believes he understands the needs of Precinct No. 4 from first hand experience. He urges voters to investigate his qualifications, and will make a formal statement later.

Church of Christ

Minister of the Church of Christ announces he will preach Sunday evening on "The Bible and Science," with evening services to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

One of the greatest enemies the church faces today, Bro. Kelcy says, is "science so called." The modernist is bold in his denunciation of the scriptures, and many honest people think the Bible and science conflict. The minister will set forth the true relation of science and the Bible, and extends visitors a cordial welcome.

Worship services Sunday morning will be held at the regular hour.—Raymond C. Kelcy, Minister.

Many Boy Scouts Advance at Court Of Honor Monday

High point of the regular monthly Boy Scout court of honor for the Snyder District, held Monday evening at the Methodist Church, was reached when the largest number of troops to yet attend a court of honor in the district were marked present.

S. P. Gaskin, Buffalo Trail Council executive of Sweetwater, made an interesting talk on Scouting, and suggested several new phases of work that Boy Scouts could do in conjunction with the national defense program.

H. L. Wren, chairman of the Snyder District, lists attendance Monday evening as follows from these Boy Scout troops:

Snyder Troop No. 35, 20 representatives; Snyder Troop No. 36, 11; Snyder Troop No. 38, six; Hermleigh Troop No. 32, 20; Hobbs Troop No. 75, 10; and Ira Troop No. 29, three.

Entertainment for the evening was built around presentation of a motion picture. R. G. Dillard had charge of making the following

Second class Boy Scouts — Billy Bob Bayless, J. P. Hale and Bill Don Kimzey, Hermleigh Troop No. 32; Charles Hugh Land, Snyder Troop No. 35; Billy Longbotham, Snyder Troop No. 38; and Ray Rivers Jr., Hobbs Troop No. 75.

First class Scouts—Jack Beavers and Stanford Land, both of Snyder's Troop No. 35.

Merit badge awards—L. H. Butler Snyder Troop No. 35 pathfinding, pioneering and swimming; Edward Schwarz, bird study; and Henry Schwarz, pioneering and swimming; both of Troop No. 75, Hobbs.

Star Scout awards—June Jones of Snyder Troop No. 35 and Lynn Bavousett of Hobbs Troop No. 75.

In the carry-over award bracket, L. H. Butler was given merit badges in life saving, cooking and camping.

Loyalty Campaign At Baptist Church Will Start Sunday

Rev. Vernon F. Shaw, pastor of Snyder's First Baptist Church, announces the church loyalty campaign of the Snyder church will get underway Sunday morning, and continue for a period of two months.

"Sermon calendars are now available," Rev. Shaw states, "containing subjects throughout our church loyalty program. Anyone desiring a calendar is asked to call for one, since an adequate supply is on hand. We do not wish any person to miss any of our services throughout the campaign.

"At the conclusion of the church loyalty drive," Rev. Shaw continues, "our spring revival will begin, with Dr. John W. Cobb of Plainview doing the preaching.

"Church goers of Snyder and adjacent communities are urged to join with us in our church loyalty drive. Spirit of the church is wonderful, and we feel our campaign will greatly expand kingdom work. We want a loyal church, a friendly church," Rev. Shaw concludes, "so why not help us make it such?"

How Does It Sound to You?

Bride (buying stove)—"Please, I'd like a little oven."

Salesman (accommodatingly)—"Pardon me; but not while your husband's along."

"And to think I mortgaged the house to send my boy to college. All he does is go out with girls, drink and smoke?"

"Do you regret it?"

"Sure. I should have gone myself."

Help The Kids

Have you purchased your ticket yet to the President's Birthday Ball dance that will be staged Friday evening, January 30, at the Snyder School gymnasium, under auspices of the Snyder Junior Chamber of Commerce?

If you haven't, A. B. (Boss) Baze, birthday ball celebration chairman for Scurry and Borden Counties, urges you to buy your tickets now. When you realize that the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has benefitted thousands of afflicted children the past six months, and over 500 from Texas, you will realize the urgency of buying tickets in generous quantities, Baze says

Demonstration Club Notes

Estella Rabel, County Agent

China Grove Club Meets.

Mrs. Marvin Hanson was elected parliamentarian for China Grove Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, when the club met in the home of Mrs. A. M. Merket.

"A well conducted meeting is valuable in our club work, as well as in any other organization," said Mrs. Stanley Merket, China Grove club president. Other members also gave ideas on "Value of a Well Conducted Meeting."

Following chairmen were elected: Mrs. Bill Hairston, program; Mrs. Joe Hairston, exhibits; Mrs. Hall, membership; and Mrs. Martin Murphy, finance.

An educational program on the duties of officers, demonstrators and standing committees was given. Mrs. A. M. Merket gave a talk on the life of Mrs W. G. Kennedy, state president of Home Demonstration Clubs. Fifty cents was paid by

The following members and one the club as an educational fund. guest, Mrs. Floyd Merket, were present: Mmes. Roy Allen, R. D. Hall, Bill Hairston, Joe Hairston, O. N. Laster Jr., Jim Merket, Stanley Merket, Martin Murphy, W. H. Prescott, Frank Wilson, Marvin Hanson and the hostess.—Reporter.

Fluvanna Club in Session.

Fluvanna Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. H. C. Flournoy January 22 to discuss its place in national defense and the use of whole wheat flour.

Mrs. Edgar Smith was elected secretary-treasurer for the year. On suggestion of Mrs. Belew, it was voted that the club buy 40 small books for men in military service.

Two new members were brought into the club. They were Mrs. Neal Holder and Mrs. John Truss. Mrs. W. A. Reeder was a visitor.

Miss Rabel brought a grist mill and demonstrated how to grind corn and wheat. After the demonstration, Miss Rabel made some delicious whole wheat muffins, and Mrs. Flournay served hot coffee with them. Miss Rabel impressed on everyone the importance of keeping healthy during these unpleasant times. She suggested that everyone have a vegetable garden this summer.

Miss Rabel also discussed having a first aid course. She will try to arrange with a first aid nurse to have a course given in Fluvanna. Purchase of defense bonds and stamps was stressed by the county agent, also.

It was a beautiful day for the club to meet and a large attendance was present: Mmes. Robert Jones, Edgar Smith, John Truss, Joseph Belew, Coke Chumbley, Velma Bley, A. D. Dodson, Neal Holder, Robert Warren, W. A. Reeder, Mills G. Sturtevant Jr., Misses Mary Frances Smith and Estella Rabel.

Everyone agreed that it was a very successful meeting. Mrs. Robert Warren has asked the club to meet at her home for its next meeting, which will be February 12.—Reporter.

Reporters to Meet Saturday.

Mrs. Guy Glenn, reporter for the Scurry County Home Demonstration Council, announces a reporter's meeting will be held Saturday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, in the offices of Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent.

Reporters of all home demonstration clubs in the county are urged to attend the Saturday afternoon gathering, at which time matters of interest in reporting club meetings will be discussed. Pointers on the why, when and what of news articles will be taken up by council officials and Miss Rabel, home demonstration agent.

Deputy Inspecting Schools.

Deputy State Superintendent Anthony Hunt of Abilene, accompanied by Pat Bullock, acting county superintendent, will begin Monday an inspection tour of Scurry County schools. Schools, especially will be visited, Hunt states, that are seeking new or additional credits in school courses.

Hobbs Defense School Gets Off To Good Start

Superintendent N. J. Guillet of Hobbs School reported Tuesday that the defense course underway at the Western Fisher County plant has attracted 11 enrollees to date. More Hobbs community youths are scheduled to begin taking defense school work late this week.

Arch Fairey, building superintendent for Midwest Electric Cooperative's new headquarters building at Roby, and FHA contractor out of Rotan, is instructor for the defense school course at Hobbs.

Cleveland Littlepage, Hobbs vocational agriculture instructor, is assisting Fairey with defense course details, and is taking the course himself, as is N. J. Guillet, superintendent.

Course the Hobbs boys are taking now is a 10-week period of instruction in carpenter work. This course, Fairey states, will be followed by an auto mechanic's course.

Besides Guillet and Littlepage, Hobbs boys already enrolled in the defense work include Bill Aaron, Ted Aaron, Clarence Anderson, Merrell Ashley, English Dooley, Clyde Garrison, Carl Guinn, Rufus Sharp and Ralph Alsobrook.

Total of $950 worth of tools and equipment for the defense work have been furnished the Western Fisher County school by the federal government. Tools include an electric bench saw, electric lathe, a full compliment of hand tools, saws, hammers, chisels, planes and other equipment. Only cost to the school, at present, is fuel, light and cost of small, miscellaneous items.

Superintendent Guillet points out that a number of Hobbs boys who completed the auto mechanic's course at Hobbs last year have been enrolled for several months in war and defense work. Those who completed the 1941 course but elected to stay at home, are now much better qualified to assist with farm and ranch work, Guillet declares.

Journalism Students Direct Stamp Sales

Directed by Effie McLeod, English and journalism instructor, members of the Snyder High School journalism class sponsored a defense stamp sale in school Monday morning that netted $20.08.

Members of the school's journalism class say the sale of defense stamps will be held each Monday morning at Snyder School. School patrons who may wish to purchase defense stamps are asked to send money by the students, who will make the purchases and obtain any amount of defense stamps desired.

A bachelor may experience a bit more loneliness at Christmas time, but at least he knows when he gets a present that he won't have to pay for it later.

Showmanship Will Be Used in Selection Of Winner at Show

Showmanship will be used this year in selecting the grand champion steer at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, March 13-22.

Customarily the important event of naming the grand champion has taken place at high noon on the first Monday of the show (March 16 this year). After looking over all the eligible steers, the judge would pin the ribbon on the champ without ceremony. Many of the spectators in the coliseum arena did not know what was going on.

All that has been changed. This year the spotlight will be thrown on the grand champion, which will be selected before a crowd of 6,000 rodeo spectators on the night of March 16. The visitors will witness the actual judging and see the proud owner lead his animal, the best of the show, from the arena.

Several Scurry County raisers are expected to display animals this year, The Times is advised.

Second highlight of the stock show will be the auction of the grand champion and other prize winning animals on Friday, March 20. A price of $2 per pound was paid at the 1941 show for Think Set Lad III, grand champion steer exhibited by Texas A. & M. College. The buyer was H. W. Chesley of Chicago.

Work on East Road Going Ahead Nicely

Activities on the Highway 15 construction front this week centered on the East-West roadbed east of Snyder, and in the Mt. Zion community sector.

Representatives of the contractors, Thomas & Ratliff, say caliche from the John Robinson pit nine miles east of town is rapidly going on the Highway 15 roadbed in the Mt. Zion section, and incidental grading carried east of Mt. Zion two miles.

Highway construction signs, signifying the beginning of roadbed work, have been placed south of the Mrs. S. T. Minor residence, and indicate the entire section from this point westwards to the overpass is under construction.

R.S.&P. Tracks Coming Up.

Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Railroad Company officials reported Wednesday that dismantling of the R.S.&P. Railway tracks out of Fluvanna is getting underway at a satisfactory pace. Several new workmen were added to the track ripping crew this week and negotiations are almost completed to sell the Fluvanna railroad depot.

Production to Aid One-Crop ...sion in County

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News About Folks in Scurry County You Know

Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Fambro and baby of Lloyd Mountain spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Caveet, Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shuler of Abilene visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernon Etheredge and children of Champion visited Wednesday here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and son, Davie, and W. C. Davidson visited in Camp Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Poke visited in the Clay McCulchen home at Midway Sunday.

B. B. Etheredge of Sylvester visited several days in the Sam Etheredge home. Mrs. Etheredge came for him Saturday.

There are several more cases of measles in school, and many of our students have been absent recently.

Pete Carney of San Antonio spent the week-end here.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wells and baby of Stamford spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Hilcher, and family.

Folks, we regret that our news failed to reach The Times last week in time for publication, but it was missent to Fluvanna.

Mrs. W. A. Voss reports that her daughter, Virginia, has accepted a position at Malakoff. She has been attending college at Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Nechlinger and Mary Nell Williams left early Sunday morning for Dallas to attend an air training school.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Vess Barnes and two children of Champion into our community. They have moved to the old Groves farm, east of town. Mrs. Barnes is a niece of Mrs. M. E. Williams. Grover Barnes has bought the Groves farm.

Mrs. Roy Patterson of Sweetwater and Rosanell Stavely, a teacher in the Roscoe Schools, visited Mrs. Laura Patterson Saturday. Mrs. Patterson returned home Thursday from a lengthy visit at Fort Worth, Cepeville and Abilene.

Frank Meduna of Alepiras, Louisiana, and his mother, Mrs. Francis Meduna of Smithville, returned last week to their respective homes after visiting their sister and daughter, Mrs. Edd Pavlas, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan report that their son, Dulane, has been called to the services of Uncle Sam. He went from Los Angeles to San Diego to be inducted.

Jesse Louder of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Louder, and a sister, Verna, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Noles and daughter of Roby called Saturday to see their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Early.

Bill Holdredge left Tuesday morning for a visit with a son at Lubbock.

Mrs. M. A. Murdock and son, Don, will leave Sunday to join their husband and father at Clarendon where he has been several days teaching school. Mr. Murdock teaches two subjects in junior college and two subjects in high school. He was grade school principal here. Mrs. Murdock, who has been operating her beauty shop here, will turn her shop over to a sister-in-law, Mrs. Bernard Gleastine. We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Murdock from our midst, but wish them happiness in their new home.

Joe Drennan has been quite ill several days, but we are glad to report he is much improved.

Murphy News

Mrs. Alvis Minton, Correspondent

Mrs. Ella Richter and Rudie of Bison were visitors in our community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer A. Davis and Don spent the week-end in Snyder with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Sterling and Doris Nell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Several women of our community attended the club meeting in the home of Mrs. Jim Sorrells Friday.

Mrs. "Tuffy" Sanders and Wayland of Vincent spent Sunday afternoon in the Ed Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Minton and children attended church at Snyder Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Minton.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Davis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Horton, at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murphy and Peggy visited in the Fred Sorrells home at Bison Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merritt Jr. and son were callers in the Alvis Minton home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. von Roeder were visitors in Big Spring Friday.

Mrs. Eupha Shield and Helen Kay visited in Lubbock over the week-end.

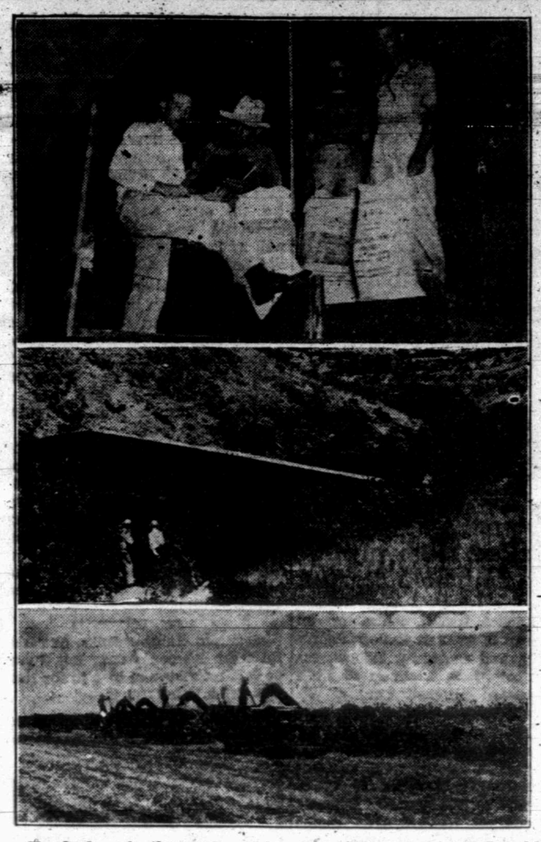
"Painter, are you working?" she called for the third time, from the foot of the stairs."

"Yes, ma'am," the painter replied.

"I can't hear you working."

'Good night, ma'am,' he exploded, "did you think I was putting it on with a hammer?"

AAA Aids Conservation, Production



Hundreds of thousands of Texas farmers and ranchmen took advantage of the conservation aids available through the AAA program in 1941, thus helping to improve the productivity of their lands and increasing the production of foods needed for defense. Top—John Fojt, second from left, Austin County farmer, loads up with triple superphosphate purchased through the AAA's conservation materials program. August Eder, left, Walter Matuska, and William Wennenweser loaded his truck from the freight car. Middle—Rock header dams are used to store water to supply cattle during dry spells. This tank is on the Vernon McIntyre ranch in Brewster County. Bottom—Silage cutters at work gathering feed to fill trench silos on the McCann ranch in Victoria County. Greater production of feed for conversion into defense foods is a goal of the farm defense program, in which A. V. Vickers, San Patricio County cotton farmer, signs the farmers of the state engage.

German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent

Mrs. Frank Watzl and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schulze visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goebel Sunday.

Alvin Goebel, who was called to the army recently, is now stationed at Fort Polk, Louisiana.

Friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kuss Sunday afternoon.

Lillian Wimmer has just recovered from a case of the measles.

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schulze Monday to celebrate Mr. Schulze's 58th birthday.

Anton, Clara and Annie Watzl were shopping in Sweetwater Saturday.

Mrs. Ollie Pagan broke an arm last week when she fell from a trailer.

Julius Kubena, who is in the army, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kubena.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moseley, who were living in this community, have moved to Hermleigh.

There are a number of cases of the measles in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gabel and children and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darden and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schulze Saturday night.

Only four out of every 100 low income farm people are in first rate physical condition, the U. S. Department of Agriculture Farm Security Administration has announced after a check covering 2,480 FSA clients and their families. A total of 11,947 men, women and children in 17 states were examined.

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent

Lee Jenkins and family of Plainview community visited Loy Marsh and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers have moved to the Bob Smith place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams moved Monday to the Strayhorn community.

G. E. Chorn and family spent Sunday with Mrs. J. I. Chorn at Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Chorn visited relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Caffey has been ill with measles.

News was received the past week of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rogers, who resided in our community but are now living in Granbury. The newcomer has been named Kenneth Wayne.

Foods which are valuable as sources of iron are whole wheat flour, rye flour, brown rice, oatmeal, eggs, lean meat, liver, kile, spinach and other greens, beans and peas, dried fruits, molasses.

Canyon News

Gaynell Pherigo, Correspondent

Most of the farmers have finished gathering their crops.

Truman Pherigo of San Diego, California, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pherigo.

S. P. Mohaus left Monday for Modesto, California, to visit his daughter.

Nadine Beeman of Dunn spent the week-end with Gaynell Pherigo.

Mrs. Henry Levie and daughter, Billy, of Bison visited Monday with Mrs. Evans Millhollon.

Delbert Blakely left Monday for California.

Mrs. J. W. Leftwich began teaching again Monday after a two-week absence. Mrs. Ed Millhollon has been teaching in her place.

Bison News

Mrs. A. W. Weathers, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lloyd of Dunn visited in the Wright Huddleston home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Watson and children attended church at Ira Sunday and were dinner guests in the T. M. Holley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Barrier, who have recently moved to New Mexico, are the proud parents of a baby girl, who has been named Virginia Jane.

Jap Bynum, who accidentally fell into a window several night ago and sustained severe cuts about the face, is reported to be improving at this writing. Mr. Bynum is staying in Snyder with his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodges of the Murphy community visited Mrs. Hodges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Huddleston, a few days the past week.

Mrs. Lee Grant of Snyder visited in the Aubrey Huddleston home Sunday.

Mrs. Melba Olendorph of Lockhart spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Ella Richter.

Bro. R. E. Bratten filled his regular appointment over the week-end at our church.

The Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jim Sorrells. Mrs. Joe Burney was elected president to take the place of Mrs. Wiley Eubanks, who has moved to the Union community. Kate Adele Hill, district agent, gave us an interesting talk on defense. Twenty-one women were present, as well as five children. Next meeting will be held February 13 in the home of Mrs. Joe Burney.

Mrs. Ross Bishop, who has been ill, is still unimproved at this writing.

Several are on the sick list in our community with colds and flu.

Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent

Mrs. Andy Rhoades and son, Gene, were Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowers.

Mrs. Houston Cotton and son, Jerry, visited the Gilbert Mize family at Fluvanna last of last week.

John Brown and O. H. Bowers left Monday for Tenaha and other points in East Texas for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete White and daughter, Loetta, have moved to the Crowder farm which they purchased first of the year. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder moved to the Merket farm vacated by the Whites.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown have purchased the W. A. Richardson home place and have moved on it. Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers moved to Mrs. B. B. Johnson's farm, north of Dunn. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greenfield and children are again residents of this community, having moved to the J. H. Byrd farm formerly farmed by L. D. Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinton and daughter, June, are moving to Brownfield this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gary and son, Fred, moved 15 miles west of Post on the first. We hate to lose these fine people, but welcome the ones moving in.

Newcomers to our community are Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilpin and daughter, Mary Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Barr. There may be others that I have not heard of. Each and every one is welcome to our churches and our schools.

The Baptists have preaching on the second and fourth Sunday, the Methodists on the first and third Sunday, and the Church of Christ once a month.

Lavelle Brown and Forest Bowers of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, were home during mid-term. Louise Davidson and Ona Beth Gibson of Alpine were Sunday night guests of their parents here.

Wanda Nail, a student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, during the first semester, is at home for a while.

Buck Sherrod and Marcus Johnston and Wayne Newton were carried to Lubbock Tuesday for army examinations. Buck and Marcus were accepted and will leave within the near future for service.

Fred Gary of Post has been here the past few days. Fred will be examined at Lubbock Thursday for air corps duty.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent

J. A. Farmer, who has been sick for some time, is improving at this writing.

Mrs. S. T. Minor of Camp Springs spent the latter part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Dock Morton. Mrs. Morton has been ill.

Don Reeves of Dalhart, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jones, is here to attend our school.

Mrs. Edgar von Roeder and girls Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and Mrs. Meda Bell Smith and Colleen were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hassell at Snyder.

We are sorry to report that Henry Bishop is in a Brownwood hospital. Henry is in army training there.

Mrs. Hubert Carnes and Mrs. Vernon Carnes and Gene of Houston are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brooks.

Mrs. Emmitt Butts of Snyder was a Sunday guest of Mrs. D. M. Pogue.

Mrs. C. H. Jones spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Ina Crenshaw, at Snyder.

Mr and Mrs. Jay Grubbs and son of Snyder visited Sunday in the John Woodard home.

Mrs. Maude Wright visited with her brother, Joe Glass, and family Sunday at Turner.

Discovery of a new source of vitamin D by an American chemical company is expected to make the U. S. poultry industry permanently independent of imports of the element.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

Laoma Woolever spent Thursday night with Mrs. Weldon Bills at Pleasant Hill.

Ella Adams is visiting friends at Hermleigh this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Mebane and son visited Sunday in the Henry Kelly home at Snyder and also visited Mrs. N. C. Wilson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Williamson visited the R. L. Jones family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McPherson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughn visited Mrs. W. H. Lindsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams and Ella Adams spent Sunday at Lamesa. We are sorry to report the grandson, Jo Carl Boles, not doing so well at this writing.

Alma Williamson and Buena Bentley spent the week-end in Big Spring.

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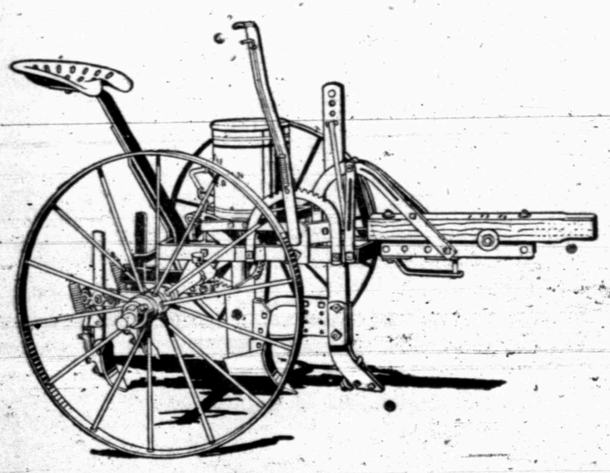

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Now the Fresh Earth

Despite the fact 1941 was an unusual year for Scurry County—a year in which 40,000 bales were made after a time hail and other disasters ruined hundreds of acres of cropland, county farmers are beginning early plowing operations with the determination to make 1942 an outstanding crop year in Scurry County agricultural history.

The fresh earth is being turned up to the air and sunlight in various sectors of the county. Early plowing, just now, is concentrated on terracing and rebuilding earthen water spreader dams, but in scattered sections of the county farmers are commencing early plowing, preparing seed beds for planting within a few weeks and getting things shaped for a profitable and highly important crop year. Early plowing, like adequate and early planning, pays ample dividends in West Texas!

The President's Birthday

By any standard, observance Friday evening of President Roosevelt's 60th birthday at Snyder, Ira and other towns throughout the land will be one of most important observances held since the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis was established years ago. This year, with other charitable organizations clamoring louder than ever for donations, we should not forget the children crippled because of infantile paralysis.

Whether you can attend the festivities is beside the point. Your contributions of nickels, dimes and dollars will do the job for crippled children, and you should feel free to give to either social occasion, according to your means. Too, 50 per cent of all money donated during the president's birthday celebration will remain right here in Scurry County, for aid to our own paralysis victims.

Editorial of the Week

NEW CAR BAN, PRO AND CON

There are a lot of bright sides to the government's ban on the production of new automobiles. As one person has said: "If it takes my automobile to lick the European bandits, I will gladly give it to Uncle Sam."

Then the production stoppage on automobiles is seen by George Clarke, managing director of the Texas Safety Association, as a possible means of reducing traffic accidents and deaths in Texas.

Such accidents, he points out, cost the lives of 2,000 Texans last year, while 50,000 more suffered injuries. The economic waste amounted to more than $10,000,000, enough to have built several hundred fighting planes for Uncle Sam.

A nation at war, said Clarke, cannot afford traffic accidents. "Victory cannot be ours when the home front loses 40,000 persons a year."

Ban on automobile production, said the safety director, may reduce the number of accidents in the state if it does three things:

1.—Reduces sharply the number of cars in use.

2.—Influences those who do use cars to drive less.

3.—Influences motorists to drive more slowly and carefully to prevent excessive wear or loss of the car in a wreck.

Clarke sees, from viewing the ban from the other angle, the possibility of an increase in traffic accidents.

First, he says, motorists may be driving older automobiles. Shortage of parts and mechanics may reduce the ability of the owner to keep them in safe condition.

Again, the ban on the sale of tires may result in people driving cars equipped with unsafe tires. This hazard can only be reduced by drivers reducing the speed at which they travel.—Nolan County News.

Old Mexico is engaging in an all-out effort to guard against a wave of Axis inspired sabotage moves, since it has been revealed that Axis agents planned an internal uprising in Mexico around mid-December, but were scared away by the conference, as referred to in preceding paragraphs, in Rio de Janeiro. Incidentally, improved relations between the United States and Mexico will lead, observers believe, to a final agreement on the oil property expropriation issue.

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.

Now that the first pinch of the nation's rubber shortage has been felt, major automobile manufacturers—since new car production has been halted—are advocating the best possible type of service for automobiles and trucks by introduction of budget payment plans for repairs and overhauls, and more frequent check-ups of motor vehicles to make doubly sure car owners are getting the most efficient type of service from vehicles in use.

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From all indications, automobile and truck owners will have to make their vehicles run just as long and efficiently as possible, since it may be two or three years before new cars are again produced in volume. . . . Automobile makers are not worrying so much about the present number of vehicles lasting through the "duration," but how to best keep automobile owners and drivers from having so many accidents during 1942. . . . Present rate cars and other vehicles are being wrecked reveals, one car maker states, that thousands of people will be walking—if they are able to walk—by the first of July because of torn up machines.

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Both London and Washington worried this week, lest Hitler and his Nazi machine resort, eventually, to gas attacks. . . . It was learned authentically this week that the Nazis have some 25000 tons of mustard gas in underground storage tanks but have hesitated to use the infernal stuff because all Germany fears retaliation as never before. . . . The British fear that Hitler will resort to utilizing mustard gas, if German reverses continue.

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If you recall, under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles was strongly confident at the Rio de Janerio conference that Latin American countries would line up with the United States in an all-out effort to purge our republics to the South of Nazi "undercover" men and spies. . . . The Welles speech clicked, and virtually all countries in South America, as well as Central American, are seeing eye to eye with the United States on matters of foreign policy.

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The United States, in fact, has already favored Costa Rica with $550,000 worth of defense materials for its prompt support after the Jap attack on Hawaii, and Argentina has been promised 1,000,000 tons of scarce American tin for canning its beef products, priority on a long list of farm machinery and special concessions along other lines. . . . Several months ago the U. S. Army turned down several tons of canned Argentine beef because the food spoiled before it reached American ports. . . . Aattaches of the Roosevelt administration are bending every effort to keep South American countries "on the line" for many reasons. . . . Chief reason, of course, is to get a toehold in Latin America before post-war reconstruction days arrive.

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Recent rush to produce substitutes for tin cans may lead to a far-reaching result—a result that will greatly help housewives of this trade zone in canning vegetables and other foods during 1942. . . . It seems now that a plastic film has been developed which can replace tin as a coating on the sheet metal used for tin cans. . . . It's too early to announce exact results, but several plastic companies are hurrying along experiments along this line, and once introduced, plastic coated cans will probably replace the tin can for a number of purposes.

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The government spared no pains this week in pointing out that the one per cent tin content in U. S. pennies would go by the board immediately, saving an estimated 500 tons of the precious metal in the near future for more acute needs. . . . Pennies may seem rather unimportant pieces of exchange, but when one considers that many of the nation's greatest fortunes were made upon the basis of penny profits, the humble copper—always the choice medium of legal tender with children—becomes an important thing.

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Now that the set-up is well organized for production of the greatest American food and feed crop in history, prospects are bright that federal crop insurance, especially for cotton, will soar to dizzy new levels this crop year. . . . Already plans are being made for county-wide and community educational meetings by AAA representatives to thoroughly acquaint farmers with advantages of crop insurance. . . . This year's food and feed crop will be vitally important to the nation's war effort, and should prove an incentive to farmers of this and other trade zones to farm the very best and most efficient way they know how.

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Officials of the U. S. treasury revealed this week that the campaign for having business concerns pay bonuses in the form of defense bonds to employes is woefully bogging down. . . . It appears now that thousands of citizens who received bonds as Christmas presents are trying to convert the bonds to ready cash, although it is impossible to do so before they are held 60 days. . . . Treasury efficials are positive now there will be a rush to cash all bonds possible when March income tax payments become due.

Support your government in this national emergency. Build a wall of defense by buying Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Ho, Hum! Raid At Chicken Green Place Nets Liquor

Largest haul of "mountain hooch" obtained in recent weeks from C. W. "Chicken" Green, according to city and county officers, together with liquor control board representatives, was taken in tow Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

J. G. (Pop) Galyean, constable, Sim H Best, city marshal, and two members of the Texas Liquor Control Board, Big Spring, netted 90 half-pints of assorted whiskies and 13 pints of assorted liquors in the Tuesday afternoon foray, they declare.

Haul of the 90 half-pints of "hooch," officers say, was netted in the cream house at Green's place in East Snyder; and the 13 assorted pint cache found in the Green residence.

Following the raid, Green has again been charged with possession of liquor in a dry area for the purpose of sale, Galyean and Best report.

The constable and city marshal report Green was involved Sunday morning at 2:00 a. m. in a car accident that occurred at the Vernon Littlepage Service Station in East Snyder.

Galyean and Best say L. D. Sellers and Robert Helms, riding in a 1929 Model A Ford, were going east on Highway 7, and that Green, driving a 1938 model Oldsmobile, started to turn south when the accident occurred.

A front wheel was sheared from the Sellers vehicle, officers report, and the front axle twisted back under the Ford. Neither of the three persons involved in the accident was critically injured, officers declare.

Waterworks Plant For Rotan at Camp Spring Near Finish

Frank Aaron, superintendent of the Rotan waterworks plant at Camp Springs for the past several years, announced Tuesday that construction work on the new 22 by 50 foot engine house under construction one mile south of Camp Springs is rapidly nearing completion.

Aaron states the brick and tile structure is being erected to house a new diesel engine—an engine that is replacing a gasoline motor used at the waterworks the past several years. Portion of the building, which will cost $3,400, will be used for a shop and store room.

The waterworks chief reports the new booster unit will raise capacity of the water system from 250 to 500 gallons per minute.

Eight wells, scattered over a quarter section of land formerly known as the Will Reed farm, furnishes Rotan its water.

The Rotan waterworks system is one of the most unique of its type in West Texas. The wells south of Camp Springs have been furnishing the Fisher County city with Scurry County's soft water since 1929.

Pipeline from the Camp Springs wells to Rotan is 17 miles in length. Once the water is boosted from the wells on the old Reed place to the Simpson Mountain, three-fourths of a mile to the northeast, the water runs 16 miles by force of gravity.

Earth flew in all directions as the golf novice attempted to hit the ball. After many failures, he turned to the caddie and said:

"My word, the worms must think there's an earthquake on!"

"I dunno," replied the lad. "The worms are very cunning. I'll bet they are hiding under the ball for safety."

Aid Bond Buying

Herschel M. Duncan, president of the Duncan Coffee Company, announces this week all 450 employees of the coffee company will participate in a united drive to buy defense bonds. Duncan says employees of all business concerns must buy bonds if America is to win the present war.

Work on Highway 80 In Mitchell Started

Thomas & Ratliff, contractors on Highway 15 work in Eastern Scurry County, and successful bidders, recently, on U. S. Highway 80 work in Western Mitchell County, announced Tuesday that work is getting underway in Mitchell County on the highway project.

Thomas & Ratliff hold contract for widening six miles of U. S. Highway 80 in Western Mitchell, a stretch of roadbed that begins at the Mitchell-Howard County line, and extends eastward toward Colorado City. It is reported traffic will continue over the Western Mitchell road while construction operations are in progress.

Winston at Hereford Sales.

Wade Winston and Sam Joyce were at the Jamie Brook Hereford sale at Brady Monday and at the Dr. Harris sale in Fort Worth Tuesday. Winston was in the market to add to his present herd of Domino Return Herefords. The two returned from Fort Worth Wednesday night.

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Market for Cotton Seen as Substitute For Burlap in U. S.

Even burlap sacks will be valuable before the present war is concluded, members of the county's U. S. Department of Agriculture War Board cautioned Scurry County farmers this week.

George J. Brumley, chairman of the USDA War Board, says shipping between the United States and India, our principal burlap producer, has been virtually shut off because of war-time conditions.

"At the same time buying of burlap has been reduced, our uses have increased," Brumley said. New uses include the packaging of foods for the army and navy, certain chemicals, and other articles, as well as items shipped abroad under the Lend-Lease Act.

Approximately 80 percent of total burlap imports go into manufacture of bags and about three-fourths of burlap bags are used to package commodities which farmers buy and sell. About 459 million yards of burlap were used in sales or purchases by farmers druing 1939-40, the chairman said.

To off-set probable shortage of burlap, efforts are being made to expand production of coarse cotton fabrics as substitutes. Heavy demands for tents, uniforms and sandbags already have been placed on cotton fabric manufacturers and appreciable increases for other uses cannot be expected too quickly, the chairman said.

Mountain Guide—"Folks, be careful here! it's dangerous. But if you do fall, remember to look to the left. You get a wonderful view."

Unknown Donor

One of the first contributors to the county's infantile paralysis campaign is an unnamed Lubbock donor, who sent $2 early this week for dividing between Scurry County use and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The contribution reached The Times, along with a clipping that gave details of the president's birthday festivities Friday evenings at Snyder, Fluvanna, Hermleigh and Ira.

Thomas Returns Home.

Clyde Thomas, employee at Snyder Steam Laundry, was brought back from an Abilene hospital last Wednesday, where he had been the past several weeks for treatment of a mangled right arm. Thomas, reported recovering steadily, will have to leave his arm in a cast for the next four or five weeks, Mrs. Thomas says.

Rules for Awarding Pantry Released by County Home Agent

Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent, announced Tuesday rules for awarding February 21 of the complete pantry furnished by the county home demonstration clubs.

Members on the county home demonstration council's pantry committee assisted Miss Rabel with rules for the prize award, which are announced as follows:

Each club take five tickets per members to be bought or sold individually, or as a club.

All proceeds will be divided equally among clubs that donated jars.

Proceeds must be spent for Defense stamps for the club.

Tickets are to be sold for 10c and each club furnish its own tokens.

Pantry will be given away Saturday, February 21, at the regular council meeting.

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