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VICTORY LOAN LAGS IN AREA AS END NEARS

Only $38,448 Reported on County's Quota of $200,000; 22 Days Remain in Campaign

With the fourth week of Scurry County's Victory War Loan campaign at a mid-way mark, the drive apparently is all but forgotten the way war loan drive officials tally.

The campaign has been underway since October 29. As of Saturday, November 17, the county had raised only $38,448, or approximately 19½ per cent, of the over-all goal of $200,000 assigned the county.

Since Scurry County will have only 22 more days to go in the campaign, at least $11,000 must be raised daily if the county meets its goal.

Observers do not see how Snyder and Scurry County can sit back in ease and let thousands of our boys remain stranded in the Pacific and European theatres of operation. Uncle Sam has said repeatedly that he needs money to bring the service men and women home. This money must be raised by the Victory War Loan drive.

F. O. Sears, county Victory War Loan drive chairman, and other drive officials point out that even though a citizen may not have a son or brother overseas at this time, a neighbor may yet have a son overseas who needs to get back to loved ones and friends. At least there are some 1,000,000 sons of Americans who must have funds via the victory loan route in order to get their meager allotments and benefits under the GI Bill of Rights.

If you, as a citizen, have not yet purchased your war bonds contact, by all means, the post office, bank, chamber of commerce or your community committeemen.

As pointed out by Chairman Sears, the Victory War Loan drive is due to close in early December.

County Ginnings Hit 10,230 Bale Mark

Up until Saturday night, cotton report for all of Scurry County revealed that 1945 cotton ginnings stood at 10,230 bales.

Continued sunshine is causing cotton bolling and picking to be speeded up in virtually all sectors of the county. Good supply of hands is reported this week and night ginning is still the order of business.

While crop observers are, as yet, a little cautious about making estimates on the county's total crop, concensus of opinion is that Scurry County will harvest from 16,000 to 18,000 bales of cotton.

Ennis Floyd Back in 25th Street Station

Ennis Floyd, who served 22 months in the U. S. Army, is home with an honorable discharge and is now back operating Floyd's Service Station at 1605 25th Street.

During the 22 months spent in service, Ennis has served seven months in New Guinea, six months in the Philippines and remainder of the time in the states and on the sea.

Who's New In Scurry County

Corporal and Mrs. Carney L. Lane, the former Alice Hudnell of Snyder, now at Jacksonville, Texas, announce the arrival of a twin son and daughter, November 14. The boy weighs five pounds and eight ounces and has been named Roy Kent. The girl weighs five pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Betty Nell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Casey of Fort Worth announce the arrival of a baby son, born October 17 at the St. John Hospital. The youngster weighed seven pounds six ounces and has been named Ronny Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Virginio Caro of Snyder are announcing a baby girl, born at 3:00 a. m. last Thursday.

Bobby Ray Stansell, an eight-pound, four-ounce son, was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Stansell of Fluvanna at 4:55 a. m. Saturday.

Another boy, Knox McLaurin, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McLaurin of Justiceburg arrived Sunday morning at 10:55 a. m. His weight was six pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. White of Snyder have a baby girl, Melody May, who was born at 9:07 a. m. Monday. She tipped the scales at seven pounds.

Rejoins Navy

Signed up for four more years of service with the U. S. Navy is Robert Hudson Lee of Hermleigh, who has been home on a 20-day furlough visit with his wife and young son. Lee joined the Naval Reserve in January. His wife is the former Jane Davis of Hermleigh.

Legion Program At High School Open to Public

The latch string will be out at Snyder High School auditorium this (Thursday) evening, when Snyder's Will Layne American Legion Post celebrates the return of all prisoners of war in this trade zone by staging a special program in honor of the boys.

No admittance charges will be made for the affair, which will get underway at 8:00 o'clock.

There will be entertainment galore in the form of the Barber Shop Quartet. This quartet has as personnel some top flight singers. Numbers old and new will be given.

Then, too, there will be a 20-minute one-act play put on by the Robinson Troupe, entitled "All In a Day's Work at An Army Hospital."

A sneak pre-view reveals this act is full of clean, wholesome fun, foolishness and gaiety.

Toastmaster at the Legion's festivities will reveal some inside secrets about some Snyder business men. They will be the hush-hush kind.

All returned prisoners of war will be introduced. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

Legion officials hope Snyder and Scurry County people will help make the celebration one of the grandest yet staged in Snyder.

Baptists Report Gains at Annual State Convention

Gains in all phases of church and denominational life were reported by Snyder's five attendants at the Baptist State Convention, which closed Friday in Fort Worth.

Rev. Roy Shahan, resigning pastor of Snyder's First Baptist Church, Mrs. A. C. Kincaid, Mrs. Ethel Elland and H. C. Michael composed Snyder's representatives at the state conclave.

Returning messengers over West Texas from the 60th annual convention agreed unanimously that the denomination is lock, stock and barrel against drink and gambling. Messengers questioned the convention seeking to interfere with operation of its colleges and universities.

At the convention Dr. Melton, state mission secretary, gave a report that was one of the best in Baptist history. He offered his resignation to take effect December 1.

Christianity's future abroad rests on her attitude toward the starving people of war-ravaged countries, a missionary declared last Wednesday before a crowd of more than 3,000 Baptists converged in Fort Worth.

Jean Michael accompanied the Snyder group to Fort Worth, where she visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Michael Sr.

Bobby Huddleston Is Expected Home Soon

Coxswain Bobby H. Huddleston, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huddleston of the Pyron Ranch, has sailed from Manchuria and is expected to be home soon, his parents learn.

Bobby has been in the navy three years and is scheduled to be home by December 1. He will receive an honorable service discharge.

Two Snyder Soldiers Dock on East Coast

Two Snyder soldiers were among World War II veterans who docked over the week-end at the East Coast.

Technician Fourth Grade John G. Moore of Snyder arrived at New York, and Corporal Alvis A. Lockhart, also of Snyder, docked at Boston, Massachusetts.

Prisoners of War To Be Honored at School Tonight

High lite mark of Snyder Thanksgiving observances will be the American Legion celebration at Snyder High School auditorium this evening (Thursday) for all returned prisoners of war.

The festivities are to get underway at 8:00 o'clock. Features will be the Bethel Shop Quartet, the Robinson Troupe's "All In a Day's Work at an Army Hospital," and inside words on Snyder business men by Mr. Toastmaster.

No admittance charges will be made for the gathering, and returned POW's will be introduced during the program.

Woman's Council In Annual Meeting With 18 Present

Annual meeting of Scurry County's Home Demonstration Council was held Saturday, with 18 members present from seven county home demonstration clubs.

Council members made yearbooks and staged a successful rummage sale before and after the meeting.

An apron show was held and the prize—an apron made by the exhibit chairman, Mrs. J. W. Coffee, was awarded to Mrs. Frank Strom of Ross.

The Christmas [illegible] was given in a report. The annual council Christmas tree party will be held in the Snyder High School auditorium, December 15 at 3:00 p. m. All 4-H clubs will be invited to present a number. Each attending will be asked to bring a gift to exchange.

Firemen Feed at Annual Banquet Tuesday Night

Firemen of Snyder met Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the fire station for their annual firemen's banquet.

To begin the program everyone faced the flag and the group sang "America." Food consisting of turkey, dressing, English peas, corn, vegetable salad, potato salad, coffee and cocoa were placed on the tables for everyone present to help themselves. Rev. Guy Ament, pastor of the First Christian Church, led in prayer.

Bro. Clifton Rogers, toastmaster, introduced Jimmy Billingsley and in turn he introduced the visitors for the evening. Visiting ministers of the Snyder churches gave short talks. Bro. Rogers gave a talk entitled "Firemen and Conventions."

Concluding the program Fire Chief N. W. Autry gave reports of the past year's work of the fire boys.

Jimmy Walker Gets Service Discharge

Sergeant Jimmy Walker, after three years and 11 months in uniform, has received his honorable service discharge from the armed forces at the El Paso separation center.

Jimmy arrived here Friday on his first visit home since he volunteered for the U. S. Air Corps in December of 1941.

Overseas for 43 months, Walker has seen service in practically every country in the European theatre of operations. He has been attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Plowboys Cinch District Flag by Taming Tigers

The Roscoe Plowboys completed their District 8A season last Friday night, sewing up the championship with a 44 to 0 win over the luckless Snyder High School Tigers.

Scoring easily in the first half, the Plowboys led 38 to 0 at the end of the second quarter. The Tiger defense stiffened after the intermission and held the champions to one touchdown in the entire last half.

Walter Maloney, the celebrated star of the Plowboys handled the ball only five times during the time he was in the game and figured in three of the scores. Maloney left the game in the second quarter with a broken nose.

The Tigers definitely outclassed this year by their ancient Nolan County rivals, put up a game fight but were never able to threaten the Roscoe goal line.

Playing their final game of the season this Thanksgiving Day, the Tigers are aiming for fifth place in the final standings in the eight-team district.

Standouts for for the Tigers were Captain Raymon Bynum and Jack Gorman, quarterback.

Carl Voss Shows His Champion

Here is Carl Voss Jr. and his grand champion ewe lamb. Carl, a Snyder Future Farmers of America chapter member, copped first, second and third place prizes with his registered lamb at the recent Scurry County Junior Livestock Association exposition, staged at the city tabernacle in Snyder.

WAR CHEST IS ONLY $900 SHY OF GOAL HERE

Interest in Drive Lacking as Time Fog Reports Runs Out; Few Communities "Over"

Due to an evident complacency on the part of Snyder and Scurry County people, the county's United War Chest drive, as of Wednesday, was still short about $900 of the over-all quota assignment of $6,100.

Snyder community, for example, still has about $150 to raise before its goal is attained.

W. J. Ely, county United War Chest drive chairman, urges community chairmen to redouble their efforts and bring Scurry County up to par in the campaign.

Some committees have not worked, as yet, in the job they were asked to take six weeks ago. Other committees have completed their UWC jobs, with honors, and communities still behind the "eight ball" are urged to remedy their standing as soon as possible.

The following communities have always come in under the tape 100 per cent in previous war chest drives, but have not, as of this date, reported:

Canyon, Cottonwood Flat, Triangle, Whatley, Pyron and Sharon Ridge.

Some few communities of the county have made reports on their quota progress and some of them worked to achieve a 100 per cent quota assignment:

Scurry County is plenty wealthy and able, it is pointed out, to raise the remaining $900 in the drive. Such a small sum, it is felt, should be raised readily for such a worthy cause as the United War Chest campaign.

There still is time, UWC officials declare, for the county to go over the top in the drive, and just a little push, officials state, will get the job done with honor.

5,975 Bales Shown In Report to Nov. 1

Tabulations by the Bureau of Census, Department of Commerce, reveal that 5,975 bales of cotton were ginned in Scurry County prior to November 1.

This total is exceptionally interesting when one considers Department of Commerce reports indicating 12,763 bales of cotton were ginned prior to November 1, 1944, from last year's crop.

Harvey D. Harmon Gets Two Ratings

Although he is only 18 years of age, Harvey D. Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Harmon of Union community, received two ratings while on Guam—promotion to seaman first class and petty officer.

Harvey took his boot training at San Diego, California. He has been in the U. S. navy since April 26 of this year. He held rating of seaman second class when he left the states.

Shahan Praises Snyder as Home Of High Ideals

"The unselfishness and cooperative spirit on the part of merchants puts Snyder high on any new citizen's list," Lion Roy Shahan, pastor of Snyder's First Baptist Church, resigned, told Snyder Lions Tuesday at their noon luncheon in the Manhattan Hotel.

"Snyder is the first place," Lion Shahan said, "that I could belong to the Lions Club and endorse the things they have endeavored to do. As a Christian man I can sanction the work of the local club 100 per cent."

As a minister of the gospel, Rev. Shahan referred to Luke 17:11-18 for a short scripture reading. Theme of his address was "Thanksgiving."

Scripture pointed out the sin of ingratitude, Shahan said. Oftentimes we fail to return gratitude. We should be especially grateful, he continued, and give thanks to God that we live in a Christian nation. Many privileges which we enjoy we should be appreciative for because of America's high standard of living.

Rev. Shahan commended Snyder for the good morals of its citizenship and the high type of education and religion found here. Furthermore, it behooves each citizen to help make Snyder and Scurry County a better place in which to live.

First Baptist Church pastor here for three years, Rev. Shahan recently resigned. He goes to San Angelo December 1.

Mrs. Marchioni provided Lions with delightful music through the dinner hour.

Officers Say Petty Thefts on Decline Since Care Taken

Since Snyder area motorists responded nicely to recent plea of Simon Best, city marshal, and other officers to either locking cars around the square, or else not leaving parcels and packages in vehicles, the officers ask that the practice be continued.

Several complaints have been received in recent weeks about loss of packages and bundles in parked cars. With migratory workers passing through here, it would be impossible to entirely stop such thefts unless the public cooperates wholeheartedly.

If citizens of this area will make sure on Saturday afternoons and nights that no valuable parcels are left in unlocked cars, law enforcement officers state, will be considerably lightened.

Snyder Closed For Thanksgiving Feed

Snyder was placed under lock and key today (Thursday) in observance of Scurry County's first peace-time Thanksgiving in four years.

Snyder business firms and stores were closed down Wednesday night, as employees planned to spend this Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

Attention of Scurry County is directed to the American Legion celebration this evening in honor of all returned prisoners of war.

Brisk Norther Is Ushered In as Holiday Nears

Bringing into Scurry County Thursday night with the northern Polaris, a cold norther and the temperature tumbling into nearby the Snyder area for low point most of the fall—20 degrees above zero.

The cold front, which blew into a 40 mph gale, and a blinding dust storm, [illegible] the mercury [illegible] of [illegible] record here.

When the mercury [illegible] the force of the norther raised from 35 to 40 miles an hour in velocity and carried away Snyder's business section board, cardboard signboards and other types of debris.

Other low mark of the fall was set here November 12, when the temperature dropped to 28 degrees above zero — two degrees above freezing.

"Calaboose" Blaze Brings Firemen and Prisoners Together

Snyder's Volunteer Fire Department, in answering a call last Thursday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, to the city jail, brought about more excitement than that city has seen in many months.

Two prisoners were incarcerated in the "calaboose" when the bedding caught fire and the call was turned in.

Both prisoners almost suffocated before a key was produced and the two were released, temporarily, from the smoking, smouldering mass of bedding.

After the fire was extinguished, the burned bedding and cotton was swept out, and after water was brushed out of the "calaboose" the prisoners were returned to their "boarding place."

Leon Moore Returns From South Pacific

Leon Moore, GM2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore of Ira, is back from the South Pacific.

Leon is home on a 30-day leave. He holds the good conduct medal and five gold stars. He lacks five points having a discharge from the navy.

Leon served on a patrol craft and a mine sweeper overseas. He served two years in the South Pacific, and was in Australia, New Guinea, Brazil and Borneo.

He entered the service when he was 17. He will report back to El Paso.

OPA Cites Ways Of Averting Price Wars in Nation

America's great challenge now, with November designated as "Price Control for Prosperity," will be to build a peace that will match the incomparable victory the United Nations have won.

So states Office of Price Administration officials, in a message to The Times, who point out that after World War I we had no idea where we were going.

This time the task is even greater, but now we have a much better chance at doing things right. We are determined not to make the same mistakes twice and already have proved that we know how to protect ourselves against a runaway economy.

By pulling together, OPA officials declare, returning soldiers, workers, business men, farmers and government can achieve a bright destiny for all. We can master the problems which overwhelmed us after the last war and brought destruction to our economy.

Throughout November, all Snyder and Scurry County people have been cooperating in the "Price Control for Prosperity" plan. Only through such help can victory be had over inflation and its working partner—depression.

School Heads Vote Diplomas for Men Who Left Seniors

Superintendent's Division, Texas State Teachers Association voted last Thursday in Austin to give diplomas to all service men who left school in their senior years, reports E. L. Farr, Snyder School Superintendent, who attended the Austin conclave.

Dr. R. L. (Red) Williams, Sweetwater School superintendent and former Snyder High School principal, was elected association president.

The State convention of superintendents, Texas State Teachers Association, was reported one of the outstanding held since Pearl Harbor.

Serves in Navy

Recipient of two ratings on Guam, seaman first class and then rank of petty officer is the record held by Harvey D. Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Harmon of the Union community. In service since April 26 of this year with the navy, Harvey is now 18 years of age.

Bascom Giles Is Visitor Here on Tour of Lodges

Honorable Bascom Giles, secretary of the Grand Lodge Office of Texas and grand master of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas, was here Saturday afternoon on a tour of West Texas Masonic Lodges.

Giles had a mighty pleasant time here conferring with men of the Masonic fraternity.

The grand-master came here from Lubbock, and from here went on to Colorado City, where approximately 300 Masons from Snyder, Ira, Dunn, Hermleigh and other parts of the territory were gathered.

While here Giles visited with Dr. R. L. Howell, veteran Snyder physician who holds a 50-year Masonic pin.

H. J. Brice, well known Snyder attorney and district deputy of the Masonic District, took part in entertaining Grand Master Giles at Colorado City.

Colorado City's Masonic Lodge No. 563 was chosen as a meeting point for Masons in this trade area because it is the oldest Masonic organization in the immediate district.

In addition to Mr. Brice, other Snyder Masons in Colorado City Saturday afternoon to honor Giles were Dr. R. L. Howell, Doc Bynum, Ed J. Thompson, J. E. LeMond, G. R. Austin, Alfred Weathers, N. W. Autry and J. P. Billingsley.

Tommy Greer Dies In Home Accident

Body of Tommy Greer, seventh grade student in Snyder schools and grandson of Mrs. Mabel Y. Greer, was found Wednesday afternoon entangled in a rope at the home of his grandmother.

The lad had made his home here for several years and was popular among children of his age in school. It is supposed he was playing with the rope when he became entangled and hanged himself. Details will be given in next week's Times.

A.&M.-Texas Game On Overseas Hookup

Snyder and Scurry County sports fans are advised this week that Humble Oil & Refining Company has made arrangements with the Armed Forces Radio Service for a short wave broadcast of the annual A. & M. College-Texas University football game Thursday, November 29, to U. S. forces overseas.

This will make the third consecutive year that the Humble broadcast of this game has been short-waved overseas.

Special Service Is Opened to Public

Attention of Snyder church goers is directed to Thanksgiving Day services at Snyder's Christian Science Church, 1910 26th street, this (Thursday) morning, 11:00 o'clock.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend the service, at which opportunity for testimonies of gratitude will be afforded.

Preaching at Bison Scheduled Sunday

Attention of people in Bison and neighboring communities is called to preaching services that will be held at Bison Sunday morning.

Rev. T. L. Nipp will occupy the pulpit at the 11:00 o'clock hour, and the general public is cordially invited to attend.

COTTON GRADE PROBLEM FOR AREA STUDIED

Chamber of Commerce Hopes to Discuss Classing That Costs County $12,517 Bale

[illegible] Scurry County farmers are losing $12 to $17 per bale on cotton classed at Abilene, Scurry County's Chamber of Commerce directors met in called session Monday night to help justify the situation.

Facts gathered Monday night revealed that the cotton of Scurry County farmers is being unfairly graded to government classers.

Cotton classed locally and later graded established by local and outside cotton buyers.

This situation, in view of the short cotton crop in prospect for the county, means a lot to each county farmer and something concrete must be done immediately about the matter.

Evidently the grading at Abilene not due to inefficiency of government classers and certainly independent cotton buyers do not want to discredit the government program.

As pointed out Monday night, the farmers of Scurry County would like to take advantage of the government cotton program but underclassing makes it impossible to stay with the government.

In fact, underclassing is costing county producers from $12 to $17 per bale. It was ascertained, when they got their cotton in the government cotton program.

Whether or not the situation can be remedied remains to be seen, but Scurry County's Chamber of Commerce has jumped into the picture with all four feet and is taking steps to alleviate the situation.

According to U. S. Department of Agriculture, the nation as a whole will make under 10,000,000 bales of cotton this year. In fact the 1945 cotton crop estimate has been set at 9,361,000 bales.

Previous to November 1 only 8,173,000 bales had been ginned in the nation.

These facts, plus the fact Scurry County will make only between 16,000 and 17,000 bales of cotton this year, makes it imperative that county cotton producers receive every penny they are due on the crop.

If only 1,000 bales of Scurry County cotton, for instance, is underclassed, and the loss be $10 per bale, there would be a direct loss of $10,000 in cash to the county.

Scurry County cotton producers are 100 per cent behind the Chamber of Commerce in a move to get correct classing and grading on every single bale going into the government cotton program.

F. M. Martin Sails From Pearl Harbor

Seaman First Class F. M. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Snyder, sailed from Pearl Harbor Friday and is expected home soon, his parents learn.

Seaman Martin has been in the navy two years and is now 20 years of age.

Since entering the navy, Martin has been stationed almost all the time on islands, and has seen considerable fleet action.

Santa Fe Loading Down

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending November 10, 1945, were 25,097 compared with 25,308 for same week in 1944. Cars received from connections totalled 11,558 compared with 13,280 for same week in 1944. Total cars moved were 36,653 compared with 40,588 for same week in 1944. Santa Fe handled a total of 37,385 cars in the preceding week of this year.

Meat A'plenty

With the meat situation still rather acute here, some of the migratory laborers now coming back with plans of going on to the Rio Grande Valley say we are overlooking a good bet in not putting healthy cotton tails and jack rabbits on the table.

And possum, according to one migratory crew leader, are not half bad when enough chili powder is added to "take out the wild taste." Asked how a skillet of fried ground squirrel would go, the South Texas man said that wasn't "Scurry County meat. That kind of meat makes one feel like the snakes are in the beans."

Migratory workers passing through do not have gun with which, in nearly every instance, to kill deer and game.

The WOMAN'S Page

Thelma Bowen Weds Sgt. Hubert Gregory

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Thelma Bowen and Staff Sergeant Hubert Gregory, of Brady. The marriage was performed in the parlors of the Methodist Church Saturday evening at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor, read the ceremony.

Thelma wore a blue suit with black accessories for the wedding.

Attending the wedding were the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. W. A. McKinney and her husband of Brady.

Mrs. Gregory is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowen of South Snyder. She attended Hermleigh High School. She also attended Parson's Beauty School, Abilene. Thelma has been employed at the Magnolia Beauty Shop for the past three and one half years.

Sergeant Gregory was taken prisoner by the Japs in 1942 and was released a few weeks ago. He wears campaign ribbon for the Asiatic Pacific theatre, the Philippine Defense ribbon with one star, and the American Defense ribbon with one star, the Presidential Citation with two Oak Leaf clusters, the Good Conduct medal, and sixth overseas stripes.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Fort Worth. Sergeant Gregory reported to Temple for a check-up before returning to Snyder for a 30-day furlough with his wife and his mother at Brady. After he receives his discharge the couple will make their home here.

May-Cox Vows Repeated Sunday

J. W. May Jr. and Mildred Cox were married Sunday evening at 10:00 o'clock by Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The ceremony was read in the First Baptist Church parsonage.

J. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. May Sr. of Camp Springs.

Mildred is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wright of Ira.

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Erudonian Class Has Thanksgiving Dinner

Erudonian Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met for their annual Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mrs. W. B. Bell, who organized and introduced this custom in the early days of the class.

A setting of wrought iron candelabra flanked the serving table, banked by a profusion of flowers. The tall white candles cast a mellow glow to the high ceiling walls of the room and created a festive air. The arrangement of decorated dishes of food lent beauty and grace for the occasion.

As Thanksgiving hymn was sung for grace at the meal by Mmes. Boren, Preuitt and Gray, with accordion accompaniment by Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Gray, the president gave the welcome address. Mrs. Preuitt, chairman of the fine arts committee, introduced the guest artist for the evening, Miss Merriam Crowder, a member of the high school faculty, who read "Toe-Bells" by Edgar Allen Poe, and "The Deceitfulness of Man."

Mrs. Whitmore closed the program with a spicy bit of memories of the early club days and the activities of its members.

The next meeting, November 30, will be with Mrs. Hugh Taylor.

Art Guild Stages Thanksgiving Affair

Celebrating their annual Thanksgiving affair, the members of the Art Guild met in the home of Irene McFarland, Wednesday, November 14. Covered dishes were brought consisting of turkey and dressing, candied sweet potatoes, peas, stuffed celery, pickles and olives, hot rolls, fruit salad, ginger bread and spice and coffee. The home was pretty, decorated with autumn flowers, the pumpkin and leaves of plenty with place favors of nuts and the individual turkey.

In entertainment, the group enjoyed bingo. A small gift was brought by each member which were used as prizes.

The group having a "great time" were:

Venita Browning, Catherine Dodson, Lucile Doughertty, Dorothy Ezell, Hattie Gatlin, Nell Green, Omega Herod, Grace King, Henrietta Lee, Irene McFarland, Faye Michael, Estella Rabel,

Verna Lee Roe, Dell Smith, Kay Sharp, Golda Thorpe, Madge Popnoe, Mabel Brock, Maude Holcomb and Mildred White.

Ramona Keller Is Pledge at Stephens

Ramona Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Keller of Snyder, is one of 500 students at Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri, who has pledged one of the 16 social sororities on the college campus.

Informal pledging took place recently at the conclusion of a month of rushing activity. Formal pledging took place Sunday.

Miss Keller is one of the 26 pledges of the Zeta Mu Alpha Sorority. She is a member of the junior class at Stephens College.

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Annual Love Feast Held in Bell Home

On Friday, November 16, the Alpasali Club had its annual love feast turkey dinner in the home of Mrs. W. B. Bell, who originated and introduced this custom in the early days of the club.

A setting of wrought iron candelabra flanked the serving table, banked by a profusion of flowers. The tall white candles cast a mellow glow to the high ceiling walls of the room and created a festive air. The arrangement of decorated dishes of food lent beauty and grace for the occasion.

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Nan Blakey Named To Alpha Chi Group

Nan Blakey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blakey of Snyder, has been elected to membership in the Alpha Chi chapter on the campus of Southwest Texas State College where she is president of the student council.

Members of Alpha Chi, National Honor Society, are chosen in October or November of each year from the junior and senior classes according to their rank in scholarship as shown on the college records, with good reputation and character as first qualifications.

Miss Blakey is a 1942 graduate of the Snyder High School and a junior student in the Southwest Texas State College. She is majoring in history and government.

In addition to her election membership in Alpha Chi, Miss Blakey has recently received another honor, election to membership in the Who's Who on the campus there.

J. W. Eades Family Gathers Sunday

Children of the J. W. Eades gathered in Snyder last Sunday to help their parents celebrate a golden wedding anniversary. The family attended church Sunday morning. Then had dinner served buffet style. Pictures were taken in the afternoon.

All the children but one son, Vindie Lee, who is in the navy, were home for the celebration.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Eades, Rankin; Mrs. Ivy Dean Jackson and son of Rankin; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eades and children of Roswell, New Mexico; Mrs. Leona Davidson, Denton; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eades and son, Sweetwater; Ralph Eades, Stockton, California; Mr. and Mrs. Jure Eades and children, Edgar Eades, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eades, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eades and daughter; Mrs. Lloyd Eades and son, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eades and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eades and Louella Eades, all of Snyder.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shahan, Mrs. Glenn Easley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Harpole, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Inman, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kimmel, Mrs. E. E. Weathersbee, J. E. Hardy, H. S. Moreland, Mrs. Jack Ramsey and children, Ruth Schourne, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Michael, Mrs. Myron Roe, Mrs. Hollis Spurlin, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Davenport, Mrs. Ethel C. Eiland, Mrs. Cordia Mae Henley and Dr. R. C. Howell.

East Side Circle Meets to Organize

Women of the First Baptist Church on the east side met Monday evening, November 19, with Mrs. J. R. Huckabee for the purpose of organizing the East Side Circle.

Mrs. W. W. Gross is leader for the group and they invite all women on the east side of the highway to join in the work.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. George Garner at the old Ross home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ellis and son, George B., of Dallas were here last week-end visiting Mrs. Ellis' mother, Mrs. Kathryn Cotten. The Ellises left Friday for Monahans to visit Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Martin for a few days.

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Hermleigh P-TA Meets Tuesday

The Hermleigh Parent-Teacher Association met at the high school at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday with good attendance.

Meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Dalphine Oates with "America" was sung by the group, followed by a prayer by Mrs. T. Nixon, local Methodist pastor.

The minutes were declined upon as read and plans voted on, which will be held in Hermleigh this School building at 7:30 p. m. the first Thursday night in each month.

An enjoyable program was presented. We have 28 members to begin with and hope of many more. Come, be a part of Hermleigh Parent-Teacher Association to help our school and our children.

The following officers for the year were elected: Mrs. R. W. Scarborough, president; Mrs. A. P. Hughes, vice president; Mrs. Pete Rule, secretary; Mrs. Joe Groves, treasurer.

Alva Frances Wilson Weds J. W. Tatom

United in marriage Wednesday were J. W. Tatom and Alva Frances Wilson. The couple was married by Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor of the Methodist Church, in the parsonage.

Mrs. Tatom wore a blue dress with black accessories. For "something borrowed" she wore a necklace belonging to Mrs. Cleb Tatom. For "something old" she wore a gold pin and ring belonging to her mother. For "something new" she carried a handkerchief of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Jim Tatom.

Attending the ceremony were Mrs. Cleb Tatom and Thomas Tatom, brother of the bridegroom.

Frances is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilson of Bison community. She graduated from Ira High School.

J. W. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tatom of West Snyder. He attended Bethel and Snyder schools.

He spent several months overseas in the European Theatre of War before getting his discharge a few weeks ago. The couple is making their home here.

Mrs. R. Y. Barrow of Hamlin was a Sunday guest of Mrs. J. H. Hargrove.

Merit Winner

Victory Bonds help supply necessities for women in service. The Staff Sergeant Ella C. Wright of Kalama, Washington. She has been commended for tireless work in the European theatre of operations. Sergeant Wright is winner of the Legion of Merit. (Official army photo)

Juanita Martin and Joe Ellington Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Juanita, to Joe Ellington of the United States navy. The couple were married Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church. Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, read the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. Ellington wore a brown dress with brown accessories.

Juanita is a 1944 Ira High School graduate. She was active in basketball in her high school days. She was formerly employed at Perry Brothers Variety Store here.

Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ellington of Lloyd Mountain community. He graduated from the Hermleigh High School in 1943 and was drafted into the navy the same year. He spent a few weeks at San Francisco, California, at boot camp and was shipped overseas. He was scattered on several different islands the 27 months he was overseas.

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For every pound of used fat turned in at collection points, housewives receive four ration points and up to four cents per pound.

Local forms at the Times office.

Two County Girls in Dramatics at ACC

Two Scurry County girls, majoring in dramatic arts at Abilene Christian College, have parts in one-act plays that will be presented in the college's intramural sports tournament.

The one-act plays will conclude the intramural contests.

Maggie Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, a member of the ACC sophomore class, has a part in Ringing in The Groom. Bonnie is a 1944 graduate of ACC High School and is outstanding in ACC dramatics.

Charlene Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Collier of the Fluvanna community, and a 1943 graduate of Fluvanna High School, has a part in the play, Thursday Evening. Carlyn has risen up a bright young in dramatics.

It'll Kill the Rest of Them.

A lady, wishing to return the kindness of several of her friends, invited them all to dinner. She planned to give them a mushroom steak dinner. When Nora, her maid, opening the can of mushrooms preparatory to making the sauce, there was a slight scum on top. The time being short, the lady suggested:

"Give the dog a little, Nora, and if he eats it, it's probably all right."

Since the dog liked it and begged for more, the dinner was prepared.

After the guests had all enjoyed their dinner, Nora came in whispered, with the dessert, and whispered tragically to her employer, "Ma'am, the dog's dead."

There was only one thing to do, and the lady did it.

Some time later when eight people were lying around in various states of recovery and the doctor had departed with his stomach pump, the lady thought wearily to asked, "Nora, where's the poor dog?"

"Oh the front steps, Ma'am, where he fell after the car hit him."

Black horses are affected by heat more than are horses of any other color.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

By Estella Rebel, Scurry County Home Demonstration Agent

A total of 16 county 4-H Girls Clubs met on November with an attendance of 189 girls.

Home demonstration was in "vogue" and the county home demonstration agent took out a pair of plain rolls. These were baked and eaten. Then another batch of rolls was mixed and the girls were shown how to make cinnamon rolls.

Each girl was given a mimeographed chart on refrigerator rolls and asked to report at the next meeting on the success of her rolls. The girls were very interesting in the rolls and anxious to make them.

They also handled in a list of things that they had done and made.

Officers serving the 16 4-H girls clubs in the county are:

Hermleigh—Peggy Houston, president; Jolene Ferguson, vice president; Betty Gossaway, secretary; Marjorie Vandiver, clothing demonstration; and Betty Martin, food demonstrator.

Fluvanna — Nelda Bell Warren, president; Joy Freeman, vice president; Elizabeth Browning, secretary; Barbara Cox, reporter; Lavern Smith, clothing demonstrator; and Wanda Lee Hardtrant, food demonstrator.

Ira—Mary Lou Dunn, president; Patsy Fae Sumpter, vice president; Martha Jo Harder, secretary; Margie Hodges, reporter; Marie Lee Burnett, clothing demonstrator; and Billy Joyce Miller, food demonstrator.

Pyron—Margaret Hickman, president; Jewell Piper, vice president; Pattie Anderson, secretary; Glenda Duncan, reporter; Velma Hodges, clothing demonstrator; and Mary Jane Lowe, food demonstrator.

Turner—Ellen Jane Clarkson, president; Louise Thompson, vice president; Ruth Eastman, secretary; Verna Caldwell, reporter; Ramona Clarkson, clothing demonstrator; and Audralene Head, food demonstrator.

Independence—Charlene Stewart, president; Nelda Woodfill, vice president; Delphine Hubbard, secretary; Mary Campbell, reporter; Marie Winter, clothing demonstrator, and Lena Marie Campbell, food demonstrator.

Canyon—Lorance Pinkerton, president; Jessie Adams, vice president; Jimmie Nell Gill, secretary; Joanne Martin, reporter; Tommie Ann Franks, clothing demonstrator; and Merine Pulliam, food demonstrator.

Snyder—Mary Nell Trevey, president; Nelda Jean Dwyer, secretary; Ramona Harlan, reporter; Patsy Workman, clothing demonstrator, and Bonita Lyons, food demonstrator.

Bethel—Virginia Arnold, president; Prebble Gowick, vice president; Melba Neva Rinehart, secretary; Eva Arnold, clothing demonstrator; and Prebble Gowick, food demonstrator.

Dunn—Sylvia Echols, president; Anne Richardson, vice president; Adella Tijerina, secretary; Dolores Smith, reporter; Yvonne Byrd, clothing demonstrator.

Mrs. Jim Sorrells, member of the Dunn Home Demonstration Club, writes this story:

Perhaps in some place asparagus beds are mentioned a luxury. In reading government bulletin No. 1046 on asparagus culture a person would see that impression.

In Scurry County however, where soil is naturally rich and climate ideally right, evidently the only thing one needs to do is set the plant out, wait a year or two and presto! you have all the asparagus that you eat each spring that you might wish for, just by going and cutting them.

Our club made the asparagus bed this fall. We dug the dirt out about six inches deep, laid the roots, covered them with about two inches of natural soil and a layer of manure; then watered them a little and put most of the natural soil back on top.

Do not cut tips the first spring as the growth of tops gives vigor to roots; but the second year you may cut tips and from then on. The roots multiply and thrive. Do not plant them where you might want flowers as they are hard to kill out. Leaves up will be hit every fall or winter for best results. You need not be afraid of damaging the bed if you dig pretty deep. It seems to help them.

If you like white tips better than green, put more manure on top of the roots and as the tips will be blanched coming out from the air.

We like asparagus especially because it is the earliest of all vegetables ready to eat in spring—and because the roots appear in a dry year or a wet one.

Doris Mae Bley on ACC's Honor Roll

Doris Mae Bley, a 1944 graduate of Fluvanna High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bley, had her name placed on the honor roll for the first time while at Abilene Christian College, her parents are informed.

Miss Bley made a grade of superior in two subjects. Doris is a sophomore at Abilene Christian College and is majoring in business administration.

A Tough Choice.

The wife of the man who was on trial for burglary was a witness for the defense and was being vigorously and searchingly cross-examined by the prosecuting attorney that losing her temper, but he didn't sense it until too late. So he asked:

"Madam, isn't it a fact that you knew your husband was a burglar before you married him? Answer yes or no!"

"I did."

"Then may I ask how, knowing that fact, you came to marry him?"

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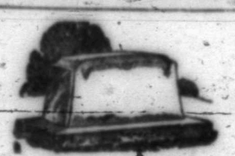

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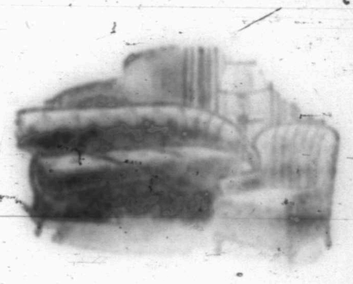

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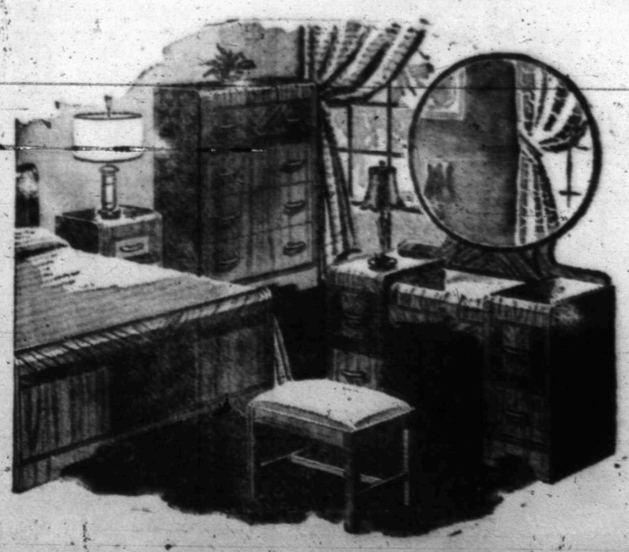

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Snyder General Hospital

The following have been medical patients at Snyder General Hospital during the past week: Mrs. J. M. Patrick, Route 3; Mrs. J. A. Wilson, [illegible]

[illegible] Route 2; Dale Louis Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Campbell, San Angelo; Mrs. J. W. Gotcher, Fluvanna; Mrs. P. A. Miller, Snyder; Mrs. Lamar Bayles, Snyder; G. W. Lewis, Snyder; W. Patterson, Snyder; Mrs. [illegible] Miller, Snyder; and Bonnie Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pinnie Jones, Snyder.

Dismissals have been: Mrs. Billie McAlister, Route 3; and J. B. Bullard, Snyder.

T. A. Connell, Roger 1, was a medical hospital patient.

Norma Collins Gives Support to Campaign

"We have been talking about what we intended to do when the post-war world arrived, but now we realize that we are living in the post-war world and it is time for us to start quite some of the things we have been talking about," said Norma Collins Snyder, when she was interviewed this week on her views concerning the Hardin-Simmons University development program, the Abilene school opening Tuesday.

Miss Collins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Collins of Snyder and is a senior at H-SU. She is a member of the Student Club, Alpha Psi Omega, Press Club and Players Club, therefore she is, as she says, "able to see the good paid by the determination of students."

"I am going to lend my full support to the student campaign to raise $21,000 for the development of our school and do all that I can to enlist my friends' support in this very needy work."

Paper clips at The Times.

PALACE THEATRE

Program for Week

Thursday, November 22—
"Captain Eddie"
with Lynn Bari, Fred MacMurray, Charles Bickford and Lloyd Nolan. News and Novelty.

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 23-24—
"Pride of the Marines"
with John Garfield and Eleanor Parker. News and Comedy.

Saturday Night Preview, Nov. 24
"Bedside Manner"
with John Carroll and Ruth Hussey.

Sunday Matinee and Night, Monday, November 25-26—
"The Naughty Nineties"
with Abbott and Costello and Rita Johnson. News, Cartoons and Novelty. Continuous show starting at 2:00 p. m. on Sunday.

Tuesday, November 27—
"The Cheaters"
with Joseph Schildkraut and Billie Burke. News, Novelty and MARCH OF TIME. Bargain Night. — Admission 14 and 25 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Nov. 28-29
"Over 21"
with Irene Dunne, Alexander Knox and Charles Coburn. News and Comedy.

At the TEXAS

Thursday, November 22—
"Song of the Range"
with Jimmy Wakely and Lee White. Also—
"Women in Green"
with Basil Rathbone and Nigel Bruce.

Friday-Saturday, Nov. 23-24—
"Both Barrels Blazing"
with Charles Starrett. Last chapter of "MASTER KEY" Serial and Comedy.

Sunday-Monday, Nov. 25-26—
"Outlaws of the Rockies"
with Charles Starrett and Tex Harding. Also—
"DOCKS OF NEW YORK"
with the East Side Kids.

Wednesday-Thursday, Nov. 28-29
"Johnny Mack Brown Western"
Also—
"THE ROAD TO ALCATRAZ"
with Robert Lowery and June Storey.

Spanish Pictures

Saturday Night Preview and Sunday Night, Nov. 24-25—
"Juan Soldado"

Tuesday, November 27—
"El Angel Negro"

Pyron News

Henry L. Palmer, [illegible] of San Diego, California, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Palmer of Pyron, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Salsbury.

[illegible] parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brannon and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Douglas and children [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brannon [illegible] Mrs. A. [illegible] to make his home [illegible] Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton [illegible] to Dallas last week [illegible] by motor. Mr. Lee [illegible]

Pyron is having a harvest festival November 23. The following are planning for guests: [illegible] Junior, Jo Alice Beck, [illegible] Bennett, Bennman, Preston, and Nona Gray, seventh grade.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. W. Harrison were Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Robbins, [illegible] of Abilene, and Mrs. [illegible] Robbins and daughter [illegible] were.

Mr. and Mrs. Gather [illegible] are the parents of a baby boy.

The Methodist Society honored Mrs. Bill Hutchison with a social picture for her new home.

Mrs. Orval Hess spent several days in Young's Hospital for medical care.

Henry Schwarz of Texas Tech spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Schwarz.

The program at the Westella Baptist Church has been put off until Sunday, December 2.

Pyron School News

Basketballers of Pyron High are playing 25-0 in the high school report. Jim Nell Bogard and Milton Adkins are sports editors, and Velma Light is their clerk. We are all working very hard to make it a great success.

Candidates for May queen and queen are Ann Alice Stokes and Thelma Williams.

We have seen Pyronites shell corn by which our men were called last fall. Roy Kemper has business in Dallas that he expects to make T-Model in Pyron. It is now pre-Civil War car.

Five of the girls from this state enjoyed playing basketball at an [illegible] The girls of the class who are [illegible] are Pre-Alice Stokes, Wanda Jane Brewton, Oma Nell Bogard, Velma Light and June Reed. All are in "A" sizing, except June.

Farmer's Newest Back-Saver

The self-lifting tractor is now a reality. It rises any height, up to four inches, virtually drawing itself up "by its own bootstraps." The lifting operation is accomplished by placing light tubular frames beneath the axles, connecting the rear to the two arms of a Ford-Ferguson tractor [illegible] touching the "finger-tip control" lever which is one feature of the Ferguson System. The entire operation takes less than one minute.

State Health Officer Says Too Much Heat In Home Dangerous

With the approach of cold weather, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has issued some timely advice to Texas readers concerning room temperatures and its relation to health.

"It is very important that inside temperatures be maintained at around 68 to 70 degrees," Dr. Cox said. "Thousands of homes are unusually overheated in the winter, and a degree or less is often demanded that would not be tolerated in the summer time.

"In a room that is overheated, the body pores are open, and the nervous system is overtaxed; much farm work, cooking, sewing, household troubles, and even neighbors may take advantage of a cold body, shoot and take a [illegible] of pneumonia and other ills.

"A room temperature of from 68 to 70 degrees is not only healthful, but it is economical. The average person, if he is healthy, will be comfortable at 68 degrees if he is properly clothed. Of course, if he is sick, he should be in a room of higher temperature. Children should be kept at a temperature of 70 degrees, and the elderly people should be kept at a temperature of 72 degrees. Babies should be kept at a temperature of 75 degrees. Babies should be kept in a room of even temperature, free from drafts, and should be bathed in a room of 75 degrees."

Hog Killing Time Hits County With Colder Weather

Comes now hog killing time for Scurry County farmers and livestock owners.

There will not be as much hog killing as formerly, because with the widespread use of the quick freeze locker, hog killing is now a year round deal of many Snyder area farms.

Now that hog killing season is at hand, Texas Extension Service warns Scurry County's 1,350 farmers that when the animals are killed the weather—if it gets above 50 degrees for any length of time while spoil it unless extra care is taken to be ready to a cold storage plant and let it cure under refrigeration.

With sugar still scarce, many people will not have enough cure meat. Salt is what actually cures meat. Many experts say, have enough salt pork, bacon or a ham, and standard recipe. [illegible] Scurry and neighboring counties, [illegible] pounds of salt. [illegible] pounds of salt pork. Mix, divide into three equal parts and rub into one of the sides of the meat every three days. Pack the meat into a meat box or barrel after each rubbing.

After the third and last treatment, Texas Extension Service states, pack the pork into the container skin side down. Leave ham and shoulders in the mix from two to three days per pound. A day and a half per pound is enough for bacon.

The longer, as area residents have discovered, the meat is kept in cure the saltier it becomes. If there is not enough salt that penetrates the pieces to properly cure the meat, it will spoil unless kept in cold storage.

With pork as scarce as it is, farm families will do well to have their meat saltier than usual—rather than take a chance on spoilage.

Cane syrup or honey can even be substituted for sugar, pound for pound. Sugar is still better, however, than syrup or honey—if it is available. Granulated sugar will do just as well as brown.

Mrs. Kathryn Hendrix of Alexandria, Louisiana is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith and family.

LOCALS

Leslie M. Sturdivant, AMM2c, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Joe Rogers, and her husband, who has been in an Abilene hospital for several days. Leslie has been stationed at San Francisco, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sturdivant of San Angelo have been here the past week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Sturdivant.

Ima Lee Sturdivant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sturdivant, is home after spending several days at the Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth.

Mrs. A. C. Martin returned from Fort Worth this week, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mack Casey.

Mrs. Doyle Sellers of Hermleigh spent the week-end here with Doris Cargile. Mrs. Cargile left Sunday with Mrs. Sellers to spend this week at Hermleigh with her.

Lois Sellers spent Saturday night in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sellers. Lois' home is at Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bailey of Sweetwater were here over the week-end visiting Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Floyd.

Floy DeLoach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. DeLoach was here last week visiting her parents from Kansas City, Kansas. Floy is employed in the Western Union office there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Bynum and son, Berry, and his family spent Sunday at Odessa with Mrs. Bynum's brother, W. O. Moon and his family.

Final Rites Held Last Monday for Mrs. Lydia Stiles

A former Scurry County resident and daughter of Rev. J. W. McGaha of the Canyon community, Mrs. Lydia Stiles died last Monday at Hot Springs, New Mexico, following a three-month illness.

With Odom Funeral Home in charge of arrangements, final rites for Mrs. Stiles, 40, were held Saturday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at the Baptist Church. Rev. T. F. Mills of Ira, and Rev. C. B. Lewis of Hermleigh officiated.

Mrs. Stiles was born November 13, 1904, and had been a member of the Baptist church many years.

Pall bearers were Cecil Richardson, Hollis Hutchison, Dewey Mott, Clint Mott, J. L. McGaha and Orville Taylor.

Flower bearers were Audry Mae Georgia Bates, Thelma Bishop and Roberta Taylor.

Mrs. Stiles is survived by her father, Rev. J. W. McGaha, and the remainder, Mrs. J. W. McGaha of the Canyon community; the husband, C. Stiles of Hot Springs, New Mexico; the children, Mrs. Coley Harris of Roy, New Mexico, Earl Stiles, service; Mrs. Stanley Berry of Stilwell, Oklahoma, a foster daughter, Mrs. R. N. Wilk Jr. of Elizabeth, Hotel, [illegible] Charles Stiles of Hot Springs, Mrs. R. N. Osborn, also of Hot Springs; [illegible] brothers, Joe McGaha of Levelland, Perry McGaha of Forney, New Mexico, Jim McGaha of Snyder and six sisters, Mrs. Mattie Mickelson of Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Dan McCoy of Brownfield, Mrs. Fannie Whitker of Coney, New Mexico, Mrs. Charlie Morrow of Snyder, Mrs. Ollie Green of Woodson, and Mrs. Joe Williams of Woodson.

Interment was made in Ira Cemetery.

[illegible] of extent motion pictures in color which included Mount Rushmore [illegible] more than [illegible] hours, is scheduled to be made available to high schools and [illegible] students.

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Billy Carol Davidson Attends Science Meet

Billy Carol Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davidson of Route 1, Hermleigh, and a junior at McMurry College, Abilene, was one of seven representatives to attend the Texas Academy of Science meeting recently at Waco.

There were many representatives from the various colleges and universities in Texas. The students gave lectures and papers under the supervision of Dr. Barkley of Texas University, who was called to consular. All students who had memberships and a charter were given to the School Chair of McMurry, Dr. Ruth Hemphill to sponsor of the Abilene school's club.

Billy Carol is a member of the Science Club, Alpha Chi, Art Club, Chantecler and Gamma Sigma, a social club on the campus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pollard were in Brownfield Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pollard. The Brownfield couples son, Victor, was home from overseas and lately nine battle stars. Victor has 121 pilots and has been in the army three and one-half years.

GO BY BUS

Bus Schedule
T., N. M. & O. BUS LINES

NORTH BOUND
7:15 a. m. 4:30 p. m.
9:05 a. m. 5:20 p. m.
8:40 a. m. 8:20 p. m.
12:00 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND
2:45 a. m. 4:10 p. m.
8:20 a. m. 9:10 p. m.
11:25 a. m. 12:40 p. m.
1:40 p. m.

EAST BOUND
12:00 p. m. to Roby, Anson and Albany
Connections at Abilene for Fort Worth—Arrive 6:15 p. m.

WEST BOUND
7:00 p. m. to Coll, Loraine, Seminole, Hobbs, New Mexico. Connections to El Paso.

TELEPHONE 148
Bus Station:
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Coast Guard Seeks Enlistments in Area

Snyder area civilians are informed this week by the U. S. Coast Guard that men 17 to 20 are now eligible for enlistment. The [illegible] also indicates a two-year enlistment.

Enlisted coast guard personnel now have a wide choice of schools open to enlistees such as stenographer, [illegible] radio operator, etc. The U. S. Coast Guard [illegible] enlistment at Dallas.

Schools Closed Two Days for "Turkey"

Snyder and Scurry County schools are observing a Thursday holiday this week, since Thanksgiving falls on Thursday, November 22.

County schools dismissed classes Wednesday afternoon and today (Thursday) teachers and students alike are enjoying a real place-time Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

County schools will resume class work Monday morning, it was announced late Wednesday.

Florida was first visited on "Pocahontas Florida" or Easter Sunday.

File folders at The Times.

Joe R. Brown Home Following Discharge

Joe R. Brown, SKV third class, has received an honorable service discharge from the U. S. Navy, the separation center at Norman, Oklahoma, reports this week.

Brown, who served 29 months prior to the Pacific area, [illegible] ribbons with 11 battle stars on them.

Brown was attached to the U. S. S. Talent [illegible] as a member of fleet action in several major Pacific area battles.

The first car raised at Chateau Thierry, after the Germans retreated, is in the Museum of the American Red Cross headquarters at Washington.

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SILVER PEAKS— Flour	10 Lbs.	53c
	25 Lbs.	1.19
	50 Lbs.	2.29
Coffee	1-Lb. Jar Maxwell House	32c
Chocolate Syrup	Seifer's—Serve Hot—20-Ounce	31c
Sweet Potatoes	For Thanksgiving No. 2½ Can	19c
Tomato JUICE	Gold Bar 46-Oz. Can	23c
Beans	Brown Beauty No. 300 Can	9c
Peanut Butter	K-B Quart	43c
Aunt JEMIMA	Pancake Flour Small Pkg.	13c
PRESERVES	Kern's Apricot Pint	25c
PEANUTS	Planter's Salted ½-Lb. Can	29c
PECANS	Mississippi Paper Shells—Pound	49c
Catsup	Kuner's 14-Ounce	21c

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Woman Visiting Son Here Loses Paralysis Fight

Mrs. Louisa J. Clark, who had been here visiting her son, E. A. Clark of Snyder, succumbed at 7:15 Wednesday evening, 4:15 which, in a long [illegible] on illness of their [illegible] suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Clark was born July 3, 1867 in Texas. She had resided in Clayton, New Mexico for a number of years.

Final rites for Mrs. Clark were held last Thursday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at Odom Funeral Home Chapel, Brother A. J. [illegible] of Clayton, New Mexico, officiating, assisted by Rev. Bob Gilmore of Snyder.

Pallbearers were Louis Floyd, Ben Jones, J. P. Maddox, Walter Holmes, Dwight Morris and Bill Wood.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Frank Atkins, John Lewis, George Brooks and Carl Odom.

Odom Funeral Home directed arrangements, and burial was made in Ira Cemetery.

Army Reenlistment Urged Wednesday

Wednesday was an important date in the lives of a number of Scurry County army veterans back in civilian life, and was an important date with volunteers for military service.

Up until Wednesday, for example, army veterans could reenlist in Uncle Sam's new, peacetime army. Men who have been discharged between May 15 and November 1 of this year and who reenlisted by November 21 returned to the army with the same grade as they held when discharged.

Scurry County volunteers, for instance, in military service get their choice of branch of service and overseas theater in air, ground over and service forces for three-year enlistments.

Benjamin Franklin was the first postmaster general of the United States.

Ceiling on Cotton Picking Prices Is Reviewed by OPA

The Office of Price Administration, after withdrawing a ruling on independent contractors either in purchase with picking, and [illegible] for the same service [illegible] for the [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Turner News

Mrs. T. C. Morrow, Correspondent

Nell Morrow of Big Spring and Mrs. Oerth Berryhill and little daughter, Janice, are visiting in the T. C. Morrow home.

Mrs. F. W. Boyd is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mert Brannon of San Antonio this week.

Garland and Glenn Morrow of Roswell, New Mexico, visited their parents over the week-end.

Sgt. [illegible] is home from his daughter, Brenda, visiting relatives in Mineral Wells last week.

Thadious Morrow Jr. and Wanda Brewer of Odessa were married October 16, and were visitors in the T. C. Morrow home over the week-end.

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Hermleigh News

Sinnie Lee Wilson, Correspondent

Pfc. and Mrs. Eli Briscoe Jr. have announced the arrival of an eight-pound two-ounce son on November 14, who was named Eli Carlton. Mrs. Briscoe is the former Bertha Raquel Ayala, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ayala, is visiting at Carlsbad, New Mexico, while her husband is with the infantry in the Pacific.

Lt. and Mrs. Lloyd Cheney of Lubbock visited their aunt, Mrs. J. H. Lynch and Mr. Lynch last week.

Mrs. F. B. Hodges, the former Christelle McMillan returned to her home in Fort Worth Friday after spending a week with her children, Lt. and Mrs. R. C. Hodges, who are stationed at Victoria, Texas.

Mrs. A. A. McMillan, and attending school here. Mrs. Hodges is telephone toll operator. Her husband, ex-Sgt. F. B. Hodges, a returnee with the infantry, was discharged recently after spending 31 months in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson and son, Lt. James R. Patterson of Sweetwater spent Sunday with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Laura Patterson. Lt. Patterson expects to be discharged soon, after spending nearly four years in the service.

Ex-Pfc. Albert Kunz visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kunz, and sister, Mrs. Sidney Williams and family last week. He received his discharge in Houston Saturday, November 10, after spending 31 total months in the service. Albert was fully wounded in his right hip last February 11 in Germany after eight months service with the 3rd Army, and returned to Ft. Chaffee General Hospital at Temple in April for treatment. He was granted a 45-day leave the latter part of May and wife at home he was married July 12 to Miss Mary Katherine Schilling at Slaton. They went to Waco, where Albert has been training as a medic. They hope to meet at Lubbock where he will perhaps complete his course. He earned two battle stars, the Infantry Bilegnary Badge, the ETO campaign ribbon, the purple heart and the good conduct medal.

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Fluvanna News

Mrs. Bulow Browning, Correspond.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Erickson, Mrs. Adee Merfield of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Dyess and daughter, Anita Nell of Spur all visited in the A. J. Dyess home Sunday night and Monday.

J. C. Rice and family from Lubbock were Sunday visiting in the home of J. I. Dyess and W. F. Mitchell.

Ernest Brown and family from Tulare were here over the week-end visiting his parents, J. I. Dyess and wife.

Mrs. Nathaly Reynolds from Delhart, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. T. C. Whatley, while her husband is overseas training after [illegible] Mrs. Millican and wife, T. C. Maynard and wife all went to New Mexico last week. Mrs. Millican visited her mother at Lovington and Mrs. Maynard visited her sons at Carlsbad. The men went deer hunting and they all got several deer in Mexico.

Sgt. Holden and family, are here from California. They are plan[illegible] to stay here now.

Mrs. Dub Hatch and Mrs. [illegible] Reed made a business trip to Post Monday.

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Kermit Friday. Oscar Maples brought her to. She spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carmichael.

V. L. Patterson and family from Lovington, New Mexico, was here and spent a few days this past week.

Leslie Browning and wife from Ithaca, New York, are here visiting his brothers, Jesse Browning and family and Buford Browning and family. Leslie has his discharge from the navy.

Mrs. Willie Clayburn from O'Donnell was here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Hattie Hughes and Miss Hattie Reed. Dub Hughes and family took her to Lamesa to the hospital Sunday.

J. W. Sewell and wife from Idaho were here visiting friends and relatives Thursday and Friday.

[illegible] Oregon, is here visiting his parents, H. C. Smith and family. H. D. spent about three years in the service in the Pacific. He has his discharge now and they plan to make their home here.

John Reed made a trip to Winters last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Burrison and husband.

John Stavely and wife went to Hobbs, New Mexico, to visit Mr. Stavely's sister, Mrs. R. A. Jones and family. The following Monday they came by Lubbock and visited Lucian Thomas.

Lt. Pete Mathis is here from El Paso on a ten-day leave. She is visiting her parents, W. F. Mathis and family. When she gets back she will report to Ft. Jackson, South Carolina.

Lane Roddy and family from Ira were here visiting Nolan Pollard and family Sunday.

B. L. Hill and family from Colorado were here visiting Thomas Sturdivant and family over the week-end.

Mrs. W. E. Smith and son from Fort Worth are here visiting J. O. Landrum and family. David Nelson from Lubbock is also here visiting the Landrums.

Don Cox from Carlsbad, New Mexico is here visiting his mother, Mrs. T. C. Maynard and husband.

Winfield Martner and wife visited her parents and brother, who has been overseas, at Turkey over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belew made a business trip to Abilene Monday.

J. A. Rieger and wife from Abilene were here visiting her parents, J. N. Holden and family Sunday.

C. D. Crisby and son Berry B., made a trip to Roque County to carry a load. Berry and family are moving there soon.

H. C. Flourney went to Houston Saturday to see his wife who is receiving medical care there.

There were several people from Snyder attending Homer Patterson's funeral here Friday. Miss Maggie Williams, Sterling Williams, Joe Browning and wife, M. J. Browning, Mrs. L. C. Rennels, Bobby Taylor and Lanette Crowder attended, and there were others whose names were not turned in. We, the people of this community wish to express our deepest sympathy to Jessie B. and the Patterson family.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

Mrs. Edgar Eudy spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Lankford of Toledo. Mr. Lankford is in the hospital suffering from a sprained knee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carruthers, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pete [illegible] spent Armistice Day with their son and brother, M. E. Carruthers and wife of Lamesa.

Stanley Wayne Kruse of Snyder spent part of last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anil Kruse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dodd and children, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Eudy and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eudy and son and Mrs. Eudy celebrated the golden wedding anniversary of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eudy of Snyder.

Armistice Day was spent very quietly in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carruthers have gotten moved into their new home.

Mrs. Virginia Martin spent the week-end in the Fred Martin home of Snyder.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellington, who were married Saturday night. Mrs. Ellington is the former Juntia Martin and is formerly of our community, having graduated from Ira High School in 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Childress and children spent the week-end in the Clyde Childress home at Toledo.

We are glad to report Mrs. J. A. Wilson back home and able to be up.

Little Johnnie Drew Driscoll of Odessa spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Clark.

Mrs. John R. Wallin Jr. and small daughter of Merkel spent Friday night with Mrs. Tinnie Mae Wallin. They all visited in Big Spring over the week-end.

Mrs. Harold Lee Holladay and Patsy Tamplin of Snyder spent the week-end in the R. E. Tamplin and Bee Holladay homes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks of Snyder attended church here at the Church of Christ Sunday and were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Laura Lewis and family.

We extend our sympathy to Rev. J. W. McGaha and family in the loss of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ernest Stiles, who passed away in her home in Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sorrells and small granddaughter, Patsy Sorrells of Knapp visited Mrs. Ava Moran Saturday.

We are sorry to report Melba Eubank very ill. She is suffering from an attack of appendicitis. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Autry Eubank took her daughter, Belco Ann, to Dallas for a check-up at a hospital there.

Mrs. E. T. Milhollen of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Kelley Thursday of last week.

Rev. C. D. McEntire of Abilene filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday and Sunday night. He was accompanied by his wife and children and they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gracy Eaiter.

Mrs. Bill Gullens visited in the W. W. Rogers home of Snyder Saturday afternoon.

Rev. C. D. McEntire and wife of Abilene called in the A. P. Brooks home Sunday afternoon.

Elton Crowder visited in the T. F. Blackard home of Carrizo Springs and hunted last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Black of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Algie Brooks Sunday afternoon.

Those from here attending the singing at Colorado City Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bryce, Mrs. James Israel, Mr. and Mrs. Idis Allen, Bro. O. D. Dial, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sterling Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lilly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lilly of Coahoma visited their son, Emmitt Lilly and family Tuesday and Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Huddleston and sons of Knapp visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ellie House.

Ira School News

The Ira girls attended a tournament at Highland Friday and Saturday. They were defeated.

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Bethel News

Mrs. Weldon Sumrold, Correspondent

Mrs. Dow Hastings and children of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stokes Sunday.

Mrs. Polyeen Miller and small son returned to Hobbs, New Mexico, Thursday after visiting for two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schulze and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moss spent Sunday with friends at Hermleigh.

Ruby Starnes of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Starnes Tuesday.

Corky Houston spent Sunday night with Bobby Burnis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stokes and son, Carl of Sweetwater were Sunday evening callers in the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Sumrold.

Mrs. Richard Potts spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Weldon Sumrold.

Big Sulphur News

Clara Mae Lewis, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rosley were brief callers Saturday night in the J. H. Myers home.

Johnny Stuard, who has just recently finished his honorable discharge from the army, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Robinson and family the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McFarland and sons of Hermleigh were brief callers Thursday night in the T. D. Leech home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Hobbs and daughter of Dallas were recently spent Sunday afternoon in the J. L. Norris home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Murphree of Snyder spent Sunday afternoon in the J. H. Myers home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Leech and children were brief callers Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Lewis of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Burk of Colorado City have purchased the Hardie Robinson farm.

Hardie Lewis and sons were visitors in the C. C. DeTamp home of Sterling City Tuesday night. They gathered some pecans while down there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Leech and children visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Burrow of Ozona community. Mr. and Mrs. Burrow enjoyed having all their children present in the reunion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis were brief callers in the J. L. Norris home Sunday night.

Plainview News

Bobbie Jones, Correspondent

Mrs. Joy Grubbs and sons, and Mrs. Doyle Cowser of Sweetwater spent the week-end in the John Wardell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hendrix of Hermleigh were Sunday morning guests of the Rechlinski families.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bailey of Hermleigh spent Wednesday night in the Curtis Corbell home.

Sunday visitors in the Ross Williams home were Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross of Bell community.

Patsy Payne returned home Sunday from the Young Hospital at Roscoe where she had been under treatment the past week.

Inez Williams is spending a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williams after a major operation last week in the Young Hospital at Roscoe.

There will be a pie supper at the Plainview school house Thursday night, November 29. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cobell and daughter, Mrs. James B. Clements of Whitt, spent Thursday in the Curtis Corbell home.

Folks, our correspondent would appreciate your subscription for The Scurry County Times and your favorite daily paper.

James Pogue and family of Oklahoma visited with Mrs. J. M. Pogue.

All kinds of blank legal forms at The Times office.

Murphy News

Mrs. Ric Wadkins, Correspondent

Mrs. Doyle Wilson was a Monday visitor in the Barney Prince home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Foster and sons were week-end guests in the Bill Pledger home in Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] attended a deer hunt near Albany the past week-end and got their share of deer killed.

Charley Clawson is helping Mac Doyle with a fall round-up on the home place.

Bro. C. J. Boggs filled his regular appointment at church.

Rose Richey and Bill Murphy were business visitors in Sweetwater on Wednesday.

Clyde Sellers and family were week-end visitors of Snyder relatives.

A number of community citizens went on a deer hunt near Mason.

Mrs. Clyde Clawson's mother, Mrs. Bunton of Robert Lee, is visiting here with her daughter.

Wayne Kidd was a visitor in the Barney Prince home Wednesday.

Buck Burline and family visited Frank Miller with a round-up over the week-end.

All Editors Aren't Dumb!

Dear Editor: I am in love with a homely girl, but she doesn't care for me, while a pretty girl with lots of money wants to marry me. What shall I do?

Reply: Marry the one you love and send me the name and address of the other one.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent

In the J. C. Wynkoop home a turkey-dinner was held November 11 honoring their first son Paul Woodrow of the sailors, who came from Iowa and one-half year in the Pacific. Those present were his wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Black and two sons of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wynkoop and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Weathers and Guy Sellers of Waco, Mrs. J. M. Hickman of Aermoore, A. L. Rew and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reuter Jr. of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reuter and sons of Snyder.

Lydia Wooten of Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis.

Mrs. J. L. Davis was the week-end guest of her daughter at Dallas and Fairview, their home town. A family reunion was held at her home on the week-end honoring Charlie Harvey Davis, who has been in the European Theater of war and Paul Calvin, who the Pacific. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, Jr. from Oklahoma, Mr. Harvey Davis and children of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson of Dunnam, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert and children of Fairview, a host of friends called Sunday afternoon.

Don Adams is home from McCamey with a sprained foot.

Kathryn Hay Williamson was honored on her twelfth birthday monday night with a party given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Williamson of Turner.

After games were played, the honoree opened a number of gifts—a birthday cake with 12 candles was brought forth. Popped balls, apples, and cake was served to the following:

Marynell, Jo Ann and Hoyle Dunn, Lerene and Jane Strickland, Ramona and Elva Jane Clarkson, Dixie Lee, Billy and Bobby Kimmel, Ruth Eastman, Sonny Thompson, Emma Louise and Bobby Glass.

Mabry and Jerry Davis, Junior and Keith McCormick, Jimmie Evans, Jackie and Bobby James, Robert Lankford, Tim Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff James, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eastman, Mrs. Ora Strickland, Mrs. John Lankford and Mr. H. Kimmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Langford made a business trip to Graham the past week, and also visited in Ranger and Cisco.

Truett Scott and family of Hobbs visited in the Orbie Scott home Sunday.

H. B. Patterson is home on a furlough from the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Williamson and boys visited C. L. Williamson of Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford James visited her father, J. C. Ferguson of Tuscola, who was in a tractor accident last week. He has been in a hospital in Abilene.

T-5 Eldon Rosson was home over the week-end from Fort Riley, Kansas.

Leon Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Moore, is home from the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wiggins of Snyder visited in the Hunts Woodson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vaughn visited Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hataway of Snyder Sunday.

We welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vaughn from Snyder. They are moving to the Dorsey place.

Your community correspondent appreciates the help in gathering news items through the year, and folks

Ennis Creek News

Mrs. Alles Davis, Correspondent

Misses Gertie and Gail Brawley entertained with a party Wednesday at the home of Mrs. George Brawley honoring Mrs. C. A. Wade. The table decorations and refreshments and entertainment were and games were played in the following:

Mr. Mrs. Sam Baker, Mrs. H. B. Hart, Mrs. Robert Cornelius, Mrs. N. W. Autry, Mrs. Johnny Williams, Mrs. Dixie Shaw and children, Mrs. Dale Hulse and boys, Mrs. Bill Clawson, Mrs. Henry Kelly, Mrs. Alfred Weathers, Mrs. Nathan Wade, Mrs. Bobby Gaddis of Snyder, Mrs. S. L. Terry of Morgan and Mrs. W. A. Wade.

Mrs. Cliff Bridwell, Mrs. Elton Brown and daughter, Ann, Mrs. Burl Davis, Mrs. H. R. Dark, Mrs. George Parks, Mrs. B. F. Estes, Mrs. Pierce Cleon, Mrs. Gaither Bell and daughter Belinda, Mrs. Frank Wade, Mrs. Bill Riley, Mrs. [illegible] and daughter Vivian, Mrs. Ruby Wade and Donna, Mrs. C. A. Wade, Jr. daughter and Mrs. Alles Davis and daughters.

Gifts were sent by Mammie Hart of Snyder and Mrs. Elmer Baker and Mrs. J. B. Bryant of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Estes, and daughter Jessie, attended the fifth wedding anniversary of Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Estes at Snyder, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bridwell and Mrs. Elton Brown and daughter spent Sunday with Henry Bridwell and family.

Geoffrey Dougherty of Lloyd Mountain spent Saturday night and Sunday night with Horace Davis.

The new daughter who came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ola Clem Wednesday night of last week, answers to the name of Josephine. The family are working at the Cliff Bridwell place.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis and daughter, Linda June and Millie of this community and Aleen of Lubbock visited relatives and friends at Blackwell last week-end.

It's time to renew your subscriptions. I will appreciate getting them for you. Let's not miss a copy.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rogers visited in the Charlie Eastman home Sunday.

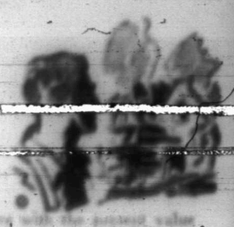
Glad to report Floyd Connell is improving after the car accident.

Allie Beth Rosson was a Sunday dinner guest of Dorothy Rollins.

Mrs. Eddie Parr and Miss Ella Adams of Hermleigh visited at the J. B. Adams home Thursday.

Steve Cox made a business trip to Abilene the past week.

COMPARE—the amount



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For Sale

FOR SALE—1944 Model B John Deere tractor with lights and starter.—Clyde Garrison at Midway Store. 24-2p

MILK BOTTLE CAPS of the finest quality—30c per tube of 500; special, two tubes for 75 cents.—Ben Franklin Store. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—H Farmall tractor in excellent condition and equipment. —Bernard Longbotham Jr. 22-tfc

FIVE-GALLON CAN motor oil in good can, $3.95.—Day's Panhandle Station on East Highway. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—1942 Firestone cabinet radio; good condition.—2106 Avenue S. 22-tfc

REAL BARGAINS FOR SALE—One 1935 Ford coupe with good rubber; one 1936 Plymouth coupe with good rubber; and 1938 Buick which is real buy.—James Brothers Service Shop, East Highway, Snyder. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—1944 Allis-Chalmers combine; completely reconditioned and ready to roll.—Don Robinson Tractor Company. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Four-room house. J. E. Maule, Route 3, Snyder. 1p

FOR SALE—B Farmall tractor and equipment; good condition; three years old.—Clyde Brown, Camp Springs. 24-2p

FOR SALE—Two-room house with bath; on gas, electric, sewer lines; has garden, fruit trees, berry patch, cow shed and chicken house; priced to sell.—Roy Amos, 902 28th Street, Snyder. 24-2p

FOR SALE: Two 2-row Allis-Chalmers combines, 1945 model. Excellent condition. One 2-row Allis-Chalmers combine, 1940 model, A-1 condition.—E. L. Darby & Son. 25-tfc

FOR SALE: Dozen young Barred Rock chickens, at $1.25 each.—Mrs. W. A. Barnett, 2604 Ave. K. 1p

FOR SALE: Remington standard size typewriter and a portable Corona. Call 227-J, Mrs. Kate Cotten, Snyder. 1p

FOR SALE: No. 5 Underwood typewriter. Never been used much.—H. C. Huckabee, four and one-half miles north of Snyder on Clairemont road; Route 3. 1p

FOR SALE: Two boys' bicycles and two four by five-foot plate glass windows.—P. B. Creekmore, 611 25th Street. 1p

FOR SALE: White teddy bear coat. —Mrs. Jess R. Green, phone 365-W. 1p

FOR SALE: My small stock of groceries and lease the building.—D. L. Vaughn, 1001 25th Street. 1p

FOR SALE: Thirty-two mix breed cows, all good ages; good 320-acre stock farm, 100 acres in cultivation, priced to sell.—Dee Robison. 25-2p

FOR SALE: Good grained kaffir bundle feed. — Dewey Denson, Dunn. 25-3c

FOR SALE: W. C. Allis-Chalmers tractor. 40 model, in good shape and good rubber. — Don Robinson Tractor Co. 25-tfc

FOR SALE: Furniture and cooking utensils, priced right.—J. C. Dawson, 2111 Avenue X. 1c

FOR SALE: New two-wheel trailer; steel electric welded frame on late model chassis; knob hitch; also car hitch to fit any make of car; 6:00-16 tires like new.—W. J. Ramsey, 1918 26th Street. 1p

HAVE FRIGIDAIRE, gas range, radio, and some nice furniture. Selling out. Farm for lease.—C. E. Ferguson. 1p

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

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

JUST RECEIVED—Limited number of pocket and desk type notary public seals.—The Times. tfc

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

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

CHRISTMAS CARDS just arrived at Times. They're still rationed, so you'd better make your selections early from our stocks. Nice cards but limited quantities! tfc

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Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE: My home, 160 acres, 7½ miles southeast of Snyder, 1 mile east of Colorado highway. —Lynn Henderson, Hermleigh, Texas. 24-2p

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For Rent

BOOKS FOR RENT — Mable Y. German's Book Shop, 1904 30th Street. 24-3c

FOR RENT: Furnished bedroom for two adults.—1912 30th. 1p

Miscellaneous

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our deepest appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their wonderful deeds and kindness, shown during the sorrowful hour when death visited our household and took away our dear wife and daughter, Mrs. Gloria Lucille Brannon. Your help in this hour of sorrow is beyond words to describe and we pray that you will have just such loyal friends in your time of need. — Clinton Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Wilson of Tacoma, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brannon of Inadale.

CARD OF THANKS

Words can never express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for every kindness shown us through Homer's illness and death. May each of you have such help in your hour of need is our prayer.—Mrs. Homer Patterson and daughter, Carol Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Patterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Odom and family. 1p

Miscellaneous

THE NEW FRIGIDAIRE is here! We want to continue to give you service on your old refrigerators—and sell you new ones as they are available.—King & Brown, Your Frigidaire dealers. 23-tfc

ARMY VETERANS! To qualify for reenlistment bonus, act now! Call at U. S. Army Recruiting Station, Post Office, Big Spring, Texas. 24-3c

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LIST YOUR PROPERTY with me; farm and city listings; loans and insurance.—Maude Holcomb, office in Towle Building, phone 284. 23-tfc

NOTICE is hereby given that at its first regular meeting in December, the same being the 4th day of December, 1945, the trustees of the Snyder Independent School District of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, will consider and select from duly qualified applicants a depository for school funds for the ensuing two years.—C. M. Boren, President of the Snyder Independent School District. 25-2c

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for all the good, kind and sympathetic deeds shown us and especially for the flowers for our darling mother and grandmother. May God bless each of you.—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beauchamp, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Clark and Grandchildren. 1p

RETURNING to San Francisco, California, about December 3; room for one or two; share expenses and help drive. Write H. L. Williamson, Route 2, Snyder, Texas. 1p

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Snyder, Texas, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of Lots 2 and 4 of Block 41 of the Blankenship addition to the town of Snyder, Texas, at the office of the city secretary, in the City Hall of said City on the 3rd day of December, 1945, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., at which time bids will be opened and considered. Each bid must be accompanied by a bank cashier's check for the full amount of said bid, and the City of Snyder expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 1c

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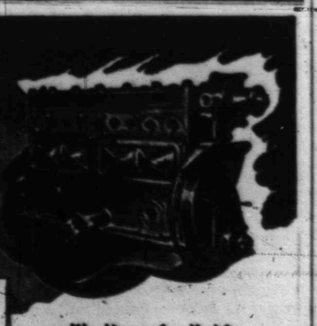

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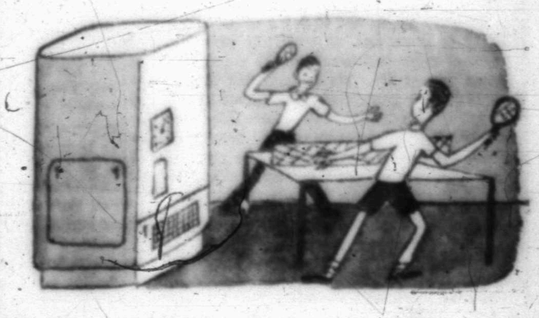

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Important

The time to decide on house heating is during planning stage of home. Make sure the plans and specifications include FLUES for VENTING the new gas heating equipment. Only when equipment is vented are wall sweating and stuffy air eliminated.

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Rattlesnake Killer

About the best rattlesnake killer we know of, Scurry County people suggest, is a bounty offered by the county for concrete proof of rattlers killed during the winter months while in their dens and near points of hibernation.

There is no reason why Scurry and other nearby counties should not offer a bounty on each rattler killed. The bounty need not be enormous, but it should be sufficient to keep experienced rattlesnake hunters on the job through the winter months.

Doubtless, if this county would take the lead in offering a reasonable bounty on rattlers killed, others would follow this aggressive and life-saving example.

Bond Drive Push

Now that Scurry County has left its Victory War Loan drive hanging in mid-air, we need plenty of push right now to get the ball rolling again, and such help will have to be on a united front—if Scurry County attains its war bond goal.

In previous campaigns this county has not hesitated to put bond quotas "over the top" and with the full federal cooperation of all community chairmen there is no reason why this campaign should be down all at once.

In this Victory Loan drive we just really haven't shared our part of the care so far, and in this crucial hour must shoulder our responsibilities as citizens and see that we get the job done. We would hate for Scurry to be the only county in this vicinity that fails to raise a Victory Loan assignment.

The Road to Ruin

Out here in the section of West Texas, where people are busy as beavers trying to make a living, they are certainly disgusted with labor unions tying up transportation and production of civilian goods and adding confusion to the country's over-all picture of reconversion.

In an early day out here we did not call labor union bosses by such polite names as Mr. and CIO Secretary. We called them by their rightful names of horse thieves, cattle rustlers and robbers. We used to have neck-tie parties for such buzzards when the occasion demanded, but this day and time we have grown so soft as a nation we think almost anything short of murder is permissable in our so-called society.

The constitution did not contain any sort of provision whereby a man had to pay a bonus or dues for the right to work, and we truthfully cannot accept this type of Communistic doctrine as a precept of the American way of life. We are traveling the road to economic ruin by permitting labor unions to run this country and we might as well acknowledge this fact right now. Labor union ramrods toil not, neither do they spin, yet they are reaping from the gross earning abilities of our people, and we cannot condone that as just or right in any sense of the word.

Editorial of the Week

OUR STRAYED LANDS

When you try to figure out how many Texans do not pay their county taxes, you are likely to get the wrong answer, because about 900,000 acres of land is missing.

It is not a result of a windstorm that 900,000 acres are missing, but because the old Spanish and Mexican land grants were made on careless and faulty surveys, which may have been in error as much as 25 per cent. And as a result, no one knows just how large Texas really is, because there has never been a corrected survey of the entire state.

County tax records are usually fairly correct, but because the state land office has the overall picture, based on the Spanish grants, the counties must make returns listing "taxes delinquent on unknown property" to bring that county's state tax collections up to the amount of land shown in the state records.

For instance, one large tract is shown in state records as 10,000 acres. It has since been cut up into five farms, and actual surveys show that the five farms contain only 9,500 acres. The taxes on that missing 500 acres are duly assessed and reported to the state as "unknown."

The state land office records show 172,877,000 acres in the state, and they estimate an error of one-half of one per cent. These errors are being gradually uncovered by surveys and, of course, sometimes the errors are in the other direction. As a result, more land is being added to the tax rolls by some surveys, while others take land off the tax rolls.

It is a deal in which the state cannot lose, because they are not getting taxes from the "unknown" land anyway. They do begin to get taxes from the acres they find.—Texas State News.

There are some who do not have sense enough to argue, and some who have too much sense to do it.

Words Not in Your Dictionary

SECOND STORY MAN—No, sis, not one who has another in case you don't believe the first.

KIDS—Our offsprings who marvelously learn table manners without seeing any.

SUCCESS—What successful men think they did themselves. Their wives just smile and let it go at that.

LATE SLEEPER—The person who these days is probably afraid that the early bird will get him.

Current Comment

Editor's Note: Expressions of 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 timely column.

BY LEON QUINN

The G. I. Bill of Rights, it is believed, was created to give all war veterans an even break, and unless men are dishonorably discharged from service there is no lightful reason why they should be cut out of benefits under the G. I. Bill of Rights. . . . As the situation stands now, there is a question as to whether discharged men with blue slips can participate in any of the bill's benefits.

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With thousands of cars going into junk heaps each month, and with production of new vehicles greatly slowed down by strikes, there is a grave warning in the statement that unless OPA acts soon, thousands of cars needing repairs may be laid up in the near future. . . . Parts makers, especially when they get to older model cars, must now go back into production of the old items at present day costs but must sell at 1942 levels. . . . Relief was promised them over a year ago, but so far the only action has been to slow producers of new items to price the parts on a 1945 cost basis.

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Car parts makers, naturally, are up in arms and threatin to halt all such output until the Office of Price Administration gives them relief. . . . Since it will absolutely be impossible to depend on new cars taking up transportation slack for many months, it is mandatory that old vehicles be kept in operation—regardless. . . . During the four years of war parts have given completely out, and replacements will be tantamount to keeping the greater number of our automobiles rolling. . . . OPA, however, says that even a promise 12 months old is still valid, and will be responsible for seeing that motorists do or do not get car parts.

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It was revealed this week that although the tax reduction bill will relieve some 12,000,000 individuals of paying income tax, it does not relieve them of filing income returns. . . . Each person making $500 or more yearly will still have to report to Uncle Sam. . . . Since passage of the reduction bill, lawmakers realize that it will cut a considerable dent in federal revenues and keen eyes must be kept on the federal budget—lest some other kind of tax raising measure be forgotten in our haste at reconversion.

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Fortunate America can deeply sympathize with Great Britain, the only nation that had the grit to ride out the Nazi blitz, in its problem of disposing of over 2,000,000 tons of surplus war explosives. . . . The explosives are being touched off in 15,000-pound charges, and at this rate it would require until 1950 at least for a complete disposal. . . . Great Britain, of course, is not foolish enough to deplete all its wartime explosive stock, but shells, mines, hand grenades and bags of powder virtually plaster the entire group of islands. . . . Great Britain is, in one sense of the word, a post-war powder keg, and lightly will rest the hands which must dispose of so much death-dealing property.

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Railroad carloadings are getting back down to the 1941 level, and carriers will indeed fight another suspension of the six per cent freight rate increase granted two years ago by the Interstate Commerce Commission. . . . This matter was suspended until January 1, 1946, when the OPA protested. . . . In fact, they plan to ask for at least 15 per cent more in an effort to make sure they will emerge with the previously awarded six per cent.

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Regrettably, the State Department is divided against itself at the moment on all questions involving Russian relations. . . . This would be equivalent to saying the department, in fact, is divided on all foreign policy questions. . . . It is, however, unanimously agreed that the Russians hold the high cards in Eastern Europe and the U. S. holds the high cards in the Far East. . . . Just who will make the first play is a touchy and delicate problem.

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There were hopes in Washington this week for eventual enactment for a full employment bill and a watered unemployment compensation bill early next year. . . . It seems fairly certain that the May-Johnson atomic control legislation will be passed in a somewhat amended form after extensive hearings. . . . We happen to have such a brilliant set of lawmakers in Washington that it wouldn't be at all surprising to learn that we outlawed any further manufacture of atomic bombs because the average citizen would not understand the processes involved anyway.

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It is understood that the government will make an entirely new start on housing, and the goal immediately will be some 500,000 or 600,000 rather than a previous estimate of 400,000 new homes in 1946. . . . The war mobilization and reconversion director plans to break up some of the bottlenecks which prevail in the building industry, and cut a lot of red tape in order to get new construction underway on a broad front. . . . Frankly, the post-war building of homes cannot be started on something of an over-night basis, and after all, materials will have to be available before homes can be erected everywhere. . . . Building of new homes is proceeding as fast as the materials are available—be they lumber or brick and tile.

Visit of British Leaders Follows Doolittle Report

By George Baker

Information on merging of armed forces, and continuing on the address of Prime Minister of Great Britain, Clement Attlee, are contained in the latest edelights from Washington by George Mahon, 19th District Congressman, as follows:

Shall the army, navy, marine corps, coast guard—all war fighting forces—be merged under one chiefs unified command by an act of Congress? That question has not reached the floor of the House, but hearings on the subject are now being held by a Congressional Committee.

Last week, following the testimony of General Doolittle before the committee in which he avowed opposite of the idea of being supported by Secretary of Navy Forrestal quite a little of protest to Secretary of War Patterson, bringing out into the open the intense jealousy which exists between certain members of the army and navy high command. The army favors the merger, the navy high command, generally speaking, opposes it. The prevailing thought in Washington is that the majority of the people favor the merger.

It is estimated that good arguments can be offered on both sides of the question. Advocates of the idea, however, contend that we will gain more by unification of the services than we stand to lose. There is no doubt but that closer cooperation among the services in the future would be in the public interest. The merger should not obliterate the identity of the various branches, and we should not lose the wholesome traditions of the fighting forces.

The Prime Minister of Great Britain, Clement Attlee, successor to Winston Churchill, addressed a joint session of Congress on November 13. In doing so, he was following in the footsteps of Wnston Churchill who just three weeks after Pearl Harbor addressed the Senate, and who in May, 1943, addressed a joint session of the House and Senate.

The procedure was typical of the procedure usually followed at joint sessions of congress. Perhaps the details would be of interest.

The meeting was held in the House of Representatives because of the greater availability of seats. Members of the House took their seats in the rear and central sections, leaving all the front seats for the senators and official guests. Just prior to the convening of the joint session, the senators, led by Senator McKellar, president pro tem of the Senate, marched in and took the seats reserved for them, Senator McKellar occupying the platform with Speaker Sam Rayburn.

Then came the diplomatic group led by Lord Halifax, British Ambassador. Next to enter the chamber were members of the President's cabinet. Seven of the ten were present for the occasion. Mr. McKenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, was next to enter. The Doorkeeper of the House announced Mr. King to the session and escorted him to his seat, the Doorkeeper having gone through the same ceremony for the groups which had previously entered.

The Doorkeeper then announced Prime Minister Attlee of Great Britain, and a committee of the House and Senate escorted Mr. Attlee to the speaker's platform. Mr. Atllee shook hands with Speaker Rayburn and Senator McKellar, and having been introduced by Mr. Rayburn in one sentence, began his thirty-minute speech. Then in line with the usual custom, he shook hands again with the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate and was escorted from the chamber, not having sat down during the entire procedure. He was followed in reverse order by the official guests. The Speaker then tapped his gavel and adjourned the joint session.

Mr. Attlee lacked the showmanship and eloquence of Winston Churchill, but his frankness was well received. He made a plea for better understanding of his Labor Party Government and for international cooperation.

First Presbyterian Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Worship at 11 a. m. Young People's Service Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Young people and children are cordially invited, morning and night, and also at Sunday School.

We are happy to report progress in the financial campaign on the church building debt, and the church bulletin Sunday will make further announcements as to the contributions relative to action of Session and men last Sunday. Let us be on hand Sunday in the Sunday School and other activities, both here and at Camp Barkeley.

First Baptist Church

Rev Shahan, Pastor

Sunday will be the last Lord's Day services I will be with First Baptist Church as pastor. We hope to have a good attendance. We can make this a crowning day for the Lord if we will.

At the morning hour, the pastor will speak on the text, "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." The subject will be "Going Forward." At the evening hour the subject will be "Some Tests of a Good Christian," using the text, "For what is your life?"

Attend Bible School at 9:45 a. m. Training Service at 6:30 p. m.

The closing service will be Wednesday evening, November 28. This is regular conference night. Covered dish luncheon at 7 p. m. Every member of the church should be present unless providentially hindered.

First Christian Church

The last Sunday in the Thanksgiving month, November 25. Let your heart lead you and you will be in the service Sunday. Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. Mark the time and be on time. There is a place for you. Men, remember there is a class for you. The men's class is doing real well.

Church services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. If you are a member your duty is to be there for worship. We invite every one to attend. A welcome awaits you. Bring some one with you. Bring your company.—L. Guy Ament, minister.

Gov. Stevenson Is Supporter of Drive To Fight Disease

Calling attention of Scurry County people to the fact that tuberculosis is communicable, Governor Coke R. Stevenson of Texas has designated the period from November 19 to Christmas for the sale of Christmas Seals.

Governor Stevenson points out that the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated county associations which conduct the Seal sale use all seal funds for a health program which should be supported by all residents of this area and the state.

Governor Stevenson urges Snyder area people to purchase Christmas Seals generously. Their use will make possible further reduction in the cases of the disease which are taking such a toll of Texas man and womanhood.

Hermleigh Youth in Army for 18 Months

Clifford Marshall Morris, son of Bill Morris of Route 3, Hermleigh, enlisted in the regular army November 6 for an 18-month hitch.

Clifford took his boyhood schooling at Kerrville High School, where he was active in all athletic sports. In civilian life Private Morris farmed with his family in the Mt. Zion community. He is now training at Fort Bliss.

J. H. Patterson Of Fluvanna Dies Here Thursday

Funeral rites of a local taxpayer last Thursday evening, 3:30 o'clock, and claimed James Henry Patterson, 71-year-old Fluvanna community farmer. Patterson had been in ill health a year.

Funeral services for the Fluvanna farmer were held Friday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at the Fluvanna Church of Christ. Brother Clifton Rogers, Snyder Church of Christ minister, officiated.

The deceased was born in Hamilton County, Texas, and was a member of the Church of Christ several years.

Pallbearers were Virgo Villa, Jesse Dunlap, Pat Jones, Gordon Lemons, Raymond Dougherty and Mert Jones.

Mrs. Harry Kingston, Bobbie Taylor, Helen Jo Warren, Mary Martin and Lorette Crocker were in charge of floral offerings.

Mr. Patterson is survived by the widow, a daughter, Carol Sue, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson; a brother, J. D. Patterson of Fluvanna; and two sisters, Mrs. Buford Browning and Mrs. Victor Rae of Snyder.

Arrangements were in charge of Odom Funeral Home, and Patterson was laid to rest in Fluvanna Cemetery.

Joe A. Merritt Raises Huge Mustard Crop

Mustard that is really mustard is now only shown by Joe A. Merritt south of town, but Tuesday he had proof of "real mustard cheese" in the form of a mustard leaf which measured 32 inches long and was 22 inches wide.

Original seed of the mustard Mr. Merritt has this year was brought here in 1879 by his mother from Arkansas.

All one would need, had they one of "Uncle Joe's" mustard green leaves would be a pan of corn bread, a slab of bacon for flavoring and about two gallons of ice-cold buttermilk for a supper that would befit a king.

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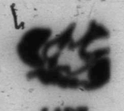

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