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MANY SHARE IN FUND PROVIDED BY UNCLE SAM

At Least 100 Men Already Given Employment As Result of County R.F.C. Grants.

At least 100 Scurry County men already are receiving employment under grants made Monday night of this week, and previously, by the county Reconstruction Finance Corporation committee.

This estimate of the committee will be increased as the various projects progress, since men are being alternated on the longer jobs.

Grants totaling more than \$1,000 were made Monday night to communities outside of Snyder, and a limited amount is yet available for communities that have not applied for one of the government fund. Hermleigh, Dunn, China Grove, Bilsen, Camp Springs, Strayhorn and the combined communities of Bethel Union and Crowder received funds, and most of them have started their projects.

Improvement of roads and schools is the principal use to which the money is being directed. The committee chairman points out that J. W. Scott and Crowder received funds, and most of them have started their projects.

Projects that are being carried forward or contemplated in Snyder include grading of streets, improvement of school grounds, painting of court house and straightening of highway right-of-way northwest of town. Several farmers with teams can be used in connection with the grading of local streets. They are asked to report to J. W. Scott at the Chamber of Commerce hall.

Carload of New Chevrolets Now On Display Here

A carload of the new 1933 Chevrolets—the first shown in Snyder—arrived early this week, and are now on display at Yoder-Anderson Motor Company.

D. P. Yoder, local dealer, is enthusiastic over the new arrivals. He declared yesterday that "it's the finest job I ever laid eyes on," and said that a car of equal quality would have cost twice as much a few years ago.

The modern air-stream styling of the Fisher body, the famous "anti-draft" doors, the synchro-mesh transmission with silent shaft, the lower and rear chassis—these are more than a dozen other new features have taken the eyes of the number of persons who have viewed the 1933 creations this week.

Here are other important characteristics of the new Chevrolet: Six-cylinder 65-horsepower engine, safety plate glass, the starter, simplified fly wheel, more miles per gallon, a 14-gallon fuel tank, airplane type instrument panel, larger and more powerful brakes, a heavier double drop frame, easier steering, cushion balanced engine mounting, stabilized front end construction and the octane selector.

Scurry Methodists Attend Missionary Institute Thursday

Several Scurry County Methodists were in Lorraine Thursday of last week for the annual Missionary Institute of the Sweetwater Conference.

Rev. S. H. Young of Snyder, secretary of the institute, and D. P. Yoder, lay leader of the conference, took part on the program. They were accompanied by Mrs. Young and Mrs. Yoder. Other attendees from this county included Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story of Fluvanna, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Young of Hermleigh, and J. L. Carroll and J. T. Biggs of Union.

Reports of good work during the old year and plans for even better work during the new year characterized the all-day meeting.

BOYS ARE BORN TO W. F. COX AND J. E. SENTELL FAMILIES

Two sons have been born to families residing on the Snyder West Side this week. The first came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Sentell Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox became parents of boy No. 2 Monday evening. Both youngsters were sleeping life without names. Mothers and babies are doing fine, it is reported.

Young Sow Mother Of A 21-Pig Litter

If the O. I. C. brood sow owned by G. W. Phillip is not the champion of these parts, The Times wants to know the reason why.

The 15-month-old mother played host to 21 dashing young pigs Saturday night, less than three months after her family had been increased by 13 sons and daughters.

Mr. Phillip lives on the J. Wright Moore ranch, northwest of Snyder.

Gasoline Tax To Be Discussed At Lubbock Meeting

J. C. Watson of Lubbock, representative of the West Texas Good Roads Association, was in Snyder Tuesday. He was working up a delegation of Scurry County citizens to attend a gathering in his home town this week-end.

From the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce comes word that interested citizens from all parts of the South Plains and Panhandle will meet in Lubbock Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, for discussion of proposed state diversion of more of the gasoline tax.

Scurry County has particular interest in the discussions because of the fact that her highways are just now being modernized. If any more of the gasoline tax is diverted it probably will be a long, long time before our highways are completed.

If any more of the tax is diverted, it is said that Texas will lose millions of dollars of federal aid, and many thousands of men, principally farmers, will be put out of employment. About 50 such workers are employed on the highway northwest of Snyder.

"We want to present a plan of forming a good roads association in this section to work for this section of West Texas in completing its road program," writes Mrs. B. Davis, manager of the Lubbock organization.

It is possible that several local citizens may make the trip.

Mid-Term Seventh Grade Graduates To Get Diplomas Friday

About a dozen graduates from the Snyder Grammar School will receive diplomas Friday morning at the mid-term graduating exercises in the high school auditorium. The exercises will begin at 10:30, to which the public, and especially parents of the grammar school students, are invited.

Rev. Philip C. McGahey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver the address to the class. The recently organized church club will present a girls' quartet in special numbers, in addition to musical renditions by the group.

Principal R. S. Sullivan of the grammar school will present the diplomas to the finishers.

LEAGUE PLANS 1933 CONTEST

March 24-25 were set Thursday of last week as dates for the annual Interscholastic League meet in this county. The action was taken by the executive committee of the body. E. E. Kerr of Hermleigh is director general this year.

The rural meet will be held one week previous to the general meet, on March 18. Playground ball and volleyball eliminations will be held at that time also.

Debatting and the one-act play tournament will be held previous to the regular meet, but dates have not yet been set.

Accused Boys Held In Snyder Burglary

An arrest at Sweetwater Wednesday of last week ended a search for one of the four young men involved in the recent robbery of the Economy Dry Goods store here. Lloyd McCluskey, brother of Mack McCluskey, who was killed by an officer at Sweetwater while attempting to escape after his arrest, is the arrested youth. He was brought to the county jail here by Sheriff S. H. Newman, who states that he confessed a part in the robbery.

H. P. Davis, whose confession soon after the robbery led to the capture of Mack McCluskey, was released on bond early this month. W. Holladay, fourth member of the quartet, has not been captured. All of the boys resided at Sweetwater.

Semester Exams Ae On In Local Schools

Examinations for the first semester of the local school term are being given this week. The tests were completed Friday, according to school officials.

Reports from the teaching corps of the grammar and high schools indicate that a high plane of work has been done during the present term in spite of irregular attendance of many as result of sickness and other causes.

Hardware Store To Move First of Week

Reairs are being made on the Perk's building, west side of the square, in preparation for occupancy by the Snyder Hardware & Implement Company, effective February 1. Plans are being made to move stock and fixtures Monday and Tuesday, in order that business may proceed as usual by the middle of the week.

The store has been located for some time on the north side of the square. Jack and E. F. McCarty and Earl Brown, operators of the concern, state that the new location formerly occupied by Lloyd's display gives them an opportunity to display implements and other stock to much greater advantage.

News Hound Finds Ira Folks In Good Spirits This Week

A hurried trip to Ira Tuesday morning by a Times news hound revealed that folks in the south-west end of the county are in excellent spirits for beginning of the good year 1933.

J. A. Leach, merchant, remarked that his business has held up remarkably well since the first. Eugene Kruse, with a corner on the Ira gasoline and oil business, was entertaining a swarm of youngsters by giving them riding "guns." Business with him has been pretty good, too.

Edgar Taylor, who moved across the street last year, was wisecracking with A. L. Casey about an in-cubating and muzzled cow. O. H. Holladay dashed through town, evidently on the road to town or a trade. P. A. Miller, who has seen plenty of Scurry County depressions and droughts, was his usual amiable self.

Two or three wagons were in the tin yard—and it's almost February. The road from Snyder to Ira was well populated with walkers and wagons and workers. A few patches of cotton were still white. One could almost smell the good winter season in the ground.

Ira folks always have had the reputation for being in as good shape as anybody, and in better shape than many others. That's bound to be true this year.

DUNN ALMOST CINCHES TITLE

By winning two more games last week, thereby running their win total to five in the county round-robin basketball tournament, the Dunn Owls kept their 1,000 per cent standing, and virtually cinched the county crown for the second consecutive year.

Byron was the Dunn victor Tuesday of last week, by a 38 to 15 score. The game was played at Byron. Fluvanna went down on the Owl court Friday, 30 to 13. Ira went to Hermleigh Tuesday, and won by a score of 24 to 16, while Hermleigh went to Byron Friday to avenge a former defeat, 23 to 18.

Out of eight more games, Dunn will play two, with Ira and Hermleigh. Fluvanna, second place team, has little chance of catching the leader, for her average is only 600 per cent, with three wins and two losses. Ira has won and lost two, while Hermleigh and Byron are tied for the cellar place, with one win and four losses each.

Bud Russell Leaves With Scurry County Liquor Law Breaker

Sheriff S. H. Newman went to Abilene Thursday with H. Pitts, convicted at the last term of district court to serve one year in the state penitentiary for liquor law violation. He was put on "Uncle Bud" Russell's "one-way wagon."

The veteran operator of the one-way van had five other prisoners during his school days in Cowtown. Two were from Lubbock County and three from Yoakum County.

After spending Friday night in Abilene, the penitentiary-bound car picked up three men from the Taylor County jail—Las Taylor, recently assessed one year on a liquor charge; Tracy Alvey, due to serve five years for auto theft, to which he pleaded guilty; and Roy Ferguson, alias Brian Britton, under two-year sentence for automobile theft.

Peck Morgan Returns.

Preston "Peck" Morgan returned to his home here a few days ago, after attending school in Port Worth for more than three months. Just before returning he took the examination in San Antonio looking to securing the title of "registered pharmacist," for which he prepared during his school days in Cowtown. Peck must wait several weeks before hearing from his examination.

Sermon Series Continues.

Pastor Philip C. McGahey's double series of sermons at the First Baptist Church will continue Sunday, he states. "The third sermon of the series on 'Hell,' Sunday evening, was not given last Sunday because of bacalaureate services. "Retribution in Hell" will be discussed next Sunday evening. The question, "Is a Soul Saved Eternally, or May It Fall Away and Be Lost?" will be answered by Sunday morning. His doctrinal sermon on "Preservation of the Saints."

Here Are Your FREE SWAP ADS!

WILL SWAP 14-inch P. & O. breaking plow for livestock or walking bumper.—E. U. Bullard, Route 1, Snyder. 33-2s

ITALIAN BEES with hives, to swap for anything of value that I can use.—H. M. Murphy, Route 1, Hermleigh. 33-2s

WHITE DOE RABBIT to swap for anything of value.—Louise Hardin, Woody's Service Station, telephone 14w. 33-2s

FOR TRADE—New 250-egg incubator, for brood sow or hens.—A. S. Baker, 701 21st Street. 33-2s

SWAP modern five-room pressed brick house, advantageously located, El Paso, for property of equal value in Snyder, Lubbock or Post. Value before depression \$4,000.—J. W. McCoach, Snyder. 33-2s

LET'S SWAP—Nearly new clay-baked gas heater, to swap for bookcase.—Ralph Hicks at Olds Service Station. 33-2s

TREE SPROUTS—Red posee plum, various varieties of pears and non-bearing mulberry sprouts, will trade for pigs.—Mrs. J. Ralph Hicks, 1811 Avenue O, phone 275. 33-2s

TRAIN ALMOST TAKES LIFE OF B. G. JOHNSON

Local Gas Office Manager Victim Of Santa Fe Grade Crossing Collision Monday.

B. G. Johnson, manager of the Community Natural Gas Company office here, barely escaped with his life early Monday afternoon when the light car in which he was riding was struck by a Santa Fe passenger train at the last grade crossing in Southeast Snyder.

First aid treatment was given at the Emergency Hospital, where he was rushed in an Odom ambulance. It was believed at first that his injuries would prove fatal, but gradual improvement will continue unless complications arise, the attending physician said yesterday.

Four broken ribs, a badly bruised back and lacerated hands were the chief tolls the crash claimed from Johnson. Two tendons were severed in one hand, but they will heal without permanent injury, it is believed.

Returning from the gas company's pump station just south of the Dumman filling station, the locomotive caught the rear of the light car and severed it so violently that the front of the vehicle struck the cab also. The engineer applied his brakes when it was evident that the accident could not be avoided, and stopped the train only a few yards past the crossing.

Johnson was quickly extricated from his demolished machine, and was rushed to the hospital. He did not lose consciousness, but suffered intense pain until first aid was given.

Laurant, recognized as one of the outstanding magicians of the country, will give a benefit performance at the high school auditorium Monday evening, with 50 per cent of the proceeds going to the school itself.

This "Man of Mystery," with his "Show of Wonders," has been widely advertised as an outstanding performer at the high school auditorium Monday evening, with 50 per cent of the proceeds going to the school itself.

High school students are busy selling tickets this week, and it is said that sales are more than encouraging. Admission prices have been reduced to 10 and 25 cents, all school students being admitted for a dime. Oats M. Moore, faculty member in charge of the performance, states that the many recommendations coming from all over the United States regarding the Laurant program is assurance of a wonderful evening of entertainment. The curtain goes up at 7:30 o'clock.

Laurant is described by the Chicago Tribune as "a magician of the first water." The Denver News says "Laurant is a magician of more than ordinary skill." The Journal of Lincoln, Nebraska, states that "his skillful tricks were punctuated with a running fire of clever talk that kept the big audience in gales of laughter." An Indiana paper speaks of him as "a master showman."

After four years of service to the Scurry County public, Mary Harkey, changed to local Western Union office, will leave tomorrow for a new position in Arkansas. She will be located at Morrilton, 40 miles from her home at Russellville, Arkansas.

Mary—everybody calls her Mary—came to Snyder in December, 1928, and has been active since that time in the business and social life of the community. "This is one of the grandest places on earth," she said yesterday, "and I feel almost as if I am leaving my own home." Her many friends here in turn, have sentiments of the same nature.

Mary's place here has been taken by P. E. Smith, who transfers from the Morrilton office. He arrived Wednesday.

R. B. Bryant is visitor.

R. B. Bryant of Stamford, general manager of the Bryant-Kirk stores of West Texas, was a visitor at the local store Tuesday. He is making a tour of the group of stores preparatory to leaving for market in a few days. "We are in the white-hot spot on the business map of the nation, and I believe we will stay there," he told a Times reporter.

MYSTERY MAN



This is Laurant, "Man of Mystery," who will give a school benefit program at the high school auditorium Monday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. He is recognized as one of America's outstanding magicians. Fifty per cent of all receipts will go to local schools.

DIAL SPEAKS TO GRADS SUNDAY

With Bible quotations from Acts and Psalms as a background, Bro. O. D. Dial, minister of the Church of Christ, delivered a stirring message to the mid-term graduating class of Snyder High School Sunday night in the school auditorium. A good-size crowd of community folks shared the message with the 11 senior A's composing the class.

"Get knowledge, and with all thy getting get understanding" was the central theme of the address. The local minister urged the young people of his audience to remember God, nature and the better things of life as they journey through this earthly pilgrimage, always mindful that there is a Superior Ruler to those of this sphere. Athelism and its blighting effects on humanity were scored by the speaker in scathing words. Parents of the younger generation were admonished to give their children christian environment in the home, then give them opportunities to acquire learning.

Mrs. Melvin Blackard presided at the piano for the professional and valedictory. A choral club of high school girls, under direction of Miss Helen Boren, rendered two numbers, while P. Bennek, accompanied by a daughter at the piano, favored the audience with a violin solo. A. G. Alexander, Rev. S. H. Young and Superintendent C. Wedgeworth took part in the service.

Conoco Offering \$10,000 In Money For Naming Gas

Ten thousand dollars in cash will be given by the Continental Oil Company for a name and slogan pertaining to its new type gasoline, according to announcement made this week. The latest of the well known Conoco products is said to be entirely different from any other gasoline, and especially adapted to instant starting and lightning pick-up.

The Times has been selected as one of the papers through which the contest will be advertised. Complete details of the contest will be found in the first advertisement of a series to be run this year, on page 3 of this paper.

W. E. Deak, Scurry County agent for Conoco products, expects considerable local interest in the contest. He recalls that a similar contest conducted by the company last year, extensively advertised in The Times and other newspapers, created no end of comment, and brought forth a number of entrants from this territory.

The Continental Oil Company has employed weekly newspaper advertising for several consecutive years. That the expenditure has been highly successful is reflected in the fact that the Times schedule for 1933 calls for an increase of about 35 per cent over 1932.

The Snyder Garage here, Eugene Kruse at Ira, and A. F. Barnett at Union, are Scurry County retailers of Conoco products.

M. P. White Opens New Produce House

Opening of an independent produce house, first door west of the Times office, was announced early this week by M. P. White, who is owner and manager of the new concern.

A resident of Scurry County for 32 years, and an active producer and handler for 11 years, Mr. White offers plenty of experience, plus a reputation for fair dealing and honest weights, built up during his long residence here.

The new house is buying chickens, eggs, cream, hides and other such produce of all kinds.

FACULTY PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT AIDS CHILDREN

Undernourished Kiddies to Be Fed From Admission Money; 10 Cents for Everyone.

If you have eyes and ears for keen comedy and music, and if you have a heart that stretches out to help kiddies who don't have enough to eat, you will be at the high school auditorium Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

With a cast that includes every member of the local faculty, "When Jane Takes a Hand" seems destined to make a very firm impression on the minds of Snyder folks. Ticket sales have been wonderful, many business men purchasing several to help the milk and bread fund.

Every dime—and anyone will be admitted for 10 cents—will help to purchase noonday meals for the kiddies who come to school without enough nourishment to keep them healthy and warm. A similar play for the same purpose last year drew an overflow crowd.

Vaudeville and music of various moods will be featured before and during the main play. The school orchestra will furnish the musical background.

When you see and hear the self-styled band on its Friday afternoon promenade through the business section, you may know that "When Jane Takes a Hand" is being advertised.

MISSING NEGRO IS FOUND DEAD

The partly decomposed body of a negro cotton picker called "Shef" was found in a pasture of the Snyder ranch, northeast of Snyder, Thursday of last week, 11 days after he had disappeared from the Morgan farm nearby. Mrs. Johnson made the discovery while riding the range with her husband.

Otis Sauls, another transient negro, was arrested by Sheriff S. H. Newman at a local gin on the Wednesday morning following disappearance of "Shef." Two negro women on the Morgan place had reported on the preceding day that the negro had not been seen since he left Sunday morning with Sauls, although Sauls had returned about 4:00 o'clock the same afternoon.

Sauls was grilling continuously at the county jail on suspicion of killing the negro who had disappeared. Robbery was believed to have been the motive, since "Shef" is said to have been carrying between \$35 and \$70. Sauls was finally turned out on Tuesday night, preceding finding of the body, since a careful investigation and search on the Johnson ranch had failed to disclose a sign of the missing black.

Word from Waxahachie, former home of the suspected killer, indicates that Sauls may be found if he returns to East Texas. He is reported to have been seen going north the day after his release.

Several from Snyder Attend Funeral For Mrs. Burns At Spur

Many friends and relatives from Snyder attended the funeral rites for Mrs. David Burns, held at the First Methodist Church in Spur Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Burns, sister of Mrs. Clyde Shull and Miss Vesta Green of this city, died early Sunday morning at a hospital in Lubbock, following a month of serious illness.

She survived by her husband; a little daughter, Tippy, six years old; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Green; and a brother, Carl, all of Spur; and by two sisters, Mrs. Shull and Miss Green.

Those attending from Snyder included Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Rodgers, Mrs. Cleve Blackard, Miss Gwendolyn Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Stinson, Misses Lil Jo Wilson and May McClintock, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vann, Arthur Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown, Mrs. Bertie Bell Putman and little daughter, Patsy, and Misses E. M. Denkins, Woodie Scarborough, T. L. Lollar, W. D. Beggs and J. G. Hicks.

Methodists Donate Feed To Orphanage

A carload of maize moved out of Snyder yesterday, bound for the Methodist orphanage at Waco. It was made possible by the big-heartedness of Scurry County members of the denomination.

The car contained, in addition to 20 tons of maize, 175 cans of food-stuffs. Pastor S. H. Young of the local church calls attention to the fact that 14 tons of feed was donated by Methodists of the Union community.

Seniors Draw Good Crowd To See Play

The senior mid-term comedy drama, "Her Aunt Elvira," proved to be a dramatic success Friday evening. The cast, composed entirely of members from the graduating class, under direction of Miss Helen Boren was pleasing to the good crowd that was present. About \$50 was netted from the performance.

Vocal numbers by Nell Carleton and between acts music by the orchestra were high points of the "extra" program.

John King Is Agent For Insurance Firm

John King announces his appointment this week as Scurry County agent for the Southwestern Life Insurance Company of Dallas. He is making his headquarters at the Manhattan Hotel, and already is active in his new work.

Mr. King states that his company is one of the outstanding policy writers in the state, and that its directorate includes Nathan Adams and other prominent financiers.

Many Readers Run Costless Swap Ads Under Times Offer

The Times offer to run swap ads with absolutely no cost to the advertiser was answered this week by a large number of readers, as the line-up at the bottom of this page testifies.

Chickens, livestock, farm implements, catarrhes, real estate, furniture—there you have it, part of the valuable stuff that is being offered for trade this week.

The publishers are fully convinced that free swap ads appeal to their readers, and that dozens of other farmers, ranchers and townpeople want to trade for something. Free swap ads will, therefore, be run again next week. Send, mail or bring your swap ad to the Times office in the regular classified columns, with non-swap ads, at far less than the regular rate. Pay one cent a word for each insertion, regardless of length. See the array of classifieds on page six.

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Old Commissioners' Court and New Judge Correct Error Concerning Disputed Plat Contract.

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All members of the old Commissioners' Court, as well as Robert H. Curran, the new county judge, signed the statement. It follows:

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This is written for the purpose of correcting the wrong impression left by the petition, and that the people may know that no contract has been let to enforce collection of delinquent taxes in this county, by suit or otherwise.

Judge Curran joins in the correctness of the above statement. JOHN E. SENTELL, JOHN C. DAY, H. C. FLOURNOY, L. E. GLAUNT, WALTER DOWELL, ROBERT H. CURRUITE.

Nominating Trio Named This Week For Civic Group

President Harrie Winston of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce has named R. J. Randall, A. C. Preuit and J. C. Smyth as a nominating committee, to suggest directors for the fiscal year.

The committee will report at a mass meeting for every Chamber of Commerce member, to be held at the hall Tuesday evening, February 7. Out of the group of suggestions that evening will be selected a complete corps of officials for the new year.

Other important business to be considered at the meeting next month includes choice of a secretary, plans for a community picnic and plans for 1933, report of all work done during the past year. The latter report, Secretary J. W. Scott points out, will include almost all activities relating to relief of distressed people, since that was the principal activity decided on at the beginning of last year.

CLOTHING FOR COUNTY NEEDED

Enough new quality clothing for 200 needy Scurry County families was received this week by the Red Cross, and is being distributed at the Chamber of Commerce hall. The shipment includes every article of clothing needed for infants, children, men and women, except shoes and hats, according to J. W. Scott, in charge of distribution.

Red Cross officials urge families from all parts of the county who are in need of clothing to call at the hall. A quantity of piece goods also is still on hand for distribution, as well as several hundred sacks of flour. It is believed that the need will be greatest between now and the beginning of spring, and an earnest effort is being made to give the clothing and flour to deserving families.

Ben F. Smith Given Position At Capitol

One of the 30 or 40 persons who are said to have been chosen for House of Representatives jobs out of a waiting list of more than 1,000 is Ben F. Smith of Snyder.

The former publisher is working as secretary for one of the House committees, it is understood. A. A. Bullock, Louise Darby and Mrs. Alma Buchanan are other Scurry County citizens holding new appointive places.

Morrow Baby Born.

Announcement was received here this week of the birth to Mr. and Mrs. James G. Morrow of Abilene of a son, James Marvin Morrow, born Saturday of last week. The new father, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morrow of Abilene, formerly lived here with his parents, and graduated from the local high school in 1923.

TAX PETITIONS CLAIMED TO BE WITHOUT BASIS

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The WOMAN'S Page

Miss Harkey Honoree At Farewell Party.

Miss Mary Harkey, who will leave tomorrow for Morrilton, Arkansas, to make her home, was the honoree Wednesday evening when Mrs. John Keller entertained with a bridge party and handkerchief shower at her pretty home on Avenue S.

The dining table was laid in a lace cloth and centered with a crystal bowl filled with red and white carnations. The red and white color scheme was used to carry out the Valentine motif. Miniature candy boxes, in the shape of hearts, marked places for the honoree and guests.

Mrs. H. G. Towle and Miss Harkey were winners of high score prizes for bridge play. The honoree was the recipient of lovely gifts from the guests.

A most delicious plate, also emphasizing the season motif, was served to Misses Loyce Clark, Grace Avery, Eula Pearl Ferguson, Mildred Harless and Elva Lemons; Misses C. Wedgeworth, H. G. Towle, Herbert Bannister, Melvin Blackard, P. W. Cloude, Roy McCurdy, Joe C. Stinson, Max Brownfield, J. D. Scott, Amos Joyce, Otis Moore and Sam Hamlett. Mrs. Keller was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Miss Wynona Keller.

Mrs. Smith Elected Study Club President.

Mrs. W. W. Smith was elected president of the Ingleside Study Club at a meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. H. Odum. Other new officers include: Mrs. Tom Boren, vice president; Mrs. R. S. Snow, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Noble, secretary; Mrs. Walla Fish, parliamentarian; and Mrs. R. J. Randals, reporter.

Subject for the afternoon's study was "Emerson." Mrs. Smith gave a biography of the writer, and a paper on "Emerson's Essays and Best Poems" was given by Mrs. Roy Strayhorn.

Mrs. Odum served fruit cake topped with whipped cream, coffee and nuts to the following members: Misses R. S. Snow, R. J. Randals, Tom Boren, J. W. Roberts, W. W. Smith, Neil Gross, Walla Fish, R. S. Sullivan, Roy Strayhorn, Charles Noble, A. E. Wise, Tale Lockhart, John Keller and C. W. Harless.

Missionary Society Meets In Yoder Home.

The Adult Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. P. Yoder, with Misses Yoder and R. E. Gray as hostesses.

Plans for financing during the new year were discussed during the business hour, and the society also voted to have its annual Martha Washington tea.

The devotional, scripture reading from Psalms, was led by Mrs. Joe Strayhorn. A hymn and prayer were under the direction of Mrs. W. W. Smith. A playlet was given with Misses Yoder, Gray, F. T. Jarrett, Charles Lewis, J. C. Forward, Smith, J. C. Stinson, A. C. Preult, Strayhorn, A. M. Curry and W. J. Ely taking part.

A pledge service was conducted by Mrs. Yoder, and Mrs. Strayhorn gave the bulletin. Refreshments were served to 20 members and one guest.

Carolyn Dunn Given Birthday Party.

Mrs. Nelson Dunn entertained Friday afternoon with a party for her little daughter, Carolyn, who was celebrating her tenth birthday.

The honoree enjoyed many gifts, and one of the guests, Wanda Devenport, who also was 10 years old Friday, also received surprise gifts. Various games were played, after which Mrs. Dunn, assisted by her sister, Miss Katie Dorfman, served refreshments. A very clever motif, that of a snowman, was carried out in the party invitations, place cards and even the birthday cake was in the shape of a large snowman.

Guests were Miriam Scott, Mary Jo Shields, Wanda Devenport, Jaulene Burt, Horence Leath, Nell Verus LeKond, Wanda Lee Spradley, Olna Broadfoot, Wilota Hart, Sybil Irvin, Cyrella Fish, Darlene Bowling, Carolyn Henderson of Ira, Douglas West, David Scott, Marshall Erwin and Charley Dunn.

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Altrurian Daughters Hold Business Meet.

The annual business meeting for the Altrurian Daughters Club was held Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Forest Wade, 1104 Twenty-Sixth Street.

The following business officers were elected by the club: Mrs. Max Brownfield, president; Mrs. Elmer Spears, vice president; Miss Wautina Darby, recording secretary; Miss Kenneth Alexander, corresponding secretary; Miss Grace Avery, treasurer; and Miss Margaret Dell Prim, parliamentarian.

Miss Nettie Ross Cunningham directed a splendid parliamentary drill, after which Mrs. Wade served a dainty salad plate to Misses Cleve Blackard, P. W. Cloude, Otis Moore, J. D. Scott, Elmer Spears, Herbert Bannister and Max Brownfield; Misses Kenneth Alexander, Grace Avery, Helen Boren, Mattie Ross and Maurine Cunningham, Doris Pope Elza, Mary Harkey, Margaret Dell Prim, Polly Porter, Dorothy Strayhorn and Opal Wedgeworth.

Seniors Entertained By Baptist W. M. S.

Members of the mid-term graduating class of Snyder High School were made honorees Tuesday evening when the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society entertained with a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams.

The following guests spoke interestingly on the subject, "Denominational Colleges" during the evening: R. L. Williams, principal of Snyder High School, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens, Mrs. J. C. Smyth and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Spears.

Various games, including fortune telling, were enjoyed, after which refreshments carrying out the class colors, purple and white, were served by Misses Wayne Williams and B. M. West.

Honorees present were Misses Louise Gibson, Eva Nelle Arnold, Saxton West, Dickie Lee Davis, Maxine Shuler and Wanda Benbenek; Messrs. Buck Howell, Roy Burnett and Theo Rigby, and the class sponsor, Miss Jo Halley. Other guests were Misses Frances Clementis and Effie McLeod, and Messrs. Rex Gladson, Billie Lee and Weldon Alexander.

Woman's Culture Has Interesting Study.

A very interesting study, "Short Story and Feature Writers," was enjoyed at a meeting of the Woman's Culture Club Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. P. Sears.

Director for the program was Mrs. W. G. Williams. Members mentioned a favorite newspaper or magazine in answer to roll call. A short story by Norma Patterson, with a sketch of her life was related by Mrs. J. A. Woodfin. Mrs. W. A. Morton gave a sketch of Mrs. Clifford Weaver, and Mrs. Sears told the short story, "A Little Clown Lost" by Benefield. A short sketch of Barry Benefield's life was given by Mrs. P. C. Chenuit. Mrs. J. R. Hucklebee read a paper on "Feature Writers."

Refreshments were served to Misses A. C. Alexander, J. P. Avery, F. M. Brownfield, J. L. Caskey, P. C. Chenuit, R. E. Gray, J. R. Hucklebee, W. A. Morton, E. C. Neely, E. E. Weathersbee, W. G. Williams and J. A. Woodfin.

Mrs. Fred Grayum Entertains Altrurians.

Mrs. Fred Grayum, 2811 Avenue T, was hostess to the Altrurian Club Friday afternoon, at which time Mrs. H. P. Brown directed the interesting study, "Problems of Adjustment: Emotional."

Conflicting Choices of Women" was Mrs. H. G. Towle's topic. Mrs. E. J. Anderson spoke on "The Man Made World and Its Effect Upon Woman's Psychology," and "To What Extent Are Men and Women Really Different?" was discussed by Mrs. W. R. Bell. Piano selections were played by Mrs. A. C. Preult.

A delicious refreshment plate was passed to Misses Horace Eiland, I. A. Griffin, Willis Rodgers and Emma Bibbee, guests; and to Misses E. J. Anderson, W. R. Bell, H. P. Brown, R. L. Miller, Joe Caton, R. H. Curritte, R. D. English, G. A. Hagan, W. W. Hamilton, C. C. Higgins, J. W. Leftwich, A. C. Preult, J. C. Stinson, H. G. Towle, L. T. Stinson and C. J. Yoder.

Miss Johnnie Mathison, student at C. I. A., Denton, who has been in a hospital for several days, is reported improved by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mathison.

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"BIGGEST LAUNDRY IN TOWN" PHONE 211

Snyder Laundry & Dry Cleaners

VERY LATEST By Patricia Dow

Printed silk dresses and frocks now making their appearance for a new season, have evidently followed a cut from winter apparel's popularity in bright colors. Prints being shown have bright colored backgrounds, such as pumpkin, light reds, romantic greens, gold, light blue and rose as well as gray and beige.



In design the patterns are brush or freehand motifs. They are modeled in simple tailored effects. The patterns seemingly are selected to harmonize well with current colors in winter coats, which shows that the designers are at last recognizing the need of giving the wearer an opportunity to be well dressed without purchase of an entire new costume.

The illustration above portrays one of the popular new spring print models. It is a pumpkin ground with a romantic green and black pattern.

Mrs. Vern McMullan Is Sine Cura Hostess.

Mrs. Vern McMullan recently entertained the Sine Cura Club at the home of Mrs. R. H. Curritte Sr.

Mrs. O. P. Thraue was declared winner of high score at the conclusion of the enjoyable bridge play.

Refreshments were served to Misses W. R. Johnson, H. G. Towle, Hugh Boren, O. P. Thraue, Garrett Harrell, Ernest Taylor, W. B. Lee, Wayne Boren, A. D. Erwin, Forest Sears, R. H. Curritte and A. J. Towle.

Miss Saxton West will leave Saturday for Waco, where she will enter Baylor University.

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Roast Rib .08

CHILI MEAT .10

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Parent-Teachers Meet on Thursday.

A meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held in the high school auditorium Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. M. West, president, presiding.

Following the business hour, an enjoyable program was rendered, special music being furnished by the school orchestra. A round table discussion on the following subjects was held: "Are We Practicing the Psychology We Teach Our Children?" "Are Fathers Doing Their Part to Better Lives of Their Children or Are They Just Broad-Whiners?" "What Is Our School Doing to Teach Habits?" "Are We Putting Our Children First in the Affairs of Home, Community and Nation?" and "Are We Teaching Children to Understand and Guard Their Personality as Their Most Precious Right?"

It is being urged by the association that more parents attend the meetings, which are held on the afternoons of the third Thursday in each month. A variety of worthwhile programs have been planned for the occasions.

Woodman Circle Elects New Officers.

Thanksgiving Grove No. 1289 of the Woodman Circle met Thursday, January 19, elected and installed officers for the coming year.

Mrs. F. M. Brownfield was elected guardian; Mrs. C. L. Banks, past guardian; Mrs. H. V. Williams was re-elected corresponding and recording secretary; Mrs. Gertie Lee Clark, banker; Mrs. Emma LaRue, chairman of auditors; Mrs. Guy Adams, second auditor; Mrs. C. W. Hutcheson, third auditor; Mrs. Pearl L. Webb, advisor; Mrs. Bertha White, chaplain; Miss Laura E. Banks, attendant; Miss Floye D. Brownfield, assistant attendant; Mrs. Myrtle Watkins, inner sentinel; Mrs. Zada Virginia Taylor, outer sentinel; Mrs. Arizona Leach, musician; Miss Laura E. Banks, junior supervisor.

After the election the beautiful ceremony of installation and initiation into their offices took place, after which the grove closed with good fellowship and happy hearts.

Several of the members then carried pot pans to a sick member.

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Miss Rea M. Haines of Dayton, Ohio, writes: "I weighed 180 so started to take Kruschen. I never was so surprised as when I weighed myself in water, I lost seven pounds. I just bought my third jar and am down to 145—am still taking them and never felt better in my life." (June 17, 1932).

To take off fat—take one-half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast—one bottle that lasts four weeks costs but a few cents—get it at any drug store in America. If this first bottle fails to convince you this is the SAFE and harmless way to lose fat—your money gladly refund the money then. Don't accept anything but Kruschen because you must reduce safely.—adv. Q-2

Shower Given For Recent Bride by Class.

The Sunday School class of Mrs. D. P. Yoder of the First Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. R. E. Gray and presented Mrs. Elmer Williams with a miscellaneous bridal shower. Many useful and pretty gifts were given and received.

After a pleasant time of happiness and enjoyment, delicious refreshments were served to the teacher, Mrs. Yoder, and the class of young ladies and the honoree who is a member of the class.

San Souci Club Is Entertained Tuesday.

Members and guests of the San Souci Club were delightedly entertained Tuesday evening when Miss Elva Lemons was hostess at the home of Mrs. George Northcutt.

Dainty plates was passed to Misses Albert Norred, Wayne Boren, E. J. Anderson, C. Wedgeworth, Melvin Blackard and Forest Sears, Misses Opal Wedgeworth, Mattie Ross and Maurine Cunningham, Bonnie Gary, Maggie Norred, Hatlie and Gertrude Horn, Neoma Strayhorn and Josie Stinson, members; and to Misses J. C. Dorward, George Northcutt, H. G. Towle, C. W. Harless, W. W. Hamilton, G. B. Clark Jr. and Amos Joyce, Misses Loyce Clark and Allethe West, guests.

Fifth Monday Meeting Be Held Next Week.

The regular fifth Monday meeting of the various Women's Missionary Societies in the city will be held Monday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, at the First Christian Church.

The following program has been arranged: After the opening song, Mrs. George McDowell will lead in prayer. Scripture will be read by Mrs. Nettie Wasson, and music will be furnished by Misses Willis Rodgers and Willard Jones and Mrs. Homer Snyder. A reading will be given by Mrs. Charles Owens, after which Miss Eula Pearl Ferguson will play piano selections. Mrs. Hugh Boren will read a paper, followed by the closing prayer, led by Mrs. Joe Strayhorn.

Free swap ads next week.

Afternoon Club Meets At Manhattan Hotel.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. E. M. Deakins at the Manhattan Hotel.

During a short business session it was voted by the club to take up contract bridge.

Following the enjoyable games, a delicious salad plate was served to Misses Nathan Rosenberg and W. D. Beggs, guests; and to Misses Gertie Smith, T. L. Lollar, H. J. Brice, W. J. Ely, W. H. Cable, Sidney Johnson, J. C. Dorward, Joe Strayhorn, W. M. Scott and R. L. Miller.

Miss Polly Merrill spent the weekend with friends and relatives in Dallas.

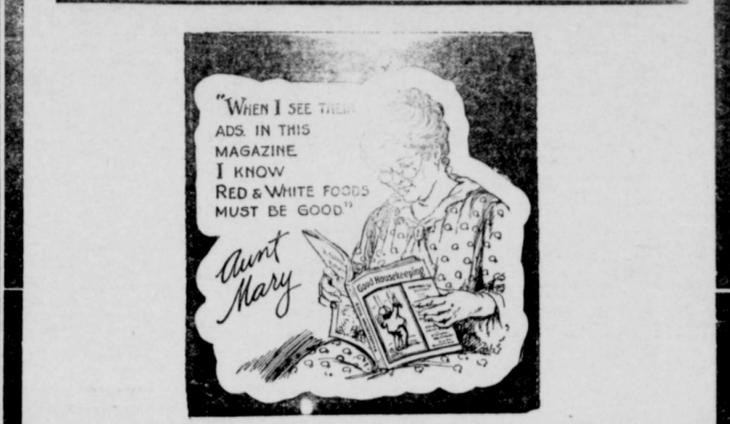
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BEATEN PATHS FORGOTTEN BY DEAN WIGGINS

Commencement Speaker Discusses Syncro-Mesh System of Living; Nine Receive Diplomas.

Departing largely from the beaten paths that commencement speakers have been trodding since graduates have been graduating, Dean D. M. Wiggins of Simmons University, high school commencement speaker, gave a brilliant and inspiring discussion Monday night of the syncro-mesh system of living.

Life is one of the prettiest things imaginable, declared the visitor from Abilene, if it changes gears according to the 1933 syncro-mesh system—without grinding and rattling. He prescribed humanism, the ability to get along with one's fellows, to be mixed with mechanism as a cure for many of the world's ills.

Nine Get Diplomas.

After Dr. Wiggins' short but penetrating address, Principal R. L. Williams presented the mid-term graduating class, and Superintendent C. Wedgeworth awarded the diplomas and other honors incidental to graduation. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Phillip C. McGehey.

Dixie Lee Davis, with an average of 90.1, is valedictorian of the class. Eva Nellie Arnold was a close second for salutatorian honors. Saxton West was declared to be the outstanding graduate from the standpoint of the service point system, introduced last year, which considers every phase of a student's activities. Her name will be engraved on a plaque, provided last year as a permanent memento to the outstanding graduate from each class.

Many Spring Grads.

The mid-term class is one of the smallest in the recent history of the school, but an exceedingly large class will be graduated in the spring. Several who could have finished their work this term chose to continue their work until late in May.

Miss Helen Boren played the professional as the graduates marched into the auditorium Monday evening. Rev. S. H. Young gave the invocation following a piano solo by Miss Boren. C. S. Owens rendered a vocal selection. The speaker of the evening was introduced by the superintendent.

The program was heard by a crowd whose enthusiasm was a reconciliation for its medium size.

"Stand Up and Take It."

Dean Wiggins told his youthful hearers that the world is too much filled with the people who are willing to build up, but who do not have the courage to stand up and take it when adversity comes. A boy or a girl who can stand up and take it, who learns that the true happiness of living is in doing service, is well educated regardless of the grades he makes in school.

"If we let our school system drop," the speaker declared, "this country will go to ruin. Although times are hard, and we have to do without many things, let us hold our schools up . . . the school is worth keeping if it does nothing more than to keep children off the streets."

The visitor's constant comparisons with the syncro-mesh transmission system very aptly carried the figure of speech throughout his address.

Farm Women Improve Homes.

Farm women in Dickens County last year improved 162 bedrooms to make them beautiful and comfortable, and 4-H club girls improved 114 rooms, the home demonstration agent reports. There were 46 clothes closets built, 55 mattresses made, and 95 pieces of furniture re-finished. Many rooms were papered and the floors and woodwork re-finished.



Dietrich Is Sued

Marlene Dietrich, screen star and possessor of shapely legs, hides all under a great coat and newly adopted mannish trouser make-up and confers daily with her lawyer about the \$200,000 suit filed against her by movie producers, alleging refusal to act in pictures in which she signed to appear.

Stories Will Be Told As Part of Schools' League

Story telling will be introduced into Interscholastic League work in Scurry County for the first time this year, according to Mrs. W. P. King, Ira teacher, who is director of this phase of the schools' work.

"Story telling is a valuable art that should be revived," says the director. "May we urge every school in the county to enter its talent."

Following are rules to be followed in connection with the new contest:

1. Eligibility.—Each school in the county may enter six contestants from grades one to seven, inclusive.
2. Classification.—There shall be two general divisions, one for the rural schools, and one for all other schools. In each of these main divisions there shall be three sub-divisions: (a) Primary—Grades one, two and three; (b) intermediate—grades four and five; (c) junior high—grades six and seven. Each entry shall compete in his or her appropriate division.
3. Kinds of Stories.—(a) Primary—accumulative, animals, nature, fable, fairy; (b) intermediate—hero, fairy, nature, realistic, adventure, animal; (c) junior high—adventure, historical, hero, romantic, Bible, fairy, myth.
4. Length of Time.—No story shall exceed five minutes.
5. Rules for Conducting the Contest.—This contest shall be conducted according to rules in declamation.
6. Instruction for the Judges.—This is a contest in expression and interpretation. The one telling the story must lose himself in the story and be able to carry the listeners with him.

Visiting cards at Times office.

BOOKS!

Rental Library
Notary Work

Mabel Y. German
1st Door South Theatre

Merritt Says Job Seekers Biggest Problem Before New Administration

Scurry County's representative in the State Legislature is on the job at Austin, looking after the best interests of his district, he states in a letter to The Times this week. Joe Merritt, newly-elected official, is not a new figure in the capital, he having served in the same position several years ago.

The letter follows:

Since I am spending this afternoon in my room resting up for tomorrow, I thought a few lines to the readers of your paper from me might be of some interest.

First, I am here on the job every day, but to date the Legislature has done nothing that amounts to anything except listen to the pleas of job hunters. I have never been in all of my life anything to compare with the situation. Just think of 1,500 applications for clerks and stenographers' places, and less than 100 places to let!

Well, so far as I know, our state set a new precedent in the inauguration of the governor, as the lieutenant governor was given the oath of office first since the outgoing governor refused to have a thing to do with the ceremonies. I suppose there is no obligation binding him to be present, and nothing in the constitution prohibiting such action; at least, this was the plan carried out.

Since Mrs. Ferguson took office the town has been running over with job-seekers and they seem to think all that has to be done is to jump on their representative and almost force him to go down and talk with the Ferguson's and they will hand out the pie, when the fact is they do not have much pie to hand out, and my judgment is that they will not have for there is only just a few of the departmental heads to change up—therefore, will not be many changes to make.

In the beginning of the organization of the House I digressed just a little from my former statement in your paper. It was this way: After the assistant reading clerk was elected, who happened to be a preacher, there was a resolution offered to have him act as chaplain also, thereby abolishing the office of chaplain, which is an elective place and he receives \$5 per day for his services. To have abolished the place would have been setting a precedent no other state has ever done, and I am glad the writers of the rules of the House saw fit to place in the elective column of the machinery of the House that of chaplain. I suspect they borrowed this from the House of Representatives in Congress, and those rules were written by that most matchless statesman, Thomas Jefferson, and I suspect he got his idea from the very first chapter of the Bible, the very first verse, and the very first word in the beginning—God. This is my first reason for voting like I did; and second, I was afraid he would read everything but the Bible; and third, I believe this outfit needs someone to pray for them anyway.

I started out by voting to cut my own salary to \$8 per day because I could not consistently vote to cut anything and not vote to cut my own salary. Now I am being flooded with mail from all over the state, from every walk of life, except the farmer. The plea is, "Don't let them cut my salary;" "don't let them ruin our college." I am sure many of those letters have been prepared by the heads of those schools and passed out for signatures. Then there is the horse racing bill, repeal of the Dean law, the flat sales tax bill, along with others too numerous to mention; and a lot of the church people are calling on me to fight those things—"for they will destroy the morals of the country." Now, listen, brethren, I go a step further than you do: I believe it is just as much harm to gamble on one thing as another, and not one of you has mentioned the football games (and they do not bring in one penny of revenue to the state), but they tell me the horse racing bill will relieve the farmer with the flat sales tax and repeal of the Dean law. We had better stop and think before we act.

I am not hypnotized or hoodwinked. My heart and soul are in sympathy with the under-dog. I pledged myself to the people of our district what I would try to do, so I am "standing latched."

So may it be.

J. A. MERRITT.
Austin, January 22.

New Manager Takes Over Produce House

A change in management at the Snyder Produce Company was effective last week, with the coming of J. F. Parker from Abilene to take the place formerly occupied by M. P. White, who has opened an independent produce house.

Associated with the new manager is Carl Eilenberger, also of Abilene. The concern will continue to operate as a branch of the Western Produce Company.

We don't have much money, but everybody has something to swap. Try one of the free Times ads next week.

Hornsby Now Working



Roger Hornsby, turbulent baseball star, is working daily in a St. Louis gymnasium to be in shape for his attempted comeback as a player at second base for the Cardinals this year, the team he leads to a championship several seasons ago.

Bees Show Big Gains

Since going on feed last June, the 30 Menard County 4-H Club baby bees have averaged 2½ pounds of gain daily.

What have you to swap? Your neighbor may need it. He reads The Times.

GINNINGS JUMP BEYOND 50000

With practically all Scurry County gins continuing to run several hours a day, total ginnings have already stepped well beyond 50,000 bales for the season, with a promise of between 50,000 and 57,000 before the whirl of the machinery ends.

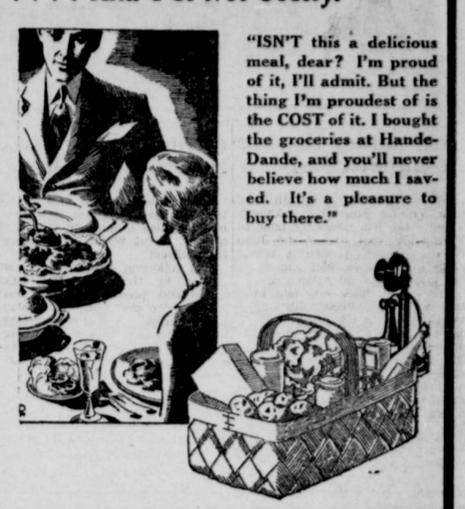
An official report obtained by the Fuller Cotton Oil Company late in December placed Snyder ginnings at 24,282 and others in the county at 22,704, a total of 46,986. The Times secured accurate figures placing the Snyder total Thursday morning at 28,235. Based on the proportion of increase shown through the season at the county's other gins, about 26,704 bales have been ginned at Ira, Fluvanna, Hermleigh, Inadale and China Grove.

Based on these figures, the county has ginned 51,939 bales to date. It is estimated that at least 1,000 bales remain in the fields.

Ensilage Doubles Milk Yield

Ensilage from a trench silo doubled the milk production of 12 cows in 10 days for Mrs. C. G. Good, dairy herd demonstrator in Jackson County. It was a silo dug late in the summer and filled with late feed at a filling cost of \$1 per ton, states the county agent.

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Butter Fresh Country—Per Pound **.23**
Coffee Brazos—With Cup and Saucer 3-Pound Can **.75**

OATS
Blue Bell, Quick Cooking—55 Ounce Pkg... **11c**
Lily of Valley—8-Ounce Can **.5**

Peas Ambassador—Per Roll **.5**

Toilet Paper **.5**

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Mexico, RECLEANED—10 Pounds **33c**

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Aywon Mouth Wash **25c**

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The Times Creed.

For the cause that needs assistance;
For the wrongs that need resistance;
For the future in the distance,
And the good that we can do.

THE WEEKLY DOZEN.

No Ashes to Unload.

Some of our governmental efforts at economy remind us of the old darkie who hauled ashes. Asked where he unloaded all the ashes he hauled, he replied: "I don't have no ashes to unload. You see, it's dis way: My wagon has so many cracks in it, and the roads is so rough that when I gets where I go, they jus ain't no ashes!"

How Many Acres?

The false idea that a man must have at least a half section of land before he is a real farmer has done plenty of misery in West Texas. With few exceptions, the farmer who has intensively cultivated every acre of tillable land on his place, no matter the size of the place, has come out of the maze of low prices in much better shape than the farmer with acres as far as eye can see.

What Will the Hogs Do?

A bill that has already passed the House of Representatives at Washington would limit pork production and place a new tax on the packer. When you consider that a big new force of federal employees would be necessary to keep up with production and packing, and when you further consider that the tax will be passed on to the consumer—as practically all taxes are passed on—then the bill looks like another ill-considered measure that helps nobody except the government spendthrifts.

Hustling for Business.

If the depression does nothing more than weed out the merchants and other business men who persistently refuse to hustle for trade, it will have been worth all its pain and grimaces. The sensational type of hustling that precipitated the giant credit chain went to the extreme; the stick-in-the-mudder goes to the other extreme. A happy medium of salesmanship that employs clean, straight-forward advertising will bring in the major portion of business that will start the country on a new road of progress.

What's This, Mister?

"The bulk of the daily press is fighting blindly and often stupidly for the old political and economic system," according to Oswald Garrison Villard, one of our so-called radical magazine writers. "It has no new program, no plan for reconstruction or reorganization; it merely holds on, hoping that somehow or other prosperity will return so that there may be business at the old stand in the good old way." That sounds rather good to us, after reading so many trite depression cures and discussions.

About the Gasoline Tax.

The Times is opposed to diverting any more of the gasoline tax to non-highway purposes. Why make the car owner pay for our schools and practically everything else that comes under the state government's jurisdiction? Already the gasoline tax pays over 40 per cent of the state's entire revenue, and already half of this amount has been diverted into school and county bond channels. Where is the old-fashioned legislator who yelled for reduction of government expenses rather than robbing Peter to pay Paul?

High Marks and Success.

A series of articles in "The Interscholastic Leaguer" proves beyond doubt that men who make high grades while in college are practically the only college graduates who succeed when they get into the big game of life. Success, in this case, means the good-will of one's fellows as well as financial rise. The few exceptions to the rule make some people who are opposed to higher education point with an "I told you so" air to dumbbells who happen to hit the road to success. If you have the "stuff," the chances are it will come out while you are young.

Cosmetics for West Texas.

A new line of cosmetics that is designed to cope with the windy weather of West Texas is being manufactured in Lubbock, a rosy letter of announcement tells us. These are the only cosmetics known to fit the needs of women living in this area, the manufacturers claim. Our well wishes go with these manufacturers who dare to fly in the face of Parisian and New York products. Mildred of the West has so long purchased her facial requisites according to dictates from the East that the Lubbock men are to be admired for their courage. Buy it made in West Texas!

The Small Town's Place.

Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce of the United States, upheld the view in a radio talk Sunday evening that students of business matters should not concentrate unduly upon the big industrial centers and money trusts of the country, but should also scrutinize with utmost care the conditions, sentiments and efforts in the smaller communities. From the well-spring of small-town vigor and intelligence, the assistant secretary believes, pots for our

What About Prohibition In Scurry County?

All of us read about prohibition in the United States and prohibition in Texas, but what about prohibition in Scurry County?

Are the majority of our voting citizens favorable to the eighteenth amendment or opposed to the eighteenth amendment? Do most of them believe that prohibition has been a failure, or do the rank and file think that "the noble experiment" has been a success?

A supposed news article from the headquarters of the Texas Federation of Anti-Prohibition Clubs, Houston, may help answer these questions.

The eighteenth congressional district favored submission in the primaries of July 23 last year by a vote of 37,711 to 25,381 against, the article relates. This is a majority of 12,330 for submission. Representative Joe Merrill's hundred and eighteenth district favored submission by a vote of 2,035 to 1,730. The Scurry County vote was 777 for, 776 against.

Does this vote mean that Scurry and most of the other 52 counties of Marvin Jones' district want to see a return of the open saloon? Does it mean that they want to see the amendment repealed, and nothing put in its place? Or does it mean that they want mild beer served over the counters of local cold drink stands and over the real bars that would spring up?

It is the studied opinion of this paper that the majority of the people want neither of these eventualities. Many Scurry County people, as well as many people in other parts of the state, voted for submission of the amendment simply because they are democratic to the core—because they want to give the wets an opportunity to go down in a more bitter defeat than they knew when the eighteenth amendment was voted in. They are dries to the bone, and would not even favor the return of mild beer.

We believe that Congressman Marvin Jones, who is, if we understand correctly, a pronounced dry, voted for the Garner resolution submitting repeal of the eighteenth amendment, because he believed the people should be permitted to express their opinion on the matter, and because he felt that the majority of his constituents feel the same way about it.

This paper is unequivocally opposed to submission of the prohibition question at this time, in the face of the Jones vote, the Garner ballyhoo and the popular idea that the people should be allowed to vote at any time on anything that doesn't suit them to a "t."

A pamphlet issued by the federation of anti-prohibitionists begins a series of figures with a falsification. "Voters opposed to prohibition" are listed at 405,309, based on official returns of the Texas submission referendum, held July 23. Other figures show "voters favoring prohibition" and "majority opposed to prohibition." Actually, Texas voters did not express themselves for or against prohibition. They merely said, as outlined in a preceding paragraph of this editorial, that they wanted a chance to determine whether the people favor or do not favor the eighteenth amendment.

The wet propaganda is long and boisterous. It is filled with lies and cunning. It is saturated with the greed of brewers and liquor profiteers of various hues. It is financed by the millionaires, and exploded by their hirelings who will have better jobs if liquor revenues begin rolling in. It is paraded across the Senate chamber and flung across the House of Representatives hall by demagogue politicians who take their pay from golden hands. It is written into party platforms by delegates hand-picked by wet interests.

The Scurry County vote for submission was 777 votes; against, 776 votes. Who can say that even a small majority of our voters would favor planting a saloon at every corner of the Snyder square, or that they would even favor slipping "mild beer" down the throats of their sons and daughters?

The Times has no patience with fathers and mothers who calmly fold their hands and say, "What can we do about it?" It has still less patience with the ardent prohibitionists who have been hoodwinked into believing that the liquor traffic, controlled by the statutes of prohibition, is half as hellish as it was under the open-air regime.

It is our opinion that Joe Merrill, our state representative, and Wilbourne B. Collier, our state senator, will do a lot of brain work before they swallow the wet propaganda . . . and that they will vote thumbs down on any effort to weaken the greatest single group of statutes this country has written in a generation or more.

A small boy visitor to Camp Camden, one of the "bonus" veterans' encampments in Washington, was informed that a particular bonusaire was a cowboy, though unemployed at present.

"Why, he's no cowboy," exclaimed the lad, "he ain't bowlegged enough."

The lanky Westerner overheard.

"Sonny," he explained, "I reckon the horses I've been riding since the depression weren't so fat."

"And now you say you wish your husband back again. I thought you only married him for his money, anyway."

"Yes, but I have had so much trouble with lawyers in trying to settle the estate!"

business recovery are flowing, and are destined to gain in strength. And to think that a man with such vision and forethought should be in a Republican cabinet!

Pete Likes the Weather.

Pessimism Pete agrees that West Texas weather is not always a bed of roses. "But," says he, "I'd rather live in Scurry County, eat sand in the spring, cotton in the fall and canned peas in the winter than to live in paradise with the kind of folks you usually find where the weather is perfect."

Another Tech Supporter.

From all sections of the state have come protests against the suggestion that Texas Tech be reverted to the college class. A Dallas man, for instance, says: "No false standard of economy should be permitted to thwart our will in this regard, and no political considerations should be allowed to come between Tech and the unlimited development of her people and her resources, and no selfishness of those in office should be tolerated when they preach the doctrine of going backward instead of moving forward. There is no relief which can come to a state when it takes a backward step."

Whither Away, School Fund?

School men over all the state are walling—justly, in most cases—because the per capita state aid may be reduced far below its present level. Legislators are alert to find new ways of revenue to prevent this catastrophe. Moore Lynn, state auditor, has another idea: "Drastic re-organization of the school system was suggested as a possible way to cope, in part, with the situation. . . . The public school system is not organized for efficiency and economy in operation." But whoever heard of a Legislature listening to a mere auditor? We'll bet our last worn dollar bill that Ferguson and company give Brother Lynn's idea a kick in the shins.

CURRENT COMMENT

BY LEON GUINN

Driving the Texas longhorn up the Chisholm Trail used to make a cowboy's life hard work, and for Texans the once invincible longhorn created a ranching empire rich in legend, minerals and hospitality.

Although longhorns went out of style when box cars came to replace driving the old school of cattle, men can never forget the part the longhorn played in the drama of turbulent Texas, when no fence ribbon lined the range and Judge Roy Bean was the "law west of the Pecos"—what law there might have been west of the rippling waters.

In a day when shorthorn cattle are found in every nook and corner of Texas, and ranchers drive good automobiles, it is interesting to know that a remnant of the lanky, fleet-footed longhorns are being preserved for posterity in the Wichita National Forest in Oklahoma under the expert care of Harry H. French. . . . Unmindful of sophisticated civilization, the herd grazes peacefully over the thousands of fertile acres a foresighted and kindly government provides. . . . Perhaps the six-foot spread of horns shakes a bit and the spotted, close-ribbed longhorn gazes wistfully across the miles to modernistic Texas, his home of yesterday.

Once West Texas could boast acres of spear-shaped horns; now a herd of 100 is being kept in Oklahoma for our grandchildren to view, somewhat amazed perhaps, that an empire was founded with gauky hoofs and "sun-kissed" hides. . . . Kipling might have called it acres of diamonds. Shelley might have been gleeful at the following fresco of nature—but the thousands of longhorns plodding to an open market gave Texans a toe-hold on cultured living and provided our capitol at Austin with the money necessary to homestead a kingdom more vast than Kubla Khan's, more beautiful than the emerald isle so dear to the Irishman.

To the north of the picturesque herd is a large Indian reservation; nearby Lost Lake; while at eventide may be discerned wild turkey nesting in lofty trees—yet the now solitary herd finds a range unattained by erudite citizens. . . . Texas ranchers planned the permanent home of the all-but-vanished longhorn while proud Texas pays homage to this brand of cattle by longhorn insignia on everything from bottle caps to bank stationery.

As all America—and part of Europe—knows, our new governor, Mrs. Ferguson, is planning to cut \$15,000,000 from state expenses and in the near future will advocate a three per cent sales tax that should net some \$35,275,000. . . . State Auditor Lynn points out that if the state per capita for school children another term is \$11.44 there will remain a deficit of \$1.77 per capita; therefore, indications are that teachers' salaries will be cut another year by 25 per cent.

Scurryites are expressing the desire for a cold snap soon to retard the sap rising in fruit trees in order that a nice fruit crop may be expected. . . . Nothing is more lovely than peach and apple blossoms in May softening the landscape, and incidentally making the air purer and more healthful.

Japan has issued a new ultimatum to the Chinese stating the Japanese army will be increased and that, furthermore, Japan will retain Manchukuo in spite of "hell and high water." . . . The United States Bureau of Fisheries produced 100,000,000 game fish the past year.

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John the Baptist was the last of this majestic succession of thunderers. He forsook the cities as being wicked beyond any hope, and pitched his camp in a wilderness beside the banks of the Jordan. For clothes he wore the skins of animals; his food was locusts and wild honey. He indulged in long fasts and vigils, from which he emerged with flaming eyeballs to deliver his uncompromising chal-

The Primadonna Takes Her Bow

By Albert T. Reid



BRUCE BARTON

Writes of "THE MASTER EXECUTIVE"

Supplying a week-to-week inspiration for the heavy-burdened who will find every human trial paralleled in the experiences of "The Man Nobody Knows."

Work, the Evidence.

The whole problem of Jesus' "miracles" is beyond our arguments at this distance. We either accept them or reject them according to the make-up of our minds. But if they are to be accepted at all, then surely the first one of changing water into wine ought not to be omitted. It often is omitted from the comments on his life, or it is at least passed over hastily. But to us who think first of his friendliness it seems gloriously characteristic, setting the pattern for all the three years that were to follow. "I came that ye might have life," he exclaimed, "and have it more abundantly." So, at the very outset, he made use of his mighty power, not to point a solemn moral, not to relieve a sufferer's pain, but to keep a happy party from breaking up too soon, to save a hostess from embarrassment. . . . See, the ruler of the feast rises to propose a toast . . . look, a tall, broad-shouldered man towers above the crowd . . . listen, hear his laughter! That is Jesus.

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John sent two of his disciples to watch and to ask. And Jesus, knowing how wide was the difference between their attitude and his, refused to argue or defend. "Go and tell your master what you have seen and heard," he said. "The sick are healed, the blind receive their sight and the poor have the gospel preached to them. . . . It is true that I do not fast, nor forego the every-day pleasure of life. John did his work and it was fine; but

I cannot work in his way. I must be myself . . . and these results which you have seen . . . these are my evidence."

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WEST TEXAS IS BATTLING FOR SCHOOL RIGHTS

Local Superintendent Takes Lead In Fighting Move to Injure Schools in This Area.

From all sections of West Texas are coming violent protests against the recent proposal of a legislative economy committee to divert this area of practically all state supported schools.

One of the leaders in this growing movement is C. Wedgeworth, superintendent of Snyder schools. He has already spoken to two groups of teachers outside this county, and will go to Sweetwater Saturday morning to speak to representatives of three counties in a sectional teachers gathering.

The problem of keeping a worthy per capita for Texas schools, since cancellation of the ad valorem on small homesteads, would be solved by imposition of a state sales tax on articles that may be termed luxuries, in Mr. Wedgeworth's opinion.

Before starting sheep on winter feeding in Menard County last year, ranchers treated 50,000 head for stomach worms by drenches recommended by the Sonora Experiment Station and supervised by the county agent. The saving was estimated at \$1,575.

PALACE THEATRE

Program for Week:

Thursday-Friday, Jan. 26-27—**"The Mask of Fu Manchu"**

with Boris Karloff, Lewis Stone, Karen Morley, Charles Starrett, Myrna Loy and Jean Harlow. The picture of 1,000 thrills and shudders. Charlie Chase Comedy, "Girl Grief," and Paramount News.

Saturday, Jan. 28—**"Range Law"**

starring Ken Maynard, with his wonder horse, Tarzan. A thrill-packed drama of the raw West. Chapter IV of "Jungle Mystery," and "Hey, Hey, Westerner," a two-reel Musical Comedy.

Sunday-Monday, Jan. 29-30—**"Hard To Handle"**

starring James Cagney, with Mary Brian and Ruth Donnelly. Watch Cagney put these hard-to-handle dames in their place! Paramount Novelty and Comedy. Preview Saturday Night at 11:30.

Tuesday and Wednesday, January 31-March 1—**"Central Park"**

with Joan Blondell, Wallace Ford and Guy Kibbee. Anything can happen in Central Park—and everything does. Taxi Boys Comedy, "Strange Inner Tube." Special Attraction: "Terrors of the Amazon." Real authentic pictures. All on Bargain Nights. Adults, 15 cents; children, 5 cents.

Save Trade, Says Butler



Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, Columbia University, and President of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, in a nation-wide radio broadcast appealed to citizens to join movement to end present world-wide economic war.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

International Sunday School Lesson for Sunday, January 29

JESUS AND THE SABBATH

Lesson Text—Mark 2:23; 3:6

Golden Text—Mark 2:27-28

In this lesson Jesus takes exception to the artificial Sabbath regulations of his time. Numerous petty prohibitions made the day an excessively burdensome one. It was forbidden to tread grass on the Sabbath,

to wear shoes with nails or, as our lesson indicates, to pluck grain. One is reminded of the quaint old Sunday laws of the Puritans, forbidding a woman to kiss her child, cook food or make beds; preventing a man from shaving and banning all travel except that required for attend-

ance upon public worship. By such trivial rules the cherished liberty of the Lord's day was seriously curtailed.

The Master brushed aside all such absurd embargoes. To him they were more honored in the breach than in the observance. He pointed out how David, on the ground of hunger, defied the strict law of the tabernacle. To Jesus the needs of humanity came first.

This is vividly illustrated by the incident in the lesson of the healing of the man with a withered hand. The Master's enemies were eager to make this merciful act an occasion of accusation. In the light of a generous interpretation of their law, they had no case, for medical assistance on the Sabbath was not absolutely forbidden. But, by legal quibbling, they could argue that the cure was a piece of work involving the release of a high degree of energy, and therefore in violation of Sabbath legislation. Jesus openly and indignantly rebuked them by defying their casuistry, and restoring to the cripple the use of his hand.

The principle upon which our Lord acted is given in that great saying chosen as the golden text, "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath." The needs of man were central with Jesus.

This means that not only are rest and worship to be promoted on Sunday, but also inspiring recreation, congenial friendship and helpful service.

Passion Play Shown At Church Tuesday

Moving pictures of the "Passion Play" showing the life of Christ from birth to death on the cross, were shown at the Methodist Church to a fine crowd Tuesday evening. A large number of those present were children.

In connection with the pictures the two elderly men who presented the program read Scriptures and otherwise made the pictures more interesting. The program was sponsored by the two missionary societies of the church, and financed by donations from business men and others.

Rev. James H. Tate Writes Another Interesting Article from California

Editors of Scurry County Times:

It has been quite a while since I broke in on your valuable space, but having gathered a little fresh information today, I am tempted to undertake this letter. And now since I must write it in haste, I ask that you excuse the composition, spelling, etc. In fact, what I wish to say is simply in the way of a friendly chat to good old friends—and by the way, let me hope that this includes all your readers. Having decided to get a few more choice fruit and nut growing trees to put out here about our home, we (the three of us), accordingly climbed into the old felled tree this morning and headed for Ontario, which is about 33 miles west of our home; and at which place the great Armstrong Nursery is situated. The trip was quite interesting, there being plenty of contrasts to prevent sameness, etc. In the first place, the growing 38 miles lies across what formerly was a barren waste of desert soil, sand and gravel—though we were on paved road all the time—but which men in recent years, have, through industry and applied skill, made to "blossom as the rose" and fruit like an orchard. The whole cultivated region is, of course, under irrigation; hence, it is now a very fruitful land indeed.

After passing the three cities of Redlands, Colton and San Bernardino we came to the grape-growing district. No wonder that California grapes are everywhere, for in this section alone there are many thousands of acres in grapes. It is in this section that the great Italian vineyard is situated—said to be the largest in the world, and containing 5,000 acres. It is right on our way to Ontario.

With all of this we were reminded of certain sandy sections of West Texas, for there was, and is plenty of both sand and wind; it was blowing sharply there today; but on last Tuesday night and Wednesday a very severe gale, said to be the worst for many years, swept over this and other sections of Southern California, including the coastline, and doing much damage, estimated at a million dollars or even more. Too bad!

I will say parenthetically that the Redlands district, being protected by mountains as it is, did not suffer any damage of consequence from the aforesaid wind. Strange as it may seem, the great grape-growing region referred to above is directly in the path of the high winds which frequently sweep through the Cajon Pass in the San Bernardino mountain range to the north; and there being plenty of sand, you can imagine the rest.

The Armstrong Nursery is indeed an interesting institution. It covers more than 700 acres, and produces practically every kind of tree, shrub and flower that will grow in this country. The offices, sales and packing rooms in Ontario cover two city blocks. Mr. Armstrong began there on a very small scale 43 years ago, and has, through perseverance and skill, built up the greatest business of its kind on the Pacific Coast—yes, the greatest west of the state of Iowa. I talked with Mr. Brown, a traveling sales agent, who told me that he sells stock to every state in the union; and when I told him that I was from Texas, he stated that Texas is one of their best customers, and mentioned several Texas cities. Think this over: Being a minister, I am not unmindful of the interesting fact that although California has no Sunday closing law, the Armstrong Nursery is not open on Sundays.

We had lunch at the nursery, and looked through about all of it except

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that we did not, of course, go out to the farms.

On our return we stopped to view the scenes of a terrible railroad wreck on the Southern Pacific, which occurred last night—Friday, the 13th—and in which we understand no passengers were injured but the engineer was injured and scalded until he probably will die, and the poor fireman was killed on the spot. It seems that the train was speeding eastward when it hit a patch of sand which the wind had drifted onto the track at a switch intersection and covering the frog. This derailed the trucks, causing the great iron horse to swerve, turn over and fall across the track with results as above mentioned. It is thought that the dust prevented the engineer from seeing the condition of the track just ahead of him.

We made our little trip without incident, and in due time were back in the quiet and comforts of our little home at the foot of the mountains.

Your cordially,
JAS. H. TATE,
Mentone, California, January 14.

Post Office To Fly Flag At Half Mast For 10 More Days

The post office flag will fly at half mast until February 5, 30 days after the death of Calvin Coolidge, ex-president of the United States. It has been at that position every day since the only former president then living passed away at his New England home on Thursday, January 5.

This is the first time the local flag has flown at half mast except for a day at a time since the death of Ex-President Taft in March, 1930. The United States flag is flown over all government buildings every day in the year with the exception of Sundays or certain specified days. The flag is flown at half mast on Memorial Day each year. It also is to be raised and lowered to half mast and flown on the second Sunday in May, which is Mother's Day.

The flag is raised at sunrise, and lowered at sunset. When the flag is to be flown at half mast it is first raised to the top of the pole and then lowered to the proper position. When it is lowered in the afternoon, it is again raised to the top of the pole and lowered to the ground.

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MITCHELL-SCURRY B. T. S. MEETING PLANNED SUNDAY

The quarterly session of the B. T. S. group of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association will be held Sunday afternoon at the Champion church, near Roscoe. It will begin at 2:00 o'clock. A good delegation is expected to attend from Snyder. Music will be led by T. D. Wiman, and devotional will be given by Basil Naylor, also of Champion. Rev. A. C. Hardin of Loraine, Rev. Claude Allen of Westbrook and Rev. Patterson of Roscoe are the leading speakers. Special music will be rendered by a Loraine quartet.

Women Can Mutch Meat.
More than 50 bees have been canned in Kaufman County by Home Demonstration Club members, and 50 more are being fattened for later canning.

\$3,876.40 Worth of Food Canned.
The Tankersley Home Demonstration Club in Tom Green County, with 12 members, has canned and stored \$3,876.40 worth of food products by mistake from the list of officials as given recently in The Times.

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REVIVAL MEET DRAWS CROWD

Good crowds are attending the series of revival services being held each evening this week at the Church of Christ. Members of the congregation report that the minister, O. D. Dial, is bringing some fine messages, following the subjects he announced in last week's paper. The Friday evening service will be held at 7:00 o'clock rather than the regular 7:30 hour, in order to give attendants an opportunity to see the faculty play at the high school.

J. S. Bradbury New Red Cross Official

J. S. Bradbury is the vice chairman of Scurry County Red Cross chapter for 1933 to succeed Lee T. Stinson, new chairman, by election at the annual meeting two weeks ago. He has been active in civic affairs for several years. Mr. Bradbury's name was omitted by mistake from the list of officials as given recently in The Times.

Clearance Sale On At Economy Store

Beginning Friday morning of this week, the Economy Store will stage its annual January clearance sale. Nathan Rosenberg, manager, and his father, Charles Rosenberg, announce that drastic reductions in fall and winter merchandise are being made in order to make way for the incoming spring goods. Several early spring arrivals also are featured. A number of extra clerks will be on hand Friday and Saturday to care for the expected crowds, say the Rosenbergs. The Times plant issued hundreds of large circulars to advertise the sale.

Terracing Shows Alertness.
"I have never seen a renter who took enough interest to get his landlord's land terraced, who was shiftless or who had to move yearly," says Dan Clinton, county agent in Falls County.

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THE TIMES

Circle Bulls Improve Herds

With two exceptions, the hell sired by "circle" bulls in Hopk County are better producers than their mothers, 40 owners have to the county agent who organized it bull circles several years ago.

Do you need something to work with this spring? You can run a swap ad in The Times without cost.

Notice To The Public:

I have severed all business connections with the Snyder Tailoring Company. All accounts payable to and all indebtedness against Snyder Tailoring Company have been assumed by Mr. Earl Fish. In making this announcement, I wish to assure everyone concerned that no ill will whatsoever exists between Mr. Fish and me.
Joe Graham

Piggly-Wiggly Two Big Stores

Friday and Saturday Bargains!

Bananas Golden Ripe, DOZEN— **.10**

RICE, good grade, 3 pounds **10c**

HAMS Armour's Fixed Flavor, 8 to 10 Pound Average, WHOLE—EACH— **.99**

GRAPE FRUIT, extra large, Each **3c**

SOAP Big Ben, the real laundry Soap, PER BAR— **.03**

PEAS, Glen Valley, No. 2 Can **10c**

Coffee Maxwell House, 3 POUND CAN— **.75**

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE, Lb. ... **25c**

Onions Spanish Sweet, POUND— **.02**

MELO, softens hard water, Can **5c**

Oranges Sweet and Juicy, Extra Large, DOZEN— **.15**

LYE, best grade, 3 for **25c**

Macaroni Gooch's Best, Big 8-Ounce Package, PER PACKAGE— **.05**

APPLES, Delicious, Dozen **19c**

Salt Bacon Best Grade, POUND— **.05**

LADY ALICE COFFEE, pound **18c**

Salmon Alaska, Tall, 2 CANS— **.15**

FLOUR Kimbell's Best, Special Extra High Patent, 48 POUNDS— **.95**

STEP OUT in a SUIT OF Those Famous Tailor Made Custom Clothes
Tailored by **J. L. Taylor & Company**
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SEND US YOUR CLEANING AND PRESSING LET US PROVE THAT WE APPRECIATE IT!
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Phone 60 Earl Fish

CORRESPONDENCE FROM RURAL COMMUNITIES IN SCURRY COUNTY

China Grove News

Dorothy A. Swan, Correspondent

At about 10:30 o'clock last Wednesday night the Market gin caught fire, but owing to the efficient work of the citizens who responded to the alarm, the fire was soon put out. Slight damage was done to the plant, but about 30 bales of cotton were destroyed.

Miss Violet Hamilton of Carlsbad visited in the home of her cousin, Mrs. Anton White, a few days last week. Mark Shirley and Miss Lois Gille visited in the home of Elmer Cummings at Ira last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Witt spent last Wednesday in the home of John Rogers at Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nail of Dumit visited Mr. and Mrs. Swan last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Quillet and their wife were guests of the M. O. family at Dunn Sunday.

A large crowd attended singing at the church Sunday afternoon. Several other singing classes were represented, including Valley View, Longfellow, Dunn and Pyron. Singing will be held here again next fourth Sunday. Everyone has a cordial invitation to come and bring his book.

Ennis Creek News

Quida Horsley, Correspondent

We had quite a bit of damp weather last week, which was a great hindrance to those who still have cotton in the field. A 9½-pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chandler January 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wade visited T. Shaw at Ira Sunday.

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Bethel News

Nellie Barnett, Correspondent

Miss Ruby Burney visited Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Grace Parker in the Martin community.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barnett have moved to the filling station at Union.

Miss Mildred, Frances, Dorothy and Lucille Mason and Herman and Weston Mason went to Littlefield Sunday to see their sister. Their mother accompanied them home.

We are having some beautiful weather at this writing. Two days last week the sand blew and we also had some damp weather. There is still some cotton in the fields.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett returned home Friday after staying a week in Borger, training for boxing matches. They also fought last Friday night.

Guinn News

Imo Gene Childers, Correspondent

Jess Dixon and family of Snyder visited in the T. O. Dixon home Saturday night.

Mrs. Sallie Horton and daughter, Maecle, of Camp Springs were visitors in the home of Mrs. May Butler Sunday.

Mr. Baynes Upshaw and Mrs. T. O. Dixon were business visitors at Dermott Friday.

Billie and Imogene Childers and Jimmie O'Grady visited Miss Ruth Guinn at Snyder Saturday night.

A dance was given in the home of Paul Davis Saturday night. A large crowd was present, and everyone enjoyed it.

Baynes Upshaw and family are moving from this community to the Sardinia settlement. We will miss them, but welcome the new neighbors moving to their place.

Sunday School and church were well attended Sunday morning. Bro. Alphonso Ware of Hobbs preached Sunday morning and night, while Rev. Phillip C. McShay of Snyder preached at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jake Jones was a visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Moses, at Camp Springs Sunday.

German News

Georgie Ruth Pagan, Correspondent

Mrs. C. H. Hiler Sr., who has been very dangerously ill for some time, is again able to sit up in bed. C. W. Wemken and son, Edgar, and Owen Leggett visited relatives in Sweetwater Sunday.

A number of friends from Hermleigh enjoyed Saturday evening in the Hy Colwell home.

S. H. Corbell, who has been visiting in this community and at China Grove, has gone to Fort Worth to make his future home.

J. E. Parker and family entertained Friday night with a birthday party honoring their son's seventh birthday. We wish the young man many more birthday like this one.

Will Lee and family, accompanied by Lloyd Reeves and son of China Grove, visited their son and brother, A. L. Lee, and family at Inadale.

Several from this community were present for the singing at China Grove Sunday afternoon. They report a fine singing.

John Hallman and family are moving to Sterling City this week. We wish them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Boan and daughter spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Wemken, and family. They are from the Bell community.

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Ira News

Mrs. E. A. Kruse, Correspondent

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall of Sargentton visited with her brother, Elma Cummings, and family Sunday. Miss Ina Rae Cummings, who has been visiting with her brother and family since Christmas, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Rea Falls and son, Tommie Rea, spent Sunday night and Monday with her sister, Mrs. Orval Moore, at Forsan.

Miss Orphella Devenport spent the week-end with her sisters, Mrs. T. J. Bryant and Clella Devenport, at Bison.

Mrs. Jimmie Pippin of Camp Springs spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. John Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Devenport spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. T. J. Bryant, at Bison.

Hubert Carnes and Bill Graham of Snyder were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kruse Sunday.

Bud 'n' Bub

The Perils of Pearl Diving

By Ed Kressy

ROAMERS ROCKET PLANE WILL BE READY NEXT WEEK BOYS TODAY LETS TAKE THE OL SUB-MARINE-ROCKET TO THE POLY-METAL ISLANDS & LEARN SOMETHING OF THE PEARL-DIVER



GOOGLES LESSEN THE PRESSURE ON THE EYES

POLYMETALS LEARN VERY EARLY IN MOUTH THE ART OF DIVING. FORMERLY NATIVES SWAM TO THE BOTTOM BUT THAT USED UP CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH. NOW HE GOES QUICKLY TO THE BOTTOM WITH A WEIGHT AS THE NATIVE CLOWN-PARTNER DOES

HAVING REACHED THE BOTTOM A GATHERER COLLECTS PEARLS. HE SELLS THEM INTO A BASKET-BAG WHICH WHEN FILLED IS DRAWN UP BY HIS ASSISTANTS WHILE HE SPRINGS TO THE SURFACE HAVING USED UP THE STORAGE OF AIR IN HIS LUNGS.

THANKS FOR THESE PEARL-HANDLED KNIVES CAPTAIN, AND HOPE WE'LL SOON BE TRAVELLING AGAIN WITH YOU GUY!

ON OUR LAST TRIP WE LEARNED SOME SHELLS ARE GATHERED FOR THEIR MOTHER OF PEARL. THESE DIVERS ARE PAID SO MUCH FOR THE SHELL THEY BRING UP. SWIM DIVERS HAVE TO WATCH OUT FOR SHARKS, COCTOPUS, BARRACUDA, AND ALSO THE GIANT CLAMS WEIGHING OVER A TON.

DIVERS USING THE SUIT MUST BEGETTING OF CATCHING THE AIRLINE AND GETTING IT ENTANGLED IN CORAL.....

Plainview News

Lorene Smith, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dennis of Ballinger have moved to the Clyde Dennis farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Irvin made a business trip to Sweetwater Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Tombs, who have lived in our community for several years, moved to Merkel last week. We regret losing these young people and will miss their influence in Sunday School and other community activities.

According to Roy Irvin, the pupils of his room are working on a play to be given some time in the near future. It is a three-act comedy, "Fun on the Podunk Limited."

Mr. and Mrs. D. Pogue, accompanied by Miss Pauline Tombs, spent Saturday and Sunday in Merkel.

O. H. Robinson and family were guests Sunday in the G. C. Robinson home.

Clyde Dennis was called to Brownwood Saturday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Dennis, of Clyde. Mrs. Dennis was preceded in death about a year ago by her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Booth of Roby have moved to the G. B. Clark farm north of the Bertram home. We extend to them a special invitation to join our Sunday School.

Miss Pauline Tombs spent from Wednesday until Friday with Mrs. John Howard at Snyder.

E. R. Rittenberry and family and Mrs. Frank Rittenberry were in Westbrook Tuesday visiting relatives.

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Lone Wolf News

Gladys Mahoney, Correspondent

People are taking advantage of the pretty weather. They can be seen working in the fields from early morning until late at night, singing as they go.

Miss Lillian Holdridge of Ganna-way is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas West of our community spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pagan, in the German community.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pieper and play, Travis, and W. C. Darden were Sweetwater visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy Coldewey and daughter, Irmgard, attended the basketball game at Pyron Friday afternoon.

Hy Coldewey and family attended a birthday celebration given for Mrs. Ted Schwartz at her home in Sweetwater Tuesday night, January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lee of China Grove spent Sunday in the home of their son, Albert Lee, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith and children of Sweetwater spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Chasness.

Mr. McWhirter and family of the Bushy community, Fisher County, have moved into our settlement.

B. L. Kimble and family attended a birthday dinner given for Nick Narrell at Lorraine in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. G. Narrell. Mr. Narrell was 38 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stahl of South Texas visited in the A. Stall home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz of Lone Star, Fisher County, spent Sunday in the John Lamert home.

Bro. and Mrs. Nickles of Inadale spent Saturday night in the E. M. Cummings home.

Gene Schwarz and family attended the Lutheran church service at Lorraine Sunday.

E. P. Hayes of Hermleigh called in the E. M. Mahoney home Monday.

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Pyron News

Addean Reed, Correspondent

Let's don't forget the fifth Sunday singing at Hermleigh Sunday.

We had some interesting basketball games last week both for the boys and girls. The girls played Sylvester and Rotan at Roby Tuesday and Friday nights. Pyron was well represented at these games.

Mrs. Will Young returned home Monday from Bowie, where she had been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. E. Carter.

Misses Wayne and E. D. and Lee Borland attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. M. C. Dennis, at Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Light visited in Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hamrick, Misses Creola Garner and Ruth Long attended the singing at China Grove Sunday afternoon.

A Dramatic Club was organized last Monday night. Several persons joined, and other are planning to become members soon. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Floyd Light, president; Mrs. Mildred Simmons, vice president; Harold Borland, treasurer; Gertrude Whitehead, secretary. Everyone interested is invited to become a member.

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Camp Springs

Mrs. J. P. DeShazo, Correspondent

Jack Kent and family of Snyder spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kent.

W. M. Davidson and family of Dunn spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davidson. Jack Kent and family accompanied them home for a visit in Dunn.

Misses Mary Ellen Davidson and Grace Talley spent the week-end with Miss Mary Alice Simpson at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carrell and little daughter of Snyder were visitors in our Sunday School Sunday morning.

Our Sunday School is growing as the weather is getting more spring-like. Let's everyone come and bring someone with you next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pearson of Haskell visited in the E. W. Boatwright home Sunday.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent

A five-year-old girl with black hair arrived Tuesday night of last week to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Adams. Mrs. Adams has been quite ill, but is improving.

Farmers have been enjoying the beautiful spring-like weather the past two weeks and have been quite busy trying to finish up their 1932 crops.

J. A. Starnes and family of the Plainview community have moved to the Rev. C. E. Leslie residence. Mrs. Starnes is a daughter of J. E. Faragon.

Mrs. Arthur Bayless is ill with the flu.

Mrs. Ray Vernon has been sick for several days. It is thought she probably has diphtheria. Her son, Ray Draper, is just recovering from the malady.

Victor Longbottom and family have moved to the Joe Roemisch place here in town. The Longbottoms formerly resided at Sylvester.

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Bison News

Ila Mae Huddleston, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Devenport of Ira spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. T. J. Bryant, and family. Singing was enjoyed at the school house Sunday night.

There were 56 pies sold at the pie supper Friday night, bringing from 15 to 50 cents each. Over \$16 was netted.

Aubrey Huddleston has been seriously ill with a throat ailment for several days.

Miss Alice Lee of Turner spent the week-end with Miss Ila Mae Huddleston.

Miss Ophelia Devenport of Ira visited during the week-end with her sister, Miss Clella Devenport.

The school girls' basketball team played the outsiders Friday afternoon, the score being 4 to 3 in favor of the outsiders.

Miss Eleanor Ray Eoff of Arah visited Miss Charlene Wellborn Sunday evening.

Rev. J. W. McGaha of Canyon preached to a large crowd here Sunday morning.

Round Top News

Mrs. J. W. Brown, Correspondent

This week will wind up the boll pulling if the weather stays pretty. Only a few of our farmers have cotton left in the fields.

Graham Smith is visiting with his sister, Mr. Roxie Eller, at Petersburg.

Susie Derring of Pleasant Hill spent Saturday night with Leona Eller.

H. L. Harrison and family enjoyed a turkey dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Echols at Dunn Sunday.

Mrs. B. D. Durham has returned home from Abilene.

Richard Brown of Roanoke is visiting homefolks this week.

Pleasant Hill News

Connie Shepherd, Correspondent

A shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson Friday night in the home of Harvey Williamson. Mrs. Williamson was Miss Nora Rhoades. They were married last Thursday night in Snyder. The honorees received many nice gifts. The couple will make their home in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Shepherd spent the week-end in San Angelo visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Edwards. They went with Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Scarborough of Snyder. Mr. Scarborough is Mrs. Edwards' sister.

A shower was given in the Earl Shepherd home for Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Logan, who were married Christmas. Many nice presents were given the young couple, who are making their home in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Williamson and T. A. Berry attended singing Sunday afternoon at China Grove.

Mrs. Smith and Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Nettie and Neil Smith spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Banks at Snyder.

Union Chapel

Gertrude Binion, Correspondent

Nineteen thirty-three's first sandstorm arrived Wednesday of last week. Others have followed, all nice and gritty. This is another signal that spring is just around the corner.

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Strayhorn News

Lena Hamilton, Correspondent

Andrew Bates and wife, J. B. Finley and Mrs. Ruby Allen of Hamilton spent the week-end in the J. W. Floyd home.

L. C. Pitts, who is working at Dermott, spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Little Lorraine was taken to the doctor Saturday night, suffering with tonsillitis, but is reported improved at this writing.

H. W. Crawley, wife and son of Snyder spent the week-end with her parents here.

Miss Marie Maule was a supper guest Sunday of her cousin, Miss Lucille Maule, at Guinn.

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Murphy News

Mrs. W.W. Weathers, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. von Roeder rushed their baby to the doctor Saturday following her drinking of some kerosene. The little lady was in a serious condition for several hours.

J. G. Davis and family made a business trip to Midland Friday.

York Murphy, who is attending Snyder High School, spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Loren McDowell of Big Spring was a business caller at the McDowell ranch Thursday and Friday.

Grandmother Murphy, Alex and York Murphy visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Murphy at Ira.

Dewey Engle and Walter Weathers spent Tuesday night with Hugh Birdwell at Snyder. Hugh is improving slowly from a broken leg sustained several days ago.

C. N. von Roeder and daughters, Mrs. Edgar von Roeder and family, returned after a week's visit in Bryan, Houston, Austin and other South Texas points.

Borden County Teachers Institute is to be held in Gail January 29.

Edgar von Roeder and family, in company with Mrs. Ed Murphy, visited a cousin in Carlsbad Sunday.

The home of C. A. Franks caught fire Saturday, but the blaze was extinguished before much damage was done.

Mrs. Edgar von Roeder and baby spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Weathers at Snyder. Mrs. Weathers is still with her mother, Mrs. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy visited in Snyder last week.

Canyon News

Colon Beeman, Correspondent

Cullen Shipley sustained a broken leg Monday when a mule kicked him. He is doing well at this writing.

Little Maurice Wilson was burned badly about the face and head last Thursday.

Russell Shaw, who has been attending school at Baylor University, Waco, is visiting his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mullins and Miss Alberta Mullins visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mullins, Sunday.

Mrs. Marshall Boyd visited the latter part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bratton.

Lowell Martin was given a surprise birthday party Friday night. After various games were played, cake, hot chocolate and popcorn were served to Misses Roberta Burrow, Colon Beeman, Sarah Sue Bratton and Mrs. Tom Martin; Messrs. Orville Taylor, Clifford Burrow, Lowell, Marshall, J. Earl and Tom Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beeman killed hogs for Mr. Beeman Monday.

Rev. Montgomery filled his regular place in the pulpit here Sunday and Sunday night. He will be our pastor for another year.

Several of our people have moved out of the community, which we regret; however, we welcome the new ones coming in.

Mrs. A. D. McWilliams of Ira visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. E. Adams, Wednesday of last week.

Bell News

Minnie T. Abernathy, Correspondent

Pretty weather continues except for an occasional sandstorm. A light shower of rain fell Thursday night and again Friday.

Clarence Lipham and family and Clarence's brother, Melvin, have gone to Canon City, Colorado, to visit Charlie Ross and other relatives. They stopped over a few days in Texline to visit with Mrs. Clarence Lipham's mother, whom she had not seen for several years.

Jack Caffey has moved from the Big Sulphur community to a place east of W. P. Bowlin's. We welcome him.

Jack and Fannie Mae into our community.

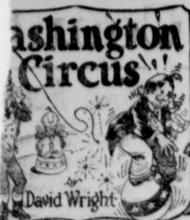
Ray Bowlin and family of Big Sulphur visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bowlin, Sunday.

What do you have to trade? Swap ads in The Times are free.

Turner News

Chloie Smith, Correspondent

This community is having pretty weather. The farmers



Washington—The new Canadian Broadcasting Commission, which took office some two months ago, has limited advertising to five minutes per program time, and as a result of this restriction, the entire system is insisting that programs shall be of a high educational and musical character.

Existing Canadian broadcasting licenses do not expire until March 31, after which time the commission will have the power to expropriate close privately controlled stations, and will then be free to formulate a more equitable policy in effecting the change. Under the terms of the act passed by the Dominion Parliament, the commission can build a series of high-powered stations from coast to coast. This it probably will not do immediately because of present economic conditions. Instead, according to Chairman Hector Charlesworth, the first step will be to lease time in bulk from land line companies and undertake extensive sponsored programs featuring Canadian artists.

Private broadcasting concerns meeting qualifications under the new set-up will in all probability be permitted to continue under operating agreements, to carry out the commission's program, and these stations will be rigidly supervised. Cheap jazz, salacious songs, bawdy jokes, and disgusting advertising matter, all of which emanate from most of our American broadcasting stations, will be taboo under the new Canadian system.

The five per cent program time allotted to advertising has been decided upon solely as a protection to Canadian industry in competition with American products. "Our system differs from that of the British Broadcasting Corporation, which eliminates advertising altogether," says Chairman Charlesworth. So

long as Canadians can turn on United States stations at will it would be unfair to Canadian consumers to exclude its announcements from the air.

The commission consists of three paid members, with not more than nine regional assistant commissioners representing all the provinces, with not more than one assistant appointed in any province. The commissioners will receive salaries, the chairman serving 10 years, the secretary nine years and the third commissioner eight years. The assistants will not receive salaries but will receive honoraria to be fixed by the governor in council. The commissioners and the assistants together will constitute what is to be known as a general council whose duties shall be to formulate policies.

Former Representative Charles R. Crisp of Georgia, defeated for the Senate, given a recess appointment to the Tariff Commission by President Hoover, and falling of comfirmation by the senate, has resigned the office to become a Washington lobbyist for the Savannah Sugar Corporation.

Crisp has been very much in the forefront as a supporter of public utilities, and his advocacy of the sales tax is held to have caused his defeat in the senatorial race by Governor Russell. Crisp's salary as a lobbyist will be several times the amount of his salary as a commissioner.

This is the month when President-elect Roosevelt is expected to select the 10 men who will become his official family. Washington buzzes with conjectures as to the identity of the 10. There is no end of guessing. One story has gone out that Hiram Johnson is slated temporarily for secretary of commerce, with a promotion to the Supreme Court being set aside as a contingency. In turn, name "Sunny Jim" to complete Johnson's unexpired term. Ralph says it is a fantastic cock-and-bull story, and Hiram is keeping his well known counsel.

The law of probate says that several vacancies will occur in the Supreme Court during the next four years. Justice Brandeis is now 76 years old. Justice Van Devanter is 73. Chief Justice Hughes and Justices McReynolds and Sutherland are 70.

It is known that Roosevelt intends to upset the conservative balance of power in the Supreme Court when and if he has the opportunity. It is reasonably certain that one of the future appointees already tagged is Felix Frankfurter of the Harvard Law School.

I am reliably informed that Senator Carter Glass has been asked if he would take the treasury portfolio. He is said to have declined it on the ground that he is not in the best of health and that the post should go to a younger and more physically vigorous man. Glass was 75 years old on January 4.

The offer of the post to this veteran legislator was a graceful compliment to the man who was most responsible for the framing of the federal reserve act 20 years ago. Glass knows more about finance than anybody in the Senate, and when he talks nobody with any sense ever thinks of challenging what he says. They all arise to ask for information, and Glass, who is not a banker, but an editor who began his career as a printer at the case, has a ready answer for every question.

Secretary of the Navy Charles F. Adams bluntly told the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce the

Wants 1934 American Flight into Stratosphere



Professor Auguste Piccard, noted Belgian scientist who went ten miles high in the stratosphere, is now in America for a lecture tour. He thinks a balloon ascension in his metal ball should be made at a northern latitude of America during 1934 because of our nearness to the magnetic pole, thus being better able to study the cosmic ray. He says it will not be necessary for him to again make the trip, but only direct the work. Prof. Piccard, (left) was greeted at New York by his twin brother, Jean Piccard, of Marshalltown, Delaware.

METHODS OF LIQUOR CONTROL

By Dr. W. D. Bradford, S. M. U., Dallas.

Mankind is faced with the problem furnished by the presence of liquor. We must handle it or go down under its attack. There is no more important problem facing man. Nations and even races are being wrecked under its attack. The best method should be used. Make-shifts are not equal to the need. Individual effort for alcohol deceives and lures into its power. Its habit-forming characteristic enables it to make slaves before the victim is aware of the danger. All laws that deal with the drinker must prove inadequate for the same reason.

Three methods of dealing with the traffic have been tried. Regulating its sale by licensing men to sell produced the old-time saloon. Sale of liquor through government stores has been tried in several southern states, notably South Carolina. There was scarcely an objec-

tionable incident of the saloon that did not also appear in the "dispensary." Added to these it proved more powerful in corrupting the political life of the state. In disgust the citizens of that state voted it out, county by county, despite the revenue it paid.

Canada is experimenting with a similar system now. It is proving there as a great success for the brewers and distillers. It also is a success in getting the liquor into the hands of the people for use. Its use is increasing rapidly. The manufacture of hard liquor alone, according to Canada's greatest publicist, Ben H. Spence, more than doubled in three years.

It has failed as a temperance measure, and bootlegging is on the increase. Instead of government control of liquor, they have liquor control of government. Total prohibition has proved the most successful method for controlling the traffic.

Westbrook Fighter Will Meet McGinty

Friday night's boxing schedule will feature a new youngster, Ed Griffin of Westbrook, who will be seen in the ring with Red McGinty of this county. Weighing in at 140 pounds against McGinty's 141 pounds, the Mitchell County boy is said to boast plenty of experience, and some fast ticks that may do much damage to the local favorite.

In the semi-finals, Tuck Grant, 176, will meet an unannounced glove handler who is reported to be backed by considerable experience.

Since skipping a week, and in view of the good card, the Legion boys are expecting a good turnout this week.

Clubs Conduct Exchange. A bi-weekly farm market and exchange has been opened in Gomez County by the Home Demonstration Clubs of the county.

other day that "radio should be clearly an American enterprise" in this country "untainted with foreign directors." The navy department, he said, "feels that it is undesirable to have foreign directors in any chain of service operating in this field" because there are too many details on radio inventions and other technical matters which foreign directors may learn.

The secretary was emphatic in his belief that his department should have close knowledge of, and intimate association with, radio matters in peace time because in time of war radio communications are placed in control of the navy. He spoke in opposition to a proposed amendment of the Radio Act of 1927 to limit aliens to a fifth of the directors in any company or association seeking a radio license. He would have such directorates all-American in order to "make it as difficult as possible for any spy or secret agent" to get information on radio matters.

Snyder Girl Finishes School For Nurses

Miss Alma Spore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Spore of Snyder, graduated from the Lubbock Nurses Training School at the Lubbock Hospital January 8. She will be awarded her diploma at the exercises to be held in May.

Miss Spore was a member of the 1929 Snyder High School graduating class, after which she attended the College of Industrial Arts at Denton. She began her study in the Lubbock school in 1933. She will resume her work in the Lubbock Hospital.

Agricultural Revival Urged. "When Christianity and agriculture are balanced in a man's thinking and practice, and in a nation's economic system, there can be no depression that shatters human progress," declared Rev. R. B. Morgan at a rural pastor's agricultural short course held by county extension agents in Tarrant County recently. He called for an "agricultural revival," which he said was as valuable to a local farming community as a religious revival was to the several churches in that community.

Terraced Land Produces More. A survey in Hartman County by the county agent shows that terraced and contoured land last year produced about 20 per cent more than other land.

Carbon paper at Times office.

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Dentists
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Office Phone 21 - Snyder

Mother of 7—Still Young



THE woman who gives her organs the right stimulant need not worry about growing old. Her system doesn't stagnate; her face doesn't age. She has the health and "pep" that come from a lively liver and strong, active bowels.

When you're sluggish and the system needs help, don't take a lot of "patent medicines." There's a famous doctor's prescription for just such cases, and every druggist keeps this standard preparation. It is made from fresh laxative herbs, active senna, and pure pepsin. Just ask for Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin. Take a little every day or so, until every organ in your body feels the big improvement.

The next time you have a bilious headache, or feel all bound-up, take this delicious syrup instead of the usual cathartic. You'll be rid of all that poisonous waste, and you haven't weakened the bowels. You'll have a better appetite, and feel better in every way. The constant use of cathartics is often the cause of a sallow complexion and lines in the face. And so unnecessary!

Would you like to break yourself of the cathartic habit? At the same time building health and vigor that protects you from frequent sick spells, headaches, and colds? Get a big bottle of Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin today. Use often enough to avoid those attacks of constipation. When you feel weak and run-down or a coated tongue or bad breath warns you the bowels need to be stimulated. Give it to children instead of strong laxatives that sap their strength and aren't expensive.

Local and Personal

Mrs. A. D. Rogers of Big Spring visited with friends in Snyder Monday.

N. W. Autry and Earl Hicks were business visitors in Amarillo first of the week.

You can still get something for nothing. Try a free Times swap ad next week.

Swap what you have for what you need. Read about Swap Days in The Times.

Mrs. O. S. Green and children of Gore have been visiting with relatives in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Eliand and little son Billie Jay, visited with relatives in Stanton Sunday.

Miss Mable Isaacs is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howell Harpole in Muldresh this week.

Services of registered nurse may be obtained by calling 444. Mrs. Ivan Elkins, 1401 25th Street. 32-2p

Russell Cope and family of Lorraine spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cope.

M. C. Harless of Farmersville is visiting in the homes of C. W. Harless and family and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brownfield had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Roy Blackard and little son, Joe Leonard, of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Trice had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hamilton and little daughter, Patsy Jean, of Spur.

Mrs. T. J. Trice and Dan Trice, accompanied by their guest, Mrs. C. A. Hamilton of Spur, were weekend visitors in Abilene.

News from Baylor College, Belton, indicates that the name of Miss Marian Brosser of Snyder appeared on the honor roll for the fall term.

Mrs. R. B. Pierce and son, Billy, returned recently from a trip to East Texas and Louisiana, where they visited with friends and relatives.

Misses Evelyn and Janice Erwin and Macie Vina Hurrell had as their guests Sunday Misses L. Becca Willis, Mable Morton and Margaret Jobe of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Sam Hamlett and Miss Mary Frances Hamlett accompanied Miss Charles Ella Hamlett to Cisco Saturday, where the latter will enter Randolph College.

Miss Era Holt of Lubbock has accepted a position with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Snyder. She is making her home with Mrs. J. W. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCown and little daughter, Elizabeth Jane, of Pasadena, California, have been guests in the homes of her sisters, Mrs. R. B. Pierce, and his father, W. E. McCown. They returned to their home Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Meliese, also of Pasadena, who has been a guest in the R. B. Pierce home.

Earl Brown and Jack McCarty were week-end business visitors in Dallas.

Date your Times up one year, minus three weeks, by renewing this very day for one dollar.

Miss Oleta Head of San Antonio is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lola Mae Littlepage, and other relatives here.

Mrs. L. M. Kirkles, who has been visiting in Snyder, returned to her home in Los Angeles, California, last week.

J. C. Watson of Lubbock was in Snyder Tuesday in the interest of the West Texas Good Roads Association.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Littlepage and daughter, Miss Lola Mae, and Miss Oleta Head visited in the J. S. Head home at Union Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Merrill were called to Ladonia yesterday because of serious illness of Mrs. Merrill's mother, Mrs. A. I. Davidson.

B. G. Johnson, who was seriously injured in an accident Monday, and wife have had as guests this week his mother, Mrs. J. T. Johnson, and family of Celina, and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Eastham and children of Baird.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Phillip C. McGahey Tuesday were Rev. C. Y. Dorsey and Rev. Joe Trussell, who are conducting a revival meeting at the First Baptist Church, Sweetwater, and Rev. E. D. Dunlap, pastor of the Sweetwater church, and Mrs. Dunlap.

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MACHINE TO BE DEMONSTRATED

A demonstration of the new Murphy tractor and ditcher will be held Monday afternoon, beginning at 2:00 o'clock, at the Murphy place between Dunn and Hornleigh, according to H. M. Murphy, inventor and patentee of the machine. Mr. Murphy extends an urgent invitation to all farmers and others interested in such a machine to be present for the demonstration. The Murphy machine is characterized by its double blades, lack of side draft, simplicity and distinctive hitch.

Commissioners Meet In Routine Session

Routine business occupied much of the Commissioners' Court time when it met in regular session early this week.

The court is continuing in session most of the week, since a number of details incident to beginning its new year's work are pressing from all sides. Bills allowed and other business transacted this week will be published in the next issue of The Times.

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Baptists Complete Course. More than 40 examinations have been taken by those who attended the Sunday School study courses at the First Baptist Church last week, according to A. C. Alexander, superintendent. The school featured inspirational talks Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights by leading members of the denomination from this and adjoining counties.

Wedding announcements at Times

Now! The new CHEVROLET is on display



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TOMATOES No. 1 Can—6 Cans for **.25**

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