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CHANGES MADE IN RFC GRANTS FOR THIS AREA

Need Shall Be Basis of Allowances For Unemployed—Payment for Terms is Discontinued.

Several changes governing disbursement of R. F. C. unemployment money were brought before the county committee, meeting in regular session Monday night, D. P. Oiler, chairman, states that the changes made are imperative and need only be applied to the use of grants, and that payment for use of teams can no longer be allowed.

One-half of the March allotment as received several days ago, and good portion of it was granted Monday night for work in various parts of the county.

Among the rules governing disbursement of March funds are: "Need and need only is the basis determining the recipients of the aid. The object of expenditures to relieve the unemployment situation. It is impossible to give permanent employment. It is incumbent upon the county committee to give these monies to needy and distressed people to use in any way they see fit, a supply of food and clothing not eligible. Only those who upon their daily wage for livestock and have no employment are eligible."

There are a few questions and answers that may help Scurry County people clarify their ideas of the R. F. C. grants.

1.—From RFC funds can you purchase materials and supplies?—No. Funds are to be used for food and clothing and not buying materials.

2.—Can medical treatment and hospitalization be charged to RFC?—No. These services must be borne upon your local resources not a charge against the government's relief funds.

3.—Can trucks and wagons be purchased?—Effective with March and all allotments no trucks and wagons are to be hired unless approved by your regional office.

4.—What wage scale should be paid?—Fixing of the wage scale is left to the county committee. It should be lower than the prevailing scale in your community and should never be high enough to compete with private employment.

5.—What should be the standard for a local destitute family?—Monies are allotted on the basis of approximately \$10 per month per family. Large families get more, smaller ones less, work should be provided so that they could get approximately that amount. The standard for non-destitute families is less, that for destitute still less.

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Returns of Rural Meet Next Week

Complete returns from the rural track and field meet last Saturday will be published in The Times next week, in connection with full returns from the general county meet.

Independence ran away with highest honors, and a sandstorm made practically all events uncomfortable for participants and spectators alike. The three high winners in each event will take part in the county meet here Saturday.

Entries were here last week from 11 rural schools, as listed in The Times.

Picture Exhibit At School House Ending Thursday

Exhibit of 150 reproductions of the world's artistic masterpieces will end at the school building this afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

The exhibit, a cultural display opened Tuesday, and has been open yesterday and today for the benefit of the public and school attendance. It came under sponsorship of the fine arts department of the school assisted by members of the Art Guild women's study club.

A highly interesting program was given Tuesday evening in connection with the exhibit. Several hundred people witnessed the re-enactment of scenes depicted in several of the pictures on display, and heard the accompanying musical selections. Proceeds from the ticket sales—at 10 cents per person—were highly gratifying. The money will be used for purchase of pictures to decorate the high school auditorium.

Following is the full program rendered Tuesday evening:

1. Reading, Estine Dorward.
2. "The Blue Boy," Jimmie Randall, Music, Mrs. A. C. Pruitt.
3. "Age of Innocence," Wynona Kellum, Song, Mary Ellen Boren.
4. "Boy With Rabbit," Leon Aubrey, Poem, "Barefoot Boy," Mary Helen Bolen.
5. "Feeding Her Birds," Miss Grace Elizabeth Caskey, Mammie Lou Stokes, Louise Estom, Bertie Mary Smith, Music, Mrs. A. C. Pruitt.
6. "Madonna of the Harpies," Mrs. Rosalie McGlaun, Sacred number, Chorus.
7. "Spanish Dancer," Miss Maurine Cunningham, "Spanish Love Song," Felix Jarratt.
8. "Chief's Blanket," Travis Green, Piano solo, "Navajo Warrior," Miss Piana Carr.
9. "Whisperer's Mother," Mrs. Hugh Boren, Reading, Jeanne Taylor.
10. "Spring Song," Marilyn Roberts, Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," Miss Helen Bolen.
11. "Song of the Lark," Roberta Ely, Piano solo, "Hark, Hark, the Lark," Miss Helen Boren.
12. "Dot of Basil," Gwendolyn Gray, Story, Virginia Viles.

Willing Workers of Methodist Leagues Meet At Fluvanna

Willing Workers' League of the Methodist Church met in its monthly meeting at Fluvanna Tuesday evening. Representatives from several Methodist churches in this area were present.

Program was in charge of the Fluvanna league, and special music was furnished by delegates from Snyder. Following the devotional, Happy Talley, president at Fluvanna, conducted the business session.

Those attending from Snyder were Misses Ruth Yoder, Raylene Smith, Mabel Turner, Byrle Canton and Ruby Dean and Mrs. Homer Snyder, Messrs. Hal Yoder, Curtis Jarratt, Jack Isaacs, Clyde Young and Leroy Pasmire.

Economy Store Gets Many New Fixtures

The Economy Store began early this week to install a set of new fixtures that will be up-to-date in every respect. Charles and Nathan Rosenberg reported Tuesday. The store is installing the latest hangers and cases for hats, suits, ready-to-wear, shirts and other merchandise. They are finished in an attractive yellow oak.

The owners say installation should be completed soon. Customers are assured that the various departments of the store will be comparable to any to be found in this section.

CREDIT GROUP SENDS IN MANY APPLICATIONS

Liberal Approval of Scurry County Agricultural Loans Reported By Local Committee.

A total of 61 applications for loans from the regional Agricultural Credit Corporation had been received through Wednesday by the Scurry County committee, Chairman A. C. Alexander said yesterday.

Approval of several loans has already been granted, and the chairman reports that new approvals are arriving daily. He points out, however, that 15 to 20 days from the time of application are necessary before loans are completely closed.

Any farmer is eligible for the loans if he is able to adequately secure the borrowed money with livestock, implements and his crop, and if he can show satisfactory evidence of his ability to repay at the time of maturity.

The loans are extremely liberal in their possible uses. They may be applied on debts, the purchase of livestock and implements, and for other similar purposes.

Members of the county committee are Mr. Alexander, C. W. Harless, Hugh Boren, Hubert Roberson and Ray Patterson of Fluvanna.

Morris Ashley Wins Place At Fort Worth

Morris Ashley of Dunn, one of the best all-around track and field men that has come out of Scurry County, went to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show Saturday as a skydiver, but he returned home with a second place in the pole vault. He entered no other events.

The annual stock show track meet is one of the outstanding events of its kind in the Southwest, and attracts hundreds of high school, preparatory school and college stars.

Morris was high point man at the recent Snyder invitation track meet. He was a hurdles and vault star at the county and district meets last year.

PAIR OF RABBIT DRIVES COMING

Two big rabbit drives are planned for the early days of next week, according to information coming to The Times.

Out at Knapp, the hunters will leave at 9:00 o'clock Tuesday from the Whit Thompson place. Plenty of cats will be served at the Tom Cary spring, say the Knapp folks. A Knapp drive several years ago netted more than 2,000 animals. At least 1,000 will be killed Wednesday, and the farmers and ranchers sponsoring the drive believe.

"Lots of rabbits, plenty of fun and dinner for everybody" are promised those who come to the Lloyd Mountain drive Wednesday morning. Ben Harless, from whose place south of the school house the drive will be started, announces that the drive will begin at 8:00 o'clock in the morning. Dinner will be served at the Lloyd Mountain school house.

Farmers Gather For 'Swift Day' Program

Farmers from many miles around gathered for the "Swift Day" program conducted by the produce plant of Swift & Company here at its up-town dance palace in Lubbock on Monday, March 20.

Several motion pictures were shown, and H. W. Matthews of the commercial research department of the company in Chicago and H. Kelly of the produce department gave interesting talks, the first on advertising as it relates to the sale of farm products, and the latter on dairying.

More than 1,600 pounds of food that the average person eats, 529 pounds are dairy products and 47 pounds are eggs, according to Mr. Matthews. "All foods," he said, "are making a bid for the consumer's attention and they are making it largely through advertising."

Car Licenses Must Be New This Month

The Legislature's moratorium on car licenses expires this month. W. W. Nelson, tax collector, points out that the plates must be obtained before April 1 or the customary penalties for non-use will apply. Licenses must ordinarily be purchased not later than February 1, but the Austin solons gave a last-minute postponement of 30 days. A number of Scurry County cars remain untagged.

Keep Your Chickens Up, Warns Marshal

With the coming of garden planting time, City Marshal Walter Camp warns folks living inside the town limits that chickens must be kept out of their neighbors' bean patch. There's a law, you know.

"Chickens are all right in their places, but their places are in chicken proof pens with the gates fastened, especially during garden growing time," Mr. Camp contends.

If you want spring goods according to the latest dictates of fashion, patronize Snyder stores.

PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR

The week of April 2 to 8, inclusive, has been designated as Spring Clean-Up Week.

There are many reasons why the Spring Clean-Up Campaign this year should receive the enthusiastic support of every man, woman and child. First, because a city that is clean and beautiful creates cheer and banishes gloom. Cheer produces courage and confidence, and no doubt, most of us are badly in need of both these attributes at this particular time. Second, because every dollar in property destroyed by fire, which so frequently is the result of "careless" housekeeping in the home and in the average place of business, is a serious drain upon our present economic condition. Third, because every job created in connection with the Clean-Up Campaign not only develops better fire protection but supplies better sanitation and public health; it creates an atmosphere of encouragement.

Now, therefore, I, H. G. Towle, Mayor of the City of Snyder, do hereby designate the week of April 2 to 8, inclusive, as Spring Clean-Up Week, and most respectfully call upon all departments of the city, the Chamber of Commerce, civic and patriotic organizations and our people in general, to take an active part in this Clean-Up Campaign.

I further designate the Fire Marshal and Fire Chief as a committee of two to work with the city officials in selecting active committees to carry on this campaign, and ask the cooperation of all of our people in this enterprising campaign for a clean city.

In testimony whereof, I hereto sign my name and seal of office, this 22nd day of March, 1933.

H. G. TOWLE, Mayor, Snyder, Texas.

Attest: Harvey Shuler, City Secretary.

SCURRY COUNTY STUDENTS WILL INVADE SNYDER FOR TWO DAYS

Annual Interscholastic League Meet Events Begin Friday, Last Through Saturday.

Most of the outstanding brains and brawn from Scurry County schools will come to Snyder Friday and Saturday for competition in the annual Interscholastic League meet. Six independent schools and 11 rural schools will have entries in the various contests, from the literary events Friday morning until the concluding athletic events Saturday afternoon.

E. E. Kerr of Hermleigh, general director, is confident that the meet will attract a large crowd of spectators throughout, unless weather is threatening.

Eliminations in rural athletic events were held here Saturday. The three high winners in each event will enter the regular meet this week-end, except that several preliminaries will be staged early Saturday. All finals will come in the afternoon.

The following schedule will be carried out Friday:

9:00-9:30 a. m.—Opening program, which choral singing will be a feature.

9:30-11:00 a. m.—Spelling, extemporaneous speech, primary division of story telling.

11:00-12:00 p. m.—Arithmetic, three-R, picture memory, essay writing and senior declamation.

1:00-3:00 p. m.—Declamation, music memory, story telling.

CITY ELECTION EARLY IN APRIL

Three names have been submitted to City Secretary Harvey Shuler to appear on the election ballot for April 1.

Dwight Monroe in the north ward and W. J. Ely in the west ward are up for re-election. G. H. Leah's name is slated for the vacancy created by J. S. Casstevens' expired term.

No announcement has been made in the one-year unexpired term of S. A. LaRue in the north ward. His vacancy was created when Mr. LaRue moved recently to the west side.

Local Division For Child Welfare Being Planned In County

Organization of a Scurry County group to work with the Division of Child Welfare, with headquarters at Austin, is being fostered by local men and women. Mrs. Nettie S. Myers, leader in the state department, was in Snyder yesterday laying plans for the organization. Commencement of the county organization will be completed within a few days, it is reported to The Times.

The state organization, with active units in principal centers in Texas, has for its purpose, Mrs. Myers explains, guarding of the interests of dependent, neglected and delinquent and handicapped children. Formation of the local group will be a part of the state-wide program to create authorized representatives of the State Division of Child Welfare.

A county Child Welfare Board, such as planned for Scurry County, is a group composed of seven men and women appointed by the county Commissioners' Court. It is an unpaid board of lay persons, residents of the county.

Further explanation of the plan will be given in a subsequent issue of The Times, following perfection of the local unit.

J. B. Early Locates With R. & K. Garage

J. B. Early, who has been located for some time at the Neeley Service Station, has moved his shop to the R. & K. Garage, and announces that he is ready to do business as usual.

In the past, the mechanic is specializing in automobile repair work and battery work.

REGULAR TERM OF COURT ENDS LAST OF WEEK

District Session Tries Few Cases During Four Weeks—Green Cases Postponed.

Four rather drab weeks of district court will come to an end Saturday morning when the drabness because there were few cases that could be tried, and not because Judge A. S. Mauzey did not push each case through with as much rapidity as possible.

The remaining cases on the docket against C. W. Green on liquor charges were postponed. The local man has filed appeals in the two cases on which he was sentenced to the penitentiary for a total of two and a half years. They would be slated for the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin.

Joe Cox was given a two-year penitentiary sentence Monday when he pled guilty before Judge Mauzey. He had been indicted on a forgery charge. The petit jury was dismissed Monday after roll call, and it will not be called again unless something unexpected should arise.

L. F. White, who was brought to Snyder from Abilene last week on a swindling charge, was not indicted. The transfer was made by Deputy Sheriff Sid Bruton.

The swindling charge was the aftermath of an alleged transfer of stock between White and Dr. W. R. Johnson of Snyder early last November, involving several hundred dollars.

Hereford Men Name Winston As Officer

Harrie Winston of Snyder was named early last week as a vice president of the Texas Hereford Association, at the annual meeting held in Fort Worth during the Fat Stock Show. Walter L. Boothe of Sweetwater is the new president of the organization, succeeding W. J. Largent of Merkel.

The local stockman, with his brother, Wade, has been active in state Hereford circles for a number of years. They had several purebreds on display at the stock show.

FLUVANNA AND DUNN WINNERS

Fluvanna and Dunn furnished debate winners in the county round-robin tournament this year. Finals were held at Snyder High School building last Friday afternoon.

The girls' team from Fluvanna, Jessie B. Odum and Juanita Ball, won from Snyder and Hermleigh to take their championship. Dunn boys, W. S. Goodlet and Berle Gary, won from Snyder, Hermleigh and Fluvanna.

Winning teams will go to the district meet at Abilene April 14-15. Snyder took second place in both boys' and girls' debating, with one win and one loss for the girls, and two wins and one loss for the boys. Fluvanna's boys won one and lost two. Hermleigh girls lost both matches, while Hermleigh boys lost their three debates.

Girl Scouts To Revive Activities At Snyder

As spring approaches plans are being made for the Snyder Girl Scouts to start their program of fun and service. The Girl Scout Lodge will be the center of attraction one day soon when the girls get busy with their spring cleaning and rid of dust and cobwebs that have accumulated during the winter.

An additional feature to the already interesting program for this spring will be horseback riding, according to plans that are being made. This is an attraction which will appeal to many.

Misses Elva Lemons and Inez Caskey, who have been directing the local troop for the past three years, will be assisted this year by Misses Bonnie Gary and Katherine Northcutt.

Choral Club Group Pleases Fine Crowd

The Choral Club's presentation of "The Missionary Society," a clever musical satire, was pleasing to a full crowd in the high school auditorium Friday evening. Miss Helen Boren directed. The orchestra was under direction of E. O. Wedgeworth.

Unsuspected histrionic talents were uncovered during the program. The extravagant costumes added to the amusement of the evening. Proceeds from the program went to the Parent-Teacher Association, sponsoring organization.

HOWARD BROTHERS NOW UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP

Word comes to The Times that the gas and oil business operated here for several years as Howard Brothers has changed ownership. Henry Howard, former owner, states that business has been good and that failure or bankruptcy had no part in consummating the transaction.

The former owner will continue to manage the business until the new owner, a party by the same name, can qualify for the job. Mr. Howard states that the new owner is at present in bed and unable to work. He is also a foreigner and cannot read English, since he discovered America only last week.

Engineers Start To Drain Roscoe Lakes

Texas & Pacific engineers were expected early this week to begin survey of a route by which it is planned to drain two lakes west of Roscoe and prevent the recurrence of last summer's flood conditions. The railroad and Nolan County are to cooperate in the drainage project.

The lakes to be drained still have several hundred acres of land under water. The water will be led into Cottonwood Creek.

It Costs Money To Publish This News

Every time the mail carrier fails to deliver your paper to you at your old address he is required by law to mail a notice of his inability to deliver the paper. This notice costs us each time he fails to deliver the paper—more money than it costs us to print that paper.

So, please, send us postcard notice every time you change your address. We have always wanted our subscribers to do this, but it is more important now, since a new postal law went into effect several months ago.

Date For Music Contest Changed To Late In April

Date of the annual hymn and choral contest have been changed from April 1 to April 26, according to Mmes. Elmer Spears and A. C. Pruitt. The change has been made principally in order that the contest plan may fit with the program of Better Homes Week, which begins April 23.

The Alpha Study Club has joined the Musical Coterie in sponsoring the contest. The sponsoring groups announce that the piano and vocal contests, announced in connection with the other contest, will not be held.

The clubs are making a special effort to secure the cooperation of rural communities with a choir from each community. In order to learn further of the contest and to give out instructions, leaders of all choirs, in Snyder and from rural communities, are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Wayne Williams, 3063 Avenue T, on Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

On the Sunday following the contest, all choirs will gather in Snyder for a community singing of the hymns used in the contest. No entrance fee will be asked of any contestants.

Rules for the choral contest are, briefly: 1.—Age of chorus members, 12 years and under. 2.—Songs to be used, "This Is My Father's World," "When Morning Gilds the Skies" or "May Jesus Christ Be Praised," "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," "God of Our Fathers Whose Almighty Hand," and "We Plough the Fields and Scatter." One stanza of each song, the story, the author and the composer are required. The hymns will be found in any standard hymnal.

Following is a list of the hymns to be used, with a brief story of each:

"We Plough the Fields and Scatter."—The author of this hymn was always a poor man, but he always was thankful to God for his good gifts. He did not intend the poem for a hymn, but Johann Schulz put the noble words to noble music.

"This Is My Father's World."—This is a nature song. The author could see God's hand in everything around him, and could even hear his voice in the rustling of the grass.

"God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand."—This is a national hymn, written to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

"May Jesus Christ Be Praised."—Sung by the nineteenth century Christians of England in two choirs, one singing verse parts, the other the refrain.

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is."—This hymn is founded on the twenty-third Psalm.

Allen Warren Said To Be Better Today

Allen Warren, whose pneumonia case entered his tenth day this morning, was reported at 10:00 o'clock to be slightly improved.

It was believed Wednesday that the local lumberman's condition might change for the worse during the night, but this morning's report seems to indicate that he is getting back on the slow road to recovery.

Mrs. Temple Moore Is Buried At Pyron

Funeral rites were conducted Friday, March 17, at the Pyron cemetery for Mrs. Temple Moore, 19, of Hermleigh, with Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe officiating. Orlan Munger, home of Snyder, was in charge.

Mrs. Moore is survived by her husband and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, of Hermleigh.

FORMER SNYDER LADY TELLS OF CALIFORNIA EARTHQUAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boren, former residents of Snyder, have written to relatives here giving first-hand word about the recent earthquake in California. Below are a few excerpts from a letter received by Dr. A. O. Scarborough.

Elton had just come in home hungry and we ate early breakfast about 5:30. We had just gone into the living room and were reading the papers when the big shock of the earthquake came with a bang. The first shock lasted 13 seconds.

I was in the radio chair and fell over the chair leg being broken, and failed to cease its billowing around talking about what a nice Spring we were having.

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GOSPEL BEING PREACHED FOR LOCAL CHURCH

The WOMAN'S Page

Mrs. McCarty Hostess To Ingleside Club.

The Ingleside Study Club was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. McCarty on Avenue T.

The study for the afternoon, "Longfellow," was directed by Mrs. Neil Gross. Quotations were given by members in response to roll call. Mrs. R. J. Randall told of the life of the poet, and "Longfellow as a Child Poet" was discussed by Mrs. Tate Lockhart. Mrs. R. S. Sullivan gave a review of "Evangeline."

Mrs. McCarty served a lovely plate carrying out the St. Patrick's Day theme. Favors were miniature shamrocks.

Members present were Meses. Tom Boren, W. F. Cox, Neil Gross, C. W. Harless, Tate Lockhart, J. P. Atary, Charles Nobile, R. J. Randall, W. W. Smith, J. W. Roberts, R. S. Snow, Roy Strayhorn, R. S. Sullivan, H. L. Vann and Walla Fish. Mrs. E. F. McCarty was a guest.

Husbands and Friends Are Entertained.

Members of the Woman's Culture Club entertained their husbands and friends with a delightful party Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brownfield on Avenue S.

Progressive forty-two games was the evening's diversion. A pretty St. Patrick's motif was used in decorations and the ice course.

Those present were Meses, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Alexander, J. P. Atary, W. A. Morton, E. C. Neely, E. E. Weathersbee, W. G. Williams, J. A. Woodfin and F. M. Brownfield, and Meses, R. E. Gray and J. R. Huckle. Other guests included Mrs. Vera Miles, Miss Minnie Stewart and Meses, R. L. Miller, J. W. Scott, Earl Fines and C. E. Ferguson.

Myreta Grantham Given Birthday Party.

In celebration of her eighth birthday, Myreta Grantham was made honoree at a party given at her home Saturday afternoon by Meses, W. E. and R. C. Grantham.

Gift packages were opened and various games were enjoyed by the boys and girls.

Ice cream and birthday cake were served to Empress Lucille Wolcott, Elaine Davis, Prissy Joyce Hicks, Virginia Preuit, Mary Ann Webb, Wanda Pierce, Howard Taylor, Holman Odum, Bobbie Hicks, W. E. Grantham Jr., Billy Herb Bannister and Jimmie Grantham.

Miss Rosser Featured.

Miss Marion Rosser of Snyder was featured a number of times in the annual Drama Week this year at Baylor College for Women, Belton. During the week six programs were presented, and Miss Rosser appeared in four. "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," a dramatic novella, was read by Miss Rosser for the entire program of one day. She played the lead part in "The Princess Marries the Page," and in the other productions.

Women Beautify Homes.

A county beautification association has been organized by Home Demonstration Club women in Van Zandt County to promote the beautification of home yards, screen unsightly places, improve the appearance of highway and preserve natural beauty spots throughout the county.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore, Miss Dixie Lee Davis and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moore were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Nance in Justisburg Sunday.

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Altrurians Meet With Mrs. Hagan.

The Altrurian Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. G. A. Hagan, at which time an interesting study, "The Married Woman in Work Outside the Home," was enjoyed.

Director was Mrs. O. P. Thrane. Mrs. J. C. Stinson's subject was "Should Married Women Work Outside the Home?" Facts about modern important women were given by Mrs. A. C. Preuit, who also led a discussion on the subject. The book review was given by Mrs. Hagan, and Mrs. Thrane gave a reading, "The Lost Word" by Henry Van Dyke.

Those attending were Meses, E. J. Anderson, W. R. Bell, Joe Caton, H. P. Brown, R. D. English, R. L. Gray, W. W. Hamilton, J. W. Lettlich, A. C. Preuit, J. C. Stinson, O. P. Thrane, H. G. Towle, L. T. Stinson, C. J. Yoder, Fred Grayum, J. C. Dorward and R. L. Miller. Mrs. Porter King was a guest.

Mrs. Avary Entertains Culture Club.

Mrs. J. P. Avary was hostess to the Woman's Culture Club at a meeting Tuesday afternoon at her home on Thirtieth Street.

"October's Child" was the interesting study, under direction of Mrs. W. A. Morton. Mrs. P. C. Chenault gave a biographical sketch of the author, D. Joseph. The setting of the story and a review of the book were discussed by Mrs. J. A. Woodfin.

After the study, forty-two games were enjoyed. Shambet and angel food cake were served to Meses, A. C. Alexander, F. M. Brownfield, J. L. Caskey, P. C. Chenault, R. E. Gray, J. R. Huckabee, W. A. Morton, E. C. Neely, E. J. Richardson, E. F. Sears, E. E. Weathersbee and J. A. Woodfin, members; and to Mrs. George Avary and Mrs. I. W. Boren, guests.

Mrs. Caton Addresses Girls Wednesday.

The Girls' Club of Snyder High School was indeed honored by a visit from Mrs. Joe Caton at a meeting of their club Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Caton, in her usual charming way, gave a very enjoyable talk on "Leadership." Sound advice was brought out in the following points: There must be no selfishness in leadership; leadership requires a Christian influence; value of high ideals necessary for attainment of leadership; understand thoroughly the project you wish to do, and be willing to start by and to do it. What kind of influence will you choose, good or bad?

This inspiring talk was certainly appreciated by all of the girls, and thanks came from the bottom of each and every girl's heart.—Reporter.

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Senior A Class Has Sunrise Breakfast.

A delightful sunrise breakfast was enjoyed by members of the Senior A class of Snyder High School and their sponsor, W. W. Hill, Friday morning south of Wolf Park.

The party included Meses Mabel Reichardt, Mildred Stokes, Willie Pearl Glen, Alberta Sturgeon, Wanda Newsom, Ruby Lee, Mary Nell Morton, Opal Crowder and Margaret Deakins; Meses, Theo Riggs, Willard Lewis, Eldon Birdwell and Stanley Merket.

Patty Ruth Williams Birthday Honoree.

Patty Ruth Williams celebrated her thirteenth birthday Friday evening when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, entertained with a party at their home in her honor.

After the opening of gift packages, games were played and later refreshments of iced lemonade, fruits and cake were served to Meses, Emma Pearl Love, Leona Prather, Ha B. Perriman, Edna Mae Armstrong, Rosa Lou Prather, Dorothy Love, Gloria Spradley, Evelyn Terry, Louise Gibson, Maurine Wolf, Mamie Lee Gibson, Geraldine Riley, Eddie Mae Purham, Nellie Jo Harman, Betty Sue Love, Grace Parker and Patty Ruth Williams; Meses, Delma Penson, Thomas Ericks, Rex Gibson, Edna Wren, Pete Brooks, Raymond Prather, Lanham R. V. Marshall Gibson, Edwin Terry, Marshall Williams, Eugene Gladson, Guy Moore, Pete Brooks and Neely Williams.

Other guests included Meses, and Meses, Arthur Townsend, Travis Rhoades and James Love, L. N. Perriman, and Meses, Ira Riley, Looney Terry and P. F. Harmon.

Indian Pottery Is Studied By Club.

"Indian Pottery" was the subject of discussion Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Alpha Study Club in the home of Mrs. R. L. Williams.

Various Indian tribes and their present locations were named in answer to roll call. Mrs. Raymond Sims, director, called upon Mrs. Roy Stokes to speak on "Romance of Pottery." An Indian legend was told by Mrs. Wade Winston, and Mrs. Alfred McGlaun described the pottery of the Pueblos. Mrs. J. R. Sheehan sang "Indian Love Call," after which a music by Mrs. Williams, given by Mrs. C. F. Sentell. Miss Neoma Strayhorn gave the art review.

Following the program, refreshments were passed to Mrs. Dora Cunningham and Mrs. J. C. Stinson, guests; and to Meses, Ophelia Blackard, Esther Boren, Lila Dodson, Janie Graham, Ellen Joyce, Rosalie McGlaun, Eva Nelson, Faye Norred, Neoma Sentell, Theima Sims, Elizabeth Wedgeworth, Leola Williams, Leola Williams, Leclair Winston, Aileen Smyth, Dimple Stokes and Halcyn Sheehan, Meses Hattie and Gertrude Herm and Neoma Strayhorn.

Sports Club Enjoys Picnic At Springs.

The Sports Club enjoyed a never-to-be-forgotten picnic Sunday afternoon, March 12, at Dripping Springs. Although several complained of stiff backs from climbing hills which seemed mountains, most, if not all, would be willing to try the same thing again.

A picnic supper, consisting of sandwiches, potato salad, pickles, cake, iced tea and fruit, was enjoyed by Meses Mildred Stokes, Margaret Deakins, Frances Northcutt, Netha Lynn Rogers, Wanda Newsom, LaFrances Hamilton, Martha Jo Jenkins, Roberta Ely and Estine Dorward, and the sponsor, Miss Mattie Ross Cunningham; Meses, Aubrey Wiese, Fred Wolcott, Royce Eiland, John Blakey, York Murphy, Glen Graham, Weldon Birdwell, William Boren, Albert Carlton and Travis LaRue.

Crusaders S. S. Class Meets Monday Eve.

The Crusaders Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church was entertained Monday evening by Meses Ora and Maggie Norred and Mrs. Hattie Wade in the Norred home on Avenue R.

Following the business hour, various games were enjoyed.

Refreshments were served to Miss Ethel Mae Sturdivant of El Paso, a meeting of their club Wednesday afternoon of last week. Meses, George Avary, Ivan Elkins and Melvin Blackard, Meses Gertrude and Hattie Herm, Bonnie Gary, Neoma Strayhorn and Elva Lemons.

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Grain Finds Two Ways to Grow

A STORY FOR CHILDREN
By Miss Lucilester Roberson

Grain o' Sand soon saw all he cared to of the city, for as he explained to the Colonel, he couldn't feel safe. Moreover, so much was going on around him that he could not see it all at once; so he had just as soon not see any of it. Mr. Horsely was also ready to go—and away they flew. Grain did hold with one hand long enough to wave good-bye.

Since it was growing late, the Colonel stopped long enough to ask Grain where he preferred to spend the night.

"Can't we find some grass roots somewhere?" inquired Grain.

"Not your kind, I am afraid," his friend answered. "But we might find some in the yard of the next house. Shall we go on to see?"

"What's the use?" came a soft little voice almost under their feet. "Why not spend the night with me?"

"Why—why—we might," replied Colonel Horsely, "if we knew who was inviting us, but to save my life I can't tell where the words are coming from."

"Do you not, then, see a small gray stone right under your nose?"

"Yes, I see it. Are you under it?" asked the Colonel.

"This time a little laugh came floating up."

"Of course, not. It is I, the stone, itself. But my mouth is underneath. You see I keep it there so the raindrops won't make it any longer."

"What do you mean?" asked Grain at once, filled with curiosity.

"Why," the muffled voice replied, "didn't you know that rain is the worst enemy almost under us? It washes us away bit by bit, especially in a place where it can collect. The wind is almost as bad. It blows scratchy things against us that takes pieces out."

"You poor thing!" cried Grain. "How could the wind and raindrops be so horrid?"

"Once I was a boulder away up on the mountain-side and now see how small I am," said the little stone.

"Um, hum," said the Colonel, "you must be terribly old to have dwindled so much."

"I am. Ages and ages old. I can remember when the red men used to hide behind me to kill a deer or a bear as it passed. Then I was shaken loose one day by a storm, and rolled down the mountain-side into a small stream, where I lay so long that I was washed away, bit by bit."

"How did you ever get out?" continued Grain.

"The stone sighed. "Long years ago a boy picked me up while wading in the stream. He put me in his pocket with some more stones about my size. He said something about a sling-shot. Once, when he loaded over, I fell out of his pocket, so I have just lain here ever since."

"Tell us how you ever turned over on your mouth," begged Grain.

"Oh, that took years and years," replied the stone. "The wind blew the dirt from under one edge until I finally rolled over. And now, will you spend the night with me?"

"Shall we?" asked the Colonel.

"Oh, yes," said Grain. "It must be safe here if the stone has stayed so long."

"Not long," the stone reminded him. "Only about a hundred years here—but a long, long time on the mountain-side and a long, long time in the stream."

"Why stones grow backward!" cried Grain. "The older they are the smaller they get!"

Eugene Brioux Is Club's Study Subject.

Eugene Brioux and his drama, "The Red Rose," was the interesting study Monday evening for the Altrurian Daughters when they met in the home of Miss Doris Pope Eiza, with Miss Rowena Grantham directing.

"How I May Help Make the Home Town Clean" was the response for roll call. Mrs. J. D. Scott gave a biography of the author's life, after which a review of the play was given by the director. A health talk was given by Mrs. Forest Wade.

The hosts, assisted by her mother, Mrs. S. T. Eiza, served a delicious plate to Mrs. C. Wedgeworth, Miss Allene Curry and Mrs. R. L. Williams, guests; and to Meses Polly Porter, Waunita Darby, Dorothy Strayhorn, Mattie Ross and Maurine Cunningham, Helen Boren, Opal Wedgeworth, Kenneth Alexander, Margaret Dell Prim, Grace Avary and Rowena Grantham and Meses, Herbert Bannister, P. W. Cloud, Cleve Blackard, Max Brownfield, Joe Caton, Otis Moore, J. D. Scott, Elmer Spears and Forest Wade.

Miss Gwendolyn Gray Is Hostess To Club.

Miss Gwendolyn Gray made a charming hostess Thursday evening when she entertained members and guests of the Laf-a-Loz Bridge Club at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. W. Cloud.

The St. Patrick theme was featured in the attractive table appointments and also in the refreshment course. Miss Margaret Deakins was winner of high score.

Guests were Miss Louetta Byrd and Meses, Herbert Bannister and P. W. Cloud. Members present were Mrs. Herman Cook and Meses Mildred Stokes, Wanda Newsom, Ruby Lee, Mildred Harless, Ida Sue Wallace, Jan Thompson, Margaret Deakins and the hostess.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Eura Little has as her guests her mother, Mrs. N. J. Bibb, and her brother, Homer Bibb, of Winters. The latter underwent a tonsil operation at the hospital Sunday.

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Little Donald York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe York, underwent a minor operation Tuesday morning.

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Those present were Roy McFarland and family, Miss Juanita Jenkins, H. P. Winters and family, Ray McFarland and family and Meses Clare and Dessie McFarland. A daughter, Mrs. Dora Sturgeon, of Lubbock and a son, Richard McFarland, of Dunn were unable to be present.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sears Hosts to Bridge Club.

The Thursday Night Bridge Club was recently entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Sears, 2812 Avenue W.

Wraymond Sims and Mrs. G. B. Clark Jr. were awarded high score prizes following enjoyable bridge games. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Harrell, guests, were also winners of high score prizes.

Refreshments were passed to Meses Hattie and Gertrude Herm and Mr. and Mrs. Harrell, guests; and to Meses, and Meses, J. G. Hicks, Albert Norred, Robert Curmutte, Wayne Boren, Wraymond Sims, Melvin Blackard, G. B. Clark Jr. and Herbert Bannister.

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PLANT-FLOWER EXCHANGE

Two new groups of plants are listed in the Twentieth Century Club's exchange this week. Mrs. J. E. Leonard and Mrs. B. M. West offer red and yellow canna plants.

Following are others who have plants or flowers to share:
Mrs. Nelson Dunn, 2803 Avenue M, annual phlox.
Mrs. W. M. Scott, Scott ranch, non-bearing mulberry trees.
Mrs. H. J. Brice, 2712 Avenue U, rose and hedge cuttings.
Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, 2111 Thirtieth Street, hedge cuttings and small pecan trees.
Mrs. C. E. Fish, 2901 Avenue W, honeysuckle.
Mrs. P. C. Chenault, 3204 Avenue U, lilacs.

Bridge Club Meets At Johnson Ranch.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club was entertained this week Mrs. Sidney Johnson at her prettily furnished ranch home, northeast of Snyder.

Guests were Meses, Neil Gross Roy Strayhorn and Zack Taylor and members present include Meses, W. H. Caudle, Joe Strayhorn, W. J. Ely, H. J. Brice, W. M. Scott, J. C. Dorward, R. L. Miller, E. B. Deakins and Gertrude Smith.

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SNYDER YARD THAT TOOK CONTEST HONORS

(The March issue of "West Texas Today," official organ of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, carried the following article on the prize-winning yard of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stinson at Snyder, together with the accompanying picture of the home grounds. The same picture appeared recently in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.)

By J. C. Snyth.

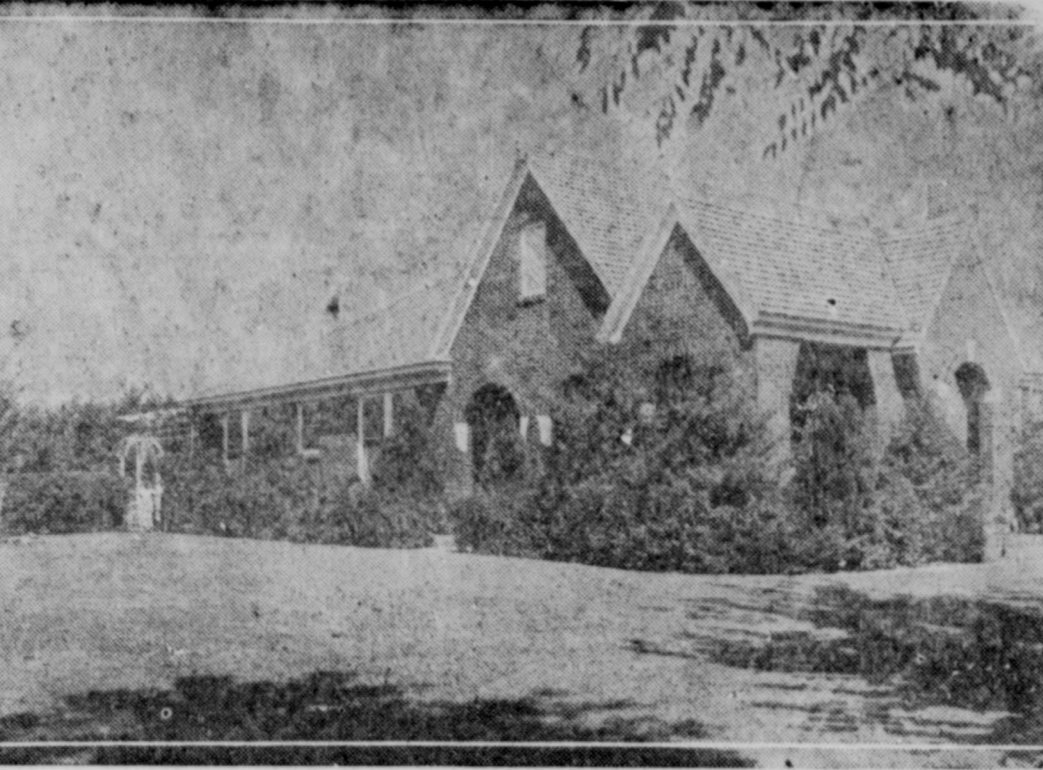
West Texas, whose frontier days were sheltered only by mesquite shade and sand-seeping huts, and whose early manhood became uncouth through the overgrowth of farming and industry, is fast becoming the friend of Beauty.

The virgin fertility of his soil, long subjected to diab King Cotton and to such lesser rulers as Prince Grass and Prince Wheat, is beginning to stir here and there with a glowing type of life inspired by this new friendship.

Not that West Texas has not been forever beautiful in his huge way. He has been broad, powerful, and careless of his treasures, content with swelling plains and majestic distances.

Now he is placing roses and juniper leaves in the hair of his mistress. His new acquaintanceship with Beauty has given his people a spirit of conquest in richer vein. They are becoming known not alone as masters of an empire, but as developers of a symphony, blossoms, tree-lined highways, yards and gardens of distinction.

A few women who became weary of West Texas' barrenness began years ago to import flowers, shrubs and tree shoots. The contemporary generation of men, readily seconding this movement, became eager to help create little oases of improved beauty. In spite of these scattered efforts, home grounds and flower gardens breathing with the warm color of the Old South were almost unknown to West Texas a half generation ago.



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You, Mr. New Englander, are witness of the conditions of your fathers. We of West Texas are living today. You are complacent in your belief that West Texas is a desert plain of shifting sands and dry hillsides. We of the West are evolving a new beauty that you of the East need to appreciate.

Recent efforts of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to encourage tree planting and other forms of beautification in this area had hardly been set afoot when notice was received that two home builders of West Texas had been awarded prizes in the National Yard and Garden Contest, conducted last spring.

Mrs. L. T. Stinson of Snyder and Mrs. Albert T. Kunz of El Paso were two of 15 yard makers in the United States to receive awards in one of the three divisions of the annual competition under sponsorship of the National Yard and Garden Contest Association, Davenport, Iowa.

Their grounds won prizes over thousands of entries from all states in the union. A number of towns and cities in various parts of Texas fostered local contests, but the state yielded only two West Texas yards as national winners.

Mrs. Stinson's yard was one of more than 40 entered in the contest sponsored in Snyder by The Scurry County Times. Although the yard and garden contest idea had never before been presented in Snyder, it received the hearty cooperation of women's clubs, home owners and merchants. More than \$50 in cash and prizes was donated to winners by business men.

Wins in Class II. The Stinson yard, as well as the yard of the El Paso winner, was entered in Class II of the national contest. In this division only manual labor was allowed outside that of the family. Class I yards were planted and beautified by family labor alone, while Class III yards were developed by expert gardeners.

The wide range of the contest is seen from the fact that prize winners in the three divisions were chosen from 27 states, as follows: Washington, Kansas, Massachusetts, Maine, Connecticut, California, Illinois, New Hampshire, Minnesota, Maryland, Michigan, Florida, Ohio.

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Included in the board of sponsors for the national contest are Mrs. Henry Ford, president of the National Yard and Garden Association; Harry Flood Byrd, ex-governor of Virginia; and W. M. Jardine, ex-secretary of agriculture. A recent photograph of nation-wide publication shows President Roosevelt presiding at an Awards of Merit in the National Yard and Garden Contest to a winner in his home state, New York.

So many photographs were entered in the national contest that several large art galleries were required to display them.

First, second and third prize winners in each of the three divisions received beautiful pieces of ornamental stone garden furniture. Other winners, including Mrs. Stinson, received large gold certificates signed by officials of the national association.

George H. Steets, managing director of the contest, in his letter of notification to Mrs. Stinson, stated that "our association regards your achievement as a notable contribution toward making America a more beautiful and fruitful nation."

Will you stroll with me about the Stinson grounds whose symmetrical greenery and blossoms have done so

much to strengthen the friendship of West Texas and Beauty? The patches of shade—you saw them in the foreground of the picture—are elm shadows, framing the grounds to the west.

If you have bathed your hands in the clean dirt of your own yard, and if you have learned the names of shrubbery, great and small, you will enjoy this hasty inspection of the front and south sides of the Stinson grounds.

Arise! wise, jasmine, phlox and Japanese juniper, nandina, mahonia, azalea and sundry members of the wax-leaf family, such as eunymus—they spring from that niche and beneath this window in such graceful melody that you hardly realize their number.

Ivy geranium fills the bowl that hangs from the front porch archway. A century plant grows in the bowl you admire at the steps.

The large-leaved plant just in front of the latticed gateway leading into the back yard is a photinia. Don't you love that little fish pond to the extreme left? Its gold-

fish inhabitants swim between cattail, lily and water palm roots. A huge green frog, crouching as if ready to nose-dive, is the watchman of the pool.

A "Home-Folks Shrub." Beyond the scope of the picture the California privet hedge leads you near an Arizona cypress, an Arkansas pine and a Colorado spruce. A West Texas native, the domesticated soto plant ("bear grass"), points sword-like edges between these trees from other states.

We pass beneath the lattice archway now. It is covered with wisteria and ivy. The white trellis to the right is bedecked in the same meandering vines.

Rock walks in the rear yard guide us beside a large weeping willow, with friendly crepe myrtle, dogwood and redbud as neighbors. Violets peer forth here and there. An Italian cypress guards the back steps.

The little flower garden adjoining the driveway plays host to roses, phlox, althea, day lilies, dahlias and clumps of iodense dwarf shrubbery. These blooming plants and others add color and charm to the north side of the house until we come again to the front windows.

We have missed many points of interest in Mrs. Stinson's well-laid yard plan. We have missed several growing things, and we have failed to notice the many improvements toward the rear of the deep lots on which she home and grounds are built.

Let us come back, may we suggest, in three or a half dozen years? West Texas and Beauty will have become more passionate friends then. Lovely yards and gardens, we are certain, will have woven a strand of new comeliness about the neck of Snyder.

Turner school, nine miles west of Snyder, has revived an old custom and for some time has been devoting a period each Friday to the rendering of a school program.

Turner Booster Band is duly organized, with Johnnie Lee Holt as president, Billie Louise Head as secretary, and Nilla Irion, as reporter. Last week the students contributed pennies to buy a flagpole rope.

The student body extends a hearty welcome to visitors and patrons to attend these Friday afternoon school programs.—Reporter.

Justice—"How old are you, madam?"

Madam—"I'm around 20, Your Honor."

Justice—"Yes, I know you are—but how many years is it since you got around it?"

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The Times Creed.

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And the good that we can do.

THE WEEKLY DOZEN.

And What Is War?

War—what is it, after all? The people get but widows, taxes, wooden legs and debts.—*Ascher and Index, Northwood, Iowa.*

What Depression Really Is:

The depression is a lot of people learning to do without things their fathers and mothers never had.—*Toledo, Iowa, Chronicle.*

It Can't Last Forever.

This condition can't last. We're all going to live, and after the Lord has chastened us sufficiently for the excesses of the past, the broad road to prosperity will be opened up again.—*Alfred E. Smith.*

How Times Do Change!

A few years ago the business man with a ragged suit found little patronage.—"He's not a success, we can't do business with him." Today, we're a bit skeptical of the two-well-dressed man, and the ragged merchant is considered the "shrewd fellow, the one we can trust for good values." There's a happy medium, however—don't be deceived.—*Weston, Missouri, Chronicle.*

Gardens of Springtime.

There are a lot of people in Stamford who would be glad to plow your garden spot, then bed it up so that planting could be done by you when you get ready, if you want to plant it yourselves, and they will plant that garden for you. Getting an expert along this line pays sometimes, especially if one neither has the time, the patience nor the inclination to do it. These gardens pay when properly cared for, too.—*Stamford Leader.*

Some Economics Needed.

We are for the rural schools and think they should receive the usual apportionment. But it is our opinion that economies could be effected in our educational system that would not necessitate reducing the per capita apportionment. For instance, if we are not misinformed, a saving of approximately \$3,000,000 would accrue to the state if the minimum school age were raised to seven years.—*Dublin Progress.*

Viewpoint of a Great American.

Ellihu Root is 84 years old. He is one of the grand old men of America when it comes to brain-power achievement as well as to the power or the gift of vision. He was interviewed by a New York correspondent as to what action this republic should take in the clashings and ambitions of Japan and China in the event that a bloody war is staged. His reply was terse: "Keep out! We have no business there."—*Granbury News.*

Three and One-Half to 42 Cents.

A North Carolina farmer has a bale of cotton that he has had for 70 years. The staple is said to be almost as good as when it was picked in 1862, but it has had to be rewrapped. This bale of cotton has been through times when cotton was worth 42 cents per pound, and when it would not have brought more than three and one-half cents. But it has always been worth something. Such is the staple farm crop of the Southland.—*Terry County Herald.*

Salt of the Earth.

No truer words were ever spoken than those once said by former Governor John M. Slaton of Georgia: "No country ever lasts long without a country people. They afford the strength of the church; they maintain the sacredness of the family tie; they supply the reverence for eternal principles not to be found in congested communities. They think for themselves and no temporary fad sweeps them from the lasting paths of truth. From them comes the strong fresh blood that dominates and enriches commerce, industry and the professions."—*Clarendon Leader.*

Let's Not Be Discouraged.

One thing about the depression we can learn as individuals, that there is no substitute for good management, whether it be the big business of running our great government or the business of running a peanut stand. When we fall down in our efforts we must not allow ourselves to get discouraged. We can say to ourselves: "Well, our big government made a mess of it, but it didn't quit, and it will come out all right; so why should I give up, because I will come out all right, too, no matter how many mistakes I may have made in the past."—*Salsbury, Missouri, Press-Spectator.*

A New Test.

It is not always easy to tell whether a motorist who has run amuck has been drinking or not, and a new method has been evolved for the purpose. A man who had been arrested for driving while intoxicated asserted most vehemently that he was 100 per cent sober. At the police station he was told that

Back to the Old Farm.

This paragraph comes from The Dallas News: "The back-to-the-land movement is under way in three rather well defined areas—the Texas Panhandle, where good improved farms are obtainable at \$15 to \$30 an acre and cheaper sandy land at as low as \$3 to \$5 an acre; the black prairie region of North and Central Texas, where many ex-farmers are among those forced to raise their own living and where improved farms can be had as cheaply as \$25 to \$40 an acre and poorer sandy land at as low as \$10; and East Texas, where exceptional bargains await buyers who know land, and some improved farms can be had for \$15 to \$25 an acre and cheap, sandy land at as low as \$5 an acre."

The "three rather well defined areas" do not include the South Plains territory of which Snyder is a part. We wonder, politely enough, if the omniscient Dallas News has not heard that a back-to-the-land movement is in progress right here in Scurry County—a movement that probably has assumed proportions as large as the movement in the Panhandle, in North and Central Texas, and in East Texas. Fisher County, Mitchell County and other neighboring counties are in the same category.

That Dallas News paragraph evidently overlooked the fact that this immediate area had some of the most wonderful crops in the world during the fall of 1932, and that the back-to-the-land movement right here has every reason to be more pronounced than it is almost anywhere else.

The oversight may be explained by the fact that there had never been any wholesale desertion of farms in this section. It has always been difficult to find really good land here that was going to weeds and cattle munching. In fact, it would be much better, it seems to us, if about 20 or 25 per cent of Scurry County's land were given back to the cattle and sheep.

With more determined cultivation of the best acres under cultivation, there would not be need of farms as large and unwieldy as we are burdened with today. It has been proven time after time that the good farmer with a comparatively small acreage will be better off in the long run than the good farmer with a huge acreage that must be worked largely by hired help.

Looking at the Dallas News statement from this standpoint, perhaps there's no crow to pick, after all. It is good to live in a county that has seen such a small number of farm desertions where the land is really farmable.

EDITORIAL OF THE WEEK.

DEMOCRACY IN THE SADDLE.

Yes, Democracy is in the saddle—booted and spurred. And things are happening in a hurry. Saturday, March 4, 1933, Franklin D. Roosevelt, president, was inaugurated. He put the crown of authority on his head and he climbed up and sat down on the greatest political throne in the world. His inaugural address, though brief, was an English and political classic. About 100,000 people were there to witness the ceremonies and to hear his inaugural address. And multiplied millions were listening in on the radio throughout the civilized world. They said the poise of his body, his gestures, the expression of his face and the tone of his voice inspired the great multitude.

The office of president of the United States has no parallel in the matter of political power, and yet most of his official acts are guarded by constitutional limitations.

Yes, the president of the United States is leader of the nation, general of our armies and admiral of our navies. As stated above, in his inaugural address, he inspired all of America with hope. Yes, a dark mantle in the financial temple was rent in twain, and the star of hope shone resplendent. It appears to us that the man of the hour has arrived. He is a man of action, and in the selection of his cabinet he selected the best the nation has.

He called a meeting of the cabinet Saturday night and demanded action right now. A holiday of all the banks in the nation was ordered. This move was for the protection of the banking interests of America, to protect the depositors, and it was indeed a relief to the bankers, as they did not know at what moment the mob would rush in at the front door and destroy the bank. Hence, all the banks in America were ordered closed. The depositors of New York City made a run on the New York banks and drew out \$409,000,000 in one day. Hence, the New York banks were closed.

The cry has been for several months for inflation of the American dollar, and it kinda looks like it has arrived. We'll do business with a large increased volume of currency. It is estimated that 95 per cent of the business is done on credit paper. We have worlds of money. Out of \$11,000,000,000 in the civilized world today America has \$7,000,000,000 of it. Ain't that wonderful? Out of \$11,000,000,000 in gold America has about \$7,000,000,000 of that amount, leaving only \$4,000,000,000 for Europe and Asia.

President Roosevelt said in his inaugural address that the dangerous period of the hour was cowardice—human fear. Hence, we have no credit paper. The banks are the custodians of the people's money. Hence, their carefulness in extending credit. For the reason they did not know when depositors would come and demand their money.

Well, in the inauguration of President Roosevelt the financial skies have cleared up, and the dark clouds have flown away, and give the American business world hope. As we see it, a better day has arrived. We believe that conditions are going to be better. Confidence is being restored. And that's the main thing that we have lacked all this time—confidence. If conditions were as bad as they seem, we'd be in a devil of a fix. Yes, there is a brain-storm on. This close-down has not been for the lack of gold and silver, not for the lack of farm produce. We've got beef and bacon, sheep and goats and hogs, wheat and corn and cotton enough to supply the world, but through financial fear we have just closed down. For the lack of credit paper to do business on. But as we see it, a brighter day has dawned, the right man has arrived, and confidence is going to be restored. And we believe that within the next 60 or 90 days a great evolution, commercial evolution, will have taken place in this country.—*Albany News.*

Horse—"There seems to be more girls on this pensive than boys."

Ignace—"Yes, the petting is two to one."

If he were perfectly sober he could blow up a toy balloon, which was handed him. Of course, he could, and so he blew it up. Then they tied a string around the inflated balloon, and a well known chemist tested the man's breath for alcohol—and found it, and plenty of it. This is said to show just how drunk a man is.—*Western Motorist.*

"Advertise It For Sale."

A tramp sign painter who jltneyed through Tomkew (Oklahoma) won the admiration of the editor of the News by just one little idea he had painted on the side of his car. It read: "If it doesn't pay to advertise your business, then advertise it for sale."

CURRENT... COMMENT

BY LEON QUINN

Of course, you will be interested in the Crisp beer bill recently passed by the Washington lawyers and intended to provide some \$135,750,000 in cold cash to help bridge some of our now famous canyons of deficit. . . . The bill limits the alcoholic content to 3.05 per cent, which will allow a "kick" in the fanny beverage to quench the thirst of vets hunting damp tonics. . . . It was a rare bit of burlesque when the House passed the proposal. . . . The DuPonts, Liggets (the drug chain stores), Butlers and the Crusaders thought legal liquor was only a matter of time. . . . The sure shot, poppycock boys were going to celebrate. . . . Then came the crash: It would be only lager, and four per cent (by volume) beer!

Due to the haste of pressure it is evident Mr. Roosevelt did not consider what effect beer at five cents (or maybe 10 cents) would have on the dairy industry in America, which is, by the way, one of our most vital industries in regard to health. . . . Cheap-skate beer at 10 cents may be a bargain, but grade A milk at 10 cents a bottle is an investment! . . . But we haven't the fermented barley in Texas yet, and probably will not have for some time. . . . We must admit the social problem in its simpler form will not be solved by any one solution, as drink in its various forms has always been present. . . . Just so long as tired humanity seeks avenues of escape from the day's cares, an element of the populace will drink, be it home brew or brandy, but it is encouraging to note the majority of us have sense enough to back our conscious convictions with tolerant temperance.

Anton J. Cermak, mayor of the second largest American city, died last week, after dueling bravely with the Reaper for over two weeks. . . . Had Cermak lived it is certain he would have been awarded a congressional medal in recognition of his unflinching patriotism to America and its president. . . . Cermak's love, first, last and always, was to stabilize Chicago's finances, make its coming World's Fair a success. . . . Justice has taken care of the assassin in swift order. . . . "Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his life for his friend."

ROCK OF AGES.

If you are old-fashioned enough to insist that the foundation of American life is the home, simple enough to express emotionally your joy when happy, and smart enough not to argue over isms, you will be thrilled when the melody of "Rock of Ages" fills your home church with divine sentiment. "Rock of Ages" is the greatest hymn known. . . . The cleft rock in the Coombe, a gorge near Somerset, England, inspired Rev. Augustus Montague Toplady to write an epic in verse that has become dearer with the swift flight of years. . . . We think of rock as being a material of enduring qualities, and the rock known as the Rock of Ages is in itself a symbol of eternity.

Each year at Barrington Coombe, England, an impressive ceremony is held in commemoration of the globe famous song. . . . Thousands are moved to stoney tears as the song echoes in the picturesque canyon.

Thomas Hastings achieved a distinctive note in composing the lilting music, and in fitting the effect with the author's emotions. . . . Here is the description Dr. Frank Crane gives the ceremony held at Barrington Coombe: "It is in honor, not of a famous victory where tens of thousands infuriated men were slaughtered, not of the birthplace of a man who distinguished himself in science, letters or statecraft, not the founding of a university, a state or a soap factory. . . . It is in honor of a hymn.

"Just an ordinary, plain hymn to be sung in meetings. . . . The hymn is not wonderful poetry, contains no wizardry of words, no amazing flight of fancy and is of such kind as is not collected in anthologies or crowned by academics. . . . It is not a battle hymn, nor an appeal to patriotism, neither is it of young love nor of home and mother. . . . It is a hymn expressing pure religious emotion. . . . It is the 'Rock of Ages'. . . . This hymn and 'Jesus Lover of My Soul' have probably given vent to more spiritual aspiration among English speaking people than any other set of words."

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"What do you mean,—bank holiday?"

By Albert T. Reid



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The Center of Interest.

The Samaritan woman at Jacob's well stopped short, her interest challenged in spite of herself; she sat down the pitcher and looked at the stranger. It was a burning hot day; the well was far from the city; she was heated and tired. What did Jesus mean by such a remark? She started to speak, checked herself, then burst out impulsively, curiosity overleaping caution.

"What are you talking about? Do you mean to say that you are greater than our father Jacob who gave us this well? Have you some magic that will save us this long walk in the sun for our water supply?"

Dramatic, isn't it—a single sentence achieving triumph, arousing interest and creating desire. With sure instinct Jesus followed up his initial advantage. He began to talk to her in terms of her own life, her ambitions, her hopes, knowing so well that each of us is interested first of all and most of all in himself.

When the disciples came up a few minutes later they found an unbelievable sight—a Samaritan listening with rapt attention to the teaching of a Jew.

He prepared to go but she would not allow it. Running back to the city she summoned her brothers and relatives.

"Come," she cried, "and see a man who told me all things that ever I did." They followed her out to the old well—these prejudiced, reluctant men and women who, an hour before, would have thought it incredible that they should ever hold conversation with one of their traditional enemies. It is said that great leaders are born, not made. The saying is true to this degree, that no man can persuade people to do what he wants them to do unless he genuinely likes people and believes that what he wants them to do is to their own advantage.

The secret of Jesus' success was an affection for folks which so shone in his eyes and rang in his tones that even the commonest man in a crowd felt instinctively that here was a friend. . . . The afternoon shadows lengthened while he talked. It came time for the evening meal; again he prepared to go. They would not hear of it. He must be their guest, meet their neighbors, tell them more, persuade them further!

"They bought him to abide with them; and he abode there two days."

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

Governor of Texas.

The governor of Texas, A dauntless one are they, Though frenzied foes assail her, He never knows dismay.

For erring folk in prison, Her tender spirit grieves, But let them go to college, Then see him roll his sleeves.

When rivalry malicious Would hurl him on the shelf, She bravely do her duty, Regardless of herself.

The klan may plot and bluster, The Legislature blame, But the governor of Texas, They are there just the same.

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J'EVER STOP TO THINK?

By EDSON R. WAITE

The other day while strolling around Oklahoma City with Glyde Roseberry, editor of the Shawnee News and Star, looking at the big buildings over there, and after we had looked over the new post office building, the Oklahoma Gas & Electric and new bank buildings, Mr. Roseberry said, "Let's dine." Now it's nothing new for him to want to eat, for he both "lives to eat and eats to live."

I said, "Why the word 'dine'?" "Well," he said, "I know of a place where we can dine."

I said, "Let's go! It's been a long time since I have dined."

It was a wonderful place with well selected appointments, spotless table linen glistening with its usual complement of silver, glassware sparkling like crystal, and with service that is real service. The food served was the best money could buy, carefully prepared and thoroughly cooked.

As we left I remarked to Mr. Roseberry that I was coming back again some day, remove my hat, give the place a salute and salaam and dine again.

There are places in every city where you can really dine. Look over the advertisements in your newspapers and go and dine.

Willie—"Mother, I just made a bet with Walter."

Mother—"Why, you naughty boy! What made you do it?"

Willie—"I bet Walter my cap against a button that you were the best mother in town and that you'd give me a penny to get some candy with. You don't want me to lose my cap, do you, mother?"

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Remove upper glass and serve. The coffee will stay hot upwards of thirty minutes in the dispenser.

Additional Correspondence From Rural Communities of County

Turner News

Chloie Smith, Correspondent
This community has experienced another cold snap the last few days. Ice was noticed out-of-doors Monday morning.
A. P. Smith and family spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Eller, and family at Dunn.
Jake W. Smith and family of Dunn spent Tuesday of last week in the A. P. Smith home, Snyder, Arizona. Mrs. Smith was called to Abilene to the bedside of his mother last week.
Leroy Graham and R. C. Chambers left Saturday for Phoenix, Arizona, to work in the lettuce fields.
Chloie Smith visited Saturday night with Leona Eller at Round Top.
Lester Graham and family were Sunday guests of A. L. Graham and family.
Clarence Williams spent a few days at Fort Worth, attending the Pat Stock Show.
Mrs. Ada Hixon, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Leroy Smith, at Colorado, has returned to her mother's, Mrs. S. S. Hufman.

Inadule News

Elizabeth Ammons, Correspondent
A turkey dinner was enjoyed at Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Coker's Sunday. Those who attended were Frank Coker and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, a child of Mrs. Frankwater, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Smith of Wastella.
There was singing at this place Sunday. The crowd was rather small on account of bad weather. Everybody come back next third Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ferman Kelly of Lone Wolf spent Sunday with Mr. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kelly.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haysten of Roscoe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor.
Mr. and Mrs. Otha Voss and children of Wastella visited in the D. P. Ammons home Sunday.
We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Temple Moore. We join in sympathizing with the bereaved ones.
Lon Werd and family of Wastella spent Sunday with Mrs. Mamie Wells.
Several from this community attended singing at Pyron Sunday night.
Dave Hess and family spent Sunday in the Bernard Seaman home at Pyron.
T. W. Waelder and family called in the J. V. Ammons home Sunday afternoon.

Guinn News

Callie DeShazo, Correspondent
Rev. Dever of Camp Springs was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ellard Irwin.
John May of Hobbs was a visitor in the R. L. Gartman home Sunday.
A few from this community were present at the singing at Camp Springs Sunday.
Thomas Lee Butler of Camp Springs spent the week-end with Vernon Irwin.
Misses Ruby May and Maple Fortenberry spent Saturday night with Lena Hamilton in the Strayhorn community.
Raymond May of Hobbs spent Saturday night with Freddie Minor of this community.
R. L. Gartman has returned from Sweetwater, where he has been in a hospital. He is greatly improved in health.
Miss Lois Montgomery of Hobbs spent Saturday night and Sunday with Beatrice and Wilma Lee Faulkenberry.
Bobbie Mayes of Claytonville and Curtis Jeffers of Union visited in the Guinn school last week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Faulkenberry visited in the Jim Morgan home at Gannaway Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Aucutt had several of their relatives from Sweetwater Sunday.
Several from Camp Springs were visitors at Sunday School and preaching Sunday at Guinn. There will be preaching next Sunday morning, afternoon and night.

Lloyd Mountain

Mrs. C. C. Harless, Correspondent
Another nice cold nether is blowing today (Monday) to remind us that spring isn't here yet. We have been having some real sandstorms for the last three days. Housewives have become quite gritty, and are using their brooms and dusters as weapons.
Farmers are all very busy in the fields. Some are cutting stalks, some are plowing, while some have put up their land.
Mrs. Taylor Ramage and children visited Mrs. Byrd Rodman Tuesday.
J. D. Middleton is going about with a big new smile, and he seems to be about two inches taller than usual—albeit because last Monday a little girl came to his house to stay. Little Miss Wynona Sue weighed four pounds on her arrival.
Quite a few from here attended the track meet at Snyder Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. John F. Chesley of Lubbock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nunn Friday.
Mrs. L. T. Allen spent Saturday with her mother, Snyder.
Our school boys and girls played ball with Camp Springs last Tuesday. Lloyd Mountain won by a count of 33 to 4.
Bob Harless spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. L. A. Crenshaw, at Plainview.
Weldon Way of Hermleigh is visiting in the E. H. Way home.
Little Misses Burnell and Elsie Pearl Davis of Plainview and Mary Ruth Martin of Snyder spent Saturday night with little Miss Robyn Nunn.
L. M. Fambro and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis at Woodard.
Rev. T. H. Westbrook will fill his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Everyone is invited to come.
We did not have singing Sunday night on account of bad weather, but hope to have better weather and a good crowd next singing night.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent
Funeral services for Mrs. Temple Moore were conducted Friday afternoon at Pyron, with Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe officiating, and the Odum Funeral Home of Snyder in charge. Interment was made in the Pyron cemetery. There was a beautiful floral offering. Mrs. Moore was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis. An infant son was born to her just 10 days prior to her death. We extend sympathy to those who are left to mourn.
Miss Ernestine Rector, Boyce Jones and C. E. Leslie spent the week-end with her folks. They are students at Texas Tech, Lubbock.
The fire bell was sounded late Monday afternoon when the John W. Adams residence caught on fire. But the flames were extinguished before much damage was done.
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ransdell of Breckenridge were week-end visitors in the W. H. Kinzey home.
Superintendent E. E. Kerr has sold his home to John Hignitt, and the Kerrs now occupy the rooms in the home of Mrs. Dick Patterson, where the Pigan family lived.
Miss Louise Brown of Snyder spent Saturday night with Miss Gay Nell McMillan.
Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Rector made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday of last week.
Mrs. C. Karnes, Misses Pearl Vernon and Irene Grant, dinner guests of Mrs. M. E. Williams and the writer made a business trip to Abilene last Wednesday, where Mrs. Williams had an ulcer removed from her left eyelid. She returned Saturday for an examination.
The Hermleigh girls won in volleyball here Saturday when the track events were held, and they will go to play at the district meet at Abilene Sunday. They also won in indoor baseball. The wind and sand made the events very unpleasant.
Misses Exa and Lanora Patterson of Fluvanna visited their grandmother, Mrs. Dick Patterson, Saturday.
How the March winds do blow! We have been having high winds and sand since Saturday, and a cool norther blew up Saturday night and Sunday. The wind and sand made the events very unpleasant.

Polars News

Mrs. H. Randolph, Correspondent
The wind has been blowing quite a lot lately as well as the sand. Some of our people are planting early grain and gardening.
J. J. Cumble and family of Jayton spent Sunday in the T. V. Cumble home here.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Pettie and children left last week for parts unknown. They have been in our community for some time pulling cotton.
The winning ribbons at the Kern County track meet were Nora Hoyle and Harold Maples, who took first place in sub-junior story telling; Doris Sellars won first place in class four, story telling, and Henry Hoyle, second; Betty Hoyle and Eugenia Davis won first place in first spelling class; Mary Nelle Randolph and Delmar Courington, second in second spelling class; Frank Davis won first place in senior spelling; Eugenia Davis won first place in picture memory; W. D. Sanders won first place in senior boys' declamation and in running; Mary Nelle Randolph placed third in the "newspaper" declamation; Elmer Prather for Polar Bears! They carried away more prizes this year than they have in quite a few years.

Hobbs News

Juanita Huddleston, Correspondent
We are having some cool weather at this writing, following several days of what we thought was spring time.
Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson entertained a large crowd of young people Friday night with a party. All present reported a good time.
John Huddleston and Woodrow McCombs attended the rodeo at Hamlin Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rivers and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Rivers of Cottonwood community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rivers and children.
Leona Huddleston, who has been working at Snyder, is working at Rotan now.
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Huddleston and son, Bobbie, made a business trip to Snyder Saturday.
The Hobbs school-bus, which Earl Horton was driving, came near being in a serious accident Sunday morning. A rear axle broke and a wheel came off; however, no one was hurt.
Isaac Harris spent Saturday night and Sunday with homefolks at Rotan.
The junior boys of Hobbs defeated Longworth junior boys in indoor baseball, 13 to 1, Monday afternoon, which won the Fisher County championship.

Gannaway News

Thelma Sturdivant, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Odes White and children spent Sunday in the Ira Sturdivant home.
Willie Davis visited during the week-end at the G. B. Griffin home in the Turner community.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sturdivant and son, Ivy, spent Thursday in the home of J. W. Shipman at Fluvanna.
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Griffin of the Turner community spent Sunday in the J. S. Davis home.
Those on the honor roll for last month at Gannaway school were: Anton Lewis, first grade; Charlie Odstrill, Robbie Nelle Jones and Cosette White, third grade; Della Brom, Ida Mae Whitehead and Annie Rue Sturdivant, fourth grade; Oris White, fifth grade; Charlie Glascock and Velma Faye Sturdivant, sixth grade; Roland White, Junior Jones, L. Z. Morgan and Floyd Glascock, seventh grade; Walter White and Thelma Sturdivant, eighth grade.

Canyon News

Imo Gene Childers, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor of Pride are the proud parents of a baby boy, named Larry James. The couple formerly lived in this community.
Mrs. Marie Kruss of Ira and Herbert and Vernon Carnes of Snyder were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carnes, Wednesday.
Miss Trula Adams is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Roy Taylor, at Pride.
Messrs. Jimmie O'Grady and H. P. Duran made a flying trip to Turner on an enjoyable dance Saturday night. On the return trip they were without lights and their car turned over and both boys were injured.
Miss Clara Shoemaker was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Huddleston at Bison.
Billie Childers spent Saturday night in the home of Lewis Thompson at Bison.
Bison baseball junior boys and girls came to Canyon Thursday evening and defeated our junior boys and girls in two fine games.
Lewis Thompson and Cecil Huddleston of Knapp were Sunday evening guests of Billie Childers.
Elmer Cummings and family of Ira were visitors in the L. F. Sterling home Tuesday.
Singing was held in the W. E. Cox home Sunday night. Everyone present enjoyed the affair.

Big Sulphur News

Viola Mahoney, Correspondent
Miss Velma Lee Franks and Mrs. Otis Bridger and little daughter, Emma Ruth, of Plainview visited friends in this community Sunday.
Andrew Jones and family of the Pleasant Hill vicinity called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryan Sunday.
Mrs. W. B. Dowell is on the sick list this week.
Miss Lorene Fields of New Hope spent Saturday night with her friend, Miss Zelma Ryan.
We were glad to have all the visitors at singing Sunday afternoon, and invite them back again.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Ryan and children spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lewis, at Hermleigh.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seale and daughter, Flossie B., visited in the C. M. Newby home Sunday.
Jeff and Bennie Dowell spent Saturday night in the R. H. Drennan home at Inadule.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ryan were callers on Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ely in Pleasant Hill Tuesday of last week.
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Round Top News

Mrs. J. W. Brown, Correspondent
A few farmers finished breaking land this week and expect to get through this week. Those who have terraces will do some patching up work on them before planting time.
Bessie Durham and wife of Colorado spent Friday night with his father, L. B. Durham, and family.
John Denson and wife of Dunn were dinner guests of J. C. Denson Sunday.
Mrs. Nipp received the news last week of the arrival of a new niece, Dorothy Jean, born to Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Nipp at Abilene.

Ira News

Valerie Kruse and Modelle Henson
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Rhoades of Snyder spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Gene Holladay.
Mrs. Valerie Kruse, a business visitor in Lubbock first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Union spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Giddens and family.
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Devenport and children visited relatives at Bison Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ritchey and son, Bobby Don, Grover Ritchey and H. K. Henson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Henson.
Homer Devenport spent Saturday night and Sunday with homefolks at Snyder.
Modell Henson, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Hobbs and Sweetwater, has returned home. School dismissed last Wednesday on account of diphtheria in the community. Most of the pupils of Ira were vaccinated. School is scheduled to re-open next Monday. Sunday will be observed as Home and Foreign Mission Day at the Baptist Sunday School. A goal of 175 has been set for Sunday School attendance. "Come on, folks, let's reach our goal!"
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leach was called to Abilene Sunday on account of illness of his sister.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cooper of Cisco were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Henson.
Katherine—"So that rich old bachelor didn't propose to you after all, in spite of all you told him about your abilities in the kitchen?"
Anna—"No, he had to eat several dinners at a restaurant where they advertised 'home cooking'—and then he decided to stay single."

Union Chapel

Gertrude Binion, Correspondent
The new year in the old year out—that's what makes the world go round. For instance, in comparing weather tabulations as they appeared in the weekly write-ups, just take a squint at March 24, 1932: "First it blew and then it snowed. And then it froze and then it rained. Then it came a flood of rain. Then it froze and then again."
People, that's the weather in our community, and since March is not yet over the wind is still "blowing" strong.
Well, this is March again, and the sandstorm of sandstorms was with us Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Spring began March 20, said the calendar. Spring, eye! But the prophets are bound to be right. Two persons were walking. They saw a bird on a limb singing for the sheer joy of it. Said one, "I'm sure that spring is here." "Aw, he's just calling for the janitor to send up a little more heat," said the other. And I'm beginning to think the latter was right.
The S. D. Hays family has returned from Ft. Worth, where he attended the funeral of Dr. L. S. Rogers, an uncle of Mrs. Hays. They also visited friends and relatives at Prisco, Lake Dallas and Fort Worth.

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Stormy Session in State Legislature

Held When Banking Problem Arises
(Note—Below is another article from F. Smith of Snyder, who is in Austin acting as secretary to an official committee. His close connection with the Legislature of Texas allows him to get first-hand information of goings-on in the capitol and absorbed. Coming as it has on the eve of Mr. Roosevelt's inauguration, the nation realizes that there is now upon the shoulders of this man the greatest responsibility ever placed upon the shoulders of a president of the United States. The responsibility is even greater than that placed upon the shoulders of President Woodrow Wilson in his prosecution of the World War and America's part in same.
The attention of America is turned to Franklin Roosevelt as the pilot of our economic destiny. How he handles the situation without the next few days will have a bearing on the destiny of this American republic. All seem agreed that nothing but heroic efforts will save this republic from complete wreck and perhaps civil revolution. The issue is clear-cut—the masses versus a capitalist situation that will demand prompt remedies if we are to perpetuate this republic.
Let none deceive themselves as to the gravity of the present situation. It seems to be the viewpoint of many that the present situation marks the beginning of the end of our present financial situation. Is Roosevelt big enough—is he patriotic enough to handle the situation and prevent a collapse of this republic and her institutions? The nation believes that he is and that he will take the side of the masses and the people as against the business and as the pilot of our salvation... he is the man of the hour.
Events are going to shape themselves speedily the next few days or weeks. No man living today can foresee the outcome of the present economic crisis. That our business structure is threatened no one can deny. That the beginning of the end of our present financial and banking system has become topology and presents a situation where the builders have pulled the building down upon themselves. But other and better financial systems will be found and the nation will and must be preserved.
No one doubts for a moment if the governor had not acted promptly when she did it, calling the moratorium there would not have been a solvent bank in Texas within 48 hours. It is not generally known, but steady withdrawals by eastern industries through their agents in the South in order to pay their eastern payrolls were gradually undermining the foundations of banks in our large cities. Individuals were withdrawing their money also in eastern cities as well as in the South, and exchanging it into gold, thus demonstrating the fact that they had become pessimistic as to the stability of our financial institutions.
As far as West Texas people and the masses in general are concerned, they can stem the tide as they have long since failed to find anything to use for money in this country. They and we look to Washington for the solution of our present difficulties, and if failure results from this source, no man living can determine the destiny of this country. Let us all hope, trust and pray that it is and will prove to be the darkest hour just before the break of the day of our economic liberty.

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Sand Belt Opens Annual Schedule Sunday, April 2

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Rules governing this year's play include these: All matches between clubs 100 miles or more distant must be played on neutral grounds upon request of either team. All disputed points will be decided by club representatives in council with the president, representatives of the disputing clubs being omitted.

The schedule follows:

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day as far as control of traffic and pilfering was concerned.

Lights were not out very long, but we still have no gas. We are still having some shocks along, but they are fewer and lighter. No gas will be available until everything is quiet for a spell.

Many still sleep outside even when there was no damage to the houses, and there are lots of camps for refugees from downtown apartments.

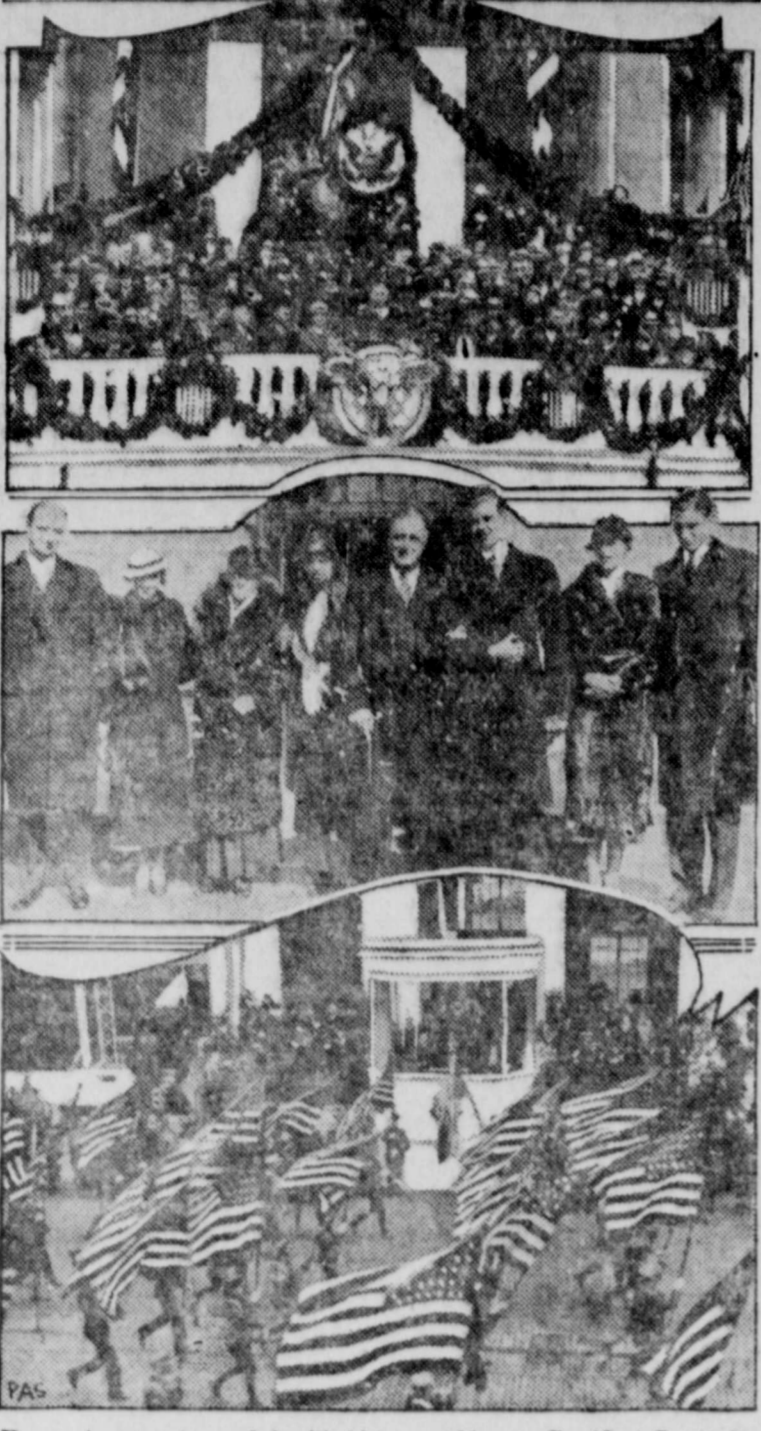
Out to Anaheim damage was the worst of all. Most of the schools are wrecked, and nearly all the churches. A teachers' meeting will be held Saturday in Recreation Park for orders. Temporary quarters will be provided and schools will open up right away.

I am not scared nor panicky, but I just can't drive myself to settle down and do anything.

We have used the electric appliances for cooking. Many have furnaces, makeshift, outside and the city has sent around wagonloads of fuel. Water also was provided until tents were made that proved it to be all right. People from everywhere round about have been so generous. Milk by the thousands of gallons has been sent in and everybody has been supplied with all the food they could eat. Expect some have had more than they were used to ordinarily. Of course, we are up against caring for a lot of these people for months, and we can not expect the public to keep up their donations indefinitely.

We have had our earthquake now so we won't be expecting it if it is still to come. I will have as much to talk about as I had had an operation! This letter is all disconnected, but suppose it is just like we all feel.

With the Nation at Attention



Upper, A moment crowded with history making as President Roosevelt delivered his inaugural address, immediately after taking the oath of office. Center, the Roosevelt family at the White House, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt, Mrs. James Delano Roosevelt (the President's mother), Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt (first lady), President Roosevelt, John Roosevelt, son, Mrs. Curtis Dall, daughter, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr. Lower, President Roosevelt saluting the passing colors from behind the bullet-proof glass in the Court of Honor.

Hermleigh Farmer Finally Relieved From Hiccoughs After 8-Day Siege

From Sweetwater Reporter.

Suffering from severe hiccoughs for eight days before he entered the Sweetwater Sanitarium, R. L. Cartman, 64-year-old farmer living near Hermleigh, was victim of the weakening attack for eight days before relief was effected.

Physicians often are forced to resort to several different medical treatments when such a condition exists, as suffering is caused by a spasmodic inspiratory movement consisting of sudden contraction of the diaphragm, which is relieved by medication.

Attack Followed Flu.

Mr. Cartman's condition was the result of a severe attack of flu, suffered for several weeks, causing contraction of muscles.

Local physicians describing treatment of hiccoughs stated that carbon dioxide gas mixed with oxygen was administered by inhalation for three minutes at a time, giving instant relief. However, this is only temporary and had to be repeated several times a day. This gas was given Mr. Cartman at intervals for eight days, restoring natural breathing.

Slight cases of hiccoughs may be cured by several deep breaths, or a scare, physicians say, pointing out that a peculiar incident occurred when Mr. Cartman was brought in an automobile from his ranch home to the hospital, in that he suffered no effects of the malady, likely from the vibration of the car, which returned to him when he was quiet.

Treatment Handicapped.

Stubbornness of this circumstance is a handicap to treatment, and many times every medical aid is given before the patient receives relief. In some cases such means as pressure on the abdomen will relieve hiccoughs, or pressure on the phrenic nerve of the neck which supplies the diaphragm. When it is safe a combination of acid and alkali is given, which creates a gas forcing distention of the stomach. Other methods that have cured this unpleasantness are strong sedatives or narcotics, when medicine is necessary, both of which are not usually successful.

Mr. Cartman was removed to his home and is convalescing nicely. He is the father of Bob Cartman, well known in Sweetwater.

Electric Company Issues Warnings on Kite Flying Danger

With the approach of kite flying season, officials of the Texas Electric Service Company have issued several "don'ts" for kite flying youngsters and have asked parents to impress on their boys the dangers that are present when kites are flown near electric wires. These "don'ts" are:

Don't fly kites near electric wires. Don't climb poles or use long sticks to disentangle kites from wires. Call the company and a lineman will be sent out to remove the kite.

Don't fly kites with metal wire instead of string. This is extremely dangerous if the wire string should fall across an electric power line.

Don't fly kites with metal frames or with wood frames braced with wire.

Don't fly kites in the rain. A wet string is almost as dangerous as a metal string for conducting electricity.

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Collie Supports Economy Policy In Senate Halls

By Gerald M. Porter.

Austin—The youngest senator in the forty-third Legislature is Willbourne B. Collie of Eastland, senator from the 24th District, which comprises Taylor, Jones, Haskell, Fisher, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton, Eastland, Callahan, Mitchell, Nolan and Scurry Counties. Senator Collie is an active member of the group in the upper House who is leading in the fight for economy in state government. He has favored the abolition of unnecessary jobs both in the Senate and in the various state departments. The Senate voted to reduce the number of its employees almost half.

Collie opposed the long established policy of the use of public funds to pay for subscriptions to daily newspapers for members of the Senate, and this practice was abandoned. He was a leader in the caucus which reduced the pay of all employees in the Senate. The Senate also reduced the per diem of members of the Legislature 25 per cent was favored by Collie, and passed by the Senate, but was defeated in the House. In keeping with his economy program, he recently refused to support a resolution which would give each senator another stenographer.

The present Legislature has an unusual amount of legislation to consider and the necessity of consideration of the measures now being proposed is a better method of using his time for the state, Senator Collie believes, than the introduction of numerous bills for whose adequate consideration this session will not provide the time. "This is practicing economy for the state in the use of his time as well as its money. Senator Collie is giving the state all of his time, for he has not missed a single committee meeting or roll call on the Senate floor.

Senator Collie is a member of the following 13 committees, a large number for a new member of the Senate: Banking, congressional districts, criminal jurisprudence, internal improvements, judicial districts, privileges and elections, public lands and land office, senatorial districts, State School is spending the week in Dallas purchasing additional equipment for the shop. The following students have enrolled for the spring term: Mabel Isaacs, Polly Harpole, Frances Allison, Beatrice Gurry, Inez Jarman and Elizabeth Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and daughter, Bertie May, returned Monday from Denton, where they attended the fiftieth birthday anniversary of the former's father, J. G. Davis. Fifty guests were present for the occasion. Mr. Davis is a former resident of Snyder, having moved from here six years ago.

Poultry Guide Just Off Press; Important Profit Making Hints

An exceptional book full of good chicken sense for the man or woman raising chickens is to be found in the new Purina Poultry Guide, just off the press. It's an attractively bound and beautifully illustrated volume of over 100 pages, presenting in an easy, helpful style the necessary things a poultry owner wants to know, and needs to know, without having to spend much time searching for them.

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Local and Personal

Miss Ethel Mae Sturdivant of El Paso is visiting with relatives and friends in Snyder.

Mrs. Violet McKnight of Albany was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grayum.

Mr. and Mrs. Olda Harrison of Scurry were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown Sunday.

T. J. DeShazo and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Head at Leveland Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Errol Taylor in Albuquerque, New Mexico, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston had with their guest their daughter, Mrs. Truman H. Ray, of Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Dr. and Mrs. D. English had as their week-end guests Mrs. P. D. Bartley and daughter, Miss Ruth Bartley, of Cone.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Smith and little daughter of Big Spring spent the week-end with relatives and friends in Snyder.

Mrs. W. G. Williams and her mother, Mrs. Mattie Justice, of Post left Wednesday morning for Marlin, where Mrs. Justice will be under special treatment.

Mrs. Ollie Stinson, Miss Jessie Stinson and Olen Johnson were in Denton Sunday visiting with Miss Maurine Stinson, student at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bell were business visitors in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finley of Lorraine visited with relatives in Snyder Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jones and little Miss Elaine Davis were guests of Virgil Jones and family in Borger last week-end. They were accompanied home by little Wayne Jones, who is visiting with his grandparents this week.

Mrs. Viola Watkins of the Holden Beauty Culture School is spending the week in Dallas purchasing additional equipment for the shop. The following students have enrolled for the spring term: Mabel Isaacs, Polly Harpole, Frances Allison, Beatrice Gurry, Inez Jarman and Elizabeth Barnett.

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Mrs. Ray Keenan of Monahans is visiting with her mother, Mrs. D. C. Howell, and other relatives and friends here. Mmes. Keenan and Howell, accompanied by Mrs. Dixie Smith and Weldon Johnson, returned Tuesday from a several days' visit in Paint Rock, where they were guests of Wilson Hartgrove and family and Banie Smith.

Lubbock Citizen Urges People To Help Texas Tech

That people in all parts of West Texas should arise to protect Texas Tech at Lubbock, is the opinion of Charles Whitacre, a native of the Tech city, who was a visitor in Snyder Thursday.

Mr. Whitacre stated that within a circle of 200 miles of Lubbock there are only two state supported schools—Tech and the teachers college at Canyon. Within a circle of the same size surrounding Texas A. & M. College we find a total of 12 of these schools, he said. Figures were presented by the visitor to show that West Texas pays a larger percentage of school taxes but receives in return from the state a small percentage of benefits. "In fact," he pointed out, "we receive one-fifth of this state fund and East Texas receives four-fifths of the total."

The cost per student attending Tech is lower than the average of such schools in this and other states in America, Whitacre's figures revealed. Out of 62 schools of similar enrollment in America, there are only three having a lower per student cost. Enrollment in Texas Tech has now exceeded that of Texas A. & M. College, the Lubbock man charged, with the Legislature and meddling politicians clamoring for budget appropriations of several times more for A. & M. than the Lubbock school.

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