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## Seismograph Project Brings 24 Workmen

### WORK STARTS EAST OF TOWN

Project Lasting for Several Weeks Brings 24 Men and \$5,000 Monthly Payroll Here.

A crew of 24 men, 16 of them with families, located in Snyder late last week for at least three or four weeks of seismograph work east of town. With a monthly payroll of about \$5,000, and with 10 or 12 cars and trucks to be serviced daily, the project will be a distinct asset to Snyder. S. W. Wilcox, in charge of the crew, said yesterday that the seismograph work could continue for several months, although he has been definitely assigned to this territory for a shorter period.

Work Out of Tulsa. Wilcox and his men are employees of the Seismograph Service Corporation, with headquarters in Tulsa, Oklahoma. This concern has not heretofore done seismograph work in Scurry County. The present project calls for seismograph shots on about 24 sections on each side of the Scurry-Fisher line, 15 to 20 miles east of Snyder. This territory has never before been tested in this manner. Wilcox leaves this week for a vacation in Montana. W. R. Meeks will be in charge during his absence.

Widespread Experience. Seismograph Service Corporation has operated not only in all the major oil producing states of this country, but also in Canada, Antiarctica, Hungary, New Zealand, Poland, Rumania and the Island of Trinidad. It has organized more crews for oil companies than any other consulting company, said Crew Chief Wilcox.

From his seismic reflection surveys, the corporation has secured for its clients original oil fields in several states and foreign countries. In South Texas and Louisiana, salt domes, such as the Sal Vieja structure, in Wilacy County, and extremely low dip work, such as the east extension of the Tom O'Connor field, have resulted in oil fields.

Theory of Seismograph. In theory, the principle of seismograph reflection work is simple, according to Wilcox. "Sound waves created at the surface by dynamite travel downward, and are echoed back to the surface from various hard formations encountered below.

"With suitable equipment, these returning echoes may be recorded together with the time elapsing between the dynamite explosion and their return to the surface. By a knowledge of the velocity of travel of these waves, which is obtained in several different ways, it is possible by calculation to determine accurately the depth to the echo producing horizon."

Operation of the seismograph crew consists of: 1.—Locating accurately the points on the surface in the area under investigation at which reflections will be taken; 2.—drilling shot holes at these locations; 3.—detonating dynamite in these shot holes and recording resulting reflections; 4.—computing depths of reflecting horizons, correlating records and final mapping.

### Oil Leases Blocked In Hermleigh Area

A 10,000-acre block mostly west of Hermleigh is being formed by a group of South Texas men, with the assistance of Elmer Louder of Hermleigh.

Since this is distinctly wildcat territory, the men working on the project say landowners are anxious to have the area tested. If the block is completed, drilling is slated to begin within a few weeks.

### Two Fair Days

Two Scurry County Fall Fair days instead of the three originally planned were decided on Tuesday by W. R. Lacey, general manager, and his other Lions Club committee men, A. C. Alexander and Billie Lee. Thursday was cut out, leaving Friday and Saturday, October 22 and 23. Committees for all major jobs have been tentatively selected, and these will be definitely announced next week, said the members of the central committee.

Sale of season tickets at 25 cents each will be begun within a few days in all parts of the county.

## AMATEURS TO WIN PRIZES IN FAIR CONTEST

Seven Cash Awards Totaling \$32.50 Offered Talent of Snyder Trade Territory.

Amateurs of all descriptions will have a chance soon to compete for cash prizes totaling \$32.50, preliminary to the Scurry County Fall Fair, October 22 and 23.

Talent from all parts of the Snyder trade territory is invited to take part in the contest, which will be in charge of E. O. Wedgeworth of Pluvanna. There will be no entry charge.

Among performances suggested by Wedgeworth are: Music, vocal or instrumental, singly or in groups; dances; impersonations; readings.

Division of Prizes. Prizes will be awarded as follows: First, \$10; second, \$7.50; third, \$5; fourth, \$4; fifth, \$3; sixth, \$2; seventh, \$1. Individual numbers will be limited to three minutes, group numbers to four minutes.

An entry blank will be found in this issue of The Times. When filled out, it should be mailed or brought to the Times office. Final entry date is Thursday, October 14.

Preliminaries will be held Thursday night, October 21, in the largest tent that will be put up for many of the fair exhibits. Admission will be without charge to those who purchase season tickets to the fair.

Finals at Tent Show. From the preliminary event, seven finalists will be selected. These will perform Friday night on the big Harley Sadler tent show stage, in connection with the regular Sadler program.

The Scurry County Fall Fair is sponsoring the Sadler show, and will receive a percentage of gross proceeds. The show will be here Friday and Saturday, the fair dates. In case of too many entries for the preliminary event, an audition will be held prior to the Thursday night (October 21) program. Out-of-town judges will be used for the preliminary and final performances.

The amateur prizes are open to all permanent or transient residents of the Snyder trade territory.

## Cotton Grades Have Made Improvement Here, In All State

In some respects the grade of cotton from recent ginnings in Texas has improved over that reported for previous weeks. One-fourth of the cotton classed during the week ending September 23 was white strict middling and better, which compares with less than 20 per cent the previous week.

This improvement is reflected in even greater degree in Scurry County, where most cotton is white strict middling and better.

Slightly over one-third of the state crop this season to date has been white middling, and 12 per cent strict low middling and low middling. Based on all cotton classed to date this season, the staple length for the state as a whole is generally shorter than that of last season's corresponding date.

Scurry County's trend is in the opposite direction, staple length having improved considerably.

New Patterson Barber. The new barber in the center chair of J. W. W. Patterson's shop is Jack Lackey, who, until recently, owned a shop in Kilgore, East Texas. Lackey and his wife reside at Stinson Camp Ground.

Graham & Martin Man. Graham & Martin late last week added Claud Moore of Temple to its cleaning force. The young tailor, a specialist in wools, has seen almost 15 years of experience in the cleaning and pressing business.

### 90 Years Old



Mrs. Joe A. Middleton, pioneer Scurry County woman, recently celebrated her 90th birthday at her home in Snyder. Born in Tennessee, Mrs. Middleton and her husband, who died 12 years ago, moved to Texas 57 years ago, and 48 of those years have been spent in Scurry County.

## TIGERS SHOW UP BETTER IN ABILENE GAME

Locals Whipped, 54 to 0, But They Show Signs of Stubbornness And Fightingness.

Displaying a new brand of Tiger stubbornness and fightingness, the local crew of pigskin welders Friday afternoon looked better against Abilene's smart Eagles than they did against either Spur or Sweetwater.

The score was 54 to 0, but this lopsidedness fails to reveal that Red Hill's charges bogged down Eagle drives on the 12, 8, 10, 3 and 2 yard lines on different occasions.

The Eagles scored two touchdowns in each of the four periods, and kicked points after the last six. James Beam, 137-pound quarterback, was Abilene's tiny mite, turning in several exhibitions of fancy running and passing.

Says the Abilene Reporter-News of the Tiger side of the picture: "The single scoring opportunity came late in the second quarter when Beam fumbled and Sorrells, end, recovered on the 15 yard line. Three plays failed to make any headway and the half ended as the Bengals lined up for their fourth down.

"Strayhorn's 20 yard dash from the coffin corner in the second chapter was the single Snyder offensive thrust worth recording. Tate, bulging fullback, tore through the middle of the line for several nice short gains and backed up the leaky Tiger forward wall in credible fashion.

"Woolver and Sorrells at right tackle and end checked the weak side plays time after time."

## Warehouse for Loan Cotton to Be Ready Soon

County Agent and Weigher Explain Newest Plan of Congress to Help Cotton Farmer.

Approval of the local cotton warehouse in connection with the 1937 government cotton loans is expected soon, said Dick Henderson, cotton weigher, yesterday.

When this approval is received, Scurry County producers may make application for loans through the bank, cooperative marketing association, or other agency.

W. R. Lacey, county agent, announces that he has a supply of the note and loan agreement, with instructions, and will be glad to furnish any interested producer with them as long as the supply lasts.

Eligibility for Loan. ELIGIBILITY. Cotton produced in 1937 is eligible for loans, but to producers only. The landlord can borrow on his share only, but the renter can borrow for both himself and the landlord by listing the landlord on the loan agreement as a lienholder and getting his signature.

AMOUNT OF LOAN. This is based upon grade and staple of cotton offered. Nine cents per pound will be loaned on cotton middling or better in grade and 7-8 inch or better staple.

Eight cents per pound will be loaned on middling or better in grade and 13-16 inch staple. Seven and three-fourths cents per pound will be loaned on low middling or strict low middling in grade and 7-8 inch or longer staple.

LIABILITY OF PRODUCER. If the producer complies with terms of the loan agreement, he will not be personally liable for any deficiency upon sale of the pledged cotton. The note and loan agreement govern the liability of the producer and should be read carefully.

The producer is liable for the loan if his cotton does not come up to grade and staple, or if he fails to participate in the 1938 agricultural conservation program, or any other cotton program offered by Congress.

WAREHOUSES. Commodity Credit Corporation will accept only insured warehouse receipts covering cotton pledge as collateral to note, issued by warehouse approved by the loan agency of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The warehouseman guarantees that the cotton falls within the proper grade and staple.

## WINSTON SALE LATER IN YEAR

Winston Brothers of Snyder, among Texas' leading Hereford breeders, have definitely set Friday, December 10, as the date for their sale of a number of animals from their herd of several hundred. The sale date had been originally set as October 11.

This will be the first sale ever staged by the local breeders, who have been handling Herefords on a large scale here for more than 15 years.

The number of animals to be placed on sale will be determined within the next few days, according to Harrie and Wade Winston.

New Bryant-Link Man. Jack Terry is the new blond young man who greets you in the hardware department of Bryant-Link Company. For several months Terry has been associated with the State Highway Department here. He is a graduate of Abilene Christian College.

## OPENING TITLE GAME GOES TO ROTAN FRIDAY

Tigers in Best Physical Condition of Season, And They Have Their Minds Made Up.

Snyder's big football Tigers, facing forward toward a strenuous conference season, rather than backward to three shellacking, will probably be in the best physical condition of the year when they make the opening conference kickoff at Rotan Friday night at 8:00 o'clock.

What is more important, those bulky boys have their minds made up. Since that seemed to be the main thing missing in previous games, Coaches Red Hill and Glen Berry are facing the first of six conference melees with considerable gusto.

Rotan Strength Question. With a new coach and an almost new team, the Yellow Hammers are not scheduled to be too strong this season. Their 50-0 loss to the Spur Bulldogs, previous winners from Snyder, 25 to 0, may or may not have been an indication of their strength. Remembering Rotan's winning ways in the past few years, the Tigers have no delusions about the class of competition they may expect Friday night.

In fact, if the Tigers had any cockiness this season, most of it was knocked out by that hard-charging Spur eleven. Now they are only confident, and fans who have seen them in practice sessions this week declare their old fire has returned.

Most Injuries Healed. Jay Rogers, lettered guard, is still on crutches with the leg he broke in the Spur game. But Tate, who has been ailing all along, is in fair condition. Hargrove at center has seen his hand heal rapidly, and Quarterback Strayhorn is not having much trouble with the hand he injured at Abilene.

Just as fans turned out by the droves for the opening tilt here, and followed their favorites to Sweetwater in numbers, so are they planning to watch the Tigers do what they really expect to be an "about-face" at Rotan.

## MONEY ORDER SALES IN CITY HAVE JUMPED

Fiscal Year's Receipts More Than \$3,000 Over Figures Recorded For Previous Year.

By Paul May, Correspondent. Washington, D. C., September 28.—Money order sales at the Snyder post office rose about \$3,000 in the annual June report over the figures recorded for the previous fiscal year, the general accounting office reports in its latest compilation of figures.

The upward trend in amounts of money sent through the post office was reflected also in the number of orders sold at Snyder.

The government bookkeeping agency reports total value of Snyder's money order business during the fiscal year ending last June at \$11,746.80, while during the same period in 1935-36 the total value of the orders amounted to \$8,141.10.

Snyder residents turned to the post office to purchase 1,233 separate orders during the period, the CIO figures show, and a year ago in June the Texas city orders equalled 1,128.

Generally speaking, accounting office experts credit declining money order sales to bettered business conditions, contending that the less money orders sold, the more people are turning to private banks and checking accounts. No definite trend of business can be determined in this index, it was explained, except for the individual city, for in many sections, as in Snyder this year, the June sales of money orders increased considerably over last year, yet business conditions were on the upgrade.

## Allis-Chalmers Now Handled by Howard

Henry Howard has just taken over the Allis-Chalmers agency for this territory, and says he will handle a full line of tractors and implements.

A carload of tractors—eight in number—is expected within the next few days, and a carload of implements will arrive later.

Howard plans to build a large warehouse, later in the year, just west of his service station on the highway, three blocks east of the square.

Dallas Barber Here. A Dallas man, J. W. Bonner, last Friday took his place at the second chair in the north side barber shop of J. B. Pierce. Bonner has seen considerable experience in barber shops in other West Texas towns.

Buddy Martin Uptown. Buddy Martin, who has been serving for several months as a big-muscled ice man, last week changed his ice hooks for a sales manual. He is appliance salesman for Texas Electric Service Company.

Colorado Looking Good. Colorado was supposed to be weak this season, but her second topheavy win of the season, 26 to 0 over Hamilton, indicates she has something. Loraine was not too impressive last week-end in whipping Coahoma, 38 to 7. Anson won from Merkel, 24 to 0.

### ENTRY BLANK

AMATEUR CONTEST  
Scurry County Fall Fair

Name or Names \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address and Community \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Number (Vocal, Instrumental, Dance, Reading, Impersonation, Etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Exact Title of Song or Number \_\_\_\_\_

If you wish to compete for \$32.50 in Cash Prizes, fill in this blank and leave at Times office on or before Thursday, October 14.

## FIGURES SHOW LOCAL COTTON IN GOOD SHAPE

Government Totals September 16 Reveal Scurry County Behind Most Neighbors.

Scurry County felt better early this week, when official government figures for cotton ginned through September indicated that she was behind all other real cotton counties in this territory.

The reason for this better feeling is that early ginnings usually mean that the crop is short. Scurry was one of the latest counties in this area to gin her first 1937 bale, it will be remembered.

The county total prior to September 16 was 2,279 bales. In 1936, when the crop was burned almost beyond redemption at this time of year, the total prior to September 16 was 4,349 bales.

Total ginnings in Texas prior to that date were 1,827,319 compared with 1,023,303 up to the same date last year. Of this amount, 71,229 bales had been ginned in 18 Central West Texas counties.

Nearly county totals for this year are as follows: Mitchell, 5,065; Fritch, 4,532; Howard, 640; Jones, 7,370; Nolan, 3,955; Stonewall, 1,130; Taylor, 9,122.

## CASING SET IN SHAW TUESDAY

Eight-inch casing was set on the line at 1,600 feet this week in Coffey & Guthrie's Shaw No. 1, South-west Scurry County. Drilling is slated to continue again at 4:00 o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon. The Martin-Robinson test, five miles northwest of Ira, was expected to hit the line last night near the level of the Shaw well, and plans were being made for setting casing in the hole.

## October 5 Chosen For Scurry County At Abilene's Fair

The West Texas Fair at Abilene has designated Tuesday, October 5, as Scurry County Day. Along with this county, Mitchell, Nolan and Howard will be specially honored on that date.

Various other counties and groups have been invited to attend the West Texas event on specified days. Special days of general interest are as follows: October 5, Taylor County dairy herd improvement day; October 6, 4-H and FFA club members and rural school pupils day; October 7, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, sheep and goat day; October 8 and 9, horse and mule show day. The fair closes Saturday, October 9.

Revival of the West Texas Fair, under the leadership of Secretary T. N. Corswell, is meeting with wide response, according to Abilene leaders.

Hartley on East Side. Jim Hartley for several days has been kicking the press and performing other duties at the Moffett & Rogers tailor shop on the east side of the square. He was associated until recently with Graham & Martin.

## MAHON SEEKS LOAN CHANGES TO HELP AREA

Asks Additional Loan for Low Grade Cotton, Prompt Government Cotton Grading.

While in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon of this week, Congressman George Mahon made the following statement with reference to the cotton loan program of the government: "I am urging the department of agriculture to do immediately two things which I think will be of great value to the West Texas cotton producer. First, provide an additional loan for cotton which cannot measure up to the requirements of the present eight and nine cent loan program. Second, provide government cotton classes in this area who can promptly grade the cotton and whose classification will be final. This method of classing the cotton will satisfy both the farmer and the warehouseman and make the loan program workable in West Texas.

"Cotton prices are now so low I anticipate a great demand in West Texas for cotton loans in order to prevent sacrificing the cotton at a ruinous price. Each county should see to it that the department of agriculture is advised of the situation. J. M. Byrnes of the Washington office of the department of agriculture arrived in Lubbock Tuesday and is setting up a cotton classing program for the South Plains-West Texas area.

"The department of agriculture has the authority under the law not only to provide classes but also to liberalize the loan regulations so that a loan of about seven cents can be made on certain shorter staple cotton of West Texas. Without this additional loan, tens of thousands of bales of cotton will be sacrificed on the market for practically nothing and pass out of the hands of the producer. I shall do all in my power to help prevent this."

First District' Blood. Roscoe Plowboys drew first blood in the District 6-B title case Friday night at Sweetwater, when they thoroughly walloped the Roby Lions, 25 to 0. Roscoe counted 16 first downs to Roby's six. Fitts and Gray, as usual, stood out for the Plowboys, while Roby's Henson, left end, was the biggest thorn in Roscoe's side.

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## BARGAIN DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN!

### ALMANAC

"Old time and far travelers may lie by authority."

OCTOBER

- 1—Fort Cassimir, Delaware, surrendered to the English, 1654.
- 2—Italian expeditionary forces invade Ethiopia, 1935.
- 3—The evangelical alliance of the world met in New York City, 1873.
- 4—Work began on the construction of the Niagara Falls power plant, 1890.
- 5—First flight across Pacific from Japan to Washington made by Furushiro and Herndon, 1931.
- 6—The first group of German immigrants arrived at Philadelphia, 1683.
- 7—N. Y. Anti-Stamp Act Congress met; nine colonies represented, 1765.



# The WOMAN'S Page



## RECEPTION IS COMPLIMENT TO TEACHERS

Annual reception honoring teachers in local schools given by Parent-Teacher Association at the school gymnasium last Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock was enjoyed by a group of about 60 people. Informal program for the evening consisted of various games and contests, a singing and several talks.

Mrs. Wraymond Sims, new P.-T. A. president, gave the welcome to teachers, and was enthusiastic in discussing plans of work for the organization during the year. Superintendent C. Wedgeworth responded to the welcome. Margaret Williams directed the games, A. W. Yeats led the sing-song, and Mrs. W. C. Hollis entertained with musical numbers at intervals all evening.

Delicious frosted punch was served with cookies by Misses W. W. Hamilton and Wade Winston, members of the hospitality committee of P.-T. A., to the attendees. Other members of the committee, who assisted with arrangements, were: Misses Lee T. Stinson, Gray Shydes, C. J. Sims and Tom Boren.

Special guests present for the affair included Superintendent C. Wedgeworth and small daughter, Ann, teachers and their wives and husbands, County Superintendent Frank Farmer, Mrs. Farmer and her daughter, Eugenia, Rev. H. C. Gordon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and Mrs. Gordon; Rev. James E. Spivey, Presbyterian pastor, and Mrs. Spivey.

The Thursday night affair was the first of three evening meetings planned by P.-T. A. for the year. "Dads' Night" will be the next special occasion, and another will follow before the year closes.

## Art Guild Has Meeting Tuesday.

First study meeting of Art Guild came Tuesday evening of last week when Alta Bowers was hostess and Mrs. W. P. King leader. "Modern Art" is the subject chosen for study by the local art study group this year.

Edith Grantham, president, welcomed new members, presented plans for the year, and read a list of club officers and committee chairmen.

The leader gave an introduction to the Guild's study book, "Art in American, Modern Times"; authors of "Art in America" were discussed by Effie McLeod; history of modern art was given by Annie Fannie Sewell.

Mrs. C. W. Popcoe, a club guest, concluded the program with a discussion of "Methods and Technique of Art," and at the end of her talk she displayed an interesting collection of art work, made in an art class at McMurry College during the past summer.

The hostess passed a lovely refreshment plate to Mrs. Popcoe, only guest, and the following club members: Misses Jewell Foster, Effie McLeod, Queta Barrow, Vera Periman, Annie Fannie Sewell, Raylene Smith, Edith Grantham, and Misses Curtis Moseley, W. P. King, Billie Lee Jr., R. E. Boyer, William A. DeBoid and O'Dell Ryan.

## A NEW FALL COLOR Gadabout



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A utility shade in neutral taupe, especially created for general wear with blues, greens, reds, black, and many of the stunning new Fall mixtures.

## BEN FRANKLIN STORE

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## LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES

By a Young Modern

"Diamond Lil," with her jeweled dog collar and feather tiara, could find her fashion prototype today as Miss Modern America steps out for the evening. But even "Lil" would have a hard time equalling the glamorous offerings of jewelers today.

The old dog collar is now being launched as an elaborate piece of costume jewelry rather than the dowager type made of velvet ribbon. For particular swank the wearer may add a choker of pearls or other beads below it.

Stiff aigrette-like feathers, the kind that one sees on grandmother's head in the family album, are again gracing evening hairdresses. The bases of these are often of metal studded with brilliant stones.

In the "Pavillon des Joailliers" or Jeweler's Row at the Paris Exposition are shown the types of jewels which will probably be copied all over the world during the next season. The rather heavy, chunky ornaments of the last few years are gone, and in their place are delicately graceful creations designed to contribute to the 1937-38 luxury mode.

Girls at Texas State College for Women, Denton, welcome leaves and flowers as the newest notes in costume jewelry, this motif being carried out in many lovely brooches and pins. For solid black dresses which are so right this year these pins are the perfect accent.

Deep cuff bracelets will also embellish the flatteringly draped evening costumes. Most of them are tight at the wrist and flare slightly at the outer edge. More modernistic ones are of smooth metal edged with stones. All types of jewelry are designed to be a definite part of the costume with which they are worn.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Joe Stinson, and Mrs. R. H. Odum read a poem on "Service."

## Saturday Marriage Is Announced Here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bradbury are announcing the marriage of their younger daughter, Vernelle, to Billy Moore of Warren, Arizona, which took place in El Paso Saturday.

Miss Bradbury left Snyder by train Friday night to meet Moore in El Paso, where they were married by Rev. T. L. Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at his home Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

The bride wore a navy blue crepe ensemble with London tan accessories for the ceremony.

The couple returned to Warren early this week, and will make their home there, where the bridegroom is employed in the offices of the copper mines.

After graduating from the local high school in 1932, Vernelle attended Draughon's Business College in Abilene before becoming a stenographer in the resettlement office here. She also did stenographic work in the county agent's office, and more recently was an operator in the local telephone office. She has done junior club work in the city.

Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore of Warren, Arizona, and a nephew to H. L. and Leon Wren of Snyder, is known to local people, since he visited numbers of times with his brother, Wren O. Moore, and wife, now of Laredo, and the Wrens here. He received his education in Warren and Bisbee, Arizona, schools.

## Mrs. Porter Hostess To Her Four Sisters.

Mrs. S. C. Porter was hostess Sunday at a reunion of four of her sisters, who gathered here for the first time in a number of years, a brother and several other relatives. A delightful meal was served at noon, and an entirely enjoyable day was spent by the 20 people present.

Sisters of the local woman present were Misses Ann Moss Jones of Abilene, Arthur Erwin of Moore, P. B. Bryan of Tres Lagunas, New Mexico, and E. L. Doss of Mineral Wells. The other sister, Mrs. Meek Howell of Levelland, was unable to be present because of a recent illness. One brother also celebrated the occasion with his five sisters. He was B. L. Moss of Mineral Wells.

Other relatives enjoying the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Porter were: Mr. and Mrs. John Doss and daughter, Coral Mae, and E. L. Doss of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crenshaw and son of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Preston of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch of Haskell.

## Hockaday Student Is Hall President.

Wynona Keller, second year student at The Hockaday School for Girls in Dallas, has been elected president of South Hall, where she is living this year. She was president of West Hall last year.

Soon after her election, Miss Keller shared honors with Virginia Farrell of Fort Worth at a dinner party given at the Casino, Pan American Exposition's major show, by John B. Collier of Fort Worth. The group danced to music of Benny Goodman's band after the show.

Mrs. John Keller of Snyder, who recently returned from a two-week visit with her daughter in Dallas, was in the Casino party.

## Mrs. Gray Honors Guest With Party.

Complimenting her guest, Mrs. F. W. Leunberg of McAllen, Mrs. R. L. Gray entertained last Thursday afternoon with a four-table bridge party. Mrs. Leunberg, who is Mr. Gray's niece, left Sunday after a 10-days visit with the local people.

Mrs. J. C. Stinson received the high score award in bridge games, and the honoree received a gift. Others present were: Misses J. D. Scott, Billie Lee Jr., R. C. Miller, Max Brownfield, E. F. Sears, G. B. Clark Jr., J. G. Hicks, Sidney Johnson, R. E. Boyer, Wraymond Sims, P. W. Cloud, Dan Gibson, Aubrey Stokes and Miss Frances Stinson.

A dainty salad plate was passed at the tea hour to the guests.

## Moslem People Are Discussed by Group.

"What Is This Moslem World?" new fall study for the four circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church, was presented at the Monday meeting held in the church by Mrs. Warren Dodson. Her discussion was in the form of a clever travogue, an air journey of 25,000 miles in 30 days, with illustrations of pictures and maps.

Mrs. J. E. Hardy discussed "Ways of Living," dealing with the living conditions and customs of the Moslem people. The Mosque, Mrs. Hardy said, is the center of all religious activities in Moslem cities, where the building is open 24 hours each day for prayer and worship services.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Joe Stinson, and Mrs. R. H. Odum read a poem on "Service."

The following other members were present for the meeting: Mmes. Hardy, Odum, Dodson, R. W. West, I. W. Boren, Homer Snyder, H. P. Brown, Pearl Martin, J. C. Dorward, B. L. Kent, A. M. Curry, R. M. Stokes, W. W. Hamilton, J. P. Avery, A. D. Johnson, Stinson, R. L. Reschlar, Joe Strayhorn, W. J. Ely, J. O. Littlepage, T. W. Pollard, A. C. Preullt, H. V. Williams and J. W. Templeton. Mrs. J. C. Ross was a guest for the meeting and program.

## Music Club Has Initial Meeting.

Members of the Musical Coterie met last Thursday afternoon for its first meeting of the club year, at the home of Mrs. John E. Sentell, president. Mrs. Lawrence Hays was assistant hostess.

First lesson in the new course of study, "Discovering Music," by McKinney and Anderson, dealt with the first five chapters, which were presented by Mrs. J. E. Hardy, study leader. Illustrations were given as follows: Piano solo, Chopin waltz, Mrs. E. E. Spears; soprano solo, "Liebestraume" by Liszt, Mrs. J. R. Sheehan; piano duet, selection from Debussy, Misses A. C. Preullt and W. W. Hamilton.

The hostesses served delicious refreshments to Misses J. R. Sheehan, W. W. Smith, Francis Pierce, W. W. Hamilton, J. E. Hardy, King Sides, L. A. Chapman, W. C. Hollis, A. C. Preullt, E. E. Spears, Novis Rodgers, Melvin Blackard, Hugh Boren, Homer Snyder, and Miss Margaret Williams.

Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Floyd, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd, Plainview community; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Floyd, County Line community.

## Old Officers Are Hostesses to Club.

Out-going officers of the Ingleside Study Club were hostesses to members at the home of Mrs. W. W. McCarty, who is beginning her second year as president, Tuesday afternoon. Hostesses were Misses McCarty, J. T. Johnson, W. W. Smith, R. J. Randals and Clyde M. Boren.

Mrs. Smith directed a program on the executive department of "American Government," club study. Misses Randals, H. P. Redwine, W. F. Cox and J. M. Newton discussed topics on the program—"How the President Is Nominated and Elected," Mrs. Randals; "Constitutional Provisions for the Vice President and Cabinet," Mrs. Cox; "Short Sketch of the Life of John Nance Garner," Mrs. Newton.

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**Woodman Circle—Mrs. C. L. Banks, guardian; Mrs. H. V. Williams, secretary. Time of meeting, third Friday evenings.**

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**Pleasure Clubs.**

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**Thursday Night Bridge Club—J. P. Nelson, president; Mrs. J. D. Scott, secretary. Time of meeting, alternate Thursday evenings.**

## Children of Mrs. Day In Reunion at Snyder.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Day, north of Snyder, was the scene of a reunion of Mrs. Day's children last Thursday. Last week's visit was the first time the entire family had been together in 17 years.

Wille Tatom and family of Tucumcari, New Mexico, Jim Tatom and family of the Bethel community, and Gib Tatom and family of Snyder were present. One granddaughter of Mrs. Day's, Mrs. Alma Ward of New Kirk, New Mexico, was not able to be present.

Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Floyd, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd, Plainview community; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Floyd, County Line community.

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## Mrs. Huckabee Is Hostess to Club.

Mrs. J. R. Huckabee was hostess to members of the Woman's Culture Club at her home Tuesday afternoon, and Mrs. W. B. Rodgers directed a program on "Safety" during the afternoon.

"Safety in Traffic" was a discussion by Mrs. A. C. Alexander; Mrs. E. J. Richardson gave an interesting paper on "Fire Prevention"; and Mrs. W. G. Williams talked on "Youth and Leisure." Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn entertained with a vocal solo, "Autumn Lullaby" by J. S. Fears, accompanied by Mrs. H. L. Wren.

The hostess passed delicious pie a la mode to the following club members: Misses A. C. Alexander, J. P. Avery, P. C. Chenault, Mabel Y. German, W. A. Morton, E. J. Richardson, W. B. Rodgers, E. F. Sears, D. P. Strayhorn, E. E. Weathersbee, W. G. Williams, J. A. Woodfin and H. L. Wren.

## Amona Class Elects.

Amona Class of the First Baptist Church, of which Mrs. Fred Jones is teacher, met Tuesday afternoon at the teacher's home to elect officers for the coming year. They are: Louise LeMond, president; Aileen Morrison, vice president; Ernestine Morton, secretary-treasurer; Loraine Todd, reporter. Membership committee is composed of Aileen Morrison, Ruth Line and Loraine Todd.

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## Joe Dave Scott Is Birthday Honoree.

Joe Dave, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Scott, was named honoree Sunday at a delightful birthday party given by his mother at their home here. The honoree was the recipient of an array of attractive birthday gifts.

Games were played out-of-doors, and kodak pictures of the group of children were made. Gay balloons were presented attendants as party favors, and the pretty birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream at the tea hour, as the youngsters sat on the lawn.

The guest list included: Margaret Smyth, Gerald Heinselmann, Sandra Jean Josephson, Clarice McLaughlin, Franklin Brownfield, Marvin and Joe Sentell, Peppy Shyles, Grayum McKnight, Robert Preullt, Sam Bernard Rosenberg, Billy Dick and Durrell Stokes, Ann Wedgeworth, Camille Cloud, Daumel Blackard, Bobby Max Brownfield, Mary Ann Randals and Eugenia Farmer.

Also present were the following: Mrs. Joe Stinson, Mrs. James A. Pitts of Dallas, Wanda Newman, Annie Fannie Sewell and Mrs. Max Brownfield.

## Study of English Is Begun at Mrs. Gray's.

Members of Altrurian Daughters Club heard the first lesson of their study, "Practical English and Effective Speaking," at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Gray Jr. last week, as presented by Mrs. Don Hilton, standing personality today.

"Elimination of Speech Faults and Vocational Development" was discussed by Mrs. P. W. Cloud; "Grammar and Effective Expression" was Mrs. J. D. Scott's subject; and Mrs. Joe Caton used "Our President" in her discussion of America's outstanding personalities today.

A delightful salad course was served to four new club members, Margaret Williams, Wanda Newman, Margaret Henderson and Annie Fannie Sewell, and the following other members: Kenneth Alexander, Owen Gray, Dorothy Strayhorn, and Misses Cleve Blackard, Max Brownfield, Joe Caton, P. W. Cloud, Herman Darby, Don Hilton, J. D. Scott, E. E. Spears and the hostess.

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## Doris Buchanan Has West Texas Position.

Doris Buchanan, daughter of Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, who was a resident of Snyder for a number of years, arrived here Saturday to spend the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. G. C. Buchanan, and other relatives.

Miss Buchanan spent her summer vacation with her mother and sister, Mrs. George McJimsey, in New York City, after teaching college home economics at Ames, Iowa, last year. Previously she taught at Athens, Ohio.

Arriving in her native Texas more than two weeks ago, Miss Buchanan has been in Austin, lining up her work for the current year under supervision of the state department of education. Her work as itinerant trainer in home economics in affiliated schools will cover the major portion of Northwest Texas. Her office headquarters will be at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

## Rummage Sale Saturday.

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale in the building formerly occupied by Bert Baugh's tailor shop, one-half block west from the northwest corner of the square, all day Saturday. Doors will open at 10:00 o'clock in the morning and the sale will be in progress all day.

## Last Year's Officers Renamed Wednesday.

Last year's officers of Sine Cura Club were re-elected at a meeting last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Curtnite, who was hostess to members and three guests. Mrs. Ernest Taylor is president, and Mrs. A. J. Towle secretary.

Garden flowers decorated the Curtnite home for Sine Cura meeting last week. High score prize was presented Mrs. T. L. Lollar.

Delicious refreshments were passed to the following: Misses A. C. Preullt, W. J. Ely and Joe Hendricks, guests, and Misses Hugh Boren, H. G. Towle, Wayne Boren, Lollar, A. J. Towle, A. D. Erwin and Joe Stinson. Mrs. Wayne Boren will be next hostess to the bridge club.

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<b>MATCHES</b>	Carton of 6 Boxes	<b>19c</b>
<b>Bologna</b>	Sliced—Per Pound	<b>10c</b>
<b>LAUNDRY SOAP</b>	P. & G. or Crystal White—6 Bars for	<b>25c</b>
<b>HAMBURGER</b>	Fresh Ground—Pound	<b>12 1/2c</b>
<b>BROOMS</b>	Each	<b>25c</b>
<b>TOKAY GRAPES</b>	Per Pound	<b>5c</b>
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<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b>	Quart Jar	<b>25c</b>
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### GAS COMPANY PLANS PRIZES FOR PICTURES

Contest for Amateur Photographers Opens October 11, Closes December 18.

A novel contest for amateur photographers which reverses the usual order of such competitions is announced by Lone Star Gas System in an advertisement appearing in this issue of The Times. Instead of asking the contestant to buy something or write an essay about a product, the gas company announces that it wants to buy from its customers 100 good photographs of gas heating equipment.

There is nothing to buy, no letters to write, in this contest," the company explains in announcing the contest which opens October 11 and will close December 18. "Your gas company and national manufacturers of heating appliances wish to obtain photos or snapshots illustrating various types of gas heating equipment used in the homes of this section. We need 100 good photos or snapshots of home interiors that can be used to illustrate gas heating appliances. "We want to buy these 100 photos from our gas customers and will pay \$10 each for the 10 best submitted each week during the 10-week contest. At the end of the 10-week period grand prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded for the four best entries submitted during the contest."

The contest is open to anyone living in a home supplied gas by any of the Lone Star Gas System companies with the exception of professional photographers or others who may take pictures for commercial purposes, and Lone Star Gas System employees and their immediate families. Companies participating in the contest include Lone Star Gas Company, The Dallas Gas Company, County Gas Company, Texas Cities Gas Company and Community Natural Gas company.

Entries may be submitted at the nearest gas company office or mailed directly to Lone Star Gas System advertising department, 305 South Harwood, Dallas. Folders giving complete information on the contest and showing sample pictures similar to those described may be obtained from the gas company.

### Coca-Cola Offering Plenty of Drink to Best Grid Guessers

Ben Lee Boynton, who has been one of the leading officials in Southwestern football for 12 years, and who has played in or officiated in 10 or more games every year for a quarter of a century, has abandoned the gridiron this fall to serve as football commentator for the Coca-Cola Bottling Companies of Texas, which are sponsoring the "College Night" radio broadcasts and weekly name-the-winners football contests, according to Wilson W. Crook, of the Crook Advertising Agency, which is handling the state-wide campaign. Texans will have the opportunity of entering each week's name-the-winners contest featured in the newspapers. Boynton was born and reared in Waco, where he played his first football with Paul Tyson's famous high school squad. He was an all-American quarter at Williams College; served in the air service of the marine corps during the World War; played professional football and baseball in the East for several years; and has been a favorite referee in the Southwest since 1925, where he settled as vice president of a group of leading insurance companies.

Each week a case of Coca-Cola will be given to every Texan who names the winners in all the games played that week by Southwest Conference teams plus those of Hardin-Simmons and Texas Tech. No scores are to be forecast, just the names of the winners. The games to be counted in the first week's contest ending Friday noon, October 1, are: Texas-Louisiana; T. C. U.-Arkansas; Baylor-Oklahoma City U.; A. & M.-Manhattan; S. M. U.-Centenary; Rice-Oklahoma U.; Texas Tech-Montana; Hardin-Simmons-Ouachita College of Arkansas.

T. J. Teter, freshman student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, the Ivan Teters.

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### WELCOME IDEA NOW IN EFFECT

Snyder's new "Welcome" newcomers is scheduled to go into effect Friday, October 1. Mrs. Roy Stokes, representative of more than 40 firms that have agreed to cooperate with the plan, states that it will probably be early next week before the new families will actually be contacted. In the meantime, merchants, landlords and others who contact new families are requested to notify Mrs. Stokes. The newcomers will be given baskets of merchandise and a word of welcome from each of the cooperating firms.

### Hill Says Tigers Out Friday Night For Initial Game

In a stirring call to Snyder business men to continue support of the Tiger eleven, in the face of three losses, injuries and an apparent team laziness, Coach W. W. Hill told the Lions Club Tuesday at noon that the Bengals are out for a win when they go to Rotan Friday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Hill's call to arms was reflected in the remarks of Glen Berry, assistant coach, who called attention to the fact that his basketball team last year lost nine games before winning one, then continued into the district playoff as one of the strongest teams.

Weldon Strayhorn, captain, also briefly declared the Tigers are going to Rotan to win. Lon John Sentell had charge of an initiation service in which King Sides and Hadley Reeve became members of the club.

President A. C. Preullt said plans will be worked out in a few days, at the October directors' meeting, for building up the attendance of the club.

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### Sing-Song Will Be Held in Community

A community-wide sing-song has been set for the night of Monday, October 11, at the First Presbyterian Church, according to leaders of the congregation. Other churches of the town are cooperating in the service, which will of course be open to all comers. Old-time songs, sacred and secular, will be included on the program. "It is just a community get-together for neighborliness and for keeping the old-time songs alive," say Presbyterian leaders.

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### Victor Base to Fair.

Down at the Fair Store is a new clock, Victor Base, who has for some time been a Piggy-Wiggy employee. The new dry goods and ready-to-wear dispenser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Base, is a 1938 graduate of Snyder High School, where he was a leader in school activities.

### More Marines Wanted.

The officer in charge of the United States Marine Corps recruiting station, Dallas, announces vacancies for 100 men a month for the next three months. Men enlisted will be immediately transferred to the recruit depot, Marine Corps base, San Diego, California, for training and duty. Ages are 18 to 30 years.

### County Song Heard In KRLD Broadcast

In their KRLD broadcast Friday, the Stamps quartet of Dallas dedicated part of their program to Eddie Williams of Hobbs.

The Stamps quartet sang "For My Home Is Over There," a number with words by Leon Guinn and music by Eddie Williams. This song will be in next year's Stamps-Baxter songbooks. Guinn and Williams had another song that was broadcast over KRLD several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Snyder and son, Kenneth, visited relatives in Roscoe Sunday afternoon.

### Emergency Hospital

M. E. Whitmire of Belton, father of Mrs. E. A. Griffin, is in the Emergency Hospital this week. He will be operated this (Thursday) morning. Mrs. Whitmire is at the bedside of her husband here. Mrs. Howard Franks had a tonsil operation in the Emergency Hospital Tuesday.

Have you seen the new suntan ball watches and the big new shipment of Welbro watches at H. G. Towle Jewelry Company?

### First Methodist Church

Next Sunday is designated as "Loyalty Day" throughout the nation. Increased church attendance will be sought everywhere. Let's observe it in Snyder.

Next Sunday we begin a new Sunday school year. Only a few Sundays remain for finishing the conference year. There are many reasons why we should attend all services next Sunday.—H. C. Gordon, pastor.

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### Brother Dies Friday.

T. J. Wright, 51, brother of Mrs. W. T. Sumrall, who resides east of Snyder, died at Colorado Friday morning after a two months illness. He was a refinery employee. Final rites were held Friday afternoon at Colorado, and burial was at Sweetwater.

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2. The house in which you reside must receive its gas service from one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and all photos submitted in the TEN WEEK CONTEST must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System. These companies are: Lone Star Gas Company; The Dallas Gas Company; County Gas Company; Community Natural Gas Company; Texas Cities Gas Company.
3. Employees of any company of Lone Star Gas System and their immediate families and professional photographers or persons engaged in the business of making photographs for commercial purposes are not eligible to enter this Heating Photo Contest.
4. All photos submitted must have your name and address (including the town) PRINTED PLAINLY ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER AND PASTED TO THE BACK OF EACH PHOTO ENTERED IN THE CONTEST.
5. All photos submitted should be delivered to your local gas company office or mailed to LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM, ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT, 305 S. HARWOOD ST., DALLAS, TEXAS.

The contest is for a TEN WEEK Period from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937 (inclusive). All photos submitted will become the property of Lone Star Gas System to be used as desired by the company. Photos entered in the contest will not be returned and weekly prize winners will be advised by letter. At the close of the ten week contest a complete list of prize winners will be available for your inspection at your nearest gas company office.

Your gas company and national manufacturers of gas heating appliances wish to obtain photos or "snapshots" illustrating gas heating equipment used in homes of this section.

We want to buy one hundred photos showing interior views of living rooms, dining rooms, bed rooms or any other room in the house. All photos submitted to the judging committee must conform to the rules of the contest and must include a view of gas heating equipment. Also, every photo or "snapshot" submitted in the contest must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and the person submitting the photo must reside in a home receiving gas service from one of these companies. (See Contest Rule No. 2 for details)

## Nothing to Buy . . . No Letters to Write!

We are interested in photos ONLY. Include any type of gas heating appliance such as a gas floor furnace, a gas circulating heater, a gasteam radiator or an individual room heater of the gas radiant type. Select a view of a room that shows some type of gas heating appliance and

send it in. There is nothing to buy, no letters to write, to make your entry eligible for a prize. Read the five simple rules of the contest carefully and send your entries promptly each week. The contest extends from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937, inclusive.

## CASH PRIZES

Ten weekly prizes of \$10.00 each will be awarded the best photos submitted each week. A total of one hundred prizes of \$10.00 each for the best one hundred photos submitted during the TEN WEEK CONTEST. At the close of the Photo Contest additional prizes of \$100.00, \$75.00, \$50.00, and \$25.00 respectively will be awarded the four photos selected as the best entered during the TEN WEEK CONTEST.

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# Local Program Planned For Prevention of Fire

## SPECIAL WEEK HEADLINED BY LOCAL SCHOOL

### School Patrons Given Invitation to Attend Assembly Programs During Week.

Special stress will be placed on fire prevention in local schools next week, October 4 to 9, National Fire Prevention Week, according to King Sides, high school principal, and Hadley Reeve, principal of junior high and primary grades.

Fire prevention is taught regularly in grades two, four, five, seven, nine and eleven, and other grades in the local school are following the national idea next week in assembly programs, home room programs, the making of booklets, posters and themes on fire prevention.

#### New Alarm Planned.

The high school student council, led by School Fire Chief A. C. Alexander Jr., is working on a mechanical fire alarm, which will be completed next week, and at least one fire drill will be conducted with the new alarm. Sides, Margaret Henderson and A. W. Yeats compose the high school faculty committee which sponsors the student council.

School patrons are given a cordial invitation to attend classes and observe work in the local school at any time, and next week they are urged to attend the assembly programs.

High school fire prevention assembly will come Friday morning at 11:25 o'clock, and at that time guest speakers will include Fire Chief N. W. Autry and representatives from local fire insurance agencies, who will discuss fire prevention and improvements in connection with safety from the fire hazard.

#### Committee in Charge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hollis, faculty advisors, and an assembly committee composed of Mary Helen Bolin, Dorothy Winston, Geraldine Chapman and Helen Singletary, students, will be in charge of the presentation. This committee will not only have charge of next week's program, but will plan programs throughout the first semester.

Junior high school students will be presented in assembly program Thursday morning at 11:25 o'clock, with the central theme as fire prevention. Miss Dorothy Strayhorn will be in general charge of planning and presentation of the junior high program.

Miss Gertrude Herra will present primary pupils in assembly Friday morning at 9:00 o'clock. A portion of the program will be on fire prevention and part on Christopher Columbus, since the birthday of America's discoverer falls on the following Tuesday.

### Junior High Girls Form Choral Club.

A group of 36 junior high school girls reported for practice at first meeting of the choral club, which is directed by Miss Margaret Williams. Members will pay dues, which will finance music for the group, Miss Williams said.

Officers of the choral club are as follows: Dorothy Murphree, president; Freida Kelly, vice president; Virginia Preullt, secretary-treasurer; Mary Sue Sentell and Mary Ellen Williams, recorders; and Martha Ann Cogdell, reporter.

Heard on a number of programs last year, the junior high girls are planning a full year of music study and presentations this year. Costumes will be the same as last year—white linen frocks with coronation blue neckerchiefs.

May we show you our new patterns in rock crystal stemware, new China and silverware, both flat and holloware?—H. G. Towle Jewelry Company.

## FIRE PREVENTION PROCLAMATION

Know all men, women and children, by these presents: That, whereas the health, happiness, life and safety and general welfare of each citizen are dependent upon existing living conditions, and

Whereas, the lives and property of our people are endangered by fire caused by rubbish, accumulations in homes, offices, stores, factories, alleys and streets, and

Whereas, a city is judged largely by its general appearance of cleanliness, freshness and beauty, and

Whereas, fire is to a very large degree preventable by the proper application of education in fire prevention and fire protection:

Now, therefore, I, H. G. Towle, mayor of the city of Snyder, do hereby proclaim the week of October 3 to 9 as Fire Prevention Week, during which week I most respectfully urge our civic and commercial organizations, our school officials and teachers, and our citizenship as a whole, to cooperate and work with the fire department and city officials in an effort to control this useless loss of life and property by fire. Every home and place of business should be inspected and all fire hazards removed.

In testimony whereof, I herewith sign my name on this the 29th day of September, 1937.

(Signed) H. G. TOWLE, Mayor.

## OFFICIAL WEEK IN ALL NATION

The week of October 3 to 9 has been proclaimed as Fire Prevention Week not only in Snyder but in the nation and the state as well.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt has proclaimed the period as national Fire Prevention Week, and Governor James W. Allred has issued a proclamation for observance of the week in Texas.

### W. L. Keller Rites Thursday Afternoon

Final rites were held last Thursday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, at the Church of Christ, for W. L. Keller, 75, who died Wednesday night. J. Porter Sanders, local minister, officiated for the services, and Maples Funeral Home was in charge of burial in Snyder cemetery.

Mr. Keller, for 23 years a farmer and merchant in Scurry County, died as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident 10 days earlier.

Pallbearers were: Ira Sturdivant, Gay McGlaun, Ed Thompson, E. F. Sears, F. W. Wilhelm and Hiram Roper. Mmes. Jim Woody, Will Crowder, Ed Thompson and Bob Terry were in charge of flowers.

### Church of Christ

Ave. M at 21st St.

Sunday, October 3—Bible study, 10:00 a. m.; preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by W. L. Garrett of Waco. I Tim. 5 is our lesson for 10:00 o'clock. We are having some interesting studies in the letters to Timothy and Titus on church organization and worship. The Lord's table will be spread at 11:45 a. m.

Bro. Garrett is widely known and sound in the faith, and we feel sure it will be a treat to all who hear him.—R. C. Huggins.

They're new! See these new sun-tan ball watches and the new Welbro watches.—H. G. Towle Jewelry Company.

### When You Need a Laxative

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### First Presbyterian Church

Theme of the world-wide communion service at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock will be "Christ for the World." This church will join with all of the congregations of our denomination in a universal celebration of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The evening service at 7:30 o'clock will be followed by a congregational meeting. Every member of the church is urged to be present at this meeting for a discussion of matters vital to the interest of all.

The Sunday school will observe rally day at the regular morning session at 9:45 o'clock.—James E. Spivey, pastor.

#### Taylor Buying Cotton.

Edgar Taylor several days ago resigned his position with the Fair Store to go actively into the cotton buying business. Edgar says he will buy cotton any time anywhere from almost anybody.

Remember that no person ever selected his parents.

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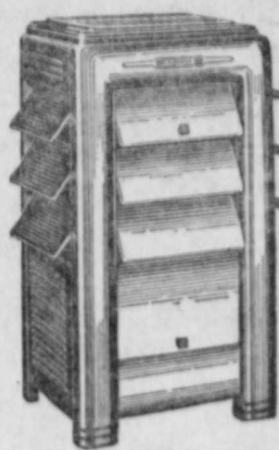
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Thurs. & Fri., Sept. 30-Oct. 1—"BROADWAY MELODY OF 1938," starring Robert Taylor and Eleanor Powell and sensational cast of hundreds. Latest News.

Sat., Oct. 2—"SONG OF THE GRINGO," starring Tex Ritter, the West's own singing cowboy star. Chapter Two of "Jungle Menace" and comedy. Admission 10c-15c.

Sat. Night Prevue, Sun., Oct. 2-3—"HOT WATER," starring the Jones Family with Jed Prouty, Shirley Deane and others. Comedy and novelty.

Mon., Oct. 4—"BAD GUY," with Bruce Cabot, Virginia Grey, Edward Norris, Jean Chaburn, Cliff Edwards. Musical comedy. Bargain Night. Admission only 10c a seat.

Tues. & Wed., Oct. 5-6—"LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE," starring the Ritz Brothers in their first starring picture, with Joan Davis, Tony Martin, Gloria Stuart and many others. Comedy and novelty.

## RITZ THEATRE

Program for Week

Thurs. & Fri., Sept. 30-Oct. 1—"GUNNERS AND GUNS," starring Black King in another western thrills. Comedy and musical. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Sat., Oct. 2—"FEUD OF THE WEST," starring Hoot Gibson, Chapter Seven of "The Painted Stallion" and comedy. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Sun. & Mon., Oct. 3-4—"REBELLION," starring Tom Keene. Comedy and novelty. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Tues. & Wed., Oct. 5-6—"MICHAEL O'HALLORAN," by Gene Stratton-Porter, with Wynne Gibson, Warren Hull and others. Chapter Two of "Scotland Yard" and comedy. Family Night. All the immediate family admitted for one 10c ticket.

Coming to the Palace:  
October 7-8—"The Big City"  
October 14-15—"Kid Gallahad"

### 1938 PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED FOR FARMERS

Acree Goals for Cash Crops to Be Set Up Under Next Year's Government Plans.

The 1938 agricultural conservation program will set up acreage goals for cash crops which are smaller than the established bases, according to George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas agricultural conservation committee, who has recently returned from Washington, where representative farmers were called to confer with AAA officials as to the program.

The 1938 program is in most respects quite similar to the 1936 and 1937 program, Slaughter said. The range program, developed during 1937, will be continued.

Chief difference in the new program from previous plans is the provision for national goals for major soil-depleting crops to provide adequate supplies for consumption and export, but such as to keep down burdensome surpluses, according to Slaughter. He explained that each state will be given its share of the national goal, and each county will be given its share of the state goal. The county goal will be distributed among the farmers of the county.

In 1938, the maximum payment for each producer will be calculated at the beginning of the crop year and the attainments of soil depleting and soil building goals will be set as conditions for full payment.

The division of payments between landlords and tenants will be the same as the division of crops, Slaughter said.

The new program was hailed by Slaughter as by far the most uniform in application to all regions that has yet been developed. He stated that it is the plan of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to inform each farmer as to the acreage in each of his crop goals before planting time in the spring of 1938.

Mrs. Grady Ferguson left last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett, at Simsboro, Louisiana. Mrs. Ferguson will probably spend several weeks with her parents and old friends at Simsboro, her home before her marriage.

Mrs. Bob Corley, Mrs. Charles Largent and her sons, Larry and Charles Jr., all of Merkel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Corley's parents, the C. E. Fergusons here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Drinkard of Anton were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Drinkard and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lewis.

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Less Champion of Fresno, California, a former resident of Snyder, is visiting with relatives and old friends in the county.

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### Borden County Farm - Ranch News

By E. B. McLeroy, County Agent

A series of meetings widely distributed over Texas recently have again brought our attention to the fact that Texas cotton farmers must do something about the quality of cotton offered for sale over the entire area. Reports from all parts of the country indicate that Texas cotton is not up to the standards required for a continued market for our enormous production each year.

The quality of Texas cotton has deteriorated to the point where short cotton is hard to sell and many spinners, in placing their orders for cotton, specify that no cotton from Texas and Oklahoma be included in the sale," state E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas Extension Service. Miller also points out the fact that our exports of cotton are on the downgrade and according to authorities on the subject, it is vitally necessary for us to improve our quality in order to meet the increased competition from foreign countries.

In talking with some farmers in this area who have already ginned and sold a few bales, it is significant that several producers have been "caught short" on short staple cotton which they had previously been able to dispose of at prices almost in line with current prices for better staple varieties. In the past, the long staple producer has complained that he wasn't paid any premium for better cotton than his short staple competitor. Now since buyers are placing some emphasis on better quality, it is the short staple producer who is being penalized, and it is hoped that all producers in this area will realize that their future welfare as cotton farmers will largely depend upon some uniformity in variety and staple.

An article in the Dawson County Courier last week gave wide publicity to the fact that gins in that county had discontinued the practice of buying cotton. Their system of "hog-round" buying is abandoned for the reason that it was not a profitable venture for anyone concerned in the county.

In the series of cotton meetings over the state, ginners and others expressed a desire to cooperate in improving the quality of cotton in their own areas and many of those in attendance at these meetings have carried the message back home to their own farmers.

It is highly significant that several farmers in Borden, a minor cotton county, have been unable to qualify for the forthcoming cotton loan due to extremely short staple. This is not a criticism of individual producers, but is merely a condemnation of a system which must be overcome in our area. It is highly important that our farmers give some serious thought to selection of a desirable variety of cotton for their respective communities and begin producing a staple that will bring a profit to all farmers.

The government loan and cotton price adjustment plan has been of increasing interest to farmers in this area recently and Borden County producers are urged to keep all records on sales of cotton this year. Forms are not available as yet for handling the cotton price adjustment plan but producers should keep all receipts covering the weights of each bale sold from the present cotton crop for each farm owned or operated. Such receipts should carry the date of sale and the signature of the buyer. These receipts will be necessary in establishing the facts of sales, and as a record of the total pounds sold. Careful attention to this item will save much time and trouble later when adjustment payment forms are available. Producers only will be eligible for loans from the 1937 cotton crop. Landlords cannot borrow on their

tenants cotton but a tenant may make a loan on his share subject to the regulations effecting loans this year.

Banks, cooperative marketing associations and other corporations may make loans to producers, and the Commodity Credit Corporation will take up notes. This procedure is similar to the general terms of the 1935 loan in this area.

Loan cotton for 1937 will be stored in approved warehouses, and all cotton pledged as security for a note must be in the same warehouse. The warehouseman guarantees in the loan agreement for a particular lot of cotton that such cotton falls within the grade and staple classification as specified in the loan agreement, and the warehouseman is responsible for any loss occasioned by misrepresentation of the class of cotton whether intentional or otherwise. If the producer complies with terms of the loan agreement, he will not be held liable for failure of his cotton to come up to the grade and staple specified in the loan agreement. However, the producer will be liable for the loan unless he participates in the 1937 agricultural conservation program or any other control program in lieu thereof to be enacted by Congress and placed in effect for the forthcoming year.

Further details and specific information on the cotton loan and adjustment plan will be issued by your local county agent within the near future.

Guests this week of Mrs. I. E. Thomas in the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Curritte, include another daughter, Mrs. L. C. Kerby, and three children of Mrs. Kerby, Mrs. Jimmy McMurray, Margartie and L. C. Kerby. Mrs. McMurray is a resident of Dallas, and the other visitors live in Fort Worth. Mrs. Thomas has been ill since Sunday.

Select gifts and party prizes from our big line of Coventry Wear vases, book ends, console sets, botanics and jewel boxes.—H. G. Towle Jewelry Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Shell and small daughter, Mary Ruth, of Colorado spent Sunday here with his grandmother, Mrs. G. C. Buchanan, and other relatives. They were accompanied to Snyder by his mother, Mrs. Mary B. Shell, who spent last week with the Colorado family.

Mrs. Ben Robinson and daughter, Patricia Ann, of Fort Worth are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Robinson and other relatives here. Former residents of Snyder, Mrs. Robinson and daughter have also been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haynes of Pflugman, and with relatives at Big Spring.

Don't mistake your in-laws for out-laws.



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Hardin-Simmons-Osage College

**THIS WEEK'S CONTEST ENDS FRIDAY**  
As Texas Tech and Hardin-Simmons games are played on Friday, ALL ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN 12:00 NOON, FRIDAY, OCT. 1. 24-bottle case of Coca-Cola delivered to every Texan who names all winners in these eight games.

Use Postcards; name WINNERS of games ONLY; NO scores; ties must be named as such; mail to P. O. Box 1850, Dallas, Texas; or, if you prefer, write the winners of these eight games on a plain card and give to your Coca-Cola Bottling Company NO LATER THAN NOON FRIDAY. Only ONE entry to a person. Contest audited by Schoolas, Bird & Company, Dallas.

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### SAYS HEALTH IS DEPENDENT ON INDIVIDUAL

State Health Officer Declares Mass Control for Disease Prevention Is Highly Developed.

"In the last 35 years great strides have been made in applied and preventive medicine. Never have mass controls for the prevention of disease and the medical and surgical treatment for illnesses been so highly developed as today.

"Unfortunately, however, the significance of this forward movement is not yet generally appreciated by the average individual. Though science, by way of family physician, stands ready to preserve individual health, personal indifference, self diagnosis and self-treatment represent barriers to the helpfulness available in the doctor's office," says Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

"Unfortunately, the vast majority of people still consider their doctor merely as an emergency aid. So long as they are well or are not conscious of any physical impairment, they imagine a physician's services are not required. Moreover, there are many who, even though ill, per-

mit themselves or their friends to diagnose the trouble and prescribe some bottled or tablet medicine for the supposed condition.

"For this group, interest in the family doctor only becomes acute when the self-prescribed remedies fail to cope with the situation. It can be frankly said that thousands upon thousands of men and women become desperately ill or lose their lives because of this misconception of the doctor's limitations or because of an unjustified self-reliance to meet sickness conditions themselves.

"Until the physician is considered as a conservator of personal health as well as an agent to combat disease, many of the discoveries and advanced knowledge in medical science will fall pathetically to render full and due service."

All Woodmen of the World are requested to meet at the hall Friday night, October 2, 8:00 o'clock, for an initiation service. Come prepared for food and fellowship—Gay McGlaun, Council commander.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR MEDICINAL PHARMACY PERMIT**  
Hermleigh Pharmacy, W. L. Jones, Hermleigh, Scurry County, Texas, hereby applies for medicinal pharmacy permit. 17-2tp

### Snyder General Hospital

Births of five babies—three girls and two boys—in the local hospital since last report are announced this week. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doak, a girl, Mary Ann, at 6:23 p. m. last Tuesday; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Key, Justiceburg, a girl, Eva Louise, weight 8 pounds, 8 ounces, at 5:12 p. m. last Tuesday; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Corbell, a boy, Jackie Charles, Monday at 11:45 p. m.; Mr. and Mrs. John Billy Beggs, a boy, John Dickie, weight 7 pounds, 13 ounces, at 2:33 p. m. Saturday; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lee, a girl, Oma Faye, weight 7 pounds, 11 ounces, at 8:26 p. m. Wednesday.

Surgical entries since last report are the following: H. H. Webb of Colorado, Mrs. Vennie Prince and

Mrs. L. C. Rennels. Mmes. Prince and Rennels were still in the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Rena Alsop, surgery patient of two weeks ago, was still in the hospital yesterday.

Entering for medical attention have been the following: Cecil Smith, Opal Brock of Hermleigh, J. J. Koonsman, Mrs. J. B. Martin of Ira, J. F. Parker, Mack Kennedy, Mrs. J. G. Hicks, Eugene Bright of Justiceburg, and Mrs. T. L. Sturdivant, all of whom had left the hospital yesterday; and G. B. Higgins of Dimmitt, C. E. Tarter of Dunn and Alec Caviness, who were still in the hospital Wednesday morning.

The Times has poster paper.



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<p><b>Peaches</b> Gingham Girl, Heavy Syrup, Large 2 1/2 Can <b>19c</b></p> <p><b>CORN</b> New Pack, Two No. 2 Cans <b>15c</b></p> <p><b>PEAS</b> Glen Valley, No. 2 Can <b>10c</b></p>	<p><b>FLOUR</b> GOLD CROWN FLOUR Extra High Patent 48-Lb. Sack \$1.59 24-Lb. Sack 85c EVERLITE FLOUR A Perfect Flour 12-Lb. Sack.....59c</p> <p><b>COMPOUND</b> Armour's Vegetable 8-LB. CARTON <b>89c</b> 4-LB. CARTON <b>46c</b></p>
<p>Del Monte Three 8-Oz. Cans <b>PINEAPPLE.....25c</b></p> <p>Phillips 1-Lb. Can <b>PORK and BEANS.6c</b></p> <p>Natex Three No. 2 Cans <b>KRAUT.....25c</b></p> <p>Hand Packed Two No. 2 Cans <b>TOMATOES.....15c</b></p> <p>Banner Brand 3 Cans <b>POTTED MEAT.10c</b></p> <p>Armour's Star Vienna 3 Cans <b>SAUSAGE...25c</b></p>	<p><b>Special Saturday Only</b></p> <p>From opening time until 2:00 p. m. Saturday we will give with each purchase of \$2 or more—</p> <p><b>Your Choice of Three 5c Candy Bars FREE!</b></p> <p>We are crowded for room on Saturday afternoon—and we are making you this free offer to encourage you to buy early. Come, make your purchases before 2:00 p. m.—offer positively not good after that time. We will have someone to look after your purchases if you want to leave them until you are ready to go home.</p>
<p><b>RIB ROASTS</b> Kansas City Branded Beef Per Lb...<b>20c</b></p> <p>Cloverbloom Pound <b>CREAM CHEESE.....21c</b></p> <p>Spiced Pound <b>SLICED BOLOGNA....11c</b></p> <p>Banquet Brand Pound <b>SLICED BACON.....38c</b></p> <p>They're in Season! Pint Quart <b>OYSTERS.....39c 75c</b></p>	<p>Firm Heads Pound <b>CABBAGE.....2 1/2c</b></p> <p>Green or Yellow Pound <b>FRESH BEANS...7 1/2c</b></p> <p>Washington Delicious Dozen <b>APPLES.....25c</b></p> <p><b>GRAPES</b></p>
<p>Armour's Star Full Quart <b>PEANUT BUTTER...29c</b></p> <p>Everlite Pure Cream 20-Lbs. 10-Lbs. <b>MEAL.....55c 32c</b></p> <p>Folger's Drip or Regular 2-Lb. Can <b>COFFEE.....59c</b></p> <p>Big Ben 6 Giant Bars <b>LAUNDRY SOAP....25c</b></p> <p>Best Maid SPREAD or Full Quart <b>SALAD DRESSING...25c</b></p> <p>Baker's 3-Oz. Pkg. <b>COCOANUT.....5c</b></p>	<p><b>Early FALL PRODUCE</b></p> <p>No. 1 Colorado Whites—10 Lbs. <b>POTATOES 17c</b></p> <p>Firm Heads, Each <b>LETTUCE 5c</b></p> <p>Colorado Bleached, Per Bunch <b>CELERY 10c</b></p> <p>Tokays or Seedless, Per Pound <b>FRESH GRAPES 5c</b></p>



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Bison News

Mattie Shook, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Walker Huddleston visited the bedside of Gus Martin of Sweetwater Sunday.
Mrs. C. C. Tate and family visited her sister of Rule over the weekend.

County Line News

Mrs. Lawrence Brown, Corresp.
Our community received a good rain Thursday afternoon of last week.
Sunday school was well attended by members, and there were several visitors, to whom we extend an invitation to come again.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Corresp.
Rev. Arthur Maxwell and wife of Beaumont visited in the W. K. Roberts home Thursday. They were en route to Borger, where Rev. Maxwell will be in a revival.
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCarter Jr. of Henderson were visiting friends here last week.

Heavy Feterita Grown at Hobbs



W. B. Willingham, farmer of the Hobbs community in the edge of Fisher County, examines a 28-pound bundle of feterita grown on his place. The bundle threshed out 10 pounds of grain, an unusually heavy percentage.

Midway News

Callie DeShazo, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stepps of Snyder, the Wear-Ever aluminum demonstrators, and their assistant, Mr. Newhouse of Dunn, gave a dinner demonstrating their wares last Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beavers.
Those present for the dinner and demonstration were: Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Guillet, Mr. and Mrs. Will Talley, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, and Marie Casey and Callie DeShazo, the host and hostess and their children, Jerry and Bennie Jean.

Dunn News

Loie Shoffner, Correspondent
The rain which we received the latter part of last week was well appreciated.
Bro. Cone Merritt filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church last Sunday.
The ice cream supper was well attended last Friday night.

Canyon News

Luella Layne, Correspondent
People of this community are busy with their cotton and feed.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kimbrough of Amberst spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layne.
Mrs. J. W. Layne has as her guest this week her father, H. L. Sackelford of Black.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The state of Texas:
To the sheriff or any constable of Borden County, Texas, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon C. L. Saling and wife, Iva E. Saling, H. P. Hicks, E. J. Melton, and G. W. Chancellor and wife, Pearl Chancellor, and the unknown heirs of them, and each of them, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return date hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in any newspaper published in the district nearest to said judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Borden County to be held at the courthouse thereof, on the fourth Monday in October, A. D. 1937, the same being the 28th day of October, A. D. 1937, then and there to answer a first amended original petition filed in said court on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1937, in a suit filed in said court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1937, and numbered 343 on the docket of said court, wherein Federal Life Insurance Company, a corporation, is plaintiff, and C. L. Saling and wife, Iva E. Saling, J. M. York, M. W. Minnick, Reynolds Mortgage Company, a corporation, O. L. Ewell, receiver for Texas National Bank; H. P. Hicks; W. H. Livingston and wife, Lizzie Livingston; E. J. Melton; Pate Barnett and wife, Ferris Barnett; Owen Cure and wife, Maud E. Cure; E. M. Shaw; G. W. Chancellor and wife, Pearl Chancellor; Jim Wetzell and wife, Thinnie L. Wetzell; P. G. McKinley and wife, May Bell McKinley; A. N. Gamble and wife, Edith Gamble; Olive E. Russell and husband, T. A. Russell, and L. A. Suttle are defendants, and said petition alleges: That plaintiff is a corporation, incorporated under the laws of the state of Illinois with its principal office in Chicago in the county Cook, state of Illinois, but with an office and agent in Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, J. S. Manning of said county being said agent. That the residence of C. L. Saling and wife, Iva E. Saling, and H. P. Hicks, and E. J. Melton and G. W. Chancellor and wife, Pearl Chancellor, and the unknown heirs of them and each of them, is unknown to plaintiff, its officers and attorney.
1. That plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, and was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, to-wit:
Three hundred twenty (320) acres of land situated and described as follows:
In Borden County known as the west 1/4 of Section No. 223, Block No. 97, Certificate No. 43-5614 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. about 11 miles S. 75 Deg. E. from Goff, and more fully described as follows:
Beginning at a pile of stones at the N. W. cor. of this section and is the N. E. cor. of Sec. No. 224, and is on the S. line of 234;
Thence E. with the N. line of this sec. 1046 vrs. to a set stone in the bed of an old creek channel in the N. line of this sec. for the N. E. cor. of this tract and is the N. W. cor. of the E. 1/4 of this section;
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Thence W. with said line 1047 vrs. to a large set stone the S. W. corner of this section, and the S. E. corner of section 294;
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2. That on or about January 1st, A. D. 1937, the defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said land and premises, and elected plaintiff and its agent therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from it, the possession thereof to its damage in the sum of \$10,000. That the annual rental value of said land and premises is the sum of \$500.00.
3. That in the second count of plaintiff's petition is alleged that on January 9th, 1934, by warranty deed, it conveyed to G. W. Chancellor the above described land and premises, which deed is recorded in Vol. 32 at page 634 of the deed records of Borden County, Texas.
4. That as a part of the consideration moving for said conveyance, the said defendant, G. W. Chancellor made, executed and delivered to plaintiff, his certain vendor's lien note in the principal sum of \$2000.00, bearing even date with said deed, payable to the order of the plaintiff, and due July 1st, A. D. 1937, and bearing interest from date at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and providing interest at the rate of 10 per cent on all past due principal and interest. Said note further providing that a failure to pay any installment of interest when due, on July 10th of each year, should at the option of the holder, mature the whole obligation, and further providing 10 per cent additional attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. A vendor's lien being retained in said deed to secure the payment of said note, whereby a valid, subsisting vendor's lien was created on said land and premises to secure the payment of said note according to the reading, tenor, and effect thereof, and whereby the defendant, G. W. Chancellor, became bound and liable to pay same. That at the time of the execution of said note, to further secure the payment of same, the said G. W. Chancellor executed a deed of trust to J. S. Manning, trustee, which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 17 at page 1 of the deed of trust records of Borden County, Texas.
5. Later G. W. Chancellor and wife conveyed said land to the defendant Jim Wetzell, who in turn conveyed to P. G. McKinley, who in turn conveyed to Mrs. Edith Gamble, who in turn conveyed to Olive E. Russell. That said notes are long past due and unpaid, and plaintiff prays for a foreclosure of same. That in the third count of said petition, plaintiff pleading in the alternative, alleges that on December 31st, A. D. 1927, the defendants C. L. Saling and wife, Iva E. Saling, G. W. Chancellor and wife, Pearl Chancellor, and the unknown heirs of them, executed a deed of trust to A. J. Beavers, Trustee, to secure Reynolds Mortgage Company in the payment of the note therein described. Whereby a valid lien was created on said land and premises, and also executed a second lien to said parties in a note in the sum of \$300.00. That the first lien was assigned by Federal Life Insurance Company, who now holds same, and the second lien was assigned to the Texas National Bank of Fort Worth, and which is held now by C. L. Ewell as receiver. That C. L. Saling conveyed said land to W. H. Livingston, who conveyed to E. J. Melton, who conveyed to Pate Barnett, who conveyed to Owen Cure. That said lien is long past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorney's fees, and plaintiff prays for a foreclosure of same. The above instruments of conveyance are in the hands of defendants, and notice is given them to produce same, or secondary evidence if introduced to prove their contents.
Herein fail not, and have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Goff, Texas, this 21st day of September, A. D. 1937.—MAGGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the District Court of Borden County, Texas. 16-4tc

Lloyd Mountain

Erlice L. Reynolds, Correspondent
Idis Allen and family of Roby and Johnny Martin and family of Snyder visited in the Lewis Allen home Sunday.
Lee Thompson and family of Ira attended church here Sunday.
Mrs. Betty Morrow of Snyder is visiting in this community.
Garland and Dewey Fambro spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Tom Fambro home at Ira.
Mrs. E. T. Preull of Arlington, mother of Mrs. C. C. Harless, is spending this week with her.
Byrd Rodman and family spent from Friday until Monday visiting his son and family at Alpine.
Ray Sturdivant and family spent Saturday night in the home of his parents at Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Dabbs of Dallas spent Friday night in the home of J. R. Dabbs.
Edward Allen spent the week-end in Ennis Creek.
Lee Roy and J. C. Massingill of Monahans spent Sunday with their parents, the A. T. Nicks.
W. W. Floyd of Ennis Creek visited Monday in the Bob Allen home.
Aubrey Cole and family and J. D. Cole spent the week-end in Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and baby spent a few days last week in Kent County.
Mrs. S. E. Hamilton of Snyder has been visiting relatives here the past two weeks.

Inadale News

Mrs. C. C. Brannon, Correspondent
The farmers have been very busy with their cotton the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bryant visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Ammons, Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Ammons and children moved to Hermleigh this Friday night.
C. C. Brannon and family called in the H. Roper home of Snyder Friday night.
Sunday school was well attended Sunday. We are having a contest. Let's everyone attend next Sunday. Several from here attended singing at Pleasant Valley Sunday afternoon.
Miss Pave Dunn has been employed at the Plaza Hotel in Roscoe the past two weeks. She is planning a visit with her brother in the state of Colorado this week.
Walter Miller spent the week-end at Lubbock.
L. P. Kemp and family of Snyder called in the Brannon home Sunday afternoon.
Folks, if you get hungry, we have a new cafe in Inadale, just south of the Ohlenbusch store.

SELL THAT surplus machinery through these For Sale ads. They do the business. tpc

Advertisement for Remington Streamlined Portable typewriter. Features a large image of the typewriter and text: 'Check this list of MONEY SAVERS', 'SPECIAL PRICES FOR THE WEEK-END, OCT. 1-2', '\$3 per month Will put this REMINGTON STREAMLINED PORTABLE in your home or office IMMEDIATE DELIVERY', 'It will pay you to investigate Remington's Rental Purchase NOW... EVERY MACHINE GUARANTEED', 'Ask these owners of Remington Portables: Clarence Walton, Virginia Will, Lovell Baze, Ardath Head, Irene Spears, Mrs. Sam O. Nations, Lola Mae Littlepage, Bill King, Rose Marie Clawson', 'The Times Office Outfitters'.

Large advertisement for Rainbow Market Place. Features a list of products and prices: 'Rainbow Offers You the Best FRESH PRODUCE', 'SPUDS 15c \$1.49', 'Delicious APPLES 89c', 'Nice Size LEMONS 19c', 'Firm Heads LETTUCE 4c', 'Takoy GRAPES 5c', 'OLEO All Sweet, Pound 21c', 'CHEESE Pound 21c', 'BACON Sliced, Pound 35c', 'ROAST Choice Cuts, Pound 18c', 'Flour Snow Field 48-Pound Sack \$1.55', 'BEANS SCATSUP Mexican Style 14-Ounce Bottle 3 Cans for...25c Each...12c', 'Peanut Butter 3/4-Lb. Bucket 49c', 'SWEET CORN No. 2 Can Chuck Wagon Per Can...9c 1-Lb. Pkg...19c', 'Fruit Juices All Kinds, 3 Cans for 25c', 'TEA VALUE Glass Free Per Pkg...15c', 'WHEAT PUFFS Jersey Per Pkg...9c', 'Rolled Oats Moon Rose, With Plate- 25c', 'OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY TO GIVE OUR PATRONS REAL SERVICE', 'Rainbow Market Place Jim Adams and J. C. Turner Block and Half East of Square'.

Advertisement for Snyder National Bank. Features a circular logo for 'FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION' and text: 'Save for the Things You Most Want—', 'Anyone can afford to acquire the habit of getting the things he wants—through the power of saving. It's the easiest, most convenient and satisfying way, and never failing in its purpose.', 'Decide to start now. Come to the Snyder National Bank and join the happy family of bank account members. Dreams and desires can become actual realities.', 'Snyder National Bank Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation'.

Advertisement for Boren-Grayum Insurance Agency. Text: 'Boren-Grayum Insurance Agency All Kinds of Insurance NOTARY PUBLIC Bonds - Legal Papers Abstracts Drawn'.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent

We had a nice rain and a cold spell late last week. It stopped cotton pulling for a few days, but did not damage cotton much.

We are sorry to report Mother Kruse no better. All her children are at the bedside.

W. A. Holladay of Lampasas is here for a few days' visit with his sister-in-law, Mrs. O. H. Holladay.

Sunday visitors in the J. R. Payne home were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Witherspoon Sr. of Union.

Mrs. C. F. Neal of Lorraine is spending two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Wright, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Ragsdale of Lamesa spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryant, and other relatives.

Rev. Dodd of Big Spring preached at the Church of God Friday night, Saturday and Sunday night. He was a Friday night visitor in the J. D. Smallwood home.

Supper guests in the R. G. Nabors home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Damron of Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Birdwell and children, E. A. and John, of Canyon and Billy Damron of Dunn were Sunday dinner guests in the Whit Farmer home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miller spent Sunday with their son, Elbie, of Porsina.

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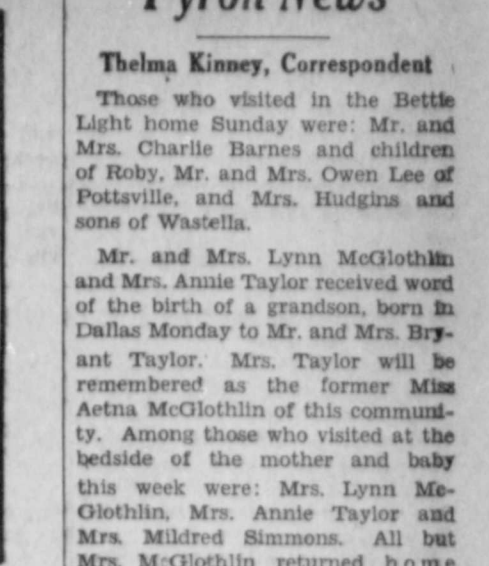
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By S. L. HUNTLEY



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Mrs. J. A. McKinney and daughter, Lola Mae, were Sunday visitors in the W. A. Barnett home of Union.

Dayton McCarter and Harold Martin of Canyon community spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Presbyterian home.

Bill Martin and Bob McKinney have been spending the past few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson of Post.

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Ollie Pagan, Correspondent

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Mrs. H. B. Cross of Hermleigh spent the first of the week in the home of A. Parker and R. W. McKnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert and two sons of Inadale called on Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lee Sunday afternoon. Other visitors in the Lee home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Reeves and children of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken and sons, Truman and W. L., and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wenken made a business trip to Claytonville and Roby Sunday.

Alfonse Wimmer is driving a new car.

A number from here were shopping in Sweetwater Saturday.

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. J. M. Pagan Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bynum and sons, Joe and Howard, of Dorn; Mr. and Mrs. Autry Light and daughter, LaVerne, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pagan of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neal of this place.

Fain Jackson, Loyd Wenken and James Pagan went to Colorado Park Saturday evening with Mrs. Ryan of Big Sulphur, and other members of Mrs. Ryan's Sunday school class. They enjoyed a wicker roast.

This community had about three-fourths inch of rain Thursday afternoon, the first rain in over two months.

Thurman Dunn of Arizona is here visiting an uncle, Burl Cunningham.

Miss Holdridge, wife and two small sons of Hermleigh and Sid Stewart and family of Hobbs were Sunday guests of Elmer and Jewel Stone.

A party at Burl Cunningham's Saturday night was enjoyed by a goodly number.

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Mrs. Will Caffey, Correspondent

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Mrs. Bryan Etheredge is very ill at the home of an aunt in Snyder.

T. W. Tolsten was taken very seriously ill at his home Friday night. He was better at last report.

Paul Ray Banta visited in Post and other parts the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tate visited Mr. Tate's son, E. C., and family of Colorado Sunday.

Muriel Woodard, Correspondent

Mason Hooper of New Mexico spent Sunday in the L. D. Sturgeon home.

Muriel Woodard, who has been visiting in Winters, returned home Monday.

School closed Friday for cotton picking.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brice of Mineral Wells spent the week-end in the John Woodard home.

Lola Hukabee entertained the school children with a tacky party and Florence Fisher and Fred Rosson won surnames for being the tackiest boy and girl present. Cookies and punch were served to the following: Nell, Virginia, Thomas and Billy Bertram, Fred Rosson, Florence Fisher, Gradiene Fisher, Junior Parks, Vestal and J. M. Boothe, Nathan, James and Harvey Sheppard, Heather Ivy, Mozelle, J. N. and Priscilla Elcke, Rex and Emma Woodard, Reginald Evans and Katherine Smith and the hostess.

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Fluvanna News

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCarter returned, after a week's visit here, to their home in Henderson.

Mrs. Russel Jones and daughter spent part of last week visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haynes returned home from Big Spring Sunday, after visiting a month with relatives.

The Fluvanna Baptist church members surprised their pastor, Rev. Murray Fuquay, with a birthday party Monday night at the church. Many useful gifts were received.

Ted Cavin and a boy friend of Cleburne are visiting his brother, Joe Cavin, and family.

Mrs. Clarence Davady and Mrs. O. F. Harris and Inara Patterson went to Pecos and brought her father, Mr. White, out to visit and to take treatments.

Miss Evandell Taggart of Snyder spent the week-end with Madrina Ryan.

There will be a three-act play at the tabernacle this Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

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One year, in advance \$2.00  
Six months, in advance \$1.25  
Elsewhere—  
One year, in advance \$2.50  
Six months, in advance \$1.50

## FIGURES SHOW ALMOST 8,000 BALES GINNED

### Hermleigh Has One of Best Gin Seasons on Record, and Other Towns Follow Suit.

Accurate figures gleaned from Snyder and Hermleigh gins late Wednesday, plus estimates from other gins of the county, indicate that almost 8,000 bales had been turned out. That figure has probably been passed today (Thursday).

Hermleigh, with 1,961 bales turned out by her three gins through late Wednesday, is witnessing one of the best gin seasons on record. Business men of the town report rapidly increasing sales, and several small new businesses have been started there in recent weeks.

**24-Hour Shifts Started.**  
Snyder's five gins are going this week into 24-hour shifts. Some of them hit one or two all-night runs last week. Ten to 25 bales may be counted on the yards at almost any time.

Estimating that the six county gins outside of Hermleigh and Snyder had turned out an average of 450 bales through late Wednesday, the county total at that time would have been 7,972 bales.

The other gins are located at Camp Springs, China Grove, Fluvanna, Ira, Dunn and Inadale.

**Pay Pullers 40 Cents.**  
Prices for pulling cotton have been reduced to 40 cents per 100 in practically all the county, from the early-season figure of 50 cents. Most of the Plains county is paying 35 cents, it is reported. Most farmers are finding plenty of pickers to supply the present demand.

Gradual drop in cotton prices is taking some of the joy out of the production of what promises to be the heaviest crop since 1932. The local price today averages 8.25 cents.



## J. W. Rosson Is Victim of Brief Illness Monday

The father of three Scurry County men—Oscar, Roe and Joe Rosson—died at Roe's home, east of Snyder, Monday morning at 5:00 o'clock, after an illness of a few days. J. W. Rosson was 84 years of age. He was the third Scurry County person in the eighties to die within the past two weeks.

Mr. Rosson had retired as a farmer several years ago. He moved to Scurry County six years ago from Eastland County. It was in the Scranton community, Eastland County, where final rites were held Tuesday afternoon, 2:00 o'clock.

Surviving, in addition to the three sons in this county, is one other son, Felix, of Brownfield; four daughters, Mrs. Hattie Stewart, Justin, Mrs. Temple Blacklock, Beaver, Mrs. Cynthia Jacobs, Baird, Mrs. May West, Sweetwater; one sister, Mrs. Mattie Childers, Alabama state; 38 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Final rites were held at the Scranton Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with Bro. Foster, Primitive Baptist minister, and Bro. West in charge. Interment was in Scranton cemetery.

Palbearers were grandsons: Alfred, Fred, Holbert, J. W. Renal, R.

### They Learn by Seeing.

Mrs. Mabel Day of Hobbs took her second grade pupils to the Sweetwater airport Friday on an inspection tour of the municipal landing field. Going by school bus, the children gleaned first hand information on how to build model airplanes.

J. and Arlin Rosson, and Garland Jacobs. Flowers were in charge of two granddaughters, Mrs. Rena Brooks and Miss Pribble Stewart.

## Tootin' Our Horn.

Honors that have been accorded The Times in recent years seem to bear out the fact that a newspaper that gives its readers and advertisers full value is being produced here in Snyder.

The publishers are tooting their own horn in a few paragraphs this week... not because their subscribers and advertisers have not been liberal with kind words during the past few years, but just as a reminder of what a newspaper that is in step with the times can mean to a community.

Did you ever stop to think that few if any other major enterprises in Snyder pay a larger percentage of salary money out of gross income than this newspaper? The monthly year-round payroll is between \$500 and \$600, and of course most of this money remains right here in Snyder.

Despite dull conditions in many of the eight years that the publishers have been in Snyder, not a year has passed but that the plant's equipment has been increased in proportion to depreciation.

As an indication of the paper's state and national prestige, a former representative of national advertising agencies said while he was in Snyder this week that The Times was considered by these agencies as one of the half dozen best advertising mediums out of more than 600 Texas weeklies.

The Times ranked first, third and second, respectively, among West Texas weeklies during the past three years. It was rated first in its division this year in a state-wide "best set ad" contest.

The publishers intend to hold this key position in Texas publishing by constant improvement in the modern manner. They continue to believe that news of one's neighbors and friends, news of one's county and neighborhood, interestingly and simply presented in a well printed, well arranged paper is one of the major backbones of a progressive community.

That is the reason why our publishers dare to give their own horn a bit of tooting as this busy fall and winter season sets in.

This editorial is too long, but let's add two more paragraphs—important paragraphs:

The Times maintains two principles as paramount. First, never to pollute its columns with personal diatribes and never to favor, in news or editorials, one individual or organization over another. Second, always to fight for a more progressive, a more moral, a more broad-minded and a more neighborly Scurry County and Snyder.

If the publishers seem a bit too idealistic about this strenuous and not-always-thankworthy task of publishing a readable weekly paper and maintaining a modern printing and office supply house, just lay it to the weather... or perhaps to the inspiring and altogether West Texas attitude of friendliness and helpfulness.

## Hog-Round Outlawed.

Hog-round buying, long the bugaboo of everyone who handles cotton in West Texas, is pulling his ugly snout out of the farmer's, landowner's, cotton buyer's and ginner's pocketbook this year.

The government cotton program during the past two years has been encompassed with several evils. It has been unfair in many cases. It has been based to some extent upon a false gospel—the gospel that regulation alone can solve the major evils of the cotton industry.

But the government cotton program has been largely responsible for tiding the cotton farmer through depression and drouth, and for—most important of all—giving Old Man Hog-Round a biff that he will never be able to overcome.

It has always been foolish to buy cotton on a hog-round basis. The practice is manifestly as unfair as a merchant asking \$5 for each pair of five-pound shoes that he carries in stock.

Millions of words have been spoken against the hog-round evil, and millions of words have been written against the unwholesome practice. But not much had been done about it until the grower of poor cotton began to receive a severe penalty. This is as it should be, and most half-and-half growers this year are taking their medicine with a grin.

## Current Comment.

By LEON GUINN.

(Publishers' Note: "Current Comment" is not necessarily the editorial opinion of The Times.)

Well, well, it's Rotan again... In Tuesday's issue of The Rotan Advance, our friend H. C. Shelton editorially discussed at length the little whirlwind this column created in regards to the type of some citizens drifting into the new oil field, alleged immoral aspects; and in general Rotan.

Since H. C. conceded the decision to this column in the second round by saying "there is only one point we definitely disagree with Guinn on," there really is no use in continuing the discussion... For if this column provoked or stimulated thought and action its goal was reached... Writes H. C.: "Our little controversy is making good copy, and I have enjoyed it... Am taking the Snyder paper again... It is a fine paper, and I enjoy your column."

Mr. Shelton has long been one of our best friends, and among our Rotan fellowmen we can think of no finer tribute than to call them true friends... Every West Texas city numbers in its citizenship those outstanding civic and business leaders, who give the best years of their lives to upbuilding the social and economic life of their cities that the future may find your town and mine a better place in which to live by their having lived and loved "the more abundant life."

It seemed for a while that the federal government might peg the price of cotton at nine cents a pound, but present indications are that the price of the fleecy commodity will not be stabilized until Congress convenes in January (probably)... The cotton market seems to be tied down by this economic law of physical production:

Will American farmers be content to compete in the world market for a price world markets can afford to pay?... Egypt and India can market a bale of cotton for five cents a pound, and do so profitably, since the marginal product of labor in those countries is far below any in America (with laborefs getting about 20 cents for a day's work).

In other words, one of the fundamental laws of economics is that wages and the marginal product of labor will tend to equal each other; and the marginal product of labor will never rise above its lowest basis of payment... Foreign countries can raise a bale of cotton for four cents a pound, but the American cotton grower cannot raise a bale of cotton for less than eight cents a pound (popular statistics to the contrary), and receive any fair return on the investment.

Look for the federal government to take up the situation in January on its own terms, with crop control of some kind... Cotton grading less than 7-8 inch staple will come in for caustic criticism... And it seems the idea of diversification will become of legal age next year, for live-at-home programs will find favor with Henry Wallace and the department of agriculture.

Cotton is, in fact, a sick king, a king who is weary of his time worn crown... Many remedies have been suggested to increase his weak circulation, but none will prove of permanent worth, until the marginal standards of labor be raised by some hook or crook... In other words, as long as foreign growers can hire day laborers for as low as 20 cents a day, it makes it doubly difficult on the American grower, who must pay around \$1.25 a day for hired hands... As Joe Penner would have it, "anybody wanna buy a bale of cotton?"

## Editorial of the Week.

### LAST OF THE CATTLE BARONS?

The death at San Antonio of Colonel Ike T. Pryor at the age of 85 removed almost the last of the great cattle barons who made Texas the greatest cattle breeding ground on earth. The list is long and included such names as Richard T. King, George W. Littlefield, Charles Goodnight, Wash Bryon, J. H. Parramore, C. W. Merchant and scores of others. They were the far-sighted, high-hearted, courageous men who made Texas a cattle empire and elevated the lowly longhorn to first-rank importance in the upbuilding of the Southwest.

These old-time cowmen took the longhorn, mostly horns and bones, and in course of painstaking experiment and relentless toil converted him into the sleek fat Hereford we know today—the eye-filling king of the realm of beef.

They had to fight every step of their way, blazing the trail. They had to overcome many obstacles, to solve many problems, to meet many emergencies; but they never retreated. Their course was onward and upward.

To the fact that they lived and achieved Texas owes more than it can ever repay. They laid the foundation on which has been erected a great empire in which the cattle business no longer dominates, but continues to hold a place of the highest importance. They builded well.—Abilene Reporter-News.

### Don't Worry, Tigers.

A few of the Tigers seem to have a false notion that most fans are down on them because they have been pummeled rather severely in opening games. Not so, Tigers. Most fans believe you are title-bound if you just get out there on the Rotan field and fight you gizzards out. Dozens and dozens of fans will be over here to yell their lungs half out for you, and if you lose while you're fighting, most of them will tell you what a whale of a game you played. Romp on Rotan! That's the attitude of Mr. Pan.

### Citizenship Thought.

"Not what you get, but what you give; not what you say, but how you live; giving the world the love it needs, living a life of noble deeds."

### Grandma Smith.

The editor of an Illinois weekly wished he ran a daily when he had to give his readers complete news about Grandma Smith. However, after much thought, he pecked the story into this sentence: "Grandma Smith is very low as we go to press. If she dies, she will be buried Sunday."

## MEMORY . . . .

Funeral details are burdensome. They are best left in the hands of those whose privilege it is to ease the hour of distress.

Our able staff and complete facilities deep- en the significance of a last tribute

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## ODOM FUNERAL HOME

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## LIGHTFOOT

FRUIT STAND and GROCERY

Specials for Friday and Saturday

## Yams

Pound.. 3c  
Bushel \$1.35

CRACKERS Laundry SOAP  
A-1 Sodas Crystal White

2-Lb. Box.... 21c 6 Bars..... 25c

FLOUR SARDINES  
24 Lbs. 48 Lbs. Tall Cans

79c \$1.45 3 Cans..... 25c

## Apples

York or Winesap, Extra Nice Ones, Per Bushel 90c

We can now furnish you with Cheese, Bologna, Bacon, Eggs and Milk from our Refrigerator.

## PICK & PAY

### Mexican Style Beans... 3 Cans... 25c

MUSTARD	FLOUR	Wheaties
Quart 12c	48 lb. \$1.55	3 Pkgs. 33c

### Baking Powder... K. C... 16-Oz... 12c

### PEANUT BUTTER... Quart... 27c

Tomatoes	COFFEE	Shortening
Hand Packed	100% Pure	Bird-brand
No. 1 can 5c	1-Lb 15c	8-Lb 87c

### TOMATO JUICE... 2 Cans... 15c

### APPLE BUTTER... Quart... 19c

## MEAT SPECIALS

ROAST	Choice Cuts	Lb.	18c
OYSTERS	Extra Large	Pint	45c
SAUSAGE	Pork	Per Pound	25c
FRESH FISH		Per Pound	23c

JELL-O	CORN	COFFEE
All Flavors	No. 2 Can	Chase & Sanborn
Per Pkg. 6c	3 for 25c	1-Lb 25c

YAMS	Nice Ones	Pound	4c
LETTUCE	Nice Heads		5c
CABBAGE	Firm Heads	Pound 2 1/2	2c

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Dr. James D. Wilson  
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Dr. J. K. Richardson

C. E. Hunt J. H. Felton  
Superintendent Business Mgr.

X-Ray and Radium

## COUNTY PLANS ROOF PROJECT

Contract was let Monday by the Commissioners Court for an entirely new roof on the courthouse. The project is to be done by the Lydick Roofing Company of Abilene.

The entire old roof will be removed, and it will be replaced with a modern roofing job, according to County Judge H. J. Brice. A 10-year guarantee has been placed on the job by the Abilene firm.

Portions of the courthouse interior have already been considerably damaged by water. The court's Monday action was to preserve the interior of the building against further damage.

**Perry's Ready Soon.**  
Perry Brothers variety store was given a modernistic black and white front this week, and plans are being made for opening of the business in the new location about October 15.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Pitts of Dallas were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Scott. The Dallas couple, Mrs. Scott and son, Joe Dave, and Miss Dorothy Strayhorn visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cork in San Angelo Saturday.

## HEY, MISTER! THESE LAMP GLOBES WILL SAVE YOUR SHINS

Bruises will be his reminder to buy Lamp Globes

• Why grope around in a dark room when a few lamp globes to fill empty sockets will give you plenty of light? Look over the lamp chart printed below, check the lamp globe sizes you need and then drop by our store or any other place that sells Mazda lamp globes. You can phone your order if you wish.

SIZE and TYPE	most used	Total
40-W. INSIDE FROST—USED IN COOLING PLACES AND 3-SOCKET TUBULAR LAMP.	15%	
60-W. INSIDE FROST—MOST WIDELY USED LAMP IN THE WORLD.	15%	
75-W. INSIDE FROST—USED IN BATH, LAMP, BATHROOM AND IN OTHER ROOMS.	20%	
100-W. INSIDE FROST—FOR HALL, BATHROOM AND IN STUDY AND OFFICE LAMP.	25%	
150-W. INSIDE FROST—USED IN BATHROOM AND IN STUDY AND OFFICE LAMP.	10%	
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