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MILK PLANT IN SNYDER SEEN AS PROBABLE

Amarillo FSA Official Says County Ideally Located and Has Ample Stock for Enterprise

"You have an ideal location here for a cooperative milk plant, sufficient number of good dairy cattle and all you need to insure success of such a project is enough patrons to keep a cooperative milk plant operating on a profitable basis." F. E. Hobgood, chief of the cooperative division, Farm Security Administration at Amarillo, told farmers from virtually all Scurry County communities last Thursday evening.

Hobgood was one of the principal speakers at a mass meeting of business men and farmers, held in the courthouse, to ascertain if Snyder and Scurry County were interested in a cooperative milk plant to the extent one could be constructed here this year.

Need for a cooperative pasteurized milk plant was ably discussed by various persons. Gerald G. Gordon, Scurry County FSA chief, directed discussions of the evening.

Joe York was named chairman of the Cooperative Milk Plant committee, W. D. Mitchell and John R. Covey members to fully investigate the possibilities of such a project in Snyder. Each farmer present declared he would work in his home community to see how many people were interested in a milk plant project.

A group of 14 farmers present said they owned a total of 135 dairy cows—thus indicating plenty of animals to support a plant.

Edward S. Hyman, Scurry County agricultural agent, will supply those interested in the milk plant with total number of dairy cattle in the county, and E. O. Wedgeworth, manager of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, will check outlets for pasteurized milk to army camps and other establishments in this trade area.

People of the Snyder trade area interested in a cooperative pasteurized milk plant here are urged to contact Gerald G. Gordon, members of the Cooperative Milk Plant committee, or those who attended last Thursday evening's meeting.

Emphasis is placed on the fact a cooperative milk plant here will not be in competition with Snyder dairymen who sell raw milk to an established trade.

Next meeting of the Snyder business men and farmers of the county on the cooperative milk plant project will be held Thursday evening, March 18, at 8:30 o'clock, in the courthouse, it was announced.

Those present at last Thursday evening's gathering were: Joe York, John R. Covey, W. D. Mitchell, G. E. Finley, J. W. Key, Hugh Davis, J. A. McKinney, John E. Bryant, W. L. Ethredge, J. T. Stephens, Alfred Davis, Fred T. Irvin, Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent; Estella Rabel, county home demonstration agent; Haskell O. Beard and Bob Spencer of the Soil Conservation Service; E. O. Wedgeworth, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager; Dorothy M. Crosslin, home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration; Gerald G. Gordon, Scurry County FSA supervisor; and F. E. Hobgood of Amarillo, chief of FSA's cooperative division.

J. E. Smith Accepts Dunn Baptist Church

Rev. J. E. Smith of Abilene, student at Hardin-Simmons University, has assumed pastorate of the Dunn Baptist Church, church deacons reported Tuesday.

Rev. Smith will pastor the Dunn church on each second and fourth Sunday, and the Fluvanna Baptist Church each first and third Sunday—after April 1. The new Dunn pastor and family will move to the Dunn parsonage around June 1.

Who's New In Scurry County

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Montgomery of the Murphy community a daughter, Leona Jean, Thursday, March 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Montomery announce the arrival of a baby girl. She arrived March 4 at Snyder General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rollins announce the arrival of a baby grandson, Royce David, who weighed eight pounds eight ounces. The infant arrived January 20, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Blankenship of Plainview.

A baby girl, Iva Juanan, for Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perry of New Boston, Michigan. The baby weighed seven pounds and a half, and is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rollins.

Business Men Stop Monday for Red Cross Fund Parade



That Snyder business men can take off from their business duties when Uncle Sam or any other worthy enterprise needs to be given attention is proven by this snapshot of the parade that featured the Red Cross War Fund drive start Monday morning. Most business people participated in the parade, when stores closed for the occasion. Snyder Tiger Band led the procession that formed near Odum Funeral Home and circled the square.

Culberson Takes Spot on Midwest Firemen Program

Semi-annual meeting of the Midwest Firemen's Association will be held in Snyder Thursday, April 1, N. W. Autry, president of the association, announced this week.

Autry, Gilbert Hines of Baird, first Midwest vice president, and Percy King, secretary, also of Baird, are working this week on arrangements for the semi-annual convale, and report a number of outstanding speakers will be secured for the day's program.

Olin Culberson, Texas railroad commissioner and secretary of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association the past 22 years, accepted an invitation Tuesday to be principal speaker at the Midwest gathering here.

Business session of the April Midwest meeting here will begin Thursday afternoon, April 1, at 1:00 o'clock, Autry reports. Races will precede the customary "feed" for visiting firemen and ladies. A dance, as a concluding event, will be held Thursday evening, April 1.

Additional details on the Midwest meeting here will be carried in The Times.

Dry Beans and Peas For Seed Available Without Food Stamp

Effective Monday, Snyder and Scurry County people found they could purchase dry beans, peas and lentils for planting purposes without surrendering points from War Ration Book No. 2.

New Officers Named For Red Cross Unit

Officers of the Scurry County Red Cross chapter for the ensuing year announced this week, are listed as follows:

Mrs. C. M. Boren, county chapter chairman; Mrs. J. C. Stinson, county co-chairman; Mrs. Ethel C. Eiland, secretary; and Mrs. Inez Brown, county treasurer.

As new county Red Cross chairman, Mrs. Boren wishes to express appreciation to retiring RC officers for the splendid work done. She asks that the public continue wholehearted cooperation with new chapter officials.

Winstons Sell Young Herefords This Week

Winston Brothers, widely known breeders of Domino Return Herefords, sold a carload of heifers Friday to Mr. Allison of El Paso, and closed sale Monday of a carload of yearling bulls to Berry Brothers of Jordan, Mississippi.

Winston Brothers are listed by the American Hereford Breeders' Association as one of the largest registered Hereford herd owners in West Texas. Their Domino Return herd animals are extensive best sales in several states of the Southwest.

Some Drive!

Effectiveness of Snyder Red Cross War Fund campaign Monday and Tuesday, War Fund officials say, may be reflected from the fact the town's business and residential sections were covered more thoroughly than in any previous campaign staged here in many years.

Lee T. Stinson was captain of the War Fund committee which solicited donations throughout Snyder's business district, and Mrs. H. G. Towle was captain of the women's teams which covered the town's residential section.

"We didn't know we did have so many fine people in Snyder until we made a thorough canvass of the business and residential sections. We appreciate every donation of any amount," War Fund officials report.

Programs Slated At World Day of Prayer Friday

World Day of Prayer observances for Snyder and Scurry County will begin Friday morning, 9:00 o'clock, at Snyder's First Christian Church, with a special prayer service for Snyder business men, Snyder World Day of Prayer committee members report.

Members of Snyder Lions Club voted this week to attend Friday morning's prayer observance at the First Christian Church in a body.

Ben W. Newhouse, A. M. Martin and Rev. Hubert C. Aravis will have charge of a program for Snyder Schools, and Mrs. Gaston Brock, county superintendent, reports rural schools of the county will appropriately observe the event.

Ex-Hermleigh Boy Missing in Pacific

John P. Coston, grandson of Mrs. T. J. Coston of the Hermleigh community, and a bombardier with one of General Douglas MacArthur's raiding missions in the Southwest Pacific, has been missing since February 12, Mrs. Coston is informed.

John is the son of J. E. Coston, long-time Scurry County resident, who now lives at Valley Mills. Young Coston was said to have been one of the outstanding bombardiers Young Coston was said to have been one of the outstanding bombardiers in his unit of the U. S. Air Corps.

D. M. Cogdell Jr. Is Social Club Pledge

D. M. Cogdell Jr. of Snyder has been selected as pledge to Ko Sarl, men's social club on the McMurry College campus, Abilene.

D. M. is a junior transfer, who has attended Southwestern University and Texas Tech. He is a business administration major. D. M. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cogdell Sr. of Snyder.

Plainview Is First Community to Go Over RC Quota

The Plainview community, located six miles east of Snyder, scored a noteworthy "first" Saturday when the community, directed by D. M. Poque and assistants, turned in \$146.57 to almost triple Plainview's Red Cross War Fund quota.

Plainview was assessed last week a R. C. War Fund quota of \$57.75. Poque, assisted by Edgar von Roeder, Forrest Jones, Joe Elike and John Woodard, not only got the job done in one day, but only lacked a small amount of tripling the assessed quota.

"We want to give Plainview a top place on our honor roll," E. O. Wedgeworth, county Red Cross War Fund chairman, states, "because the Plainview people really did a grand job. Other rural communities, we learn, are also going over the top in a fine way."

Plainview community War Fund donors follow:

Ben Brooks, Mrs. Ed Thompson, V. M. Minyard, A. M. Weller, Mrs. Eupha Shield, Helen Shield, Treasa Williams, J. M. Rossen, Garland Jacobs, Mrs. Anthony, Mary D. and Patsy Poque, Mrs. D. M. Poque, Amos Smith;

Edgar von Roeder, J. E. Derryberry, A. R. Vandiver, Alfred Davis, J. W. Jennings, Ross Martin, J. A. Farmer, Mrs. J. A. Farmer, Mrs. G. P. Fisher, O. M. Miller, Mrs. B. B. Tate, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tate, E. R. Jones, A. R. Morton, Gene Gann;

Joe Elike, J. N. Elike, C. H. Jones, Autry Light, Mrs. G. W. Parks Sr., G. W. Parks Jr., V. M. Head, Toy McCain, A. E. Samruld, Mrs. Emma Lippert, John Woodard, Odus Weller, L. S. Murphy, W. L. Hazelwood, Buford Light and Roy Slaton.

AAA Official Visits County. A. H. Jeffries, district Agricultural Adjustment Administration field officer of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Landrum of College Station, visited Wednesday with Scurry County AAA officials. Jeffries, formerly stationed at Roby in AAA work, said Triple A work in this county is progressing on schedule.

Washington Newspaper Woman Tells Lions War-Time Capitol Experiences

Speaking on "Washington in War-Time," Frances E. Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Landrum of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Landrum of Fluvanna, told Snyder Lions Club members, at regular weekly luncheon Tuesday in the Manhattan Hotel, a number of intriguing things concerning the nation's capital.

Miss Jones, who is here on a month's leave from The Washington Post, declared that a person met all kinds of people, and from all parts of the world, in Washington during war-time. She declared Washington was badly over-crowded, and related some interesting experiences while attached to the Russian legation.

An impromptu quartet, composed of E. L. Parr, L. A. Chapman, Lyle Deff-bach and Willard Jones, sang "Love's Old Sweet Song," after which group singing was featured.

Lion Roy Shahan gave the initiation for Wayne Williams, a new club member. Haskell Beard presented the pin.

W. H. Fowler, associated with the Farm Security Administration, stated he was formerly employed at the bomb loading plant in Amarillo until recently. While on the assembly

CHILLY SPRING SEEN AS COLD STAYS IN AREA

Ice Prevails in County Every Night But One During March So Far, With Little Letup in View

Spring, according to the calendar, begins Sunday, March 21, but Snyder and Scurry County folks fear wintry spells of weather will be felt here for several weeks yet.

Up until Monday night of this week, Scurry County has witnessed ice each night of March.

Indication that winter has not yet forsaken this area was seen Friday night, when the temperature dropped to 22 degrees—10 degrees below freezing—and Saturday morning, when the mercury stood at 14 degrees—18 degrees below freezing.

The dry freeze Friday and Saturday was said by county fruit growers to have taken a heavy toll of the county's remaining fruit crop. Only around 15 per cent of a normal crop is said to remain on fruit trees this week.

Temperature Wednesday morning, 8:00 o'clock stood at 37 degrees, but a blue norther, accompanied by low hanging clouds threatened to bring another March freeze before the week ends.

Minimum and maximum temperatures, as recorded by Mrs. Foy Wade, government weather reporter, from Friday through Wednesday mornings, follow:

Day	Min.	Max.
Friday	22	75
Saturday	14	60
Sunday	25	38
Monday	32	59
Tuesday	26	55
Wednesday	37	—

J. H. Green New Santa Fe Agent At Snyder Depot

Effective Monday, Jess H. Green of Rule became Snyder agent for the Santa Fe Railway Company. He replaces H. T. Sifton, veteran Santa Fe agent, who has been transferred to Meadow, located on the South Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Green, who have resided at Rule the past several years, moved here over the weekend.

Sifton has been Snyder agent for the Santa Fe Railway Company the past six and one-half years. He and Mrs. Sifton came here from Tulsa, where they had been located 10 years.

Mr. Sifton is serving his thirty-first year as an official of the Santa Fe, and marked his thirtieth year, with the major railroad last August.

Mrs. Sifton, prominent in work of Snyder's Methodist Church, and in civic work, will remain here this week. She will probably join her husband at Meadow sometime next week.

New Weather Gauge Put at Snyder Station

Snyder and Scurry County will be assured of absolutely accurate weather gaugings by Mrs. Foy Wade, government weather reporter.

So reports the U. S. Weather Bureau, which Monday sent Mrs. Wade a brand new minimum temperature gauge. Gauge Mrs. Wade has used previously worked perfectly, but the government believes the new gauge will not only assure accurate recordings throughout the coming months, but satisfy people of this trade zone on reported low temperatures.

No Clothing Ration Seen in Near Future

Runners that we will have a shortage of clothing in Scurry or other counties of this area are entirely without foundation, or fact, Scurry County's War Price and Ration Board advised Tuesday.

The Office of Price Administration asks that the Scurry County board urge Snyder and Scurry County people to buy such clothing as they actually need, but not buy against probable shortages in the future.

"Hoarders of wearing apparel are hindering the war effort just as much as if they hoarded groceries, or other things," the county ration board declares. So far, there has developed no shortage of clothing and no machinery has been set up for rationing of wearing apparel of any kind.

Johnnie M. Ammons reported a carload of soybean meal was en route here from San Angelo to relieve the acute feed shortage in the county. Gerald G. Gordon reported a carload of cottonseed meal was en route here from Little Rock, Arkansas.

E. O. Wedgeworth said the two Red Cross War Fund teams named for Snyder had resulted in collection of \$2,500 for the town, an amount more than double the assessed quota.

War Fund Drive Nears Goal First Day in Area

MATERIAL FOR BIG BRIDGE IN CITY MOVING

Sand and Gravel Being Placed on Site of \$38,000 Project Block West of Snyder Square

Considerable amount of sand and gravel was moved Wednesday just west of the Highway 15 bridge over Deep Creek, preparatory to beginning actual construction work on Snyder's new \$38,000 concrete bridge project.

J. S. Gorman of the State Highway Department will be resident engineer for the Deep Creek bridge project, it was reported Wednesday. A modern, concrete bridge will be erected over Deep Creek to replace the ancient wooden structure over the winding creek. The old wooden bridge will be removed and placed south of the county jail, where a concrete dip has been standing for many years.

George C. Burns, State Highway Department maintenance foreman for Scurry and Borden Counties, and crew closed Highway 15, from Snyder National Bank west to a point just east of Pollard Motor Company, Wednesday.

Traffic, it is pointed out, for "duration" of new bridge construction, will be routed south, at the square's northwest corner, to the southwest corner of the square, west two blocks and thence back north to Highway 15.

When complete, the Highway 15 bridge across Deep Creek will carry with it 1,000 feet of paving, and will give motorists of this area an all-weather, all-condition bridge across one of the county's major creeks.

Workers on County Farms Urged to File Draft Deferments

Scurry County men within the draft age who need to remain on the farm this year are urged to contact Johnnie M. Ammons at the county AAA office immediately after placement in Class 1-A.

For all Scurry County men who desire, the county USDA war board will prepare a case for deferment, and present the case to the Selective Service Draft Board.

Drain of manpower from farms and ranches within the past few months has created such a shortage of labor that the county war board, at the request of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, is setting machinery in motion to keep necessary men on farms and ranches so production will not break down on the home front.

Farm boys of the county who may receive Class 1-A placings are urged to contact the Scurry County USDA War Board immediately.

Two Cars of Feed to Help Shortage Some

Scurry County livestock owners will get some direct relief this week from the acute feed shortage in this section.

As pointed out in a general feed situation story elsewhere in this week's Times, a carload of soybean meal is en route here from San Angelo, and a carload of cottonseed meal is en route here from Little Rock, Arkansas.

The soybean meal was obtained through the county USDA war board and E. O. Wedgeworth, Chamber of Commerce manager, and the cottonseed meal was obtained through the Farm Security Administration, of which Gerald G. Gordon is county supervisor.

Lobo Wolf Killed By Ranchers North Of Snyder Sunday

What started Sunday afternoon as a cattle round-up seven miles northeast of Snyder by J. N. Elike and G. W. Parks Jr. ended with the chase and kill of a lobo wolf—one of the few predatory animals of its type killed in Scurry County in recent months.

Elike and Parks were penning some cows and calves intended for market, when they noticed what they thought was a coyote among the cattle.

Immediately, Elike and Parks drove the cattle to the pens, got their "shooting arms" and gave chase to what they first supposed was a coyote. The first shot missed, but the second shot brought the animal down to the ground.

When the two stockfarmers brought the animal to town, observers pointed out the kill was a real lobo wolf—the kind which in past years caused county ranchers much grief. Sunday afternoon's kill constituted the third attempt Parks had made to get the animal.

Parks, who resides seven miles northeast of Snyder, is having the wolf mounted by a taxidermist at Sweetwater.

Married Men in Draft Age Facing Army Duty Soon

Several million married men of the nation, including a good portion of married men in Scurry, Fisher, Nolan and all other counties of this area, face a call to the colors in the next few weeks, Major General Lewis B. Hershey, director of Selective Service, warned Tuesday in Washington.

General Hershey warned that the nation's pool of single men capable of military service had been practically exhausted in February, and that married men are the only reserve to fill Selective Service quotas.

The Selective Service chief declared that this month would wind up the source of single men not in essential occupations, or otherwise deferred or exempt.

Hershey painted a dark picture of the nation's remaining single manpower pool, when he pointed out only about 400,000 high school students will become eligible for armed forces induction this summer.

Scholastics Must Be Complete by April 1

Mrs. Gaston Brock, county superintendent, reminds Scurry County people that the annual scholastic census is in full swing, and that all enumerations must be turned in by April 1.

Should the census enumerator in any county school district miss any child of scholastic age, Mrs. Brock asks that her office be contacted.

Due to the fact the \$22.50 per capita apportionment for scholastics constitutes the mainstay for county school systems, the county superintendent urges that every effort be made this year to get all scholastics listed.

Dunn Boy in Alaska Barely Missed when Japs Shell Position

Sergeant M. H. Hanson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hanson Sr. of the Dunn community, arrived Monday on furlough to visit his parents and other relatives. Sergeant Hanson has been a radio man in an air corps bomber stationed in Alaska.

Hanson declares the United States looks mighty fine to him, and especially Scurry County. The Dunn community radio expert has seen plenty of action, and declares, on one occasion, a bullet from an enemy gun missed him only by a few inches and damaged radio equipment he was operating considerably.

Returning home via San Francisco, Hanson radioed in for landing information from his plane, and was surprised to learn, after landing, that a first cousin, Wallace Hanson, directed the landing of his plane. Both boys enlisted in the U. S. Air Corps at the same time, but were soon separated.

Trussell Back from Overseas. Sergeant Ambrose Trussell, who has been on overseas duty with the U. S. Army, is this week visiting his sister, Mrs. A. W. Brivner, and other relatives of the Derraest community.

SNYDER MORE THAN TRIPLES QUOTA OF \$997

Seven Other County Communities Report Oversubscribed Drive Assessments Wednesday

Figures tabulated late Wednesday afternoon reveal that Snyder and Scurry County have raised \$3,700 in the county's all-out Red Cross War Fund drive.

Snyder, assessed a quota in the War Fund drive of \$947.10, reported late Wednesday a total of \$3,099.11 raised, with the drive still underway.

Lee T. Stinson, captain of the War Fund team for the town's business district, and Mrs. H. G. Towle, captain of the War Fund team for the residential section, and their assistants are given full credit by E. O. Wedgeworth, county RC War Fund chairman, for causing Snyder to more than triple its assessed quota.

Opening feature of the Scurry County War Fund drive Monday morning was a "kick-off" breakfast, held at 9:00 o'clock in Leath's Cafe for War Fund team members. Attendance was reported 100 per cent.

Wedgeworth, county War Fund chairman, presided at the breakfast. Following the "kick-off" breakfast, Snyder's Tiger Band led a parade Monday morning, 9:45 o'clock through the Snyder business district which attracted virtually all Snyder people as parade participants. Snyder stores closed for the parade.

"We're happy to say," Wedgeworth said Wednesday evening, "that the Red Cross War Fund drive is going 'over the top' in all sectors of the county. Complete summary on individual community contributions will be given next week."

Scurry County communities which had reported War Fund amounts raised through Wednesday follow:

Plainview—\$146.50 raised against a \$57.75 quota. D. M. Poque, community chairman.

Crowder—\$82.50 raised against a \$57.75 quota. Jack Ramsey, community chairman.

Whately—\$25 raised against a \$9.66 quota. Dan Gibson, community chairman.

Arah—\$22.50 raised against a \$11.55 quota. F. J. (Jones) Chapman, community chairman.

Dunn—\$200.42 raised against a \$148.79 quota. Rev. A. B. Cockrell, community chairman.

Midway—\$29.14 raised to go with the twin-community funds raised at Camp Springs community. Guy E. Casey, chairman of Midway community; M. W. Boussett, Camp Springs community chairman.

The Times wishes to call attention to the fact that only a partial list of Red Cross War Fund donors is carried in this week's paper. The names are not divided into groups or communities, but are listed as turned in day by day. Lack of time prohibited listing all names by communities.

More Red Cross War Fund donor names will be carried in next week's Times, since 17 county communities are as yet unreported.

Farmers Warned to Tax Render Tractors

Edgar Taylor, Scurry County tax assessor-collector, issued an appeal this week to Scurry County farmers to list their farm tractors for taxation purposes at the earliest possible date.

Taylor, who declares the need for rendering farm tractors for taxation is essential, points out only 775 farm tractors were listed last year, whereas over 1,000 applications were made recently for farm tractor gasoline.

Once farmers of the county have the matter of rendering farm tractors for taxes called to their attention, Taylor feels they will be glad to list the machines.

Production Goals for County Announced

In response to a number of requests since Scurry County's 1942 war production goals on livestock were announced several weeks ago, The Times lists the following birds-eye sketch of production goals during the current year for the county:



The WOMAN'S Page



Billy Jay Eiland Entertains Thespians

Members of the Thespian Club of Snyder High School were invited to the home of Billy Jay Eiland Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Four charter members—Katherine Lynch, Fern Woody, Lloyd McGlaun and Doyle Stokes—and their sponsor, Rose Marie Clawson, were among guests present.

Ola Margaret Leath and Mary Belle Weatherbee were in charge of the program, which was opened by Stokes, president, at the time of adjournment, discussing where former members were—some in the armed forces and others, having married and moved away. Following this, each member was asked to give some phrase from a play he or she had played in as a Thespian.

A colorful variety of refreshments were served to the following: Tommy Todd, Bernadine Berry, Mayme Lou Stokes, Faydean Norred, Pherba Lou Jordan, Mary Belle Weatherbee, Ola Margaret Leath, Dolores Higgs, Colleen Morris, Martha Lou Holmes, Nadelle Wilson of McMurry College, Abilene, and charter members, Lynch, Woody, McGlaun and Stokes.

Altrurian Daughters Handle WAAC Booth

"We want to express our sincere thanks to the Altrurian Daughters Study Club for the splendid way they handled the WAAC information booth Saturday afternoon," Mrs. Henry Rosenberg, county WAAC recruiting chairman, states.

Saturday afternoon's information booth was stationed on the square's north side, in front of Stinson Drug No. 1. The Altrurian Daughters Club had charge of the booth from 2:00 to 6:00 p. m.

Special thanks are extended by Mrs. Rosenbergs to Lando Hall and Ed Wade, carpenters, who constructed the WAAC information booth.

Draft Clerk on Vacation

Ida V. Ellis, clerk of Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board, is taking a vacation this week, members of the board report. Miss Ellis will be back on duty Monday. Mrs. John Terrell Lynch Jr. is in charge of the draft board office this week.

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Mrs. Richardson Hosts Culture Club

Woman's Culture Club members were invited to the home of Mrs. E. J. Richardson Tuesday afternoon for their regular meeting.

The program, based on Texas, was opened with each individual answering roll call with some current news about Texas. Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn gave the poem, "Hymn of the Alamo." "Texas' Contribution to Defense" was reviewed by Mrs. R. W. Cunningham, and several Texas poems by Alice Lindsey were given by Mrs. J. R. Huckabee.

The house decorations carried out a patriotic scheme.

Carolyn Dunn Makes TSCW Honor List

Carolyn Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dunn, was awarded a B average in all her work at Texas State College for Women, Denton, recently and is entitled to class exemption privileges this semester. Miss Dunn, a junior, is majoring in foods and nutrition, and was among the 189 students of the 1,851 enrolled to receive this privilege.

Carolyn Dunn was chosen as a princess in the Redbud Festival, which begins this week at TSCW. Miss Dunn will be presented at the coronation ball March 13, following the coronation.

Mrs. R. D. Sellars Improved

An Odom ambulance brought Mrs. R. D. Sellars home Tuesday afternoon from a Lubbock hospital, where she had been undergoing treatment. Mrs. Sellars was reported Wednesday to be resting well.

Home Ec Girls See RC Films

Hilton Gillum, Red Cross instructor here this week to conduct an instructor's course in first aid, presented motion pictures Tuesday afternoon to Snyder's home economics girls. The motion pictures, with first aid as a theme, attracted great interest of the homemaking students.

Geraldine Shuler of Big Spring spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wren.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jones Jr. of Lubbock spent Monday and Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom DeShazo.

Nadelle Dixon of Dumas was here for the week-end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dixon.

Wilma Terry was accompanied here from Abilene by her roommate, Imogene Weathers, to spend Sunday in the home of Miss Terry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Bob) Terry. Misses Terry and Weathers are attending Abilene Christian College.

Mickey Norred spent the week-end with Thelma Coleman at Trent. Misses Norred and Coleman visited in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. Ed J. Strout left Sunday for Del Rio to join her husband, who is stationed there. Mrs. Strout has been here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Spears, for the past several weeks.

Smart Cotton



Among the season's smartest new cottons is this beige coat of wide-wale cotton corduroy. Simple severity of the coat is relieved by the slight blouse effect over the belt made of the same corduroy material.

Duce Bridge Club Meets in Lee Home

Members of the Duce Bridge Club met in the home of Rube Lee Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Irene Smyth won high score prize of United States defense stamps. Following bridge games the hostess passed a lovely salad plate to the following: Frances Chenault and Mrs. Charles Manning, guests; Johnnie Mathison and Frances Boren, and Misses Helen Murphy, Margaret Burge and Smyth, members.

Joetta Beauchamp of Colorado City visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Beauchamp.

Mrs. Leo Conger left Sunday for Harlingen to join her husband, who has been transferred there from Florida. Mrs. Conger has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rogers, for the past three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Josephson and daughters, Sandra Jean and Barbara Irene, spent the week-end at Sweetwater.

Mrs. T. L. Lollar has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. N. R. Clements, at San Antonio for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Ruth Saunders spent last week-end at Lubbock visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Lambert.

Mrs. J. R. G. Burt of Dumas is visiting in the home of a daughter, Mrs. John Keller.

Happy Harding of Dallas is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Dan Whately.

Mrs. Dan Whately returned Thursday evening after an extended visit in the home of relatives at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Shirley Morgan spent the week-end at Lubbock with her husband, who is stationed with the Lubbock Army Flying School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards, former residents of the Camp Springs community, who have been in California the past four months, spent the week-end with Snyder relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, who have resided the past year near Miles, indicated they might locate again in Scurry County.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodfin and children, en route to Dallas, last week stopped over to visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodfin. Joe, a representative of the El Paso District United States Employment Service, is to attend an employment service school at Dallas.

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Methodist Women Begin New Study

Womans' Society of Christian Service members of the Methodist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for their first study on "The Planning of Peace." The topic for the day was "The Role of the Church" in the establishment of peace.

Mmes. M. W. Clark, A. C. Preuitt, R. M. Stokes, Harry S. Lee, E. L. Farr and Ora Hayter presided for the program. Members of the society state that, "As Christians we are trying to do all we can to help conquer the destructive enemies of justice and freedom, and to keep before us the all-important task of aiding in the reconstruction of our world into a just and good and enduring society."

Mrs. Marvin Lovington and Mrs. J. D. Beck of Garland, New Mexico, are visiting in the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spencer. Mrs. Lovington is the mother of Mrs. Spencer, and Mrs. Beck is the mother of Spencer.

Mrs. Howard Ross, who has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, left Friday for Wichita, Kansas, to spend a few days with her husband. Mrs. Ross is expected to return this week.

Dorothy Terry of Odessa was a Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Bob) Terry.

Nell Verna LeMond of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMond.

Mrs. R. W. Cunningham returned last week from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Aweas, and Mr. Aweas.

Marie Casey spent the week-end at Lubbock. She is employed as bookkeeper at Snyder General Hospital.

Art Guild Meets With Mrs. Brock

Art Guild members gathered at the home of Mrs. Mabel Brock Tuesday evening, 8:00 o'clock for a regular alternate weekly meeting.

Mrs. Grace King opened the program with a poem on prayer in honor of World Day of Prayer Week, and Rose Fisher gave a three-act play review.

The hostess passed a refreshment plate to the following: Mmes. Lillian Mowery and Helen Trux McMillen, guests; Mmes. Ethyl Lynn Mitchell, King, Maudie Holcomb, Henrietta Lee, Vivian Hill, Hattie Gatlin, Mae Stanfield, and Misses Effie McLeod and Rose Fisher.

New Quota of RC Bandages Arrives

A new quota of 27,000 bandages has arrived for the Scurry County Red Cross surgical dressing work, local officials state. These bandages are to last through the months of March, April and May, state Mmes. J. P. Nelson and Ixot Joyee, chairmen of the surgical dressing committee.

Mmes. Nelson and Joyee ask that Scurry County women come and help make these bandages, as they are a vital necessity to our boys who are fighting so that we may have peace. Classes are being held at the Red Cross center every afternoon except Tuesday, from 2:30 to 5:00 o'clock, and on Monday and Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock.

Alpha Study Club To Run WAAC Booth

Snyder's Alpha Study Club, it was announced Tuesday, will have charge Saturday afternoon, 2:00 to 6:00 o'clock, of the WAAC information booth stationed on the square's north side, in front of Stinson Drug No. 1. Members of the Alpha Study Club will be glad to answer any inquiries concerning the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

Presbyterian Guild In Monday Session

First Presbyterian Church Guild members and guests were invited to the home of Mrs. Bruce Murphy Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Gerald Gordon, giving the devotional, presided over the business session, during which new officers were elected for the coming two years, as follows: Frances Boren, president; Mrs. Gerald Gordon, vice president; Mrs. H. C. Travis, secretary; Mrs. Bruce Murphy, reporter; and Johnnie Mathison, treasurer.

Mrs. Murphy opened the program with the story of Mary and Martha, and Frances Boren gave the life of Mary Magdalene.

The hostess passed a lovely refreshment plate to the following: Mmes. W. H. Cauble and Lillian Mowery, guests, Gordon, Robert Spencer, Armor McFarland, Charles Manning and P. J. Smith, and Miss Boren, members.

Mrs. Covey Hostess to Presbyterian Class

The Fellowship Class members of the First Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. John R. Covey March 3. Mrs. P. C. Chenault presided during the program and the succeeding business hour.

The hostess served a delicious refreshment plate to the following: Frances Chenault and Billy and Adeline Abercrombie, guests; Mmes. T. A. Faver, Chenault, G. E. Ferguson, Mary B. Shell, J. A. Farmer, Wilson, R. C. Grantham and George Lloyd. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. John Covey Jr.

Snyder Woman Hosts Capitol Luncheon

The Senate Ladies met for lunch and a closed meeting at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel Monday at 12:30 p. m. Hostesses were Mrs. Pat Bullock and Mrs. John Lee Smith.

Present were Mmes. A. M. Aikin, Grady Hazelwood, Carl Lovelady, George Moffett, Allen Shivers, Kyle Vick, Clint Small, A. J. Wirtz, Bob Barker, C. B. Metcalf, Joe Moore, Wallace Houston, William E. Stone, A. E. Wood, Houghton Brownlee, Jesse Martin and Pat Bullock—Austin American.

O. E. S. Meeting Friday

Stated meeting of Snyder Chapter No. 450, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock, at the Masonic Hall. Visitors welcome.—Jesse Eva Scott, W. M., Oma Wren, Secretary.

Mrs. J. O. Hester of Bryson is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Kely.

Book Review Heard By Alpha Study Club

An interesting book review was enjoyed by members of the Alpha Study Club and guests gathered at the home of Mrs. Vern McMullen Tuesday afternoon. "The Three Bamboo" by Robert Standish was reviewed by Mrs. Wayne Boren. The story of this book portrays the psychology of the Japanese people, stated Mrs. Boren, and the author made notes on the book during the years of 1920-27.

Guests were Mmes. T. M. Rylander of Dallas and a sister of Mrs. Alfred McClam, and T. E. Major.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Forest Sears March 16.

Takes Amarillo Teaching Place

Geneva Glascock has accepted a position as teacher in the Horace Mann School at Amarillo. Miss Glascock, who has been teaching at Roby for the past year and a half, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Temple.

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RC Instructors' Courses to End Friday Evening

Red Cross Instructors' course, started Monday evening in the FSA offices by Hilton Gillum, approved Red Cross instructor, are attracting considerable interest from attendants, Elmer Taylor, Scurry County Red Cross first aid chairman, reports.

Gillum is holding the Red Cross instruction classes from Monday through Friday evening of this week, 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock. Those who complete the 15 hours of instruction will be awarded Red Cross certificates and be qualified to conduct RC classes in both standard and advanced first aid.

Those attending the RC instructors' course are: C. F. Sentell, L. O. Bynum, Mrs. L. O. Bynum, Hattie Herm, Mrs. Ross Blanchard, Melvin Newton, Mrs. Redge Wilson and Melvin E. Vernon of Hermleigh.

Following this week's instructors' course, Vernon plans to start a Red Cross first aid course at Hermleigh, L. O. Bynum and Melvin Newton plan to conduct an advanced RC first aid course for Snyder's Volunteer Fire Department.

Gillum, who came here from Oklahoma, is widely recognized as a Red Cross instructor.

Forrest Corbell of San Diego, California, is here on furlough visiting with relatives. Corbell is stationed with the United States Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stahl and son, Junior, were in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Horlice Dorman of the naval cadet center at Canyon is here to spend a few days with relatives.

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Snyder General Hospital

Billy Joe Stinson, Fern Brooks, Willie May, Fred Werner of Pluvanna, Mrs. C. P. Shafer, H. H. Webb of McAlister, Oklahoma, Mrs. Frank Hughes of Ira and Sidney Wallace Johnson are medical patients entering Snyder General Hospital this week.

Those undergoing surgery since last week's report are: Joyce Niedeken, Juanita Lewis, J. K. Pawley, Billy Wills, Jimmie Green, Mrs. Weldon Johnson, Mrs. Roy L. Musser and Mrs. L. C. Rollins.

Two medical patients remaining in the hospital this week are Mmes. Hugh Davis and J. W. Templeton.

George Moore Takes Fluvanna School Job

George Moore of Reserve, New Mexico, has assumed duties at Fluvanna School as superintendent to replace H. L. Miller, resigned, Fluvanna board members report.

Moore has had considerable experience as a school teacher. Mrs. Moore has been employed to teach in Fluvanna Junior High School.

Miller is now an instructor in primary school for the U. S. Air Corps. His location, at present, has not been revealed by the air corps public relations department.

Mrs. G. R. Austin left this week for Clyde, where she will spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. F. B. McGee.

Ration Books May Be Secured During Week March 15-20

Snyder or Scurry County people who may still lack War Ration Book No. 1 and War Ration Book No. 2 may register for both books after Sunday, March 14.

Monday, March 15, through Saturday, March 20, has been set as registration dates for those who did not obtain War Ration Book No. 1 and No. 2. Joe Caton, chief clerk of Scurry County's War Price and Ration Board, announces.

Those who register during the March 15-20 period for War Ration Book No. 2, for example, must have War Ration Book No. 1. If they have not obtained the No. 1 book, they must make proof why the first ration document was not obtained.

Special week set aside to register for War Ration Book No. 1 and War Book No. 2 will doubtless constitute the only chance non-registrants will have to sign for the vitally necessary books.

WAVE Recruiter to Be in Colorado City

U. S. Navy Recruiting Ensign Margaret Brooks will be in Colorado City April 7 to recruit WAVES, Marines and SPARS, it was announced Wednesday.

Women of this trade area between 20 and 36 years of age who desire to enlist in either of the above organizations, or women from 20 to 58 who wish to enlist as candidates for officer commissions are asked to apply at the Colorado City post office on April 7.

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Cosden's Borden Test Abandoned After No Showing

Damper was placed on wildcat development work in Borden County over the week-end, when Cosden Petroleum Corporation's No. 1 Ida Anderson Smith, southwest Borden wildcat, was plugged and abandoned at 4,000 feet in hard lime, with no shows reported.

Operators reported the No. 1 Smith wildcat was approximately 100 feet structurally low and showed no prospect. Location was 660 feet from the south and west lines of Section 57, Block 35, Houston & Texas Central Survey.

The Smith test was located approximately six miles north of Vincent in Northeast Howard County. In Mitchell County, W. S. Guller's No. 1 Allen, two miles north of Vincent, 660 feet out of the southeast corner of Section 57, Block 20, Lavaca Survey, has set eight-inch casing and was reported below 2,400 feet, in lime.

Guthrie, Scurry and Mitchell County operator who headquarters in Corsicana, has staked location for another Mitchell County wildcat eight miles east of the Mitchell County west line, in the southwest part of the southeast quarter, Section 71, Block 97, H. & T. C. Survey.

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Soil District News Notes

If for any reason you were unable to do any water and soil conservation work on your farm or ranch the past winter, now is a good time to make your plans for doing some of this work next fall and winter.

District personnel were unable to fill the many requests for individual assistance the past winter, due to their obligation made last spring and summer.

Your district is ready now to assist any group of 10 or more land owners in making plans for work next year. If there are less than 10 interested parties in your neighborhood, but those interested have 5,000 acres or more of land, then the district will assist them. Or if you alone have 5,000 acres, the district will assist.

Copas Boyd, three miles northeast of Snyder, L. A. Hill of Union Chapel, Walter Sumruld of Bethel, and W. D. Etheredge of Crowder have already contacted the local Soil Conservation Service district office and expressed their intention of developing groups in their communities.

Mert Jones of Fluvanna has been constructing terraces recently.

Dewey Everett has been constructing three stock tanks and enlarging one old tank on the G. H. McDonald & Sons Ranch near Fluvanna.

A. L. Wren has been building terraces on his home place and also on a rented farm nearby.

Jlm Glass of Pylon has just completed construction of four and one-half miles of terraces.

AREA'S FRUIT CROP HURT BY DRY FREEZES

Only 15 Per Cent of Normal Yield Slated Following Sub-Freezing Weather of Past 10 Days

Given favorable weather from now on, Scurry County will probably make around 15 per cent of a normal fruit crop.

So predicted county orchard owners Tuesday, after a check-up of damage done to fruit last week and Friday night was completed.

Sub-freezing temperatures in the county last Tuesday and Wednesday, plus the dry, sub-freezing spell of weather Friday night, withered buds of peaches, plums, pears and apricots faster than snow melting in a July sun, according to orchard owners.

C. N. and Nolan von Roeder, for example, operators of the Von Roeder Seed Farms at Knapp, estimated that the dry freezes last Tuesday and Wednesday killed approximately 60 per cent of the 1943 fruit crop. Friday night's freeze took a toll of at least 25 per cent of remaining fruit buds, it is reported.

March spell of weather that has prevailed in Snyder and Scurry County is said by old timers to be without parallel in recent years.

Dry, sub-freezing temperatures are said by fruit growers to have been the thing that virtually wiped out the 1943 fruit crop.

Late spring freezes, when accompanied by moisture, are said to prove much less damaging to fruit of all types.

Main hope for fruit this year now seems to rest with berry crops. Several county berry raisers say crops of blackberries, raspberries, loganberries and boysenberries, barring unforeseen disasters, may help fill the gap which will be left by killing of tree fruits.

While the prediction of a 15 per cent fruit crop for Scurry County in 1943 seems a little high, according to orchard owners, arrival of warmer weather may cause what little fruit is left to show up better than seemed possible this week.

June Jones Purchases E. & H. from Early

June Jones, Snyder agent for several daily papers and son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jones, last week purchased E. & H. Cafe from Worley Early. The change in ownership became effective last Friday.

Jones, as new operator of the cafe, located in the back of the Times building, reports the cafe will still be known as E. & H. Cafe. Gladys Meadows will assist June in managing the eating place, and will be assisted by Mrs. Alma Byrum, Mrs. Jack Crawley and Avalon Lono.

Worley, who has operated E. & H. Cafe the past six years, has been in the cafe business 12 years. He wishes to thank his many patrons for the patronage given him, and asks that they continue to patronize the new owner. Worley will work his farm, southeast of town.

Connie Phillips returned this week from Ardmore, Oklahoma, after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Strawn Reopens Cafe on East Side

Mrs. Earl Strawn, in Amarillo the past two months, reassumed management of Strawn's Cafe, east side of the square, Saturday. The cafe had been operated the past two months by Mrs. L. D. Peirce.

Mrs. Strawn says she will be here now for the "duration." She will feature, as in the past, home cooked meals. Due to the point rationing system and labor shortage, Mrs. Strawn will open the cafe each morning at 7:00 o'clock, and will close from Monday through Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. The cafe will close each Saturday night at 10:00 o'clock.

First Baptist Church

The pastor will speak at both services Sunday. At the morning service the subject will be "The Master's Map of Missions;" at the evening hour the subject will be "The Two Ways—The Narrow Gate to Salvation and the Broad Road to Destruction." The Bible School meets at 9:45 a. m. The Training Union meets at 7:00 p. m., and the evening worship at 8:00 p. m.

Our spring revival meeting will begin Sunday, March 21. The pastor will do the preaching, and the music will be under direction of local church forces. We are counting on every member of the church to attend this meeting. Services will be held each morning and at the evening hour for two weeks.—Roy Shahan, Pastor.

Pleasant Hill News

Mary Lue Merritt, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Land of Lorraine visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and son, Jerry. W. H. Merritt and daughter, Mary Lue, visited Sunday with El Weems at Hermleish.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanley and son spent the week-end in the C. A. and J. H. Hall homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Irvin of Camp Springs visited Monday with Mrs. J. W. Moore and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss and daughter, Irene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and son, Jerry. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hall of Bethel visited Sunday with the J. H. Hall family.

Norma Jean and Joyce Langford of Tahoka spent Saturday night with Joyce and Jean Hall.

The Leonard Langford family visited with Mrs. Maude Lindley last week-end.

Mrs. Nolan Benton of Abilene is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall and son, Lanny, spent the week-end in the J. H. Hill home.

Joe Glass, attached to the 495th Twin Engine Flying Squadron, Lubbock Army Flying School, accompanied by his wife, arrived Tuesday evening on a three-day pass. Joe, former employee of Snyder National Bank, states a heavy amount of "around the clock" training is now going on at Lubbock Army Flying School.

Fluvanna Boys Join Navy.

Two Fluvanna High School youths, youths, Billy Turner and Garland Freeman, report Friday morning at Lubbock for enlistment in the U. S. Navy, navy recruiting officials report. Billy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Turner, and Freeman is the son of Bud Freeman of Brownfield.

PALACE THEATRE

Program for Week—

Thursday, March 11— "Andy Hardy's Double Life"

starring Mickey Rooney with Lewis Stone, Cecelia Parker and Play Holden. Pack up your troubles—time out for laughs. News.

Friday-Saturday, March 12-13— "Two Weeks to Live"

starring Lum and Abner. These famous rustic laughmakers doing their stuff in a big city. News and Cartoon Comedy.

Saturday Night Prevue, March 13 "D. Gillespie's New Assistant"

with Van Johnson, Richard Quine, Alma Kruger, Lionel Barrymore. One kiss—and she forgot everything. His most exciting case.

Sunday Matinee Only and Monday, March 14-15— "Thunder Birds"

in technicolor starring Gene Tierney with Preston Foster, John Sutton. The action picture of the year. News and Popeye cartoon.

Tuesday, March 16— "American Co-ed"

with Frances Langford and Johnny Downs. World in Action, "FIGHTING FREIGHTERS" and latest news. Bargain Night. Admission 11 and 15 cents.

Wednesday-Thursday, Mar. 17-18 "Reunion in France"

starring Joan Crawford and Philip Dorn with John Wayne. M-G-M's thrilling drama of the underground. Latest News.

Tire Approvals Show Increase in County for Week

Issuance of approval certificates Tuesday afternoon by Scurry County's Tire Board picked up considerably from issuances of last week. Truck tires and tubes, tractor tires and tubes, Grade I, II and III passenger tires approved follow:

Earl Rinehart, four 550x17 tires; Stewart Appliance Company, one 750x20 tire and tube; W. L. Turner, two 700x15 tires; J. A. Tate, one 550x17 tire and tube; Alvin Koonsman, one 700x20 tire and tube; E. F. Sears, one 750x20 tire and tube; Miller Body Works, one 700x15 tire and tube; James A. Clark Jr., one 700x20 tire; Precinct No. 1, T. B. Knight, commissioner, two 700x20 tires.

Truck Recaps—James H. Flowers, two 650x20 truck recaps.

Tractor Tires and Tubes—A. J. Dyes, two 550x16 tires and tubes; W. W. Floyd, one 600x16 tire; Aubrey Light, one 550x16 tire.

Passenger Tires and Tubes, Grade I—Mrs. Annie B. Thomas, one 600x16 tire; C. C. Miller, one 600x16 tire and tube.

Grade II Passenger Tires and Tubes—Era Ray Sturdivant, two 600x16 tires; Hubert Robison, one 600x16 tire; J. W. Burleson, one 550x17 tire and tube; D. C. Gibson, two 550x17 tires.

Grade III Passenger Tires and Tubes—H. R. Hundsurscher, one 600x16 tire; Joe Barrier, four 600x16 tires; Perry C. Dever, two 600x16 tires; E. W. Lloyd, two 600x16 tires; M. T. Kelly, two 600x16 tires and one 600x18 tube; Jeff Whitehead, four 475x19 tubes; Joe Ashill, three 650x16 tubes; Fred Cotton, one 600x16 tube; R. C. Popnoe, two 600x16 tubes; P. E. Hale, four 525x18 tubes.

Sugar Stamp No. 12 To Be Valid March 16

The OPA this week announced that sugar ration stamp No. 12 will become valid on March 16 and will be good for a five-pound ration of sugar through the end of May.

Stamp No. 11, good for three pounds, is valid from February 1 to March 15.

A good deed gets about as much attention these days as a homely face.

Commandery to Be Inspected Thursday

T. M. Bethel, grand captain of the guard of Greenville, will be here this (Thursday) evening to make annual inspection of Snyder Commandery 69, Knights Templar, commandery officials announced Tuesday.

Annual inspection of the Snyder commandery will be marked by a supper for Sir Knights, which will be staged at 7:00 o'clock. Inspection of the commandery will follow the supper.

Commandery officers urge members of the Snyder chapter to be hand for the annual inspection. The chapter is located upstairs in the Fair Store building.

Mrs. Mary Matthews Dies in Illinois City

Mrs. Mary Matthews, who has three brothers and a sister in Snyder, died March 1 in a Chicago hospital, The Times learns. Funeral services were held Thursday, March 4, in Blue, Oklahoma.

Survivors include the husband, John Matthews; three brothers, L. I. Bob and Lewis Matthews, all of Snyder; two sisters, Mrs. Jack Keller of Snyder and Mrs. W. F. Fenton of Wilmington, California.

Fluvanna Juniors to Present Play Friday

Members of the Fluvanna School junior class will present an annual junior play, "A Bargain's a Bargain," Friday evening, March 19, George Moore, recently named Fluvanna School superintendent, reports.

Admission prices to the junior play have been set at 15 and 25 cents. The public is cordially invited to attend the presentation.

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Irwin Drug Store

Camp Springs Singers Convene

Singers of the Camp Springs community will gather Sunday, March 14, 3:00 o'clock to organize a singing class, according to Steve Bavousett. Everyone in the community is invited to attend the organization meet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Miller, Mrs. I. O. Pannin and Anita Kite were in Lubbock Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Pannin visited Junior Miller, at Texas Tech College, and Anita visited her brother, Dwain. Mrs. Pannin and Miss Kite remained overnight in Lubbock.



MRS. STRAWN IS BACK ON THE JOB...

After several week's absence from her cafe, Mrs. Earl Strawn has re-opened the favorite eating place of many hungry folks—and will be here for the "duration." You are invited to visit the home of tasty meals.

We will close at 5 p. m. each week-day, and at 10:00 p. m. on Saturdays—because of ration shortages.

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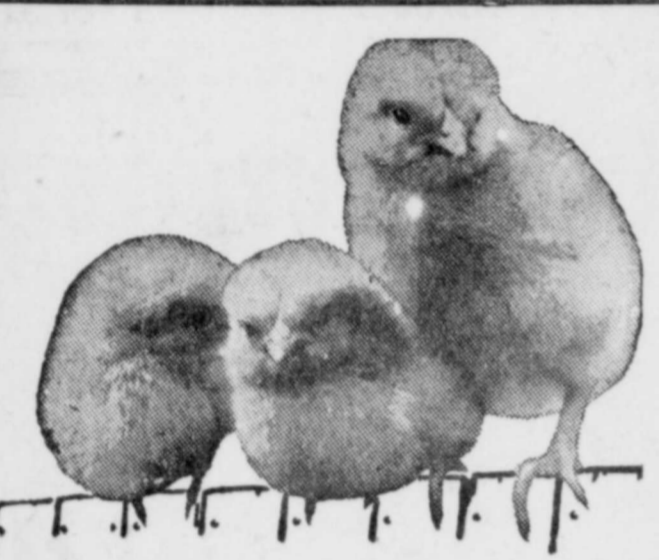
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Available in our store March 10, 1943—

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650x20—32-6 8 ply — 750x20 8-ply
700x20 8-ply — 700x16 6-ply
650x16 — 600x16 6-ply
600x16 6-ply Mud and Snow Tire

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Available in our store March 10, 1943—

Grade 1

550x17 4-ply—600x16 4-ply—650x16 4-ply
600x16 6-ply — 600x16 4-ply ground-grip mud tire.
625x16 4-ply

Grade 2

550x16 4-ply—550x17 4-ply—600x16 4-ply
550x18 4-ply—475x19 4-ply—700x15 4-ply

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Seed	Lb.	
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Seed Great Northern	Lb.	
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BACON	Armour's Star Per Pound	42c
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BACON	Dry Salt Per Pound	19c
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OLEO	All Sweet Per Pound	24c
BACON	Sliced Per Pound	35c
ROAST	Fork—Good Cut Per Pound	30c

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War Production Course Offered In School at Ira

Rural War Production Course in Farm Machinery for Ira and adjoining communities, constituting a new type of program for the county, will begin Monday evening in Ira Defense Shop, Ira School officials announce.

New course for Ira and nearby communities will be taught by Algie P. Brooks, who asks that farmers and ranchers bring in farm machinery which needs conditioning and repairing.

Classes, Brooks states, will be held from Monday through Friday evening of each week, 8:00 to 11:00 o'clock. Each interested farmer may not be able to attend all meetings, but can be present enough of the time to get needed conditioning and repairs done to farm machinery.

Course for Ira Defense Shop was approved this week by M. P. Thurmond of Austin, state supervisor of rural war production training.

Persons of Ira and adjacent territory who wish additional information on the rural war production course in farm machinery are urged to contact Silas Davenport, Ira School superintendent, J. T. Glass or Algie Brooks.

Bro. Raymond Kelcy, local Church of Christ minister, is expected to return this week after holding a meeting at Anthony, New Mexico.

Sliced Bread Back On Market After Two-Month Ban

Sliced bread became a reality again in Snyder Wednesday!

Reappearance of sliced bread on counters of Snyder stores was warmly welcomed by housewives, who had risked thumbs and fingers slicing the "staff of life" for the past two months.

Snyder Bakery and Wade's Bakery began slicing lightbread again Wednesday, after the government lifted the ban on slicing bread over the nation.

The Food Distribution Administration declares Snyder's two bakeries have cooperated mightily well to carry out Secretary of Agriculture Wickard's No. 1 food distribution order. There have been no complaints, the FDA says from people of this trade area on unsliced bread.

When a government order was issued January 18, prohibiting slicing of lightbread, it was believed some saving in manpower and manufacturing costs of bread would result. The government admitted this week that no such savings resulted. The ready-sliced loaf of bread, which will now be available, will probably have heavier wrapping paper to keep bread from drying.

Cafe Customers Not To Surrender Rations

Office of Price Administration officials announced Tuesday, through the Scurry County War Price and Ration Board, that cafe customers do not have to surrender ration books to the proprietor.

The OPA issued the statement after a report was received that at Pampa proprietors of some restaurants were demanding the ration books of patrons. Some boarding house customers, however, are required to give up their books.

"No consumer," the statement of OPA declares, "is required to surrender a ration book to any institutional user establishment unless he lives in the establishment or premises maintained in connection with that institution."

TWO CARS OF FEED TO HELP RELIEVE PINCH

Cottonseed Meal and Soybean Meal On Way to County as Result of Action by Local Groups

Booking of a carload of soy bean meal and a carload of cottonseed meal this week for Scurry County promised Tuesday to bring considerable relief to hard pressed county livestock owners.

Carload of soy bean meal was booked through the Scurry County U. S. Department of Agriculture War Board, with the lead taken by E. O. Wedgeworth, Scurry County Chamber of Commerce manager.

Carload of cottonseed meal for the county was booked this week through efforts of the county Farm Security Administration, directed by Gerald G. Gordon, county PSA supervisor, and staff.

In order that Scurry County livestock owners short of feed may know who to contact for soy bean, or cottonseed meal, the county war board and county PSA officials issue this statement:

Sterling Taylor, located at the Fuller Cotton Oil Mill site, will handle sales on the carload of soy bean meal en route here.

Charley Noble will handle sales on the carload of cottonseed meal obtained through PSA efforts. The cottonseed meal is being shipped here from Arkansas.

Scurry County's feed situation has been in the acute stage for the past two weeks. Lack of feed for dairy cattle and other livestock has resulted in the county war board and the Farm Security Administration working long hours to obtain definite relief.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, backed by Scurry and other local chambers, received encouragement this week on measures of relief for dairy feeds—but no definite solution to the pressing feed problem. The feed shortage now facing Scurry and other counties of this area was discussed Sunday on the Texas Forum of the Air by national leaders.

George Mahon, congressman of the 19th District, is cooperating 100 per cent with the WTCC and county chambers in trying to get feedstuff into West Texas in the immediate future.

Ranchers in various sections of the county cordoned Monday said they were running cattle and sheep on stalk fields, and on early wheat where it has not been killed by dry freezes.

Wheat in various parts of the county, especially around Hermleigh and Inadale, is said to be dying in places where the grain was seeded on feed land. Grain seeded in on cotton land is said to be holding its own.

Early growth of wild rye along creek banks, in ditches and sufficient moisture to bring winter weeds to life would greatly help in alleviating the county's feed shortage, veteran cattlemen say.

Livestock owners of the county were said this week to be crushing all available burdick stuff, grain and feeding milo maize in an effort to hold livestock until relief of some type is forthcoming.

Bill Designed to Curb Union Racketeering

Since considerable interest has been shown here and in other sections of the state over House Bill No. 100, regulating the activities and affairs of labor unions in Texas, people of Scurry, Garza, Fisher and nearby counties will be glad to learn the bill stands a good chance of House passage this week.

House Bill No. 100, briefly, would make labor unions conduct their affairs on a legal basis. Purpose of the bill is to stop racketeering in labor unions, and would abolish exorbitant fees for joining labor unions. The measure would guarantee a man the right to work on any project he chooses, members of the House of Representatives declare.

Snyder-Ira Players Will Stage Benefit Basketball Tuesday

Something in the nature of a treat for Snyder and Scurry County sport fans will be staged in Snyder High School gymnasium Tuesday evening, March 16, 8:00 o'clock, in the form of a Red Cross War Fund benefit basketball game between Snyder Tigers and the Ira Bulldogs.

Proceeds from Tuesday evening's game, it was announced this week by backers, will go direct to the Red Cross War Fund.

Admission prices to the Snyder-Ira basketball game have been set at 10 cents.

Probable line-up of players for Snyder and Ira follows:

Snyder: Tigers—Miller Price, Raymond Manham, Howard Crenshaw, Eddie Richardson and Leonard Keller.

Ira Bulldogs—Edwin Falls Jr., Buford Sterling, Curtis Sterling, Wayne Eubanks, Joe Thompson Jr. and Morris Hardee.

Sports fans of this trade zone are extended an invitation to witness the benefit game.

WAAC Recruiters to Be In City Saturday

Leutenant Ann Markusick and Auxiliary Ruth McCoud of the Lubbock WAAC's recruiting office will be here Saturday afternoon, from 2:00 to 6:00 o'clock, to interview prospective WAAC recruits, Mrs. Harry Rosenberg, Scurry County WAAC recruiting chairman, states.

Girls and women of the Snyder trade zone interested in joining the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps are urged to contact the two WAAC officials here Saturday afternoon.

Three Trustees Will Be Elected at Snyder

Three members will be named for Snyder's board of education, in the school district election to be held here Saturday, April 3, school board officials announced Tuesday.

Trio of board members whose terms expire are: Clyde Boren, P. W. Cloud and I. A. Joyce.

Names of candidates for the Snyder board of education should be filed with O. D. McGlaun, secretary of the board.

Mrs. S. Brunson, who has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodfin, left last week for Los Angeles, California, to join her husband, who is in the U. S. Railroad Battalion on dispatch duty. Mrs. Brunson is the former Myrtle Woodfin.

Region Baptists Meet At Fluvanna Tuesday

March session of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association Workers Conference will be held Tuesday, beginning at 10:00 a. m., at the Fluvanna Baptist Church, denomination leaders reported this week.

Several outstanding Baptist ministers of this area are scheduled to appear on program Tuesday. Details of the Tuesday gathering, including names of the speakers, were not available late Wednesday.

Mrs. T. M. Rylander of Dallas spent the first part of this week with her mother, Mrs. G. B. Clark Sr. and other relatives.

Mrs. Ella Nichols of Goldthwaite visited in the home of Mrs. Ethel Eiland this week. Mrs. Nichols is a cousin of Mrs. Eiland.

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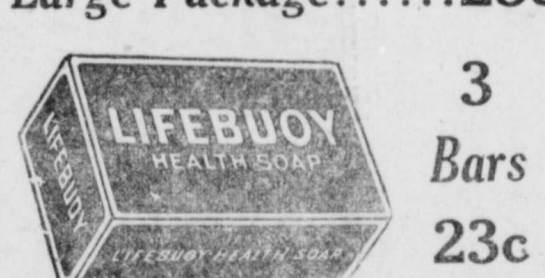
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Such control usually requires that information relative to any given transaction be obtained before the transaction has been completed, instead of after.

This manner of controlling taxes is legitimate and legal; the courts having ruled that "It is the right of the taxpayer to exercise judgement and discretion in the matter of INCURRING taxes," and again "Any one may so arrange his affairs that his taxes should be as low as possible; he is not bound to choose the pattern that will best pay the Treasury; there is not even a patriotic duty to increase ones taxes." Once taxes have been incurred, it is decidedly the duty, patriotic and otherwise, that this tax be properly calculated and paid.

To meet the growing demand for the accurate and proper handling of tax problems which arise both before and after the tax has been incurred, we are offering a TWELVE MONTH TAX SERVICE for those who desire it, which will include the preparation of Social Security and Victory Tax returns where desired. Consult us at your convenience about this service.

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WHEATIES	Breakfast of Champions 2 Packages for	23c
Flour	Everlite 48-Lb. Sack	\$2.25
Kellogg's ALL BRAN	Large Package Our Special Price	23c
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PIGGLY WIGGLY

News About Folks You Know

Murphy News

Mary Ellen Hickman, Correspondent
Roy Barrier and Ed Murphy were business callers at Brownfield Tuesday.
Lorin McDowell was at his Borden County ranch Tuesday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Montgomery are entertaining little Miss Leana Jean since March 4.
Alex Murphy and L. W. Wiseman were visitors in the H. O. Gill home Wednesday.
Several ladies of the community helped Friday in quilting for Mrs. Ava Watson and family of Ira at the home of Mrs. Jim Sorrells.
Mrs. Ella Richter and Rudy were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Bailey Hickman home.
C. N. von Roeder and family are spending the week in and near Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sturgeon and Mrs. Vivian Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder.
Mrs. L. T. Nelson and two sons spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McElreath at Forsan.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy and Roy Barrier spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sanders and son, Wayland, at Brownfield.
Mrs. Ben Weathers was a Sunday visitor in the P. O. Sorrells home.
Monday Mr. and Mrs. Porter Her-ring were Snyder business visitors.
Sunday morning an unsuccessful coyote hunt was staged at the 9-R Ranch with a number of community men helping.
Ben Weathers was a Saturday visitor in the home of his mother, Mrs. Cora Weathers, at Snyder.

Pleasant Ridge

Imogene Wells, Correspondent
Those visiting in the H. Wells home Sunday were Mrs. Rob Wells and sons, Charles and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan of Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wallace and daughters, Judy and Sheila, and Mrs. Louis Taylor of Colorado City visited in the C. A. Wallace home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Penn and children at Roscoe Sunday.
Turner News
Nell Morrow, Correspondent
Sergeant Garth Berryhill and Mrs. Berryhill of Pueblo, Colorado, are here on a 10-day furlough visiting with relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Scott spent the week-end in Fisher County visiting Mrs. Scott's parents.
Ralph Bates is here on furlough from Camp Edwards, Massachusetts, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bates, and his wife.
Mrs. L. M. Irion has returned from Midland after a few days' visit with her daughter there.
Those visiting in the T. C. Morrow home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Coppedge and son, Mrs. A. R. Willingham and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Berryhill.
Nell Morrow and Glenn Morrow are visiting their sister, Mrs. F. W. Coppedge, at Rotan this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jeffress of Lubbock visited in the T. C. Morrow home Saturday afternoon.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent
First Sergeant Kenneth Rector of Colorado Springs, Colorado, spent Saturday and Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Rector. His sister, Mrs. Gordon May, and young son, Bruce, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, joined him here but their visit will extend for several days.
Mrs. T. J. Coston received word last week-end that her grandson, John P. Coston, has been missing since February 12. He was a bombardier in one of General Douglas MacArthur's raiding missions in the Southwest Pacific. John was the son of J. E. (John) Coston, now of Valley Mills, who formerly resided in Scurry County several years.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Voss of Colorado City ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hodnett and children.
Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Layman had as dinner guests Sunday their daughter, Sallie, of Abilene, Mrs. Willie Joe (Phil) Nachlinger of Sweetwater, Kathleen Jones of Snyder, Mrs. Howard Jones and little daughter, Sallie Marie, and Mrs. J. I. Chorn.
Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hall and son, Larry, and Mrs. J. O. Hall of Big Spring visited in the J. J. Henry home recently.
Polks have been busy mending burst water pipes as the result of the severe freezes we had last week.
Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Notes and daughter, Bobbie, of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Early and son, Tracy Bill, of Snyder took dinner Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Early.
Mrs. Travis Green and young son, Melvin Curtis, of Anson spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Vernon.
Roy Patterson of Dumas and Mrs. Roy Patterson of Sweetwater visited their mother, Mrs. Laura Patterson, Sunday and also their sister, Mrs. J. B. Morgan, and husband.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Coston spent the week-end with their son, Ferrell, and family at Alpine and a daughter, Mrs. E. J. Ely Jr., and family at El Paso.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nachlinger of Los Angeles, California, have moved here and will farm with his father, Joe Nachlinger.
W. L. Jones is moving his drug store from the T. J. Rhea building, where he has been several years, to the Kirk building next door and is putting in a complete line of groceries with a cream station in connection with the drugs.

Crowder News

Mrs. Bill Baggett, Correspondent
Mrs. P. B. Crabtree of Wink visited her daughter, Mrs. Ted Haney, and husband this week.
Mrs. W. O. Tucker and boys of Blackwell visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Blair, this week.
Eunice Pearl Blair spent Friday night and Saturday with Dorothy Gladly at Snyder.
Albert Buchanan of Snyder spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rollins and children Monday. Mr. Buchanan is an uncle of Mr. Rollins.
Ted Haney made a business trip to Colorado City Friday.
Mrs. David Moore made a business trip to Snyder Monday. Mrs. Moore's little girl is on the sick list this week.
Ella Rollins caused a little disturbance in the community Sunday when a big smoke boiled up back of his house like a big bon-fire. Several in the community rushed over to see what it was, and found it to be only trash that he was burning from his corrals and lots.
We are glad to report O'Neil McCormick is improving. He has been in the hospital with pneumonia, but has been brought home.
Old Man Winter is in the air again. We've been having some pretty cold northerners and also some sharp south and southeast winds.
John Voss of Snyder visited his farm and ranch place Sunday. Mr. Voss has some pretty white-face cattle out on his ranch.
Mrs. Ted Haney's aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Bob Eller and Mrs. Little Webb, of Wink visited her this week. They are moving to Louisiana, where Mr. Eller is employed. Mrs. P. B. Crabtree, Mrs. Haney's mother, accompanied them.

Ira News

Mrs. Mabel Webb, Correspondent
Mrs. J. H. Allen returned Wednesday from Triangle, where she stayed with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Holladay, and baby daughter.
Jack Carnes returned last week-end from a two-week visit with relatives at Houston and Odessa.
Edith Eades of Snyder spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eades.
Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and son, Herbert, of Odessa spent the week-end with relatives here.
Claud Hooks of Colorado City made a talk at the Methodist Church Sunday as part of the Laymen's Day program.
Paynell Rhoades of Odessa is spending several days in the Fred Price and Lansing Rhoades homes.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sorrells and granddaughter of Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sorrells and daughter of Bison spent Sunday in the Ava Watson and Marvin Sorrells homes.
Mr. and Mrs. Autwee Crowder of Canyon spent the week-end with Mrs. E. A. Crowder.
Edgar Eades filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday night in the absence of the pastor, who was holding a study course at Fairview.
We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Otto Matthews and sons back into our community. They have moved to the Kruse home.
We are sorry to report the Raymond Hull family all on the sick list this week.
Mrs. W. O. Webb returned Sunday after staying from Thursday until Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. B. P. Eades, who is recovering from an appendix operation.
Mrs. C. D. Franks and Mrs. Lester Bryce of Round Top visited in this community Monday.
W. O. Webb and sons, W. O. Jr. and Lloyd, spent Sunday in the B. P. Eades home at Ennis Creek.
Rev. R. E. Bowden of Sweetwater will fill his regular appointment at the Church of God Sunday afternoon and night.
Juanita Lewis underwent a tonsil operation at the Snyder General Hospital Wednesday of last week.
Anna Belle Layne of Canyon spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Homer Huddleston, and attended school, because the bus had been broken down.

Dermott News

Tish Sullenger, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Browning gave a party last Monday night for the young folks. Everyone had a good time.
Private First Class Ed Shuler of New Jersey and Velma Lee Edmondson of Snyder ate supper Saturday night with the Edmondsons.
Dermott is going over the top on Red Cross contributions this week.
Sergeant Ambrose Trussell, who has been on duty overseas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. W. Scrivner, and other relatives and friends.
The Johnny and Jimmy Brown-

Bell News

Mrs. H. G. Gafford, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams of Strayhorn community were visiting friends here Sunday.
Will Caffey called in the Johnnie Reed home Sunday.
Mrs. C. S. Fatheree of Abilene arrived Thursday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Chorn, and family. Mrs. Fatheree, Mrs. G. E. Chorn, Jacqueline and Jimmy visited Mrs. J. I. Chorn at Hermleigh Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Odell Arnold spent Sunday in the Sam Terrell home at Hermleigh.

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The Santa Fe must handle this additional load with its present passenger cars, as no more cars will be built during the war.

Late Trains

In these days of unprecedented passenger volume it is not always possible to maintain schedules with on-time regularity... and since military trains have the right-of-way over everything else, they often cause our regular passenger trains to be delayed.

At many stations along the line, mail and express are heavier than in normal times—and take longer to load. This is another reason why trains are delayed.

Car Shortage

Special troop trains are becoming almost routine on the Santa Fe. In just one case, we moved an entire division from one camp—and it took 55 complete trains to handle the men and equipment.

Freight Cars

Due to the submarine menace and the diversion of freighters to other services, almost all of the intercoastal freight tonnage formerly handled by ships through the Panama Canal was hauled by the railroads in 1942.

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German News

Lilly Mae Schulze, Correspondent
Mrs. Louie Schoppa and Mrs. Emil Schattel visited Grandmother Schulze Monday afternoon.
Those visiting in the Robert Schulze home Sunday were B. O. McDow, Mrs. Corene Jones and Lily Mae Schulze of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenetschlaeger and son and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wimmer.
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ue Blackstock, who were married Saturday night. They will make their home at Sweetwater.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenetschlaeger, Bill Schulze and Victor Freytag visited in the Emil Schulze home Sunday night.

Fluvanna News

Ola Stavelly, Correspondent
V. L. Patterson went to Post Tuesday on business.
Mrs. Boss Stavelly left last Wednesday for Austin, where she will visit her daughter, Frances, and son, John A., who is stationed at Bryan.
Mrs. Dan Cribbs was in the Snyder General Hospital for medical treatment last Wednesday and Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Beavers went to Slaton Friday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dowdy are visiting his parents for a few days. Mr. Dowdy has been working in Pecos for the past several months. They will leave for Lubbock this week, where he will be in defense work.
J. J. Belew went to Post Wednesday on business.
Mrs. J. B. Bley has recently been notified by the Navy Department that her grandson, J. B. Bowling, has been transferred from the Navy Training School at Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Adams of Winters and Ruby Puye Carmichael, who is attending school in Abilene, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carmichael, this week to be with their brother, Private Clayton Carmichael.
Private Preston Hunnicutt, who was recently inducted into the army, is stationed in North Carolina.
Don't forget a soldier enjoys letters from home!
We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis in the recent death of his brother, Will Ellis.
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rea and daughter of Hereford visited his parents and her mother, Mrs. J. R. Wilks, Saturday and Sunday.
Fred Werner is in the Snyder General Hospital this week with a severe case of flu. We wish for him a speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. George Moore went to Tatum, New Mexico, Friday evening to be with her mother, who is very ill. They returned Sunday.
Mrs. Dan Cribbs prepared a surprise birthday dinner Sunday for her husband, Dan Cribbs, and Mrs. Lanham.
Private Weldon (Bud) Sneed of Lubbock was home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Matthis took their son, Orville, to Dr. Young at Roscoe Wednesday. He had a tonsillectomy last week and developed a bleeding throat. He is back home and doing nicely.
V. A. Willis went to Lubbock on business Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason and his brother, who is here on a furlough, went to Eden Saturday to see their grandmother.
Billy Sims of Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited his mother and father over the week-end.

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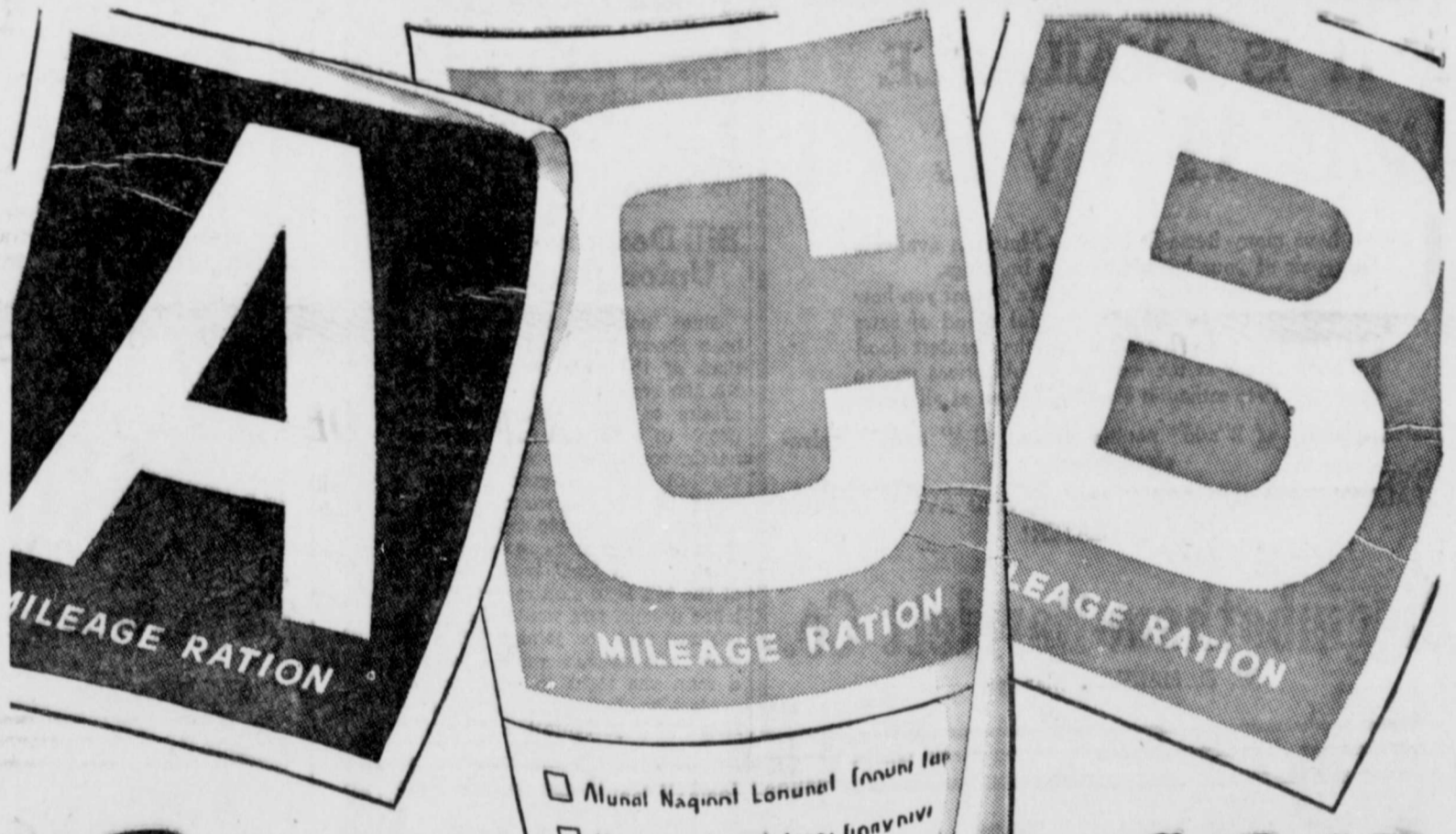
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Hobbs News

Mrs. S. L. Etheredge, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Etheredge and children of Sylvester visited in the W. S. Etheredge home Sunday.
Mrs. W. W. Cave, Mrs. Chisham, Mrs. Dale Cave and baby and J. C. Cave spent the week-end visiting Privates Mark and Dale Cave at Wichita Falls.
Bob Etheredge is in the Rotan Hospital with pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Price of Rotan and Fae Etheredge were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Etheredge.
Mrs. Jim Davis of Midway visited Mrs. Jim Cave recently.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Etheredge of Roscoe spent Sunday here.
The Aaron Wash House will only be open Mondays and Tuesdays from now on.
The community has been having some terribly cold weather the past several days.
Privates Mark Cave and Lynch of Wichita Falls spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cave.
Mrs. Bill Cave has returned home with her new daughter, Janice Olivia, from the Rotan Hospital.
W. S. Etheredge and children, Bob, Faye and Tura Lou, spent last Friday with the B. B. Etheredges at Sylvester.
Mrs. J. C. Hayter and Miss Mabel Bryan of Snyder visited here last Friday.

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Round Top News

Mrs. Buddy Crowder, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Floyd and Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts of Snyder were visitors in the Frank Floyd home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harrison visited Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Goodlett Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Olton Smith went to Lubbock Friday to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law.
Mrs. Olton Smith is visiting her parents at Big Spring this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Diddy Smith were in Roscoe Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Crowder and son visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. James, at Colorado City Sunday afternoon.
Little Carolyn Goodlett is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harrison, for a few days this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams attended the Lone Wolf Electric Coop meeting in Colorado City Monday. Mr. Williams was elected one of the directors.
Mrs. Ralph Payne is at the bedside of her sister-in-law near Oklahoma City.
Mr. and Mrs. Olton Smith were visitors in the Claud Miller home west of Snyder, Sunday of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Shorly Lilly moved into our community Thursday of last week. They live where the Thigpen family resided. We give them a hearty welcome.
Mrs. C. D. Franks and daughter visited in the Fritz Brice home Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pitner were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eades, at Bethel Sunday.
Leon Eades of Camp Adair, Oregon, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. S. Pitner, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smallwood have returned from Marlin. They report a wonderful time.
Mrs. Sam Williams, Mrs. Buddy Crowder and Mrs. J. D. Smallwood of this community were appointed by Rev. E. E. Cockrell of Dunn to help raise our quota for the Red Cross drive. The group met in the home of Rev. Cockrell and wife Monday night to study and prepare for our drive. Hot chocolate and sandwiches were served to a full house.

Dunn News

Mrs. L. A. Scott, Correspondent
Mrs. Blyce Devers and baby, Danny Gene, arrived last week from Paris for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis and children.
Sue Denson of Denton spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Denson.
Louise Davidson spent the week-end at Alpine visiting former schoolmates.
Abe Baptist Church has a new pastor. He is Bro. J. E. Smith of Abilene, and a student at Hagdin-Simmons University. Bro. Smith will pastor the Dunn church each second and fourth Sunday and the Phynna church each first and third Sunday after April 1. He and his family will move to the Dunn parsonage about June 1.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hooks and Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Colorado City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Russell Sunday.
Mrs. Andy Rhoades and son, Gene, of Berger arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowers and Chuck and Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers and James.
Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Bolding have as their guests this week P. N. Bolding, seaman third class, of San Diego, California. Mrs. Bob Sandefer and Lucille Bolding of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Miss (F. N. Jr.) states that he likes the navy extra well and will go to school after returning to San Diego.
Sergeant M. H. Hanson arrived Monday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hanson, Don and Mrs. Milton Winters and family. Junior has been station in Alaska with the U. S. Army for the past 15 months. He says the U. S. looks mighty fine to him. He is a radio man on a bomber, and states that he has seen plenty of action. On one occasion a bullet from an enemy gun missed him by a mere six inches, hitting his radio equipment and destroying it. On his way home via San Francisco, he radioed in for landing information, and when he landed he was surprised to find that a first cousin, Wallace Hanson, directed the landing. Junior and Wallace enlisted at the same time, but were soon separated.
Benton Echols and son, John, and Ben DuBoise have returned from a visit to East Texas.
Lavelle Brown of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown.
J. C. Beakley returned home Saturday from San Antonio, where he had spent several weeks.
Dunn community went "over the top" Tuesday in its drive for Red Cross War Funds. Chairman A. B. Cockrell, with M. H. Hanson, Mmes. Sam Williams, Buddy Crowder, Martin Murphy, George Bowers, A. B. Cockrell, T. A. Echols, Homer Harrison, Lloyd Cotton, J. B. Smallwood and L. A. Scott, assisted in raising the funds with the full cooperation of this community.
Private Malcolm Hanson of Shepard Field, Wichita Falls, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hanson.
Everything the decent people of the world hope for depends on the courage and determination of the U. S. A.

Big Sulphur News

Eunice Lewis, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Vineyard and children were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis.
Mrs. Hubert Rea is visiting relatives in South Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis and children, Clinton and Clara Mae, and Helen Mahoney of this community and Vallarie Rumlmer of Hermleigh were in Sweetwater last Thursday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, Jimmie Dean and Devane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and children.
Mrs. M. J. Haynes and son, Jimmie, spent Monday afternoon with Mr. Buell Lewis.
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Higginbotham spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norris.
Helen Mahoney spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Buell Lewis and children, Clara Mae and James Clinton.
We are glad to report J. L. Norris, who has been suffering with his back, is improving.
Several of the farmers gathered at the T. A. Weems farm Friday and bedded up his land.
Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Lee were brief callers in the J. L. Norris home Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Corbell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Haynes and children.
J. H. Henley had the misfortune of losing three yearlings last week with blackleg.
We are glad to report Mrs. Ruel Ryan has been brought home from the hospital. She is recovering from injuries sustained in a recent auto wreck.

Midway News

Pearl Dixon, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis visited Sunday with his brother C. B. Davis, and family at Colorado City.
Mrs. Guy Casey made a business trip to Sweetwater Saturday.
Mrs. Willie White visited her uncle at Kappila and her brother-in-law at Fort Worth last week.
Mrs. Marvin Snowden and Mr. and Mrs. Don Snowden visited Mrs. Don Snowden's parents at Hobbs Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie White visited Sunday in the Afe Hudnall home.
Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dixon and daughters visited his mother, Mrs. E. F. Dixon, Saturday afternoon at Snyder.
Boyce Seay of Hobbs visited his sister, Mrs. Don Snowden, Monday night.
Pearl and Doris Dixon visited Mrs. W. O. Aucutt Sunday afternoon.
B. T. U. Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock, and Sunday School at 10:30 Sunday morning. Everyone is invited.

Ennis Creek News

Allene Davis, Correspondent
Mrs. Bill Nobles has been taken to an Amarillo hospital for treatment. She was accompanied by her husband and small daughter, Caroline.
Mrs. Alfred Roggenstein and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Davis Sunday. Vivian Davis spent last week with Mrs. Roggenstein.
Bernice Shearer, who is teaching home economics at Snyder, visited her father, Cliff Birwell, last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis at Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Huffman and children spent Sunday with Lester McClammy and family at Union.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jourdan and children of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Loso and children.
We are sorry that Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vickers are moving from this community, but welcome Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Martin and children.
There was a Red Cross War Fund drive meeting at the schoolhouse Wednesday night.
Allene and Horace Davis visited Tuesday night with Veldean and Duaine Davis at Snyder.
Kenneth Snyder visited Sunday night with John Birdwell.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nobles of Snyder visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nobles, Sunday.
Mrs. Cliff Birdwell spent Sunday with her son, E. A., at Texas Tech, Lubbock.
There will be a Parent-Teacher Association meeting at the Ennis Creek school house Friday night. Everyone is invited.

Lloyd Mountain

Erdice L. Reynolds, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Rhoades spent Sunday with his parents at Ira, who are leaving for California within a short time.
Mrs. Weldon Johnson is in the Snyder General Hospital, where she has had two wisdom teeth extracted. She is doing nicely, we learn.
Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Dabbs and small son of Dallas are visiting his parents, the J. R. Dabbs, and two brothers, Homer and Marion Dabbs, and families.
Private Clyde Reynolds Jr. has been transferred to Oklahoma.
We welcome the Wyatt family to our community. They have moved on the Travis Rhoades farm.
Erdice Reynolds, Times correspondent, is in bed with the flu.
Alfred Roggenstein, who is at Marlin for treatment, is reported as not improving.

Canyon News

Mrs. Sam Adams, Correspondent
Mrs. R. P. Marchbanks of Blount visited Mrs. R. E. Adams Sunday. Lue Ann Westfall of Ira visited Annie Bell Layne last week-end.
Private First Class and Mrs. Dayton McCarter of Laredo are visiting parents and friends here. Dayton is in the Army Air Corps at Laredo.
Rev. and Mrs. J. W. McGaha and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Golden attended the workers' meeting at Hermleigh.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Birdwell of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Golden this week.
Rev. Corbin of Lamesa filled his regular appointment Sunday.
There will be a Red Cross rally at Canyon school March 12. Entertainment is being prepared. No admission will be charged, but your donation to the Red Cross will be appreciated by the local committee.
Visiting cards at The Times.

Plainview News

Emma Woodard, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Derryberry and family are moving to the Lloyd Mountain community.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and children spent Sunday with the Dean Smith family at Big Sulphur.
Louis Bennett will leave Thursday for the army.
Private Joe K. Lopour of California is visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. V. M. Head and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arnold of West Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Arnold and children.
Those visiting Sunday in the Floyd Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Devers, Mrs. Birdie Stringer and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hassell, all of Snyder.
Joe and Steve Murphy were in Sweetwater one day last week on business.
Mrs. Eupha Shield and Helen went to Mullins last week-end and attended the funeral of a niece.
Gradine Fisher of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Fisher.
Emma Woodard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jay Grubbs, at San Angelo.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Royal Connell of Lubbock visited his parents, the F. A. Connells, last week, before leaving for the army on Monday.
Mrs. Charlie Eastman and her mother, Mrs. Thompson, returned from Mills County Sunday after visiting relatives there for a week.
Mattie Barnett is visiting in San Antonio with her sisters, Ruth and Morine, who are in defense work.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stokes and son of Austin visited in this community Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheredge visited his mother, who is ill, in Snyder Sunday.
Mrs. Lloyd Davenport underwent an appendix operation Monday.
There is quite a bit of sickness in the community. The following have been ill over the week-end: Mrs. E. E. Woollever and Laoma Woollever, Fay Nell Bentley and Kenneth Roy Williamson.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brock and Grandmother Bentley of Buford visited in the Elmer Bentley home Sunday.
Beuna Bentley and Mr. Jackson of Gall attended church here Sunday and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bentley.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams received a cablegram from their son, Private First Class Othello Adams, from somewhere in the South Pacific on March 6 saying he was well and safe.

BABY CHICKS



The U. S. Department of Agriculture says: "Probably the most important step . . . is to stress at every opportunity the vital necessity of poultry raisers starting their chicks earlier than usual in order to lengthen the hatching season. It just doesn't seem possible now that hatcherymen can take care of the flood of business."

The demand for chicks is greater than ever before, so no matter when you want them place your order now.

Uncle Sam puts his O. K. on Colonial Chicks through the U. S. approved, U. S. Pullarun Tested Plan.

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INCOME TAX SERVICE FOR FARMERS

Free to Members of the Farm Bureau

In order to assist farmers with their income tax reports, the Scurry County Farm Bureau is sponsoring a Free Income Tax Service for its members, including new members.

This service is also available to non-members at a nominal charge.

Scurry County Farm Bureau

At County Agent's Office

RAISE More Food— and Save It All!



Uncle Sam Wants GARDENS!

• Uncle Sam insists that we all have Victory gardens this year—big ones and small ones, in town and country.
Plan your garden now, or join in the plans of your neighbors. Grow your own vegetables because the chances are you won't be able to buy them at the corner grocery. Gardens mean fresh food all summer and a food reserve stored away for winter. Gardens mean Health—lowered food costs—and practical PATRIOTISM!
Ask us about International Harvester's 84-page booklet, "Have a Victory Garden." It's a dandy—packed with helpful information on soil, seedbeds, fertilizers, hotbeds, cold frames, planting, cultivating, weed control, insect and disease control, harvesting, winter storage, etc.
Let's all garden for Victory and save all we raise.

WE REMOVE DEAD ANIMALS

From your premises without cost to you—Cattle, Horses, Mules, and the like.

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From carefully CULLED and BLOODTESTED FLOCKS that will LIVE, GROW and PAY you better profits. Our chicks are first in quality, production and economy. Buy your chicks from your local Snyder Hatchery as we are interested in your success for better poultry profits.

We have a limited amount of sexed and straight run chicks for delivery NOW. Also hatching twice each week. Arrange for yours early by booking the date you want.

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Snyder Hatchery

Chunk Neidecken and A. E. Vernon — On Sweetwater Hi-way

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For Sale
BUY YOUR motor oil at a saving! High grade Bison oil, in two-gallon can for only 95c.—D. & D. Auto Supply.
FOR SALE—House to be moved; two rooms and bath.—W. B. Werner, six miles southeast of Snyder, Route 2. 39-3p
FOR SALE—New Process gas range; good condition.—Foy Wade at the bakery. 40-tfc
FOR SALE—At last! America's finest bulk candy—Brach's! Exclusive at your preferred Ben Franklin Store. 39-tfc
BUNDLE FEED at 1 1/2-cents per bundle or \$35 for stack of approximately 3,200 bundles. See Mrs. Dan Whaley, two miles south of Phynna. 1c
FOR SALE—Two-wheel Txl4 foot trailer house; built-in cabinet, dresser included.—D. M. Price, two blocks northeast Santa Fe depot. 1p
FOR SALE—60 acres, one-half mile of Ira; 60 acres in cultivation; four-room house, new mill, barn, chicken house and cellar; free of debt; terraced; five acres in woods; rented third and fourth. Price, \$40 cash.—Write to 2204 26th Street, Snyder. 41-4c
FOR SALE—Goat milk, can spare some for awhile.—Phone 199-J. 1c
FOR SALE—1935 Dodge sedan; good running condition; all leather upholstery; fair tires.—John L. Green, Snyder. 1p
COW FOR SALE—Good butter cow, giving enough milk for small family. Call 205 or 1111 24th Street. 1c
NEW bill of sale forms for livestock transactions in stock at The Times. \$1 per book of 50 sets, postpaid. 16-tfc
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Miscellaneous
FIRST CLASS painting and paper work; headquarters at Burton-Lingo Lumber Company—Roy Linder, home address 1212 28th Street, Snyder. 32-tfc
SORE THROAT—Tonsillitis! Your physician would recommend a good mop and our Anesthesia-Mop is unexcelled for this trouble. ANAESTHESIA-MOP relieves pain and discomfort instantly, checks infection without injuring throat membranes. Generous bottle with applicators only 50c at—
IRWIN'S DRUG STORE

Business Services
PLUMBING AND CONCRETE work guaranteed. Phone 346. — Mike Lewis. 3-tfc
PLENTEY OF MONEY to loan; low rate of interest; long terms.—Spears Real Estate. 18-tfc
DAVIS LAUNDRY—Wet, wash, 3c lb., wash and dry, 4c lb. Finish work.—Telephone 175W, 1504 Avenue S. 49-tfc
DON'T SCRATCH! Our Parsicde Ointment is positively guaranteed to relieve itching of eczema, ringworm, ordinary itch or athlete foot infections. Remember, it must relieve that itching or purchase price refunded. Large jar only 60c at IRWIN'S DRUG STORE
FREE income tax service to Farm Bureau members at county agent's office. 38-4c
NEED A TANK? Have one that needs repair? See O. C. Floyd, Route 3. 1p
TASTY FOODS, prepared by experts, always on hand at E. & H. Cafe. 1c
PATTERSON'S Barber Shop wants to do your work. Pat and Jess know how. 1c

Real Estate
FOR SALE
640 ACRES, 250 in farm; a good buy at \$20 per acre.
160 ACRES, 150 in farm; a real buy.
227 ACRES, 175 in farm, black land; a real buy.
THREE four-room houses, modern, and six-room house, priced to sell; good terms.
We have buyers for homes in Snyder. List your property with us.
SPEARS REAL ESTATE
Snyder, Texas 35-tfc
4% INTEREST on farm and ranch loans, 20 to 34 years time.—Hugh Boren, secretary-treasurer, Snyder National Farm Loan Association, Times basement. 35-tfc
POSSESSION AT ONCE
160 acres good sandy land, 145 acres cultivation; good four-room frame bungalow on concrete foundation; on electric line and paved highway; near good school and gin. Buy and move on. For price see Scott & Scott. 41-2c

Legal
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas. To Ruth Rinehart, greeting:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 5th day of April, A. D. 1943, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. before the honorable District Court of Scurry County, at the courthouse in Snyder, Texas.
Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15th day of January, 1943. The file number of said suit being No. 4032. The names of the parties in said suit are: Earl Rinehart, as plaintiff, and Ruth Rinehart, as defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce, on the grounds of cruel treatment of a nature to render further living together of plaintiff and defendant insupportable.
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this 19th day of February, A. D. 1943.—EUNICE WEATHERS-BEE, Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 39-4c

For Rent
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment.—W. P. King, 3008 Avenue U. 34-tfc
FOR RENT—Garage apartment; all modern conveniences with refrigerator.—B. H. Moffett, phone 251J, Snyder. 36-tfc
FOR RENT—Apartment, garage, private bath and refrigerator; close in; priced attractively to desirable couple; references exchanged. See Mrs. R. W. Cunningham, phone 444, Snyder. 41-tfc
LOST—Studebaker hub cap Monday in North Snyder. Reward.—Davis Laundry. 1c
FOR RENT—Five-room house, near school.—J. R. Joyce, Snyder. 1p
FOR RENT—Modern three-room apartment with garage.—3707 Avenue R, telephone 443-W. 1c

Wanted
WANT TO BUY—Bundle feed or peanut hay.
FOR SALE—Good calves.
WANT TO RENT OR LEASE—A farm close to Snyder.
FOR SALE—Good milk cows.
BILLY MITCHELL
At Mitchell's Dairy, Phone 128-J Snyder. 40-2c
EXPERIENCED tractor farmer desires job on farm. See R. H. Bonner, five miles northeast Hermleigh, Texas. 1c

Lost and Found
LOST—Coin purse, Saturday at Piggy Wiggly, containing about \$30 dollars. Finder please return to Times office and receive \$5 reward. 1p
STRAYED—White-faced cow; long horns ends tipped; branded 7 or 7-H on left hip. Reward.—Forest Sears. 1c

Male Help Wanted
GOOD ROUTE AVAILABLE of 800 Rawleigh customers. No experience needed to start. Large sales mean big profits. Permanent. Full or part time. Write Rawleigh's, Department TXC-697-104, Memphis, Tennessee. 1p

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War Fund Drive Goes Over

Reports Tuesday morning indicated that the Red Cross War Fund drive in Snyder went "over the top" better than two to one over the city's quota, with approximately \$2,500 raised. Other amounts were due to have been turned in through Wednesday.

The Red Cross War Fund drive in Scurry County's rural communities was also reported by War Fund officials to be going over with a bang. Plainview, the first rural community to report, virtually tripled the quota assessed in the county-wide drive.

Snyder and Scurry County, thanks to E. O. Wedgeworth, county RC War Fund chairman, members of the central committee and rural committeemen, have joined in wholeheartedly to put the War Fund drive in a big way, rather than let such a vital campaign bog down for lack of contributors.

Each person in Snyder and Scurry County who contributed this week to the Red Cross War Fund campaign deserves a place on the nation's roll of loyalty, because the Red Cross today is doing more for men in service and those in civilian life than at any time in history. Snyder and Scurry County had a definite job to do this week in the War Fund drive—and it is to this county's credit that the job is being done with honor.

It's Seriously Dry Now

Interviews with Scurry County farmers and ranchers reveals it's beginning to get seriously dry now, with moisture needed immediately if producers are to begin early feed planting on schedule—even though spring seems a little tardy in arriving on the scene.

A considerable amount of small grain in the county, especially in the southern part of the county, is reported to be dying out because of moisture deficiencies. Small grain seeded in on cotton land, however, is said to be holding up well so far.

Severe damage to the county's fruit crop, as a result of dry March freezes, has proved to be an unsuspected setback, but one which cannot be remedied. "We're not worrying about lost fruit, or small grain," as one county producer put it Saturday, "but we must admit it is beginning to get seriously dry—dry enough to make us all want a slow falling, ground soaking rain."

No Black Market Here

Insofar as a survey being conducted in this area by a key government agency is concerned, there appears to be no active black market existing in Snyder, Sweetwater, Lubbock and other towns of this portion of Texas, although a number of meat packers and meat wholesalers have been indicted for "below the counter" practices which are detrimental to the war effort.

People of this trade zone want no dealings with black markets in meat products—even though they may have to go without as much meat as they'd like to have. Black markets for meat products are doubly dangerous, because they not only make it hard for legitimate merchants to make a living, but tend to spread diseases of a dangerous character which may well cause loss of lives.

Editorial of the Week

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

This business of freedom of the press keeps bobbing up every few weeks. You'd think that a people who have enjoyed such freedom for so long would be able to relax and let the constitution protect their rights, but such is not the case. The price of liberty is eternal vigilance.

In Los Angeles not long ago a regional director of the Office of War Information pontifically told Los Angeles newspapers that if they got any information from certain government agencies they must get it through his office.

The papers went on a sort of sitdown strike. They stood flat-footed on the general proposition that if they had to take dictation from the regional director they'd just simply go out of the business of filling their columns with government hand-out altogether. You can well imagine that such a dire threat got almost immediate results. Truth is that much of the burden of making the war effort click falls upon the newspapers—and they are more than willing to cooperate to the fullest extent. OPA Administrator Prentiss M. Brown gave them full credit for making food rationing work so successful.

Headquarters of OWI in Washington repudiated the edict of its regional director. There had been a misunderstanding. At any rate, the Los Angeles papers are again free to gather the news where and if they can find it, without reference to OWI's regional office.

Freedom of the press is designed to keep open the channels of information, not for the benefit of the press, but that the people may know. Once the newspapers have to take only what some bureaucrat hands out in the way of "news" freedom of the press is lost, and newspaper readers in this country will be not better off than newspaper readers in the worst dictatorship on earth.

We are not yet ready to Goebbelize this democracy.—The Abilene Reporter-News.

The cheering-up business is a good side-line, and it doesn't interfere with your main-line.

Keep a fair-sized cemetery in your own back yard in which to bury the faults of your friends.—Beecher.

Current Comment

By LEON GUINN

Editor's Note—Expressions or opinions contained in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinions or policies of The Times. Current Comment is merely carried as a feature column.

Outlook of the food situation for the average American isn't in the gloomy stage viewed by some pessimists in scattered sections of the country, although it's freely admitted that the U. S. consumer will have to pay higher prices for virtually all goods available for the remainder of the war's duration. . . . Pressure being put on Congress by the Farm Bloc, plus realization that farm costs are higher than anticipated, means that higher ceiling prices will be placed on foods, such as, for instance, the 60-cent-a-barrel increase on soft white flour. . . . Within the next 60 days, most groceries will be placed under maximum price ceilings and remain there for many months.

Indication that the Nazis are utilizing every method at their command to obtain war materials is shown in the fact the Germans are getting metals needed for the war effort by taking non-ferrous metals in payment for taxes, certain postal and other tariffs, and similar imposts in France, Holland, Belgium and portions of occupied countries not yet stripped of metal. . . . According to neutral sources, copper is most critically needed by Nazi Germany, then—in succession—nickel, tin and lead. . . . In one Belgium town, for example, families were forced to pay taxes in metal objects taken from their homes.

Due to the fact the railroads of the nation are doing a grand job in transporting war materials—foods, army and navy equipment, men, mines, aircraft parts, munitions and other vitally needed goods—the railroad outlook for the country has improved 200 per cent over that of six months ago. . . . Government officials now believe that the railroads can handle the tremendous job assigned in keeping men and materials moved to the most essential areas of the country. . . . Look for the manpower problem of the railroads to become increasingly acute, since thousands of good railroad employees have been lost to the armed services of the nation during the past 12 months.

With prices of meats and meat products reaching all-time record levels, the Office of Price Administration is finding the black market in meats headache No. 1—in capital letters. . . . Officials see small chance of getting the black market out of the way, without strict ceilings on livestock and licensing of all dealers—a thing that would cost the federal government many thousands of dollars. . . . The present situation favors a black market in meats, since wholesale level ceilings limit the amount an honest packer can pay for his livestock and still make money—but permits the illegal dealer to get whatever livestock he needs by overbidding.

Office of Price Administration officials have been hoping that hints of civilian clothes rationing would die down within a few weeks, but rumors of the forthcoming restrictions have apparently increased during the past 30 days. . . . Rationing of clothing is politely accepted as one of the things just around the corner, but increased demands for civilian clothing may well hasten the day when OPA has to come out in the open about the matter. . . . Incidentally, shoe rationing, with attendant pains for OPA, has caused the government agency to formulate plans for a victory shoe, inexpensive but guaranteed to be worth the price which can be charged for the article of apparel.

Early March freezes which severely injured fruit crops in Scurry and nearby counties, and killed a considerable amount of early grain, brings home the fact with direct forcefulness that home gardens will be more important this year than ever before; that each jar of home canned food this year will be worth plenty of cash money, and may keep families from doing without some foods entirely. . . . The government is doing everything possible to get people to concentrate this year on home gardens and truck farming. . . . When the fact becomes clearly evident that home raised foods must replace those formerly bought in stores—to a great extent—food production on the home front is going to surprise 90 per cent of our citizenship.

Full meaning of total war, insofar as it will affect Scurry County and other counties removed from war plants, will be most acutely felt this summer, when farmers and ranchers need hands to assist in all-out farm and ranch work. . . . Women and girls, it must be admitted, will have to assist with farm and ranch work to a certain extent, but women and girls have been helping in such essential work, more than people of the North and East realize, for many years. . . . The fact remains that West Texas needs more men folks kept on the home front during 1943, and Washington, as well as Major General Lewis H. Hershey, national Selective Service director, needs to be informed of this matter immediately.

With the pressure being placed on food more today than at any time in history, bread and other cereal foods will be the safety valve and will be available in sufficient volume to keep stomachs reasonably full. This constitutes one of the main reasons why restrictions have been lifted on wheat plantings, since surpluses in warehouses are beginning to assume an entirely different light in view of continued dry weather.

Texas Legislature to Pass Halfway Mark Friday at Capitol

The Texas Legislature will reach the halfway mark Friday at Austin, with every indication that the session will run the full 120 days from January 12 before members go home.

So advises a release from Austin, which points out that Pat Bullock, senator of the 24th District, and Albert Power of Spur, 118th District representative, are among legislators putting in long hours over bills arising in the House and Senate.

Marked increase in the speed of session work, Governor Coke Stevenson of Texas predicts, can be expected after the midway mark is reached Friday.

As the session now stands in Austin, it seems probable that chiropractors will be licensed in Texas, labor unions will be regulated, a curfew will be put on liquor, wine and beer sales, no new taxes will be passed and regular appropriations will be allowed below the level of the preceding session.

Red Cross Flags Put Up in Business Area

Supervised by Henry Rosenberg, chairman, the Scurry County Red Cross decoration committee Friday afternoon decorated the city's business district with Red Cross flags.

The flags, each having a Red Cross on a white background, were placed on top of lamp posts in the business area, on the courthouse lawn flagpole, under the U. S. flag and the Victory Salvage pennant awarded the county.

Rosenberg, D. P. Williams and E. O. Wedgeworth, personnel of the RC decoration committee, wish to thank Mrs. R. J. Randals and Mrs. Ross Blanchard for making the flags. They will remain up this week as a fitting symbol of Red Cross War Fund Week.

Twenty Registrants Leave for Induction

Group of 20 Scurry County registrants, who passed army examinations last week in Abilene, leave today (Thursday) for the U. S. Army reception center at Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells.

Those leaving today follow: Henry P. Wellborn, named acting corporal; Royce T. Haywood, Jack Q. Mathison, William L. Alexander, Billy E. Line, Walter M. Beauchamp, Jack L. Terry, Ted A. Crawley, Ralph C. Hoyle, James P. Pitner Jr., Hoyle S. Kruse, Robert M. Erwin, Alfred L. Shook, Doyle M. Buchanan, James A. Goebel, Hubert A. Henley, Max G. Phipps, Johnny Panter, Thomas L. Bennett and Jim J. Cloud.

Programs Boost War Fund Drives In Communities

Below is listed a summary of the programs reported for this week in Scurry County communities to raise community Red Cross War Fund quotas:

M. E. Stanfield, Snyder High School principal, was speaker Wednesday evening in a program staged at Fluvanna School. Wallace Jones is RC War Fund chairman at Fluvanna.

Rose Marie Clawson, Snyder School faculty member, spoke Wednesday evening, as did Haskell O. Beard of the Soil Conservation Service, at Emma Creek in a War Fund rally. Mrs. B. M. West is community War Fund chief.

Turner community reported a splendid RC War Fund program Tuesday evening. Mrs. Charles Manning discussed the need for generous Red Cross contributions.

This (Thursday) evening, Edward S. Hyman, county agricultural agent, will present a motion picture show at Martin School, and speak briefly on the Red Cross War Fund drive. Mrs. Ivan Gatlin is community RC War Fund chairman.

Also, this (Thursday) evening, 8:30 o'clock, at Hermleigh School, Mrs. Charles Manning will be principal speaker at a community-wide Red Cross War Fund rally. A. C. Bishop Jr., Hermleigh School superintendent, reports War Fund contributions are coming in fine.

Sixth in the series of community RC War Fund meetings will be a program staged Friday evening at Independence School, H. P. Winters, community War Fund chairman, states. Rev. Hubert C. Travis, Snyder First Presbyterian Church pastor, will be principal speaker.

More details of the community RC War Fund meetings will be carried in next week's Times.

Mrs. H. D. Morton and daughter, Barbara, of Midland visited Monday with Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. A. M. Curry.

Farm Worker Labor Service Inaugurated

Inaugurating a new service for Scurry County farmers, the county AAA office is now taking the names and addresses of individual who want to do farm work.

Farmers of the county who need experienced tractor hands, all-around farm hands or labor for special purposes are urged to contact the county Agricultural Adjustment Administration at once.

Farmers who will need farm labor during the 1943 crop year are asked to come in and list their requirements. Several well qualified farm hands have already applied at the county AAA office for placement. Triple A officials report.

Joe Lopour Visiting Relatives. Joe K. Lopour, who has been stationed at Pendleton Field, Oregon, with the U. S. Army, is here this week visiting relatives and friends. Lopour, attached to the headquarters and headquarters company, 331st Squadron, is being transferred to Santa Marie, California.

Relief At Last For Your Cough

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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No Draftees Classed This Week

Scurry County's Selective Service Draft Board did not hold a meeting Monday evening of this week, due to a lightened docket of re-classifications. List of county draftees who leave today (Thursday) for the U. S. Army Reception Center at Mineral Wells will be found elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

Clay Garrison Operated.

Private First Class Clay Garrison, U. S. Air Corps at St. Joseph, Missouri, and son of B. L. Garrison of the Midway community, was operated on Tuesday for appendicitis, air corps officials advise. Clay, a Hobbs High School graduate, who joined the air corps last October, was said Wednesday to be resting well.

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Lady Assistant
AIR-CONDITIONED FUNERAL CHAPEL
TELEPHONE 84—DAY OR NIGHT

E. & H Cafe
Changes Hands...



Effective last Thursday I sold the E. & H. Cafe to one of Snyder's finest and most energetic young fellows, June Jones. He will be assisted in the cafe's management by Gladys Meadows, who for several years has been one of the mainstays of the business.

Folks of this territory have been liberal with their patronage at the E. & H.—and we Earls are mighty thankful. We will still be close by, intending to operate our little farm southeast of town.

June deserves your continued patronage. He hopes to make some money out of the business that will help him through college. I urge our old patrons to go to the E. & H. for good food and courteous service.

Your Friend,
Worley Early

FOOD BUDGET BALANCERS

FLOUR	Flaky Bake 48-Lb. Sack	\$1.95
TOMATOES	No. 1 Can 7 POINTS	10c
PEAS	Kuner's No. 1 Can 10 POINTS	11c
Chili BEANS	No. 1 Can 8 POINTS	9c
Tomato Juice	Kuner's Pure 8 POINTS	10c
CORN	Our Darling 14 POINTS	16c
SPINACH	Crystal Pack 11 POINTS	12c
Blackeye Peas	Pecan Valley 13 POINTS	12c
PINEAPPLE	9-Oz. Crushed 7 POINTS	13c
Any Flavor JELLO	Pkg. 7 1/2c	
Air Rifle Shot	pkg... 5c	
BROOMS 39c	
FEEDS		
Big S Laying Mash	100 Lbs. \$2.95	
Manamar Egg Mash	100 Lbs. \$3.25	
All Mash Starter	100 Lbs. \$3.70	
All Mash Starter	25 Lbs. 97c	
Stanton's Growing Mash	100 Lbs. \$3.65	
Stanton's Growing Mash	25 Lbs. 95c	
Stanton's Chick Scratch	25 Lbs. 85c	
Gray Gray Shorts	100 Lbs. \$2.45	
Wheat Wheat Bran	100 Lbs. \$2.40	
KARO	White 1/2 gal.... 45c	
Meats		
Seven Cut Steak	Lb. 30c	
Fresh Pork Steak	Lb. 33c	
Chuck Roast	Lb. 29c	
Plenty of Fresh BUTTER		
PRODUCE		
Texas Oranges	Dozen 25c	
Delicious Apples	Dozen 32c	
Nice and Juicy Grapefruit	Dozen 49c	
Sunkist Lemons	Dozen 23c	
Iceberg Jumbo Head Lettuce	Each 10c	
Fresh Crisp Spinach	Lb. 12 1/2c	
Full of Vitamin Carrots	Bunch 5c	
Jumbo Stalk Celery	Each 20c	
Golden Ripe Bananas	Lb. 8c	
Fresh Rutabagas	Lb. 5c	
Fresh Collards	Bunch 7 1/2c	
Nice Onion Plants	Bunch 10c	

Rainbow Market Place
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