



### Spots Is Convinced Drain Holds Nothing

Spots, North Texas State College's sewer-watching dog, has finally been convinced that there is nothing down the hole, and has lost interest after staring down the college sidewalk drain since January.

The dog, who has been featured in leading newspapers throughout the nation and who was Life Magazine's picture of the week on March 4, watched Denton firemen flush the sewer-hole this week-end, in the presence of more than 150 visitors on the campus.

When firemen poured gallons of water into the sidewalk drain, the mongrel dog had to be restrained as he attempted to crawl down the sewer. Later firemen and college officials led the dog to the far end of the drain where it emptied into a flat basin near the college power-

house and allowed him to inspect the contents.

Spots interestingly watched the procedures about 15 minutes, then, disgusted, walked away. College officials had the drain cleaned following requests by telephone, wire and letter from all sections of the United States, Canada and Mexico. The drain held nothing . . . and now even Spots is convinced.

This week, college officials noticed the dog at a whole only occasionally and then he only hesitated, then passed it by. Spots has a home now, and although the gypsy dog prefers to roam the campus and belong to the student body in general, he finds his way to his new home at meal-time and is beginning to put on weight.

Post, Texas, claims the first baby born in Texas to an English bride, a boy—Master Alan David Ricker.

### Contains More Energy Foods

Enriched 80 per cent flour, to be on grocery shelves soon, has the same vitamin content as enriched white flour, but is higher in protein value-energy, according to Miss Estrella Rabel, home demonstration agent.

The story of American flour, Miss Rabel says, goes something like this: For many years modern white flour has been losing important values in milling. In order to have it white and fine, and of good keeping quality, the outer coat of the grain was removed. With it went around seven-eighths of the thiamine and niacin, three-fourths of the riboflavin, and four-fifths of the iron, as well as some calcium, phosphorus and better quality protein.

Som of these values were returned when bread was enriched with the three lost B-vitamins, thiamine, riboflavin and niacin, also iron.

Only about 65 per cent of the flour and flour products on the market, however, have been enriched. Flours rank in this order in nutritional value; whole wheat, enriched 80 per cent flour, enriched white flour, unenriched 80 per cent flour, and unenriched white flour.

The new 80 per cent flour is much finer and lighter in color than whole wheat flour. Unenriched, it has only about 40 per cent as much thiamine as whole wheat flour, only half as much riboflavin and iron and a fourth as much niacin.

On the foods preparation end, tests conducted by the USDA Bureau of Home Economics under commercial baking conditions revealed that the difference in bread made with the old and new flours was not as great as had been expected. The loaves made from the 80 per cent flour did not rise quite as much as those from white flour, and the bread had a slightly off-white or creamy cast. The Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics has had reasonably good success in making biscuit and pastry with the 80 per cent flour.

### Calendar of Snyder Churches

(Editor's Note: The Times is this week starting a Church Calendar for all Snyder churches, and we hope by next week that every church in town will be represented. Call or send in your schedule.)

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
O. B. HERRING . . . PASTOR  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Lyle Deffebach, Supt.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:15 a. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:15 p. m.  
Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Society of Christian Service, each Monday, 3:00 p. m.  
Wesleyan Service Guild, first and third Mondays 7:00 p. m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
J. Wm. MASON . . . PASTOR  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
H. C. Michael Jr., S. S. Supt.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Intermediate and Junior G. A. and Junior R. A., Monday at the church, 4:00 p. m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
CLIFTON ROGERS, MINISTER  
Shirley Morgan, Associate Minister, Sunday.  
Bible School, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 10:55 a. m.  
Sunday evening, young people's service at 8:45 o'clock.  
Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.  
Wednesday: Midweek Worship Service at 7:30 p. m.  
Friday: Friday, Program over KXOX, Sweetwater, 1:15 p. m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
L. GUY AMENT . . . PASTOR  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Roy Brown, Superintendent.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.  
Women's Society, Monday, 3:00 p. m.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
EARL CHESEWELL . . . PASTOR  
Sunday School, 1:00 a. m.  
Preaching Services, 11:00 a. m.  
Council People's Service each Sunday evening, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Services, 7:00 p. m.  
Midweek Prayer Services each Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SNYDER AND FLUVANNA**  
C. C. DOOLEY . . . PASTOR  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching services 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. each Sunday at Snyder, except the fourth Sunday, which is the preaching day at Fluvanna.  
Sunday School at Fluvanna each Sunday at 1:00 a. m.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
REV. PAUL INGLIS . . . PASTOR  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's Service, 7:00 p. m.  
Sunday evening preaching services, 7:15 p. m.  
Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Avenue R and 18th Street  
Song Service, 10:45 a. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, at 7:00 p. m.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
1912 26th Street  
Services every Sunday, 11 a. m.  
Testimony meeting first Wednesday in the month at 8:00 p. m.

frequency current back to normal voice frequency, is located at a point on the power line where vocal messages are channeled over wires to the telephone central office. The new system, experiments on which were started in 1938, is expected to "telephonically link" thousands of families who now reside along rural power lines but are too far off the beaten path to be reached by existing telephone lines. Approximately 3,000,000 farms are now electrified and scores of others are being added daily to newly constructed private power and REA co-operative lines.



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**VERNON MCGREW**, Houston, Texas, (Lamar) High School athlete, is shown as he clears the high jump bar at six feet with plenty to spare at the Texas' relays, April 6, in Austin, Texas. He broke the relays record with a jump of six feet five inches, three inches better

than the previous record. McGrew also placed second in the High School high hurdles and was chosen the outstanding high school athlete of the meet. The high school high jump was the 19th running of the Texas' relays. (AP Photo.)

Six women students in the University of Texas College of Engineering, were among the 127 civilians on the winter semester honor roll. Sixty-nine civilians were ex-servicemen. One hundred thirty-three Naval students were on the honor roll also.

Dr. Fritz Redl, noted consultant in group work, will conduct institutes and make addresses in Dallas, Fort Worth and Houston this month, under the sponsorship of the Hogg Foundation for Mental Hygiene at the University of Texas, and local agencies.

### House Warming For The Clantons

There was a house warming given last Wednesday afternoon, March 27th, at 3 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. Vester Clanton, pastors of the Apostolic Faith Church of this city in honor of their new home, which has recently been erected on Avenue Y, 31st St.

A nice bedroom suite was given; also a miscellaneous shower, consisting of many useful gifts.

Refreshments of cake, cookies, punch and coffee were served. Everyone had an enjoyable time, each one wishing this couple and their family success and happiness in their new home.

Out-of-town visitors were Mrs. Corbett Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clanton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clanton, Mrs. Emmitt Richardson, all of Big Spring, Tex. Mrs.

Allen Broyles and sons of Seagraves, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Silas Clanton and daughter of Cameron, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stork of Rockdale, Texas; Mrs. Earnest Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cellers, Mrs. Carlos Ford and sons; Mrs. Norman Ford and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clanton, all of Polar, Texas.

Relatives and friends from Snyder were Mrs. L. B. Peterson, Margie Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Heath and family, Mrs. Jack Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clanton, Mrs. Grady Cellers, Mrs. R. C. Hoyle, Mrs. Luther Blithe, Mrs. Manuel Richey and son, Alma Fowler, Minnie Davis, John Sellers, Mrs. Henry Camp, Dora Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parsons, Maud Ordner, Mrs. Glen Reed and son, and Mrs. Ben Renfro.

Next we will hear that the congressmen who are supporting the unions have claimed that exemption in their income tax.

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**Tests Made Of New Farm Telephones**

A new telephonic communications era has begun for the nation's farm families. Tests made in Arkansas and Alabama by the Bell Telephone Company, private power companies and the REA have proven the feasibility of "talking" over the same rural power lines which provide farmers with energy for their electrically operated production equipment and home appliances.

Outwardly, the new and old telephonic equipment looks very much alike. In the new system, however, speech is transmitted over power wires by means of a carrier wave of frequency produced by electronic by electronic tubes, located either in a small box adjacent to the telephone or attached directly to the instrument. A device called a "coupler," placed on a pole outside each telephone user's house, allows the carrier current to enter and leave the lines but prevents the the power current from interfering with transmitting and receiving instruments.

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Again, I say thank you for the nice dealings, and I hope you will still make the "Old Corner" your headquarters.

Sincerely yours,

**Maurice Brownfield**





68 SHS Students On Mid-Term Honor Roll Etheredge Receives

Sixty-eight Snyder High School students are on the honor roll at mid-term.

On the 'A' honor roll are: Patsy Eaton, Waymon Ellerd, Elda Jean Littlepage, Eulabee Malone, Wanda Mills, Mary Dovie Progue, Jean Taylor, seniors; Bobby Gray, Helen Daye Shields, juniors, and Edward Boyd, and Meba Jo Cochran, sophomores.

On the A. & B. honor roll are the following seniors: Betty Bayouth, Marjorie Bridges, Raymon Bynum, Mary Lou Davenport, Mildred Glenn, Neva Joyce Hall, Vernelle Head, Dorothy Lockhart, Della Merle Mason, Joy McLaugh, Connie McMullen, Le Verne Middleton, Joanne Miller, Verna Lea Reed, Joe Reynolds, Patsy Spikes and Harold Lewis.

Juniors whose names appear on the A. and B. honor roll are: Karyl Briggs, Jonnie Delle Brock, Merle Buffington, Billy Don Burk, Dan Cotton, J. M. Glass, Jo Graham, Hada Height, June Lewis, Billie Claire Mason, Bobby McMullan, Sammie Morton, Jessie V. Norris, Billie Pomroy, Mary Alice Price, Ira Riggs, Mary Edith Scarborough,

Pyron 4-H Club Meets

The Pyron 4-H Club met March 7 and the meeting was called to order by the president, Margaret Richberg. Secretary Patsie Andrews read the minutes of the last meeting, and each club member showed the sponsors what she was making.

Durrelle Stokes, Marwyn Wren and Nelda Bell York.

Sophomores who are included on the A. and B. honor roll are: Jackie Bayouth, Franklin Brownfield, Helen Clements, Billie Jean Conrod, Bobbie Corbell, Tom Deffenbach, Sue Dever, Bob Duff, Donnie Everett, Jack Gorman, Max Wayne Harrell, Gerald Heinselman, Myrtle Rae Lewis, Earline Floyd, Anne Norred, Robert Pruitt, Joyce Varner, Joyce Von Roeder, Bobby Sawyer and Marvin Sentell.

Veterinary Group Studies Plans For Conserving Food

A new national program to help meet the present world food emergency and the American livestock feed shortage was recommended to farmers today by the American Veterinary Medical Association.

Highlights of the plan include emergency steps to prevent livestock disease losses, thus increasing the supply of marketable meat; and feed conservation measures to stretch today's short grain supplies.

'Swine—Take better care of baby pigs, to prevent today's 40 per cent seventh bushel of hog feed is wasted loss of the annual pig crop. Every seventh bushel of hog feed is wasted because of the present high proportion of pigs that die before they can reach market.

'Cattle—Check dairy herds for mastitis, now said to be reducing milk production on 25 per cent of the nation's dairy farms. Have animals blood-tested for brucellosis, which cuts both the calf crop and milk production.

TEXANS BOOST COTTON INSULATION



(Above) Initiating a statewide program to introduce the new flameproof cotton insulation to rural Texans, officials of the Texas Extension Service, the Department of Agriculture, and the National Cotton Council met recently at College Station, Texas.

Answers Supplied For Veterans Here

Q. How does a veteran make application for a course of education or training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 (GI Bill of Rights)?

Q. Upon what conditions is a disabled veteran eligible for vocational rehabilitation under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944?

Q. How much litter is needed for baby chicks and poults?

Q. How deep do weed roots grow?

Q. Is the practice of breeding rabbits 21 days after their litters have been born scientifically sound?

Q. What is the relationship of color of turkey eggs to hatchability?

ACTS ON THE KIDNEYS To increase flow of urine and relieve irritation of the bladder from excess acidity in the urine

Culver Military Academy Offers Scholarships

The Culver Military Academy is offering a scholarship to a Boy Scout of Region 9 (Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico).

The scholarship is valued at \$4,000 and covers all expenses for tuition, room and board at Culver in the infantry for three years, beginning September 10, 1946.

Eligibility requirements for candidates are as follows: Age—Not less than 13 years or more than 15 on April 1, 1946.

A special committee will be appointed to select the council's candidate.

Modulator? But Just Where Shall It Be Staked Out to Work

In answer to Times queries as to the owners of the radioisone modulator that came floating into the Simmons farm, 13 miles northeast of Snyder, this letter came to the Times office Tuesday morning.

Man doesn't know what real happiness is until he gets married. Then it's too late.

Transcontinental Service Is Jointly Staged By B-O, S-F

Roy B. White, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and Fred G. Gurley, president of the Santa Fe Railway System, announced today that the B. and O. will join the Santa Fe in the establishment of transcontinental railway passenger service between Washington, D. C., and Los Angeles, Calif., beginning operation on March 31.

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Scouts To Have 20th Annual Round-Up

The twentieth Annual Round-up for Boy Scouts of the Buffalo Trail Council at Big Spring, Tex., April 25, 26 and 27, is expected to bring together more than one thousand Scouts as one hundred leaders from the fifteen County area.

The Round-up is the greatest of the Council's events and offers a fine opportunity for fellowship and demonstration of camping skills.

Awards will be made to troops that qualify against a standard. There are four awards in the following order: Blue Ribbons require

a score of 500 or more points; red, 400 to 499; white, 300-399; yellow, under 300.

There will be sixteen contests of scouting skills including signaling, first aid, archery, knot tying and water boiling. Awards will be made to winning troops for first, second, and third places.

Scout officials point out that each teread adult Scouter in attendance teread adult Scouter in attendance throughout the Round-up.

Carl Blomsheld of Big Spring is general chairman of the Round-up Committee.

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FARM FACTS WORTH KNOWING

Q. How much can high quality hay and pasturage cut grain costs for dairy cattle without cutting milk production?

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### Jewel Darby Honored With Birthday Party

Jewel Darby was honored at a birthday party on her thirteenth birthday at her home April 5. Many games were played and a good time was had by all. Sandwiches, punch and a beautiful birthday cake was served to: Jewell Holmes, Hattie Jane Townsend, Norma Dell Boggan, Bobbie Weaver, J. W. Neulby, Joyce Wilborn, Frances Billingsley, James Weathers, Read Wilson.

J. H. Nunn, Sulphur Springs, was visiting this week in Snyder. Mr. Nunn lived in Snyder over 40 years but for the past seven he has been living in Sulphur Springs.

Alford Weathers, Jr., John Chapman, Ed Casehoat, Billy John Voss, Dan Cawell, Greta Lewis, Roy Trice.

### 20 Books Added To Scurry Rural Library

About 20 children's books for the first through the third grades have been recently added to the Scurry County Rural School Library, which is located in the County School Superintendent's office.

Seventy-five dollars worth of new books for the first through the fifth grades has been purchased since September 1, and about fifty dollars has been spent on repairing old books.

Scurry County Rural School Library books may be checked out for a four week period by the rural school teachers, says Mrs. Gaston Brook, school superintendent.

### Banquet Given For Church Group

The Young People of the First Baptist Church, with some of their friends, were given a delightful banquet in the social room of the church on Friday evening from 8 to 10 p.m. The women's classes of the adult department of the Sunday school sponsored the banquet.

The tables were beautifully decorated with bouquets of spring flowers and well-chosen place cards of pastel hues. The young women, in their colorful formal, together with the well-dressed young men, gave a festive air to the occasion.

Rev. Dick O'Brien, well-known humorist from the First Baptist Church of Big Spring, was the entertaining after-dinner speaker. D. V. Merritt presided as toastmaster. Group singing was participated in, led by Mr. Myron Roe and Rev. Jack Longbotham.

And Maxyne Jones, Ruth Davis, Don Fish, C. W. Green, Patsy Spikes, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham, P. D. O'Brien, Mrs. Gartman, J. H. Myers, Jr., Harvey Myers, Billye Popcoe, Juanita Green, Claude Keatherbee, Billy Longbotham, Bill Hart, Miller Price, Don Sealy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mason.

P. Benbenek and son, Ordon, were in Dallas Friday of last week on business. On returning, they spent the night with their two daughters and sisters in Abilene, coming on to Snyder Saturday morning.

### NOTICE

The office of commissioner is probably one of the most important offices of the county, and in making this statement I am aware of the responsibilities of the office.

It is my desire to see each of you personally I feel that I am qualified to fill the duties of the office, and am in favor of better improvements on the roads. I assure you no one will appreciate your support and influence more than I.

R. G. (Buddy) CROWDER.  
(Precinct 3).

### WOMAN'S SOCIETY CHRISTIAN SERVICE MEETS IN CHURCH

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the basement of the Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with a good attendance.

We are studying the book Divine Fatherhood and it is certainly an inspiration to all who attend. Everyone is urged to attend these meetings and we are sure all who come out will be greatly benefitted by them. Mrs. Herman Doak reviewed the third chapter and Mrs. O. B. Herring the fourth chapter.

For the next meeting, we will study the 5th and 6th chapters, and Mrs. Pat Brown will review the 5th chapter, and Mrs. J. O. Littlepage the 6th chapter. Then the Society will begin on their project for the year.

Meat dealers are authorized to pay four cents per pound for all used fat turned in to them.

### Bethel News

**Mrs. Weldon Sumruld, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Spence and daughter of Snyder were callers in the Lenard Spence home Sunday afternoon.

Visitors in the Leon Andress home Monday were Miss Verna Lauder and Mrs. W. E. Hassell of Best, Texas, and Mrs. G. R. Higginbotham and Karen Greer of Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sumruld called in the Weldon Sumruld home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Houston of Snyder visited in the Doug Burney home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Creswell and family were callers in the Weldon Sumruld home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Austin visited in the home of the Doug Burneys Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ward and children of Tucumcari, N. M., were visitors in the Weldon Sumruld home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers and children of Plainview called in the Leon Andress home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sumruld were brief callers in the W. A. Sumruld home Monday. Folks send me your news before Monday morning.

The Union H. D. Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jack Wright. The program was on Interior Decorating, Furniture Arrangements and Picture Hanging. Punch and cookies were served to

### PERSONALS

Mrs. H. B. Lewis and children were callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hess of Pylon Wednesday night.

Claridge Mayfield of Murchison visited his uncle, J. L. Norris, and wife, Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Hobbs and children of Plainview community. He is a brother of Mrs. Hobbs. He has just received his discharge from the Navy.

Visitors in the H. B. Lewis home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. H. Adams, Carroll, Schulze, Conrod, McPherson, Smith Biggs, Sumruld, Vaughn; Miss Rabel, a new member; Mrs. Andress and a visitor, Mrs. Patterson. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Conrod, Tuesday, May 7th.

### WARNING

State Highway Department regulations require that all persons, when placing new license tags on cars, remove all of the old tags from the vehicle. When this is not done, State Laws are being violated, and offenders are liable to penalties. Such a practice is confusing to officers out in search of stolen automobiles and performing their duties in general. Also, the new tags must be placed where they are visible and readable at a glance—easily recognized and not partly hidden.

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### Uniform Dress Is Plan For Officers And Enlisted Men

Officers and men of the Army will dress alike after June 30, 1946, in battle jackets and trousers of the same olive drab shade now used in enlisted men's clothing, according to information received from Lieutenant Colonel Hardy, commanding officer of West Texas Army Recruiting District. This type of uniform is worn now by many officers and men and will become obligatory for all personnel after the 1946 deadline. Until then, the present types of uniforms may be worn.

New regulations prescribing the olive drab combination for all ranks also paved the way for the eventual adoption of dress blue uniforms for officers and men provided they can be procured and manufactured without interfering with the production of civilian clothing. If available, the blues will be worn by officers and men after June 30, 1946, for dress and special occasions. If the blues do not become available the olive drab jackets and trousers will serve for both duty and dress.

For summer and tropical wear, the duty uniform for officers and enlisted men will continue to be the familiar khaki. The summer dress uniform for officers and men will be shirt, trousers, service cap, and battle jacket, in tropical worsted material.

The request to explore the possibilities of blue uniforms came from the European Theater of Operations when General Eisenhower, now chief of staff, was in command there. It was suggested that the blue uniforms might be used for the Army of Occupation, that new uniforms would be welcomed by our soldiers, and that they would distinguish them from troops of Allied Nations.

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### SWING OF SOUTHWEST MARKETS

(By U. S. Department of Agriculture)

Light offerings of farm products continued to find a fair demand at steady to firm prices last week, according to U. S. D. A.'s Production and Marketing Administration.

Cotton prices advanced sharply in the latter part of last week to a new high not reached since mid-1920's. Spot market activity decreased a little but continued seasonally high.

Fair demand kept South Texas vegetables prices steady last week. In mixed cars, beets brought mostly \$1.75 per half crate; cabbage mostly \$2 per 50-pound sack; and carrots mostly 3 per crate. New potatoes started moving with washed Bliss Triumphs quoted at \$2.15 to \$2.25 per 50-pound sack. Colorado Irish potato season was about over last week. Shippers estimated 100 cars left. Despite slow demand prices remained steady. U. S. No. 1, size A, Red McClures, unwashed, brought \$2.70 to 2.75 per hundred pounds and washed stock \$2.80 to \$2.85. Louisiana reported demand greater than supply and prices at ceiling for strawberries. Twenty-four pint display of Klondike and lomora strawberries with 75 to 85 per cent of U. S. No. 1 quality sold mostly at \$5.62. Also, demand was good and prices firm for Louisiana sweet potatoes with shippers holding for new ceiling effective April 1.

Most Southwest egg markets were about steady despite liberal offerings during the past week. Current receipts were quoted as 30 to 32 1-2 cents per dozen, New Orleans; 30 to 30 1-2 cents, Ft. Worth; and mostly 30 to 31 cents, Dallas and Denver.

Extremely light offerings of poultry found a good demand at firm prices. Heavy hens brought ceiling blue are now being made and it will be several months before the lasting qualities of the new color are determined.

### LETTER

(From Page 1, Section 1)

to give up. You have seen and witnessed enough to cause you to at least give this plea consideration. If only I had listened to some one when I was your age. I had every chance a poor boy could ask for. I was always causing my mother and I dad untold agony. I couldn't see it then, if only I had. Once you go up, you are doomed. It is, of course, possible for anyone to come out and be given a chance but the odds are against you in many ways. I do hate to come to this, but here I am a man who can sit up in one of these places and really boast that I am a man that has such fine boys and I can be fair with myself and feel so good to just have what I know any man would consider a prize to claim. Either of them as their son. I am then a man who has to back off later and to be fair with myself, admit that I am weak. I have had my chances and wasn't man enough to take them as a man should. Now for the rest of my life I will suffer untold hell because I am weak and see my boyhood pals do good and I know that I was more capable as a child and young man to succeed than they were but I failed some place and I have tried as hard as I know to figure it all out. When I said at the beginning of this letter that I feel now that I can be one of the happiest men in the world even under these conditions, I really feel that way. If I could know that my three boys were started on the right road and that they would always be honest with every living creature. I would be happy for then there would be no way for such fine and brilliant boys to keep from being a success. It is really that simple and for one to know and be so sure of anything and then do as I have done is why I can't answer the questions for why one goes wrong.

Ray, I am not preaching to you. I know that you are smart enough to know that all I have said is true and when I say that you are my biggest worry even a lot more than this 229 years I have now, knowing what I do believe me please, I had rather this minute see you turn from the little things that I know only lead to one end, and know that you would never again as long as you live do anything wrong. (Than to have a full pardon). There has never been any doubt in any one's mind about my love for my family.

The second largest meteor crater in the United States is ten miles southwest of Odessa. It measures approximately 600 feet in diameter.

I will always worship them as any man. Of course that may be hard for some people to believe but I know that your mother and all my people have no doubt about that—when I say you are my chief worry. Ray, I am not in any way and wouldn't have you believe that I wouldn't say the same of either of the other boys if they were in any way cause to worry about them. I do believe that you all will overcome the embarrassment that I have caused you and make good and make me and your mother happy when we are old by still being able to say and have it proven that we were not wrong when we were so sure that everything we said were true of our fine boys. I have, you may think, avoided the subject of even mentioning mother and I have for very good reasons. I wanted to write you just my true feelings and express myself the way my heart tells me I feel. Of course you know that my love for her has never in anyway failed to be as pure and strong as anyone has ever known. In fact, I know that I am not worthy of the love she has shown me for more than 20 years. She has gone through hell pleading with me to do right. Had her good name disgraced and still carries on even in this stage and tells me she still knows I will find myself. There's never been one so faithful. It grieves me so badly and makes me so ashamed that its nearly more than I can do to mention her name without going to pieces. I am sure you all understand. Now its too late for me to do the things I always had dreamed that some day I could do to show my appreciation. Ray, its so easy to avoid these things that I have tried to tell you and I know that I will never have to worry about any of my family letting me down and if you don't feel that this letter has helped you to wake up some time. Please read it again for I have done the very best I know to do what I can to help you see where the road will and must end, for one who is weak enough to let themselves fall for any idea that they can violate even the law of

man and not pay and pay dear, is certainly weak. I do believe in you so young and Bubba is an exception. I am happy to admit and I said and have said over many times Ray was the smartest boy I have if he would try to cultivate himself to do such. I will never admit that one of my boys was so weak that he failed to stop and consider the things that would cause him to ruin his life at such an early age for they are far too smart to sell a life that could mean so much so cheap. This, my boy, is quite a long letter compared to others of recent date but at least I have forced myself to say a few things that I have not been able to say because a father's pride is far greater than many people can imagine. One of my record to have, so Ray please consider these things and please know I am ashamed and want to help save you the hell and embarrassment I have gone through for this has been trying to me. I am sure you will understand.

Lots of love,  
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MRS. MOLLIE PINKERTON  
MRS. J. A. (WILLIE) FARMER

**For County Clerk:**  
J. P. (JIMMIE) BILLINGSLEY  
MRS. OLA B. LEATH  
MARION COCHRAN

**For County Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
EDGAR TAYLOR  
KENNETH PITNER

**For County Superintendent:**  
MRS. GASTON BROOK (Second Elective Term)  
FORREST W. BEAVERS

**For Sheriff of Scurry County:**  
EARL STRAWN (Second Election Term)  
W. D. (Doc) CASEBOLT  
JOHN LYNCH  
LEAMON LAND  
LLOYD H. MEERRITT

**For District Clerk:**  
MRS. EUNICE WEATHERSBEE

**For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1**  
W. C. DAVIDSON

**For Commissioner, Precinct 1—**  
DWIGHT MONROE  
RICHARD L. BRICE  
T. B. (Bisque) KNIGHT

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E. E. (EARL) WOOLFEVER  
F. J. (Jones) CHAPMAN  
LUTHER VAUGHN  
W. P. MATHIS  
W. M. (Bill) RILEY

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:**  
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BERNARD LONGBOOTHAM SR.  
R. G. (BUDDY) CROWDER

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 4**  
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JOE HAIRSTON  
SCHLEY ADAMS (Re-election)  
D. E. WATSON  
H. C. (HENRY) ELLERD  
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## Cotton Classing To Be Resumed For Farm Groups

Free cotton classification and market news service as provided under the Smith-Doxey Act will again be available to organized cotton improvement groups in Texas, John L. McCollum, Southwest Area Cotton Branch manager, USDA Production and Marketing Administration, has announced.

Applications for the service should be filed as soon as all members of the group have planted their cotton but not later than July 1 for counties lying entirely or for the most part east of the 100th meridian and July 15 for those entirely or for the most part west of the 100th meridian, F. E. Lichte, cotton gin specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, has pointed out.

The 100th meridian passes between Sweetwater and Abilene and a little to the east of Childress, San Angelo and Eagle Pass.

Instructions and application blanks may be obtained from county agricultural agents or from PMA Branch cotton offices at Abilene, Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston and Lubbock.

Applications will be processed and approved by a committee headed by Mr. Lichte, and the classification and market news service will be provided by PMA. Since about 15 days are required to process applications after they are received, early filing by groups well in advance is required. Late applications, however, will be accepted until August 1 from the East Texas area and until August 15 from West Texas.

About 45 per cent of the 1945-46 cotton crop for Texas was classed under the Smith-Doxey program for 655 groups made up of 85,773 farmers who planted 4,844,858 acres, Mr. McCollum said. This compares with 55 groups, 1,754 farmers and 89,433 acres during 1938, the first season the service became available.

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Charles Pettit, owner of the Flat Top Ranch, Walnut Springs, Tex., holds Carlos Tomette, champion Hereford female, and Flat Top Flossie, the

Reserve champion Hereford heifer, selected at the Southwestern Livestock Show at El Paso, Texas. Behind him is R. J. Kinzer, Kansas City, Mo., chair-

man of the Board of the American Hereford Association, and at left is Frank M. Carter, Pampa, who judged the Hereford cattle. (AP Photo.)

Miss Wanda Faye McElyea and nephew, James Donald Clark, are visiting for a few days in Odessa with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Fred McElyea, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Spindle and sons, Hollis and Robert, visited Mrs. A. J. Riley and family last weekend. They all drove over to Sweetwater to visit friends.

## College Education Still Available To Boys Now Enlisting

A college education under the G. I. Bill of Rights is still available to young men enlisting in the U. S. Marine Corps, is the advance information sent in by Sergeant Willie F. Williams, who is scheduled to make a visit to Snyder and be stationed in the Post Office Friday and Saturday, March 29-30, 1946.

Sergeant Williams explained that the length of college education to be obtained is one year in excess of a man's service, not to exceed four years. The sergeant's visit is in conjunction with the Marine Corps drive to enlist 100,000 volunteer regulars for peace-time duty in two, three or four-year enlistment periods.

## Mink Farming Not For Texas, Vets See

Prospects for profits to be derived from mink farming in Texas are not bright, according to Walter P. Taylor of the Texas A. and M. College Fish and Game Department. Veterans had asked for information, Dr. Taylor said.

"Unfortunately we cannot give the prospective fur raisers very much encouragement in the matter of mink raising or other forms of fur farming in Texas," Dr. Taylor said. "We really have too warm a climate for the best results with mink and other furs of that type. In the United States most of the ranch-raised minks are produced either in the northern half of the country or elsewhere at high altitudes. Seemingly the colder climate tends to a better development of fur. There once was a mink farm out in the El Paso region but that has been sold out."

A number of bulletins on mink raising have been prepared by the Fish and Wildlife Service of the U. S. Department of the Interior and are available from the Texas Co-operative Wildlife Research Unit at A. and M. College.

Corn is found on more Texas farms than any other crop.

## US Must Curb Big Food Crisis

Background material on the present world food crisis has been sent to all Texas county agricultural and home demonstration USDA Councils as the basis for exhibits and talks before interested groups, Dr. Ide P. Trotter, director of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, has announced.

One point made by the material is that world food production in 1945 was 12 percent per capita below pre-war production. This in spite of the fact that food production in the United States for the same period was up 33 percent above the pre-war average.

Pictorial charts included in the material compare 1945 world food production with a loaf of bread 14 slices long instead of a standard 16 slice loaf. The U. S. loaf, on the other hand, was 21 and a third slices long.

Much of continental Europe was a battlefield in 1945. Even in areas where armies did not pass, food production was low because livestock had been driven off, plows and other equipment had worn out, little or no fertilizer or good seeds were available, and manpower was lost. Meanwhile a severe drought occurred in the Mediterranean countries and North Africa. The war in the Pacific cut food production in Asiatic countries 3 to 25 percent.

World production of four great food staples in 1945 ranged from eight percent below pre-war figures for wheat, 15 percent below for rye, 16 percent for rice and 18 percent for sugar.

## Boy Scout District Committee Meets

Scurry County District No. 4 Committee met at 5:00 p.m. April 4, in the Texas Electric offices and was called to order by Lyman Wren, chairman. The meeting opened with the Scout Oath.

The question of transportation of Scouts to the Round-Up at Big Spring on April 25, 26 and 27, was discussed. E. L. Farr and Lyman Wren were designated as a committee to provide for transportation.

The question of getting a local merchant to act as dealer in the general needs in Scouting equipment was discussed. Lyle Deffebach, John Blakey, and Doc Griffin were appointed to act as the committee in this matter.

The question of finding the right man to take over the chairmanship

of Organization and Extension in this district, since Lyle Deffebach has been appointed to this position for the fifteen counties that comprise the Buffalo Trail Council, was discussed. Lyman Wren invited suggestions as to whom should be appointed.

The Committee voted to give a party for the Scoutmasters in the near future, in appreciation for the fine work that the Scoutmasters are doing.

Those present include E. L. Farr, Lyman Wren, R. C. Patton, John Blakey, Leighton Griffin, Wayne Boren, Lyle Deffebach, N. T. Underwood, Roy Thurston, and Jim Polk.

## INVITED TO BARBECUE

All members of the Scurry County Junior Livestock Association are cordially invited to attend a barbecue given by the FFA boys of Snyder at the school park the evening of Friday, April 19, at 7:30 o'clock.

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 Mrs. George H. Pittman, Texas State Representative.  
 Mrs. Melvin Newton, Jr. started work April 4th for the Scurry County Abstract Company. She has worked previously at the Western Union Office in Lubbock and in defense work in Amarillo.

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**Student Rodeo Will Be Stager At Tech**

A rip-roaring all-student rodeo will be presented as the highlight attraction of "round-up" nights on the Texas Technological College campus April 12 and 13. Rodeo fans of West Texas are invited to attend the student round-up, according to Roy Boone of Seymour, rodeo manager.  
 Troy Ford and James Kenney, both professional stars, will be presented in a match roping contest as the feature event of the rodeo. Kenney placed first in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show contest and Ford received second honors this year.  
 A dawn street dance and an early morning chuck wagon breakfast will open the Western Festivities Friday morning, April 12. Friday afternoon a parade in downtown Lubbock will feature the champion horses of Tech student riders.  
 Rodeo performances will be staged Friday night and Saturday afternoon at the Lubbock Fair Grounds.  
 The supply of seed potatoes for 1946 Spring planting is the largest on record.

**Polar News**

Bessie Randolph, Correspondent.  
 Charlene Cargile of Snyder spent overseas, has just returned home with his discharge. He is there with his father.  
 Charlene Cargile of Snyder spent Friday night with Helen Underwood.  
 Lois Hammit of Ft. Worth has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammit.  
 Ned Underwood spent Saturday night with Don Ramage at Snyder.  
 Robert Jones and Rita Dowdy, New Mexico, where they are going to visit Mr. Jones' daughter, E. E. Creek and family, and Mrs. Dowdy's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Steel and husband.  
 E. C. Browning and wife made a business trip to Hobbs, N. M., last Wednesday.  
 Webb Holder and wife from Abilene were here last week and spent the week-end with his brother, Nell Holder and family.  
 Sgt. Kenneth W. Mull of the Marines has returned to Camp at New Orleans, La., after spending thirty days with his parents, William Mull and family.  
 William Mull and family spent the day at Seagraves last Sunday with his brother, Frank Mull and family.  
 Rev. M. R. Mathis and family went to Abilene last Wednesday where he visited his brother while Mrs. Mathis went from there to Quail where she is visiting her parents.  
 Mrs. A. D. Dodson and brother, Mr. Ward, went to Big Spring last Saturday, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward.  
 We regret to report that Hurston Lemons is back in the hospital.  
 Mr. O. R. Maples of Kermit was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carmichael last week.  
 Mrs. George Moore had three brothers and their families visiting from New Mexico last week.  
 Singing at the school auditorium April 23rd. Bob Jennings urges everybody to come.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Torne and Vivian Linsey were in Lubbock Sunday visiting with Geraldine and Juanita Landrum, who is working there.  
 John and H. D. Sneed were visiting their families here Sunday. They are working in Midland.  
 Mrs. Emma Browning and her son, Foch, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Browning at Rotan.  
 Thell Browning is now in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buri Belew. They moved him out there Saturday.

**Cotton Furnishes For Feed Relief; Other Crops Cut**

Cotton Texas its chief hope for increased production of feeds critically needed by livestock in 1946, the Texas Cotton Production Committee said today.  
 Prospective plantings of other major feed crops in Texas for 1946, compared with 1945, indicate reductions of 8 per cent in corn, 10 per cent in all sorghums, 5 per cent in oats, 10 per cent in peanuts and 6 per cent in all tame hay, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.  
 "Increased cotton acreage and production can do much to offset these decreases in feed crop plantings by supplying more cotton seed meal, cake and hulls for livestock on Texas farms and ranches," the committee pointed out.  
 There is still time to plant more cotton acreage in many sections, and plenty of time in all sections to follow the seven-point Extension Service program which will help to increase the yield per acre and supply of cottonseed feed products, cottonseed oil and other needed fiber and seed products.  
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 Wheat, flour and other grains, generally considered most vital in war-devastated areas, comprise about 71 per cent of the maximum estimates for these countries.

**TASTY TRICK TO PLAY ON CARROTS**

For the benefit of those who don't "go" for carrots, Westinghouse home economists come up with this tasty trick to play on them. Brown three slices of chopped bacon and remove from skillet. Then brown chopped onion in the bacon fat. Add carrots and cook for ten minutes. (If canned, this is all the cooking carrots with require, but if fresh, pre-cook to within ten minutes of "doneness.") Serve in a hot vegetable dish and garnish with the chopped bacon.  
 Treeless Iceland will some day have extensive forests of Sitka spruce from the Chugack National Forest in Alaska, if plans of the Iceland Forest Service work out. Test plantings have indicated that the species is well suited to Iceland.

Supplies of insecticides for the 1946 crop year will be adequate with the exception of two important materials, nicotine and rotenone.  
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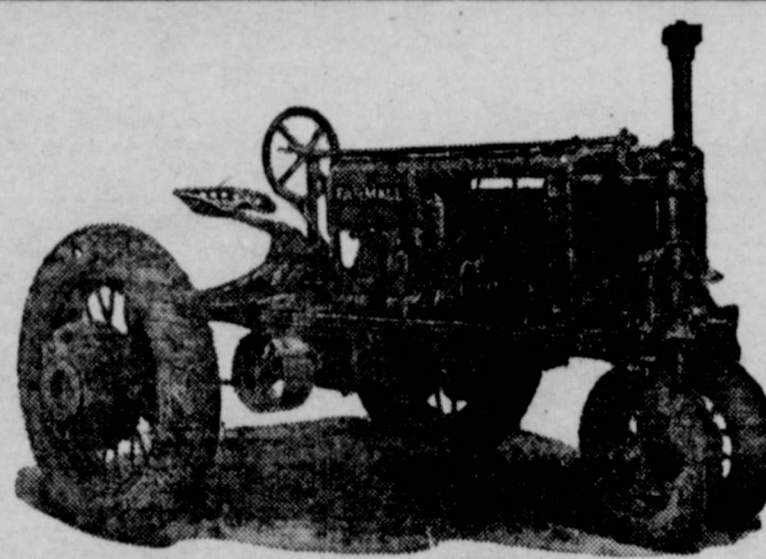
**Union News**

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent  
 Mr. Bert McClary of Hopkins County and a former resident of this county visited in the Elmer Bentley home Saturday and attended church Saturday night.  
 Marvin Lemons and family of Midland and Mrs. Byron Wren of Colorado City visited relatives here last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Snyder Wayland and baby of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bronson Sunday.  
 Maxy and Jerry Davis spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bills of Pleasant Hill.  
 Ab Williamson and family visited his mother, Mrs. Nellie Williamson, of Snyder Sunday.  
 E. G. Turner and family of Little Rock, Ark., visited with his sister, Mrs. Bentley, the past week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee Myers and children of Lubbock visited over the week-end in the Dee Myers home.  
 J. B. Adams was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday in his home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boles and children of Lamesa, Mrs. J. L. Carrell, Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson and Margaret Bata.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Paris McPherson visited Mr. and Mrs. Byron McPherson of Sweetwater Saturday. They report Baby McPherson who has been in hospital at Dallas six weeks and undergone a head operation is improving normally.  
 A study course is to be at Baptist Church on the nights of 19th and 20th. Everyone is urged to come and take part.  
 My pedigree is my fortune, said the purebred dairy cow, but it's my milk that draws the interest.  
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Times: It must be somewhat disturbing to more mothers than myself when they take note of one particular school routine pretty apt to be mentioned more than one afternoon per week by their children on being released from school. In some measure it prompts you to ask: "What is our school coming to when we parents think we are sending our children to the institution for an education, and they come in home after school only to tell us of the picture show they saw that day?" This is happening at least twice a week, and sometimes more often than that. If things like this continue in the public schools, is it any surprise we have juvenile delinquency? We have been informed that this is for educational purposes, but so far we haven't seen or heard of anything that seemed educational—especially the type of pictures shown. Probably you could say there is one improvement since it is no longer compulsory for children to take their money for paying their way to the shows. This requirement, we believe, could hardly be looked upon as a fairness to children and school patrons. We often wonder about this show program... especially if the school board is aware of the method in which the show situation is being handled. When the shows were first started, children were required to bring their money, the course selected by school leaders to pay for the equipment. Some of the churches in the larger cities are beginning to use the moving picture in their Sunday School classes. We can only hope this doesn't happen to our town. The theory is often advanced that the pictures are an aid in educational work. That is a matter of opinion, and since we have discussed the matter with numerous mothers, it may at least have an

Guinn-Williams Song Dedicated To Late Mrs. M. C. Williams

A song dedicated to the late Mrs. M. E. Williams of the Hobbs Community, Western Fisher County, "Mother in Heaven," by Leon Guinn, of Snyder and Eddie Williams of Hobbs, is being printed this week in the latest Stamps-Baxter songbook, "Sentimental Songs." The Stamps-Baxter books are being printed at Dallas and will have nationwide distribution. Guinn and Williams have a background of 12 published religious songs to their credit and were authors of such numbers as "A Song to Sing," "Where Living Waters Flow" and "Light at the Jordan for Me." These two teamed up with Albert Brumley to produce "A Good Time is Coming," which is considered one of their best numbers. Pre-publication courtesy has been granted to radio quartets to use this number.

Transfers Must Be Filed, OPA Declares

Transfers must be filed on every car or truck sale or trade, with Miss Mary Richards, local OPA representative. She will be in the County Judge's office in the Court House each Wednesday from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. to receive vehicle transfers and to answer questions OPA rulings. These transfer blanks may be obtained from the local automobile dealers here or from Miss Richards.

other angle. We fail to see much education (of the right kind) in the titles of shows that our children often describe. And, too, we fail to see the justice in compulsory attendance of the children. Suppose parents are given some choice in how their children are handled in this matter of "modernistic education" A School Patron.

Hermleigh News

Minnie Lee Williams, Correspondent: Tom Bowen, ex-skipper second class, son of Mrs. Myrtle Bowen, returned home Saturday night from 17 months overseas service in the Pacific.

He joined the Navy in October, 1942, and received his discharge April 4 at San Pedro after serving in the Navy 43 months. He had 37 1-2 discharge points.

Young Bowen's ship was within 300 yards of the "Missouri" when the Japs signed the peace treaty and was among the first to reach Japan with occupational forces.

Tom is a graduate of the Hermleigh High School. He did not state his immediate plans.

Mrs. Taylor Wootten and small daughter, Katie Sue of Bandera, are visiting their sister and aunt, Mrs. W. L. Jones and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hughes and daughter, Sue Jane, attended a piano concert at Lubbock, Thursday, April 4, 8 p. m., when the Technical Artists course of Texas Technical College, presented the nationally known pianist, William Kapell.

Sue Jane will make an audition May 27 at Snyder under the direction of Lucille Dorougherty. She is attending the Hermleigh School.

Nellie Faye and Joy Glass spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Glass at Pylon. Annie Rae Layman accompanied them. Those of you who did not attend the P. T. A. Thursday night missed a grand treat.

"Managing Our Moods," was the theme for the evening and Supt. J. T. Bryant defined "Moods," and explained how to control them. Mrs. W. C. Fargason talked on how the Church can help build a better community life followed by Mrs. Bryant, who discussed how our home life can help build a better community.

Mrs. J. P. Hale was program director. The PTA will sponsor a "42" party April 26, with the proceeds being used to benefit the school library. The PTA meetings for this season will be climaxed by a picnic on Thursday, May 2, plans for which have not been completed other than to install the ensuing officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Connally and son, Don, of San Angelo, spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coston. Don remained for a week's visit.

Lewis Smith and his brother-in-law, Connie Garner, motored to Hobbs, N. M., last Wednesday to visit relatives and was accompanied home by Mrs. Smith who had been visiting there several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henson Fikes, Mrs. Lucy McDorman and daughter of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mobley. Mrs. McDorman is a sister to Mr. Mobley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawk and daughter of Littlefield called in the afternoon. Mmes. Hawk and Mobley were former schoolmates.

Several persons met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hendrix Friday night and organized an athletic club when Mrs. Hendrix was elected captain and Mrs. Elmer Henry co-captain, Mrs. Jay Vaughn and Mrs. Grover Wali were elected secretary and treasurer, with Mrs. Alvis Sturdivant, Mrs. Gordon May the advertising committee. Mrs. J. P. Hale, Mrs. Charles Richter, Mrs. Frank Nachlinger, Mrs. Ed Wray, Mrs. K. B. Rector, Mrs. M. E. Farr and the writer were put on the entertainment committee.

The club is sponsoring a box supper and "42" party at the High School gym. This Tuesday night the proceeds will be used to light and improve a softball field.

The F. F. A. boys and the F. H. A. girls will sponsor a banquet at the Hermleigh High School Thursday evening, April 18, at 7:30 in honor of their fathers and mothers.

The opening ceremonies will be by the F. P. A.; Wayne Rogers will give the invocation.

Daphna Faye Stevens will welcome the fathers and Adolph Mraz will welcome the mothers. Raymond Sims and Mrs. A. W. Rountree will respond, after which special music will be rendered by Sue Jane Hughes and Annie Rae Layman.

Talks on the F. F. A. accomplishments by Don Hale and Bobby Sims. Talks on F. F. A. accomplishments by Jay Glass and Fay Burns. Sterling Williams will be guest speaker.

Supt. J. T. Bryant will give the benediction.

The menu for the banquet consists of tomato juice, barbecued steak, sweet potatoes, asparagus, vegetable salad, rolls, butter, strawberry meringue and iced tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henderson and sons spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George White at Ackerly and with friends in Big Spring.

Miss Mary B. Roberson and her parents spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Pattison at Cleburne, Tex. The latter taught school several years ago.

Bill Houdridge has just returned from a visit at Odessa.

W. A. (Block) Smith, for 25 years general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at the University of Texas, was honored recently with a reception by present and former members of the "Y."

Bill Hart Joins The Tate-Stanley Shop

Bill Hart is now serving his apprenticeship as a cabinet maker under the GI Bill of Rights, at the Tate & Stanley Cabinet Shop. Hart was in the Army quartermasters for approximately three years. He spent 18 months overseas mostly in Germany.

TO REPRESENT CHURCHES AT ABILENE PRESBYTERY

Wallace Jones from Fluvanna and John R. Covey of Snyder will represent the local churches at the Abilene Presbytery, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. J. A. Farmer, C. P. Chenault and R. C. Grantham will represent the women at the Presbyterial.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson of Los Angeles has been visiting friends in Snyder.

R. J. Randals spent the first part of the week at the Lumberman's convention in Galveston.

Miss Tenella Riddle, who is with the Western Union traffic department in San Antonio, was in this city last week visiting friends.

The University of Texas' nationwide contest to find an amateur playwright whose works were worthy of production has closed, with Ronald Mitchell of the University of Wisconsin as winner. Dr. E. P. Conkle, associate professor of drama, has announced. There were 65 entries in the contest. Mr. Mitchell's play, "Alfred," will be produced May 8-11.

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Miss Mary Richards, OPA representative, will be in the Court House each Wednesday from 10:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m., in the County Judge's office to answer questions concerning OPA rulings and regulations.

Miss Richards, whose headquarters are in Sweetwater, will work with Nolan, Fisher and Scoury Counties, and will give information on rationing and ceiling prices.

**WHEN IS AN EGG REALLY FRESH?**

If there's any doubt about the freshness of an egg, Westinghouse home economists say the texture will invariably give it away. The white of a fresh egg is thick and viscous, and the membrane surrounding the yolk is tough. Both become thinner with time. While this change does not interfere with the food properties of the egg, some dishes— notably angel food cake and omelets—require perfectly fresh eggs.

**Fluvanna News**

Mrs. Bolivar Browning, Corres.

Webb Sewalt and wife from Roby was here Sunday visiting Wallace Jones and family.

Eunice Nesbitt from Big Spring is here visiting Mrs. J. J. Belew and had business at Claremont and Sweetwater Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis and their daughter and husband of the Martin Community were Polar visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blair and children spent the week-end visiting relatives at Robert Lee.

Mrs. A. C. Cargile spent part of last week visiting near Lubbock in the Hub Beuer home. She met her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sheffield of Oklahoma, there. She hadn't seen her in several years.

Mrs. A. C. Cargile visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Greenfield Dermott Friday.

H. A. Ridings made a trip to Corsicana, and his father returned home with him.

Charlie Cargile and son Charles had business in Jayton.

John Davis was called to the bedside of his mother in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Clanton of Wolfert visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clanton and son T. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carlisle of Lubbock visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Bessie Ramage and Bill Pearson of Snyder spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Zed Randolph and son Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clanton, Mrs. E. E. Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sellers attended the funeral services of Filmon Rogers of Big Springs Saturday. Filmon was burned to death Friday while cleaning out a filling station.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. Tompson of Snyder were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Peterson.

A. C. Cargile attended commissioner's court at Claremont Monday.

**Two Millions Go To Poultrymen of Texas During '45**

Texas poultrymen received nearly two million dollars for their poultry and egg products during 1945 with indications pointing to continued high demands for the State's poultry products this year.

"Efforts of Texas poultrymen to market high-quality products are paying increased dividends to the State," Barnett Gabriel, head of A. and P.'s National Egg and Poultry Department, said in commenting on the 1945 purchases. "Consumer demand for poultry should continue through 1946 especially because of shortages of meat and the urgency of providing starving Europe with increasingly large quantities of other foods."

Pointing out that lack of refrigerated storage facilities abroad prevented shipping of poultry overseas, Gabriel urged the increase of domestic consumption of chickens and turkeys to free other foods for foreign countries. Reductions in poultry feed supplies coupled with increased production during 1945 have resulted in the current heavy supply of poultry now on hand, he added.

"Poultrymen will play an important part in insuring the maintenance of the Nation's high nutritional standards in 1946," he said. "During the recent war years, they answered the call for more chickens, turkeys and eggs and marketed unprecedented supplies. Stream-lined distribution systems speeded up the journey of these products from farm to market and will continue to expedite the marketing of poultry products."

**Merit System Exams To Be Given May 11**

The Merit System Council, serving the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, the United States Employment Service and the State Department of Public Welfare, is announcing May 11, 1946, as the date for competitive examinations for nine different positions for which qualified workers are urgently needed in these State agencies. The positions for which examinations will be given are Junior Claims Examiner, Claims Interviewer, Field Worker, Child Welfare Worker, Clerk, Junior Stenographer, Apprentice Clerk, Clerk-Typist, and Bookkeeping Machine Operator. The entrance salaries for these positions range from 1,380 dollars for Junior Stenographer to 2,946 for Field Worker. Meritorious service in these positions may be rewarded by increases in salary and promotions in rank.

Persons interested in these examinations may obtain application blanks at their local U. S. Employment Service, Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission or State Department of Public Welfare offices, or by writing to the Merit System director, 808 Tribune Bldg., Austin 21, Texas. All applications must be filed in the Merit System office or postmarked before midnight of April 23, 1946.

**EASTER SERVICES—APRIL 21, 1946**

Snyder commandery at Methodist Church, Sunday, April 21, 1946, at 8 a. m. All Sir Knights be at Hall at 7:45 a. m. Rev. R. O. Browder will preach Easter sermon.

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**Dunn News**

Mrs. Bama Clark, Correspondent

Mr. W. E. Lay spent the week-end in Amarillo with his uncle, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. Frances Johnston of Dallas is visiting his parents, W. A. and Mrs. Johnston and sister, Mrs. Fred Cotton and family, and Brother Marcus Johnston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ellis and son, Albert Wayne, returned last

week from a trip to visit their children in California and Mrs. Ellis's brother, O'her Chandler and wife, near Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reid and daughters of Lubbock were Sunday visitors in the home of F. N. Bolding family.

Mr. and Miss J. H. Byrd of Snyder and their daughter, Mrs. Alice Hanson, of Jayton, were Thursday visitors in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elmo Herring, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter of Westbrook visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnston, Sunday.

Mrs. U. S. Summerford received word her husband had landed in the States.

Tube McCormack has returned home from California, where he has been working for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Johnson spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mrs. Bill Davidson and Mrs. Bama Clark attended the conference of Woman's Missionary Society of Christian Service at Colorado City last Tuesday.

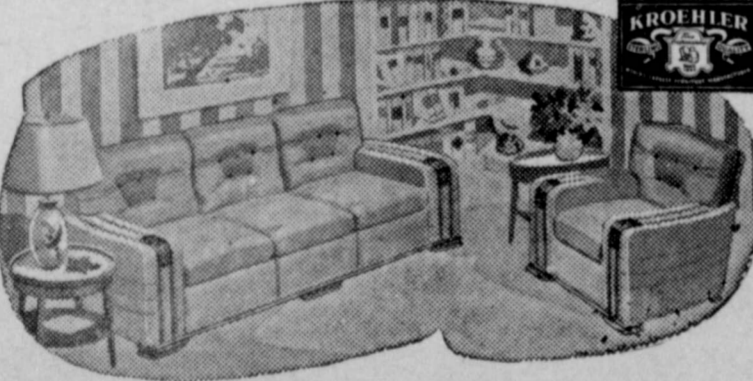
Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Nail and grandson Steve Nail spent the week-end in Amarillo with their daughters, Charlie Quiett and family. The singing at the Church of Christ Sunday was well attended and a good singing it was. There were several from other places here. We welcome them back again.

Mrs. R. D. Shrad spent the week-end in Amarillo with his children, Robert Beard of California, who is visiting at Ira. He spent part of last week here with Troy Tompson. Buteh Niedecken of Snyder spent part of last week in Dunn. Mr. and Mrs. John Brown visited in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Brown and son Bobby at Snyder. Clyde Scott is visiting his brother, L. A. Scott, and family, and were Sunday guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Matt Allen, of China Grove.

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### Local Anglers Say Fishing Is Good At Lake Trammel

J. W. Leftwich and Howard Crenshaw report good fishing this season at Lake Trammel in Sweetwater. Their biggest single catch so far is a nine-pound bass caught around the end of February by Leftwich, and their biggest total catch for one day was six fish with a combined weight of 94 pounds.

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About a week later, Crenshaw caught three bass totalling fourteen pounds.

All this good luck has set them to thinking about the Fish Rodeo which is being sponsored by the Abilene Reporter. Cash prizes totalling \$100 will be awarded to those who catch the seven largest fish between April 27 and May 5. They say the only "catch" to this contest is that the fish have to be weighed by a responsible person, and the one that got away won't count.

Anyone catching fish in Texas lakes will be eligible to compete for these prizes.

Zipper Note Books for sale at The Times Publishing Co.



U. S. customs patrol inspectors at Brownsville, Tex., engaged in a drive against smuggling, are shown with a lot of tires seized at Brownsville, April

5. In truck (left to right) Walter Moody; O. J. Dompier; on the ground is Herbert E. Scott. (AP Photo.)

### Rats Have a Taste For Some Plastics

Refugees from the housing shortage, driven into anything with four walls and a roof, have encouraged a new hazard—rodents with a taste for plastics.

This new trend in the appetite of rats and mice has been discovered in the testing laboratories of the American Institute of Laundering. Institute member laundries sent in garments with buttons mysteriously missing. How'd it happen, they wanted to know. All the buttons were casein plastic—a by-product of milk.

The technical brains of the Institute's laboratories in Joliet, Ill., tackled the knotty problem. The buttons appeared to have been gnawed down to nubbins by some strange agent.

However, it was not until teeth marks were found on some half-consumed buttons that the American Institute of Laundering was able to return the verdict. The plastic fasteners had been eaten away by rats and mice, who apparently like a little roughage in their diet.

Crowded conditions in ramshackle dwellings, where returning servicemen have been driven by the shortage of real homes, were blamed for the recent increase in the rat-button damage.

Week-end guests of Jonnie LeMond, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeMond, were Joyce Brown of Baltimore, Md.; Welden Chapman of Glenrose, Tex., and Bill Beall of Abilene. All are freshman students at Hardin Simons University.

Mr. Joe Church of Colorado City has been visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton.

Miss Donna Knollenberg began work April 4th at the office of J. P. Billingsly, county clerk.

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## Sidelights From Washington

By George Mahon

On April 12 I plan to appear before the House Committee on Education in behalf of legislation to expand the vocational training programs in the high schools of the nation.

Aside from the over-all national requirements there is a need for the reopening of the 24 vocational agriculture departments that were closed in our own congressional district by reason of the war. Additional units are also being sought for other high schools in our area.

A number of additional home-making departments are also needed. In fact, in the state of Texas it is estimated that more than 400 additional homemaking and vocational agriculture departments are required to complete the vocational training set-up in the high schools.

Texas schools have shown tremendous interest in vocational training. In the high schools of our twenty-five county congressional districts there are 51 home-making departments and 36 vocational agriculture departments now in operation.

Our congressional district occupies a high place among the 21 congressional districts of Texas in the field of vocational training and in the number of vocational training departments. In the number of home-making departments, we share top honors with congressional district No. 7, represented by Tom Pickett of Palestine, which also has 51 departments. In the number of vocational agriculture departments, we rank No. 3 among the congressional districts. District No. 21, represented by Fisher of San Angelo, occupies first place, and Pickett's district occupies second place.

Vocational training departments in the schools are financed under a system of State and Federal co-operation the system having been in operation since 1917. Benefits that have accrued to the nation are immeasurable.

The chances are excellent that Congress will approve the bill for additional co-operation with the State in vocational training and that many new departments will be placed in operation in West Texas schools when the new terms open

next August and September.

Congressman Adam Powell, the colored member from the Harlem district in New York, created quite a flurry in the House of Representatives a few days ago. He offered an amendment to an appropriation bill for the District of Columbia which would have put an end to the time-honored practice in Washington of maintaining separate schools for the white and colored children. After a half hour of heated debate the vote was taken. Congressman Joe Martin, the leader of the Republicans in the House and 48 other members, about evenly divided between the Democrats and Republicans voted for the Powell Amendment. The rest of us who were on the floor at the time, 122 in number voted against the Powell Amendment. We voted to continue separate schools for white and colored children.

There is no likelihood that Congress would tolerate the consolidation of schools for the white and colored children in Washington, and Congressman Powell did a disservice to the cause of racial understanding and good will by offering his amendment. It should be pointed out that the same high standards of service apply in both the white and colored schools.

Of the 88,000 school children in Washington, 39,000 are colored.

Acting District Conservationist R. A. Spenser was in the local district office in Snyder April 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scrivner of Plainview visited Mrs. Corene Jones Monday night.

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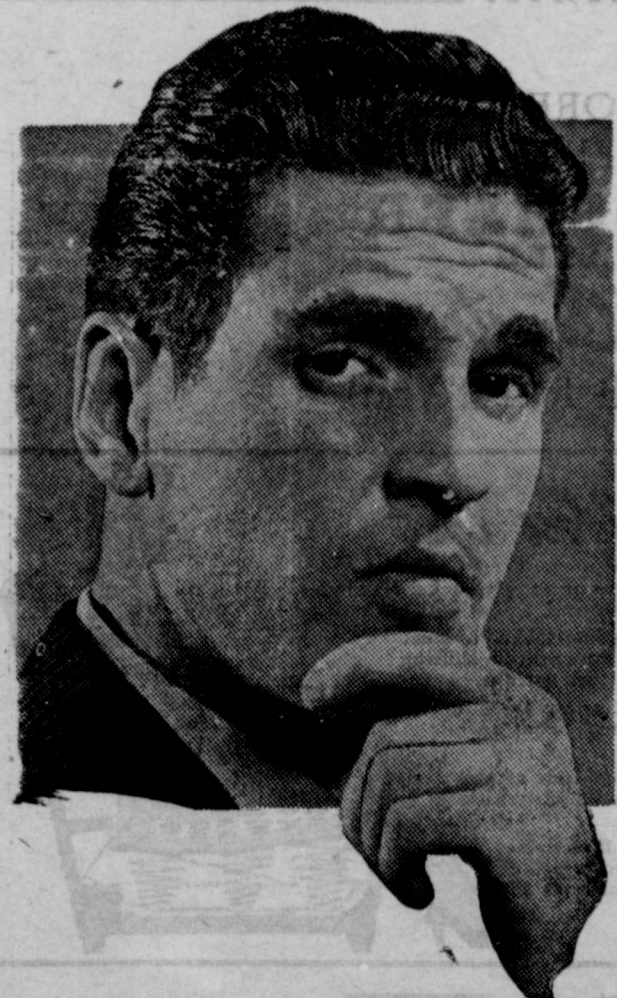
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