

3-Inch Rain Falls Too Late for Crops

Although too late to do much good for the maturing crops of the section, rains fell in Scurry County last Saturday and Sunday night that measured up to nearly four inches. Fall of 3.24 inches was tabulated for Snyder to bring the total for the year to 20.46 inches.

Some Laborers Needed in County To Gather Cotton

Scurry County continues to hold one of the favored spots in the cotton crop picture to West Texas, according to reports of the regional office of the Texas Employment Commission at San Angelo.

Tigers Will Play Roby Friday Eve On Snyder Field

Coach Tommy Beene's Snyder High School Tigers will play host tomorrow (Friday) night to the Roby High Lions in a non-conference tilt on the Tiger stadium.

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Snyder Firemen Win Two Places In Area Contests

Snyder's team won the six-man pumper contest at the semi-annual convention of the Mid-West Texas Firemen's Association held Thursday last week at Cisco.

50 Members Added to Legion Roll in Drive

About 50 new members had been reported this week in the membership drive being conducted by the Will Layne Post of the American Legion, according to officials of the organization.

Frances Leath in Lead for Football Sweetheart Vote

The football boys elected two girls from each class at Snyder High School for candidates for the Tiger Football Sweetheart. These candidates were: Senior class, Clarice Russell and Frances Leath; junior class, Gay Nell Brooks and Dewey Fay Everett; sophomore class, Barbara Lewis and Janell Smith; freshman class, Norma Sue von Roeder and Ramona Harless.

Work to Resume Soon On Borden Highway

Work on the 10.2-mile stretch of highway South from Gall toward Big Spring, Borden County's first farm-to-market road, is slated to be resumed within a few days, according to Jack Gorman, resident highway engineer.

Times Prints Ballots For Counties of Area

More than 31,000 general election ballots for Snyder area counties had passed through the printing department of The Times plant this week. Other orders were expected when this story was written. The Times has printed these big ballots for a number of neighboring newspaper plants for several years.

WHO'S NEW

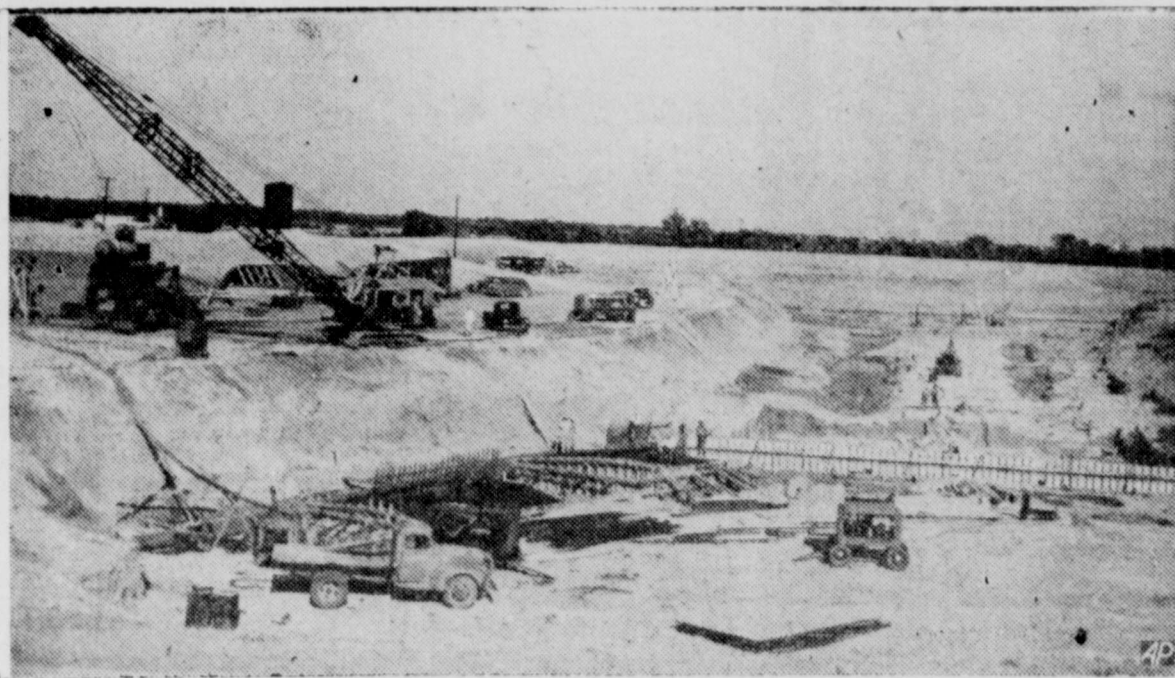
Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Wilcher in the Pasadena, Texas, Hospital, a 7 1/2-pound daughter, Mrs. Wilcher is the former Eunice Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Lewis of Hermleigh.

Layman's League to Be Formed Monday

Organization of a Layman's League is scheduled for next Monday evening at the First Presbyterian Church when men of the Presbyterian group and the First Christian Church meet in joint session.

Snyder Negro School Opens Term Monday

Snyder Negro School opened Monday morning for the 1948-49 term with appropriate exercises under the direction of Eunice Johnson, teacher. M. E. Stanfield, city superintendent of schools, and a number of patrons were present for the opening exercises.



CONCRETE JOB—Pouring of the first of nearly 50,000 yards of concrete has started on the outlet works of the North Cooper Dam just northwest of San Angelo.

mixed in the big two-yard machine at far left and poured from a bucket on the dragline on the embankment. Two concrete conduits with an inside diameter of 18 feet will be placed in the hollowed-out places here

shown. The field north of the river is taking on an "industrial" appearance, with cement and gravel loaders and two railway spurs constructed as shown in the picture above, taken last week on the dam site.

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McKISSICK STAKES NEW OIL TEST IN SHARON; OTHERS GET SHOWS

Robert W. McKissick of Abilene Monday staked location for No. 1 R. W. Eubanks, a 3,300-foot cable tool wildcat in the Sharon Ridge 1,700-foot pay area of Southwest Scurry County. Site is 330 feet from the north and 650 from the east line of an 80-acre lease in Section 120, Block 97, Houston & Texas Central Railway Survey.

feet from the south, 2,009.4 feet from the east line of Section 186, Block 97, H. & T. C. Survey. About nine miles northwest of Snyder, Standard of Texas, No. 1 Jesse Brown, in Section 440, Block 97, H. & T. C. Survey, ran a drillstem test this week at 5,357-97 feet, open 90 minutes. It recovered 540 feet of mud and salt water with no show of oil or gas.

Charles W. Stimson Is A. & M. Instructor

Charles W. Stimson Jr. has been recently appointed an assistant instructor of drafting in the industrial engineering department at Texas A. & M. College, according to a release to The Times.

Norman Inman Will Head Snyder Band

Officers for the Snyder High School Band were elected Friday, October 8, during the band class period. Officers elected were: Norman Inman, president; Joe Sentell, vice president; Billy Rip Boss, secretary; treasurer; Jimmy Boyd, librarian and stage manager; Wendell Autry, reporter.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Ira P-TA Group Plans Halloween School Carnival

Ira Parent-Teacher Association met last Thursday, with about 30 interested parents attending. Plans were made for the Halloween Carnival to be staged the latter part of the month at the school.

Ginnings Held to 5,806 By Week-End Rains

Cotton ginnings in Scurry County gave way to a three-inch rain that fell last Saturday, and racked up only a few hundred bales over last week's report in The Times.

Walls for Addition to Hospital Take Shape

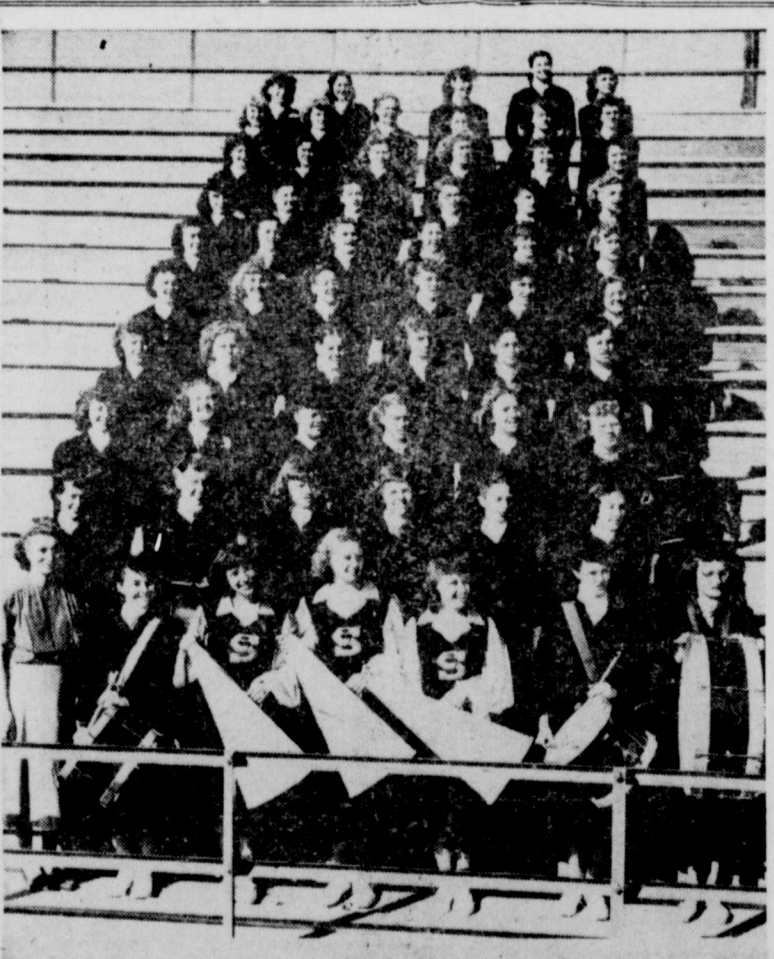
Walls for the four-office addition to the front of Snyder General Hospital in East Snyder were going up this week following completion of the foundations several days ago.

New Highway South of Colorado Opened

Saving of 24 miles between Snyder and San Angelo may be effected now with the opening this week of new pavement on State Highway 208 from Colorado City to Robert Lee.

Winning Herefords

Harrie and Wade Winston, Snyder Hereford breeders, carried away leading show honors again this year at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo for the Hereford division.



MEMBERS of the Snyder Pep Club above are: First row—Mrs. Tommy Beene, sponsor; Charlotte Faver, Sandra Josephson, Frances Leath, Jane Ann Woodson, Jeanne Head, Helen Dennis; second row—Galia Beth Burrow, Doris Roe, Jeannie Dell Bills, Billie Alford, LaVerne Smith, Thelma Roe; third row—Aurelia Bryant, Wanda Jean Rainwater, Chloe Lavender, Vermelle Bird, Ozane Stringer, Freida Whitehurst; fourth row—Joyce Walls, Betty Jo Wilson, Martha Stoker, Lanelle Palmer, Janell Smith, Margie Hardin; fifth row—Annette Kemp, Ramona Ryan, Irlan Newby, Wanda Johnson, Islas Blakely, Betty Green; sixth row—Maureen Leard, Ellen Jane Clarkson, Willie Mae Gilliam, Charlene Tatum, Nancy Sue Cross, Martha Hardee; seventh row—Dean Shepherd, Betty Yarbrough, Betty Jo Beavers, Earlene Grinnitt, Clarice Russell, Gay Nell Brooks; eighth row—Janella Holmes, Jenna V. Kelly, Cherrie Boyd, Helen Nickel, Bobbie Weaver, Janell Darby; ninth row—Charlene Stewart, Bonita Lyons, Vivian Merritt, Mary Henley, Joy Graham, Peggy Lynch; tenth row—Patsy Woolver, Anita Huth, Glennia Gay Bills, Ila Ruth Newton, and Norma DeLoach.

Snyder-Ira Highway to Affect Other Projects

New Power-Line Telephones Soon To Be Finished

Good progress is being made on the projected new telephone lines which will utilize the high line wires in the Roby and Rotan area—that of the Midwest Electric Cooperative's REA system, it was announced last Thursday evening at a business session of the board of directors of the unit at the Roby office.



EIGHTY YEARS YOUNG and still spry is Mrs. D. C. Bentley, above, a resident of Scurry County for 50 years. The octogenarian was the honoree at a gathering of five children and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren on Sunday of last week at the home of a daughter, Mrs. J. H. Rollins. Story of the celebration will be found on page three of today's Times.

Court Informed Right-of-Way Is Necessary Soon

Action which the people of Scurry County taken with reference to securing the right-of-way on the proposed Highway 350 from Snyder to Ira within the next few weeks will determine whether the project will be included in the current road building program that will be terminated July 1, 1949, members of the Commissioners Court were told Saturday when three members of the staff of the State Highway Department office at Abilene met with the group in the Snyder courthouse.

Pioneer Rancher, D. K. McMullan, Honored at Party

D. K. McMullan was honored at a picnic style birthday party Sunday at the home of Mrs. R. L. McMullan in Northeast Snyder, when the 87-year-old pioneer was feted by relatives and friends.

35 Years as Texas Agent Is Record Of Gay McClain

Gay McClain was this week celebrating 35 years of service with The Texas Company as agent in Snyder. He began working for the oil distribution concern on October 13, 1913, he told The Times this week.

Fluvana Senior Class Elects New Officers

Melvina Ainsworth was elected president of the Fluvanna High School senior class when the group met recently in a business session.

County Singing Set At Snyder October 24

Semi-annual session of the Scurry County Singing Convention will be staged Sunday, October 24, at the North Side Baptist Church in Snyder, it was announced this week by M. O. (Jack) Patrick, president.

New Date for Baking Show to Be Scheduled

New date for the Better Baking Show that was called off last Saturday on account of the rain will be set by members of the Scurry County Home Demonstration Club Council when it meets Saturday afternoon in the office of Miss Mary Louise Pielch, county home agent, it was announced this week.

MRS. D. C. BENTLEY HONORED ON EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY RECENTLY

Hoe of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rollins in East Snyder was the scene of a happy celebration Sunday of last week. The occasion was to honor Mrs. Rollins' mother, Mrs. D. C. Bentley, on her eightieth birthday. Five of Mrs. Bentley's eight children were present. Three of the daughters, Mrs. Frances Bourland of Austin, Mrs. J. G. Biggs Sr. of New Boston, Michigan, and Mrs. Bill Stokes of Fort Worth, were unable to attend.

Mrs. Bentley was attractively dressed in black crepe and wore a corsage of giant white chrysanthemums. Many cut flowers were used to decorate the house.

The birthday cake, a huge beautifully decorated square, was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Biggs of New Boston, Michigan.

"Granny," as she is affectionately known, has 21 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. She has been a resident of Scurry County about 50 years, having moved here with her husband from Knox County, Mr. Bentley died in 1920.

Forty-two guests enjoyed the noon meal in the Rollins home, and about 25 called in the afternoon.

Immediate family of the honoree in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rollins, all of Snyder; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Brock of Plainview.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Bernarr Smith of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson of Gail; Mr. and Mrs. Orville

Rollins and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Blankenship of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Biggs Jr., Hershel Biggs and Melvin Brock of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bentley, Nancy Jean Bentley and Aubrey Bentley, all of Snyder.

Great-grandchildren present were Marie Jackson, Larry Rollins, David Bentley Jo Ann, Gary and Royce Blankenship.

Other guests present to wish Granny a happy birthday were Mmes. J. C. Maxwell, E. F. Dixon, S. W. Light, W. B. Lemons, C. V. Lee, H. W. Smith, and Janice and J. P. Madding; Messrs. and Mmes. J. A. Woodfin, J. B. Adams, S. D. Hays, J. O. Littlepage, Howard Hogue, J. T. Biggs and Giles Bowers, all of Snyder; and Mrs. Att's Jackson of Gail; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott and Virginia of Colorado City, and Mrs. Elmer Madding of Goldsmith.

Sending gifts and congratulations were Mrs. J. T. Ramsey, Mrs. Jim Millington, Ruth Seabourne, Mrs. W. R. Bell, Mrs. P. A. Mebane, Mrs. Harry Allen, Mrs. E. E. Mattis and Messrs. and Mmes. C. A. Ramsey, Wray Huckabee, David Connell, Lloyd Merritt, Welton Bentley and Clyde Brock.

Hudnalls Get Car at Factory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hudnall of Camp Springs community returned home last Friday after a trip to Pontiac, Michigan. They traveled to Pontiac by bus, then went through the Pontiac car factory and watched the cars roll off the assembly line at the rate of 60 an hour. They got a new car and drove back, coming by way of Little Rock, Arkansas, where they visited. The couple traveled through 11 states. Mr. Hudnall says that of all the states they saw, he believes Indiana was the best.

Presbyterian Church

The Church with a Message for Today

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Commencing October 3 our program will be Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., Worship Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., Bible Study each Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

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FIRST DOWN FOR TCU—Andy Berry, TCU back, plunges the Indiana line for a first down in the game Saturday at Bloom-

ington, Indiana. Tackle by Indiana's Joe Polce. Extreme right is Indiana's George Taliferro. Casimir Witucki (66) of

Indiana also is shown. TCU won the tilt by a 7 to 6 count, one of two inter-sectional games won by Southwestern teams.

CLASSES NAME NOMINEES FOR FAVORITES IN SCHOOL ANNUAL

All high school classes met Thursday, October 30, to select nominees for school beauty, most handsome boy, and class favorites.

Nominees for school beauty are Jane Ann Woodson, Clarice McGlaun, Frances Leath, and Dortha Williams, seniors; Dorothy Taylor, Edith Echols, Dewey Pay Everett, and Gay Nell Brooks, juniors; Barbara Lewis, Ann Richardson, Patsy Pogue, and Gaila Beth Burrow, sophomores; and Darlene Taylor, Janell Darby, and Norma Sue von Roeder, freshmen.

Nominees for most handsome boy are Donald Smith, Billy Sims, Willie Martin, and Darrell Black, seniors; Jimmy Evans, Max von Roeder, Norman Inman, Rip Boss, and Robert Minton, juniors; Junior Corbell, Dwan Camp, Billy Wayne Williams, S. R. Hambrick, and Richard Hardin, sophomores; N. J. Harrison, Arlon Stokes, Billy John Voss, and Eddie Scott, freshmen.

Nominees for senior favorites are Lou Miller, Charlotte Faver, Marjell Wilson, Billy Joe Middleton, David Smith, Com Ezell and Beecher McCormick.

Nominated for junior favorites are Patsy Lloyd, Cherrie Boyd, Trel, Icie Eicke, Paula Creekmore, Tracy Early, James Bowers, Ben Richardson, Billy Cogdell, and Keith Allen.

Nominated by the sophomores for favorites are Wanda Jean Rainwater, Margie Hardin, Ellen Jane Clarkson, Irlsu Blakely, Billy McCormick, Grant Teaff, Richard Hardin, Glen Holmes, and Billy Beavers.

Avanelle Kemp, Ramona Harless, Billie Alford, Alfred Weathers, C. W. Dorman and Dan Caldwell were freshmen favorite nominees.

Nominees for most likely to succeed, chosen from the senior class, are Norma Haney, Junior Boatner, and Dan Gibson.

High school students voted in an elimination election for school beauty and most handsome boy in the Friday assembly. The favorites were selected by secret ballot plurality voting.

No announcement will be made concerning the elections until the annual is released.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Two Snyder Men Sell On Sweetwater Mart

Two Scurry County men last Wednesday were consignors, at the Webster Auction Company's sale of cattle at Sweetwater, when more than 1,200 sold for \$101,709.

In line with the general break, and prices were down at the sale, but ranchers were cutting loose from stock that was ready to go or that they had already planned to dispose of, officials at the sale said.

J. B. Brown of Snyder sold 21 white face cows and calves that brought up to \$23.50 per 100. T. W. Pollard of Snyder sold 16 white face cows and calves, up to \$18.50.

Columnar pads at The Times

Six Scurry County Young Folks Among 2,270 ACC Students

With 1,680 resident college students registered for the fall semester, Abilene Christian College's enrollment has reached a new record high, according to a release from ACC to The Times.

There also are 336 enrolled in the school of correspondence service and 263 in the demonstration school, making a grand total enrollment of 2,279 students.

Among the resident college students from Snyder and vicinity are: Shirley Beth Coffee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffee of Route 3; Faye Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burns; J. M. Glass Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glass of Fluvanna; Bobby Gene McCormick, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCormick; E. J. (Tiny) Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moore; and George Taylor Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. (Doc) Richardson.

Pre-war quality rubber bands now available at The Times office.

Pfc. Guy O. Moore Reburial Slated This Afternoon

Reburial rites for Private First Class Guy O. Moore, twentieth Scurry County casualty of World War II to be brought back from overseas, are scheduled this (Thursday) afternoon, 4:00 o'clock at the North Side Baptist Church.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Moore of Snyder, the 30-year-old soldier was killed December 5, 1943, near Cassino, Italy. He was serving with Scurry County's Company G, 142nd Infantry of the 36th Division, and his death came in the bitter fighting that marked the invasion of Southwestern Italy by American forces.

Born April 5, 1913 at Fayetteville, Arkansas, young Moore had engaged in farming before his enlistment in military service.

Rev. Earl Creswell, pastor of the North Side Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. H. W. Hanks, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will officiate at the funeral services this afternoon.

Interment will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Odum Funeral Home. Veterans of Foreign Wars of the Snyder post will conduct military rites at the graveside.

Pallbearers will be Bob McKinney, Dawson Moreland, Kenneth Pitner, John Portis, Jesse King and Shelton Holmes. In charge of flowers will be Martha Lou Henley, Mrs. Phillip Fisher, Mrs. Grady Moore and Mrs. Ruby Dever.

Surviving Private Moore are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Moore of Snyder; two brothers, Raymond Moore of Ajo, Arizona, and George B. Moore of Snyder; and two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Tullis of Antioch, California, and Mrs. Louise Hoyle of Poliar.

No abilities, however splendid, can command success without intense labor and persevering application.—A. T. Stewart.

Cottonseed Moves to At Increased Rate As Ginnings Climb

Cottonseed movement to crushing mills increased in Texas and Oklahoma during the week, according to the certificates received by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the division's weekly release to The Times shows. Continued clear dry weather in most of the area favored increased ginnings in West Texas and Oklahoma which accounted for the increased movement.

Prices in Texas for wagon lot seed f. o. b. gins declined again during the week. Average price for the state was \$34.90 per ton compared with \$68.80 per ton last week. Prices ranged from \$60 to \$70 per ton. Oil mill prices ranged from \$65 to \$75 per ton. Some seed was purchased on "as is" basis, and some on basis grade 100.

Cottonseed grades in Texas during the week averaged 101.5, which is a slight increase over last week's average of 100. Very few quality discounts were noted for trash or excess moisture.

Low grades for Scurry County rated 98, high 105 for an average grade of 101, according to the report.

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TRACT NO. 2

800 acres located 5 1/2 miles east of Highway 87 from a point approximately midway between Tulia and Hoppy, Texas. This tract includes 130 acres of alfalfa which yields a ton per acre per cutting; 400 acres of good wheat; 70 acres of pasture with natural lake; 200 acres cultivated land; modern, newly-remodeled 6-room house with nice trees; 5-room semi-modern house; windmill and 3 irrigation wells.

This is level land, ideal for irrigation. It is rich and easily farmed. Last season it produced 40-bushel wheat, and 80 to 90-bushel grain, on the average. The irrigation wells average 180 ft. in depth and produce 1200 gallons of water per minute indefinitely without falling off. This season much of the crops have not needed irrigation.

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HOW TO GET THERE:

Tract No. 1: Drive from Hoppy south 8 miles, or Tulia north 7 miles, to Kaffir elevator. Turn west on Farm Road No. 214 and drive 10 miles, then north 1 mile and then west 4 miles.

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Rotan Continues Winning Ways to Top Standings

Rotan Yellowhammers continued to hold the top spot among District 6-A (West) football teams by extending their wins to four out of five last week-end. When they beat the Ballinger Bears, they definitely proved their mettle. The score was 18 to 7. Although non-conference the Rotan tilt was played before 2,000 fans.

Roscoe Plowboys barely slipped by the Merkel Badgers in a 7 to 0 tilt played at Roscoe Friday night. After a scoreless first half, the Plowboys recovered a Merkel fumble and worked the ball over in several plays. A quarterback sneak accounted for the extra point. The Badgers came back in the fourth quarter and recovered a Plowboy fumble and made a tally but failed to make the extra one pointer.

Colorado City's 27 to 18 defeat of the Snyder Tigers was no great surprise. Coach Tommy Beener's small squad did some mighty pretty work in making 12 first downs to Colorado City's 13.

Hamlin, other member of the district circuit, was idle last week.

All-season standings of the six teams in District 6-A (West) after last week's games follow:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Rotan	5	4	1	.800
Colorado City	5	3	2	.600
Hamlin	4	1	2	.467
Roscoe	5	2	2	.350
Merkel	5	1	4	.200
Snyder	4	0	4	.000



Derrel W. Walton Reburied Sunday Hermleigh Rites

Nineteenth Scurry County victim of World War II to be brought back home for reburial, final rites for Private First Class Derrel W. Walton were conducted Sunday afternoon at the Hermleigh First Baptist Church. Rev. Bob Creswell, pastor of the church, officiated at the rites.

Walton, a native of Scurry County, was killed in action on the island of Cebu, in the Philippines, on April 13, 1945, during the campaign of the Americans against the Japanese. He was 37 years of age at the time of his death.

Interment was in the Pyren Cemetery under direction of Odum Funeral Home. Graveside military rites were conducted by the Snyder post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

pallbearers were Jim Layman, J. H. Myers, James Ince, Bill Jordan, Tom Bowen, Bud Campbell, Nathan Campbell and Joe Glass. In charge of flowers were Patsy Spradlin, Mrs. Doyle Paulk, Leona Spradlin and Jewel Paulk.

Surviving the soldier are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walton of Hermleigh; the wife, Mrs. Burpea M. Walton; a four-year-old daughter, Betty Darlene; six brothers, Dolph Walton of Lubbock, Preston Walton of Littlefield, J. T. Walton of Snyder, Jack Walton of Hermleigh, Joe Walton of Hermleigh and Elmer Don Walton of Hermleigh; four sisters, Mrs. Elinor Spradlin and Mrs. Ellen Paulk of Sweetwater, Mrs. Franklu Pickens of Post and Geneva Walton of Hermleigh; three step-brothers, James B. Lewis, N. E. Lewis, and Oliver D. Lewis; and one step-sister, Mrs. Elzida Hasler of Roswell, New Mexico.

Norma DeLoach Will Be Choral Club Prexy

The Choral Club of Snyder High met Tuesday, October 5, to elect officers. Those elected were: Norma DeLoach, president; Mary Ann Morrison, vice president; Islaus Blakely, secretary; Ramona Marless, treasurer; and Darlene Taylor, reporter.

The Choral Club meets in the school auditorium every day at the fourth period.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Trussell and boys returned Monday from a 10-day trip to Clifton, New Jersey, where they visited with a brother and uncle, Ambrose Trussell, and wife. The group went sight-seeing to New York City.

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Hermleigh Keeps Perfect Record to Lead District 9-B

These lusty Cardinals of Hermleigh High School appear to be bound to make their entire football season without a defeat. They last Friday night chalked up their fifth straight win for the season by downing the Bronco Longhorns by a 26 to 0 score. It was the fourth game in which they had not been scored upon this year.

Coahoma defeated the Clyde High School crew by a slim 14 to 13 score in a tilt played at Coahoma. Robert Lee and Roby battled to a 7 to 7 tie at Roby Friday night in a District 9-B conference game. Both the extra points were made by passes.

Stanton's eleven performed nicely before the homefolks Friday night to take the measure of the Loraine Bulldogs to the tune of 13 to 0.

Standings of the six teams in the District 9-B conference, following last week-end's games, look like this:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Hermleigh	5	5	0	1.000
Robert Lee	3	2	0	.581
Coahoma	4	3	1	.750
Roby	4	1	1	.416
Bronco	4	1	3	.250
Loraine	5	0	5	.000

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Scott and Joe Dave, Mrs. A. C. Prettitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Shild Jr. were among Snyder people visiting the State Fair of Texas at Dallas last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pilley of Abilene were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Pilley's brother, H. A. Mullins, who has been ill at his home in North Snyder.

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Candidates for Best Looking Presented

A short skit was presented Friday at Snyder High School in which the candidates for most beautiful girl and most handsome boy were presented. David Headstrom, Com Ezell, and Joe Dave Scott were the announcers who seemed to be a little mixed up as to what they were to say.

Following this, the election was held for the three prettiest girls and the three handsomest boys. No one will know the outcome until the annual comes out.—S. H. S. Tiger's Tale.

Snyder General Hospital

Patients at Snyder General Hospital since last week's report in The Times have included the following:

Medical Patients—Ruth Williams, daughter of Mrs. R. T. Matthews of Snyder; Ellen LaRue Hammons, daughter of Mrs. Mary Ellen Hammons of Snyder; T. C. Clanton of Dermott; Mrs. J. W. May of Route 2, Snyder; Mrs. P. A. Ware of Ira; Mrs. J. L. Weathers of Snyder; R. W. Burney of Snyder; Frank Guzman, son of Paul Guzman (Mexican) of Knap; Iris Cain of Snyder.

Surgery Patients—Margaret Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Walker of Dunn; T. V. Lewis of Snyder; Henry Birdwell of Snyder; Vernon Browning, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Browning of Fluvanna; R. V. Williamson of Snyder; and Mrs. M. K. Hardee of Ira.

Accident Patient—Gale Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Browning of Dermott.

Remaining Patients—Lee Grant of Andrews; Mrs. Clyde Thomas of Snyder; Mrs. Zack Taylor of Snyder; and Mrs. D. S. McGee of Roscoe.

Good manners and soft words have brought many a difficult thing to pass.—Vanbrugh.

Traffic accidents injured more than a million and a quarter Americans last year. Drive carefully!

McKennon Players to Be in Snyder Monday

Harley Sadler is presenting the new Joe McKennon stage show at Snyder for three nights starting Monday, under auspices of the Snyder Fire Department.

"Toby Is Called to Washington" and "Sainted Hypocrites and Honest Sinners" will be two of the plays offered by the McKennon company. Special vaudeville numbers will be featured between acts, including the Stardust Ranch Trio of musicians.

Characters with the show this year include Jacquelyn Adams, James A. Colley, the Dancing Allens, Garland Watson, Eleanor Allen, Turnip Green, and his musicians, Dade and Jerie and Doris Greene.

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Get your two dollars ready! In later years, you will want to remember your high school days, and you can do this by buying an annual today.

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Mrs. J. S. York, Borden Pioneer, Passes Thursday

Resident of Borden County for more than 58 years, Mrs. Martha Bernice Cornelia (J. S.) York died last Thursday afternoon in a local hospital at the age of 90 years.

A native of Mississippi, Mrs. York moved to Texas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Norman Weatherby, 83 years ago. In 1893 she was married to J. S. York in Williamson County.

Funeral services were conducted at the Snyder First Methodist Church Saturday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Hanks, pastor, assisted by Rev. Earl Cresswell, pastor of the North Side Baptist Church, and Rev. M. W. Clark, officiated.

Interment was in the Snyder Cemetery under direction of Odum Funeral Home.

Pallbearers, all grandsons of the West Texas pioneer, were Billy Joe York, Donald York, Lee Francis York, Homer C. York, Joe Rue Lemley and Edward York Murphy.

All things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you do even so to them.—Matthew 7:12

Faith doth nothing alone—nothing of itself, but everything through God, by God, through God.—Stoughton.

Program for the Week: PALACE THEATER

Friday and Saturday, October 15-16—"BLACK BART" in technicolor, with Wynonne De Carlo, Dan Duryea and Jeffrey Lynn.

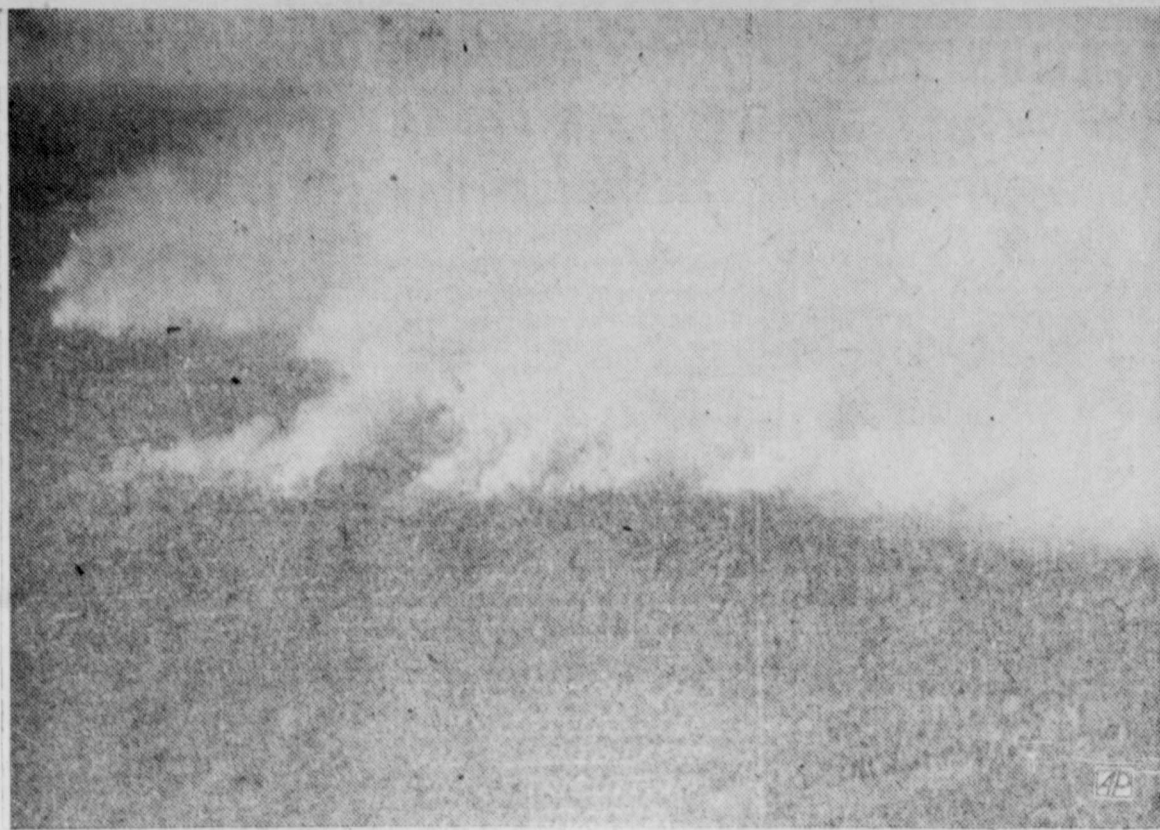
Saturday Night Prevue, October 16—"A WOMAN'S VENGEANCE" featuring Charles Boyer, Ann Blyth and Jessica Handy.

Sunday and Monday, October 17-18—"ON OUR MERRY WAY" with Fred McMurray, Paulette Goddard and Burgess Meredith.

Tuesday, October 19—"NOTORIOUS" starring Cary Gray and Ingrid Bergman.

Wednesday and Thursday, October 20-21—"THE EMPEROR WALTZ" in technicolor, starring Bing Crosby, with Joan Fontaine, Richard Hayden and Lucille Watson.

Friday and Saturday, October 15-16—"CARSON CITY RAIDERS" with Allan Lane.



FOREST FIRES are shown in this air view of forests of Hardin County in East Texas.

where extensive damage to the forests in the area were recorded. One 12,000-acre area in Polk.

Liberty and Hardin County was burned last week. The fires have been checked some.

Protein Feeds for Dairy and Beef Animals Pay Off

Plentiful supplies of feeds at prices much lower than a year ago, and the increased use of high protein feeds for maximum production in the Snyder area and the rest of West Texas, livestock authorities agree.

Extremely small livestock numbers, large feed production and expected demand for meat and milk greatly exceeding the indicated supply are conditions indicating that it will be unusually profitable to feed for fast gains, good finish and maximum production.

Careful management and feeding are essential, however, to take full advantage of this situation. A. L. Ward, educational director of the National Cattle Raisers' Association, points out.

Proper use of protein concentrates, such as cottonseed meal, pellets or cake, is one effective way to increase production and reduce costs.

Protein feeds are essential for the dairy herd and beef cows is increased through liberal feeding of cottonseed meal or cake to supplement grains, dry roughage and grasses.

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Health Units in Counties Reflect Drop in Diseases

Comparing morbidity reports from 10 Texas counties where there are no full-time local health units, with those from 10 other counties where these units afford efficient health protection, reveals a startling difference in the incidence of communicable diseases.

Using as a basis of comparison the common childhood disease of whooping cough, Dr. Cox said that this survey showed that the counties where local health units availed themselves of biologics from the State Health Department were able to hold this communicable disease to a desirable minimum.

"For instance," Dr. Cox said, "take these figures for comparison. In these counties where there are no health units and therefore where no biologics from the State Health Department were used, the following rates of incidence apply, per 100,000 population: Gaines and Floyd, above 1,000; Hale, Dallam, Castro and Cottle, above 300; Carson, above 400; Bailey and Hartley, above 600; and Lipscomb, above 750 cases."

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakey and daughters, Edith and Freida Davis, visited over the week-end in the home of Mrs. Blakey's sister, Mrs. Jack M. Nail at Big Spring.

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Royce Johnston Serves on Carrier In Pacific Trials

Royce Johnston, aviation boat-swallow's mate first class of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnston of Snyder, is serving aboard the aircraft carrier U. S. S. Boxer, according to a release to The Times from the Navy news center.

The Boxer is participating in the amphibious training exercises in Southern California under the command of Rear Admiral B. J. Rodgers, commander of the Amphibious Force of the Pacific Fleet.

Navy and Marine Corps teamwork, which brought success to amphibious campaigns in World War II, is reproduced and expanded as new men are trained to take the place of veterans no longer in uniform.

Santa Fe Carloadings Show Drop from 1947. Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending October 9, 1948, were 29,955 compared with 29,667 for the same week in 1947.

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Cotton Crop Forecast At 15,079,000 Bales

Department of Agriculture last Friday forecast from Washington this year's cotton crop at 15,079,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight.

This figure is 140,000 bales less than the 15,219,000 forecast a month ago. Last year's crop was 11,857,000 bales and the 10-year (1937-46) average was 12,014,000 bales.

Yield of lint cotton per acre was indicated at 310.3 pounds, compared with 287.3 pounds last year and 354.2 for the 10-year average.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
D. G. Robinson vs. Hugh Berry, et al. No. 4475 in the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.

State of Texas. To Hugh Berry, if living, and if dead, then to the unknown heirs of Hugh Berry, deceased; R. S. Sowell, if living, and if dead, then to the unknown heirs of R. S. Sowell, deceased; Mrs. Nannie Wilks, if living, and if dead, then to the unknown heirs of Mrs. Nannie Wilks, deceased; and to Fred Banners, if living, and if dead, then to the unknown heirs of Fred Banners, deceased; also to all persons claiming any interest in the hereinafter described land and premises, to-wit: Lot No. two (2) and Lot No. four (4) of Block No. forty-one (41) of the Blankenship Addition to the Town of Snyder, in Scurry County, Texas; under one or more of the following described conveyances, to-wit:

Warranty Deed, dated September 19, 1890, recorded in Volume 3, page 124, Deed Records of Scurry County, Texas, executed by B. Blankenship to R. S. Sowell of Scurry County, Texas, as grantee;

Warranty Deed, dated February 3, 1888, recorded in Volume 3, page 21, Deed Records of Scurry County, Texas, executed by B. Blankenship to Mrs. Nannie Wilks of Scurry County, Texas, as grantee;

Warranty Deed, dated August 5, 1898, recorded in Volume 6, page 56, Deed Records of Scurry County, Texas, executed by A. C. Wilmeth to Hugh Berry of Scurry County, Texas, as grantee;

Warranty Deed, dated June 5, 1893, recorded in Volume 3, page 264, Deed Records of Scurry County, Texas, executed by D. G. Kincaid to Fred Banners of Scurry County, Texas, as grantee;

All of the above being defendants in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Scurry County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said county in the City of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of Monday, the 29th day of November, 1948, and answer the petition of D. G. Robinson, plaintiff in Cause No. 4475 styled D. G. Robinson vs. Hugh Berry et al, in which D. G. Robinson is plaintiff and all persons to which this citation is directed, whether individual or by class, are defendants; which petition was filed in said court on the 12th day of October, 1948, and the nature of which suit is as follows:

Suit in trespass to try title as well

as for damages and in which plaintiff pleads title in himself by virtue of the five and ten-year statute limitation; plaintiff pleading that defendants are claiming some interest in the land involved, which casts a cloud upon the title. Plaintiff sues for title and for removal of cloud from his title. The land involved is Lot No. two (2) and Lot No. four (4) of Block No. forty-one (41), Blankenship Addition to the Town of Snyder, in Scurry County, Texas.

If this citation is not served with, in 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness: Eunice Weathersbee, clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the City of Snyder, this 12th day of October, 1948.—Eunice Weathersbee, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas. 19-4c



TO TEXAS—Byron (Santone) Townsend, Texas' greatest high school football player of 1947, has enrolled at the University of Texas and is here shown working out with the Longhorn freshmen. Townsend was the most widely sought football player in the state. He delayed for months his decision as to which school he would choose. He was all-state back at Odessa.

Winter Grains to Provide Pastures For Area Stock

Fall planting time is here for Scurry County farmers, and that means farmers and stockmen will have to begin deciding what they will need in the way of temporary pastures for this fall and winter, points out Oscar Fowler, county agent.

Oats, barley, wheat, rye and emmer are the small grains commonly grown in Texas for grain, forage or a combination of the two. Fowler says if you are looking for a good, winter-hardy small grain try barley, wheat or rye.

Barley produces big yields of forage early in the fall. Wheat, rye and emmer do not get off to such a good start, but will produce forage later on around springtime if used for grazing altogether. Oats fits right in between these crops after barley begins to fade out, and before the wheat, rye and emmer get started. As a straight forage plant, oats is picked over barley or wheat because cattle like the mature heads better than the full grown barley or wheat heads.

Rye is best adapted to the sandy loam soils of the state.

Early October planting of small grain will produce plenty of early fall and winter grazing if you get some good weather, Fowler declares. Better yields are made with plenty of soil nitrogen. A legume crop ahead of the small grain will provide this nitrogen, or it may be applied as commercial fertilizer when the grain is planted.

Stock take to Madrid, the biennial yellow sweet clover, better than they do to hubam sweet clover, the annual white variety. Madrid, seeded in the early fall, makes an excellent supplementary cool season pasture, and matures seed following summer, says Fowler. It is also fine in Johnson grass pastures.

Now is the time for fall pastures.

COTTON QUIZ

HOW MANY DRESSES CAN BE MADE FROM ONE BALE OF COTTON?

APPROXIMATELY 400 DRESSES CAN BE MADE FROM ONE BALE OF COTTON.

Barker Too Much For Tigers Friday As Wolves Win

There was too much Barker on the Colorado City High School football field Friday night as Coach Tommy Beene's Snyder High Tigers invaded the Wolf den in the city to the south. The final score was 27 to 18.

But the game was far from a push-over for the heavier and more experienced Colorado City lads, as indicated by the first downs. The Tigers racked up 12 first downs to 13 for the Wolves.

The tilt was the Tigers' second conference melee in District 6-A (West) competition, and the first conference tilt for the Wolves.

Tiger scores were by Billy Sims, who went over center on a six-yard plunge; Donald Jones, who made a sashay around end for 25 yards; and Willie Martin, who took a pass from Max Coffee and ran 17 yards to pay dirt.

Barker, recently named as the outstanding Class A player of the district, scored three touchdowns for his team. He went over the big stripe on a 14-yard hike, on a 15-yard trapeze and returned a kickoff 65 yards and a tally.

Forced to punt only twice, Barker averaged 47½ yards, topping his season's average last year of 40.3 yards.

The other Wolf touchdown was a pass from Corky Brown to Phillip Conway that was good for 16 yards. Conway kicked three extra points.

In addition to being noted for its bluegrass region with its fine stock, Kentucky boasts of its tobacco production, which is second largest in the nation. Corn is the state's second largest crop, its oil production is considerable and its manufacturing, transportation and financial interests are large.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas. To R. W. Garrett, whose residence is unknown, and the unknown heirs of R. W. Garrett, deceased, defendants:

You are hereby commanded to be and appear before the District Court of the 116th Judicial District of Texas, to be held in and for the County of Dallas at the courthouse thereof, in the City of Dallas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days from the date of this citation, being Monday, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1948, then and there to answer to the first amended petition of Paul C. Teas, filed in said court on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1948, against the said R. W. Garrett and Otis Garrett, each a resident of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and R. W. Garrett, whose residence is unknown, and the unknown heirs of R. W. Garrett, deceased, and Coffield & Guthrie, Inc., a private corporation, Fullerton Oil Company, a private corporation, and I. Weiner, for suit, said suit being numbered 22,879-P, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit: Trespass to try title and to recover an undivided 3-16th interest in and to the oil, gas and other minerals in and under the following described land situation in Mitchell and Scurry Counties, Texas; for an accounting, damages, costs of suit and general relief: The southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section 99, Block 97, H. & T. C. RR. Co. Survey in Mitchell and Scurry Counties, Texas; and being the land patented by the State of Texas to George F. Evans, dated July 26, 1946, recorded in Volume 4, Page 88, of the Patent Records of Scurry County, Texas; and being Patent No. 309, Volume 3-B, in the office of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, State of Texas.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make answer as the law requires. If this citation is not served within 90 days after its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

Witness: Bill Shaw, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in City of Dallas, this 16th day of September, A. D. 1948.—Attest: Bill Shaw, Clerk, District Courts, Dallas County. By Ruth Lanier, Deputy. 16-4c

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Hermleigh News

Mrs. Olan Culp, Correspondent

There has been no news from the Hermleigh community for several weeks due to the illness of our correspondent. We will try to continue our letter regularly now, and will appreciate help from people of the community.

Hermleigh received a good rain last Saturday. It came too late for most of the crops this year, but everyone was proud to see it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cross spent last week vacationing at El Paso. She went by way of Roswell, New Mexico, and Ruidoso, where she visited in the homes of friends. At El Paso she visited her brother. She returned by way of Big Spring and visited Mrs. J. B. Leslie, who underwent an operation recently. They reported her doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith visited relatives at Cooper the past week.

Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benard Gleastine was buried Tuesday afternoon in the Hermleigh Cemetery. The baby was born October 11 at Young Hospital in Roscoe.

Joe Drennan is at home after having been at Galveston for several weeks receiving medical attention. He seems to be improving. We are glad to report Mrs. Drennan able to be up a part of the time since a heart attack some time ago.

Attending the workers' meeting at Palava First Baptist Church were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Norris, Bro. C. E. Leslie and wife and Bro. Bob Creswell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Campbell have moved into their new home, although Mrs. Campbell says they still have quite a lot of finishing work to do.

One nice thing about a one-way street is that you can only be bumped from the rear.

Schiebel Talks on Communist Plan To Control World

"Communism Exposed" was the topic of a very timely talk made Tuesday at noon by William Schiebel at the weekly luncheon of the Snyder Lions Club. He explained the motives and methods of Communists in the entire world today, and warned members of the civic group to be careful of their contacts with the subversive elements that are becoming bolder day by day all over the world.

Five proposals were submitted as effective ways to counteract movements by Communists in the United States at the close of Schiebel's talk.

A quiz on District Governor W. J. Riley of Big Spring, conducted by Lion M. H. Roe, revealed a dearth of knowledge of the regional official. The tall twister enjoyed a rushing business in the expose of ignorance in the quiz.

Entertainment committee working on plans for the semi-annual ladies' night that is slated October 26 announced that definite plans for the event will be given next luncheon day. Committee is composed of J. M. Newton, W. D. Harra and Cal Calloway.

Guest at the Tuesday gathering was James Rosser, new Snyder attorney.

Having too much money not only goes to a woman's head, but finds its way to her back.

PLAIN TALKS ON BANKING—

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Mrs. Frank Farquhar, Correspondent
T. E. Tidwell and family of Bronte visited the Jim Springfields over the week-end.

A WORLD OF FOOD

Advertisement for World of Food featuring images of food products and a testimonial about a French word for biscuits.

BUY SELL and RENT Classified

Advertisement for Classified Advertising Rates and Miscellaneous items like tractor tires and light fixtures.

Arthritis Pain
For quick, delightfully comforting help for aches and pains of Rheumatism, Arthritis, Neuritis, Lumbago, Sciatica, or Neuralgia try Remid.

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Dermott News

Wynnone Wilson, Correspondent
Dermott community received a big rain Saturday.

Union News

Mrs. J. B. Adams, Correspondent
This community received a good rain Saturday.

Plainview News

Pat Pogue, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pogue and Patsy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Tombs and Gloria at Fluvanna.

News from the Flat

Mary Baker, Correspondent
Snyder Negro School opened Monday morning with an enrollment of 30, according to Eunice Johnson, teacher.

State Fair of Texas

Advertisement for the State Fair of Texas, highlighting 'The Big Show' and listing various exhibits.

LUMBER - SHEETROCK
Cash and Carry Prices
2x4 3/4-inch Sheet Rock \$4.50 per 100

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SHOP THESE USED CAR VALUES AT BICKERSTAFF'S:
In Our New Location Just East of Texas Company Agency

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One 1940 Ford Tudor
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Drive in Today for ENGINE TUNE-UP and Winter Lubrication
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EZELL MOTOR CO.
Twenty-Four Hour Wrecker Service
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We wish to thank each and every one who in any way helped during the recent illness and death of our mother and grandmother.

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BEAUTIFUL INLAID LINOLEUM
Six and nine-foot yard goods and 9x12 rugs...

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FOR SALE—1947 Chevrolet club coupe; like new.—J. C. Morgan, 3009 Avenue U or phone 267-W. 19-1tc

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EXTRA VALUES **OCTOBER IS ANTHONY MONTH** **EXTRA SAVINGS**

80 Sq. COTTON PERCALE

WASH FROCKS

Values to 3.98

\$2.79

10 to 52

At this amazingly low price, 80 square prints. Fully sanforized for permanent colors. Florals, checks, plaids and stripes. 10 to 20, 38 to 44, 46 to 52.



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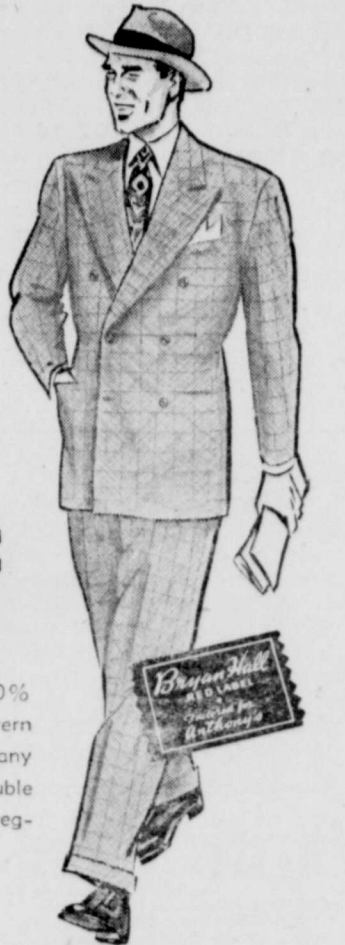
FRIDAY October 15

8 Big Days of Extra Savings

In the Southwest it's Anthony's first for honest-to-goodness quality merchandise at prices you can afford to pay. Anthony's is a Southwestern Retail Organization owned and operated by southwesterners that know the needs of YOU southwesterners. Anthony's, famous for every day low prices, brings you during this Big 8 day sale lower prices on many regular every day items and plenty of brand new fall items at extra special low prices. Many of Anthony's outstanding values are shown on these pages, thousands are not! It will pay you to shop at Anthony's Tomorrow and every day. Anthony's serve you better and save you more!

**100% All Wool
Worsted
SUITS**

Famous "BRYAN HALL"



20% Off

Large selection of hard finished 100% wool worsteds in every type of pattern imaginable... some solid colors. Many hand tailored details. Single and double breasted models. Slims, shorts, and regulars. 36 to 46.

**100% ALL WOOL
JACKSHIRT**

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\$4.98 - \$6.90

12 to 20 \$5.90



Colorful new block check Jack-shirt. 100% all wool in assorted colors. Boys or mens sizes. As illustrated.

**Zelan Treated
JACKET**

Sizes 36 to 42 **\$3.98**

Rain proofed and wind resistant Cotton Poplin Jacket. Two side slash pockets and zipper breast pocket. Zipper front closing. 36 to 42.



**Work and Sport
CLOTH HAT**

Tan shade cotton poplin work or sport hat. Stitched brim. Poplin is sanforized. Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. **98c**



BLUE JEANS

Boys' 8-ounce

\$1.49

2 to 16

Sanforized blue denim with that snug fit cut. Copper rivets and orange stitching trim. Amazingly low priced. 2 to 16.

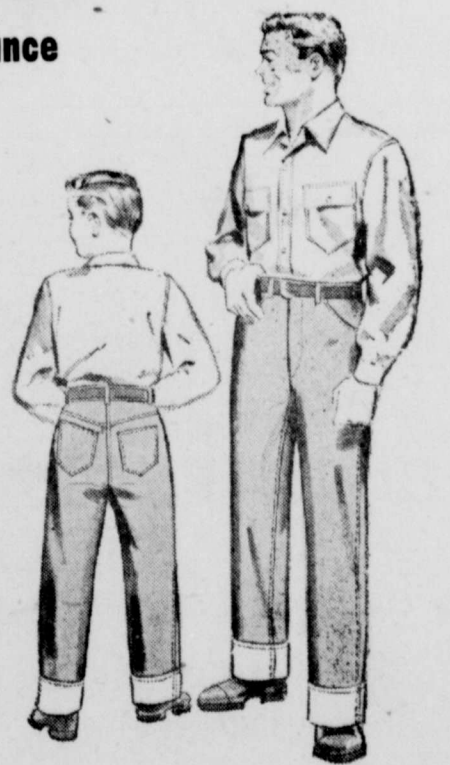
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Coarse Weave

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Extra heavy 11 ounce coarse weave white back blue denim... Guaranteed western cut style... Smooth rivet trim. 28 to 42.



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"Dan River" **WOVEN PLAID DRESSES** **\$6.90**

Beautifully styled of "Dan River" sanforized plaid, and check deep-tone background chambrays. Dressy or tailored styles. Sizes 10 to 44.

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NOT A CLEARANCE BUT A **SPECIAL SALE OF BRAND NEW FALL FASHION FOOTWEAR!**

- Suede Leather
- Kid Leathers
- Calf Skins
- High Heels
- Medium Heels
- Pumps
- Sandals

Values to as High as \$9.90

\$5.00

Anthony's entire stock of dressy style shoes included in this sale. All are brand new fall styles and fall arrivals. Every imaginable style in high and medium type heels. Every imaginable color. And all leathers in suede and smooth finishes. Don't miss this outstanding shoe sale of womens and misses high style shoes. All widths in sizes 4 to 9.



**E and W 80 Square
QUADRIGA PERCALE**

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The world's finest 80 square percale. Full 36 inches wide. Brand new patterns with blending solid colors. Some new patterns have 3 and 4 color combinations. Large and small prints, stripes, plaids, dots. Sanforized and vat dyed colors. 36-inches wide.

36-in. Pinwale **CORDUROY** **\$1.69** yd.

Rose, grey, brilliant red, pine green, brown, open blue and other shades to select from. Narrow pinwale weave. Ideal for fall and winter wear.

39-in. Washable **PRINTED CREPE** **\$1.19** yd.

Wide 39 inch washable Rayon French Crepe. Extra fine quality suitable for dresses, housecoats, robes for women and children. Guaranteed washable.

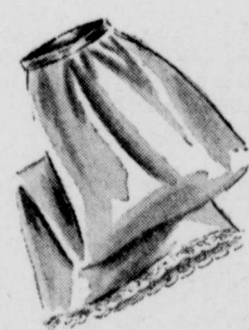
39-in. Rayon **GABARDINE** **98c** yd.

All the new fall shades in a crease-resistant fine woven rayon gabardine. Suitable for fall suits, dresses, skirts, etc. 36 inches wide.

36-in. **STRIPED OUTING** **33c** yd.

Wide and narrow striped cotton outing. Heavily napped on both sides. Sanforized and color fast. Save at this price.

20x40 Double Loop



Satin Stripe **Pelticoat** **98c**

Satin stripe Rayon knit Half slip. Lace trim bottom, elastic waistband. White, pink, maize, blue. S, M, L.



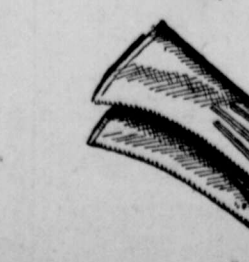
Satin Stripe **BRIEFS** **39c**

Outstanding at this price. Pastels in maize, blue, teal, rose and white. S, M, L. Brief styles.



Tuckstitch UNDIES **49c** ea.

Cotton tuckstitch brief, panty or vest. Warm and serviceable. Tealrose. S, M, L.



KID GLOVES **\$2.98**

Soft pliable cowskin leather. Tailored or fancy stitch design. 6 1/2 to 8.

Cotton Knit **Balbriggan GOWNS** **\$2.98**

For lounging or pleasant dreaming. Soft, warm, good looking Balbriggan gowns with or without collar. Pink, blue, maize. 34 to 40.



100% Pure **NYLON Sweater** **\$2.98**

Luscious colors in 100% nylon. Short puff type sleeves. Rib knitting at waist. 34 to 40.



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Extra large scarf, rolled edge. 100% pure silk. Solids or ombre patterns.



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Snyder, Texas

Cotton Prices Go Up Slightly Last Week on Markets

Cotton prices were fairly steady in moderately active spot markets this week, according to the Department of Agriculture's weekly release to The Times. A cotton crop of 15,679,000 bales of 500 pounds gross was forecast by the Crop Reporting Board.

Loan entries reported to CCC during the last week of September totaled 188,000 bales. The world supply of cotton for the 1948-49 season is expected to total about 43,200,000 bales, slightly more than last season. Rains in most sections east of the Mississippi River retarded harvesting and caused some local damage to open cotton. Harvesting made good progress in most Southwestern and far Western areas during the week.

Spot cotton prices continued to fluctuate within a narrow range this week and on Thursday, October 7, the 10 market average for middling 15-16 inch was 31.24 cents per pound compared with 31.22 cents a week earlier and 31.32 a year ago. The average spot price for the week ended Wednesday was 31.25 cents per pound against 31.17 cents for the preceding week.

Grade premiums were about unchanged during September. Staple premiums for the medium lengths narrowed during the month, but those for 1 1/4 inch and longer widened sharply. Discounts for the lower grades and shorter staples continue to narrow. Reports indicated that in some markets cotton was being sold by farmers at "hog round" prices which for some of the medium and higher qualities were below loan values.

Spot cotton markets were moderately active this week, and spot sales increased in volume. Reported sales in the 10 spot markets rose to 316,200 bales, a substantial increase over last week's total of 254,600 bales but far below the 398,600 reported in the corresponding week a year ago. Mills were reported to be buying in moderate volume. There were numerous inquiries from France, Italy and Germany for low middling and higher grades of 1/2-inch through 1 1/2-inch staples. Prices offered were considered unattractive by most merchants and the volume of sales for export was reported as small.

Loan entries reported to CCC through September 30 totaled 536,700 bales against 348,800 a week earlier. The cotton gray goods market was quiet during the week, and only scattered sales were reported.

Carry-over of cotton in the United States on August 1, 1948, averaged higher in grade and about the same in average staple length as that of a year earlier. The proportion falling in the lower grades and shorter staple lengths was considerably less than for other recent years. This year's carry-over of a little more than 3,000,000 bales was about 25 per cent of a year's requirements. About 75 per cent of carry-over was strict low middling or higher in grade and 90 per cent was 15-16 inch or longer in staple.

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HOPE FOR A HARVEST

By COLLIER



LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY DROP AS MOST OTHER PRODUCTS HOLD

Livestock and poultry dropped to lower levels during the past week, but most other Southwest farm products sold steady to strong, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration weekly release to The Times.

Butcher hogs and sows fell \$2.50 to \$3.75 at Texas markets last week and around \$1 or more at other terminals. Stocker pigs dropped as much as \$5 at some places. Greatly lowered offerings in Monday's trade regained 50 cents, to \$1 of last week's drop. Top hogs reached \$24.50 to \$25 in Texas and \$25.50 to \$26.75 elsewhere.

Cattle and calves sold sharply lower last week as receipts at major terminals increased. Sharply reduced marketings Monday found Texas markets fully steady to strong, but some classes still showed easiness at other terminals. Cows and calves figured prominently in receipts.

Good calves reached \$24 at San Antonio and Houston. Killing calves sold mainly from \$23 down at Oklahoma City and Kansas City. Good and choice grades brought \$20 to \$24.50 at Fort Worth and \$20 to \$22 at Wichita.

Sheep markets of the Southwest showed considerable easiness last week, as receipts continued heavy. This week's opening markets ruled mostly steady to strong. Best ewes sold Monday up to \$8.75 at Kansas City and Wichita. Medium ewes brought \$7.75 at Denver, and good ewes sold up to \$9.50 at Fort Worth.

Fall wool brought mostly 40 to 45 cents per grease pound in Texas. Southwest poultrymen received a little better price for eggs during the past week. Fresh eggs found especially good demand, partly because cooler weather improved quality of current receipts. Hens held firm at most Southwest markets, with receipts unseasonably light. However, hens sold slightly lower in Denver and in the Central West. Spring chickens, also weakened, and turkeys showed general easiness.

Fruit and vegetable markets showed a better tone for the week. Terminal markets paid higher prices for many products, although a few tended downward. Monday's weakness erased some of last week's grain advances, but all except barley showed net gains. Yellow corn retained a rise of seven

to eight cents a bushel for the week, and milo six cents per 100 pounds. Other changes did not exceed two cents a bushel. No. 2 yellow corn closed at \$1.75 to \$1.80 at Texas common points.

Feed markets showed general weakness under pressure of increased seasonal movement of new crop feed grains. Improved demand strengthened hay markets. Demand for shelled peanuts continued slow, while farmers' stock sold at support prices.

Abilene Man to Talk At Murphy Sunday

Rev. Alfred Altum of Abilene is scheduled to preach Sunday morning and night, October 17, at the Murphy Church, in the southeast corner of Borden County, it was announced this week by members of the congregation.

People of the Murphy community, and from surrounding areas, are invited to attend the two services.

Picture-Graph Shows Progress Of Oil Industry

An entertaining picture-graph on the progress of the petroleum industry furnished the program for the weekly luncheon of Snyder Rotary Club last Thursday noon at the Snyder Country Club. Provided by the Gulf Oil Corporation through Herman Doak, local distributor, the picture was shown by Douglas Campbell.

Tracing the development of the oil industry from the discovery of the first oil well in this country 89 years ago to the present time, the picture-graphs, with appropriate monologue, presented interestingly a review of the enormous ramifications of the industry, from drilling through processing and delivering to consumers of hundreds of by-products of black gold.

Statistics of the enormity of the industry were revealing to Rotarians as figures showed the oil industry as one of the biggest businesses in the world today.

Plans are shaping up for a ladies' night program during the latter part of October, it was announced by President W. A. Casseday. A Halloween theme will be used at the semi-annual social gathering.

Besides Mr. Campbell, other guests at last Thursday's luncheon were Lem Neely of Abilene and Harold Neely of Abilene.

Many employees are like a certain processed coffee: 98 per cent of the active ingredients have been removed from the bean.

COTTON QUIZ

HOW DID HOPI INDIANS USE COTTON IN THEIR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES?



AND IN THE HOPI PRAYERS FOR RAIN, BILLOWY MASSES OF COTTON SYMBOLIZE RAIN CLOUDS!

Three Hunters Leave For Colorado Monday

Three more Scurry County hunters left Monday morning for the deer and elk country of Western Colorado. They will hunt out of a ranch territory near Creed.

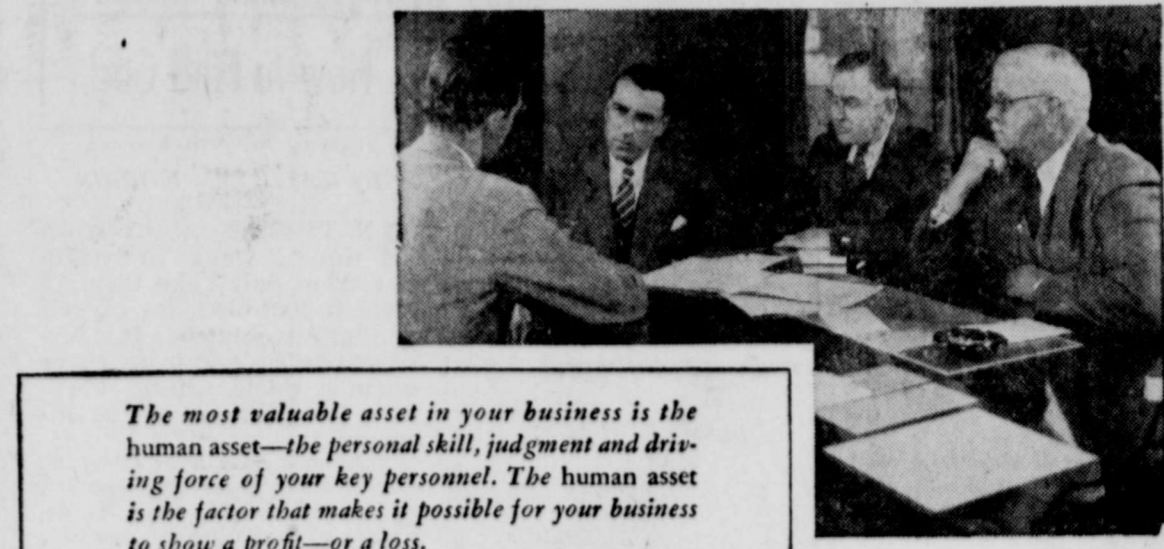
Paul Burns, Howard Franklin and P. A. Ware greased their guns, put on heavier-than-this-clime clothes and headed northwest with high hopes of downing some of the fleet-footed animals. They are slated to return home this week-end.

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Binder Twine LARGE BALL \$2.10 PER BALE \$12.40

Pinto Beans RECLEANED, 5-LB. BAG 49¢ SACK 100-LB. \$8.85

FRUITS and VEGETABLES



GRAPES	Red Tokays, Per Pound	10c
GRAPEFRUIT	Seedless, Each	10c
Sweet YAMS	East Texas, Per Pound	8c
ONIONS	Yellow or White—Lb.	7c
SPUDS	Nice Whites, 10-Lb. Bag	49c
CARROTS	Fresh, Crisp, 2 Bunches for	15c

COFFEE

ADMIRATION, 1-LB. JAR 50¢

CANNED FOODS

Tomato JUICE	Del Monte, No. 2 Can	10c
PEACHES	Tree Ripened, Heavy Syrup—No. 2 1/2 Can	25c
Canned MILK	Pet or Carnation, Two Cans for	29c
SALMON	Del Monte, Red—Per Can	69c
TOMATOES	Standard Pack, Two No. 2 Cans	25c
BABY FOOD	Any Kind, 3 Cans for	23c

Oatmeal Purity, Regular or Instant—3-Lb. Box 29¢



STEAK	Nice Round, Per Pound	69c
STEAK	Sirloin or T-Bone, Per Pound	59c
HAMBURGER	Fresh Ground, Per Pound	39c
Beef ROAST	Chuck, Per Pound	39c
SAUSAGE	Pure Pork, Per Pound	39c
STEAK	Chuck, Per Pound	43c

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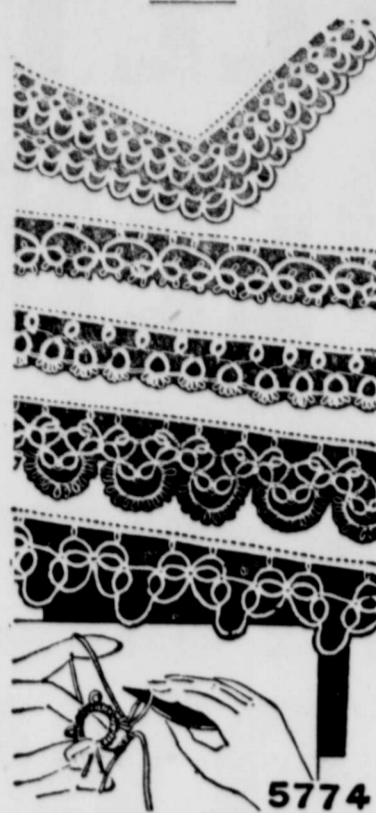
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TERMINAL GRAIN CO. FORT WORTH - 40 Years in Texas -

CHANGE of LIFE? Are you going through the functional "middle age" period peculiar to women (38 to 52 yrs.)?

IT'S TRUE Money spent at home pays community dividends. Money spent away is a town loss.



Notes of a New Yorker

Ise Koch, the convicted Nazi monster who bragged that she used the skin of concentration camp victims to make lampshades, has had her life term cut to four years.

Hollywood's pet pup deals with Mrs. Danny Kaye (Sylvia Fine) whose bigtime lyrics made and kept Danny a star.

Jules Levine relays the one about the woman who tried to return a pair of shoes to a swank Beverly Hills store patronized by movie stars and the elite.

John Edgar Hoover's bronchial pneumonia was aggravated by worry and heartache caused by politicians attempting to have him fired.

Sounds in the Night: At Lindy's "As Maine goes, so what?" ... At the Bagatelle: "I love you more than yesterday and less than tomorrow."

Item: "Ground was broken yesterday for the permanent site of the U. N. in New York."

Quotation Marksmanship: Helen Fraser: She suffers from a hemiclerical complex.

From the N.Y. Star: "Henry Wallace's aide, William Gailmor, has a favorite line that runs like this: 'The Generals don't like us, General Marshall, General Eisenhower, General Motors and General Mills.'"



Dollar-an-Hour Man

WHEN and if Harry Truman leaves the White House, he will have saved—up until 1948—just about \$4,000 a year out of the total \$75,000 annual salary which the people of the United States pay their presidents.

However, in 1948, thanks to the Republican tax cut, his net income will be \$12,000.

Not many people know, for instance, that Truman keeps two large anthologies of poems on a desk by his bedside and, before dropping off to sleep at night, likes to prop himself up in bed and read from the classics.

Truman's secret ambition is to write the history of his own administration, but it will have to wait until his term is finished.

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Presidential Peeve President Truman's pet peeve is the way Senator Ferguson of Michigan handled the former war investigating committee.

Merry-Go-Round George Allen, ex-White House jester, is reported pulling backstage wires to block the sale of the government's Cleveland blast furnace to Henry Kaiser.

Under the Dome Down-to-earth Army Chief of Staff Omar Bradley isn't the kind who will pull his rank—even on an enlisted man.

Reds in Religion? House spy probes plan to follow up their Communist expose with a report on Reds in religion.

WESTERN ALLIES PLACE BERLIN ISSUE BEFORE U.N. AS NEGOTIATIONS FAIL; TWO UNIONS BARRED FROM A-PLANTS

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

'BLACK FURY': Peace Threat

There was no war in sight, yet the East-West situation was starkly dangerous. It was dangerous for the United States, Great Britain, France and Russia—and for the United Nations which now had to thrust its hands into the tangled skein of diplomatic threads and try to straighten out the snarls.

Immediately cause of this inflamed condition in Europe was the blatant bad faith exercised by the Soviets during the 50-day series of talks in Moscow between the three western ambassadors and Stalin and Molotov.

After the three ambassadors, Smith of the U. S., Roberts of England and Chataigneau of France, had left the Soviet capital the western allies made public a 24,000-word "white paper" charging the Russians with waltzing on a secret agreement by Stalin to lift the Berlin blockade.

WHEN the western nations discovered the disillusioning fact that Russia was literally trying to pull a fast one in order to gain control of Berlin, further direct negotiation was patently useless.

Not that anyone hoped the security council would be able to take any effective action. The Russian veto probably would nullify any efforts it might make.

MOTIVES: Russian Washington believes the crisis centering in Berlin will continue at fever pitch at least until next spring—provided it does not explode into total war before then.

It is a bad outlook, of course, from the U. S. viewpoint. But for the Russians the coming six months loom as a golden opportunity to expand their power in Europe and throughout the world.

THEY WILL be able to do this, they believe, because American efforts and sentiment will be divided and weakened by the election campaign.

Official Soviet attitude is that American leaders will be so immersed in domestic affairs that they will be able to give only a fraction of their time to consideration of international developments.



Rose Bushed

No one has yet counted up all the "Tokyo Roses," but it seems like there's one behind every bush. Latest of these is California-born Mrs. Iva Togyru D'Aquino, whom the U. S. government charges with being one of Japan's most ardent wartime radio propagandists.

WHIZ: Rocket Plane

It wasn't the sort of subject that Stuart Symington cared to be very specific about, but the air secretary did hint in an Air Force association speech that the U. S. X-1 rocket-powered research plane might have blasted through the air at a speed of from 950 to 1,000 miles an hour.

AS ORIGINALLY designed, the X-1 was supposed to reach a speed of 1,107 miles an hour at 40,000 feet altitude and 1,700 miles an hour at 80,000 feet.

ANYTHING NEW: Cooler Crisis

HOTTEST QUESTION of the month in Washington for a while was not "Who will win the election?" It was not "Will we get into war?"

BIG LIFT: To Berlin

Despite the smug Russian belief that Berlin could not be supplied from the air, the American air lift to the blockaded German capital has been spectacularly successful.

EXPORTS: Up or Down?

Predictions by the department of agriculture that U. S. grain exports during the current crop year may top last year's record by nearly four million tons was expected to give rise to a cabinet tiff over how much grain should be shipped overseas.

NO ATOMS: Two Unions

Mortally afraid of skulduggery at the atomic crossroads, the government has acted to bar unions whose officers refuse to take the non-Communist oath from their atom bomb plants.

Bill Collector

Russia, the only nation that has not closed its lend-lease account with the U. S., has been asked to pay up pronto.



INTOXICATED AUTO DRIVERS

Another annual conference of the American Association of Motor Vehicle Commissioners has just been held and we never read its speeches and conclusions without feeling that old time vaudeville is back. This time the usual alarm over the ousé at the auto wheel is voiced and the belief expressed that "chemical tests be made to determine the degree of drunkenness of any motorist arrested for, or suspected of, being intoxicated."

What difference does it make? Is it okay if the driver of a high powered car is only slightly pickled? Is it an extenuating circumstance if he is only half drunk? Is there a fine line between roaring down a crowded street two-thirds intoxicated and 100 per cent cracked?

We cling to the childish notion that the wheel of a sedan, bus, beach wagon or truck is no place for an operator who is even partly stiff. And, while we are aware that the courts are hard to convince, we hold the cause of safer traffic will never be aided by the discharge of wild drivers on a ruling that the chemical test revealed the maniac wasn't as drunk as he seemed.

The motor vehicle commissioners noted "difficulty proving reckless driving due to drunkenness and other factors" in the courts. Difficulty is an understatement, brother. But the politicians, the fixers and the smoothies in the profession of law will give their customary all-star performance, even against a chemical report.

And you will be surprised how many judges will rule that the lad who drove through the school zone in an alcoholic haze should be freed with a \$5 fine and put back into heavy traffic with his breath still showing.

Motor vehicle commissioners, you amaze us. You know very well that there is no serious enforcement of motor vehicle laws anywhere, that the highways are jammed with drivers with one or more arrests for drunkenness, that politicians leap to the rescue of the fricasseed operator with the speed of light and that too many motor vehicle commissioners, being political footballs themselves, express resentment only at annual conventions.

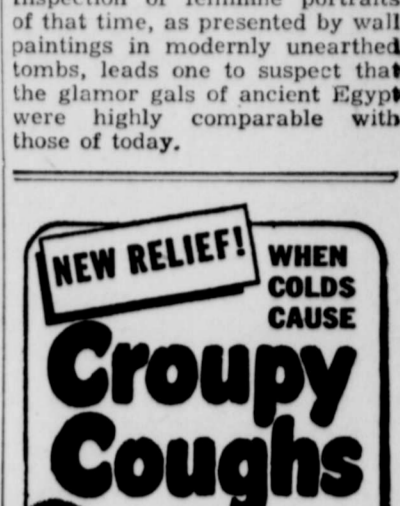
New Car Complaints

The Auto Club of New York says it is deluged with complaints about new model automobiles. Buyers charge that they are hard to handle and park, that the business of building fenders and lamps all into one sheet of metal make repairs exorbitant, that the bumpers are useless and that many so-called innovations are a pain in the neck.

Drama Critics Disagree

"Even a little bit of Morry Amsterdam would be quite a lot in the happiest of circumstances. He is a mediocre wag with siresome persistence."—Brooks Atkinson.

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Dozen Scheduled To Attend Scout Ranch Note Rites

At least 12 Scurry County, Boy Scouters had indicated Tuesday morning they intend to go today (Thursday) to the Boy Scout Ranch in the Davis Mountains to attend note burning ceremonies this afternoon at 5:00 o'clock scheduled by the Buffalo Trail Council.

To be preceded by a big barbecue, the note burning rites, are in connection with the paying off of the indebtedness on the ranch, which was purchased by the 15-county council last year, and is being used by Boy Scouts of the area for camp, ing site.

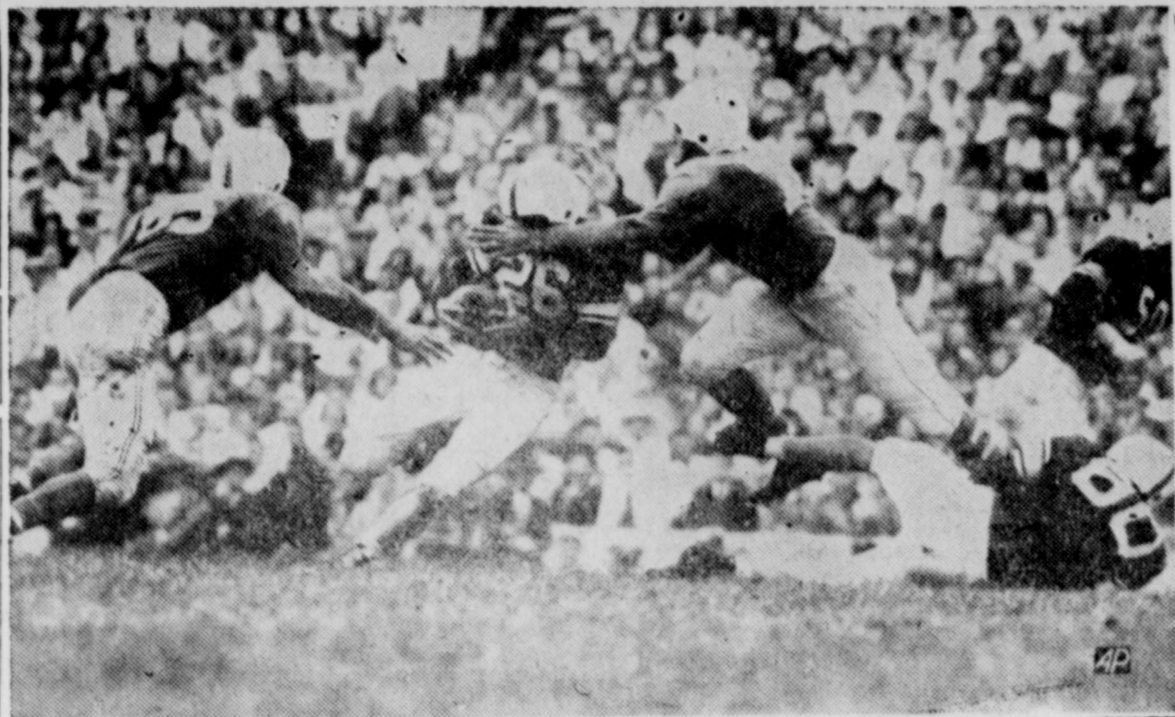
H. L. Wren of Snyder, president of the Buffalo Trail Council, will be a principal in the ceremonies this afternoon.

Scheduled to make the trip were H. L. Wren, Lyle Deffebach, Rev. E. K. Shepherd, Forrest W. Beavers, J. E. Blakey, Nolan von Roeder, Tinsley Rainwater, Edgar Taylor, M. H. Roe Paul Keaton and Willard Jones.

A native of Brooklyn was spending his first day on a dude ranch in Texas. He came back to the bunkhouse with a handful of rattles from an enormous rattlesnake. A ranch hand turned pale when he saw them and said:

"Holy smoke, where'd you get hold of those things?"

The Brooklynite couldn't understand the other's agitation. He explained: "I took them off the biggest worm I ever seen."



OKLAHOMA GAINS—Oklahoma's Jack Mitchell (26), goes through right tackle for a 12-yard gain in the second quarter

of the Oklahoma-Texas game at Dallas Saturday, witnessed by several Scurry County fans. Here Texas Tackle Gene Vykukal (70)

(right) and End Lou Holder (85) go in to stop him. On the ground is OU's End Bobby Goad. Oklahoma won 20 to 14.

Wasn't Worth It.

A Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra had given a special performance in a small New England town. It was a new experience for many of the inhabitants. The next day some of the old-timers, gathered around the stove in the general store were expressing their opinions of the concert.

"Well, all I got to say," commented one old character with finality, "is that was a danged long way to bring that bass drum to bang it only wunst."

NEWEST PLAN CALLS FOR LAKE MILE ABOVE OLD COLORADO SITE

Definite proposals for a huge reservoir on the Colorado River four and one-half miles from Colorado City to serve at least four West Texas was to be submitted today (Thursday) in a meeting at Big Spring, according to M. C. Ulmer, president of the Colorado River Municipal Water Association.

Latest site for the lake would be about a mile and a half above the preliminary site suggested about a year ago, which was found unfeasible because of a salt water intrusion. The new site would impound a lake lying in Scurry and Borden Counties, about 20 miles southwest of Snyder.

Snyder was invited to participate in the lake project more than a

year ago, but the City Council voted unanimously not to enter the plan on the basis being suggested by organizers of the water association. Members of the council said that Snyder was not faced with the water shortage problem like the other towns involved. Ample water facilities for years to come are believed arranged for Snyder.

"The engineers, now have definite data on which Midland, Odessa, Colorado City and Big Spring can determine their future course," Ulmer explained this week. "I am keeping an open mind until we hear the reports."

Organized two years ago, the association enlisted the assistance of the U. S. Geologic Survey and the Texas State Board of Water Engineers, as well as the consulting firm of Freese & Nichols of Fort Worth to investigate possible reservoir sites on the upper Colorado.

The association has discussed the feasibility of a 125-mile pipeline to carry water as far westward as Odessa, and the T. & P. Railway has offered right-of-way for the pipeline.

"Overlooked Lad" to Be Baptist Hour Topic

"The Overlooked Lad" will be the subject of the Baptist Hour talk for Sunday morning, October 17, with Dr. James L. Sullivan of Nashville, Tennessee, as speaker, it was announced this week by Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Snyder.

Heard over Stations WBAF Fort Worth, WOAI San Antonio and KGNC Amarillo at 7:30 a. m., the Baptist Hour series, "Christ Is Lord," will be concluded the last two Sundays in October by Dr. Sullivan, Rev. Shepherd states.

The power of applying attention, steady and undissipated, to a single object is the sure mark of a superior genius.—Chesterfield.

Eight Registrants of Section Get Notices Ordering Physicals

Total of 550 young men who are single and non-veterans in Scurry, Nolan and Fisher Counties have received questionnaires in recent weeks from the three-county Selective Service Draft Board, according to John Stavely of Pluvanna, member of the Board from Scurry County.

Most of these questionnaires are already back in the office now and the young men are being classified.

Recently eight of the group received notices, to report for pre-induction physical examination on Friday, October 15, at Lubbock.

A considerable number of the prospective draftees have been seeking further information from the Sweetwater office, reports Dorothy Blainett, clerk of the board, and Billie McCracken, assistant.

In all there are 2,362 registered

Hermleigh Lady Sells \$6,500 Worth of Cattle

Five Scurry County cattle raisers recently were among big consignors at the Webster Auction Company's sale in Sweetwater, when the day's run totaled more than 900 head, and sales ran in excess of \$100,000.

Mrs. G. K. Cochran of Hermleigh sold 15 white face cows at \$2,430 and 40 head of white face steers for \$4,099.57.

Other sellers were: A. E. Lee of Snyder, whose 14 head of hogs brought up to \$28. John Burney of Snyder sold 13 head of steers up to \$26.60. Frank Wilson's 17 head sold up to \$27.50. Pat Murphy of Ira sold 14 head that topped \$27.10.

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under the present regulations, but the likelihood of being called up at this time is remote for the vast majority of them, Stavely reports.



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One Well Permit Issued Last Week As Area Looes

One Scurry County permit for oil well was issued by the Texas Railroad Commission's oil and gas division last week, according to a release to The Times.

Weekly average of locations for oil tests in West Texas dropped last week to 65.95, the lowest since the last week in April through which it was 68.88. A high of 72.74 was reached through the week of July 18 to 24, inclusive.

The decline was due to the listing of only seven wildcat and 52 field starters in 17 counties, compared with nine wildcats and 65 proven area locations in 16 counties the preceding week. Totals for the first 39 weeks in 1948 became 292 locations for wildcats and 2,289 in fields, a grand total of 2,572. This is far above the 1947 rate, averaging 47.13 weekly.

Andrews gained four wildcat locations last week, Peecos County two and Runnels County one.

Cochran County led in field starters with eight, Crockett recorded seven, Hockley six, Crane and Ector Counties five each, Andrews and Winkler four each, Peecos three, Upton and Gaines Counties two each, and Dawson, Hale, Howard, Reeves, Scurry and Yoakum Counties, one each.

Nine tests were restored to the active list, being scheduled to deepen: Four in Dawson, two in Upton and one each in Hale, Hockley and Yoakum Counties, compared with 11 during the preceding week.

Scurry County's permit was for Cresslen No. 5 Chapman-Polson, 330 feet from the north and 850 feet from the east lines of the south half of the southeast quarter of Section 100, Block 97, Houston & Texas Central Railway Survey. Permitted for 1,700 feet, the well will be drilled with cable tools in the Sharon Ridge 1700 field.

Experience Proved Everything.
There was a heated argument going on in the courtroom one day. The case involved a woman who was hit by a car. The defending lawyer, eager to get his client's innocence across to the jury, said:
"Mr. Smith couldn't be wrong; he's been driving cars for 15 years."
The prosecuting attorney, always a shrewd talker, countered quickly with:
"In that case my client is certainly right. You see, she's been walking for 40 years."

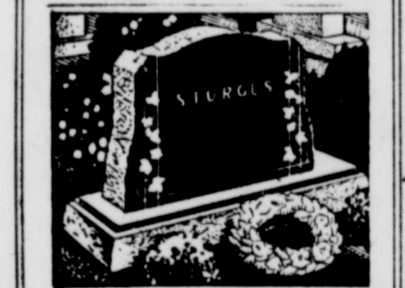
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Cotton Trading Last Week Reported Good

Scurry County cotton farmers are elated over the reports of this week that good demand stirred up more trading in Southwest cotton markets last week than the basic markets have reported in some time, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration's weekly release to The Times.

Sales at Dallas more than doubled those of the previous week at 86,446 bales. Also Houston and Galveston sales ran 18 per cent larger. Total sales at the three markets topped 126,000 bales, about 23 per cent larger than the corresponding week last year.

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New Membership Goals Set Up for Area Boy Scouts

Membership gains of 35 per cent in the Snyder Boy Scout District were set up Tuesday morning by members of the district executive committee when it met in monthly breakfast and business session at the Manhattan dining room, reports Lyle Deffebach, district chairman.

The goals will reflect a gain of little more than a third over the membership in the district as of January 1, 1948. The increases are due to be reported by December 31 in the Snyder area.

Emphasis is to be placed on organization and reorganization of troops at Ira, Hermleigh, Dunn, Pyron, Fluvanna and Union, as well as another troop for Snyder, Deffebach declared at the meeting.

Individual goals for Boy Scouts, Cubs and Senior Scouts are one new recruit, and advancement of at least one rank by the end of the year. Individual and troop unit awards are scheduled to be given.

Forrest W. Beavers is district extension and membership chairman, and Phil Burns is district advancement chairman.

A new field executive is slated to move to Snyder by October 20, to replace Jim Polk, who has been transferred to Tyler, it was reported at the breakfast.

Attending the Tuesday morning gathering were Deffebach, Rev. E. K. Shepherd, Paul Keaton, H. L. Wren, Bill Schiebel, D. V. Merritt Sr., J. E. Blakey, Leighton Griffin, Forrest Beavers and Willard Jones.

Every man who observes vigilantly and resolves steadfastly grows unconsciously into genius.—Bulwer.

Other things may be seized with might, or purchased with money, but knowledge is to be gained only with study.—Johnson.

Election Fraud Case Still Not Settled Yet

It looked this week as though the election fraud charges brought by U. S. senatorial candidates had not been settled.

District Judge L. Broter of San Diego, Texas, has ordered a Duval County grand jury to investigate alleged election irregularities and announced he planned to take similar action in Jim Wells County.

The grand jury in Jim Wells County will convene the latter part of this month. Duval, Jim Wells and Zapata Counties are those in which Senate Candidate Coke Stevenson had charged election fraud in the second Democratic primary election.

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The plaintiff's witnesses swore to the facts of the accident, and things were going very nicely for him, when one of their number was suddenly beset with an attack of conscience and during a recess repaired to the judge's chambers and confessed to the frame-up.
The judge rushed back into the courtroom with fire in his eye, determined to make an immediate revelation of the perjurers. But he was brought up short in his resolution when the traction company's attorney suddenly produced three witnesses prepared to swear that the plaintiff was drunk when he boarded the street-car.

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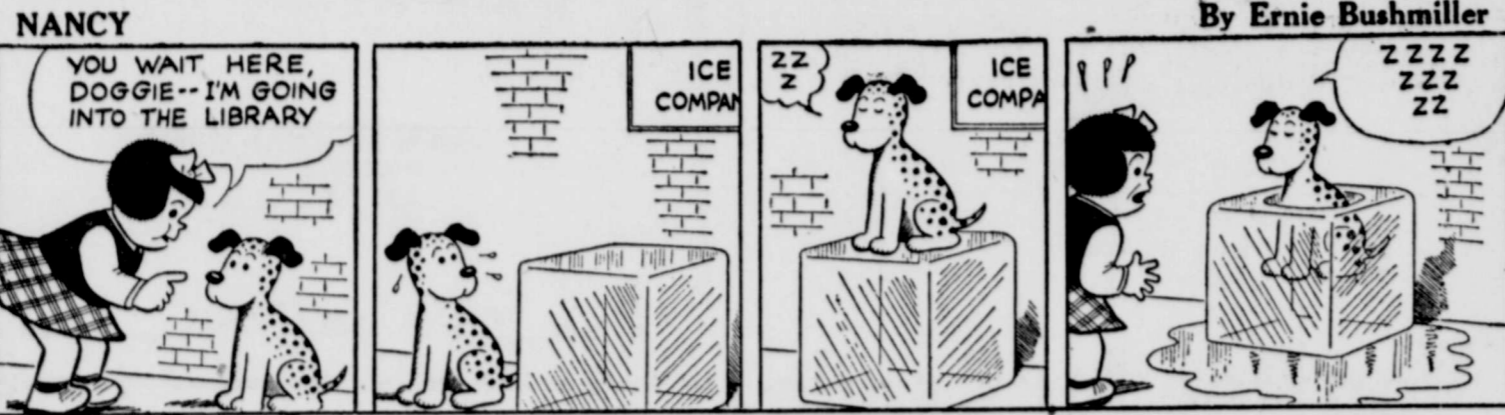
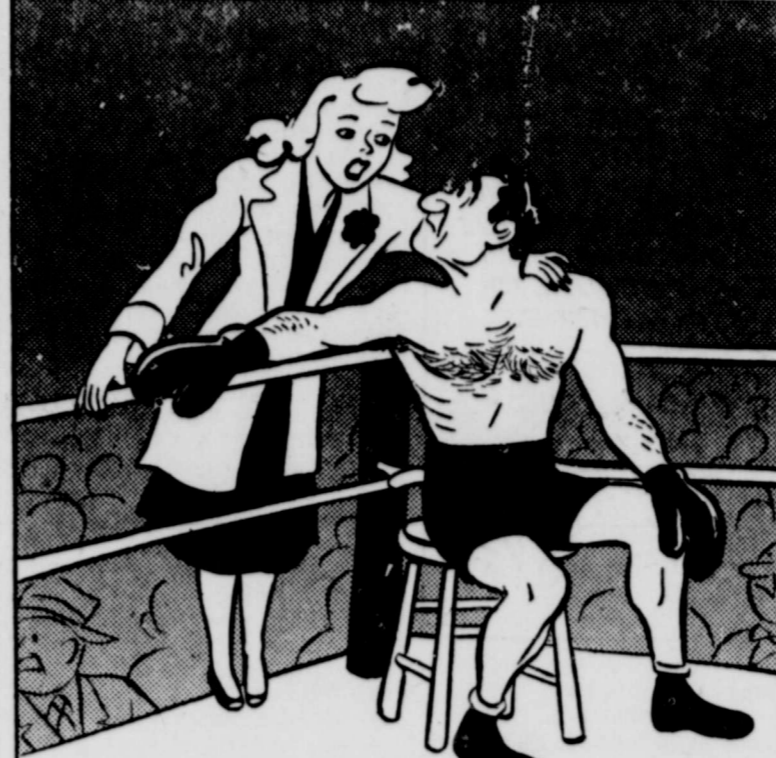
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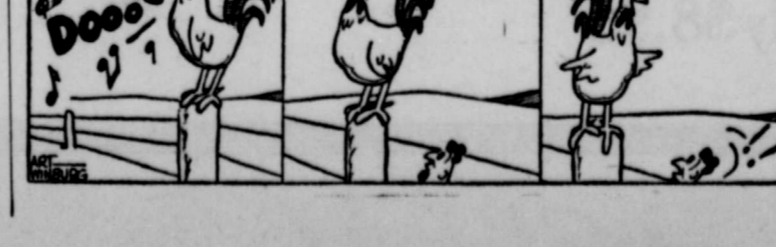
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Record Number Qualified to Vote But Interest Low

While more people are qualified to vote in Scurry County and most of the rest of Texas counties than ever before, the trend in the nation also is toward a record vote in the general election slated for November 2. The United States will have about 95,000,000 men and women of voting age by election day, November 2, the census bureau at Washington estimated Saturday night.



BRITISH MADE—When Matilda Nail of Fort Worth, 1948 Maid of Cotton, returned home recently after a whirlwind visit in England and France, she was laden with gifts of typical British and French high fashion cottons. Here, she wears an evening ensemble by Britain's Marjorie Chapman in Roesen cotton. It is designed in fine voile made of Sea Island cotton and printed in a vivid abstract design.

Screwball's Partner.
A young medical lieutenant who walked past the psychiatric ward each morning and watched one of the inmates go through the motions of winding up and pitching an imaginary ball, was finally asked by one of his friends why he stopped daily and watched the screwball go through his act.

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Town Hall Offers Quality

Cites the size of Snyder has always had difficulty in securing programs of outstanding artists of the country for personal appearances because of the prohibitive costs. But that time has passed now. The Snyder Town Hall recently started a movement to bring leading musicians, speakers and other entertainers to Snyder and West Texas.

Current Comment

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By LEON GUINN.
Do not be surprised if the National Resources Board comes through soon with recommendations that U. S. oil production be drastically curtailed (for conservation purposes). . . . Such a plan would be primarily aimed at discouraging additional conversion of coal to oil heaters and would tend to stress the urgency of mining more coal. . . . If we plan to entertain the idea of dropping U. S. oil production by 1,000,000 barrels daily, one may expect a general crude price hike and a renewed plea for rationing.

How Much Is a Boy Worth?

About a dozen Scurry County Boy Scout leaders were scheduled to go today (Thursday) to the recently acquired Boy Scout Ranch of the Buffalo Trail Council in the Davis Mountains. The trip will be a tour of inspection of the 6,000-acre camping site as well as opportunity for the men to participate in the note burning ceremonies scheduled for late this afternoon at the park.

Revival in Thrift Is in Order

Without something of an 'easy come, easy go' attitude, prevalent during the war years when personal incomes soared to new high levels, a large segment of our population seems to have discarded the worthwhile habit of thrift. An Albuquerque banker, Oscar M. Love, suggested in an address before the New Mexico Bankers Association that it might serve an important purpose if that group would start a campaign for a return to old fashioned American thrift.

Editorial of the Week

FIGURE OUT THIS ONE
Just 12 years ago the national administration was spending a bit less than \$5,000,000,000 to stimulate business and make prices go zooming upward. Now the national administration is spending about eight times as much money as it did in 1936 and appealing all the time for the election of Truman and Barkley in order to "whip high prices."

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First of all, stockpiling of critical and strategic materials for security cannot be undertaken haphazardly because we depleted so many raw materials during World War II. . . . Second, a real stockpiling of crucial goods means that all our marginal mines, all our stripper oil wells must be put into full production and this means still higher prices for the commodities so produced. . . . Third, Americans themselves have done a great deal to sabotage stockpiling efforts of needed goods. . . . The buying of materials started in 1946—on a small scale—and has only recently been put into high gear (because large scale buying two years ago would have driven prices up out of reach and industry would have starved for many essential items). . . . We have purchased considerably from foreign countries, but a redoubled effort will be made from now on to buy all the goods we can get here at home.

There is a great deal of agitation at the present for a big lend-lease program of arms to Western European nations. . . . This hue and cry is heard both in and out of government circles. . . . Nations of Western Europe, in fact, have blue-printed a defense council under Field Marshal Montgomery, and suggestions are rife that at least \$3,500,000,000 will be needed to get such a lend-lease program underway. . . . Dewey, seeking to win as much support as possible in his "freshest" talks, is hammering away for a United States of Europe. . . . Congress, will no doubt be asked in the spring to underwrite such a consolidated defense program, and the idea is likely to be sprung when East-West tension mounts to the danger point. . . . Russia's tactics of cross-firing during the UN gathering, it is felt, will largely determine the speed with which Europe and the United States re-arm.

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