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Indians Are Champions

Shown above are the 1964 Little League Indians. They played fifteen games for the season, winning nine and losing two. Top row: from left to right, Perdue, Manager; Darrell Eastman; Paul Payne, Smallwood, Tony Privett, Ray Altman, Don Heinrich, Larry Heinrich, Clarence Voigt, coach; Bottom row: Wesley Fondy, Steve Ethridge, Don Jackson, Dennis Hamer, Clay Nesbitt, Mark Nesbitt, Landy Bownds, and Clifford Summar, not pictured.

Why Change? (An Editorial)

In the era in which we live, we have been a part of populace that has asked, demanded and received continuing changes and progress and the majority of us have been agreeable to paying our part of the cost for the improvements that we have desired and received.

Credit power of purchase has been the key factor of our nation, state, community and individuals of being able to acquire commodities and services at a far greater pace than we would have dreamed 24 years ago; however, the City of Slaton is now faced with the problem of trying to perform the services of a municipality to approximately 7,000 residents on the same borrowing power in 1964 and future years that it did in 1940 — for a population of less than 5,000.

A city is like individuals, businesses and farmers, when and if it continues to grow and perform the services that are required, it must have the resources or credit rating to procure funds that are needed to purchase the necessities of growth.

Slaton is faced with, and has been for some time, the problem of improving its streets, sanitation, water supply and many other services in all parts of our town. However, the city must have an increased tax limitation or an increase in assessed valuation to have the ability to incur long term debt which is essential to acquire bonded indebtedness to pay for the improvements that our town must have to satisfy the needs of all our residents.

The city council has called an election on Tuesday, July 28, for the purpose of giving the voters of Slaton an opportunity to accept or reject an amendment to the charter of Slaton, giving the administration the power to raise the present tax limit from \$1.50 per \$100 valuation to \$2.00 per \$100 valuation. If this amendment is passed, it means the city can call for bond elections that will provide for long term financing for hundreds of blocks of paving, provide sewage service, water facilities and numerous other services that are needed.

The fact that the charter amendment is passed means the city council will have the power to raise the tax rate from \$1.50 to \$2.00, which will mean that bonding agencies (financial institutions that provide capital) will know that the city has a line of credit that will permit them to issue bonds (loan certificates) to our town on a long range program that will provide our city with the funds necessary to give the services that are desperately needed to our residents.

It isn't necessary to be an engineer or a financial expert to see the needs of our town, all one has to do is to drive in the southeast part, or any part for that matter, to see what is needed. And, it takes money to provide these needs.

If the charter amendment is not accepted by the voters of Slaton, the city administration has the alternative to increase valuations on both real and personal property which in affect would cost the taxpayers more and therefore could possibly delay any additional progress in our city for several years.

Your Slatonite urges you for your sake and the well being of the future generations to make the change that is right. Vote YES for the City of Slaton Charter Amendment on July 28.

JHK II

Post Water Situation Critical

Publisher Jim Cornish last Wednesday put out 2,000 copies of a single-page extra of the Post Dispatch, to be distributed to water users by the Boy Scouts. Heading: "CITY WATER SITUATION IS VERY CRITICAL. HOURS COULD BE MAJOR URGES EVERY GALLON TO BE SAVED." The appeal was made after a special meeting of the City Council at 9 a.m. that day.

Post's main reservoir holds a little over a million gallons at fourteen feet. That morning, it stood at three feet. The city also had about 300,000 gallons reserved for fire protection in its new White River system reservoir tank, but cannot get any more from White River until it rains. The lake is too low to pump, although boating and fishing rules are in effect, and recently more land has been bought for recreational purposes. The White River project, intended to supply Post, Spar, Crosbyton and Ralls, has been completed at a cost of about \$4.5 million — but it hasn't rained.

The city has 30 shallow wells which can produce only 610 gallons per minute. Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. 1,250 gallons per minute was being used, mostly for gardens and grass. Postex Cotton Mills is the largest water user, taking about 300,000 gallons daily. They offered immediately to reduce their consumption. But, as Mr. Cornish pointed out, "curtailment of mill production of the city's leading industry certainly is not in this community's best interest and is to be avoided if at all possible."

Slaton may find itself in this tight water from the Canadian situation if the hot, dry weather continues and no action is taken. So far, however, each night we have been able to recoup the day's loss of storage.

Amount other reports of water shortages the past week is one from Quanah. The town has been divided into two districts in which residents may "water" on alternate days. But only trees and shrubs, not grass, and a hose must not be left unattended.

LAMESA

Lamesa pumped 4,037,000 gallons of water June 25, the highest day this year. Consumption for June was reported 81,971,000 gallons, and for the first six months this year 314,551,000 gallons.

The Lamesa city council has agreed to let eleven farmers tap into the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority pipeline when it comes through. The Bureau of Reclamation in Amarillo is to receive bids on July 28 on the leg from Lubbock to Lamesa.

The farmers will be allowed water for domestic use only, and not for irrigation. They will pay cost of taps, estimated at \$100 each, and one and a half times the rates to be fixed later for Lamesa city users.

EUNICE

City officials at Eunice, New Mexico, last Friday asked residents to use caution in sprinkling lawns, and to quit washing automobiles until more water is available.

Several wells upon which Eunice depended have gone dry. Officials said new wells were being drilled but would not be ready for two weeks.

Other towns in Lea County have not yet had a shortage of water, but have little or no storage. This is in the area which has recently joined in forming an association in the hope of getting water from the Canadian River at Ute Dam for municipal use. Tucumcari, Logan, San Jon, Melrose, Clovis, Portales, Roswell, Artesia, Tatum, Hobbs, Lovington are among those mentioned.



Minor League Champs

Pictured above are the Twins, Slaton Minor League champions. Their season's record was 11 wins with 4 losses. The team representatives, Robert Ratliff and Tony Martin presented the championship trophies to coach Homer Cowdrey and Manager Robert Dillon Monday night. The champions pictured above are: Coach Homer Cowdrey, Bob Kay, Robert Ratliff, Dwayne Cox, J. B. Johnston, Ray Johnston, Manager Robert Dillon, Ferrill Creswell, Fred Roberts, Jessie Gatica, Tony Martin, Dick Galassini, Tommy Cavett, Rual Sanchez, bat girl Loretta Dillon, Bobby Dillon, bat boy Keith Bumpas, Don Kendrick. David Perez is not pictured.

W. W. Choate Promoted

William W. Choate, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Xen Brown of Slaton, was promoted June 23 to staff sergeant while serving with the U.S. Army Air Defense School Support Command at Ft. Bliss.

Sgt. Choate entered the Army in 1957 and was in Korea before being assigned to Ft. Bliss. He is a radar tracking station repair instructor in the Command Battery C.

School Bids Received

Bids were received at Lubbock last Thursday on a project to increase the capacity of the Monterey High School to 2,500 students.

Lowest bids received totalled \$332,747, which was somewhat less than expected.

The additions planned call for enlarging the library, another study hall, remodeling of administrative and counselors' offices, an addition to the laboratories, and an additional gymnasium.

Presumably, it would also include some class rooms. The Atomic Energy Commission has awarded contract for design and supervision of construction of a small-scale reactor. It will be used by USDA's Stored Product Insects Laboratory at Savannah, Georgia, for research into means of protecting stored grains or other products from insect attack.

D. D. Cross At Lackland

Airman David D. Cross, son of Ren A. Cross Sr. of 154 S. Eighth, Slaton, Tex., has completed the first phase of his Air Force basic military training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Airman Cross has been selected for technical training as an aircraft equipment repairman at the Air Training Command (ATC) school at Chanute AFB, Ill. His new unit is part of the vast ATC system which trains airmen and officers in the diverse skills required by the nation's aerospace force.

The airman, a graduate of Slaton High School, attended Texas Technological College.

W. B. Tudor Dies Thurs.

W. B. Tudor, 78, businessman and banker died last Thursday at Brownfield after suffering a stroke June 28.

He is survived by his wife, two brothers F. B. Tudor of Slaton and R. H. Tudor of Lubbock, a sister, Mrs. Lucy Cantrell, Amherst, and seven nephews and three nieces.

Funeral services were held at Brownfield Friday in First Baptist Church, Brownfield, with Rev. Ed Crow, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. L. Mayhew, formerly of Slaton but now pastor of First Methodist Church there.

Kendrick Completes Training

Pvt. Gerald R. Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack G. Kendrick, 370 E. Panhandle, Slaton, Tex., completed an eight-week communications center specialist course under the Reserve Enlistment Program July 10 at the Army Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

Kendrick was trained in the use of teletype sets, in tape relay operations and in manual switching procedures.

The 21-year-old soldier completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.

A 1961 graduate of Slaton High School, he attended Draughon's Business College.



Debbie Cade

Klattenhoff At National Convention

W. J. (Bill) Klattenhoff left Lubbock by plane Saturday morning for San Francisco, to be an alternate delegate from the 19th Congressional District to the Republican National Convention.

Delegates are Syd Moore of Lubbock and Wilburn England of Plainview. Mrs. Nita Gibson of Lubbock, district committeewoman, is the other alternate.

They left committed to support the nomination of Senator Barry Goldwater for the presidency, and will serve on some of the committees at the convention.

Wilson Man At Dyess AFB

Members of the 9408th Air Force Headquarters at Dyess AFB, Abilene, began their annual summer training Sunday at Dyess AFB, Abilene.

Staff Sgt. George E. Scott, Route 1, Slaton, is a member of this group.

Daughter Of Slaton Couple To Teach At SAC Base

Miss Peggy Sue Kenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Kenney of Slaton, Texas, has been appointed by the United States Defense Department to teach at Ernest Harmon Air Force Base at Stephenville, Newfoundland, for the school year 1964-65.

"Ernest Harmon AFB is an integral part of the global Strategic Air Command. The mission is to train and maintain a force capable of performing those base functions and services which are required to successfully support SAC emergency plans and tactical training operations. Ernest Harmon AFB is the home of the 4081st Strategic Wing. This installation is 900 miles north-east of McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, and is a stopover and refueling point for SAC, Military Air Transport Service, and transient planes proceeding to and returning from various overseas bases."

Miss Kenney holds a Bachelor of Music degree from Texas Tech and has been teaching Music in Kernit, Texas, for the past three years.

She has been told the Air Force Base School is trying to establish a music program, and if this is set up, she will teach music. Otherwise she will teach an elementary grade.

This position is through the Overseas Dependents School Program of the Defense Department and consists of teaching the children of United States Servicemen which means the work will all be in English.

Miss Kenney was interviewed February 1, in Houston and was notified of the appointment the first of May.

Although a definite departure date is not yet known, Miss Kenney is to be ready to leave the states by August 1.

TB X-Ray Here Friday

The Lubbock County Tuberculosis Association mobile X-ray unit will be in Slaton Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

There is no charge for the X-ray but those able to do so are requested to donate 50 cents or more to help pay costs.

Children under 10 are not X-rayed. Everyone receives a report by mail of the results of the examination.

The Slaton FHA will help with the Mobile Unit TV Drive Friday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the city square. The FHA girls are asked to volunteer their time to help with the drive. Please call Belinda Becker at VA-8-4472, Nan Saage at VA-8-3651 or Jan Scott at VA-8-4241 for a time to work. Points will be given. FRESHMAN GIRLS CAN PARTICIPATE.

Business Establishments Burglarized; Men Arrested, Confess To Only Four

Four men have been arrested on Wednesday night in connection with burglaries in Slaton. Donald Eugene Braithwaite and Richard Royal of 2321 Colgate St., a rear window, but nothing of value was missed.

M. D. Geer's Texaco station came next, but the burglars got at least \$2 in change from drink machines.

Their next stop was at the Lasater - Hoffman hardware store on the south side of the square. A rear door was pried open with a crowbar, but the man could find no money in the store.

Officer Vandiver, making his usual rounds, found this door open about 2:30 a.m. and called Hack Lasater, who at first could find nothing missing. After the men had confessed, however, small tools in their possession were identified as having come from the store and were recovered.

Leaving town, the burglars stopped at Carroll's Corden service station and broke in through a window. A box of old coins was taken, and its worth to a collector is not known; the box had a metal Chinese dragon for decoration and has not been recovered. Eight dollars in pennies, several cartons

of cigarettes, a .22 caliber pistol and several boxes of cartridges for it, were taken.

Returning to Lubbock, they broke into the Todd Shamrock service station on 34th St. the same night.

They also confessed to burglaries on 27th St. in Lubbock July 5th and 6th, but denied any connection with burglary of Poyner's White Auto Store in Slaton night of 8th.

Sometime between 10:30 p.m. Wednesday July 8 and 8 a.m. the following morning, Poyner's White Auto store on Texas Avenue was robbed of \$418.72.

Entrance was made by breaking a rear window, then opening a door.

Evidence indicated that the burglar, there was only one, proceeded directly to the cash register and opened it without tools. No merchandise was reported missing.

No arrests have been made so far. Two men who confessed to breaking into four other Slaton places the same night deny any connection with this one.

Houston Man Winner Of Top-Gun Contest Held Here

Slaton gun fans who were out of town on Saturday, July 4, missed a very good show. About 45 pistolers participated and 200 spectators were in and out of the Junior High School gymnasium during the four hours the tournament was in progress.

It was conducted by the Terry County Gunslingers of Brownfield, and cosponsored by the American Legion and Rotary Clubs of Slaton, under the rules of the Texas and National Gunslingers Associations. Bob Graham of Houston was winner of the men's division and became the "Top Gun of Texas". He was awarded a trophy of a .357 Magnum pistol, and \$50 cash. His average for ten shots was 66-100 second, but he took a penalty of a second and a half when his gun did not fire, which brought it up from 57 or 58-100 second.

One shot was fired in 35-100 second but was not accepted as regulation. Lowest official time for one shot was 43-100 second. Second place went to Ray Lambright of Houston, who was awarded a .22 Ruger pistol as a trophy and \$20 cash.

Jerry Howell of Brownfield won a trophy for third place. Fourth to tenth places were taken by R. W. Rogers, Ft. Worth; Darwin Worley, Odessa; Ed Lambright, Houston; Don Cox, Ft. Worth; Jim Norrell, Dallas; Norman Smith and Carl Shaw, Oklahoma City.

In the women's division, Judy McWilliams of Brownfield won a trophy and \$20 with a 10-shot average of 74-100 second. Second place, a trophy and \$10 went to Willie Sessums of Dallas, and Earline Kennedy of Irving, Texas, was in third place.

In the two-man team matches, brothers Gene and Wendell McWilliams of Brownfield were in first place, Neal Crosby of Lubbock and Gene McWilliams of Brownfield second, and Ed and Ray Lambright of Houston third.

The shooters voted a sportsmanship award to Major Ellis P. Schmid of Slaton for his work as master of ceremonies and running the show. There should have been a larger crowd, but it seemed everybody in Slaton who owned a boat or a car left town that day.

Grand Jury Returns Bills

Grand jurors in Judge Howard Davidson's 99th District Court last week returned 86 true bills, including three for murder with malice. Included was the case of Lucy Mae Chew, who shot her estranged husband, Olan Dean Chew, 25, at Pauline's Cafe in Slaton July 7.

One murder case was passed, and one nolleited. That was a case where a waitress picked up what she thought was a toy gun in a cafe, and killed a man with it. Robert Lang, 19, Slaton, was indicted on a charge of statutory rape. Billy Fred Brunson, Lubbock, was indicted on a burglary charge in connection with a Slaton grocery.

Chester H. Smith, Cecil Brahear, George C. Miller and Rudy Dominguez served on the grand jury. They were asked by District Attorney Alton Griffin to be subject to recall later this month when he expected to have a report on an audit being conducted of certain county affairs.

Cotton Outlook Improves — The competitive price position of American upland cotton in the domestic market has been improved by the April passed legislation which cut net cost of raw cotton to users. The rate of cotton consumption for the May - July quarter — last of the current season — is expected to increase and raise the total for the full season to 8.5 million bales. Thus carryover should be down slightly from earlier estimates, to 12.4 million bales.

Southland News

Sunday's visitors in Southland Methodist Church were the pastor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper from Three Way. Mrs. Cooper is pastor of Three Way Methodist Church. The Coopers' twin daughters were also present at the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ellis of Southland had their four children at home for the weekend. They are: Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis from Summer, New Jersey; Mrs. Larry Alford, Topsy and Jennie from Petersburg; Mrs. Eddie Gruvella and Sammy Ellis, who is a student at West Texas State, Canyon, and home for the summer. The family attended church at Southland Methodist Church. The George Ellises are moving to Austin where he will teach at the State University.

Cynda Lester of Amarillo, and Denise Duff of Levelland spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lester in Gordon Community. Pamela June Maeker of Richardson is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris of Slaton. Pamela is the ten year old

OFFICIAL RECORDS

Official Records-Warranty Deeds: E. W. Ham and wife to W. E. Adams, Sr. and wife, lot 4, block 119, original town, Slaton, \$1,109.25.

Julia B Joyner to Bob Kern, Jr., lots 9 and 10, block 49, South Park addition, Slaton. Marriage Licenses: Clemente Rodriguez, 20, Route 1, Slaton and Miss Rose Pena, 18, Route 5, Lubbock.

Richard Wayne Polk, 20, Slaton, and Miss Nancy Ruth Buxkemper, 19, Route 2, Post. Warranty Deeds: Opal Winn to Lillie B. Smith, lot 18, block 8, Johnson Addition, Slaton, \$2,500.

Howell Sammons and wife to Dalton R. Allison, lot 1 and west half of lot 2, block 172, West Park Addition, Slaton, \$8,920.18. S. O. Henry and wife to M. E. Gray and wife, lot 4 and west half lot 5, block 179, West Park Addition, Slaton, \$8,500.



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry Melcher, Route 2, Slaton, son 9 pounds 7 ounces in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holton Johnson, Route 1, Idalou, daughter 6 pounds 2 ounces, Saturday, West Texas Hospital, Lubbock. Farnes.

Daniel Robert, 7 lbs. and 8 oz., was born July 7th to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Singleton of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dixon of Slaton became the parents of a 7 lb. 1/2 oz. boy July 10th. They named him Rubeen. Tommy Donnell was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barnes of Taboka, July 10th, weighing in at 10 lbs. 1/2 oz.

born July 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Bias Gutierrez of Taboka, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith, Post, became the proud parents of a baby girl, Katherine Renee made her appearance July 13th, weighing 8 lbs. and 6 oz.

A baby girl, Anne Kerstin, weighing 6 lbs. and 12 1/2 oz. was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andy L. Schmidt, Post, July 14th. Mr. and Mrs. Post, became parents of a boy, Noel, July 14th. He weighed 7 lbs. and 12 1/2 oz.

New York's thoroughbred racing season will run for this year, including a meeting at Saratoga from Aug. 3 through Sept. 14.

IT'S A FACT... TEAGUE DRUG Prescription Chemists. Includes an illustration of a man's face.

National Farm Safety Week

July 19-25 has been designated National Farm Safety Week, and it should make every Texas farmer do some serious thinking about unsafe conditions and practices that prevail on his place.

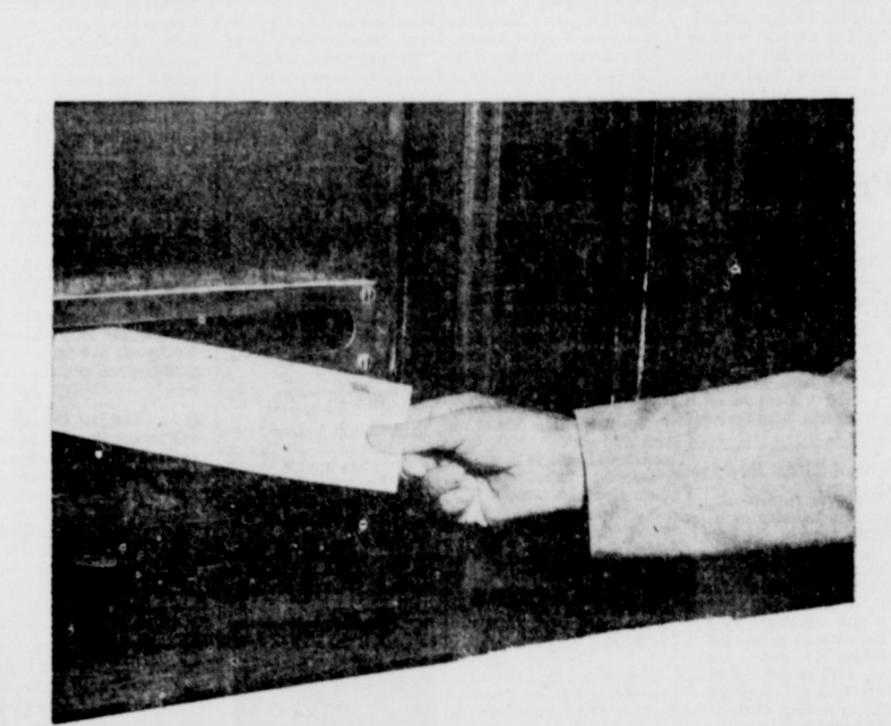
Farm accidents occur anywhere from the home, barn, pasture onto the lane from the farm to the rural Farm to Market Road to town. During this day of mechanized farming, persons who own farms including those who work on them cannot be too safety conscious. Heed all safety measures because it may save your life.



MOVING? THINK OF personal extension phones. Moving time is ideal for putting in those convenient time-savers... Personal Extension Phones. Put 'em in the kitchen, bedroom, workshop — everywhere you need them.

- Triumph Baptist Church East Geneva M. A. Brown, Pastor
St. Paul Lutheran Church Rev. R. F. Kamrath
First Nazarene Church 635 W. Scurry Rev. Lowell Bell
Westview Baptist Church 830 S. 15th Rev. Clinton Ewman
First Methodist Church 305 W. Lubbock David W. Binkley
Church of God 206 Texas Ave. Rev. B. E. Coker
Church of Christ 13th & Division James Wilbenks
21st Baptist Church 1010 South 21st Jerry Burnaman, Pastor
First Baptist Church of Southland Eddie Fortson, Pastor
Southland Methodist Church Rev. Roy Bassett
First Baptist Church Wilson Rev. H. F. Scott
Acuff Baptist Church W. O. Donley Pastor
Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church
St. Joseph's Catholic Church Magr. Peter Morsck 19th & Lubbock
Gordon Church Of Christ Cline Drake, Minister
Acuff Church Of Christ Brooks Terry, Minister
Grace Lutheran Church 940 W. Jean Jimmie C. Hecklotz
St. John Lutheran Church Wilson Rev. John W. Onda
First Baptist Church 255 S. 9th Dr. Charles Wood
First Christian Church 145 E. Panhandle John L. Floyd
Immanuel Lutheran Church Posey Rev. F. A. Wittig
First Presbyterian Church 425 W. Lubbock
Bible Baptist Church W. Panhandle Rev. H. E. Summar
Wilson Methodist Church Wilson Rev. W. A. Rucker Jr.
Pentecostal Holiness Church 106 W. Knox Rev. Robert R. Brown
Trinity Evangelical Methodist Church Linam Prentice, Pastor
African Methodist Church Rev. J. S. Gilbert
First Assembly of God 14th & Jean Miss Noia Stout, Pastor Miss Norma Elliott, Associate

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WILLIAMS FUNERAL HOME Unlimited Insurance Ambulance Service
RAY C. AYERS & SON Grain - Feed - Supplies
SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights and Sidelights

by Vern Sanford
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Tex — New pre-son Jones, last president of the Republic; and Jim Bowie, Davy Crockett and William B. Travis, heroes of the Alamo.

Work is scheduled to be finished by September.

School Fund Allotment Approved
State Board of Education raised the per student apportionment of state available school fund money to local districts from \$78.50 to \$81.50.

This \$3 per capita hike represents an overall \$7,600,000 raise in available fund aid to the districts for 1964-65, based on current estimate of more than 2,500,000 students.

Comptroller Robert S. Calvert estimated the fund for the coming school year at \$218,300,000. Board allocated \$10,500,000 to finance the cost of purchasing and handling text books. This left \$207,700,000 to be distributed on a per capita basis.

This increase means no increase in overall state aid. Allocations to all but the few prosperous "budget balance" districts for salaries and operations will be decreased by an amount equivalent to the available fund boost.

Dr. L. S. Richardson, Brazosport Public Schools superintendent, was appointed to the 1964 state textbook committee to study books offered for school adoption.

Board also agreed to name a study committee to look into a proposal for a \$1,400,000 junior college at Pampa.

A policy change directed that more time in driver education courses be spent on behind-the-wheel instruction and less on general safety lectures.

Army Exams
The number of 18-year-olds who will be given Army mental-physical exams by Texas draft boards during August will be increased to 2,762 (from 1,815 in July).

Tests are in line with the President's call for examination of all newly registered men out of school and available for service. They will not be considered for immediate armed forces service. But those failing the examination will be re-

ferred to the Texas Employment Commission for advice and counsel on jobs or job training.

Only about 225 in the draft age bracket (most of them 22 or above) will be examined next month — and only 119 are scheduled for induction during August.

This is the lowest induction call for Texas since April, 1961, when the quota was 65.

Invalidation Upheld
Third Court of Civil Appeals agreed with an Austin district court that a requirement in the new small loan act that Texas own more than 50 percent of the stock in new Texas lending companies is unconstitutional.

Loan Commissioner Frank Miskell had denied applications for loan branch offices in Houston, Waco, Texarkana, El Paso, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio and Arlington on the stock ownership provision.

Ruling does not apply to other sections of the 1963 law.

Parks & Wildlife Dept
Weldon Watson, director of the State Department of Parks & Wildlife, reports that a lot of people want state parks built near the many reservoirs under construction around the state. He feels, however, that nothing should be added until old parks are rehabilitated.

Watson made this statement:

Church News
The Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist Church is having a car wash on Saturday, July 18. The hours are from 8:30 a.m. to noon, and 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. The charge is \$1.50 per car and the wash will be held at the First Methodist Church.

Several youth from the Slaton Church of the Nazarene returned home last Friday after spending the week at the District Boy's and Girl's Camp held at Camp Arrowhead near Glen Rose, Texas.

Those attending the camp were: Arthur Lee Abare, Carl Milliken, Gwenda Stricklin, Judy Green, and Amariyllis Bell.

The Rev. J. MacLachlan of Johannesburg, South Africa will speak in the Sunday evening service at the Slaton Church of the Nazarene. Rev. MacLachlan is pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Johannesburg, and was the South African European district delegate to the General Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene in Portland, Oregon.

The Slaton church of the Nazarene is located at 635 West Scurry, and the service will begin at 6:45 p.m. Rev. Lowell Bell is the pastor.

when he filed a request for a \$25,700,000 budget for 1966-67. This is an increase over the current biennial budget of \$11,000,000. Included are \$7,000,000 more for parks and \$4,000,000 more for wildlife projects.

He pointed out that most of the facilities in existing parks were built by C.C.C. workers some 3 years ago, and they're in bad repair. He said there's hardly a beam in the cabins at popular Bastrop State Park that hasn't rotted out.

But Watson described a poor pay structure as the Parks and Wildlife Department's chief ailment. He said the starting salary for game warden trainees of about \$330 a month is so low that it is impossible to recruit men the state will be proud of.

He wants a complete revision of the Parks and Wildlife's pay classification formula, so trainees as well as regional department heads will be paid in line with Department of Public Safety salaries.

Appointment Announced
Gov. John Connally named Terry L. Jacks of San Marcos as district judge of the 22nd judicial district, effective August 1. He replaces veteran Judge J. R. Fuchs who resigned.

Jacks has been Hays County Attorney since 1955. The 22nd District covers Comal, Hays, Caldwell, Fayette and Austin counties. Jacks was nominated for the court in primary elections this year when Fuchs did not seek another term.

Port Aransas Bank Approved
State Banking Board approved a charter application for Island State Bank at Port Aransas.

A requested charter for the State Bank of Hurst, in Tarrant County, was refused. Action was deferred on the proposed Yorktown Community Bank and the Cullen Center Bank of Houston.

College Study unveiled
Long - secret and long-awaited recommendations by the governor's committee for making Texas colleges and universities No. 1 in the nation have just been unveiled.

College officials and the press were briefed on highlights of the report by the Governor's Committee on Education Beyond the High School. It followed a year of intensive research.

Report now has gone to the printers and will be presented to Governor Connally and the Legislature by August 31.

Youth Conference Held
Some 1,800 teenagers from 230 counties convened here for the attorney general's second Youth Conference. All are outstanding teenagers who were sponsored by a civic, church or school group.

to promote a free exchange of ideas, and then inspire the youngsters to go home and offer help to curb potential teenage troublemakers.

Attorney General Carr, conference sponsor, delivered the keynote address. He brought them up-to-date on two pressing problems — school dropouts and juvenile delinquency — and said that adult leaders need help from the new generation.

Other speakers included Bernard M. Sutter, Federal Bureau of Investigation; Mr. Paul M. Stevens, director of the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission; Department of Public Safety Director Homer Garrison Jr.; House Speaker Byron Tunnell; and Fort Worth Judge Wright Armstrong Jr.

Oilfield Waste Order Readied
As of August the Texas Railroad Commission and the State Board of Insurance will put into effect a 1963 law which requires oil and gas operators to file bonds with the Railroad Commission. Requirement is to assure that abandoned wells are properly plugged in accordance with all commission rules.

Law requires a \$5,000 bond for a single well. But it allows operators to post a \$10,000 blanket bond covering all wells they operate.

Enforcement of the act is part of the state's drive to prevent pollution of water supplies by oilfield salt water.

Short Snorts
James J. Kelly of Austin now is assistant executive director of Texas Industrial Commission, succeeding Bill R. Shelton who will become general manager of Industrial Development, Inc. of Wichita Falls on August 1. . . Republican senatorial candidate George Bush has appointed Jim Allison Jr. of Midland, former executive vice president of the Midland Reporter - Telegram, as his assistant state campaign manager.

The first major publication on aging prepared by the American Home Economics Association was issued this week, says Mrs. Florence W. Low, president of the national organization. It's a sequel to the 1962 national conference on aging held by AHEA at Purdue University. Copies of the 20-page booklet may be obtained from AHEA, 1600 Twentieth Street, N. W., Washington, DC, at a nominal cost.

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| 1/2 teaspoon margarine, melted | 1 1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind |
| 1/2 cup cottage cheese | 1/4 teaspoon vanilla |
| 1/4 cup corn starch | 1/4 teaspoon salt |
| 1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped | 1 cup heavy cream, whipped |
1. Mix crumb, 2 tablespoons sugar, and melted margarine. Press 3/4 of the mixture onto sides of lightly greased 9-inch spring form pan. Bake 15 min. F. (slow) over 5 minutes. Cool. Press cottage cheese through coarse strainer twice. Add corn starch and beat until fluffy. Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry. Sprinkle slightly; add 1/2 cup sugar and beat until thick. Add lemon juice, rind, vanilla and salt. Fold in cheese mixture. Fold remaining 1/4 cup sugar into whites. Fold into cheese mixture gently but thoroughly. Sprinkle with remaining crumb. Bake in 325 degrees F. (slow) over 1 hour. Turn off oven. Let cake stay in oven until firm, about 45 minutes. Remove from pan. Chill in refrigerator 1 hour. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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COTTON TALKS

EXPORT ACREAGE

Farmers in the 23 High Plains counties have requested 39,046 acres on which to grow cotton for export in 1964 — almost 45 percent of the estimated 88,000 such acres asked for in the nation and 95 percent of the 41,402 export acres requested in Texas.

Under new cotton legislation approved early last April, each farmer was given the opportunity to sign up for and plant his total allotment, provided the cotton produced on the additional acres was sold for export at the "world price." In order that the additional acreage be approved by the USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, farmers were required to furnish bond by July 1 guaranteeing export of the cotton without benefit of government price support.

The acreage totals here, however, represent only the acres for which farmers "signed up," and are not necessarily the same as the total acres finally approved by ASC. By the same token, they do not represent the number of export acres planted because even farmers who signed and became bonded for ex-

port acreage were not required to plant all or any part of the acreage requested. Acreage actually planted for export will not be known until after ASC offices get the measured cotton acreage on all of the farms requesting export acres. Some of the farms will probably drop out entirely, while others will not plant the entire maximum for which they were approved. Final figures will probably not be available until about October 15.

According to a USDA report, most of the export acreage requested was in three states — Texas, California and Mississippi — with Texas accounting for almost half. California was second with 19,553 acres and Mississippi third with 13,967. Percentage-wise, California's requests came to 2.6 percent of the state's total allotment, which far outstrips the 5 percent of total allotment for Texas and 9 percent for Mississippi.

The 39,046 export acres requested on the High Plains comes to about 35 percent of the 113,632 acres that would have been allocated here had each farmer asked for his full 5 percent allowance. And, since the total requests came from 5,479 farmers, or about 20 percent, it can be assumed that most requests came from farmers with larger acreage allotments.

According to Lewis David, State Executive Director of the following are the number of farms requesting and requested acres from High Plains counties:

Bailey 144, 1060; Briscoe 7, 44; Castro, 37, 181; Cochran, 300, 4217; Crosby, 523, 4850; Dawson, 233, 2055; Deaf Smith 4, 14; Dickens, 64,355; Floyd, 348,15-15; Gaines, 211, 1472; Garza, 36, 157; Hale, 684, 3417; Hockley 452, 3039; Howard, 56, 402;

Lamb, 461, 3178; Lubbock, 820, 5197.

And Lynn, 491, 3782; Motley, 3, 29; Parmar, 53, 176; Swisher, 91, 424; Terry, 337, 2776; Yoakum, 122, 726.

Total farms requesting are 5,479 with a total of 39,046 acres.

Spot Market Quotations

The announcement by the Secretary of Agriculture that: "beginning August 1 the price quoted for the base quality of cotton, Middling 1-inch, in each of the 15 designated bona fide spot markets will be the price at which this cotton is traded here. Payments In Kind (PIKs) are made on the cotton" is certainly good news to producers.

In fact, keeping these quotations at the domestic level (before PIKs) instead of having them fall to the world level (after PIKs) was the primary objective of producer groups who fought to have PIKs made to the last handler rather than the first buyer. It was feared that should the PIKs be issued to the first buyer, all price quotations would be pulled down to the world price level, placing producers at a considerable disadvantage before the public and in legislative dealings.

It was announced on June 3 that the PIKs would be available to domestic users or other handlers in trade channels after the cotton leaves the hands of the farmer. Therefore, since all cotton will enter trade channels at the higher level, this will make prices available on a large number of transactions at the higher level, and these prices can be used by Quotations Committees and the Department of Agriculture in determining quotations.

Cotton Quotations are published daily by the Agricultural Marketing Service's Cotton Division, and if prices from which PIKs have already been deducted are used in developing these quotations, they will be adjusted upward to reflect the price before the PIK was made.

BOLL WEEVIL MEETINGS
July 22 and 23 are the dates set for two meetings at which

more definite plans will be laid for this fall's massive boll weevil control program.

The first will bring together the Boll Weevil Technical Advisory Committee, composed largely of the nation's top entomologists. This group is expected to lay down the guidelines for the area to be sprayed, chemicals to be used, rates of application and other phases of the program on which their experience will prove valuable.

The following day the Area-wide Boll Weevil Committee will meet. This committee, made up of one member from each of the 23 High Plains counties in Plains Cotton Growers territory, will consider Advisory Committee recommendations and work on the organization of county and community committees. County Agents from the 23-county area have been invited to the meeting and will work with the Area-wide Committee on forming these committees and on planning educational programs.

Senior Ron DiGravio of Purdue completed 74 passes to lead the Big Ten last season. His passes resulted in seven touchdowns.

Boy Scouts At Post Camp

Boy Scout Troop 128, sponsored by Slaton Rotary Club, checked in at Boy Scout Camp Post Sunday afternoon, under the leadership of Mr. Arnold Rollins and assisted by Mr. Phil Corona and Mr. A. R. Pierce.

Boy Scouts in attendance include: Phil J. Corona, Jr., Dale Pierce, Larry Becker and Tommy Biggs. Also at Camp Post this week is Boy Scout Troop 125, sponsored by the First Methodist Church, Slaton, under the leadership of Mr. J. E. Eckert, assisted by Mr. Alex A. Webb. Boy Scouts of Troop 125 include: C. Nesbitt, D. Jones, L. Green, B. Jaynes, T. Fondy, T.

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BID NOTICE

The Lubbock Independent School District will receive bids for Visual Equipment until 2:00 P.M., July 27, 1964, in the office of coordinator of purchasing, 1715-26th Street, Lubbock, Texas. Bids will be opened and read aloud. Bid forms will be furnished upon request in above office.

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STATION



LION JOE DIAZ

The picture here is of young Joe Diaz, and the plaque was presented to him Tuesday, July 14, by the Slaton Lions Club. Rev. John Floyd presented the plaque to Joe Diaz. If our picture is too small, the words on the plaque are: JOE DIAZ. In sincere appreciation and recognition of distinguished service, loyalty and devotion to the objects and furtherance of Lionism. SLATON LIONS CLUB, JULY, 1964. Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Diaz, graduated from the Slaton schools, and works for Jim Benton and son, who make office furniture, fixtures, and other cabinetry.



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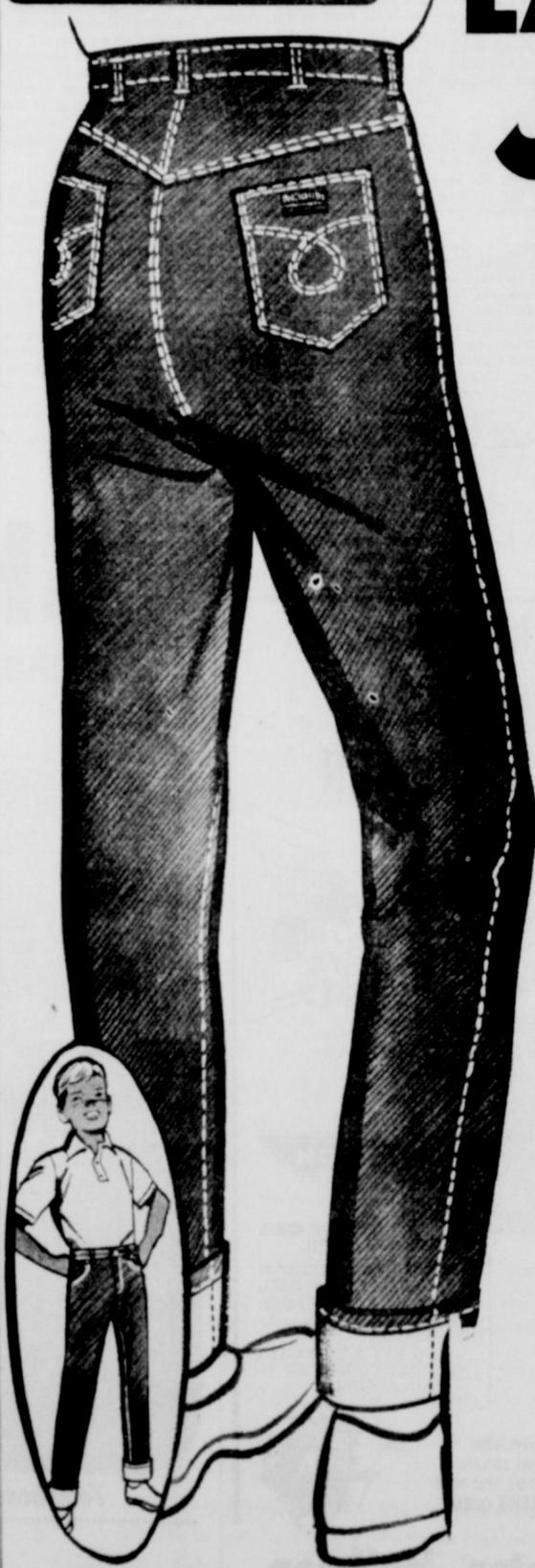
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The Slaton Slatonite Society - Clubs

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Other

Johnnie Mathis and Carol, and Miss Pauline visited in the home of Shelby.

Fannie Patterson left for Carlsbad, N.M. to her daughter, Mrs. Bob who is ill.

Taylor is a patient at hospital.

Dean Gilliland attended a day family reunion at Oklahoma near Sherman, returning home she will stay with her sister.

Pettigrew, along with students from various in Texas, is serving missionary in Juarez.

Location is a colony just the city limits of Juarez, Rio Grande, where approximately 40,000 people have been squatters for the past three years.

They are conducting Bible story hour every in Spanish for the forming English and classes, and holding V-Bible Schools.

Bill McElroy had a honoring her house guest, Marie Peters of Canyon. Her husband is a biologist presently on a scout in the East.

Guests included Mes-Moody Gardner, Ronnie and Mrs. George Hen-

and guests of Mr. and B. Butler, Jr., Mr. and Shirley Butler and son Cactus, Texas, Mr. and David Reed of Hereford and Mrs. Bill Butler of Lamesa. Joint family were Mr. and James Vannoy of Slaton.

and Mrs. Clyde Lyle and Mrs. of Cactus, Texas, guests of the J. E. Van-Slaton, last weekend.

Glenna Payne, daughter and Mrs. Glen Payne has returned from Austin she spent ten days as a to Bluebonnet Girls

"State" is an annual sponsored by the Am-Legion Auxiliary. Its purpose is to show high school how the state govern-ments and further their love of country our way of government. Approximately 500 girls from Texas attended the session. Miss Payne went from the American Auxiliary of Luther Post 438 of Slaton.

visiting the past month Randy Warren re-by plane Tuesday night.

Dudley Berry has been in Dallas with Mr. and Martin Collins former resident of Slaton; they attended the anniversary of "My Fair

Ulrich Fuchs Kay, nee (Ret) and Mrs. El-ma has returned to AFB, Selma, Ala., after visit here. Other of the Schmidts have Mr. and Mrs. Carl Har-Washington, D. C. Col. Do Hard and family, Texas, Billy Bond, and Hank Narmour.

Ma Faye Brown, City's office, is spending a vacation at the Baptist at Glorieta, New

and Mrs. B. H. Sokoll with the August at Tres Ritos, New

Mexico. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kitten, Linda and Claude and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kitten, Bradley, Carla and Angela spent the week - end at Bryan, Texas. While there the men attended the meeting of the Knights of Columbus.

The Slaton High School class of 1960 will hold its first Class Reunion on July 18 at 7 p.m. in the Slaton Club House. Load up your kids, buddies or wives and come on out for a big time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor spent the Fourth in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilke of Posey. Mrs. Wilke is the daughter of the Taylors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Evans and Patricia of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting Harry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans this week.

Buxkemper Honored

Miss Nancy Buxkemper, bride - elect of Richey Polk, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. L. J. Kahlich July 5 at 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Forty - seven guests registered at the informal party.

The bride - elect's color of blue was carried out with a blue floral center piece on an ecru lace over a blue table cloth. Punch, coffee and cake were served in crystal and silver.

Hostesses were: Mesdames Leonard Kahlich, Raymond Buxkemper, C. J. Buxkemper, A. A. Wimmer, Walter Heinrich, Brosch, A. A. Kahlich, Carl Kayser, Francis Grabber, Florence Strube, C. B. Schneirs, Landis Franke, C. E. Dickson, F. S. Kahlich, O. E. Heinrich, Ed Buxkemper, Max Arrants, Oscar Heinrich, Joe D. Heinrich, Leon Buxkemper, Paul Meurer, C. D. Buxkemper, Nestor Kitten, W. T. Davis.

The hostess gift was a mixer. On July 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. A. A. Wimmer, Miss Nancy Buxkemper, bride - elect of Richey Polk, was honored with a personal shower.

Refreshments were served from a table with a center piece of a miniature bride doll surrounded by souvenir bags filled with white and blue rice. Hostess gift was lingerie. Hostesses were Misses Sharon Wimmer, Linda Grabber, Melody Polk, Helen Kahlich, Karen Buxkemper, Charlene Kitten, Jeanette Brosch, Kathy Buxkemper, Charmaine Heinrich, Carol Buxkemper, LaNelle Heinrich, Ver-Joan Bednarz, Mesdames A. A. Wimmer, Mrs. William Bednarz, Mrs. Leonard Kahlich and Francis Grabber.

The Slaton Volunteer Fire Department met in its semi-monthly practice session Monday night where rescue work was the topic of the practice. Assistant Fire Chief Pete Williams was in charge.

Prior to the practice session, the firemen dined at the Carnation House where Fire Chief Don Kendrick's team treated the balance of the crew. This is based on an attendance contest which lasts for 3 months and the team having the best attendance record wins a free steak.

Certificates of Achievement were awarded those who completed the 10 hour course on treatment of armed missiles. Fourteen members of the Fire Department and the Slaton Police Department attended and can pick up their certificates at the fire station.

False alarms have been most of the calls for the past couple of weeks. Firemen answered a fire at the intersection of FM 400 and the U.S. 84 bypass just east of the Slaton Coop Gin where 2 automobiles collided and one burst into flames.

The only other call of any importance was in the 100 block of S. 7th. St. Sunday morning. No damage was reported.



Gospel Warriors

Gospel Warriors Quartet To Be Here

First Assembly of God Church, 14th and Jean Streets, will have a "song - fest" Sunday night, July 19 at 7 p.m. Featured solely in the service will be the Gospel Warriors Quartet from Clovis, New Mexico.

This mixed quartet has been singing on television and radio and made personal appearances throughout this part of the country for five years. Pastor Stout extends a cordial welcome to the public to attend this service.

V.F.W. Auxiliary

The Slaton Ladies V.F.W. Auxiliary Post 6721 met for their regular session Monday night at 7:30 p.m. at the V.F.W. hall. Charlotte Becker, President, presided. The minutes from the previous meeting were read by Frances Sargent, Secretary. Pauline Scott read the Treasurer's report.

A note of thanks was received from Pearl Purdy, State Chairman, for the auxiliary's participation in the Poppy Day sale.

Charlotte Becker and Shirley Mosser, Delegates to the State Convention, reported on the convention held in Dallas June 18-20. The Slaton Auxiliary received the Jay Schmidt membership award. This was the only award given in Texas for going 200 per cent over the quota in 1963 - 1964. Slaton also received a certificate for meeting all Honor Roll requirements 100 percent and a Loving Cup for reaching quota. Another honor awarded to the auxiliary was Honorable mention for the Buddy Poppy award. This was one of 19 auxiliaries out of over 300 receiving this award.

The meeting adjourned with 18 members present.

Bond Election

A \$118,000 general obligation bond election will be held in Dawson county July 28. Voters will be asked if they want to issue \$18,000 bonds to remove portions of the court house lawn and construct paved offstreet parking at Lamesa.

The \$100,000 is asked for purchasing and improving land for a county park. Location has not yet been decided but about 60 acres will be needed. A public golf course is proposed in the park and those are behind it claim it could be self - supporting. They want a nine - hole course and club house, a driving range and practice putting greens.

Marriage Told

On April 18 in Norman, Oklahoma, Miss Jeanne Moore of Perry, Oklahoma, became the bride of Kenneth Russell, son of Mrs. Marie Russell Bayer, 225 East Dickens, Slaton, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Turner, 355 N. 6th, Slaton. The couple is at home in Perry, Oklahoma.

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 Dear Russell: The low - cost drugs pamphlet with actual costs listed is sent by me free. It's on its way. You can compare the prices yourself. But I have no booklet on wills. To answer these questions, I ask my attorney, for you. So ask me some questions! "How to be An Active Citizen" is available by writing to the University of Florida Press, Gainesville, Fla. It costs \$1.50 and is worth a million. I hope you get it!

HEALTH DAIRY
 Dear Helen: All my neighbors got your "health Dairy." Got one left for me? I enclose the required 10 cents. Thanks!

SAM
 Dear Sam: I have some left. Yours is in the mail.

NEW MEXICO CLUB
 Dear Helen Alpert: In answer to your personal letter to us, we're glad to tell you what our seniors are doing out this way. We're the National League of Senior Citizens, Inc., New Mexico State Division. I'm secretary - treasurer of the Los Lunas club, recently organized. We show films about "The Proud Years". A speaker in May from the Dept of Welfare in Santa Fe finished with a question-and - answer session. The nearby Belen Club had a picnic luncheon. We have many Spanish - speaking people here who can't speak English.

Scott Home Scene Of F.H.A. Chapter Meet
 Officers of the Senior FHA Chapter met Friday, July 10, in the home of Jan Scott for a brunch and business meeting.

Activities were worked on for the 1964 - 1965 school year. A swimming party was planned for the month of August for all incoming freshman girls who will be taking homemaking. Those present were: Jan Scott, Belinda Becker, Lynette Kuss, Kathy Gass, Belva Becker, Carl Fondy, Mary Beth Woods, Rita Martindale, Nan Saage, Peggy Kirksey, Mrs. Cecil Scott, and Mrs. Eddy Landers, Homemaking Teacher. A meeting will be held July 28, at 2 p.m. in the Homemaking Department to plan future programs and projects.

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Art Club Meets In Ells P. Schmid Home

Members of the Slaton Art Club met in a "Daylight Twilight" meeting at the home of Mrs. Ells P. Schmid July 1. Mrs. Yates Key presented five features in Oil from Portrait to Gouache she had done in a recent school by Mr. Hanna, Texas Tech artist.

Mrs. Harrison Keys, guest artist, displayed an oil she had titled "Bottles."

Mrs. Bettye Burks presented the invocation for the buffet dinner.

Others attending were Mrs. Truett Fulcher, president, Mesdames A. E. Whitehead, M. L. Turnbow, Clyde Doherty, Mary Dove, and Hans Ulrich Kay and Major Ells Schmid.

The last meeting of the Club for 63-64 was held with the retiring President, Mrs. Truett Fulcher, on July 7.

Officers for 64-65 installed were: President; Bettye Burks, Vice-President; June Key, Secretary - Reporter; M. L. Turnbow, Treasurer; Rhea Doherty.

The first Honor Life Membership was given to Mrs. C. F. Anderson, a charter member. Refreshments of blueberry pie and punch were served.

W. S. C. S. Meets

The W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist Church met Monday, July 13, in Fellowship Hall for a general meeting. Mrs. R. T. Farley opened the meeting with prayer.

In a short business meeting Mrs. Farley urged the members to attend the School of Missions at Lubbock July 27-31. Mrs. S. H. Jaynes led the program "Report on Youth." As the devotion the group sang the hymn "I Am Thine O Lord."

Mrs. Jaynes was assisted by Lonnie Eakle, Youth Director, who gave a report on Christian Youth Work in Colleges, and by J. B. White, one of four colored youths sent to the Leadership School at Merkle, who reported on his trip. Mr. White sang a special hymn, "This Is My Father's World", and Mrs. Jaynes gave the benediction.

The Africa Circle served refreshments to seventeen members and three guests. Next meeting will be August 10.

PLEASE, PLEASE VISIT ME!
 Dear Helen Alpert: I'm a newspaper editor. We use your column every week. Our readers appreciate it. I am forwarding the enclosed letter to you. Will you please answer her personally, perhaps print it for others.

EDITOR
 Dear Editor: I am glad to print this plea: "I wish we could wake up some people. My husband was taken. I'm completely alone. The folks who used to come play cards or celebrate birthdays, come no more. Some say that with no man around, the men don't come. But a couple of couples could come, and wouldn't this be solved? My life has been completely changed. I am bitterly lonely. Now that I need friends more than ever, my friends have forsaken me. Please, please call this to people's attention. Ask them to care. Help them see that their visits are MORE IMPORTANT now than ever. The bereaved need them, want them!"

MRS. S.W.T.

AGE AGAINST ME? NO!
 Dear Helen: You can help me. I'm 66. Nursed my invalid husband for 5 years, kept him alive, although the hospital didn't think I could. I learned physiotherapy for him. Now that I am widowed, staying with my daughter, son or sister in turn, I want a place of my own. There is much I can do in the line of nursing. What do you think of Florida for me?

RUTH
 Dear Ruth: Please see the

first letter - and - answer in this column today, on the \$55 monthly rent for an apartment. I have discovered that retirement communities can use "practical" type nursing. Your qualifications are remarkable. I suggest you get a letter testifying to your nursing skills from both the hospital and the doctor, to show to patients. All it takes to start a new life is to start it!

HEED HELP on a problem?
 Write to Helen Alpert, National Senior Center, Lehigh Acres, Fla. 33963. Please send a stamped, self - addressed envelope. Or write to this newspaper. Ask for the free list of booklets sent with the compliments of this column.

CONGRATULATIONS TED PRICER
 Ted Pricer was top Salesman at Slaton Motor Company last month. Ted welcomes everyone to check his deal before they trade for a new or used car or truck.

Let Ted Show You How Much Money You Can Save At Slaton Motor Company!

All FHA Girls
 Who Will Volunteer To Assist The Lubbock County Tuberculosis Mobile X-Ray Unit That Will Be In Slaton, Friday At 9:00 A.M.
CALL JAN SCOTT
 FHA Girls Who Volunteer For This Project Will Register Persons Who Will Receive X-Rays

7 PIECE Danish Modern Living Room Suite \$119.95
 19.95 Down . . . 2.50 Per Week
 Suite Consists Of Sofa, Chair, 2 Step Tables, 1 Coffee Table And 2 Lamps
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WANTED ADS

5 Ways To BUY

One Of These Homes
FHA — GI
Conventional
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NEW 3-Bedroom HOME

With attached garage or Carport.

\$300 Down, FHA
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\$73 Per Month Total Payment
These homes have been completed and are ready for your inspection.

2-Bedroom HOME

With garage and separate storage room.

410 S. 7th St.

3-Bedroom 2 Bath HOME

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BUILDING SITES AVAILABLE FOR ANY SIZE HOME

We Furnish Plans Or Will Build To Your Plan.
SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY, BUILD, OR REMODEL

All Type Loans Available

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3 Bedroom Brick,
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Located On South
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2 Bedroom Home
Across Street
From Hospital

2 Bedroom Located On
West Lynn . . . See
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Desirable building lots,
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Division St.

Three bedroom
Stucco Dwelling
Carpet and Drapes.
Good Condition.

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FOR SALE

Hannah's husband Hector hates hard work so he cleans the rugs with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Lasater Hoffman Hardware.
40 t/c

GET YOUR Household Budget and Expense books at the Slatonite.
37 t/c

FOR SALE Factory Rebuilt transmissions at exchange prices. Standard shift and over-drive. Used tires and tubes and wheels. Ted and Juel's Garage, 1200 South 9th, Phone VA-8-7132.
37 t/c

FOR SALE: Two row Farmall Cultivator with foot pieces. Ted & Jewel's Garage 1200 S. 8th Phone VA 8-7132.
37 t/c

FOR SALE: "Quick - Clip" Magnetic clip for home, auto or office. 75c each The Slatonite.

For Sale: 2 Bedroom house with separate garage and storage room. 235 South 4th VA 8-3228.
40 2TC

For Sale: 15 foot Coldspot Chest Type Freezer guaranteed. Slaton Trading Post, 139 Texas Ave. 2nd door north bank.
40 ITP

Yorkshire pigs for sale. H. R. Schwertner, VA-8-3054.
40 ITP

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3 Bedroom Brick home, 2 Baths, living room, den FHA Approved loan for 19,400.00
3 Bedroom home, den, West Garza Street, 1 block from square.
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For Sale: Good used Maytag automatic washing machines, rebuilt and guaranteed. Prices start at \$99.50. Self Furniture. 38 TFC

FOR SALE: Two bedroom house, 1010 S. 14th. Call VA-8-4819 or 996-2631.
31 t/c

FOR SALE: Blackeyed pea seed. Few pinto beans. 1 mile North of Gordon. J. B. Rackler WY 6-2062.
35 6tp

FOR SALE: Dependable second car. 1949 Chevrolet, 68,000 actual miles. \$250.00 cash. See John King at Slaton Slatonite.
TFC

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom 2 bath, ample storage space, carpeted kitchen paneled Den, double garage. Central heating and cooling, concrete tile fence, 10 x 14 outside storage building. 95 foot lot, close to High School. 1495 W. Crosby Call VA-8-3315 or VA-8-4969.
36 t/c

For Sale: To be moved, 6 x 18 ft. chicken house. \$30. Call VA 8-4897 or see at 1120 S. 11th.
40 1tp

For Sale: Fancy Guppies 50 cents per pair, 25 cents per female. 35 cents per male. See Steve Angerer, 510 W. Lynn, Slaton, Texas.
40 1 TP

FOR SALE: Three bedroom and den. 75 x 140 foot lot. Floor furnace, duct cooling, dishwasher. 910 South 14th Street. Call Forrest Lumber Co. VA-8-4106.
37 3TC

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For Sale: Will sacrifice my equity in 1964 Impala Sports coupe. Take up payments which are up to date. Contact Sinky Scott or call VA 8-4581 after 5 p.m.
40 ITC

FOR SALE: 3 room unfurnished house. Carpet, venetian blinds. Call R. H. Todd, Jr. Valley 8-4495
39 TFC

For rent: 2 bedroom house, detached garage, yard fence. Good location near Jr. High. J. A. Warren VA 8-7178.
40 TFC

Room for rent: joining bathroom. 230 South 12th. VA 8-3421.
4 1 TP

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5 Room Furnished House
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Call H. Bollinger
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Refilling and collecting money from new type high quality dispensers in this area. No selling. To qualify you must have car. \$540. to \$1440. cash, seven to twelve spare hours weekly. Highly profitable way to increase monthly income. Can expand. For personal interview write P. O. Box 612, Aurora, Colorado. Include phone.

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RENTALS — Furnished and unfurnished. W. E. Kidd. VA 8-4215. t/c

FOR RENT: Bedroom, private entrance. 355 N. 6th St. or Call VA 8-3465, if no answer, see Mr. R. T. Brookshire at Had-docks Grocery.
29-t/c

FOR RENT. Furnished apartment, close in town, Call 4475 or 4510.
19-t/c

FOR RENT: A one bedroom house. Couple or single only. Call VA-8-3494.
25 t/c

FOR RENT: Furnished apartments and unfurnished house for rent. Call VA-8-4475 Hugo Mosser.
33t/c

For rent: 3 bedroom, den, washer plumbed, hardwood floors, clean. Storage. Inquire 1350 S. 10th.
40 1TP

For Rent 3 room unfurnished modern house. 1035 — 13th St. Slaton. See or call C. D. Siewert. Phone Wilson exchange 628-3079.
38 4TP

For Rent Large furnished apartment or small well furnished house. VA 8-3902 or VA-8-3649. C. C. Wicker.
38 TFC

For Rent: Nice furnished apartment, air-conditioned. Bills paid 135 South 3rd. Call VA 8-4654.
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Railroad News..

We hear the agent at Lorenzo, Mr. W. T. Cherry, is planning to retire. He was here at Slaton for many years and everybody who worked for and with him respected him as a good boss. For his more than 50 years of railroad work, he has employed and trained helpers who went on to better jobs. And wherever Mr. and Mrs. Cherry have been since they started out on the old Orient around Hamlin, you can be sure they took their part in the civic and church business of whatever town they lived in. They raised some of the family in Slaton, and recently sold the home they occupied here to the Methodist Church.
Haven't been informed about their retirement plans, but they left their mark in Slaton.
Roy E. Davidson, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, died July 6 in Cleveland, Ohio, two days after his 63rd birthday. He had been ill only a few days.
Davidson began his railroad career as a fireman on the New York Central in 1918, and had been active in union work since 1941. He became head of the oldest of the unions in 1960. He is survived by his wife, three sons, one daughter, and several grandchildren.
Perry S. Heath, who began railroad work as a Santa Fe fireman in 1917, will fill out Davidson's term.
Cadet Eric W. Christensen, son of the Santa Fe Agent at Floydada, has been accepted into the University of New Mexico advanced Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program for the fall semester. He is a graduate of Floydada High School and a junior at the school.
Only cadets displaying outstanding leadership potential, personal traits and academic ability are accepted into advanced AFROTC, and they must also agree to accept a commission in the Air Force.

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Alan Fondy
Ben Merriman
Lloyd Norris

Jack Webb
Mike Melcher
Dennis Rushing
James Stephens
Louie Scott
Buddy Pettigrew
Randy Gamble

Alan Walter (Alternate)
Manager — Lynn Perdue
Coach — Dwayne Walters

SEASONAL TEAM STANDINGS FOR SEASON

TEAMS	GP	W	L	AB	H	TBA
15	13	2	384	109	283	
15	10	5	405	113	279	
15	8	7	369	89	241	
15	7	8	355	98	276	
15	4	11	379	87	229	
15	3	12	384	89	231	

BIRTHDAYS

DATE	NAME	AGE
July 9th	John Ehler	10
July 10th	Mrs. John Berkley	10
July 10th	Norman Piwonka	10
July 10th	W. A. Wilke	10
July 10th	Mrs. C. H. Green	10
July 10th	Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff	10
July 10th	Mrs. J. H. Floyd	10
July 10th	Mrs. Marcus Crumbley	10
July 10th	Jerry Telarteller	10
July 10th	Mrs. J. B. Kitten	10
July 10th	Clark Self, Jr.	10
July 10th	Ray Madison Ayers	10
July 10th	Mittie Belle White	10
July 11th	John T. Sims	10
July 11th	S. W. Clark	10
July 11th	Luther Roberts	10
July 11th	Mike Wheeler	10
July 12th	Charles Kitten	10
July 12th	Paul Warren	10
July 12th	Jay Mac Hudgens	10
July 12th	Jack Brookshire	10
July 13th	Tommy Brashears	10
July 13th	Malcolm Limmer	10
July 13th	Dale Kincer	10
July 13th	LaWanda Henry	10
July 13th	Mrs. Bill Guinn	10
July 13th	Sherilyn Jane Mann	10
July 13th	Mrs. Dewey Nelson	10
July 13th	Cecil Austin	10
July 14th	Larry Clark	10
July 14th	Mrs. Jim Gaede	10
July 14th	Pete King	10
July 14th	Landy Bownds	10
July 14th	Mrs. E. R. Legg	10
July 14th	Billie Sue Baker	10
July 14th	Elaine Christopher	10
July 14th	Clyde Walter	10
July 14th	Otis Rogers	10
July 14th	J. D. Talley	10
July 15th	Larry Bill Moeller	10
July 15th	O. F. Kitten	10
July 15th	Ferry Creswell	10
July 15th	J. O. Echols	10
July 15th	Joyce Heinrich	10
July 16th	Mrs. R. W. Cudd	10
July 16th	R. D. Klaus	10
July 16th	Lundie Roche	10
July 16th	Norma Elliott	10
July 17th	Mrs. August Kitten	10
July 17th	Roger Scalling, Dummit	10
July 17th	Alvis Joe Lake	10
July 17th	Mrs. O. L. Doyle	10
July 17th	Mrs. W. D. Cooper	10
July 17th	Jerry Wilson	10
July 18th	Marilyn Kitten	10
July 18th	E. A. Kercheval	10
July 18th	Louise Russ	10
July 18th	Mrs. Fannie Patterson	10
July 18th	Mrs. Victor Heinrich	10
July 18th	W. H. Bartlett	10
July 18th	Jerome Schewertner	10
July 19th	Mrs. T. E. McClanahan	10
July 19th	Mrs. A. J. Hoover	10
July 19th	Audrey Kitten	10
July 19th	Mrs. Horace Crumbley	10
July 19th	Mrs. Ben Davis	10
July 19th	Darrell E. Weaver	10
July 20th	Eddie Ray McCarver	10
July 20th	Philip Hoyt	10
July 20th	David Jaynes	10
July 20th	Rev. J. L. Mayhew	10
July 20th	W. L. Edwards	10
July 21st	Billy Dickson	10
July 21st	Mrs. Lee Woolton	10
July 21st	Harold Wilson	10
July 21st	Mrs. A. L. Edwards	10
July 21st	Arthur Kahlich	10
July 21st	Cari Kahlich	10
July 21st	C. E. Hogue	10
July 21st	Rose Marie Johnson	10
July 21st	P. W. Houston	10
July 22nd	Jimmie Leon Walker	10
July 22nd	Mrs. H. E. Atnip	10
July 22nd	A. W. Weaver, Jr.	10
July 22nd	Kale Roche	10
July 22nd	Johnny Green	10
July 23rd	Randy Johnson	10
July 23rd	Allen Miles	10
July 23rd	Claude Cravens	10
July 23rd	Joe Bob Jones	10
July 23rd	Mrs. Richard Perry	10

City Council Meeting Notes

By H. Marsh

City commission meeting Monday night was not very well attended, but tempers flared and some of the participants were still talking when the Slatonite reporter left about 11:30 p.m. after listening for four hours.

Minutes of preceding meeting approved.

Mayor Cain, Commissioners Bollinger, Banks, Reasoner present; nobody to represent Ward 1 in place Bownds, resigned. Water Service Sup't Baker made a brief report. City secretary Sokoll and cemetery superintendent Jordan also present.

Commissioner Banks requested some street repairs at Dayton and New Mexico, and at 4th and Geneva. Baker said they would be done as soon as possible.

Mr. Ball asked permission to install a citizens' band radio antenna on one of the city's water tanks. No action, pending investigation of whether insurance might be involved.

City Attorney Cravens asked Director of Public Works Baker to state exactly how much he was being paid before he left the meeting. Mr. Baker said \$500 a month.

Mr. Cross and Mrs. Meador asked whether they could share the city tow, repair and improvement business if they put several thousand dollars into equipping a truck with rescue equipment. There are only two firms here now doing this work, and it appeared former commissioner Truett Bownds, who resigned recently, was the only one who would answer an emergency call in a drowning rain at 3:00 a.m. The gentlemen were requested to work out some kind of an arrangement where calls would be taken on a first-in, first-out basis.

There was a discussion about oiling dirt streets to keep dust from blowing, and some experiments will be made.

Insuring police cars against collision was also discussed. Premiums would be prohibitive.

"Straw vote" ballots which will have no legal effect will be passed out at the July 28 election to see how the people feel about a curfew law and doing something about the unstrained roaming of licensed dogs. If the straw votes indicate that is what the people want, city ordinances will be drawn up to do it.

A lady at 13th and Knox wanted a street light; said there had been trespassers lately. Moved by Bollinger, seconded Reasoner, street light to be installed at 13th and Knox. Carried.

Pentecostal Holiness Church has been using lot 1 in block 28 of the South Slaton Addition for a long time, because it is an odd shaped piece of ground and no one else wants it. Church offered to pay back taxes of \$26.17 to acquire title to the lot, but asked the city to remit \$10.21 in penalties and interest. City could not do that legally, unless they did it for others. Moved by Reasoner, seconded by Bollinger, that one half of the \$10.21 be allowed.

City attorney read through Ordinance No. 245 annexing the city farm to the city so city police could prevent people from shooting holes in the tanks. It described, by metes and bounds, the entire 20 feet each side of the center line of the road from here to there, and there being no objection, the ordinance was passed.

An ordinance, No. 173-A, was read, amending Ordinance No. 173 of 1959, describing the eight different housing zones within the city limits, and providing a new official map of them. It carried.

City attorney asked if a check had been made to see if all city vehicles are included in insurance policies. City secretary said they are, including the serial numbers.

City attorney also asked if affidavits were on file certifying the legal publication of election notices, bids, etc. He was assured they were on file.

Police Chief Breedlove, before going out on an emergency call, left a note requesting permission to hire Don Settles as radio dispatcher. Moved by Reasoner, seconded Bollinger, it be approved.

Bills totaling \$14,688.66 were read, and it was moved by Reasoner and seconded by Bollinger they be paid.

About half of this was accumulated insurance premiums, engineering expense, and completion of the payments to the auditor for checking city accounts.

The only bill questioned was one for \$3.69, which cemetery superintendent Jordan said he didn't think belonged to him.

However, Jordan had extended credit for 30 to 90 days to some people and he was authorized to transfer \$1,000 from the savings to the working funds of the cemetery. He said he would replace it in the savings account within 90 days.

There wasn't money enough in the general fund to pay the bills. Moved by Reasoner, seconded by Bollinger, that \$10,000 be transferred from the water improvement savings fund in the Slaton Savings & Loan Association to the general fund in the Citizens State Bank. Carried.

The present fiscal year for keeping the city books runs from April 1 to March 31. The auditor had recommended a change, the city attorney was worried about some of the legal aspects, and the city secretary said it would simplify his work if the fiscal year were the same as the tax year, that is October to September. Trouble is taxes can be paid as early as October, but don't become delinquent until February 1.

After much talk, it was moved by Commissioner Banks, seconded by Reasoner, that the fiscal year be made the same as the calendar year, that is January 1 to December 31. Mayor Cain was very insistent that some action be taken. What was done will help, but not quite make clear, a comparison of income and expenses in a given period.

The meeting was crowned in its final minutes with a letter dated July 8 to the Mayor and City Commission in which H. M. Englund, Ray Kitten and Don Kendrick all resigned, leaving the Slaton Cemetery Advisory Board vacant. Cemetery Superintendent Jordan was authorized by the Commissioners to make such arrangements as were necessary pending appointment of a new board.

Second Glance

Continued From Page 1

a fleet of refrigerator trucks and fried at the retail store.

Raymond Johnson has returned from the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring and is now a patient in Mercy Hospital at Slaton, suffering some trouble with his right arm. He is a World War I veteran and retired locomotive engineer.

Mrs. Ellen Franklin entered Mercy Hospital Friday morning after suffering a stroke at her farm home between Slaton and Post. She was reported much improved Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Greeley Myers, teachers in the Slaton schools, have returned after spending a month at Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Having no golf club of its own, Slaton doesn't usually show up in the area golf tournaments, but we note in the first flight at the Littlefield Country Club L. A. (Doc) Reasoner lost to Dick Neal of Lubbock 7-8, and in the fourth flight Jim Sain won over Ralph Krebs of Lubbock, 89-92.

Howard Hoffman of Slaton was named last week to a 20-member County Building Complex Committee to study the needs for additional space and buildings.

Some of the proposals made include tearing down the old courthouse, remodeling it, remodeling the new court house, and extending it from street to street on all sides.

Slaton American Legion defeated Canyon 3-2 in the July 8 game at Plainview. Ronnie Jones went all the way for Slaton. Gordon and Kenny Kitten were leading hitters for Slaton, each with a double and a triple.

They will play Hereford at Plainview next Friday night.

Tide Products, Inc. opened a new liquid fertilizer plant at Littlefield Sunday with public ceremonies. It is a subsidiary of Union Carbide Corp., and is said to be one of the largest liquid fertilizer producers in the south.

The plant is two miles west of Littlefield on the Clovis highway.

July Plentiful Present Good Food Story

COLLEGE STATION, — A good story can bear telling more than once.

And the good story for July—for consumers, that is—is that beef once again is plentiful, says the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Record production of fed beef is keeping cattle and beef prices at the lowest in several years. Beef is the perfect choice for July—the "Picnic Month".

Also featured are fresh plums. Forecast of a record—large 110,000-ton California crop should result in large shipments of this fruit into local markets, supplementing local supplies.

Other July plentifuls, as compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Marketing Service, include turkeys, early summer vegetables, watermelons, canned pink salmon and vegetable fats and oils.

A ten percent increase in July

marketings of turkeys should provide ample supplies of this popular meat. The turkey industry is again celebrating its Summer Turkey Time promotion, this month.

Such vegetables as sweet corn, tomatoes and onions from local gardens will supplement large shipments from distant commercial producing areas.

A three percent increase over last year in watermelon production more than likely will result in prices favorable to the consumer. Most of the increase is due to 6,000 more acres of watermelons being planted this year in Texas.

Stocks of canned pink salmon should remain large, along with huge supplies of edible vegetable oils.

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Car Victim Friend Of Post People

Mrs. James B. Owings, 59, was killed and her husband, an employe of the city of Baytown was badly injured about 8 a.m. Sunday when their car went out of control and struck a culvert on FM-400 about a mile north of Idalou. Mr. Owings' left leg had to be amputated at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, that afternoon. She was dead on arrival at the hospital.

The Owings had been in Colorado on vacation, and were en route to Post to visit friends there.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Owings are pending at Mason Funeral Home, Post.

Reason for the car getting out of control was not certain, but could have been a tire blowout. It turned over two or three times after striking the culvert, passing over Mrs. Owings' body after she was thrown out.

Woman Convicted

A woman from Houston pleaded guilty in County Court - at-Law No. 1 last week to one check law violation under the name of Doris Jordan and was fined \$100 and sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge James A. Ellis. She also pleaded guilty under the name of Judy Mitchell in another case, and was assessed a \$150 fine and given 60 days in jail.

Asst. County Attorney Quinn Brackett told the court the woman had 30 checks outstanding, totaling \$483.94.



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Stacy Gill At Ball Camp

Stacy Gill of Wilson is currently enrolled in the third session of the West Texas Baseball Camp at Lubbock Christian College.

The boys at the camp have been actively engaged in learning the fundamentals of baseball according to Camp Director Bobby Moegle. "We're trying to cover every aspect of baseball, including knowledge of game situations," Moegle commented. "We haven't had quite as many boys this time as in the previous two sessions so we have been able to give a little more individual attention."

In addition to the baseball program a full slate of recreational activities are being conducted under the direction of Dr. Herman Segrest, over-all camp director.

The fourth and final session of the camp begins July 19 with plenty of openings still available.

Keeping the patient's spirits high is as important as keeping his temperature low, and good grooming aids can brighten the atmosphere in a sickroom, says Dr. Graham Hard, Extension clothing specialist at Texas A&M University.

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FIREMAN OF WEEK

Shown above is Donald Spradley, the Slaton Fire Department's FIREMAN OF THE WEEK. Donald lives at 740 S. 10th St. where he owns his home. He and his wife, Faye, have 3 children, Donita Faye 3 yrs, Trena Marie age 20 months and Donald Wade age 6 mos.

W. Texas Chamber Directors Against LBJ's Poverty War

Directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, in a two-day meeting at Lubbock last week, voted unanimously against President Johnson's "War on Poverty". The 100 directors represent more than half of the 254 counties in Texas, and all levels of business, agriculture, oil and other private industry. It is claimed that \$100 billion a year is already being spent by national, state and local governments in welfare work and that Mr. Johnson's proposed \$0.975 billion more would mean nothing significant.

Local Golfers Runnersup In Tournaments

Dr. Don Hatchett was runner-up for the championship of the Lubbock Country Club tournament, losing to Texas Tech player Mike Gooden 1-up in 36 holes. They started play at 9 a.m. Sunday, and both carded 76's for the first 18 holes. On the afternoon round, Gooden finished with 79, Hatchett with 80. They stayed even until the 35th hole, which Gooden won a par three, and Hatchett took one over. Both tied with par fours on the last hole. In the first round of the golf tournament at Littlefield Country Club Friday, Marlin Bumpass of Slaton qualified with a medal score of 84 in the second flight, playing against P. P. Hodges of Littlefield, who shot an 83.

In the semi-finals of the Littlefield country club golf tournament Saturday, Doc Reasoner of Slaton, playing in a consolation first flight match, defeated Bubba Brooks of Hale Center, 2 and 1. In the second flight, Marlin Bumpass of Slaton won 2-up from Adrian Martin, Littlefield. And in the fourth flight, Jim Sam of Slaton lost to Freddie Bumpass 2-up. Matched in the final Sunday in the first flight consolation were Reasoner and Hoyett McCoud of Plainview, and in the second flight Bumpass against K. R. Lindsey of Littlefield. In the final rounds of the Littlefield Country Club tournament Sunday, Doc Reasoner of Slaton placed second with a score of 42-38-80 in the consolation first flight playoff. Marlin Bumpass of Slaton also lacked one stroke of winning the second flight with 39-40-79.

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FARM NEWS

COLLEGE STATION — Hybrid Bermudas for beef production will be a major discussion area during the 14th annual Beef Cattle Short Course July 27-28 at Texas A&M University.

Dr. O. D. Butler, head of the A&M Animal Husbandry Department, said topics to be covered in the Bermudagrass session are establishment and production, grass composition, production in the southeastern U.S., and grazing steers and wintering weaned bulls and heifers on Coastal Bermuda.

A panel discussion of producer experiences with hybrid Bermudas will climax the talks. C. G. Scruggs of Dallas, editor of The Progressive Farmer magazine, will preside.

Bermuda speakers are E. C. Holt and H. W. Franke of Texas A&M; K. S. Eng, Gulf Coast Pasture - Beef Cattle Research Station, Angleton; W. C. McCormick, Gulf Plains Experiment Station, Georgia; and A. A. Melton, Trans-Pecos Experiment Station - Livestock Unit, Balmorhea.

Butler said another high interest subject to be explored at the conference is "Beef Importation and the American Cattleman." The speaker is Cushman S. Radebaugh of Orlando, Fla., past president of the American National Cattleman's Association.

Other subjects and speakers are "Ammoniated Rice Hulls as a Ruminant Feed" by Eng; "Rice Hulls versus Cottonseed Hulls in Fattening Rations," B. E. Conrad, Beeville Experiment Station; "Dehydrated Aquatic Plant Material for Cattle Feeding," E. K. Crouch, East Texas Pastures Investigations Station, Lufkin; and "Types and Costs of Fence Construction" by W. J. Waldrip of the Texas Experimental Ranch at Throckmorton.

Also "Costs and Returns from Irrigated Improved Pastures," Ralph E. Peterson, area Extension farm management specialist, Weslaco; "Influences of Climate on Cattle," J. C. May 31, which was \$200,000,000.

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Apple Lemon Napoleons
1 package refrigerated apple turnover pastries
1 can (2 1/2 cups) lemon pie filling
Carefully separate dough into 8 squares. Cut each square in half to form rectangles. Place on cookie sheet. Bake at 400° for 6 to 8 minutes, until golden brown. Cool.
Fold apple filling into lemon pie filling. Spoon over 8 of the rectangles. Top with remaining rectangles. Drizzle icing over desserts. Serves 8.

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more than in the same period a year ago. The largest item was \$652,000,000 to farmers under the feed grain program, for diverting land from corn, barley and sorghum grain.

Loss of \$568,000,000 involved the sale of stored surpluses for less than it cost the corporation to acquire them under the wheat to Russia and Brazil made up a part of this.

At the reporting date, the corporation had stored farm surpluses acquired by it at a cost of \$7.5 billion, compared to \$7.7 billion a year earlier.

From Dallas Thursday, the U.S. Department of Labor through Regional Administrator Tracy C. Murrell of the Bureau of Employment Security announced that the Dawson County Cotton Growers Ass'n, and five individuals had been denied future right to employ braceros (Mexican Nationals) under the agreement between the two countries.

It was asserted the employers had failed to return certain Mexican Nationals within the prescribed time limit, and that a total of \$99.15 had been deducted illegally from the wages of 102 Mexican Nationals, although this amount was later paid them.

It was also claimed required non-occupational insurance had not been provided in some cases for them.

Castorbeans with even higher yields will be available to farmers in the future according to Barry Love, Associate Agronomist at the High Plains Research Foundation.

Three experimental strains, developed by the Baker Castor Oil Co., had yields above 3,000 pounds per acre on an irrigated test at the Foundation. Twenty strains and varieties including hybrids were in the test plots, ranging from a low of 1,966 pounds to 3,112 pounds per acre. The average yield of 20 types was 2,587 pounds per acre. These yields show a gratifying increase over the tests made at the start of the castorbean testing program at the Foundation in 1957. The 1963 tests showed the highest yields ever at the Foundation.

The 20 castorbeans in the test were planted May 10th in four-row plots. There were four plots for each variety and experimental strain. All castorbeans were harvested on December 23, 1963, with a harvester furnished and operated by the Baker Castor Oil Co.

A preplant irrigation was applied to all plots on April 3. During the growing season there were three additional irrigations. These were applied 3.40 inches, July 11; 3.17 inches, July 26; and 4.10 inches, August 14. Rainfall received from May 1 to October 1 totaled 13.1 inches. All plots received 94 pounds of nitrogen as ammonium nitrate at the time of planting, and 100 pounds of nitrogen from anhydrous ammonia on July 14. The best results for several years were received from a fertilizer application of 100 pounds nitrogen preplant and 50 pounds nitrogen sidedressed.

There was no significant difference between the first twelve varieties and strains in the test of 20. Five new unreleased strains were ahead of the first released variety, Hale Hybrid, in the test. These five will be available for release in the near future.

The complete data on the results of the 1963 castorbean experiments are available in Research Report No. 86 at the High Plains Research Foundation.

All entries in the test were developed in the breeding programs of the Baker Castor Oil Co., The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Agricultural Research Service of the U.S.D.A.

Dr. Earl H. Collier, Director of the Foundation, stated that, "These tests on castorbeans are a part of the Foundation's continued research program to determine the best hybrids and varieties for the castorbean producing area of the High Plains. Acreage devoted to castorbeans in the High and South Plains in 1956 to around 10,000 acres in 1963.

There are three firms in the area available to farmers in marketing and processing castorbeans in the High and South Plains of Northwest Texas.

COLLEGE STATION — Although your farm pond is well-managed, properly stocked and fertilized, you may still be catching only a few fish — small ones at that. If so, you're probably not fishing your pond heavily enough, says Wallace G. Klusmann, wildlife conservation specialist, Texas A&M University.

If a pond is not fished heavily, the fish population will rapidly deplete the food supply, resulting in stunted fish. Research has shown that a surface acre of pond water that is well-managed needs from 300 to 500 man hours of fishing each year to keep fish production at a maximum, Klusmann points out.

Fertilized water is like fertilized soil, says the specialist. Fertile water will produce a larger crop of fish just as fertile land will produce more cotton or corn. Therefore, the harvest of fish from fertile water can and should be greater than from non-fertile water.

New Meat-Mate: Nectarine



Lamb chops and other meats become exotic fare served with "Quick Nectarine Chutney," a recipe chutney to captivate warm-weather appetites. Tempting is definitely the word for almost any dish to do with fresh nectarines from California. Whether them out-of-hand or enjoy them with main dishes, nectarines are unmatched in their appeal to all tastes of day. They'll be plentiful into September — enough!

Quick Nectarine Chutney
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
1/2 teaspoon curry powder
1 cup finely chopped celery
1 cup finely chopped onion
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup brown sugar, packed
1 jar (2 1/2 oz.) dried apricots
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1/2 cup diced fresh nectarines
1/2 teaspoon each ground cinnamon, nutmeg and ginger

Melt butter in saucepan. Blend in curry powder, apricots, onion, salt, brown sugar, lemon juice and cayenne. Simmer 3 minutes. Add nectarines and cook 2 minutes longer. Let stand several hours or overnight. Serve with loin lamb chops or other meats. Makes 2 cups.

Five Killed On Lubbock County Rural Highway

The Highway Patrol investigated 30 rural traffic accidents in Lubbock County during the month of June, according to Sergeant O. C. Guthrie, Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These wrecks accounted for five persons killed, 34 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$23,402.00.

The rural traffic accident summary in Lubbock County for the first six months of 1964 shows a total of 209 crashes resulting in 20 persons killed, 179 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$179,337.00.

"As of July 3, there had been a total of 1,060 fatal crashes in Texas taking the lives of 1,288 persons," Guthrie stated. This is the highest number of deaths since the start of the year in Texas history.

The California family notified authorities.

EIGHT KILLED
Eight Latin-Americans were killed early Saturday morning in a collision between a station wagon and an automobile just west of Brownfield on Highway 380. There were no survivors.

The wreck occurred when the car, in which only the driver was riding, attempted to pass a California vehicle headed east. The California family notified authorities.

Beef buys are still well worth considering, says Mrs. Gwen Clyatt, Extension Service consumer marketing specialist. Look for best beef values on chuch roasts and steaks, ground beef, round steaks and roasts and short ribs.

Pork values include bacon, picnics, shoulder roasts and steaks. Fryers are in excellent supply at low prices and Grade A large eggs remain the economy quality egg value.

Fresh fruit and vegetable items in good supply at economical prices include bananas, watermelons, cantaloupes, corn, lemons, lettuce, dry yellow onions, corn, cabbage, squash, carrots, bell peppers, green onions and radishes. Other fruits available at moderate to high price levels are pineapples, plums, Bing cherries and early varieties of peaches.

Milk for drinking and for cooking is abundant. There's whole milk, skim milk, flavored milks, dry milks, cultured milk and evaporated and condensed milk. Milk and milk products are always faithful standbys for the menu planner, and June Dairy Month observances provide a real opportunity to make milk and its products the stars of your household's daily fare.

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