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Op Gin Basketball in Undefeated

A basketball team from a neighbor, Lubbock, is the Slaton team sponsored A.A.U. team playing in the Lubbock League.

The team is undefeated in games still scheduled. Games are played every night in the Slaton Junior High School gymnasium. The team's members are: Tommy Clain, Maurice Smith, Martin, currently at Plains College at Pete Harris and Larho are employed in

Former Slaton Residents Retire From Santa Fe

Santa Fe Magazine this month carries news of retirement of three former Slaton residents, and promotion of another.

Paul J. Danneberg retired as mechanical superintendent at Kansas City after 54 years with the Santa Fe. He was master mechanic at Slaton between 1937 and 1941.

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C. M. Lee, Former Yardmaster At Slaton, Dies In California

Word has been received here of the death of Charles M. Lee, retired Santa Fe yardmaster at Slaton, which occurred in El Cajon, California, February 6.

Lee was born in Cleburne, Texas, September 4, 1894, and began work for the railroad at the age of sixteen, working as a clerk and refrigeration inspector before becoming a brakeman. He transferred to San Marcial, New Mexico, in 1917, came to Slaton in 1933, and had been a yardmaster for several years before his retirement in December, 1949, because of heart

trouble. He had lived in California since that time.

Lee was an army veteran of World War I and a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars. Internment was in Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery.

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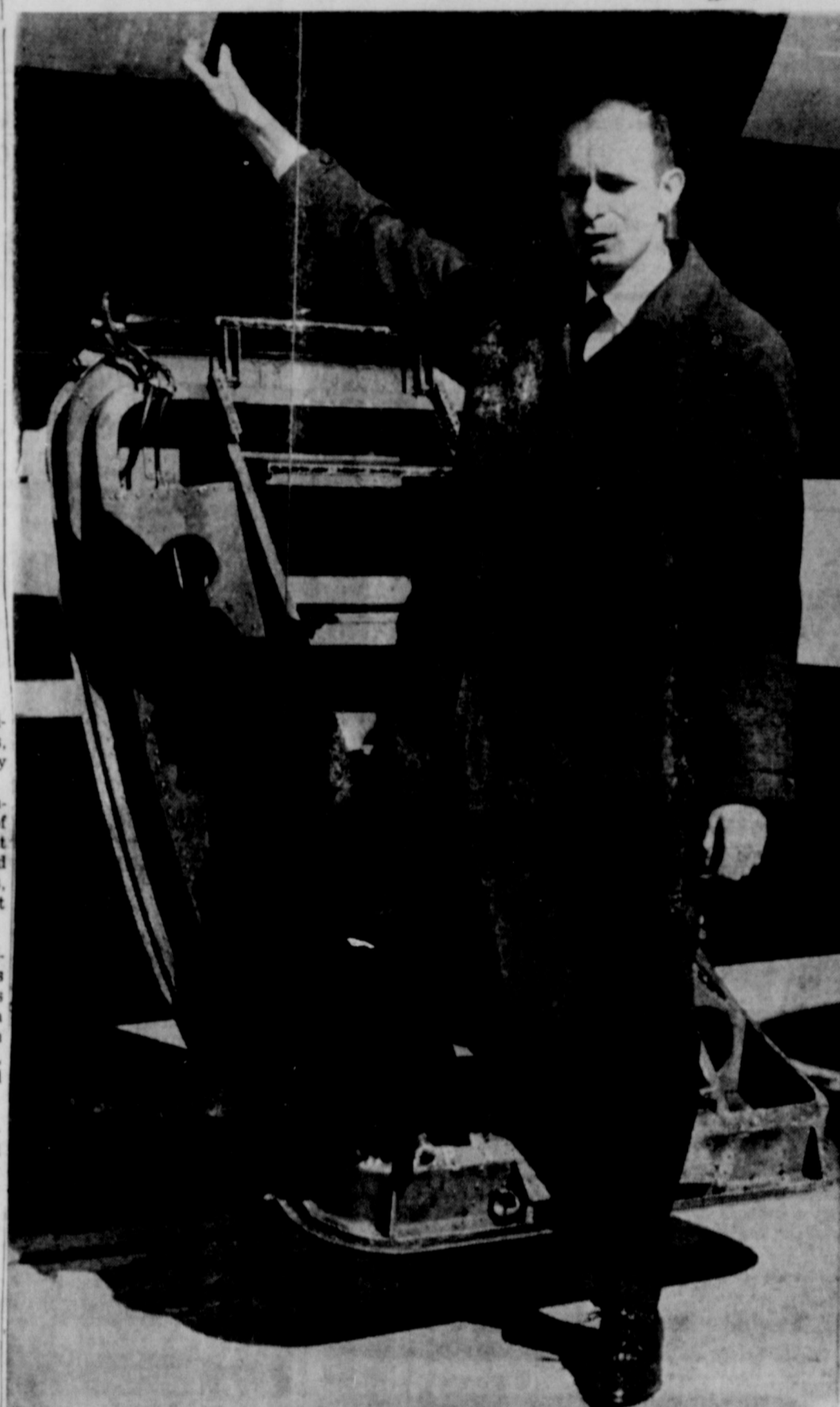
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Slaton School Counselor Visits Air Force Academy, Colorado



JOURNEY'S END—Thomas W. Kurz, counselor of Slaton High School, steps from a KC-97 Air Force transport aircraft at Reese Air Force Base on his return from a visit to the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs. He was briefed on many activities of the Academy as a member of a South Plains counseling group. (Air Force Photo).

A dozen high school and youth counselors of the South Plains visited the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs early this week, spending Monday visiting many areas of the Nation's newest military academy.

Among the visitors were Mrs. Ethel Short, counselor, Lubbock High School; Paul Young, counselor, Lubbock High School; Mrs. Doris Webb, counselor, Monterey High School, Lubbock; David S. Tullis, guidance director, Littlefield High School; Mrs. Minerva Storall, counselor, Plainview High School; Thomas W. Kurz, counselor, Slaton High School; Mrs. Earnestine Kincaid, counselor, Seminole High School; Mrs. Margie Maddox, counselor, Lamesa High School; James E. Webb, counselor, Leevealand High School; Mrs. Jewell Fleming, counselor, Lamesa High School; Clyde Prestwood, counselor, Texas Tech; and Gus Benner, Boy Scout Executive, Lubbock.

The counselors flew in a KC-97 transport plane from Lubbock to Colorado Springs Sunday and returned shortly before noon Tuesday. The trip was arranged by Dr. Floyd Boze, Texas Tech Dean of Admissions and area Air Force Academy liaison officer, to acquaint educators with facilities and programs of the Academy and to permit them to become better qualified to advise boys and young men about Academy entry and work.

Tom Kurz, counselor of Slaton High School, told the Slatonite the group had a very pleasant and informative trip to the Air Force Academy. He found buildings and grounds impressive and about what he had expected. Asked about educational standards there as compared with older colleges and service academies, he said they were very high and many appointees were dropped who did not have the qualifications required. Some national criticism has been heard lately about the young Air Force Academy not conforming to the traditions and histories of older schools, but Kurz thought, that if it were true, it might be advantageous in many ways. He said young men could receive a very fine education there, but must be well qualified to enter.

Patsy Pettigrew, Slaton junior, and Henry Clay Fallen, Ennis sophomore, have been assigned to Juarez, Mexico, working with Vacation Bible Schools, special teaching projects and mission service. They will be teaching in Spanish and working with four other college students from Texas.

Services Held For Father Of Robert Carter

Robert Carter and family, 810 South 15th, were called to Clovis Sunday due to the death of his father, M. F. Carter. Mr. Carter was 82 years old and had farmed in the McAlester community north of Clovis for many years. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Clovis with interment at Tucumcari.

Robert and Margaret are Employed in the Santa Fe Superintendent's office, and are building a new home on Union Road. Keith, their oldest son, has recently been promoted to Airman 1c with the Air Force in Japan.

Baylor Students Are Missionaries

Seven Baylor students have been appointed as summer missionaries for the state Baptist Student Union.

Slaton Graduate Wins Promotion In U. S. Air Force

Selfridge AFB, Mich.—William A. Lee of Lubbock, Texas, has been promoted to airman first class in the United States Air Force.

Airman Lee, son of Mrs. Author E. Hagnes of 2102 64th, Lubbock, is assigned to the 1st Armament and Electronics Maintenance Squadron here as a weapons mechanic.

The airman is a graduate of Slaton High School. He is married to the former Wanda C. Schneider of Rt. 1, Wilson, Tex.

City Of Slaton Growing Faster Than Expected, According Water Superintendent, Wayne Baker

There are now two hundred more water meters in service in Slaton than was forecast for this year when the Canadian River Project was planned, and Slaton will not begin to receive water from the Canadian until Fall of 1967. At least, that was the original time set, and work seems to be progressing about on schedule.

"Of course we want the city to grow," says City Water Superintendent Wayne Baker, "but if it continues at the present rate, we will need a few new wells to supply us before 1967."

He said engineering studies have been made and there should be no difficulty in getting enough water.

Slaton now has 1972 water meters. The average meter reading is between five and six thousand gallons per month. City consumption falls to about 450,000 gallons per day in winter, around 2,000,000 during summer months. Drought increases demand for sprinkling lawns and irrigating gardens.

The city owns twenty three operational wells at present, but all are not pumped to capacity during the winter. There are six full time employees in the Water Department, some part time workers being required in summer.

Baker came to Slaton from Pecos last October to be Superintendent of the City Water Department and already has a very thorough knowledge of the problems which confront this growing city.

He is a native of Baytown, Texas, where he finished High School and spent two years at Lee Junior College.

Entering the Army in 1950, he served two years in Korea. After

his discharge, he attended Abilene Christian College two years, receiving degrees in chemistry and psychology.

After graduation, he was employed in the laboratories of Union Carbide Corporation at Texas City. His work there led to his interest in water problems, and he was in that work at Pecos before coming to Slaton.

He has a lifetime "A" certificate or license from the Texas State Health Department. He's also past president of the Sierra Madera Water Association, which includes Alpine, Marfa, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Monahans and other cities in that area.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker are members of Church of Christ, and enjoy bowling, fishing and other activities. They reside at 820 South 16th Street in Slaton.

Special Commission Meeting Authorizes Bids For Construction of Water Lines

A special meeting of the Slaton City Commission was held in City Hall at 10:00 a.m. Monday with Mayor Jonas Cain, Commissioners Henry Bolinger, Truett Bownds and Robert Hall Davis present. Commissioner Fernandez Gonzales was unable to attend. City Engineer Bennett Reaves reported to the commission that work on new U. S. 84 Highway Loop had progressed to where an immediate decision must be made about installing water and sewer lines to serve newly annexed property in the northwest part of the city. It had been estimated previously that if the work were not done before completion of the new highway, it would cost two

to three times as much to lay the lines later. Funds could be made available from the sewer and water fund.

Motion was made by Commissioner Davis, seconded by Commissioner Bownds, and passed unanimously that Mr. Reaves have the firm of Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers at Lubbock, prepare necessary bonds and specifications for the work, and that legal notice be published immediately of the acceptance of sealed bids from contractors. Notice appears elsewhere in this issue of the Slatonite.

The work entails laying at present of about 600 feet of 16 and 20 inch steel casing and 1600 feet

of 6 and 8 inch sewer line which will eventually be connected to serve properties mentioned.

Six Persons Killed On Rural Highways In County In Jan.

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 45 accidents on rural highways in Lubbock County during the month of January, according to Sergeant O. C. Guthrie, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These wrecks accounted for 6 persons killed, 43 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$43,787.00.

"More stringent provisions of this law—requiring drivers and owners to be able to pay for damage to others in traffic accidents—became effective January 1, 1964," the Sergeant said. "In any accident in which damage amounts to at least \$25.00 or more, the operator of every motor vehicle is required to report the accident in writing to the Texas Department of Public Safety. If the accident involved death, injury or damage to one person's property of at least \$100.00, the accident then comes under the Safety Responsibility Act and its requirements must be met," he explained.

The Department of Public Safety is required by the new law to suspend the driver licenses and all motor vehicle registration plates of both the operator and owner of vehicles involved in accidents coming under the Safety Responsibility Law unless the owner and operator meet one or more of the following requirements:

1. Liability insurance coverage in minimum amounts of \$10,000.00 for one injury or death, \$20,000.00 total injury and death and \$5,000.00 property damage.
 2. A release signed by the damaged parties.
 3. Signed installment agreement for damages.
 4. Operator and owner found not to be liable in a court of jurisdiction.
 5. Operator and owner posting cash or bond security in amounts sufficient to cover liability incurred.
- "If in doubt as to the amount of damage send in a report and be on the safe side, or if additional information is needed contact any member of the D P S," the Patrol Supervisor concluded.

Automobile Damage Takes Heavy Toll From Slaton Motorists In January

Prisoners arrested for juvenile court totaled 9. All but one were released to their parents. Prisoners arrested for other departments came to the total of 8.

According to the monthly report submitted by Slaton Police Chief Joe Martin, of the 35 offenses reported during the month, 24 of the infractions were cleared. Offenses reported included: lost property, destruction of private property, auto burglary, vandalism, carrying prohibited weapon, burglary, aggravated assault, theft over \$5, accidental burning, dog bite, discharging firearms in

the City limits, interfering with legal arrest, theft under \$5, theft over \$50, attempted rape, prowler, fund property, and disturbance.

There were 101 jail arrests during the month for being drunk, drunk in car, simple assault, possession by minor, traffic violations, affray, disturbance, consuming after hours, vagrancy, resisting arrest, discharging firearms in City limits. Total jail arrest fines totaled \$2,970, those collected amounted to \$1,804 and a total of \$186 in fines were laid out.

Traffic arrests during the month included: parked on roadway, no drivers license, driving in a dangerous manner, red red light, contesting for speed, speeding, excessive noise with a motor vehicle, violation of D. L. restriction code 2, operating truck without R. R. permit, interfering with Fire Department, disobeyed visible signal, defective brakes, failed to Yield Right of Way, Ordinance 220. The total traffic arrests being 34 and those tickets collected amounting to \$284.

warrants issued for the month of January were 8. The citations issued for the month of January were 84.

Warning Issued On Traveling Peddlers of Trees & Nursery Stock

The approaching spring season brings with it the threat of bogus tree and nursery stock salesmen operating primarily out of the back of pickup trucks, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White warned this week.

Commissioner White said his Austin headquarters in already receiving complaints from home owners who have purchased from traveling peddlers and the plants proved to be dead or dying. The influx is apparently heavier this year and an especially troublesome area has been pinpointed around Dallas and Fort Worth.

Teams of Texas Department of Agriculture inspectors have been deployed throughout the state to be on the lookout for

itinerant salesmen. Several truckloads of illegal and below standard trees have been seized, White said.

Buyers are urged by Commissioner White to buy only nursery stock which has a certificate of inspection from the Texas Department of Agriculture. This inspection certificate is required by state law but difficult to enforce on fly-by-night operators who slip in from out of state.

"I recommend that home owners buy from reputable local nurseries — or at least always ask to see the inspection certificate," said White. "Bargain plants often prove to be not such a good bargain after all."

Boll Weevil Threat At A Minimum

Texas cotton farmers can take some comfort in the fact that fewer boll weevils went into hibernation this winter than last year, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Boll weevil counts were made at random over the state by Texas and federal entomologists with special attention to the most troublesome areas in Central Texas. The winter survival is expected to be about half of what bollworm and also achieves it was in 1962, White said.

During the late fall of each year, Texas and U. S. D. A. research teams take samples of wood trash adjacent to cotton fields to determine the number of weevils in hibernation. The number surviving the winter, combined with weather condition during the early part of the cotton fruiting period, will determine potential boll weevil damage to the 1964 cotton crop.

"I am especially pleased with the report this year which indicated our control efforts to hold the destructive boll weevil at an absolute minimum are working," Commissioner John White said. "Our neighboring state Louisiana shows some increases of the insect are in prospect for their area, however," he added.

Trash samples collected from four Central Texas counties are indicative of results over the rest of the state. Fall, Hill, Limestone, and McLennan county areas averaged only 517 weevils per acre, compared with 1,781 Commissioner White attributed

a major part of this winter's decrease in hibernating boll weevils to low spring populations that survived the winter last year. A cotton planting and plowing-up program administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture is designed to control the pink bollworm and also achieves it was in 1962, White said.

This is the second year in which substantial decreases in boll weevils have been noted, White pointed out. Last year also showed a decrease from the spring of 1962 in numbers of



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surviving weevils. As a result damage to the 1963 crop from boll weevils was gratifyingly light.

of its elders' skills to place volunteers in work they enjoy! By the way, the Chairman of the Maryland Commission is a woman. I guess I just had to say it!

TAKE YOUR CHOICE
DEAR HELEN: Please settle a big argument. I claim it's better to retire in a place with kids and young folk. The others say the best retirement is in a quiet place only for retirees. Who's right?—UNCLE TIM.

You are, according to most of today's experts. But don't be so belligerent, Uncle Tim. The experts favor a "normal" rather than segregated population. Yet some retirees are quite happy in a community exclusively for them. Like everything, the choice is a highly personal decision. Unbelievable but true is the case of a couple I knew who not only moved to a retirement community but proceeded to build a home 3 miles away from anybody. And you know where they were from?

From the heart of downtown Pittsburgh! The moral of this story is that the "best" retirement is what's best for you. For the full retirement picture, write and request some of the booklets given free of charge, compliments of this column.

Need Help on a Problem?
Write to Helen Alpert, National Senior Center, Lehigh Acres, Florida, or in care of this newspaper. Write today for the free list of the many books and services available to you, compliments of this column.

PASTOR HAS ANNIVERSARY
Rev. H. E. Summar, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church, will celebrate his eleventh anniversary as pastor of the local church this Sunday, Feb. 22d.

He joined with the membership in inviting everyone to attend the services at the church on that date. The Sunday School begins at 10:00 with the preaching at 11:00 and 6:30.

Near Snafus Mark Insect Experiment

Texas and federal insect experts stood by and watched with scientific detachment recently, while clouds of Mexican fruit flies swarmed over Rio Grande Valley citrus groves.

Usually a matter of grave concern to citrus growers, the fruit fly invaders were products of a Mexico City laboratory where they had been sterilized for safety and color-dyed for easy identification.

"These flies are the latest word in 'migratory workers' from South of the Border," explained agriculture Commissioner John White. "By comparing the color-coded flies later caught in traps with their original release points, we can learn a great

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deal about their traveling habits. The information will be useful in establishing new insect control measures to protect our citrus crop."

The artificial infestation is being tried initially on 80 acres of citrus trees in Hidalgo County, with releases varying from 10 to 100 flies per acre. Commissioner White assured growers that sterilization had made the flies incapable of laying eggs which would normally develop into the destructive larvae.

The program got off to a slow start when the laboratory technician transporting the flies from Mexico City was delayed at the border by U. S. Customs officials. He had left some necessary papers in his lab and was not permitted to enter Texas until identified by TDA District Supervisor J. C. Walling of Pharr.

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FOR SALE to be moved: 3-bedroom stucco house. Call V. G. Browning, VA 8-3216. 39-tfc

FOR SALE: House, 950 S. 17th. Almost new. Has asbestos siding. Good corner lot. G. I. loan. For information call VA 8-5245. 1-tfc

FOR SALE: Two bedroom house. New wall to wall carpet. 925 So. 10th. Call VA 8-4759 after 5 p. m. 6-tfc

FOR SALE: Clean 1961 Ford Pickup, Automatic, Custom Cab, call VA8-3781. 19-1tp

FOR SALE: Clean 1960 Falcon, see at 1000 S. 13th after 2 p.m. 19-1tc

FOR SALE: 52 Ford tractor, 4 row crusbuster, 3 row bednifer. All in good shape. One lot in Lubock, block 4, lot 4 in Avalon addition. 144 West 13th Street. G. R. Perkins Phone 495-2893 Post Texas

TWO-BEDROOM home for sale, located at 840 South 18th St. in Slaton. Priced \$9,600. FHA or GI Loan. House is 8 years old and has been newly re-decorated on 70 ft. by 140 ft. lot. On pavement. Contact George Lemon, 105 N. 9th, Phone VA 8-4543. 45-tfc

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FOR SALE: House and three lots, located at 320 East Geneva in Slaton. Numerous outbuildings, garden, fruit trees. Priced at \$6,000. Terms available. Contact George Lemon, 105 N. 9th, Phone VA 8-4543. 45-tfc

GET YOUR Household Budget and Expense books at the Slatonite.

FOR SALE: 5 room house and bath 1 1/4 miles South of Hackberry Gin. See or write Robert Lee Hagler Route., Post, Texas. 18-3tp

FOR SALE: 1955 Chevrolet 1/4-door. Good work car. 335 West Lynn. Phone VA 8-3339 18-2tp

FOR SALE: Western Storm Doors and Windows. Free estimates Call Paul Mosser VA 8-3855 18 - 4tp

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FOR SALE: Three bedroom Stucco house to be moved. Call Southland Exchange, WY6-2694. 19-1tp

FOR SALE: 1961 Chevrolet half ton pickup. Low mileage good condition price reasonable. See Frank Kitten 705 S. 20th. 19-1tc

FOR SALE: Ideal lake cottage, 2 rooms and bath, excellent condition, to be moved. Very reasonable. Call VA8-4491. 19-1tp

FOR SALE: Chicken house, 24 by 100. Three blocks east of Shamrock station. Phone VA 8-4605, A. F. Everage 18-2tp.

FOR SALE: 1959 trailer house, 10 x 45. Clean, good condition, two bedroom, carpeted. For details Call VA 8-3253. Slaton, trailer is in Post, Texas. tfs

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Two bottom pull breaking plow. Will trade for Haneey plow or Graham plow. Ted and Juel's Garage. 1200 South 9th. Phone VA 8-7132 14-tfc

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

FOR SALE: SPINET PIANO. Now located in your vicinity. Will sacrifice to party able to assume \$27.50 monthly. Write Channer's, Sterling, Colo. 19-1tp

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Miscellaneous

BILL REED'S Ditching service, reasonable rates. Irrigation, sewer, gas, water, oil foundations, dirt work and post holes. Plastic pipe for every need. VA 8-4814. Slaton, Texas. 26-tfc

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BOWMAN BOOKKEEPING & TAX SERVICE: Complete book-keeping or part time accounts including government reports and income tax. VA 8-4482 or VA 8-3918. 5-tfc

HAVE your prescription filled at Eblen Pharmacy. 25-tfc

IT DOES make a difference where you save. Slaton Savings & Loan Association. 43-tfc

WANTED: If you have good lien notes for sale, contact B. B. Casleberry at VA 8-4731. Slaton Savings and Loan Association. 28-tfc

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FOR SALE: Nice two bedroom stucco home. Storm windows. Recently redecorated. 600 South 12th \$8,000 - \$1,000 down. Will finance. Howard Hoffman phone VA 8-3262 16 tfc

For Sale or Rent - Three bedroom home with new storm windows and doors, insulated, plumbed for washer on 2 1/2 lots. See at 120 West Edwards or call W. A. Field VA 8-4865 16-4tp

SLATON Sanitation Service, formerly Joe Fondy. Cess pool and septic tank cleaning. Drilling and lateral lines. VA 8-4814. 12-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS: See film presentation of the John Birch Society. Citizens State Bank Bldg Feb. 25, 1964. 7:30 p.m. 19-1tp

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FURNISHED DUPLEX for rent Call VA 8-3435 17-tfc

FOR RENT: Three room modern unfurnished house. Inquire at 320 W. Edwards. 17-tfc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished 3 room house Robert Woodfin 605 N. 13th Phone VA 8-3447.

FOR SALE: 1958 Ford Fairlane, V-8, Radio & Heater, Fordomatic, Power steering, Air conditioning, power steering, air conditioner, tinted glass, nearly new, white tires. Phone VA8-4886 19-1tp

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FOR SALE: 1962 Volkswaen. Clean good tires, good shape, call Paul Mosser. VA8-3855. 19-1tp

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Around The FIRE HOUSE

By BOB KERN

Monday night was meeting night for the Slaton Fire Department. Most of the meeting was spent in discussion of the yet-to-arrive fire truck. A delayed shipment of mud-grip tires has thus far prevented the fire engine from being delivered on time. We are expecting the truck one

day this week. A leave of absence was granted Wayne Polk during his convalescence. Wayne was the recipient of a badly broken leg February 2 in a motorscooter incident on W. Division St. He is now in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring and reported in good condition. Volunteers are still plagued with citizens' not heeding the fire siren and granting the courtesy to firemen to let them get to the fire unhampered and as soon as possible.

Volume 1, Ordinance No. 2, Section 4 (Effective 6-1-23) reads as follows:

Any person operating or driving a motor or other vehicle, shall upon sounding the Fire Si-

ren or other Fire Alarm, cause such vehicle to be brought to a full stop by turning such vehicle to the right and proceeding to the curb and shall remain so stopped until he shall have determined that the Fire Department Apparatus is traveling away from or upon another street than that upon which such person is driving or operating such a vehicle.

Citations have been issued to those following the fire truck at recent fires. Please give us time to reach the fire and then proceed to your planned destination. It might mean something to you in the way of a life or property saved.

Florida Celery and Peanut Butter Combinations for Lunch Box



CRISP, FRESH FLORIDA CELERY IS IN SEASON NOW. Add its distinctive flavor and texture to the nutty goodness of peanut butter and you've a winner. Peanut butter, so good nutritionally, is already a staple sandwich filling. Combined with celery, these two popular foods make a new addition to lunch box menus. Here are five ideas for peanut butter and Florida celery to sharpen up the lunch box.

1. Fill crisp celery stalks with smooth or chunky peanut butter. Wrap with transparent saran or aluminum foil. Include two or three stalks in each lunch box.
2. Spread two slices of raisin bread generously with smooth peanut butter. Sprinkle one slice with plenty of thinly sliced celery. Top, peanut butter side down, with other slice of bread to make a sandwich.
3. Mix peanut butter with equal parts of cream cheese, and a dash of salt. Spread mixture into crisp celery stalks. Chill. Slice into 1/2-inch slices and toss with grapefruit and orange sections and French dressing. Pack in a lidded paper container and include with a plastic spoon in lunch box.
4. Saute 3 tablespoons peanut butter and 1/4 cup finely chopped celery in 1 tablespoon butter for 5 minutes. Stir in one can (16-1/2 ounces) cream of chicken soup and one soup can water. Heat. Pour into wide mouth vacuum jug and include with plastic spoon in lunch box. Makes 2 or 3 servings.
5. Fill crisp celery stalks with peanut butter. Sprinkle peanut butter with toasted coconut or chopped dates or chopped candied ginger for a treat, not too sweet. Wrap in transparent saran or aluminum foil.

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It's The Law- Part 2

When you are ready to build, you will find that the law helps in many ways to make your home enjoyable and secure. Have you decided on the type house you want and the amount you want to spend? If so, then let's go into details!

1. Your lot: Junior's school or your church may be nearby, but find out—
 - (a) Whether they are planning to run a highway through the area or nearby, or make any improvement for which you can be assessed.
 - (b) What "Covenants" or restrictions run with the land? To protect residents, the plats or basic deeds of some neighbor-

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- First Methodist Church 305 W. Lubbock Rev. Rollo Davidson
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- Trinity Evangelical Methodist Church Linnam Prentice, Pastor
- African Methodist Church Rev. J. S. Gilbert
- First Assembly of God 14th & Jean Miss Moia Stout, Pastor Miss Norma Elliott, Associate

hoods call on you to build a certain size or type of house. Do you want to and can you afford to?

(c) Easements. Either you or your neighbors may need to run pipes, or string wires over each other's land or to share a driveway. Have the abstract checked carefully to disclose any easements.

2. Zoning Ordinances: For your protection the local government frequently zones some areas, for example, for single houses only, for multiple dwellings; for retail stores, for manufacturing, etc.

Unless the local governing body changes its zoning ordinance, no filling station, for instance, can go up next to you in a residential area. Neither could you turn your home into a store. In any case, you should find out what your neighborhood zoning rules are.

3. Building Codes: Be certain the plans and construction will meet the requirements of the local building code as to size, location and structure. Municipal ordinances usually impose strict

standards for the building, the plumbing and the electrical wiring. In many cases only licensed building tradesmen are permitted to make the installations.

4. Financing: Financing contracts protect both you and the lender. Unless you pay cash, you will use credit to pay for your home, most likely a deed of trust or a land contract. Your installments often include principal, interest, insurance and taxes. Under a land contract the lender holds title to your home until you pay for it. If you fall be-

hind, the holder can take the house back. With a deed of trust, the lender has a lien which he can foreclose if you default. You may get some of your money back on the principal; but you may also have to make up any loss the lender makes in re-selling the house.

Well worked-out contracts can help make your dream house come true. A construction contract or a so-called "earnest-money" agreement or receipt is no job for an amateur. Too many legal deals are involved. Your

lawyer is trained by education and experience to protect your best interests in contracting and closing real estate deals.

You know what you want. You should be careful to get what you want through careful planning and a properly prepared and executed contract.

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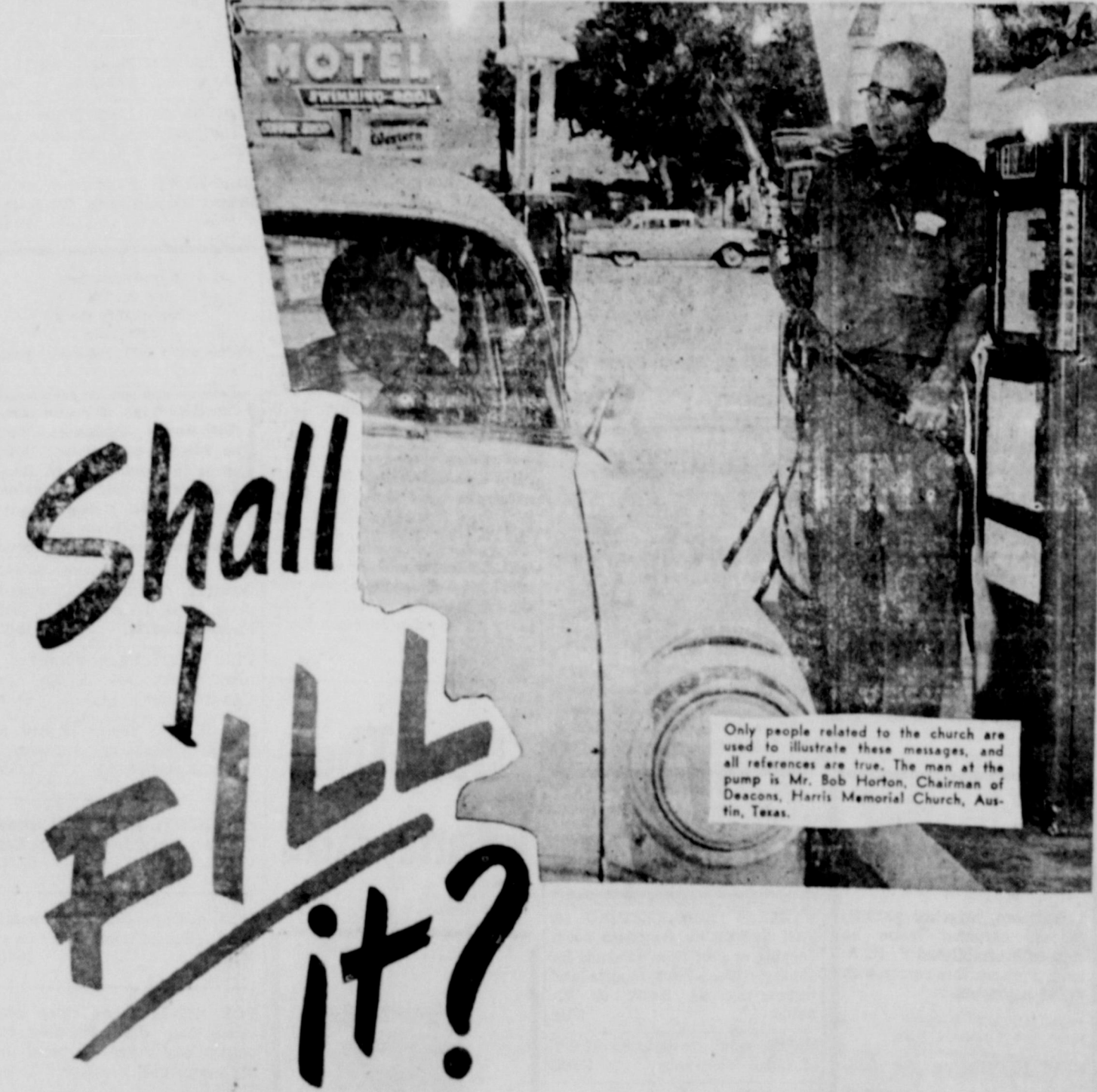
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How enthusiastic that question often is when the customer drives in. But this man is ambitious, not only about filling gas tanks during the week, but about helping fill the church building with people on the Lord's day. He knows that a church building, half-filled, actually, would be half-empty; and that such would be uncomplimentary to the church, to the people who need the church and to God Whom the church represents. Yes, he knows that full church buildings are still more important than full gas tanks. That's the reason he "takes time out" to give friendly invitations to "Come hear our pastor preach." Do you know the thrill of helping your pastor and church succeed in the most important work in the world: reaching more and more people for Christ and His kingdom? Do you not have twenty-four hours a day? Why not spend at least a little of this time to help make sure that others may spend eternity with God?

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

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Tex.—A controversial new Texas Regulation Act, passed last 36 years of legislative over loan control, has been declared unconstitutional.

Judge Herman Jones held invalid the part of the act which provides that at least 51 per cent of the proceeds of state lending firms operated by the state must be owned by Texas citizens.

Their subsidiaries operate in Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Fort Worth, El Paso, Waco, Texas, and Arlington.

Regulatory Loan Commissioner Frank Miskell refused licenses to them.

Committee on Higher Education—The Governor's Committee

on Education Beyond the High School is well ahead of schedule, reports Dr. A. B. Martin, executive director.

Earlier this year, the committee—made up of leading industrialists and educators—set an April date for the preliminary reports for the recommendations due Gov. John Connally in August. Studies on education in public and private colleges and universities, and professional and technological needs have advanced so well that subcommittees and their consultants have been discharged, Martin said, and the April date has been moved back to February 19.

Park Improvement Started—Tuesday's ground-breaking ceremonies at Falcon State Park in Starr and Zapata Counties near Zapata launched three-park improvement program which will cost \$1,041,966.

The \$27,416 in improvements at Falcon will include a boat ramp, parking area, paved road, 24 shelters, 50 tent campsites with water, cooking grills, tables, three restrooms with showers and laundry units, ranger's residence and concession building.

Similar improvements are planned for Dam "B" Park near Jasper in East Texas and Lake Whitney State Park in Central Texas, according to J. Weldon Watson, Parks and Wildlife Department executive director.

Tourist Plan Unveiled—A pilot plan designed to bring more foreign visitors to Texas was announced by Governor Connally.

Sen. Walter Richter of Gonzales, the governors representative, and Walter Meyer of San Antonio, who originated the plan, took off for Germany Sunday to test the program.

They hope to encourage 40 to 50 German citizens to make a 16-day red carpet tour of Texas' leading cities and historic spots from October 15 through November 2.

Texas Tourist, of course, will pay their own way, although some will benefit from hospitality in Texas towns. First visitors will get special low plane fare and at-cost prices all around.

It is hoped the initial visit by the Germans will establish guidelines for a continuing long-range program to boost travel in Texas by globe-trotters from other lands.

Court Rules On Land—In a 5-4 decision, the State Supreme Court overruled lower courts and directed a new trial in a dispute

over oil income on 10,000 acres of Winkler County land.

Suit, brought by Southland Royalty Company against Pan American Corporation to recover a portion of proceeds from minerals produced, involves interpretation of a 39-year-old lease.

Mo Firm Probe Urged—Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr has called on State Banking Commissioner J. M. Falkner to continue investigation of a collapsed California money order firm, American Security Currency Limited was doing business in 317 Texas grocery and drug stores.

Thousands of Texans reportedly were caught with valueless papers on their hands when the firm went into bankruptcy. Carr recommends getting all facts on its history and status plus full details of an alleged sale of accounts to another company also licensed by the commission.

Connally In Circulation—Governor Connally returned to duty at his office in the Capitol last week, for the first time since he was wounded in Dallas on November 22 by the assassin of President Kennedy.

Connally announced a traveling and speaking schedule which includes visits to UPI and AP managing editors' conventions here; a Boy Scout report ceremony in the Capitol; Abilene's B-52 day celebration on February 15; the Laredo Washington Birthday festival on February 22; the Paper Industry Salesmen's Association meeting in New York on February 25; dedication of the New York World's Fair Texas exhibit on February 26; and probably a visit with President Johnson in Washington on the way back to Texas.

Library Additions—Texas State Library last week obtained a historic treaty and a historic suit of clothes. Both are certain to be viewed by thousands in years ahead.

Sen. Ralph Yarborough presented the Library a certified State Department copy of the El Chamizal treaty signed by President Johnson on December 20—defining the boundary along the Texas-Chihuahua and El Paso-Juarez borders. The treaty, placed on display in a glass case, ended a century-old boundary dispute.

Governor Connally, at the Library's request, turned over to the State archives the black, light-weight suit he was wearing when he was seriously wounded in Dallas. He as the first gover-

nor to be the victim of an assassination attempt. The suit bears bullet holes in the back, front and right sleeve. Also placed in the archives is the blood-stained shirt Connally wore on the tragic November day, and his black and gold silk tie.

Diversion Payments—Agricultural Commissioner John C. White says Texas farmers should not count on a cotton land diversion payment plan, as has been rumored.

White says Texas farmers should go ahead and release their unwanted cotton allotments back to their local ASC committees so the permits can be reassigned to other parts of the state. He urged cotton growers to protect their future allotments by releasing unused permits before the February 4 deadline, as in years past.

Bracero Program—The U. S. Congress has extended the bracero program for another year—through 1964—as a compromise between the close-out or phase-out argument by states where the contract laborers from Mexico are employed. However, figures from the Texas Employment Commission indicate that a phase-out has been in effect in Texas for the past two years.

Henry LeBlanc of the commission's farm labor division reports that 38,000 braceros worked on Texas crops in August, 1961; 12,917 in August, 1962; and 12,000 in August, 1963.

Water Study—Texans in the future may get very thirsty if they don't plan ahead to catch and save more water. This conclusion and other information about water, including the fact that since 1890 Texas has been using up its water resources at a rate 11 times faster than its population growth, has been spelled out for students.

The water story has been published in a 40-page illustrated booklet, "How Can We Meet Our Water Needs?" prepared by the Texas Society of Professional Engineers and printed by the Texas Education Agency.

Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar has notified school superintendents that 3,000 copies of the booklet on one of the state's most vital problems are available on request for use as resource material in junior and senior high schools.

It's A Law In Texas

OWNER'S POLICY VS.
MORTGAGE POLICY

Three out of four families who buy houses in the \$11,000 to \$15,000 price range jeopardize their investment because they do not protect their carh and ownership with commensurate title insurance.

These financial risks result from insufficient knowledge of the difference between an 'owner's policy' and a 'mortgage policy,' and lack of information about title insurance.

The main point is that the usual title insurance taken out by the purchaser of a home in the up-to-\$15,000 bracket serves only to protect the bank or lending institution. It is often compulsory for the buyer to purchase this insurance, known as the 'mortgage policy,' since some mortgages insist upon this particular safeguard as one of the loan conditions. The 'mortgage policy' however never protects the home owner's equity. This is so even after the mortgage is fully paid.

A course remains open for the purchaser who wants to cover himself for the entire price of the home. He should, at the time of application for the required 'mortgage policy,' check with his attorney about simultaneously obtaining an 'owner's policy'.

The owner's policy, in contrast to the 'mortgage policy,' protects the home buyer as long as he owns the property. In many instances, it also protects an owner even after he sells, if he has a warranted title.

Owners of higher-priced homes usually take out both title policies. Thus, the purchase peace of mind on their substantial equity instead of trying to 'save' a few dollars, a false economy which may later invite trouble.

Title insurance took on greater significance after World War II. It is a requisite today by many banks and lending institutions for those applying for mortgage loans, and is for the lending protection. A defective title, it was shown, may cost the 'owner' not only the price of the home but considerably greater sums if the new owner 'inherits' previously undiscovered liens, back taxes, or defects of title that do not appear on the records.

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The purchaser of the \$11,000-\$15,000 home often withholds taking the 'owner's policy,' which protects his equity continually, 'in order to save a few dollars.' An element of risk enters, however, if flaws are subsequently found. The owner without title insurance would not be reimbursed to the extent of the defect. To compound his difficulties, the owner would be burdened with the cost of correcting the title defect and legal costs.

To illustrate the difference in an 'owner's policy' and the 'mortgage policy,' the following case was cited: Mr. Smith buys a new home for \$15,000. He places \$2,000 down and takes a \$13,000 mortgage loan. Pursuing the course of many home buyers, his only title insurance purchase in a 'mortgage policy' for \$13,000, which the mortgagee demands and which protects only the lending institution. Each year Mr. Smith's equity increases as his mortgage decreases. Nevertheless, knowingly or not, Mr. Smith is not carrying any title insurance which protects Mr. Smith.

If a faulty title should be discovered, or if previously unknown liens against the property were to be established during the life of the mortgage, or after it was paid, Mr. Smith would have no protection.

(This newfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts in-

olved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Corporal Eakin Assigned To Duty In California

Marine Lance Corporal E. D. Eakin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eakin of Wilson, Texas, has reported for duty at Camp Pendleton, Calif., following a 15-month tour of duty with the Third Marine Division on Okinawa.

He is assigned to the First Marine Division currently undergoing continuous training ranging from amphibious assaults on the beaches of Southern California to mock desert warfare in the Mojave Desert.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Jones of Levittown, Pennsylvania, were guests of the Marsh family at 715 South 14th this week.

They last visited the Marshes while on their honeymoon in 1935.

This time they came west to meet the Texas-born bride of their son, Eruce, who is an airman 1-c at Dyess AFB, Abilene.

Wayne Polk is reported doing nicely after being transferred to the Veterans Hospital in Big Springs, Texas.

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SHORT SNORTS

Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr named Judge Hawthorne Phillips of Harlingen as his first assistant. He succeeds Albert Jones of Houston who had accepted temporary appointment. "The Eyes of Texas" now is

public property. The University of Texas' copyright expired on January 30, and couldn't be renewed.

Traffic death toll for 1963 was 2,793, largest in history by far, according to the Department of Public Safety. Figure is an in-

The governor's office will be located in the old State Agriculture Department quarters on the Capitol's first floor, during extensive remodeling and enlargement of the executive suite.

UT Bureau of Business Research reports new construction in 1963 dropped \$14,200,000, but expenditures for additions, alterations and repairs increased by \$17,800,000 for a net gain of \$3,600,000 over 1962.

held future drilling permits from operators of slanted oil wells who want to straighten their wells. Almost 1,000 slanted wells have been shut in since 1962.

Len E. Alsop, 65, retired after 22 years as director of The Texas State Commission for the Blind. Although blind since birth, he had successful careers in business, politics and government administration.

Dr. Walter H. Fischer is new president of the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; Dr. Harvey H. Kennedy of Longview, vice president; and Dr. Charles E. Courtman of San Angelo, secretary.

AFL-CIO President Hank Brown says that Texas labor leaders will decide February 13 at Arlington who they will support in the May primaries.

Debators Present Rotary Program

Four members of the debate team and their sponsor, Mrs. Brown, presented a debate to the Rotary Club during its noon meeting on Thursday, February 12, at the Slaton Clubhouse.

A girls' team, consisting of Marilyn and Judy Schwartz, debated a boys' team, which consisted of Jim Adamson and Chuck Space. The debate topic was the same one that is to be

used in the Interscholastic League debate contest later this spring. The boys debated for the resolution: "Resolved, that Social Security benefits should be extended to include complete medical care," while the girls debated the negative side.

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Notes from Neighbors Events and Opinions

From the Exchanges of the Slatonite

Bob's Smoking Now At Menard?

YOU have not been scared out of the smoking habit now, this may be of interest to you: Cora Powell says gargling a half-and-half mixture of iodine and honey will help. It will beat the patent pill a mile, if you haven't tried the gargle yet, so I don't know whether it will give results. But there is another way open. I. M. Westphal will begin another five-day program opening to help those who want to kick the habit. The program was given once before, and quite a number of people who attended were able to quit smoking. Some who had started back, but I reckon that's not the fault of the program. The biggest one seems to lie with those who don't have the nerve to start the program in the first place. —Bob Weddle Menard News.

SEZ HERE: Eddie says, "I may be wrong, but—" does not mean he can be any such possibility. (Kin Hubbard) . . . Movements do not come out of committees (John Henry) . . . Half the time when men think they are talking they are wasting time (E. W. Howe) . . . Anyone who says an amount of work, provided it isn't the work he is doing, is a fool. —BARINA and O. T. Hudson have a perpetual friendship to see which one of them can squeeze a nickle out of the other. Eddie was really having fun a few weeks back when he and runaway youngsters bilked the Hudson service station out of six dollars worth of gasoline. The sheriff acted quickly to put Deputy Sheriff Tuck Bowman on the case and to make them pay for his

Eddie was having a big laugh over how O. T. could scramble to keep from losing six dollars. But it seems that before visiting the service station, the youths had been interrupted in siphoning gasoline from Alex Menzies' pickup, not far from Barina's Drive-in.

It developed later—after the runaways had been returned to their homes—that they had "borrowed" a siphon from Eddie. They took an eight-dollar hose from Barina's and cut it up to make the siphon.

Last time I saw I was O. T. Hudson, he was going around chuckling to himself.

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Total bales of cotton ginned, in the three gins in Culberson County was 10,482. The breakdown by each gin was as follows: Van Horn Gin, Inc., 3,374; Lobo Gin, 1,668; and Wild Horse Gin, 4,560.

11,362 Bales

In addition to this number of bales, there were 880 bales hauled out of the area to roller gins, which brings the total bales to 11,362.

According to Eddie Smith, manager of the local Paymaster Oil Mill Co. office who supplied the figures for this report, there were 6451 acres of upland cotton planted in this immediate area which includes all of Culberson County and some in Jeff Davis, Presidio and Hudspeth counties.

1.6 Bale Average

Thus, this area produced an average of 1.6 bales of cotton per planted acre. This represents an increase of .3 bale per acre, or 150 pounds of lint per acre, over the 1962 crop. The average last year was approximately 1.28 bales per acre.

Prices Look Better

It is not known as yet what the final market price for the cotton will be. However, Smith pointed out that the market has been good on the 1517 variety of cotton that is planted by most local farmers. The farmers have a minimum government price support of 32c per pound or approximately \$160 per bale. However, with the market better, the farmers are hoping to get as much as \$175 per bale for their product this year.

\$2,010,350 Value

At this price, the locally ginned cotton will be valued at \$1,834,350.

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The Slaton Slatonite Society - Clubs

Miss Doris Wall Honoree At Miscellaneous Shower

Melva Doris Wall, bride-elect of Ray Harry, was honored with a miscellaneous shower, Monday night, Feb. 19, at the Slaton Club House.

Guests were registered by Margaret Meeks. Carlene Taylor and Anita Henzler served at the refreshment table. The table was covered with a lace cloth of pink and white. A milk glass bowl of pink roses was used for decoration with candles of pink and white.

The hostess gift was an electric coffeemaker.

Hostesses were Meses: John Jones, Donald Bownds, Joel Braishaw, Ben Davis, Charles Meeks, Alton Meeks, Bill Greer, J. L. House, A. J. Hoover, Earl Tumlison, Bill Roche, Dwayne Walters, Buford Martin, Jim McMeekon, Willard Childers, Dorothy Height and Dorothy Flemming.

Catholic Home Association Hear Health Report

The Catholic Home School Association of St. Joseph's School held its regular meeting Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m. with 40 members present and four Sisters of St. Joseph's School present. Sister Mary Dyphne opened the meeting with prayer and Nester Kitten, president, presided.

The program consisted of Miss Goldie DeBose and Mrs. Hester Moore from Lubbock County Health Department. Miss DeBose gave an outline of what the Health Department consists of. She showed movie pictures containing "To Health". Mrs. Moore gave a report on her visit to Slaton. Mrs. Moore is the public health nurse. Mrs. Moore said that it has been two years since a TB case has been diagnosed in the Slaton area.

Bluebonnet Club Meet In Teague Home

Mrs. Joe Teague Jr. was hostess to the Bluebonnet Club held on Wednesday, Feb. 12th.

Mrs. Ford Stansell presided over the meeting. Mrs. Teague gave a report on the County Federation Meeting.

Officers for the coming year were elected; they are President, Mrs. Travis Taylor; Vice-President, Mrs. Floyd Boyd; Secretary, Mrs. R. C. Sanner; Treasurer, Mrs. T. C. McClanahan; Reporter, Mrs. Joe Teague Jr.

The annual luncheon honoring the old and new officers will be held at the KoKo Inn, in Lubbock on Feb. 26 at 1 p.m.

Those present were Meses: Stansell, Sanner, Standefer, Edmondson, Patterson, Upham, Taylor, Nelson, Wicker, Jarman, McClanahan, and Teague. Two guests, Mrs. D. W. Liles and Mrs. Joe Teague III, were present.



Rainbow Girls Donate Hose to Hospital

Slaton Assembly No. 164 of the Rainbow Girls recently conducted a campaign for donation of used hose to hospitals for surgical use.

Dianne Space won a \$5 prize last week, by bringing in 120 bundles of 10 hose each, the prize being donated by Mrs. Leon Vaughn.

A total of 300 bundles were delivered to the American Cancer Research Society at Lubbock.

The accompanying photography shows Miss Space and Miss Judy Jones with the heart-shaped container in which the hose were placed. It had been intended to donate them to one of the heart hospitals but was decided they could be used nearer home at that time. The need for hose continues, and it is hoped a thousand bundles of ten each can be raised by June first, to be donated by June first, to be donated to hospitals in Galveston, Houston, and other

Monsignor Peter Morsch told us about Lent Season and what we should expect of our children.

Mr. Bo Becker gave a talk on how and where to place the United States flag.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer and refreshments were served.

Slaton Post Matron's Club Met Monday

Slaton Post Matron's Club met Monday evening Feb. 17th in the home of Mrs. Jack Cook with Mrs. Birdie Culver as co-hostess.

Mrs. Culver presided over the meeting. The lovely new year books were passed out. Mrs. Ethel Woods gave the program.

The next meeting will be held March 16th in the home of Mrs. Vera Drewry with Mrs. Beadie Elliott as co-hostess.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Meses: Neva Burns, Roberta Clark, Vera Drewry, Vertner Merrill, Cora Smith, Eva Smith, Mabel Vaughn, Laura Wilson, Ethel Woods, Virginia Hunter, Willie Mae Smith, Fannie Patterson, Cook and Culver.

Donald Akins Returns From Overseas Duty

Marine Private First Class Donald G. Akins, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Akins of Route 1, Slaton, Texas, has reported for duty at Camp Pendleton, Calif., following a 13-month tour of duty with the Third Marine Division on Okinawa.

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Centurettes Have Coke Party

The Centurettes gave a "Thank You Coke Party" for the F.H.A. Girls and all others who helped with the Mothers March of Dimes Drive that was held January 26 in Slaton. The party was in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church, February 10, at 4 p.m.

Cookies and cokes were also taken to the KCAS radio station in appreciation for the four days of advertising that they gave us before the Drive.

Mrs. Wayne Banks, chairman of the drive reported a total of \$646 collected in Slaton and promises of donations from others yet to come.

Thanks to everyone who helped make this drive a success.

Centuretse Met Feb. 11th

The Centurettes met February 17 in the home of Mrs. Dwayne Preston. Mrs. Hobart Limmer was co-hostess.

Mrs. Jack Haliburton presided over the business session.

Mrs. Arlie Bownds gave an interesting program on the "World's Fair". She showed slides of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clark's trip to Seattle, Washington, where they visited the World's Fair last year.

Those present were Meses: James Allred, Wayne Banks, Melvin Basinger, Tim Bourn, Bownds, Harley Castleberry, Haliburton, Robert Heaton, Limmer, Preston, Randy Sanders, Pat Taylor, Ray Wilkins, Holly Sims, E. C. Hogan, Jack Gilliland, and a guest, Mrs. Jerry Harlan.

Mrs. Tim Bourn will be hostess for the next meeting to be held on March 2.

Henzler Files As Candidate In Commission Race

George Hanzler, owner of Henzler Grocery & Market, has filed as candidate for Commissioner of Ward 4.

The city election will be held April 7. The final date for filing in the election that will elect two commissioners is March 7.

The only other candidate that has filed as a candidate for Ward 4 is Robert Banks, Jr. F. Gonzales is the present commissioner for that ward.

Robert Hall Davis, commissioner for Ward 1, term expires also this year. At press time Wednesday there had been no candidates filing for Ward 1.

Cooper 4-H Members Hear Nursery Speaker

The Cooper Community 4-H held its monthly meeting in the Cooper Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 7:30 p.m., on Feb. 17, 1964. Cindy Cade presided over the meeting while Nathan Griffin gave the inspiration.

Deborah Griffin introduced the speaker, Mr. Holden from the Holden-Dodson Nursery in Lubbock. He spoke on landscaping which was very interesting.

The local Fat Stock Show, to be held on March 5 and 6, was discussed.

One new member attended, Ben Roberts.

The Ehlers, Griffins, and Schaffners were in charge of the program.

Cooper 4-H Club Girls Awarded Prizes

The Cooper Community 4-H Club girls attended the County Favorite Food Show which was held in Lubbock at the South Plains Electric Co-Op auditorium on Feb. 15, 1964.

Blue Ribbon winners in the junior division were: Meat Group-Janis Pinkert; Milk Group-Brenda Jones, top scorer; Vegetable and Fruit Group-Linda Harden; Bread and Cereal Group-Deborah Griffin.

In the senior division Debbie Cade was top scorer in the Milk Group.

In the senior division Debbie Cade and Joy Stence of Idalou will represent Lubbock County at District on May 9, and Deborah Griffin will represent the junior division.

Cindy Cade, Polly Dickey and Linda Harden gave a puppet show as entertainment. Marsh Cade was the announcer.

W.S.C.S. Views Film

The W.S.C.S. met Monday February 17 for a general meeting.

Mrs. R. J. Farley opened the meeting with a prayer.

Mrs. Rollo Davidson was in charge of the program, World Federation of Methodist Women, and showed slides on the Methodist Work in Mexico.

Mrs. Farley held a business session in which she suggested we let our deaconess hear from us.

Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr., Cuba Circle chairman, announced the Cuba Circle will serve a Leap Year Ham Dinner in Fellowship Hall February 29 for \$1.25 for adults and 75c for children. The proceeds will be used for a mission project. Mrs. Hall has tickets and invites everyone to attend.

The next regular meeting will be held Monday, February 24 at 9:30.

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Blizzard Dampens Slaton Women's Ski Party

Miss Mary Lee Schuette of Slaton and Joy Lambert of Lubbock

left early last Wednesday to enjoy the skiing at Sipapu near Tres Ritos New Mexico. However they were overtaken by the blizzard at Mora, spent the night in Las Vegas, and after following the snow plows over Holman Pass found they couldn't get to the cabin where they intended to stay.

They stopped at Sipapu Lodge wading in knee deep snow, did some skiing Friday, but said the wind was so strong and the snow so deep that it wasn't much fun.

Mary Lee said the highway department snow plows were run enough snow at Sipapu to make skiing good until April.

Alter Society News

The Catholic Ladies Altar Society met Feb. 11 at 2:00 p.m. at the St. Joseph's Hall in regular session. The new President, Irene Steffens, presided.

The Society voted to purchase two new vestments for the upcoming Lenten Season. A purple and a rose one.

Msgr. Morsch spoke to the group on the history of St. Valentine as the patron saint of lovers. He also spoke on the true Lenten spirit which is to improve oneself along with penance.

Twenty-nine members were present.

The Slaton Slatonite

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Bennie G. Wied wish to express their heartfelt thanks for all the beautiful flowers, cards, memorials, and food received during the loss of their loved one. Especially do they wish to thank all the nurses at Mercy Hospital and Dr. Payne for all the many hours spent in caring for him. Thank you all and may God bless each and every one of you.

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