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FIRST BABY OF 1960

Le Von Cochran, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cochran, 40 North Third, was the first baby born in Slaton in 1960. The youngster will receive gifts and wishes from 10 local merchants for symbolizing

the "spirit of 1960" and a new year. He was born at 2:55 p. m. January 1st and weighed 8 lbs., 1 1/2 ozs. He is shown here with his mother and Sister Mary Janice of Mercy Hospital. Congratulations, Steve!

Rites Are Held Here Monday For Mrs. P. G. Stokes, 84

P. G. Stokes, 84, a resident of Slaton since 1950, died Monday morning in a Lubbock hospital home. She had entered the home only shortly

before she was stricken. Rites were conducted at 10 a. m. Monday in the First Baptist Church here. Burial was in the Williams Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Rev. Ted Gaze, pastor, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. W. F. Childress, pastor of Lubbock.

Mrs. Stokes was a member of the graduating class of 1896 at Simmons College, Hardin-Simmons University.

The former Flossie Mrs. Stokes was born in McKinney. She was married to P. G. Stokes in 1912.

She was a member of the Missionary Union, and had lived in Abilene and Big Spring before coming to Slaton.

Spring, the newspaper carried to her as prominent church affairs in its pages. For nearly a score of years she had been

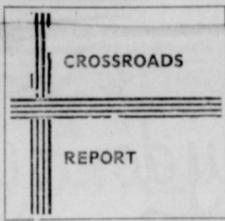
the paper continued.

the Stokes name figured large in local affairs. Mr. Stokes was a partner in the Stokes-Hughes Hardware Co. (now Big Spring Hardware) and became a partner with the late John Wolcott in the Stokes-Wolcott Motor Company, first Ford dealers.

Mrs. Stokes was a member of the Hyperion Club and of several other women's clubs in Big Spring. She was quite active in the First Baptist Church and at one time was a teacher of its Bykota Class. The family home in Big Spring was a two-story brick at 7th and Gregg and was for many years a community landmark.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Sargent, Slaton; two sons, Harry G. Stokes, Slaton; Van L. Stokes, Dallas; a foster daughter, Mrs. Henry Tate, New Orleans, La.; a sister, Mrs. Lettie Faucett, Abilene; one brother, Stewart Logan, Clyde; and seven grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bruce Pender, Bill Sledge, Fred England, Bill Davis, Bill Smith, Hayward Basinger, all of Slaton.



Dear Editor:

I see where some scientists have invented a mechanical heart, which they figure can be installed on a man to keep him paying taxes after his original equipment heart wears out.

My tired blooded neighbor says this might be kind of like putting a new motor in an old jalopy, and furnish more speed than the old chassis could stand.

Says he guesses these replacement hearts will come in different types to match the old one, such as soft, hard, strong, or chicken.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U.S.A.

Clothing Center Gives Total Of 768 Garments

Slaton's Clothing Center, located in the City Hall, reports that since September 26, 1959, a total of 34 families of six to eleven children each have been given 768 garments and some needed medicine.

This past Christmas, Mrs. J. D. Norris and Mrs. A. C. Burk of the Center's Committee, through the financial assistance of Slaton's Ministerial Alliance and other generous citizens, prepared 32 baskets of staple foods and frozen venison. The venison was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stokes.

The baskets were delivered on Christmas Eve by the employees of Slaton's Water Department.

In addition to the above mentioned gifts, the V. F. W. Auxiliary provided 10 baskets of food and each church of the city donated a family basket.

The Clothing Center Committee has voiced a need for all types of clothing and shoes for boys and girls of school age.

Awards Presentation Due At CoC Banquet

Rites Are Held For Curly Norris

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church here for Earl Lee (Curly) Norris, 45, Slaton, an engineer for the Santa Fe Railroad, who died Thursday at Dallas.

Rev. Ted Gaze, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

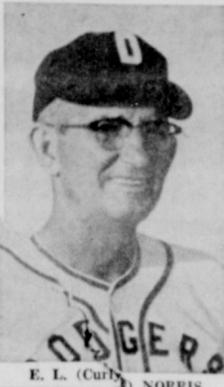
Honorary pallbearers were members of a Little League baseball team which he had managed and of the Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers.

Active pallbearers were Bill Mosley, W. V. Smith, Dave Draper, Bland Tulinson, Ed Gravell and Wilbur McDonald.

Norris had left his train, walked a few blocks for coffee and was returning to the engine room when stricken. He was found in the road.

He was a member of the Slaton First Baptist Church, Lubbock Elks Lodge, and the Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers.

Johnnie Norris, Slaton; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Anne Sokoll, Lubbock; one grandson, Rickey Sokoll, Lubbock; his mother, Mrs. Mary Norris, Lubbock, and two sisters, Mrs. Leon Henry, Lubbock and Mrs. Fay Alexander of Tulsa, Okla.



E. L. (Curly) NORRIS

Westward P-TA To Meet Jan. 11

The P-TA of Westward will meet Monday night, Jan. 11 at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. W. V. Childress will give a book review, "The Prosperous Papa."

SINGING TO BE HELD

Second Sunday Evening Singing will be held at the Church of God, Sunday, January 10, from 2 p. m. until 4 p. m.

The Public is invited to attend.

Amarillo Chamber Of Commerce Manager Is Featured Speaker

Jack Lacy, executive vice president and general manager of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, will be the featured speaker when the Slaton Chamber of Commerce stages its 34th Annual Banquet in the new Bruce's Cafe Monday, January 11, at 7:30 p. m.

Other featured events include the introduction of new officers, Joe Teague III, president; Dr. Lee Vardy, vice president; and Alex Webb, treasurer; the introduction of winners of three special awards, Outstanding Citizen of 1959, Slaton's Woman of the Year and a Distinguished Service Award for some local club or organization. All three are revealed for the first time at the banquet.

Another feature of the event will be the election of five new directors. Each year, the terms of five directors of the 15-man board expire. Terms are for three years.

The three outgoing officers will remain on the board. They are Robert Hall Davis, president; Rush Wheeler, vice president; and James W. Young, secretary.

Ending terms on the board, but eligible for re-election, are Ted Swanner, John Schmidt,

Joel Combs, M. G. Davis and Ray Belt.

Lacy, the speaker, was born in Rocky Ford, Colo. He is a graduate of the School of Journalism, Colorado University, and worked as a newspaper reporter and editor of the Walsenburg, Colorado, World-Inde-



JACK LACY
... banquet speaker

pendent before professionally entering organization management.

He became manager of the La Junta, Colo., Chamber of Commerce in 1940 and graduated from the National Institute for Commercial and Trade Organization Executives, Northwestern University, in 1942.

Lacy managed Chambers of Commerce in St. Joseph, Mo., and Pueblo, Colo., before coming to Texas the first of 1957.

His career of Chamber of Commerce management has been broken by five years of public relations work for the Colorado Fuel and Iron Corporation, during which time he served as a member of the Public Relations Committee of the American Iron and Steel Institute.

For nine years he has served on the faculty of Southwestern Institute for Chamber of Commerce Executives in Dallas, having served that Institute as both president and dean of faculty. He presently serves as chairman of the Academic Committee for the Institute of Organizational Management, University of Houston.

He has held membership in the American Chamber of Commerce Executives for 20 years. Lacy presently serves the United States Chamber of Commerce as a member of the Advisory Council on Urban Development and is a former director of Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers Association.

Snow Blanket Covers Area

A blanket of snow, measuring from two to an estimated four inches, covered the Slaton area Tuesday.

The snow, accompanied by some melting, made Slaton and area streets extremely slippery Tuesday night with the freezing weather.

Farmers beamed all day Tuesday, though, as they counted bales of cotton and heads of grain for next year. The snow left a very fine contribution to the moisture content of Slaton's soil. It was melting slowly Wednesday, though, with a bright, sunny day.

Politics Comes Earlier This Year!

Feb. 1st Deadline For Candidates To File For A Place On The Ballot

With 1960's entry into the scene, politics is expected to raise its head as candidates and potential candidates start "politicking" for a place on the ballot May 7th, date of the First Primary Election this year.

It is necessary for anyone anticipating voting this year to secure either a poll tax receipt, which they can get by paying their poll tax at Mrs. Drewry's or to one of the Slaton Jaycees, or to be exempt.

There are two types of exemptions, one for those 21 and voting for the first time, and the other for those 61 or older. Persons who are now 21, or who will become 21 before any

of the elections, can get an exemption by applying for it at the County Tax Collector-Assessor's office in the Courthouse in Lubbock. Beginning at age 22, they must pay their poll tax until they become 61.

Those persons 61 or older can vote, here, without getting an exemption or without paying the poll tax. However, in cities of over 10,000 population, they must get an exemption certificate each year. Those persons wishing to vote on the 61-or-over basis, must have been 60 before the 1st of January, 1959. At the polls, they will declare their age and be allowed to vote, unless challenged, whereon they must show proof of age.

Poll taxes, which most voters will have to pay, may be paid prior to the end of January, 1960. Those persons who intend to vote on their "21-years-old" exemption, do not have to meet this deadline but, of course, must secure the exemption before voting.

On the poll tax receipt and exemption certificate for this voting year is a party affiliation blank. And, according to the latest Texas law, this space must be left blank. Neither the tax collector-assessor nor the voter fills in this space. The law authorizes only the presiding judge at the primary to stamp

in the word authorized, Democrat, Republican or what-have-you, depending on the name of the primary in which the voter is voting.

Requests by candidates to have their names placed on the ballot shall be filed not later than the first Monday in February, which is Feb. 1, 1960.

The First Primary election will be held May 7, 1960, with the Second Primary, or run-off election, on June 4. May 7 will also be the day for party precinct conventions.

And, according to the new election laws, a voter must vote in the primary to take part in the precinct convention, hold any party office, or be a delegate to any convention.

Among officials to be elected in 1960 are a president and vice president, U. S. Senator (Lyndon Johnson's term expires), a Congressman (George Mahon's term expires), State Senator (Preston Smith's term expires), State Representatives (two), the terms of both Waggoner Carr and "Doc" Blanchard expire), three district judges for the 99th, 140th and 72nd District Courts), District Attorney (George Gilkerson's term expires), sheriff, county attorney, county tax collector-assessor, and commissioners for Precincts One and Three.

Jaycees To Sell Poll Taxes; Give Thanks For Project Help

County Tax Collector-Assessor Russell Hardin will be in Slaton today at 10 a. m. to swear in deputies to collect poll tax. Members of the Slaton Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes will be sworn in at the ceremony to take place at Mrs. Drewry's. Don Kendrick is in charge of the Jaycee committee for the sale of poll taxes.

At the Jaycee meeting Tuesday night, President Pete Williams named a nominating committee for the election of officers for 1960. Members of the committee are Ted Swanner, John Schmidt, Bennie Moeller and Otis Rogers Jr.

Also named was a committee to plan Jaycee Week activities as to events and dates. On that committee are Joel Combs, Ken-



NOW HE'S ON THE OUTSIDE

McClanahan finds himself in a new position—outside the post office counter retiring Dec. 31 as postmaster. The new postmaster, Barry Ford, is ready on this "new" customer.

McClanahan Retires From Post Office

In 1918, T. E. McClanahan started working with the postal department as a rural carrier. Wednesday, he retired as Postmaster for Slaton.

Barry Ford replaced McClanahan as acting head of the post office here.

McClanahan, or Mr. Mac as he is known to Slatonites, came here in 1937 from Missouri where he had been a rural carrier. He traded his rural route for a city delivery job and worked his way up to the top position of Slaton's post office in 1952.

Mr. Mac recalls that the job of rural carrier got rugged at times. The weather was often disagreeable and he had to make his route on horseback.

"I remember many days when I carried the mail in a snow storm on a horse," Mr. Mac said. "After I came to Slaton, I ran my route in a closed horse-drawn mail cart."

McClanahan was 18 when he joined the postal department.

His retirement came after 41 years and 10 months as a postal employee. He is now 60.

Ford takes over the postmaster position after 12 years with the postal department. He has spent all but one of those working in Slaton.

The new office chief has lived in Slaton 20 years. He is married to the former Mary Kirkland. They have two children, a son, Edwin, 20, in the Navy, and Rebecca Sue, 10.

Mr. Mac says he and his wife have no definite plans now that he has retired.

"We hope to travel a little and do some fishing. Then I'll probably join the 'spit-and-whistle' club," he says.

Mr. Mac says he didn't experience very many incidents as a postal worker that stick out in his mind. Once the post office was burglarized but no one was worried too much over the loss.

"All the burglars got was a package of cigarettes and 75 cents," McClanahan recalls.

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EDITORIALS

1960 Predictions For Slaton

As is customary on the first of each year we will join all of the other seers and editors who pretend to know a little about a lot of things, and do some predicting.

Slaton along with most of the other parts of the nation will be prosperous for those who are active in the pursuit of the dollar. Salaries and services will remain about the same or perhaps go a little higher, it will be even more difficult to secure labor on the farms and for yard work and for odd jobs. If you are going to get things done in 1960 you will likely have to do most of the work yourself and persuade those in your family to bend their backs.

In a discussion concerning a recent transfer of 80 acres or irrigated land for \$30,000 one of the Slaton land owners mentioned that the price seemed high even for land although a good part of it had cost only \$25.00 per acre. "It would be easier to pay \$400.00 per acre for the same land now than it was for me to pay the \$25 in the twenties," he commented.

Real estate dealers in farm land report that there are hundreds of customers for farm land but very few farms for sale and those that can be bought are seemingly priced very high. Two of the reasons for the high prices is cotton allotments and of course irrigation. Dry land in this area is hard to find at \$200 per acre and irrigated land is rare at \$350.

The prosperity of Slaton for 1960 is tied up directly with farming and with the uncertainty of what the future farm program will develop it would seem that farm land would be slow in changing hands but mostly financiers feel that inflation has gone too far to turn back and that regardless of whether it is a large investment or small the results of a depression would get everything and real estate is the safest investment to make.

Slaton as a town has but one direction to go if conditions stay as they are or go forward to new highs, and that is to grow into a bigger town.

Many merchants report that all kinds of merchandise is difficult to buy in the better brands and that the manufacturers are more independent than at any time in the past history. Credits are strict and demands both from the customers and from the retailers are grater than many manufacturers can fill.

Of course these predictions and opinions are those that have been gathered from sources that are available to the average citizen and your guess is as good as any expressed here . . . if you do not agree just wait until Jan. 1, 1961 and remember the Slatonite predictions of 1960. A.M.J.

Things Are Different Now

Some authority once said that Lincoln revolutionized the American manner of speaking and writing; that he did for our American type of English what Dante did for the Italian. He did more to create a simple style of expression, using few and easy words in a way to give them unheard-of power, than any other man.

The above statement may have been true in Lincoln's time but the American style of speaking and writing has reverted back to a most complicated and terrifying vagueness when it comes to many of the things that affect our daily lives. We wish to call attention to the television and radio commercials and to the long winded short stories in the magazines, and to many of the statements made by our supposed to be orators and men in public office.

Things are no longer like they used to be reported several of the old timers in Slaton. No fist fights, no odd characters, no individualism here or anywhere else. Things might have been rough in the old days around Slaton but no one could complain that you could not tell where a man stood on any subject and if you felt like fighting you could match one any time. A.M.J.

There is no duty we under-rate so much as the duty of being happy.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Said the sharp-tongued William Pitt to Sir Robert Walpole: "The atrocious crime of being a young man which the honorable gentleman has, with such spirit and decency, charged upon me, I shall neither attempt to palliate or deny; but content myself with hoping that it may be one who follies cease with youth, and not of that number who are ignorant in spite of experience."

HOLD THAT LINE!



Don't Look Now, But . . .

If you are troubled by a \$290 billion national debt and an \$80 billion federal budget, cheer up. It's going to get worse.

That debt of \$290 billion, Federal Budget Director Maurice Stans discloses, isn't the half of it. Laws passed in former sessions of Congress have obligated this country to pay out another \$350 billion in future years, over and above the expenses that will be incurred during those years.

As for that \$80 billion budget, Stans warns that "unless we hold the line now, the day is not too distant when the budget will rise to the \$90 billion or \$100 billion range." In the last session of Congress alone, 20 major spending bills were introduced in the House and 20 in the Senate, which, if passed, would add \$50 billion to \$60 billion to the present spending.

As for economic life, nearly 85 per cent of the budget is "locked in" in commitments for national security, interest on the public debt, and mandatory benefits for agriculture, veterans and the needy. That leaves little room for discretion or for cutting expenses.

Those are mean facts. Here is another fact. This is an election year, and no legislator will want to say "no" to any spending proposal unless he is convinced completely that it will be worth more votes than saying "yes." Any citizen who expects Congress to be frugal in handing out federal funds this year had better let his Congressman know about it now, and in no uncertain terms.

The Readers' Angle

(Editor's Note: Here is an excellent "Letter to the Editor" submitted by a new resident of Slaton. We met the woman when she first came to Slaton and feel that she is sincere. It's fine "food for thought.")

Dear Editor:
Perhaps I should address this to the readers of the Slatonite for actually they are the ones I would like to influence a little.

I have only been in this little town since late summer, but I have seen so many of the good old fashioned traits, like simple kindness, friendly co-operation, etc. shown that I truly have the warm glow around my disillusioned, beat-up old heart that must have inspired someone to write the song, "Dear Hearts and Gentle People That Live in my Home Town."

As I said, I am new here, and am neither young, rich, nor good looking. (Whoops! There went a big percentage of my readers among those under thirty-five!) Truly, that makes it all the more odd that so many have befriended me.

Due to the fact that I attempt survival for my family on one small salary I went down town to pay my bills that first month almost with fear and trembling. And what do you know? One of the first places I stopped was at the dry cleaners. I started to stammer and stutter about what it costs to move, and the owner called me (no not what you're thinking!) O He called me by name and said "If you'd like to pay part of this next month it would be perfectly alright." I went on around and explained to the grocer and explained that I wanted to pay my bill but in case it reached my out-of-town bank ahead of my pay check I operate on a narrow margin and didn't have that much ahead at the end of most months. He didn't drop dead, in fact didn't turn very green around the gills, and we've done a mutually satisfying business since. It has been that way all over town. My children like the schools, I enjoy the folk at church, and we really feel at home here.

WELL NOW, this is what I want to put a bug in your proverbial ear about. Why do we ever go out of town to shop for things we could get right here in Slaton? Cheaper in Lubbock? Possibly, no specials. But have you counted the cost of gasoline, oil, wear and tear on your

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The Sounding Board

(Editor's Note: H. M. Baggary, in his column, "The Country Editor," in The Tulla Herald, commented on Ralls editor Ernest Joiner recently. Joiner has sold his paper and is going to California to edit a nationally-circulated veterinary magazine. We agree, as we do on rare occasions, with Baggary in his observations. Here are some of his comments.)

Returning from a press convention at Lubbock, he Ernest Joiner found the building which housed The Ralls Banner in ashes. He lost everything, including his records and files. And he had nothing on which to re-build but his own ability and credit.

Speaking of Joiner, it is with regret that we hear he is leaving Ralls for California where he has accepted a lucrative position with a national trade publication. The offer grew out of the nationwide publicity he received as a result of the Time magazine article.

Joiner, as might be expected, had both friends and enemies in Ralls.

It is to be regretted that successful people, such as Joiner, are seldom appreciated in their own home towns. Time Magazine, the National Broadcasting Company, and other heavy weights in the field appreciate such talent—but the envious, the resentful, the ne'er-dovells back in little mole hills such as Ralls are too little and spiteful to admit that someone has risen above their own mediocrity.

"The best way to get along in any group is to be mediocre. The most popular students in school seldom are top honor students. The most popular people in a community are those who managed to be no more successful than the general run. When they manage to earn a little more, to advance a little higher, to get a little more recognition than the average—then it is they begin to acquire enemies."

Joiner was to be leaving Ralls the day after Christmas. We wonder whether Joiner will miss Ralls as much as Ralls will miss Joiner.

"It isn't easy to pick up my hat and walk out of an office where my heart has been hung on the wall. I'm feeling all kinds of regret, and it isn't easy to pat this old Royal typewriter farewell without a surge of sentiment," wrote Joiner last week. . . . I am becoming associated with a nationally-circulated trade journal, a temporary vials ever since the offer was extended following our story in Time Magazine.

"In Santa Barbara it is going to be nice to fall asleep at night knowing there's a policeman on the beat, and that the full forces of law and order are only as far as a telephone. It'll be something new to have the kids in fine, modern schools where teachers actually draw more salary than the janitor, and where a superintendent is worth more money, honor and attention than a football coach. I feel the community there won't ever be divided into warring camps over the question of whether hogs and cows shall be penned up in town, or that embattled proponents of open-pit toilets shall stand at ready musket to defend their evil smelling and unsightly link with the past. I do not for a minute believe that in our new 'home town' friends will fall out, and residents threaten open insurrection just because somebody tries to pave a city street. And I may be the supreme optimist, but there is a warm feeling inside that tells me an elected public official who confesses to stealing public funds will be given some kind of punishment out there, instead of being found not guilty and held up as a model of virtue by citizens of the town he outraged. There is hope, too, that courts in that area will exact something more precious from a confessed slayer than a five-year suspended sentence on a plea of guilty."

Concerning the bread and butter angle of his paper, Joiner said, "There has never been a dull moment in Ralls for me. It has been fun trying to put Ralls on the national map with a weekly newspaper supported by only 20 business firms out of 70 in the town. Had it not been for national advertising, plus dedicated local advertisers like Piggly Wiggly (which missed only one issue in 14 years—the time M. H. House was critically ill in a hospital), Southeastern Public Service Co., Cecil Reese, Mayes Gas, and more recently,

Leftwich Foods and Mac's Food Market—the Banner would never have made the grade. I thank them, and am glad to see all of them still in business, and successfully so. I am still grateful to the 10 businessmen who provided the loan money to buy this enterprise, and to J. Edd McLaughlin for having the faith to carry my loans and overdrafts during critical periods.

"I hope all of you, in Ralls, in all 50 states, and in all foreign nations, will support the Banner and offers anything that dares to print its own opinions, right or wrong. Apparently Joiner learned that people are not so easily fooled little since the Pharisaees. They are ped up in tradition and accept something a

1960
CAN WE MAKE
A FRESH START

For some reason, these four words seem to be thoughts of most of us when we take the "old" year from the wall and hang up the "new." As far as we are concerned, the old year is "dead" and we need only selves with today and tomorrow.

Another year, another start. Nothing could be more it is not a start from nowhere, or from nothing. We New Year with the experience and knowledge that the Old—and in the Older years before that.

We like to picture the New Year as a babe, energetic, brimming with confidence and enthusiasm contrast to the bearded old man with a cythe who was last minute of the Old Year. This change in appearance, because it is a new thing, and a new opportunity because it gives us the chance to try again, to do better we forget this Old Year completely, let us look back appraising eye. We change the calendar with the New we cannot wipe the slate clean—not in the truest sense of ourselves do not change. Except for the fact that we are and should be a bit wiser—we are the same individuals were 365 days ago when we were wondering (as we do the New Year would "bring us.")

Welcome to the New Year, and to the time that is for doing bigger and greater things. Welcome the opportunity—to make the effort for progress and but at the same time be thankful for the success in that we knew in the year that is departed. If we Year wisely, then perhaps we are prepared to make the New Year.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford
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AUSTIN—As the year draws to a close, it's hard to look backward for looking forward to what so many are sure will be the "silver-lined sixties." But 1959 was an eventful year. Some of the biggest Texas headlines centered on these happenings:

with Reps. Wade Spilman of McAllen and James Turman of Gober contending for the job in '61.

Tax Bill—It took a marathon meeting of the Legislature—from January until August—before an agreement could be reached on a \$185,000,000 new tax bill. Lawmakers faced, not only the need to cover a \$2,418,000,000 budget for the 1959-61 biennium, but a dismaying \$65,000,000 deficit.

Biggest bones of contention were two of Gov. Price Daniel's key proposals: the abandoned property tax, which did not pass; and the severance beneficiary tax on natural gas, which did. Three-fourths of the new revenue comes from selective sales taxes. A number of old

sales levies, on autos, cigarettes and liquor, were upped. New ones, including furs, jewelry, air conditioners, phonographs, hotel and motel rentals, were added.

Signals Changed—Though it was primarily a "tax session," Legislature passed a number of other laws with wide public effect. Political primaries and conventions will be held in May and June, instead of July and August. Boat owners must register their craft, observe certain safety regulations. City firemen and policemen won shorter hours, and city administrative officials grumblingly juggled their budgets to meet the extra cost. Truckers finally passed a bill they'd been pushing for some years to raise the truck load limit from 58,400 to 72,000 pounds.

states, and H. Chappell, Jr., and Keeton, Lubbock, are on the banner of the 1960 convention of the American National Pressmen's Association in Dalt on January 27-30.

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Teacher Pay—Question of whether a fourth special session should be called to raise money to increase teacher's salaries was posed but not answered in '59. Governor Daniel said he would leave it to the people to decide. Thus far the decision is not known, except that the governor said if he calls a session, it will not begin until after the Feb. 1 filing deadline for public office.

Tidelands—Texas officials went before the U. S. Supreme Court again to fight for state ownership of the tidelands. Texas claims it owns the submerged lands for 10 1/2 miles out. U. S. Attorney General says state ownership extends only three miles. High court's decision is awaited.

New Buildings—A big part of Texas government picked up and moved this past fall from rented quarters scattered over Austin into three new state buildings. Texas Employment Commission Building, State Office Building and State Courts Building were completed within a few months of each other. Earlier the Health Department expanded into a new building. A State Archives Building is in construction, and an Insurance Building is on the drawing board.

Auto Insurance Rates—State Board of Insurance announced new auto insurance rates designed to put the burden of expense on the drivers who have the accidents. Plan has stirred up a beehive of controversy. But it is to go into effect, as scheduled, Jan. 1.

LBJ For President—State politics was almost swept aside after Speaker Sam Rayburn announced a Lyndon B. Johnson campaign. Texas party leaders took up the banner, and Johnson clubs spread across the state, covering, at last count, 191 counties. Senator Johnson says he is not a candidate for president. But he has criss-crossed the state in an energetic "reelection" campaign.

Election Campaigns—Politicking was rampant as the year ended, but very few candidates have paid their filing fees for statewide offices. Some put off filing until January to avoid competing with Christmas for public attention. Others are waiting for Governor Daniel to say whether he will seek a third term before they decide whether to stay put or try to move up.

Oil Still Trickling—Texas oil wells will flow only 10 days in January. This production pattern, the same as during December, was ordered by the Railroad Commission after major purchasers' requests ranged from 9 to 11 days.

Three Million Jobs—Texas will enter the 'sixties with more than 3,000,000 employed in non-farm jobs. Employment gained 7,000 over November to push the total at mid-December to 2,999,800, the Texas Employment Commission reported.

Attainment of the 3,000,000 figure was expected by late December, the report said.

Another Tax Study—State taxes will undergo another study by a nine-member legislative and layman committee.

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Mrs. Ray Miller, 850 W. Lubbock, is shown here with the prize she won in the recent Slatonite Subscription Contest. The prize, a color television set, was awarded when judges declared Mrs. Miller winner of first place in the contest, which was judged according to a point system wherein contestants got so many points for each subscription, a bonus for a new subscriber, etc.

Particular attention will be directed at property taxes and the new taxes adopted in the

Sen. William S. Fly of Victoria, who was chairman of the tax study committee for the past two years, was named to head the new effort. Rep. Frates Seeligion of San Antonio will again be vice chairman as before. A layman, John McKee of Dallas, will also serve again in his previous role as secretary.

Other members of the committee are Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas; Sen. Louis Crump, San Saba; Rep. Gordon Bristow, Big Spring; Rep. V. L. (Bo) Ramsey, Beckville; Hugo

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FOR SALE—Texas ranches and retirement tracts in Central Texas. 295.5 acres irrigated near Petersburg, Tex. 5 wells, \$280 per acre. Howard Carlson, 2317 34th Street, Lubbock. tfe-11

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FOR SALE—80 acres of land, 8 1/2 miles south of Slaton. See T. L. Weaver, 1385 W. Crosby or call VA 8-3471. tfe-9

FOR SALE—3 room house to be moved, 16' by 40'. Call Harold Wilson VA 8-3410. t1c-13

FOR SALE—Nice 2 bedroom home, carpeted, attached garage, and basement, at 740 S. 21st. VA 8-3941, call after 6:00 p. m. tfe-12

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FOR SALE—3 room house with bath and garage. 2 lots. \$2500. 1255 So. 8th. t3c-12

FOR SALE—Good used refrigerator. Cheap. Call VA 8-3559. t2c-13

FOR SALE—Farm 4 miles south east of Southland, 1/4 minerals, and 1/2 mile from production. Phone WY 6-2010, after 6:30 p. m. tfe-8

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JUST TALK
BY A. M. J.

Judge Smith bought Lee Wootton and me a cup of coffee for Christmas last week, and when he started to pay for it, he reached way down deep in his pocket and pulled out an old style snapping turtle pocket purse and carefully selected the coins. Before I had an opportunity to comment on the fact that I would like to have one of the same kind he peeped at me, like a child caught sticking his

finger in the cake batter, and said, "don't make a dirty crack about my snapping purse, for it's the best way to carry money even though the stuff is almost worthless these days."

What I intended telling him was that my wife picks up loose change out of the reclining chairs, in the seat of our wheezy old car and on the floor of the closet where I hang my trousers and she accuses me of losing money all the time. Although I feel like the judge, that it is hardly worth picking up, especially when it is less than a half dollar, I may buy me a snapping turtle purse if I can find one, just to keep out of arguing with my wife, who still feels that the stuff is worth having.

—just talk—

Although it is a couple of weeks late to be making resolutions I have my list fairly well straightened out and find that between the things the doctors have deprived me of, and the things time has made it impossible for me to enjoy, there is very little left to resolve to correct or to do without.

A resolution I used to make every year was to quit staying up until twelve or one o'clock at night, just this year I have changed and have decided that I will do my best to try to keep from falling to sleep in my easy riding chair before eight-thirty. This resolution is not made because I feel I might miss anything by going to sleep so early but because I believe that staying awake for a couple of hours longer might keep me from waking up at three a. m. when my head starts to ache, my nose to run, my back itch and the big toe on my right foot to throb. About four or five o'clock I usually take a tranquilizer capsule, or pill, and sleep until eight or nine o'clock to wake up feeling like the day after an night before.

There is another resolution that I used to make, not to get boiling sore at some folks who did not see things as they should have. This year I have resolved to get myself out of the rut of not having a thing on earth to keep me steaming mad. It makes no difference to me whether a man is a Republican, a Democrat or Presbyterian if he will merely speak to me I am willing to let him be at least a friend as far as my acquaintance with him will allow. Now this is not right. A man should have some one or two folks who can irritate him.

And it used to be that I wanted my food cooked just so. If the toast was slightly burned around the edges or if my shirt had a wrinkle or two, I whooped and hollered and if some one short changed me or if a plumber did not come fix the leaky faucets, I tore around like a caged lion that had not been fed for days. Now such things make no difference to me. What if my hair does grow straight up when it grows at all, or what should I care if my pants drag a little in the back. In fact I have gotten sloppy in my dress and careless about what I have been eating. It is now time I should at least resolve not to get any worse looking but take better care of my clothes and

my figure. In fact, I might not be so far gone that some of the more lively ex-blonds might notice me. Beginning as soon as possible, I'm going to reorganize my diet and send my clothes to be pressed more often.

After careful study, these are the only things that I can find wrong that there is any possibility of improving. I'll report on my success in January, 1961.

—just talk—

J. D. Holt lent me a book he received from his son, Leroy and his wife, for Christmas, "The Good Old Times." It was quite a thick book reproducing hundreds of newspaper and magazine advertisements of the late eighties and early nineties. Without straining very much I recognized some of them which I am sure would bring great

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Under first consideration these reminders of "the good old days," perhaps the young generations might feel superior but a few hours spent before the television and a little consideration will show that we have not advanced as much as some folks might think. Even today, modern folks are taking magic pills and washing with no-stink soap and smoking ten tip cigarettes with medicinal added to cure them of lung cancer just as eagerly as folks did foolish things fifty years ago to improve their health, their looks and their working hours. And talk about comfortable clothes, if women in skin-tight red union suits and shorts make some of them look like an elephant going south compared with those illustrated in the 1900 book with leg "O" mutton sleeves and skirts to the ground, if the earlier mode do not look better then I'm willing to blow my top.

—just talk—

Again this week I quote from Paul Crume of the Dallas News. He has some of the best children's stories I can find.

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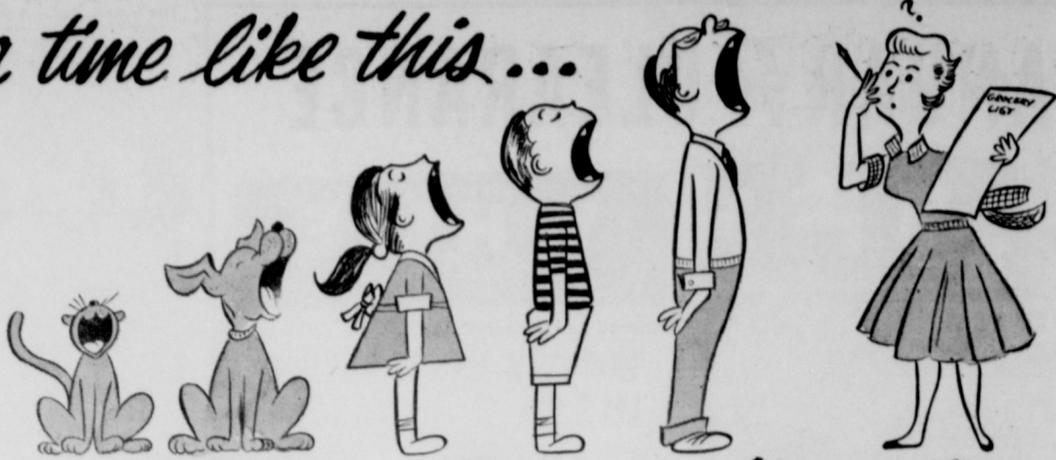
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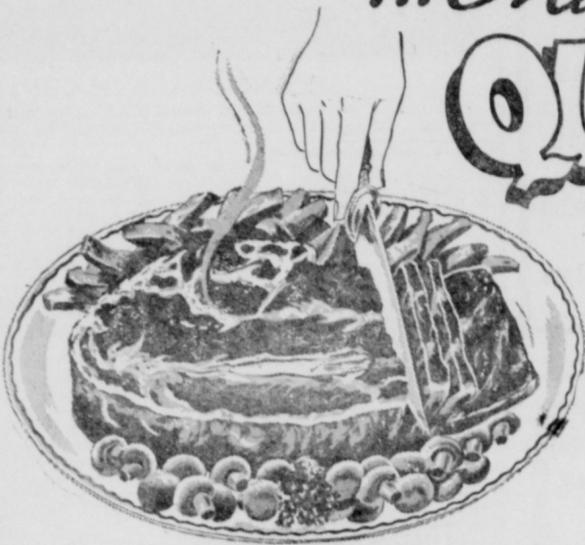
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Debra Montgomery celebrated her second birthday Sunday. Those present were her mother and daddy, her grandmas, Pearl Bruedigam of Wilcox; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Neitens of Lubbock; Mrs. Dora Neitens of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs.

Melrose Melcher of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Young and son of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Melcher and Karen of Southland, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gindorf, Jr. of Southland, Mrs. Annie Bruedigam of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Montgomery and Roxie of Seymour, Mrs. Joe Rhyne of Slaton, and Debra's grandma and grandpa Montgomery from Seymour.

Birthday cake, coffee, sandwiches and punch were served.

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MRS. DON WRIGHT . . . nee Barbara Felty

Barbara Felty, Don Wright Exchange Wedding Vows

Wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Barbara Nell Felty and Thomas Don Wright, Friday, January 1, at 7:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felty of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wright of Slaton.

The Rev. Ted E. Gaze, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Slaton, performed the double ring ceremony before a background of Emerald leaves with

white tapers. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white silk organza designed with a molded bodice enhanced with a portrait neckline and long sleeves. Seed pearls encrusted the neckline of her gown and lace motifs applied the rich folds of her skirt.

A crown of seed pearls and sequins caught her veil of silk illusion and she carried white butterfly roses in crescent bouquet. White streamers and lilies-of-the-valley showered the bouquet, which was centered on a white Bible.

Mrs. Roy Woerner of Alpine was matron of honor. She wore a crimson rose velveteen sheath with a matching net over-skirt. She also wore dyed-to-match satin pumps. Her gown was covered in matching net and detailed with a demi veil. She carried a nosegay of pink roses.

The bridesmaids were Miss Reba Theus of Midland and Miss Carol Ann Wright of Fort Worth. The bridesmatron was Mrs. Bill Gregory of Lubbock. Their dresses were identical to that of the matron of honor. They carried a pink long stem rose.

Candle lighters were Sue Ann and Cindy Sides of Lubbock.

Roy Woerner of Alpine served as best man. The groomsmen were Jimmy Cawthron of Colorado City, Connie Budd of Sweetwater and Bill Gregory of Lubbock. Dickie Thomas of College Station and Roland German of Slaton were ushers.

The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

The Slaton Texas Slatonite

Thursday, January 7, 1960

Junior Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Frye

The Jr. Civic and Culture Club met Dec. 21 in the home of Mrs. Bill Frye for a Christmas party in which gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Belote, W. C. Gilmore, Yates Key, N. H. Lasater, C. E. McCoy, R. M. Shepard, J. A. Wright, and Mesdames C. V. Blake, M. M. Brieger, Ray Conner and Miss Gertrude King.

Engagement Of Sharon Webb Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Webb of Wilson, Texas wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharon Birlene Webb to John Davis Young of Waelder, Texas.

The wedding will take place in the Wilson Baptist Church, Sunday, January 10, at 3 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Monthly News

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A Message from "Teague Drug"

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Woman's Society Meets Monday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday, December 28, for a business and program session, with the president, Mrs. S. H. Jaynes, presiding. The meeting was opened with sentence prayers.

Mrs. Jaynes announced the Silver Tea, to be January 4, at 3 p. m. in Fellowship Hall, in commemoration of Epiphany, as well as honoring the Society's charter members and our own Conference daughters.

The devotion was given by Mrs. R. B. Lain. Mrs. Jaynes gave a resume of the information contained in the Nineteenth Annual Report. She also reviewed briefly, "A Religion With Depth" by Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, Pastor of Christ Church, Methodist, of New York City, in which the value and importance of Mission work was stressed.

The meeting was dismissed with a prayer by Mrs. H. T. Surlock.

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Tim Bourn
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 Tim Bourn was hostess Jan. 4 to the Centure... Mrs. Earl Foerster, president. Election of officers was... new officers elected

are: Mesdames Ed Maeker, president; Joel Combs, vice president; Donald Basinger, secretary and Joe Holland, treasurer. Refreshments were served and the group went to the home of Mrs. Harvey Tunnell for the program. Those attending were Mesdames Earl Johnson, Jerry Jones, Jack Haliburton, Hobert Limmer, Tip Culver, Harley Castleberry, L. B. Wright, Ray Wilkins, Charlie Coleman, Foerster, Combs, Basinger, Holland and Bourn.

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Reardon, Wright Honored With A Kitchen Shower
 A tea and kitchen shower were held recently for Mrs. Jim Reardon and Mrs. Don Wright with Mrs. Dolly Burrell and Jeanette Burrell as hostess. The shower was from 2 p. m. until 9 p. m. Refreshments of tea, coffee, fruit cake, nuts and coconut snowballs were served. Both Mrs. Reardon and Mrs. Wright were former classmates of Miss Burrell. Fifteen guests registered.



MRS. JAMES ROBERT REARDON
 ... nee Viola Mae Walton

VIOLA WALTON, JAMES REARDON EXCHANGE WEDDING VOWS

At 7:30 Tuesday evening, December 29, in a candlelight ceremony at the First Methodist Church, Miss Viola Mae Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie H. Walton, became the bride of First Lieutenant James Robert Reardon. Reardon is the son of Mrs. Francis Holler, International Falls, Minnesota, and the late James Edward Reardon. The Rev. Rollo Davidson officiated at the double ring ceremony. The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School and has attended the University of Colorado, and will graduate from Texas Technological College in January, with a Bachelor of Science in Home Economics. Lt. Reardon graduated from Falls High School, International Falls, Minnesota, after which he attended the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis. He was named a distinguished graduate of his class when he received his pilot wings at Reese Air Force Base in 1958. He is presently stationed at Sikorsky Aircraft Corp., Stratford, Conn. Wearing a white lace and satin floor length gown, which was made by the bride, the bride was given in marriage by her father and mother. The bodice of her gown was of Chantilly lace fashioned with a scoop neckline traced with seed pearls, and long sleeves. The

gored satin skirt, which continued in a chapel length train, was caught at the point of the empire waist with a satin bow. She wore a sterling silver and pearl necklace, which was a gift of the bridegroom. She wore a white lace head piece accented with sequins and pearls which held the French imported fingertip illusion. She carried a bouquet of white roses and pearls. Miss Carrall Mann of Lubbock was maid of honor. She wore a dress of ice blue brocade taffeta patterned after the bride's gown. She wore a white feathered hat and other white accessories and carried a bouquet of white mums tied with blue and silver ribbons. Miss Carrall Berry of Tulla was a bridesmaid. Miss Nancie Walton, sister of the bride, and Miss Cynthia Spikes of Slaton, lighted candles and attended the bride as junior bridesmaids. The attendant's dresses were identical to that of the honor attendant. Miss Peggy Kenney of Slaton sang "O Promise Me" and "The Lord's Prayer." She was accompanied by Miss Burdine Becker of Slaton at the organ. Earl D. Eblen, Sr., the bride's uncle, was best man. Ushering duties were assumed by Joe H. Teague III of Slaton, Earl D. Eblen, Jr., cousin of the bride, and Cleo T. Walton, cousin of

Burdine Becker Is Selected For Society Position

Burdine Becker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker, a 1956 graduate of Slaton High School, has been asked to be a charter member of the National History Society, Phi Alpha Theta. This society is affiliated with American Colleges and Universities. This is a new chapter at Texas Lutheran College, Sequin, Texas. The qualifications to become a member are: the student must have completed at least twelve hours of history, have a 3 point over all average, and an a 3.1 point in history credits. The formal initiation of 9 students will be Jan. 7 at the college by society officials from Texas University. Burdine is a senior, majoring in elementary education with a minor in history. She is secretary of the senior class, a member of the Kappa Pi Gamma sorority and president of the new Women's Dormitory.

the bride, of Mt. Ida, Arkansas. The reception was held in Fellowship Hall immediately following the ceremony. Miss Ova Sue Wilson served cake and Mrs. Kenneth Huffaker presided at the punch bowl. Miss Dorothy Heaton registered guests. Members of the house-party included Mesdames Joe Teague, Jr., Don Hatchett, W. J. Thomas, Boyce Guest, Joe Belote, M. C. Hodge, C. L. Heaton, R. J. Clark, Wesley Hancock, M. M. Schlueter, Jim Vickers, Donald Polk, O. Z. Ball, Clyde Doherty, Wayne Smith, Earl Eblen and June Spikes. The rehearsal dinner was given by Mesdames Earl D. Eblen, June Spikes, and K. C. Scott, Monday night in the Eblen home. When the couple departed for a brief wedding trip, the bride was wearing a peacock blue wool sheath dress with white and navy accessories. In February the couple will be at home in Bridgeport, Connecticut. Out of town guests included Mrs. Frances Holler of International Falls, Minnesota; Mrs. Etta Walton and Miss Ola Walton of Mt. Ida, Arkansas, and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Hartman of Dallas, Texas.

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**Charter Members Of Slaton W.S.C.S.
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The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in Fellowship Hall, Monday, January 4, for a Silver Tea to commemorate Epiphany and to honor the Charter members of the society. Mrs. S. H. Jaynes, the president, presided.

Epiphany is the day in the Christian year which commemorates the traditional visit of the Wise Men to the Christ Child. In the symbolism of the Wise Men's gifts, a gift is made of personal resources, worship, service and personal gifts.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service was born 20 years ago. The earliest women's organization of the Methodist Church was the Ladies' Aid Society which sprang out of local needs. In 1869, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was organized and a volunteer missionary, Miss Isabella Thoburn was sent to India.

In 1880, there were great new needs pressing on the hearts of those living in the decade after the Civil War. It was at this

time that the Women's Home Missionary Society came into being. The First Lady of the Land, Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes was the president. Then, in 1939 the Methodist Church in a Uniting Conference combined the M. E. Church North and the M. E. Church South in order to meet the broad and varied work of the societies and to challenge the capacity of every woman in its membership. The WSCS was that organization. One of its deepest instincts is the desire to belong to something greater than each individual. Thousands of women became members at this time.

Now there are over one and one-half million members all over the world.

Mrs. S. H. Adams was the first president of the Slaton WSCS. Mrs. J. E. Eckert, Sr., was the secretary and she read her notes of the last meeting of the old society of the M. E. Church South before unification. Mrs. R. H. Tott, Sr., another Charter member, read the Charge given to the Society at its first meeting. Other Charter members of the Slaton Society present were Mesdames Fred Tudor, W. R. Wilson, Fred Whitehead, Geo. Culwell and W. R. Lovett. Two other members, Mrs. H. W. Jeter and Mrs. Rollo Davidson were honored as Charter members of other societies.

The worship center was composed of 20 candles, one for each year of the society's organization, with a gold cross in the center in memory of departed members. Also, three symbols of the WSCS were on the table: A Guide Book, for service; an offering plate, for gifts, and an open Bible for prayer.

Mrs. Ray Farley identified the Northwest Texas Conference Daughters, whom the Society helps to support, as follows: Naomi Haire from Hereford, serving in Mexico; Betty Ruth Campbell from Lamesa, serving in Cuba; Peggy June Campbell of Lamesa, serving in Africa and Pat Dillon of Big Spring, who has not yet been assigned. A silver offering was taken for these missionaries.

Mrs. H. T. Scurlock presided at a tea table in silver and white appointments with a center piece of white iris. Small white cakes each decorated with a silver cross were served to the members present at the conclusion of the meeting.



RUBIE PARKER

Engagement Of
Rubie Parker
Is Announced

Mrs. Albert K. Parker, of Brownsville, Texas, announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Rubie, to Charles E. Poer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Poer of Slaton, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Houston
Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Houston were honored on their Golden Wedding Anniversary with an open house in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Berry.

Guests were met at the door and registered by Mr. Berry.

The couple were married in Savoy at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Deatherage, Dec. 28, 1909, by the Rev. J. B. Gover of Bonham.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Dudley Berry, J. S. Edwards, Jr., Oree Glasscock, Swafford and Lawrence

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