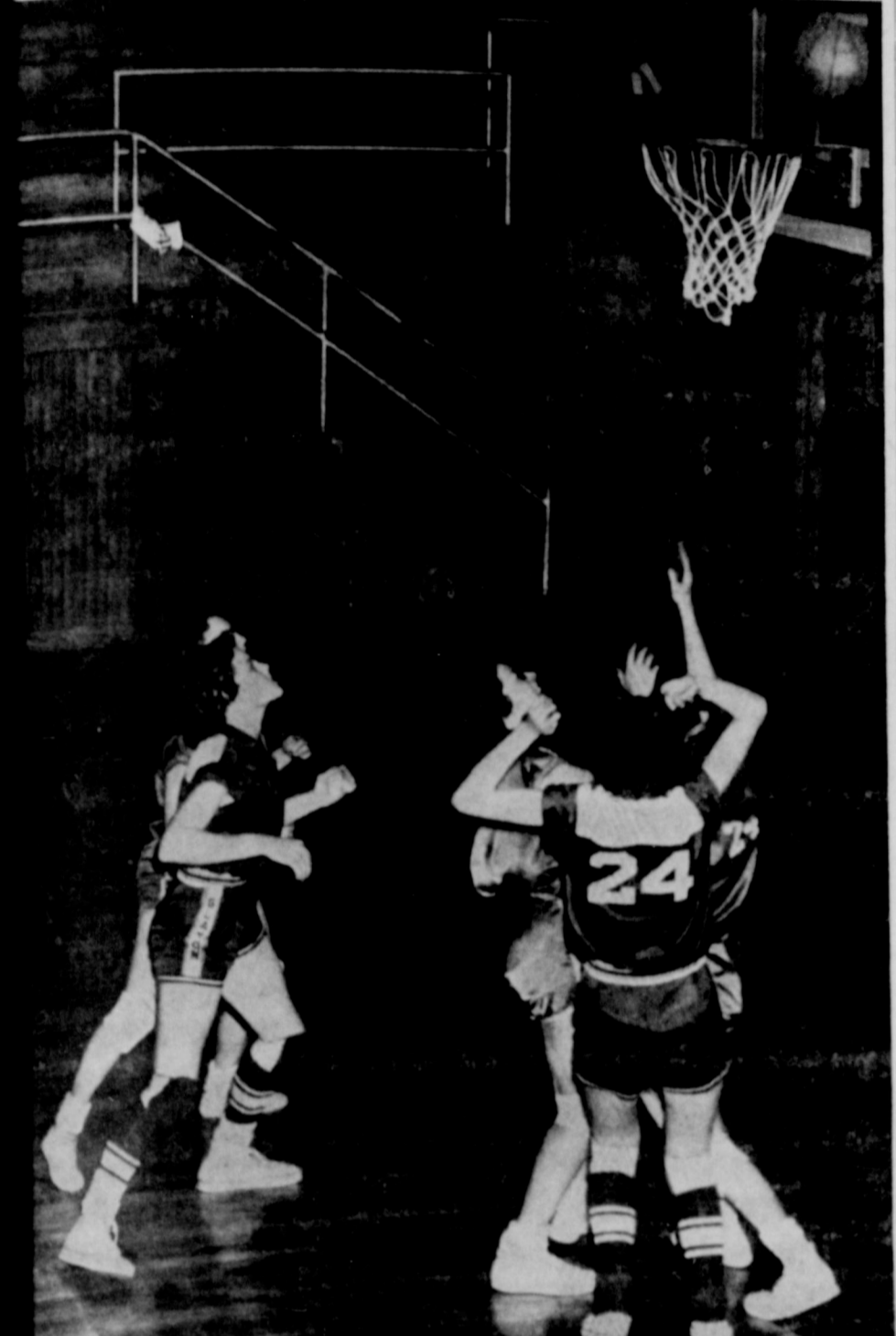


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Tigerettes Cinch Tie For District Championship; Can Win Title Friday

Tigerettes dribbled, which saw neither team hitting consistently, the girls from Slaton High warmed to the task of clinching a tie for the District 3-AA championship and popped the net for 20 points in the third stanza to enter the final period with a commanding 39-17 lead.



UP AND IN

Miss Wilke, Tigerette number 24 in the photo above, scores two points for the team in this photo, taken during the Slaton-Floydada game here Tuesday. The Tigerettes won the game, 51-21, to cinch a district title tie. Miss Wilke was the star for the night. At left is Slaton forward Judy Bishop, ready for the rebound in the case Miss Wilke's shot missed. It didn't.

Sixth Win
It was the sixth win in as many conference starts for the Tigeresses and established them as the odds-on favorite to top the field in 3-AA competition. With only two contests left on the docket, the Tigerettes have but to win one—from either second place Spur or third place Tahoka—to insure a title victory.

Spur-Tahoka In Spotlight
The championship could be decided—in Slaton's favor—next Monday night when Tahoka travels to Spur for a game postponed Tuesday because of weather. Should the Tahoka girls defeat the Bulldogs, Slaton will become the undisputed champions of 3-AA. Or, the team can win by defeating Tahoka Friday night.

Second Half Rally Falls Short for Hapless Tigers
A ten point deficit in the first half proved too much for the Tiger team as their second half effort fell short and they bowed in defeat to a hustling Floydada five, 66-57.

Tiger surge cut the margin to six points at the end of the third period. With an eight point advantage and four minutes remaining in the final quarter the Floydadians went into a stall that insured the victory.

James Cole paced the Tiger attack with 19 points, followed by David Bishop, who tossed in 13.

The Slatonite

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Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, Thursday, February 11, 1960

Twelve Pages

City Calls Election April 5th

Two Burglaries Are Cleared By Police

Slaton police cleared two burglaries last week and have hot prospects on two more, according to Chief of Police Eugene L. Martin.

A Lubbock Negro, Ivory McKinney, 37, signed a statement here on his part and the part of an accomplice, Curtis Shedrick, also of Lubbock, in the burglary of Bruce's Cafe on January 31. Approximately \$400. in cash and cigarettes was taken in the break-in and some of the money

Terrible Tuesday But Beautiful Wednesday!

Dust-carrying winds, with gusts up to 70 miles an hour and more, snapped off a tree on the City Hall Square Tuesday, but little other damage in the community was reported in the wake of the worst duster some residents recall in several years.

Two Commissioners' Posts To Be Filled; Large Vote Is Expected

Slaton's City Commission Monday night issued a call for an election on April 5th, 1960, to elect two commissioners, one from ward two and one from ward four.

Jaycees, Bosses Hear Talk On Delinquency

Tom Cannon, Lubbock County Juvenile Probation Officer, spoke Tuesday night at the Slaton Jaycees' annual Bosses Night Banquet.

Of 20 total offenses reported during January, the local department has cleared nine, Martin said. Also, there were 26 total jail arrests during the month, with fines totaling \$370.00.

State Senator Speaker For Rotarians

State Senator Preston Smith was the speaker at last Thursday's meeting of the Slaton Rotary Club.

Other equipment purchased at the meeting included a Speedy Stripper for use in the Street and Sanitation Department. The machine, purchased from Patton Equipment Company of Abilene for \$395., will be used for making parking stripes, etc. Also, George Willis, Water and Sewer Department Superintendent, presented bids on a back hoe. The commission accepted the low bid of Yellow-house Machinery Company of Lubbock on used equipment at a price of \$5,400.00.

Willis recommended at the meeting that a two-inch water line be extended through blocks 101 and 107 of the South Park Addition at a cost of something over \$400. The commission approved the project.

Distribution Of Food Is Held Here

Distribution of food for needy persons in Slaton, is being held here Wednesday.

Directors Of Play In Talk To Lions Club

Jean Glen, director for the Jaycee stage show being conducted here this week, "Running Wild," gave the program at noon meeting of the Slaton Lions Club Tuesday.

Slaton Resident's Mother's Rites Are Held Thurs.

Funeral services for Mrs. Robert H. May, 75, mother of Mrs. Bruce Pember, were held at the Earnheart Funeral Chapel at 10 o'clock, February 4. They were conducted by Rev. C. C. Dooley. Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Pre-Advance Basis For Classifieds

March 1, 1960, classified advertising in The Slatonite will be on a cash-in-advance basis. This method will apply to all classified ads with the exception of those placed by individuals or firms with established accounts.



SO THERE YOU ARE

Tom Cannon, left, Lubbock County Juvenile Probation Officer, is visiting with Slaton Jaycee President Pete Williams shortly before Tuesday night's annual Jaycees Bosses Night Banquet. Cannon was principal speaker for the affair, held in Bruce's Cafe. Weather cut the attendance, but Cannon's talk and the fine entertainment provided by some of Shirley Williams' School of Dance students made a fine evening for Jaycees and their employers.

"Running Wild" To Stage Its Final Performance Tonight At 8:14 P. M.

"Running Wild," the fun-loving, laugh-provoking stage show with local talent, will give its final performance at 8:14 p. m. today in the high school auditorium.

and 10 Slaton housewives as members of the Marching Mothers.

Rites Are Held For Mrs. Tucker

Funeral services are to be held for Mrs. W. E. Tucker, 74, today at 2:30 p. m. in the (continued on Page 6)

Coming Events

- Thursday, February 11
 - Rotary, Club House, noon.
 - Explorer Boy Scout, Troop 29 7:30 p. m.
 - Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW, VFW Hall, 7:30 p. m.
 - Masonic Lodge, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.
- Friday, February 12
 - Senior Citizens, Club House, 10:00 a. m.
- Saturday, February 13
 - Visit shut in friends.
 - Masons and families, open meeting, 7:30 p. m.
- Sunday, February 14
 - Attend church of your choice
- Monday, February 15
 - Boy Scout, Troop 29, 8 p. m.
 - American Legion, Legion Hall, 7:30 p. m.
 - Knights of Columbus, St. Joseph Hall, 8 p. m.
- Tuesday, February 16
 - Eastern Star, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.
 - Vota Class
 - Jaycee Board Members Meeting, 8 p. m.
 - WOW, WOW Hall, 7 p. m.
 - Drivers License Examiner
- Wednesday, Feb. 17
 - VFW, VFW Hall, 7:30 p. m.

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Staff Photos except Society	5 p. m. Mondays
Society Staff Photos	10 a. m. Mondays
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EDITORIALS

Going Places In Slaton . . .

Although football is no doubt the top interest in sport entertainment in Slaton, as it is in most all parts of the United States, there is growing interest here in other sports that may equal football even if two of these new interests may seem odd for a town so far away from any large body of water and in a climate that is not too inviting for water sports.

Of course bowling is an activity that can be enjoyed in any climate and Slaton has gone all out for this. You'll find Grandpa bowling against his ten year old grandson and Grandma showing her granddaughter how to hold the bowling ball in order to make a strike. It's mother against daughter, wife against husband and a roaring thunder storm all night out where the bowling goes on.

Not only that but a peek in many of the garages around Slaton will disclose 14, 16 and 20 foot boats ready on trailers and with big outboard motors attached ready for the sunny week ends. A trip of 100 miles or more to some lake and back is not unusual. The women, men and children are all taking part. There is a boat club in Slaton, consisting of 17 members where, according to Leo Henzler, its president, they build, design, repair and plan all kinds of small boats. The interest in water skiing is intense and if you doubt there is an ever growing interest in fishing just stand around on some sunny week end this spring, on the streets, and you hear of many a fishing trips being planned.

And swimming is one of the growing interests especially among the young people.

The credit for building up this interest in swimming in Slaton must go to Mr. Truett Fulcher who has developed some of the outstanding young swimmers in West Texas. He has operated the City swimming pool in a safe manner and holds the respect of all those who have worked with him. Mr. Fulcher through his teaching ability has brought a good name for swimming to Slaton.

Bowling, swimming, boating and fishing are classified as participating sports where those interested take part, they are all good exercise. None are dangerous, although one can get hurt at any one of them. These are just a few signs that Slaton is entering a new life, is showing signs of stepping ahead. It's fun to live in Slaton. A.M.J.

The Judgment Of Solomon . . .

It was a chilly day. In a crowded railroad coach, two women in one section got to quarreling about whether the window should be open or shut. One wanted it open; said if it were not opened soon she would surely suffocate. The other declared that she could not stand the cold, damp air, and if the window was open she would certainly get the Flu and die.

They called the porter and made their opposite demands about the window and the porter just didn't know what to do. Down the aisle a way was a red-nosed old gent who looked as though he had been around. He noticed the porter's dilemma, and asked him why he did not do as he was told. The porter said he couldn't, since one of them wanted the window open, the other wanted it shut. The red-nosed old gent said, loudly:

"Do what both of them tell you to, porter, and you'll be all right. First, open the window. That will kill one of those ladies, according to her own statement. Then close it. That will kill the other one. Then, maybe, we can continue this ride in peace."

Time, they say, tells on everyone. Especially too good a time.

Treat everyone with politeness as you travel along, even those who may be deliberately rude. It is worth remembering that you are courteous to others, not because they are gentlemen, but because you are.

Stephen Girard, famous Philadelphian of other days, and the founder of Girard College, was asked what he would do if he knew he would be dead tomorrow. He replied: "I would plant a tree." For planting, like plowing, is prayer.

A philosopher says: "Human ideals are like stars; you don't reach them; you just reach for them."

"BUT I'M TOO YOUNG TO DIE!"



Let's Look Ahead

The prospect of a \$4.2 billion surplus in the Federal budget has cheered everyone up. To the citizen it would mean that he wouldn't be faced with another inflation-producing Federal deficit to whittle the value of his dollars. But to some open-handed Congressmen it is an invitation to abandon last session's trend toward Government economy.

Already the ardent spenders are coming forth with plans that would assure the surplus never could materialize. These Congressmen seem to think they are never doing enough for "the peepul" unless they put the people's government in the hole.

Their concern for the voters, who double as down-trodden taxpayers, could find a better outlet in the direction of income tax reform. Virtually everyone acknowledges that present taxes are too high to permit maximum economic growth. Everyone knows his own taxes are too high.

The bi-partisan Herlong-Baker bills now pending in the Ways and Means Committee would bring down everyone's taxes, and do it in such a way that economic growth would be stimulated sharply. More growth will bring more tax revenue from lower tax rates.

This would mean more Federal surpluses to cheer us up in future years.

The politicians would be doing themselves a favor, too. They could never get all the voters to agree on how to spend the surplus, but one thing everyone will agree on is that taxes are too high.

The Sounding Board

(Editor's Note: Can't pay your bills? Maybe you feel like the fellow described below.)

Clipped this week from Smoke Signals in the Crockett Courier-Democrat is a letter written to a local banker which could easily describe the dilemma of every businessman. I thought you readers would enjoy it.

"Dear Sir: In reply to your request to send a check, I wish to inform you that the present condition of my bank account makes it almost impossible. My shattered financial condition is due to Federal Laws, County Laws, Corporation Laws, Liquor Laws, mother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, brother-in-laws, and out-laws.

"Through these laws, I am compelled to pay a business tax, amusement tax, head tax, school tax, gas tax, light tax, furniture tax, and excise tax. I am required to get a business license, car license, operator's license, truck license, not to mention a marriage license and dog license.

"I am also required to contribute to every society and organization which the genius of man is capable of bringing to life to woman's relief, the unemployed relief, and the gold digger's relief. Also to every hospital and charitable institution in the city, including the Salvation Army, Red Cross, Community Chest, Purple Cross, Double Cross, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, YMCA, YWCA, as well as Way Stations

for Wayward Girls and Boys Ranch and Boys Town.

"For my own safety, I am required to carry health insurance, life insurance, liability insurance, burglar insurance, accident insurance, business insurance, earthquake insurance, tornado insurance, unemployment insurance, and old age insurance.

"My business is so governed that it is no easy matter to find out who owns it. I am inspected, expected, suspected, disrespected, rejected, defected, examined, reexamined, informed, enquired, summoned, fined, commanded and compelled, until I provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every known need, desire, or hope of the human race.

"Simply because I refuse to donate to something or other, I am boycotted, talked about, lied about, held up, held down, and robbed until I am almost ruined.

"I can tell you honestly that except for a miracle that happened I could not promise you anything; but the wolf who comes to my door nowadays just had pups in my kitchen and just as soon as I sell them I will send you some of your money. "Very truly yours."

HUMBLE TIPS

by Richard and Charles Becker

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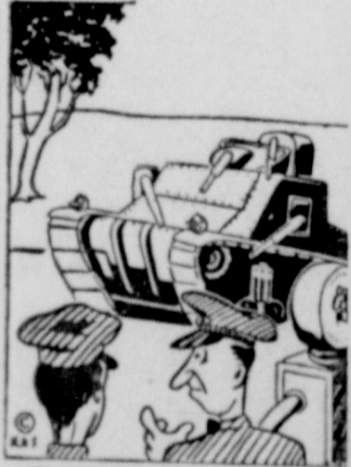
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

AUSTIN—Completion of the Interstate Highway System, including 3,033 miles of top-standard expressways, may save as many as 300 Texans a year from traffic deaths.

State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer says that accident records show that controlled access expressways are three times safer.

Also, he said, they move three to four times as much traffic. Greer estimates that the Interstate Highway System, when completed, will save one life a year for each 10 miles of road.

Target year for getting Texas highways to desired standards is 1975.

By that time, said the state highway engineer, the state probably will have 70,000 miles in the state highway system compared to the present 60,000. There will be 5,500 miles of multi-lane highways compared to 2,168 today.

More Speed?

Whether speeds in excess of 60 miles per hour should be legalized for some of the state's top-notch highways will be subject of study between now and the next Legislature.

Committees of the Texas Good Roads Association are to consider this and whether gasoline taxes should be upped to gain school funds.

Governor Daniel has suggested the possibility for raising money for school improvement and teacher salaries through a higher gasoline tax. TGRA, made up of people interested in road building, has, in the past, opposed draining taxes paid by road users for non-highway purposes.

Higher speed limits have been proposed before for four-lane highways, but have failed to pass the Legislature.

Deficit Grows

Deficit in the state's general revenue fund has reached \$78,647,301, an all time high, says State Treasurer Jesse James.

Things should look better after May 1, when corporation franchise taxes will be paid, he adds.

Appointees

Appointed by Governor Daniel to the Texas Commission on Educational Standards are Mrs. W. D. DeGrassi of Amarillo, Horace K. Jackson of Gatesville, Reynaldo Garza of Brownsville, Cullum Greene of Fort Worth, and Mrs. E. P. Lamberth of Dallas.

To the Educational Commission, Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey names Everett Collier of Houston, Joe Anderson of Lufkin, Sons, William Fly of Victoria, Floyd Bradshaw of Weatherford, and Ray Roberts of McKinney.

House Speaker Waggoner Carr designated Mrs. Harry Patterson of Houston, John McKee of Dallas, Reps. C. T. Matthew of Yoakum, Leon Thurman of Anson and Maurice Pipkin of Brownsville, as his appointees to the Educational Commission.

New Game Heads

Frank M. Wood of Wichita Falls has been elected chairman of the Game and Fish Commission

to succeed Herb Frensey of Houston.

New members of the Commission are Carl L. Dupuy of Lufkin, H. A. Walsh of El Paso, J. F. Corley of Houston and W. O. Reed of Dallas.

Bug Delays Decision—"Flu bug," besides felling Texans by the thousands, contributed to a delay in deciding one of the state's most talked about issues, the new Safe Driving Insurance Plan.

With the other two State Insurance Board members ill, Chairman Penn Jackson said it would be at least several days before the board would announce changes, if any, in the plan.

Board Member Robert W. Strain was in bed with the flu, and Joe P. Biggs, other member was convalescing from a heart attack.

Under the merit plan, the Board set auto insurance premiums lower for drivers with no record of accidents or traffic violations and proportionately higher for those who have accident and violation records.

Gov. Daniel has said that he hoped the Board would make "some changes" in the plan, but declined to elaborate.

Some legislators declare that, unless non-accident causing violations and the three-year retroactive features are taken from the plan, it will be so unpopular the Legislature will have to change it if the Board doesn't.

But most Texas insurance men declare that, given a fair chance, the plan will grow in favor with the public. They believe there will be an over-all drop in insurance costs as the driving public learns the relationship between bad driving habits and high insurance premiums.

Anti-Narcotics Aid Promised—Governor Daniel has promised El Paso every possible help in combatting its problem of being "a major distribution point of an international narcotics ring."

In response to a telegram in which El Paso Judge Woodrow Bean cited the city's "major" problem, the governor conferred with state and federal authorities.

Daniel said he was assured after talking with Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety, that DPS men were and would continue to work with local law enforcement officials in El Paso in fighting narcotics traffic.

Also, said the governor, he has been told by the Federal Narcotics Commission that eight federal customs agents in El Paso also do anti-narcotics work.

Federal Commissioner H. J. Anslinger promised the governor to survey and consider the request for a special federal narcotics agent in El Paso.

Lower Train Fares Sought—Railroad Commission has set a hearing Feb. 9 on a request by Texas railroads to reduce passenger fares between Houston and Dallas and Fort Worth.

CROSSROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

I see where the U. S. is not going to rebuke Cuba's Mr. Castro for tirading against us and taking property away from American citizens.

Washington says this meek attitude is on account of if we took a fly swatter to this bushy little character it might make other Latin Americans mad at us.

But my casehardened neighbor says what is apt to rile our foreign buddies more is President Ike's selfish scheme to tax up a budget surplus and then waste it all paying on our old debts instead of juicing up our handout programs.

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

Men wonder why the fool moth will fly straight into the flame—and then go out and try to beat a train to the crossing.

Railways want to reduce the round trip fare from Houston to Dallas from \$13.05 to \$9 and the fare from Houston to Fort Worth from \$14.80 to \$10.

A spokesman for the Railroad Commission said that no opposition was expected from rail companies not making these runs.

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Safe Driving Necessary
Recently our school came suddenly upon the necessity of safe-driving. A freak accident which involved the life of a student, Traweck, has made us stop and think of the need of safe driving.
In an effort to insure school safety the school has set up new parking lots. If the students alike will obey these regulations, the school will be able to prevent another serious accident.

BLUE IS CHOSEN
A Senior class meeting held Monday, February 8, in room 157, for the purpose of measuring faction caps and gowns. Everyone was measured. Measurements were made as to preferences. The color blue was chosen. The color pale blue tassels was chosen.

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Dealer's Merit Certificate

ly our school suddenly aware of safe-driving which is the life of the week, has made I think of the driving.

effort to improve safety the school up new parking the students will obey these will be greatly all join together a habit to prevent accident.

IS CHOSEN
Senior class meeting Monday, February 15, in room 157, for measuring foot caps and gloves. The measurements were made as a class. The color of the shoes was chosen.

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cast 6 million drivers on Texas roads by 1970. He emphasized the need for ever increased efforts by all citizens toward the goal of highway safety. He commended dealer members for their outstanding contribution and said, "the new car dealers of Texas realize the need to participate in worthwhile community endeavors and are more than willing to do everything within their power to help train our youth to be safe, careful drivers."

Present-day drivers who have participated in high school driver training programs in the past have better than average safety records, according to national studies on the subject. Over \$2 million is invested by authorized new car dealers in more than 800 automobiles on loan to schools throughout the state according to Tom J. Crooks, Manager of the dealer association. Many of these cars are equipped with dual controls, permitting the instructor to maintain maximum safety control during the training procedure. The shortage of qualified "behind the wheel" instructors prevents many other schools

Wilson Church In Achievement Program

WILSON—The Mexican Baptist Mission of the First Baptist Church of Wilson has entered the 1960 Texas Baptist Church Achievement Program, pastor Christobal S. Pena said this week. Sponsored by the Baptist General Convention of Texas, the program is designed to stimulate interest in small-church work by providing growth incentives. Outstanding achievements by pastors and churches in areas of church, community and world improvement are recognized locally and at the annual BGCT convention.

and new car dealers from participating in this program, Mr. Crooks said. Many dealers loan pickups to FFA and 4-H Clubs so that agriculturally minded youths may become familiar with the operation of farm type vehicles.

More than 450 Texas Baptist town and country churches entered the program last year. Some of the churches recorded twice as many baptisms per member as the Southern Baptist Convention average. Others recorded outstanding increases in Sunday school attendance and gifts to missions.

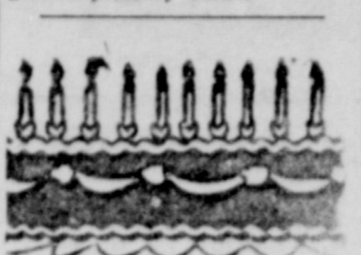
Goals for advancement are adopted by each participating church for the three improvement areas. An inventory questionnaire furnishes suggestions for projects, such as health education, community recreation programs, citizenship training, race relations studies and world missions.

Pastors recognized in each of the denomination's 17 geographical districts receive parchment scrolls and the churches receive achievement certificates which may be displayed in a prominent position.

Churches in the open country and in towns of up to 2,500 population, and all Latin American churches and missions are eligible to enter the program. About two-thirds of the denomination's 3,837 churches are classified as town and country congregations. Records and scrapbooks are

the basis for judging on the associational, district and state wide levels.

Darwin Farmer, district missions associate for the BGCT, Dallas, is in charge of the program. He said "the enlistment of a church's total membership in active service" is the program's primary value.



Happy Birthday

February 12: Pete Lancaster, Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mrs. Joe Lester, O. O. Crow, Roy Strube, Frances Martin.

February 13: Alvin Kitten, Freddie Miller, Mrs. Carter Caldwell, Mrs. Gene Turner, Mrs. W. E. Kidd.

February 14: Rev Elmer Crabtree, Mrs. E. J. Cooper, Mrs. R. H. Todd Jr., C. V. Kitten, Carol Lynn Mosser, Dayven Dunn, John Fondy, Jr., M. M. Tulinson.

February 15: Leo Kitten, Mrs. Dillard Dunn, Arvil Joe Cooper, Kenneth Calloway, Mrs. O. N. Aleora, R. A. Thompson, Sr., R. F. Swafford, James L. Allred, Mrs. G. W. Privett.

February 16: Bobby Sokoll, Mrs. Jean Edmundson, Mrs. J. E. Eckert, Sr., Mrs. Paul Walker, Mrs. Johnny Hogue, Danny Lain, Mrs. Lea Stolle, Randall Richardson.

February 17: Dan Davis, Mrs. W. A. Wike, J. P. Haliburton, Rita Kay Payne.

February 18: Betty Cole, Mrs. Albert Kuss, Mrs. C. E. Uoham, Forrest C. Davis, J. Floyd Jordan, Mrs. A. M. Jackson, Mrs. C. R. Bivens, William Becker, Jr.

Temperatures

Average 42 1/2

The highest temperature for the week of January 31 to February 6 was 66, and the lowest, 25.

The average temperature for the week was 42 1/2.

The maximum and minimum temperatures were Sunday, 65 and 28; Monday, 62 and 34; Tuesday, 64 and 27; Wednesday, 54 and 26; Thursday, 40 and 25; Friday, 52 and 28; and Saturday, 59 and 30.

These temperatures were secured from the Pioneer Natural Gas Company.

FFA Team Rates Well

The livestock judging team from Slaton has been to two judging contests so far this year. Members of the team are James Wright, Johnny Mangum, Jimmy Ayers and James Mangum as alternate.

These boys have been working hard and have been to Leaver feed lots judging cattle. The team plans to go to the Texas Tech farm and do some judging there. The farm will provide good practice because of the different age groups of animals from which to judge.

The team went to Hereford, Texas on January 23 where a judging contest took place at the Hereford Fat Stock Show. The team as a group placed second from this district and John Mangum was third high point

Contract Let For Lubbock Southeast Loop

A contract for 7.7 miles of construction on Highway Loop 289 in Lubbock County has been awarded to a Lubbock firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

Henry L. Stafford submitted the low bid of \$1,185,590 on the project. Construction of Grading, structures, lime stab, base, one & two course surfacing treatment asphaltic concrete pavement, P.&S.F. Railway overpass, from US 62 in North East Lubbock south and west to US 87 in South Lubbock, is expected to take 325 working days, according to Oscar L. Crain, District Highway Engineer at Lubbock. W. H. Garrett, Resident Engineer at Lubbock will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

individual at the contest. He scored 351 out of a possible 450. January 25, the team and Coach Pete Brown journeyed to Amarillo where they entered in a second judging event. —Tigers Cage



STAND READY—STAND OUT! BE A SCOUT! Scout Week Proclaimed

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, February 8, 1960, is the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America as a program for all boys, and

WHEREAS, The Boy Scout program has affected the lives of 33,500,000 boys and men, and now has an active enrollment of more than 5,000,000 and

WHEREAS, The Movement now observes its golden anniversary and seeks to motivate all its leaders to further and greater effort on behalf of youth under the theme of "For God and Country," and

WHEREAS, The Boy Scout of America, a great force for training youth in right character and good citizenship, will hold its Fifth National Jamboree at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this July;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Clark Self, mayor of the City of Slaton, in the state of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of February 7 to 13 as Boy Scout Week. I do urge our Citizens to recognize the patriotic service being performed for our community by volunteer Scout leaders; to express their appreciation to the religious bodies, school organizations, veteran's associations, fraternal groups, and service clubs which sponsor our Cub Packs, Boy Scout Troops, and Explorer units. In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the City of Slaton, this 1 day of February, 1960.

CLARK SELF, Mayor

Valentine Theme At FHA Meeting

A regular FHA meeting was held Monday, February 8, 1960. The devotional for this meeting was entitled "You As a Group". The narrator for the devotional was Diane Heinrich. The cast included Melinda Clifton, Olivia Sanders, Pam Stansell, Jan Bownds, Ann Haddock, Nancy Anderson and Dene Brooks.

The program for the meeting was given by Kathy White and Sondra Williams. The program consisted on how to model and tips on the right way to put a make-up. Sondra also modeled some fashions from the Texas Tech fashion show, sponsored by the Texas Tech Home Economics Club.

The hostesses for the meeting were Nancy Buxkemper, Gai Johnson, Diane Heinrich, Yolanda Franco, Pam Henry, Margaret Meeks, Kay Short. Judy Dunn and Bonnie Cole were on the art committee, they drew the pictures for the devotional. —Tiger's Cage

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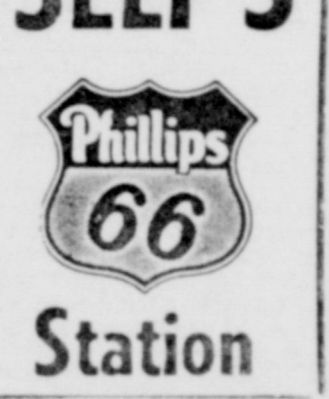
Teacher: "Claude, this is terrible writing. Why can't you write so I can read it?"

Claude: "Sure I can, but then y'd complain about my spelling."

Employer: "Didn't I tell you two weeks ago we wanted an older boy?"

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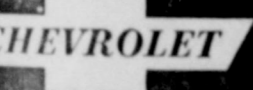
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FOR RENT—Bedroom, private entrance, 335 N. 6th, or call VA 8-3465 if no answer see Mrs. Brookshire at Teague Drug. TFC-48

FOR RENT—Unfurnished large 3 bedroom house, 15' x 20' living room, fireplace, utility room plumbed. Nice yard and garden. VA 8-3902. tfe-17

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apartment, see A. Kessel at 310 W. Lynn or call Pember Insurance. tfe-15

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FOR SALE—Tires, tubes and wheels, 14, 15, and 16 in. For most all trailers. Also Ford and Chevrolet, cars most all other makes. Ted and Joel's Garage 1200 S. 9th St. Ph. VA 8-7132. tfe-4

FOR SALE—3 room house at 1255 S. 12th. Small down payment. Balance like rent. 845 S. 11th, VA 8-4300 tfe-18

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, 55 acres cotton, 1-3", and 10" well 2 bedroom house. Priced \$350. an acre. Howard Carlson, 2317 34th St. Lubbock. tfe-15

FOR SALE—Real clean 1955 Chevrolet, one owner car. See J. P. Haliburton or call VA 8-3581. 2tc-17

FOR SALE—1957 Oldsmobile 88. Four-door, air conditioned, power brakes and steering, radio and heater. See at 355 W. Lubbock or call VA 8-3411. tfe-16

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FOR SALE—Aluminum windows and doors. We will not be under sold. C. E. McCoy, VA 8-3866 or Doug Lively VA 8-3888 tfe-2

FOR SALE—2 Oliver molbords drag type, one up, one down, extra good, 4 row stalk cutter, on rubber. See at 9 miles south west of Floydada. Bob Ratjen. Phone 3-3382. 4tp-15

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FOR SALE—Sweeper-tank type. used. A good buy at only \$22.50. Lasater-Hoffman Hdw. tfe-3

FOR SALE—New 1959 SIMPLEX SCOOTER 5 hp. Automatic Transmission \$225.00. Bourn Cycle Shop. tfe-51

FOR SALE—NEW HOMES, 2 & 3 Bedroom, Excellent Locations, Good Financing, Completely Finished, see SLATON LUMBER CO., or dial VA 8-4329 tfe-15

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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

For Sale

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

FOR SALE—Tool Bar with Gauge wheels, levers and A-frame. Fits Ford Tractor also V-ditcher. 845 S. 11th, VA 8-4300. tfe-18

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FOR SALE—1951 Ford 1/2 ton pickup and a new Craftsman radial arm power saw with custom made work bench and accessories. See after 6 p. m. weekdays and all day Sunday. Charles Berry, Wilson. tfe-18

FOR SALE OR TRADE—56 Lincoln Premiere 45 foot Landola (custom made) trailer house. See at old Caprock Sand and Gravel Office on Lubbock Highway. 2tp-17

FOR SALE—Peat Moss, Potting soil, lawn fertilizers available at Huser Hatchery. tfe-14

FOR SALE—Nice 3 bedroom at 605 13th St. Near school in Slaton. Priced for quick sale. Write or call Marie Fomby, 601 Oak St. or call BE 4-2135, Sweetwater, Texas. tfe-17

FOR SALE—Used Speed Queen automatic washer looks like new, \$99.50. Lasater-Hoffman Hardware. tfe-3

FOR SALE—Alfalfa Hay, Prairie Hay, Servall litter available at Huser Hatchery. tfe-14

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Cheap 5 room house and bath, 655 S. 5th. VA 8-3503. Mrs. W. L. Housour. tfe-14

FOR SALE—Two extra good bargains at the Slatonite. One new Quite-Riter Remington-Rand Portable typewriter with tabulation. The large size, suitable for office work, regular price \$143., to go for \$105. tax included. One new Quite-Riter Remington Rand portable typewriter. An excellent machine. Regular price is \$137., to go for only \$95., tax included.

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WANTED—Will keep children in my home for working mothers on weekdays. Call Zeldia Parkhill, 250 W. Crosby, VA 8-3624. 3tp-18

WANTED—Full time beauty operator to take over the business of a girl who is leaving. Palace Beauty Shop, 205 W. Garza, VA 8-3311. tfe-17

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WANTED—Will do garden work fertilizer work. Call VA 8-3897. A. Z. Jordan. 3tp-17

Legals

NOTICE OF ELECTION
STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK,
CITY OF SLATON.

Pursuant to an order by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, notice is hereby given that an election will be held within and for the City of Slaton, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1960, same being the 5th day of April, A. D., 1960, for the purpose of electing two Commissioners, one from Ward number two and one from Ward number four. Said Commissioners shall serve for a period of two years, or until their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified. Said election shall be held in the City Hall of the City of Slaton, Texas, for one day only by having one election box in voting ward number two and one election box in voting ward number four. Said boxes shall be open from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

All persons who are qualified electors under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Slaton, Texas, for six months next preceding said election are qualified to vote at said election.

The following judges were used to hold said election in their respective Wards at the City Hall on said date:

Phil Brewer, Judge Ward No. 2.
John D. Webb, Judge Ward No. 4.
Each Judge shall appoint clerks to assist him in holding said election.
The election shall be held as nearly in accordance with the general election laws of the State of Texas governing elections as may be practical.
In testimony whereof, witness my official hand and seal of the City of Slaton, Texas, this the 8th day of February, A. D. 1960.

Clark Self, Mayor
City of Slaton, Texas
Attest:
J. J. Maxey, City Secretary
City of Slaton, Texas.
cos-ttc-18

CARD OF THANKS

The Slaton Jaycee-Ettes say thank you, Centuresses, Jr. Civic and Culture, Athenian Study Club, Sr. Civic and Culture and Catholic Daughters for contributing to the Mothers March, which was Thursday, Jan. 28. Mrs. Wesley Minton volunteered her services to the March also.

Due to illness at this time, many were unable to help, reported Mrs. Benny Moeller, chairman of the March and a member of the Jaycee-Ettes. The total received during the 2 hour crusade was \$484.36.

USE THE WANT ADS

Tiger Footballers Receive Jackets

The Slaton Tiger footballers received their jackets in a special meeting called in the auditorium on Thursday the 28. This year marked a change in the color scheme of the jackets. In the past few years the jackets were solid black trimmed in red. This year's jackets are red with black sleeves trimmed in white.

There were fewer lettermen on this year's team than there have been in some years. Only those who lettered received awards. This year also marked a change as freshmen were allowed to play on the varsity and given a chance to letter.
Principal Truett Babb gave a short speech during the meeting stating "Even though we didn't win as many games as we should have, I believe we gained something in personal experience and in the long run had a pretty good year."

Seniors receiving letters were Jerry Allen, 3rd year; David Bishop, 2nd year; Bill Barry, 2nd year; Giles Smith, 2nd year; Gary Ward, 2nd year; Randy Sanders, 2nd year; Mike Wheeler, 1st year; Jerry Kitten, 1st year; David Bednarz, 1st year; Larry Terry, 1st year; Jay McSwain, 1st year; Glen White, 1st year.

Junior lettermen: T. L. Bliss, 2nd year; James Wright, 1st year; John Shelby, 1st year; Eddie Gravel, 1st year; Eddie

Cone, 1st year.
Freshmen lettermen: Ball, Webber, Teferter, Coefield and Kelly Brown.
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Summary Cash Financial Report of Lubbock County January 1959 through December 31, 1959

Tax Rate	83
Tax Valuation for 1960 Budget	165,771,470.00
Bonded Indebtedness as of January 1, 1960	2,909,000.00
Bonded Indebtedness Payable by State	232,000.00
Outstanding Warrants Payable by Fair Association	15,000.00
Net Principal Bonded Indebtedness January 1, 1960	2,662,000.00

SUMMARY ACCOUNTING OF ALL FUNDS

Fund	AUD. BAL. 1-1-59	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	AUD. BAL. 12-31-59
General	49,981.33	679,816.14	708,455.59	21,341.88
Jury	16,403.86	116,729.35	119,357.11	13,776.10
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 1	17,707.90	118,126.52	118,030.30	17,804.12
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 2	6,818.11	123,133.86	109,952.26	19,999.71
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 3	2,115.03	118,455.12	120,673.11	- 102.96
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 4	- 1,784.97	117,150.42	97,343.10	18,022.34
Road & Bridge No. 5	14,339.50	126,165.87	115,610.97	24,894.40
Officers Salary	24,029.97	565,147.88	570,492.04	18,685.81
Idalou Park	97.82	5,195.97	5,313.48	- 194.73
New Deal Park	761.98	2,774.08	3,079.80	456.26
Precinct 1 Park	3,333.06	5,880.42	3,866.44	5,347.04
Roosevelt Park	4,649.51	654.88	1,929.08	3,375.31
Shallowwater Park	661.05	4,512.01	4,802.66	378.40
Slaton Park	3,347.83	4,414.41	5,146.20	2,616.04
Library	8,746.68	21,108.51	26,663.82	3,191.37
Permanent Improvement	13,419.95	93,176.52	101,696.04	4,900.43
C. H. & J. Sinking Series 1946	4,661.93	56,256.18	53,356.25	7,561.86
C. H. & J. Sinking Series 1949	1,431.12	63,180.53	64,611.65	- 1,099.00
Permanent Improvement Sinking	1,833.19	6,332.42	6,200.00	1,965.61
Road Bond Sinking Series 1952	10,275.69	40,639.71	49,670.80	1,244.60
Road Bond Sinking Series 1956	5,678.71	121,983.38	118,536.60	9,125.49
Road Bond Sinking Series 1957	1,145.74	59,490.79	58,869.20	1,767.33
Agricultural Building Sinking	6,294.99	25,583.20	29,105.00	2,773.19
Road Bond Series 1957	87,770.49	1,664.75	69,606.43	19,828.81
State Participation—General	.00	212,861.49	78,323.45	134,538.04
State Participation—Loop 289	.00	40,075.13	.00	40,075.13
Law Library	1,029.75	4,776.00	4,757.70	1,048.05
Lateral Road	4,163.85	67,299.13	42,211.18	29,251.70
Permanent School	147.99	540.80	540.80	147.99
Social Security	8,564.50	37,687.77	36,169.13	10,083.14
Total	297,626.56	2,840,813.24	2,724,370.19	414,059.41

Total Receipts and Disbursements Adjusted to reveal internal transactions on interfund transfers and amounts deposited and withdrawn from time deposits.

	Receipts	Disbursement
Total for year 1959	2,840,813.24	2,724,370.19
Deduct amounts received into the funds as internal transfers and time deposits	472,083.60	
Deduct amount disbursed from funds as interfund transfers and amounts placed on time deposits in the year 1959		710,528.70
Adjuster Totals (Actual Receipts & Disbursements for period)	2,368,729.64	2,013,841.49

Cash Assets		
Balance in Bank 12-5-59	414,069.61	
Time Deposits Balance 12-31-59	901,566.00	1,315,635.61

Encumbrances or Funds Earmarked for Expenditures in 1960, or Pledge for Security on Indebtedness or State and School Derived Funds		
Cash Allocated for Expenditure 1960 Budget	100,480.00	
Funds Allocated from Time Deposits for 1960	201,800.00	
Security for Indebtedness	727,554.08	
State & School Derived Funds	73,049.79	
Road Bond Funds (Pledged)	194,441.98	842,325.85
Excess of Cash Assets over Encumbrances		473,309.76

The foregoing summary financial report for Lubbock County for the year 1959 is true and correct as shown from the records of the County Auditor's office.

Dated this 8 day of February, 1960.

Royal Furgeson
County Auditor

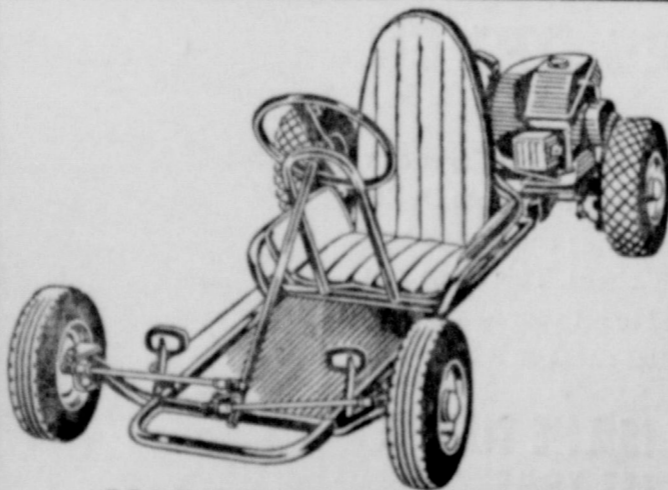
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Boy Scouts Mark 50th Anniversary

The nation marks the 50th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America starting with Boy Scout Week, February 7 to 13. The celebration is being observed with the help of a unidentified British Scout in 1909 who declined duty for his "Good Turn," a man who lost his way in a fog, learned about scouting from its founder, Sir Lord Baden-Powell, and incorporated the organization in Washington, D. C. on February 8, 1910.

From the modest beginning in 1910 the Boy Scouts of America has grown in 50 years to active enrollment today of more than five million boys and girls and an alumni of 23,000 others who have been mentored by the Scout Oath Law.

Some of the early leaders in scouting movement include: William D. Boyce, Chicago; Walter D. Boyce, Dan Beard; and Thompson Seton, Theodore Roosevelt, E. M. Robinson,

My Neighbors

1,965
1,244
9,125
1,767
2,773
19,828
134,538
40,073
1,048
29,251
147
10,083
414,059

Wake up, Dear—you're trying to wear your cereal hat!

Boy Scouts of America, was organized in January of 1925. The first president of the council was Mr. Sim O'Neal. Mr. H. B. Palmer was the first Scout Executive.

The first annual meeting of the council was held at O'Donnell, Texas in 1926 at which time officers were elected and a budget of \$11,200. was adopted.

The C. W. Post Memorial Scout Camp was opened at Post, Texas in 1926. The camp was a gift of the Post Estate.

The membership at the end of 1959 was boys and 98 adults in 17 Scout units.

The first Cub Scout Pack was organized in 1934 by the Lion's Club of Lubbock.

The Scouts and Scouters of the Council played an important part in the war years in various service projects.

In 1955 the Council was divided into six Districts: the Haynes District, serving Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hale, Floyd, Motley, and the town of Turkey in Hall County, George White District included Bailey, Lamb, Cochran, and Hackley Counties; Comanche Trail District included Crosby, Dickens, Garza and Kent Counties; Quannah Parker District included Yorkum, Terry, Lynn, Gaines, and Dowson Counties. In 1956 Lubbock was divided into two Districts . . . the Arrowhead District and the Longhorn District.

The membership at the end of 1959 was 7,834 boys and with 1953 Scouters in 294 Scout Packs, Troops, and Posts.

Camp Tres Ritos, a mountain camp in New Mexico was used for the first time in 1959. It was acquired from the National Forest Service.

At the present time, John Lott of Post is the South Plains Council President. Mr. A. W. Benner is the Scout Executive.

Past presidents of the council include: Sim O'Neal, M. S. Harvey, R. J. Murrey, T. A. White, W. G. McMillan, Dr. F. B. Malone, and Joe Salem.

Mortimer Schiff, and a host of others.

Churches, schools, civic clubs, and other institutions have served as sponsoring institutions for the Scout units.

Scouting has served America in many ways through war efforts, Jamborees, Safety Good Turns, Get out the Vote Campaigns, and with their motto of "Be Prepared."

The South Plains Council,

Slaton League Bowling Standings

Listed below are the standings in various Slaton bowling leagues, through last week. Reports were not available from the Industrial and Thursday Morning Leagues.

The Standings	
City League	
Posey Gin	49 1/2 10 1/2
Hackberry Gin	37 23
Melcher Trim Shop	34 1/2 25 1/2
Dents	33 27
Quality Cleaners	32 28
Caprock Auto Parts	31 29
Palace Barber Shop	30 1/2 29 1/2
Slaton Co-op Gin	30 30
Pleasant Valley Gin	26 34
Otis Rogers Ins.	26 34
Arrants Meats	19 41
Jack's Egg Farm	16 1/2 45 1/2
Bowling	
Bowling Grill	42 18
Jim-Dan-Dy Cleaners	33 2
Dental Assistants	37 1/2 27 1/2
Slaton Motor Co.	32 28
Citizens State Bank	31 29
Teague Drug	31 29
Sanders Grocery	30 1/2 29 1/2
Slaton Savings & Loan	27 33
Slatonites	26 34
Mosser TV	25 35
Hackberry Co-op Gin	26 34
Slaton Auxiliary Police	24 36
TOWN AND COUNTRY	
Axes	42 18
Forrest Lumberjacks	37 23
Jaycees	33 1/2 26 1/2
Kendrick Pontiac	33 27
Bounds Body Shop	32 1/2 27 1/2
Rinne Implement	30 30
Becker Humble Sta.	28 32
Chevron	28 32
Slaton Co-op	28 32
Brewer Insurance	24 36
Pigzly Wiggly	24 37
Cinderella	23 4
Guys and Gals	
Axes	12 4
Team No. 9	12 4
Headliners	12 4
Bland's Furniture	10 6
Team No. 11	10 6
Higinbothams	9 7
Slaton Hardware	7 9
Slaton Pharmacy	6 10

Smith Brothers	6	10	Brewer Insurance	14	26
Rickers Ref.	5	11	JUNIORS		
Self Service	5	11	No. 1	8	4
Slaton Theatre	3	13	No. 2	8	4
QUEENS PINS					
Kertan Studio	28	14 1/2	No. 5	5	7
Jake Ressig	25	14 1/2	No. 6	4	8
Jack Berkley Trucking	18	22	No. 3	4	4
Teague Drug	25 1/2	22 1/2	No. 8	3	1
Davis Olds	17	23	No. 4	0	8

Parking Situation In Front Of School Is Problem

People always wish they had done what they had been told after a tragedy has happened. Everybody has been told about the parking situation in front of the school.

We have all been warned about the parking a number of times. Students have been told to ask their parents to park only at the curb when waiting for someone in school. Only when something bad has happened do we realize that we should have done it.

The students should also be careful when they get out of school and not rush out of the building as if they would be left if they didn't hurry. We just hurry out without looking where we are going. Then jump in the car and speed out of the drive.

On the north side of the school parking should be on the south side only. Dragging on this street is very dangerous. Some think that the street on the north is for racing and spinning their tires to see who can make the longest black mark or see which car picks up speed the fastest. This group should not take their cars to school and if they want to race they should go where they cannot endanger lives.

Let us all be aware of the dangers of carelessness around our school. Be sure you do your part to make SHS safe for us all.

—Tiger's Cage



IN P-TA FARCE

The three gentlemen (?) above toop part this week in play put on before the West Ward P-TA. "Hamming it up" are, from left, Rush Wheeler as Pete, the lover boy Tommy Davis as Mable, the heroine; and "Hack" Lasar as Manuel, the villain.

STATE SENATOR . . .

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The senator professed that the state would, in the near future, start spending money it doesn't have, such as cities, counties and other governments do now through the sale of bonds or other means of borrowing money.

The senator's diagram showed that, of the total budget, 40.7 per cent goes to education in the state with 31.2 per cent to the public schools, 2.3 per cent to teacher retirement and 7.2 per cent to higher education.

Also, highways and roads take 28.8 per cent of the budget; welfare work eats up 18.3 per cent; hospitals, health, correctional institutions and law enforcement use 8.2 per cent; operational costs, executive, judicial and legislative, takes 1.7 per cent; and all other 2.3 per cent.

SLATON RESIDENTS . . .

(Continued from Page 1)
of Slaton.

Mrs. May died suddenly of heart attack about 7:30 a. Tuesday at her home here. She had been ill of influenza for week.

Born August 21, 1884, 1 mile southeast of Whiteburg, Mrs. May was the youngest of six children born to the late Thomas Joseph and Martha B. Bee Doss. She attended Whiteburg schools and Grayson College. She married R. H. May on Dec. 6, 1905. S. was a member of Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are her husband one daughter, Mrs. Bruce Peber of Slaton; one son, J. Thomas May of Dallas; several grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

DISTRIBUTION OF . . .

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culture Food Commodities Distribution for Lubbock County is setting up a sub-station in the City Judge's office in Slaton's City Hall.

Many persons receiving age assistance or aid to dependent children monthly checks are eligible for the food as well as some low-income chronically ill persons.

Applications, necessary as pre-requisite to being certified as eligible to receive the food may be made in the City-Council Welfare Office in the new Courthouse, Lubbock. The office is in the basement of the courthouse and is open from 8:30 to 12 and 1 to 5 each weekday and 8:30 to 12 on Saturday. Qualifications for receiving the aid are set out by the state and federal governments.

The purpose of the program is two-fold . . . to move excess farm products and to raise the living standards of low income groups.

Distribution through the Slaton substation will be on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. The next distribution here will be on Wednesday, February 24th. Eligible persons have been or will be notified each time.

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RITES ARE HELD. . .
Slaton Church of Christ, with the pastor, Harold Mobley, officiating. Mrs. Tucker died in her home here at 7:30 a.m. Monday following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Tucker had lived in Slaton since 1924.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. T. A. Thomas, Morton; five sons, Floyd Tucker, Needles, Calif. Ben, J. T. and W. E. Tucker Jr., all of Slaton; and Cecil Tucker Tucker, 1410 24th Pl., Lubbock; three brothers, Joe H. Cooper, Rockdale, and Lester and Turner Cooper, both of California; a sister, Mrs. E. J. Jung, California, and 15 grandchildren, two step-grandchildren.

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WOMEN RACE, TOO!

Go-Kart racing is fun for women, as well as men and children. Shown here about to start a race are, left row front to back, Jan White, Mrs. Leo Henzler and Mrs. Howard Henry. Right row, front to back, Mrs. Dave Sanders, Mrs. Johnny Chaffin and Dorothy Lewis.

Go-Kart Racing 'Arrives' in Slaton

By Vernon Stewart
Slatonite Staff Writer

They speed around a quarter-mile track at speeds up to 35 miles per hour. Don't get in one of them or you too will get "the fever."

This fever isn't bad. It has been sweeping the country and so far has brought only fun and thrills to people from six to 70.

Go-Kart racing is the nation's newest pastime. It got started in Slaton one month ago and already 15 families have joined The Slaton Kart Club. The club is chartered by the United Fun Club, a national Go-Kart organization.

"It's strictly a family fun club. No hot-rodders are tolerated but everyone else is welcome to join," says Leslie Lewis, club president. "We meet at 135 Texas Avenue at 7:30 on Wednesday nights. We don't charge dues and anyone interested in kart racing is invited

to attend." Races are conducted on Sunday afternoons on a 750 foot dirt track near Howard Gin in South Slaton. The track is a road type. This type track requires drivers to turn in different directions contrary to oval tracks that run in a circle and require only left turns.

An entrance fee of \$1 per race pays for trophies given to each winner and helps finance the club.

"When we get more members we hope to lower entrance fees," says Leo Henzler, Jr., a club member. "The national club requires us to give trophies to winners."

A crowd estimated at 200 watched the races last Sunday. No admission is charged but the hat is passed among spectators.

Racers are divided into adult and children classes. Conventional karts are powered by a two and one-half horsepower

two-cycle engine. Modified class participants may "soup up" their engines and develop as high as five horsepower.

The karts are long-low vehicles with an average clearance of two inches. Their average cost is \$200.

"It's impossible to turn over in a kart unless it hits something," Henzler says. "They will make a U turn at full speed without flipping."

"We hope to get a new track site soon," Lewis said. "We would like to have a track 1,000 to 1,250 feet long."

Lewis said he feels kart racing has become popular so quickly because of the opportunity for family fun it offers. Men, women and children can

participate. "Kart racing gives an excellent chance for father-son projects and every member of the family can participate in the sport," Lewis said.

Club officers in addition to Lewis are Dave Sanders, secretary and Mary Henzler, treasurer.

Slaton's kart races are patterned after conventional stock car races. Drivers draw for starting positions, then drive a lap or two before beginning the five or 10 lap race.

Once the race is started it has everything the big car races have except something club members feel they can do without—danger.



READY TO GO

This group of men is about to be "waved off" for a Go-Kart race. They are, left to right, Dave Sanders, Elmer Peavy, Don Bourn, Larry White and Gerald Heinrich. Races start each Sunday afternoon about 2 p. m. This

Sunday, in addition to the regular schedule of races, a "cops and bootleggers" race is planned, a "fat man" race will be held and a "granddad's race" is slated.

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FATHER AND SON

Dave Sanders and his son, Allen, six, both race on the Slaton Go-Kart Track. Allen is one of the youngest participants in the activity and is proof that most any age can master the contraption and have a lot of fun while doing it.



HEADIN' FOR THE STRETCH

Here are three of Slaton's younger go-kart racers, whizzing around a corner at probably 20 miles an hour. They are, from right to left, Dorothy Lewis, Charlie Henzler and Bart Pike. It's lots of fun for all ages.

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Proverbs	8	9-11
Monday	Job	8	10-11
Tuesday	Ephesians	4	14-15
Wednesday	1 Corinthians	3	9-11
Thursday	1 Thessalonians	3	9-10
Friday	Hebrews	10	35-37
Saturday	Matthew	25	45-46



You can almost hear their voices, and see their eyes sparkle. They have confidence because they have studied their lessons. Questions do not worry them—they know!

Will they be as confident when it comes to the more serious questions of adult life? Those who grow up in the Church and give God His rightful place are building on a firm foundation. In His House they "increase in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man." There is no substitute for the Christian precepts and ideals taught by your church.

But what about those who lack this training? Will life seem difficult to them because they lack the confidence which comes from a knowledge of God and His teachings?

Do your children have the advantage of this confidence?

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JUST TALK
BY A. M. J.

In case you did not read last week's thrilling installment of Just Talk, I must explain I am attempting to recall events of the recent past and comment upon some of the personalities who have been prominent in Slaton since 1936.

This valiant struggle, on my part, is being made because I scanned a twenty-fifth anniversary edition of the Slatonite published in June of that year. The names, the old time illustrations and the news content of the paper brought back many things of which I am still conscious but have allowed time to corrode.

While there are many people in Slaton who have been here longer and many more whose information on these subjects is more accurate than mine, they do not have the gall to "blabber," that I have. This is in no way an attempt to catalogue a faint history of Slaton or list all the important people who live, or have lived here; it is only my attempt to give my own valuations of some people and circumstances or repeat the facts as they have been related to me.

Last week I started out telling all I know about the men who served on the Slaton Chamber of Commerce in 1936. I did not come here until 1940 but I know something about all of them except one. The last one I mentioned was C. A. Porter and the next on my list is M. A. Pember, the father of Bruce and Royce Pember.

Bruce is operating the Real Estate and Insurance Agency established a long time ago by his father. M. A. Pember was one of the most energetic businessmen to ever come to Slaton. In the early days it is said that he got up before the milk man started his rounds and would, before breakfast, ride all over Slaton to see if any new houses, barns or chicken houses had been started. As soon as the business houses opened he would be on hand at the offices of any of those who had started construction with a solicitation for the insurance of the improvements. M. A. was a hard and enthusiastic worker for Slaton and the Methodist Church and a mighty fine citizen. Mrs. Pember, his widow, lives at 1025 West Garza St.

Next is E. N. Pickens, who was very active in Slaton business circles when the old burg was just a girl. At the time I came to Slaton he was manager of Piggly Wiggly when the store was on the corner of Lynn and North Eighth Street. After retiring as the local manager for Piggly Wiggly, Mr. Pickens came back to his old love of ranching. Until recently he has been active on a large ranch of his own. Though still very active, his health has slowed him down.

Next is Fagan Gann. He was the manager of the Rockwell Lumber Company that was in business on Texas Avenue just across the street from where the Slatonite is used to be. My memory of Mr. Gann is dim. The Rockwell Lumber Co. closed the lumber yard here and Mr. Gann moved and I understand he died several years after leaving Slaton. According to my valuation he had a most romantic name, one that would have been just right for a Dickens novel. Robert Lewis Stevenson or O. Henry could have taken it with, too. Mr. Gann was a courteous, fine gentleman.

The man who comes next as listed in the 1936 Slatonite is David Lemon, a man with whom I was never acquainted and

therefore cannot comment upon. Then Carl Evans. Carl operated the Evans Dry Cleaners on the west side of the square. He did a mighty fine lot of work too. Carl was a deliberate and careful businessman and his good judgment and calm ways did much to keep harmony in the Chamber of Commerce. He sold out and left Slaton some ten or twelve years ago and was in Fort Worth the last time I heard of him. Last, but not least, Dr. Roy Lovless, who is an eye, ear and throat specialist in Lubbock. A progressive, energetic and very active physician and businessman, Dr. Lovless gave unsparingly of his time and knowledge in helping to establish proper sanitation for Slaton, to help get Slaton established as a trade center of the South Plains and entered into most of the business and social activity of the town.

When we moved to Slaton in Sept., 1940, W. P. Florence was operating a dairy and delivering milk from house to house. Mr. Florence was probably one of the most energetic and most talented men to ever live in Slaton. He was the superintendent of the first school in Slaton. A fine, big-footed, up-standing man who took no foolishness from man, woman or child. He experimented in most every thing. Published a weekly paper here for a while and took active part in religious activity. He organized and led a singing club. They used to meet in the City Hall. When the class or club was under full sail under Mr. Florence's direction, the walls of the rugged old building bluged with sound. Full steam ahead was his motto until he died. Mr. Florence should long be remembered in Slaton.

There are some more folk and things about Slaton I am going to write about next week. Watch, wait and listen.

My wise cracking child's joke for the week is again from Paul Crume's column in the Dallas News:

Patti Tiffin, 3, was peddling imaginary food to her dad of some toy dishes the other day. "What would you like?" she asked, taking the order for the hundredth time.

"A little peace and quite," said her dad, R. E. Tiffin.

Patti shook her head stubbornly. "We don't have that."

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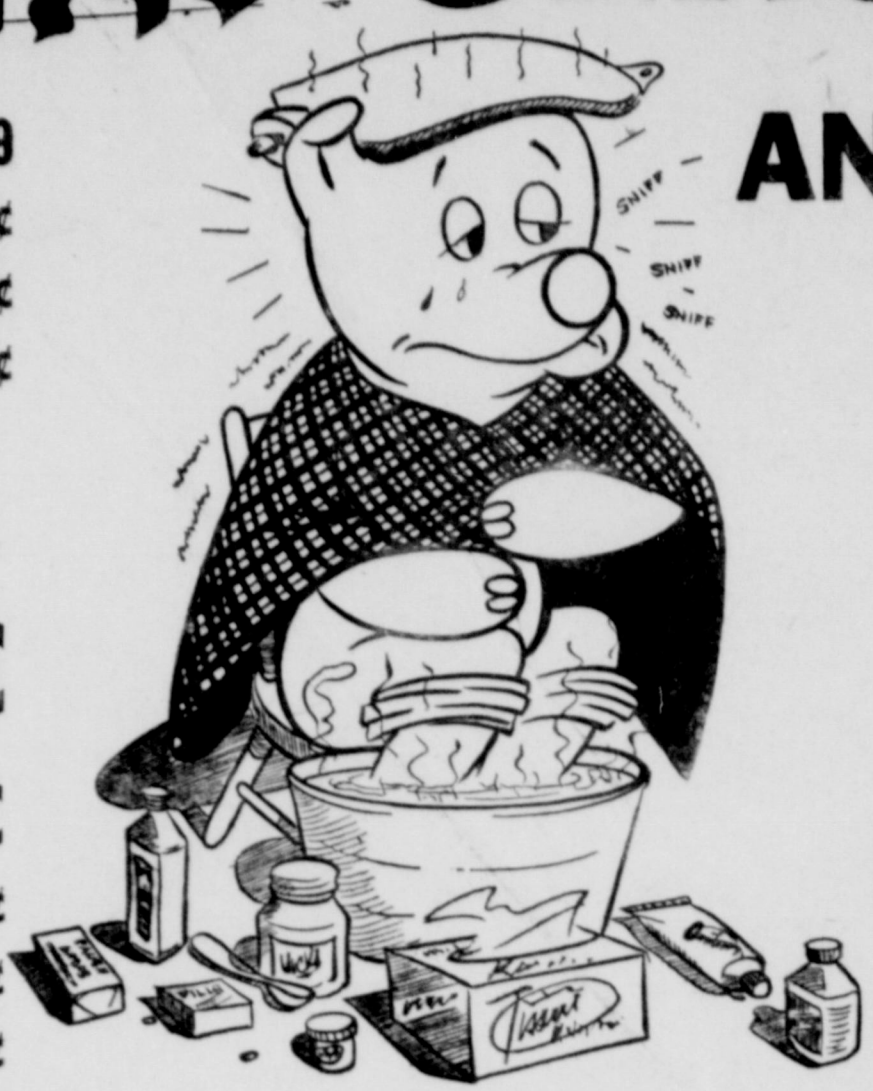
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- 100 COUNT **9c**
- 1 BOX

- LIPTON'S TEA **39c**
- 1/4 LB. BOX
- TEA BAGS **27c**
- 16 COUNT

- AYER, 50 Count Bottle **33c**
- SPIRIN
- PREMULSION 4 oz. Bottle **69c**
- COUGH SYRUP
- 8c Size **79c**
- WICKS FORMULA 44 MIXTURE
- 8c Size **59c**
- BUFFERIN
- 1 oz. **59c**
- ANG

TISSUE... 5c

- ORTHERN, ASSORTED COLORS, ROLL
- cks 50c Size **43c**
- OSE & THROAT DROPS
- cks 63c Size **53c**
- LD TABLETS
- istan, 1.19 Size **99c**
- OSE SPRAY

LISTERINE

- 7c SIZE **39c**
- ACH

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- ABLETS **49c**
- 3c SIZE

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- LARGE BOX **29c**

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE

- TEXSUN **25c**
- 46 OZ. CAN

TOMATO JUICE

- RENONN **15c**
- 29 OZ. CAN

LUNCH MEAT

- OSCAR MAYER **29c**
- 12 OZ. CAN

SLAB BACON

- SUGAR CURED **29c**
- LB.

SAUSAGE

- PINKNEY'S **29c**
- 2 LB. BAG PURE PORK

BISCUITS

- MEAD'S **3 1/2c**
- CAN

- Treasure Island, 10 oz. **49c**
- BREADED SHRIMP
- Pillsbury, Can **31c**
- CINNAMON ROLLS

- U. S. D. A. Choice Beef, Lb. **79c**
- LOIN STEAK
- U. S. D. A. Choice Beef, Lb. **23c**
- BEEF RIBS

- Del Monte, Pineapple Grapefruit, 29 oz. Can
- FRUIT DRINK
- Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee, 16 oz. Can
- SPAGHETTI & MEAT BALLS
- Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee, With Beeb, 16 oz. Can
- RAVIOLI
- Allen's Whole, No. 300 Can
- NEW POTATOES
- Macaroni, 7 oz. Box **2 For**
- SKINNER'S
- Armour's Star, 1/2 Can
- VIENNA SAUSAGE
- Hi-Ho, 16 oz. Box
- CRACKERS
- Ritz, White or Colored, 60 Count
- PAPER NAPKINS
- Hershey, 16 oz. Can
- CHOCOLATE SYRUP
- Carnation Instant, 10 oz.
- CHOCOLATE DRINK

TUNA

- NO. 1/2 CAN **25c**
- ROSEDALE, GOLDEN, WHOLE KERNEL

CORN

- NO. 303 CAN **2 FOR 25c**

ORANGE JUICE

- SEALD SWEET, FROZEN **12 1/2c**
- 6 OZ. CAN

- Ida Gold, 16 oz. Frozen Package
- POTATO NUGGETS
- Imperial, 8 oz. Frozen Package
- PIZZA PIE

STRAWBERRIES

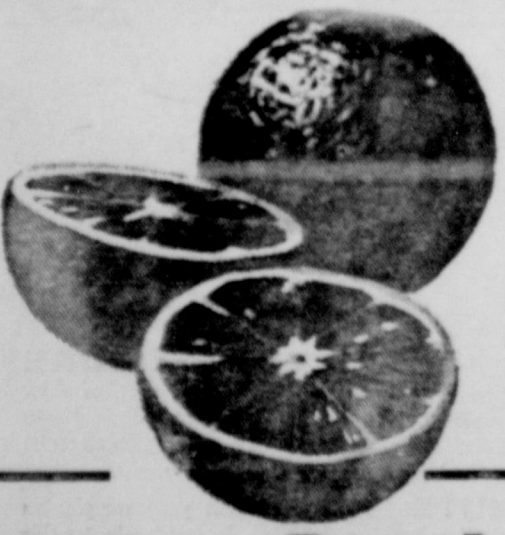
- COLD KING, 10 OZ. PKG. **15c**

TOMATOES

- CALIFORNIA EXTRA FANCY LB. **19c**

ORANGES

- TEXAS FULL-OF-JUICE 5 LB. BAG **39c**



- Fresh, Large Bunch GREEN ONIONS **3 For 25c**
- California, Large Size, Each
- AVOCADOS **5c**
- Yellow Sweet, Turnips, Lb. **10c**
- RUTABAGAS

CELERY

- CALIF. GREEN MED., STALK **10c**

- Camay Bath Size TOILET SOAP **2 For 29c**
- Giant Box CHEER **79c**
- Giant Box DREFT **81c**
- Giant Box DASH **79c**
- Spic & Span, Regular CLEANSER **29c**
- Large Box OXYDOL **34c**
- 12 oz. Can LIQUID JOY **39c**
- 22 oz. Can IVORY DETERGENT **69c**
- Economy Size COMET CLEANSER **2 For 49c**

- Orange Drink **35c**
- HYGEIA 1/2 GAL.
- PEACHES **25c**
- IN HEAVY SYRUP
- STEW **49c**
- MEAT BALL, CHEF-BOY-AR-DEE, 30 OZ.
- GRAPE JELLY **\$1.**
- KRAFT'S PURE 20 OZ. JAR, 3 FOR



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