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NEW LION OFFICERS 1960-61

Newly elected Lion's Club officers, who meet at Bruce's every Tuesday noon are pictured front row left to right: Melvin Tudor, Tail Twister, Hack Lasater, president; and Bill Smith, 2nd year Director; Back row J. D. Williams, 1st Vice-President; Ed Williams, 3rd Vice President; Jerry Holt, 2nd year Director; and Clark Self, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer. Not pictured is Dr. John C. Locke, 2nd Vice President.

Important Decisions Made At Commission Meeting June 27

CoC Backs Swim Team With Cash

The Slaton Chamber of Commerce, focusing its attention on the local swimming pool principally during the last week of 10 days, has taken steps to insure a swim team for Slaton, for the remainder of this year anyway.

The team, which has done well since its formation here several years ago, had become pretty much of a burden, expense-wise, on the pool's manager and swim team coach, Truett Fulcher.

In a called meeting Monday, the CoC authorized necessary expenses, for this year only, to maintain the swim team for the remainder of its scheduled meets, at a cost not to exceed \$400 plus not over \$180 for a meet to be staged here.

It was reported during talks on the pool and swim team that

Sanitary Sewer Extended City Buys Chevrolet

A regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas was held in the City Hall at 8:00 p.m. on the 27th of June, 1960.

Those present were Mayor Clark Self, Commissioners L. O. Lemon, H. G. Stokes, B. A. Hanna, L. L. Dixon, and Secretary J. J. Maxey. Minutes of the regular meeting held June 13th and called meeting held June 20 were read and approved as read.

Mrs. Carl Kahlich appeared before the Commission and requested extension of the sanitary sewer to her property. Water Superintendent George Willis advised that Irvin Heinrich who lives adjacent to Mrs. Kahlich's property had also requested service by the sanitary sewer. Mr. Willis also reported that the cost would be \$465.00 to cross Division Street and run to the South West corner of Mrs. Kahlich's property and that \$340.00 of this amount would be necessary to be spent in order to serve the Rhodes and Russell Addition just West of property in question. On motion by Mr. Lemon and second by Mr. Stokes, the Commission voted unanimously to extend the sanitary sewer to the South West corner of Mrs. Kahlich's property.

Mr. Willis also reported that he had tested the J. W. Shafer well for a period of 24 hours pumping at the rate of 145 G. P. M. and that draw down was 20' in that period of time. Mr. Shafer had previously offered his ten acre site together with well and home for \$17,000.00. This proposition was again discussed at length and agreed that it would be a good buy for the City. It was reported that there would be room for two more well sites on this property. After discussing all angles of this proposition the Commission voted unanimously on motion by Mr. Hanna and second by Mr. Lemon to buy this property at the stated price of \$17,000.00 with following reservations by Mr. Shafer to keep pump and motor presently on well, to keep all of present crop, to be allowed to move barn from property and to be allowed to water present cotton crop one time from well

Bowling Grill Wins First Place In Winter League

Winding up with 1st place team of the Slaton Bowlettes League was the Bowling Grill; 2nd place, the Dental Assistants; 3rd place, Jim Dandy; 4th place, Slaton Motor. The 1st high team series was won by the Dental Assistants; 2nd, Bowling Grill; and 3rd, Sanders Grocery, Slaton Motor and Citizens State Bank tied for a 1st in the high team game. Sanders Grocery was 2nd, and the Dental Assistants were 3rd. Rosemary Hatchett won the honors of high individual series; Pat Kenney, 2nd; and Rhewetta Cooper, 3rd. The 1st high individual game was won by Bobbie Johnson; Marcy Felty was 2nd and Pat Kenney was 3rd. Rosemary Hatchett won the honors of high average; 2nd, Pat Kenney; 3rd, Alyce Mosser; 4th, Rhewetta Cooper; and 5th, Marcy Felty. Claudine Stevens was given the Most Achievement trophy.

Those trophies were recently presented at the banquet held June 21 in Bruce's Cafe.

Other activity included a report that the organization had been paid its city tax money, 13.33 per cent of all taxes collected, and a report that Slaton's proposed radio station has met with further setback in Washington in the form of an appeal against authorization to begin broadcasting here.

The Slaton team were to play Plainview last night here. They will play Lubbock Auto at Lubbock Friday.

American Legion Team Edges By Lubbock Nine

In a practice game Sunday the Slaton American Legion

Slaton Soap Box Derby Entrants Honored With Medals And Trophies

David Cross, Danny Lain, Kyle Page and Pat Wheeler, Slaton's four entrants in the 13th annual Lubbock Soap Box Derby held Monday night, were awarded medals and trophies yesterday for their accomplishments in the race. Cross reached the fourth round of heats in the Class A group. Page reached the second, Wheeler the third,

and Lain the fifth round of heats in the Class B group. The awards were made at a dinner for the 140 contestants of the race which is sponsored by The Avalanche - Journal, Modern Chevrolet and the Exchange Club of Lubbock.

The race which is for boys from 11 to 15, was won by Roger Sage, 15, an Idalou High School sophomore.

David Cross, 15, is the son of Marinell de Vries; Danny Lain, 12, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lain; Kyle Page, 11, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Page; and Pat Wheeler, 11, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rush Wheeler.

Slaton Teacher Taking Part In Institute

BROWNWOOD William Aaron Carnes of Slaton is one of 30 high school teachers attending the third annual summer institute for high school science and mathematics teachers May 31-July 8 at Howard Payne College here.

Carnes, who lives at 750 South Ninth in Slaton, teaches in Slaton High School.

The science and mathematics institute is financed by a grant of \$48,400 from the National Science Institute, one of three grants to the Howard Payne Division of Science this year from the National Science Institute.

Director for the six-week institute at Howard Payne is Dr. Leonard Daniel, chairman of the college's Division of Science and head of the Department of Chemistry. Other members of his staff assisting are Dale Maness, head of the Department of Mathematics; Dr. Fred Inman, head of the Department of Physics, and Dr. Chris Jordan, head

Former Resident Dies In Artesia

James Cook Jones, 86, a former Lubbock County farmer died about 4:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 22 after an illness of several months. Funeral services were held at 4:00 p.m. Friday in the First Methodist Church at Artesia. Burial was in the Artesia Cemetery.

Jones had lived in Lubbock County from 1923 to 1934. He farmed near Slaton. He was retired.

Survivors include his wife and five sons, Carl and Meredith, both of Artesia; Stanley, Carlsbad; Curtis, Farwell; Ernest, Lubbock; and three daughters, Mrs. W. H. Bartlett, Slaton; Mrs. Ina Rhoten, Plainview; and Mrs. Don Jensen, Artesia; 25 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren, and 4 great



SLATON TO HAVE A SAFE AND SANE 4TH

Although there will be no official celebration of Independence Day in Slaton most all of the business institutions of the town will be closed all day next Monday, July 4th.

Preparations have been made to accommodate a capacity crowd at the City Park and the County has put on extra force to care for the expected heavy traffic.

"Drive carefully if you expect to be here in July 1961," is the advice of the traffic department and "better shop this week" is the suggestion of the merchants of the town who have prepared many extra values for your consideration. The Slatonite will join most of the other business institutions in closing all day July 4th. Read this

Editor-Publisher Attends Press Day At Fort Hood

Joel Combs, editor and publisher of the paper, attended the annual Press Day event at North Fort Hood Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

National Guardsmen from this area helped to make up some 9,000 citizen soldiers of the 36th Inf. Div. training.

Coming Events

- Thursday, June 30-- Rotary, Club House, noon
- Friday, July 1-- Senior Citizen, Club House, 10:00 a.m.
- Saturday, July 2-- Visit shut in friends
- Sunday, July 3-- Attend the church of your choice
- Catholic Daughters, 2:00 p.m.
- Monday, July 4-- City Commission, City Hall, 7:00 p.m.
- Centurettes, 7:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, July 5-- Jaycees, Bruce's, 8:00 p.m.

without cost other than operation. The Commission agreed that the property should be paid for from bond money voted in 1959 for water and sewer improvements.

Eugene L. Martin, Chief of Police, appeared before the Commission with bids on a police patrol car as follows:

Slaton Motor Company, 6 Cyl. Std. Transmission net \$1,216.00, 6 Cyl. Fordomatic net \$1,467.00, 8 Cyl. Std. Transmission net \$1,316.00, 8 Cyl. Fordomatic net \$1,486.00; Crow Chevrolet Company, 6 Cyl. Std. Transmission net \$952.00, 6 Cyl. Automatic Transmission net \$1,052.00, 8 Cyl. Automatic Transmission net \$1,202.00.

All bids considering trade in of 1959 Ford and 1956 Chevrolet. After discussing these bids the Commission voted unanimously on motion by Mr. Stokes and second by Mr. Lemon to award contract to Crow Chevrolet Company at \$1,202.00 plus \$32.50 additional for larger heater.

Bill Abel, representing West Texas Equipment Company appeared and offered the following trade on maintainers: 1958 Model A. C. net difference \$5,500.00 no guarantee, 1954 Caterpillar net difference \$9,000.00 600 hr. guarantee; Patton and McDonald of Patton Equipment Company offered the following 1952 Gallon, 75 H.P. with new tires net difference \$4,000.00 90 day guarantee, Adams, 100 H.P. net difference \$3,000.00, Tom Curry of Western Machinery Company offered the following: Allis-Chalmers A.D. 4, 117 H.P., 1953 model net difference \$3,750.00 6 months guarantee (unconditional).

All of above bids considering trade in of our Model D.A.C. grader.

The Commission discussed all of the above bids but took no action. Mayor Self presented recommended ordinance from State Highway Department setting speed limits on highways through town. On motion by Mr. Lemon and second by Mr. Hanna the Commission voted unanimously to pass this ordinance as recommended by the Highway Department. This ordinance will bear number 181 in the ordinance book.

Ordinance number 182 regulating speed on West Panhandle and North 20th Streets was read and passed on first reading on motion by Mr. Stokes and second by Mr. Hanna, all Commissioners and Mayor vote Aye on this motion.

Mr. Stokes made a statement that it would be better for the City to take all of their late model vehicles to the dealer for that particular make of vehicle for repairs. It was pointed out that mechanics that work for dealers have to go to school and keep up with all model changes, etc. and are more capable of doing good work than others.

All of the Commission concurred in that statement and so advised the department heads.

The Secretary reported that he had a call from an individual regarding a Beauty Shop being placed in a Residential, single dwelling area. The Commission authorized the Mayor to have the Chief of Police investigate and take necessary steps to enforce the zoning ordinances.

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EDITORIALS

SLATON'S FUTURE

The new 1960 census shows that Slaton has stepped from a small town to a small city and now is a good time to stop and analyze our community and decide, if we can, how we compare to towns in the same category of population and consider how well prepared Slaton is when it comes to facing the future.

In the first place, let us consider some of the things that some town nearby the same in size, and some much smaller, have that we do not. One of the first to come to mind is that Slaton does not have a Country Club or Golf course, nor is there a lake for fishing or boating that could be considered as part of Slaton.

It is the duty of —any progressive community to provide places where healthy amusements can be enjoyed by the citizens of the community, both young and old. Slaton is sadly lacking in any efforts to provide anything of this kind.

Something else Slaton lacks is an airport. While it would be stargazing to even hope for any commercial airlines to stop at Slaton, it seems that some provision could be made for private planes to make stopovers in our town.

To accomplish any of these would of course require a great deal more co-operation among the business men and those interested in seeing the town grow than has been shown here for years.

On the other hand, Slaton has some advantages that few other towns can boast. It is located in the richest irrigation area in the nation and is one of the best cotton towns in Texas. The headquarters for the longest division on the Santa Fe Railroad is still one of the greatest advantages Slaton has other communities and the fact that the congestion in Lubbock is getting more complicated every day is making Slaton a bigger and better trading center than it has ever been. This could be greatly improved if the merchants of the town would take a much more aggressive part in the growth of the town.

If working hours are to be shortened and the leisure time of more people increased, as seems likely, every community will have to provide all kinds of amusements for its citizens or see them leave the towns deserted on week ends and during holidays.

Slaton needs more and better amusement facilities, but unless some drastic action is taken such improvements are not likely. We may still be a sleepy country town regardless of how many more people are here than were in 1950. A.M.J.

A GOOD MOVE FOR SLATON

It is good to know that some efforts are being made to control the growth of weeds and tall grass in vacant property in Slaton. It is admittedly a tough problem and some of the public property in the town is in as bad a shape as any of the private lots owned by local residents or by people whose residence is elsewhere.

While it might prove hard to pin the blame of sleeping sickness and other diseases on mosquitoes, it is certainly a good move to keep the town neat and as free of weeds and trash as possible. While it should not be necessary to have to pass laws to make people keep property in good shape, it seems the only way to make it a fair and square deal. Slaton is an unusually clean and neat town and it is not proper that a few careless people can mar the appearance of our town by neglecting to keep weeds and grass cut at this time of the year. A.M.J.

• FORTUNE knocks at every man's door once in a life, but in a good many cases the man is in a neighboring saloon and does not hear her.

—Mark Twain

• MEN occasionally stumble over the truth, but most of them pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing

SPEAKING TO YOU?

"C'MON, MAC — THIS WEEK END HELP ME ROLL UP A REAL RECORD!"



The Right to Life

One hundred and 84 years ago members of the Continental Congress met in Philadelphia and affixed their signatures to a document declaring it to be self evident that all men are endowed with certain unalienable rights.

On July 4th this year, millions of Americans will leave their homes to celebrate that event and to exercise one of those rights—the pursuit of Happiness. In the pursuit of Happiness Americans will lose the vastly more precious right of Life. Thousands more will be deprived of Liberty through crippling injuries that will confine them permanently.

Since 1776, eight wars have been fought to preserve for you therights proclaimed in the Declaration of Independence. On this 184th anniversary, do your part to preserve them for others. Drive carefully. Swim carefully. Play carefully. Make certain that you are not the cause of any other American losing his life, his liberty, or his ability to pursue happiness on a holiday weekend.

The Sounding Board

THE LAUNCHING PAD

By NEAL ESTES
In The Stanton Reporter

BYRON said: Be thou the rainbow to the storms of life—the evening beam that smiles the clouds away and tints tomorrow with prophetic ray!"

Perhaps the purpose in life for some of us is to use our position and heritage to help lift the load of another so that we can awaken to the reality of the philosophy that one never learns to seek, possess and contain happiness, until he has become aware of the rights and feelings of others.

BOB WEDDLE writes a column titled "Wool Gathering" for his MENARD NEWS and in that column last week he had this comment:

NEAL ESTES, editor of THE STANTON REPORTER, had his dander up last week over the way the public treats his newspaper as a free service institution rather than a business firm.

All publishers have that to contend with, and all of us, publicly or privately, get our dander up about it one time or another. Here's what ESTES has to say about it:

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I'd give a silver dollar to know how ESTES is going to enforce this edit 100 per cent, but I wish him success at it. Somehow people don't seem to realize that a newspaper has to make a profit before it can render any service at all.

A club woman, for example, wrote from a neighboring town not too long ago asking a quotation from us for printing her club's yearbook.

Compassion for the publisher of the newspaper in that town overcame our desire for the job. The club got the quotation it asked for. But along with it went this note:

"If your local newspaper publishes the news of your club meetings, I think you are obligated to give it this business."

We heard nothing further from the club, so I assume their local publisher got the job. I hope so. He deserves it.

BOB WEDDLE is a fine newspaperman and a dedicated fellow and we are happy to help his good wishes in our determination to win this fight against the folks who are always peppering the paper with free handouts while spending their money elsewhere. Being a sentimental sort of guy, I sure would hate to blackout a funeral article that would ordinarily be page one material, but it might happen. A few minutes ago a circular was placed on our desk that was not printed in our job shop. As the author of the motto: "Ceaseless industry, fearless investigation and unfettered thought" still used on the college publication we edited many years ago, we had this thought. How about these circular authors having their survivors order five or six hundred dodgers on assorted paper with a heavy black border in case of their demise. That would at least be unique—fancy, colored circulars carrying an obit. Your writer knows a good trombone player who might get a five piece brass section together for the last rites too.

Young BILL DAVIS, son of MR. and MRS. JOHN DAVIS, and nephew of GEORGE and JEFF DAVIS, was passing out cigars this week because of a new arrival at the family farm on the Big Spring highway —BILL now owns a pretty colt he calls COCOA, because the animal is that color. The colt was a Father's Day present to BILL from his prize horse, SUZIE. Young DAVIS assumed a Father's Day role and decided to do like the big folks do when

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(Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of articles which will be published from time to time in The Slatonite about the great state of Texas, its history, its beauties, its recreation areas, its many attractions for those who would like to see more and know more about this magnificent Southwestern empire.)

More and more people are enjoying the fine sport and the great fun of fishing in Texas... and savoring their delicious catches at their dinner tables.

Texas' gulf coasts a fabulous "dream come true" for anglers. Many return home with ice chests full of such tasty salt water fish as speckled trout, red snapper flounder, and many, many others.

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Everyone, young and old, has read about "Old Rip." He has traveled as a dignitary all over the USA and even visited Pres. Calvin Collidge in the White House. (Which, incidentally, is pretty good for a little old "Horny Toad.")

What made Old Rip famous? This little horned frog slept for 31 years in a dehydrated state in a little tin box in the cornerstone of the courthouse in Eastland, Texas. You can see him today in his plush casket at the Eastland Courthouse and read his fabulous story again.

In the days of the old west, you were a big man if you were caught on the draw with your Colt single-six. Men died with their boots on and were buried the same way at the famous Boothill Cemetery in Tascosa, Texas.

To relive the old west, visit Tascosa, some 25 miles northwest of Amarillo and present site of Cal Farey's Boys Ranch.

An old railroad touring car belonging to Jay Gould, the railroad magnate, now stands as a museum in Jefferson, Texas, in the northeast corner of the state.

When the town council refused him a right-of-way for his railroad through the city in the mid-1900's, Gould noted in the hotel register, "This is the end of Jefferson."

But Jefferson still stands, and so does the railroad car!

Northeast of Crowell, Texas, at the cradle of the Panhandle, is the Posee River Battlefield. It is best known as the spot where a band of Texas Rangers recaptured Cynthia Ann Park twenty five years after she was kidnapped by the Comanche Indians in 1836.

Holand Coffee's Trading Post was established in 1837 to barter with the Indians. One of the frequent items the Indians brought in to trade was a white man captive.

The site of this early-day trading post is just 12 miles northwest of Denison, Texas, near the Red River and the Texas-Oklahoma border.

A huge, sprawling oak tree stands proudly in the middle of a street in Columbus, Texas, west of Houston. It was beneath this tree that Judge Robert M. Williamson (Three-Legged Willie) held court in the Third Judicial District of the Republic of Texas, in 1837.

It is related that on one occasion an irate lawyer, who was commanded by Judge Willie to "produce the law," imbedded his dagger in the Judge's table saying, "Here's the law!"

Judge Willie is reported to have laid his pistol calmly on the table with this retort: "Here's the Constitution which overrules the law."

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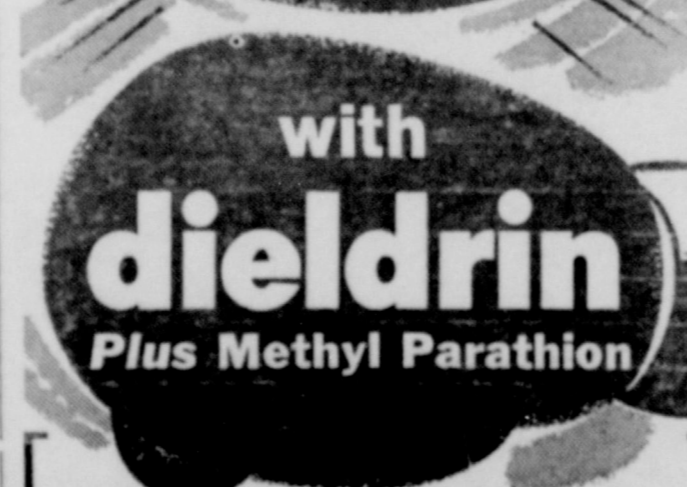
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Wilson Events . . .

Mrs. Claud Coleman was hostess Tuesday afternoon, June 21 for the monthly WSCS social, Mrs. Clarence Church presided over the business meeting and Mrs. John Lamb led in prayer. Sunshine sisters were revealed and new names were drawn for the next three months.

After the social the group surprised Mrs. Tom Bandy with a baby shower. Mrs. Charles Barry gave a reading on "How

To Bring Up Children." After-spent the week with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fortner and children of Lubbock visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lamb Wednesday of last week. Other visitors were their daughter, Mrs. O. W. Ray and Neida of Slaton and Mr. Robert Lamb, Doris and Carol of Wilson.

Mrs. Olen Crews was honored with a coffee at the home of Mrs. Chester Swope, June 22. Harry, Jud, and Pete Hawlett spent Wednesday night in San Angelo, where they met their brother, "Spunky" who was there on business.

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Mrs. Lee Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King Sunday.

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Jimmy Blankenship of Tech spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clary and Carolyn, and Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs spent the week end fish-

ing at Lake Stamford.

The Wesley Fellowship Class of the Methodist Church met after church, June 26 at McKenzie Park for a picnic lunch. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings and Kathy, Jeanie Sue Hewlett, Charlotte Mears and Gail Aledson went to Lubbock Thursday, June 23rd to celebrate Kathy's 13th birthday.

St. John Luther League of Wilson attended a tri-league social at Lubbock, hosted by the Posey Church Sunday night. They swam at Klapp pool, then played volleyball and roasted weiners and marshmallows at McKenzie Park.

About 25 attended the First Aid Class taught by Mrs. Roy Noble, last Thursday. The lesson was on artificial respiration.

Attending Junior camp at Cota Canyon this week are Rev. Tom Bandy as counselor, Phillip Bandy, Mike Coleman, Mike Ward, Gini Kay Gatzki and Diane Riney.

Mrs. Tom Bandy and twin sons, Bruce and Brad, are visiting this week with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Phil Gates in Floydada.

Miss Gladys Kirtley and Mrs. Wila Wakeand are visiting their mothers in Cleburnes and Hillsboro. From there they will go to Austin to visit Miss Kirtley's brother and Mrs. Wakeland's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kirtley.

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PVT. D. S. VERKAMP completes course (AHTNC)—Army Pvt. Daniel S. Verkamp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester H. Verkamp, Route 1, Wilson, Tex., recently completed the lineman's course at The Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

During the eight-week course Verkamp was trained to install and maintain aerial communication wires and cables.

The 21-year-old soldier entered the Army last January and received basic training at Fort Ord, Calif. A 1957 graduate of Wilson High School, Verkamp attended Texas Technological College. He was employed by the Santa Fe Railroad, Slaton, before entering the Army.



Reading a part of Exodus 8:9-10 we note that Moses said unto Pharaoh, "When shall I interest for thee? And he said, Tomorrow"

I suppose that each of us many times put off doing something until tomorrow. Many times this is a mistake. Just how sure can we be of tomorrow? As a matter of fact, how sure can we be of anything?

"Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away." James 4:14. Life here is short at its best. Life here is uncertain. But what about life hereafter? That is sure, Jesus said in John 3:36 "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life." Again, "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me: And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand." John 10:27-28.

How sure is health? We need only to look around and see that health is not sure. How sure is wealth? That as well is sometimes lost.

This is the message that we are trying to convey, only the things of God are sure. These things are sure. Life: Not on earth but with Him for the redeemed. Death: But for His own the sting has been removed. His love: That has been proven all the way from Eden. His Word: All other things may fall but God and His Word shall never fail.

GRAFENWOHR, GERMANY (AHTNC) — Army Specialist Four William A. Becker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Becker, Route 2, Slaton, Tex., participated with other personnel from the 4th Armored Division in a field training exercise in Grafenwohr, Germany, which was concluded June 22.

The exercise, conducted under realistic combat conditions was designed to evaluate the combat effectiveness of the unit, a major element of the NATO shield of defense in Europe.

Specialist Becker, a mechanic in Service Battery of the division's 14th Artillery in Fourth entered the Army in November 1958 and completed basic combat training at Fort Hood, Tex.

The 24-year-old soldier is a 1955 graduate of Southland High School. He attended Texas Technological College.

SLATON TEACHER . . .
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of — the Department of Biology. Visiting staff members include Dr. D. R. Celandor of the University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston; Dr. Harrison M. Tietz, Pennsylvania State College; R. P. Bambah, University of Punjab, Chandigarh, India; Dr. Herbert A. McCullough, Howard College, Birmingham, Ala.; Dr. Floyd Byrd, University of Corpus Christi, Texas; Dr. Eldred Harrington, director of secondary education for Albuquerque, N. M., public schools; Dr. C. A. Vanderwerf, University of Kansas, and Dr. Paul C. Sharrah, University of Arkansas. Dr. W. T. Guy, University of Texas.

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— (1 Corinthians 13:2)

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 May God richly bless each and everyone of you.
 The family of
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 We wish to express our most sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindnesses shown during the illness and death of our husband, father, and grandfather. Thank you for the beautiful flowers and for the wonderful food brought to our home. We also wish to thank the friends who have sent comforting cards.
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Slaton Musicians Taking Part In Summer Band School At Tech
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 Each is getting intensive daily instruction from outstanding area bandmen who are specialists in individual musical instruments, said Keith McCarty, director of the annual Tech event.
 Bill Townsend of Slaton is one of the area band and music teachers who are giving special instruction at the Tech band school.
 Highlighting the days of practicing will be a three-band concert July 1 at 7:30 p.m. on the Ad Building green on campus.
 Dean Killion, director of Tech bands, will direct the Symphonic Band through the school and at the concert. A native of Nebraska, the enthusiastic bandman is serving as a special resource person to the school in addition to teaching two courses in band in Tech's regular summer school.
 "I want to get acquainted with high schoolers in this area who are really interested in band music," says Killion, "and it's a privilege to work with enthusiastic students such as these."
 Killion regards the idea of bands as more than entertainment at athletic events in high schools.
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27 Traffic Deaths Are Expected During Fourth Of July Week End

An alert went out to Texas motorists today as the Texas Department of Public Safety predicted 27 motorist deaths will occur on streets and highways of this state during the three-day Fourth of July weekend.

The period covered by the prediction, during which time the Texas DPS will conduct its Operation Deathwatch, extends from 12:01 a.m. Saturday, July 2 through 11:59 p.m. Monday, July 4. The DPS Statistical section keeps the official state records of the holiday death count on the calendar day basis, in contrast to wire service counts using fractional parts of days, and different holiday periods.

The DPS prediction released by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director, emphasized that 4,000 cars will be damaged requiring garage repairs...some a total loss...during the three-day period. The report said that 1500 persons will receive bodily injury with some persons being crippled for life.

"These are some of the factors on the grim side of the holiday," Garrison said, "but it is necessary to relate them in order to explain the seriousness of the holiday traffic situation to Texas motorists."

"The Fourth of July is a holiday in which Texans go outdoors and do lots of driving, wishing everyone a good time during the July Fourth weekend. At the same time I would like to advise them to be careful."

"Let someone else drive if you drink, watch your food, and keep it refrigerated, and don't mar your holiday with personal injury, death, or damage to your automobile. We will have available patrolmen to help you on the highways to help you every day. You can make your holiday safer by planning safety into your holiday activities."

Make Jelly The Easy Way!

The modern trend to ready-prepared foods, from complete "TV dinners" to individual items like brown 'n' serve rolls and "instant" products, has greatly subtracted from the amount of time and work a housewife must spend in the kitchen.

But it has not diminished her spark of creativity and joy in preparing foods that bear her personal touch. One of these is home-made jelly, which many families firmly believe can never be surpassed by the manufactured product.

So in spite of the multiplicity of jelly brands on the market, legions of housewives follow the tradition of their grandmothers in making delectable jams and jellies in their own kitchens.

With this big difference: time was when making jellies at home meant hours of tedious toil, and a big percentage of failures, because the jellies often just would not jell. Now the most inexperienced bride can make tasty jellies in as little as 15 minutes, with success assured every time. The secret: powdered pectin jelling agents for use with any fresh fruit or canned or frozen fruit juice.

According to Paul Egerstrom, general sales manager for the company that makes Pen-Jel powdered apple pectin, making jellies and jams this way is the essence of simplicity. You just add Pen-Jel to a kettle of fruit and sugar, boil two minutes, and the job is done. The short boiling time prevents flavors and juices from cooking away.

There are other advantages to the use of powdered pectin, too. Because of the short boiling time, perfect whole-fruit jams are now possible. By old fashioned methods, fruits or berries cooked up into a sort of puree that didn't have the eye-appeal of whole-fruit jam. Whole strawberry jam is a good example.

A man had a fish tank made of glass, with a glass partition in the middle. On one side of the partition he put a live bass. On the other side he put a lot of brightly-colored minnows. At first the bass would try to catch the minnows, and bump his head every time.

Soon he became discouraged and quit trying to catch the minnows. Then the man, who was a philosopher, took the glass partition out of the tank. And the minnows swam around in entire safety. The bass never attacked them. He had become sold on the idea that business was bad, and there was nothing he could do about it.

Some of Texas' potential statesmen of the 1970's will gain early experience in practical politics when 565 senior high school boys come to Austin for a five-day Boys State meeting ending June 11. Group is divided into political "parties" and elects state officials from the governor down. American Legion sponsors the "laboratory in citizenship" for outstanding teenagers.

Jellymaking used to be seasonal, when fresh fruits were available. Now you can make jellies the year around. If the fresh fruit isn't available, any fruit juice frozen or canned, can be transformed into perfect firm, scintillating jellies. Grape juice, for example, or any of the berry juices. Another delicacy is jelly made from favorite sweet wine.

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Matthew	18	1-5
Monday	Psalms	141	1-3
Tuesday	I Peter	5	5-7
Wednesday	I Corinthians	3	9-11
Thursday	Psalms	119	54-56
Friday	Psalms	61	1-4
Saturday	Matthew	6	9-13

A child's faith is beautiful in its simplicity and in the little things it encompasses. Like, for instance, the nightly ritual that comes at the end of prayer. "God bless Mommy and Daddy and Cousin Peter and Kitty Kat and my blue teddy bear."

To a child, there is no reason why God should not bless also a crumpled and slightly soiled teddy bear, and a pet kitty. For God is goodness and love and kindness and tolerance . . . not perhaps in those words, but in the feeling this child has as she says her prayers.

Prayer, to the child who has been taught to pray, is a natural thing. It should be as much a part of everyday life as eating and sleeping and playing. To pray for what is good . . . to give thanks for what one has is an all-important step in that all-important right direction on the road of life.

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ordered dinner. All he was served was a large boiled cat fish along with a half-filled jar of mustard.

"Is this all you serve for dinner?" he asked the proprietor. Upon being informed that such was the case he told the proprietor that he did not like cat fish.

"Well then," was the suggestion, "help yourself to mustard."

Just Talk

It would seem that most old timers in West Texas who used to be at home on horseback than in a house would not be amused by television shows depicting the life of the fast-vanishing cowboy, but it is not so, says Lee Wooten, former Mayor of Slaton.

Lee came to West Texas from Lampasas riding a horse all the way to Gordon County when he was only sixteen years of age. He still remembers the old cattle trails that ran zig-zagging across this country. Watching the TV Westerns with great interest, he gets as much pleasure laughing at the antics of the TV cowboys as he does out of Jack Benny. Lee considers the Horse Operas as the funniest comedies that are shown on any of the programs.

Lee roars with laughter when he sees a TV cowboy mount a horse on the wrong side or use the wrong foot to mount. He watches the, short-legged Herefords in the cattle rustling scenes and compares them to the long-legged, long horned beasts of yesteryears and boos the scenes showing Herefords being taken on long drives.

He advises the riders and shoots his imaginary gun as the TV boys cavort across the screen but says life was never like this in Borden County.

Just Talk

It won't be long before the Slaton housewife will not be able to cook food like mother used to cook even if she has the ability to do so, for she will not be able to get the stuff to make it with.

The idea that any of them know how is most unlikely, but just for argument's sake, I'll assume there are two or three such women in the world. Where would she find old fashioned lye hominy, pickled pig's feet, black walnut kernels, hickory nut kernels, fresh black berries in season, salt mackerel in a barrel and a lot of other things? Yes, I know, there are frozen foods and foods in cans that claim to be just as good or better but they don't satisfy me even though they may be made of better materials and be cleaner because of more sanitary preparation. "I want my mamma."

Just Talk

Having reached a ripe old age, and what perhaps some

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people might consider an over-ripe old age. I am beginning to re-hear some middle-aged and even 30 year-old jokes over radio, television and from some of the younger people I, on rare occasions rub elbows with. And I feel that it is high time for me to rattle some anecdotes so ancient—that only Herbert Hoover, Jack Benny and I might recognize.

One sticks in my befuddled mind that I kept in a scrap book when I was young and foolish enough to keep one. It was written in what was supposed to be a Dutch dialect and was titled, "A DUTCHMAN AND HIS DOG." Having long ago lost my scrap book and being very weak in writing or speaking Dutch dialect I will give it to you in corn style English.

"You are only a dog but I wish I were you. When you go to bed you turn around three times and you're in bed when I go to bed I have to fuss with my wife, wash the dishes, put out the cat, lock the doors, rock the baby, count ten thousand sheep and then maybe it is time to get up.

"When you get up you turn around three times and you're up. When I get up I have to fuss with my wife, change the baby, cook the breakfast, shave and catch the bus for town.

"When you die you're dead. When I die I've got to go to hell yet.

Just Talk

As a casual observer of how things are going to pot, it is amazing to me to watch the youngsters about ten to twelve years of age going out for Little League baseball and to see them work so hard and then when I stroll by their homes I find that their parents are paying a workman to mow the lawn or are just letting the lawn grow up in careless weeds and wild oats.

It is my opinion that it will not be very long before these same young men will be sowing wild oats all over West Texas. There is one young fellow I

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Campbell Is Honoree

A party was given in the home of Mrs. Roper. Thursday evening Miss Sue Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roper, was the guest of honor. She will have a homecoming party on July 2. The party was given in the home of Mrs. Roper. Thursday evening Miss Sue Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roper, was the guest of honor. She will have a homecoming party on July 2. The party was given in the home of Mrs. Roper. Thursday evening Miss Sue Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roper, was the guest of honor. She will have a homecoming party on July 2.

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Rainbow Girls Have Meeting

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The Slaton assembly along with five other assemblies will be host to the Grand Officers on the 29th of July.

Reports were given by the seven girls and Mother Advisor on their trip and attendance at Grand Assembly which was held in Corpus Christi. Those attending were Janice Hill, Melinda Clifton, Patty Clark, Phyllis Eanes, Jerry Eddings, Patricia and Marilyn McSweeney, and Mrs. R. J. Clark. Twelve girls met with Mrs. Clark Monday after in the hall for study and practice.

July 11 at 2:00 p.m. will be the next time for study and practice. We urge all Rainbow girls to come to our meetings.

Mrs. Ione Greer Is Given Shower

A handkerchief shower was given in honor of Mrs. Ione W. Greer, who recently retired after fifteen years of service in the Slaton Public Schools at the home of Mrs. A. Secret. The hostesses were Mrs. Secret and Mrs. Inez Petty.

The tables were covered with a white linen cloth and decorated with pink and white carnations. After music and chattering, a repast of tuna salad, cakes and cookies were served.

The hostesses then asked Mrs. Bailey, homemaking teacher of Evans High School to preside.

The program was held in the form of the television program, "This Is Your Life" with Mrs. Greer the subject. After which many handkerchiefs were given to the guest of honor.

The guests were Mesdames Elnora Foster, Bernice Hardrick, Rosie Wilborn, Susie Parker, Roxie White, Verdie Lee Holland, Ida White, Dorthula Williams, and Bailey.

Lt. and Mrs. Bennie Johns, Cal and Tanya of Salina, Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hodge, Allen and Susan of Brownfield visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delma Hodge over the week end.



Happy Birthday

July 1—Mrs. Otho Dillard, Mrs. Ray Kitten, Mrs. Henry Hollinden, Mrs. A. A. Denzer, Harley Patterson, E. R. Legg, Juanita Schwertner, Bill Green

July 2—Mrs. Edwin Bednarz, Jimmy Avant, Tom Hoffman, Ova Sue Wilson, Mrs. Lula Ownby, Candace Lee, Quinton Strube, Mrs. Delma Hodge

July 3—Walter Mosser, Helen Kahlich, Lawrence Schilling, Connie Rhea Brake, Martha Jean Kahlich, Mrs. Sam N. Lowe, Mrs. Lora Wicker, Mrs. John Kurtz, Johnny Abare, Carlton Tumlinson, Rhonda Pettigrew, Charles Wayne Underwood, Mrs. W. H. Bartlett.

July 4—Mrs. Buddy Hall, Allen Strube, Cecil Long, Bobby Townsend.

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The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

The Slaton, Texas Slatonite,

Thursday, June 30, 1960

Mrs. Prosser Is Party Honoree

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met for the annual Pledge Service Thursday evening in the Chapel of the church.

Mrs. F. A. Drewry gave the devotional "The Mount of Transfiguration" and Mrs. Alma Caldwell directed an impressive Pledge Service by lighting candles from the "Great White Light", symbolizing the work to be done by Wesleyan Service Guilds for the ensuing year. The pledge cards were placed on the altar by the members and the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Caldwell.

Following the service, the members went to the home of Mrs. Jessie Prosser where they surprised her with a Bon Voyage Party. She was presented a gift of Lingerie and refreshments were served during a pleasant social hour.

Mrs. Prosser, accompanied by Mrs. J. S. Vaughn also of Slaton, will leave New York City July 15th on a tour of Europe and the Holy Land personally conducted by Dr. Cecil Sutley, professor, Religion Dept., Ouachita Baptist College, Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

The itinerary includes England, Holland, France, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Rome, an air excursion trip to Cairo, Beirut, Damascus, Jerusalem, Israel, Greece, and Naples.

On August 18th they will board the SS Ipinia for the return voyage which included a Mediterranean Cruise, via the Straits of Gibraltar to the Atlantic, arriving in Montreal, Canada, Sept. 1st, the end of the tour.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS



Weavers Give Rehearsal Supper

The rehearsal of the Sue Campbell and Billy Weaver wedding was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Campbell Sunday night. Those present beside the bride-elect and her fiancée were Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Florence Ann and Sinky Weaver, Chester, Shirley, Randy, Cherry, and Cindy Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mobley, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lynn Wells, Mary Frances Wilke, and the host and hostess. After church and immediately preceding the rehearsal Mrs. T. L. Weaver, mother of the groom-elect had a buffet supper for the rehearsal party at her home in Slaton.

Lt. and Mrs. Roy E. German have arrived in Slaton for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. German and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Maeker. They have just returned to the United States from a two year tour of duty at Argentina, Newfoundland, where Roy was Flight Surgeon with an air group. After a short leave they will go to the United States Naval Hospital in Philadelphia, Pa. where Roy will start a three year residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

PRACTICE PERIOD

Sue Wilson of Slaton gets a workout with the director as they prepare for the North Texas State College Summer Theatre production of Noel Coward's "Blithe Spirit" July 11-12. Miss Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson, 755 21st, plays the role of Madame Arcati, the zany medium for the play's seance. Miss Wilson, a senior speech education major, has appeared in a number of summer productions and has performed in musical revues in Dallas at the Paybill Nightclub.

Bluebonnet Club Has Meeting

The Bluebonnet Club met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Sanner Wednesday morning June 22 for an early morning coffee.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Charlie Walton in the absence of the president, Mrs. Upham.

There were 15 members and two guests present. The next meeting will be in

the home of Mrs. W. F. Blackerby, July 13th at 9:00 a.m. Games were enjoyed until 11 o'clock.

Those present were Mesdames Dudley Berry, W. F. Blackerby, Jack Cook, H. H. Edmondson, Henry Jarman, R. C. Bain, Roy Parks, Fannie Patterson, T. E. McClanahan, Fred Tudor, Joe Teague Jr., Charlie Walton, Harold Wilson, C. C. Wicker, R. C. Sanner, and the two guests, Mesdames L. T. Gartland and Nora Zimmerman of Los Angeles, California.

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Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards recently were their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Galneau and baby son, Randy, of Norfolk, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Churchill and family of Everett, Washington, Mrs. Lundy Shelton and Connie of Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. W. L. Taylor and family of Cleburne, and Mrs. Woodrow Thurman and boys of Fort Worth.

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Southland News...

By Mrs. Jesse Ward
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Coker from Blanket spent last week with their daughter and children, Mrs. Bill Yates, their son-in-law, Rev. Bill Yates, attended Methodist Camp at Ceta Canyon for Junior boys and girls Monday through Friday.

Rev. W. L. Armstrong, pastor of Lorenzo Methodist Church and previously a missionary in Hawaii will be at Southland Methodist Church family night July 6. He will show slides taken during his stay in Hawaii.

Mrs. Paul Winterrowde and Gary Lester were hospitalized over the weekend in Mercy Hospital in Slaton. We wish them a speedy get well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lester

went to Grandview Sunday where they attend the funeral for Mrs. Lester's aunt.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill Yates and daughters attended the picnic for Methodist preachers and their family of the Lubbock District in McKenzie Park in Lubbock Wednesday, June 29. It was sponsored by District Superintendent Marvin Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Palmer of Midland spent the weekend in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers Sunday. Mrs. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Myers and Nedra Sue went to Crosbyton to spend the day with Mrs. Palmers' father, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Denton and their daughters and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lichey, of Raywood, Okla., and S.M.S. and Mrs. Chalon Carson and three daughters spent Wednesday of last week with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Denton and son Lin of Lock-

ney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Huddleston and baby returned to Dallas Sunday after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huddleston. Mrs. Huddleston and baby have just returned from a visit with her parents at Sacramento, Calif.

Mrs. W. J. Kuykendall returned home from Mercy Hospital in Slaton Wednesday of last week. She was hospitalized 3 days and is making a slow improvement. Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kuykendall and Kenny Lewis and Vickie of Littlefield, Mrs. Leonard Morris and son Donnie of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll returned home in Dallas after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kuykendall.

Recently Ronnie Mathis of Spur spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Mathis Sr. and sisters, Bonnie Lou and Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Huddleston and baby were church visitors at Gordon Church of Christ Sunday.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunn and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Day at Muleshoe.

W. E. Edmunds and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris attended the old Settlers Reunion at Tahoka June 24.

Riley Wood visited relatives Mr. and Mrs. Silas Dean at Muleshoe Tuesday of last week. Mr. Dean is ill and is not making satisfactory improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Scott and sons. The children of Mr. and Mrs.

E. L. Hitts helped their father celebrate his birthday Sunday night with ice cream and cake. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Scott and sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hitt and children.

Mrs. Bill Yates and daughters accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Coker of Blanket to Carlsbad, New Mexico where they visited relatives from Tuesday through Friday.

Mrs. Jack Burkett underwent surgery in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Friday and is doing fine at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Meeks and son Billy Joe from Happy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meeks Friday.

Herman Dabbs went to Dallas Sunday to see their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dabbs. Gerald was in a car-truck collision Saturday morning. He was not hurt but his car was damaged. He was on his way to work at Baylor Hospital. It was raining and the driver of the truck said his brakes failed at a red light signal.

L. and Mrs. Travis Dabbs and children from Lubbock spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs.

Marion Crump of Acuff preacher at Gordon Church of Christ was a dinner and afternoon visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McGhee and family Sunday.

S.M.S. and Mrs. Chalon Carson and daughters left Sunday for their home in Florida after a weeks visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Denton and other relatives. Carson was transferred from Arizona to Florida.

Jack Myers and son Fred and daughter Kelly Jo went to Meridian Friday to visit Fred's wife Anita and son Stephen J. Anita and son returned home with them Sunday night.

Last week visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milliken were Harmon Thompson of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moreman of Meridian, Bryon Milliken of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Don Milliken of Wolforth, Mrs. D. H. Hatchett of Lubbock was a weekend Louise, David Mock, and Mike Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Sims and children from Smyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Edmonds and family Friday evening.

Mrs. Eva Trimble of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bartlett of Friona visited their father, J. T. Bartlett Sunday.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — Texas Democrats are starting a fresh page in their history. The era when the party could be split on the basis of who voted for Eisenhower in 1952 is ended.

Only thing which could revive that long-cherished bone of contention would be for the Party to nominate a ticket so distasteful to Texans that the state would again go Republican.

At the state convention Democrats of widely varying views united behind the Lydon Johnson banner to bury the extreme loyalists of the DOTC in the most overwhelmingly lopsided vote in party history.

Even seasoned political reporters were caught off balance by the 2,252-to-40 vote by which the DOT proposal was defeated. They used such unaccustomed adjectives as "astounding" to describe the victory.

State Executive Committee proposed a loyalty pledge binding on state party officials, delegates to Los Angeles and presidential electors.

DOT insisted that in addition, a loyalty pledge should be circulated among the county delegations and that no one should be allowed to stay in the state convention hall unless he signed it.

DOT did everything possible to fan the issue. Blurred, hastily printed flyers headed "Who Says Party Loyalty Is a False Issue?" were scattered outside the convention hall. Flyers showed a picture of Gov. Price Daniel introducing Eisenhower at a 1952 campaign rally and reproduced a copy of the ballot by which a majority of Texans split their tickets in '52 and '56 by voting Democratic on the state level and Republican on the national level.

Alex Dickey of Denton, one of the DOT spokesmen given equal time to debate the issue before the delegates, proclaimed heatedly that "party loyalty is the issue before this convention."

Senator Johnson, who was discussing his experiences in

But his weapon had lost its edge. After the vote, Governor Daniel declared that any group that tries to send a rival delegation to Los Angeles on the basis of 40 votes out of 2,292 "must be out of their minds."

Even drooping DOTers agreed. Dickey refused to bolt, told sympathizers waiting outside they had been beaten fairly.

Reporters, who had tried to beat deadlines by writing "hold for release" stories describing the expected "rump" convention, hastily filed mandatory kill orders.

UNITY IN DIVERSITY — Events at the State Democratic convention, though it was frequently referred to as the most united, most harmonious in history, demonstrated clearly that it is, as it always has been, only as united as strong personal leadership can keep it.

By its very make-up the Texas Democratic Party is like six tomcats in a tow sack. Gulf belated the very conservative delegation sent to Austin by Harris County and the very liberal delegation from Bexar County is greater than the gulf between Republican and Democrat in many parts of the country.

Convention keynote, Rep. Jim Wright of Fort Worth, took note of this. "Out of our disorganization, our diversity, and even our disagreements," said Wright, "comes our strength. We are the party of no one because we are the party of every one."

Test of this came after Senator Johnson made his triumphal entry to the accompaniment of marching placard-carriers, music and cheers. When the tumult ended and Johnson began to speak, the Harris County delegation, which had voted not to support Johnson, boomed at the end of each statement. It was an awkward moment.

Senator Johnson, who was discussing his experiences in

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the U.S. Senate in working with men of such contrary views as Senator Byrd of Virginia and Senator Morse of Oregon, departed from the text of his speech.

Despite their differences, said Johnson, these senators "always behave in a courteous and gentlemanly manner."

Harris County was heard from no more, and Texas Democrats proceeded with, for Texas, first class harmony.

EXIT MRS. RANDOLPH Mrs. H. H. Weinert of Seguin will return next month to the post as national Democratic committeewoman from Texas.

Mrs. Weinert was national committeewoman for eight years and was replaced by Mrs. R. D. Randolph of Houston in 1956.

Mrs. Weinert will be officially elected at the national convention beginning July 11 in Los Angeles. But for all practical purposes, Mrs. Randolph already is deposed.

By resolution, the state convention took away from her all authority and privilege she

might have between now and retiring. It was retaliation for the war which Mrs. Randolph, as head of the DOT, has waged on Senator Johnson, Governor Daniel, National Committeeman Byron Skelton and almost all other party officials for four years.

As national committeewoman, Mrs. Randolph is entitled to be a delegate to the national convention and cast one-half delegate vote. Convention declared she must be bound by the unit rule and vote with the rest of the delegation. In short, "all the way with LBJ." Also, the convention asked that she have no control over credentials and tickets to the national convention.

GOP PLANS LAID Texas Republican leaders are saying, in effect, that they won't fight among themselves but will save their strength to fight Democrats in the general election next fall.

Texas' GOP traditionally has been very harmonious, except in 1952 when newcomers supporting Eisenhower wrested control from the Old Guard.

Texas' delegation to the GOP Chicago convention are pledged to support Vice President Nixon for president, Sen. Barry Goldwater of Arizona for Vice president. Early talk of supporting Senator Goldwater or New York Gov. Nelson Rockefeller for president ended short of a floor battle.

Most Republican energy at their state convention was used to try to lure Independent and Conservative Democrats to their fold by criticizing Democrats as the party of "give-away programs" and "federal intervention."

MOVING UP — Preliminary 1960 census figures show Texas, with a population of 9,493,895, ranking sixth among 50 states, behind New York, California, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Houston apparently will be moved up from 14th largest to sixth largest city in the nation, following New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and Detroit.

ENLARGED RESERVOIR — PLANNED — Governor Daniel and the State Water Board have

approved plans to enlarge a proposed salt water barrier and reservoir on the Trinity River near Wallisville to four feet, instead of two feet, above water level.

Applications to build the new Trinity reservoirs were granted last spring after one of the longest, most heated hearings ever held before the Water Board.



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Little League Standings

In the Minor League, the Cardinals played the Dodgers June 20 to play off a tie game of May 16th. The Cardinals won, making the Indians, Yankees and Cardinals all in 1st place with each having 7 wins out of 10 games played.

On June 25th the Minor League All-Stars played, with the All-Stars from the Yankees, Dodgers and Tigers defeated the All-Stars from the Cardinals, Giants and Indians, 14 to 13.

In the Major League the team standings as of June 25 are:

G.P.	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Dodgers	10	9	1	.900
Indians	11	9	2	.818
Tigers	10	6	4	.600
Cardinals	11	4	7	.364
Giants	11	2	9	.182
Yankees	11	2	9	.182

Douglas Keese	8	1	0	.000
Larry Pickens	31	10	10	.323
Tommy Williams	6	0	0	.000
K. Winchester	14	3	1	.071
Billie D. Martin	11	1	1	.091
Carlton Jones	12	1	0	.000
Tyree Clemons	11	3	3	.273
Dale Pierce	8	0	1	.125

Jim Foster	2	0	0	.000
Arthur Enloe	3	0	0	.000
Teddy Dawson	1	2	0	.000
Gary Brush	27	8	4	.148
H. Johnson	30	6	11	.366
C. Underwood	28	4	7	.250
Don Simmons	10	1	1	.100
Larry Melcher	8	3	0	.000
Danny Heinrich	10	0	0	.000

Larry Bownds	12	2	1	.083
H. Thomas	31	11	8	.258
Larry Nall	16	1	4	.250
R. Cooper	27	5	6	.222
Phil Goad	30	13	16	.533
Byron Johnson	26	3	6	.231

G. Hennington	4	0	0	.000
Mike White	2	0	0	.000
Joe Basinger	8	1	1	.125
Dubbin Englund	20	2	3	.150
Rodney Farrell	35	4	8	.229
Mike Williams	28	6	5	.171
Bobby Morrison	31	8	6	.194
Kyle Page	27	6	6	.222
Gary Glascock	7	1	1	.143
Steve Jones	33	5	7	.212
Bobby Ball	10	1	3	.300
David Thompson	3	2	0	.000
David Edwards	6	1	1	.167
Arthur Davies	18	1	2	.111
J.B. Bernarz	34	6	7	.206

David Tucker	23	4	3	.130
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Billy Hays	9	4	2	.222
Dennis Altman	14	5	3	.214
Duke Altman	34	8	11	.324
R. Johnson	6	0	0	.000
William Kitten	9	1	0	.000
Tommy Davis	19	3	2	.105
Jim Coffield	32	9	10	.312
V. Christian	37	9	12	.324
Steve Stone	37	10	7	.182
Gordon Kitten	33	14	13	.391
Ronald Pedue	34	8	7	.206
Rishard Miller	0	0	0	.000
James Hodges	3	0	0	.000
Bennie Fields	4	4	0	.000

Allen Miles	28	6	4	.143
Charles Thomas	19	2	2	.105
Kenneth Kitten	28	10	10	.357
Niebes Gonzales	4	0	0	.000
George Cooper	24	10	4	.167
James Holton	2	0	0	.000
Bernard Wall	14	5	2	.143
David Kahlich	20	9	4	.200
Paul Rampy	26	5	2	.077
R. Hampton Jr.	10	4	2	.200
Billy Hickson	0	0	0	.000
R. Washington	21	4	8	.381
Earl Eblen	17	0	4	.235
Gary Mann	0	0	0	.000
Dennis Morgan	29	4	8	.276

Loyd McCullough	4	1	0	.000
Tommy Biggs	29	5	5	.172
Sammy Wartes	20	3	4	.200
Terry Watts	9	2	1	.111
D. McCullough	27	8	6	.222
David Dabbs	23	3	6	.261
T. Etheridge	3	0	0	.000
Danny Lain	4	1	1	.250
Danny Scott	33	2	8	.242
Ronald Henry	18	1	2	.111
Pat Wheeler	15	1	2	.131
H. Martinez	24	6	6	.250
C. R. Stricklin	0	0	0	.000
David Hunter	15	1	4	.267
Rickey Summar	12	1	4	.333

Local Events

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Brown and Jerry Burrell attended graduation ceremonies at the State College in San Diego, Calif., when Miss Jeanette Burrell received her degree in Elementary Education this month. The 1462 graduates made it the largest graduating class from San Diego State College.

After spending a few days sightseeing in San Diego and Coronado Island, they were accompanied by Jeanette when they visited friends in Oceanside and then went on to see Disneyland and Knotts Berry Farm. From there they went to Las Vegas, Nevada and on their return trip home they stopped to see the Hoover Dam, Grand Canyon, and the Painted Desert in Arizona.

Miss Burrell will spend summer with her family and return to San Diego in August where she will teach school.

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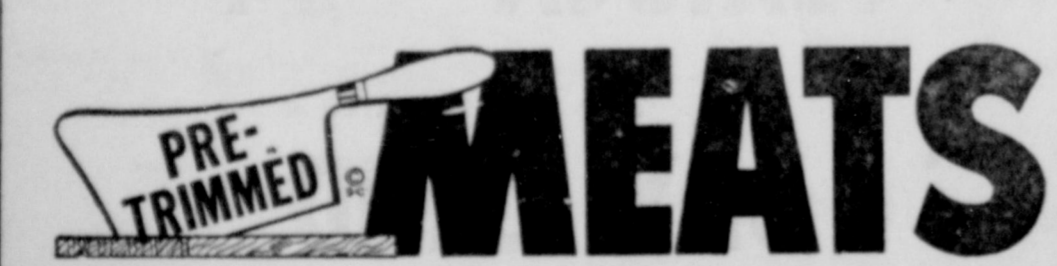


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Bang-Up Food Buys

We will be closed Monday, July 4th.



- Cantaloupes, California Gold lb. 9c
- Fresh Corn, Sweet Tender, ear 5c
- Fresh Radishes, Crisp Tender Bunch 5c
- Fesh Green Onions, Bunch 5c



- Fryers, Armour's Star lb. 35c
- Franks, Armours Star lb. Pkge. 49c
- Picnic Hams, Pinkney's Sunray, lb. 29c

- ICE MILK** SWIFT, 12 OZ. TUB. 9c
- OR CARTON OF 12 FOR 79c
- MELLORINE** SWIFT, 1/2 GALLON 35c
- Orange Drink** HI-C 46 OZ. CAN 25c
- COFFEE** MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT 6 OZ. JAR 79c
- PEACHES** HEART'S DELIGHT, NO. 2 1/2 CAN 25c
- FLOUR** GLADOLIA, 5 LB. SACK 39c
- COFFEE** MARYLAND CLUB LB. CAN 69c

- Sunshine HI-HO, LB. BOX 39c
- Supreme, Honey GRAHAMS, LB. BOX 39c
- Nabisco, Wheat Thins LB. BOX 35c

- Kraft Barbecue Sauce, Large 28 OZ. Jar 49c
- New Chuck Wagon Charcoal Briquets, 10 lb. Bag 69c
- Hi-Note Tuna, Can 15c
- Lipton Tea, 1/4 lb. Pkg. 39c
- Kleenex, 400 Count Box 25c



- Keiths Beaded Shrimp, 10oz. Pkg. 49c
- Strawberries, Fresh Frozen, 10 oz. Pkge 2 for 29c
- Apple Pies, Banquet, Large Family Size 29c

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Mrs. T. G. McEver, Nadine Meurer July 6
Pauline Miller, Viola Walton, Lyndon Macker July 7

Mrs. Lee Limmer, Bruce Maxey, Mrs. R. F. Stansell, Bill Guinn, Mrs. L. C. Odom

Jerry Hodge has been visiting with his sister and family, Lt. and Mrs. Bennie Johns, Cal and Tanya in Salina, Kansas, Jerry accompanied them to Pensacola, Fla. where they visited Lt. Johns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Johns Sr. and Jerry.

Charter No. Bank's Official Statement of Financial Condition of the Citizens State Bank

at Slaton, Texas at the close of business on the 15th of June, 1960, pursuant to call made by the Board of Directors of the Bank, in accordance with the Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

- Loans and discounts, including overdrafts 1,440
- United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed 1,545
- Obligations of state and political subdivisions 237
- Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) 640
- Banking house, or leasehold improvements 119
- Furniture, fixtures, and equipment 34
- Other real estate owned 16
- Other assets 4,040
- Total Resources 10,611

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

- Common Capital Stock 10,000
- Surplus: Certified 150
- Undivided profits 50
- Capital reserves (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances) 61
- Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 3,478
- Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions) 250
- Total all deposits \$3,671,160.00
- Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts 4,040

CORRECT—ATTEST
J. S. Edwards, Jr.
Bob Merrell
H. T. Swanner
DIRECTORS
STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LUBBOCK
I, T. A. Worley, Jr., being one of the above named, do hereby solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. A. Worley, Jr.
Notary Public, Lubbock, Texas.