

S. P. Farm Home Conference Now In Session in Lubbock

LUBBOCK, Feb. 8.—Sessions of the annual South Plains Farm Home Conference will be held in the Livestock Judging Pavilion at Texas Technological College February 11 and 12. The meeting is under the auspices of the Eighteenth District of the Farm Bureau of which M. S. Hudson of Plainview is chairman.

Prominent authorities feature the program. E. L. Corbin, secretary of the Farm Bureau Federation, speaks on "Progress of Farm Organizations" the first day. He is followed by Dr. J. O. Ellsworth on "Agricultural Forecasts for 1932", and L. J. Mayhew on "Agricultural Possibilities of the South Plains."

Speakers for the afternoon session of the first day include Louis J. Taylor, master of the National Grange of Columbus, Ohio, Sterling C. Evans, of Texas A. & M., and Miss Myrtle Murray of the A. & M. extension service.

State Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald speaks Saturday morning on "The Value of Education in Building a Permanent Agriculture". B. S. Burgess of Dallas will talk on "The Status of Cotton Marketing in Texas". Lynn Stokes of Ballinger will follow with an address on "Principles of Co-operative Marketing."

"Economic Advantages of the National Grain Association" will be the subject of a speech in the afternoon by John Manley. Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham and R. J. Murray will also speak in the afternoon.

The annual farmers' supper will be held at the Lubbock Hotel with H. J. Bower in charge. This event is scheduled for Friday night.

Tax Penalty Is Canceled

The City Commission at its regular meeting last Friday night, passed an order deferring all 10 per cent penalty on 1930 and 1931 City taxes, through the Month of February. Thereafter the penalty will be placed on 1930 and 1931 Taxes at the rate of 1 per cent per month. This does not pertain to the 6 per cent interest or cost on taxes.

City Tax Collector,
Harvey Austin.

Jones Service Station Is Official A. A. A.

Automobile Club Appoints Jones Service Station for Official A. A. A. Service in Slaton.

Jack Douglas General Manager of the South Plains Automobile Club, local unit of the American Automobile Assn., announced that the Jones Service Station J. T. Jones Mgr. on the Slaton Lubbock Highway is under contract for one year as the official A. A. A. Service Unit rendering free towing and starting service for a distance not exceeding (10) miles to all members of A. A. A. clubs.

He will also allow a 2c discount per gallon on Conco standard and Ethyl gasoline, 5c per quart on all grades of oil, and 10 percent on all tires, tubes, and accessories. This will only be allowed to members of the club in good standing.

For further particulars see Mr. Jones The club at present has 27 members in Slaton. Chief of Police T. J. Abel, and George Marriott Manager of the Santa Fe reading room are charter members of the organization.

II. S. REPORT ON S. S. ATTENDANCE FOR FEB. 7

Teacher	Enrolled	At S. S.	Per.
Miss Armes	72	23	32%
Mrs. Wright	25	7	28%
Miss Hestand	29	8	27%
Miss Morrison	39	13	33%
Miss Dean	82	20	25%
Miss Catching	39	12	31%
Mrs. Tekell	35	18	51%
General Average,			34%

Those taking part in the Easter Cantata which is to be given Easter Sunday night in the High School Auditorium, met at the Methodist Church Thursday night, but from now on they will meet at the Club House each Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

For Commissioner.



Briggs Robertson

Briggs Robertson For Commissioner

Briggs Robertson, for the past twenty-two years a resident of the Slaton community and Lubbock county, is a candidate for the office of commissioner of precinct two, he announced Wednesday. Mr. Robertson is seeking his first remunerative office.

Son of the late A. B. Robertson, pioneer rancher of Slaton, Mr. Robertson has been engaged in farming and ranching most of his life. He has lived on the Plains for thirty years.

Mr. Robertson declared that he was seeking the office mainly through a reduced tax platform, with the end in view of lowering the county tax rate and adjusting valuations so "that the little fellow won't have to bear all the burden and will get as much benefit as possible from tax funds."

"I appreciate the fact that we must have taxes for governmental purposes to support and maintain a stable government at all times but I don't believe all the tax moneys are going for that now," he said. Legalized larceny that is being practiced so much in many counties in Texas should be halted.

Mr. Robertson is secretary of the board of the Slaton independent school district. Since his election, taxes in the district have been reduced approximately 32 per cent, he said.

"I have the interest of the people of my precinct at heart at all times and will endeavor to see that they get just treatment in county affairs," he continued. "I believe in rotation in office and don't expect to hold the position, if elected, only for a reasonable term of office."

Mr. Robertson said he would endeavor to see all the voters personally before the Democratic primary in July.

Johnson Residence Destroyed By Fire

A fire of undetermined origin wrecked the home of Clarence Johnson at 450 West Division St. last Monday night about 10 o'clock. Nothing was saved from the building. The loss is partially covered by insurance, Mr. Johnson said.

Sister Of Local Man Dies In Gunter

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Porter Davis of Gunter, Texas. Mrs. Davis is a sister of E. R. Legg of this city. They moved away from Slaton about two years ago. Mrs. Davis died with cancer Monday night at 8 o'clock. She had been in ill health for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Overton Jr. went to Dallas Monday night on account of Mrs. Overton's health. Dr. will return the latter part of the week. But she will probably remain for treatment.

The Senior Civic and Culture Club will meet Saturday, February 13, in the home of Mrs. E. N. Pickens, at 635 S. Seventh St., instead of with Mrs. Fred H. Schmidt, as previously announced.

Mr. P. T. Mathus, one of the old Pioneers of Slaton, has gone to Clovis, N. M. to make his home with his son.

Flu Is Raging In Slaton Schools

The influenza, in a rather mild form, is raging furiously in the Slaton public schools, recalling somewhat the days of 1918. However, no fatalities have yet resulted, and very few cases have proven serious. Six days is the longest any student has been detained from school on account of the epidemic and in most cases the victim is able to return within two or three days.

A careful check last Monday morning revealed that 98 students were absent from the high school on account of the flu, 54 were absent from East Ward, and 43 from West Ward and Junior high school. This is the greatest number of students absent from the Slaton schools on account of any kind of sickness in some time.

Center Boys and Union Girls Win In Tourney Here

The quick passing, fast breaking and hard fighting boys basket ball team from the Center school, and the scrapping girls team from Union emerged victorious in their respective contests to win the rural school tournament held at Slaton last Friday and Saturday, February 5 and 6. These schools will go into the county tournament to be held at Lubbock this week end.

Center defeated the fast, deceptive Hardy team in the finals Saturday night to win the right to compete in their class at the county tournament. The Hardy team early became favorites to win the classic, defeating the Union boys 59 to 11, trimming McClung 54 to 13 in the quarter finals, and routing the fast Grovesville team 31 to 19 in the semi-finals. However, on account of having no substitutes, and because the same team had to play three games Saturday afternoon and night, the boys became weary before the last game was over, allowing the Center team to pull away to a 33 to 25 victory in the final game.

The Union girls did not have quite as easy a time in their earlier games, but proved themselves master of the situation in the final contest, winning over the Posey girls to the tune of 24 to 19. Union had formerly defeated New Hope, Wolfarth, Hardy, and Foster.

A total of 11 boys' teams and 11 girls' teams competed in the tournament, playing a grand total of 20 games. Over 200 athletes took part in the tournament.

The following schools entered boys' teams in the tournament: Hurlwood, Wolfarth, Carlisle, New Hope, Posey, Center, McClung, Hardy, Union, Estacado, Grovesville.

These schools entered girls' teams: Hurlwood, McClung, Grovesville, Posey, Center, Carlisle, Hardy, New Hope, Union, Foster, Wolfarth.

Otis Cannon and Cecil Scott, both former Tigers, and John C. Jenkins, principal of Junior high school, were the officials.

Announcement Of Summer Quarters

LUBBOCK, Feb. 8.—Announcement is made that the 1932 summer quarter of Texas Technological College will consist of two terms, the first opening June 7 and closing July 16, and the second opening July 18 and closing August 25. The faculty has been appointed and courses arranged for the session.

Work will be given in the schools of agriculture, engineering, home economics, and liberal arts. Advanced work will be offered in agriculture, business administration, chemistry, economics, education, English, geology, mathematics, government, history, philosophy, sociology, and psychology.

Fees for one term are \$7.50 and for both terms \$12.50. And this includes library deposit of \$1, which is refundable, medical service, and recreation fee. Cost of room and board and rent on houses and apartments are lower than ever before in Lubbock, it is stated.

The annual trip to the Carlsbad Caverns will be a feature, it is announced.

Santa Fe Special Exhibits Products

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 8.—The Santa Fe Farm and Home Special, operated by the Santa Fe Railway Company with the Texas A&M College cooperating, which will start Feb. 15 at Navasota on a forty-five day itinerary over all Santa Fe lines in Texas, will carry numerous specially prepared exhibits expected to attract much interest at the various stops. The train will make 147 stops in all. The tour will end April 6 at Snyder.

Exhibits on the nine car train will include the famous 4-H pantry and its relation to the importance of living at home, contrast between good and poor turkey production, how to produce healthy baby chicks, hooked and braided rugs and how they are made, the many uses of cotton in clothing, simple ways of beautifying the farm yard, gift packages farm women are making at home for sale, modern methods of killing, curing and canning pork at home, exhibits stressing important points in growing cotton, grain sorghums and pastures and in the production of dairy products, sheep and goats.

J. F. Jarrell, manager of agricultural development of the railway, will have general charge of the train, assisted by other officials of the railway. Personnel for the first week of the itinerary announced by the college includes: H. H. Williamson, vice-director; Miss Gertrude Blodgett, district home demonstration agent; A. W. Buchanan, district agent; E. R. Eudaly, dairy specialist; A. L. Smith, animal husbandman, all of the Extension Service; Miss Mamie Lister, head, home economics department, Sam Houston State Teachers College; Miss Edna Wilkin, head, home economics department, East Texas State Teachers College; Roger Davis, manager agricultural department, East Texas Chamber of Commerce; C. W. Simmons, farm forester, Texas Forest Service. Electrical exhibits will be in the charge of S. D. Snyder, Bryan.

Local Couples In Double Wedding

We are correcting mistakes in a name and the date of the weddings as published in last weeks paper.

Two of our prominent local couples were married in Clovis New Mexico, week before last, Adrain Owens and Miss Elizabeth Alford and J. J. Maxey and Miss Pauline Owens. The double-wedding took place in Clovis New Mexico on Wednesday, January 27, about two-thirty o'clock, with Rev. Nix, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating.

The four spent Wednesday night in Clovis and returned to Slaton Thursday, where they will make their home.

Where Good Roads Are Needed Most

Good roads are as essential to farm prosperity as good facilities for transport are to industrial prosperity. They are agriculture's arteries of progress.

The farmer who is able to take his goods to market, at any time of year and over weatherproof surfaced highways, will always be far ahead of the farmer who is cut off from communication with the outside world by unimproved, often impassable roads. Modern use of asphalt and road oil has made the low cost farm-to-market road dream possible. The lack of roads, of course, is alone responsible for bad farm conditions. But it is an important contributory cause, as is demonstrated by increasing agitation for good farm-to-market roads in all parts of the country since economical construction methods have been developed.

ENTERTAINMENT

Uncle George announces that there will be another reading room entertainment in the High School auditorium Saturday night 13, at 7:30. The Cretors Concert Co., will appear to entertain you. Do not fail to be present for you know what genuine entertainment the reading room programs always furnish.

For Tax Assessor



W. H. MEADOR

W. H. Meador For Assessor

Declaring that years of business training and experience qualify him for the office, W. H. (Bill) Meador, a resident of Lubbock for the past twelve years, Saturday announced his candidacy for the office of county tax assessor. A native Texan Mr. Meador boasts of having "always supported the Democratic ticket."

Mr. Meador came to the Panhandle in 1889 and has resided in this section ever since. He traveled the South Plains section for six years making a host of friends over the section prior to making Lubbock his permanent home in 1919.

His announcement read: "I was born twelve miles south of Corsicana in Navarro county. I graduated from the commercial department of Trinity University at Tehuana (now located at Waxahachie) and have since been continuously engaged in some branch of mercantile business. I believe my business training and experience gained in these many years qualify me for any position or trust requiring the keeping of records and accounting of any and all natures and fully qualify me to fulfill the duties required in the handling of this office.

"I propose if elected to render the best possible service to the people. I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the Democratic primary in July and hope to meet each voter personally before that time."

Being a home owner, Mr. Meador says he believes every home owner has an inherent right to demand a just valuation on his property.

Mr. Meador has been prominently identified with civic affairs during his residence here. He was formerly in the wholesale produce business in Lubbock.

Paving Survey Is Being Made

Preliminary surveys for paving of 16 miles of highway No. 24 in Crosby county from the Lubbock county line eastward are being made, Guy R. Johnston, construction engineer, said Saturday. Completion of paving on this sector will provide all-weather road from Lubbock to Dickens.

Authorization to draw plans for the grading and drainage work on the section has been received by Mr. Johnston, who will make plans when the survey is completed. The paving will be started two miles west of Lorenzo, on the south side of the Santa Fe tracks, and will be laid through Lorenzo and Ralls to within four miles of Crosbyton.

Laying of pavement on No. 24 in Crosby county from Dickens county line to Blanco canyon has been started by Fields and McCelvey, Lubbock contractors. Caliche pits have been stripped and preliminary work was started last week. First caliche probably will be moved Monday, the engineer said. Plans for No. 24 in this county east of Lubbock and through Idalou are pending decision of the state supreme court on Mrs. W. G. Nairn's injunction suit. The county has posted funds for the project and work will start as soon as a decision is given.

Bro. Raybrun, K. L. Scudder and S. L. Peavy attended the Presbyterian meeting in Lubbock last week. The finances of the church were discussed.

Slaton Girls Win Over N. M. Team in Ralls Tournament

The girls' basketball team of Slaton high school again proved itself as a contender for State championship by winning the Ralls invitation tournament held last Friday and Saturday. After breezing through all preliminary games in fine style, the Tigresses met stubborn resistance in the semi-finals when they encountered the fast, hard fighting sextet from Southland, only after a fierce struggle in which both teams put forth their supreme effort, were the Slaton girls able to win the close score of 21 to 20.

After defeating Southland, the Tigresses went into the final game against the strong Forest, New Mexico, team that has not met defeat in three years. The New Mexicans were slight favorites to win the final encounter, especially since the Texans had such a fierce encounter just a few hours before with Southland, but the old "Tiger" fighting spirit asserted itself, and after a thrilling battle, in which Forest led most of the way, the Slaton girls finished just one basket ahead of the invaders, winning 31 to 29.

In the first encounter, played at eight o'clock Friday morning, every player on the Slaton roster saw service in this struggle, and any combination Coach Wilhite sent on the floor seemed to be effective. In the second game, the Tigresses defeated Crosbyton 54 to 12, again using all substitutes, thus conserving all the strength of the regular for the later games.

The Slaton girls have won three tournaments this season, having won their own tournament earlier in the season, the Brownfield tourney January 29 and 30, and then bringing home the bacon from Ralls last Saturday. These girls are doing some wonderful advertising for our city, and deserve our unqualified support. We should give it unstintedly, for they have a great opportunity to bring us a district and probably a State championship.

At eight-thirty, Slaton went into the final game with Forrest, New Mexico. This team had not been defeated in three years, and owing to an easy bracket and the non-appearance of some of their opponents, they had had to play only one game at the tournament to go into the finals. They were fresh, and they almost played the exhausted Slaton girls off their feet, before they rallied in the last quarter to win by the score of 31 to 20.

Coach Wilhite's usual starting team was: Self, Saage, and Potet forwards; Banks, L. Harper and Patterson, guards; Helen Harper, regular guard, was ill and did not attend the tournament and though her teammates missed her very much, her place was ably filled by Inez Patterson. Other players who helped win the trophy for Slaton were: Maurine Mitchell, Trixie Jackson, Irene Cook, Nellie Price and Jo Vita Blundell.

After the Forrest-Slaton game Saturday night, Lawyer Wicks, of Ralls, presented the following trophies: First place, Slaton, second place, Forrest, New Mexico; consolation prize, Croton. Miss Gregory, of Petersburg, was high-point forward, with Saage, of Slaton, second.

A first and second all-star tournament team was read. Slaton placed Saage, forward, and Captain Banks, guard, on the first team, and Potet, forward, on the second team.

The Slaton girls, with their chaperon, Miss Thelma Potet, occupied six rooms at the Ralls Inn, which were provided by the business men of Ralls. They were treated with every courtesy, and were complimented upon their modesty and becoming behavior as well as their good sportsmanship.

The Tigresses play at Lubbock this week-end for the County championship, and they play Southland a practice game here next Wednesday night.

R. M. A. To Have Membership Meeting

The Retail Merchant's Association will have a membership meeting on Monday night, February 8, in the R. M. A. office. It is very important that each and every member be present, as new officers for the year are to be elected at that time.

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Some folks wonder what this column is all about anyway. Its only business, friend, is to spy on the well known human race and print what is printable of that which it beholds.

A criminologist says crime exists because it pays. We wish the newspaper publishing business existed for the same reason.

Furthermore, judging by rumors that are afloat, candidates this year who depend on the Solid South being solid may again find it anything but.

One great source of trouble in the business world is that lots of people transact lots of things and call it business when it isn't.

Congressman Wright Patman, the gentleman from Texas who was after Mr. Mellon's goat, having stood pat now probably thinks he was also right.

At this writing the Japanese are holding all that portion of their own territory that is beyond the reach of the Japanese guns.

More and more we suspect the real cause of the Sino-Japanese conflict was that Japan really wanted war.

A writer says that Shanghai is divided into three parts. So was "omnia Gallia," so our high school Latin taught us, and just think what happened to Gaul! Gaul was shanghaied and now Shanghai is being gauged.

And proof that Japan is strictly modern is furnished by the fact that after all her crimes in Manchuria she insists that she is acting only in self defense.

One thing no human can accomplish is to live as well as he tells other folks they ought to live.

If the economic theory is correct that demand must precede the supply then who was it that demanded flappers and jellybeans?

Someone has said that the greatest inventor of all time was the man who invented interest, but as a scheme for playing havoc with a whole world we are inclined to award the prize to the man who invented installment purchasing.

Prosperity is of course just around the corner, but undoubtedly it must have a flat tire with no cold patches.

A hot contest has been waged over whether Ruth Judd was sane or insane, but both sides seem to be agreed that her victims are dead.

And Ruth's trial quickly developed—or degenerated—into a very sordid affair, which was, however, to be expected inasmuch as the crime itself was of that sort.

Styles have changed again, and beach beauties this season will wear some clothes—not many, but some.

We know for sure that our lot in life is a hard one, because when we try to be funny people frown and when we try to be serious they laugh.

We wonder if that happy day will ever arrive when we can contemplate the past and record in this column a remark something like this: "What has become of the old-fashioned road hog?"

Of all the candidates seeking office this year only one county office is being sought by a citizen of Slaton, which is a fact Slaton voters should not forget when they go to the polls in July. Surely Slaton is entitled to that much representation in the county affairs. Don't you really think so?

President Hoover wants war declared on those who hoard. The fact seems to be that the man who needs to hoard the least is the only one who does it, whereas the man of small means who ought to hoard does not. How many of us in times like these wish we were guilty of that awful

crime! It would be mighty nice right now if we had a little surplus laid away to draw on.

The League of Nations has proven itself human, because it gets awfully peeved at being just ignored, and that is all that Japan is doing or has ever done to the League.

The farmer who takes a cowhide to town and sells it for a penny a pound and then pays nine dollars for a pair of shoes probably wonders in which of those transactions he got cheated. Both of them, friend, both of them!

Al Smith says he has settled the question of his candidacy but that it is as yet a secret. Well, the American people have already settled the question of Al's election, which is no secret.

Of course this country could do much worse than to elect Al Smith to the presidency, but the real trouble is that the country seems convinced also that it can do far better.

The life of a politician is undoubtedly a hard one, for two reasons: Because he doesn't know precisely where the people stand on such embarrassing questions as prohibition, and because the people don't know either where they stand.

Of course it is not true that two can live as cheaply as one, nevertheless there are these day whole families living more cheaply than one used to live.

And it would be well to keep in mind that living cheaply and living cheap are two different things. Lots of cheap people do anything but live cheaply, while others have the false notion that living cheaply makes them cheap. Rather, in lots of cases it is evidence of good sense.

How can a Filipino these days crave independence unless it be that he prefers to be owned by Nippon than by Uncle Sam? With his proximity to Japan how long does he suppose he would remain independent once he was turned loose to paddle his own canoe?

Enlightenment owes much to propaganda; safety owes much to having avoided being influenced by it.

He who rages whenever some one announces a discovery of fact at variance with his pet notions thereby admits that his pet notions are at variance with fact, or that they cannot compete in a contest with fact.

In these hard times it should be borne in mind that few people in this world have gone hungry who placed a firm reliance in themselves.

Of course all things come to those who wait, but many a tramp has become mighty hungry waiting for a meal to arrive. The same is true of all who wait for someone else to feed them, and also of those who today form no definite plan as to how they are going to eat on the morrow. There is nothing quite so valuable in this economic scheme as having a little foresight, looking to the future and making some provision for it.

The fellow who on tomorrow finds himself in a predicament is the fellow who today makes no plans for tomorrow, just as the fellow who today finds everything all wrong gave today no thought on yesterday.

The American tradition is that the great office of president should seek the man and not that the man should seek the office. Just now that office is seeking thirty-six Democrats and twenty-seven Republicans to fill it.

TAXES! TAXES! TAXES!

On January 18, Senator Watson broke a thirty-year rule of the Senate by asking that a petition be read. The petition, presented by the Federation of American Business, said: "Today combined American governments are spending one-quarter or more of our national income. No nation can stand that drain and continue to function. . . . The business men of the country, regardless of party, demand that government cease its policy of meddling and repression and perform the political functions for which it was created."

On January 19, Senator Borah said that a reasonable reduction of salaries of Governmental employees would save the taxpayers some \$200,000,000 or \$250,000,000 a year. He introduced a bill to reduce salaries of \$5,000 or more by 6 to 2 per cent, with the exception of the judiciary.

On January 19, Governor Moore of New Jersey presented a plan for reorganization of the State government, the abolition of 42 commissions and other measures designed to re-

duce governmental expenditures by millions of dollars. He said that the taxpayer needs aid and must be helped.

On January 19, J. A. Emery, representing the National Association of Manufacturers, in testimony before a House committee, said total expenditure of the States and Federal Government and local units was \$13,500,000,000 to \$14,000,000,000 in 1930, of which \$10,250,000,000 was raised by taxes and the rest borrowed, representing deferred taxes. He urged broadening of the tax base and advocated that Government abandon all unnecessary expenditures, adjust compensation in the Government service, and eliminate unnecessary new projects.

On January 19, the New York Times, in a long lead editorial, said: "If the lavish measures proposed and backed with so much passionate and demagogic appeal were allowed to go through, they would ruin our public finance, and bring on disaster greater than any which the depression has led in its train. . . . Americans may as well make up their minds that they have no Great Father at Washington to relieve them from all their distresses."

Tho, taxation is becoming our foremost national issue. Excessive taxes threaten industrial development, home building, employment, the investment of capital, progress of all kinds. Those who are fighting against it are fighting in the interest of every citizen, no matter what his station in life may be.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

One hundred and twenty-three years ago today—on February 12, 1809—Abraham Lincoln was born. In his day, and particularly during those long purgatorial years of fratricidal strife known to history as the American Civil War, he was maligned, criticized and calumniated as never before or since was public official abused. Nevertheless, there were great and far-seeing men of his own day who hailed him as The First American, and The Typical American. So he was, but he was far more than an American.

He died at 7:22 A. M. April 15, 1865 the victim of an assassin, the great martyr on the altar of his country, fighting the battles of human freedom "with malice toward none, with charity for all, as God gives us to see the right!" With his passing forthwith came a belated appreciation of his worth and sterling character, unwavering honesty, impeachable sincerity, unswerving wisdom and foresight. When he breathed his last, William H. Seward, a member of his cabinet, exclaimed, "He now belongs to the ages!" From that moment the fame of Abraham Lincoln, the man of sorrows, the rail splitter, the man of lowly and humble origin, but withal a man of destiny, has grown with the years. The world's estimate of him is finer and its appreciation of his life and works and character greater than before. The passage of time adds to his luster.

A great orator once said of him, "He was the only man in the history of the world who, having been clothed with almost absolute power, never abused it, except on the side of mercy!"

Abe Lincoln—Honest Abe he was known, even when a boy—had millions of enemies, but history will search in vain for one instance where he was an enemy of any man, woman or child. His enemies were people who failed to understand his great and inscrutable nature. He was too great to be understood. He is not yet fully understood. Emerson says that "To be great is to be misunderstood." Jesus, Socrates, all the great and noble souls who have been benefactors of mankind, were and still are misunderstood—and misrepresented.

As the years fade, hatred of the great President and humanitarian disappears. With better understanding of Old Abe love has come to take the place of hate. In his untimely death the South, that had seceded on his election to the presidency, lost its truest friend. At no time did he consider the South his enemy, but merely as wayward and erring sons, whose sincerity and honesty he did not question. When the South lay prostrate in defeat, the great heart of the Saviour of the Union bled for them. The thought uppermost in his mind was forgiveness. "With malice toward none, with charity for all," was his living sentiment and his dying sentiment—his dominating life policy. His heart beat in unison with the great throbbing heart of oppressed humanity everywhere, in every country, in every age. Henry Ward Beecher expressed it beautifully when he said of Old Abe: "Oh Illinois, four years ago we took from your midst an untried man, and from among the people; we return him to you a conquering hero. Not thine anymore, but the nations; not ours but the world's."

Civilization to this date has not produced the equal of Abraham Lincoln. Time cannot last so long as to outrun humanity's memory of him, or humanity's love and appreciation of his life and character. He is more than an institution; more than a shrine; more than a fountain of all that is good, worthy and noble. He is humanity's symbol of humanly, of self sacrifice, of justice, of mercy, of greatness. He is still more: He is the embodiment of all humanity's finest and noblest ideals—intensely human, yet humanity's closest approach to the sublime and the divine!

A SENSIBLE DECISION

A citizen of Wichita County, Texas, owned a private pond, located on his own land. In that pond were fish which the owner had put there for his own personal and private use. At his pleasure he caught some of those fish and used them for food for his family. He was arrested, tried and convicted in the trial court of Wichita County for violating the State fishing laws. He pleaded not guilty, and asserted his right to use his own private property as he saw fit for his own use. But that right was denied by the law officers and a trial court, and, as before stated, he was convicted and a penalty imposed. We admire that man's spunk, because he did not then acquiesce. He appealed the case to the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin—a court of last resort in such matters, composed of three level headed gentlemen learned in the law and jealous to guard th constitutional rights of our citizens. That court on review of the case held the other day that the man had violated no law; that he had the constitutional and lawful right to fish at pleasure from his own private pond, and accordingly reversed the unrighteous and preposterous decision of the lower court.

It was, of course, a highly sensible decision, but the effort of the lower court and officials to place such a construction on the law and to convict and punish a citizen for such exercise of the private right of property and enjoyment of private property rights is at least an indication of the lengths to which some people clothed with official authority are inclined to go in unreasonableness and fanaticism. If the decision of the lower court was the law in this land, and such the rule as to the use and enjoyment of private property, it would place us lower down in the scale of progress and civilization than were the American savage Indians at the time of the discovery of this continent. And, needless to say, it is such oppressive and unreasonable interpretation of the laws that breeds contempt and distrust for all law and the courts on the part of the average citizen. Be it remembered, however, that an educated and enlightened public sentiment is, in the last analysis, the citizen's safeguard against tyranny, injustice and oppression, and our great courts of last resort are additional safeguards of human rights, of life, of liberty and of property. These great courts of last resort should not be blamed for the petty injustices and oppressions committed by many of our lower courts, many of which are not conducted for the purpose of dealing of justice between citizens and the State, but for the purpose of making a fat living for the heads of those petty courts, regardless of individual rights, the law and the Constitution.

THE COMING DEADLOCK

For sometime past the average Democrat has believed that there was no real opposition to Franklin Roosevelt as the outstanding candidate for the Democratic nomination. That the New York Governor's nomination was certain seemed a foregone conclusion. Al Smith would support Roosevelt.

That is all changed. Alfred E. Smith, the Democratic standard bearer in 1928, who polled a greater popular vote than that of any other man in the history of America except his opponent, Herbert Hoover, has formally announced that he will accept the 1932 nomination if tendered to him. There is no denying Smith's popularity and influence. His decision instantly alters the whole situation. He is in the field against Roosevelt. It means a battle royal when the democratic convention meets at Chicago this summer. The present impression is that a deadlock will be the result, similar to the memorable deadlock at Madison Square Garden in 1924 between McAdoo and Smith when neither received the nomination.

The interesting question is, if the deadlock results in 1932, as it most probably will, who will be the compromise candidate? There is Ritchie of Maryland, and Newton Baker of Ohio. Both have a following, but probably not big enough and determined enough to control the convention. Of course, should a deadlock result anything can then happen, and to undertake to predict the outcome is only

rank speculation. John Garner of Texas will have his backers. Very likely he will be presented by the Texas delegation as a favorite son, then abandoned, and eventually, when deadlock between Roosevelt and Smith cannot be broken, he will be taken up and given the nomination by acclamation. Who can tell? Stranger things have happened. And undoubtedly worse things could happen. More and more John Garner looms as presidential timber.

Query Corner

QUESTIONS—FEB. 12.

- 1. With what do you play cribbage?
2. Of what nationality was Nacomi's mother?
3. What is the highest mountain peak in the U. S.?
4. What was Edwin Booth's vocation?
5. What is the national religion of Spain?
6. What was Buffalo Bill's surname?
7. What is the largest city in Canada?
8. Where is Mammoth Cave?
9. What percent of the population of the world does China have,
10. Where is Cape Horn?

ANSWERS—FEB. 5.

- 1. Sesame.
2. The 1st day of May.
3. Romeo Montague and Juliet Capulet.
4. Chalice.
5. Bluebacks.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County Of Lubbock.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 99th District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1932, in favor of Thurber Brick Company, a corporation, and against J. C. Smith, in the cause of Thurber Brick Company vs J. C. Smith No. 4968 in such court, I did, on the 4th day of February, 1932, at 11 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of real estate situate in the County of Lubbock, State of Texas, as the property of the said J. C. Smith, to-wit: Lots Nos. One (1), Two (2) and Three (3) in Block No. Ninety-three (93) in the Original Town of Slaton, in Lubbock County, Texas, and on the 1st day of March, 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. C. Smith in and to said property.

Dated at Lubbock, Texas, this 4th day of February, 1932.

WADE HARDY, Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas. 27-3t

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, County Of Lubbock.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 99th District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of January, 1932, in favor of Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company, a corporation and against M. F. Guetersloh, in the cause of Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company against M. F. Guetersloh, No. 4903 in such court, I did on the 4th day of February, 1932, at 11 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tract or parcel of real estate situated in the County of Lubbock, State of Texas, as the property of said M. F. Guetersloh, to-wit: All that part of Survey No. 47, Block I, G. C. Igo, containing 142.5 acres of land described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 40, Block I, which is the northwest corner of this section and tract; Thence South 988.5 varas to iron pipe for corner; Thence North 89 degrees and 30 minutes east 817 varas to a stake in the west line of Section No. 46; Thence North 981.5 varas to the northwest corner of Section No. 46 for northeast corner; Thence west 817 varas to the place of beginning.

And on the 1st day of March, 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the courthouse of said county I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said M. F. Guetersloh in and to said property.

Dated at Lubbock, Texas, this 4th day of February, 1932.

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- 6. The fifth Sunday in Lent.
7. David Copperfield.
8. Lowell.
9. Pear.
10. A hat or covering for the head.

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VALENTINES

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Legion Auxiliary News Column

The Legion Auxiliary will meet Friday evening, Feb. 12 at the Club House. After the business meeting, a program on Americanism and National Defense will be given. Miss Mae Murphy, of Lubbock will be with us and have a part on the program.

This promises to be one of the best programs of the year. A group of school children will have a part on the program. So be in your place and enjoy this splendid program.

Each year the observance of all patriotic holidays has played a very definite part in the National Americanism program of the American Legion. The year 1932 stands out because of the two-hundredth anniversary of the birthday of the "Father of Our Country," George Washington. The Boston National Convention passed resolutions pledging a nation-wide Legion cooperation with the George Washington Bicentennial Commission for the celebration of the observance.

The Commemoration will continue through the year until Thanksgiving Day and the observance of all other patriotic days throughout the year are built around George Washington.

Plans are going forward for the entertainment of our National President, Mrs. Louis N. Williams, during her visit to Texas this month. Mrs. Williams is giving Texas four days and we should show our appreciation by taking part in her entertainment. Our local Auxiliary members and Legionnaires are urged to attend the meeting in Amarillo on Feb. 19. Mrs. Williams will speak at the program given in the Chrystal Ballroom of the Herring Hotel at 8:15 P. M. Following the program will be a reception and dance. This is free to all Legion and Auxiliary members. The Amarillo unit is planning an "Oregon Trail" luncheon for Saturday noon.

SARDINE SAUCE.

This is made by making a sauce from a cup and a half of stock, a tablespoon and a half of butter and a half tablespoon of flour. Bone, skin and chop three canned sardines. Add to the sauce. Season with a little lemon, salt and pepper.

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'The Rainbow Trail' Zane Grey Romance

Alternating romance, drama, comedy and pure eye filling beauty in equal proportions, "The Rainbow Trail," Fox filmization of the famous Zane Grey romance, featuring George O'Brien, which had its first showing Thursday and Friday at the Palace Theatre, is a most welcome, and refreshing relief from the so-called sex and gangster plays that this reviewer, for one, has grown heartily tired of.

Opening with a bang, and not slackening its pace for an instant until it comes to the happy fadeout, the new film gripped the first audience in a manner that no other film has done in months.

Telling as it does the stirring adventures of a lone cowboy, who, single handed attempts to rescue three people from a hidden and impenetrable valley in the midst of a section infested with the West's most daring outlaws, it is packed with action, thrills and some of the hardest riding ever seen on the talking screen. Not only is it one of the most exciting films that local fans have seen in many a day, but the strong element of romance in it is of the most appealing type.

More than a word must be said regarding the truly breath-taking backgrounds of scenic beauty against which the action is projected. One reads that the Fox unit spent three weeks in the Grand Canyon, and penetrated to the loneliest regions by pack-train to secure them. The results, however, amply justify whatever hardships may have been encountered.

No picture, of course, could possibly

be so gripping if every part in it, no matter how small, were not perfectly acted. All the things that stand out are things that call for praise. Particularly notable in this regard, are the performances of George O'Brien himself. Petite Cecilia Parker, a newcomer to the screen, gives a notable performance as does the versatile Minna Gombell, Roscoe Ates, that side-splitting stutrer, James Kirkwood, J. M. Kerrigan and W. L. Thorne. Director David Howard deserves unlimited praise for the perfect accomplishment of what must have been a most arduous task.

COMMUNISM.

Beyond doubt one of the powerful reasons behind the reluctance of capital to embark in new enterprises or furnish additional money for established industries in the past two years has been the fear of Communism.

I am convinced that the overwhelming overthrow of the Labor Party in England and the recent revelations from Russia of the failure of the Soviet program at a dozen different points, have had more to do with re-

storing confidence among capitalists and industrial leaders than almost anything else which has happened.

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there was something degrading in manual work, and brought their children up to be bookkeepers, stenographers and office workers generally, instead of being miners, carpenters or factory workers like themselves.

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"The Big Parade" Returns In Sound

"The Big Parade," most heroic and stirring picture ever filmed, will make a triumphant return to the Palace Theatre starting Sunday, the revised version of the celebrated King Vidor production having been made doubly thrilling by the addition of sound effects.
During late years, according to officials at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, there has been a definite public demand for the revival of "The Big Parade," which prompted the producers to present it with the sound embellishments which were unknown when the picture as originally released.

Hear Soldiers Sing
Such effects as the sounds of the cannon, machine guns, airplanes, trucks and tanks add tremendous realism to the stirring war scenes and further realism is achieved by sound in the sequences in which war is first declared by the ringing of bells and the sounding of factory whistles. Also in the current version of "The Big Parade" you will hear the soldiers as they sing such robust marching songs as "You're in the Army Now," all of which gives the picture an entirely fresh aspect. Together with the new sound effects, the new version retains the original musical score as presented at the opening of the picture at Astor Theatre in New York. This was personally directed by Dr. William Axt, its creator, with a hundred-piece orchestra for the audible version.
"The Big Parade" is the picture which launched John Gilbert as a star and no player was more fortunate in the choice of a first starring vehicle for the picture is a tremendous and authentic portrayal of the war, a masterpiece of emotion and a great human comedy as well. Renee Adoree as Melisande, the French girl; Karl Dane, Hobart Bosworth, Clarie McDowell and Tom O'Brien play outstanding roles.

Story of Three Buddies
The story, written by Laurence Stallings, is a simple tale, simply but vividly told. Jim Apperson, an easy-going, likeable young American, enlists at the outbreak of the war, leaving his family and sweetheart. He becomes deeply attached to his two buddies, Slim and Bull, and the three go through a number of engrossing and stirring experiences. While stationed behind the lines, Jim falls in love with Melisande. The conclusion of the war, the outcome of his entanglement with the girl at home and his final return to France in search of Melisande provide the plot elements.

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of a story which wavers between comedy and pathos.
The reality of war has been magnificently brought home in this picture. Its horror, its tragic comedy and its romance have in this instance been wove into a true epic.

NEARLY ALL OF GRADING AND DRAINAGE ON 137 IS COMPLETE

Approximately 90 per cent of the grading and drainage work on highway 137 south and west of Lubbock, is completed.
Culverts have been completed and only some dirt work remains to be finished. D. W. Evans, Fort Worth, is the contractor. Traffic is being routed over the highway.

ROTARY

This week's program, on Friday, is "Abraham Lincoln."
Boyhood to Manhood, and up to the Presidency—Rev. Chas. Fike will pinch hit for Briggs Robertson, who is away this week and cannot get back.
Presidency to His Passing Away—C. C. Hoffman, Jr.
Visitors from Lubbock Rotary last Friday were: Jas. L. Quicksall, Jr., Guy R. Johnson.
Program for next Friday, 19th, will be "George Washington."
Subject: Boyhood to Manhood—up to the Presidency—Will Florence.

SHRIMP SAUCE.

Make a cup of white sauce of medium thickness. Add to this a half cup of cooked shrimps, a teaspoon of anchovy essence and a quarter teaspoon of lemon juice.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:

NO: I have no intention of leaving Slaton, but instead, will open an office in a few days. Location to be announced later.

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The same salesmen who sell meat take orders for butter and eggs. One delivery suffices where two would be needed if produce and meat were distributed separately. Handling them together makes workers more efficient. Therefore, cost of distribution, both of meat and of produce, are lowered.
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

The subject of the lesson-sermon was "Spirit" in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, February 7.

I Corinthians 2:12 furnished the golden text. "We have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God."

Included with the passages read from the Bible were these from I Corinthians 12:4,6: "Now there are diversities of operations, but it is the same God which worketh all in all."

The service also included the following citation from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy (p. 451):

"Man walks in the direction towards which he looks, and where his treasure is there will his heart be also. If our hopes and affections are spiritual, they come from above, not from beneath, and they bear as of old the fruits of the Spirit."

MRS. RAGSDALE HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Dick Ragsdale was hostess to the Wednesday Study Club on February 3, at her home at 350 West Lubbock.

During the business meeting the club voted to sponsor a pageant to be given during the District P. T. A. meeting here in April. The calendar committee was appointed for the next club year. Mrs. Hickman will be chairman and will be assisted by Mesdames Shanks, Pack, and Peavy. The study of Shaw's plays was continued with Mrs. Swint as leader.

The members responded to roll call with quotations from Shaw, after which two of his plays were reviewed. "Mrs. Warren's Profession" was told by Mrs. Swint and Mrs. Whitehead gave a discussion of "Arms and the Man."

A delicious plate lunch was served to the following members; Mesdames Harvey Austin, R. C. Ayres, J. H. Brewer, T. R. Cobb, J. A. Gillies, Ray Hickman, C. L. Pack, S. A. Peavy, K. L. Scudder, G. W. Shanks, Jess Swint, C. W. Taylor, K. C. Scott, A. E. Whitehead and one guest, Mrs. Marian Woodie.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met on Monday afternoon February 8th, 3:00 P. M. at the Manse in the Mission Study of the American Indian. The session was led by Mrs. Clifford Simmons, also the devotional. The business session was held first, after which time parts were given by Mrs. Chas. Pack, Mrs. W. Donald, Mrs. Clifford Simmons, leader and Mrs. Geo. H. Jones.

A very interesting lesson as had with nine members present. All members not attending are urged to attend.

A CALL TO PRAYER

You are invited to join in a Union Service in your Community, on the World Day of Prayer, February 12th, 1932, at The First Presbyterian Church, at 3:00 P. M. Members of all churches should attend.

LOYAL WORKERS CLASS HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Members of the Loyal Workers of the Methodist Sunday School held their regular monthly business and social meeting in the home of Mrs. W. P. Layne at 1100 South Second Street, on Thursday Feb. 4.

During the business session the following officers were elected for the year: Mrs. Ray Conner-President, Mrs. Clay Ross-Vice-President, Mrs. W. P. Layne-Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Porter-Assistant Sec.-Treas., and Mrs. Alton Young-Reporter.

Following the business meeting a delightful social hour was enjoyed during which the hostess passed a delicious plate lunch to those present.

MISS EUNICE FLORENCE HOSTESS TO J. C. & C. C.

The Junior Civic and Culture Club met last Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Cora Sealy with Miss Eunice Florence as hostess.

Mrs. J. S. Tekell, vice-present, presided at the business meeting, after which Miss Evelyn Stallings led the program on "Proverbs." Miss Stallings discussed "Proverbs of Old England." Miss Edith Marrs discussed "Negro Proverbs in America," and Mrs. Wright discussed "World Proverbs." Miss Hazel Manaker gave a part which was missed at an earlier meeting; "Occupation and Lying of the Negro."

Following the program, the hostess, assisted by Miss Sealy, served a delicious plate to the following; Misses

Evelyn Stallings, Edith Marrs, Fay Coltharp, Andrea Marriott, Ollie Mae Gaither, Vinita Bowen, Hazel Manaker, Inez Tunnel, Thelma Poteet, Jo Hestand, Gertrude King, Rubye Walker, and Mesdames P. W. Wright, J. S. Tekell, and Allan Ferrell. Two guests were also present, Mesdames Hayes and Lane.

Unless other arrangements are made, the next meeting will be with Miss Maggie George.

JUNIOR HIGH NOTES

Quite a number of our folks have been absent this week on account of sickness. Many have succumbed to the flu epidemic who had not missed a day from school this year. Don Hatchett was absent Monday-the first time he had missed school in three years.

The various Clubs held their regular meetings on Tuesday. All report interesting and helpful programs. The Junior English Club had Abraham Lincoln as their special subject and had a very interesting program.

Next week the program will center around the life of Washington. The debate will be Resolved-That Washington was the greatest president that we have ever had, Aff. Luene Anderson, Neg. Anna Faye Robinson.

The Club feels deeply the loss of one of its best members, Barbara Frye, who has recently moved to Amarillo. Due to the fact that money is scarce and pencil sharpeners are dull, we are using Master-Piece Seals to get pencil sharpeners instead of pictures this year-another evidence of depression.

Sunday School Report for Feb. 7.

7B	9 out of 24.
6B	6 out of 18.
Miss Sealy	
5A.	14 out of 28.
Miss Marrs	
6A.	32 out of 39.
Mrs. Killian	
5A.	21 out of 34.
Mrs. Wilhite	
5B.	18 out of 30.

We are not satisfied with this Sunday School report, are you? We realize that quite a number were out on account of sickness, but we know that many are just "out." Let's work together to the end that every child will be in some Sunday School each Sunday unless kept away by unavoidable circumstances.

Sunday School pupils make better sons, better daughters, better students, and in the years to come, better citizens.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET MONDAY

The Baptist Missionary Society is to meet Monday, Feb. 15, in the home of Mrs. B. O. Bowman, at 600 South 10th St.

The following program will be carried out at that time.

Hymn-Love Divine.
Bible Study; Love Never Fails: 1 Corinthians, 13: 1-13, by the leader, Mrs. Florence.

Prayer that we may have in our hearts a large portion of love that never fails.

Hymn-My Country 'Tis Of Thee. Washington after two hundred years by Mrs. Lysle.

The Strength of our nation by Mrs. George Green.

The perils of our nation by Mrs. Wiley-P. Martin.

Saving our nation by Mrs. Darwin and Mrs. Ferguson.

Prayer for God's blessings on all our home mission work.

Hymn-Living For Jesus.
Other Washingtons by Mrs. Grady Bounds.

Closing prayer that we shall be loyal to our flag and to the Christian flag and by our loyal support of Home Missions we shall hasten the time when Jesus shall reign in America and in the whole world.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Services for Sunday, Feb. 14:

Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching and Worship, 11 a. m.
Subject: "Work Out Your Own Salvation."

Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Subject: "The Sermon on the Mount."

ALBERT SMITH, Minister.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Meets each Lord's Day for worship at eleven o'clock, at the Club House on West Garza St.

J. T. Freeman, of Lubbock, will preach each 2nd Sunday, and Jack McCormick, of Littlefield, each 4th Sunday.

You are especially invited to attend these services.

Slatonite for Good Job Printing.

BAPTIST NOTES

The Sunday School is steadily growing in interest and numbers, there being 386 present, an increase of 16 over last Sunday. All those who do not attend Sunday School elsewhere are most cordially invited to meet with next Sunday morning at 9:45. The topic for next Sunday's lesson is "Jesus, the Slight of the World." The Scripture reference is John 9:1-11; 30-38.

Bro. Ferguson is bringing to his people some wonderful messages you should hear them, it will do you good. His theme next Sunday night will be upon the "Second Coming of Christ."

The B. Y. P. U. will meet on Sunday at 6:45 P. M. Please take note of the change of time.

The Junior Boys are an exceptionally live bunch. Almost all of them being 100 per centers.

The Men's Class, which meets in the office of the Plains Lumber Co., is doing some wonderful work. Having an attendance last Sunday of 22. Seven new members were enrolled. All men who do not attend Sunday School are most cordially invited to meet with this class.

On last Sunday night four Young People were buried in Holy Baptism and two more United with the church.

BRIDGE DIVERSION FOR EVENING IN CATES HOME

Mesdames W. H. Cates and Robert Bechtel were joint hostesses with a ten table bridge party in the Cates home at 645 S. 8th St. last Tuesday night.

The decorations were symbolic of Valentine and a Valentine motif salad was served to the following; Misses Margaret Smith and Exie Smith, Mesdames Frank Dyess and Edwin Hill, Messers and Mesdames R. A. Baldwin, Kirby Brown, J. M. Nicholson, J. H. Brewer, K. C. Scott, Horace Hawkins, S. A. Peavy, O. S. Arthur, J. A. Hightower, G. W. Shanks, R. C. Ayres, J. A. Gillies, B. Brady, K. L. Scudder, C. W. Taylor, R. D. Hickman, and Dick Ragsdale.

Mrs. Dr. Hightower and Mr. Horace Hawkins won high score, low as awarded to Mrs. K. C. Scott and Mr. J. M. Nicholson.

SMILE THAT WONT RUB OFF.

A modern flapper frankly states That modest maids are quite too slow. That while she keeps convention gait The flapper can annex her beau.

So taken up with modern guile, This flapper pulls queer stunts-a few She tucks her cheeks, affects a smile, And then repeats a time or two.

These efforts did improve her style And so increased her charm and grace That she did pull the winning smile, But got it smeared all over her face.

A. Watchman.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 14

Jesus the Light of the World
John 9:1-11, 30-38

GOLDEN TEXT-I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life. John 8:12.

John 9:
1 And as Jesus passed by, he saw a man which was blind from his birth.
2 And his disciples asked him, Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind?

3 Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents; but that the work of God should be made manifest in him.

4 I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work.
5 As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.

6 When he had thus spoken, he spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he annointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay.

7 And said unto him, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam. (which is by interpretation, Sent). He went his way therefore, and washed and came seeing.

8 The neighbor therefore, and they which before had seen him that he was blind, said, Is not this he that sat and begged?

9 Some said, This is he: others said, He is like him: but he said, I am he.

10 Therefore said they unto him, How were thine eyes opened?

11 He answered and said, A man that is called Jesus made clay, and annointed mine eyes, and said unto me, Go to the pool of Siloam, and wash: and I went and washed, and I received sight.

30 The man answered and said unto them, Why herein is a marvellous thing, that ye know not from whence he is and yet he hath opened mine eyes.

31 Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a wor-

shipper of God, and doeth his will, him he heareth.

32 Since the world began was it not heard that any man opened the eyes of one that was born blind.

33 If this man were not of God, he could do nothing.

34 They answered and said unto him, Thou wast altogether born in sins, and does thou teach us? And they cast him out.

35 Jesus heard that they had cast him out; and when he had found him, he said unto him, Dost thou believe on the Son of God?

36 He answered and said, Who is he, Lord, that I might believe on him?

37 And Jesus said unto him, Thou hast both seen him, and it is he that talketh with thee.

38 And he said, Lord, I believe. And he worshipped him.



Mr. and Mrs. Alton Young and little daughter, Betty Joyce, visited with relatives in Ralls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grant of 235 South 12th Street announce the arrival of a daughter, born February 2. Mother and baby are both doing nicely.

The many friends of Troy Armes will be glad to know he is improving.

Mrs. Joe Walker visited in Lubbock Tuesday. This was her first trip out since a serious operation two months ago.

F. H. Dyes, of San Angelo, has moved back to Slaton and is located in the Walter Olive place. He is connected with the Santa Fe here.

George Cooper, Santa Fe blacksmith, is serving on the jury in Lubbock this week.

James and Donald Shelby, sons of Mrs. H. T. Shelby are sick with the flu.

Miss Pearl Edmondson, a student in Tech, is ill with the flu.

Miss Joyce Schaffer went to Amarillo to spend the week-end and came down with the flu.

R. L. Kirsey, while at work at the Santa Fe shops, broke his leg Monday and was taken to the Clovis Hospital.

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Phone Appointment
HELEN MELTON

He is reported doing nicely.

Mesdames I. R. Moore and Langford, of Lubbock, visited Mrs. Leroy S. L. McCrary Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brannon are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Utter, in Amarillo.

Mrs. H. T. Shelby recieved the news this week that her brother, William Gordan of Newton Kansas, had died.

Dr. Cranbury, a Tech Professor, preached at the Methodist Church Sunday, Feb. 7

Mrs. J. D. Frye, a teacher in West Ward is ill at her home.

Mrs. W. E. Kercheval and son Earnest are both ill. Earnest has tonsillitis.

The regular monthly Worker's meeting of the Lubbock Baptist Association will meet in this Church on Tuesday, February 23rd. A splendid program has been prepared.

J. W. Lamb and family of Wilson called on friends here last Saturday.

Mr. Wilson Lott, who has been making his home with his brother, E. M. Lott for the past several months has gone to Los Angeles, Cal. to reside.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Foster were in Lubbock last Sunday afternoon and attended the funeral of Mrs. W. S. Posey.

Mrs. Mollie Hill, and Dr. A. R. and Mrs. Hill attended the funeral services of one of their old friends at White-wright Sunday. Mrs. Clay Ross had charge of the Hill Dining House during her absence.

Rev. W. P. Ferguson and son Travis were in Post last Sunday afternoon calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Preston and family of Meadow were the guest of relatives here and south of town last week-end. Their daughter, Mrs. Andrew Thornton accompanied them home.

R. V. Mullenix has returned home from a 3 weeks visit with relatives in East Texas.

Scout Master, L. B. Hagerman took his Boys Scouts to Lubbock last Saturday afternoon on a Scouting trip of

A VERY IMPORTANT CORRECTION.

Since the appearance of my ad in last week's issue of the Slatonite, I have had several people to call on me for prices about house wiring and such work.

Yes I can do your house wiring, but let the man do that whose business it is.

I shall do Auto Electrical and Mechanical work only except in case of Armature rewinding, which includes all kinds and sizes, both Auto and Commercial.

The following is a "Synopsis" outline of the training I have had; read it carefully and try to imagine the great importance of having an Auto Expert at your service.

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| 1. | "The Basis of Success" |
| 2. | "Power Plants" |
| 3. | "Handling the Gases" |
| 4. | "Removing Cylinder Heads and Cleaning Carbon" |
| 5. | "Valve Reconditioning and Adjustment" |
| 6. | "Sleeve Valve Engines" |
| 7. | "Elementary Ignition" |
| 8. | "Firing Orders" |
| 9. | "Engine Balance" |
| 10. | "Hand Tools" |
| 11. | "Clutches" |
| 12. | "Transmissions" |
| 13. | "Rear Axle Construction" |
| 14. | "Rear Axle Repairs" |
| 15. | "Springs and Shock Absorbers" |
| 16. | "Front Axles" |
| 17. | "Steering Gear" |
| 18. | "Brake Adjustment and Repair" |
| 19. | "The Carburetor" |
| 20. | "Carburetor Adjustments" |
| 21. | "The Fuel System" |
| 22. | "Cooling Systems" |
| 23. | "Cooling System Adjustment and Repair" |
| 24. | "Radiator Repairing" |
| 25. | "Valve Timing" |
| 26. | "Timing Chains and Gears" |
| 27. | "Engine Oiling" |
| 28. | "Pistons and Piston Rings" |
| 29. | "Engine bearings" |
| 30. | "Electricity Simplified" |
| 31. | "Auto-Electrical Work" |
| 32. | "Electricity and Electrical Circuits" |
| 33. | "Magnetism and Induction" |
| 34. | "The Generator" |
| 35. | "Motor and Generator Construction" |
| 36. | "Controlling the Generator's Current" |
| 37. | "Ignition" |
| 38. | "Battery Ignition Systems" |
| 39. | "Magneto Ignition" |
| 40. | "The Electrical Test Bench" |
| 41. | "The Lighting System and Car Wiring" |
| 42. | "Storage Battery and Battery Testing" |
| 43. | "Repairing and Charging Storage Batteries" |
| 44. | "Troubles in Lighting and Wiring Systems" |
| 45. | "Generator Troubles, Tests and Repairs" |
| 46. | "Tests and Repairs on Control, Starter and Ignition Parts" |
| 47. | "Delco and Remy" |
| 48. | "Ford, Wagner, North-East and Dyneto" |
| 49. | "Bosch, Westinghouse and Lece-Neville" |
| 50. | "Auto-Lite, Atwater Kent and Do Jon" |
| 51. | "Trouble Shooting-Hard Starting" |
| 52. | "Trouble Shooting-Engine Stopping and Misfiring" |
| 53. | "Trouble Shooting-Lack of power and Overheating" |
| 54. | "Trouble Shooting-Poor Economy and Engine Noise" |
| 55. | "Trouble Shooting-Lights, Starter and Battery" |
| 56. | "Trouble Shooting-Transmission and Brakes" |
| 57. | "Tires and Tire Repair Work" |
| 58. | "Tire Repair Equipment" |
| 59. | "Tire Casing Repairs" |
| 60. | "Body and Fender Repairing" |
| 61. | "Automobile Painting" |
| 62. | "Acetylene and Electric Welding" |
| 63. | "Drill: and Drilling" |
| 64. | "Lathe Work" |
| 65. | "Light Trucks" |
| 66. | "Heavy Trucks" |
| 67. | "Motor Bus Work" |
| 68. | "Tractors" |
| 69. | "Track Laying Tractors" |
| 70. | "Tractor Fuel Systems" |

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inspection among the different new Public Buildings. The boys report a very enjoyable trip.

D. H. Hatchett and his entire family is ill at their home at 530 West Crosby.

Nick Montague was unable to attend school part of last week on account of flu.

Mrs. Claud Gentry, teacher in the Union school, is ill at home this week.

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He will give free consultation and examination. Services and medicines at reasonable cost, where there is need of treatment. Remember the date, and bear in mind that his treatment is different.

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Political Announcements

The Slatonite has been authorized to present the names of the following Candidate for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in their primary elections on Saturday, July 23rd. 1932.

For County Commissioner
J. T. Pinkston, of Slaton
 (Re-Election)

Pre. No. 2:
Forney Henry
 of Slaton

Precinct No. 2
T. W. Covington
 of Slaton

Precinct No. 3
W. P. Florence,
 of Slaton

P. G. Meading,
 of Posey

Briggs Robertson,
 of Slaton

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:
2nd Judicial District
Homer L. Pharr,
 of Lubbock

For re-election second term
Robert H. Bean,
 of Lubbock

of Crosbyton
W. P. Walker,

FOR STATE SENATOR
30th Senatorial District
Clyde E. Thomas,
 of Big Spring

For District Attorney
Frank D. Brown
 of Lubbock

George S. Berry
 of Lubbock

Dan Blair,
 of Lubbock

For Sheriff:
T. J. (Tom) Abel
 of Slaton

J. C. Roberts
 of Lubbock

C. A. Holcomb
 of Lubbock

Wade Hardy,
 of Lubbock

Re-Election
For Tax Collector:
Wm. Hurley Carpenter
 of Lubbock

Sam T. Davis
 of Lubbock

Albert S. Darby
 of Lubbock

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
Fred Spikes, of Lubbock

FOR COUNTY CLERK:
Jim W. Hodges
 of Lubbock

Ed Allen,
 of Lubbock

W. H. Meador,
 of Lubbock

Mrs. Floe Swenson,
 of Lubbock

For County Attorney
Vaughn E. Wilson,
 of Lubbock

Re-Election

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When placing an ad in this column, leave instructions as to the number of issues in which the advertisement is to appear, remitting the regular rate of 2c per word for each issue.

This column has, on a number of occasions, proved justifiable to patrons, and the Slatonite feels justified in conducting it on a strict and fair business basis.

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Man For Railroads

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This great industry is now in distress and will cease to function unless the people awaken to their duty and responsibility and enact measures which will put it on a basis of equality in taxation and regulation with competing forms of transportation.

We find the freight truck, passenger bus and government subsidized waterways in operation, in competition with the railroads.

Is it fair competition? Who pays for the building of roads and waterways? Did the freight trucks, passenger buses, barge and steamship lines build them? How much taxes do they pay toward building and maintaining them? What share do the property owners pay? What share do the railroad companies pay? Should the railroads cease to operate, and they must unless we throw our loyal support to them, what will become of many of the various industries? Which will be affected most? What will happen to the farmer; the merchant; the stockman; the manufacturer and various others? Should they fail, every individual will feel the lasting and far reaching effect. Is it time that we become alarmed. Is it not time for us to wage a campaign for, and patriotically stand by, our railroads?

Read the Slatonite's Editorials.

TARTARE SAUCE.
 This is a favorite with fried fish. To make it mix a tablespoon of chopped sour cucumber pickle and a half teaspoon of finely chopped shallot of onion with a cup of mayonnaise.

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SHRIMP SAUCE.
 Make a cup of white sauce of medium thickness. Add to this a half cup of cooked shrimps, a teaspoon of anchovy essence and a quarter teaspoon of lemon juice.

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Walter Donald is sick with the flu this week and unable to attend school.

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SUSAN LENOX (The Fall and Rise)

Chamber of Commerce News

By A. J. PAYNE, Secretary

Meeting of the Directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development was held last Tuesday night, with the following present: President John W. Hood, C. F. Anderson, H. G. Sanders, A. Kessel, C. A. Bruner.

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Salad Wafers 2 for	27c	KC	19c
Red and White No. 1	9c	Boy Brand No. 2	9c
Campbells 2 For	15c	Blue and White	21c
Blue and White 1 Lb.	17c	1-4 Lb.	10c
Red and White 1 Lb.	39c	Red and White 2 Lbs.	75c
Dry Apricots or Peaches	2 Lbs.		25c
Red and White	12c	Title Tissue 2 for	17c
15 Oz.	19c	Red and White 6 Bars	19c
CATSUP	19c	SOAP	19c
Mayonaisse	Sandwich Spread 1000 Island 8 Oz.		17c
Spuds	10 Lbs.		17c

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