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School Trustee Resigns

Martindale Off Board; Vacancy Until April

J. W. (Curly) Martindale resigned from the Slaton School Board, effective Dec. 5, it was announced during a regular meeting of trustees Monday night in the school business office.

The board accepted the resignation and decided to take no action on appointing a replacement, since Martindale's term expires next April.

In a written letter of resignation, Martindale stated, in part: "I have enjoyed serving with you as a member of this board. Other responsibilities make it necessary for me to take this action. I extend my best wishes to you for a successful school program."

In other business, the board approved installation of two mercury - vapor lights behind the new west stands at Tiger Stadium, approved purchase of six tires and tubes for the activity bus, adopted a policy of requiring a male driver on the girls' basketball bus, changed the board meeting date for the next three months, and approved bills.

A change in the Christmas holiday period was also voted by trustees. School will dismiss Wednesday, Dec. 21, following Christmas programs and room parties--probably around 2:30 p.m. Classes resume on Tuesday, Jan. 3.

The board met Monday night instead of the usual first Tuesday because of basketball activity. Trustees set the first Monday at 8 p.m. for the next three months at the meeting night.

After a short discussion, trustees approved purchase of six front - line tires and tubes for the activity bus which is being repaired and renovated with the aid of the Tiger Club and the Lions Club. The bus--a government surplus vehicle--had old tires.

After again discussing a project to install sidewalks around Tiger Stadium, trustees decided to wait until the new stands were completed and trees removed before taking further action.

The board also discussed the need of office space for the girls' basketball coach, and the superintendent will check on available space in the new gym.

In response to an inquiry, the board decided to maintain a policy of not allowing dances in the old gym.

Board members present were Don Hatchett, president; Joe Miles, Willie Heinrich, Don Kendrick and Tommy Davis, Supt. Lee Vardy and tax assessor - collector Boyce Tucker were also present.

Blaze Destroys Cotton Trailers At Hackberry

The Slaton Fire Department answered an alarm at 12:45 p.m. Tuesday and rushed to Hackberry Gin. Men at the gin were attempting to extinguish the fire when volunteer firemen arrived on the scene.

An official at the gin, which is located near Southland, said 41 trailers loaded with cotton and one truck loaded with cotton were lost in the fire.

The truck was owned by Van Foster and was loaded with cotton belonging to Robert Lee Hagler. Trailers and cotton which burned belong to 16 or 17 farmers.

The losses were reportedly covered by insurance.

Harvest Nearing End

With the Slaton area and South Plains cotton harvest estimated over 90 percent complete this week, no bale count survey was made by The Slatonite.

Last week's area survey showed 42,611 bales had been produced in 12 Slaton area gins. A final count will probably be made next week.

Ideal weather has prevailed much of the time the past month. Temperatures dipped to lows of 16 to 19 degrees on Friday and Saturday, but the mercury

climbed up to 82 Tuesday with a low of 60.

The South Plains cotton harvest was over 90 percent complete on Friday, Dec. 2 and samples from 1,066,000 bales of cotton had been received by the three area classing offices through Friday, according to W. K. Palmer, in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office of the USDA.

Through Friday, the Lubbock office had classed 726,000 samples of this year's crop, the Brownfield office 132,000

and the Lamesa office 104,000. This brought the total classed this season at the three offices to 962,000. The three offices had 104,000 unclassified samples on hand on Friday. This brought the total classed and received by the three offices to 1,066,000.

Middling Spotted was the predominant grade at Lubbock last week with 24 per cent of all cotton classed, Middling Light Spotted made up 19 per cent, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 22 per cent, Strict Low Middling Spotted 18 per cent, and all Tinged grades 9 per cent. Fourteen per cent was reduced in grade because of bark.

Staple length continued to average approximately 15/16 of an inch. One-half of all cotton classed at Lubbock last week was 15/16, 28 per cent was 29/32, 4 per cent 7/8, 12 per cent 31/32, and 6 per cent 1-inch and longer.

Twenty per cent of the cotton "miked" in the Lubbock office was 2,6 and below, 33 per cent "miked" 2,7 through 2,9, 26 per cent was 3,0 through 3,2, 9 per cent 3,3 and 3,4, and 12 per cent was 3,5 and better.

The Consumer and Marketing Service of the USDA reported continued active trading in the new crop cotton with prices lower for some qualities. Average prices for the predominant grades in the 3,5 to 4,9 micronaire range were: Middling Light Spotted 29/32 - 18,30, Middling Light Spotted 15/16 - 18,75, Middling Light Spotted 31/32 - 19,25, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 29/32 - 17,30, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 15/16 - 17,80, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 31/32 - 18,20, Middling Spotted 29/32 - 16,60, Middling Spotted 15/16 - 17,05 and Middling Spotted 31/32 - 17,05.

Prices paid farmers for cottonseed ranged from \$60 to \$76 per ton.

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Plains Bale Count Set at 1.3 Million

The Dec. 1 estimate of cotton production from the 23 High Plains counties represented by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., totals 1,313,500 bales, 104,750 bales below the estimate made on Nov. 1.

Estimates are made jointly by PCG and the Lubbock Cotton Exchange each year on the first of each month, August through December.

The drop from the Nov. 1 estimate is generally ascribed to under guessing the damage done by the mid-October freeze which blanketed much of the area.

three offices had only received 531,000 bales, which was less than 45 per cent of the 2,205,000 bales finally harvested.

The Oct. 1 estimate for this year, made after beneficial rains and before the devastating October freeze, set the High Plains crop at 1,585,000 bales. If the final estimate of 1,313,500 bales is assumed correct, then the early freeze can be said to have cost the area 271,500 bales or about 17 per cent of anticipated production.

The untimely cold weather also contributed to the lower quality of this year's crop, down in every category excepting staple length.

As of Nov. 25, the date of PCG's latest semi - monthly quality report, micronaire on this year's cotton stood at a 3,3 average, compared to 3,5 at a period last year when only a little greater percentage of the

Christmas Holidays

Slaton Public Schools will dismiss following Christmas parties at approximately 2:30 p.m. Wed., Dec. 21 for the Christmas holidays.

Classes will begin again on Tues., Jan. 3, with mid-term exams scheduled for Jan. 18-20.

St. Joseph's School will dismiss Thursday afternoon, Dec. 22, following the singing of Christmas carols and Santa's visit. Classes will again resume on Mon., Jan. 2.

FM-400 Traffic Change Noted

Effective Monday, Dec. 12, FM-400 will be open to through traffic at the end of S. 9th Street under the US-84 bypass.

Stop signs on FM-400 at the intersection south of town will be removed, while the stop signs coming into FM-400 off the bypass will remain, according to Julian F. Smith, resident engineer with the Texas Highway Dept.

The intersection has been a four-way stop during the completion of construction and paving work around the area.

Southland P.O. Now Branch Of Slaton Office

The Southland Post Office has been changed from a fourth class office to a rural branch of the Slaton Post Office, it was revealed this week.

Along with the change in classification, the office has moved one door east and improved equipment added. The office will be served by the Slaton Post Office with Mrs. Patsy Gilliland as clerk.

Receipt and dispatch of mail will be handled in the same manner as the past. Office hours will be 8 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4:30 Monday through Friday, and from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday.



YES, VICKI, THERE IS A SANTA CLAUS

Lynn Trotter, 6, was surprised and young lady when Santa Claus visited her Mercy Hospital Saturday. Vicki was by a car the first week of school,

and has been hospitalized since. The Slaton Young Homemakers Club is making sure Vicki and her family have a merry Christmas. (Slatonite Photo)

Youth Center Reaches Success

The goal for starting a youth center has been reached, and the Youth Center has signed a contract for remodeling work, it was announced this week by Mrs. Bob Ayers, chairman.

COLUMN 1

By Speedy Nieman

Christmas Shopping Season Starts Here

Santa Claus arrived in Slaton for his first visit of the Christmas season last Saturday, and the cool North Pole breeze accompanying old Saint Nick didn't dim the interest of the youngsters.

As a part of his visit, Santa aided the Christmas "opening" promotion of Slaton merchants by drawing the names of three winners of gift certificates totaling \$210.

Winning the early Christmas gifts were Mrs. A. Dennis, \$110; Mrs. Greg Nowlin, \$60, and Mrs. Louise Smith, \$40. The retail trades committee of the Slaton Chamber sponsored the project.

And, the Christmas shopping season began in earnest Friday and Saturday as the Yule lights and decorations were in place to add the holiday atmosphere to the city. Eye-catching lighting on the water tower on N. 9th and on the Southwestern Public Service antenna were new additions to the Christmas decorations.

Merchants will start another registration this week for a free portable television set to be given away on Dec. 16--

Home Lighting Entries Sought

Deadline for entering the annual Christmas Home Lighting Contest is just one week away, Slaton Chamber of Commerce manager Wayne Cooper reminded this week.

Two cash prizes are being offered by the chamber to create more interest in home decorations and lighting. Winner will receive \$35 and the runner-up will earn \$15.

Judging will be based on overall decorations, including doors, windows and yards. Out-of-town judges will be used. Deadline for entering is Dec. 15. Persons wishing to enter their homes in the contest should mail an entry or contact the chamber office. An entry blank is provided below.

1966 SLATON HOME LIGHTING CONTEST ENTRY BLANK

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

Complete the blank and mail or bring to the Chamber of Commerce office, City Hall, P. O. Box 782, Slaton. Deadline for entries is December 15th.

Weather table with columns for DATE, HIGH, and LOW, listing temperatures from Dec. 1 to Dec. 7.

Watch for Fabulous Friday Specials Next Week!

Installation Held For Hairdressers

Installation of officers was held Monday night in Monterey Reddy Room in Lubbock for the Texas Hairdressers and Cosmetologists of Lubbock, Affiliate 26.

Two Slaton women were included in the slate of officers. Installed were Chuck Robinson, president; Mrs. Joe Ball, vice - president; Mrs. Janice Sharpe, treasurer; Mrs. Barbara Hyder, secretary; all of Lubbock, and Mrs. Winnie Vaughn, district representative; and Mrs. Charlotte Sartor, historian, both of Slaton. Mrs. Vaughn is owner of Cinderella Beauty Salon and Mrs. Sartor is a beautician there.

For the program, a contest of eight contestants was held. The winners will compete in the All Texas Beauty Show to be held in Dallas Feb. 3-7. The three winners were from Lubbock.

Cookies and coffee were served to approximately 40 persons who attended.

R. F. Stegemöller and Son, Slaton, recently sold an Aberdeen-Angus bull to A. J. Gickhorn and Sons, Wilson.



MRS. BERVIN RAY ROBERTS (Miss Opal Fay Willis)

Willis-Roberts Vows Repeated

Miss Opal Fay Willis and Bervin Ray Roberts of Hobbs, N. M., pledged double ring vows on Nov. 28 at 1 p. m. in the Parkway Church of the Nazarene in Lubbock. The Rev. Conley Henderson officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Willis of Slaton and parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Ruby Canada of Archer City, Tex. and Odie

Roberts of Hobbs, N. M. The bride wore a royal blue suit with black accessories. After a wedding trip to Midland, the couple resides at Andrews where the groom is employed by El Paso Natural Gas Co. He is a graduate of Hobbs High School.

The bride graduated from Slaton High School and was employed by Bell Dairy Products, Inc. in Lubbock.

Cub Leaders Meet Tonight

A leader's meeting for Cub Scout Pack 128 will be held tonight in the Slaton Savings and Loan building. All den mothers and committeemen are urged to be present. R. M. McMillin is pack master.

The next pack meeting for the scouts is scheduled for Thursday night, Dec. 15 at 7:30 p. m. in the Junior High Cafeteria.

Officers Installed At County HD Meet

A joint meeting of all Lubbock County Home Demonstration Clubs was held from 10-2:30 last Friday at the South Plains Electric Co-op building in Lubbock.

The session opened with a fellowship and a coffee. Mrs. Mildred Patterson, county home demonstration agent, introduced the presidents of the various clubs, and they in turn introduced the members of their club who attended.

Leadership training was given for all officers. Following a salad luncheon, Mrs. Tom (Margaret) Box, state secretary of Texas Home Demonstration, installed county council members and committee chairmen for 1967.

Council officers include Mrs. W. L. Miller of Lubbock, chairman; Mrs. C. B. Allen of Lubbock, vice - chairman; Mrs. Tommy Schroeder of Ropesville, secretary; and Mrs. Milt Ardrey of Slaton, treasurer.

Committee chairmen are Mrs. Ardrey, finance; Mrs. Allen, yearbook; Mrs. W. M. Kill-

Society News

Centurettes Have Christmas Program

"Keeping Christ In Christmas" was the title of the program presented by Mrs. Jack Haire when the Centurettes met Monday night in the Slaton Club House.

Members Mmes. Bob Hopper, Donald Basinger, Melvin Basinger, Jack Haliburton, Holly Sims, Sammie Crowson, Dwight Davis and Haire answered roll call with a Christmas wish. Mrs. Hopper, president, conducted the business meeting. She also served refreshments.

A program on Thanksgiving was given by Mrs. Pat Taylor when the club met for its November meeting on Nov. 21. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Donald Basinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred England of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Johnson and daughters, Nell and Mary of Dallas; and Mrs. Dewey Pierett of Bieville, were weekend guests recently in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Fred England and Cynthia of Irving. The group attended the ball game between the Dallas Cowboys and the Cleveland Browns.



SANDRA KAY SIMMONS

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Claude M. Simmons Jr. of Rt. 1, Slaton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Kay, to Thomas Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clements, 450 W. Edwards, Slaton.

Miss Simmons is a 1966 graduate of Slaton High School, and a student at Lubbock Commercial College. Clements is also a 1966 graduate of Slaton High School, and is serving with the U. S. Air Force.

The wedding date will be announced later.



CAGEY HAT... A sorrowful Arctic fox peeks from a leather "cap-cage", fashioned from a dog muzzle, for this unique bonnet. The "cagey" hat is from the new winter collection presented by London's milliner Simone Mirman.

ITEM: America is believed to be entering a Baroque period in its decorating tastes. The Baroque style originated in the late 16th Century and is characterized by sweeping flattened curves, exaggerated scale, and a general effect of opulence, often created by the use of rich, fantastic and exotic motifs.

ITEM: When buying meat, consider the amount of lean meat in the cut, not the cost per pound. Some cuts contain bone, gristle and fat waste. For example, ground beef and beef short ribs may cost the same per pound, but ground beef will give twice as many servings a pound.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fondy have returned home after visiting with their son, Chester and daughter-in-law, Dorothy, and Darlene in Houston.



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MR. and MRS. O. W. Ray announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Peggy Lou, to Glenn Woods, son of Mrs. S. M. Woods and the late Mr. S. M. Woods of Abilene. The wedding will be Dec. 27th at 2 p. m. in the Chapel at the First Methodist Church of Slaton.

All friends of the family are cordially invited to attend the wedding and the reception immediately following in fellowship hall.

4-H Cooks Have Final Meeting

Units I and II of the 4-H Cooking School had their final meeting Monday to make cookies for the annual 4-H Christmas party.

The group previously attended five cooking sessions where they learned to prepare dishes from each of the food groups. The meetings were held in the Hubert Schwertner home with Miss Laverne Schwertner as instructor.

The girls recently had a Thanksgiving party with guests Angela Kitten, Lynn Wendel, Monica Gaydos and Diane Denzer. A luncheon was served and games were played.

Attending the final session were Corlis Wimmer, Annette Mosser, Christine Gaydos, Velda Kay Herman and Judy Denzer.

Gift Exchange, Salad Supper At Dorcas Meet

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church met at 6 p. m. Monday in the home of Mrs. Clifford Young for their Christmas party.

Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. E. W. Ham, Mrs. Nell Sartain, Mrs. Wade Thompson, Mrs. Lois Rogers and Mrs. Young.

Mrs. C. D. Willis, first vice-president, had charge of the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Sam Wilson, opening prayer was given by Mrs. J. L. Cartrite.

Mrs. T. E. McClanahan gave the devotional by reading "A Christmas Story". The minutes and treasurer's report were read by Mrs. Boyd Meeks.

Mrs. R. L. Smith read a Christmas story, "A Stranger Speaks In Bethlehem", with Mrs. L. B. Hagerman playing piano accompaniment. Mrs. Roy Collins led the closing prayer.

An exchange of Christmas gifts preceded a supper of salad pie, coffee and tea.

Visitors present were Mrs. Cartrite and her mother, Mrs. A. W. Powell, Mrs. J. L. Tims, Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Hagerman.

Members attending included Mmes. Dudley Berry, E. R. Burns, Edgar Moseley, H. E. Woods, C. R. Bain, T. N. Bicklers, Fred England, Ernest Carroll, Willis, Rogers, McClanahan, Thompson, Meeks, Smith, Ham and Young.

Sheet Tip
To help lengthen the life of sheets and pillowcases, vary the way you fold them. Constant creases in the same place weaken the threads.

More Girls
Women and girls outnumber men and boys in the United States by 3.6 million, according to information issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce's Bureau of the Census.



MRS. RODNEY GREEN (Miss Mary Ruth Green)

Wedding Vows Repeated In Lubbock Home

Wedding vows were pledged by Miss Mary Ruth Green and Curtis Rodney Green at 6 p. m., Nov. 23, in the home of the Rev. J. T. Bolding, Lubbock, associate pastor of First Baptist Church in Lubbock, who officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. George G. Green of Slaton and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Green of Ralls.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white linen sleeveless dress with an A-line skirt and scoop neckline. A white embroidered lace jacket completed the ensemble. It featured long sleeves and a small linen bow in front.

Her headpiece was a cascade of linen roses accented by seed pearls on a double layer of

white tulle. The bride was of white feather. Miss Thelma served as maid of honor in a royal blue velvet dress with long scoop neckline, and cuffs were white lace. Her bouquet was of blue velvet roses in a tulle. She carried a bouquet of white feather.

Dwight Gray of best man.

Miss Areta played wedding music. The couple left for the ceremony in the afternoon. They reside at 3117-A block.

The bride is Slaton High School junior at Texas Tech in medical technology. She is a Falls High graduate, attended Te-

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BIRTHS

11-30-66-- Mr. and Mrs. Everett A. Hodges, 1030 So. 12th St., parents of a boy, Michael Delma, weighing 8 lbs., 8 ozs.

12-5-66-- Mr. and Mrs. Hilario Vidaurre, Slaton, parents of a girl, Nancy Ann, 7 lbs., 6 ozs.

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Catholic Daughters Reading Machine

Catholic Daughters of St. Joseph's met in regular session last night at St. Joseph's.

Members were given on the occasion of the annual Christmas bazaar, and the district president, Mrs. August Kitten reported on a recent state meeting she attended, and read "A Christmas Prayer".

A Dutch lunch will be served and games will be played. Mrs. Louie Melcher, worthy Grand regent, explained the new point system, and appointed a chairman to publish a monthly newsletter.

A reading of "The Christmas Story" was given by Mrs. Alvis Joe Loke.

Games were played and refreshments served to 33 members. The next meeting is scheduled for Jan. 2.

ITEM: A safe deposit box is the most secure place to keep important family papers. The box is the ideal place for such family records as birth, marriage, and death certificates, also citizenship papers and social security records.

ITEM: Removing paint splatters from brick often leaves unsightly stains. Experts recommend they be covered with a flat, brick-color paint for best results. Once the touched up areas have weathered, they are relatively unnoticeable.

Mrs. Mary Lou Blair was admitted to Methodist Hospital last week and is still a patient there. When admitted, she was in intensive care.



It's a woman's WHIRL

BY LAVON NIEMAN

Candid photos of youngsters almost always turn out better than planned ones, and we couldn't turn down the opportunity we had Monday. Little Van Voigt came to the Slatonite door, stuck his head in, and said "What you doin'?" He wandered on out of Anthony's and was waiting on his mother, Mrs. Harold Voigt, who was trying to get some Christmas shopping done.

Under each arm, Van carried a cowboy boot. He was sporting a brand new pair of house shoes and was happy as could be.

"I didn't know the little fellow, so I said 'What is your name?' 'Just ole Mark', he said. When I asked if I might take a picture of him, he said 'I guess I ought to be going home, but okay'."

We had a most interesting conversation going on, with him telling me three times that his name was "Just ole Mark" and never a last name.

Then his mother arrived on the scene, and came to find out, his name really isn't "Mark". It is Van, but...he has a 10-year-old cousin named Lamar who he wants to be just like, so he calls himself Mark.

Most of you know Arvin Stafford, who is the owner of Slat-Co Printing in the building with the Slatonite. But maybe some of you didn't know he has four small children and as of this weekend now has another addition to the family...but only temporarily.

Knowing good and well there wasn't an addition due any time soon, it came as quite a surprise when Arvin announced Monday morning that he has another boy at his house.

Seems there wasn't room at an orphanage in Lubbock for the small baby and, while waiting for the baby to be placed in a permanent home, he and his wife volunteered to keep the baby as long as necessary.

The Stafford children are delighted, and their 8-year-old son made his wishes verbal when he said, "Mommy, I wish you'd borned that baby so it could be ours forever".

For some unknown reason, Neiman-Marcus sends The Slatonite a copy of its Christmas catalog each year. It's always interesting to see what the suggestion for the "His and Her" gift of the year is. One year it was twin airplanes.

This year, N-M offers his and her twin bathtubs, side by side, into which both can jump at the same time; go right on discussing that late party or exchanging early morning plans for the day, for ONLY \$4,000. (plus freight, installation and sales tax).

The tubs are made of porcelain cast iron set in a lacquered wood base with marble top and marble backboard.

I'm sure you have noticed the water tower lighted up for the Christmas season and the beautiful display above Southwestern Police Service. They add so much to the city's decorations.



1956 SLATON BASKETBALL TEAM



REUNION HELD--For the first time in 10 years, this group of girls (or are they women now?) got together to talk over how they "almost" won the regional and state basketball championship back in 1956. Shown around their coach and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hedges, in the Ernie Davis home are: front row, left to right - Mrs. Curtis Aycock, Mrs. Charles Norwood, Mrs. Don Wright, the Hedges, Mrs. Ronnie Kennedy, Mrs. Roland German and Mrs. Harley Castleberry; back row - Mmes. Bill Brown, Ronnie Kennedy, Bob Martin, Ernie Davis, G. A. Tesson, and Donald Basinger. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Reunion Held For Ex-Champs Saturday

Members of the Girls 1956 district and bi-district basketball championship team gathered in the home of Mrs. Ernie Davis Saturday night to reminisce over the games played 10 years ago.

A "Beat Tulia" poster over the serving table, centered with a decorated cake resembling a basketball court with the words "Slaton Tigerettes", set the atmosphere for the reunion party.

Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bob Martin and Mrs. Don Wright were hostesses for the occasion. Honored guests were Coach and Mrs. Willard Hedges.

Even though it didn't seem like 10 years since the group of girls had won district, beat Alpine for bi-district (73-43), and then played Tulia in the regional tournament in Lubbock and were defeated by only one point, they knew a lot had happened in this period of time. Most have families now and

haven't dribbled a basketball in quite sometime.

The winning team had an outstanding season of 30 wins and four losses. They recalled that even though they didn't get to play in the state meet, the school board paid their expenses for three days in Austin so they could see the games.

Coach Hedges served as girls' basketball coach and assistant football coach here from 1953 to 1956. From here he went to Frisco and then to Meadow as girls' basketball coach, from there to New Home where he was high school principal and girls' basketball coach, and now he is back in Meadow coaching girls' basketball. He and his wife have one son, Nicky, who is a junior at Meadow High School.

A variety of salads, ham, hot rolls, ice tea, coffee and cake were served to the 12 ex-basketball stars and their coach and his wife. Small basketball

dolls made by Mrs. Hedges and given to the senior girls for graduation that year, were used for centerpieces on the tables. The dolls wore basketball suits identical to those worn by the players, bearing the same hair-do and uniform number.

Color slides and movies were shown after the meal, then the exchanging of scrap books, newspaper clippings and pictures highlighted the rest of the evening.

Several of the women's husbands joined the group later for coffee and cake, and several parents also stopped by to see the Hedges.

This was the first time the girls had all been together in 10 years.

Attending the reunion were Mmes. Curtis Aycock (Barbara McCoy), Ronnie Kennedy (Alma Jean Winn), Roland German (Monty Dickson), Donald Basinger (Martha Alfred), Harley

Castleberry (Beth Lowry), Bill Brown (Betty Fondy), Charles Norwood (Karen Deaver) who was manager, G. A. Tesson (Carrall Ann Mann), Pat Edwards (Smith), the Hedges and the three hostesses, Mmes. Ernie Davis (Sue Corley), Bob Martin (Linda Smith), and Don Wright (Barbara Felty).

Most of the women now live here or in Lubbock but Mrs. Tesson came the furthest for the reunion.... from San Antonio.

Others who played on the 1956 team but were unable to come were Ova Sue (Wilson) Hoyle who called Saturday night from Memphis, Tenn., and talked to everyone; Burdine (Becker) Wutrich who lives in Caldwell, Tex.; Beverly (Bland) Quattlebaum who lives in Ozark, Ala.; and Callie (White) who lives in Austin.

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Entertain with Style
Bake potatoes, then halve and scoop out. Mash and whip the cooked potato with milk, salt, pepper, butter and smoked cheese spread (1/4 cup to 4 medium potatoes); then refill shells. Bake in a moderate oven to reheat and brown tops.

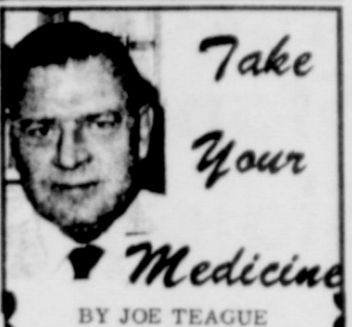
Bake packaged biscuits, then split and place a tomato slice in-between. Heat for 5 to 7 minutes on baking sheet, serve topped with hot cheese sauce. Garnish with bacon strips.

A good sauce to serve with broiled fish is simply made. Soften 1 (5 ounce) jar of relish cheese. Whip it together with 1/4 cup mayonnaise and 1 tablespoon lemon juice.

Bake individual custards, then invert to unmold. Serve with canned, drained mandarin orange sections.

Broil chicken halves and serve on top of rice almondine. Garnish with canned, drained apricots filled with currant jelly, broiled for 2 to 3 minutes.

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Well-known citizens will be "framed" as our very subjects during the ensuing months. Watch CSB's "Fill the Frame" game each week!

CONTEST RULES
Entries accepted only at Slatonite office and only in person; no telephone entries will be accepted.

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ALL-DISTRICT PICKS--These four Slaton High Tigers were named to the coaches' 4-AA All-District football team. Left to right are Dale Harris, Steve Harlan, Doyle Ethridge and Roy Green. The first three were named to the defensive team, while Green was on the offensive unit. Harris and Ethridge are juniors, while Harlan and Green are seniors. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Four Tigers Named On 4-AA Grid Team

Four Slaton Tigers were named to the All-District 4-AA football team which was voted on by coaches last week in a meeting at Wolfarth.

Nine seniors and three juniors were voted on the offensive team, while the defensive unit had seven seniors and five juniors.

Green, a 200-pound senior, was a key blocker in the offensive Tiger line, and also played on defense until a bad knee hampered him from going both ways. Harlan, a tough 150-pound senior back, was a defensive specialist and the extra-point kicker for the Tigers. He had one field goal during the season.

Ethridge, a tough defensive end at only 160 pounds, was also the top pass receiver for Slaton on offense. The junior back will be back next season. Harris, the other junior, was a 175-pounder who was used primarily as a middle guard on defense. He progressed rapidly during the season to become a standout performer.

OFFENSIVE TEAM
Quarterback--Dick Kennedy,

Slaton and Post each had three, Denver City and Morton two each, and Stanton and Frenship one each.

On the offensive team, Post had seven players--including three backs. Denver City had three, and Stanton and Frenship one each.

On the defensive team, Slaton and Post each had three, Denver City and Morton two each, and Stanton and Frenship one each.

senior, Post.
Backs -- Paul Walker and Davis Heaton, seniors, Post; and Gary Hatfield, junior, D. City.
Centers -- Jackie Huff, senior, Post, and Allen Arnold, junior, D. City (tie).
Guards--Clyde Cash, senior, Post; and Bill Smartt, senior, Morton.
Tackles--Joe Hudman, senior, Post; Roy Green, senior, Slaton.
Ends--Donny Windham, senior, Post; and Mike Mead, senior, Denver City.

DEFENSIVE TEAM
Three "down men" -- Dale Harris, junior, Slaton; Jackie Huff, senior, Post; and Rodney Parker, senior, D. City.
Ends--Doyle Ethridge, junior, Slaton; and Donny Windham, senior, Post.
Linebackers--Duke Altman, senior, Post; Lamell Abbe, junior, Morton; Phillip Payne, senior, Stanton; Dwayne Young, junior, D. City; and George Young, senior, Frenship.
Safety men -- Steve Harlan, senior, Slaton; and Donnie Harvey, junior, Morton.

IN TAHOKA TOURNAMENT Stanton Stops Slaton Teams

The Slaton boys' and girls' varsity basketball teams both were sidetracked by Stanton teams in the Tahoka Tournament last week, then both bounced back to win third place in the meet.

The losses at the hands of Stanton were the first for both Slaton squads. The Tigers and Tigerettes will have a chance to turn the tables when they meet the teams again in District 4-AA action later.

The Tigers opened play in the tourney with a 58-49 victory over Southland, lost to Stanton by 69-47, then took third with a 96-48 triumph over O'Donnell.

The Tigerettes beat Southland by 70-60, lost to Stanton by 51-38, then downed New Home by 57-34 to win third place.

Jack Mason and Richard Washington were named to the boys' all-tournament team, while Beverly Arrants and Nancy Lucero were on the girls' honor team.

Mason hit 27 points in the

Housden Speaks To Rotarians

Coach Kenneth Housden gave a preview of the Tiger basketball team when he appeared as guest speaker at the regular Slaton Rotary Club meeting last Thursday.

Housden, in his first year as head basketball coach, reported good prospects with two of the top scorers returning on the Tiger varsity. He said the boys' attitudes were good, and competition was strong for starting positions.

"We have some good shooters, and we are emphasizing defense at this early stage," the coach added.

Housden was introduced by Carroll McDonald.

Tigerettes Top Bula By 63-57

The Slaton Tigerettes traveled to Bula Tuesday night and returned with a 63-57 victory in the varsity game. The Slaton B-team lost a 33-28 decision.

Barbara Bingham swished the nets for 34 points to lead the Tigerettes to their 6th victory of the season against a single loss. Marilyn Davis had 15 points and Beverly Arrants 14 to account for the rest of the scoring.

Slaton led by 26-25 at halftime and the game was tied at 44-44 after three quarters. Betty Salyer scored 22 for Bula. Rita Payne led the B-team with 13 points. The B-team trailed by 14-12 at halftime but led by 21-20 going into the final quarter.

The varsity girls are entered in the Roosevelt Tourney today. The Tigerettes take on New Deal at 7:45 p.m. in one of the tourney openers. The A and B teams travel to New Home next Tuesday.

7-10 split.
The standings: D. A.'s 43-13, Smith Ford 40-16, Co-Op 39-17, CSB 26-30, Eblen 24-32, Bowlers 18-38, Teague 18-38, Anthony's 16-30.

opener against Southland, while Washington had 8 and Paul Hall chipped in 3. Washington hit for 20 against Stanton while Mason had 9 and Pat Wheeler 6. Mason took scoring honors in the O'Donnell game, tallying 22 in about three quarters. Washington was close behind with 21, and Tucker came in to score 17.

Beverly Arrants poured in 39 points against Southland, and had 11 and 16 point productions in the other two games. Jackie Clark had 14 in the first game; Marilyn Davis and Ava Harrell had 10 each against Stanton, and Barbara Bingham had 19 and Marilyn Davis 15 in the New Home game.

The Buffs from Stanton led the Tigers by 32-24 at halftime and by 49-37 after three periods. Stanton pulled away in the final period when the Tigers had trouble hitting the basket.

The Stanton girls used a big third quarter to pull away from the Tigerettes. Stanton led by 24-20 at halftime.

Bowling News

Smith Ford and Slaton Co-Op Gin each gained a game on the league - leading Dental Assistants by sweeping four points Tuesday night in the Women's Bowling League.

Smith Ford posted high team scores with a 2612 series and an 890 game. Individual honors went to Faye Gray who rolled a 234 game and a 950 series. Vivian Scott converted a 3-

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HANDS UP!--It's hard to see, but somewhere in this crowd is Slaton's Pat Wheeler (with one hand touching the basket) as he brings down a rebound in Tuesday night's game against Seagraves. Other white-jerseyed Tigeres in the action photo are Jerry Burrell (20), Jack Mason (10) and Larry Pickens (10). Slaton won the game. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

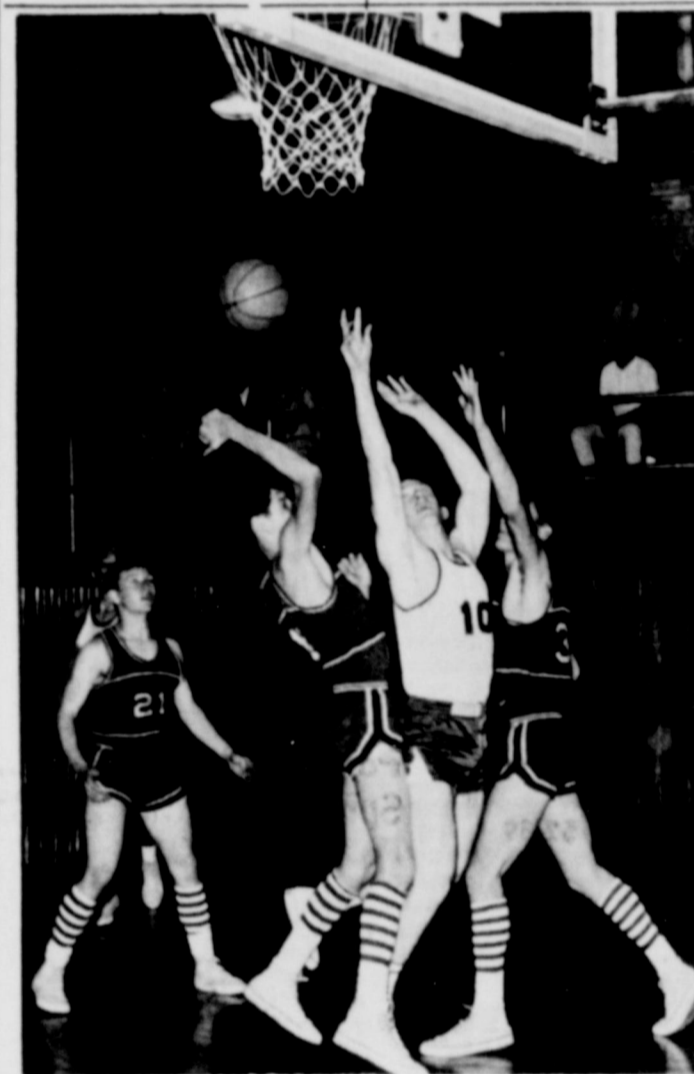
Tigers Topple Eagles, 55-41

The Slaton Tigers warmed up for the Roosevelt Tourney, which starts Thursday, by taking a 55-41 victory over the Seagraves Eagles here Tuesday night.

Eagles to 7. Slaton had only three throws in eight attempts, by Seagraves got 11 points off the free-throw line in 19 minutes.

Richard Washington led the Tiger attack with 17 points, Jack Mason and Pat Wheeler each added 11 points to the cause. Eight Tigers got in the scoring column. Slaton now has a 5-1 record on the season.

The Tigers meet New Home at 9 p.m. tonight in a tourney opener at Roosevelt. High school's Cubs, a Class AAA team, comes here next Tuesday for a non-district clash.



BATTLE UNDER BOARDS--Larry Pickens (10) of Slaton battles two Seagraves Eagles for a rebound during action in Tuesday night's game here. Slaton downed the visitors by 55-41 for their fifth win against one loss. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

B-Team Girls Finish Second In Tournament

Slaton High School B-teams entered the Smyer Basketball Tourney over the weekend, with the girls taking second place. The SHS girls downed Bula by 61-39 in the opener, edged Lazbuddie by 62-56 in the second game, and lost to Pep's varsity girls by 38-36 in an overtime game for the championship.

The boys' B-team downed the Bula varsity by 44-38 in the opener, but was eliminated by Lazbuddie, 61-50, in the second game. Johnny Lakey tallied 15 points in the victory and Larry Allison chipped in 11. Lakey and Roy King each had 14 in the other game, and Allison hit for 10.

Slaton's Debbie Busby and Rita Payne were named to the all-tournament team.

The boys' and girls' teams meet Post B-teams here tonight.

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Direct Cotton Support Payments On High Plains Up \$24 Million in 1967

Payments to cotton producers in the Texas High Plains should come to more than \$24 million in 1967, according to the newly announced support price for next year's cotton crop.

According to the calculations of Donald A. Johnson, vice president of the American Cotton Growers, Inc., which represents cotton producers in 23 counties surrounding the Texas High Plains, the support price for 1967 will be set at 20.25 cents per pound, down from 20.65 cents in 1966. Under the present cotton program, direct payments to producers are based on the difference between the support price and the market price at the time of sale.

Johnson said that the area's crop will sell in the market place at prices either equal to or above the support price this year, so the increased direct payments may show up as increased net income to producers, Johnson stated.

He explained that cotton might sell at greater premiums over the support price in 1967 because USDA also announced that the minimum sales price of cotton in CCC stocks would not drop below this year's 22.5 cents.

"If this announcement holds true, then current crop cotton next year will have more head room above the loan level, and farmers will not lose much if any income because of cotton's price," Johnson said.

He went on to say that of course each farmer would have to calculate for himself what

which was 32.7 per cent. "The cash incentive to producers will be even greater next year than this," Johnson said, "and we may see the acreage diversion percentage in the area even closer to the maximum 35 per cent."

Concerning the 20.25 cent support price for 1967, Johnson said "Most cotton men are speculating that the area's crop will

sell in the market place at prices either equal to or above the support price this year, so the increased direct payments may show up as increased net income to producers, Johnson stated.

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He went on to say that of course each farmer would have to calculate for himself what

changed payment rates and projected yields would mean to him in 1967. Some Plains counties had a decline in projected yield for 1967, and these will naturally show a smaller increase in income.

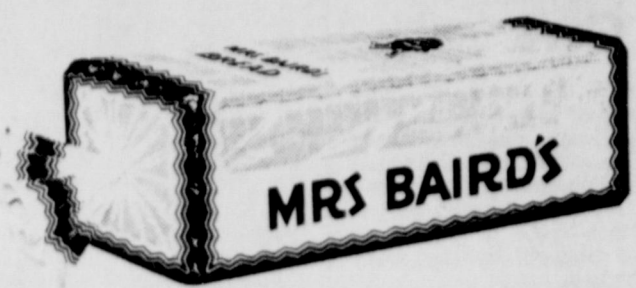
But, based on the average projected yield for the Plains, direct payments for the coming year -- spread over the entire allotment -- will be about \$11,000 per acre higher than in 1966.

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- Hush Puppies King, 3 Bags **\$1.00**

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- Hi-C Drinks All Flavors **24¢**
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- Tomatoes Hi Plains **12 1/2¢**
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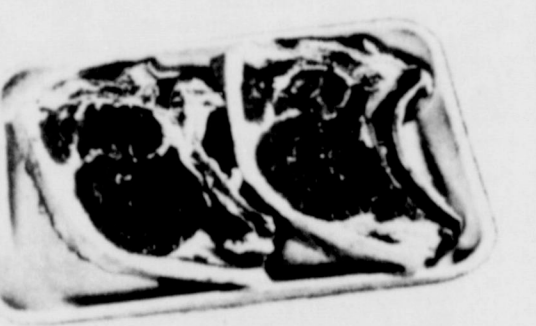
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Former Slaton Resident Dies In Clovis

James L. Posey, 47, road foreman of engines for the Santa Fe Railway, was pronounced dead on arrival at Clovis Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning. He had collapsed at the breakfast table in his home. Cause of death has not been determined.

Mr. Posey and his family lived in Slaton in 1964. She was an active member of the Slaton Art Club and they attended the First Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be conducted at 4 p.m. today in the Cogan Avenue Baptist Church in Brownwood, Tex. Burial will be in Eastlawn Cemetery there.

Born at Somerville, Tex., in 1919, Posey entered the service as a fireman at Temple in 1941. He was promoted to locomotive engineer at Brownwood in 1944. Following service in World War II, from May, 1944, to June, 1946, he returned to the railroad. He was promoted to road foreman of engines at Gallup in 1963, and transferred in that capacity to Slaton, in 1964. Posey then transferred to Clovis as road foreman in June, 1965.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia; two children, Patsy, David, both of the home, and mother, Mrs. V. C. Posey and one brother, Glen, both of Brownwood; two sister, Mrs. J. P. Basham of Hobbs and Mrs. H. K. Alderson of Lubbock.

Funeral arrangements are being made by Sherrard Mortuary in Clovis.

Daily Bible Readings

- Dec. 8--Psalms 89:38-52
- Dec. 9--Psalms 95
- Dec. 10--Psalms 118
- Dec. 11--Isaiah 9:1-7
- Dec. 12--Isaiah 11:1-10
- Dec. 13--Isaiah 42
- Dec. 14--Isaiah 64

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Funeral Held For Mrs. Sanchez

Funeral Services for Mrs. Leo Cadia Sanchez, 81, of 950 S. 7th St., were conducted Friday at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Rev. James Erickson officiated.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Sanchez died at 2 a.m., Nov. 30 in Mercy Hospital. Survivors include two sons, Fambian Slaton and George of California; two daughters, Mrs. Trinidad Martinez and Mrs. Juanita Martinez, both of Lubbock; one sister, Leonore Leos of San Antonio; and 27 grandchildren.

WCS Meets At Cooper

The Cooper Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon in the parsonage, President Bobby Jones opened the business meeting.

Mrs. W. D. Yardean led the group in prayer. The devotional was given by Mrs. W. W. Allen.

A book review entitled "Appointment Congo" was given by Mrs. Johnnie Williams.

The group will meet at the church on Dec. 12 for a Christmas program.

Eleven members were present for the meeting.

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Funeral Rites Read For Mrs. J.S. Avent

Mrs. J. S. Avent, 69, long-time resident of Slaton, died in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last Wednesday, Nov. 30. Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Church of Christ with C. L. Newcomb, minister, officiating. Burial was in Grassland Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Avent was born Sept. 2, 1897, in Williamson County. She and her husband moved to Slaton from Post in 1925. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Bill of Seattle, Wash.; two brothers, W. C. Maxcey of Earth and D. B. Maxcey of Abilene; three sisters, Mrs. Elmer Gollehan of Fountain, Colo., Mrs. Ettie Mathis of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Ruby Wood of Slaton; and three grandchildren.

James Posey Dies In Lubbock

A former resident of Slaton and the Posey Community, James Farum Posey, 82, of Lubbock, died at 4:20 p.m. last Friday in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Posey's residence on a ranch which he and his father owned between here and Lubbock became the community of Posey when the Santa Fe Railway was built through there in 1910.

In 1916 he moved to Slaton, where he lived with his family for two years, moving to Lubbock in 1918 where he was in the real estate business.

Survivors included two daughters, two brothers, two sisters, five grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

PLAINS--

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area crop had been harvested. Pressley, or fiber strength, this year averaged 73,900 pounds per square inch to Nov. 25, compared to 78,300 pounds for the comparable period last year.

At about the same point in the harvest, percentage-wise, in 1965, 65 per cent of the crop graded white. This year only 12.6 per cent fell in that category.

Wilson Navy Man Promoted To Lieutenant

Lt. (j.g.) James H. Blankenship, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blankenship of Rt. 2, Wilson, recently received his promotion from Ensign to Lieutenant, junior grade, and is currently serving as an assistant Air Navigation and Air Intelligence officer at Naval Air Station, Cubi Point, Subi Bay, Bataan, Philippines. He has been there since Oct. 14, 1965.

A 1959 graduate of Wilson High School and a 1964 graduate of Texas Technological College, he entered post-flight officer training at Pensacola, Florida and was commissioned an Ensign on April 2, 1965.

On July 7, 1965, Blankenship made his first solo flight in a T-34 at NAAS Saufley Field, Pensacola. He next spent five weeks in intelligence training at Naval Air Station, Alameda, Calif.

Nephew Of Mrs. Morris Dies In Houston

Mrs. Earl Morris returned home Monday morning from Houston where she had been visiting since Nov. 23. She spent Thanksgiving with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Morris and children, Chris and Dana; and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Phyllis Morris. She also visited a sister, Mrs. W. T. Shepherd in Houston.

While Mrs. Morris was there, Mrs. Shepherd's son, Travis V. Shepherd died Monday, Nov. 28, he was 62.

Mr. Shepherd, who grew up in Garza County and had many friends in Slaton, is survived by his wife, Nelda, his mother, three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Elwinger of Woodlake, Calif., Mrs. Wiltha Edwards of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Mrs. Sadie Langley of Houston; and one brother, Ira E. Shepherd of Houston. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Houston.

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- Wilson Methodist Church Rev. T. Max Browning
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- Immanuel Lutheran Church Rev. Jimmy C. Lueders-Posey
- Pleasant Valley Baptist Church Route 1, Post Rev. Sherman H. Ervin
- Acuff Church of Christ Robert Tompkins, Minister
- Acuff Baptist Church W. Q. Donley, Pastor
- Gordon Church of Christ Cline Drake, Minister



WILSON MAN PROMOTED--Lt. (j.g.) James H. Blankenship, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Blankenship of Wilson, is shown above receiving his advancement "shoulder boards" from Com. Guy P. Bordelon, Deputy Commander Air Fleet Western Pacific, who was the first Naval Korean ace.

Fireplace Can Add to Holiday Color Scheme

Your fireplace can add an especially gay note to holiday activities if the fire is made up of multi-colored flames.

Instead of the usual yellow flame from wood, the flames can be green, red, blue, orange, or purple in color depending upon the chemicals used to treat the material to be burned, according to Texas A&M Extension Service.

Calcium chloride can be used to produce orange colored flames, copper chloride--blue, potassium chloride--purple, strontium nitrate--red, lithium chloride--carmine, and copper sulfate--emerald green. Dry pine cones or small blocks or chips of wood can be soaked in solutions of these chemicals to produce the multi-colored flames when burned. Most of the chemicals can be purchased from chemical suppliers or local drugstores.

To treat the cones or wood, a plastic pail and onion sack are needed. The cones or chips are placed in the sack and immersed in a solution containing one pound of the desired chemical dissolved thoroughly in one gallon of water. The bag must be weighted down so that the material is completely

Mother Of Carnes Dies

The mother of a student died at 8:50 p.m. today in Methodist Hospital was Mrs. Avis Maurine Carnes, 57, of Rt. 2, Peterburg. She was the mother of Mrs. A. Carnes of Slaton.

At press time, funeral services were pending. She had been in the hospital for several days. She was born Oct. 22, 1909, in Cove, Mrs. Timms was a teacher in Peterburg in 1941, she lived in Lamesa and in Marfa. Mrs. Timms was a member of OES No. 1001 and of the Lakeview Baptist Church. She was active in civic and church affairs. Survivors include one son, B. of Anton; one daughter, Neuma Carnes of Slaton; two brothers, Marvin Carnes of Paso, B. J. Condra of Condra of Hallinger; one sister, Mrs. Marion McLain of Alico; and 7 grandchildren.

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Temptation and Righteousness

"Blessed is the man to whom the Lord will not impute sin." -- Psalms 32:1-2

The Christian life is a life of temptation and moral. But, no matter what you hear about the number and variety of temptations that surround us in this modern world, remember that temptation is as old as the history of man. Even Jesus was tempted during his life upon earth.

We are not promised a life without temptation; we are, instead, offered the grace of faith.

Seek the path of righteousness, ask forgiveness for your man frailties. This is the Christian way.

Read your BIBLE daily and GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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KEY NEWS

MRS. ANNA B. GENTRY

winter was slow but meant business did come. With the weather set in, the birds are still waiting to be ginned. The grade wasn't cotton already so it was a shame for people to work so hard then break even, especially when the weather didn't set in. The cotton came home in Big Bend. His daughter, Alice Duckett, who lives at Aberdeen, isn't quite well. She is in her 90's. He sold their home and house and large property. They plan to move soon after Christmas. Seems a lot of folks are quitting the farms and I can't blame them.

Mrs. Guy Gentry and girls visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Pinkert, Saturday and also did some shopping. Then they brought the girl's friends, Denise Blackman and Vanessa Holmes home with them for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gentry were visiting the Bob Hoppers along with some more of the Hopper's friends. They enjoyed playing "84".

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barron and Mrs. Eunice Gentry came over to the Golden Age Club at the club house. They said they enjoyed the club as they play games and very often have one of the Slaton pastors meet with them to give the devotional. They also had their Christmas Program and Thanksgiving together with a turkey dinner and all the trimmings. It was a very good dinner indeed for they brought me a nice tray. I really appreciated it because of the thoughtfulness and the good food. I don't cook much for just myself.

Thursday night there was a "42" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moellers. Their visitors were the George Hilbers, Mrs. Heddie Kelly, Fabian Stahl and Mike Hilbers from East Texas. Mike's daughter, Ruby, who underwent surgery has about fully recovered from the operation. The Moellers drove around the country some Sunday then over to the Hilbers for a short visit. Mrs. Moeller said her son, Bennie Moeller, left for Dallas the past Sunday to take some more schooling at a Mechanic School there, just a short course.

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My daughters, Mrs. LaVerne Karon, Mrs. Ruth Johnson and little daughter visited me on Saturday and Sunday. I enjoy company so much, especially on these cold lonesome days, even with a lot to do not having anyone to talk to gets pretty boring.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kitten, our neighbors, are moving to Ft. Worth and will leave Friday. She said it would take them from now on to pack their things. James's brother, Roger, will live on his farm. We welcome these new neighbors to our community, but we hate to lose the James Kittens.

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THE START OF A NEW ROOF--Harold Fishback and his father, Loyd Fishback, carpenters for Dickie Construction and Slaton Lumber Co., are shown on the roof of the home of Miss Ethyl Spooner. Ray Dickie is shown standing beside the new roofing to be put on the house. The men are donating their time so Miss Spooner may have a roof that doesn't leak. Other men are needed to help complete the job. See story in today's Slatonite. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Helping Hands For Roof Project Needed

Santa Claus came early this year to the home of Miss Ethyl Spooner, 350 So. 10th St. Santa Claus (in the person of Ray Dickie) delivered enough 260 pound interlock double coverage roofing to her home Tuesday and is hoping enough carpenters, roofers, and other interested persons will donate their time between now and Christmas so Miss Spooner may have a roof over her head that doesn't leak.

Tuesday afternoon, two carpenters, Loyd Fishback and his son, Harold, donated their time and were busily preparing the roof for the shingles. After this is done, highly experienced carpenters won't necessarily have to finish the job. Any man that wants to give of an hour or longer is welcome to go by and help apply the shingles. For more information on helping with this heartwarming project, call Ray Dickie or Slaton Lumber Co.

The idea of securing a new roof for Miss Spooner's home was instigated by Dickie who is commander of Slaton's American Legion Post 438. He knew she had no means of paying for a roof, and after having a new roof would have the opportunity to rent two rooms in her home and therefore have a small income. Neighbor women have indicated they would help fix two rooms in Miss Spooner's home.

Dickie went to work and through the American Legion was given enough donations by 10 different persons to purchase the shingles. He bought everything for the job at rock bottom wholesale price through Slaton Lumber Co.

The materials are paid for, the need is obvious, and if anyone is willing to help complete this project...please lend a helping hand.

VFW To Have Barbecue Sunday

Pete Willhoit, commander of Slaton's VFW Post, has extended an invitation to all VFW members, their wives, associate members and their wives and their husbands to attend a barbecue Sunday afternoon.

The barbecue will be held in the VFW Hall, with serving beginning at 5 p.m. The hall will be open at 1 p.m. for those who wish to come early.

Admittance to the barbecue will be your 1967 membership card.

The young daughter was going on her first date, and her dad was apprehensive.

"Are you sure he's a good driver?" her father asked.

"Oh, yes, he has to be," the girl comforted him, "one more arrest and he'll lose his driver's license."

A modern home: A home where a switch controls everything but the children.

Oil Production Figures Given For Area, State

Texas oil production reached the one billion barrel total in 1965 for the first time since 1957, figures compiled by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association show.

There were 1,000,749,000 barrels of crude oil, valued at more than \$3 billion, produced in 200 of the 254 counties during 1965, statistics received since production record began 70 years ago, the state has produced a total of 28,403,016,481 barrels of crude.

Andrews County continued to be the leading county in oil production, with 76,908,300 barrels, although all sections of the state have several high producing fields.

Lubbock County had a 1965 crude production of 318,900 barrels to bring its total to 7.1 million barrels since its first discovery in 1941. The 1965 production averaged 874 barrels a day.

Biggest producer in this area, however, was in Garza County where 1965 crude production was 5,060,100 barrels. The county has totaled 90.5 million barrels since its first discovery in 1926.

Lynn County had 547,500 barrels in 1965 to bring its total to 5.1 million barrels since 1950.

In 1965, Texas had three counties that produced more than 40 million barrels, besides Andrews, Garza County had a total of 61,266,600 barrels and Crane County produced 43,952,300 barrels.

In addition, five other counties produced more than 20 million barrels in 1965 and an additional 24 had production in excess of 10 million barrels.

Gregg remains the only county in the state that has produced more than two billion barrels, while three other counties -- Rusk, Ector and Andrews -- have produced more than one billion.

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THE FAMOUS STORE



A WAGON FULL--Another piece of playground equipment has been added to others at the park in Slaton. This wagon made of steel bars and designed to climb on was full of children Tuesday afternoon when the weather was ideal for playing in the park. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Barbecue For Masons And Families

A dinner for Masons and their families will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday in Masonic Hall. Barbecue will be provided by the Masons and families are asked to bring salads. A short program will be given. All Masons and their families are invited and urged to attend.

Steve Donaldson On Carrier

USS ENTERPRISE (CVAN-65) (FHTNC) Dec. 1 -- Aviation Fire Control Technician-Airman Steven R. Donaldson, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Donaldson of 906 S. 19th St., is one of more than 3,000 crewmen helping to celebrate the 5th birthday of this nuclear-powered aircraft carrier, the world's largest warship, during a port visit to Hawaii.

The 90,000-ton attack carrier departed her homeport at the Alameda, Calif., Naval Air Station in mid-November and has been undergoing operational readiness exercises in the vicinity of the Hawaiian Islands. Operations at sea included the fire fighting, navigation, flight operations, weapons handling and seamanship drills designed to keep the crew in a state of combat readiness. After intensive at-sea training visits were made to Pearl Harbor, giving crewmen a chance to see the Honolulu area.

Welcome Subscribers

The Slatonite welcomes the following new subscribers: Howard Wright, City; R. E. Switzer, City; Kenneth Henderson, City; Wesley Meyer, City; T. N. Bickers, City; Mrs. W. T. Taylor, City; N. A. Rodgers, Rt. 1, Wilson; Roy Collins, 915 So. 12th; Jerry Hogue, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlton, Lubbock; Bobby Joplin, Rt. 1, Slaton;

And, August Patschke, Rt. 2, Slaton; Mrs. E. J. Moore, Wilson; Z. L. Moore, Rt. 2, Wilson; Mary L. McKee, Southland; Mrs. F. B. DeMont, Amarillo; Mrs. Louis Mosser, Rt. 2, Slaton; Mrs. Erna Bruckner, 935 So. 20th, City; Dan Jansa, 920 W. Garza, City; Mrs. P. L. Williams, Box 483, City; J. M. Breland, 725 So. 21st, City; and Carl Gieckelhorn, Rt. 1, Wilson.

A.R. Wilds' Grandson

Pledges Honorary Chapter

James Elton Thompson, junior student at Texas Tech and son of Mrs. Marie Thompson of Lubbock and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wild of Slaton has been invited to pledge Gamma Nu chapter of Eta Kappa Nu, national electrical engineering honorary organization. Members are selected on basis of scholarship and leadership. Thompson is a 1964 graduate of Monterey High School.

Boy Scout Council To Hold Meet

The 41st Annual Business Meeting of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. at Ming Tree Restaurant in Lubbock. President Oscar Crain will preside over the meeting in which reports will be heard from the various committees and districts of the Council.

The South Plains Council serves over 10,000 boys and 3,000 adults in 20 counties of the South Plains. There will be reports from Roger Kuykendall on Advancement, Howard Schmidt on Camping and Activities, Richard Dickey on Health and Safety, John Lott on Leadership Training, Carl Minor on Organization and Extension, Charles Alexander on Finance, Rex Webster on Public Relations, and George Wilson on Church Relationships.

Dr. J. Davis Armistead will make the Commissioners' report and Murlin Derebery will make the Treasurer's report. A report on the Trust Fund will be given by John Lott and W. B. Rushing. David Casey will present the nominating committee report. 1967 Council Members - at Large and Officers and Executive Board Members will be elected. John F. Lott will install the officers after the election.

Cooper FFA Attend Banquet

Seventeen persons from Cooper attended the Lubbock District FFA banquet last Thursday at Lorenzo.

Attending were Larry Thompson, Emmett Cardenas, Woody Key, Johnny Neal, Mike Vinson, Jimmy Jones, Wayne Kahlich, Ricky Johnson, Greg Crosby, Charles Francis, Lynn Blair, Dwayne Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blankenship and Gary Bell.

The Cooper chapter received three banners which they won at a previous district contest held in November at Idalou.

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High Curves For Hair Fashions

It's raising a lot of eyebrows, but the higher the curve in your hair, the more "in" is the style for the Holiday and Winter Season. At least that's what the Official Hair Fashion Committee of the National Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Association had to say during its premiere of new hair styles at the National Hair Fashion Show in New York.

Furthermore, adds this hair fashion authority of the beauty profession, you just can't have a "nothing" hair style for the coming season. It has to be important! It has to make you more important than your clothes. This means that fit, form and color have to be dramatic and totally becoming. Nevertheless, the new High Curve Hair Fashions, as they are called, are essentially a small head look to which you add height and width, but not your own. The experts say "add on" and that means hair pieces -- a postiche, a braid, a false mane, sometimes even a fall. In any event, build it up, built it out, but add on. The result is a fluid little head with a dramatic height on one side, like an exclamatory "AH!"

Nape hair must be short. You just have to have a closely fitted nape line when you "add on" glamorous hair pieces. Keep the nape closely fitted and the added hair pieces can be balanced into elegance.

Height in all coiffures is off to one side, usually dressed into a flare of soft curves. The other side is always dressed closely to the head. This creates a split look, a decidedly

different look from each side. On one side you have a young and active vibrance, on the other side hair is dressed into soft and gentle elegance.

Always important, but seemingly more so now, is the fit and proportion of your coiffure. If your hair style doesn't fit, you've had it. The best test is does it look great on you. Yes, it can't be just good, it must be great. If it doesn't make you look and feel important, it's not fitted for you. The fit and proportion is not a question of 2 inches here against 3 inches there, it's how many inches and where for you, and only you. And this takes the professional objectivity of a true artist.

Watch the dressing of the hair near your face on the close side. You can dissemble faults with the flared volume on the high and wide side, but you must be careful that you have soft and easy curves near your face. This close side is telling. Its treatment is also one that you'd better learn to know, because it looks as if it may spread into an all around the face sweep of pure and undiluted feminine intrigue for next year.

All hair must have satin smooth silkiness. Dramatic use of hair pieces demands superlative lustre. Holiday fashions and activities insist upon a high sheen that literally glitters with reflected lights. This means professional hair conditioning to remove any possible trace of summer abuse.

Highly important, too, particularly so for the right form and proportion for you, is professional permanent waving and



HOLIDAY CURVE COIFFURE

hair shaping. This will also give your hair the appearance of a rich and lustrous fabric gently draped over the head and flaring up in soft curves.

Multicoloring of at least three shades is definitely the biggest news in hair coloring. Expect to see a lot of blondes of cream and honey, and from blush pink to peach with mauve blendings of several tones. Deep reds and auburns will make vivid impressions with Parma violet tones in winter wardrobes, and almost violent red hues are being suggested for Tyeann purples and nightly blue shades

of clothing.

The season is also great for deep brunettes, particularly when touched with sparkling brights, and topping orange costume colors. Watch, too, for sapphire and mercury highlights in gray hair, as well as regal touches of amethyst. A big note for all shades of evening coiffures is a complement of cosmetic glitter, or real jewels, to top jeweled fabrics.

Complexions for the season will be more naturalized with tonal touches of pink and mauve, plus warm rosy lips.

A survey reveals woman cares for her face. A woman's face also applies faithfully to her hair specialists suggest your hands as you face -- regularly.

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Come select a tree Sunday afternoon...Santa will be there from 2-5 p.m. to visit youngsters.

Linda Romines Wins Oratorical Contest

Linda Romines' speech on "The Constitution, Ours to Defend" won first place honors in the District 19 American Legion Oratorical Contest Thursday afternoon.

The event was conducted at Lubbock Christian College. A senior at Slaton High, she was also declared winner of the district's college scholarship for this year which amounts to approximately \$275.

Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Romines and plans to attend Wayland Baptist College in Plainview after graduation from high school. She plays B-Flat clarinet in the Tiger Band and was recently awarded a Wayland Band scholarship. She will also be a

member of the Treble Tone Choir at the school. She plans to major in journalism.

She is co-editor of the Tiger's Cage, newspaper for the high school, and editor-in-chief for the school annual. Another outstanding feature about Linda is that she is a straight "A" student.

Linda prepared the speech without any assistance. She will compete in the Legion's Division 4 contest Saturday in Brownfield High School auditorium at 2:45 p.m. If she wins there, she will advance to the department contest and the winner from there will compete in the national contest slated for March 15 in Lincoln, Neb.



SLATON GIRL WINS DISTRICT---Ray Dickie, commander of American Legion Post 438 is shown looking at the medal awarded to Linda Romines last Thursday when she won first place in the District 19 American Legion Oratorical Contest held in Lubbock. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

WELFARE USE--The Federated Church Women of Slaton have obtained this house for Lynn for use in community welfare work. The house will be provided rent-free by Mrs. Ty (Florence) Cobb. The club distributes used clothing to the needy as its main projects. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Welfare Projects Federated Church Women Get Building

The Federated Church Women have secured a building for their community work. It was purchased last week by Mrs. Ty (Florence) Cobb, president. Mrs. Cobb, former president of the church, has donated the building, which is a two-story structure at 7th and Lynn, Slaton, Tex. The building will be used for the distribution of used clothing for the needy and other welfare work performed by the women. Clothing has been stored in a room at the fire station.

The house was formerly lumber yard headquarters for Rockwell Lumber Co., and has been a rent house in recent years. The federated group requested and won approval from the city commission Monday night for utilities to be provided

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by the city. Mrs. Gregory said some work, including painting and installation of shelving, would be necessary in the house. The city commission agreed to provide some help.

She said the club hoped to offer training, such as maid service, later on. No rules and regulations have been adopted for the center as yet, added Mrs. Gregory.

Commissioners Earl Reasoner and J. W. Martindale were appointed by Mayor Jonas Cain to work with the ladies in moving to the building.

SET TURKEY SHOOT

The Cooper Lions Club will sponsor a "turkey-shoot" tomorrow (Friday) from noon until dark, and Saturday from 9 a.m. until dark.

The event will be held at Woodrow Clifford Robertson is in charge of arrangements.

MERRY XMAS

The use of Xmas for Christmas originated in the early Christian Church, reports World Book Encyclopedia. In Greek, X is the first letter of Christ's name. It often was used as a holy symbol.



Election of Ernest S. Marsh as chairman of the board and chief executive officer of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway system, effective Jan. 1, 1967, was announced today by the company's board of directors.

Named to succeed Marsh as president of the company was John S. Reed, who has been vice president - executive department since May 1, 1964. John C. Davis, executive assistant-finance at Chicago since May 1, 1964, was named vice president - executive department.

Marsh has been president of the Santa Fe system lines since May 1, 1957, and was appointed chief executive officer May 1, 1958 and chairman of the executive committee Mar. 1, 1959.

He was born in Lynchburg, Va., and began his railroad career with the Santa Fe as a clerk at Clovis, N. M., in 1918. He advanced through various positions there and at Amarillo, Tex., and Topeka, Kan., and was named chief clerk in the president's office at Chicago in 1942. He is the first letter of Christ's name. It often was used as a holy symbol.

ident in 1945, vice president-finance in 1948 and president in 1957.

Reed, 49, born in Chicago, attended Hotchkiss School in Connecticut and is a graduate of Yale University. He entered Santa Fe service as a test department assistant at Topeka, Kan., in 1939. A year later he entered the U. S. Navy and was released in 1946 as a Lt. Commander. He rejoined Santa Fe as special representative to the general superintendent of transportation at Chicago. He was named transportation inspector at Amarillo, Tex., in 1948, trainmaster at Slaton, Tex., in 1949, trainmaster at Pueblo, Colo., in 1951, superintendent at Marceline, Mo., in 1952, assistant to vice president at Chicago in 1954, executive assistant to president in 1957, vice president - finance in 1959 and vice president-executive department in 1964.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

DECEMBER 8

Mrs. Leo Henzler
Don Crow, Jr.
Calvin Wayne Klaus
Mrs. Everett Hodge
Mrs. L. A. Harral
Kathy Christopher
F. M. Davidson

Kenneth Walter
Rosa Walston
Mary Evelyn Dworaczky
Mrs. Holly D. Sims
DECEMBER 9

Mrs. Glen Akin
Alex Webb
Mae Lela Wyatt
Mrs. Bob Merrell
Russ Ehrler
E. H. Johnston
Walter Collops
Ruthie Prescott
Lee Prescott

DECEMBER 10

Mrs. Andrew Kitten
Mrs. Ethel Ware
Mrs. E. P. Fulkerson
Jo Ann Thomas
Mrs. M. M. Tumlinson
Jan McCoy
Weldon Brookshire
Mrs. C. C. Wicker
Pamela Trimble
Charla Taylor
Harold Wayne Harris

DECEMBER 11

M. H. Lasater
Dale Schwertner
Albert Jones
Joe Hargrave
Linda Kay Shafer
Kevin H. Johnston
Ronnie Coker
David Taylor

DECEMBER 12

R. A. Thompson, Jr.
Otis Neill

Walter Heinrich
Mrs. C. E. Geer
Lance L. Dunn
Cynthia Ann Rhoads
Thomas Heinrich
D. W. McLeod
DECEMBER 13

Glen Akin
Bradley Kitten
Dillard Dunn
Jimmy Townsend
L. A. Reasoner
Bobbie Ann Moore

Mrs. Frank Love
DECEMBER 14
Mrs. James Foster
Joe Cain
Mary Ruth Green
Mike Davis
Clinton Martin
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ROOSEVELT NEWS

MRS. DORIS THOMAS

Basketball Tournament Set

Another week has come and gone, and I have not had a call from any of you readers with your news. I know that some of you surely had company or went somewhere over the Thanksgiving holidays. REMEMBER to let me know next time so that I will have something to

write in this column. If I don't get any calls I can't write any news. PLEASE CALL.

WIN TOURNAMENT

The Roosevelt basketball girls won the New Deal tournament last week. This added another beautiful trophy to our trophy case at school.

ABERNATHYS RETIRE

Laundry Now Under New Ownership

You just automatically think of "Abernathy" when you think of Slaton Steam Laundry, but after 40 years of owning and operating the laundry and dry cleaning business, the Melvin Abernathys are retiring. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henderson purchased the business last week and have taken over its operation. The couple and their two children, Michael Wayne 2, Jeff Markham, 4, moved her from Odessa. The Hendersons were reared in Coleman County. They are Baptists.

The Melvin and Marvin Abernathys moved to Slaton in 1926 from Coleman when they bought the laundry from W. H. Clark. They operated the business as a partnership until Marvin's death in 1954. Since purchasing the business, it has been in three locations, having located at its present site on the south side of the square in 1943.

Abernathy said they have no plans at this time, but to get some rest. He suffered a heart attack a few months ago. They do plan to stay in Slaton though.

Roosevelt High School's invitational tournament is being held today (Thursday), Friday and Saturday. The McAduo and Southland girls will start the games off at 2:45; McAduo and Southland boys play at 4:00; Roosevelt and Gail girls play at 5:15; Roosevelt and Gail boys play at 6:30; Slaton and New Deal girls play at 7:45; Slaton and New Deal boys play at 9:00. We would like to welcome all of you to come out and watch these teams play. The concession stand will be open all the time serving sandwiches and pie, if you would like to come out and have a bite to eat and watch all of the games.

FHA MEETING

The Roosevelt FHA had their program Monday night in the homemaking department. Carla Crumley was chairman of the program, "Christmas Near and Far". Girls giving talks on Christmas customs in foreign lands were Karen Corley, Cheyenne Reynolds, Melody Herring, Coyleen Schmidt, Carol Campbell and Mary Ann Schmidt. Refreshments were served made from recipes of foreign lands.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ashcraft (she is the former Brenda Irby), were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Brenda and Tommy are both attending Arlington State College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bilberry visited in Levelland Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Stow, Mark,

Susan and Debra. Mrs. Bobby Jones and her brother, Ronny Ross, visited with friends in Ropesville Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Thomas had her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gamill, Faye and Bruce, of Ft. Sumner, N.M., as her weekend guests.

The seventh grade boys beat Shallowater in a basketball game Monday evening at Roosevelt.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

A picture of Ruth Rucker was in last week's Lubbock paper showing her being awarded a scholarship by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation at a banquet. Ruth is a 1966 graduate of RHS and is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Rucker. See You Next Week???

Santa Fe Declares Dividend

The board of directors of the Santa Fe Railway today declared a dividend (no. 136) of twenty-five cents (.25) per share on its preferred capital stock payable Feb. 1, 1967 to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 30, 1966.

The directors also declared a quarterly dividend of forty cents (.40) per share being dividend no. 227 on the common capital stock of the company payable Mar. 1, 1967, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Jan. 27, 1967.

With this action today, the total dividend appropriations for the year 1966 amount to \$1.60 per share on the common and together with the preferred appropriation aggregate \$45.6 million.

JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

By Teddy Kidd

This is the beginning of a new column for the Slatonite. If students or faculty of Junior High have news they would like to appear in this column, please turn it into me, Teddy Kidd, before school is out each Monday.

Magazine Sales Raise \$650

Prizes for the eighth grade magazine sales were awarded Thursday morning. The purpose for the sale was to raise money for the eighth grade banquet.

The sale netted approximately \$650 with total sales amounting to \$2,154.15. Three students in the \$100 club received pins. They were Lynn Swanner with \$152; Forrest Edward with \$150., and Jim Carnes with \$120. Thirty-six students received certificates of achievement from Curtis Circulation Co. who sponsored the magazine sale.

Students received prizes ranging from tool sets to binoculars to cameras and portable radios for selling the subscriptions.

Miss Ivey Absent From School

Miss Gay Ivey, girls' basketball coach, junior high teacher, and school bus driver, spent some time in Mercy Hospital the past few days but is reportedly improving and may be back to school next week.

Her three teams that played in tournaments last week all brought back a trophy and they were on display in her room at the hospital. The junior high girls out-did the high school girls by bringing home a first place trophy.

8th Grade Teams Win Trophies

The undefeated eighth grade girls basketball team won another first place trophy last week. They captured their first place in the Crosbyton Tournament. The eighth grade boys won consolation trophy in the tournament.

The girls defeated Crosbyton in their first game, 27-21. Sue Brake was high scorer with 15 points. They defeated Ralls 32-14 and Sue was high scorer again with 21 points. Then, for the championship game, they defeated Petersburg 31-29 and Marilyn Meeks was high scorer with 15 points.

The boys lost their first game when they played Crosbyton. The score was 23-20 and Roby Hartman made 8 points to be high scorer for Slaton. Then they won their next two games and were awarded the consolation trophy. They defeated Lorenzo 27-16 and Johnny Ray Harris was high scorer with 11 points. In their last game, Slaton defeated Petersburg 22-20 and Hartman was high scorer again with 10 points.

Jr. High Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time	Teams
Dec. 19	Post	There	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Jan. 9	Friendship	Here	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Jan. 16	O'Donnell	Here	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Jan. 23	Tahoka	There	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Jan. 30	Evans	Here	6:00	7 & 8 B&G
Feb. 6	Post	Here	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Feb. 13	Friendship	There	5:30	7 & 8 B&G
Feb. 16, 17, 18	Tahoka	There	5:30	7 & 8 B&G

All are district games except with Evans, Feb. 16-18 is the district tourney.

Monday night the Tahoka seventh and eighth grade teams played our teams here.

The seventh grade girls lost 8-15. Druanne Beard was high point girl for Slaton with four points.

The seventh grade boys defeated Tahoka 31-25. Darrell Eastman was high scorer with 14 points.

The eighth grade girls still go undefeated, beating the Tahoka team 31-13. Marilyn Meeks was high scorer with 15 points.

The eighth grade boys won their game in an overtime period with a score of 38-23. Roby Hartman was high scorer for Slaton with 13 points.

Angelo Fans Have Breakfast In Slaton Home

San Angelo Bobcat fans invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Breland at 725 South 21st St. Saturday morning and had alot of inquisitive neighbors wondering what in the world was going on.

About eight o'clock Saturday morning 24 couples from San Angelo started arriving at the Breland home on their way to Amarillo for the San Angelo - Amarillo Tascosa Bi-district football game. They had come for breakfast. The group arrived in 17 cars and after breakfast the fans decorated their cars with orange paint, streamers and signs boosting the San Angelo Bobcats.

Mrs. Breland's brother and his family, the J. W. Hoovers, had come ahead of the crowd on Friday and spent the night here. He had 47 tickets to the game in one section where the group all sat together, after making the trip from here in a caravan.

Mrs. Breland was reared in San Angelo and still goes back to San Angelo to boost the Bobcats every chance she gets, which is usually all the home games.

While in Amarillo, she and her family and her brother and his family visited her mother after the game Saturday night.

Dubbs Letters At Angelo State

Paul Dubbs of Slaton was among the 33 football players to earn letters at Angelo State College during the San Angelo school's first season of senior - college competition.

Twenty - nine of the grid-ders will be returning, according to athletic director Max Bumgardner. The Rams lost all 10 games but had only four seniors on the team.

Dubbs is a sophomore letterman. Don Burrell, Lubbock freshman, led the team in scoring and pass catching.

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Cooper Tournament Underway Thursday

The Cooper Basketball Tournament gets underway tonight with four teams entered in each of the boys' and girls' divisions. Opening games Thursday start at 5 p.m. with the Whiteface and Union girls clashing, followed by the boys' game at 6:20.

Cooper and Wilson teams play at 7:40 and 9 p.m. Thursday. Friday's schedule: Cooper - Whiteface girls at 5 and boys at 6:30; Wilson - Union girls at 7:40 and boys at 9.

Saturday's schedule: Wilson -Whiteface girls at 5 and boys at 6:30; Cooper - Union girls at 7:40 and boys at 9.

The Cooper basketball schedule for the remainder of the season has also been set for the following time:

- Dec. 13--Union, here
- Dec. 15-17--Wilson
- Dec. 20--Union, here
- Jan. 3--Whiteface, here
- Jan. 6--ROUTLEDGE, here
- Jan. 10--NEW HOPE, here
- Jan. 17--Christ, here
- Jan. 20--ROPER, here
- Jan. 24--SOUTH PLAINS, here
- Jan. 31--NEW HOPE, here
- Feb. 7--WILSON, here
- Feb. 10--Lubbock, here
- Feb. 14-17--Slaton, here

Thunderbirds Will Perform at Reese

The world - famous United States Air Force Thunderbirds, flying breath - taking precision maneuvers, will etch the Lubbock skies with white smoke during a performance at Reese Air Force Base Saturday Dec. 10 at 11 a.m.

In conjunction with the graduation ceremonies of Class 67-D of the Undergraduate Pilot Training Program at Reese, The Thunderbirds will offer South Plains area citizens an opportunity to see a precision aerial demonstration at its best.

Flying their North American F-100 Super Sabres with wing tips overlapping three feet and separated vertically by a scant five feet, The Thunderbirds knife through the sky for nearly 30 minutes, their trailing smoke painting graceful loops, corkscrews and curves.

Despite the awesomeness of their precision maneuvers, The Thunderbirds are not a group of stunt pilots, but are a team of highly skilled professional men of the Air Force. They illustrate to the United States around the globe, the mission of "precision understanding of the air power" in "the effective use of our national objectives."

When the team landed at Reese Air Force Base Saturday Dec. 10 at 11 a.m. May 1953, it was a mission of "precision understanding of the air power" in "the effective use of our national objectives."

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Milk
- THURSDAY**
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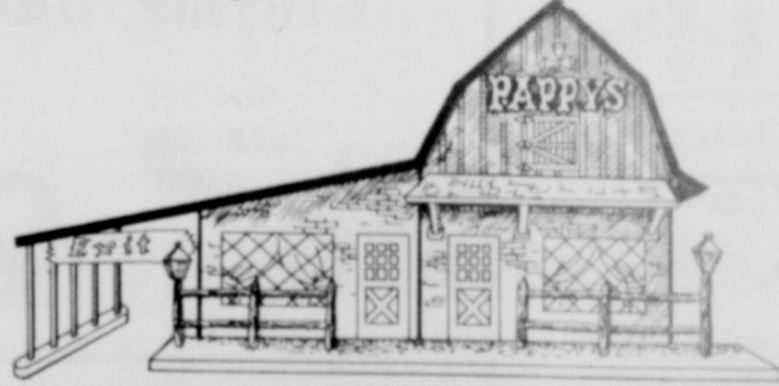
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Edna and Melvin Abernathy



VOLUME 43 NO. 5 SLATON HIGH SCHOOL APRIL 21, 1966

In Benefit for Center

Professional en-appeared Nov. 30 in the Slaton High auditorium. Don Ed- Wilson, and Jay- gested to give a bene- nance to help raise- the Slaton Youth- ect. gals was first on the- ng three musical- g popular broad- s. Mrs. Charlene- eganied him at the- of Jay Hoyle and- presented musical- songs, Sue Wilson- a jazzy piano play- a perky character- yllis Diller. This- gles next scheduled- ill be in Memphis,- e and Don Edwards- tudents of Slaton-

Editorial

Let's ban Christmas! Do away with it completely! Shocking statement, isn't it? Yet this seems to be the logical answer to everyone's Christmas blues. If Christmas ceased to exist maybe so many people wouldn't be depressed this time of the year.

I don't know how many times this week I have heard someone griping about all the Christmas shopping they had to do, the lack of money to buy the right type of gift, and all the time it was costing them. Why have Christmas at all if everyone loses the spirit and can't enjoy the season?

Christmas isn't a time strictly for exchanging gifts. This is the time set to celebrate the birth of Christ. The tradition of exchanging gifts was started to show our joy and love toward our fellowman. We think of Christmas as a time for jolly old Saint Nick and high bills. What happened to the old feeling that was here when families set around fire places, laughed, exchanged inexpensive but meaningful gifts, and worshiped God in the Church of their choice.

It certainly isn't wrong to give gifts to those we love, but it is wrong to give them grudgingly and of necessity. It isn't wrong to believe in Santa Claus because he exists in the hearts of those who truly want to exchange feelings of love and cheerfulness.

Try to have a real Christmas this year. Give through love and make this Christmas one that honors the reason for it.



WAY FOR YC--SHEs guys and gals will soon have a youth center, thanks to the Youth Center Association. Shown ready to help start remodeling work are Reisa Able, Anne Ayers, Holly McSween, Robert England and Dennis Rushing.

Girls' Choir Gives Program

The Girl's Choir of Slaton High School presented a program Tuesday morning for the Methodist District Convention at the First Methodist Church. Selections were -- "He" by the entire choir, and "From Now Until Eternity" by a sextet. The sextet includes: sopranos - Carolyn Kuykendall and Linda Ferguson; second sopranos - Adelia Chambers and Martha Elder; altos - Cheryl Kuykendall and Marie Scott.

Seniors of the Week



ROY GREEN

Slaton High School senior, Roy Clay Green, was born July 4, 1949, in Plainview. Roy's favorites include song -- My Girl; car--GTX; color--blue; subject--football, civics; teacher -- Coach Martin and Coach Davis; singer -- Lucky Floyd; pastime -- cars, girls, and doing nothing; and food--steak.

During high school, Roy has participated in football 1-4; FFA 1-3; Choral 2; and State Contest Judging Team.

His advice to freshmen is to study hard and have alot of fun and BEAT Post!!!

When asked of his most embarrassing moment, Roy said, "About everyday of my life something happens."

After graduation, he plans to attend West Texas State or Texas Tech.



ERNESTINE ALVARDO

A smiling face around the halls of S.H.S. is Ernestine Alvarado. Ernestine was born June 9, 1948.

Listed as her favorites, song -- Teach Me Tiger; singer -- Righteous Brothers; teacher-- Coach Martin; subject--choral; color -- red; car -- Super Sport; pastime--riding around and writing letters; food -- chicken.

When asked of her most embarrassing moment, she replied, "Wouldn't you like to know."

Ernestine's advise to freshmen is to study hard now while you can and play it cool in your senior year. Her plans after graduation are to attend Isabell Powell's Hair Design.

Christmas Door Decoration Set By FHA Group

Soon the halls of SHS will wear their annual Christmas apparel. The FHA Chapter will begin its door decorating project in hopes of filling the air with Christmas spirit and joy. This year the FHA Chapter has added decorating the city's local rest-home to the project list.

The chapter has just finished selling candy and is now selling cookbooks.

Last month's meeting, "Daddy Date Night," was a big success. Girls of the month for Sept. and Oct. were Diane McMeekan and Georgia Geer. The "Pretty Baby Contest" will begin Dec. 7, to decide which teacher was the prettiest baby. Votes will be one cent. The winner will be announced Dec. 14 in assembly.

Tiger Calender

Dec. 8 THURSDAY
6:00 Crosbyton vs. Freshmen Boys and Girls
Roosevelt Tourney "A" Boys and Girls

FRIDAY
Roosevelt Tourney "A" Boys and Girls

SATURDAY
Roosevelt Tourney "A" Boys and Girls

MONDAY
6:30 Freshmen Boys and Girls vs. Post - H

TUESDAY
6:30 "A" and "B" Boys vs. Brownfield H
6:30 "A" and "B" Girls vs. Newhome - T

WEDNESDAY
11:30 F.H.A. Assembly

THURSDAY
6:00 Freshmen vs. Crosbyton - H
Idalou Tournament "A" Boys and Girls
"B" Boys in Wilson Tournament
"B" Girls in Wilson Tournament

FRIDAY
Idalou Tournament "A" Boys and Girls
"B" Boys and Girls in Wilson Tournament

MONDAY
7:00 F.H.A. Meeting

TUESDAY
5:30 Springlake "A" Boys and Girls, "B" Girls - T

FRIDAY
Christmas Holidays (Track) Jan. 3, 1967

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
My Mother and Father say I ain't gettin nuttin for Christmas because I have been bad. Just because I tied Judy's hair in knots, filled our sugar bowl with ants, made Johnny eat a bug, and hung our dog, they insist I don't deserve anything. You better bring me something anyway or I might get mad and hang your dog.
Ronnie Rogers

Dear Mr. Jolly,
We ain't got nothin' good to say about you so we'll get right to the point. First of all, please bring us an autographed book filled with Mrs. Kenney's jokes and a year's supply of bubble gum to chew in Mrs. Figley's class. And don't forget to bring Mrs. Nowell a case of Dr. Peppers and Reese Cups and don't forget the aerosol. And last but not least, please send Thelma Levy's ball team to the state tournament.
Hugs and kisses,
Kenna and Beverly

Dear Santa:
I have been a fine fellow. I do not want much for Christmas. Below is my list.
One case of Tootsie Rolls
Two "3" techniques
Two "7" techniques
One Man from Uncle Spy Kit to sneak up on my 3rd period class.
Coach Martin
P. S. Please bring Coach Davis a bright red pickup. His black one is broken.

Dear Santa:
For Christmas I would like a draft deferment. I also want Posey to be made U.N.C.I.E. headquarters. Please send the black plaque to Post.
Larry Hays
P. S. Don't park your lazy reindeer on my roof again this year!

Dear Santa:
Could you please send me a box of Tootsie Rolls, a set of Ludwig Drums, and if you can spare one, a little red G.T.O.
Hopefully,
Charles Lincoln

Dear Santa:
I have been a very good girl this year (but then, who likes good girls?) so would you bring me one of those chemistry sets from which L.S.D. can be made, an Alfred E. Newman doll, and Coach Kerr a case of amnesia. If you come early, I will leave you some goodies.
Love,
Marsha
P. S. Yes, I love you even if you are married!

Track Team Prospects Good

Coach Gene Franklin, head track coach, has high hopes for district since he has five regional participants returning. They are: Charles Fisher--sprint, mile relay and discus; Richard Washington -- sprint relay; Larry Pickett -- mile relay, and Jack Mason--high hurdles and broad jump.

Coach Franklin plans to start workouts around Jan. 15. The first track meet will be the last weekend in February. The Brownfield and Denver City Track Meets will be the strongest competition.



NANCY LUCERO

Nancy Lucero, one of this week's seniors, was born Sept. 17, 1948, in Slaton.

Nancy's favorites include food--Mexican; pastime--staring at a certain coach; color --red; subject -- basketball; teacher -- Miss Thelma Gay Ivey; singers--Righteous Brothers; song -- "I want to be Free."

When asked of her most embarrassing moment Nancy stated, "I'd rather not say."

During High School, Nancy has participated in Basketball 1-4, volleyball 1-4, All-District 3, F.H.A. 1-2, Area Choir 1, Choral 1-4.

After graduation, Nancy plans to attend nursing school.



JACK MASON

And stumbling into the senior spotlight this week is Jack Mason. He was born May 15, 1949 in Pueblo, Colorado.

During high school, Jack has participated in basketball 1-4; track 1-4; all district basketball 3; regional track meet 3; Student council 4; Junior class favorite; and Junior class President.

Jack's favorites include song --Kicks; singer -- Andy Williams; teacher -- Mr. Carnes; subject -- physics; color -- blue; and pastime--anything but homework.

After graduation, Jack plans to attend Texas Tech.

SAT TESTS SET

SAT tests will be given to seniors, some starting at Lubbock High School, and at Lubbock High School, and Texas Tech. The tests are scheduled from 8:30 a.m. to noon on the 3, Jan. 14, March 4, and July 8. The fee for the tests is \$5. The tests are a requirement for enrolling in colleges, including Texas Tech.

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do the weeks go?
has come and gone
20 more days
most hope all of you
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and upset and
of this wonderful
all about.
to wake up on Dec.
all the Christmas
of carols and
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it is all over!
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ourselves so that we
to find the over-
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and once again
of the real meaning

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with Mrs. Winterrowd's sister
and husband, Mr. and Mrs.
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for all!
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home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie
Becker. Mr. Meyer is with the
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of the Texas Farm Bureau.
Congratulations to Mr. and
Mrs. Johnnie Haire who were
united in marriage on Saturday
evening, Dec. 3. May God grant
them a long and happy married
life.

Savings Bond Sales Listed

A. C. Verner, chairman of
the Lubbock County Savings
Bonds Committee, has an-
nounced that bond sales in Lub-
bock county totaled \$155,866
during the month of October.
Sales for the first ten months
totaled \$1,281,462 which is 80
per cent of the 1966 sales goal.

Texans purchased \$13,520,322
in Series E and H Savings
Bonds. This is an increase of
13 per cent over the same period
of 1965. Total sales to date
amounted to \$128,194,374 which
is 87 per cent of the state's
goal of \$147.5 million.

During the month of October,

turn out too well this past week.
Boys and girls both played good
games, but were up against
some good competition. On
Tuesday night they played
Tahoka and our girls won but
the boys lost. Friday they
played Slaton and had some
tough luck. In the girls game,
four of our girls fouled off
leaving us only five players, but
Slaton beat us only 10 points.
Slaton boys also beat us nine
points. Saturday morning both
teams played Gail and we lost
both games. Keep up the good
playing kids, I think you are
looking real good!

"A \$25 Bond purchased for
\$18.75, for example, is a gift
that keeps on giving. Attractive
gift envelopes are available at
all banks. Savings Bonds aid in
control of inflation and support
our men in Vietnam," chair-
man Verner stated.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

Farmers should stop by their
County Agent's office or by the
local Internal Revenue Service
office and get the 1967 edition
of the Farmers Tax Guide. This
free booklet tells farmers in
plain down-to-earth language
how to prepare their 1966 tax
returns. It's worth plowing
through.



SELECT \$110 WORTH--Mrs. A. Dennis is shown picking out 11 Christmas gift certificates worth \$110 after her name was drawn Saturday morning. Three names were drawn for \$210 in gift certificates from local sponsoring merchants. Chamber of Commerce secretary Carla Fondy holds the gift certificates for Mrs. Dennis. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

VIET NAM
The Southland Cub
sent a Christmas
card to a young
boy named Nam and
his mother, Mrs.
Dorothy. Mrs.
received a letter
from him and the
mother. He was
passing it around
and that each
wanted to thank
him for a part in
reunion at this time.
The paper, envelopes,
and kinds of writing
were very scarce,
taken on a project
some of these
them to Man-

Several weeks ago I asked
for the addresses of local boys
serving with the armed forces,
so that I could put them in this
column and perhaps there would
be some of you who would like
to send these boys a Christmas
card. I received another one
this morning, so here it is:
Cpl. Gerald R. Gerner 2019400
13th, M.T. Bn, 5th, Marine
Division
Camp Pendleton, Calif. 92055

The U. S. Post Office of South-
land has been changed to a
Rural Branch Office under the
supervision of Rush Wheeler,
Postmaster of Slaton. Mrs.
Patsy Gilliland is the Clerk-
in-Charge. Mail will be con-
tinued to be addressed the same
way, Southland, Tex., 79368.
The new Post Office is located
next door to the old one. The
new Post Office hours are: 8-
12 and 1-4:30 Monday through
Friday and 8-12 on Saturday.
Mrs. L. L. Lightfoot and Mr.
and Mrs. Dalton Lightfoot of
Ft. Worth, were weekend guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winter-
rowd. On Sunday, all attended
the Golden Wedding Anni-
versary celebration of Mr. and
Mrs. H. A. Lightfoot in Lub-
bock.

ODORS AWAY
Air Deodorant
household odors
instantly
room gives twenty-
control. There are
40 drops in the
1/2-oz. bottle, an
adequate supply for
many months of
spring time fresh-
ness.
\$1.59

CHURCH CELEBRATES 50TH
The Southland Baptist Church
celebrated its 50th Anniversary
last Sunday with a whole day of
activities. There were 105
people registering during the
day. Brother Eddie Fortson
from Dallas was the speaker at
the morning services. Brother
David Ray from Botnam and
Brother H. Gray from Idalou
were the afternoon speakers.
Sam Ellis read the Church's
History and there was special
music in the afternoon.

Mrs. Freddie Townsend, former-
ly Barbara Mock, was
honored with a bridal shower
on Saturday morning, Dec. 3,
in the home of Mrs. Buddy Hall.
Mrs. Lee Fredrickson is still
a patient at the Reese Air Force
Base Hospital. Mr. and Mrs.
Donald Pennell visited with her
on Sunday.

WATER
FARMAN
RDWARE

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Jones
hold the honor of having been
on the roll the longest and still
being members of this church.
Out-of-town guests were Bro-
ther and Mrs. Ray of Idalou,
Brother and Mrs. Fortson of
Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ovis Huff
of Amarillo, Gene Evans of Lub-
bock, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mc-
Nabb of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs.
L. B. Hambricht of Muleshoe,
Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Anderson
of Earth, James (Eldon) True-
lock, Mrs. S. M. Truelock and
Mrs. Eva Terry of Lubbock,
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth and child-
ren of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Myers and son of Post, Mr.
and Mrs. Kenneth Davies of Sla-
ton, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rob-
bins of Idalou, Mrs. Clyde Haire
of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. W. P.
Lesler and Mrs. Sam Ellis.

David Dabbs, who has been
confined at Methodist Hospital
since Nov. 11, was released
on Saturday and is continuing
his convalescence at home. We
are all so happy that you are
at home David, and hope you
will get to go back to school
real soon!

BRYANT FARM SUPPLY
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720 JOHN DEERE TRACTOR \$1950
WIDE FRONT END
620 JOHN DEERE TRACTOR \$1650
WIDE FRONT END
1963 OLIVER 1800 DIESEL \$3100
USED STRIPPERS

FIRE AT BASINGER GIN
We had some excitement here
in Southland last Thursday night
and we slept right through it.
Some trailers at the Basinger
gin caught fire and seven
trailers and 15 bales of cotton
burned up. Those losing cotton
were Sam Ellis - 2 bales;
Smallwoods - 6 bales; V. C.
Wheeler - 2 bales; C. E. Bas-
singer - 2 bales; Lawrence
King - 3 bales; and Oscar
Heinrich lost 3 trailers. The
wind was blowing pretty strong
and it could have been a lot
worse if the trailers had all
been standing close together.
There were around 100 bales
of cotton standing on the gin
yard. The Slaton and Post Fire
Departments answered the call.
Blane Dyess was on the sick
list this past week. Blane, hope
you are feeling much better.
Well, our ballgames didn't

live in the country I have a horse, a calf, a pig, a baby brother, and a lot of other things they don't let you keep in the city. I watch TV and we have electric heat. Mother has an all electric kitchen and Daddy has a workshop. Mother also has an electric washer and dryer which keeps her from sending baby brother back. The electricity comes from the electric Cooperative and my baby says service is as good as you will find anywhere. So if you want a horse, a pig, a calf, a baby brother, or a goat, move out to the country with us. The electric cooperative has plenty of electricity. My Dad says they keep upgrading their system with bigger poles and heavier wires. I don't know what their grade is now but I give them an A+.

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VOTE YES ON COTTON RESEARCH AND PROMOTION DEC. 5-9

Because:

- Higher-priced synthetics are taking our markets — over 2 million bales in the last 2 years.
- New synthetic fiber plants are scheduled; additional manufacturing capacity equal to another 3.5 million bales of cotton by end of 1967.
- Carryover is at all-time high; acreage lowest since 1872.
- 1966 acreage cut averaged 30%; further cuts will come unless carryover is reduced.
- Research odds (5 to 1) and promotion odds (16 to 1) must be reduced if cotton is to survive.
- Farmers originated research and promotion proposal; farmers will run it.
- Plan is voluntary; any farmer not wishing to participate can get a refund.
- 42 cotton producer organizations have endorsed this approach —officially.
- All projects must be initiated and administered by producer trustees elected by cotton producer organizations.
- If we want to keep on growing cotton, we must sell more cotton.
- Most farmers put nearly \$100 or more into growing, harvesting, and ginning a bale; can you afford not to spend \$1 to sell a bale?

Voting Details

1. Check YES box on your ballot. (See example at right.)
2. Sign name on ballot.
3. Place ballot in self-addressed return envelope provided, sign name on outside of this envelope, and mail by December 9.

VOTE YES—MAIL EARLY!

Do you favor the Upland Cotton Research and Promotion Order?
 YES NO

Place (v) mark in square to show your preference.

This Appeal Sponsored By
PLAINS COMMITTEE for COTTON'S FUTURE
 Be Sure to Vote in Cotton Referenda Dec. 5-9.

WILSON NEWS

MRS. TED MELUGIN

Eighth Grade Sets Field Trip

BASKETBALL BEGINS
Nov. 29th, marked the beginning of Wilson's basketball season, when they hosted Union at 7:00 p.m. The girls lost while the boys won, in close games.

Wilson participated in the Tahoka tournament Dec. 1-3. They played at Union Dec. 6th, The Cooper tournament is Dec. 8-9-10. Tuesday night, Dec. 13- Sundown will play in Wilson gym at 7:00 p.m. Wilson tournament will be Dec. 15-16-17.

The Junior High games are played each Monday night. This week will be played at Cooper. 1967 SENIORS OF WHS

The WHS 1967 Seniors donated a Victory Bell to the school recently as a remembrance of their class. Their pictures will soon be featured in the paper. The seniors are: Nelma Gandy, Linda Wilson, Gini Gatzki, Dennis Verkamp, David Koslan, Lynda Melugin, Wanda Wuenesche, Lawrence Stabeno, Mike Ward, J. B. Rackler, Cristi McCormick, Linda Mueller, Lee Moore, Jimmy Koenig, Vicki Rhoads, Karen Swann, Kenneth Corley, Roni Ramby,

Kay Price, Earline Lehman, Linda Edwards and Donna Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Mahurin moved to Slaton recently from Wilson.

AT LACKLAND AFB
Jerry Doyle Hutcheson, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hutcheson of Wilson, a Texas Tech graduate of 1966 with a BBA degree in finance, entered the transportation field in the Air Force Officer training School at Lackland AFB on Nov. 28th. Upon successful completion of the 70-day orientation course in officership, he will be commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Melugin were invited guests to a 42 party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Green in Slaton Friday night. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brake, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sikes Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sikes, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Bradshaw and Mr. and Mrs.

Ben Davis.

LEND HELPING HANDS
Over forty good farmers with twenty - three machines were responsible for the gathering of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Youngs cotton crop Wednesday Nov. 28th. Several ladies prepared the noon meal, Vicki, the Youngs' daughter and a 1966 graduate of Wilson High School, is a patient in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Prayers are with the family and Vicki at this time. This is Wilsons week to help sit up with Vicki. Anyone wishing to do so may contact Mrs. Murray or Mrs. Davidson.

DISTRICT FFA BANQUET
District leadership winners were recognized by Dennis Moore, of Wilson, Monday night at the District FFA banquet in Tahoka. Future farmers from 17 schools attended hosted by the Tahoka FFA chapter.

WILSON LAUNDRY CLOSES
The Wilson Laundry has closed, reported by owners Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Follis, who also operate Wilson Cleaners.

Ray Noble is a patient in the Post hospital after undergoing surgery Saturday. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs.

Clint Phillips and formerly lived in Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maeker Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Follis and boys enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with her parents in Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Montgomery's daughter, Cheryl, has returned to Abilene, after a ten day stay in Wilson.

Mrs. Ted Melugin and Mrs. Mae Melugin visited Wednesday with Mrs. Katie Nieman, who is a patient in Slaton Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Woody enjoyed a visit from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elder McCarty of Midland over the week-end. Mrs. Woody was dismissed Saturday from Slaton Mercy Hospital after a week's stay there.

ATTENDS BIRTHDAY PARTY
Tuesday night, Nov. 29th, Mrs. Erna Bruckner honored her son, Oliver, with a birthday party in her home in Slaton. Attending from Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gumm and John; Mrs. Edwin Martin, Karen, LaNell, and Clinton; Mrs. Bill Kios; Mrs. Willene Schuette; Bruce, Kenny and Roxanne; Irene and Nathan Hines of Lubbock and Rose Kahlich of Slaton.

Legion Members Will Eat Coon

Coon? Did you say, "Coon Supper?"

The Luther Powers Post 438 will hold its Third Annual Coon Supper Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall.

All members of the American Legion are invited to attend, according to Ray Dickie, commander.

Speaker for the evening will be W. H. McGregor, Department Adjutant.

Next Thursday, Dec. 15, the American Legion and its auxiliary will hold a joint meeting to hear reports from the delegates to Boys State and Girls State. The meeting will be held in the Legion Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Boys State representatives were Kenneth Winchester, Dublin England, Larry Pickens and Lee Moore, Marsha Holloman was Girls State representative.

For admission to the dinner, members are asked to bring a toy or a can of vegetables to be placed in Christmas boxes for the needy. The dinner committee are Mrs. Luther Gregory and Mrs. Joe Neilon.



SANTA VISITS SLATON--Santa Claus made his first visit to Slaton Saturday. jolly old gentleman is shown here visiting with youngsters in city hall. Chilly moved the interviews inside. Santa passed out candy to the youngsters and their Christmas requests. (SLATONITE)

Deadline Near On Lion Essay Contest

The president of the Slaton Lions Club today advised possible entrants in the Lions \$50,000 Peace Essay Contest they only have until Saturday, Dec. 10, to submit their essays.

"Judging for Slaton Lions Club's winner will begin soon thereafter," Lion president Bronte which was played at Brownfield.

On Saturday they attended the Make-It Yourself With Wool Contest on the Texas Tech campus where Pam modeled a wool garment. Mrs. Warner Klaus and Frances and Laverne Maeker accompanied the group to Lubbock.

Call your news in anytime to 628-2956.

"PRAY FOR PEACE".

Carroll McDonald announced. The local club will present a certificate and a \$25 savings bond to its winner. The winning essay will also be entered in district competition for other awards and advancement.

A total of \$50,000 in awards will be made, including a first prize of \$25,000 in educational and/or career assistance grant, eight semi-finalist awards of \$1,000, and travel expenses to Chicago, Ill., for these semi-finalists in July, 1967.

At Chicago, the first place winner will be chosen from the eight semi-finalists.

McDonald said that four entries had been received by the local club. The contest, largest Peace Essay Contest in the world today, is open to young

people who are 14 years of age and under 22 as of Jan. 15, 1967.

"It would be a great moment for our community if one of our contestants qualified for the grand prize in the contest,"

McDonald added. Further details may be had by contacting M. G. Davis at School, or committee O. G. Nieman at

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FIELD TRIP
Dec. 14, the eighth grade class are planning a field trip to Lubbock and will eat out at a cafeteria. They plan to tour several points of interest.

Mrs. Virgil Kimbrell and children and Mrs. Floyd Heck visited in Dallas over the week-end with Mrs. Kimbrell's mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson's grandson, Chucky Martin of Plainview, visited a week during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Berwin Hanna, Sabrina and Ronnie Plainview, were visitors Thanksgiving Day.

SYMPATHY is extended to Mrs. Carl Gryder and family, on the loss of her mother, Mrs. Ray, 85, who passed away in Plainview last Saturday.

ATTENDS REUNION
The week-end of Dec. 1, Mrs. Alpha Rhoads and her sister, Mrs. D. R. Badgett of Floydada, attended a family reunion in Sherman, in the home of their sister, Mrs. E. B. Dixon. Also present were Mrs. Loy Garland, and Mrs. Walter Holland, sisters from Whiteboro; a brother, Lucian Stone and wife of Slaton; nephew, Mr. and Mrs. James Badgett and family of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Grace Stone of Howe, Tex. A sister, Mrs. Freeman Asley of San Antonio, was unable to attend. Mrs. Rhoads and Mrs. Badgett visited four days in Ft. Worth with Mr. and Mrs. James Badgett before returning home.

TO BE HONORED
A "Come and go" bridal shower will be given in the home of Mrs. Sam Gatzki tonight (Thursday) between 7-7:30 honoring Miss Sandra Lumsden, bride-elect of Bill Smith. Friends of the couple are invited to attend by the hostesses. Wedding date for the couple will be Dec. 27 in the First Baptist Church of Wilson.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP
We noticed in the Lubbock paper last week that Jeanie Hewlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hewlett, was awarded a scholarship by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation at a banquet Tuesday night of last week. She is a 1966 graduate of WHS.

Overnight visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Werner Klaus Friday night were Audrey Klaus and Kay Pettigrew of Vega and Mrs. Ralph Drake and Pam of Channing. The group came to attend the regional I-B football game between Vega and



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