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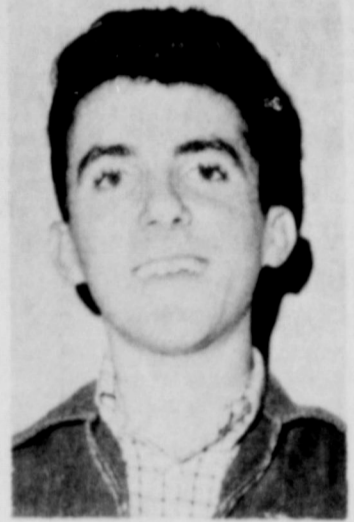
57TH YEAR, ISSUE NO. 30 LUBBOCK COUNTY SLATON, TEXAS THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1968 10 CENTS

Primary Voting Set

COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S RACE HOLDS SPOTLIGHT

Slaton and area voters go to the polls Saturday for important primary elections, with the Precinct 2, Lubbock County commissioner contest holding the spotlight on the local level. Lubbock County has a record 67,612 eligible voters, and it has been estimated that about 17,800 are registered in Precinct 2. Even with the crowded governor's race, the local commissioner race, and straw votes on liquor - by - the drink and horse race betting, observers anticipate only half, or less, of the voters to turn out.

Slaton voters who reside north of Lubbock street and west of 9th street; box 37 for voters south of Lubbock street and west of 9th; and box 38 for voters east of 9th street. Polls are open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.



DALE KITCHENS

Dale Kitchens Receives Top Award

Dale Kitchens, who is serving as president of the Slaton Future Farmers of America for the second year, was named district Star Lone Star Farmer this week. He is the only Slaton FFA member ever to receive such an award.

Saturday is election day in Slaton -- and throughout the state -- and there is still doubt as to whether hard-driving candidates have aroused much voter interest in the May 4 primary elections.

legalizing sale of mixed alcoholic beverages on local option, part - mutuel wagering on horse racing -- also on local option, and establishment of a state milk - price - fixing commission.



ABOUT THAT? -- John Scott, 3, thinks Slaton's pansy pot is great as he looks over some potted pansies in front of the gallery, where he was visiting grandmother Dollie Brown.

Pansy Pot Pushed

"Pansy Pot" was launched in Slaton as a project of the beautification committee of Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

Two SHS Track Stars to State

Slaton High School will have a Tiger and a Tigrette competing in state track meets this week and next.

Police Report 26 Arrests

Slaton police made 26 arrests and issued 36 traffic violation tickets the past week.

The Old Timer



"An expert is a person who takes something you already know and makes it sound confusing."

SLATON SOLDIER KILLED IN ACTION IN VIETNAM CONFLICT

The war in Vietnam moved closer to home this week with the report that Pvt. Freddie Miller had been killed in action.

years old. He went into the service on July 13, 1967.



DICKIE JONES

Slaton Scout Earns Eagle

Richard L. (Dickie) Jones of Boy Scout Troop 125, Slaton, was among 40 new Eagle Scouts from troops in all seven districts of the South Plains Council to be recognized in councilwide Court of Honor at the Lubbock First Baptist Church Sunday.

troop now has six active Eagle Scouts. To earn the Scout's highest honor, a boy must earn at least 21 merit badges, including 11 specified and 10 alternates.

Loyalty Day Service Held

Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Auxiliaries of District Seven were sponsors for a Loyalty Day service Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the West side of Englewood Cemetery.

the district. Posts participating were Slaton 6721, Lubbock 2466, Spur 7212, Levelland 4506, Post 6797, Lamesa 4950 and Brownfield 6794.

Parade Set For 10 A.M. Friday

Tomorrow is the big "play day" of the year for students at Slaton High School when they have Western Day.



LOYALTY DAY OBSERVANCE -- Dewey Nelson left, who served as chairman of the Loyalty Day Service sponsored by District 7 VFW Posts and Auxiliaries, is shown presenting a U.S. flag to Earnest Alvarado, cemetery superintendent. They are standing in front of a plaque and flag pole donated to the cemetery. (Slatonite Photo)

The WEATHER table with columns for date, high, and low temperatures.

Pansy Fame Is Spreading

BY SPEEDY NIEMAN

... saving time started Monday, and people who seem to like it are the ones who can get in an extra hour of playing...

... company also sent its current catalog, which reports on the impact of the pansy pot...

Art Exhibit At Self Furniture

An art exhibit is scheduled Saturday at Self Furniture beginning when the store opens and continuing until closing time, according to Mrs. Juanice Robinson of Post, teacher for the class.

On exhibit will be paintings by adult members of the class painted in oils. Childrens work will also be displayed including tempers, India ink, pen and ink drawings and pastels.

All artists participating in the exhibit are from the Slaton area.

Mrs. Robinson stated that the exhibit is open to the public, you may "come as you are" and bring your friends.

Antique Show Set May 10-12

This spring the Lubbock Antique Show, May 10-11-12, has in addition to interest for the antique collector a special appeal for the HemisFair traveler who will wish to visit the show in the Texas National Guard Armory, 2901 4th Street, on the way to San Antonio.

The Lubbock Antique Show is one of the oldest and largest shows in the state. The last day of the 3-day show is Mother's Day and many family groups plan to attend on that day.

The doors of the Armory will be open on Friday and Saturday from 10 A.M. to 9 P.M., and on Sunday from 12 noon to 6 P.M. The Lubbock Antique Show is a semi-annual affair having shows both in the

spring and the fall.

Dealers from several states will bring antiques of china, art cut and pressed glass, silver, brass and copper. There will be furniture, lamps and pictures, and many of the old kitchen wares so dear to Grandmother's heart. For those who lack space for the larger items there will be miniature size pieces and a fine collection of antique jewelry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks returned this week after visiting their son, Roy S. Parks, in San Antonio. Mrs. Parks went to HemisFair during the visit. The Slaton couple also visited in Mission with Mrs. Parks' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Parks.

Slaton Teachers Senior Citizens Delegates To Convention Hear Rev. Moore

Teachers from throughout the state met in Midland Friday and Saturday for the annual convention of Delta State of Kappa Kappa Iota in the Sands Motel.

Mrs. Gladys Morgan and Mrs. Ruth Longtin were the delegates representing Slaton's Kappa Conclave of Kappa Kappa Iota.

The Saturday schedule included a continental breakfast at 7 a.m.; business session from 9 to 11:30 a.m. under direction of Mrs. Edgar Couser of San Antonio, state president of the teachers' society; a 12:30 p.m. "April Showers" luncheon; tour of Midland from 2:30 to 4 p.m. and "Topsy - Turvy Banquet" at 7 p.m.

"Let Kappa's Magic Lamp Light Your Way Through Life's Topsy - Turvy World" was the theme of the convention. Delegates were welcomed Saturday morning by Mayor Edwin H. Magruder, Jr. and Jerome Snyder, assistant to the superintendent of Midland Public Schools.

Rev. Johnnie Moore, pastor of the First Christian Church, was speaker for the Senior Citizens at the Clubhouse last Friday. Rev. Moore brought a message from the Beatitudes found in the 5th chapter of Matthew. He stressed "what we do is important".

Mrs. Fannie Patterson, president, gave some reports on members who are ill. Mrs. Elmer Burns read the minutes from the last meeting.

Chaplain F. B. Sexton prayed the opening prayer and Mrs. Alvin White led the group in singing with Mrs. Anna Bell Tucker accompanying at the piano.

After offering thanks, Rev. Moore had lunch with the 24 members present.

Mrs. Carrie Benning of Fort Worth, who is visiting her sister Mrs. Birdie Butler, spent the day with the club Friday.

Slaton Quartet Entertains VA Patients

District 7 VFW Posts and Auxiliaries were represented at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Big Spring last Thursday evening with 18 members participating.

Accompanying the group to provide quartet entertainment was the local "Tempo Airs Quartet". Members of the quartet are: Mike Boyd, Haley Richardson, Bill Baker and Diana Starks, all of Slaton, and Pete Gayler of Lubbock.

Sixty-seven patients were present to enjoy the group's entertainment as well as Bingo and refreshments.

The M.O.C. Pup Tent #12 were hosts for the monthly district visit. Lubbock was represented by 10 Post and Auxiliary members and two M.O.C. members. Those attending from Slaton were district officers: Mr. and Mrs. Bo Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Clements and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Underwood.

The local quartet was thoroughly enjoyed by the patients and invited to come back again soon", according to Mrs. Becker. The next scheduled district visit to Big Spring is set for June 27.

Bluebonnet Club Meets In Wicker Home

Members of the Bluebonnet Club met last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. C. C. Wicker for their regular meeting.

Mrs. Marion Hodge, president, had charge of the session. Following roll call, minutes were read and approved.

A sympathy card was signed and sent to Mrs. Ford Stansell who was absent due to the death of her sister.

Games were played and refreshments served to 12 members and two new members, Mrs. Cecil Odom and Mrs. M. L. Abernathy.

The next meeting is scheduled next Wednesday in the home of Mrs. H. H. Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Edwards and son, Collin of El Paso, visited in Slaton over the weekend with their parents, Mrs. Marcie Bounds and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards and family.



LINDA LATTNER

Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lattner of Pecos announce the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Linda, to Bill Ganus, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ganus of Slaton. Vows will be exchanged in Lubbock on July 4.

The bride-elect is a Pecos High School graduate and is now attending Texas Tech where she is a junior majoring in accounting.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Slaton High School and is a sophomore student at Texas Tech majoring in finance. He is also employed by Lubbock Battery and Electric Co. and is a member of the 980th Engineers of the Army Reserve.

ITEM: When renting a property, it's to the advantage of both the landlord and the tenant to have a written lease. It will give both parties a clear understanding of each one's rights.

Couple To Wed May 10th

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Stolle invite their friends and relatives to the marriage of their daughter, Beverly Kay, to Rodney Foy Callaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Callaway, on Friday, May 10th, at 8 p.m. at the Shepard King Lutheran Church, 2122 18th St., Lubbock.

First In U.S. John Eliot's 1646 translation of the Bible into Algonquian was the first Bible printed in America.

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MR. & MRS. ALLEN L. MEURER

Meurers Honored On 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Allen L. Meurer were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary Saturday with a surprise gathering in their home at 825 So. 19th St. Hosts for the occasion were the couple's sons and daughters. They are Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Meurer, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Meurer of Wolforth; Dennis Meurer, Patsy, Doris and Deetta Meurer.

Meurer and the former Delta Buxkemper were married Apr. 27, 1943, in St. Joseph's Church of Slaton by the late Msgr. Thomas D. O'Brien. They have resided in the Slaton area all their married life and were engaged in farming until several years ago. Meurer served as a law enforcement officer for seven years and is now an accident investigator and claims adjustor.

Guests attending included Messrs. and Mrs. Buxkemper, Mrs. C. B. Schmitt, Mrs. E. L. Bednarz, Mrs. Kitten, Alex Meurer, Lloyd Schnell, Paul Mimes, A. J. Mimes, and Betty Hildebrand.

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STUCK ON CACTUS'—Shellie Smith, left, daughter of Mrs. Steve Smith, and Joan Swanner, right, daughter of Mrs. Lanny Swanner, are shown looking at a cactus, sometimes known as a Yucca Baccata. The yard of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swanner, is the place where the cactus plant is that it is in full bloom. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

It's a woman's WHIRL

BY LAVON NIEMAN

Sad news came to Slaton this week when Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller received word that their son, Freddie, had been killed in Vietnam.

When Freddie's body is brought home for burial, our President will not proclaim it a nation wide day to fly our flags at half mast. But in my opinion it would be more appropriate for Slaton residents to fly flags half mast in tribute to a Slaton boy who lost his life serving our country than in some cases where the flag is put half-mast. But, naturally, proper flag etiquette has to be upheld.

The Vietnam conflict has claimed thousands of the top young men of our country in the past few years. For, you see... only the "cream of the crop" serve their country. The finest young men of America fight in the swamps and jungles and rot and filth of Vietnam each day, so that we might have peace on our home shores here in the USA. Yes, and too... so that the stinking rioters may riot.

As I drove to work Wednesday morning I found myself thanking God that we still can fly our flags. Another big thanks go to the men and women of the VFW organizations for flying the many many flags on the main streets of Slaton on Loyalty Day...and for sponsoring the Loyalty Day service when Slaton citizens could gather to publicly reaffirm their all-out dedication to American ideals, our government and support to U. S. fighting men in Vietnam.

We saw Pansy Collins (the former Pansy Sloan of Slaton) at the Lions Convention in Littlefield Saturday. Having been raised in Slaton and visiting here often, she said we didn't have to go to all that trouble planting pansies just for her... but that she did appreciate the recognition.

After the story came out in the Lubbock Avalanche, she had many calls from Littlefield friends to let her know they didn't know she was so important over here.

And the pansy story even traveled all the way to San Antonio and was published in one of the newspapers there. So, whether our pansies grow or not (and some skeptics say they won't) Slaton has already received recognition for its project. When news travels on the AP wire, there's no telling how many papers it will be in and that must have been what happened.

I hear Beverly Kercheval and Jo Ann Clark are having a contest to see who can grow the prettiest pansies, while there are some I've heard that don't even seem to be giving them a good chance. But that's the way it goes.

There isn't anything that can be sliced so thin that it has only one side.

It takes two nations to fight but it takes many more to keep peace of the world.

We hope the residents out around Roosevelt and Acuff will call their news into our new correspondent, Kathy Walter. This column can be just as good as YOU make it. Please don't be hesitant to let her know when you have visitors or go on a trip or whatever news you might have.

Slatonites Attend Assembly

Rev. and Mrs. Johnnie Moore and Robert H. Davis are voting delegates representing the First Christian Church here at the annual assembly of the Texas Association of Christian Churches.

The assembly is being held at the Municipal Coliseum in Austin May 1 to 4th. Rev. Moore was recently re-elected president of this district and he and Mrs. Moore will be introduced Thursday night at the meeting.

Alternate delegates from here are Buddy Pettigrew, Neill Carter and Elaine Moore, of Lubbock and sister to Rev. Moore.

Buddy, Neill and Mike Finley will be singing and Buddy playing lead guitar in the all-youth choir that will have charge of the closing worship service on Sunday.

Next year the assembly will be held in Lubbock.

ITEM: Latex foam rubber and urethane foam both make good mattress materials. Urethane, however, is lighter in weight and doesn't have the "fight-back" resistance of latex. A higher density urethane will give the best support.

Ward-Hilbers Vows Exchanged Apr. 11

Double ring vows for Miss Terrie Dale Hilbers and James Ray Ward were read at 6:30 p.m. Apr. 11 in Arnett-Benson Baptist Church with Rev. Jimmy McGuire, minister, officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Phillips of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Glass of Lubbock.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, the bride wore a princess gown of white saki and Venice lace designed with a bateau neckline and three-quarter length bell sleeves cuffed in borders of lace. The floor length skirt was encircled at the hemline with a lace border and featured a back bow with streamers. Her bouffant veil of silk illusion was at-



MRS. JAMES RAY WARD ... Terrie Hilbers

Local Clubs Host Federated Meet

The Lubbock County Federation of Women's Club met at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Slaton club house with members of the Civic and Culture Club and the Bluebonnet Club serving as hostesses.

Mrs. L. A. Kerr of Lubbock, president, conducted a business meeting. Officers for the coming year were installed by Mrs. R. L. Smith.

The new officials are Mrs. Kerr, president; Mrs. C. L. Adams, first vice - president; Mrs. R. C. Hall, second vice-president; Mrs. Kerman Bond, third vice - president; Mrs. F. A. Kleinschmidt, secretary; Mrs. B. L. King, treasurer; and Mrs. Joe Teague Jr., registrar.

During the program, Mrs. Earl Reasoner reviewed "A Little Bit of Honey", written by Rev. W. A. Thorne, Baptist minister formerly of Lubbock.

Arrangements of iris and roses decorated the tables in the meeting room. Forty-three guests were registered.

Slaton Ladies Attend Meet In Fort Worth

The 26th Bi - Annual State Convention of Catholic Daughters of America was held in Fort Worth April 25 - 28 and a group of six Slaton women attended the affair.

The Slaton Catholic Daughters placed 10th out of 94 courts to be named honorable mention for achievements last year.

Slaton delegates to the convention was Mrs. Louie Melcher and Mrs. Paul Mosser was alternate. Others attending from Slaton were Mmes. Alvin Bukemper, Augusta Blume, Bill Farschon and August Klitten.

Club Meets In Heaton Home

Mrs. C. L. Heaton and Mrs. Kenneth Davies were hostesses to the Civic and Culture Club last Wednesday in Mrs. Heaton's home.

Mrs. R. C. Hall, Sr. and Mrs. A. L. Saage presented the program. Mrs. Hall discussed "Good Grooming" and Mrs. Saage, a graduate in Hat Design, discussed and demonstrated, "The Trend in Hat Designing".

Mrs. H. V. Wheeler, vice - president, conducted the business session. Plans were made, in conjunction with the Bluebonnet Club, for entertaining the County Federation of Clubs on April 30th at the clubhouse.

Attending the meeting were Mmes. R. H. Todd, E. R. Legg, H. T. Scurlock, J. A. Elliott, L. B. Hagerman, R. E. Switzer, R. L. Smith, Heaton, Davies, Wheeler, Hall and Saage.

ITEM: A clean home seldom burns. Keep your hall, attic, closet, cellar and favorite stow-away spots free from fire's favorite fuel - rubbish. Clean up now for a fire safe home.

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NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Legion Executive at 8 p.m. in the Executive meeting room to attend.

Because nut bread, and spread with butter, and chopped

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The sofa converts into a bed for weekend guests. The sofa and chair are covered in washable Vinelle that will last for many years with very little care.

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Bland's Furniture



HOUSING PROJECT—Construction is now underway on the Public Housing project nearest Slaton, where 70 units are scheduled to be constructed for low-income families. The \$1 million project will include 40 units for the elderly. Funds were provided through the Housing and Urban Development program of the Federal government. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

SPRINGTIME—The yard of Mrs. H. G. Sanders, 500 W. Garza, is one of the more scenic yards in Slaton this time of year. The tulips and roses in bloom are just beautiful. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

DECORATING FOR BANQUET—Shown above is a group of some of the junior class who helped decorate for the Junior - Senior Banquet held last Friday night in the Junior High Cafeteria. Theme for the banquet was "Camelot" and the decorations were beautiful. Pictured are, left to right, Donna McAnear, Fred Mayo, Miles Beard, Naoma Davis and Elbert D. Walston. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

DRICK, MCALISTER Political Foes Guests at Rotary

Political foes were guests at Slaton Rotary Club luncheon, but the talks were political. McAlister, chairman of the KSEL radio, and Kendrick, Brownfield native, were the guest speakers. Kendrick, who is also chairman of water, Inc., discussed the water problem in West Texas. McAlister talked on the need for new industry in the area.

The two men are candidates for State Representative, Place 3, in the Democratic primary May 4. Dee Bowman was program chairman and introduced the friendly foes.

Kendrick briefly explained the purpose and operation of

How Well Does Your Baby See?

(Editor's Note: The following article was prepared from material supplied by the Vision Conservation Institute of California and is presented in the interest of better vision by the local members of the South Plains Optometric Society.)

Don't take it for granted your child has normal eyesight. There is too much at stake—his learning, his safety, his very future depends in large measure upon his vision. Reason enough for parents to make sure their baby can see as he should.

The earliest years are vital to a baby's eyesight. This is a time when muscles and nerves and storehouses of experience are developing at a rapid pace. The kind of knowledge he gains from the world around him is intimately related to the nature of his visual contact. The better his visual performance he has, the better he can learn.

A new-born child generally looks at the world with blurry sight. In the first few months, he mostly eats and sleeps, while nature is busy preparing his eyes for the task ahead. He begins to listen to sounds and to feel objects. Soon he needs his eyes to respond visually to things around him, and with time and experience, sight sharpens remarkably.

From this time on, watching for signs of faulty visual response is increasingly important.

When your baby starts to creep and walk, his play habits often reveal how well he sees. Bumping into objects, grasping inaccurately, lack of interest in visual games are symptoms of serious visual deficiencies.

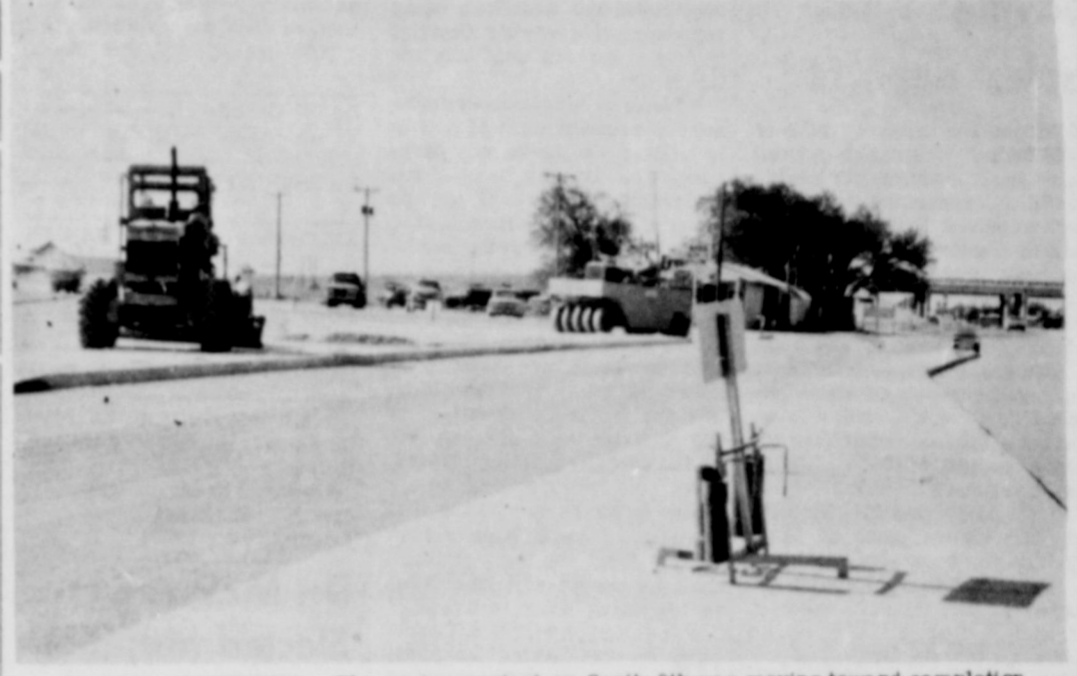
Other indications of poor visual performance are:

1. Squinting with both eyes to look carefully at objects.
2. Favoring one eye much of the time.
3. Inability to follow a moving object easily.
4. Holding things very close to see them.
5. Eyes which do not aim together, or one eye which turns in or out too much.

By the age of two, muscles and nerves of the visual mechanism and the entire body have developed to permit more delicate movements. Sight is much sharper, while the visual experience already acquired is beginning to result in more meaningful seeing. Your youngster's play performance should be increasingly accurate. Be sure he is using both eyes. He should be able to look at his toys with no sign of frowning or visual uncertainty.

As he grows older, all responses should continually improve. Can he follow a moving object with no difficulty? Can both eyes maintain attention on an object? Patch off one eye at a time, can he apparently see to play equally well with either eye?

Carefully notice his performance in learning to draw, and later to read and write. Failure to learn at the expected rate in itself is often a prime symptom of inadequate visual response.



PAVING CONTINUES—The paving project on South 9th was moving toward completion this week. The work includes curbs and gutters, paving and widening of S. 9th to the bypass, and a new traffic "island" where the old Post highway joins the street. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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- (A) Every citizen should be guaranteed by law the right to take all steps necessary to protect his life and his property.
- "CIVIL OBEDIENCE"
Meadow, Texas . . . R. B. (Mac) McAlister told newsmen tonight that the American people are demanding that respect for law and order be restored in this country. McAlister, as a candidate for State Representative favors strong legislation to give every citizen the right to protect his life and his property.
- "We have spoiled the rod and spoiled the child, both in our homes and in the streets, and the resultant irresponsibility must be eliminated swiftly and firmly. At your state representative I will be ready, willing and able to take action at the first opportunity," McAlister concluded.
- (B) The breakdown in law enforcement must be stopped by immediate arrests and swift prosecution.
- (C) No new taxes should be voted by the Legislature until every effort is made to eliminate waste and inefficiency that presently exists.
- SOBRIETY ECONOMY:**
Lubbock, Texas . . . R. B. (Mac) McAlister, candidate for State Representative, Place 3, District 76, expressed today his deep concern over the financial condition of our state government. McAlister said, "Since the late 30's, Texas has ridden along with a constant increase in the budget, and added taxes at almost every turn."
- McAlister declared further, "No family can continue to live beyond its means without ultimately crumbling, and the same is true of our lone star state."
- "Before we go into new and burdening tax programs, the Legislature should shave every possible dollar from our state budget in a businesslike manner."
- "If you want a businessman in Austin, then I will appreciate the opportunity to represent you," McAlister concluded.
- (D) Our approach to the solution of our welfare and poverty programs should be foundationed on "the Golden Rule."
- (E) The State Representatives from West Texas must work together to create more jobs and better pay throughout our area.



- Native of Brownwood, Texas, and a South Plainsman starting in 1929
 - Active in community and civic work for over 40 years
 - Has spoken to more than 3500 groups in West Texas since 1935
 - Baptist deacon in Calvary Baptist Church, Lubbock, Texas
 - Chairman of the Board of Radio Station KSEL, Lubbock, Texas
- R. B. (Mac) McAlister**

SENSIBLE GROWTH:
Slaton, Texas . . . R. B. (Mac) McAlister, candidate for State Representative, Place 3, District 76, in a radio broadcast today declared that every town on the South Plains has an opportunity to enjoy a healthy growth in the 60's and 70's by using a sensible approach.

"Water, water everywhere must be conserved; every drop, and already we are learning that millions of gallons are available that heretofore have been assumed to drain off and evaporate. Water incorporated should be given 100% cooperation in its long range program to tap all sources where excess waters may be available," he continued.

"When we think of industry for West Texas, we should turn toward Texas Tech and South Plains College. Through the use of our Educational Institutions we have an opportunity to secure industries that do not require a maximum supply of water, yet they are geared to the future electronic expansion of our country."

McAlister concluded, "In Austin, Texas, the squeaking wheel gets the grease, and West Texas Legislators will find millions of dollars going downstate, unless we enthusiastically support our area Institutions of higher learning. I am ready, willing and able to work with all representatives from West Texas in this endeavor."

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MANSKER ISSUES APPEAL TO SLATON AREA VOTERS

ROBERT MANSKER, a candidate for State Representative from Lubbock County, emphasized the differences in the positions of the candidates running for the State Representative position.

"The primary difference," MANSKER asserted, "is that I am offering to serve on a full-time basis, and my two opponents have not. One has publicly stated that he will be unwilling to give up the presidency of his bank in Brownfield, and the other gentleman will not get out of the radio business. I have already demonstrated my belief in full-time service by resigning my post on the faculty of Texas Tech, and I will not return to teaching if elected."

MANSKER, who worked in the Texas House of Representatives during the 57th, 58th, and 59th Legislatures and served on the Speaker's staff during the 57th Legislature, said that besides the pledge of full-time representation, he would seek to:

- (1) obtain adequate appropriations for the expanding needs of Texas Tech and South Plains College,
- (2) support any program that will bring an adequate supply of water to Lubbock County,
- (3) oppose any attempt to pass a personal income tax in Texas,
- (4) work for a full investigation of the Texas automobile insurance system,
- (5) strive to keep the sales tax percentage at the current level,
- (6) abolish the automobile tax, as this levy is currently costing more to collect than it is taking in,
- (7) review the State Old-Age Pension Program to determine if its payments are sufficient to adequately provide for the old people of Texas, and
- (8) vote in accord with the results of the May 4th referendum on horse-racing and liquor - by - the - drink.

"I will vote however my District votes on these issues," MANSKER stated. "Very few questions are given to the people for them to decide, and when one is given to them for their decision, I would not think a representative was truly being representative of his District if he did not vote like his District."

"These areas of concern cannot be accomplished if a man is willing to serve only part-time. The job has become too important for that. If we are going to continue without having annual sessions of the legislature, full-time service is mandatory," MANSKER emphasized.

Concluding, MANSKER stated that he would not have to be asked to come back to Slaton and the other communities of the District to make reports on the events in the legislature. "Not only will I make frequent visits to every city in the 76th District, I will also report weekly from the legislature so that the people will know what is happening down in Austin."

"It has been a difficult campaign by not having the funds to buy expensive billboards and television spots, but a lack of thousands of dollars has not prevented many of the hard working citizens of Slaton from pledging me their support...and for that I am very appreciative and to them goes my most sincere 'Thank You'."

Savings Bond Sales Reported

During the first quarter of 1968 United States Savings Bond sales in Lubbock county totaled \$542,681, according to a report received today from Jimmie R. Holder, chairman of the Lubbock county Savings Bond Committee. Twenty-four per cent of the county's 1968 goal of \$2,300,000 has been achieved.

Savings Bond sales in Texas during the month of March totaled \$14,174,187 which is an increase of 5 per cent over the same period of 1967. During the first quarter sales totaled \$45,978,599 and 25 per cent of the state's goal of 184.5 million has been achieved.

The Treasury Department reports that March sales of E and H Bonds and Freedom Shares over the Nation totaled \$419 million, bringing quarterly sales to \$1,340 million.

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Don't Delay On Birth Record

Are you planning to file for your social security retirement benefits anytime in the next few years? If you are, John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security district office, suggests that you get proof of your age now rather than waiting until you file your claim.

The most frequent delay in processing a claim is waiting on proof of the applicant's age. The State of Texas has been keeping birth records since 1903. Although some births were not recorded in those early years, a surprisingly large number are on record.

Hutton suggests that if you are over 64 and were born in Texas, you should request a search for your birth record now.

Use the coupon below. Give full information. Sign your name and show your present mailing address. Enclose a \$1.50 check or money order payable to Bureau of Vital Statistics, Austin, Texas. Even a "no record" answer will help speed your future social security claim, as more recent records may then be used, adds HUTTON.

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Dr. McSween Elected Member Of Academy

Dr. Jay McSween, Jr. has been re-elected to active membership in the American Academy of General Practice, the national association of family doctors, according to a release from the academy in Kansas City, Mo.

Re-election signifies that the physician has successfully completed 150 hours of accredited postgraduate medical study in the last three years. The Academy, the country's second largest national medical association, is the only medical group that requires members to keep up with medical progress through continuing education.

The Academy, founded in 1947 and headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., currently is spearheading a movement to create a new specialty of family medicine that will enhance the ability of the family physician to provide comprehensive, continuing care to the public. The foundation of this new specialty will be the Academy's post-graduate education program.



INDUCTED INTO BOY SCOUTS---This group of five Webelos were inducted into Boy Scout Troop 125 last Friday night. They are, left to right, Larry Ayers, Job Hensarling, Gary Ayers, John Mitchell and Trevor Jones. On the back row are Alex Webb, scout master of Troop 125, and R. M. McMinn, Cub Scout Master and leader for the Webelos. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



WINNERS OF RACES---Sherri Aiken, left, is congratulating Jim Swanner, winner of the Pinewood Derby race, and Sherri Bradford, right put a lei around the neck of Job Hensarling, winner of the Rocket races. The scouts are members of Pack 128. The girls are both Brownies. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Five Boys Inducted Into Boy Scouts

Cub Scout Pack 128 held its annual pinewood derby races Friday night at Slaton High School auditorium and inducted five Webelos into Boy Scout Pack 125.

In welcoming the boys into the troop, Alex Webb, Scout Master for Troop 125, he told them they would join 34 other fine boys in his troop and that he hoped they would stay with scouting for many more years to come.

The boys moving into the Boy Scouts are Larry and Gary Ayers, Job Hensarling, John Mitchell and Trevor Jones. R. M. McMinn has been their leader in Webelos.

Jim Swanner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Swanner, was winner of the pinewood derby races. Job Hensarling had been named winner of the rocket races earlier this year. They were awarded trophies and their models will be retired in the Cub Scout Hut.

Other scouts awarded awards were Larry Jose Condarco and Bobcat Burks, recruit; Ricky Allison, Webelos; Mitchell, Webelos; Condarco, Webelos; Ricky Allison, Webelos; pin; Terry Bradford, award in Webelos; points under Wolf Burks, Tipton Cub Scout Swanner.

McMinn is Cub Scout for Pack 128.

Disaster Drill Set For May

A disaster drill has been set by the Mercy Hospital for the day of Monday, May 13. Significantly planned for someone at the hospital to notify volunteers to participate.

An information sheet will be set up in the Joseph's School at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, May 13. The sheet will be used during the disaster drill also.

Residents wanting about a relative may call 4663, along with the press, during a disaster drill.

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Music Week Set Here May 5-12

National Music Week, scheduled May 5-12, will be observed on an individual basis by Stinson R. Behlen, a special individual member of both National and Texas Federated Music Clubs. Since Slaton does not have a Federated Music Club, Behlen has been asked to promote and encourage traditional folk music throughout the city and community.

Theme of the week this year is "Music -- A Keystone for Living". A maker of the Southern Highland dulcimer, Mr. Behlen will also prepare a one-hour tape recording of traditional Texas folk music on the dulcimer for the Texas Archives of Folk Music. He has entered the National Federation of Music recognition and Award of Merit competition for individual membership awards for Slaton.

Mr. Behlen has donated a number of dulcimer recordings to the Texas Archives, and

on May 17 will perform as guest soloist for the Lubbock Professional Women's Club.

The objectives for National Music week are to create an understanding and appreciation of the value of music in the home and community; as a common bond among all people; and as an instrument of world peace.

Time For A Change

C.H. 'Choc' Blanchard

The present Sheriff of Lubbock County has been in the office 23 years. He is now 72 years old, well past retirement age. He is running for another four year term. I believe it is time for you to have a young, experienced and aggressive man take over. Good law enforcement in our County demands it.

I am 41 years old, married with 3 sons. I have lived here the past 17 years. I have 15 years of active law enforcement experience, 11 of those in your Sheriff's Department. I know how to meet the growing demands of the office I seek.

Our people have the right to expect this office to be a vital and active law enforcement agency. You have the opportunity on May 4th to make it what it ought to be. After examining all my qualifications, I believe you will select C. H. "Choc" BLANCHARD as your Sheriff.

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Local Golfers At Desert Inn Gold Cup



Sam Ellis of Southland and J. S. Edwards of Slaton, members of the South Plains Country Club golf team are competing in the 11th round of the Desert Inn Gold Cup Tournament in Las Vegas, Nev.

They will be going up against 140 golfers from Lubbock, Amarillo, Wichita and Hutchinson, Kan. and Lincoln, Nev.

The International Gold Cup annually draws hundreds of the top amateur golfers to this event who vie for the coveted Gold Cup Trophy. By the time the finals are played, June 18-21, nearly 2500 golfers from throughout the U. S. will have competed with only 190 returning to the Las Vegas resort hotel.

Wilson Menu

MAY 6-MAY 10

Monday: Salmon Patty w/ cheese sticks, Dried w/beans, Turnips & Greens, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk Fruit Jello.

Tuesday: Spaghetti & Meat Balls, Green Beans, Buttered Squash, Orange Juice, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Buttered Rice.

Wednesday: Steak w/gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Cabbage Slaw, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Pineapple Upside down cake.

Thursday: Chili Beans, Buttered Carrots, Peas, Orange Juice, Butter, Cornbread, Milk, Peanutbutter Cake.

Friday: Hamburger, Ranch style Beans, Lettuce, Tomato Salad, Onions, Pickles, Buns, Chips, Milk, Plain Muffin.

Baseball Starts Here Monday

The long-awaited cry of "Play ball!" will ring out in two Slaton parks Monday when Babe Ruth League and Little League baseball programs open their official seasons.

Little League swings the bat first, with the major teams starting their first game at 5:30 p.m. Monday in Little League Park. First game matches the Tigers against the Giants.

Babe Ruth's first game pits Texas Grocery against 8 Til Late, with game time set for 8 p.m. Monday. Both of the leagues have five games scheduled each week.

The minor and pee wee divisions of Little League will open their play May 13 at 5:30 p.m. And, starting then, the

major teams will change their game times to 7:30 p.m.

Look inside today's issue for season schedules of all the teams.

Other opening games in Babe Ruth next week include CSB vs. Henzler Tuesday night, and Slaton Co-Op Gin vs. Texas Grocery Wednesday night. The Ruth league is for boys in the 13-15 age group, and the league has some 80 players registered.

Little League has more than 200 boys in the three divisions, composed of the 8-12 age group. Other opening games next week include Yankees vs. Indians Tuesday; and the Cardinals vs. the Dodgers Wednesday.

Team rosters were published in last week's Slatonite.

US Highway 87 To Be Repaired

AUSTIN -- A contract for highway construction in the Lubbock district has been awarded by the Texas Highway Commission.

The work will be under the supervision of District Engineer O. L. Crain and will be in Lubbock County.

Henry L. Stafford and Bailey Bridge Company, Inc., of Lubbock were awarded a contract for grading, structures, flexible base asphalt stabilized base, two-course surface treatment and hot mix asphaltic concrete pavement on 10 miles of US Highway 87. Low bid was \$2,579,589.04.

The project extends from Loop 289 south of Lubbock to the Lynn County line. James T. Johnson of Lubbock is the Highway Department engineer in charge of the project which will take an estimated 400 working days.

Golf Clinic Set for Ladies

Bill Wilson, Slaton golf pro, will conduct 30-minute clinics each Tuesday morning this month for the Slaton Ladies Golf Association, it was announced Wednesday.

The ladies hold a "Play Day" each Tuesday, and Wilson will conduct the clinics at 9 a.m., prior to the start of Play Day activities. All members and prospects are invited and urged to attend the clinics.

The ladies' association met Tuesday and a nominating committee was appointed. Election of officers is scheduled for the next meeting.

1968 BABE RUTH SCHEDULE

Game Time: 8:00 P.M.
Home Team Listed First

CODE: —
Texas — Texas Grocery
8 Til — 8 Til Late Food
Gin — Slaton Co-op Gins
Henzler — Henzler Grocery
CSB — Citizens State Bank

MAY		JUNE	
6	Texas vs. 8 Til	3	8 Til vs. CSB
7	CSB vs. Henzler	4	Gin vs. Texas
8	Gin vs. Texas	5	CSB vs. Henzler
9	8 Til vs. CSB	6	Texas vs. 8 Til
10	Henzler vs. Gin	7	Henzler vs. Gin
13	Henzler vs. 8 Til	10	CSB vs. Texas
14	Gin vs. CSB	11	Henzler vs. 8 Til
15	Texas vs. Henzler	12	Gin vs. CSB
16	8 Til vs. Gin	13	Texas vs. Henzler
17	CSB vs. Texas	14	8 Til vs. Gin
20	CSB vs. 8 Til	17	Henzler vs. CSB
21	Gin vs. Henzler	18	Texas vs. Gin
22	8 Til vs. Texas	19	CSB vs. 8 Til
23	Henzler vs. CSB	20	Gin vs. Henzler
24	Texas vs. Gin	21	8 Til vs. Texas
27	Henzler vs. Texas	24	Texas vs. Gin
28	CSB vs. Gin	25	Henzler vs. CSB
29	8 Til vs. Henzler	26	8 Til vs. Gin
30	Texas vs. CSB		
31	Gin vs. 8 Til		



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COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Major emphasis in testimony by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. before the House Agriculture Committee in Washington recently was on the urgency of extending the current cotton program during this session of congress, protection for producer income, expansion of export markets and provisions for incentives to produce for those markets.

PCG also urged the Committee to work for revisions in the law that would liberalize the regulations on sale and lease of allotments, return the industry to production from the legal minimum 16 million acre national allotment, correct projected yield inequities and provide producers with a guarantee against individual program benefit limitations.

PCG's efforts to influence cotton legislation this year has a double-barrelled approach. President Don Anderson of Crosbyton outlined to the House Committee the legislative policy adopted by the PCG board and at the same time endorsed the position of the Texas Association of Cotton Producer Organizations, presented by Joe B. Pate Jr. of Lubbock, TACPO Chairman.

TACPO is an affiliation of the six chartered cotton producer organizations in the State. Its policy statement was worked out by representatives of all six groups and is an almost exact parallel to PCG policy and that of the other five members.

This fact for the first time in history presents a united front in Washington from Texas cotton farmers who produce about one third of the Nation's cotton.

On the urgency of passing farm legislation this year it was pointed out to the Committee that farmers need the opportunity to plan as far in advance as possible and that the necessary reorganization of Congress after 1968 elections would delay and make more difficult passage of a farm program in 1969.

Congressman Bob Poage of Waco, House Agriculture Committee Chairman, is conducting the hearings and is known to favor enactment of a farm law this year. Senator Allen Ellender of Louisiana, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, which has already completed preliminary hearings, has said he will not push for legislation this year but will not be in opposition if it appears that is what Congress wants.

In calling for an extension of the present program, PCG and TACPO testimony said "Our experience under the program for the past two years has proven the Act (Agriculture Act of 1965) can provide the necessary flexibility to maintain adequate supplies of cotton without burdensome surpluses and can stabilize farm income."

The testimony sought to impress on the Committee the importance of retaining in law the "Ellender Amendment," which in the current program has afforded producers a guarantee of 65 per cent of parity on permissible planted acreage.

"This should be recognized as an absolute minimum income level for cotton producers," Mr. Pate said, adding "We cannot make the sizeable investments required in today's farming operations without the expectation of a reasonable net re-

turn." Closely tied to producer income protection is the need for preventing limitations being imposed by Congress on the benefits available to individual producers.

This feature of the current

program is known as the "snap back" provision, and both Anderson and Pate made a strong plea for its retention in future cotton programs.

Repeated efforts have been made for the past several years by some members of Congress to impose limitations. But PCG points out that such attempts are made by people who "do not realize the tremendous and ever-increasing investments required of commercial farmers for advanced technological production inputs that are our only chance for reducing per-unit costs."

"And reducing production costs on this basis is our only

hope of reducing our need for government help."

The TACPO statement called attention to the fact that about 20 per cent of the Nation's cotton farmers supply 80 per cent of the needed cotton production.

It said "These are the cotton farmers who fuel the cotton industry. To destroy the efficiency of their operations, as benefit limitations would do, would be to destroy the cotton industry. Without profit they cannot produce, and without the production the industry cannot survive."

An increase in cotton exports was presented to the Committee

as the only immediately available cure for the economic ills that stem from a low level of production.

Among the means suggested for building greater foreign markets were the use of credit risk guarantees and lower interest rates through the Export-Import Bank, stepped-up use of P.L. 480 funds for cotton sales and informational and technical services to foreign cotton users and a continuation and expansion of cotton trade teams.

The Navajo Indian language is so difficult to learn that it was used by the U. S. Army during World Wars One and Two to transmit messages.

Jr. High Day Is Tuesday At Tiger Town

For several weeks, junior high students have been enjoying the facilities at Tiger Town from 3:45 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday afternoons.

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Seven Slaton FFA Teams Qualify For State Contest



MEMBERS--Pictured above are members of the land, meat and cotton teams who compete in state contests. They are, left to right, front row, Sherrell Wicker Nowlin, Mike Melcher and Neill Carter, Back row, Frank Menzel, Montgomery, Truett Johnson, Roy Childers and Freddie Piwonka. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Slaton Future Farmers of America qualified all six teams for the state contest at Texas A&M May 4th when they took honors at the 41st annual Vocational Agriculture Judging Contests at Texas Tech Saturday.

Approximately 1,600 FFA members from throughout West Texas participated in the all-day activities. They represented about 160 high schools.

On hand for an awards program in the Student Union Building were Danny Burns of Pittsburg, president of the Texas FFA Association, and John Gemmill of Peoria, Ariz. national FFA vice president.

State competition is limited to livestock, dairy cattle, poultry, land, milk and meats judging.

In qualifying all teams for the state contest, Slaton was the only school in Area I to accomplish this feat. There are more than 100 schools in classes B through AAAA in Area I.

Slaton FFA boys won 11 individual ribbons in the various contests.

Members of the poultry team placed second in area and district and sixth in the Tech division. Walter Simmons was first in the egg grading division and ninth in all phases. Other members of the team included Tom Hargraves and Bradley Kitten.

The dairy cattle team came in first in district, and second in area and Tech. Glen Akin tied for first in the Jersey judging and was fourth in the entire contest with 450 boys competing. Roby Hartman was fourth in Holstein judging and ninth in the entire contest. Gary Cook was the other member of the team.

The land judging team placed second in Tech division, third in district and fifth in area. Wicker Nowlin was fourth high individual in the Tech contest and Glen Montgomery was ninth.

Meet On 'Vert' Held

By Cooper Farm Chapter

Verticillium wilt, a disease of cotton, was discussed at the monthly meeting of the Cooper Young Farmers chapter at 8:30 p.m. Monday night in the agricultural building at Cooper High School.

Dr. Earl Minton, research plant pathologist with the South Plains Research and Extension Center at Lubbock, was on the program.

In the same contest, Roy Childers was the other team member.

In meats judging the Slaton team placed second in area and district. Freddie Piwonka placed sixth as high individual. Other team members were Neill Carter and Mike Melcher.

With 160 teams competing, composed of 480 boys, the livestock judging team placed first in district, second in area and ninth in Tech. Don Heinrich was seventh high individual and Dale Kitchens and Randy Simmons were other members of the team.

Members of the milk judging team were Charlie Geer, Frank Self and Dick Davis. Their team was sixth in district and seventh in area.

The cotton classing team was composed of Truett Johnson, Sherrell Wilson and Frank Menzel. The team placed sixth in area and district and 10th in the Tech division.

Two New Scout Executives In Area Council

Two men have been named to the executive staff of the South Plains Boy Scout Council, according to H. W. Oehler, Lubbock, Scout Executive of the organization.

Warren S. Green, McAlester, Oklahoma, has been appointed Program Director for the 20 county area. In this position, which has been vacant since September, 1967, Green will be responsible for the program support activities in the council. This includes overall supervision of the camping program, advancement, leadership training, activities, and public relations areas of the Scout Council.

A veteran of 23 years in career Scouting, Green has been Scout Executive of the Choctaw Area Council with headquarters at McAlester, Oklahoma since 1955.

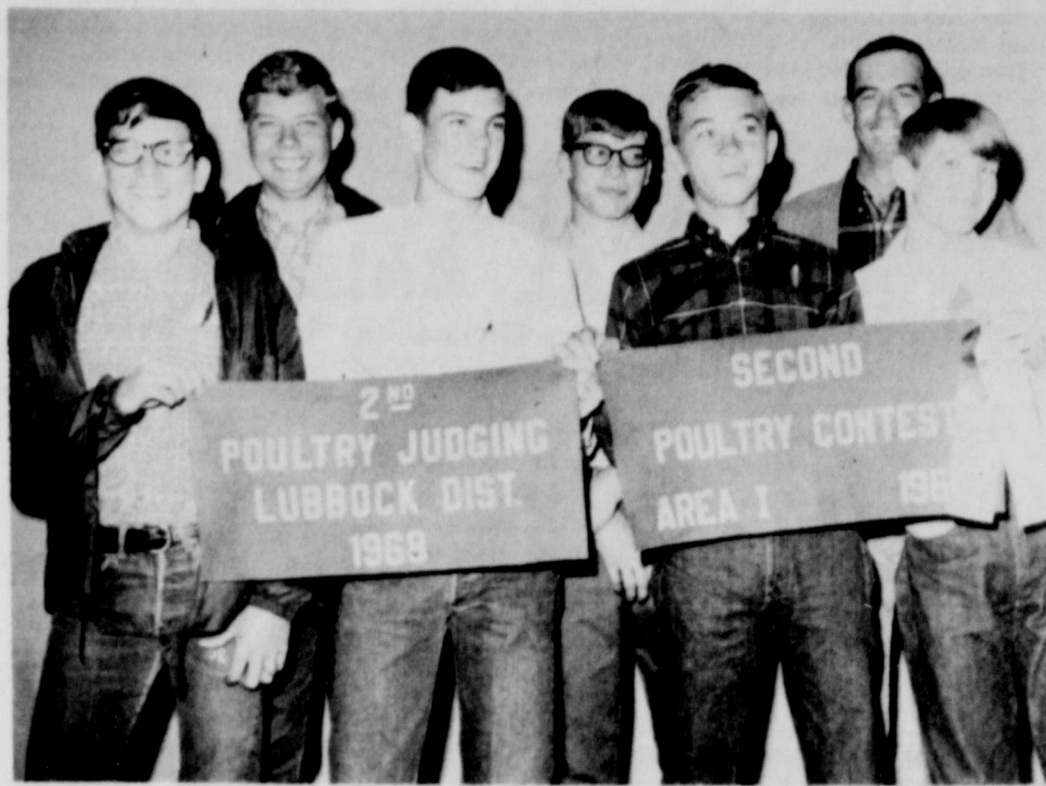
Walter B. Neidert, Waukegan, Illinois, will become District Scout Executive for the Mackenzie Trail District. As such, he will work with Scouting leaders in the southeast part of Lubbock as well as Slaton, Woodrow, and Roosevelt.

Neidert retired from the U.S. Air Force in 1965, and has been serving as District Scout Executive in the Waukegan area since his retirement. He is a native of San Antonio, and was stationed at Reese Air Force Base in 1952 and 1953. He replaces David Adkisson who left Scouting to enter private business.

Oehler pointed out that the addition of these two men will bring the executive staff of the South Plains Council to its full complement of 10 qualified men. These men work with more than 3200 adult volunteer leaders throughout the 20 counties of the council. At the end of December, 1967, almost 9500 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Explorers were registered in Scouting in the South Plains.

ITEM: To remove depressions or dents in wool rugs or carpets where furniture used to stand, run a steam iron over these areas. You can also use a regular iron with a damp cloth. Then brush the pile back to its normal raised position. One word of caution: be sure the iron is not too hot when you follow this procedure on rugs or carpets of nylon or other manmade fibers.

ITEM: A new type of Lycra, said to be non-yellowing, has been developed. It reportedly resists yellowing in washers and driers and even when exposed to bleach.



DAIRY PRODUCTS AND POULTRY TEAMS--Slaton winners in dairy products and poultry at the contest in Lubbock Saturday are pictured above with Don Mitchell, ag teacher. They are, left to right, front row, Frank Self, Dick Davis, Bradley Kitten, and Walter Simmons. Back row, Tom Hargrove, Charlie Geer and Mitchell. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



MEMBERS--This group of Slaton High FFA boys were winners in the livestock and dairy contests Saturday. They are, left to right, front row, Roby Hartman, Billy Bob Conner and Gary Cook. Back row, Paul Johnson, ag teacher, Simmons, Don Heinrich and Dale Kitchens. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



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ROOSEVELT AND ACUFF NEWS

KATHY WALTER

Elections Held

Acuff Co-Op Ginn was held last night at the Roosevelt High School... The seniors and their mothers are going to the Red Lion in Lubbock for their noon meal.

NEW OFFICERS

April 24 marks the day two new sets of officers for the National Honor Society and the Future Teachers of America were elected. N.H.S. officers for the coming year are: Pat Harty, president; Carla Crumley, vice - president; Wanda Turman, secretary; Wendy Cromer, treasurer; and Marsha Belcher, reporter.

F.T.A. officers for the coming year include Kathy Walter, president; Pat Pounds, vice-president; Vicki Jo Davis, secretary; Karen Corley, treasurer; Roy Jim Davis, reporter; and Kathy Walter will serve as chairman of the scrapbook committee.

PRISSEY TO STATE

The R.H.S. girls' track team took an over-all second at the Regional Meet at Kress. However, much to the disappointment of track coach Les MacDowell, only one girl was eligible for the state contest, Priscilla Bentley won second in the 440 yard dash. Last year as a freshman, Prissy went to state on the mile relay team. The State Track Meet will be held in Abilene May 10-11.

JR.-SR. BANQUET

Last Saturday night the senior class was honored by the juniors at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet, Roger Guess, Junior class president, acted as master of ceremonies.

Wanda Turman, Marsha Lowery, and Joyce Schroeder were also present. The very humorous Will and the Senior Class prophecy, read by Shirley Harmon, added a light touch to the evening. Wendy Woolley accompanied by Ruth Rucker from Texas Tech, sang "Moments to Remember" and especially

for the seniors, "Born Free", the senior class song. Samuel Phillips, associate professor of Home and Family Life at Texas Tech, delivered the speech. His very entertaining and thought provoking speech concerned itself with love and dating among teenagers. The banquet closed with the benediction offered by Roger Guess. Fifty - five students, along with 34 room mothers, sponsors, and administration attended.

YOUNG HOMEMAKERS

Mmes. Sue Sides, Merle Sides, LaHonda MacCallister, and Sylvia Bessent attended the annual Young Homemakers' Activity Day at the South Plains Electric Cooperative Building last Friday. The event, which happens once a year, is sponsored by all of the electric cooperatives in area I.

JACKETS PRESENTED

The basketball teams received their jackets last Tuesday. Eleven boys lettered, four of which did not letter in football, and thus received jackets. Eight girls lettered. The three seniors received blankets, the five underclassmen received jackets. The coaches are Les MacDowell, girl athletes, and John Alexander, varsity boys' basketball.

CHURCH MEET

Mrs. Melvin Walter, and her mother, Mrs. Edwin Meyer of the Cooper community, attended the Northwest Conference American Lutheran Church Women's Spring Convention in Winters last Friday. 139 women from the Texas Panhandle, Permian Basin, and Eastern New Mexico attended.

If you have any news that interests others, then PLEASE contact me at 842-3470.

'Eagles Spread Wings'

(from Roosevelt High School)



where," She advises all underclassmen to start planning ahead NOW!

After graduation, Vicki plans to attend Jessie Lee's and become a hair stylist.

WAYNE TURMAN

(No Picture Available)

The president of the student body at RHS this year is Wayne Turman. This active senior has attended Roosevelt Schools for the past 10 years.

During his four years in high school, he has participated in band, 2-4; football, 1-4; basketball, 2, 4; FFA, 1-2; and student council vice-president, 3.

Wayne lists his favorites as color, black; food, hamburgers; sport, football; teacher, Mr. Crumley; subject, ag; actor, John Wayne; actress, Phyllis Diller; and pastime, working and watching TV. His only comment to freshmen is "Don't worry, if I can make it, you can too!"

Wayne plans to attend college and enter military service after graduation.

Railsback Earns Unit Award

SAN ANTONIO -- Staff Sergeant Troy E. Railsback, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Railsback of Rt. 2, Slaton, Tex., has helped his organization at Kelly AFB, Tex., earn the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Sergeant Railsback, an administrative supervisor, will wear the distinctive service ribbon as a permanent decoration to mark his affiliation with the U. S. Air Force Security Service.

The center was cited for extraordinary operational efficiency and professionalism during a two-year period. The sergeant is a graduate of Roosevelt High School. His wife is the former Ulrike I. Schwab.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Help Wanted? Disabled widows and widowers can now qualify for monthly social security benefits. They have to be disabled to do any gainful work. They have to have been disabled within seven years of the death of their spouse or for a woman within seven years after receiving mother's benefits. They have to be at least 50 years of age.

For more information see your Social Security Representative, at 3428 Avenue H, Lubbock, Texas.

Texas has more camping and cookout facilities in state parks this year than ever before.

Jerry Hudnall To Undergo Combat Training

SAN DIEGO April 19 -- Marine Private Jerry L. Hudnall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Hudnall of 435 S. 7th, Slaton, Tex., was graduated from eight weeks of recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot here.

He will now undergo from two to four weeks of individual combat training and then, after leave at home, will report to his first Marine Corps assignment.

The intensified Marine recruit training emphasizes rigid physical conditioning and survival techniques, both at sea and ashore, to develop self-confidence and endurance. Marksmanship with the M-14 rifle and 45-caliber pistol are equally stressed, and close order drill instills the traditions of Marine Corps teamwork.

A thorough study of basic military subjects, hygiene, first aid and sanitation, and the customs, courtesies, history and mission of the Marine Corps serve to polish the new Marine's recruit education and prepare him to join the Marine combat forces.

A good way to have plenty of ice water when traveling is to fill milk cartons with water. Freeze them solid, then place them in the water in your ice box. They keep the water cold and when all the water is gone the melted ice in the cartons can be used as drinking water.

POSEY NEWS

MRS. P. C. KITCHENS

Hi there. We omitted the news last week since I attended the annual District Council of the Assemblies of God which convened in Lubbock. The farmers are planting their feed and some are planting their cotton.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry recently were the Bert Darlands of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Carroll, Mrs. C. D. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gentry, Ruby Boyce and Minnie Lee Sloan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wischkaemper recently were Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips of Shamrock, and Miss Dianne Milligan of Texas Tech. The Wischkaempers, with their sons Jay and Phillip, met Saturday at the area Agriculture Judging Contest with their former Ag teacher, Mr. John Dwyer, and eight of the ag. boys from Sam Norwood School. Visitors of the Wischkaempers Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Massie of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Gentry and daughter were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Willie Burleson. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Burleson, newlyweds, were present also.

Willie Wilke, Mike and Cindy, spent last weekend at Lake Stamford.

A steak barbeque was given Sunday evening at the Joe Lokey home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Lokey and daughters, Mrs. Travis Hendrix and Reisa, Dee Simmons and Robert Carter. Mrs. Travis Hendrix is giving a Mary King Party Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Townsend and children spent the weekend at White River. They caught eight bass, and all got a good sun tan.

Mrs. Bill Karon visited Mrs. Anna B. Gentry over the weekend. Mrs. Gentry's daughter, Lorene Mangum, is home now improving from major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Kitchens visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright Sunday afternoon in Lubbock. Mrs. Kitchens visited Mrs. Vella Merril Thursday afternoon.

Jerry Bukemper went to Philadelphia, Pa., last week and was interviewed on marketing. Jerry is a senior in college.

Karen and Mary Bridges are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff, this week.

In honoring our youth Sunday at the Assembly of God Church, the youth participated in every phase of the service. As it was National Youth Day, Paul Dwayne Kitchens served as Sunday School Superintendent and Dale Kitchens Taught the Teens Class.

"Every day you live is a gift from God. Regard it as such and life for you will become rich." See you next week.

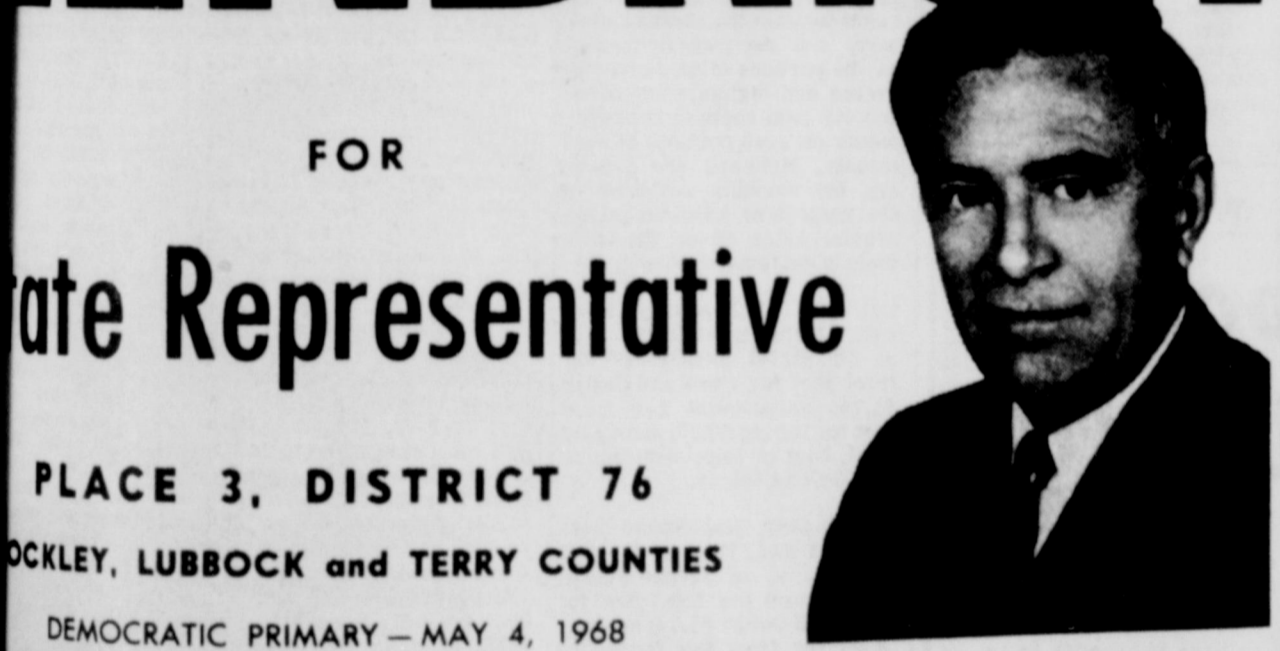


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Aided By Group Review Given Church Women

President Mrs. E. R. Burns conducted the business meeting. Mrs. George Green, gave a report on the work of the Welfare Committee. She said since January meeting 469 garments have been handed out and boxes of groceries were given to several families. Nine boxes of clothes were sent to the Salvation Army.

The group sang "This Is My Father's World" and then the A Capella Trio from Slaton High School presented a song. It was announced that the summer meeting will not be held but the group will meet again in September at Grace Lutheran Church.



CELEBRATE SEVENTH YEAR HERE---Rev. Mitchell A. Brown has been pastor of the Triumph Baptist Church here for the past seven years and special services have been planned for May 5-12 in recognition of this. He is pictured above with his family, Debrah, Kathleen, Mitchell, Roslind, Mrs. Brown, Barbara and Katherine. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Funeral For Mrs. Mitchell Held Monday

Mrs. Dora P. Mitchell, 83, a resident here since 1929, died Saturday night in Parkway Manor Nursing Home in Lubbock. She was a native of Mt. Vernon, Tex.

Services were held at 2:30 Monday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Englund.

Survivors include two sons, C. E. of Bremerton, Wash., and Max of Clovis; a daughter, Mrs. H. D. Dean of New Home; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

GA Coronation Sunday

The Girls Auxiliary Coronation at the Westview Baptist Church will be held Sunday, May 5th. The entire evening worship service will be given to the recognition service.

Mrs. Wayne Koontz is the W.M.U. GA director and Counselor for the Intermediate girls. Mrs. Charles Earwood is the junior counselor.

TRIUMPH BAPTIST PLANS SPECIAL SERVICES

Triumph Baptist Church, 905 Johnson St., will be honoring their pastor and family, the Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell A. Brown, with special services May 5th through 12th.

Rev. Brown has been pastor of the church seven years so they are celebrating their seventh anniversary with the church.

The couple has six children, Debrah, 7; Katherine, 6; Kathleen, 6; Rosalind, 4; Mitchell, 3; and Barbara, 3-1/2 months.

Baptist Revival Continues Through Sunday

Revival services at the First Baptist Church will continue through Sunday. The revival began last Sunday morning. Three services are scheduled daily for today and tomorrow.

Evangelist for the revival is Rev. Leonard A. Hartley, pastor of the Sherwood Baptist Church, Odessa, S. L. Tate, educational director at the same church, is leading the singing.

Time for services is 7 to 7:30 a.m. with breakfast served before and after; 10 a.m. for special Bible study; 7 to 7:30 p.m. for prayer meeting and graded choirs; and 7:30 p.m. for revival services, Thursday and Friday, Saturday night services will be at 7:30 p.m. and regular meeting times on Sunday. All are on daylight saving time.

The nurseries of the church are open for each service.

Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor, extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the services.

District Guild Meet Held

At a recent district guild meeting of ladies of Methodist Churches in this district. Members from 16 guilds in this district met at the First Methodist Church Sunday, April 21, for a meeting. Registration began at 1:30 p.m.

Theme of the program was "The New Beginning". Rev. W. O. McBrayer of Lubbock was speaker and his subject was "To Care Enough To Give Our Best".

Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor, sang a solo. A brief song service was held with Mrs. L. A. Harral accompanying the group on the piano.

After the program and business meeting, a tea was held at 4:30 p.m. for guests of the Slaton ladies.

WSCS And Guild Have Joint Meet

Ladies of the Womens Society of Christian Service and the Weslyn Service Guild of the First Methodist Church held a joint meeting Thursday, April 25, in Fellowship Hall.

The guild served a salad supper which was followed by a program given by the WSCS. Mrs. Carroll McDonald led the group in a Bible quiz. A devotional was given by Mrs. H. T. Scurlock and Mrs. R. T. Farley showed a film strip about the past years in Alaska and then made a talk on Alaska and her present needs.

Thirty women attended the meeting.

Daily Bible Readings

May 2 -- Romans -- 13:11-14
May 3 -- Luke -- 9:23-27
May 4 -- Prov. -- 20:1
May 5 -- Prov. -- 16:25-32
May 6 -- Prov. -- 4:1-9
May 7 -- Prov. -- 4:20-27
May 8 -- Prov. -- 6:16-23

REVIVAL
First Baptist Church
April 28 to May 5.
Attend

Former Slaton Boy Accepted At A.F. Academy

Cloudercroft, N. M. -- Don Wayne Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill Boyd, formerly of Slaton, was informed this week of his acceptance at the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo. He is to report there in June for a four-year college course. The appointment was made by New Mexico Congressman E. S. Johnny Walker.

Don attended school in Slaton from the first through the ninth grade, making a high scholastic record. He was named to who's who in science as a Slaton High School Freshman. He was a member of the Slaton Tiger Band.

His last three high school years were spent in Alamogordo, where he was a member of the Tiger Band, of the Ski Club, the Interact Club, an honorary math club, the Junior Classical League and the National Honor Society. Upon graduation in 1967, he accepted a full Falcon Foundation scholarship to the New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell. There he made the Superintendent's List and attained the rank of Corporal. He is a member of the N.M.M.I. Ski Club and of the National Ski Patrol.

Church Of God Holds Revival

A revival is in progress at the Church of God with James Sheridan, 18-year-old evangelist from Amarillo, conducting services each evening at 7:30 p.m. The revival will continue through Sunday.

New pastor for the church is Rev. Clifford Hilton.

Scraps For Shutins

If you do sewing and have material remnants or scraps you do not need, there are shutins who would like to have them. If you would like to donate them, please take them to the First Methodist church office or place them in the prayer room and they will be taken to shutins.

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DON WAYNE BOYD

Don's parents have been living in Cloudercroft since moving from Slaton in 1964. Sherrill owns and operates the Pine Crest Cabins and his wife, a former Slaton teacher, teaches first grade in the Yucca School at Alamogordo.

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Porsch, 73, Rt. 2, Slaton, was elected to the position of president of the Slaton Improvement Association at a meeting held at the Slaton High School on Friday at 3 p.m.

WANSKER PRESENTATIVE

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Rev. J. L. Cartrite | FREWILL MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Rev. F. D. Conwright | ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
19th & Lubbock
Magr. Peter Morsch | FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
14th & Jean
Rev. John K. Pratt |
| WESTVIEW BAPTIST
830 South 15th
Rev. Clinton Eastman | TEMPO BAPTISTA (Latin Baptist Mission)
East Panhandle | OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
710 South 4th
Rev. James Erickson | PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS
106 West Knox
Rev. Archie Cooper |
| BIBLE BAPTIST
525 West Panhandle
Rev. H. E. Summar | FIRST METHODIST
305 West Lubbock
Rev. Bruce Parks | GRACE LUTHERAN
840 West Jean
Rev. Robert C. Richardson | CHURCH OF CHRIST
11th & Division
C. L. Newcomb |
| 21st ST. BAPTIST
1010 South 21st
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Rev. Linam Prentice | FIRST CHRISTIAN
2nd & Division
Rev. Johnnie Moore | CHURCH OF GOD
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East Geneva
Rev. M. A. Brown | AFRICAN METHODIST
Rev. R. E. Brown | FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
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Rev. Freddy L. Clark |
| MT. OLIVE BAPTIST
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Rev. E. W. Wyatt | L.M.E. METHODIST
Rev. W. D. Atkins | | CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
636 West Scurry
Rev. David Powers |

Area Churches

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| WILSON
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Rev. Francis Koessel
St. John Lutheran
Rev. Fred G. Hamilton
Wilson Baptist
Rev. Benny Hagan
Wilson Methodist
Rev. Wendell Leach | GORDON
Church of Christ
Stephen Masurek | ACUFF
Church of Christ
Robert Tompkins
Roosevelt Baptist
Rev. L. D. Reagon | POSEY
Immanuel Lutheran
Rev. Jimmy C. Lueters |
| PLEASANT VALLEY
Baptist Church
Rt. 1, Post
Rev. Sherman H. Ervin | CANYON CHURCH
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Slaton Little League

MINOR LEAGUE
(Home team listed first)

May 13	Angels vs. Colts
May 14	Twins vs. Mets
May 16	Mets vs. Colts
May 17	Angels vs. Twins
May 20	Angels vs. Mets
May 21	Twins vs. Colts
May 23	Colts vs. Angels
May 24	Mets vs. Twins
May 27	Colts vs. Mets
May 28	Twins vs. Angels
May 30	Mets vs. Angels
May 31	Colts vs. Twins
June 3	Angels vs. Colts
June 4	Twins vs. Mets
June 6	Mets vs. Colts
June 7	Angels vs. Twins
June 10	Angels vs. Mets
June 11	Twins vs. Colts
June 13	Colts vs. Angels
June 14	Mets vs. Twins
June 17	Colts vs. Mets
June 18	Twins vs. Angels
June 20	Angels vs. Mets
June 21	Twins vs. Colts
June 24	Colts vs. Angels
June 25	Mets vs. Twins
June 27	Colts vs. Mets
June 28	Twins vs. Angels
July 1	Mets vs. Angels
July 2	Colts vs. Twins

PEE WEE LEAGUE
(Home team listed first)

May 13	Pirates vs. Braves
May 14	Red Sox vs. Cubs
May 16	Pirates vs. Red Sox
May 17	Cubs vs. Braves
May 20	Red Sox vs. Braves
May 21	Pirates vs. Cubs
May 23	Braves vs. Pirates

LEAGUE SCHEDULES
1968 SEASON

MAJOR LEAGUE
(Home team listed first)

May 6	Tigers vs. Giants
May 7	Yankees vs. Indians
May 8	Cardinals vs. Dodgers
May 9	Giants vs. Yankees
May 10	Indians vs. Tigers
May 13	Yankees vs. Dodgers
May 14	Tigers vs. Cardinals
May 15	Indians vs. Giants
May 16	Cardinals vs. Yankees
May 17	Dodgers vs. Tigers
May 20	Cardinals vs. Giants
May 21	Dodgers vs. Indians
May 22	Tigers vs. Yankees
May 23	Giants vs. Dodgers
May 24	Indians vs. Cardinals
May 27	Tigers vs. Giants
May 28	Yankees vs. Indians
May 29	Cardinals vs. Dodgers
May 30	Giants vs. Yankees
May 31	Indians vs. Tigers
June 3	Yankees vs. Dodgers
June 4	Tigers vs. Cardinals
June 5	Indians vs. Giants
June 6	Cardinals vs. Yankees
June 7	Dodgers vs. Tigers
June 10	Cardinals vs. Giants
June 11	Dodgers vs. Indians
June 12	Tigers vs. Yankees
June 13	Giants vs. Dodgers
June 14	Indians vs. Cardinals
June 17	Giants vs. Tigers
June 18	Indians vs. Yankees
June 19	Dodgers vs. Cardinals
June 20	Yankees vs. Giants
June 21	Tigers vs. Indians
June 24	Dodgers vs. Yankees
June 25	Cardinals vs. Tigers
June 26	Giants vs. Indians
June 27	Yankees vs. Cardinals
June 28	Tigers vs. Dodgers
July 1	Giants vs. Cardinals
July 2	Indians vs. Dodgers
July 3	Yankees vs. Tigers
July 4	Dodgers vs. Giants
July 5	Cardinals vs. Indians

May 24	Cubs vs. Red Sox
May 27	Red Sox vs. Pirates
May 28	Braves vs. Cubs
May 30	Braves vs. Red Sox
May 31	Cubs vs. Pirates
June 3	Pirates vs. Braves
June 4	Red Sox vs. Cubs
June 6	Pirates vs. Red Sox
June 7	Cubs vs. Braves
June 10	Red Sox vs. Braves
June 11	Pirates vs. Cubs
June 13	Braves vs. Pirates
June 14	Cubs vs. Red Sox
June 17	Red Sox vs. Pirates
June 18	Braves vs. Cubs
June 20	Braves vs. Red Sox
June 21	Cubs vs. Pirates



TWO-MAN SACK RACES--This was one of the scenes at Field Day Friday held for students of Slaton Junior High School. It was a beautiful day for the popular event of the year. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



TALENT WINNERS--Singing proved to be the favorite talent at Slaton Junior High School during the annual talent contest held Friday. Pictured are the winners of the contest. Left to right are Johnny Ray Harris, first place winner; Michael Thomas, second; "Ella and the Cadets", third; and Mary Ybarra, honorable mention. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Pre-School Registration Set May 10th

Friday, May 10th has been designated as pre-school registration day at West Ward Elementary School for children who are six or seven years of age and will be entering school for the first time.

Registration will be held from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. and T. C. Martin, principal, has asked that parents bring their children to the West Ward School Cafeteria at 1:30 p.m.

After a brief orientation about school procedures and policies, children will be assigned tentatively to teachers and classrooms where they may become acquainted with school life.

Junior High Students Enjoy 'Field Day'

The annual Field Day for junior high students was held Friday morning with the talent contest that afternoon in the Slaton High School auditorium. The Field Day events and picnic were held at the football stadium. The weather couldn't have been better.

Teachers at junior high conducted the field events with a large variety from softball throw to running to bicycle races.

There were nine entries in the talent contest with \$5, \$3 and \$2 awarded to the winners. Winner of the contest was Johnny Ray Harris who sang two songs; second was Michael Thomas who also sang a solo; and "Ella and the Cadets" won third place singing. Honorable mention went to Mary Ybarra, soloist, and Coach Kenneth Housden was recognized as "the best snake charmer".

First and second place winners in the field events were as follows: 2-man bicycle race, open to all girls and boys -- (1) Steve Nieman and Jackie Edwards and (2) Mary DeLeon and Teri Sikes; Bicycle race, open to all boys -- (1) Brad Lamb and (2) Bobby Dillon; 2-man wheel barrow race, open to all boys -- (1) Alan Walters and Tom Roche and (2) Tony Walters and Bobby Dillon; bear crawl, open to all boys -- (1) Alan Walters, (2) Charles Martinez; 2-man sack race relay, open to all boys -- (1) Randy Davis, Don Kendrick, Brad Lamb and Alan Walters and (2) Alan Walters, Mike Spear, Rodney Simmons and Tom Roche.

Sixth grade boys events were: 100 yard dash -- (1) Jay Ray Basinger, (2) Gary Allison; softball throw -- (1) Randy Rampy, (2) Alan Lewis; 75 yard dash -- (1) Ybarra (2) Gary Allison; broad jump -- (1) Danny McAnear, (2) Greg Parks; bicycle race -- (1) Johnny Leake, (2) Rampy; 330 yard dash -- (1) Basinger, (2) Parks.

Seventh grade boys events: 100 yard dash -- (1) Steve Ethridge, (2) Johnny Harris; softball throw -- (1) Curtis Woolover (2) Steve Nieman; 75 yard dash -- (1) Ethridge, (2) Harris; broad jump (1) Johnny Hernandez, (2) Steve Nieman; bicycle race -- (1) Charles Martinez (2) Ybarra; 2-man sack

race -- (1) Basinger, (2) Harris; 330 yard dash -- (2) Harris, (2) Harris.

Eighth grade 100 yard dash -- (1) Cline, (2) Haire; throw -- (1) Cline, (2) Alan Walters.

2-man sack -- (1) Jones (2) Jones; broad jump -- (1) (2) Bobby Dillon; (1) Tony Martinez.

Open events bicycle race -- (1) and Sherry Cline DeLeon and Sherry shettie relay -- son, Cline, Lisa Trudy Jouseff, (2) Teri Sikes, (2) Gass; 4-man sack (1) Cline, Cline, and Jouseff; (2) Ann Beard, Cline Gorla Gass.

Sixth grade girls yard dash -- (1) (2) Beverly Goss; dash -- (1) Purba; broad jump -- (1) (2) Kay Stepha; dash -- (1) Lata; Purba; 2-man (1) Purba and Carnes and Goss; throw -- (1) (2) Evonne Harris.

Seventh grade 75 yard dash -- (1) brook (2) Regina; dash -- (1) Cline Johnston; 200 yard dash -- (1) Mary Malama; 2-man sack race -- and Cline, (2) Lora and Cathy Price; -- (1) Pam Martain; illa Diaz; broad jump -- (2) Gracia.

Eighth grade 50-yard dash -- (1) (2) Sobelda DeLeon; dash -- (1) Judy Anita Scott; softball -- (1) Linda Jouseff; 220 yard dash -- (1) Anita Scott (2) broad jump -- (1) Ann Beard (2) Jouseff.

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"I have attempted to make personal contacts with as many voters as possible. . . if I missed YOU, please consider this a personal invitation from me for your consideration in voting for Max Arrants in the Democratic Primary, Saturday, May 4th."

Sincerely,

Max Arrants