

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

BABSON'S BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL FORECAST

Inflation Still Big Problem As 1970 Makes Debut

By Babson's Reports Incorporated,

...of a new decade has not been nearly as pleasant an experience for this country as the memory of the vast majority of the present populace. In four of the past five historical intervals, the economy has been subjected to varying stresses for at least a part of the first year of each decade. As a bad year for both business and the stock market, 1930 was an even more difficult experience on both fronts; 1940 had a sharp slump in the stock market during the spring, with business suffering a setback upon the outbreak of the year before last upon the outbreak of World War II; as a change of pace, as the post-war boom provided a fertile environment for both the stock market and business; but the "jinx" returned when--despite the much-heralded prospect of the "surging 'sixties"--a year-long slide in business occurred, and the market was in a reactionary phase for the year before rallying in late 1969.

...enter the decade of the 1970's, gain the initial year seems destined to be hampered by the "freshman jinx" which has plagued four out of five of the years in the past five decades. The "jinx" is now unfolding has many favorable factors, but there are also many problems and imponderables which could ambush and threaten the economy.

NATIONAL PROSPECTS CRUCIAL
...social, labor, and monetary problems must be met head-on during the first year. But in many respects, the year in which these problems are attacked is equally pressing world problems which have military significance. At the same time, the staff of Babson's Reports is of the opinion that the cauldron of world problems will continue to boil, but that the burning wounds can be kept to a sufficient degree to avert a world-wide conflagration.

INFLATION--PUBLIC ENEMY NUMBER ONE
...ing, therefore, that American public commitment in Vietnam can be toned down, and that none of the smoldering trouble spots erupt into active fighting, the primary task for 1970 will be to curb inflationary pressures. With its tremendous momentum, there is hope that the inflationary spiral can be brought to a standstill in 1970.

Feverish Inflationary Pressures
...strongly entrenched, inflation is a hard task. The task is rendered all the more difficult by the social problems which must be tackled at the same time. The Federal Reserve and the monetary authorities, therefore, must tread a narrow path, lest over-zealous anti-inflationary measures create an economic "over-shoot" which would be equally as damaging as the already becoming more temperate, monetary pressures are likely to rise at a pace relative to 1969.

Higher Prices
...Although inflationary pressures should subside as 1970 progresses, it is not to be expected that overall price levels will drop. Indeed, indexes of wholesale commodity prices and retail and consumer prices are more likely to trend higher in 1970, reflecting the tendency of price changes to lag behind changes in the economic climate. More because of the squeeze on business, compensatory price increases are

Push
...Perhaps the most crucial factor in the outlook for higher prices is the full force of labor negotiations slated for 1970. On the basis of generous contract settlements during the past year, new labor pacts are expected to carry hefty wage increments. Supply - One of the signs pointing to a case of inflationary pressures is the "supply curve." Reflecting restrictive policies adhered to by the Federal Reserve in 1969, the nation's money supply deposits and currency in circulation over recent months has leveled off, blunting one of the most potent sources of inflationary pressure. The staff of Babson's Reports does not foresee a renewed surge in the money supply in the early months of the year, since the nation's leaders will be preoccupied with price increases. After, however, if the anticipated downturn in general business and the consequent unemployment become sensitive areas, Federal Reserve may be expected to ease

LABOR RULES 1970 PROSPECTS
...allusion had been made earlier in this report to the influence of labor conditions on business in 1970. Indeed, international tensions maintain a relatively status quo, happens on the labor scene could detract from 1970 business. Many major and secondary contracts expire within the next twelve months. The most crucial are the labor talks with the Teamsters and the Auto Workers. The trucking industry is paralyzed by a wide strike next spring, raw materials shortages cannot be transported, laid-off and curtailed work weeks in many plants would then result.

...the extent that the automobile industry and indirectly (thru the automotive parts suppliers) employs many workers assumes a considerable amount of raw materials, a prolonged tie-up--either inside or in a succession of strikes in each of the "Big Three" auto producers could be very damaging to the economy at that time might be either in the

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LUBBOCK COUNTY, SLATON, TEXAS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 1970

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Look For New License Tag Renewal Form

Here's a happy thought to start the New Year! As an auto owner you'll have an easier time than ever before getting your new license tags in 1970. This, thanks to a revised registration system which becomes effective in January.

Texas Highway Department, which devised the new system, predicts that registrations will pass the seven million mark. For the first time, registration renewal applications will be mailed to every vehicle owner in the state. This will be done during the month of January. However, the registration period does not begin until Feb. 1.

Be on the look out for your application. It will arrive in a slender envelope marked "Important--This is your license plate renewal application." Don't throw it away as junk mail. It's very important!

Your application is a three-part form which should not be torn apart. Instructions are included in the form. At the start of the registration period, you may take your application and fee to your county tax office--or order by mail.

It no longer will be necessary to take your application to the county tax office. (See TAGS, Page 9)



NEW APPLICATION BLANKS will be arriving in your mail soon. Mrs. F. A. Drewry, local tax collector-assessor located at 136 South 8th St., is shown looking at one of the registration renewal applications, and encourages all residents not to throw these away when they arrive in your mail. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Three Wounded In Frays, Thief Hits Local Firm

"Good will toward men" was not the theme for all persons during the Christmas holidays. One woman was shot on Christmas day, while another woman and her husband were stabbed Monday night in two acts of violence in Slaton.

Police also investigated a theft of about \$1,200 to \$1,500 in cash and checks from Henzler Grocery Sunday shortly before noon. George Henzler reported a box was stolen from beneath the checkout counter, and that it contained receipts from money orders and some checks.

A two-car accident was also recorded Tuesday night, Dec. 23, injuring three persons but none believed serious. The collision occurred at the intersection of US-84 and FM-400. Injured were drivers of the cars, Felix Maldonado, 54, of Slaton and Josephine Quintana of Sharon Springs, Kan., and a passenger, Pauline Maldonado, 43, of Slaton.

Victims in the stabbing and shooting cases were Mr. and Mrs. Eligio Sanchez of Slaton and Ruby Lee Halley of Lubbock. The Halley woman was shot in the mouth and, at last report, was in serious condition in a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanchez sustained stab wounds following a disturbance at 855 S. 4th St. Monday about 6:15 p.m. Sanchez and his wife, Carolina, both 39, were taken to Mercy Hospital and later transferred to a Lubbock hospital.

Yuletide Gifts Aid Needy Families

At least 48 families in Slaton had a brighter Christmas, thanks to "Operation Yuletide"--a community project spearheaded by Slaton Lions Club.

Lions prepared 36 baskets with food and toys for less fortunate families, according to Jim Newhouse, committee chairman. He reported that Slaton VFW prepared baskets for 11 families, and the Order of Rainbow girls and Slaton Home Demonstration Club also took a family each.

There may have been more clubs or individuals who participated, but did not provide names with the coordinated list kept at the Chamber of Commerce office. Slaton Ministerial Alliance screened the list of names.

Newhouse said the Lions expressed appreciation to all clubs and individuals who helped make the project possible. A fund-raising appeal on KCAS Radio, along with other volunteer donations, brought in \$460.55 in cash gifts. Toys and canned goods were also contributed by individuals and clubs.

Lions Club members, aided by City of Slaton employees, delivered the Christmas boxes Dec. 23-24.

ABOUT 4 INCHES IN SLATON Snow Blankets Area

For those around Slaton who "dreamed of a white Christmas", the wish "came true." The snow started to fall and deposited a four-inch blanket of white before ending Monday night. Despite the pretty view, most citizens were not receptive to the problems created by the snowfall.

The snowstorm started here shortly before noon Sunday, covered the ground good Sunday night, and continued off and on Monday as about four inches were recorded.

The temperatures dipped to a low of 12 degrees Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, while the high minimum was 22 degrees Monday. The mercury climbed to 36 Tuesday as the thaw started, and a high of about 40 was predicted Wednesday.

The high temperature Christmas Day was 62 degrees, and the mercury was up to 70 degrees on Friday and Saturday.

The snowstorm brought the cotton harvest to a standstill as white snow replaced the white cotton in ginyards. The big harvest, however, won the race with the late "white Christmas" as most gins were practically winding up the season.

More than 80,000 bales had been counted in the area by The Slatonite in a survey made Monday before Christmas. At that time, most gins reported they were about through for the season.

Business activity continued in Slaton Monday and Tuesday, with a large number of autos moving around the square despite the hazardous conditions. Many cars had to be pushed away from curbs as wheels spun on the frozen snow.

Apparently no major activities were curtailed around the area, but this was a slack time for meetings anyway. The snow did catch the Southland schools, where classes had been set to resume Monday. Due to the snow and illness of several teachers, the schools will now open on Monday, Jan. 5.

The first major winter storm put much of the Panhandle-South Plains in a "deep freeze", and snowfalls of up to 7 inches and more were recorded farther north. Communications were knocked out in some West Texas cities, and at least 11 persons died in West Texas traffic accidents.

Commissioners accepted a low bid of 13.55 cents per gallon (plus 4 cents Federal tax) on gasoline for city vehicles. (See CITY, Page 9)

Mayor David Hughes also reported the city had received its second return on the one percent municipal sales tax. The state sent a check for \$11,286.25 as the city's share for the months of July, August and September.

It was the second quarter under the city sales tax for Slaton. Payment on the first quarter (April - June) was slightly higher at \$11,910.10. Officials expect the last three months of the year to yield a higher return.

Members of the commission attending the meeting were Mayor Hughes and Commissioners Otis Neill and J. S. Edwards. Floyd Guelker and Rudy Dominguez were absent. Dominguez, who is reportedly employed out of the city, has not attended a meeting in many months.

City Accepts Low Bid on Gasoline

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Stores Close New Year Day

Most Slaton firms and offices will be closed New Year's Day as citizens take a rest before starting a new decade.

New Year's Day is one of the five holidays observed by the Slaton Retail Merchants Association as a closing date. Only a few grocery stores and stations are expected to be open, although a complete list was not available.

For many males, Thursday will be "Bowl Day" as they turn their attention to television sets and a long day of watching the big football games.

FUN FOR BOYS--A snowfall is always a thrilling event for the youngsters and usually calls for building a snowman. Typical of the action around town Tuesday is this scene with Ricky Allison and Glenn Miller starting construction on a snowman. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Jimmy Williams signs football scholarship with ACC. 13--City calls election, okays purchase of new police car. Junior Stock Show is scheduled. C of C approves allocation of \$1,500 from parks and recreation budget to help with improvements at Slaton Golf Course. Peruvian student visits James Riney family. Boy Scout week is observed here; merchants salute Local Scouters. Tigerettes upset by Canyon in overtime game in district play.

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YEAR IN REVIEW - SLATONITE HEADLINES 1969

JANUARY

2--Walter Head returns as police chief after moving to Grants, N.M. Max L. Rogers won \$490.50 worth of gifts in Sleigh-of-Gifts contest sponsored by Slaton merchants. Harvest of cotton nears finish with more than 50,000 bales ginned in area.

9--Melissa Vidaurro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vidaurro, is proclaimed city's first baby of 1969. School for mentally retarded children to start in city. Fire damage high at Acuff Gin & Butane Co. School okays Junior ROTC program for high school. Tigerettes capture title of Southwest AAU Basket-

ball Tourney in Duncanville. Roosevelt voters approve \$125,000 school bond. Wilson School Board renews Supt. Glen Mitchell's contract. 16--Tommy Wallace named "Citizen of Year" at annual Chamber Banquet, with Dr. Charles Jarvis as guest speaker. Clark Self Jr. installed as new C of C president; Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr. named "Woman of Year" by Athenian Club, and Chamber's "Top Club" award went to American Legion Post 438. Bill H. Smith named to Lubbock County Hospital District board. J. W. Holt named as executive vice president and director at Citizens State Bank. City signs contract with Roger

Evans to operate municipal airport. Tigers drop league opener to Estacado. 23--Bill Smith re-elected president of Slaton Industrial & Development Foundation, Inc. Wayne Kenney re-elected president of Retail Merchants Association. Slaton's library praised as model "branch" of city-county unit; shows progress in downtown location. Slaton HD Club heads "Mothers March" for birth defects. Slaton Savings & Loan observes 10th anniversary. 30--City studies new air pollution laws; see need for more equipment. County Commissioner Max Arrants asks for deputy sheriff to work in Pre-

dict 2, with action apparently hinging on federal grant. Building permits total \$385,860 in Slaton during 1968. Tigers top Littlefield for first 3-AAA basketball victory. Tigerettes win 20th game against only 5 defeats.

6--Groundbreaking ceremony held at Slaton Municipal Airport. Alex Webb presented coveted Silver Beaver for Boy Scout work. Jimmy and Janet Williams named Mr. and Miss SWS. More winter due, according to Groundhog Day tradition. Ray Crenshaw new manager at TG&Y, succeeding Frank Pflue-

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named "Top Conservationist" by Lubbock County Soil & Water Conservation District, receives plaque at Lions Club meeting. Merchants announce big Washington Birthday sale. Speedy Nieman elected Little League president. Tigers scare Dunbar in season's basketball finale, lose by 78-74. 27--Five candidates file in city race; David Hughes resigns commissioner post to run for mayor. Glen Akin named president of Tiger Club. Class for mentally retarded children to expand here. March designated as Library Month in city. Tiger-

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KATHY COOPER

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cooper Jr. of Slaton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathy, to PFC Phil Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hunt of Del Rio.

Miss Cooper is a senior at Slaton High School where she is a member of the National Honor Society and was elected as D.E. sweetheart.

Pfc. Hunt is serving with the U. S. Army at Ft. Gordon, Ga. He is a graduate of Slaton High School and received his basic training at Ft. Bliss. He attended radio school at Ft. Huachuca and is now in the teletype division at Ft. Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schroeder were hosts for a Christmas eve dinner for their children and families. Turkey and all the trimmings were served to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Schroeder and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge, Mrs. Ella Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ahrens and James of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lueck.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ratliff during the Christmas holidays was his mother, Mrs. W. F. Ratliff of Brownfield.

Mrs. Bobbie Greer, Fran-celle and Mack Moseley spent Christmas at Stephenville. Mrs. Greer's mother, Mrs. Bessie Biggs, was confined to the hospital with a broken hip. She fell on Christmas day.

All Glasscock Children Home For Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Glasscock had all their children and their families home on Christmas Day. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Odie Glasscock, Randy, Shirley, Vickie and Terri of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Glasscock, Wayne, Brenda and Janna, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wright, Tony and Willy, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nelson, Michael and Kim from Somerville, N.J.

Friends who called during the day included Pam Henry, Joe Melcher, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williamson and Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sundeen and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Perdrie and Tim, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Perdrie, L. D. Splawn, Mrs. Sue Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. James Foster, Jamie and Tim, Mr. and Mrs. David Bishop, Toni and Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lemon returned Tuesday from Chilton where they visited their son and family, Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Lemon.

Vows Exchanged At New Home

Double ring wedding vows were pledged by Miss Karen Zant and Coy Lee Cook, both of Wilson, at 7 p.m. Dec. 20 in the New Home Church of Christ, Hubert Sutliff, minister of the Plainview Church of Christ, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Zant of Wilson are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Claude Cook of Port Isabel and the late Mr. Cook.

A 1969 graduate of Wilson High School, the bride attends Lubbock Christian College. The bridegroom is a Texas Tech graduate and is band director in the Wilson Public School System.

Miss Jimmie Lane of Lubbock was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Patty Ratliff of Cullman, Ala., Vicki Lane of Lubbock, Susan Lane and Renea Zant, both of Wilson.

Bill Bradley of Big Spring served as best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in an A-line, formal - length gown of white satin. Her attendants



MRS. COY COOK (Karen Zant)

wore A-line dresses of hot pink satin.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Cook received guests at a reception in the New Home Community Center. They will live in Wilson.

Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kuhn of Alamogordo, N.M. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gretchen Mary, to Don Wayne Boyd.

The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill Boyd of Cloudercroft, N.M. and former Slaton residents.

The wedding has been set for 3 p.m. on Jan. 30 at the Church of the Sacred Heart in Cloudercroft.

Miss Kuhn, who graduated from Alamogordo High School in 1968, attended the University of Denver and currently is a student at the University of Wyoming in Laramie where she is majoring in education. Boyd, a 1967 graduate of AHS, attended Slaton schools until 1964 and attended the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs last year. He is currently a pharmacy major at the University of Wyoming.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gentry Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Herrin and children of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Vaughn and children of Lubbock; Mrs. W. F. Ratliff of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ratliff and children.

Spending the Christmas holiday at the Kitten Cabin near Tres Ritos, N.M. last week were Mr. and Mrs. August Kitten, their son, Rev. Marvin Kitten, S. J. of Dallas; two grandsons, Bradley and Claude Kitten; a grand-daughter, Linda Kitten; and another son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kitten.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Paulson and children, Kathy, Meredee, Dean and Cherrie from Oregon, Wisc. arrived last Saturday for a visit in the home of his cousin, J. E. Eckert Jr. and family. They plan to return home this weekend.

Rev. and Mrs. Billy Porterfield and Patty of Oxford, Miss., are here visiting their two daughters and families, Mrs. Jack Haire and Mrs. Betty Brewer.

ITEM: Visitors can leave their hosts a lasting "thank you" by bringing along a favorite house plant. Inclusion of a matching clay saucer will make the plant easier to care for, and the gift much more appreciated.

'Last Minute' Santa Letters Sent To N. Pole

The following "Letters to Santa" were received too late for publication in our Christmas edition last week. . . but, they weren't too late to reach Santa in time for Christmas! We made a copy of each before forwarding to the North Pole, To Santa Claus from Patricia Kitten:

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a Drinking Baby Doll. And a iron. And a bed. And a record player. And a plasteck bone for our dog pepper.
Patricia Kitten

Dear Santa,
I would like a talking Stacey, taffy maker, doll house, barbie clothes, play race car, Tippy Toes, talking Ken and, Ken clothes. Happy Christmas.
Sidney Stewart

'Santa Clause North Pole
Dear Santa,

I have a Littel sister She one and allmost two. She will be two July the 6 her name is Kimberly Carpenter. and I would like a base ball and a sled and a rocket that fly over 1000 feet I am 8

To the north pole USA
Dear Santa

I have been a good boy. I want lots of stuff in my stocking. Heres what I want for Christmas. A \$36.00 set of drums. Some hot wheels cars. Some hot wheels track. A shouting galarie. Love,
Phil Tumlinson

To the north pole USA
Dear Santa

I have been a good boy. Heres what I want for Christmas. A wagon. A tryckle. A tike plane (Unsigned)

To the north pole USA
Dear Santa

I have been a good boy. Heres what I want for Christmas. I want some sunglasses. I want some little dishes. I want a play iron and a play ironing board. I want a football suit. We will leave you some cookies and milk under the tree.
Love, Mark Tumlinson and some football clats.

J. Davis Armistead, O.D.

G.M. Redwine, O.D.

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In SLATON Thurs. afternoons



MRS. OLIVER THOMPSON JR. Linda Alexander

Vows Solemnized Woodrow Saturday

Miss Linda Lela Alexander and Oliver Lee Thompson Jr. exchanged double ring wedding

vows at 6 p.m. Saturday in the Woodrow Baptist Church with Rev. David Miller, pastor, officiating.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Alexander of Rt. 4, Lubbock, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Thompson of Rt. 3, Plainview.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an A-line floor-length gown with bell sleeves, a skirt of ivory bridal crepe and an empire bodice of re-embroidered Chantilly lace featuring seed pearls. The crepe train was also trimmed with beaded lace. Her headpiece was a three-tiered butterfly veil attached to ivory seed pearls. She carried an arrangement of snapdragons centered with a white orchid atop a white ribbon.

Mrs. David Alexander of Rt. 4, Lubbock, sister-in-law of the bride, served as maid of honor, and Miss Karna Alexander, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. They wore floor-length gowns of royal blue velveteen fashioned in A-line, sleeveless design.

O. L. Thompson served as his son as best man, and his man was Dennis Ray Harney of Plainview. Ushers were David Alexander, the bride's brother, Kevin Thompson and Paul Thompson, of Plainview.

Wedding selections were offered by Miss Patti R. G. Lubbock, organist. Misses Beverly Roberts, Denise Robertson, and Denise Robertson, soloists.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the Hall following the ceremony at 4816-40th, Lubbock.

Mrs. Thompson, a graduate of Cooper High School, Texas Tech and is employed with Southwestern Telephone Company. She is a graduate of Plainview School, attends Texas Tech and is employed with Wholesale Florist.

Guests in the home of Mrs. J. L. House during Christmas holidays were Mrs. and Mrs. Joe House of Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Sherry and Krista Falls, Mr. and Mrs. House and Thad of Bruce House from West State University at Canyon and their grandson, Joey El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald and three daughters Morgan, Colo., and Mrs. T. E. Bickers of Austin spent the holidays visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N.

To Friends of the Kiser Agency

We are pleased to announce the association of Wayne Edwards with our Insurance Agency. Also, Dean Rackley will be here each weekday morning to do all the tax work.

Mrs. Kiser will continue, as in the past, to handle all bookkeeping work.

We want to thank you for the business we've received in the past and we welcome any questions you might have.

Mrs. D.B. Kiser

Wayne Edwards Dean Rackley

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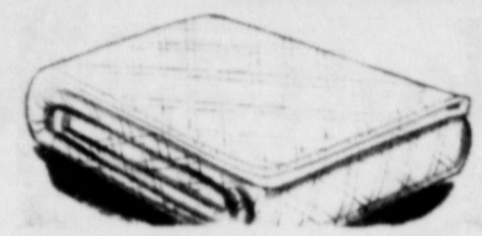
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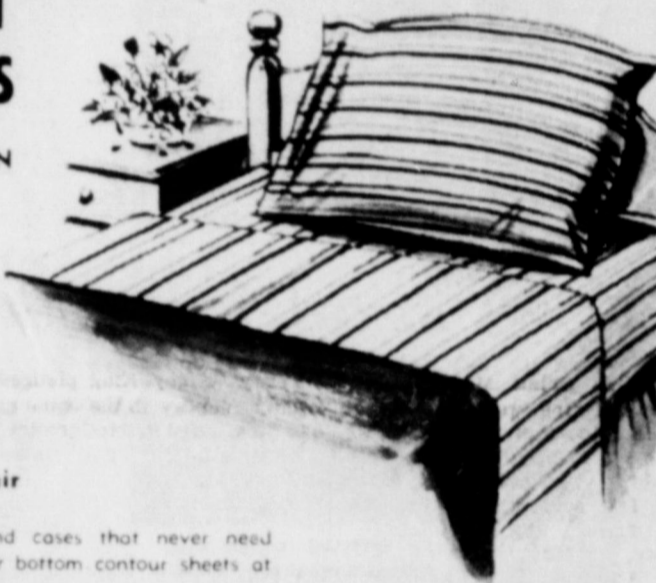
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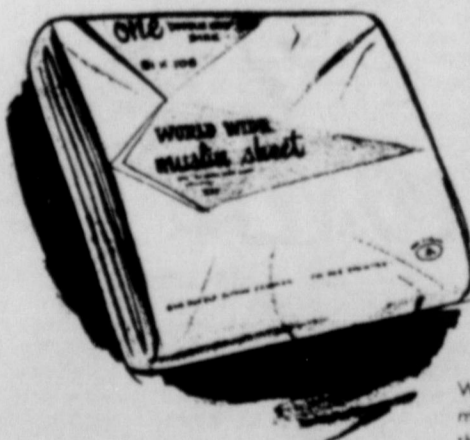
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Miles-Mason Wedding Performed Monday

The wedding of Miss Mickey Mason and Allen Miles was solemnized at 7 p.m. Monday in the Slaton Church of Christ with Doyle Kelsey, minister of the Brownfield Church of Christ, officiating the double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Mason of Southland are the bride's parents, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles of Slaton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin floor-length gown fashioned with layers of Chantilly lace and fingertip sleeves. The skirt fell into a chapel train. She carried a bouquet of feathered gladioli surrounding a cymbidium orchid.

Mrs. Dennis McGehee of Post served as matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Pam Rowden of Brownfield, Kathy Outlaw of Slaton, both cousins of the bride, and Patsy Dunn of Southland. They wore powder blue empire waistline floor-length gowns of brocade and carried long-stemmed mums.

Dennis McGehee of Post was best man, and groomsmen were Gary Glasscock, Len Dodson and Dubbin Englund, all of Slaton, Mike Mason, brother of the bride and Stanley Miles, brother of the bridegroom, served as ushers.

Miss Outlaw and Miss Rowden lighted the candles, Donald

Sikes, soloist, offered traditional wedding selections.

A reception was held following the ceremony in Fellowship Hall of the church.

The couple will reside at 320 W. Panhandle until Miles returns to Puerto Rico Jan. 15.

Mrs. Miles is a senior education major at Texas Tech. The bridegroom is stationed at Rodriguez Army Hospital, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

A rehearsal dinner for the couple, their attendants and parents was held Saturday at the Chapparal Restaurant.

Couple Wed At Idalou

Miss Janice Kay Jones and Gary Donald Hennington exchanged double ring wedding vows at 10 a.m. Dec. 20 in the Idalou Baptist Church with the Rev. B. H. Kendrick officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Roy W. Jones, 1311-47th St., Lubbock, and the late Mr. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hennington are parents of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her brother, Roy Wayne Jones of San Angelo, the bride was attended by Miss Wendy Woolley of Lubbock, Ronnie L. Jones of Lubbock, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Mrs. Ronnie Jones of Lubbock provided organ selections. Guests were seated by Dennis Jones and Bill Jones of Lubbock.

The couple will live in Dallas where Hennington is attending the DeVry Institute of Technology.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bownds and children spent Wednesday until Sunday at Tres Ritos Lodge in the mountains of New Mexico. Making the trip were Mrs. Jan Brieger and Shana; Lance, Landy and Larry Bownds; and Jeanne Close of Lubbock.



MRS. WILLIAM TRAWEEK
...Carole Harper

Traweck-Harper Vows Recited In Lubbock

Miss Carole Ann Harper and Albert William Traweck were united in marriage at 8 p.m. Dec. 20 in Hodges Chapel of the First Christian Church in Lubbock with the Rev. Dr. Dudley Strain, minister of the church, officiating the doubling vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harper of Sudan, and Traweck is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Traweck of Slaton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an empire gown of ivory velvet.

Mrs. Pat Broad of Canyon

was matron of honor for her sister, Miss Barbara Durham served as bridesmaid. They wore floor-length Spanish gold velvet dresses.

Bud Crow of Longview served as best man, and groomsmen were Robert W. Sokoll of Levelland. Guests were seated by Pat Broad of Canyon, Howard Limer of Snyder and Royce Heinrich of Slaton.

Larry Bellar of Sudan lighted candles. Shirley Roberts of Whiteface was flower girl and ring bearer was Billy Joe Roberts of Whiteface.

Mrs. Royce Heinrich of Slaton sang wedding selections, accompanied by organist Mrs. Barry Martin.

A reception in the Green Room of the church honored the couple before they traveled to Colorado on a wedding trip. They will reside at 2123-D 51st St., Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Sudan High School, attends Texas Tech and is employed at Methodist Hospital. Traweck is a 1968 graduate of Slaton High School and received a B.S. degree in agricultural economics in 1969 from Tech. He is employed by National Car Rental Systems as a field representative.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler last week were their grandson and family, Boyd Duckets of Fort Worth; nephews Wilburn and Milburn Cash of Bovina; and Callen Cash of Levelland.

Welcome Subscribers

The Slatonite welcomes the following new subscribers: A. M. Pair, Lorenzo; J. C. Pair, Fort Worth; Mrs. C. C. Wicker, City; Don Caldwell, Idalou; Ed Denton, Post; J. P. Clark, Rt. 6, Lubbock; Mrs. E. R. Wallace, Willis Point; and O. L. Thompson Jr., Lubbock.

ITEM: It is estimated that a third of American outerwear and more than half of the underwear comes in knits. A bigger ratio is predicted for 1970.

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ITEM: Fashion trends for women this fall and winter includes a softer silhouette, gentle colors similar to those found in heirloom tapestries and Renaissance paintings and a wardrobe of many lengths.

King-McCormick Vows Read Tuesday

Miss Cristl McCormick and Terry Ashley King pledged double ring wedding vows at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd R. McCormick, Sr., Lubbock. The Rev. H. F. Scott, minister of the Bacon Heights Baptist Church, officiated the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd R. McCormick, Jr. of Wilson. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McNeill, of Lubbock.

Attending the couple were Suzy McCormick, sister of the bride, maid of honor, and Charles E. McNeill, who served his son as best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white, fitted street-length dress with accordin pleated skirt.

The bride is a graduate of Wilson High School and is now a junior art education major at Texas Tech. A graduate of Monterey High School, the bridegroom attended Texas Tech and is now a warrant officer in the U.S. Army.

After a wedding trip to Cloudcroft, N.M., the bride will continue her studies at Texas Tech. The bridegroom will be serving as a helicopter pilot in Vietnam.

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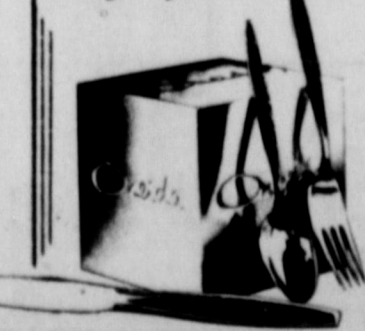
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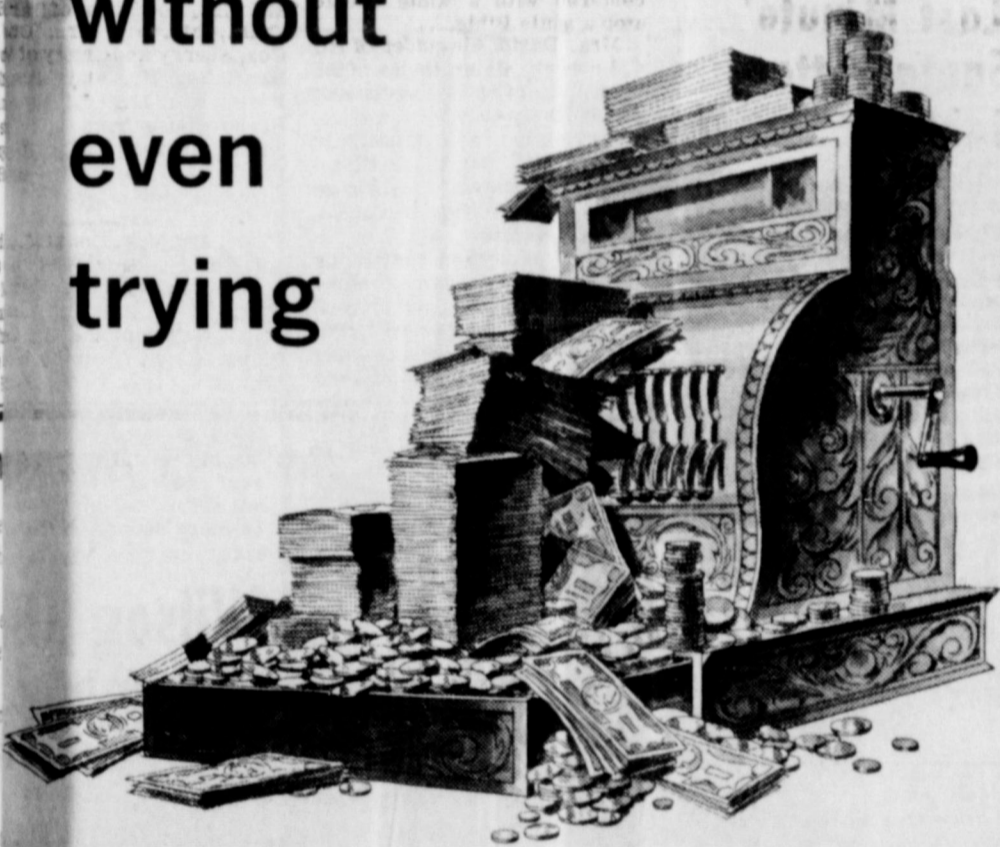


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WILSON NEWS

BY MARGRET BARTLEY

Families Together For Xmas

Visiting with the Ed Crowders over the Christmas holidays were Katherine, Raymond and children of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benek and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walters and family of Lubbock, his mother, Mrs. Walters of the Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell Jr. and family of Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cook and children of Dimmon, N.M., spent Sunday night with the Crowders.

Mrs. H. G. Cook was hostess to 35 for Christmas dinner Wednesday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cannon, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Landers, Houston; Beverly Landers, Tech; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heck, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Rod Heck and daughters, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Marks and children; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heck, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean and children, Lubbock; June Heck, Iraan, Tex.; Mrs. Ida Landers, Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Ross and children and Mrs. John Heck of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harkey, Gary Don and Joyce Lynn, of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Church of Smyre were with their parents, the Clarence Church's, for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Church of Olton and their children, Charles, of A&M and Susie of Tech, visited Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryant and James of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blankenship of Lubbock spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blankenship. The Bryants also visited in Whitharral with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Houchin and family have moved into the W. F. McLaughlin home.

Visitors of Mrs. Lena Behrend over the holidays were her children and their families, including, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kaatz, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wuensche, Debbie and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Behrend,

Doris and Norris, Arnold Behrend, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gickhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gickhorn and Tammy, Alan Wuensche, Louisiana, and Mrs. Johnnie Cook.

Mrs. Behrend mentioned that she certainly appreciated the Christmas carols sung by the Baptist children last week.

Mrs. Essie Savell was hostess for the annual Christmas Eve supper and family tree. Attending for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coleman, the Del Clow family of Dallas, Faye Halpern, Pennsylvania, Sally Gardener, Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Swope, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swope and daughters, the Jim Porter family, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. James Savell and family, Mrs. Mac Wilson, Lubbock, Mrs. Dixie Coleman, the Charles Tyler family of Lubbock, and Mrs. Tyler, Littlefield. The family had coffee Christmas morning with the Luke Colemans.

The Del Clow family, Faye Halpern and Sally Gardener visited with the Grover Colemans through Sunday.

Dean and Bunker Clow, Little Rock, Ark., came Friday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanchez and Trina, spent Christmas in Hico, Tex. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Caraway, Mrs. Caraway returned here with them to visit with a sister who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings, Mrs. S. A. Cummings, Kathy Baer and Kelly had Christmas dinner in Lubbock, and visited with Mrs. Alderson there.

Kieth Sanders.

Several ladies of the church served refreshments afterward in the Educational Building to a group of approximately 150. Santa Claus made a visit there for the youngsters, and a gift was presented to Pastor Baldwin and his family.

RECEIVES CAP
Miss Cynthia Anders, 21, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anders of Wilson, was awarded her L.V.N. cap last week.

In services at Central Baptist Church in Lubbock, Miss Anders was one of 52 students in the capping ceremony. They attended L.V.N. school under the Lubbock Public School System. A reception was held after the ceremony for family and friends.

Miss Anders is employed by West Texas Hospital.

SMITH PROMOTED
Wayne Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anders, has recently received a promotion to Specialist 5th Class. Stationed with the Army at Tue Hua, Vietnam, Smith was in Sydney, Australia for a six day rest and recreation leave. He called his family from there last week and reported himself in good health.

Mrs. Clara Phillips spent Christmas week in Post with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Noble, Phil and Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Caraway and Trina, spent Christmas in Hico, Tex. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Caraway, Mrs. Caraway returned here with them to visit with a sister who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings, Mrs. S. A. Cummings, Kathy Baer and Kelly had Christmas dinner in Lubbock, and visited with Mrs. Alderson there.

CARD OF THANKS

We want this opportunity to thank our Wilson friends and neighbors who have been so helpful to us since the fire in our home. We sincerely appreciate all the work you have done, and the gifts were so thoughtful.

Words cannot really tell you just how much it all means to us. Thank you again.

Gary and Mary Houchin Tamera, Tanya and Trishna
Visiting with the W. F. Stokers over the holidays were their children and families, the Jim Chapmans, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John Mark Stoker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tom Stoker and children and Mrs. Janice Ligon and children, all of Lubbock. Jim Chapman has recently been discharged from service, and he and his wife, Claudia, will be enrolling in Tech for the new semester.

Gary and Debra Williamson arrived here Monday from Sun-azons, Ariz., for a visit with their grandmothers, Mrs. H.H. Williamson and Mrs. W. F. McLaughlin.

Christmas guests of Mrs. W. F. Raymond were her child-

ren, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Raymond, Larry, Don and Cathy of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapman, Pat and Steve of Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hancock, Gahlen and Donette of New Home. Also visiting them during the day were Sylvia Stoker and Lajuana Kieschnick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider had all their children home during the holidays. This included Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schneider and family of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Javan Schneider and family of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fry and Tammy of Phoenix, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brieger of Wilson, and Carolyn Schneider, a student at Tech.

The F. R. Nolte family was together for Christmas, including Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nolte, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Nolte and families.

Mrs. Alpha Rhoads spent Christmas in Slaton with her son and family, the Pete Rhoads. With them for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ham and family of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt and Dana of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rackler and son of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen White and children of Stratford.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt, (she is the former Sharon Rhoads) became the adoptive parents of a daughter, born Dec. 25, weighing eight pounds. She has been named Dana Elise. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rhoads of Slaton are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Morton, Angle and Craig went to Sweetwater for Christmas, visiting her parents, the Dave Polks.

Visitors of the J. W. Mortons during the holidays were their children, the Don Morton family, the Steve Donaldsons of Slaton, and the Dickie Marriott family of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maeker spent Christmas Day in Slaton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook. Also visiting for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Moerbe and family of Tempe, Ariz. and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moerbe and family of Elfrida, Ariz. were with the Howard Moerbes for Christmas week.

Gathered with Mrs. E. J. Moore on Christmas Eve were the Zollie Moore family, the Russell Moore family, the Dee Perdue family of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Dockery of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle spent the holidays visiting with their children. They spent Christmas morning with the Lloyd Christopher family, and the Christopher's children present were, the E. W. Roe's of Sundown, the Robert Christopher family, Curtis Christopher family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, all of Lubbock, the Darrell Bishop family of Dallas, and Kathy Christopher, home from college.

They spent Christmas night with the A. D. Riddles in Tahoka, and again Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Don Filipo and Darin of Wichita Falls were there. Saturday night and Sunday they visited with the T. R. Riddle family in Tahoka. Their children present were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hayes and children of Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy

Cooper of Carlsbad, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. McFarland and children of Eldorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffee and family of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamb went to Greenville during the holidays visiting their daughter and family the Richard Claytons.

Holiday visitors of the J. W. Lambs included Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lemon, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fortner, Ronnie, Terry and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Cox, Carla and James, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker and Mrs. Rita Walker, all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ray of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wood, Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Church of Smyre, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamb of Wilson.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Key over the holidays were Mrs. Catherine Griffin of Dallas, and Major Helen Fugowski, who was en route to Ft. Polk, La. for reassignment. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hobbs and family and the John Gayles went to Abilene for Christmas, visiting with the Joe Gayle family. The Hobbs family spent Christmas Eve in Idalou with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hobbs and family.

Some holiday visitors of the H. H. Hewletts were Mrs. Chester Moore, Dallas; A. M. Cookson, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steen and family, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Briggs and daughters, Lubbock; Coach and Mrs. Frank Bevers and children of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Froh, Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hewlett Jr., Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Turnbow, Lubbock; Bruce Hewlett, Mrs. Dixie Coleman and Pete Hewlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henderson and children of Deer Park came for Christmas with the Virgil Hendersons.

Billy Hatchell, San Hoses, Calif., is home for the holidays with his parents, the B.L. Hatchells. Sunday they all had dinner in Tahoka with Mrs. Eva Smith, and other guests were the Joe Mahurin family of Garland. The Hatchells visited Mrs. Emma Hatchell in Lubbock Christmas night.

Home for Christmas with the Cecil Fields family were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Christopher and family and Linda Fields. They all went to Plainview to visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Webb and family, whose youngest son, Kelly, had been hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. James Follis and daughters of Houston spent the week here visiting with the Oscar Follis family. They spent Sunday in Tahoka with the Pete Gage family, along with James Gage of Shelby, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Foster and family of Morrilton, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Foster and family of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of Slaton were home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster and Gloria for Christmas.

COTTON BOWL

Gloria Foster was to leave Wednesday for the Cotton Bowl, where she is to be in the parade, and is to be introduced during half-time activities of the football game.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Crowson, Brenda and Sue left Wednesday for Sulphur Springs where they attended the family gathering of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich-

Dr. Green Named As State Park Coordinator

Dr. Francis Earl Green, a Slaton native and holder of three degrees from Texas Tech, has been named state park coordinator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission. He has served as director of Tech's West Texas Museum since 1965.

The son of Mrs. George Green of Slaton, Dr. Green is a geologist, paleontologist, archaeologist, anthropologist of the world in general, the South Plains in particular. The veteran of more than a dozen years of intensive research and exploration into pre-history in the Panhandle and South Plains area, will head up a new interpretive division of the parks system. He is leaving Lubbock and Tech Dec. 31.

His father, the late George Green, was a longtime Lubbock County Commissioner from Slaton, Precinct 2.

He will go into parks with features suitable for development and bring out those points in interpretive exhibits and museums. Parks with existing museums will be improved and strengthened to offer more to the educational visitor and to the overall enjoyment of the parks.

Developing the proposed state park at Glen Rose, site of dinosaur footprints, Dr. Green mentioned as a particularly interesting part of his new position.

Restoring the five fort sites—McKavett, Leaton, Lancaster, Griffin and Richardson—recently acquired by the state is another job he is eagerly anticipating.

Dr. Green has studied Early Man almost since graduating from Tech in 1950 with a degree in petroleum geology. His master's came the next year, followed by his doctorate in 1954. In between he was a teaching fellow and an instructor in geology at Tech.

His career "ballooned from a year's study of vertebrate paleontology at the Museum of

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Tuesday: Beef Stew, Potatoes, Okra, Onions, Tomatoes, Lima Beans, Crackers, Milk, Cinnamon Rolls.

Wednesday: Roast & Gravy, Cream Potato, Orange Juice, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Fruit Ambrosia.

Thursday: Salisbury Steak, Sweet Potato, English Pea Salad, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Milk, Peanut Butter Cookie.

Friday: Hamburger w/ Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoe, Onion, Pickles, Pork & Beans, Buns, Milk, Orange Juice, Brownies.

ard Crowson Sr. A supper and gift exchange was held in the Women's Building there. Approximately 55 persons attended, including nine of the Crowson's 12 children.



STATE POST FOR GREEN--Dr. Earl Green, director of Texas Tech's West Texas Museum since 1965, has been named state park coordinator for the Parks and Wildlife Commission. He assumes the new post in Austin.

Dr. Green, a former Slatonite, is the son of Mr. George Green of Slaton. The late George Green was a Lubbock County Commissioner. (Lubbock County News)

Natural History." He had always been interested in museums and this experience crystallized the thought. During the year he did some post-doctoral work at Columbia University.

He spent two years with the Tidewater Oil Co., but the job, "just looking for oil" was not stimulating enough to the man who says he "must be learning something new" all the time.

He came back to Lubbock in 1957 and began new learning in fields like archaeology where there are "so many fascinating things" to investigate.

A 2-year stint as researcher with the Monahan Ecological Project—trying to reconstruct the Paleo environment using preserved fossil pollen—started this search into the ancient past.

His two small sons slid around on the sand dunes while he worked the sand "blowouts." Field projects are more fun for him when the family can go along, though school has bitten into a lot of going as "field seasons" overtime come when the boys are in school.

From this he just naturally shifted into the museum, becoming curator of collections and field representative in 1959, acting director in 1964 and director in 1965. He has edited "The Museum Journal" since 1963.

"Since I've been here, I've done more archaeological than geological work," he said, explaining that there was much more to be done in that field and funds were available to do it.

The field of archaeology, he added, are still wide open in West Texas. There are many amateur archaeologists who are aware of how valuable artifacts are and have made definite contributions "to the knowledge of pre-history."

As a geologist he has studied the earth and its life as recorded in rocks. As an anthropologist, he pursued man and his development. As a paleontologist he has death with life of the past as revealed by fossil remains. As an arch-

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ATTEND CHURCH	Schools begin Lions Club--noon Jr. Civic & Culture-- Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--6:30 p.m. Catholic Daughters--8 p.m.	New Mexico admitted to statehood 1912 Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Athens--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. Lad. Soc. of B of L.F.A.E.--7:15 p.m. B of L.F.A.E.--7:30 p.m. School board--7:30 p.m.	Slaton Home Demonstration Club--1:30 p.m.	8 Health Clinic--9 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. Lodge 1094, A.F.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Masons--7:30 p.m.	9 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--7:30 p.m.	10 ROTC Youth Talent show--7 p.m. 5 1/4% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON 6 MONTHS CERTIFICATES OF \$1,000.		
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	Lions Club--noon FFW awards Voice of Democracy Awards FFW & Aux.--8 p.m. Rainbow Girls--7 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. West Ward PTA--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m. City Commissioners--7:30 p.m.	13 Noon, Young Hikers--9 a.m. Railroad Retirement--10 a.m. T.A.M.U.--8:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Chamber of Commerce--7:30 p.m. OES, No. 285--7:30 p.m. Bros. of RR Trainees--7:30 p.m.	14 Ministerial Alliance--6:30 a.m. Bluebonnet Club--8:30 p.m. Garden Club--7 p.m. Knights of Columbus--7:30 p.m.	15 Health Clinic--9 a.m. B of RT Aux.--9:30 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. American Legion & Aux.--7:30 p.m. Friends of Library--8 p.m.	16 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--7:30 p.m.	17 IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN--ASK ABOUT THE METHOD THAT WOULD BE BEST FOR YOU.		
ATTEND CHURCH	Chamber of Commerce Banquet Lions Club--noon Past Masters--7 p.m. Daughters of Pioneers--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. Scottish Rite--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m.	20 Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Athens--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. Lad. Soc. of B of L.F.A.E.--7:15 p.m. B of L.F.A.E.--7:30 p.m. Chapter 387, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Council 324, B.A.M.--7:30 p.m.	21 Slaton Home Demonstration--1:30 p.m.	22 Health Clinic--9 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. Lodge 1094, A.F.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Masons--7:30 a.m.	23 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--7:30 p.m.	24 PASSBOOK SAVINGS ACCOUNT PAYS 4.75% INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.		
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POSEY NEWS

MRS. P.C. KITCHENS

Robert Stolle Injured

Hi there! It's good to greet you after the Christmas holiday as most families enjoyed being together and exchanging gifts. This community was deeply saddened, although, by the tragic accident on Dec. 23 when Robert Stolle was running a shredder and ran into a guy wire to an electric line which

knocked him off the tractor and critically injured him. He is still in intensive care unit at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The L. B. Kitten family received a call from their granddaughter, Mrs. Carolyn Schultz Yocum of Hong Kong, China during the holidays. Her hus-

band is a navy chaplain there. He served as a self-supporting Church of Christ missionary in Vietnam for four years before going to Hong Kong.

Christmas guests in the Clay Oates home were their nieces and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wanjura and son of Tucson, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Oates

and Commie, Mrs. Robert Carroll, Clay Neal Oates family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Oates.

Guests of the Wischkaempers over the holidays were their son, Mike of Fort Rucker, Ala., his fiancée, Mary DeLoach, who is a senior at Tech, her parents who are from Texarkana, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wischkaemper of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson visited her sister and brother-in-law of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough, recently. Those who joined them there were two brothers and sisters, Mrs. Odie Williams of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Krey of Shallowater, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gentry of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gentry and Paul.

Guests in the T. A. Johnson home for Christmas were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and Jeff; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson, Susah and Fred of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and daughters, Brenda, Debbie and Brad of Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson and children. The Johnson's granddaughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hogue of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Griffith of Corvallis, Ore. were also

present.

The T. A. Johnsons visited the Howard Johnson family in their new home at Ropesville Saturday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Tefurtiller and Yavonne and Mrs. Lillie Harper.

The Mert Gentrys, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Harper and children and the Dwayne Tefurtillers spent Saturday with Mrs. Lillie Harper. Recent guests of the Mert Gentrys were Robert Boyce, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Boyce of Lubbock and Mrs. Minnie Lea Sloan and

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barron of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Townsend ate Christmas dinner with Bobby's mother, Mrs. Robinson of Slaton. They visited in the Fern Bournes home in the afternoon with their grandmother, Mrs. Vella Merrell.

The Sammy Gentry's daughter, Carla, had a tonsillectomy Monday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Christmas day the Joe Loke family had as guests for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Purdue, Alvis Loke and family, Roy Clay Green, and Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix and daughter of Flor-

ida, Teresa and moved back here. The Earl Foerster entertained Dr. and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Star and son of Christmas eve. On day, the Foersters Elida, N.M., to be ents.

Paul Dwayne daughters attended opening at the home Saturday evening they met the Merr (Continued on ne

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 law, Darlye Sartwell,
 to marry their daughter,
 both are juniors at Oral
 University at Tulsa,
 Mrs. Anna B. Gentry's
 were home through
 Rhonda Mangum,
 at-grand-daughter, and
 Mangum and Mrs. Lav-
 Karon of New Jersey also
 visitors.
 E. J. Wimmer family
 Sunday with the Nester
 family.
 and Mrs. Cecil Menzel

spent the past week visiting re-
 relatives at Austin, Thorndale
 and Marshville, Mo.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Loke had
 a Christmas morning breakfast
 for Mrs. Loke's relatives. At-
 tending were Mr. and Mrs.
 Robert Carter, Neil and Dee
 Dee, Mrs. M. G. Mitchell
 and daughters and Kieth Carter
 and girls.
 "Repentance is not a burden
 but a release from burdens."
 Trust to see you.
 Visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. R.
 Gentry is their son and family,
 Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gentry,
 David and Elaine of Argyle,

Trio Performs At Lions Meet

A Slaton teenage trio provided
 musical entertainment for the
 program at the weekly Slaton
 Lions Club luncheon meeting
 Monday at the Community Club-
 house.
 Buddy Pettigrew, a fresh-
 man at TCU, was the trio
 leader, assisted by Billy Fen-
 ley and Jim Carnes, Slaton High
 students. The group presented
 a variety of musical numbers.
 The program was introduced
 by Johnnie Moore. Several
 guests attended the club's reg-
 ular weekly meeting.

Christmas tree sale chair-
 man J. W. Holt reported the
 club would realize about \$250
 on the annual project. This
 amounts to about \$1 per man-
 hour spent on the program.
 Jim Newhouse reported that
 45 families were served on the
 Operation Yuletide project. Of
 that number, 33 Christmas bas-
 kets were prepared by the Lions
 Club, 11 by the VFW, and 1
 by the Order of the Rainbow
 girls.
 President Glen Akia re-
 ported that arrangements are

STEPHEN EDDINGS HOME ON LEAVE

Home for two weeks Christ-
 mas leave is Pvt. Stephen N.
 Eddings, U.S. Army, son of
 Mrs. Eugene Eddings.
 Pvt. Eddings graduated from
 Basic Training at Fort Lewis,
 Wash. on Dec. 5 and is now
 in the U. S. Army Engineering
 School, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
 being made for the Slaton club
 to host a zone meeting of of-
 ficers and directors sometime
 during January.

Sight Throwing

Icelanders discourage intro-
 duction of foreign words. When
 television came to Iceland, they
 rejected the foreign word and
 called it sjovarp, derived from
 two words, sjon - sight; varp
 - throwing.

After his leave Eddings will
 have 21 weeks of schooling be-
 fore being assigned to a per-
 manent station.
 Also starting the holiday sea-
 son in the Eddings home is
 Hobba Eddings of Dallas. Hobba
 is a student at Universal Com-
 puter Academy, taking the com-
 puter programming course.

Births


12-23-69-- Mr. and Mrs.
 Billy Ray Hubbard, 250 E. Dick-
 ens, Slaton, parents of a boy,
 Kenneth Wayne, 6 lbs., 6 ozs.
 12-25-69-- Mr. and Mrs.
 Santos Perez, Star Rt., Box
 133, Lorenzo, parents of a boy,
 Joel Jesse, 7 lbs., 2 ozs.
 12-28-69-- Mr. and Mrs.
 Marsellino Hernandez, Rt. 1,
 Box 80, Lorenzo, parents of a
 boy, Bobby, 7 lbs., 2 ozs.
 12-28-69-- Mr. and Mrs.

Pedro S. Vasquez, Rt. 3, Plain-
 view, a girl, Sanguina, 6 lbs.,
 3 1/2 ozs. ---died 12-29-69 in
 Mercy Hospital.
 12-27-69-- Mr. and Mrs.
 Travis Kendrick, 815 So. 15th
 Slaton, parents of a girl, Tonda
 Ann, 7 lbs., 8 1/2 ozs. Born
 at Methodist Hospital.
 12-29-69-- Mr. and Mrs.
 Conrad McCain of Seminole,
 parents of a boy, 6 lbs., 6
 1/2 ozs. Grandson of Mr. and
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YEAR IN REVIEW

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tes end season with 48-30 in over Tulla and 24-8 record or season.

MARCH

7--City, school races draw more candidates. Wilson postmaster Pat Campbell and wife retire from postal service. Girl Scout cookie sales start. Lions prepare for Queen Contest. Public Schools Week held in city. Light rain, then freeze arrives with March. Richard Washington and Larry Moore on all-district basketball team.

14--Jonas Cain withdraws, then re-enters mayor's race. Johnnie Sue Mosser selected from 25 candidates as Slaton Lions Club Queen. All-Sports Banquet set with Dan Reeves as guest speaker. CAB grant includes Slaton Head Start program. City faces new air pollution laws.

20--Record snowstorm on March 16 leaves foot of snow, drifts up to six feet, stops business, strands motorists and paralyzes traffic. Jimmy Williams and Hobby Chapple get top grid awards; Richard Washington and Marilyn Davis win Basketball awards at All-Sports banquet. J. S. Edwards named as incoming Rotary Club president. Rita Payne named to state all-star team; Payne, Marilyn Davis and Linda Johnson on all-district team.

27--Voters to choose mayor, two commissioners. Hughes, Cain and Martindale in mayor's race. City sales tax to start April 1. Yellow House Canyon Lakes proposal outlined at Lions Club meet. First Baptist Church sets open house for new \$156,000 educational building. Luther Powers Post 438 celebrates Legion's 50th birthday.

APRIL

3--Hughes named mayor, J. S. Edwards and Floyd Guelker elected new commissioners in record city vote turnout of 1,243. Johnny Young, 19, is reported as Slaton's second Vietnam war casualty. Linda Johnson wins district UIL typing contest. President Paul Melton announced Babe Ruth League sign-up. Tigers' track team third in Seminole meet.

10--School voters name R.C. Hall and Bettye Burks as new trustees; total of 577 votes cast. Otis Neill wins special election for Ward 2 commissioner. Bus tour set for newcomers. Chamber schedules retail sales course. Plans made for Citywide Crusade.

17--Arvin Stafford named as new city judge. City eyes problems on equipment, garbage disposal, streets, and junk cars. Spring Festival announced by Athenian Club. Generous pre-planting rains drench Slaton area. Glen Akin elected as incoming president of Lions Club.

24--Planting activity underway in area. Rodney Kuss is Lubbock County spelling bee champion. Debbie Busby second in regional meet, goes to state in typing. Marine Cpl. Don Stokes injured in Vietnam. Slaton Co-Op pays \$143,300 dividends at stockholders' meeting.

MAY

1--Community Crusade for Christ planned with Rudy Sanchez of Dallas as guest evangelist. Special Loyalty Day ceremonies sponsored by VFW Post 6721 with parade, guest speaker. Mary Mason named as Wilson Lions Club Queen. State Senate resolution by Doc Blanchard praises city for Loyalty Day program.

8--Seven straight days of thunderstorms leave 5 to 8 inches of moisture in Slaton area. Slaton High sets Western Day observance May 9. Debbie Busby wins second in state UIL typing contests. Southland's Joe Bastinger wins second in state in high jump. Cooper High wins state team title in track.

15--P. L. Vardy resigns as Slaton School superintendent after 22-year tenure. Mayor David Hughes criticizes absence of commissioner Rudy Dominguez from city meetings. More rains fall on heels of eight-day wet period. District VFW meeting hosted in Slaton. Wilson voters approve \$200,000 school bond. Spring band concert set by Tiger Band.

22--Graduation set for area schools. Laura Childers and Rita Payne top honor graduates at Slaton High. Three more days of rain leaves city with about 10 inches for month. Jeff Creager and Ray Bagby cited at Police Appreciation Banquet. Clubhouse being remodeled. School board starts search for new superintendent. Buddy Poppy Day set in city.

29--City approves purchase of maintainer, studies airport and cemetery issues. Most firms to close for Memorial Day. SHS has 84 graduates. Kathy Riney competes in state 4-H Roundup. City swimming pool opens.

JUNE

5--Slaton school trustees study applications for new superintendent. Slaton Lions win honors at district convention, with Hack Lasater elected as state director to Crippled Children's Camp, and Johnnie Sue Mosser first runnerup in queen contest. Ted Weaver named as club's Lion of Year. R. G. Copeland appointed summer youth director for Tiger Town. Mercury hits 108 in city.

12--Runners of Santa Fe divisional offices closing here dispelled by Supt. J. P. Spears. City approves new sewer lines in northwest Slaton. Community-wide July 4th picnic planned. Richard Strain, 9, wins Slatonite "My Dad's a Hero" contest. Supreme Feed gets governor's citation for expansion project.

19--Slaton escapes violent weather which strikes big area of south Plains. Two die in collision near overpass. State Rep. Bill Clayton talks to Lions about state water plan. "Auction Day" set in Slaton by Tiger Club. Mayor David Hughes discusses city compliance with air pollution laws at Rotary meeting.

26--City commission studies proposal to provide emergency ambulance service. Temperatures top 100 degrees for seven straight days. "Vardy Day" set for retiring school chief. Plans underway for July 4th picnic here. Sister Mary Amadeus, Mercy Hospital administrator, leaves for Mississippi.

JULY

3--J. C. McClesky of Shamrock named as Slaton's new school superintendent. Community July 4th picnic--with games, fireworks display, dance planned at park. J. S. Edwards installed as new Rotary president. Vardys honored at reception. Red Raider Day held in city with annual visit of Texas Tech coaches, officials. Mrs. Nell Young receives medals awarded posthumously to Pfc. Johnny Young, killed in Vietnam. Mercury over 100 degrees for 14 straight days.

10--Slaton's \$1-million low-income housing project finally ready for occupancy. Community committee calls July 4th celebration "big success." Showers cool weather after 17 days of 100-degree or more temperatures. John B. Butler named 39th president of Cowboys Association of Stamford. Cubs win Little League title.

17--City seeks collection on delinquent taxes. School board -- in closed session -- ups salary of business manager Buford Duff and awards typewriter bid to Lubbock firm. Brownfield team wins 13-year-old Babe Ruth tourney here. City records 100-degree weather for 10 more consecutive days.

24--Slaton residents join nation in saluting first U.S. astronauts on moon. Question of city ambulance service in spotlight again. Showers boost to area crops with about .50 of an inch recorded in city. Direct distance dialing set for city in 1970. Rita Payne helps North squad win All Star game in Duncanville.

31--City okays street work, names tax board. Head Start program ends for 95 students. Back-to-School values offered by city merchants. Citizens State Bank places full-page want ad for 2-inch rain. Rev. Emilio Abeyta appointed pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Chamber of Commerce starts free employment service.

AUGUST

7--West Texas suffers defeat on water plan vote; state voters approve five of nine constitutional amendments. "Bumper" crops seen in area forecast. Sparkle Month is theme for clean-up project in Slaton. City continues study on ambulance service. Two SHS coaches -- Bob Martin, Bill Gerber -- leave posts to accept administrative jobs at Levelland, Lamesa. James Hensarling attends National Scout Jamboree.

14--City approves purchase of ambulance with police to handle service. Gerald Kendrick resigns as city secretary to take McKinley job. Ernie Davis names Doc Mize and Jackie Stewart as new assistants. Mercury at 100 degrees for 26 straight days. School board approves teacher contracts, okays budget of \$865,000.

21--Vacation over, area schools set for new term. 100-degree temps hold for 33 straight days in record-breaking heat wave. Alex Webb named as new city secretary. Bill West, Lubbock, wins Slaton Golf Tourney. Juniors in spotlight as 54 candidates report for Tiger football drills.

28--Rains of 1.5 to 4 inches snap 35-day heat wave and boost crop prospects. City debates proposal of comprehensive plan with Federal aid. School budget of \$865,000 is approved. Slaton Volunteer Firemen agree to assist with city ambulance service.

SEPTEMBER

4--Slaton area first bale of cotton produced by Virgil Smith near Southland, arriving Aug. 27. More showers dampen area. Master plan still under study by city. Earl Eblen, Carroll McDonald named to county boards. Slaton High annual distributed to students. First-day enrollment in Slaton schools shows 145 drop from last year.

11--Jack Burkett gets second bale on Sept. 4. Showers hit area again with about 1 inch recorded in city in several days. Tigers prepare for first game of season at San Angelo. Farmer - Merchant Barbecue plans complete. Tiger Band gets new uniforms. City buys truck, puts off action on master plan.

18--Wesley Hancock named Farmer of Year at 12th annual F-M Barbecue sponsored by Slaton Chamber of Commerce. Rain, cool weather slows crop maturity. Glenn Farmer re-joins police department. Tigers open season with 20-7 win over Lake View of San Angelo. New cars make debut with Slaton dealers. Slaton school enrollment at 1,744.

25--Farmers welcome warm, dry spell after 2 to 4 inches more moisture recorded. Tigers upset Kermit, 19-14. Plans underway for Nov. 11 observance in city. Lions schedule annual broom sale. County considering voting machines.

OCTOBER

2--City tax values total \$20.7

million as tax rolls are closed. Weather finally clears. George Harlan produces third bale of cotton. City's first return on municipal sales tax is \$11,910 for three-month period. Rentals go slow at low-rent housing project here. Tigers lose first game as Lamesa rolls to 66-7 victory here.

9--Season's first cold front brings rain just as cotton harvest getting underway. Pioneer Natural Gas Co. announces request for increase in city gate rate. Carroll McDonald wins championship of City Golf Tourney. Tigers trounced by Estacado, 59-6. Kelly Sparkman wins Slatonite grid contest three times in row.

16--Early freeze hits area Oct. 13, but no "killing freeze" recorded around Slaton. City approves new purchase order plan. School faces deficit, budget study reveals. Chamber plans for airport dedication. Tiger upset bid fails as Dunbar takes 28-7 decision. Pass, Punt & Kick winners named by Smith Ford.

23--Rains fall again with up to 4 inches of moisture stopping cotton harvest in area. University interscholastic League reshuffle puts Slaton in 4-AA action in 1970. Tigers knock off Sweetwater in first zone contest. New junior ROTC program launched at Slaton High School. Phil Bruedigam is zone winner in FRSK contest.

30--Rains of more than 7 inches in two weeks put damper on cotton harvest prospects. Big observance planned for Veterans Day. City approves purchase of radio for new ambulance. Tigers top Brown - field, 33-8, for second zone win. Clifford Kitten named Lubbock County's 4-H Club Gold Star boy.

NOVEMBER

6--Harvest expected to resume as farmers welcome dry, sunny weather. Slaton Airport formally dedicated with brief ceremony, air show as more than 2,000 spectators watch. Dan Thornton to feature Veterans Day observance. Eagle award to Scouts Clay Nesbitt, James Hensarling, Curtis McCain. Tigers bow to Snyder, 9-0, in defensive battle.

13--Big parade, address by former Colorado governor Dan Thornton highlight Veterans Day observance here. Cotton harvest underway as machine picking increases. Slaton School board approved purchase order policy. Tigers fumble away 35-20 decision at Levelland. SHS announced plans for Homecoming. Area firms, merchants salute Slaton area farmers.

20--Bale count hits 15,000 as first hard freeze recorded on Nov. 18. C of C Manager Ted Weaver announced resignation for job at Sweetwater. "Flying Scotsman" train arrives in Slaton for winter storage. Slaton joins area cities in opposing gas rate increase. Kenneth Henderson named incoming president of Tiger Club. Chamber launches new member drive. Tigers down Littlefield, 32-20, to record 5-5 season.

27--Area bale count jumps to 26,814. Community Thanksgiving Service set at Westview Baptist. Plans made for city Christmas "opening" Dec. 8. Basketball season starts for Slaton teams. Wilson meets Sundown in bi-district football game.

DECEMBER

4--Area bale count tops 45,000 as weather cooperates with harvest. Arrival of Santa Claus, downtown Christmas light-up scheduled in Slaton Dec. 8. Audit reports received by city and school. City policemen add U. S. flag patches to uniforms. Legion Post 438 holds annual "Coon Supper".

11--Chamber of Commerce names Earl Bartley of Seminole as new manager, elects Robert H. Davis as incoming president. Bale count passes 50,000 in Slaton area. Glen Akin of Slaton named as County Farmer of Year by Lubbock Jaycees. Operation Yuletide launched by Lions. Dunbar boys, Slaton girls repeat as champs of Slaton Basketball Tourney. Merchants start Sleigh-of-Gifts contest. Larry Moore, Charlie Thomas on all-district team for Tigers.

18--Cotton harvest in home-stretch as most gins report season 75 to 90 percent complete. Appeal made for gifts to Operation Yuletide. Deadline near on home lighting contest. Yuletides win Tulla Tourney. New weight machine in use at Slaton High. Rev. Bruce Parks named as Ministerial Alliance president.

25--Bale count nears end as 80,797 bales counted at 15 Slaton and area gins. Winners named in home lighting contest. Dorothy Childers wins Sleigh of Gifts worth more than \$510. Operation Yuletide gets boost from KCAS fund-raising program and Lions prepare to pack baskets for needy families. Tigerettes top Klondike, to enter Duncanville tourney as defending champs.

The 1967 dollar is now worth only 76%. Maybe it should be replaced with a new one.

Fowler Fare

By Wick Fowler
Many of the nation's biennials could be solved if Congress passed a law requiring all citizens to a daily Siesta Hour from until 3 p.m. Think it over you awoken from your...

Puzzle. Whatever he... that gigantic organization created Oct. 24, 1967, with promises to maintain for future generations...

A newspaper headline... "Conferees give P... sweeping powers." You did they give him a...

Chicago is having... more riots and shooting... indication they are re... for the next Democratic National Convention...

Scientists predict... pollution will require... to wear breathing ma... 1980. You can bet that... will offer a mini-ma... short breaths...

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DUNCANVILLE TOURNNEY

Tigerettes Win 2, Lose to Klondike

The Slaton Tigerettes returned Tuesday after being eliminated from the Southwest Girls Basketball Tournament at Duncanville by an old Klondike.

The Tigerettes captured their two contests in the huge tournament, then fell by a 50-48 decision to the Klondike team.

The Slaton girls had already won twice this year, first by 58-51 on Dec. 1, and then by 61-54 early in the season. Slaton was the champion in the Duncanville tournament.

The Tigerettes opened with victories in the meet Saturday, taking a 48-39 decision over the Klondike team in the morning and a 58-51 decision over the Klondike team in the afternoon.

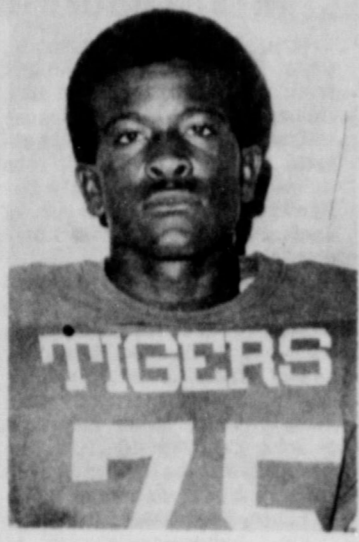
Marilyn Davis, Marilyn Sue Brake led the

way in the opening victory with 18, 17 and 16 points. Davis hit 25 points in the second game to spark the win.

In the Klondike contest, Slaton fell behind by 17-4 in the first period. The Tigerettes rallied to within three points at halftime, but couldn't overtake the Cougarettes.

The loss left Slaton with a 15-4 won-lost record for the season with two of the defeats at the hands of Klondike. The Tigerettes are scheduled to play varsity and B-team games at Floydada Saturday night, then play Tahoka here next Tuesday night.

In a queen's contest conducted at the tourney, Slaton's Cynthia Akin was one of the 10 finalists for the basketball queen title. A Klondike girl was selected as the queen.



CHARLES THOMAS

Slaton's Thomas Named to AAA 'Dream' Team

Slaton's Charlie Thomas has been named to the AAA All-South Plains football team as a defensive guard. It was an announced last week.

District 3-AAA champion Estacado led the all-star team with five gridgers. The only other Tiger to make the team was senior Larry Moore, who received honorable mention as a running back.

Thomas, a 175-pound junior, was a defensive specialist for the Tigers this past season. He was also named to the 3-AAA All-District team along with Moore. Thomas will return next season when the Tigers compete in 4-AA action.

Robert James of Lamesa was selected for the honor of AAA Coach of the Year.

The offensive backfield had Bobby Laughry of Dumas at quarterback and Larry Miller of Estacado, Jerry Dickens of Tullia and Mark Strawn of Monahans at running backs.

Moore headed the reserve runners with 821 yards rushing and a total offensive production of 1,313 yards.

Vote Signup Deadline Looms

Voter registration, which started Oct. 1, continues through Jan. 31, 1970, and officials are urging citizens to register as soon as possible.

The voting public has a tendency to put off registration until the closing days of the period, causing a problem for the county tax assessor - collectors whose responsibility it is to handle voter registration.

Slaton area citizens can register at the tax office here on the east side of the square, or at the tax office in Lubbock. Voter application forms will also be published in The Slatonite periodically, and these forms can be clipped and mailed to the office of the county tax assessor-collector.

The 1970 voting year begins on March 1, 1970, and ends on Feb. 28, 1971. This is the period for which the registration is effective.

Qualifications for voting: A person must be a citizen of the United States, over 21 years of age on the day of the election, a resident of the state for at least one year immediately preceding the election and a resident of the county for at least six months immediately preceding election day (required for voting in local elections but not required for voting on statewide offices and issues; residence in the city for six months is required for voting in city elections.)

The general rule is that no one can vote without having registered. A former exemption for registration for persons over 60 is no longer in effect.

Uncle Sam has taken over so many facets of city, county and state governments there is talk that before long your tickets for overparking will be tried in federal courts.

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The bid went to Bowman Oil Co. of Slaton. Other bids were Gulf Oil 13.70; Mobil Oil 13.74, and Texaco 14.40.

The bid procedure is a new move, and city officials said the low bid would save the city about 10 cents a gallon over what it has been paying.

Chester Williams, local insurance agent, appeared before the commission to explain recommendations for increased coverage on liability insurance. The commission authorized the company to issue a new policy on the recommended coverages.

Police Chief Walter Head told the commission that one police vehicle is presently inoperative and pointed out that repairs and maintenance costs have been high. The 1968 vehicle had more than 72,000 miles logged, and the chief reported major repairs had occurred since the warranty elapsed.

City Sec. Alex Webb reported that most cities he had checked with had a policy of replacing vehicles every year or every 50,000 miles--whichever came first. These cities felt the replacement program saved money. The commission authorized the city secretary to advertise for bids on a new patrol car.

Head also inquired about the possibility of purchasing a new radar unit. The commission decided to discuss this proposal at the next regular meeting.

Jim Dulin appeared at the meeting to request use of 11 acres of city land north of town. He offered to till the land on a free-lease basis in exchange for keeping it from being an "eyesore." The commission appeared favorable on the proposal, provided that no city water wells were used for irrigation purposes. No action was taken, however, and both parties are taking the proposal under consideration.

The commission also discussed other city tracts at the airport and near the new cem-

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from the patrol car at Mercy Hospital. Police said he apparently made it to a house near Wilson with his hands still handcuffed behind his back. As police continued their search, the suspect was returned by a relative for voluntary surrender. Formal charges were pending Wednesday morning.

The shooting incident apparently stemmed from an argument at Pauline's Cafe on New Mexico street. The shooting was reported at 10:19 p.m. Christmas day. A female suspect made a statement concerning the shooting, police said, and charges are pending.

Tenants of the airport farmland the past year did not renew their lease, and this land will be advertised for bids.

About eight acres of land near the cemetery were also discussed, and Dulin requested opportunity to lease that tract. The commission agreed on rent of one-fourth on cotton or one-third on other crops if the land is leased.

The mayor also discussed a proposal concerning salvage rights at the city dump grounds. A city employee made the proposal, and the commission decided to check with the man's department head before making a definite decision.

Attending the session besides members of the commission were Webb, City Atty. Carroll Smith, Head, Inspector Glenn Farmer, Chester Williams, Jim Dulin, and O. G. Nieman.

Training Class For Welders Is Set by TEC

The Texas Employment Commission in Lubbock announced this week that approval of a welder combination training course has been received from the Labor Department and HEW.

The training project, under the Manpower Development Training Act, is scheduled to start Jan. 19 and run for 24 weeks.

Applications will be taken at the Lubbock TEC office, 1602 16th St., until Jan. 9. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Any unemployed, or underemployed person 16 years of age or older who has the desire to do combination welding work is eligible. Applicants must have a 7th grade education or equivalent and must understand English.

Trainees who are heads of family may be paid \$3 per week, plus \$5 per week for each dependent up to six dependents. Trainees under 22 years of age

Bond Sales Reported

November sales in Lubbock County totaled \$196,928, according to Jimmie Holder, chairman of the Lubbock County Savings Bonds Committee.

Sales for the eleven-month period were \$1,928,986 and this is 92 per cent of the 1969 goal.

Texas sales during November totaled \$12,962,108 while the first eleven month sales amounted to \$161,490,677 which is 95 per cent of the 1969 goal of \$170.1 million.

"Recently the interest rate on United States Savings Bonds was raised to 5 per cent when held to maturity of 5 years and 10 months (4% for the first year and 5.20% when held to maturity.) Freedom Shares will be removed from sale on June 30, 1970, so be sure to put your note allotment into "bigger" E Bonds. Buy them through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work or at your bank."

may receive \$39 per week, and travel allowances are paid. Trainees must attend classes 8 hours daily for five days a week.

Coming Cage Games Listed

The Slaton Tigerettes have been in action over the past few days. They took a rest day on Monday at Floydada. Games are scheduled for Tuesday at 5:30. That will be followed by the varsity boys. The varsity teams will start the new season with an 8-7 won-lost record. The next Tuesday, with the game starting at 5:30 p.m. in Gym. Slaton Junior High teams scheduled to play Monday at 7th and 8th grade girls. Cooper here and the going to Cooper. The 7th boys are 6-3 and the 4-4. The 8th grade boys 3-3 and the girls 2-2. The freshmen teams are scheduled on Thursday, 8, at Roosevelt with the game set for 5:30 p.m. The men girls have a 5-0 record while the boys are 4-2.

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Essary to present certificates of title or last year's registration receipt when you have the application.

Waiting lines at the tax office or substation should be shorter. All the clerks need to do is take your money, slap a sticker on the application form--showing your registration number and other data--and hand over the 1970 plates.

April 1 is the registration deadline, but mail applications cut off on March 1. Those who want plates sent by mail should send the application form to the county tax collector along with the registration fee (plus \$1 for handling and postage). Be sure your correct address is shown on the renewal form!

This new system is the result of extensive computerization of records of highway department vehicle records. It gives Texas one of the most efficient methods of registration. And even the color scheme is new--light blue on a reflective white background.

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Pat Williams
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Danny Montgomery
W. J. Johnson
- JANUARY 3
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Russ Buckman
Craig Hancock
- JANUARY 4
Mrs. Marvin Williams
Todd Faulkner
- JANUARY 5
Jack Nowlin
Thelma Kidd
Mrs. Jay Oats
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The Slatonite will check the entries and arrive at a decision as to the qualifying baby. Decision of the judges will be final. Parents must be residents of the Slaton area in order for the baby to qualify as Slaton's first baby of 1970.

The Slatonite will present a letter to the winner, affirming the parents as winners of the awards listed by the firms on this page. This letter will serve as introduction to each merchant, and your gift will be presented by him at his firm.

EVER HEAR OF BEGINNER'S LUCK?

The first baby born in Mercy Hospital in 1970 will have more than his share of it. The friendly merchants listed below want to shower the newcomer with gifts to celebrate his or her timely arrival after midnight Dec. 31.

YOUR BABY COULD BE THE LUCKY WINNER!

<p>A \$5.00 SAVINGS ACCOUNT WILL BE OPENED FOR SLATON'S 1ST BABY AT SLATON SAVINGS AND LOAN</p>	<p>OUR GIFT... \$5 WORTH OF BABY FOOD TO SLATON'S FIRST BABY IN 1970</p> <p>PIGGLY WIGGLY</p>	<p>ONE CASE MILK (BABY'S CHOICE) IS OUR GIFT TO SLATON'S FIRST BABY</p> <p>SLATON PHARMACY THE DOCTOR AND PHARMACEUTICALS PHONE VA 8-4815 SLATON, TEXAS</p>
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Babson's Forecast ---

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initial stage of a recovery or on the verge of regaining its vitality.

Whether or not labor tie-ups of varying length do occur, the outlook is for costly wage settlements. With the profits squeeze now being experienced by most businesses, management can be expected to bargain harder in order to keep the lid on cost increases. Thus, in 1970 labor and management will lock horns in perhaps the most determined stand on the part of both parties in many years.

Labor leaders are expected to push hard for direct wage increases during 1970. Fringe benefits, with the exception of medical programs, will take a back seat to increments in take-home pay. Management, on the other hand, may concede large pay boosts, but in exchange the tendency will be to seek one-year contracts rather than the multi-year pacts, hoping that an economic breathing spell during 1970 will take the pressure off labor demands.

1970 BUSINESS PROFILE

The latter part of 1969 saw industrial activity turn downward. Even before that development, corporate profits after taxes had already crested over (starting in the second quarter of 1969). The Babson Staff anticipates a further slowdown in business in 1970. There is no anticipation of a serious recession, although we cannot rule out such a possibility if prolonged labor tie-ups upset supply-demand ratios. However, if there are no radical disruptions on the labor front or on the international scene, the general expectation is that front or on the international scene, the general expectation is that business will experience a gradual slippage during the first six to nine months of 1970. If the automobile industry can come to terms with the United Auto Workers without too much trouble, a noticeable pick-up in general business could emerge in the closing months of 1970.

Gross National Product - The Babson Staff forecasts a 4% to 5% rise in the total dollar value of goods and services which will be produced in 1970 compared with 1969. However, this is in terms of current dollar value, which will reflect the further inflationary rise in price tags expected in the next twelve months. But on a physical volume basis (adjusted for price changes) Gross National Product is not likely to show much change compared with the deflated 1969 GNP.

The components of the Gross National Product figure should be generally firm. The most important segment is personal consumption expenditures, which should continue the upward trend. This reflects not only the increase in price structures but also the natural growth of demand from the shift in the nation's population profile, plus the higher levels of personal income and income per family. However, the sizable increases of recent years in personal consumption expenditures will not occur in 1970.

The next important segment of the GNP is private domestic investment. Here, also, 1970 should see only a small increase over 1969. High borrowing costs, tight credit, and the pinch on corporate profit margins are likely to dampen capital investment.

State and local spending will be one of the stronger elements of the Gross National Product in 1970. The fight to cure major social ills must be waged at the state and municipal levels, with help from the Federal Government. Factors which should lift state and local spending include the need for more public housing, urban redevelopment, improved mass transportation facilities, and highway betterment to prevent traffic strangulation of urban centers. In addition, operating costs of standard municipal facilities for public protection, education, and sanitation are all up sharply.

Federal spending will be the soft spot in the GNP structure. In all probability, Federal spending in 1970 will be little changed to a shade lower because of cutbacks in military spending and stretch-outs in large dollar volume federal projects. However, any savings in military outlays will be absorbed by higher expenditures in the civilian segment of the economy.

Industrial Production - As indicated in the introductory part of this section of the forecast, we currently expect the downturn in industrial production which began last September to persist through at least the next six months, with a possibility that it might extend through the summer. Industrial production is generally measured on a physical-volume basis and does not reflect price changes.

At this point, the Babson's Reports staff does not foresee a deep recession. Instead, the expectation is that factory output will trace a gradual downward path in the first half, and a leveling off or the start of a revival in the third quarter, at a seasonally adjusted rate. In the final 1970 quarter, industrial activity should show definite upside progress. Overall, the Babson's Reports staff projects a possible slippage of about 5% to the low point of factory operations, with the subsequent revival narrowing the net decline for full year 1970 versus 1969 to around 3%.

Building and Construction - The building and construction field will not show much vigor until the monetary authorities shift to a less restrictive credit policy. Thereafter, this sector of the economy should pick up momentum and end the year on a strong note. Activity in the home-building field is expected to pace the smart resurgence of new construction outlays. But unless the ease in credit occurs early in 1970, new housing starts for the full year will do well to equal the number of units started in 1969.

Business Profits - To the extent that businesses are unable to lift prices and cut costs sufficiently to offset increases in labor and other operating costs, corporate profits after taxes in 1970 may slip below the rate of earnings for 1969 as a whole. Barring an industry-wide tie-up of auto producers by the UAW, or a protracted series of strikes against each of the "Big Three" auto manufacturers in the fall of 1970, the anticipated upturn in business sometime after mid-year, plus the probable expiration of the surtax, should help to stem the erosion of corporate profits in the last six months.

Employment - It now appears that the downside in business is not likely to be of sufficient magnitude and duration to create sharp cutbacks in employment during 1970. Management is particularly aware of the difficulty of acquiring skilled, competent, and conscientious help and hence the tendency will be to keep existing crews intact wherever possible. But the average length of work weeks will be trimmed further during the winter and spring weeks of 1970, which will automatically curtail additionally the amount of overtime.

Unemployment - The ranks of the jobseekers, nevertheless, will show a definite increase in 1970 over that of 1969. Slowing business will take the greatest toll upon unskilled and marginal workers. The jobless rate may rise to 5% of the civilian labor force before business can "turn the corner" in 1970.

CONSUMERS TO THE RESCUE
Prospects for consumer spending in 1970 seem none too promising, particularly for durable goods. The Babson's Reports staff projects a slight downward bias in physical volume of retail trade until industrial activity perks up. Total dollar volume of retail sales, however, again will be bolstered by higher prices.

However, the growth and structure of the nation's population, demographic changes, and wage hikes, will augment consumer buying power—the corrosive effects of inflation upon the purchasing power of the dollar notwithstanding. Thus, having already trimmed their sails in 1969, consumers may evidence buying interest sooner than seems justified right now.

MONEY RATES
There is little doubt that the most onerous phase of the rise in interest rates which has plagued us for the past five years has reached a crest. Although corporate bond offerings in the closing weeks of 1969 still carried generous coupons and yields, the outlook favors some easing in money rates in 1970. Perhaps the most significant reduction will occur in the cost of short-term loans. The cost of long-term money should also ease some, but not to any significant degree. There simply is far too much demand for long-term capital for projects which have been postponed by the excruciating credit squeeze, and for upcoming social programs.

Mortgage Rates - Mortgage borrowings are in the long-term category. Therefore, while modest reductions in mortgage borrowing rates are very likely to occur in 1970, pent-up demand for housing (both single family units and apartments) pretty well assures brisk demand for mortgage money once interest rates start to slip.

Business Loans - Because of the anticipated further slowdown in industrial activity, demand for business loans for the greater proportion of 1970 should moderate relative to 1969. Inventory accumulation will naturally be considerably diminished, if not actually temporarily replaced by inventory liquidation programs. For these reasons, short-term money rates—including the prime rate, yields on Treasury bills, commercial paper, and other short-term debt instruments -- will decline until business perks up again.

BONDS AND PREFERRED STOCKS
As we enter 1970, prices of bonds and preferred stocks are well depressed, and yields are the most generous in over a century. Therefore, these two types of securities provide very attractive investments for those who are in need of a high current income, but the prospect of an upward adjustment in market prices for bonds and preferred stocks as money rates decline clearly indicates that there is also the opportunity for capital appreciation.

Maximum Income - Where the highest possible yield is necessary (in the case of investors who are entirely dependent upon investment income) and for certain institutional accounts, there are many high-quality bonds and preferred stocks which can be purchased to tie down the generous yields now available.

Income Plus Appreciation - Many investors are not completely dependent upon current income. For these investors, bonds or preferreds which carry a relatively low coupon rate or dividend rate can provide both generous current yield plus capital appreciation potential.

Investors who are interested in a reasonable investment income plus some capital appreciation beyond the immediate future (the latter factor representing an inflation hedge) should not overlook good convertible bonds and preferreds. The stock market decline has pulled most convertible securities down to the point where their current yields are quite attractive. Those issues trading close to, or right at, their conversion value stand the best chance of moving upward in price when their respective common shares stage a rebound.

BARGAIN COUNTER FOR COMMON STOCKS
The unerving market performance of 1969 hardly seems to be a source of inspiration for investors, particularly with business and corporate profit prospects uninspiring for the first half of 1970. The long experience of the Babson Organization, however, has shown time and again that the best profits can be garnered from bargain hunting forays when the stock market has been knocked down and the "buy high, sell higher" sophisticates are quivering in their boots. "Mod" economics notwithstanding, there is no substitute for the hard-nosed investment philosophy of "buy low, sell high", as this approach carries the least downside risk and a maximum of upside potential.

Growth Areas - The research staff of Babson's Reports currently favors investments in such stock groups as life insurance, savings and loan, leisure time, cosmetics, electronic data processing software, pollution control, solid waste disposal, integrated circuits, and certain of the precious and primary metals (notably silver, platinum, and aluminum) for investors interested in longer range growth.

Oversold Issues For Rebound Potential - Investors who require some base of current income often find themselves shut off from the growth stocks. But there is nothing like a good market shakeout to open up capital gains opportunities for every investment objective. Over a short span of time, the downturned prosaic and more cyclical issues can provide just as encouraging profits as the growth issues offer. In this corner of the bargain counter, we of the Babson's Reports staff point to the values and recovery potential of such common stock groups as the oils, the natural gas producers, and the building materials and construction equipment issues. The "oversold" label can be tacked on to other groups, including the stocks of companies in the aircraft, rubber products, and the original-equipment auto parts field. And do not overlook the well-trampled conglomerate stocks, and the long-suffering agricultural equipment shares.

Services For Mrs. Tom Able Read Saturday

Mrs. Tom (Dessie Belle) Able, 87, died last Tuesday in Fresno, Calif., apparently of a heart attack. A former resident of Slaton, she had been making her home with a daughter, Mrs. Beauford Deering of San Angelo, and was visiting other children in California at the time of her death.

Funeral services were read at 1 p.m. Saturday in Englund's Chapel with interment in Englewood Cemetery.

Mrs. Able was born in Little Rock, Ark. Her husband, Tom Able, was a former sheriff of Lubbock County and they lived in Slaton until moving to Lubbock in the 30's. Mr. Able passed away in 1954.

Survivors include two sons, T.M. Able of Hale Center, and T. J. Able of Rio Vista, Calif., and two daughters, Mrs. Robert Tudor of Fresno, and Mrs. Deering of San Angelo.

Rites Held For Mrs. Forrest

Mrs. Myrtle Robertson Forrest, 79, of Lubbock and formerly of Slaton, died at 3:40 a.m. Saturday in Sun City, Ariz., where she had gone three months ago for her health. A world-wide traveler, Mrs. Forrest was well known throughout the area because of her participation in club, civic and church activities.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Dr. Paul Bumpers, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Rix Funeral Directors of Lubbock.

She was teaching school in Slaton when she married S. Lamar Forrest on Oct. 13, 1915. They lived in Bowie County, Ralls, Slaton and Lamesa before moving to Lubbock in 1944.

Survivors are two sons, S.S. Forrest and Edwin L. Forrest, both of Lubbock; one daughter, Mrs. Garth (Mary Jo) English,

Jim F. Davis Rites Today

Jim F. Davis, Sr., 78, Rt. 2, Slaton, died Tuesday morning at 2:30 in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock where he had been a patient for a little over a week.

Services will be at 11 a.m. today in the First Baptist Church in Roosevelt with the Rev. L. D. Regeon, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Englewood Cemetery directed by Englund's.

Davis was born March 5, 1891 in Ripley, Miss., and came to Lubbock County in 1918. He

Nursing Home News

Rev. H. E. Summar, pastor of Bible Baptist Church, was speaker for Sunday services, Dec. 21 and Rev. R. C. Harris and a group from Assembly of God Church brought the services last Sunday.

As a Christmas gift to all the male residents at the home, L. O. Lemons, owner of Lemons Barber Shop, gave all the men a free haircut.

A staff Christmas party was held Monday, Dec. 22 and Johnny Flanagan and Morris Tyler entertained with music. Refreshments were served.

also of Lubbock; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; two brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Landreth Dies Dec. 25, Burial Here

Mrs. Elma Reed Landreth, 66, of Houston, a Slaton resident from 1920 to 1942, died in a Houston hospital last Thursday following an apparent heart attack. She was the wife of John N. Landreth who recently retired as general manager of Santa Fe Railways Coast Lines at Los Angeles.

Funeral services were read at 2 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church of Slaton with burial in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Englund's.

Mrs. Landreth taught school in Slaton prior to her marriage to John Landreth in 1924. She was active in the Baptist Church and was a past matron of Eastern Star, Post 565.

The Landreths moved to Houston following Mr. Landreth's retirement Nov. 1 after living in Los Angeles for the last 10 years. Mr. Landreth began his rail career as a telegrapher here in 1924, and served as acting superintendent of the Slaton Division on two occasions. He was superintendent of the Plains Division at Amarillo; the Arizona Division at Winslow, Ariz., and the Eastern Division at Emporia, Kan.; was

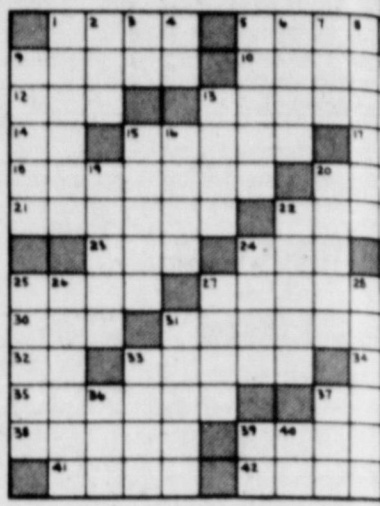
engaged in farming until his retirement in 1959. He was a survivor of World War I. Survivors include his wife, Ethel, one son, Jimmy Davis, Rt. 1, Lorenzo; one daughter, Mrs. Linda Peterson, Wasella, Alaska; one brother, F. H. Bolen of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Gilpin and Mrs. Josie Nance, both of Dallas; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Vance Lipps, Earl Hammett, Troy Thomas, J. H. Thomas, Bates Reasoner and Max Jackson.

assistant general manager of Topeka, Kan. Former Gulf Lines at Galveston; assistant to vice-president at Chicago, and general manager of Eastern Lines at Topeka, Kan. Mrs. Landreth is by her husband; a Mrs. J. E. Ethridge; and two grandch-

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| 10. One of the Mongolias | 4. Common suffix | 19. Goliath, for one |
| 12. Grampus | 5. Places for miady's pendants | 24. M. LeMoko |
| 13. Scrape off | 6. See 17 | 25. Aerial maneuvers |
| 14. King of Bashan | 7. One time | 26. Worn out |
| 15. Contents with | 8. Subtract | 27. Pied Piper |
| 17. Editorial pronoun | 9. Same | 28. Depends on |
| 18. Entertains | 10. Certain boards revolve | 29. Puzzle cheeses |
| 20. Tread the boards | 11. Takes time out | 31. Kinds of the earth |
| 21. Certain photos | | |
| 22. Clever conversationalists | | |
| 23. Beef mode | | |
| 24. Ironing-board cover | | |
| 25. Siberian river | | |
| 27. Historic horseman | | |
| 30. Frequently | | |
| 31. Covered as some walls | | |
| 32. necessity | | |
| 33. Good citizen | | |
| 34. Music note | | |
| 35. Pauline's affluities | | |
| 37. Lower the lights | | |
| 38. Old hat | | |
| 39. Moldings | | |
| 41. Lady lambs | | |
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Doing Right

"For it is better to suffer for doing right, if that should be God's will, than for doing wrong."
—Peter 3:17

Some people still make resolutions for the New Year. Often, these resolutions involve a determination to avoid mistakes that were made in the year now ending. Resolutions may be worth the effort, as they require an examination of conscience and an evaluation of past performances. The above quotation, however, should be carefully considered. Any plan for the New Year is not a perfect one if it envisions a life that is happy and carefree; if it discards the idea of doing that which is right, whatever the consequences, in favor of doing that which is easier and less disconcerting. A very simple and effective resolution would be to strive to live according to God's will.

Read your BIBLE daily and GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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SLATON LODGE NO. 1094
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Stated Meeting Each Second and Fourth Thursday Evening at Seven Thirty P.M.
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C. K. Walling, Secretary

NOTICE
OPPORTUNITY for men 20 & over who like livestock--train now to be a LIVESTOCK BUYER! Learn to buy cattle & hogs at sale barns, feedlots & buying stations. We prefer to train men 20 & over with farm or livestock background. For local interview write age, phone & livestock background. Approved for G. I. training. If veteran give date of discharge. Box 9651, El Paso, Tex. 79985. 12-3tc.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed bids addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Commission of Slaton, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary until 5:00 P.M. January 12, 1970, for the purchase of one Police Patrol Car. Information and specifications may be obtained from the office of the City Secretary. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
CITY OF SLATON
Alex A. Webb
City Secretary
13-1tc.

BID NOTICE
For lease on cash bid basis-- City of Slaton airport farm, 308 acres farmland with 143.8 acres cotton allotment and 310 pound yield. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5 p.m., Monday, Jan. 12 in the office of the City Secretary.
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"Your boy friend, Bill, just asked me for your hand in marriage and I consented," Dad told his daughter.

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SET OF KEYS on key ring Dec. 26th. In town. Small reward. Call 828-6453. 13-1tp.

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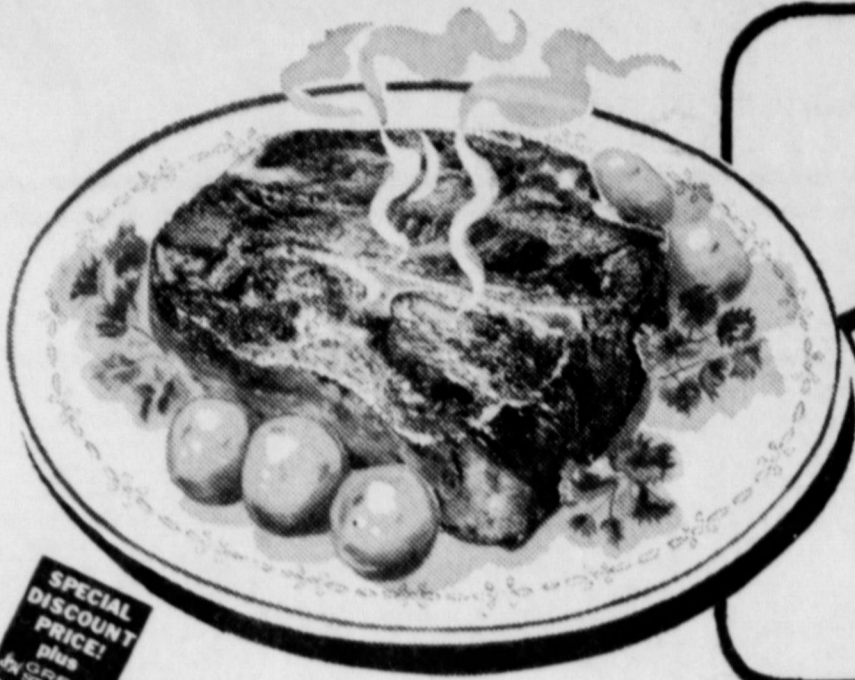
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Discount Price plus GREEN STAMPS

Blade Cuts, U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

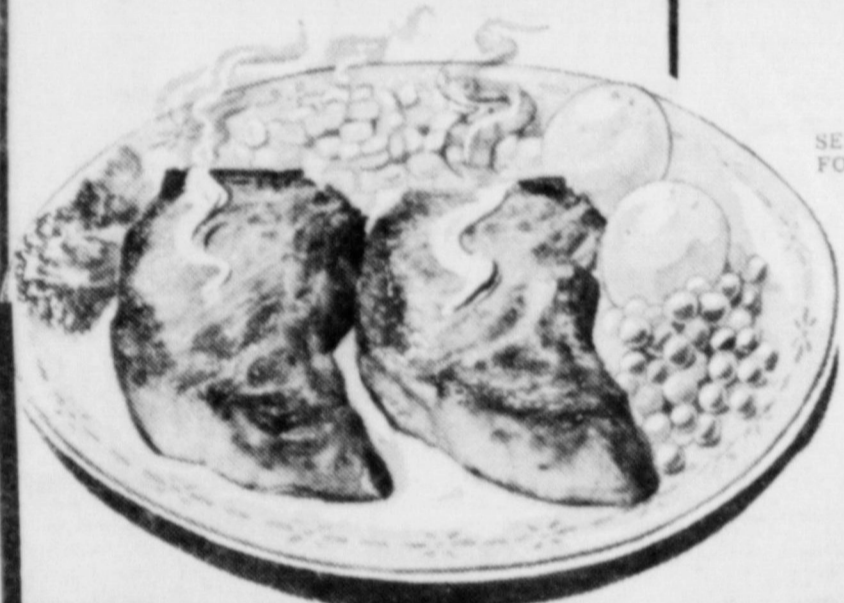
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PORK CHOPS

Full 1/4 Pork Loin

Lean Northern Pork

Pound **79**¢



SWISS ARM STEAK

Shoulder Cuts, U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

Pound **88**

ARM ROAST

Boneless Waste Free, U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

Pound **94**

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Braise or Barbecue, U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

Pound **38**

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Stew or Boil for Soup, U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

Pound **28**

SEE THE LUBBOCK AVALANCHE-JOURNAL FOR OTHER SPECIALS GOOD IN SLATON.



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Serve With Blackeyed Peas

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SLICED, Deckers Bulk Pak Hickory Smoked Bacon _____ Lb. 93¢	NEW YORK, Oven Broil or Barbecue, U.S.D.A. Steak _____ Choice Beef Lb. \$1.89
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U.S.D.A. CHOICE LOOK FOR THIS LABEL EACH TIME YOU BUY MEAT!

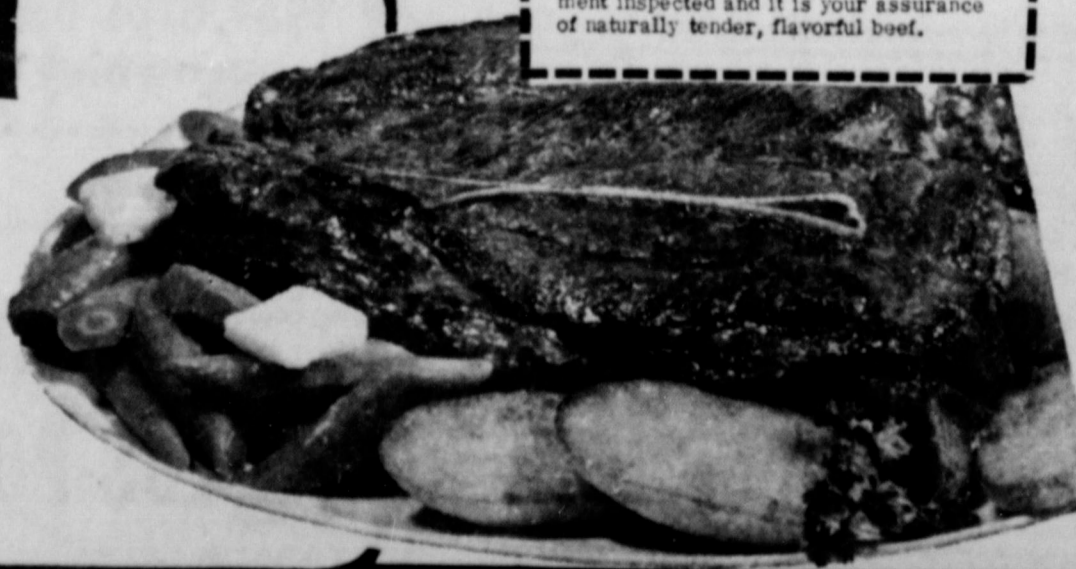
It's the sign that it has been government inspected and it is your assurance of naturally tender, flavorful beef.

7-BONE ROAST

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Center Cut Chuck U.S.D.A. Choice Beef

Pound **68**¢



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