

# Hit-Run Snowstorm Blasts Area



Slaton and the area was blasted by a blizzard-like storm Sunday morning, but the icy blanket quickly disappeared this week as the thaw came in a hurry and left about .80 of an inch of moisture.

About 5 inches of snow was recorded in the Slaton and Lubbock area. Further up in the Panhandle, snowfall measurements ranged up to one foot at Amarillo and drifts were reported seven to eight feet high. Gusty winds of up to 50 mph accompanied the snow.

Temperatures dipped to a

record low of 12 degrees here early Monday morning, but the mercury climbed to 42 during the day and Slatonites were able to climb out of the snow and icy conditions. The mercury climbed on up to 62 Tuesday.

Another wintry blast which had been forecast to hit Tuesday night or Wednesday apparently lost its strength. High Wednesday was expected to be around 60, and the forecast called for a high of about 50 degrees on Thursday. There was still a possible onslaught of wintry weather here Thursday night or Friday.

A maximum reading of 20 degrees was recorded in Slaton Sunday when the blizzard-like snowfall hit the area. Low Sunday morning was 16 degrees, so the mercury climbed only four degrees during the day.

The snowstorm put all outdoor activities at a standstill in Slaton and the area Sunday. Roads were open but dangerous in this area, while many roads were closed in the Panhandle and areas north of Lubbock. Nine deaths in the Panhandle-South Plains area were linked with the snowstorm.

Although Sunday's snowstorm here left uncomfortable weather conditions for two days, the moisture was welcomed by residents and farmers. Little moisture has been recorded in the area since November.

Weather		
(From Pioneer Nat. Gas Co.)		
DATE	HI	LOW
Feb. 24	70	30
Feb. 23	62	21
Feb. 22	42	12
Feb. 21	20	16
Feb. 20	48	26
Feb. 19	72	39
Feb. 18	64	46

LOOK, CSBI THREE FEET OF SNOW--Since The Slatonite ran an ad for Citizens State Bank which asked for 3 inches of moisture, publisher's wife Lavon Nieman uses a yardstick to show that Slaton had three feet of snow. It didn't work, however, as CSB ruled out snowdrift measurements. The bank did grant a two-week extension for the moisture, however. At right is another snow scene in Slaton following the blizzard-like storm which hit Sunday. (SLATONITE PHOTOS)

## The Slaton Slatonite

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### COUNCIL TO MEET TODAY

## Police Chief Resigns, Takes Law Agency Post

Slaton Police Chief Walter Head announced Wednesday that he has submitted his resignation, to be effective March 8, in order "to accept a position in a related field that offers a sizeable increase in salary."

Head has served as chief of

the police department here for more than four years. He first came to Slaton in August, 1967, and served one year before leaving to take the chief's post in Grants, N.M. He returned to Slaton as chief in January, 1968, and has held the post since that time.

It was announced Wednesday by City Sec. Alex Webb that a special City Commission meeting had been called for 9 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 25. Primary purpose of the meeting will be to discuss what action is to be taken on filling the vacancy created by Head's resignation. Webb said the council

may discuss other business at the special meeting, too.

In his letter of resignation, dated Feb. 23, Head told the Slaton mayor and city commission: "I regretfully leave the members of the Slaton Police Department, who I know to be the most wonderful group of people that I have ever known to be assembled together anywhere."

Head disclosed Wednesday that he has accepted a post with the Criminal Justice Council as training assistant for the law enforcement training program. (See POLICE, Page 9)

### Deadline Nears In Local Races

There were no new candidates to announce for city or school posts this week, although the filing deadline is only a week away.

Deadline is Wednesday, March 3, for candidates to file so that their names will be listed on the ballot. Election date is April 2 for both the city and school elections.

Four candidates have filed in three city posts, but no candidates had announced for the two school trustee seats coming up for election.

Jonas Cain, a former mayor, has announced that he will seek election to the mayor's post again. Incumbent Mayor David Hughes said last week that he will not seek re-election.

Besides the citywide mayor's race, terms also expire on the City Commission for Wards 1 and 3. J. S. Edwards, incumbent, has announced for re-election in Ward 1. R. J. Clark and Glenn Powers have announced as candidates in Ward 3, where the term of Floyd Guelker is expiring.

The terms of Don Kendrick and Tommy Davis will expire on the school board. Neither man had decided this week whether they would seek re-election.



COOKIES, ANYONE?--These two Girl Scouts and Brownie are representative of the many Girl Scouts who will be selling cookies in Slaton and Wilson. The sales will begin Friday and they have five delicious flavors to choose from. Left to right are, Sherri Eakin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eakin, Pam Castle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Castle and Cindy Kincer, daughter of Mrs. Barbara Kincer. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Chileans Visit Rotarians

Slaton Rotary Club hosted seven young Chilean business and professional men here last Thursday, and club president Dee Bowman reported "everything went well except for saying goodbye."

The men are on a 90-day Rotary Foundation study exchange tour of West Texas. The visit here was arranged by Bill Sewell, but the stay was limited by a tight schedule to only four or five hours.

Both Bowman and Sewell expressed regret -- as did the visitors -- that the group couldn't spend more time visiting here, exchanging ideas and getting better acquainted.

The Chileans expressed a desire to visit a ranch headquarters, and they were taken on a quick tour of the Clark Wood ranch near Slaton. The visit started at Slaton Savings & Loan, where several Rotarians

exchanged views with the visitors. Nora Romero, employed at Citizens State Bank, was on hand to help serve as an interpreter.

Hosting the group at a luncheon at the Chaparral Restaurant were several Rotarians, including Bowman, Sewell, Bruce Pember, Claude Cravens, Doc Castleberry, Vascar Browning

### Tiger Band Slates Magazine Campaign

The Slaton High Tiger Band will hold its annual magazine subscription drive in April, it was announced this week.

Band members invited citizens having magazine subscription renewal notices to allow one of the band members to write the renewal. Proceeds from the drive will benefit band activities.

and Speedy Nieman. The Chileans talked about their country and sang several songs for their hosts.

The men expressed pleasure at the informal atmosphere of their Slaton visit -- in comparison to a tight, formal schedule at many of their stops. They said they had also been surprised and pleased by the warmth and friendliness of Texans.

The men ranged in age from 24 to 35. The study exchange offers a unique person-to-person opportunity for the promotion of better understanding and friendly relations among the peoples of the world.

The Rotary program provides travel grants for the exchange of teams of young business and professional men between paired districts of Rotary in different countries.

(See CHILE, Page 9)

## Public School Week Set Here March 1-5

March first through fifth are the dates set for this year's Texas Public Schools Week. The week-long observation will mark 117 years of public schools in Texas.

Educators and Texas Masons (sponsors of the event) are hoping for a record turn-out of parents and other interested community members.

Each Texas citizen is encouraged to visit a public school in his community during this week.

Special activities planned in Slaton include open house at Slaton Junior High School and Stephen F. Austin Elementary Monday from 7 to 9 p.m. Teachers will be in their rooms to meet parents and their children. Mrs. James D. Perkins, mus-

ic teacher, will present some of her third grade students in a musical program Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Slaton High School auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

Then on Thursday night, West Ward Elementary will hold open house from 7 to 9 p.m. Preceding open house, the West Ward PTA will sponsor a chili supper from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tickets will be \$1 for adults and 75 cents for children. Proceeds from the supper will be used for air conditioners for the schools. Mrs. Joe Crabtree is chairman for the chili supper.

Open House in the Wilson Public Schools will be observed

(See SCHOOL, Page 9)



CHILEANS VISIT SLATON--Seven young Chilean business and professional men were hosted by Slaton Rotarians last week. At left, Bill Sewell chats with Franklin Arrigada, tour leader of the study exchange group. In the center photo, Bruce Pember talks with three of the men--Nelson Briceno, surgeon; Hernan Constanzo, college professor, and Guillermo Rojas, a meat packing plant administrator in Chile. Two attorneys exchange ideas at right--Chile's Gustavo Vega and Slaton's Claude Cravens. (SLATONITE PHOTOS)



### 'Frolic in Fashion' Given

The Daughters of Pioneer Study Club were entertained with a program Friday evening entitled, "Frolic in Fashion", presented by Mrs. Carter Caldwell, of The Gift Gallery.

### Three To Attend Conference

Mmes. Sarah Holloman, Charlene Davis and MayBelle Kern plan to attend a two day cultural awareness workshop Friday and Saturday at the Ko Inn in Lubbock.

The program, titled Texas Educational Desegregation Technical Assistance Center, (TED TAC), is designed to help school personnel meet the needs of multi-ethnic groups.

Mrs. Bing Bingham, Models for Mrs. Caldwell's presentation were Mmes. Glen Payne, LeRoy Holt and J. L. Cartrite.

Mrs. J. S. Edwards, president, conducted the meeting. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Bill Ball, Howard Hoffman, John Morris, Earl Reasoner, Cecil Scott, Bill Smith, Caldwell, Bingham, Edwards, Holt, Payne and two new members, Mrs. Bruce Parks and Mrs. J. L. Cartrite.

### PERSONAL

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Dick Adkins were her cousins, Mrs. Ruth Fleming of Lubbock and Mrs. Joe Champton and son Joey of Eau Gallie, Fla.

### Carla Wilkins Wins Trophy For Talent

Carla Wilkins, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilkins, former Slaton residents, won first place in the Grades 1-3 division of a talent show held in Belton last weekend. The Wilkins have just recently moved to Belton.

The show was sponsored by the Belton Rotary Club and was entitled "1971 Search for Talent". The contest proved so successful that it stretched over three nights.

Carla competed with 12 others in her division. She sang "Raindrops Falling on Your Head" for her talent. She was presented a trophy. The talent contest included 53 acts and 86 contestants.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. W. O. Townsend visited two sons in Lubbock over the weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Townsend and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Townsend. Also visiting was Mrs. L. C. Childers of Wolf-orth. They attended the Fred Waring Show Friday night.

### Guest Night At Athenians

Guest night for the Athenians was held at the home of Kay Poage Feb. 16. Dorothy Jaynes gave the program on "Settling the West Texas Area".

Mrs. Sally Peavy and Mrs. Ray Conners filled in with some interesting stories on Slaton. Guests for the evening were Mmes. Jim Martin, Tim Bourn, Ray Conner, Tommy Davis, Ben Davis and Sally Peavy.

### Sherry Cade On Dean's List

Sherry Cade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cade of Uvalde and granddaughter of Mrs. Hattie L. Cade of Slaton, was listed on the Dean's List for the fall semester at Texas Tech University.

Sherry, a sophomore student majoring in Home Economics, is a Tri-Delta and a member of Raider Rustlers.

ITEM: When you buy on time, buy carefully. Never sign a contract with blank spaces.



Lavon Nieman

When I say "I'm thankful to be here", I really mean it. Here in Slaton, that is. After a short vacation trip to Alpine to a West Texas Press Convention over the weekend and back through the snow storm Sunday, I was glad to snuggle up close to our own fireplace at home.

I had never been to Alpine and Speedy hadn't been there since his college days when he'd go down to visit Dan Blocker (or better known now as Hoss Cartrite). A friend told us to take the scenic route on the way home if we had time -- by way of Balmorhea and the Davis Mountains. We assured him we wouldn't have that much time to spend on the road, but because of road construction we missed our turn outside Fort Stockton and ended up taking the scenic route. Then with the wonderful snow that fell, we made a slow trip back also.

We were impressed with the Sul Ross College campus in Alpine and the students there. There are over 300 students from foreign countries attending school there and many of them were employed by the restaurants and motels. It was interesting visiting with them. A little band composed of Sul Ross members played for a dance Saturday night and did a good job trying to play "our kind of music". The college band director was the leader and asked us to send him some band students. He said they have several scholarships to offer.

### WW

When I left the office about 7 p.m. Tuesday night, George Quintero was attempting to give an advertisement to Speedy to be printed in Spanish. He could tell Speedy what he wanted to say but they had a hard time getting it down in type.

He said Speedy's trouble was he learned too much Spanish in college instead of the "Quintero way". Finally they called the high school Spanish teacher, Mrs. Gilmore, and she came to their aid.

There were some Spanish-speaking waitresses in Alpine that understood Speedy when he told them he wanted a cup of coffee with two spoons of sugar. (Or at least that's what he told me he said.)

### WW

Congratulations to "Lucky" Norma Lasater who won an electronic oven when Hack took her to market this month in Dallas.

### WW

"If you happen to agree with the majority you can safely say what you think. But if you're in the minority, you are restrained by public opinion, legislative investigating committees, your friends, and possibly your husband (or wife) and your mother-in-law." . . . . . borrowed

### Nursing Home News



### BY BOBBIE GREER

After last week's activities, I'm afraid this week is going to seem slow. We have had a quiet week. The residents seem to enjoy a quiet week to rest up. Most of our residents are doing pretty good. We do have a few on the sick list. Jess Eckles and Roosevelt Riddley are in the hospital. Let us all say a prayer for these two men. Also Annie Davis needs our prayers because she is very sick. We love our people and we do care for them. If you never visit our home, take time to do so. You will find you will receive a blessing at the same you will bestow a blessing on our residents. You cannot bestow a blessing without receiving a greater one. Try it and see. God can give more than any of us can give.

There may not be a write-up next week because I am hoping to become a grandmother. And when I do I hope to go to Nashville, Tenn. to see that grand-baby as well as Jants and Hugh Forehand. Everyone tells me how wonderful it is when you are a grandma-so I hope I will know very soon.

Our new administrator, Vada Wojtek, is getting acquainted now and she has really been working hard. Our best to you, Vada.

One-fourth of the average teenager's calorie-intake comes from snacks. Most adolescents consume one to three snacks a day. In most instances, quality of the snacks could be improved--with more attention to meat, fruits and vegetables.

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### KENDRICK BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kendrick of Lubbock are the proud new parents of a baby girl, Rhonda Kay, born Feb. 19 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vannoy Allen of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Kendrick of Slaton.

### WALTONS HAVE GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beardon of Lubbock are the proud new parents of a baby boy, Michael James, born Feb. 13. He weighed 8 lbs., 12 1/2 ozs. and is their first child.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walton of Slaton.

### IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McKinney of San Antonio are the proud new parents of a baby girl, Pamela Diane, born Feb. 8. She weighed 8 lbs., 1 oz. Mrs. McKinney is the former Lynn Bryant of Slaton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Bryant of Slaton, Mrs. Ruby Hubbard of Lubbock and Frank McKinney of Houston.

ITEM: Proper care of wash and dry durable press garments while laundering prevents wrinkling. Warm or cool water for both the wash and rinse cycles gives the least amount of wrinkling. Use medium heat if you don't have a durable-press or wash-and-wear setting on your dryer. If line drying durable-press garments, hang them straight on the line. Using a garment hanger will also reduce wrinkling.

### FHA Meets In Lubbock

"Tomorrow is Today," will be the theme for more than 3,000 Area I Future Home-makers of America from the Panhandle and South Plains of Texas, as they converge on Lubbock, Feb. 26-27, for their annual convention.

Three activities will be in progress simultaneously Friday evening. A talent program featuring FHA members will get in full swing at the Municipal Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. with Blanche Soules, Area I fourth vice president, Sundown, presiding. Some 20 talent performances will be staged. A special feature will be the district FFA talent winners from Floydada. The meeting of the Area I FHA Chapter delegates will meet in the Ballroom of Texas Tech University Center. The business meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. with Sharen Deitz, area parliamentarian from Happy High School, presiding. New officers will be elected.

Marsha Cade, area president from Cooper Rural High School, will preside for the morning session. Don Williams, minister of youth from the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, will challenge the youth with "The Tragedy of Being Ordinary." The superintendents, high school principals and chapter advisors of Area I FHA officers will be stage guests and will be honored with a luncheon at the Texas Tech University Center at noon.

### Sla-Ton Tops Club

The Sla-Ton Tops Club met last Thursday night at Mercy Hospital with Margie Green, president, conducting the business meeting.

The Tops' state meeting will be held April 30 and May 1 in Amarillo. Slaton's representative will be Lucille McMeekan, queen for the local club.

Funds were raised at a bake sale held last week to pay her way.

Fourteen members attended the meeting. This included a new member, Janice M. Cornelius. They weighed in and the scales showed nine members lost weight. One guest, Doris Etter, attended.

Lucille McMeekan won both the grab bag and weight and attendance prizes.

Auction prizes were distributed and an auction was held.

The club meetings are open to anyone who would like to visit or join. The club meets each Thursday night at Mercy Hospital dining room.



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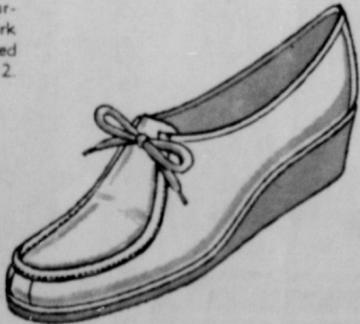
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### Hemlines?

How long—or short—a woman wears her skirts is up—or down—to her.

"We believe that, never again, should any woman be told what length to wear her fashions."

The majority of women seem to favor lengths that hover around the knee—just above, mid-knee or just below the knee.

But there's room for all lengths, from the very longest to the very shortest, with the short-short pantsuit bidding to take over from the mini for late spring and summer, and the ankle-length peasant dress gliding in gracefully.



**HEART FUND DRIVE**—The above group of ladies met Monday morning in the home of Mrs. Eva Sikes to make plans for the annual Heart Fund Drive to be conducted in Slaton this week, Feb. 26, 27 and 28. Seated are, left to right, Mmes. Jo Holt, publicity chairman, Kay Smith, chairman, and Eva Sikes and Sue Ford, co-chairmen. Standing are neighborhood chairmen, Mmes. Barbara Allen, Dixie Bownds, Colene Sikes, Joanne Williams, and Sue Crabtree. Mrs. Smith distributed packets to be used when volunteers go door-to-door during the drive. Anyone wishing to help with the drive should call Mrs. Smith, 828-6840. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

### Scholarships Are Available

Seniors in this area who are the children of war veterans, will have a chance for a department scholarship award through the American Legion Auxiliary. The applicant must be the child of a veteran of World War I, World War II, the Korean War, or Viet Nam.

Eligibility of the student is based upon scholarship, character, citizenship, goal, objective, and war service of father or mother.

Scholarships of \$150 and \$300 will be given, depending upon the course of study. The checks will be made out to the president of the college or university of the student's choice.

Senior students interested in obtaining more information may do so by contacting Mrs. L.A. Reasoner or their school counselor.

Final determination of the scholarships shall be vested in the scholarship chairman and her committee of the Department of Texas of the American Legion Auxiliary. The applications must be filled out in entirety.

Very full pants suits of materials such as satin or chiffon are for evening wear.

### BAKE SALE

Boy Scout Troop 125 will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, beginning at 8 a.m. to raise funds for a camping trip to the mountains this summer.

The sales will be held at Piggly Wiggly, United Super Market and Teague Drug.

### Senior Citizens Club Meets

The Senior Citizens met Friday at the clubhouse as Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided. Twenty-four members and one new member, Walter Smith, attended.

Rev. E. R. Baggerly, pastor of the Pentecostal Holiness Church brought a message from Psalms 19:14, and read a poem, "Beatitudes of the Aged". After the meal, the group enjoyed an evening of games.

*In Fashion*

Many girls are buying pants which harmonize with mini-dresses that they own. They wear the mini-dresses over the pants and have an up-to-date costume.

### Sanders Pant & Top 'The Pant Corner'

Storewide clearance is in effect at "The Pant Corner". Beautiful suits are being closed out from \$15.99 to \$19.99. Mr. Fine, Jack Winter, Jo Hardin and others, all at the "hard to pass up" price. Sunny South blouses (long sleeved polyester) are selling at \$6 and \$8.

Stock your "cool weather" items now. We must make way for summer merchandise. Our sale sacrifice is your gain. Our junior petite sizes are arriving daily. We can now fit from the smallest to the tallest. Check us out for your style and size.

Wanda Hutto

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### Family SHOPPING BAG

What does the "aged" label on meat cuts signify? Fresh meat usually reaches the retail display within 6 to 10 days after beef is slaughtered. Some high quality beef is "aged" by holding it at temperatures of 34 to 38 degrees for 3 to 6 weeks, or by holding it for 2 days at about 70 degrees (ultraviolet light reduces bacterial growth if meat is held at 70 degrees). The aging process develops additional tenderness and characteristic flavor.

Strange Sounds  
Earth, like the planet Jupiter, sporadically emits low frequency radio signals which still mystify scientists.

### Slaton Twirlers Win Trophies

Seven Slaton twirlers entered the annual February Twirling Festival held at Evans Junior High School in Lubbock. It was an all-trophy contest.

Results of the Slaton twirlers are: Felicia Little, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Little, Lubbock County beginners strutting routine (11-14 division) -- first place, Beginners strutting routine (12 year old division) -- second place, Lubbock County beginners basic strutting (12-14 division) -- third place.

Susan Hendrix, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hendrix, Lubbock County Beginners solo (12 year old division) -- first place, Lubbock County beginners strutting routine -- third place.

Robin Kerr, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Kerr, (11-14 age division), advanced two baton -- second place, Lubbock County advanced basic -- second place, Lubbock County advanced solo -- third place and Lubbock County advanced strutting -- third place.

Roxanne Schuette, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schuette, (11 year old division) Lubbock County beginners basic strutting -- third place and (11-14 age division) beginners flag -- fifth place.

Barbara Roquemore, 13-year-old niece of Mrs. Myrtle Smith, (12-14 division) Lubbock County beginners solo -- fifth place.

The other two Slaton entries were Regina Williams, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peke Williams, and Mariesa Arguello, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Arguello.



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# Spears Sounds Alarm For Railroad Industry

"America's railroads... Who needs them? You do. We all do."

This was the introduction of a talk presented Monday at the Slaton Lions Club meeting by J. P. Spears, Santa Fe superintendent in Slaton.

Main purpose of the talk was to sound an alarm -- "the railroad industry is in trouble," Spears presented information compiled by the Association of American Railroads, including some proposals to solve some of the problems.

Spears also warned that "there are rumblings about nationalization of railroads -- a government takeover." A study of countries with nationalized rails show they operate at an average deficit of 20 percent, meaning that the taxpayers add 20 cents to every dollar taken in. A similar deficit in this country would amount to more than \$2 billion a year.

But how do we insure continuance of the kind of railroad service this nation needs, asked Spears. He said this question was posed for ASTRO--America's Sound Transportation Review Organization. It was created by the railroads to study the problems and recommend solutions.

Essentially, reported Spears, ASTRO called for an updating of the regulatory approach and fairness and equality in government treatment of the several, now highly competitive modes of transportation.

Spears said it is clear that,

"because of differences in government treatment, only the railroads bear the full cost of doing business in the transportation field." He also pointed out that the regulatory problems of railroads are compounded by the fact that their competitors are not equally handicapped. ASTRO proposed that a single agency regulate all modes of transportation with equality. Regulation is now split up among several agencies, and a unified policy is lacking.

In short, ASTRO proposed that railroads be set free--free to make the kind of day-to-day decisions that other businessmen take for granted, Spears reported.

ASTRO also calls for "creative federal involvement" in the form of a transportation fund for improvements to facilities, of loans and loan guarantees for equipment, of a public corporation to provide freight cars in short supply and of added funds for research.

The bulk of the ASTRO program is directed outward -- to government, mainly. But the organization also looked inward -- to railroads and their employees. It calls for railroads to improve their record for working together on internal problems, using arbitration machinery where necessary to

iron out industry disputes. It also noted an urgent need to achieve better utilization of manpower.

"If railroads are to keep pace with the times and achieve the full potential in service to the nation, they must be brought into the transportation system as part of the family," Spears said.

"Given fair and equal treatment with other modes, railroads can remain in private hands. They can be modernized and improved--largely at their own expense -- and continue as a great national asset," he concluded.

Later, he became the co-developer of external cardiac compression, a procedure that has already restored to normal function thousands of stopped hearts.

This maker of medical history is Dr. William R. Kouwenhoven. It is all the more remarkable that he is not a physician, but rather a doctor of engineering. His medical collaborator in both projects was Dr. James R. Jude, now of Miami. Together, they have opened a doorway of hope of many heart attack victims, who, in other circumstances, might perish.

External cardiopulmonary resuscitation, used in combination with the more familiar mouth-to-mouth breathing, is a procedure to be used following "cardiac arrest"--a term describing sudden cessation of circulatory function. The

# Heart Fund Dollars Develop New Life Saving Method--'ECPR'

idea is to keep oxygenated blood flowing to the brain until appropriate medical treatment can be applied to restore normal heart action. Many times the heart restarts spontaneously.

ECPR is done by depressing and then releasing the sternum, or breast bone, in such a manner as to squeeze the heart against the vertebral column, then permitting the heart to relax. As a result, an artificial but adequate circulation is maintained. The procedure is most effective when used in conjunction with mouth-to-mouth breathing.

Many times the heart starts spontaneously during this procedure. External cardiopulmonary resuscitation is for application only by a trained person, and, in many instances, can save the victim of cardiac arrest--especially if resuscitation maneuvers are started promptly, never later than four minutes after the arrest occurs.

To meet the training need, Heart Associations throughout the country are conducting educational programs which enable physicians and nurses, police, firemen, utility workers and ambulance attendants to apply emergency measures when signs of sudden death are evident. Many thousands have been already trained.

Elementary and secondary teachers, mathematicians and life scientists will grow in overabundance in the 1970's according to Labor Department estimates reported by the January 1971 National Consumer Finance Association monthly newsletter, "Finance Facts."

After years of political rhetoric and media reporting that our schools were in sad shape because of a lack of space and teachers, we find ourselves glutted with college graduates in these teaching occupations. The nation's colleges and universities are turning out record numbers of graduates and are expected to continue to do so throughout the 1970's. The number of persons earning a bachelor's degree will climb by two-thirds, and those earning master's and doctor's degrees will double by 1980.

Ample total supply of graduates roughly in balance with manpower requirements seems in the offing for the 12-year period between 1968 and 1980. Although different demand-supply situations appear likely among different occupations, teaching, long a shortage occupation, is about to undergo a sharp change in prospects. Aggregate supply is expected to significantly exceed demand if recent entry patterns in the occupation continue.

In scientific fields, shortages of chemists, geologists, and geophysicists, seem likely, and surpluses of mathematicians and life scientists may

# editorially speaking

## Texas Public Schools Week

The importance of education in our world of today and tomorrow cannot be overemphasized. The kind of education our children receive is vital to their intellectual development. Texas is very fortunate in having a splendid system of public schools, and during the week of March 1-5, citizens take time out to thank teachers for their contribution to the excellence of our public school system and to encourage parents to maintain an active interest in the schools.

The role of the parent is a significant one and can be a deciding factor in the way the youngster feels about school.

Your child needs this encouragement. Teach him the value of learning.

This year, visit during Texas Public Schools Week, March 1-5, 1971. It's a celebration of an educational opportunity of an education.

Be sure to visit it. It's your duty.

## Great Achievement

Obituaries have become an accepted part of a newspaper--never pleasant to read but still information everyone wants to have.

Threaded through more than half of these death notices is a common element, namely, a reference to some form of heart and blood vessel disease as the cause. Most often it is "heart attack" or "stroke."

A generation ago, pessimistic and fatalistic views were generally held with respect to the cardiovascular diseases. But that is no longer true. Today, there is new hope for every heart.

Dramatic evidence of this is to be seen in the thousands of lives being saved today due to medical advances in treating heart attack, in controlling high blood pressure and the heart disease it causes, in preventing rheu-

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through surgery and stroke victims.

Since 1950, when supporting programs of the American Heart Association and the

has been a decline of cardiovascular deaths below 65.

Dr. Paul Dudley White, cardiologist, calls this a "miracle of modern medicine."

We agree. And we think the American Heart Association deserves a place of honor in the giving-for-health program.

When a volunteer gives generously. Give generously. Give generously.

## ...And The Pendulum Swings

Occupation	Supply	Demand	Ratio	Notes
Chemists	200,000	35.7	5.6	Significantly Below Requirements
Counselors	107,000	49.8	2.1	
Dentists	42,100	40.3	1.0	
Physicians	130,000	31.7	4.1	Significantly Above Requirements
Mathematicians	110,000	60.5	1.8	
Life Scientists	238,000	40.8	5.8	Significantly Above Requirements
Teachers, elementary and secondary	2,340,000	7.8	298	

result if students continue to elect these fields in the same proportions as in the past.

Other areas for which potential shortages are in prospect include counseling, social work, urban planning, and a variety of occupations related to the planning and administration of local governments.

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## Conner Home Damaged by Fire

When Bob R. Conner came in from work Saturday morning about 2:30 a.m., he discovered his house had burned.

Conner's home is located on Canyon Road. No one was home at the time of the fire. He said arson was suspected as the cause for fire. It evidently started in a bedroom.

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Calendar of Coming Events **MARCH 1971** Courtesy **SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ASSN** 100 W. Garza

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE</b>	1 TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK - March 1-5 Open House at Jr. Hi. & West Ward - 7 p.m. Lions Club--noon Miss S.P.E. Pageant--7:30 p.m. U.T.U.--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act. Nite--7:30 Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. Cooper Young Hikers--8 p.m. Catholic Daughters--8 p.m.	2 FTA State Convention Slaton H.L. Club--1:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. La. Soc. of B of L.F.E.--7:15 School Musical Program--7:30 p.m. B of L.F.E.--7:30 p.m. Abundance--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. VFW Activity Night--8 p.m.	3 IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN --ASK ABOUT THE METHOD BEST SUITED FOR YOU. Women's Div. of C of C--1 p.m. at Reddy Room	4 Health Clinic--9 a.m. B of R.T. Auxiliary--9:30 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Open House at West Ward--7 to 9 p.m. Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. Kappa Kappa Kots--7 p.m.	5 <b>FABULOUS FRIDAY</b> FABULOUS FRIDAY Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m.
<b>AWARENESS-ACTION GIRL SCOUT WEEK MARCH 7-13, 1971</b>	8 Lions Club--noon Slaton V.B. Tourney City Commissioners--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. West Ward P.T.A.--7:30 p.m. VFW & Auxiliary 8721--8 p.m. Knights of Columbus--8:30 p.m.	9 Chamber of Commerce Slaton V.B. Tourney Roosevelt Yo. Hikers--9 a.m. R.R. Retirement--10 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. T.A.S.A.--2:30 p.m. O.E.S. No. 585--7:30 p.m. School Board--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. VFW Activity Nite--8 p.m.	10 Slaton Ministerial Alliance --8:30 a.m. Rainbow Club--8:30 p.m. Slaton Garden Club--9 p.m. Rainbow Girls--4:30 p.m.	11 V.B. Tourney Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. Maasie--7:30 p.m. Slaton Lodge 1094, A.F.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Saddle Pale Riding Club--8 p.m.	12 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Senior Play Young Hikers Style Show Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m. IT'S EASY TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN
14 U.T.U.--4 p.m.	15 Lions Club--noon Miss Cotton contest Past Matrons Club--7 p.m. Daughters of Pioneers--7:30 American Legion Act.--7:30 Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m.	16 Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. Slaton H.L. Club--1:30 p.m. La. Soc. of B of L.F.E.--7:15 Slaton Council 124, R.A.S.M.--7:30 p.m. B of L.F.E.--7:30 p.m. Abundance--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. VFW Activity Nite--8 p.m.	17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY Slaton Chapter, 387, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m.	18 Health Clinic--9 a.m. B of R.T. Auxiliary--9:30 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Check Wagon Supper for SRS seniors Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m. Friends of Library--8 p.m.	19 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Senior Play Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m. IT'S EASY TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN
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<b>ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE</b>	28 Federated Church Women--9:30 a.m. Lions Club--noon American Legion Activity--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. Muscular Dystrophy Month	30 Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. VFW Activity--8 p.m. Slaton Art Club--7:30 p.m.	31 Deadline for purchasing License Plates YOU WILL BE SURPRISED HOW FAST YOUR ACCOUNT WILL GROW IF YOU HAVE PART OF EACH PAY CHECK.	DOES THE FUTURE EDUCATION OF YOUR CHILD DEPEND ON YOUR SAVINGS TODAY? Crippled Children's Easter Campaign - Feb. 15 - March 15	IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN --ASK ABOUT THE METHOD BEST SUITED FOR YOU.

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Southland News

BY TOMMIE WILKE

# Rain, Rain, Don't Go Away

SNOW! At last we got a little "speck" of moisture. Not much, but every little bit makes us feel better. Guess it snowed two or three inches, don't really know, because the wind blew so hard and it just drifted up in piles. Anyway, this is a good start and maybe there is more to come! Hope all is well with you, wherever you might be.

Recent visitors in the Donald Pennell home were his nephew, Bill Ponders from Houston, and a friend, John Heaton, from South Dakota. They are both in the Merchant Marines and had just returned from 4 months on a ship in India and other countries!

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diegel have bought a home down on the Lazy "K" Ranch and are now living there. Mr. Diegel is a businessman from Lubbock. We are certainly happy to have them in the community.

Happy Birthday to Mrs. Valton Wheeler who celebrated her birthday Monday.

Edmund and Yours Truly attended a 25th. Wedding Anniversary party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Mueller of Lubbock. The party was held in the Palm Room Feb. 19. Mrs. Mueller is the former Dorothy Becker who was raised here at Southland. May God grant this couple many more years of married life together.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wilke from Kingsland are here visiting with friends and relatives. They came up for the Mueller Anniversary Party.

E. L. Dunn of Dallas visited here over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunn.

Ugh! I made another boo-boo the other week. I was telling about Billy Angle being on the "puny" list and I called him Billy Lieske. Sorry Billy!

Speaking of the "puny" list, Mrs. Jim Mason, Janie Gomez and Mrs. Valton Wheeler were all on the puny list last week and Mrs. Mason still wasn't feeling too good Monday. Get well quick now, you hear?

So long for this week and I will leave this thought with you, "One cannot find any rule of conduct to excel 'simplicity' and 'sincerity'."

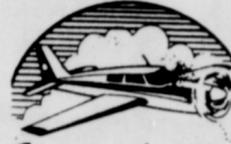
"BE WHAT YOU WISH OTHERS TO BECOME."

## Teens Against Dystrophy Tag Day

During March, high school and college students, as well as members of youth groups, will be sporting green in the form of "Shamrocks for Dystrophy" tags as Texas joins the rest of America in a nationwide one-day fund raising crusade to benefit Muscular Dystrophy Associations of America.

In the spirit of St. Patrick, who performed many miraculous cures in addition to chasing the snakes out of Ireland, these young men and women will be handing out green "Shamrocks for Dystrophy" tags. In return, they'll be asking for some of your green to help MDA research scientist perform a modern miracle by finding cures for muscular dystrophy and related neuro-muscular diseases.

It is particularly appropriate that young people become involved in the fight against dystrophy because two-thirds of its victims are children. Many more volunteers are needed to participate in this crusade, if you are interested in joining a Teens Against Dystrophy group or forming one in your own community or school, write or call Howard D. Wright, District Director, Muscular Dystrophy Association, 1916 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas, 79405, PHONE Area Code 806 747-4221.



## Up in the Air

By ROGER EVANS

"There's nothing like it," says Glen Akin.

Glen is the latest soloist out at Slaton Municipal Airport, and the latest to get his shirt tail out off—a tradition where the instructor whacks off the pilot's shirt tail when he flies alone for the first time.

Akin observed that "you know the day is coming, but you're just not quite sure of yourself when the instructor crawls out and tells you take it up and make three good landings."

More and more Slatonites are learning to fly and feeling the



LOSES SHIRT TAIL--Glen Akin, right, lost his shirt tail last week following his first flight alone. Instructor Roger Evans performed the traditional act after Akin soloed last week. A number of Slatonites have lost their shirt tails at Slaton Municipal Airport--read Evans' column below.

thrill of their first time up alone. We stated before that we were working toward putting Slaton Municipal on the map and making it one of the outstanding airports in the country. Along this line, we have added another service and--if you've been wondering what you've been spraying lately, it's just water.

We have our airplane and helicopter ag school both VA and FAA approved and have been advertising in three national-circulation magazines. So far we have received letters of inquiry from 22 states and as far away as Canada and Hawaii.

Two students have been staying at the El Lora Motel while in training and are from Oklahoma and New Mexico. We feel these students coming from different parts of the world to fly with us are "special", and we try to give them a good taste of Slaton hospitality while here. We would encourage everyone to do the same, and if you see someone you don't

know around town, get acquainted. You'll enjoy the friendship.

We have a ground school on Monday at 7 p.m. If you would like to learn more about everything to do with aeronautics, now would be the time to enroll.

We got the glider out last week and my oldest son (13 years) got in some practice on one of the few days when the wind didn't blow. He is trying to get good enough to solo on his 14th birthday, April 5.

The Boy Scouts are going to put on a show of remote flying of airplanes March 21 at Slaton Municipal. Mark it on your calendar, as it should be a good show!

Attraction  
The Alabama Space and Rocket Center, at Huntsville, is the world's largest space exhibit. Some 200,000 visitors were attracted during the first ten months of operation, including visitors from all fifty states and forty-five foreign countries.



JUNIOR GIRL SCOUT Troop 260 and Brownies presented a flag ceremony to the Wilson Lions Club. They are pictured during the program with Mrs. Curtis Wilke, Mrs. Gary Houchin and Mrs. Gilbert Steinhauser.

## ON NEWS

BY BRENDA AND SUE

# is, Scouts Work Together

Following the supper, Miss Pat Harris and Mrs. Alahrae Russell, leaders of the Caprock Council of Girl Scouts, presented a program to the club. In a business meeting, final plans were discussed and made for the Lions Volleyball Tournament that is in progress this week, and for the Lions Farm Sale Wednesday.

Lions Boss James Savell presided and District Gov. and Mrs. R. L. Kahlich were guests. The date for the Wilson Lions Queen Contest has been set for March 19. High School girls may enter. Each girl's sponsor must pay the \$10 entry fee. Mr. and Mrs. Coy Cook are in charge of the contest.

There will be a Youth Evangelism Rally March 4 at First Baptist Church Lubbock. Evangelist Richard Hogue and a musical trio that travels with him, will provide the program. Make plans to attend.

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## WILSON SCHOOL LUNCH MENU!

WILSON MENU  
March 1-5  
Monday: Pork Sausage w/Gravy, Cream Potatoes, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Fruit Salad.  
Tuesday: Lasagne, Black-eyed Peas, Cole Slaw, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Apple Sauce Cake.  
Wednesday: Sloppy Joes, White Beans, Veg. Salad, Buns, Milk, Peanut Butter Cake.  
Thursday: Salmon Croquette, Scalloped Potatoes, Buttered Carrots, Pepper Cabbage Slaw, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Sugar Coconut Cookie.  
Friday: Hamburger or Fishburger, Sweet Potatoes, Veg. Salad, Buns, Milk, Peach Cobbler.

Noble, is slightly improved in Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

BASKETBALL  
Thursday night the boys basketball team played Sunday, and won 65-64. This was their last game of the season.

There was no school Monday because of Teachers work day. Because of the bad weather, First Baptist Church postponed the evening services Sunday night. The pouding that was scheduled for the Mission pastor's family was postponed until Feb. 28, so that more of the church members could participate.

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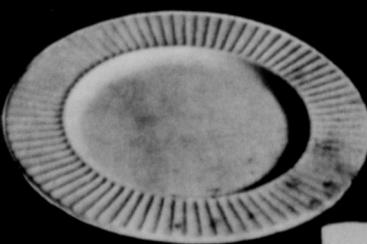
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Following is a list of the newcomers, listing name of household, where they moved from, present address and where employed when known:

Gordon Bright, from Crystal City, 245 S. 6th St.; W. E. Chapin, from Snyder to 650 W. Crosby, employed by Holland Gardens, Lubbock; and Jimmy Cooner, from Marshall, 340 W. Dayton, employed by Modern Castings.

Samuel Isaac, from Lubbock to 835 E. Geneva, employed by Mayfield Van Lines, Annie Jo Roark, from Irving to 1155 S. 6th, employed by Pier 1 Imports; and Sam Rousseau, from Marshall to 745 S. 12th St., employed by Modern Castings.

J. D. Scott, from Colorado City to 1105 W. Lubbock, employed by Southwestern Bell;

Eddie Swafford, 600 S. 12th St., employed by Johnson Mfg. Co., Lubbock; and Jimmy Lee Taylor, from Bonham to 935 S. Collins, employed by Donald Jones.

Moran Whaley, from Post to 1250 S. 7th St., engaged in farming; Jesse Ybarra, from Grassland to 905 S. 4th St.; and Louis Ybarra, from Yuma, Colo. to 1415 S. 13th St., employed by Donaldson Pump Service.

## Rev. Parks In Oregon Program

Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Slaton, left Tuesday for Portland, Ore. for a two day orientation period before joining the Intensive Evangelistic Effort in Coosbay, Ore. on Friday.

This project, termed "Operation Concern" will cover the states of Idaho and Oregon, with 93 Methodist ministers from 30 states working in the area, while all Methodist churches there have simultaneous revival services.

Bro. Parks received an invitation to participate in the project from the Board of Evangelism in Nashville, Tenn., and is being sponsored by First United Methodist Church here in Slaton.

## 'Mission Fair' Program Slated At Local Church

First Christian Church of Slaton will hold a "Mission Fair" on Wednesday, March 3, beginning at 7 p.m.

Each Sunday School class will have a "fair booth" depicting the various missionary enterprises in which the church is involved. The booths will include presentations on the housing development, "The Fish" program, Slaton Opportunity School, the tutoring program for slow learners, Boy Scout and Cub Scout work, and various other projects.

The Rev. Johnnie Moore, pastor, said the public was invited to attend the "Mission Fair". The opening program will start in the sanctuary at 7 p.m., followed by a supper in Fellowship Hall. Those attending will then go in small groups to each of the booths. The program should last about 1 1/2 hours, Moore said.

"Anyone interested in learning more about these programs is certainly invited to attend," the minister stated.

## TEL Class Meets

The TEL Class of the First Baptist Church met last Thursday at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Hern Pettigrew.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Fannie Patterson, Mrs. Rosa Camden gave a devotional from Psalms 35.

Sixteen members and one guest, Mrs. J. L. Cartrite, attended. A salad plate was served.

Mmes. A. T. Attnip and A. P. Wilson conducted entertainment for the meeting.

The class's next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. B. A. Hanna on March 18 at 3 p.m.

## Emil W. Lichey Rites Held

Services for Emil W. Lichey, 71, were held at 10:30 a.m. last Friday in Resthaven-Singleton-Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock. The Rev. Oscar Norris of Durant, Okla. officiated. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park, Lubbock.

A former resident of Wilson, Lichey had moved to Durant, Okla. in 1953.

He died Tuesday of last week in a Durant hospital.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle; and six sisters, Mrs. Lydia Knott of Slaton, Mrs. Phyllis Lovett of Amarillo, Calif., Mrs. Billie Neugebauer of Post, and Misses Erna and Rudy Lichey, both of Wilson.

## SUNDAY'S SERMON

### The Undeclared

There are some individuals in life more frequently visited by bad fortune than comes the way of their contemporaries, and in this group are a few who appear always able to take life in stride, without lament, without moaning, and with a bright face outward to the world.

Most of us know someone like this, some person who appears never completely defeated, who in modern-day parlance, "never quits."

If we are familiar with such a person, and know the tricks that life has played upon them, we wonder at their perseverance, at their ability to bounce back and have another go at the world. We wonder too, how deep the reservoir from which they draw the strength to carry on.

More often than not, this individual draws strength from faith, from the belief that God is in the heavens and that tomorrow is a better world. Faith is the power and the motivation. Where faith is strong, hope is never lost.

When we are tempted to quit, when it seems the fates have chosen to torment us, we should examine the strength of our personal faith and measure the goodness and blessings of life that we have known. With a proper analysis we may choose not to be completely defeated.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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J. E. Eckert, Jr.  
Bennie Olive  
Bob Conner  
Bobby Milliken  
Lois Rogers  
Lynne Brown  
Michael Respondek  
Stephen Stapleton

FEBRUARY 26  
Mrs. Wade Thompson  
Richard Fikes  
Mark Heinrich  
Mary Beth Smith  
Billy Whitehill  
Joann Burns  
R. H. Garland

FEBRUARY 27  
Mrs. Delmar Wilke  
Mrs. Hobert Limmer  
Mrs. B. C. Corley  
La Honda McCallister  
B. J. Weir  
Juan Yasaga  
Jan Hobgood  
Billy J. Weir  
Betty Smith  
Mary Jane Jackson  
Arthur Saage  
J. W. Chambers

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Ed Haddock  
Bill Ball  
Ronnie Jones  
Edgar Williams  
Don Heinrich  
Betty Ray Brown  
Joe Van Ness  
Nathan Wheeler  
LaDonna Jones  
Carolyn Boatman

## Blue and Gold Banquet Held

Cub Scout Pack 123 held their annual Blue and Gold Banquet Thursday night. The Webelos did the Welcome, Friendship and Round Dances, as they graduated Stanley Randle into the Boy Scouts. He received the Bolt of Light, which is the highest award a Webelo can receive.

Rev. Johnnie Moore, sponsoring chairman, and families of the cubs attended the banquet. Approximately 138 persons were present.

Bobcat Pins were presented to the Cub Scouts, along with other awards and David Davis and Clinton Allison were inducted into the Webelos. Joe Little taught the group to do their Indian dances.

### MARCH 1

Wayne Kenney  
Curtis Dowell  
Mrs. Lee Meurer  
Mark Haddock  
E. W. Ham  
Bill Bohannon  
Bobby Stapleton

### MARCH 2

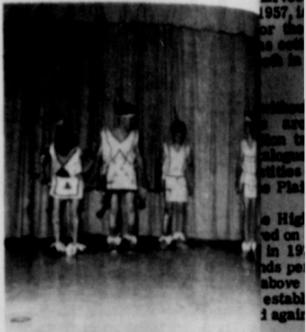
J. E. Vickers  
Gene Cromer  
Ricky Davis  
Henry Morgan  
Werner Klaus  
Larry Dean Beard

### MARCH 3

Mike Melcher  
Mike White  
William Ray Larence  
Susan Ford



STANLEY RANDLE received the Bolt of Light award from the Webelos group on Thursday night as he graduated from the program. He is the son of Stanley Randle, a former leader, and Rev. Johnnie Moore, the Pack sponsor.



THE WEBELOS DANCE in ceremony at the Blue and Gold Banquet Thursday night. Joe Little, Pack leader, and Rev. Johnnie Moore, Pack sponsor, are in the foreground.

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## The Austinites

(Written by students at Stephen F. Austin Elementary)

Chris Blevens, a student in the Texas school for the deaf visited school Friday. He is a brother of Russell and together they demonstrated sign language to two groups of fourth graders. The children thought it was very interesting. The Girl Scouts attended the

basketball game in Lubbock when the Globe Trotters played. Attending the Blue and Gold Banquet for the Scouts and their parents were Stanley Randle, David Davis and Kevin Kern. Thursday Stanley Randle was inducted into the Boy Scouts. David Davis was inducted into the Webelos.

Dwayne Clark and Doris Cubit have been absent from school due to Mumps. Jesse Gonzales went to his Uncle's funeral in California Saturday.

Lynn Webb, Lavonda Hill and Modesto Zapata had birthdays in February. Lynn's was the 22. Important people have Birthdays on the 22nd, Eh Lynn? Nora Aguilar spent the week end in Juarez, Mexico. Mattie Johnson has just returned from Lafayette, La. Where her grandfather is ill. Billy Daniel's father has recently undergone an operation on his foot.

Oscar Garcia and his family spent the weekend in Juarez, Mexico.

**PARENTS NIGHT**  
All the Austinites are preparing for "Open House" Monday the first of March from 7 to 8:30 p.m. This will be "Parents Night" and all the School invites all parents and friends to come see what the children are doing.

Mrs. Morgan's group is preparing a Unit on Texas as the 2nd is "Texas Day". Margie Gonzales attended a welcome party for John Romero Jr. Saturday. He had been in the Hospital.

Unhappy was the word for the Children who missed school on account of the snow; They had work to make up when they returned.

Kathy Thornbury spent Saturday with Kandice Martin, they had fun playing with the Outja Board.

The children in Mrs. Grochowsky's room are making a model of an Oasis. Kenny Taylor has missed several days of school on account of illness.

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# Tiger Track Team In Wolf Relays

The Slaton Tiger track team will get its first test of the season Saturday when Coach Doc Mize takes the cindermen to the annual Colorado City "Wolf Relays".

The Tiger tracksters went to Idalou for a practice session Friday with the Wildcats. No winners or team totals were listed for the practice meet, but Coach Mize stressed that the team "needs more conditioning". He added that some of the times were "pretty good for the first time out."

The list of schools entered in the Wolf Relays for Saturday was not available. All schools will compete in one division, however, with mostly Class AAA and AA teams entered.

The regional meet will be held in Lubbock April 23-24, and the state meet is set for May 7-8.

The track roster this week included Joe Johnson, Donnie Rogers, Ron Bartley, Alan Fondy, Steve Nieman, Johnny Hernandez, Benny Lopez, Willie Freeman, Ollie Rainwater, Brad Winchester, Bernard Kitten, James Conwright, Randy Davis, Jackie Ford, Tony Martin, Bruce Schuette, Mike Spear, Rodney Simmons, Ishmael Ledesma, Brad Lamb, Terry Mize, Glen Akin, Albert Alfaro, Darrell Eastman, Richard Zapala, Walter Cooper, Freddie Rainwater.

The Tiger track schedule:  
Feb. 27--Colorado City  
March 6--Idalou  
March 13--Denver City  
March 20--Hale Center  
March 27--Roosevelt  
April 2--4-AA Meet (D. City)

The Tigers have five meets scheduled before the District 4-AA track and field meet is staged at Denver City on April

## FOR GIRLS ONLY

### Little Dribblers Basketball Registration Set for Monday

Little Dribblers Basketball for girls will begin in Slaton Monday, according to Coaches Bing Bingham and Gay Benson. Registration for the program will be Monday, March 1, at 4:30 p.m. at the Slaton High School gym.

To be eligible, girls must

bring a birth certificate with them showing that they were born between Sept. 1, 1958 and Sept. 1, 1962.

The coaches plan to enter Slaton teams in the National Little Dribblers Tournament to be held in Whiteface April 22, 23 and 24th.

## Tax Man Sam

Each year the Internal Revenue Service produces one of the best sellers of all books printed--Publication 17, "Your Federal Income Tax," 1971 Edition, price 75¢. If you need more information about your 1970 income tax return, get six bits in hand and visit your nearest IRS office for a copy.

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## VB Tournament Set March 8-13

The annual volleyball tournament sponsored by the Slaton Classroom Teachers has been set for March 8, 9, 11, 12 and 13, according to Mrs. Pat Wright. She reported that a tournament had been planned at Wilson at that time, but was informed its date would be changed.

Teams are invited to enter the tournament by writing Mrs. Pat Wright, 1380 W. Lynn, Slaton. Entry deadline is March 2. Proceeds from the tournament will be used for two deserving students who plan to become teachers.



PLENTY OF ACTION--This double exposure from Friday's first-round playoff game with Clyde shows forward Marilyn Meeks getting off a shot in the foreground, and guard Debra Greenfield attempting to block a shot in the background. Scoreboard lights in background show Slaton with a 48-28 lead at that point of the action. Greenfield and Sobaida DeLeon Slaton guards, were named to the all-tourney team. (PHOTO BY STEVE NIEMAN)

## FOR TIGER CAGERS, 70-71

# Kitten Leads Scoring

Juniors Lloyd Kitten and T. W. Whitfield led the individual statistics for the Slaton Tigers in the basketball season just ended, according to figures announced this week by Coach Ken Housden.

Kitten was far out front as the leading scorer with 530 points and a 18.9 average. He was also the top man at the free-throw line, hitting 100 out of 146 attempts for a 68 percentage mark.

Whitfield was runner-up in scoring with a 13.4 average in

28 games and a total of 376 points. He was the leading rebounder, averaging better than 10 per game. Whitfield was the most accurate shooter from the field among the regulars, hitting on 45.9 percent of his shots.

Senior Paul Payne was third in scoring and was runner-up to Whitfield in rebounding. Seniors Glen Thomas and Tom Melton were fourth and fifth in the scoring column, followed by junior Darrell Eastman and senior Bradley Kitten.

The Tigers averaged 62

points a game for the season and finished with a 14-14 win-loss record for the season. Slaton had an 8-6 mark in District 4-AA action. As a team, the Tigers hit on 37.8 percent of their shots from the field and hit at a 56.5 clip from the charity line.

Individual statistics for the season - fgm-a (field goals made-attempted); ftm-a (free throws made-attempted); rb (rebounds); f (fouls); tp (total points):

PLAYER	fgm-a	ftm-a	rb	f	tp	AVG.
L. Kitten	215-573	100-146	83	68	530	18.9
Whitfield	143-311	90-169	292	77	376	13.4
Payne	70-230	52-91	261	72	192	6.9
Thomas	79-235	22-50	101	70	180	6.4
Melton	52-196	30-49	76	50	134	4.8
Eastman	40-107	25-47	72	41	105	3.7
B. Kitten	40-64	13-26	54	31	93	3.3
Conwright	34-79	21-42	86	40	89	3.1
Taylor	12-27	3-11	26	14	27	1.0
Cooper	3-8	4-4	4	8	10	.3

Due to a lack of participation, Slaton Babe Ruth League has scheduled another organizational meeting for the 1971 season. It was announced this week by J.W. Holt, president.

Only five persons attended a called meeting Tuesday night. The new meeting is set for Thursday, March 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the community room of Citizens State Bank.

All persons interested in seeing the Babe Ruth program continue to attend the meeting on March 4. Any men interested in managing or serving as a coach for one of the teams are invited to attend.

## C of C Sends 17 Youth To Conference

The Slaton Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring 17 youth to the Panhandle Youth Leadership Conference to be held at the Episcopal Church Conference Center in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday.

Goals for the conference are to create better communication between existing Panhandle Youth Organizations, to exchange ideas and to unite youth by working together to better our environment.

Earl Bartley, chamber manager, said "Hopefully, the effects of this workshop will be in evidence long after it is over."

Objectives of the workshop are to provide some means of communication, to produce several workable, organized projects that can be put into effect by combined or solitary groups, to educate the citizens of Texas via service projects, to benefit ourselves, our peers, and our communities, to publicly prove that there are concerned youth willing to do all they can in an effort to clean up the reputation of "teenagers", to pool resources and assets in order to produce effective results to projects, and to learn effective methods of project selection and preparation.

Students from Slaton High School selected to attend are Jane Webb, Tom Hargrave, Willie Freeman, Jesse Flores, Patsy Gamble, Golla Gass, Elsa Lopez, Randy Barkley, Darrell Eastman, Mike Lewis, Cathy Riney, Greg Parks, Greg Sokora, David Rodriguez, Kerl Kern, Susan Hopper and Lu Ann Fondy.

Adult sponsors from here will be Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sokora, Edwin Knight and Mrs. Joe Fondy.

## Little League Meeting Tonight

Slaton Little League Baseball officials and parents are urged to attend an organizational meeting for the new season, it was announced this week by Paul Melton, president.

The meeting has been scheduled for the Reddy Room in the Southwestern Public Service Co. office at 7 o'clock tonight (Thursday).

Melton urged all interested persons to attend the meeting. The planning session includes the election of new officers for the 1971 season.

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# SPEARMAN SPOILS STATE PLAYOFF HOPES Tigerettes 2nd in Reg

The Slaton Tigerettes' hopes for a trip to the state basketball tournament were erased by the tall and talented Spearman Lynxettes, 46-34, in the finals of the regional tourney in Lubbock Coliseum Friday night.

The region runner-up trophy was the best mark by a Slaton team since the Tigerettes went to region in 1961, only to lose to the same school in the finals.

After bowing over Clyde by 64-50 in the morning semi-finals, Slaton's scoring attack was blunted by the Lynxettes. The Tigerettes hit only 7 baskets from the field, but connected on 20 of 26 free shots to stay in the game.

Spearman put it away in the third period, scoring 20 points while holding Slaton to only 8. The fatal third quarter proved to be the margin of the game--12 points. The score was tied, 20-20, at halftime and both teams tallied six points in the final period.

Slaton landed two guards on the AA All-Tourney team -- Debra Greenfield and Sobaida DeLeon. Champion Spearman had two forwards and a guard, and Clyde had a forward on the team.

Slaton got balanced scoring

in the easy win over Clyde in the first-round game which started at 11:30 a.m. Friday. Sue Brake and JaNette Gass hit 17 points each, and Marilyn Meeks added 16. Dru Beard hit 8 points and Karla Kitten had 6 to complete the scoring.

However, in the championship contest, Meeks was the only forward in double figures as she scored 16 points. She hit four baskets and 8 of 10 free shots for the total. Brake and Gass were held to one field goal each, and both hit 6 of 8 free shots.

The Tigerettes jumped to a 21-9 lead over Clyde and held a commanding 41-18 advantage at halftime. Coach Gay Benson used her reserves some in the second half when Clyde outscored Slaton. Kathi Smith hit 31 points for Clyde and gained all-tourney honors.

Spearman's Leann Shield - knight and Sheila Patterson, both all-tourney selections, hit 24 of 18 points against the Tigerettes. Slaton held a brief lead in the second period, fell behind and then tied it up at halftime. However, Spearman raced to a 40-28 lead as the third period ended.

Spearman had taken out Coahoma, 60-38 in the first round Friday. Patterson hit 24 and Shieldknight 22 in that victory.

The loss left "Benson's Bunch" with a fine 27-6 win-loss record for the season and runners-up in region. Slaton's guards held spearman to one of its lowest totals of the season, but the Lynxettes turned the same trick on the Tigerette forwards.

The Tigerettes had a fine following in Lubbock for the two games Friday as local fans paid tribute to the SHS girls for advancing into the regional finals.



HANDS UP!--Slaton's Debra Greenfield attempted in vain to halt a shot put in the regional finals Friday at the Lubbock Coliseum. Spearman's Lynxettes used a hot third quarter victory margin.

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# Area Crop Data Reports Now Available

A concise report on results of field demonstrations and research on cotton, grain sorghum and soybeans on the South Plains is now available to area producers.

Titled "Field Crop Demonstration and Research Summary," the report contains information on demonstration and research results conducted during the last three to four years, says Dr. Robert B. Metzger, area agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, author of the publication.

The data was compiled from crop demonstrations conducted by the 20 county agricultural agents in Extension District 2 as well as from research conducted by personnel at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Lubbock.

**COTTON VARIETIES TESTED**  
The performance of 22 cotton varieties is summarized in the report, points out Metzger. Data on each variety include yield, staple length, fiber strength and micronaire. The comparative performance of these old and new varieties should serve as a guideline in variety selection, adds the agronomist.

With regard to fertilizer response on irrigated cotton, 80 pounds of nitrogen per acre produced a two-bale yield on both sandy and clay loam soils where phosphorus and potassium were adequately supplied. Eighty pounds of phosphate per acre gave excellent response where soil tests indicated a low level of phosphorus. No real response was observed from phosphorus where soil tests showed a medium or above level of the nutrient.

The need for sulfur was also studied over a four-year period. Cotton on Amarillo loam soil in Lubbock County showed no yield response nor was a significant soil pH change evident.

Dryland cotton also gave excellent response to both nitrogen and phosphorus where the two nutrients were at a low level. A yield average of 492 pounds of lint per acre was obtained with 40-40-0. Metzger points out that soil moisture is a limiting factor in containing a yield response from fertilizer. In years of above average rainfall, slightly higher rates of nitrogen may be profitable.

**SORGHUM DATA CITED**  
Turning to grain sorghum, the agronomist explains that under favorable conditions of moisture and high fertility, later maturity hybrids normally produce the highest yields. Under limited irrigation or dryland production, medium or medium late maturing hybrids often produce higher yields since they require less water.

Twenty-seven grain sorghum hybrids were evaluated in demonstrations throughout the South Plains. In addition to yield, the number of days required by each hybrid to reach 50 per cent bloom was also recorded.

Regarding fertilizer response on irrigated grain sorghum on clay loam soil, phosphorus gave significant yield increases with higher nitrogen rates. However, at lower nitrogen rates, phosphorus deficiency did not appear to limit yields.

In fine sandy loam soils, a different response was obtained, adds Metzger. Phosphorus gave a significant yield increase at all nitrogen rates, but again the greatest response occurred at the higher nitrogen rates. In fact, yields were increased 50 per cent with the addition of phosphorus over higher rates of nitrogen used alone. Potassium did not increase yields on either soil type or at any treatment rate.

On clay loam, 160-80-0 produced 7,400 pounds of grain per acre while on fine sandy loam, the same treatment produced 5,216 pounds, the top yield.

In dryland tests, 20-20-0 produced the top yield of 2,117 pounds of grain per acre. According to Metzger, fertilizer is likely to be profitable only in the sandy soils where plant nutrients are low. He recommends applying all the nitrogen and phosphorus preplant for a normal dryland yield. If additional moisture becomes available, extra nitrogen can be added.

**SOYBEAN TESTS CONDUCTED**  
In a three-year summary of soybean variety demonstrations in Hale, Floyd and Swisher counties, 10 varieties were evaluated. Maximum yields de-

pend on the proper planting time and available moisture during critical stages of growth. Yield is reduced one-half bushel per acre for each day of delay in planting after May

20. No soybean yield increases were observed from any of the various fertilizer rates, points out the agronomist. However,

the highest yields have been produced on soils known to be highly fertile. Since the crop is a legume, it has the ability to assimilate nitrogen from the atmosphere. Its extensive root

system is also capable of efficient phosphorus absorption.

"3.76 in '76," the statewide Extension program designed to increase the total agricultural income in Texas by \$1 billion by 1976. The South Plains area is expected to contribute an in-

Metzger adds that the demonstration and research data in this report is in support of

## Penny pinchin' prices +



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10-Ounce, King Size, Plus Deposit  
6 Bottle Carton  
**29¢**  
first two, thereafter, 39¢ ctn.

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**PINTO BEANS**  
4 Pound Bag  
**45¢**

**WOLF CHILI**  
Plain, No Beans  
19-Ounce Can  
**59¢**

Farmer Jones, Grade AA

**LARGE EGGS**  
Dozen  
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Boneless

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**84¢**

USDA Choice Beef, Waste Free Pound

USDA Choice Beef, Blade Cut, Chuck <b>Pot Roast</b> Pound <b>58¢</b>	USDA Choice Beef, Excellent for Roasting, BONELESS <b>Beef Brisket</b> Pound <b>98¢</b>	Lean Boston Butt Cuts, Semi-Boneless <b>Pork Steak</b> Pound <b>58¢</b>
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<b>Sirloin Steak</b> USDA Choice Beef, Valu-Trimmed Pound <b>87¢</b>		
<b>T-Bone Steak</b> USDA Choice Beef, Valu-Trimmed Pound <b>98¢</b>		
<b>All Meat Franks</b> Farmer Jones, 12-Ounce Package <b>49¢</b>		

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<p>20-Ounce Bottles <b>Ketchup</b></p> <p>303 Cans <b>Pears</b></p> <p>No. 2 1/2 Cans <b>Cut Yams</b></p> <p>46-Ounce Cans <b>Juice</b></p>	<p><b>\$1</b></p> <p><b>3 FOR</b></p>	<p>5-Ounce Cans <b>Sauce</b></p> <p>No. 300 Cans <b>Peas</b></p> <p>No. 300 Cans <b>Hominy</b></p> <p>300 Cans <b>Pork &amp; Beans</b></p>	<p><b>\$1</b></p> <p><b>8 FOR</b></p>
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