

# The Slaton Slatonite

A MEMBER OF MOST FAMILIES IN THE SLATON TRADE AREA

60th Year, No. 27

LUBBOCK COUNTY, SLATON, TEXAS

THURSDAY, April 8, 1971

10 CENTS

## Weather

(From Pioneer Nat. Gas Co.)

DATE	HI	LOW
April 7	73 est.	30
April 6	62	28
April 5	64	28
April 4	58	38
April 3	76	32
April 2	66	28
April 1	60	42

## Voters Choose Tomlinson as New Mayor



LILIES IN SEASON--Many residents in the area will be receiving Easter lilies in observance of Easter this week. Shanna Pippin, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pippin, finds happiness in showing one of the popular plants to her great-grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Gilliland, 83, who resides at Slaton Nursing Home. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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### BOX SCORE BY WARDS

	1	2	3	4	
Tomlinson	220	265	104	52	--641
Cain	137	135	60	58	--390
Diaz	5	7	29	64	--105
Tot.	362	407	193	174	TT36

## Crash Near Posey Kills Joe Grabber

Joe Grabber, a retired farmer who had been a resident of Slaton since 1922, was killed last Thursday afternoon in a two-vehicle collision two miles south of the Posey community. Services for Mr. Grabber, 88, were held at 10 a.m. Monday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church here with Msgr. Peter Morsch, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Englands. Highway Patrolman Danny Parrack said Grabber was driving north on County Road 31 and Mrs. Twallah Mote Smith, 20, of Rt. 6, Lubbock, driver of a station wagon, was traveling west on County Road 76 when the smashup occurred. The force of the collision ripped away the entire front end of Grabber's pickup, except the frame and wheels, and hurled the engine more than 10

yards from the point of impact. Mrs. Smith was treated at Mercy Hospital and officials termed her condition as satisfactory. The crash smashed in the left side of the car's passenger compartment and caused the vehicle to overturn twice, ripping away the driver's door and strewn debris for 150 feet on County Road 76 before the auto came to rest on its wheels west of the intersection.

Highway Patrolman Mike Stark said Grabber's pickup overturned once and landed on its wheels about 50 feet west of the impact point. Grabber's body landed about a yard away from the truck. The accident happened about one mile south of Grabber's home. He is survived by three sons, George of Springfield, Mo., and Fred and Francis, both of Slaton; a daughter, Mrs. Louise Rose of Amarillo; three sisters, Mrs. Rose Williams of Palm Springs, Fla., and Mrs. Lizzie Hasebain and Mrs. Veronica Warnkey, both of Cullman, Ala.; a brother, Ben Grabber of Cullman; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

## Tryouts Slated In Little League Starting Monday

The Slaton Little League Baseball program had held registration and tryouts are starting next week, with more than 160 boys already signed up. Little League is for boys in the 8-12 age group. The league expects to have six major league teams, four minor league teams, and four pee wee teams again this year. Little League tryouts start Monday, with 12 and 11-year-olds scheduled to report at 5 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at Little League Park. Next Wednesday and Thursday, 10 and 9-year-olds report at 5 p.m. each day at Little League Park. Thursday only, next week, will be the day for 8-year-olds at 5 p.m. in Pee Wee Park. All boys should report with a fielder's glove and Little League baseball shoes. They should also have their registration number on their shirts. Boys must attend tryouts at least one day to be eligible for major league teams. Late registrations for boys in the program are being held at Quality Cleaners and Clark Insurance today and Friday. All boys who are signed up and make the tryouts should report to Little League Park at 5:30 p.m. on April 17 for assignment to teams.

## 'Tonka' Shows At Slaton High

Slaton's Explorer Post will sponsor the showing of a Walt Disney movie, "Tonka", Friday and Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the Slaton High School Auditorium. The public is invited to attend. Admission will be \$1.00 per person. The Post had planned to show the film last week but did not receive the film in time. The film has arrived and the boys are hoping they will have a good attendance this week. Proceeds from the movie will be used for members of the Post to tour the Department of Public Safety Academy in Austin this summer. President of the Post is Brad Winchester. The Post is sponsored by the Slaton Police Department and Gene Noble and Fred Clark are adult sponsors for the group.

## More Baseball Players Needed

Registration for Babe Ruth baseball in Slaton is still being conducted this week, it was announced by player agent Ronney Jones. Boys in the 13-15 age bracket, who were unable to sign up last week and desire to participate, should contact Jones at Citizens State Bank. The league had only 34 boys sign up on the first night of registrations, announced J.W. Holt, president. The league usually has five teams with some 75 boys participating. Tryouts are scheduled April 15-16.

## Citizens' Group Named To Study Hospital Crisis

An immediate study has been launched in Slaton by a citizen's group to explore possible solutions in keeping Mercy Hospital operating here, it was announced this week by J. C. McClesky, Chamber of Commerce president. Hospital officials announced last week that the "Sisters of Mercy no longer have the resources nor the personnel to update hospital facilities or make a long-range commitment to the community."

Hospital officials indicated that the facility "might have to close in the near future unless citizens of the community and area came to its rescue. In a joint meeting of C of C directors and the Mercy Hospital Advisory Board Monday, each group appointed three men to serve on a study committee. Appointed from the Chamber board were Don Kendrick, Bill Adams and Robert H. Davis. Howard Hoffman, chairman of the citizens' hospital advisory group, appointed Vaskar Browning, M. G. Davis and Joe Walker Jr. to serve on the study group. The six - man steering committee was expected to meet this week and start seeking recommendations for retaining the hospital in the community. One of the first moves planned by the study group is to meet with the Lubbock County Hospital District to determine its interest and concern in the situation. Hospital officials had outlined their situation and problems to the advisory board and to Chamber directors in two meetings last week. They requested the groups to "explore the possibility of the community assuming operation of the hospital, with the idea of the Sisters of Mercy remaining as long as possible."

An evaluation team from St. Louis, Mo., had visited here and reviewed the hospital's problems. They estimated a minimum of \$50,000 would be required to bring the hospital up to state and federal requirements. Due to a shortage of resources and a lack of young nurses entering the order, they explained the Sisters could not assume a large indebtedness. The main physical requirements at the hospital now include installation of fireproof doors, a sprinkler system for fire safety, and a new fire escape to accommodate litter patients.

After the certification of votes Monday morning, Mayor Tomlinson and commissioner Clark had a "briefing session" with Dr. Hughes, commissioners Otis Neill and George Quintero, and City Sec. Alex Webb. The new officers were given a brief outline of the city's goals and programs at the "changing of the guard."

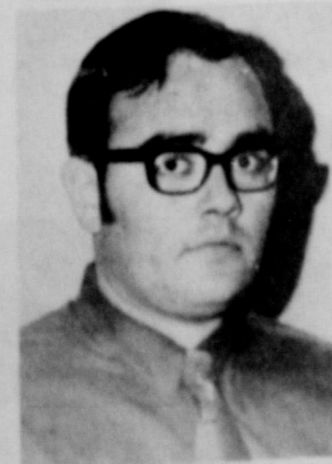
The Slaton School Board will canvass votes prior to its regular meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. Votes will be certified and the board will undergo its annual re-organization. Kendrick is the current board president. He said the board had a lengthy agenda Tuesday night, with several groups scheduled to appear at the meeting.

## Slatonite Adds Staff Member

A former Slaton resident, Ken L. Romines, has been employed by THE SLATONITE as an advertising salesman and feature writer, it was announced this week by publisher O. C. Nieman. Romines, 24, recently received his discharge from the U.S. Air Force and is continuing his college studies at Texas Tech. He and his wife, the former Patsy Harvey of Lubbock, have a daughter, Traci Dawn, 16 months old. Romines is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Romines, former Slaton residents who now live in Austin. Ken was born in Slaton and graduated from Slaton High in 1965. He attended Wayland College and Midwestern University before joining the Air Force. While in the Air Force four years, Romines served at Amarillo, Chanute, Ill., and Wichita Falls.

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## Youth Solos Glider On 14th Birthday

David Evans lost his shirt-tail Monday, and it was just what he wanted for his 14th birthday! He lost his shirt-tail Monday morning because he had just completed his solo in a glider. And, most everyone knows that the whacking off of the shirt-tail is a tradition when a man makes the first trip into the airways alone. David, an eighth grader at Slaton Junior High, had been up about 10 times with his co-pilot father, Roger Evans, but he had to wait for his 14th birthday before being eligible for the solo. The minimum is 16 on airplanes. The only problem for the 70-pound glider pilot was getting enough weight in the craft for balance. Minimum weight is 140 pounds, so he had to have 70 added pounds of weight placed in the glider. "I could only stay up 10 or 15 minutes since there were no good thermals to gain altitude with," said the beaming David. After cutting loose from the tow plane -- piloted by Slaton Flying Service instructor Mike Carlton, David glided around the area of the municipal airport for a while, then brought the craft down on the runway for a smooth landing. Interested spectators included his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Evans, and a younger brother, Danny, 12. Roger is manager of the Slaton Municipal Airport and associated with his brother and father in Slaton Flying Service. Ford Rinne, "dean" of the pilots who have soloed at Slaton Municipal, claimed the privilege of cutting off David's shirt-tail. What did David do after the ceremony? Well, he went up again for an encore, naturally!



BIRTHDAY PARTY--It was a birthday party for David Evans when he lost his shirt-tail Monday morning at Slaton Municipal Airport after soloing a glider. The 14-year-old youth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Evans. Ford Rinne clipped off the youth's shirt-tail while his uncle Robert Evans, left, and instructor Mike Carlton watched. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

to Sell Tickets

Club will again handle for the Coaches' All-time at Lubbock this year, week by president Arvin... orders for the tickets and... said the purchase of... as soon as possible... the best seats available... orders for the tickets... number of Slaton fans... close to the 40-yard... Lions of District... of the game along with... of commerce... be taken here at Lasater... Southwestern Public Ser... and Bownds Body Shop... receipt for the number of... by each individual, and... as soon as they are bought... tickets are \$7 each... were announced at the... meeting Monday... Farmer was guest speaker... cited his officers for ap... burglars since January... appreciation to Lions... for their support of the... praise for young high... are now participating in... formed by the police de... to questions about police... said he hopes that "im... jail, or a new jail facility... bed sometime in the near...

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### Behlen to Play Dulcimer in Lubbock

Stinson R. Behlen, the Texas renown dulcimer luthier from Slaton, will present a special two-hour workshop and seminar on the Southern Highland Dulcimers and auto-harp for Texas Tech University music department on April 15 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

On the night of April 16, he will present a dulcimer folk music concert to the Texas and National Federated Music Club members at 2414 33rd St., Lubbock.

### Tea Introduces Bride-elect of Joe Wayne Fondy

Miss Mickie Taylor, bride-elect of Joe Wayne Fondy, was honored at an introductory tea Sunday afternoon from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Glen Payne.

Special guests were mothers of the couple, Mrs. Joe B. Fondy of Slaton and Mrs. Joe Taylor of Post, and his grandmothers, Mrs. J. M. Fondy Sr. of Amarillo and Mrs. H. Perkins of Slaton.

Members of the houseparty included Mmes. John Fondy,

Bob Fondy, L. W. Perkins, Brannon Busby, David Hughes, Clark Self Jr. and Misses Linda and Debbie Robison and Judy Fondy.

LuAnn Fondy played piano selections throughout the afternoon.

The refreshment table was laid with a pink cloth centered with an arrangement of pink and white. Silver appointments were used.

The couple's wedding date has been set for May 21 in the First Baptist Church at Post.

### Todd Shower In Holt Home

Miss Carol Todd of Waco and formerly of Slaton, bride-elect of David Horner, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. LeRoy Holt.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. R. H. Todd, Jr., mother of the honoree, Miss Todd, Mrs. Needham Horner of Uvalde, mother of the prospective bridegroom, and Mrs. M. L. Turnbow, grandmother of the honoree.

The refreshment table was laid with a pink and silver cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and baby's breath in a silver hurricane centerpiece.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Cecil Scott, Earl Reasoner, J. S. Edwards, LeRoy Holt, Stan Jaynes, Carter Caldwell, Howard Hoffman, and Max Arrants.

Others were Mmes. E. R. Legg, John Morris, Bruce Pember, Leland Scott, M. J. McSween and Jimmie Jean Edwards.

The couple plans to wed June 12 in Waco.



MRS. BYRON JOHNSON ... Robbie Martin

### Johnson-Martin Vows Read In Dallas

Wedding vows for Miss Roberta (Robbie) Martin and 2nd Lt. Byron Edward Johnson were read at 8 p.m. Saturday in St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church in Dallas. The Rev. C. V. Westapher, minister, officiated the double ring ceremony.

with a Bachelor of Business Administration in Finance.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. R. B. Martin and the late Mr. Martin. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron E. Johnson of Lubbock.

Given in marriage by her brother, John P. Martin, the bride wore a formal gown of white peau de'ange lace over white de sole, featuring a high banded neckline and bishop sleeves. Her chapel length train flowed in a fan.

She carried a nosegay of white carnations backed with white satin cap was trimmed with pearl and beaded leaves and covered a fingertip veil.

Mrs. William R. Elder, sister of the groom, served as matron of honor. Mrs. John Martin served as bridesmatron. They wore pale gold crepe formal gowns featuring empire waistlines and moss green velvet streamers. They carried nosegays of yellow, green and blue. Their headpieces were green and gold velvet rings with gold net veils.

William Elder of Kansas City served his brother-in-law as best man. Mackey Hancock of Seminole served as groomsmen. Ushers were Jim Wood, Chris Harris and Porter Burns.

Paul Thomas of Dallas played selections on the organ. Following a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will be making their home in Baumholder, Germany, where Johnson is stationed in the Army.

The bride is a graduate of Highland Park High School and Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education.

Johnson is a 1966 graduate of Slaton High School, and a 1970 graduate of Texas Tech

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PERSONAL Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Neva Burns were her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. George Leverett, Mrs. LaDean Gray, Randy and Karon, all of Hobbs, N.M. and Mrs. Burn's daughter and her children, Mrs. Georgia Caruthers, Jan and Gina, of Leveland.

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4-5-71-- Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Gomez, 1200 S. 5th, Slaton, a girl, Velia, 8 lbs., 7 ozs.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williamson, 725 S. 11th, are the parents of a son, Brian Drew, 8 lbs., 5 1/2 ozs, born March 25 in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williamson, all of Slaton.

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### Nursing Home News

BY BOBBIE GREER Well, another week and all is well with our residents. Everyone seems to be okay today.

We had crafts last Thursday. Jeffy Dowell and Helen Dunn helped us. We appreciate Jeffy and Helen. We haven't had our crafts in quite a while so it will take time to get back in the swing of it. With Easter coming up we haven't got to work with our auction sale much. Please don't forget it. We are going to need a lot of help with it. Some are already making gifts for us to sell. Wouldn't you like to have a part in this? Any gifts would be appreciated so plan what you would like to donate to the nursing home. We would like to have a lot of things to sale. We would like to have a good of a sale as we had last year. We used the money from the sales for our parties and crafts for the year. The money was used to make our residents happy. These residents are important to us. They are our people and we appreciate our friends and their families very much. We can make the home as nice a place to live as we can but you add the extra bit of love and joy that we can not fulfill. And I would like to say that Slaton is a very good town because the people care for each other.

Sunday afternoon worship service was conducted by Rev. J. L. Cartrite with Carter Caldwell leading the singing.

Two of our favorite people were here yesterday, Charlene Webb and Gladys Brock. They come each month for us. We love these girls.

Our new Administrator, Vada Wojtek, went to Robert Lee and reports it is very dry. She says the sand is almost to the top of the fence post.

Bigam Tumlinson is still in Mercy Hospital. We hope he will be back with us soon.

We have two new residents, Bennie Williams and Vera Lee Woods. We would like to welcome them to our home.

PERSONAL Mrs. Sparky Stephens and son Billy visited four days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis and Randy. They all attended the district track meet Friday in Denver City.

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### Hamilton-McCuisin Reads Friday Evening

A ceremony at 7 p.m. Friday in St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock united in marriage Miss Roxann McCuisin and Hamilton.

### Mrs. Buxkemper Is Honored With Shower

A Get Acquainted Shower was held Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall honoring Mrs. Donald Buxkemper, the former Miss Sara Ann Fancher of Houston.

Greeting guests were the honoree, the groom's mother Mrs. Raymond Buxkemper, and his grandmothers, Mrs. Ed Buxkemper and Mrs. William Behlen.

The refreshment table was covered with a white lace cloth over lime green. A floral arrangement of green and white featuring white candles centered the table. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Susan Kahlich and Arlene Buxkemper presided at the registration book. Linda Kahlich and Mrs. Jerry Hutchens served punch and coffee.

Approximately 50 guests registered.

Hostess gift was a blender. Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Monroe Buxkemper, C. J. Buxkemper, L. J. Kahlich, Guy Wall, Landis Franke, Florence Strube, Paul Meurer, A.A. Wimmer, W. O. Heinrich, Stinson Behlen, and Jerry Hutchens.

Others were Mmes. Len Dodson, Alvin Buxkemper, Paul Buxkemper, Charles Schniers, John Franke, Rudy Schwertner, Hubert Schwertner, Edward Brosch, Albert Kuss, A. A. Denzer, C. O. Buxkemper, Oscar Buxkemper, Ed Buxkemper, Ronnie Schilling and Milton Pivonka.

The couple was married Jan. 22 in Houston and are now at home at 1150 W. Lynn in Slaton.

### VFW Auxiliary News Report

Members of the V.F.W. Auxiliary are urged to attend the regular business meeting to be held Monday night at 8 p.m. in the Post home.

Mrs. Leona Lamb, president, urges everyone to take old costume jewelry and especially beads of any kind with them to the meeting. The auxiliary needs them for a worthy cause and these plans will be discussed at the meeting.

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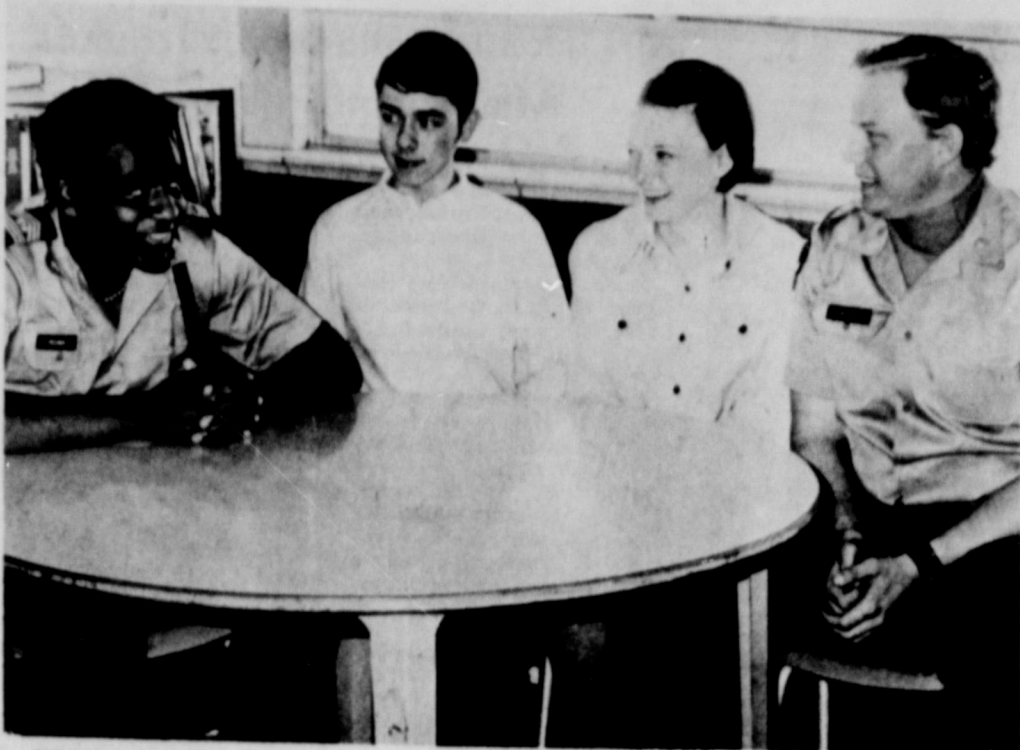
## Election Of Officers Slated

Election of officers will be  
the program for the May 3 meet-  
ing of the Catholic Daughters.

The group met in regular  
session Monday in St. Joseph  
Hall with Regent, Mrs. A. A.  
Wimmer, presiding. All mem-  
bers are urged to attend the  
District Meeting of the CDA in  
Lubbock April 25.

Chaplain, Msgr. Morscha,  
spoke briefly to the group, and  
refreshments were served to  
twenty-two members. Mrs.  
Henry Adamek was recipient  
of the door prize.

Following the meeting, mem-  
bers displayed clothes that they  
had sewed.



**YOUTH CHAMBER LEADERS**—These four Slaton High students were recently elected as officers of the newly-formed Youth Chamber of Commerce Club. Left to right are Willie Freeman, president; Randy Barkley, treasurer; Patsy Gamble, secretary; and Tommy Hargraves, vice president. The club hopes to promote civic activities, along with advancing communications between youth and adults. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Youth C of C Names Chairmen

Officers have been elected  
for the recently organized Youth  
Chamber of Commerce and the  
organization has now grown to  
195 members. Officers are  
Willie Freeman, president;  
Tom Hargraves, vice-presi-  
dent; Patsy Gamble, secretary;  
and Randy Barkley, treasurer.  
Chairmen of various com-  
mittees of the Youth Chamber  
are: beautification -- Cathy  
Riney; publicity -- Patsy Gam-  
ble and Darrell Eastman; Tig-  
er Town -- Greg Sokora and  
Greg Parks; membership --  
Susan Hopper; ecology -- Jane  
Webb; sounding board -- Willie  
Freeman; welcoming com-  
mittee -- Tom Hargrave and  
special events -- Lu Ann Fondy  
and Randy Barkley.

## Engagements

### Couple Sets Wedding Date



REE DOYLE

The engagement of Miss  
Ree Doyle and Terry Wilson  
has been announced by her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho L.  
Doyle of Slaton.

Wilson is the son of Mrs.  
Paul Padgett of Littlefield.

The couple plans to marry  
June 4 in Woodrow Baptist  
Church.

Miss Doyle is presently at-  
tending Cooper High School.

Wilson is a 1969 graduate of  
Levelland High School. He is  
attending South Plains Junior  
College, and is employed by  
United Super Market in Level-  
land.

### Senior Citizens Club Meets

Thirty-three members and  
three visitors were at the Club  
House Friday for the Senior  
Citizens day of pleasure. Mrs.  
Fannie Patterson presided and  
Chaplain Sexton led the opening  
prayer.

Rev. Raymond Tomlin, pastor  
of the Church of God, intro-  
duced the speaker for the day,  
Rev. Cliff Taylor Jr., who has  
been conducting a revival here.

His scripture was taken from  
Matthew 4, "Jesus' temptat-  
ions".

Mrs. Alvin White led the  
group in singing, while Mrs.  
Anna Bell Tucker played the  
piano.

Visitors for the noon meal  
included Taylor, Rev. and Mrs.  
Tomlin, and Mrs. George Lev-  
erett of Hobbs, N.M. Mrs. Lev-  
erett was visiting with her sis-  
ter-in-law, Mrs. Neva Burns.

One new member, D. R. Pat-  
terson, joined the club.

ITEM: Embroidery and butter-  
flies, decorative motifs in women's  
spring wardrobes, are also being  
used in spring novelty curtains.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants  
announce the engagement and  
approaching marriage of their  
daughter, Beverly, to Bennie  
A. Bloxom, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
C. B. Bloxom of Slaton.

The couple has made wedding  
plans for July 3 in the First  
United Methodist Church in  
Slaton.

Miss Arrants is a graduate  
of Slaton High School, has at-  
tended Arlington State and LCC,  
and is employed by B. & M.  
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noodles  
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1/2 cup diced pimiento  
1/2 cup buttered bread crumbs  
1/2 cup celery and onion in  
shortening until tender. Blend  
in soup and milk. Add remain-  
ing ingredients, except bread  
crumbs. Pour into two 1 1/2  
quart casseroles. Sprinkle  
crumbs on top. Bake in a 375°  
F oven 45 minutes or until  
bubbling and brown. 10 serv-  
ings. 1 cup each.

**APRIL 8**  
Kathy Eblen  
Mrs. William Grabber  
David Parker  
Mary Frances Browning  
Mrs. Rush Wheeler  
Mrs. Bruce Pember  
Jeffery Jones  
JoAnn Fields  
Mrs. Ora Mae Cox  
**APRIL 9**  
Bradley Rogers  
Mrs. Joyce Lester  
Brent Davis  
Ray Earl Rowan  
Fred Tudor  
**APRIL 10**  
Mrs. R. L. Montgomery  
Lucille Harbin  
Mrs. Ernie Davis  
Jo Edna Smith  
Martha Hightower  
Marilyn Walter  
Bobby G. Jones  
Dan Siewert  
Joe Wicker  
Elena Paschall  
Clara Lewis Jr.

**APRIL 11**  
Virgil Jones  
Betty Sue Tune  
Billy Clay Tune  
Joyce Campbell  
Wayne Latham  
Roby Hartman  
Jeffrey Martin  
**APRIL 12**  
W. A. Sikes, Jr.  
Evelyn Park  
Benny Sides  
Hud Willis  
Jo Delaney  
Merle King  
James Lott  
Mary Hart  
Mrs. R. W. Scott  
Sam Phillips

**APRIL 13**  
Earl Eblen  
Webber Williams  
Bob Kitten  
Johnny Melcher  
**APRIL 14**  
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**Students To Tour Library**  
The monthly Storytime Hour  
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Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr., chairman  
of the program, was in charge  
of activities which included  
film strips, "The Donkey",  
"Miller and Son" and "Old  
Lady and her Pig". Mrs. Tim  
Bourn and Mrs. Ted Melugin  
assisted with storytelling.  
Children attending were Lisa,  
Shella and Tammi Cate, Janice  
Hitt, Julie and Lisa Hall, Tracy  
Howell, Zandra Thorn, Shelley  
Parker, Tammie Gunnells,  
Cherry Baggerly, Arron Pippin,  
all of Slaton, and Mitchell Bar-  
tley of Wilson. Easter eggs were  
given to the children as they  
checked out books on departure.  
The next Storytime Hour will  
be held May 1. The program  
is held the first Saturday of  
each month, and is sponsored  
by the Friends Club.  
Dues sent for The Friends  
Club membership fund, most  
recently were from M. D. Geer,  
the Slaton Lions Club and LSB  
of SF & E.  
Miss Janet Gossett, SHS sen-  
ior, will represent Slaton as a  
judge in the Book Jacket con-  
test sponsored by the Friends  
of the Lubbock City - County  
Libraries. The deadline for en-  
tries to be submitted was April  
6. Students in grades 1-9 will  
be notified if they are winners,  
and enjoy a party April 23,  
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## Former Slaton Resident, Son, Auto-Train Crash Victims

Services for Jack Crowther, 40, former Slaton resident, and his son Carl, 16, were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church, Shallowater, with Rev. Max Browning, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

The father and son were killed Friday in a van-train accident in Shallowater.

Crowther was dead on arrival at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, and Carl was pronounced dead at the scene by Jessie Lee Vance, justice of the peace.

Witnesses said the 52 car train was traveling through Shallowater for Floydada when it was in collision with the Crowther mini-bus.

Crowther was a former resident of Slaton and was graduated from Plainview High School. He was a veteran of the US Air Force. He was employed at Reese AFB as fire inspector. He had lived in Shallowater 14 years.

His son was a sophomore at Shallowater High School and

a member of the Shallowater Future Farmers of America.

Survivors include the immediate family, Mrs. Rutha Crowther and two children, Lynn and Debra, both of the home.

Carl's survivors are his grandparents, Dave Crowther of Plainview and Mrs. Willa Mae Thompson of Shallowater.

Crowther's survivors are his father, Dave Crowther; two sisters, Mrs. Roland Zeigler of Plainview and Mrs. Carl Merritt-wether of Ruidoso, N.M., and a brother, Neal, of Alabama.

### SUNDAY'S SERMON

**Faith and Courage**

Look about you in this world and you will soon discover that no one has a patent on trouble or misfortune. We are all subject to the pitfalls of life.

We need, also, to avoid foolish comparison. When trouble comes, let us not look to God and say, "Why me?" Instead, let us ask for the strength to endure, for the courage to carry on. Let us remember that God does not pick and choose individuals for special favors, nor does God turn away and forget those in trouble. God is with us always, not offering a miracle, but as a never-ending source of that needed faith and courage.

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**I AM THE PERSON WHO DID NOT WORSHIP LAST WEEK**

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**Rufus**

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Wednesday Evening Services 7:30

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Sunday School 9:45  
Morning Worship 10:40

## Cagle Services Held Sunday

M. E. "Shorty" Cagle, 46, was pronounced dead on arrival Saturday at a Sweet-water hospital after an apparent heart attack. Services were held Sunday at 2:30 in Westview Baptist Church with Rev. Clinton Eastman, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

A resident of Slaton since 1948, Cagle was an employee of the Santa Fe Railroad and was a WW II Naval veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Frances; a daughter, Susan of the home; his mother, Mrs. M. A. Cagle of Slaton; a brother, Floyd Cagle of Grants N.M.; and two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Coley of Dallas and Mrs. Glenna Rakes of Tulsa.

## James L. Allred Rites Saturday

Services for James L. Allred, former Slaton resident, were held at 2:30 Saturday in the Resthaven Singleton-Wilson Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock.

Rev. B. H. Kendrick pastor of idlaw's First Baptist Church and Bob Hoover, minister of Lubbock Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Allred, 65, died early Thursday in the Veterans Administration Hospital at Big Springs following a lengthy illness. He was a retired plumbing inspector for the City of Lubbock.

Born in the Indian Territory at Robber's Roost, Allred lived 24 years in Slaton, where he owned and operated Allred Plumbing Co. He moved to Lubbock in 1959 and was employed by the city 16 years. He had also lived at Munday, Plainview and Sagerton.

He attended business college in Bowie and was a veteran of WW II. He was a member of the American Legion.

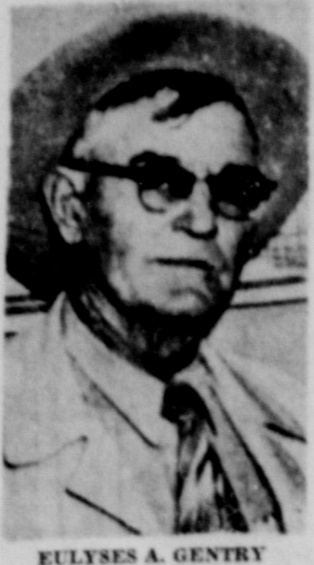
Survivors include his wife, Naomi; four daughters, Mrs. Homer Maddox of Lubbock, Mrs. Clarence Kirby of California, Mrs. Holly Sims of Lubbock and Mrs. Donald Basinger of Post; three sons, James N. of Rt. 1, Lubbock, James V. of 5000 Juneau, and Roy Stanley of Rt. 1, Slaton; two sisters, Mrs. O. L. Bowman of Henrietta and Mrs. W. J. Simpkins of 603 Chicago Ave., and 20 grandchildren.

## Slaton Woman's Brother Dies

Charles M. Wartes, 93, brother of Mrs. C. R. Reasoner of Slaton, died about noon Friday in Granbury. Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church of Lipan. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Wartes, who was a deputy sheriff in Cochran County for several years, moved to Lipan about 20 years ago.

Survivors include his wife, Della; four sons, W. O. of Lubbock, T. A. of Brownfield, Grady and A. J. both of Lipan; a step son Virgil Stalling of Fort Worth; three daughters, Mrs. Lorene Lynn of Lubbock, Mrs. Irene Rush of Gladewater and Mrs. Aileen Key of Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. Reasoner; 21 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.



EULYSES A. GENTRY

## Eulyses Gentry Services Friday

Services for Eulyses A. Gentry, 80, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Sanders Memorial Chapel with Rev. W. F. Ferguson of Lubbock officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery in Slaton.

Gentry, longtime Slaton chief of police, died Thursday in a Lubbock rest home.

A native of Rover, Tenn., Gentry had been a Lubbock County resident since 1919, and during most of that time he resided in Slaton.

Survivors include four sons, Claude of Lubbock, Dorsey of Edgewood, Tommie of Gallup, N.M., and George of Hugoton, Kan.; a daughter, Mrs. Betty Oats of Dallas; a brother, R.R. Gentry of Slaton; three sisters, Mrs. Mizzie Shelton of Slaton, Mrs. Mattie Joplin of Brownfield and Mrs. Lizzie Harris of Brownwood; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were: Joe Joplin, Lewis Joplin, Truman, Shelton, Jimmy Vaughn, Leon Herrin, and Stanley Ratliff.

Country's oldest oil company was founded in Massachusetts in 1812. At first it sold whale oil which was widely used as a lighting fuel.

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## Mrs. Flossie Bohannon Succumbs After Lengthy Illness

Mrs. Flossie V. Bohannon, 68, a former Slaton resident, died Sunday in a Grand Prairie hospital after an illness of several months.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Frazar Mortuary Chapel in Arlington with Rev. John Pratt Sr. officiating.

Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) in Thomas City Cemetery at Thomas, Okla.

Mrs. Bohannon had taught 11 years at West Ward Elementary School here and lived at 800 E. Lubbock St., before her retirement three years ago.

She moved to Grand Prairie in 1970.

Mrs. Bohannon was a member of the Assembly of God Church in Grand Prairie and a native of Oakwood, Okla.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Imogene C. Gaden of Selling, Okla., Mrs. Doris A. Baker of Broken Bow, Okla., and Mrs. Kathleen Skipper of Grand Prairie; a son, John W. Gum of Grand Prairie; two stepsons, Chester Bohannon of Odessa and Alan Bohannon of Oregon; two sisters, Mrs. Isabel Fullerlove of Nebraska, and Mrs. Florence Fielder of Selling; two brothers, M. E. Collins of Arlington and James E. Collins of California; 15 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

## Marvin Thomas' Rites

Marvin Thomas, 71, a resident of the Roosevelt community, died about 8:30 p.m. Tuesday in Mercy Hospital following a brief illness.

Services will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. in the Slaton Church of Christ with Kenneth Burnett, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englands.

A native of Parker County, Thomas moved to his area in the early 1920s. He had farmed until his retirement four years ago.

He is survived by his wife,

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TO THOSE WHO OPPOSED MY ELECTION, AS WELL AS MY FRIENDS, I RENEW MY PLEDGE TO DO THE BEST JOB I POSSIBLY CAN FOR EVERY CITIZEN OF SLATON.

BLAND TOMLINSON

## Attend The Church of Your Choice Sunday

RELIGION IS NOW

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"Woe to thee, O land, when thy king is a child, and thy princes eat in the morning!" —Ecclesiastes 10:16

This quotation from the Bible is interpreted to mean there is seldom peace in politics because of deceit and self interest. Politics, without principle, is a major sin, whether it occurs at national, state, county, city or precinct level. Without principle, there is self-interest in government and inadequate attention to the needs and the will of the people. There is, of course, treachery in politics and government, as there is in business, in life. It cannot survive, however, when people care enough to be concerned, to express their will, and to support politicians and leaders dedicated to serving the common good. Politics and government are subject to the will of the people—and the people should never be indifferent to this reality.

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|   |   | POSEY IMMANUEL LUTHERAN<br>Rev. Richard Owens  |   |



# Baptist Sets April 11-18

Warlick surrendered to God's will at the age of 17. He accepted his first pastorate at the age 18. He is married and has two children. He is in his fourth year as Staff Evangelist of the First Baptist Church, Seminole.

Warlick attended Howard Payne College in Brownwood and graduated from Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, while at Howard Payne, he played on the varsity football team two years before entering full-time pastorate.

He has not only been active in revivals, but also in youth camps, Royal Ambassador Camps and Youth Retreats. Last summer he preached an evangelistic crusade in Japan.

In January of 1969, Warlick underwent a successful surgery for a malignant brain tumor. The doctors realized that there was a strong possibility that he would never preach again and that his right side would be paralyzed. God had not completed His work through Warlick and there are no ill effects. He gives God the total praise and glory.

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

## Easter Egg Hunt

Triumph Baptist Church will sponsor a city-wide Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon at 5 p.m. It will be held in the 900 block between New Mexico and Oklahoma Streets in Slaton.

Church officials in charge of the event include Mable Willis, Pearlle Franklin, Jesse Gibbs and M. A. Brown, pastor.

## Thank You

Sincerely thank my friends and neighbors for your support during the city commissioner's campaign.

R. J. Clark

# HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

BY VERN SANFORD

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex.--Gov. Preston Smith has called on President Nixon to declare 60 Texas counties eligible for drought disaster relief and requested initial allocation of \$5 million in federal aid.

All the counties, said Smith, received less than 1.5 inches of accumulated rainfall in the past six months, creating a critical drought condition which adversely affects ranches, farms, dairies, businesses and employment throughout the entire state.

Smith said he would not call for emergency disaster legislation from the state legislature because of the "extremely critical" state financial problem. State and local health, employment, agriculture, and welfare agencies, the Governor stated, are performing emergency disaster duties as required.

Governor asked an initial allocation of \$5 million. In addition, he urged that the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Department of Labor, Health, Education and Welfare and Small Business Administration representatives be assigned to counties to collaborate with state and local officials in inspections, cost estimates and technical guidance.

Texas counties included in the request (others may be added), ranging from the tip of South Texas to the top of the Panhandle, are:

Armstrong, Aransas, Atascosa, Bandera, Bee, Bexar, Blanco, Brooks, Burnet, Caldwell, Cameron, Carson, Childress, Coke, Comal, Cottle, DeWitt, Dickens, Duval, Uvalde, El Paso, Frio, Garza, Gillespie, Goliad, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Hutchinson, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Karnes, Kendall, Kenedy, Kent, Kerr, Kimble, King, Kleberg, Dimmit, LaSalle, Lipscomb, Live Oak, McMullen, Medina, Nueces, Oldham, Potter;

Refugio, San Patricio, Schleicher, Starr, Stonewall, Swisher, Val Verde, Webb, Willacy, Wilson, Zapata and Zavala.

WELFARE CUT ADVERTISED -- Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes announced a way has been found to prevent the sharp cut on May 1 in aid to needy families with dependent children.

Legislation has been introduced to permit the Welfare Department to transfer and spend for AFDC necessary

sums not to exceed \$6.8 million for the rest of this fiscal year ending August 31.

Barnes said about \$5 million is available in a contingency fund of the Welfare Department, and an additional \$1 million or more will come from federal matching money.

A comptroller's office representative said there is no question but what funds can be used to avert the scheduled AFDC reduction. Welfare Board on March 22 ordered the May cut which would bring the average AFDC family grant down from \$118 a month to \$80 and eliminate some 4,500 families from the rolls entirely.

COURTS SPEAK -- Third Court of Civil Appeals here ruled that welfare applicants who are turned down by the Welfare Department for aid have no right to appeal to state courts since assistance is not a "vested property right."

AG OPINIONS -- A compact of water districts and river authorities may act for the state in getting \$40 million in federal funds which the state might otherwise lose for 1970-71, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that: "An independent school district may solicit bids from class ring manufacturers and grant exclusive privilege to one such manufacturer to service voluntary student purchases of rings. Whether grant can extend for five years is a question before federal courts."

"Section of a bill pertaining to abandonment of mineral estate without notice or hearing is unconstitutional, but balance of legislation is not."

TRAFFIC TOLL -- Governor Smith expressed "deep concern and disappointment" over the 1970 Texas traffic toll.

Smith noted an increase of nine in fatalities -- a rise to 3560 in 1970 -- over 1969 and an economic loss toll over \$1 billion.

Governor said his only encouragement is that, with nearly 500,000 more drivers and a billion more miles traveled over the preceding year, the official death rate per-mile-traveled remained the same as 1969.

Smith pledged aid through news campaigns and called for public support of legislation, police concentration on traffic offenses and forceful treatment

of violators by judges.

SCHOOL SANCTIONS URGED -- Texas Classroom Teachers Association's professional rights and responsibilities commission will recommend to the TCTA executive board that sanctions be invoked against Crystal City Independent School District.

If sanctions are ordered, state and national accrediting agencies will be notified of unsatisfactory conditions for both students and teachers in the district. Teachers will be encouraged not to accept employment in the school system. Some eight or nine teachers will not be rehired there, according to a TCTA attorney after an investigation.

TRAVEL GUIDE OUT -- Texas looks better than ever, boasts the new "Texas, Land of Contrast," travel guide just released by the Texas Highway Department.

Combining tourist information about 371 cities and towns, the 200-page publication also lists state parks, major lakes, national forests, national recreation areas, Big Bend National Park, Padre Island, National Seashore, campground guide and basic hunting and fishing facts.

Book will be distributed at highway department tourist bureaus and by mail in response to out-of-state inquiries. It contains nearly 4,000 items of tourist and travel information and 400 color photographs.

SHORT SNORTS -- Tax bill is due to be reported back to the Senate state Affairs Committee by a sub-panel on the return from the Legislature's Easter holidays. House Redistricting Committee conducted a round of conferences with congressmen in Washington.

Senate quickly voted a resolution urging the pardon for Lt. William L. Calley Jr., sentenced to life imprisonment for the 1968 My Lai slayings.

House set up a general investigating committee and asked state agencies to aid in gathering data about the Sharpstown Bank collapse and the federal agency's enjoining of the National Bankers Life Insurance Co.

An early House vote is seen on the liquor-by-the-drink bill.

# Methodists Begin Revival Sunday

The First United Methodist Church will begin its revival Sunday and it will continue through Thursday, April 15. Evangelists and musicians for the revival will be Wesley and Margaret Boyd.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sundays, 7 a.m. including a free breakfast, and 7:30 p.m. nightly.

The Boyds are natives of Belfast, Ireland. He is a baritone soloist, who has won many outstanding awards in his native land, including the John McCormack Cup in Dublin and Rose Bowl Award in Belfast.

Since 1958 he has been engaged in Evangelistic singing in many countries, including the U.S., Canada, the British Isles, Australia, Malaysia, Ceylon, and the Caribbean.

Margaret is a professional accompanist, having graduated from the Royal Academy of Music, London, England. She has toured many countries of Europe and the U.S.A. as pianist for the Belfast Girl Singers and the Belfast Philharmonic Society, and has played the violin in the Studio Symphony Orchestra.

The Boyds now make their home in Oklahoma City, and are engaged all over the Southwest, in special weeks of spiritual emphasis.

The Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor, extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the revival.



MR. & MRS. WESLEY BOYD

## Karlene Eastman To Spend Easter In Indiana

For the sixth consecutive year, Hardin - Simmons University students will be participating in student-led revivals in Indiana, April 9-19.

Karlene Eastman, a sophomore at H-SU and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Clinton Eastman of Slaton, was selected for the second year in a row to serve on one of the teams. She is an accomplished pianist and organist.

Approximately 110 students were chosen to spend their Easter holidays working in over 25 churches, ranging in size from a four-member mission to an 800-member American Baptist Church.

The teams, composed of a preacher, song leader, pianist and fellowship director, were appointed after each applicant was interviewed by a committee of students who had worked in Indiana revivals previously and Marshall Walker, director of religious activities.

Orientation meetings are being held each week to acquaint the groups with each other and to train the students in their specific jobs.

Karlene's team will be serving the First Baptist Church at Seymour, Ind.

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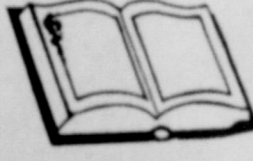
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**COOPER NEWS**

BRENDA COOPER

**Pirates Win Again**

The Pirate Mile Relay team won the event for the third straight week last week at Plains, running a 3:35.4. Don Smith, Dennis Smith, Arthur Vela, and Albert Caraveo ran on the team. The Pirates ran up 38 points in the meet, which

was great, considering only eight people made the trip due to illness or injuries. Dennis Smith ran a 51.1 to win the 440 dash. This week the Pirates will compete in the two-day Amarillo Relays. Go Pirates!

**UIL CONTESTS AT PLAINS**  
The UIL Literary contests were held at Plains last Saturday, and Cooper placed many contestants in these events. The Ruddy Writing and Science Contests were held on the preced-

ing Thursday, and the Science teams placed 5th and 6th. Brenda Cooper placed 3rd in Ruddy Writing, and Jim Green placed 5th. These contests were held in O'Donnell, Rieta Martin took a first place in Informative speaking, Tracia Melot placed 1st in Prose Reading, and Kay Clifton came out tops in Short-hand. Susie Fogerson placed 3rd in Persuasive Speaking, with Kenny Peterson placing 5th. Gloria Dunnam placed 3rd in Poetry Interpretation, and Carl Kahlich placed 4th in

Prose. Kenny Cooper placed 5th in Number Sense; Brenda Cooper placed 4th in Spelling, and Jim Green placed 5th in Spelling. David Duncan placed 5th in Slide Rule.  
**CAREER DAY**  
Tuesday, April 6, was Career Day at Cooper. Speakers from various vocational schools, universities, and occupational training centers were guests. Students had previously marked their individual interests and were scheduled to attend that certain vocational class.  
**BAND NEWS**  
The Cooper High School Band

left Wednesday at 10:30 for Dimmitt to participate in the U.I.L. Concert and Sight-Reading Contest there. 36 students and Mr. Burt, director, attended. The band returned home about 9:30 or 10:00 Wednesday night to report a divisional rating of "3" in both contests.  
**SENIOR CLASS NEWS**  
Last Saturday night the Senior Class presented a play to the Cooper Community, drawing 300 citizens, and netting about \$265 profit.  
The Class has voted to go to Stupid Charley's Dude Ranch on their Senior Trip. Fifty-

**Post Art Show This Week**

The Art Guild of Post is having its annual Easter Art Show, Saturday and Sunday at the Community Center, 216 W. Main, Post. The show is open to the public from 3 to 6 p.m. Saturday and from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday. Original paintings and drawings will be available for sale. Two Seniors plan to go. They will leave after graduation on May 27th. Easter Holiday--April 9-10, 11.

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**FFA NEWS** by Jimmy Burkett

Five weeks, two years have been with Mr. Taylor in the AG. Clifford Jones, two men are working as for a few more. This will help they are taking is from Denton going to Tech has been work-

held during this week. In order to hold office, the person running must have their Chapter Farmer Degree. The Cooper FFA Dairy Cattle Judging Team placed 7th at the Canyon Contest last Saturday. There were thirty-two teams with about one-hundred boys competing. The team was composed of Kevin Jones, Danny Knox, Randy Bowerman, and Eddie Ward.

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The big spenders of the federal budget are: State and Local Governments—\$145 billion; Civilian Agencies—\$136 billion; Defense—\$71.8 billion.



**Literary Events Held At Wilson**

Meadow High School was the overall winner at the Saturday District 8-B Literary Events Contest held at Wilson High School. Students from six area high schools participated.

First place winners were: Debate - Rudy McCallister and Lonnie Haynes, both of Wilson; Informative speaking, boys and girls divisions, Stanley Tucker and Donna Brigham, both of Meadow; and persuasive speaking, boys and girls division,

John Rodrigues and Polly Marchbanks, both of Meadow.

Poetry interpretation, boys division, Major Howard of Wilson, girls division, Cathy Abston of Ropes; prose reading, boys division, Larry Tucker of Meadow; girls division, Cathy Lemon of Ropes.

Ready writing, Judy Turner of New Home; typewriting, Pat Bevers of Ropes; shorthand, Polly Marchbanks of Meadow;

number sense and science, Cheryl Tyler of Sundown; slide rule, Home Gomez of Wilson; and spelling, Juana Ortega of Wilson.

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**WILSON NEWS**

BY BRENDA AND SUE

**Elections Get Good Turnout**

Winners in the city council election here Saturday were Jackie Bishop with 32 votes, Jerry Don Ross with 23 votes and Jim Coleman with 28 votes. Virgil Henderson and Chuck Spiels received 16 votes and Alfred Clary, 17. Total vote count was 45. Mayor Victor Steinhauer, running unopposed, received 32 votes.

In the School Board election, winners were Curtis Wilke with 72, James Savell, 59, and Billy Weaver with 77. Other candidates in the race included Tom Autry, 35, Alvin Kitten, 56, Gary Houchin 23 and C. W. Slope, 35.

**4-H CLUB NEWS**  
The St. Paul Lutheran 4-H Club met Thursday immediately after school, and saw a film "The Forest". Carrie Jo Howell, vice president, presided over the meeting. Projects were discussed, then Twilla Talkmitt, a junior 4-H leader, talked to the girls about clothing projects. Members present included Carrie Howell, Les Howell, Luciano and Robert Ortiz, Rachael and Melinda White, De-An Everage, Cindy Wuensche, Delores Munoz and Quintin Talkmitt.

Tracy Howell visited the club.

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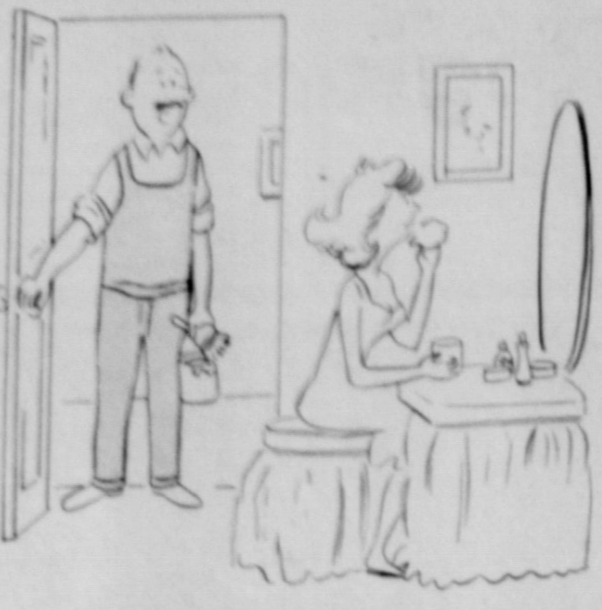
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**IN DISTRICT LITERARY EVENTS Shorthand Contest Won By Slaton Girls**

Slaton High School was host for the District 4-AA Literary Events Contest held Friday. Students from eight area high schools participated. Denver City High School was the overall winner.

Slaton had two students who qualified for regional. They are Janice Buskemper, first place, and Gloria Silva, second place, who both were entered in shorthand. Mrs. M. W. Kerr is their shorthand teacher.

Other winners were: Boys debate, Dwayne Benson and Monty Miller of Denver City; girls debate, Genie Wickson and Delores Heath of Denver City; Informative speaking, Mr. and Mrs. Darold Clow, Tobe and Brenda are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coleman.

Mrs. Dixie Coleman left Thursday for a trip to Houston. Mrs. David Pierce and Amy spent Sunday with Mrs. Lena Behrend, along with Mrs. Carl Harcut.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Behrend and Buddy spent three days last week visiting Butch Behrend in Houston.

boys and girls division, Greg Bledsoe of Idalou and Sharron Oden of Denver City; persuasive speaking, boys and girls division, Don Short of Denver City and Phoebe Pelouquin of Frenship; poetry interpretation, boys and girls division, Rynn Truett of Idalou and Belinda Lopez of Ralls.

Prose reading, boys and girls divisions, Keith Arnold of Idalou and Gail Rucker of Denver City; ready writing, Staci Short of Taboka and Anita Little of Post and typewriting, Connie Burford of Idalou and Vicki Young of Frenship.

Number sense, Mike Adrian of Idalou and Tony Ellison of Ralls; slide rule, Ronnie Hightower and Dale Campbell, both of Roosevelt; science, Marty Crossland of Roosevelt and Keith Arnold of Idalou; and spelling, Susan Hanks of Denver City who scored a perfect paper, and Kathy McVay of Denver City.

The one-act play was won by Denver City High School.

Those mentioned above qualified for regional which will be held April 24 at Texas Tech University.

Slaton placed three alternates in the district contest and will compete at regional should the other winners not be able to compete. They are Cathy Hiney in typing, Terry Cartrite in persuasive speaking and Paul Payne in number sense.

**Benefit Style Show**

A contribution to the Crippled Children's Campaign is the goal of a group of area women as they prepare for a style show to be presented Thursday, April 8, in the Wilson High School Auditorium.

**Southland News**

**Tommy Taylor Breaks Sh...**

Hello and how are YOU this week? As for me, I'm happy! "Happiness is good. The place to be happy is here. The time to be happy is now. The way to be happy is to help make others happy." Hope, you too, are happy, wherever you are.

One young man that probably isn't too happy is Tommy Jack Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Taylor, because he broke his shoulder last week (Monday). He also has a bone separation which could give him a lot of trouble. Tommy, we sure hope that all goes well, so take care!

**TEXAS IS BEST**  
Patricia Pollard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Pollard, who has been working in Washington D.C. since sometime last year, is home. After living up there for a while, she decided that Texas is the place to live, so she decided to quit her job and move back. She will probably go to work in Lubbock and maybe enter college in the fall. Welcome back, Pat.

**FAMILY POT LUCK**  
BY HELEN HALE

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**WEDDING DATE**  
Congratulations to Miss Carol Stolle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stolle of this community, and Alvin Cowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cowen, of Sedan, N.M., on their engagement and approaching wedding. Carol graduated from dear ole Southland High and Texas Lutheran College and is now teaching school in Amarillo. This young couple has set their wedding date on June 12th at Grace Lutheran Church in Slaton. May God's richest blessings be theirs.

**SYMPATHY**  
We extend our sincere sympathies to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Basinger and family on the loss of Mrs. Basinger's father, James L. Allred, who died last Thursday in the Veterans' Hospital in Big Springs after a lengthy illness. May God comfort them in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Jefferson's granddaughter, Dorreen, has come to live with them. Edmund and Yours Truly were invited to a fish fry at the Howard Moerbe's last Saturday night. Sure was a lot of good food and good fellowship and we enjoyed it so much. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stabeno and Lynn and Ed and I went to Morton where we visited with Mrs. Bertha Betts and Darrell Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ware and children. We think the sand blows down here, well you should see how it blows up there! Mrs. Mary McKee has gone to Roundup, Montana, where she will be visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr.

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# Senior Sprinters, Mile Relay Team Earn Trips to Regional

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finishing second in these events, Slaton's mile relay team turned in a fine 3:29.2 in winning the feature event and had to overcome great challenges by Idalou and Denver City, Johnson ran a 54.1 lap off the blocks, but the Tigers were in fifth place in a close race at the first handoff.

Davis turned in a 52.4 leg to bring the Tigers into second place, then Nieman was clocked in 51.8 as he gave anchor-man Rogers a step advantage. The Tiger sprinter quickly turned the lead into a big margin as he zoomed around the backside, then held off Idalou and Denver City runners to finish about 7 yards out front. Rogers ran a 50.8 lap to cap the best relay effort of the season.

Rogers, undefeated in the 100 and 220 since the first meet of the year, had relatively "slow" times Friday due to a brisk breeze. He won the century in 10.3 and the 200 in 23 flat. Johnson was second in the 100 and 10.5, Rogers was high-point individual of the meet with 25 points.

Slaton miler Brad Lamb just missed a berth in the regional meet when Tony Rosas of Post nosed him out for second place.



**HIGH-POINT TRACK MAN**--Slaton's Donnie Rogers was high-point individual in the District 4-AA track meet, scoring 25 points while winning both the 100 and 220-yard dashes and anchoring the winning Tiger mile relay team. The Tiger sprinter has not been defeated since the first meet of the season. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Volleyball Girls Place Second

The Tigrette volleyball team won second in the District 4-AA tournament Friday at Denver City, losing to the host team Fillies in the finals.

Four Slaton girls were named to the all-district volleyball team. They were Karla Kitten, Debra Greenfield, Debbie Breedlove and JaNette Gass.

Slaton bowed to Denver City by 15-1 and 15-0 scores in the finals. Slaton had downed Frenship by 15-8, 15-7, in first-round action. The Tigrettes moved into the finals by defeating Ralls, 15-2 and 15-4.

Denver City downed Tahoka by 15-0 and 15-5 scores, then eliminated Post by the same scores. Post had topped Roosevelt by 15-6, 15-2, in the first round, and Ralls advanced by a forfeit over Idalou.

The Denver City girls were to meet Littlefield in bi-district play Tuesday.

## Slaton Duo Wins 4-AA Tennis Title

Slaton's doubles team of Cynthia Akin and DruAnn Beard won the District 4-AA title at Denver City Saturday morning, beating a Denver City team in the finals.

Terry Mosser advanced to the finals against Mark Hemmeline of Denver City before being defeated in the boys' singles division.

The girls' doubles team earned a trip to the Region 1 tennis tournament at Lubbock April 23.

Roosevelt won two titles in the 4-AA tourney, claiming the girls' singles and boys' doubles crowns. Eloise Henderson of Roosevelt defeated Barbara Edwards of Denver City in the finals. Robby Fletcher and Steve Viney won the boys' doubles by downing a Denver City duo in the finals.

Slaton's Joyce Heinrich won her opening singles' match over Cindy Shannon of Idalou, then lost to Edwards of Denver City by 7-9, 6-2, 6-4 scores. Terri Sikes of Slaton lost to champion Henderson in the first round.

In boys' doubles, Slaton's two teams of Bradley Kitten - Gaylon Barkley and Randy Green-Bruce Jones both lost to Idalou teams in the first round. Stanley Heinrich defeated Danny Boone of Roosevelt in the first round, then lost to champion Hemmeline.

The Akin - Beard team downed a Denver City team in first-round action, then downed Judy McGee - Judy Dickey of Roosevelt to advance to the finals.

### District 4-AA Meet

- Pole vault: 1. Larry Petree, Idalou; 2. George Shipley, Denver City; 3. Reggie Miller, Tahoka; 4. Reggie Clifton, Denver City; 5. Timmie White, Tahoka; 6. Johnny Jones, Idalou. Height 12 ft. 6 in.
- Snot put: 1. David Stelzer, Post; 2. Thomas Connally, Denver City; 3. Gary Kerr, Denver City; 4. Cliff Laws, Tahoka; 5. Robert Pace, Post; 6. Dusty Dowga, Frenship. Distance 47 ft. 3 1/4 in.
- High jump: 1. Ross Highes, Roosevelt; 2. Bateman, Idalou; 3. George Shipley, Denver City; 4. McLendon, Tahoka; 5. David Hammett, Roosevelt; 6. Wayne Moirs, Roosevelt. Height 6 ft.
- Discus: 1. Sammy Gonzales, Idalou; 2. David Stelzer, Post; 3. Terry Hardin, Denver City; 4. Thomas Connally, Denver City; 5. Billy Royce, Idalou; 6. Robert Montemayor, Tahoka. Distance 143 ft. 4 1/2 in.
- Long jump: 1. Brent Youngblood, Denver City; 2. Jimmy Youngblood, Denver City; 3. B. Hendrick, Idalou; 4. J. Hoskins, Tahoka; 5. Cliff Gardner, Tahoka; 6. Hosea Brown, Roosevelt. Distance 20 ft. 5 in.
- 440 yard relay: 1. Roosevelt; 2. Idalou; 3. Tahoka; 4. Slaton; 5. Denver City; 6. Ralls. Time 44.5.
- Mile relay: 1. Slaton (Joe Johnson, Randy Davis, Steve Nieman, Donnie Rogers); 2. Idalou; 3. Denver City; 4. Roosevelt; 5. Tahoka; 6. Frenship. Time 3:29.2.

TEAM TOTALS -- Idalou 114, Denver City 92, Tahoka 76, Slaton 58, Roosevelt 58, Post 58, Frenship 28, Ralls 2.

NINTH GRADE TEAM TOTALS -- Denver City 128, Idalou 98, Frenship 73, Roosevelt 66, Tahoka 53, Post 28, Slaton 12.

EIGHTH GRADE TEAM TOTALS -- Slaton 92, Denver City 88, Idalou 82, Frenship 74, Roosevelt 64, Post 58, Ralls 52, Tahoka 10.

SEVENTH GRADE TEAM TOTALS -- Denver City 158, Slaton 106, Idalou 85, Roosevelt 57, Post 36, Tahoka 34, Ralls 2, Frenship 3.

### IN 4-AA TRACK MEET

## 8th Graders Win, 7th Grade Second

Slaton's Junior High track teams -- despite track facilities -- showed plenty of talent in the District 4-AA meet at Denver City Friday as the 8th graders won the team championship and the 7th graders won second place.

Coach R. G. Copeland's 8th graders had to win the last

event -- the 880 relay -- and Denver City had to be fourth or below for Slaton to capture the title. The Tiger relay team turned the trick, and D.C. was fourth to give Slaton the title with 92 points to the host team's 88.

Idalou was close behind with 82, followed by Frenship with 74 and Roosevelt with 64. Slaton won both the 440 and 880 relays, and Charlie Haynes was first in the 220 and second in the 100 to lead the point production.

Haynes was on the 880 relay team with Manuel Hernandez, Roman Cisneros and Simon Gonzales. The 440 relay was made up of Ronnie Smith, Hernandez, Cisneros and Gonzales. Smith was also third in the long jump and the 70-yard high hurdles; Gonzales was third in the 100; Hernandez was second in the 330; Lupe Valderaz was fourth in the 660; and Clarence Trotty was fourth in the 220.

The sprint relay had a 49 flat, and the 880 relay team had a 1:43.

Coach Joe Sparkman's 7th graders, outscored badly in the field events, were runners-up to Denver City. Slaton had 106 points and D.C. totaled 138. Idalou was third with 65.

The Slaton 7th graders also won both relay events, and had firsts by Clarence Hammons in the 220 intermediate hurdles and Ricky Lopez in the 220. Tip Culver won seconds in the 100 and 220, and Eiland Wood won a second in the 330.

Hammons also took third in the 70-yard high hurdles; Max Perales was second and Ricky Rodriguez fifth in the 660, and Earnest Gipson was fourth in the 220 hurdles. Bill McClesky won fifth in the discus for the only points in field events.

On the winning 440 relay team was Gipson, Dwight Kuy-

## Roosevelt Gets Five Trackmen In Regional

The Roosevelt Eagles were fifth in the team standings at the 4-AA track meet in Denver City Friday, but the Eagles had three first - place winners and will send five boys to the regional meet.

Quarter - miler David Vasquez turned in one of the top individual performances at the meet as he raced to a 49.4 time in the open 440-yard dash.

Vasquez also ran on the winning sprint relay team, and high-jumper Ross Hughes won his specialty with a 6-0 effort. Hughes' posted a 6-7 jump in the Roosevelt Meet.

Other members of the sprint relay team are David Hammett, Josea Brown and John Blackwell. Their time was 44.5 seconds in the 440 relay. The Eagle mile relay team was fourth.

Other Eagles placing were Hammett, fifth in the 330 hurdles and fifth in the high jump; Brown, fourth in the 220; and sixth in the long jump; Blackwell, sixth in the 100; and Morris, sixth in the high jump.

Roosevelt tallied 59 points to edge Post for fifth place. Post had 58 points, while fourth-place Slaton had 68.

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# EDITORIALS

## Tigers Need Track

The Slaton School system has various needs every year, but there is one need that has existed for many years--a cinder track.

A number of people interested in a well-rounded sports program have initiated a proposal to secure a track facility for the schools and, we might add, at a bargain price for the schools. We have a football field, several gyms, tennis courts, a golf course, and a physical education weight machine. We need a track.

There are several good reasons for making the move NOW. First, there have been indications that enough people are interested in the program to the extent they will put their money where their mouths are. If these supporters make funds available for the track, as proposed, the school could have something like a \$15,000 facility for about \$5,000.

Slaton is one of the few schools in the district without track facilities and is one of the larger Class AA schools in the area. Besides serving some 100 youth who have been participating in the track programs this year, the facility would be an asset to the community in other ways--drawing people to the city for track meets.

Even with its poor track facilities, Slaton has had some success in track competition, and a REAL track would provide a big boost to aspiring young athletes. It could also be a deterrent to sprained ankles, blistered feet, shin splints, and even being hit by a car. A junior high boy was recently struck by a car while running in the gutters around school due to lack of a place to work out. Luckily, he was only knocked down and escaped injury.

We challenge you to be interested in not only this phase of our school facilities, but all other phases.

## Shriners Host Slaton Scouts At Big Circus

Slaton Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts were guests Saturday of the Slaton Shriners at the annual Khiva Shrine Circus in Amarillo.

Slaton Scouts were treated to a three-ring, 46-act circus in a two-hour show. Slaton Shriners escorted the group to Amarillo, forming a caravan at Canyon after meeting with Scouts from Abernathy and Gristown groups.

The groups met at a roadside park in Canyon and enjoyed a sack lunch before heading to Amarillo and picking up a police escort to the Fair Grounds. The caravan was made up of several buses and cars which stretched out for about a mile. The group sat together at the circus.

Local Shriners expressed appreciation to Scoutmasters and parents who drove cars. Shriners who escorted the group to Amarillo said they "thoroughly enjoyed the trip and looked forward to making it an annual affair."

## PUNCH LINE OF THE WEEK



ONE MAN WITH COURAGE MAKES A MAJORITY.

## Don Jackson Wins Trip to Washington, D.C.

Don Wayne Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson, was winner of the oratorical contest held Monday night in the South Plains Electric Cooperative's Auditorium in Lubbock. It was sponsored by the Cooperative.

A junior at Roosevelt High School, Jackson won a trip to Washington D.C. by placing first in the contest. There were eight entries. Marilyn Walker of Slaton and Brenda Cooper of Cooper High School competed.

Jackson made all district quarterback in District 4-AA football last season, and participated in basketball and track. He is employed by KCAS radio as a disc jockey.

The purpose of the contest is to select two young people from this area to go on an all expense paid tour to Washington, D.C. this summer, with 80 other young people from Texas. Miss Cynthia Akin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Akin of Slaton, has already been selected to make the trip as Miss South Plains Electric Cooperative.

During the stay in Washington, the Government-in-Action Youth Tour participants will visit the White House, the Capitol, various governmental agencies, the monuments, and many other sites of interest.

## Slaton's Phone Total More Than Greenland's

The World: 255,200,000; Pitcairn Island: 17.

That's not a lopsided football score, but rather a census of the world's telephones for 1969. Pitcairn Island achieved the dubious honor for having the fewest number of telephones on record.

"By contrast, Slaton recorded 2,999 telephones which is more than all the telephones in the country of Greenland," said Jerry Sachse, manager for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Whether a tiny South Pacific island or a midwestern American city, each telephone user played an important role in boosting telephone growth in the world.

These figures are based on 1969 statistics presented in the American Telephone and Telegraph booklet, "The World's Telephones." They are the most recent statistics available since it takes about a year to collect information from all countries

people," he said. To dramatize his point, Sachse compared Texas with its 4,809,702 to Sweden which has 4,306,906 telephones.

"With the other four states of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas and Missouri served by Southwestern Bell, the total company phones at the end of 1969 surpassed the number in Canada. Southwestern Bell had 10,011,433 phones compared to Canada's 9,302,828," he said.

Sachse offered one final note for the record. In the past 50 years the world's population has nearly doubled while telephone growth has increased twelve-fold.

"If you think progress is shrinking the world, you're right, and if you'd like to go back to the good old days, try Volta, Africa -- there're only three telephones for each 10,000 persons," he said.

By these standards, even Pitcairn Island looks progressive with one phone for ever five people.

in the world. According to the booklet, the United States leads all countries with 114,798,000 telephones. Runners up are Japan and the United Kingdom with 23,131,688 and 13,947,000 respectively.

"We Americans have set another record -- that of being the chattiest nation in the world," said Sachse. "Each man, woman and child in America carried on an average of 745 telephone conversations during the year which is more than the combined average of our counterparts in Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Greece and the United Kingdom," he said.

Sachse pointed out that even though countries like Greece, Brazil, Hong Kong and Korea lag behind the U.S. in total telephones, their telephone growth rate is more than double the 7.3 per cent world average.

"It will be a long while before they equal telephone concentration in the U.S. which is one phone for every two

## Rural Schools In Independent Status Vote

Four rural school districts in Lubbock County voted by decisive margins Saturday to convert to independent school district status.

Approving the conversion to independent status were Roosevelt, Cooper, Idalou and Frenship. After returns are certified, the schools are expected to be declared as independent school districts by Lubbock County Commissioners at their April 12 meeting.

The special election in the four districts drew much interest in Slaton and Lubbock County, since the possibility of a conversion had been discussed for some time.

The vote was 80-3 for the conversion at Roosevelt; 51-4 in favor at Cooper; 255-33 at Idalou in favor of the proposal, and 127-10 for the move at Frenship.

The office of county superintendent, headed by veteran

## POSEY NEWS

BY MRS. P. C. KITCHENS

## Deaths Sadden Community

The Posey community was shocked last week over the death of Joe Grabber. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved. He will be greatly missed in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry and Robert Boyce visited the Calvin Willis family last week at Buchanan Dam. They enjoyed a fish fry while there and brought two big channel catfish home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Darland's grandson, John Rugicka, 2, recently received second and third degree burns on his body by falling into a barbecue pit.

Mrs. Anna B. Gentry was able to attend church Sunday at the Evangelical Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Townsend and children and the Benny Rudd family attended a district Youth Fellowship meeting at the Bible Baptist Church Friday. They had as their guest, the Sammy Gentry family.

Rev. H. E. Summar visited the Freddy Townsend family last week. Summar has challenged the Evangelical Methodist Youth for a baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Gentry were guest of Mrs. Willie Burleson Sunday for dinner.

Judy Coefield spent Sunday night and Monday with Cathy and Paula Kitchens.

The P.C. Kitchens attended the Silver Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gandy at Tahoka Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kitten spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kahlich.

Mrs. Bonnie Freeman of Lubbock was guest of Mrs. C. R. Sellers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kitchens and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Kitchens were supper guests of Paul Dwayne Kitchens Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Loke gave a birthday party Monday evening for their twin daughters fourth birthday. Attending the party for Sherry and Shelly were Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loke and Jan, Neill Carter, Tyre Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Clay Green. Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff attended the funeral of her nephew, John Freddy Thomas at Tahoka last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. George Grabber and Mr. and Mrs. James Grabber of Springfield Mo.

We want to extend our sympathy to the Gentry families of our community on the death of Eulyses Gentry.

Condolences also go to the Fred Stolle family. Fred's nephew, Adolf Butting died of a heart attack and services were conducted Monday at Vernon. Your correspondent found many of you gone this week,

## Weeks Honored As Outstanding Service Manager

Tom Weeks, 800 S. 14th St., Slaton, has been honored as one of the most outstanding automotive dealership service managers in the country.

Weeks, service manager at Smith Ford Inc., was named a Silver Medallion Award winner and received a trip for two to Las Vegas.

The Medallion Manager program is sponsored annually by the Autolite - Ford Parts Division, Ford Marketing Corporation. Awards are presented to Ford and Lincoln - Mercury dealership parts and service managers who are judged outstanding in customer service, sales and management ability.

In addition to receiving the Silver Medallion Manager award, Weeks is now eligible to be named a Gold Medallion Manager -- the program's top honor -- next year. Only men who have received Silver or Bronze awards are eligible for the Gold Medallion award.

Approximately 3,400 parts and service managers from Ford and Lincoln - Mercury dealerships will be honored throughout the country this year. Gold and Silver awards will be presented to 540 men.

Potatoes were introduced into Europe from America.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

In regard to the letter in The Slatonite from "Black students of Slaton High School," I would like to say a few things to them.

I graduated in '66--the year that black students started going to high school. There were just a few, but they were very nicely treated. I know, for a fact, that most of the ones that were going then did not want to go to our school, but were forced to for integration's sake.

If you would only look about you, you would see plenty of white kids and Latin American kids unhappy and disappointed... maybe you haven't spoken up enough. There are plenty white kids who don't get to do a lot of things because they don't speak up, and they don't have that "get-up-and-go." I was one of those students. If I didn't get to do some things I wanted, it was my fault and nobody else's.

I feel we have a good school, especially a wonderful principal and counselor. If you have problems, talk to them. Don't start a fuss just because you're black. Slaton's a good little town and I've never seen black people deliberately mistreated. Maybe they didn't have as much, but there are whites and Spanish who don't have much, either.

So please, I beg of you, take a good look around you before you start casting stones. We have a good town, let's keep it that way.

An interested citizen, Name withheld by request

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THE FAMILY OF  
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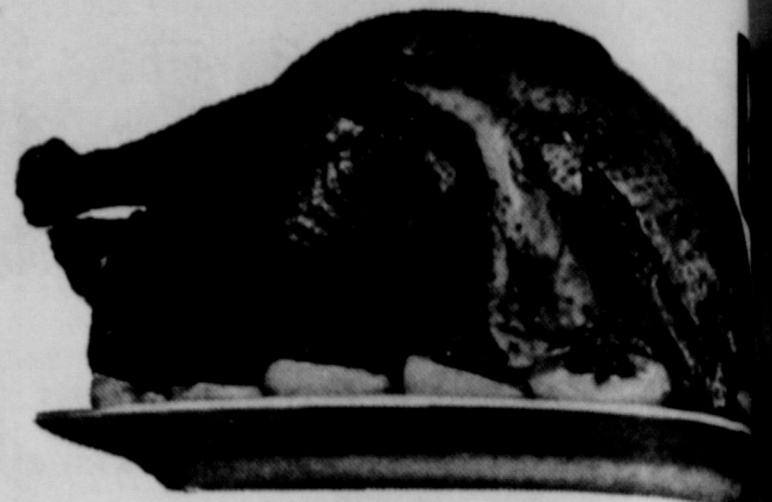
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Serve with Strawberries **Short Cake Cups** Package **25c**

Del Monte **Mandarin Oranges** 3 11-Oz. Cans **\$1.00**

Fresh Frozen Foods

**COOL WHIP** Birdseye Topping, Bonus Pak 12-Ounce **49¢**

**CHOPPED BROCCOLI** Libby Spears 10-Ounce Package **29¢**

Whipped Topping Carol Ann 10 1/2-Ounce **39c**

Non Food Specials!

**TONI** PERMANENTS, Regular, Gentle, Super, Suggested Price \$2.29 Each **\$1.69**

Panty Hose Carol Ann "Wonderlon", One Size Sheer Fits All, As adv. on TV, in 3 beautiful shades Pair **77c**

Prell Shampoo Manufacturer's Suggested Price \$1.59 Family Size Bottle **\$1.19**

**WHIPPING CREAM** 19¢  
Bell or Borden - 1/2 pt. carton

**EASTER CAKE** EGGS IN A BASKET, or ANGEL FOOD each **79¢**

Fresh Colorful Easter Produce!

# Strawberries

Pint Box, Fresh, Red, Ripe **3 FOR \$1** Each

**Green Beans** Garden Fresh **29c** Pound

**Yams** East Texas, Serve with Ham **15c** Pound

More Easter Specials!

**Cottage Cheese** Bell's or Borden's 24-Ounce Carton **39¢**

**Pineapple** Del Monte, Natural Juices Sliced or Crushed, Garnish your Ham No. 1 1/2 Can **29c**

**Gala Towels** Decorator or Assorted Jumbo Roll **29c**

Easter Candy!

**Easter Eggs** Bunte, Speckled 8-Oz. Malted Milk Packages **43c**

**Easter Eggs** Bunte, Large, 9-Ounce Wrapped Packages **36c**

**Easter Eggs** Curtin, Large, 2-Pound Sizes **84c**

**Easter Kisses** Hershey, Cirl Foil Wrap, 15-Oz. Pkg. **82c**

**EASTER LILIES** 3 to 5 bloom, foil wrapped each **\$1.99**

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