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Citizens Committee To Meet To Plan Community Needs

MEMORIAL DAY DESIGNATED AS RMA CLOSING DATE

Memorial Day, May 30th, has been designated as one of the four Retail Merchant closing dates in the city for this year, according to Mrs. Vivian A. Jones, secretary-manager of the RMA. All Retail Merchant Association business houses in the city will close for the day.

The other three closing days are July 4th, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.

A four-man citizens committee will meet with Mayor L. B. Wootton Friday night at City Hall to discuss future needs of the community and attempt to reach some sort of decision on the amount of money which will be needed to carry through on the needs. The meeting will start at 7:30 p. m.

The committee is composed of one man from each of the four precincts in the city who were appointed by the commissioners from their precincts.

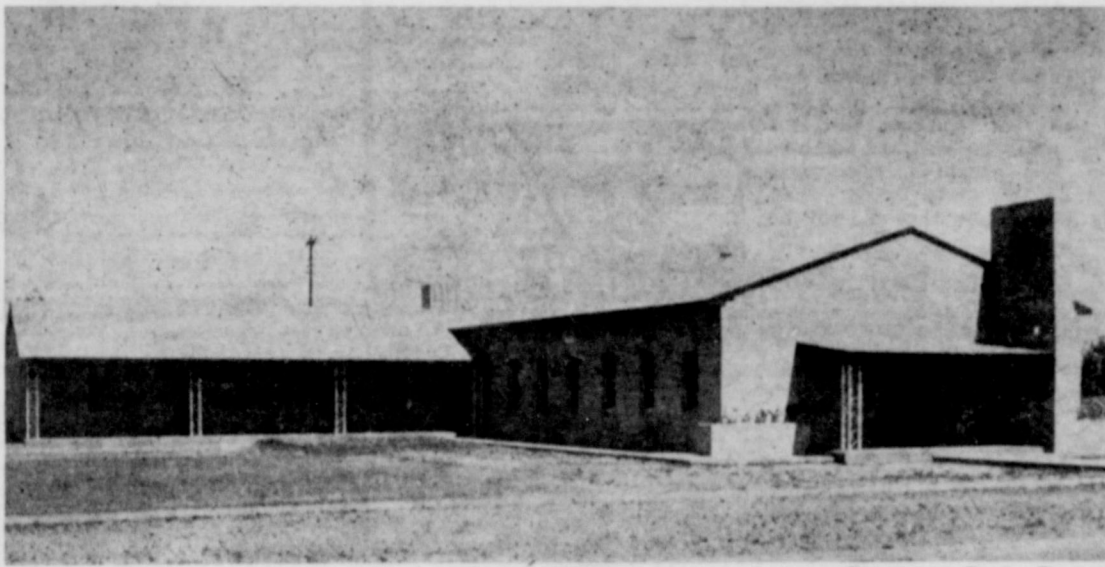
The men who are serving on the special committee and the precinct they represent include Curtis Dowell, precinct No. 3; Bill Smith, precinct No. 2; Bevis Hanna, precinct No. 1; and Oran McWilliams, precinct No. 4.

The recommendations of the committee will be presented to the city commission by the mayor.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

SPRING IS THE TIME for picnics, parks are the place to hold them, and grass is made for sitting on while you explore the sack of "goodies" that mother has prepared for you. No one had to tell these first and second graders any of these things when they accompanied their teachers and room mothers to the County Park Monday for a picnic. These two misses were indicative of the more than 300 children who were spread out over the park eating. The smiles are not just because of the food, but because the two young ladies knew they were going to see the Lone Ranger at the local movie house after they had eaten.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

OPEN HOUSE will be held Sunday, May 27 in the new Westview Baptist Church which was constructed at a cost of over \$38,000. The new auditorium building has a seating capacity of 450.

Westview Baptist Church Open House Planned Sunday

Westview Baptist Church will observe open house Sunday, May 27, in its new auditorium and classroom building at 830 So. 15th St.

The Rev. Elmer Dunham, superintendent of the Direct Missions Department of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will speak at the special program planned for the 11 a. m. worship service. Jerry Hitt of Pleasant Valley will sing "Bless This House." A tour of the church plant will follow the morning worship hour.

Open House will be held from 3 to 4 p. m. for friends of the church from other churches in the city and surrounding area, according to the Rev. Bryan Ross, pastor.

The new auditorium has 3648 square feet and has a seating capacity of 450 people. There are four classrooms in the auditorium building. The educational building

Tracy Crawford Second Place Poetry Reader

Tracy Crawford, son of Mrs. J. D. McPhaul of Lamesa, took second place honors in the Texas Interscholastic League state contest in poetry reading in Austin recently.

Tracy won first place in declamation in state last year. He is coached by Mrs. J. B. Caldwell of Slaton.

His prize winning selection was taken from "The Bomb That Fell on America," by Hermann Hagedorn. Tracy was further complimented by a congratulatory letter which was sent to him by author Hagedorn.

Texas Tech Vice-President Addressed Class

Referring to the graduating class as "Molders of the Future," Dr. G. E. Giesecke, vice president of Texas Technological College gave the principal address at the 1956 Slaton High School Commencement exercises Monday night.

Following Giesecke's address, each of the seniors marched across the stage of the high school auditorium to accept his or her diploma. With the presentation of the diplomas the seniors ended 12 years of study and were ready to embark as one senior put it "in all directions at once."

The valedictory address was given by Judy Thomas who led her class with a 93.28 grade average. Burdine Becker offered the salutatory address. She had a grade average of 92.9.

Proclamation and recessional music was supplied by Mrs. M. G. Davis who also directed the all-girl singing group, the Choraleers, in several selections.

Candidates for graduation were presented to school board head Robert Hall Davis by J. M. Gilbert, high school principal. Davis presented each of the seniors with a diploma as the class filed by the speaker's platform.

The Rev. Bryan Ross, pastor of the Westview Baptist Church brought the invocation. Scholarships were presented to the valedictorian, salutarian and to the highest ranking boy in the class, Billy Earl Caldwell.

In his address Dr. Giesecke told the graduates that to be "Molders of the Future" they must either have or acquire four characteristics. The four he cited were "Be

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Session Set Monday and Tuesday

Community Clinic To Formulate Work Program For Slaton C of C

Residents from all walks of life and representing all types of businesses will meet in one hour sessions Monday and Tuesday to give their views and ideas on the formulation of a Chamber of Commerce work program. The two-day clinic will be held in the High School Auditorium.

Those attending will also have the opportunity to learn more about the true aims, objectives,

policies of the Chamber at the meetings.

Residents Give Ideas

The residents who attend one of the meetings will be asked to list their ideas and suggestions on what projects the C of C should undertake to make Slaton and the surrounding area a better and more prosperous place in which to live, work, and play.

Ralph Duncan, manager of the

West Texas Chamber of Commerce Community Services Department, will be on hand for direction and guidance in conducting the meetings.

Each of the meetings will be headed by one of the directors of the Slaton C of C. The suggestions received at the meetings will be tabulated by the WTCC and returned to the Slaton Chamber for the formulation of a work program.

Letters Go Out

More than 500 letters went out to area residents last week inviting their participation in the Community Clinic. Earlier this week 500 follow-up letters went out to the same residents. Just prior to the Clinic a telephone campaign will be conducted by the attendance chairman of each session of the Clinic. The letters and the phone campaign were aimed at reminding each person of the meeting and to tell that person into which classification he will fall. In this way it is hoped that all residents will attend the session composed of people which are engaged in a similar occupation—and possibly similar problems.

The Retail Trade session of the Clinic will meet from 7 to 8 p. m., May 28 under the direction of Bill Ball, chairman; Alex Webb and John Schmidt, co-chairmen; and Mrs. Oran McWilliams, attendance chairman.

Farmers and ranchers will meet from 8 to 9 p. m., May 28 under the direction of Earl Reasoner, chairman; T. L. Weaver, and Nestor Kitten, co-chairmen; and Lynn Crossland, attendance chairman.

Housewives

Housewives will meet for their session from 10 to 11 a. m., May 29 under the direction of Don Crow, chairman; Phil Brewer, co-chairman; and Mrs. R. H. Todd, attendance chairman.

Professional men and women will meet from 1 to 2 p. m., May 29 under the direction of Clark Self Jr., chairman; Cecil Self, co-chairman; and Bruce Blair, attendance chairman.

Industrial and labor groups will meet from 2 to 3 p. m., May 29 with Hobart Trimpka, chairman; Dane Shearer, co-chairman; and Lloyd Henry, attendance chairman.

Services and Trades

Residents connected with services and trade will attend the session from 3 to 4 p. m., May 29 under the direction of Clark Self Jr., chairman; Cecil Self, co-chairman; and Bruce Blair, attendance chairman.

Termed one of the most ambitious undertakings in the history of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, the directors are urging the attendance of everyone in the area at one of the sessions.

Mrs. R. D. Bisbee, secretary-manager of the Chamber emphasized that the meeting is not only for the members of the C of C, but that it is important to the future of the community that everyone in this trade area make plans to attend the session in which their classification of work places them.

Hamlin Minister to Conduct Revival Services at Church of Nazarene

The Rev. Joe Norton, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, will be the evangelist for a revival meeting to be held at the Slaton Church of the Nazarene May 28 to June 3.

Services will be held at 7:45 p. m. Monday through Saturday and two services are planned Sunday, one at 10:45 a. m. and one at 7:30 p. m.

"The public is invited to attend each and every service as there will be inspirational singing, special music, and Bible preaching that will lift you spiritually," according to the Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Slaton church.



Rev. Joe Norton

Slaton Receives Light Rain Fall

Slaton had only received a small unmeasurable amount of rain at the time of this writing Wednesday, but clouds were beginning to pile up over the city offering residents some hope of relief from 80 and 90 degrees weather which had been in the area for several days.

A light shower hit the city early Tuesday night and late Wednesday the city was beginning to cool off following another shower. Farmers in the area were anxiously anticipating a rain which would be an asset to planting—especially on dry-land farms.

Dickie Thomas To Attend Boys' State in Austin

Dickie Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thomas of Slaton, will attend Boy's State at Austin June 10 to 16. Dickie is one of several boys from over the state who were selected for the honor by faculty members of the schools each boy attended. They were selected for their knowledge of government and the constitution.

Slaton's Luther Power Post No. 438 of the American Legion will send Dickie to the state meet with all expenses paid, according to Howard Carleson, commander.

During the period that the boys are attending Boy's State they will be divided into political parties from which various state officers will be elected. The boys who are elected to office will visit the state capitol and the corresponding offices to which they have been elected.

"The primary purpose of Boy's State is to give the boys an opportunity to learn and observe how government operates and is conducted," Carleson said.

Local Church To Host Dalhart Minister Sunday

The congregation of the Presbyterian Church will host a candidate speaker, the Rev. C. N. Wiley, at its 11 a. m. services Sunday, according to Mrs. Clifford Simmons, church reporter.

Rev. Wiley is the former pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Dalhart, Texas. The Slaton church has not yet selected a minister to replace the Rev. Lawrence Lake, who resigned here to take over ministerial duties at Terrell, Texas, several months ago.

Memorial Day Rites Planned Sunday by American Legion

Memorial Day rites have been planned by the Luther Powers Post No. 438 of the American Legion Sunday at 11 a. m., at the Bible Baptist Church. All ex-service men are invited to attend the special services, according to Howard Carleson, commander of the Slaton post.

Prior to the services the Legionnaires, assisted by members of boy scout troop No. 29 will decorate the graves of war dead in Englewood Cemetery.

Work Completed On New Assembly of God Parsonage

Work has been completed on the new parsonage for the Assembly of God Church in Slaton, according to Floyd Kitchens, church secretary. The new building is located at 14th and Jean Sts. Construction began Feb. 26, 1956 and pastor V. F. Love and his family moved into it April 19.

The three bedroom home with attached garage and utility room was built by donated labor from the members of the church. "Most of the men were busy with their

own jobs and responsibilities, yet they found a way to contribute some time to the building program.

"The ladies also did a grand job in helping raise funds, assisting with the plans for the parsonage, and bringing meals to the men as they worked on the construction."

"It was a joint effort, in which all the church took an active part—and the results are very gratifying," he related.

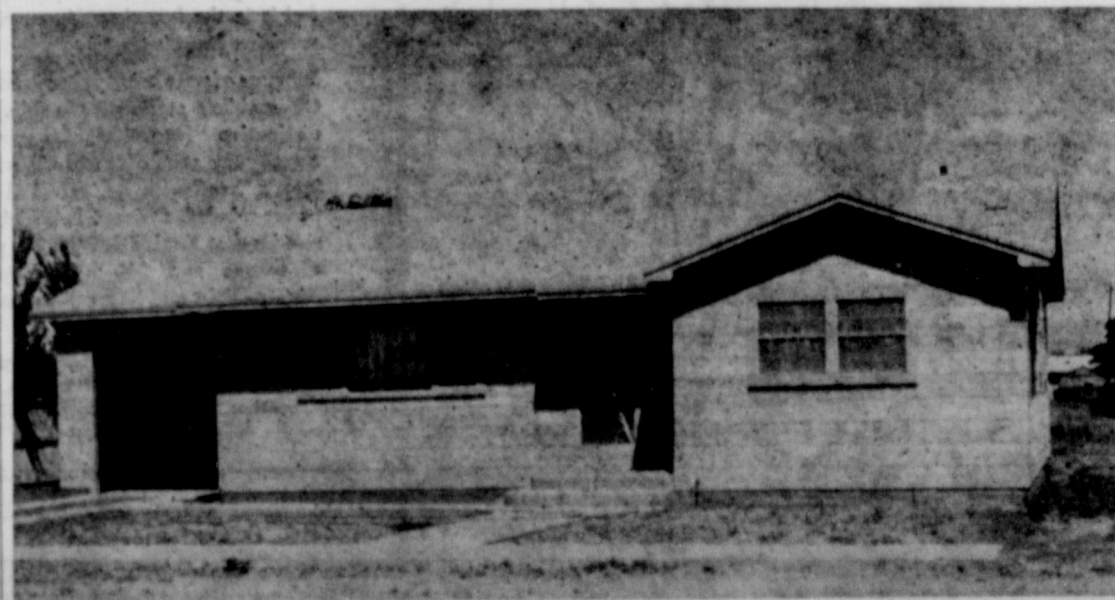
Plans are now in the making for a new brick church on the corner adjoining the parsonage on the south. As the financing of the parsonage developed so well, the debt incurred is practically liquidated and with the lots already cleared, it is hoped that construction on the church can start within a year.

The parsonage has an overall floor space of 1200 square feet not including the garage. It is a frame structure with asbestos siding, sheetrock with textone walls and hardwood floors throughout.

GARAGE FIRE ON WEST LYNN STREET TUESDAY

Firemen were called to extinguish a burning garage on West Lynn Tuesday afternoon. The garage caught fire from burning trash in a barrel which was placed too close to the garage, according to Elbert Wilson, fire chief.

The volunteers were able to put out the fire with little damage to the garage, he reported.



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News

UNCLE SAM'S INVENTORY

Think of all the land east of the Mississippi river, excepting Georgia, North Carolina, Michigan and Wisconsin. That big a chunk of the United States is owned by the Federal government.

Think of 384,916 buildings ranging in size from the 34-acre Pentagon down to crossroads postoffices, and worth about fourteen and a half billion dollars. Not to mention another \$15.6 billion worth of "structures and facilities" such as dams and atomic reactors. All these things are owned by the government, too.

That makes Uncle Sam by all odds the biggest landlord in the nation. The General Services Administration, which keeps tab on such things, has just taken inventory and learned that in 18 months government holdings increased by more than two billion dollars. Much of this apparent increase is believed to be the result of better inventory methods.

Actually, the inventory was not taken merely to find out how big a landlord Uncle Sam is. Officials hope that it will help the government reduce its property holdings, and there already are signs that it will do that.

For example, one agency needed a warehouse. Instead of building or buying one, at additional cost to the taxpayers, it checked the inventory and found a vacant government-owned warehouse in the area. It's the old story of business being more efficient when the proprietor knows exactly what's on his shelves. That applies to Uncle Sam, too.

INDUSTRY AIDS TEACHING

Arthur D. Little, Inc., a research and engineering firm in Boston, has launched a program to strengthen science and mathematics teaching in high schools in its area. Six recent graduates of either science or engineering colleges are recruited to teach one semester in the high schools and work at the Little laboratories the rest of the year. They are paid industry's high salaries while they are teaching.

Earl P. Stevenson, president of the research firm, explained that this nation is failing to attract youth to technological fields in sufficient numbers because of the "deterioration in the teaching of mathematics and natural science at the secondary school level." Shortages among teachers of science and engineering are expected to increase as long as these specialists can command far higher salaries in industry than in education. This, in turn, creates more shortages of industrial scientists and engineers.

While performing a public service, the firm is also protecting its own interests. A recent study of the National Science Foundation revealed that 40 to 60 billion dollars worth of the gross national product in 1953 can be attributed to scientific research conducted between 1928 and 1953, indicating that if the national economy is to keep growing, continued research is necessary. This demands a large reserve of scientific talent and personnel.

While the Arthur D. Little program cannot be the final answer to the need for competent teachers, it will undoubtedly help somewhat, and it may cause other private firms to become conscious that they, too, could well share the responsibility.

PAYING THE PIPER

Vandalism by adolescents may be curbed somewhat by a bill recently passed by the New York legislature. This makes parents responsible up to \$250 for damage done by their children. The idea is that if parents receive a formidable bill for their son's destruction, they will pay more attention to the boy's rearing.

In opposition, it was argued that the requirement would penalize low-income groups. Surely in such cases arrangements could be made for youngsters to work off payment for their own vandalism.

Much has been heard lately of irresponsible destruction of property by teenage gangs. The New York experiment will be watched with interest.

Some people can't stand prosperity—especially when it's that of their neighbors.



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Three From Slaton To Graduate at Tech Commencement

Three Slatonites will be among the 597 Texas Tech students who will receive diplomas at commencement exercises at the college Monday, May 28. The 30th annual exercises will be held at 8 p. m. in Jones Stadium.

The three students and the degrees they will receive are Don E. Patterson, bachelor's degree in horticulture and park management; Mary Ann Smith, bachelor's degree in elementary education; and Robert Lealon Lambert, bachelor's degree in retailing.

The 24 candidates for master's degrees and the 573 students scheduled to receive bachelor's degrees will hear Dr. William H. Cowley of Stanford University discuss higher American education during the commencement address.

The Rev. W. A. Welch, Dallas, minister to Texas' largest Disciples of Christ congregation, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at 8 p. m. Sunday, May 27, in Jones Stadium.

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Two Top Ropers To Compete for Cash Sunday

Two of the top-rated ropers of the rodeo world will meet in Brownfield Texas Sunday, May 27, at 2 p. m. to compete for some \$2000 in prize money. They are Jim Bob Altizer of Del Rio, Texas and Glenn Franklin of House N. M.

Admission will be \$1 for adults, 50 cents for teenagers, and children under 12 will be admitted free. The event is being sponsored by the Terry County Sheriff's Posse Association and will be held at the Sheriff Posse Rodeo Arena.

Mrs. John L. Beckwith and son Steve returned to Redwood, California, Wednesday after spending two weeks with her sister Mrs. Dudley Berry and Mr. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brookshire went to Clovis New Mexico Saturday for an air show in which their son, Jack W. Brookshire, participated.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright spent Sunday with their son, Johnny Ray, in Lamesa.

In case of inclement weather, the baccalaureate sermon will be given in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium and the commencement exercises held in the Lubbock coliseum.

The annual president's reception for graduating seniors will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. N. Jone from 3:30 to 5 p. m.

DOW WINCHESTER WINS SEAR'S ESSAY CONTEST

Dow Winchester, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Winchester, recently was awarded a registered gilt after submitting a prize-winning essay on "The Value of Producing Hogs as a Cash Income on Our Farms."

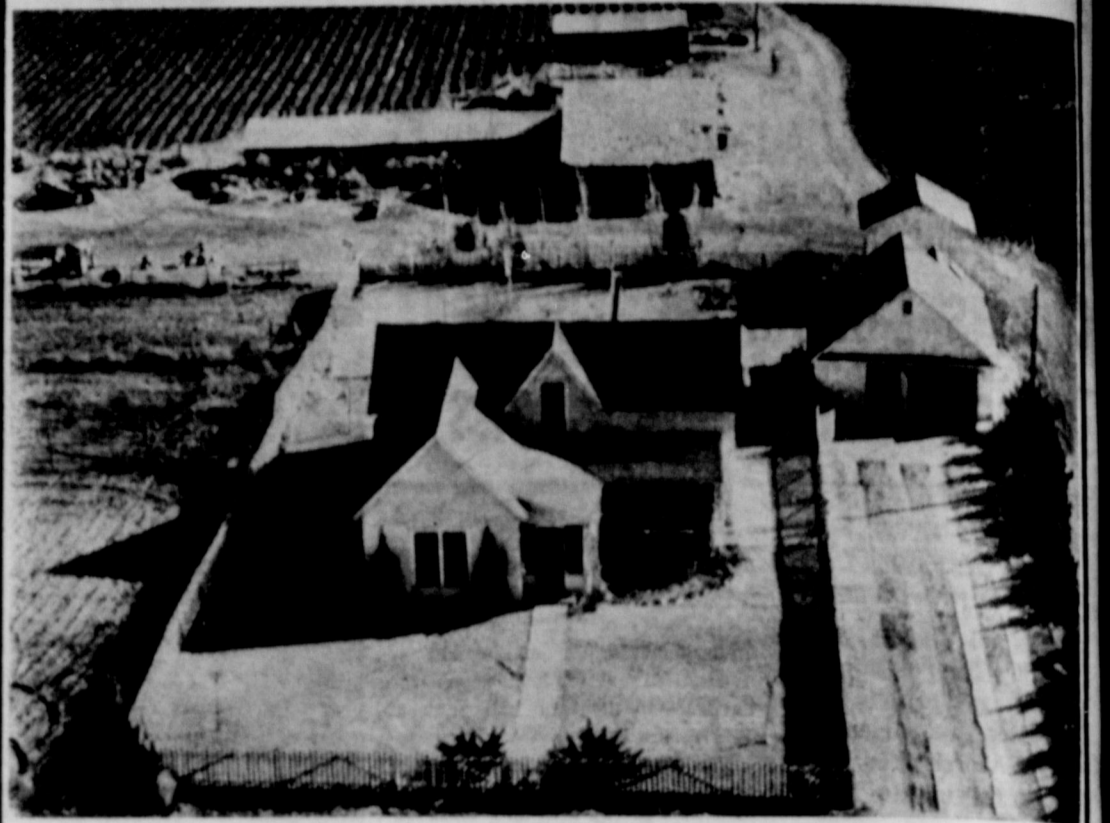
Those who were eligible to enter were members of Lubbock County 4 H Clubs.



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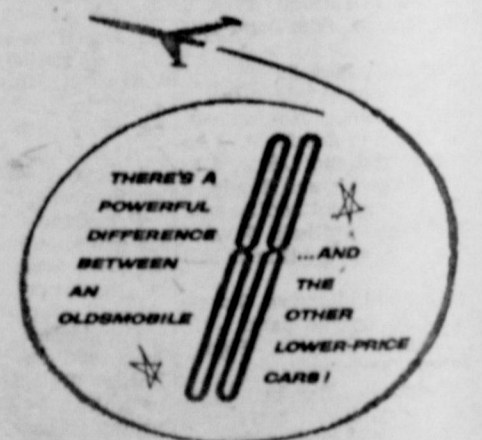
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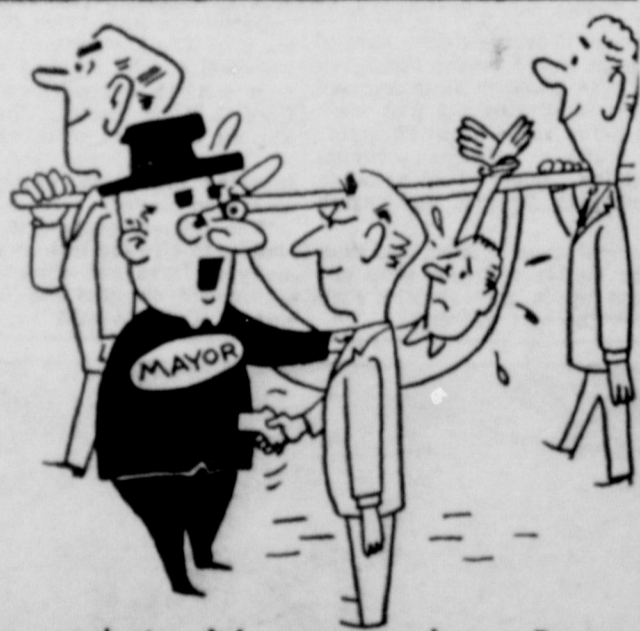
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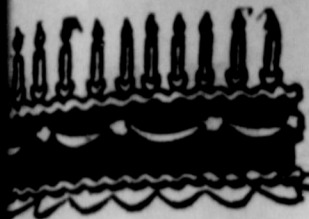
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One Year Ago in Slaton

Friday will be a big, big day in Slaton, one to be long remembered by the boys of Little League age. This will be the day the first Little League baseball game will be played. Also there will be a parade and a picnic to begin the season.

Lee Ham, a senior of 1956, was installed as president of the local FFA at an informal dinner held recently at Reagen's in Lubbock.

J. H. Brewer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer, of this city will be among the 150 graduating seniors at the University of Texas at Medical Branch in Galveston at commencement exercises to be held on June 3. Brewer will intern at City County Hospital in Fort Worth following his graduation.

C. T. Reed, operator of Reed's Service Station on S. 9th St., retired this week after 14 years in business in Slaton.

Harold Trout, 1955 graduate of Slaton High School and star athlete, has announced that he will attend Texas Tech and will be a candidate for the Red Raider freshman football team.

Bob Lambert of Slaton has been named a commander in the Tech AFROTIC unit. He is cadet captain of Squadron B.

Miss Barbara Grigsby was third place winner in the state in an essay contest on the need for hiring handicapped persons.

A Highway Safety Award for contributing to traffic safety has been presented to Doc Crow Chevrolet by the Texas Automotive Dealers Association.

Janet Alderson and Bobby Taylor were united in marriage in the First Methodist Church on Sunday, May 22.

Miss Carrall Ann Mann and Miss Jeanette Burrell shared the FHA "Girl of the Month" honors for the month of May.

Miss Viola Walton won the honor of being FHA "Girl of the Year" by earning the most points in the club work of the year.

Five Years Ago in Slaton Taken From May 25, 1951

Mrs. Weldon Meador, the former Dorothy Davis, and Frank B. Todd are two of approximately 450 students who will receive degrees at North Texas State College June 3. A large group of Slaton residents are to receive degrees from Texas Tech. Those receiving bachelor degrees are Charles LeRoy Cade, Edgar Jordan Nash, Samuel Turner Phillips Jr., Richard Lee Vardy, LaVern Albert Curry, Mary Leonard Herral, Bevis Armore Hanna Jr., Jimmy Lee Hansen, Durwood Daniel Crawford, John Thomas Hall, Roland J. Schuette Jr., William Tenneyson Gregory. Receiving Masters are Annie Elizabeth Bostick, Malcolm Keith Sanders, and Francis Earl Green.

Eugene German, who graduated from high school last Friday, left on Tuesday for Albuquerque, N. Mex., where he will report to the navy recruiting center to take his physical examination.

Pfc. Cecil Tefertiller has finished his training at Radio Mechanics at Scott Air Force Base, Ill., and is now stationed at March Field, Calif.

Mrs. Ray Conner spent several days last week visiting with relatives in Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Tefertiller announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Phillis Jean, to W. J. Jenkins. The marriage will take place this summer.

Miss Jergy Jean Abernathy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Abernathy, became the bride of James Hubbard on Saturday May 19.

Ten Years Ago in Slaton Taken From May 24, 1946

The Rev. W. F. Ferguson, who has been holding revival meetings in Florida, has returned to Slaton and will take over his duties again at the Baptist Church.

Census Bureau Reports Findings On Service Firms

(Editor's Note: The following report came to us from the United States Bureau of the Census and is a preliminary report covering service trades within this community in 1954.)

Receipts of 45 service establishments enumerated in Slaton in the 1954 Census of Business amounted to about \$546,000, according to a preliminary report covering service trades, published by the Bureau of Census, U. S. Department of Commerce.

The combined yearly payroll of the community's service establishments was \$129,000. They reported 72 employees of whom 55 worked fulltime in the pay period ending nearest November 15. Proprietors actively employed in the operation of unincorporated businesses numbered 47.

Establishments providing personal services numbered 22 and reported receipts of \$266,000. Establishments primarily engaged in automobile repair, parking and other automotive services numbered seven and had receipts of \$89,000.

Establishments listed as "all other service" in the preliminary report numbered 16 and had receipts of \$200,000.

The "personal services" group included such business as barber and beauty shops, cleaning and dyeing plants, laundries and laundry services, garment alteration

and repair services, funeral services, photographic studios, shoe repair shops and shine parlors, as well as other personal services.

"Automotive services" groups include general automobile repair shops, battery service shops, tire repair shops, body repair and paint shops, automobile rentals, storage garages, parking lots, auto sundries, and other miscellaneous automotive services.

"All other selected services" classification includes business services, miscellaneous repair services, amusement and recreation services, motion picture, hotels, tourist courts, motels and camps.

Mr and Mrs Francis Perry spent the week end with their son, Richard Perry, at Albuquerque, New Mexico. They were accompanied by Mrs Perry's sister, Mrs H. W. Cooper, of Arlington.



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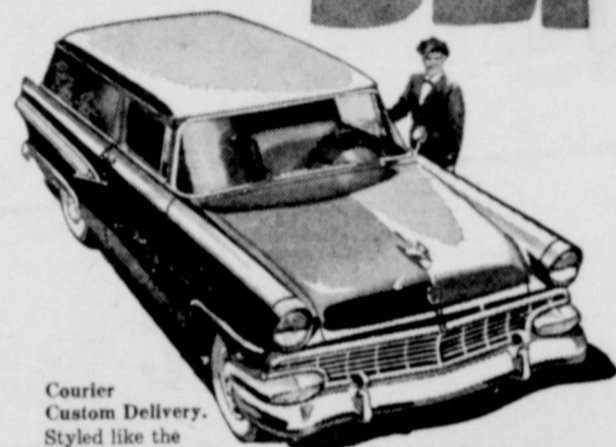
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High is charged with "deliberate and flagrant violation of the automobile insurance rate statute."

Stock Fraud Charged

Two Austin companies are defending themselves in district court here against charges of fraudulent stock selling.

A temporary restraining order is sought by the State against American Guaranty Underwriters, Inc., and the Karisch Company, Inc.

Calvin C. Huffman, American Guaranty president, denied the charges. His company was issued 25,000 shares of Karisch stock to cover a \$9,500 loan, he said.

"No stock of the Karisch Co. was sold to the public," said Huffman. "Nor have any of the officers named received any commissions."

In its allegations the state accused American Guaranty of collecting "gross and exorbitant commissions" on stock sales.

Insurance Change Sought

Just how valuable are treatments with fire-resistant chemicals, when it comes to reducing insurance risks? This question will be decided by the Texas Insurance Commission.

Texas Chemical Fireproofing Co. has asked that insurance credit on chemically fireproofed public buildings be extended from 15 to 25 per cent. Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo, representing the company, made the application.

A group of casualty companies, represented by the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, opposes the change.

Election Law Change Viewed

A movement to insure reporters the right to cover precinct conventions may be spearheaded by the Texas Press Association.

Under the Texas Election Code only a qualified voter in the precinct may "vote, be present at, or participate in, the business of such a convention."

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Three precinct chairmen in Travis County refused reporters admission to conventions this year.

Short Shorts

One of its biggest annual undertakings, helping some 9,000 high school graduates find jobs, is now under way by the Texas Employment Commission. Last year TEC placed about 52 per cent of the 8,445 graduates . . . Texas' cotton harvest was 281 pounds per acre—the highest since 1866, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture . . . State recoveries in veterans land suits are approaching the million dollar mark . . . Texas railroads won another round in their battle to by-pass the Texas Railroad Commission. The Third Court of Civil Appeals upheld the railroad's right to negotiate directly with the Federal government in setting rates for intra-state contracts . . . Texas' traffic deaths totaled 2,547 persons in 1955. Major causes of fatal rural accidents were excessive speed, 62 per cent, and drinking, 37 per cent . . . Sen. Price Daniel, now a candidate for governor, has selected Joe R. Greenhill of Austin as state campaign manager. Greenhill once served as first assistant attorney general under Daniel. Bill Daniel of Liberty, the candidate's brother, will head the speakers bureau . . . Maurice R. Bullock, president of the State Bar of Texas, will attend a nation-wide conference on "congestion in the courts," May 21-22 in Washington, D. C. So acute is the situation nationally that numerous cases are not brought to trial until many years after they are filed.



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Belcher's 321 points were adjudged by assistant county agent Cecil Lewis, to be the highest ever shot at a District Two meet. Jones took 319 points to break the record, which he himself set the year before at the meet, and was named second high individual scorer in the contest.

Kincer was third high individual with a total of 252 points. Alternate shooter for the team was Charles Ghillum of Frenship. He had a total of 148 points. Assistant county agent Lewis is coach for the team. The match was refereed by Louis Herring of Post.

A dried piece of orange rind in the tea cannister adds a fine flavor.

Mr and Mrs Bill Alspaugh had as guests Sunday Mr Alspaugh's brother, James Alspaugh and Mrs Alspaugh of Lubbock and Mr and Mrs Roy Schluter of Ralls.

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Ben B. High of Houston has been directed to appear before the Texas Insurance Commission on May 23, to show cause why all his outstanding agents' licenses should not be revoked.

On the following day Canal Insurance Co. of Greenville, S. C. will be asked to show cause why its license to do business in Texas should not be revoked. High is general agent for the company in Texas.

High is charged with "deliberate and flagrant violation of the automobile insurance rate statute."

Stock Fraud Charged
Two Austin companies are defending themselves in district court here against charges of fraudulent stock selling.

A temporary restraining order is sought by the State against American Guaranty Underwriters, Inc., and the Karisch Company, Inc.

Calvin C. Huffman, American Guaranty president, denied the charges. His company was issued 25,000 shares of Karisch stock to cover a \$9,500 loan, he said.

"No stock of the Karisch Co. was sold to the public," said Huffman. "Nor have any of the officers named received any commissions."

In its allegations the state accused American Guaranty of collecting "gross and exorbitant commissions" on stock sales.

Insurance Change Sought
Just how valuable are treatments with fire-resistant chemicals, when it comes to reducing insurance risks? This question will be decided by the Texas Insurance Commission.

Texas Chemical Fireproofing Co. has asked that insurance credit on chemically fireproofed public buildings be extended from 15 to 25 per cent. Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo, representing the company, made the application.

A group of casualty companies, represented by the Texas Insurance Advisory Association, opposes the change.

Election Law Change Viewed
A movement to insure reporters the right to cover precinct conventions may be spearheaded by the Texas Press Association.

Under the Texas Election Code only a qualified voter in the precinct may "vote, be present at, or participate in, the business of such a convention."

TPA President Russell W. Bryant has suggested deletion of the words "be present at" from the

Mr. Mrs. H. E. Atnip and Mr. Mrs. Paul Randolph of Lubbock visited points of interest in New Mexico Sunday which included Belen, Sandia Crest, Mounfainair Portales, and Albuquerque.

Mrs. Geneva Brake of Ft. Worth arrived Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Maxey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ayers visited Mr. Ayers' father Mr. J. M. Ayers of Lubbock Sunday.

law. He indicated the matter would probably be considered at the TPA convention in Amarillo next month.

Three precinct chairmen in Travis County refused reporters admission to conventions this year.

Short Shorts
One of its biggest annual undertakings, helping some 9,000 high school graduates find jobs, is now under way by the Texas Employment Commission. Last year TEC placed about 52 per cent of the 8,445 graduates . . . Texas' cotton harvest was 281 pounds per acre—the highest since 1866, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture . . . State recoveries in veterans land suits are approaching the million dollar mark . . . Texas railroads won another round in their battle to by-pass the Texas Railroad Commission. Last year TEC placed about 52 per cent of the 8,445 graduates . . . Texas' cotton harvest was 281 pounds per acre—the highest since 1866, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture . . . State recoveries in veterans land suits are approaching the million dollar mark . . . Texas railroads won another round in their battle to by-pass the Texas Railroad Commission. The Third Court of Civil Appeals upheld the railroad's right to negotiate directly with the Federal government in setting rates for intrastate contracts . . . Texas' traffic deaths totaled 2,547 persons in 1955. Major causes of fatal rural accidents were excessive speed, 62 per cent, and drinking, 37 per cent . . . Sen. Price Daniel, now a candidate for governor, has selected Joe R. Greenhill of Austin as state campaign manager. Greenhill once served as first assistant attorney general under Daniel, Bill Daniel of Liberty, the candidate's brother, Maurice R. Bullock, president of the State Bar of Texas, will attend a nation-wide conference on "congestion in the courts," May 21-22 in Washington, D. C. So acute is the situation nationally that numerous cases are not brought to trial until many years after they are filed.



THESE LUBBOCK COUNTY 4-H CLUB MEMBERS took first place honors Saturday in rifle shooting at the district two 4-H Club contests in Lubbock. Left to right are Cecil Lewis, coach and assistant county agent; Joe Bob Jones, Stiles Belcher, and Dale Kincer, all of Slaton.

SLATON YOUTHS WIN 4-H CLUB RIFLE MATCH

Three Slaton youths took first place in rifle shooting at the annual District Two 4-H Club contests held at Texas Tech May 19. The three, Joe Bob Jones, Stiles Belcher, and Dale Kincer, represented the Lubbock County 4-H Club. As a team the boys amassed a total of 892 points in the meet.

Belcher's 321 points were adjudged by assistant county agent Cecil Lewis, to be the highest ever shot at a District Two meet. Jones took 319 points to break the record, which he himself set the year before at the meet, and was named second high individual scorer in the contest.

Kincer was third high individual with a total of 252 points. Alternate shooter for the team was Charles Ghillum of Frenship. He had a total of 148 points. Assistant county agent Lewis is coach for the team. The match was refereed by Louis Herring of Post.

A dried piece of orange rind in the tea canister adds a fine flavor.

Mr and Mrs Bill Alspaugh had as guests Sunday Mr Alspaugh's brother, James Alspaugh and Mrs Alspaugh of Lubbock and Mr and Mrs Roy Schluter of Ralls.

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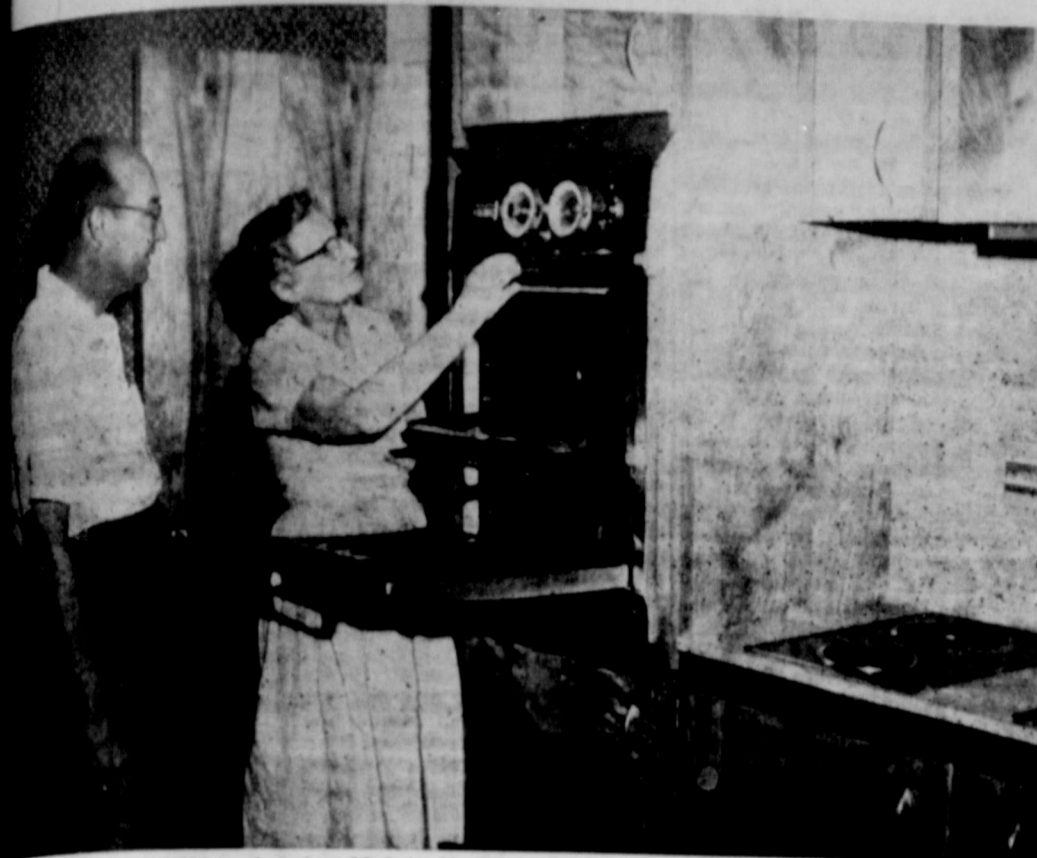
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Mrs. H. E. ANDERSON is showing Melvin Kunkel the broiler in her conveniently located all-oven in the all-electric kitchen in her home at 750 So. 17th St., Slaton. Kunkel is manager of the Southwestern Public Service Company in Slaton. The Anderson home is an excellent example of an adequately wired or as Kunkel puts it "house powered" home.

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Inadequate Wiring Results in Poor Electric Efficiency

When Southwestern Public Service Company speaks of house wiring it means adequate wiring. It means wiring in which the owners get performance from every appliance and full efficiency from every lamp. To do this, electrical wiring in the home must be planned with the full, rated power needs.

Such a home is the one owned by Mrs. H. E. Anderson at 750 So. 17th St. The home has 18 electrical circuits which will enable her to take care of their electrical needs.

Several things of importance have been planned for in the home, and adequate "service entrance" enough circuits for lights over the house, and for convenience—outlets everywhere. In addition there are individual circuits for each appliance in the home—including range, dishwasher, dryer, refrigerator-freezer and room for air conditioning.

Enough electric switches and outlets conveniently located for different rooms of the home make for convenient living.

In her all-electric kitchen Mrs. Anderson has only to flip a switch and she has heat at her fingertips, in her table top burners which are located at table-top height. Her oven is built into the wall at a waist high level, eliminating wasted floor space.

All her cooking appliances operate on electricity—from coffee pot, and food blender, to dish washer.

The entire kitchen, according to Melvin Kunkel, district manager of the local Southwestern Public Service Company, is an excellent example of what adequate wiring can do for the home.

"Equipment can't work efficiently for the houseowner if it's

starved because of wire too small to carry electricity, Kunkel stated. "Planning for adequate wiring, switching and outlets pays off in other ways as well. It means increased safety, greater convenience, and the end of unsightly tangles of extension cords cluttering your home."

It's easy to see what makes wiring adequate or inadequate when one compares the flow of electricity into the home with the flow of water through pipes. There is a main "pipe" outside the home, carrying electricity supplied by the electric power company. There is always plenty of power there—the trick is to get enough into the home, and to get it distributed where it is wanted and needed most within the home.

First the "pipes" or wires that lead off from the main line have got to be big enough to deliver all the electricity the home needs. That is why the "service entrance" has to have enough capacity. Inside the home, the wires or "pipes" have to be big enough to supply as much power as the electric equipment in the home needs. Small wires restrict the flow of electricity, just as small pipes restrict the flow of water.

The trouble begins when the home owner tries to use more appliances than he has adequately wired for. When a wire that carries electricity for a toaster has to distribute its power to run a coffee maker too, each appliance gets only part of the power it needs. Resulting in a "voltage drop," and neither appliance works efficiently—or a fuse blows—a sign that the wiring is overloaded.

"Should you plan to build a home Southwestern Public Service Company has available, free of charge, specialists in lighting, power and kitchen planning. These trained specialists will help the home planner in any way possible with electrical needs and requirements.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob. Hamilton and daughter of Detroit spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliot.

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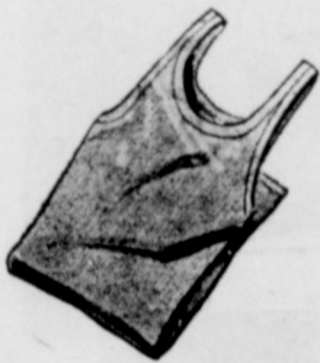
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Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball went to Amarillo Sunday and visited with their daughter Mrs. James M. Barton and Mrs. Ball's sister Mrs. O. M. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor of Southland, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Young of Thohoka, and Mr. Ellis of Southland.



TELEPHONE TALK

by J. C. Oakley, Manager

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When the cards came back with your answers, we were happy to see that most of you said: "Service is very good, well satisfied with it." And it was good hearing it from you, because we'll all admit that nobody knows more about your service than you do.

We also got a few complaints—thanks for telling us about them—and we tried to clear those up in a hurry so that everyone in Slaton would be satisfied with their telephone service.

Meanwhile, don't hesitate if something's bothering you right now about your telephone service. Just call the telephone company. We'd like to know about it—and we'll try to do something about it, too.

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To order an extension, just call the telephone company. The cost of an extension in your home is only \$1.00 a month, plus a one-time installation charge of \$1.75.

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Pony League Baseball Season To Start May 28

Pony League baseball will get underway in Slaton May 28 when the Red Sox meet the Braves in the season opener at Pony League Ball Park. The games will be scheduled so that they will begin each night following the completion of the Little League games.

Managers, teams, and their sponsors were selected at a recent meeting and include A. D. Howard, Tigers; Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen; Glen Akin, Cubs; Campbell Gin; Pete Williams, Braves; Ray C. Ayers, Slaton Pharmacy; and Williams Buick; and T. M. Wright, Red Sox, Citizens State Bank, Methodist Church, and the Coop Gin.

Tom Claiborne was also selected to head a committee to choose score keepers for the season's play. Membership cards will be sold later on, according to Mrs. Frank Chapple, reporter.

A schedule of games to be played

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Pfc. Bobby Norris son of Mr. Mrs. C. H. Norris arrived home Friday for a three weeks leave. He has been stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington and is en route to an assignment to the 8621st Defense Unit, Tokyo, Japan. He is to report to Oakland Army Terminal, Oakland Calif. for shipment June 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Austin are visiting in the home of Mr. Austin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Austin. Others visiting in their home Sunday for a family get-together included Mrs. Fincher of Austin, Mrs. Earl Matney and children, Gary, Gay, and Jane, Mrs. Sidney Anderson of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson of Lubbock, Mrs. L. L. Lively, Gloria Jean and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry and Pam.

In up-coming season includes May 29—Cubs vs. Tigers
June 1—Cubs vs. Red Sox
June 4—Red Sox vs. Cubs
June 5—Braves vs. Tigers
June 7—Tigers vs. Cubs
June 8—Braves vs. Red Sox
June 11—Red Sox vs. Tigers
June 12—Braves vs. Cubs
June 14—Tigers vs. Braves
June 15—Cubs vs. Red Sox
June 18—Red Sox vs. Braves
June 19—Cubs vs. Tigers
June 21—Tigers vs. Red Sox
June 22—Cubs vs. Braves
June 25—Red Sox vs. Cubs
June 26—Braves vs. Tigers
June 28—Tigers vs. Cubs
June 29—Braves vs. Red Sox
July 2—Red Sox vs. Tigers
July 3—Braves vs. Cubs
July 5—Tigers vs. Braves
July 6—Cubs vs. Red Sox
July 9—Red Sox vs. Braves
July 10—Cubs vs. Tigers
July 12—Tigers vs. Red Sox
July 13—Cubs vs. Braves
July 16—Red Sox vs. Cubs
July 17—Braves vs. Tigers
July 19—Tigers vs. Cubs
July 20—Braves vs. Red Sox
July 23—Red Sox vs. Tigers
July 24—Braves vs. Cubs
July 26—Tigers vs. Braves
July 27—Cubs vs. Red Sox

WANT ADS GET RESULTS



What They Write

To The Slatonite.

The Westview Baptist Church of Slaton has given a great help to the Mexican Baptist Mission by sending the WMU counselors and some other ladies who brought a number of children from the Westview Church to give a demonstration to the Mexican children on the organization of the three departments of WMU.

Rev. Wilson Ross, brother of the Rev. Bryan Ross, pastor of the Westview Church, who has worked as a missionary among the Spanish speaking people led the singing in Spanish and then led a prayer.

Rev. Ross, then called Domingo Chapa, leader of the RA and Miss E'da Vaca, leader of GA and Miss Rebecca Lopez, leader of the Sunbeams to take charge of their departments.

The chairmen of the program committee of the Westview organizations of RA, GA, and Sunbeams gave a good demonstration of the work and workings of every department. It was a good lesson for the Mexican children and left the members of the Mexican Mission with a good impression of how well the girls and boys and ladies presented the program.

The First Baptist Church is planning to give a good cooperation to the Mission and the Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of that church are interested in getting a principal and teacher for the VBS of the Mexican Mission. The Mexican Baptist Mission of Slaton is expecting to get a great cooperation from Rev. Bolding and the American Baptist people of Slaton and some others.

After the demonstration of Westview Baptist church was over they gave a good refreshment to the Mexican children.

Mrs. E. Gardenas Church Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allred have as their guests this week their daughter Mrs. Charles Stotts and children Vickie Lynn and Doug. They are here to attend the graduation exercises of Mrs. Stotts' sister, Martha Allred Basinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Ayers had as their guest last week Mrs. Opal Hightower of Austin, who is a former resident of Slaton.

IT'S THE LAW

Our Prisons Face an Emergency

O. B. Ellis, General Manager Texas Prison System

The two most serious problems facing the Texas Prison System are provisions for adequate housing for an ever-increasing prison population and those created by the criminally insane and the mentally irresponsible.

The prison population in Texas has increased more rapidly than that in most states due to the fact that the general population is increasing because of favorable economic conditions. Another factor is that there is a definite rural-to-urban shift. During the past eight years the population of the state has increased 20%, while the population of the Texas Prison System has increased 75%. Since 1947, the inmate population in Texas has grown from 5,098 to 8,900.

In the years before 1947, the Prison System of Texas was recognized as one of the worst in the country; but now, due to better facilities, more efficient operation, and a better administrative setup, it is recognized as being among the first five or six of all states.

The facilities of the Texas Prison System are badly overcrowded. Stacking men too close together breeds trouble. There is every indication that the inmate population will continue to increase and at approximately the same rate. We have every reason to believe that by 1961—only five years from now—the prison population will be 12,000. Housing units cannot be built overnight. Every good executive plans for the future of his business. We would be derelict in our duty if we did not anticipate our problems of the future and try to devise ways to meet them.

It is the belief of the Prison Board members and the prison staff that provisions must be made for an immediate and long-range housing program. In this planning we have tried to make full utilization of existing structures and have kept in mind operating manpower and economies of operation. Land-man ratio has also been taken into account.

The space contemplated in the long-range program provides housing for 3,459 additional men. If the prison population continues to increase at the same rate as during the past three years—and every indication is that it will—it would be only five years and two months before the new facilities would be used to full capacity. The additional facilities are not just desirable; they are imperative.

Texas is very conservative in comparison with what other states are spending, both as a total figure and on a per-man basis. One of the states bordering Texas, with

approximately one-third the prison population of Texas, has spent in the last four years \$7,500,000 for a new prison. Another state bordering Texas, with a prison population 10% of ours, is spending \$6,500,000 for a new prison.

Prison authorities are of the opinion that approximately 75% of the inmate population should be housed in single cells. At present only about 25% of the prison population in Texas can be housed in this manner. Long-range planning provides for housing approximately 45% in individual cells.

Both the Prison Board and the Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools have serious problems in dealing with the criminally insane who present real hazards to both systems, and neither has facilities for dealing with them. The mentally irresponsible create a majority of the problems which arise. Facilities and an adequate staff are lacking for proper care and treatment.

The courts are sending to the Prison System many men who are insane, have been in insane hospitals in the past, or who are seriously maladjusted from a mental standpoint. Prison is not the place for them, but the courts are in a dilemma, since there is no place available for their adequate custody or treatment.

At present, the Texas Legislative Council is making a study of the problem of caring for the criminally insane. There is need in Texas for a separate hospital for these people in order to reduce the problems of both the Prison System and the hospitals.

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the Prison Board by appropriate monies to develop the Prison System. The press and civic and church organizations have also assisted the rehabilitation program of the Prison System.

The Texas Prison System compares with the best prisons in respects, but it is sadly inadequate in housing facilities.

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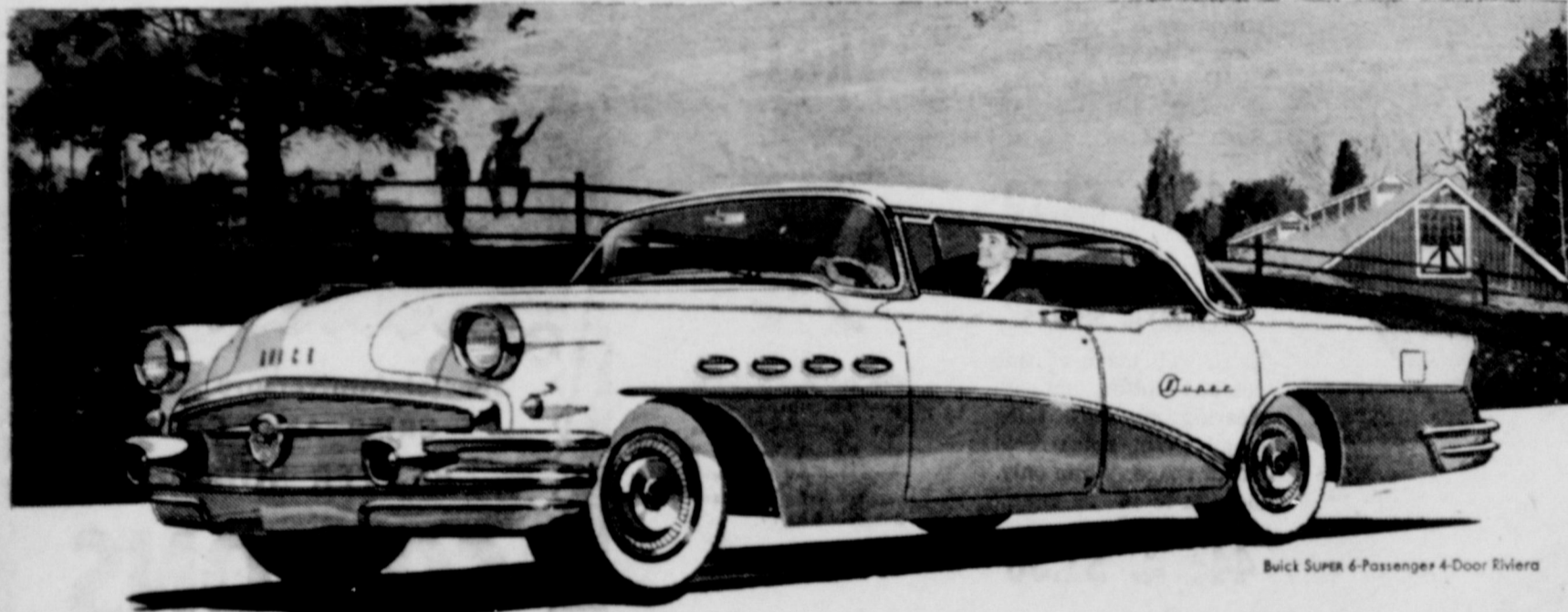
Seems to me the much talked of economy in government is a little like the woman who spends \$2 for a wash dress and then has to have a \$300 washing machine to wash it in.

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Bride Complimented By Coffee in Finley Home Friday

Another of the pre-bridal parties was given honoring Mrs. Billy E. Brantley, the former Ruby Jo Brantley, when Mrs. Gordon Burrell, Mrs. Joe Rhoads and Mrs. T. T. Finley entertained in the Finley home Friday morning, May 18, with a coffee.

The serving table was laid with white cutwork Madeira cloth which was centered with a flower basket filled with pink roses and white baby's-breath to carry out the bride's chosen colors of pink and white. A silver coffee service was also featured on the table.

Mrs. Rhoads served at the coffee service.

The hostess presented the honorarium with a gift of silver. Twelve guests called.

Clara Pratt Gives Slaton HD Club Program Wednesday

Miss Clara Pratt, Lubbock County home demonstration agent, gave the program at the Slaton Home Demonstration Club meeting Wednesday, May 16, when they met in the Clubhouse.

She demonstrated the making of jelly rolls and sponge cakes. The hostesses, Mrs. C. W. Jennings and Mrs. R. C. Hall, served punch with the jelly rolls made in the demonstration.

Those present were Mesdames W. H. Long, Alton Meeks, Clea Young, E. W. Stokes, C. B. Long, T. A. Johnson, G. R. Evans, E. E. Wilson, Robert Meeks, Delma Hodge, T. G. McEvers, Hall and Jennings and Miss Pratt.

At the next meeting on June 6, Mrs. G. R. Evans will make children's pies.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS SET BAKE SALE FOR SATURDAY

The Catholic Daughters are sponsoring a bake sale tomorrow, Saturday, beginning at 9 a. m., at the Drive In Food Market. The proceeds are to go toward buying uniforms for Brownie Troop 3 and Girl Scout Troop 10. These troops have been recently organized and sponsored by the Catholic Daughters.

Mrs. Louie Melcher says they will appreciate the cooperation of all townspeople in this worthwhile project.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Keys had as their week-end guests their daughter Mrs. D. A. Brown and Mr. Brown of Amarillo.

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Wedding Vows Read For Jerry Short - George Hester

Miss Jerry Arletta Short, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Short, became the bride of George Owen Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hester of Post, Friday morning, May 11.

M. Norvel Young read the double ring ceremony in the chapel of the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock.

Bride's Costume

The bride wore a white Honan pure silk street-length dress fashioned with a fitted bodice finished with a tiny beaded collar at the boat neckline. The bouffant skirt was a mass of tiny pleats held by a beaded belt. Her hat was white, as were the remainder of her accessories. Her flowers were white carnations.

To carry out tradition she wore her mother's ring for something old; for something borrowed, her hat from her attendant; something new, her dress; and something blue, a garter. She also had a penny in her shoe.

The attendants for the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hayes. Mrs. Hayes wore a light blue linen suit, trimmed in white, with white accessories and wore a white carnation corsage.

Breakfast Held

A breakfast was given for the wedding party in the Great Plains Life Insurance Building immediately following the ceremony. For the wedding trip to Amarillo, the bride chose a gray and white checked gingham dress and white accessories.

Mrs. Hester is a graduate of Slaton High School and attended Abilene Christian College and Texas Tech. She has been employed in the office of the Frontier Stamp Redemption Center in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Post High School and following two years in the U. S. Army is a pumpjack for General Crude Oil Co. at Post where they will make their home.

Guests present for the wedding were Mrs. Ruby Woods, the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Byron Johnson, Mrs. Flo Stenson and R. A. Thompson Jr.

Mrs. Mildred Lokey To Present Piano Pupils Saturday

Mrs. Mildred Lokey is presenting her piano pupils in recital tomorrow, Saturday, May 26, at 7:30 p. m., in the Slaton High School Auditorium.

Pupils to be presented are Vicki Kirksey, Peggy Kirksey, Rodney Banks, Garry Peebles, Belinda Becker, Josephine Reyes, Betty Clark, Beverly Stolle, Karen Bowlerman, David Childers, Patricia Love and Carol Stolle.

Miss Shirley Love will offer a vocal selection and a May Pole Dance will be presented by Joyce Clark, Paula Dunn, Mark Todd, Gary Glascock, Wesley Meyer and Steve Haliburton.

Mrs. Lokey invites the public to attend this recital.

Class Coffee Compliments Mrs. Willard Hedges In Davis Home Thursday

A coffee was held in the home of Mrs. Gordon Davis Thursday, May 17, complimenting Mrs. Willard Hedges, who moved to Frisco this week.

The Fidelis Matrons Class of the First Baptist Church presented her with a towel set as a going away gift.

Those who attended were the honoree and Mesdames Truett Bownds, Lynn Perdue, Paul Melton, Bob Clodfelter, A. L. Romines, Ray Samples, Floyd Guelker and N. L. Cress.

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Helen Anne Norris

To climax a year of outstanding achievements in Future Homemakers of America, Miss Helen Anne Norris has won the FHA "Girl of the Year" award, having become eligible for this honor by being girl of the month for October. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norris.

She amassed between 700 and 800 points this year in FHA work and has been a very busy girl with other activities. She was elected Area I president of FHA this spring, was third vice president in the local chapter this year, and was a member of the annual staff.

Helen Anne has been chosen as a majorette for next year and will be the Area I official representative to the national FHA Convention in Chicago this summer. She is a member of the State FHA Executive Council and has a Rainbow "A" certificate.

A member of the First Baptist Church, she takes an active part in the youth activities of the church also.

By winning this award Helen Anne will have a full page picture in the annual.

REHEARSAL DINNER FOR LAMB-BRANTLEY WEDDING PARTY HELD AT PLAINSMAN HOTEL

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brantley were hosts at the rehearsal dinner for the Lamb-Brantley wedding party Monday evening, May 21, in the Wedgewood Room of the Plainsman Hotel.

The large U-shaped table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and white peonies placed on a styrofoam base with a miniature bride and groom. Pink candles completed the setting. The place cards bore small gold wedding bands.

Those attending were the honored couple, Miss Ruby Jo Lamb and Billy E. Brantley, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Stephens of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Traugott and Shannon of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Robertson of Lubbock, the Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding and Rebecca, Mrs. Webber Williams, Miss Juanita Wood, John Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Dawson and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamb, father and mother of the bride-to-be, all of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greer, Mrs. Brantley, grandmother of the groom, Vickie Brantley, sister of the prospective groom and the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Brantley, all of Dallas.

Mrs. Roy Murphy and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Snyder visiting with Mr. Murphy. Monday and Tuesday they visited Mrs. Murphy's parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ingram at their cabin at Oak Creek lake near Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Karnagay of Plainview were Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds. They brought Perry McReynolds who is visiting this with the R. E. McReynolds this week.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

HAPPY SMILING FACES were very commonplace at the Homemaking II party for pre-school children which was held Tuesday, May 15, in the homemaking department at high school. This was a climax to the child development study the class has engaged in. Members of the class shown in the back above are, left to right, Beverley Kercheval, Pam Maxey, Monty Dickson, Mary Jane Lovelady, Linda Smith, Della Scoggins, Charlotte Ferguson, Kay Castleberry, Dorothy Heaton and Sandra Long. Their guests were Betty Belote, Tony Privett, Jay Mac Hudgins, Steve and Dickie Wilkenson, Dale Lovelady, Don Smith, Jackie Clark, John Otis Gunter, Louis and Rebecca Bowerman, Susan Dawson, Ann Ayers and Darlene Jones. The room was decorated with large teddy bears and circus figures. Refreshments were served and games were played by the children.

Ruby Jo Lamb Becomes Bride of Billy Brantley Tuesday

The First Baptist Church was the setting for the wedding of Miss Ruby Jo Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamb of Slaton, and Billy E. Brantley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brantley of Dallas, Tuesday, May 22, at seven thirty o'clock in the evening. The ceremony was read by the Rev. J. T. Bolding.

Emerald leaves and palms banked the altar rail which was centered with an archway covered with greenery and majestic daisies flanked by candelabra of pink cathedral tapers and baskets of white gladioli and pink daisies.

Traditional nuptial music for the double-ring ceremony was presented by Mrs. Webber Williams, organist, and Wayland Stephens of Lubbock, soloist.

Bride Given by Father

Pink candles and pink and white flowers at the pews marked the aisle when the bride approached the altar on the arm of her father. She appeared in an original model gown of white imported French lace and nylon tulle over net and satin, designed with a portrait neckline with appliques of lace embroidered with iridescent sequins and pearls holding ruffles of pleated tulle.

The fitted tulle bodice had tiny puffed sleeves enhanced with embroidered appliques of lace and wide midriff of lace with a point accenting the waistline. From this stemmed a magnificent skirt made of tulle, fully shirred. The bottom edge was outlined with a wide ruffle of pleated tulle headed by applied lace points. The immense fullness of tulle, net and satin swept into a small chapel train at back. Hoops and crinolines were worn underneath to emphasize the fullness. Gantlets worn over the hands completed the costume.

Her veil of illusion was joined to a Plateau cap of pleated lace and tulle embroidered with iridescent sequins and seed pearls to match her gown. She carried a crescent of white roses, stephanotis and pearls centered with a white orchid tied with wedding streamers.

Sister Is Maid of Honor

Mrs. Leo Robertson of Lubbock, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a bouffant waltz-length gown of pink mist tissue taffeta fashioned with a fitted bodice accented with pleated insets, a scoop neckline, brief sleeves and matching short mitts. A tiny petal covered hat held a round net veil. She carried a crescent bouquet of phalaenopsis and pink daisies.

Other Attendants

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Don Kendrick of Slaton and Mrs. Bill Greer of Dallas. Their gowns were identically styled to that of the matron of honor and they carried nosegays of pink and white Marguerite daisies. Junior bridesmaid was Vickie Brantley of Dallas, sister of the groom. Miss Nita Wood of Lubbock and Miss Rebecca Bolding of Brownwood acted as candlelighters and wore gowns identical to all of the other attendants, including the flower girl, little Miss Shannon Traugott of Amherst. The junior bridesmaid carried a nosegay of pink sweetheart roses and white daisies. Candlelighters wore white daisies and the flower girl wore a headband of pink rose buds.

Mrs. Lamb chose for her daughter's wedding a dress of tulle over net and taffeta in a shade of soft aqua. It was fashioned with a portrait neckline and fitted bodice with tiny shirred sleeves. The full circular skirt was embroidered with sequins and pearls and held with a tailored belt at the waist-

line. She wore a pink lace hat dotted with pearls and matching shoes and gloves.

Best Man of Dallas

Serving the groom as best man was Bill Greer of Dallas. Ushers were Don Kendrick and Philip Dawson of Slaton and Jack and Jim Whit of Duncan, Okla.

Reception Follows

At the reception held in Fellowship Hall at the church immediately following the ceremony, the bride's table was laid with a white Maderia linen cloth placed over pink and centered with pink peonies flanked by tapers in silver candelabra. A three-tiered heart-shaped wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and decorated with pink rose buds was placed on a reflector and served by Mrs. Tom McCain. Mrs. Wayland Stephens presided at the punch bowl and Miss Patsy Holloman registered the guests.

Music during the reception was furnished by Mrs. James D. Perkins and Miss Pam Maxey. Others in the reception house party were Mesdames Judge C. Smith, George Harlan, Edward Caldwell, Truett Bownds, Wayne Liles, J. C. Smith



Mrs. Billy E. Brantley

line. She wore a pink lace hat dotted with pearls and matching shoes and gloves.

Mesdames Jack Clark, L. T. Kincaid, A. L. Sage, M. H. Lassiter, J. J. Maxey, Floyd Guelker, N. R. Boyce, Linton Pruitt, Grady Haliburton, George Taylor and Dudley Berry.

Wedding Trip Plans

For a week's wedding trip to points in New Mexico, the bride chose a mauve pink dress with hand beading on the cuffs and collar and was hand tailored in a dressmaker style. She wore white accessories and a white orchid corsage. Following the wedding trip the couple will be at home in Dallas.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School and Isbell's University of Beauty Culture in Lubbock. For the past two and a half years she has been associated with Eura's Beauty Shop here. The groom is a graduate of Sunset High School of Dallas and spent two years in the U. S. Navy. He is now with the City Lincoln-Mercury Co. of Dallas.

Out-of-town guests were from Dallas, Amherst, Lubbock, Brownwood, points in Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Homemakers Class Meets in Elliott Home Thursday

Mrs. J. A. Elliott and Mrs. Fannie Patterson were co-hostesses when the Homemakers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the Elliott home Thursday, May 17.

Psalm 127 was the basis for the devotion given by Mrs. J. A. Douglas. Mrs. I. C. Tucker led the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to 10 members and two visitors, Mrs. J. T. Bolding and Mrs. John Schilde of Powell, Wyo.

Past Matron's Meet In Culver Home

Mrs. E. E. Culver was hostess for the Past Matron's Club of Slaton Thursday evening, May 17, at her home at 305 W. Panhandle.

The president, Mrs. Jessie Prosser, presided over the meeting and led in the opening prayer.

A Roll call, conducted by Mrs. W. P. Layne, secretary, was answered by members naming their favorite pastimes.

Following refreshments and the social hour the meeting adjourned by the group repeating Psalm 127-14 in unison. Mrs. B. A. Hanna will be hostess for the June meeting.

ATHENIANS HOLD INSTALLATION IN DAWSON HOME WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Phillip Dawson was hostess when the Athenian Study Club met in her home Wednesday evening, May 16, for the last meeting of the club year and installation of officers.

The new officers are Mrs. L. A. Reasoner, president; Mrs. Weldon Meador, vice president; Mrs. M. G. Davis, recording secretary; Mrs. George Harlan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. B. Lain, treasurer; Mrs. H. F. Martens, reporter; Mrs. R. W. Bowman, scrap book custodian; Mrs. Stan Jaynes, parliamentarian; Mrs. C. M. McPherson, critic; and Mrs. Jerry Lovelady, auditor.

The president announced members of the following committees: telephone, calendar, entertainment, finance, civic and membership. Mrs. Brian Sartain is a new member of the club.

A gift exchange was held and roll call was answered by suggestions for programs for next year and improvements which could be made in the club.

Those present were Mesdames Reasoner, Meador, Davis, Harlan, Lain, Martens, Bowman, Jaynes, Lovelady, Surman Clark, J. E. Eckert Jr., J. D. Perkins, Jim Porter, Wayne Kenney, Dick Cheatham, and Sartain.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, May 25, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Englund and children spent the week-end at Lake Thomas.

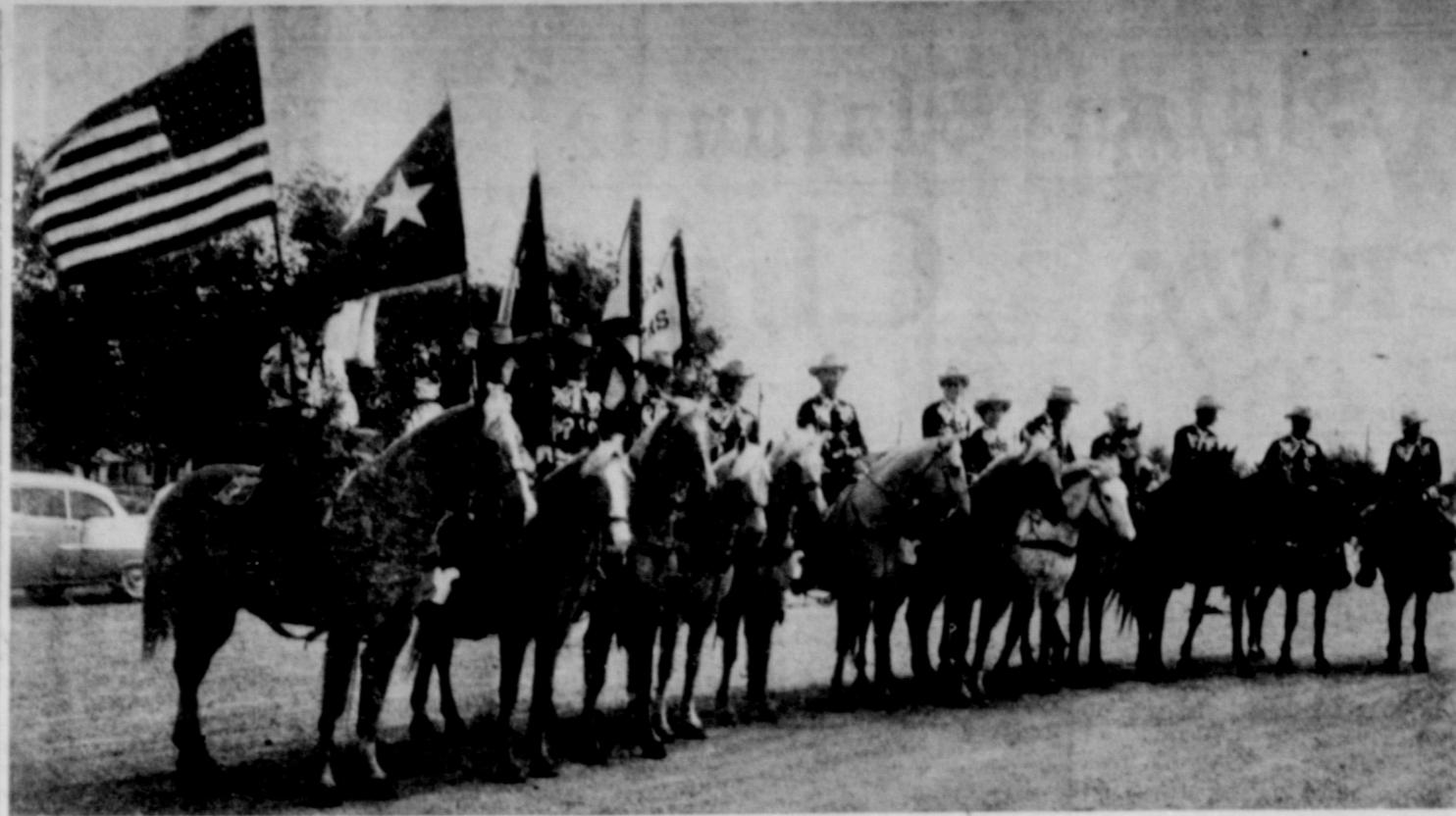
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Quote
"A small town's a place where a fellow with a black eye doesn't have to explain to people. They know!" —Augusta (Kans.) Gazette.

Mr and Mrs H. G. Stokes attended the graduation exercises for the Lamesa High School Tuesday night. Mrs Stokes' niece, Marion McDonald, was an honor graduate and was organist for the commencement exercises.

Quote
"There are several games played with rackets, including squash, tennis, and all children's." —S. S. Biddle.

The Puffin, a bird about a foot long, sheds its bill and a portion of each eyelid annually.



Slaton Rangers Often Termed Good Will Boosters On Horseback

Often called "Slaton's Ambassadors of Good Will" the Slaton Rangers have carried the name of this community far and wide over the two state areas of Texas and New Mexico. Though not a sheriff's posse in the broad sense of the term, the group enjoys all rights and privileges of a posse through its affiliation with the American Association of Sheriff's Poses and Riding Clubs.

The club was organized in 1952 following more than a year of preliminary discussion and planning by several interested horsemen in the area. The group was organized with the accent heavy on recreation and sportsmanship as well as for the purpose of teaching horsemanship, the ability to ride and the care of horses.

To become a member one must be 16 years or older and must have his horse and equipment approved by the board of directors. The aim of the organization is to keep the highest standards possible as appearance of rider and mount count heavily in parade judging.

Dues are a dollar a month with a \$5 entrance fee. Would-be rang-

ers who are under the 16 year-old age limit can become members if they are accompanied by an older male member of their family. Wives and daughters too, are eligible for membership. Information for membership can be obtained from any of the officers or directors of the organization.

Officers of the organization are J. M. Fondy, president; W. T. Joines, vice president; and J. L. Tims, secretary-treasurer. Directors are M. E. Bruedigam, F. B. Riney, and Pete Lancaster. Wagon Boss is Charlie Yates, who acts more or less as the mounted equivalent of a sergeant-at-arms for the club. Hazel Lancaster is club sweetheart.

During the four years that they have been participating in rodeos, parades, and other outings the club has received a total of 16 trophies. Judging in parades and rodeo grand entrance is based on the number of riders entered by the club, the ability of each of the members to ride and handle his horse, and the condition and appearance of his equipment and uni-

forms.

The Slaton riding club has recently purchased new uniforms, which greatly add to the appearance of the organization, according to president Fondy. The color scheme of the uniform is black and white which, incidentally, are also the Ranger's official colors.

The organization makes 15 to 20 rides per year in celebrations in other communities and is always available to ride in Slaton events, regardless of size. "We work entirely for pleasure and for civic improvement and do our best to keep our standards high so that our conduct will be a credit to our community," Fondy related.

During the past year several of the Rangers took part in Palomino Polo tournaments in the area. The game is played by two five-man teams with each team attempting to drive a rubber ball through their opponents' goal. The 16-inch ball is larger than the polo ball used in other sections of the country. Each player is equipped with a rubber mallet with a long flexible handle. This sport is gaining in popularity each year and is termed one of the

fastest most exciting sports on horseback.

The organization meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the City Hall Auditorium. Later in the summer when its members have more time the club will meet occasionally in the afternoon to practice drills and to spend the afternoon riding.

As one of the 79 riding clubs affiliated with the American Association of Sheriff's Poses and Riding Clubs over the United States, the group stands ready to offer its aid in case of national emergency or disaster. Riding clubs such as the one in Slaton have proved themselves great assets many times in aiding police in searches for missing persons where a large amount of ground needs to be covered.

In case of local emergency the Rangers could be notified and ready to go in a very short time, according to Fondy.

Riders include Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tims, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pinkert, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pinkert, Bobby Riney, Fred Melcher, Bob and Bobby Elbert, Guy Sasser, Tommy Joines, Henry and Leon Pinkert, Buford Powers, J. O. and Johnny Long, "Punk" Thomas, Gordon Aycock, the officers and the directors.

The club plans to ride in the Post Stampede Parade May 23. Other riding plans include rodeos and parades at Midland, Hereford, and Plainview. They have already ridden in parades at Odessa, Seagraves, Abilene, and Spur events this year.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lytle visited Mr. Lytle's brother, A. M. Lytle and family of Dimmitt over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill of Dallas visited in the home of Mrs. Churchill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cooper over the week-end.

Boyd Bryant of Littlefield was a Sunday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schnell.



Born May 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pionka, Rt. 1, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs.

Born May 18 to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Howard, 1255 So. 11th, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs.

Born May 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Martino Garcia, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 5 lbs. 13 ozs.

Born May 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Julio Escobar, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs. 6 ozs.

Born May 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Sanchez, Box 403, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs.

Born May 20 to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childs, Rt. 2, Post, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 10 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Conway of Andrews visited in the home of Mrs. George Marriott Sunday. Mrs. Conway is Mrs. Marriott's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Hodge and son Jerry visited Mr. Hodge's sister, Mrs. R. L. Taylor, and Mr. Taylor of Littlefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Anderson of Winters were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Havens, and Mrs. Havens mother, Mrs. W. O. Rucker of Shallowater, attended funeral services of Mrs. Rucker's brother, Jim Griffin, in Oglesby Monday.

B. H. Bollinger and J. J. Maxey attended a district conference of the Texas League of Municipalities in Bis Spring Wednesday.

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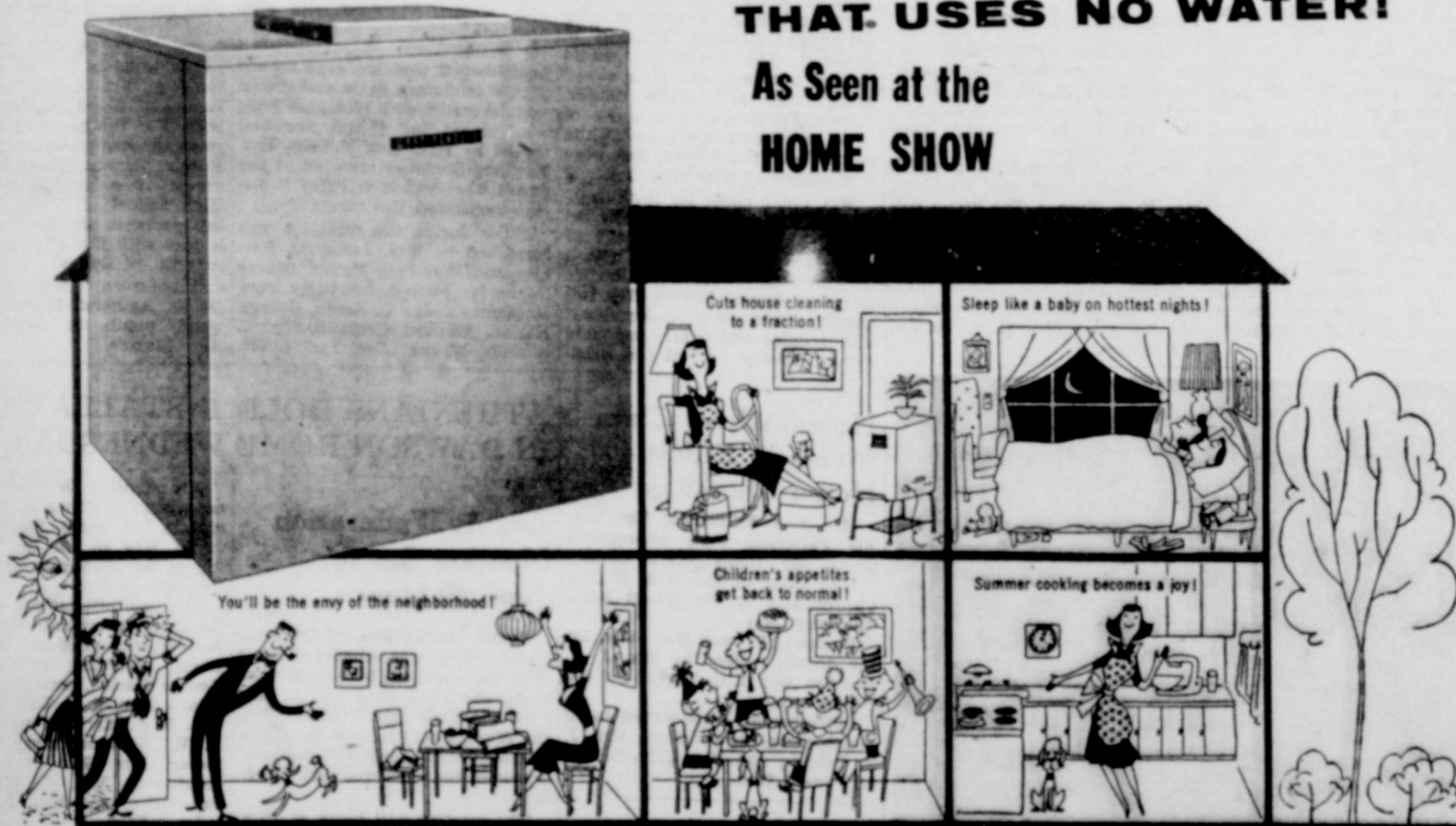
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SUNDAY, MAY 27th

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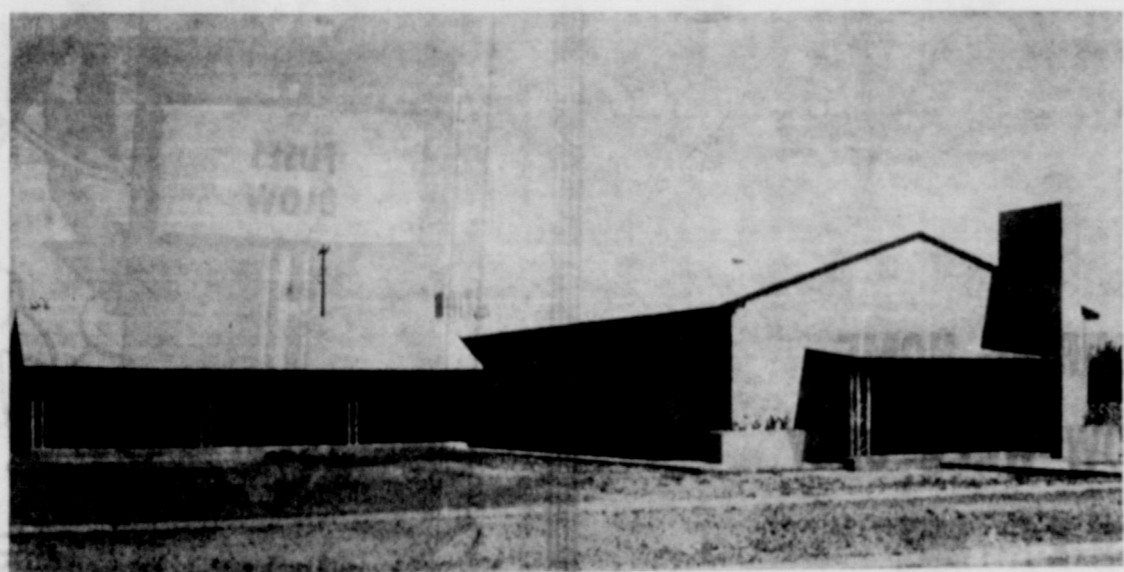
We hope that each and every person in and around Slaton will attend your open house and that this building will serve your membership for many years to come.

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YOU ARE INVITED

To attend the OPEN HOUSE of the WESTVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday, May 27.

The pastor, Rev. Bryan Ross, invites you to the special program planned for Sunday morning after which a tour will be made of the new CHURCH PLANT.

There will be an OPEN HOUSE from 3:00 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. especially for the friends from the other churches of the city and the association.

WESTVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

Methodists Plan Vacation Bible School in May

Vacation Bible school will be held at the First Methodist Church of Slaton May 27 to June 6. Director of the school is Howard Hoffman. Classes will meet each day from 9:30 a. m. to 11 a. m. Courses of study will include on the Kindergarten level, "Together in Our Church;" on the primary level, "Our Bible;" and on the junior level, "Learning to Know The Bible." The school will have as its overall program the study of the Bible.

Refreshments will served each day and picnics, movies and other entertainment is planned throughout the duration of the school. On June 6, closing day of the school, a program will be presented for parents and friends of those enrolled in the school. The program will be held at 7:30 p. m. and will followed by an open house in Fellowship Hall of the church.

Ten of the members who plan to teach in the school have recently attended a training clinic in Lubbock at the Asbury Methodist Church. The workers and superintendents of each of the levels of the school are as follows: Kindergarten, Mesdames Don Crow, superintendent, Joe Teague III, Vasker Browning, Calvin Lamb, teachers; Primary level, Mesdames J. B. Sharp, superintendent, Weldon Joman, J. L. Scott, W. F. Parsch Meador, R. H. Todd Jr., Marlee Hol-Jr., W. L. Blaylock, R. B. Lain and Miss Peggy Ray, teachers; Junior level, Mesdames Joe Walker Jr., superintendent, Martin Collins, Jack Nowlin, David Still, Nan Tudor, J. S. Edwards, B. N. Ball, Bob Van Meter, Floyd Jordan, and Miss Dorothy Heaton and Miss Mary Ann Klattenhoff, teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Coffee had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Coffee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bans of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childress and children of Abernathy visited here Friday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kenney and daughter Cindy left Slaton Wednesday for a weeks vacation in Calif. They plan to visit Mr. eKinney's aunt, Mrs. R. L. Nix and D. L. Minden.

Guests in the home of Mrs. L. L. Lively over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Austin of Austin, Mrs. C. M. Fincher of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Anderson of Winters.

Rotary Program On Tech Football

Bill Holmes, of the public relations department of athletics, Texas Tech, was the speaker on the Rotary Club Thursday noon. He talked on the entry of Tech into the Southwestern Football Conference. Lee Vardy was in charge of the program for the day.

The speaker gave the history of Tech's entry. The first application for admittance was in 1927. Continuous work continued from then until the present toward this goal. The progress of West Texas and the college was given as the real reason for the success of getting into this conference by the speaker.

In football, 1961 is the nearest date that Tech can get on the full schedule of games. This is due to the fact that some of the members already have games scheduled this far in advance. Full basketball schedules can be secured by 1957 or 1958. The school will be in spring sports next year.

This fall Tech will play football with Baylor and TCU. In 1957 they play A&M, Baylor and Arkansas. In 1958 they play A&M, Texas, TCU, Baylor and Arkansas.

Mr. Holmes stated that Tech's chances of being able to play as good football as others in the conference was good. This is due to the fact that Tech is the second largest school in the Southwestern Conference and that they are located in the middle of the best

Church School Attendance May 20 Numbers 1,627

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, May 20, totaled 1,627 in the 13 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:

First Christian	49
Church of God	42
First Methodist	259
First Baptist	402
Church of the Nazarene	98
Westview Baptist	211
First Presbyterian	16
Grace Lutheran	70
Church of Christ	206
First Baptist Mission	79
Assembly of God	76
Pentecostal Holiness	55
Bible Baptist	64

Mrs. H. T. Scurlock and Mrs. Bill Chrisman and son Jim Bob returned Monday from a week-end trip to San Angelo. Mrs. Bill Chrisman visited her mother, Mrs. C. S. Taylor, and her sister, Mrs. M. L. Allen, and son Andy. Mrs. Scurlock visited her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Roe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clark visited in Post Sunday with the Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, also with Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Carl Clark.

Visitors were Bill Pendley, Lubbock; Earl Collins, Lubbock; Hubert Phillips, Ralls; Mike Wicks, Ralls; Al O'Brien, Lubbock; Wil-lard Hedges and Leonard Ehrler, coaches, of Slaton.

Annual American Cotton Congress Set in Lubbock



Lamar Fleming Jr.

"Just what is the world cotton situation today?" Participants in the 17th annual American Cotton Congress in Lubbock, Texas on May 31, June 1-2 will find out from an expert on the problem.

He's Lamar Fleming, Jr., chairman of the board of Anderson, Clayton & Co., worldwide cotton merchants. His address will be one of the highlights of the opening session of the Congress on Thursday, May 31.

Marvin L. McLain, assistant secretary of agriculture, Washington,

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D. C. will speak at a dinner session the second day. His subject will be "The Challenge Facing Cotton."

Burris C. Jackson of Hillsboro, Texas, general chairman of the Congress, will deliver the keynote address. Chancellor M. T. Harrington of Texas A & M College is chairman of the program committee.

The principal addresses and panel discussions will deal with problems facing the cotton industry. Special sessions will be devoted to cotton production methods, particularly as they apply to the South Plains of Texas.

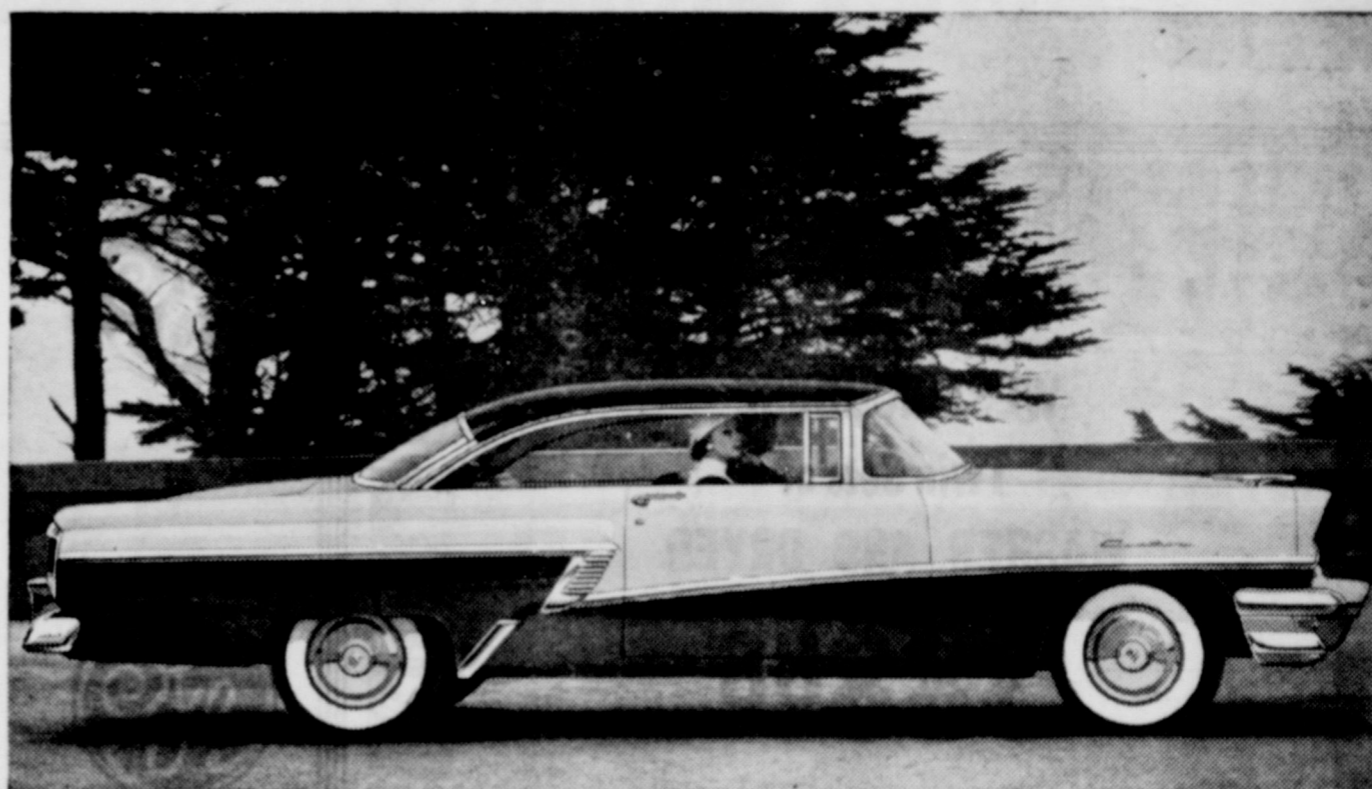
A field trip, farm machinery exhibits and an open house at the textile engineering laboratory have been arranged in cooperation with Texas Technological College.

Anyone interested in the cotton industry is invited to attend the conference sessions, which will be held at the Caprock and Lubbock hotels, and on the Texas Tech Campus, according to Jackson.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gartman for the next 10 days are their daughter, Mrs. James Selph and Mr. Selph of Barber Ark. They will also visit Mrs. Selph's sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Rackler and family, Mrs. Harry Gartman and family, Mrs. Albert Jones and family of Lubbock, and her brother, Junior Gartman, and family.

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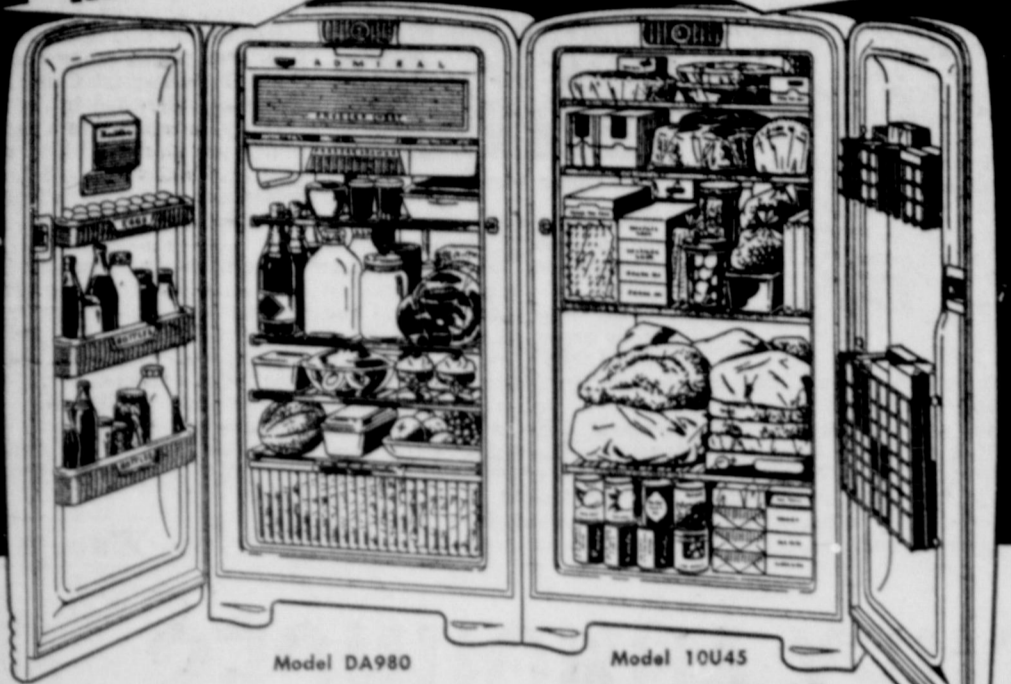
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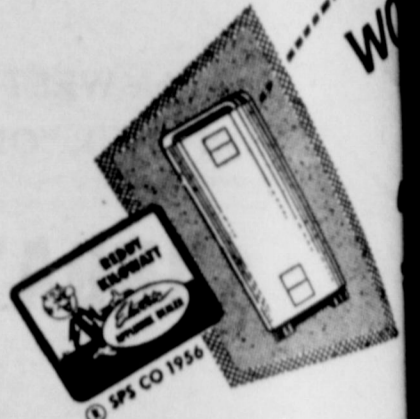
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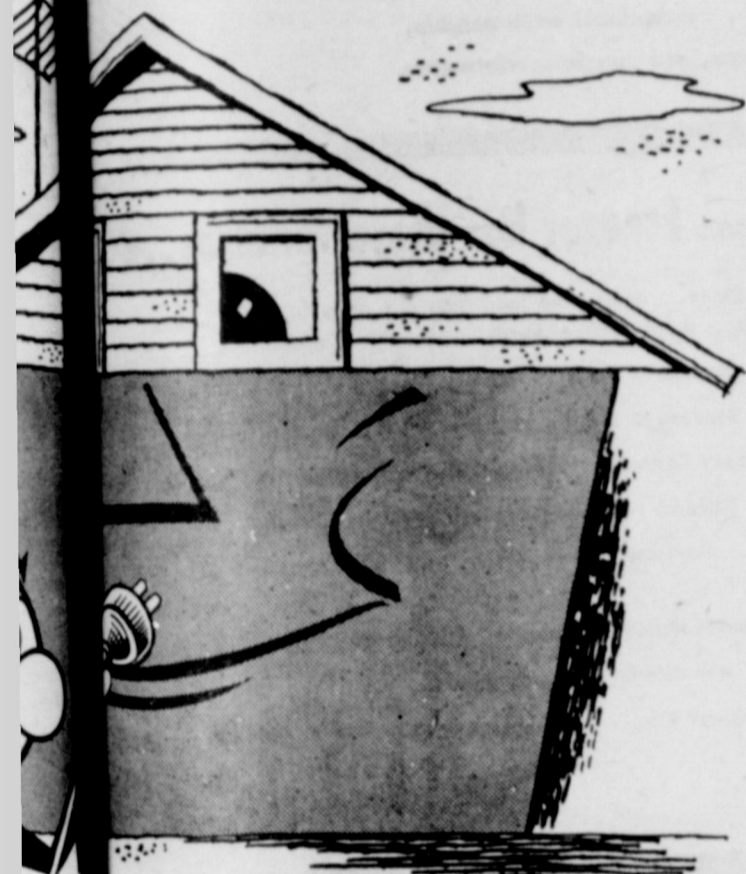
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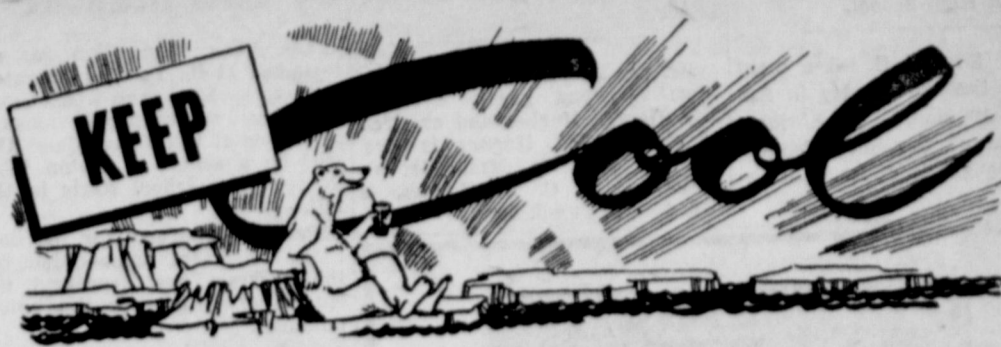
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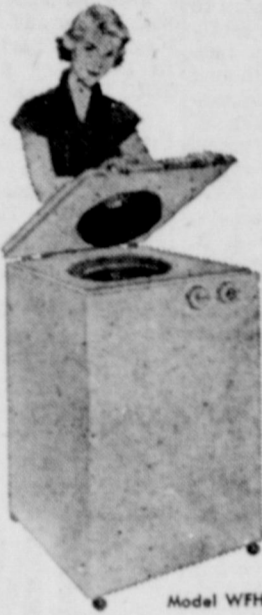


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Mrs. G. B. Bradford and daughter, Betty, of Lubbock visited with Mrs. Bradford's sister, Mrs. W. J. Thomas, and family Monday and attended graduation exercises of the Slaton High School.

Mrs. Wesly Gentry and Mrs. Melvin Johnson went to Amarillo Monday. Mrs. Gentry visited her sister, Mrs. George James and Mrs. Melvin Johnson visited with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Elkin spent Thursday through Sunday in San Angelo attending the Shriners ceremonial of the Suez Temple. They were guests of L. J. Schermerhorn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Green had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes and children of Roscoe. Mr. Hughes is Mrs. Green's brother. Mrs. Green's mother, Mrs. C. A. Hughes, is spending the week here.

Lions Entertained By SHS Student

The Slaton Lions Club was entertained at its Tuesday luncheon meeting by Mary Ann Klattenhoff, who played several popular musical selections at the piano. Mary Ann will be a senior at Slaton High School when school starts in the fall.

Program chairman for the day, P. L. Vardy Jr., thanked her for the program and expressed the club's appreciation for the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goldapp and children of Alice have been guests in the home of their aunt, Mrs. G. P. Farschon, the early part of the week.

Mrs. Louis Mosser left Tuesday to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mike Fuhrmann, at Lindsay, Texas. She was accompanied by her sons, Hugo and James, and her daughter, Mrs. Don Galther of Midland.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Tunnell returned to their home in Slaton last Friday night after a two week vacation spent in California with their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Dally and Mr Dally in La Mesa, Disney land and other interesting places.

Mrs. E. E. Wilson had as her guests Friday and Saturday her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Reeder of Dallas, and Mrs. Silva Bennett of Amarillo, and also a niece, Mrs. Doyle Prater and daughter Rebecca Ann of Amarillo.

Self Furniture Expansion Sale Winners Named

As a climax to its Expansion Sale, Self Furniture Co. of Slaton awarded prizes to five residents chosen from among the more than 600 persons who registered for the prizes during the eight day sale.

First prize, consisting of a Maytag Washer, went to Mrs. A. C. Melugin; second prize, a floor lamp, went to Minnie Jordan; third prize, an Admiral table model radio, was awarded to C. L. Newcomb; fourth prize, a coffee table, was presented to Mrs. Fred Wiley; and the fifth prize, a rug, went to Mrs. Steve Colleps.

The sale began May 11 and was in celebration of the expansion of the store from about 3000 square feet to 7000 square feet. The drawing was held at the completion of the sale Saturday, May 19.

Mr and Mrs. Cecil Scott and their two daughters, Jan and Jill, left this week for a three week vacation. They will spend a few days with their niece at her ranch at Sterling City; will visit in San Angelo and then Austin. In Austin they will visit with a friend of Mrs. Scott's whom she has known since high school days. From Austin they will go to Livingston to spend some time with Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr and Mrs Emory English. On their return trip they will stop in Dallas for a short visit with Miss Myrtle Teague and at Possum Kingdom lake where they will spend some time with the Earl Reasoners at their cabin.

Shirley Saage and Pat Stansell left Thursday for a short trip to Ruidoso. They will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Greer had as their week-end guests Mrs. Charles Stotts and children of Hobbs N. Mex., and Mrs. Donald Edmunds and children of Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gray had as their guests recently Mr. Gray's sisters, Mrs. S. Y. Joiner of Sundown, Mrs. W. F. Lancaster of Muleshoe, Mrs. A. S. Adams of Olton, and his mother Mrs. L. B. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heinrich attended the K. C. Convention held Galveston last week-end.

Miss Marie McDonald returned to her home in Big Spring Tuesday morning after spending the week end in the home of her sister, Mrs. H. T. Stokes, and Mr. Stokes.

Mr and Mrs Ford Stansell spent the first part of the week in Dallas attending the state Democratic Convention.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Seideman were week end guests of their two sons, Billy and James, and their families in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPhaul and family of Lamesa attended the Slaton High School graduation exercises, of which Mrs. McPhaul's son, Tracy Crawford, was a member. They were accompanied by Mr. McPhaul's sister, Mrs. Charles Dawin, Mr. Dawin, and children of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Oree Glasscock and son, Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thompson and daughter, Jane, spent the week-end at Lake Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gravel have gone to Dallas to attend the State Democratic Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corley had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Waller of Memphis, Texas. Mrs. Waller and Mrs. Corley are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis and children spent the week-end at Lake Thomas.

Gordon Davis and Wayne Smith spent the week-end fishing near Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGuire and son, I. D., of Bakersfield Calif. have been guests in the home of Mrs. Frank A. Drewry.

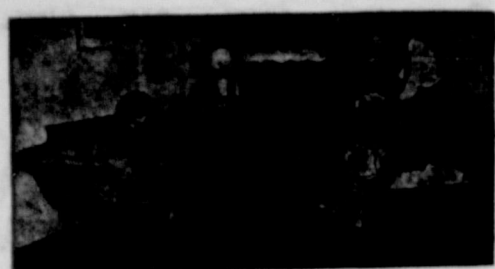
Dewey Howard of Angleton Texas spent the week-end here visiting his sister Mrs. H. H. Eubanks and Mr. Eubanks.

Mrs. John Schide and son are leaving Thursday for their home in Powell, Wyo. after spending five weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliot.

Mrs. A. L. Clifton and daughter, Melinda, went to Lubbock Sunday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Sam McMillin, and Mr. McMillin.

Mr and Mrs Jack Daffern returned to their home in Clarksville Tuesday where they will spend the summer vacation. Mrs Daffern has been teaching in west ward school in Slaton.

Mr and Mrs B. C. Crowley and wife of Hacavada, California, came Sunday to visit with Mr Crowley's mother, Mrs Bessie Crowley. The three of them are spending this week with another of Mrs Crowley's sons, J. B., and family in Fayetteville, Texas.



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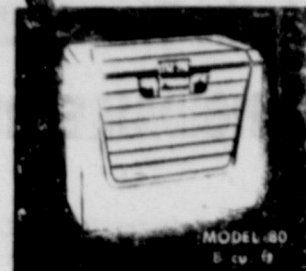
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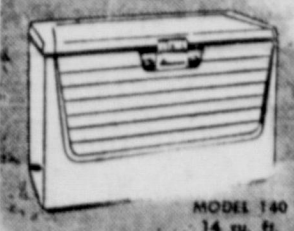
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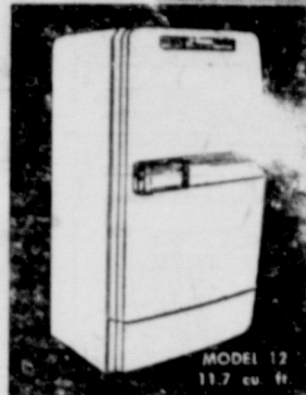
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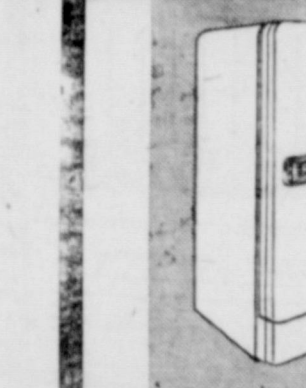
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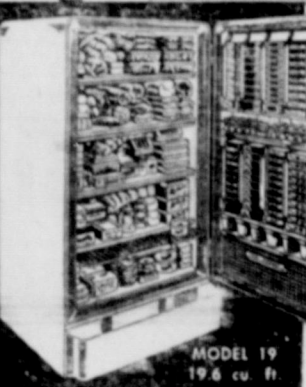
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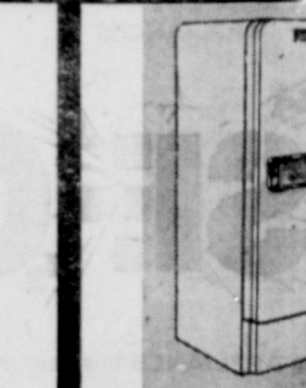
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LAKE REACTS TO SHAD CURE

AUSTIN, May—Removing an estimated one hundred tons of shad from the Panhandle's Buffalo Lake has done the job—made the game fish hungry—according to reports to the Chief Aquatic Biologist for the Game and Fish Commission.

A record 1800 pounds of the chemical rotenone was used to exterminate shad. Carp will be attacked later when they concentrate for spawning in the shallows.

R. H. Johnson, lake concessionaire, told Aquatic Biologist Leo Lewis of Wichita Falls that the first calm weather after the gigantic selective kill produced limited catches of crappie and some big bass.

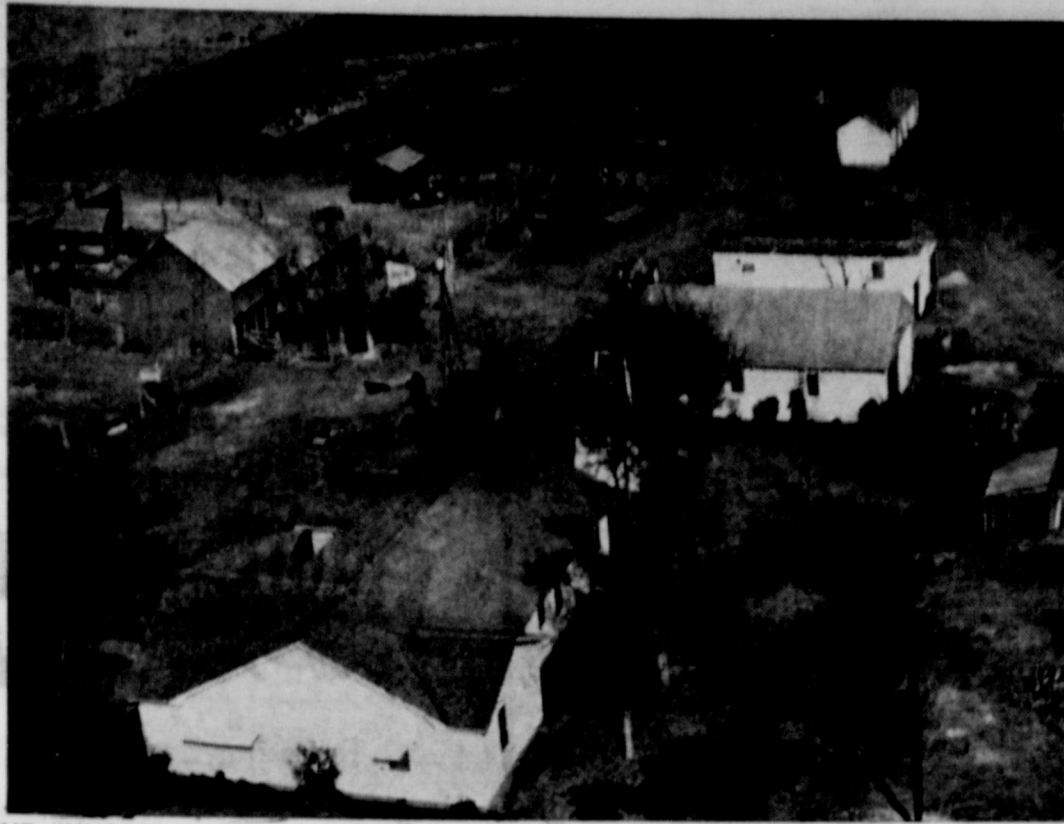
WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Mr and Mrs C. E. Upham visited last week in Las Vegas, New Mex., with Mr and Mrs E. L. Green. Part of the week was spent at Conchas Dam fishing where they report a good catch. The Greens are former Slatonites.

Mrs H. W. Cooper has returned to her home in Arlington after having spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs Francis Perry and Mr Perry.

Mr and Mrs Charlie Gouldson left for their home in Brenham Tuesday morning after having spent the week end with Mrs Joe Tate. The Gouldsons are cousins of Mrs Tate.

Week-end visitors in the Alton Meeks home were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Parchman and Debra of Loving, New Mexico.



THE "MYSTERY FARM" which appeared in the May 18 issue of The Slatonite is owned and operated by Magnus Klattenhoff. The farm is located about five miles west of Slaton near Posey.

M. Klattenhoff Owns, Operates "Mystery Farm"

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff own and operate the "Mystery Farm" which appeared in the May 18 issue of The Slatonite. The farm is located near Posey, about five miles west of Slaton.

The family have owned the farm for about 30 years. Klattenhoff bought the land in 1911 when it was still pasture land and broke it out into farm land.

Mrs. Klattenhoff is the former Myrtle Thomas and was teaching school in Posey when she met her husband. He is a former resident of Taylor, Texas. The couple were married May 6, 1937 and now have two children Mary Ann, a senior in high school; and Mackie, a sophomore.

They are members of the First Methodist Church of Slaton. In their spare time Mackie and his father work at their hobby, which is the restoration of old model cars.

Cotton and grain sorghums are the two principal crops raised on the farm which is operated by Klattenhoff with the assistance of Mackie. The 160 acres on the

home place are partially irrigated by three small wells. Klattenhoff also farms about 400 additional acres near their farm.

News Of Slaton Men In Service

Bloodworth Goes to Germany

FORT KNOX, KY.—PFC LeRoy Bloodworth, son of Mrs. Lorene Reed, Slaton, Tex., left the U. S. for Germany Monday, May 21 as part of Operation Gyroscope, the Army's unit rotation plan.

Bloodworth's unit, the 3d Armored Division, now stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., will replace the 4th Infantry Division in Europe. At the present they plan to be there for 33 months.

A vehicle repairman in Company B of the division's 122d Ordnance Battalion, Bloodworth entered the Army in May 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

He was graduated from Slaton Senior High School. His father, Roy D. Bloodworth, also lives in Slaton.

He would like to hear from all his friends with his address as follows: Pfc. LeRoy Bloodworth, RA18485584, HQ Co., 3rd Arm. Div., A. P. O. 39, New York, N. Y.

Mr. Bill Leslie of Memphis arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones. Mr. Jones was injured recently in a tractor accident. He is still in Mercy Hospital but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kitchens of Posey had as their dinner guests Sunday the Rev. and Mrs. V. F. Love and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kitchens and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cagle returned Monday after several days of fishing at Possum Kingdom. They also visited Mrs. Cagle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hale in Sweetwater.

Mr and Mrs Elbert Wilson spent a few days recently with Mr Wilson's nieces, Miss Maggie Young and Mrs J. R. Gassaway and family in Tyler.

Guests in the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Tucker and children on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week were Mrs Tucker's father, B. A. Gant, and her aunt, Miss Ara Gant, of Fort Worth.

TEAGUE DRUG MONTHLY NEWS

A Message from Teague Drug "Your Pharmacist"

FATHER'S DAY is celebrated this year on June 17th. Hundreds of famous quotations tell about the worth of Mothers, and we approve of everyone of them, but surprisingly little has been written about Fathers, except jokes.

HE IS THE HEAD of the family, so he gets the headaches. He is the fellow who is usually put on the pan, if he doesn't bring home the bacon.

ALL CHILDREN are "Stomachs surrounded by curiosity—usually a pain in the neck when around, and a pain in the heart when they are not." What we seem to need most is a child labor law to keep children from working their Fathers too much.

FATHER'S DAY is usually the one day that everybody remembers this forgotten man, but we like Fathers, and promise to take good care of them every day. We are happy about the fact that Fathers like our pharmacy, because they visit us very often to secure the many things we carry for their health and comfort.

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Phone 114

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THE SLATONITE GETS CREDIT FOR BIG RESULTS

Clark Self of the SELF FURNITURE has just completed his big EXPANSION SALE. He voluntarily said:

"I have put on sales, or specials many times before, but the EXPANSION SALE of the past two weeks has been the biggest and best. I give all the credit for getting the people in our store to our advertising in the SLATONITE.

"This is just an instance of good FURNITURE being advertised in a good NEWSPAPER and getting good results. I appreciate SLATON having a good NEWSPAPER.



Leo H. Wendel

Wendel Is Promoted

T/Sgt. Leo H. Wendel, who is stationed at Chitose, Japan, was recently promoted from staff sergeant to tech sergeant. He has been in service for over seven years, this being his second tour of overseas duty. He was stationed on Guam at one time.

He is the husband of Mrs. Edna Wendel, who resided here in Slaton, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wendel. T/Sgt. Wendel says he likes Japan all right if he could have his family with him. He has been there for seven months.

Williams Attends Convention

Mrs. V. P. Williams, chief clerk at the Southern Bell Telephone office here attended the convention of the Telephone Pioneers of America in Galveston May 18 and 19. Mrs. Williams left Thursday by train, as two special cars accommodated the pioneers, she returned Monday morning.

Mae Lela Wyatt of Sweetwater who is a former Slaton resident and a member of the 1956 graduation class of S. H. S., was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Castleberry. Monday her mother Mrs. W. T. Wyatt and her sister Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Davenport all of Sweetwater came to attend the graduation exercises.

E. E. Culver is in Scottsboro, Ala. where he was called due to the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. John Shelton. Mrs. E. E. Culver spent Sunday and Sunday night in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. K. D. Goebble and family.



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When you choose a Ford Station Wagon, you get the best station wagon value. And sales prove it! In 1955, for the fifth straight year, Ford sold more wagons than the other two low-price makers combined!

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"What I appreciate is the room in my eight-passenger Country Sedan. With nearly nine feet of space, I can tote a half-

ton of cargo or half a pack of cub scouts!" "My Ford Custom Ranch Wagon does something I never thought any wagon could do: gives me as comfortable a ride as I get in our family sedan! And I appreciate its scuff-resistant upholstery, too."

"I chose a 225-h.p. engine for my Ford wagon. And what a performer! It whisks me from 'whoa' to GO in less time than I can tell it."

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Society

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, May 25, 1956



FHA "GIRLS OF THE MONTH" for April and May are Miss Sharon Smith and Miss Linda Buxkemper. Sharon won this honor by having the most points in May and Linda won in the same manner in April. They are shown with Miss Smith seated as they talk of their FHA points. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

FHA 'Girls of Month' Are Announced For April - May

Announcement was made this week of the FHA "Girls of the Month" for April and May, by Mrs. G. K. Haile and Mrs. James Hays, sponsors of the senior and little sisters chapters of FHA. Those who were winners for these months were Linda Mae Buxkemper for April and Sharon Smith for May. Linda had 20 points and earned them working on the cancer drive and on the "Daddy" date supper.

Linda Mae is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Buxkemper and has been classified as a freshman this year. She has been active in FHA this year and also has

taken part in basketball, a member of the pep squad, Tiger Town, Sodality, SCYC and sings in the church choir at St. Joseph's Catholic Church where she is a member. Sharon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith she won "Girl of the Month" for May by donating a car for the Western Day Parade, decorating the car, riding in the parade, working on "Stars and Diamonds," a skit, for an FHA meeting, attending the meeting, being on program and being installed as a new officer.

Sharon's Activities Sharon, who will be a senior

WCS Holds Circle Meetings This Week

WCS of the First Methodist Church met in circles Monday, May 21, for a lesson on "World Beginning in My Community," with the lesson based on Romans 15:1-6.

A skit, "How About the World" was presented with the world, the skeptic and the home being the different parts presented in this playlet.

India Circle

Mrs. A. L. Robertson was hostess for the India Circle with ten present including two guests, Mrs. Luther Kirk of Plainview and Mrs. T. A. Worley.

Mrs. Kirk brought the lesson and was assisted by Mrs. Martin Collins and Mrs. R. H. Todd Sr., in the skit. Mrs. J. E. Eckert Sr read "Breathe on Me Breath of God."

Mexico Circle

The Mexico Circle met in the home of Mrs. A. E. Whitehead with eight present. Their lesson was presented by Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. H. J. Cowdrey and Mrs. Fred Tudor.

Africa Circle

Mrs. Joe Walker Jr. was hostess to the Africa Circle Monday with eight present including Mrs. H. W. Cooper of Arlington as a guest. Mrs. W. R. Wilson presented the program assisted by Mrs. J. B. Sharp and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree.

Mrs. S. W. Clark brought the devotion. A hymn was read by Mrs. R. J. Clark and Mrs. Walker.

Cuba Circle

The Cuba Circle was scheduled to meet Wednesday after noon.

Mrs. Burns Given Surprise Birthday Party Sunday

Mrs. E. R. Burns was honored at a surprise birthday celebration held at the Fair Park in Abilene Sunday, May 20.

Relatives and friends meeting there were Mr. and Mrs. Burns and Mrs. T. C. McCaffaty of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Burns, Ronald and Donald of San Angelo; Mrs. Ed Booth, Paula, Ronnie and Ward and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Burns, all of Big Spring; Mrs. J. L. Carothers, Carol and Jan of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Casstevens of Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Casstevens, Gene and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiggins, Richard, Barbara and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Shockley, Sandra, Becky and Robert, Mrs. Leo P. Ward and Mrs. Cara Ward, all of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. S. G. Butler of Cactus was the only one of the Burns children who was unable to attend.

next year, will also serve as parliamentarian of FHA. She is a member of the pep squad, student council, choral club and is a member of the planning and decorating committee for Tiger Town. She has participated in tennis this year, is a Rainbow officer and an officer in the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Winning this honor made them eligible to compete for FHA "Girl of the Year" and a full-page picture in the annual.

Eighth Birthday Celebrated by Patricia Rackler

Patricia Rackler was honored on her eighth birthday when her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Rackler, entertained at the County Park Saturday afternoon, May 19.

Patricia had broken her arm in a saw accident on Thursday, but still enjoyed her birthday party. Games were played and refreshments were served to Melody Polk, Julian Gage, Judy Dawson, Shirley Hodges.

Bobby Joe Meeks, Sue Morris, Randy Rakes, Cindy Sherwood, Sherron, Bud and Donna Kay Jones, Clell, Dixie and Mike Garman, Debbie and Deena Gartman, Sue and Addie Rackler, Mrs. Harry Garman, Mrs. James Selph, Mrs. Junior Gartman and Patricia's grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Gartman.

Local Homemaking Teacher Attends State Meeting

Mrs. G. K. Haile, homemaking teacher in the Slaton High School, will leave today for Austin where she will meet with other chairmen of Area Advisory Councils and staff members of the Homemaking Division of Texas Education Agency.

Plans will be formulated for the state conference for Homemaking Teachers which will be held in San Antonio on August 6 through 10.

UNINVITED GUEST AT BEN SOKOLL HOME

When the Ben Sokolls of 235 So. 12th, went home for lunch Tuesday noon an unexpected guest was on their front porch. This guest was a 5 foot prairie racer. As they tried to kill the snake it would strike at them, finally Bobby, their son, killed it with his rifle. It seems unusual for a snake of this size to be found in this part of town.

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5c bar
SNICKERS, 6 for -- 25c

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KOOL-AID, 6 for -- 25c

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Cake Mixes
4 for \$1

CRACKERS, Sunshine Krispies, lb. box --- 25c
PORK & BEANS, Uncle Williams, 300 can -- 9c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, ARMOUR'S 1/2 can --- 19c
OSCAR MAYER'S
LUNCHEON MEAT, 12 oz. can --- 29c

Dude Ranch 20 Oz. Jar

Preserves Strawberry 39c **Tomato Juice 25c**

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

Fresh Roasting Ears, each ----- 5c
Fresh Green Onions, bunch ----- 7 1/2c
Fresh Radishes ----- 7 1/2c
BANANAS, GOLDEN RIPE, lb. 12 1/2c
FRESH LARGE CALIFORNIA
STRAWBERRIES, pt. box ----- 49c
California Gold
CANTALOUPEs, lb. ----- 10c
WATERMELONS, lb. ----- 7 1/2c

FROZEN FOODS

Underwood's 1 Lb.
Bar-B-Q Beef 69c
Birdseye CORN, 10 oz. pkg. ----- 19c
Birdseye SPINACH, 10 oz. pkg. -- 19c
Birdseye FISH STICKS, 8 oz. ----- 39c
Keith's Breaded Fantail
SHRIMP, 10 oz. pkg. ----- 59c

YAMS, DURAND'S, no. 2 1/2 can ----- 19c
CORN, MILFORD'S cream style 303 can --- 12 1/2c
NESTLE'S QUICK, lb. can ----- 49c
CRYSTAL APPLE JUICE, 24 oz. bottle --- 19c
HI-C ORANGE ADE, 46 oz. can ----- 25c

Hunt's 46 Oz. Can

MEATS

SALADS Ham—Chicken Pimento Cheese Lb. ----- **79¢**

Wilson Corn King
BACON Lb. ----- **42c**

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